

## Chapter 338 The Company Went Bankrupt

With a frown, Alick asked, "Why are you laughing? What's wrong with you?"

Jaylen narrowed his eyes and looked closer at his face. "What's wrong with your eye?" he asked. "Did you get punched?"

In an instant, Alick covered the bruise under his left eye with his hand and gnashed his teeth at Jaylen. "Because you helped me in the past, I'm going to let that slide. However, if you laugh at me again, don't blame me for not reminding you that I have a bad temper!"

"I... helped you?" Jaylen said, looking dumbfounded.

What was Alick talking about?

What did he do for him?

Why didn't he know it himself?

"Are you misremembering..."

"Don't expect me to keep that in mind and think that I owe you a lot," Alick cut him off. "I didn't get mad at you when you laughed at me, so now we're even. Anyway, I'm leaving."

After saying that, Alick went straight towards Isaac's room.

Once he was gone, the puzzled expression on Jaylen's face still lingered.

He didn't remember helping Alick at all! He didn't see himself as kind enough to do that.

He glanced at his watch and muttered, "Oh, it's already seven."

Since he had to rush to Camila's place, he didn't have time to waste with Alick.

On his way there, he decided to buy breakfast that contained some of their local cuisine. Last time, he learned that Camila was not yet used to the local food around here.

However, when he got there, he found that Camila was about to go out.

"Did you have breakfast already?" he asked.

Upon seeing Jaylen holding a lot of things in his hands, she nodded and replied, "Yes."

Actually, she hadn't eaten yet. She was planning to eat something on her way to the hospital.

However, she lied to Jaylen because she didn't want him paying too much attention to her.

Jaylen let out a disappointed sigh and said, "I met Alick this morning. I don't know what he has done, but I saw one of his eyes was beaten black and blue. I chatted with him for a while, which was why I was late. Tomorrow, I'll be earlier..."

"Jaylen, I've already told you that you don't have to do this," Camila cut him off.

She kept trying to refuse him.

Despite that, Jaylen insisted, "It's your business whether to accept me or not. However, it's also my business whether I keep trying or not."

"I'm going to work now. I'll be late," Camila said.

"Let me drive you there," Jaylen offered.

He was about to throw the breakfast into the trash can when Camila stopped him. "Don't throw it away!"

The sight of wasted food struck a nerve within Camila.

"But you've already eaten. Why should I keep it?" Jaylen asked.

"But you shouldn't waste food. I might've eaten already, but that doesn't mean you should just throw it away. You know what, just give it to me," Camila replied exasperatedly.

With a giddy look on his face, Jaylen handed her the breakfast. "You eat in the car while I drive you to the hospital."

Camila nodded.

Once she was inside the car, Camila opened the lunch box and saw

steamed dumplings and porridge.

"Where did you buy this?" she asked before putting a dumpling into her mouth.

"The hotel I live in," Jaylen answered.

Camila nodded her head in acknowledgement. "I see."

While driving, Jaylen continued chatting with her. "Did you know that your brother Aldrin has gone bankrupt?"

"What?" Camila exclaimed and looked up. Her eyes were wide in shock.

She didn't know about this.

"What happened?" she asked.

Jaylen shrugged. "I don't know. All I know is that after you died, your mother lived in Isaac's house and took care of your son. As for Aldrin, I have no idea how he made the company go bankrupt."

Hearing that, Camila lost her appetite entirely.

Her eyes grew misty as she fought back her tears.

She blamed herself for being selfish and caring less for her mother and brother. ③

"Did Isaac not help Aldrin?" Camila asked. ①

Aldrin was too young and inexperienced to make big things happen. So, it didn't come to her as a surprise that such a thing happened.

She considered Aldrin as family, and Rowena helped Isaac take care of his child. So, it only made sense for Isaac to help Aldrin for the sake of Rowena and Joe.

Jaylen then saw this as an opportunity to throw Isaac under the bus. "Actually, now that you're gone, Isaac doesn't treat your family as relatives at all! Besides, he's so busy that he doesn't have time to care about your brother's business."

After a slight pause, Jaylen proposed, "If you want to know the reason, I can ask someone to investigate it."

A resolute look formed on Camila's face. She definitely wanted to know the truth. "That would be great. Thank you."

"You're welcome," Jaylen replied with a smile. ①

Madeline Research Center was very close to the place where Camila lived. However, Madeline's hospital was located in a different place from the research center.

It was a little far from her residence.

Depending on the days, they would either work in the research center or in the hospital. Their schedule was arranged in advance.

As soon as Camila got out of the car and entered the hospital, the director called her into his office.

"Someone wants to see you." ②