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Celia's request shook Brea to the core, leaving her stunned beyond words.

The message that Nolan had sent her that morning was still fresh in her mind.

"I've been swamped recently, so if you have nothing important to tell me, please don't bother me. By the way, I've arranged for you to audition for an important drama so I need you to be prepared for that. Please don't disappoint me."

However, now Celia suddenly requested to see Nolan.

Upon connecting all the dots that had been perfectly lined up before her, Brea guessed Nolan had predicted that Celia would want to see him and so he tried his hardest to avoid that meeting.

Brea couldn't help thinking about the last time Nolan had asked her to give Celia a holiday, and she felt worried.

Had Nolan really fallen in love with Celia? That couldn't be possible especially because she had never failed to remind him that Celia had a husband!

Brea was lost in her thoughts for a long time and was pulled out of her mind when she heard Celia asking a question under her breath. "Brea, is it too much for me to ask? If you think it's inappropriate, you don't have to answer. Just forget I asked."

Brea blinked a few times, coming back to her senses. She had the urge to tell Celia that this was difficult for her. However, Brea looked into Celia's expectant eyes and was immediately too embarrassed to say that. Instead, she mumbled the truth. "I'm sorry, Cece, it's not that I don't want to help you. It's just that I spoke with Mr. Reyes this morning but he let me know that he had been busy lately and that I should not bother him."

She paused, trying not to let her emotions show, then added, "Besides, Ronald is coming to Semshy Group, and the conditions he offered seem to be very complicated, so Mr. Reyes is following up himself to ensure that everything goes smoothly."

Celia was stunned for a moment. She remembered going to see Nolan at his office last night. He was still working, even if it was so late at night. She knew she couldn't force him to meet with her now.

Instead of commenting on what Brea said, she changed the topic and asked, "When is Ronald coming over?"

"He will be here soon. The performing arts department is making a special lounge for him." Brea quirked a brow and gave Cece a suspicious look. "Why do you suddenly care about him?"

Celia gasped and waved her hands frantically, afraid that Brea had misunderstood. "My best friend Alita is his assistant, did you forget? She is a big fan of the love story between you and Wayne."

Brea's face flushed as a memory surfaced in her mind. "I remember her. The three of us should find a time to have dinner together sometime. It's getting late now and I still need to read the script too. Let's catch up later." Brea smiled and bit goodbye to Celia.

Celia bid her own goodbye and then returned to her station to continue working. Before she could get started with her work, however, she decided to send a quick message to Alita.

"Alita, will you be coming to the Semshy Group today?"

She sent the message and waited for a reply but it didn't come even after a long time.

Celia didn't take offense when no response came because she wasn't in a hurry and she knew the busy nature of Alita's job was quite demanding.

What she didn't know was that Alita was actually upset at the moment.

She was packing up Ronald's things in his private villa.

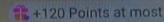
Ronald had signed the contract with Semshy Group and as a result, Nolan had offered him very attractive conditions and arranged several big roles for him. Therefore, Ronald had to join a filming team right after he signed the contract.

As his assistant, Alita surely would also join the team and have a lot of work on her hands.

Ronald had quite a lot of things that he would be bringing with him and he couldn't find them all himself so Alita had come to his house early in the morning to rummage through the rooms.

After hours of rummaging, she managed to gather all the things that he had instructed were the most important to take with him. She was absent-mindedly packing and sorting the boxes when she suddenly noticed a box that she hadn't seen before.

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She checked the list that Ronald had given her with a furrowed brow. The box was not listed. She went to pick it up so she could ask him if it was one of the things he wanted to take with him.

The box had not been closed securely because when she moved it, the lid toppled open.

Alita couldn't avoid peeking now and what she saw inside made her gasp. There were crystal clear diamond earrings that sparked even in this dim lighting. They were inlaid with pearls which took Alita's breath away. This must be worth a fortune.

She had been an assistant for several years, and she had a thorough understanding of the preferences of popular stars.

Even at first glance, she knew that this pair of earrings would be the style that Vida liked.

She smiled a mischievous grin at the realization that there must be a story between Vida and Ronald!