

Chapter 360 The Ring Was Going To Be Auctioned

Upon hearing Adrien's words, Celia felt like her head spun, and she had a headache.

What if he was telling the truth this time? If the ring was really going to be auctioned, it would be harder for her to take it back.

As long as the ring was kept in the antique shop, she still had a chance to redeem it. But if it was being sold at an auction, she had no financial resources to compete with the others for it.

The antique shop always bought items at a discounted price. Since the ring was sold for more than ten million dollars, it meant it would be auctioned at a much higher price.

The Kane Group was not a big company. If other rich people took a fancy to the ring and the Kane Group could not afford to compete with them, it would fall into someone else's hands.

By then, even if Adrien was willing to go bankrupt to buy the ring, he might be unable to do so.

The more Celia thought about it, the angrier she became. Because all this was caused by Adrien.

Still, she suppressed the anger in her heart and asked Adrien, "When is the auction? Go to that auction and try to buy the ring."

But Adrien refused at once. "You want me to bid for the ring? Cece, why are you making things difficult for me? You know what the Kane Group is capable of. There are so many powerful men and collectors in the auction. How can I compete with them? Besides, I may not even have the qualifications to enter the venue."

Celia wanted to explode with anger, but she still restrained herself. She tried to calm down. "You always shirk. Let me ask you, who is responsible for all this? It was you who sold the ring. Now, you don't even want to try to get it back?"

Adrien finally realized that something was wrong with his tone. He was afraid that he would irritate Celia more. Of course, he didn't want her to bring this matter to court. It would only harm the reputation of Kane Group more. So he apologized softly, "Cece, I'm sorry. It's not that I'm shirking. It's just that I sold the ring for the sake of Kane Group, and the money was used for the company's operation. As for Cerissa and Mabel, I don't know the details of their squander. But when they came home from the mall, I scolded them. So it won't happen again. They won't spend money indiscriminately anymore."

It seemed that he choked with sobs when he spoke. Celia understood that he was trying to move her, so she immediately said, "Don't act pitiful because I won't buy it. You are not poor."

"I don't mean it that way," Adrien said and sighed, "I know you hate me, and you won't believe me no matter what I say, let alone forgive me. I just want to tell you that I really don't have enough financial resources to buy the ring. If you really care about it, and you don't want to lose it forever, you'd better go to Tyson and talk to him. He may help you figure out a way."

He continued to persuade her patiently, "After all, Hobson was willing to spend eight million dollars buying you a dress. This only shows he values his grandson and granddaughter-in-law. So if you ask him for help, I'm sure it won't be difficult for him to buy the ring for you. Ten million dollars is nothing for the Shaw family. But for the Kane family, it's already big. Cece, you should know this in your heart. I don't think you want to push me to a dead end."

Adrien pretended to be considerate, but Celia only saw through his trick.

She was about to expose what was on his mind when she suddenly heard Tyson's voice outside. She had no choice but to hang up for now. "I have something to do. I'll call you later."

She then hung up the phone and deliberately pressed the flush button, pretending she had just used the toilet.

When she came out of the bathroom, Tyson was already standing outside. She calmed herself down and walked up to him.

"Tyson..."

Although Celia tried to smile, Tyson still noticed that she wasn't really happy. He reached out, hugged her, and asked concernedly, "What's the matter? Are you not feeling well?"

