

## Chapter 19 - Please Forgive a.e

(Author's Note: I will change Ruby's position to Class Rep from this chapter on.....

Secondly, I might change McDonald's restaurant to another name in the future, since it seems to be causing some mistakes, tell me what you think. 1

And lastly thank you all for supporting and reading my book, I will try my best to always give you qualities chapter.)

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Ruby had been unable to sleep throughout the previous night, because of James.

She had been filled with many scary thoughts about him.

She does not know what state he was in if he was okay, or still planning to do dangerous things to his life.

She had not been herself since yesterday to the extent that everybody around her had noticed.

She decided to sneak out of her house early this morning, to come check secretly if James has returned to the hostel or not.

Who would have thought that she would meet James on her way to ask of him?

If that was the only thing, she would have looked for an excuse to cover up, but who would have thought her emotion would take over her, and betray her, making her slap James?

She wasn't expecting to do something like this at all, in fact, she had thought that her emotion would return to normal, once she made sure James was okay, but who would have expected that the instant she saw James, she became mad at him.

Mad at him for risking his life because of someone unworthy, so she wasn't able to control herself.

At this moment, James was still staring with his eyes and mouth agape at Ruby, his brain still unable to make sense of what just occurred.

"I'm really sorry, please, please, forgive me."

Ruby was also still begging for forgiveness over and over again, as that is the only thing she could do at this moment.

After a while, James finally sighed.

He glanced deeply at this world-wrecking beautiful girl in his front, not knowing what to do or say.

Looking at her cute and pitiful appearance, James does not know if he should get mad at her, scold her, or tell her it's okay.

To be honest, James was not even mad at her, rather, what he was feeling was a shock.

"It's okay," He swallowed hard and finally muttered, but Ruby does not seem to still notice.

"Please forgive me, I'm so sorry, it was a mistake."

"Don't worry, I'm not mad at you."

Ruby finally raised her head.

Looking at her tear-stained face, and how sad she was at this moment, James couldn't help but feel emotional for her.

He does not know what to do anymore.

"Are.... Are you okay?" James' voice sounded soft.

"No... no, I should ask you that question, are you okay? Did I hurt you? Should I...."

"I'm okay, class rep, really, I'm okay."

James finally couldn't help but interrupt her.

Seeing that she has finally stopped talking, James continued, still softly.

"I know you probably mistakenly took me for another person, which is nothing huge, anyways."

James said the only conclusion he could think of, completely forgotten that Sarah had just called him by his name before she gave him the hot slap.

Ruby became embarrassed when she heard this, she couldn't tell him the truth, right? So she could only nod her head shamefully.

[What a pity, two innocent kids.]

A small smile suddenly attached itself to James' face when he heard this voice; 'You are finally back.'

This is the real system he knows, not the unhuman-like he

communicated with last night. But this is not the time to get together yet, so James decided to ignore it first.

"Class rep."

"Yes..."

Ruby snapped her head up to glance at James when she heard him call her.

James couldn't help but become embarrassed when he saw this.

Scratching his head softly, James muttered quietly, "I'm... I'm going to the classroom."

"Oh... okay, I will join you soon."

Although she became disappointed when she heard this, she decided not to show it on her face.

"Sorry once again for earlier."

She sounded completely apologetic while pointing her finger at James' face.

"It's okay," James waved her off, and told her he would be going, then he really left.

Ruby opened and closed her mouth several times, to call James back, but she couldn't.

Soon, she stood alone, in her position, thinking of what she just did.

"How could I have slapped slap him, how?!"

"WHY?!!"

"I SHOULDN'T HAVE ACTED SO RASHLY!!!"

She screamed at herself while staring angrily at the hand she just slapped James with.

'Will he forgive me?'

'What if he began to hate me?'

'What if he thinks I'm too rude?'

The more Ruby thinks, the more scared she became.

'No... no, I must apologize.'

James who does not know how affected Ruby was by what happened finally reached his classroom.

At this moment, the classroom is still completely void of humans, some people might not have woken up yet, while some are probably just getting ready, or coming to class already.

