

Chapter 73

Sophia got ready early as she would have to reach university earlier today.

Today, an assignment would be announced by a professor in which she would have to work in a group.

After eating breakfast with her mother, she promptly left her home in a hurry.

As soon as she got to the university, she made a hasty trip to the classroom to attend the lesson.

Students in their junior and senior years were enrolled in the same marketing class because they had chosen to take it as an elective.

As soon as Sophia walked inside the classroom, she noticed a large number of new faces. She realized they were their seniors. In an attempt to locate Sara, she looked around.

Luckily, the professor had not entered the class yet.

"Excuse me," a girl said, passing her.

In order to make room for them, Sophia moved to the side of the door.

"Why are you standing here? Are you trying to get the attention of other boys?" She heard a familiar voice.

She rolled her eyes and ignored it. She did not have to turn to see her.

That voice was none other than Luisa's voice. At that very moment, Sara came to Sophia and grabbed her hand.

"I was waving at you. You couldn't see me. Let's go."

Sophia smiled at Sara as she took her to their seats. Sophia sat down and let out a sigh.

"I thought I came early today. But it looks like everyone has come before me."

While sitting next to her, Sara let out a chuckle. "You appear to be in a good mood today. What's the matter, baby?"

Sophia pursed her lips to control her thoughts about last night. She could not forget the kiss. Every time she remembered it, she blushed.

"Hey! Why are you blushing? What's going on in your head? Tell me," Sara nudged her with her elbow and asked about it.

Sophia patted her own cheeks. "Oh my god! If I keep blushing, how will I face him today?" she muttered.

Sara leaned toward her and overheard her. "There is no way I will let you go before telling me. Come on, Sophia. Tell me."

Sophia turned her head toward Sara and told her what had happened last night. Since they were sitting on the last bench, no one paid attention to them.

Sara gasped with a surprised look. "You two kis—"

Before Sophia could utter the words aloud, she covered her mouth with her hand.

Sara pushed her hand away from her mouth and smirked at her. "Didn't I tell you jealousy is the biggest way to make his inner thoughts come out? See? He is in love with you."

Sophia flushed red. She lowered her head and bit her lower lip.

Sara hugged her tightly. "My baby, I'm so happy for you."

Sophia chuckled at her cute behavior.

"Excuse me, girls? What are you two doing?"

After breaking the hug, they turned their attention to Nolan, who was standing next to their bench with his hand on his hip.

"I'm doing whatever with my baby. What's it with you?" Sara asked him while wrapping her hand around Sophia's shoulder.

Sophia could see that the couple had a fight between them. She unwrapped Sara's hand from her shoulder and grabbed Nolan's hand. She placed Sara's hand on his hand and asked,

"You two. What happened to you? Have you had a fight?"

"Ask your friend what she did last night." Nolan said, sitting on the bench next to theirs.

"Don't listen to him, Sophia. I didn't do anything wrong."

"Oh, please. Who was flirting with the waiter?" Nolan inquired, rolling his eyes. But he had not let Sara's hand go yet.

Sara turned her head toward Sophia and winked at her, then whispered, "He wasn't giving me much time. Now look, how he is coming after me. Jealousy is the medicine of love."

Sophia laughed at her words. She could not deny that Sara was kind of right. Though she felt hurt by Bryan's words, she could not ignore the kiss. That was the first kiss they shared together.

When the professor entered the class, everyone kept silent. He started his lecture while talking about the assignments.

Sophia tried her best to pay attention to the professor.

The door flung open, and a boy stepped inside the class.

"Mr. Morrison, you are late," the professor said while looking at him.

During the time that Bruce was looking around the classroom, Sophia gazed at him.

"I'm sorry, Professor," Bruce replied, walking in the direction of Sophia.

Sophia averted her gaze and tried to ignore him properly. Bruce sat down a few seats away from her bench, which caused her to feel relieved. She noticed he sat with his friends. She almost forgot about his friends.

At the end of the class, the professor called out names and told them about their groups.

Sara clapped her hands when the professor called Nolan's name in her group. But later, when he did not call Sophia's name, she felt upset.

"You will get a better team. Don't worry," Sara said, rubbing Sophia's arm.

As Sophia was about to give her a nod, the professor called out two names that she was not familiar with.

Then, the professor referred to her,

"Sophia Berge."

Sophia raised her hand. After giving a slight nod at her, the professor turned his head to another person.

"And Bruce Morrison."

As soon as she heard him, Sophia was completely taken aback. Immediately, she rose up and inquired, "Professor, is it possible for me to change a member of the group? If you want to shift me to another group, it would be fine with me too."

The professor frowned at her. "Do you think all these students here will listen to you and change their groups for you? Who are you to decide it?"

Bruce stood up and nodded his head. "Professor, she is disrespecting your choice. Don't change the group based on her wish. You are our professor, and only you can decide it."

The professor's jaw dropped as he had never seen Bruce so attentive before. He was behaving like an obedient student.

Students around them understood the situation between the two exes, and they began to laugh.

"SILENCE."

The professor yelled at everyone.

Meanwhile, Sophia stared at Bruce, giving him a stern look. She could have convinced the professor if he had not interrupted.

Bruce turned his head and winked at her. There was a smirk on his face, indicating that she would have to stay with him, even if it was for a while.

The professor looked at Sophia and said,

"Get familiar with your group. From next month, you will be required to start working together with them to complete the assignment."