## I Just Loved You Chapter 29

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"Before joining Médecins Sans Frontières, I had already annulled my engagement with Mr. Steven Thompson. This Peace Prize medal was a gift from Dr. Callum during his lifetime."

"I deeply apologize for taking up public resources, but I will not stand idly by while Dr. Young's legacy is tarnished by these lies. I will hunt down the person responsible for spreading these rumors."

"I have already chosen to end things with Mr. Thompson. We will never be together again in this lifetime. I will follow Dr. Young's example and dedicate my life to Médecins Sans Frontières, helping those affected by war and disaster."

Callum's parents also testified on Gianna's behalf.

Meanwhile, Steven stared at Gianna in the video. She had really changed. She was no longer the Gianna who once revolved around him. She had become more captivating, more radiant—and he realized he no longer deserved someone like her.

As soon as Gianna's video was posted, public outrage spread, with everyone searching for the source of the rumors. Eventually, Steven tracked down the person responsible for the lies–Chloe.

"I knew it was you. Who else would hate me and Gianna this much?" Steven said.

Chloe, unwilling to accept defeat, screamed even as the police took her away.

"Haha, it's all your fault, Steven! If it weren't for you, Callum wouldn't be dead, and Gianna wouldn't be suffering like this..." Chloe shouted in shrill voice.

Steven stood frozen.

Later, Chloe confessed to her involvement. It was she who had revealed the location of Médecins Sans Frontières to the rebel forces, leading to the missile strike that destroyed the camp building.

Once the truth came out, the public s fury intensified. Chloe was sentenced and imprisoned, never to be released.

"Gia!"

At the departure gate in the airport, Steven chased after Gianna.

Gianna turned around to look at him, her face devoid of expression. Since Callum's death, she rarely smiled.

"Gia, have a safe journey."