He found his way to his seat, and sat down, waiting for class.

While waiting patiently, he unknowingly entered into a deep thought, thinking of what to do today.

'What a second, wasn't today her birthday?'

James suddenly thought of something, then he became stunned.

After a while, he couldn't help but smile helplessly.

'She intentionally came to tell me yesterday that her birthday is today, yet I forgot to wish her.'

James sighed weakly.

While he was still busy thinking to himself, James was suddenly interrupted by the voices of students coming to class.

"What gift would you give the class rep today?"

"Hahaha, that is a secret."

"I heard that many people are already preparing a great surprise for her."

"I heard that too."

"I think she deserves those, though."

"Hun.... This guy is in class already."

After the owners of the voices entered, one of them instantly noticed James, he couldn't help but become stunned.

"To be honest, I think he is quite pitiful," James heard someone mutter among the people that just entered.

"Why would you say that?" Someone questioned curiously, as they glanced towards the quiet James, which truly does look pitiful.

"If you think hard, you would realize that," the voice began, looking toward James soberly.

"He worked so hard just so he could satisfy his girlfriend, but the said girl unexpectedly dumped him for another guy, don't you think he is pitiful?"



When the engrossed boys and girls heard that, they also couldn't help but look at James feeling how pitifully he certainly was when they thought of what he had gone through.

They all finally kept quiet and go to their respectful seats, making James feel helpless.

In no time, more people began to stream in, in twos and threes, talking about Ruby's birthday, and the popular talk and gist of the town.

From time to time, some people would discuss about James, not caring if he is among them or not.

James would also glance towards the entrance of the classroom from time to time, in case Ruby walks in, unfortunately, she is nowhere to be found.

"BASTARD JAMES, COME OUT FOR YOUR FATHER THIS INSTANT?"

An arrogant voice suddenly yelled, stunning everybody in the class to their cores.

They all couldn't help but turn their head slowly toward James.

James glanced around, his forehead creased as he could not understand what is going on here.

"Is there another James in this class?" Someone questioned curiously.

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"Where is the third brother?"

James' second brother questioned as he glanced around the room.

The three brothers just woke up not long ago.

The moment that did, the first place their eyes locked to was James' bed.

They were instantly stunned when they saw that the bed has become empty and neat like nobody has touched it in the first place.

"How dare this third brother? After giving him all the rules and regulations last night, he still dares to run off this morning."

The first brother also looked angrily at James' bed, his eyes like someone who couldn't wait to butcher.

"wait a second, I think a paper is on the table."

The fourth brother suddenly muttered. He walked towards the table that has books dumped over it.

And as he said, there was really a pepper on it.

The paper was neatly folded, so the fourth brother unfolded it instantly.

"It was from The third brother."

The remaining two finally sighed in relief when they heard this.

They had thought that James has gone to become popular again, as that seem to be the only thing he knows how to do these days.

Thanks to James, they also have become extremely popular in school nowadays.

Everywhere they go, people would always point at them as James' roommates.



They instantly all passed the letter amongst themselves, to read the content in it.

After reading it, they sighed in relief again, thinking that James is finally going to act low-key today.

(Boom... boom...)

The trio suddenly looked startled at their door.

The door is currently being pounded heavily.

"Who the hell is slamming the door like that?"

"Do you want to break it?"

The first brother and The fourth brother screamed in unison.

"Hurry up and open the door."

A voice came from outside, making the trio look at each other soundlessly.

"Let's go."

The first brother finally said and walked towards the door.

Opening it, they were instantly met with some dozens of excited boys who were currently staring at them jokingly.

"We have a surprise for you?"

The trio instantly became impatient when they saw that these peoples were only interested in playing guessing games.

"Your brother has offended the people he shouldn't have offended."

The three brothers became stunned.

"Third brother has offended someone he shouldn't have offended?"

The trio muttered to themselves lifelessly.

"You better hurry to his class now, else, he'd get beaten into a pulp by the time you see him next." the dozens of boys hurriedly advised playfully.