

MARRIAGE ON PAPER

Chapter 6

After leaving the orphanage, Ryleigh dragged her luggage up the hill while catching her breath and looking at the GPS on the phone.

Number 1, Acacia Street.

Ryleigh did not expect Paxton's house to be halfway on a hill. More importantly, there was no public bus service!

Rich people really like to live on hillsides.

In any case, Ryleigh took Paxton's money, so she had to fulfill their agreement and stay at Paxton's house so that they would appear as a real couple.

When Ryleigh finally reached the middle of the hill, she saw the gate of a mansion. She also noticed the

road ended there. Could that mean Paxton's house stretched beyond the rest of the hillside?

Ryleigh was even more stunned when she saw what was behind the gate.

There was a path with shade trees on both sides, mowed lawn, and well-maintained flower beds. The fountains were flowing endlessly.

A grand golden European-style building stood at the end of the path on the hillside, glowing under the sunset.

Ryleigh almost had to climb to the main entrance of the mansion.

The butler, Edward Chaine, opened the door and politely gestured to invite Ryleigh in. "Miss Brigg, please come in."

Even though the butler hid it well, Ryleigh could still sense his contempt.

She followed the butler entering the living room.

The interior decor was even more outrageous, with granite walls and a crystal chandelier more than 30 feet tall.

An elegant lady dressed in couture and a pearl necklace came down the grand spiral stairs.

Yuliana Smith looked at Ryleigh in disgust at her worn white sneakers, store-bought T-shirt, and old broken suitcase.

"Mr. Chaine, why did you let a beggar into our house?"

Someone ran down the stairs and was shocked to see Ryleigh there.

"Ryleigh? Is that really you? You are my brother's newlywed wife?" said Sophia Lev.

"Mom! How could Pax marry someone like her? No! I can't agree to this!" shouted Sophia.

Yuliana and Sophia did not stay at the mansion occupied by Paxton and his grandmother. Instead, they usually stayed at a penthouse located in the busiest area in the city. Today, they were here to see Paxton's new wife.

Ryleigh was shocked too. Sophia was her classmate at the university, and Ryleigh knew that Sophia did not like her at all.

She did not expect Sophia to be Paxton's younger

sister.

Sophia hated Ryleigh's guts because she managed to skip a year and was admitted into their program at the end of Year Two against all odds.

Ryleigh also gained Professor Ohl's trust for her excellent academic achievements and subsequently was accepted to his automotive design and development project.

A project which Sophia failed to join.

Why? She was the daughter of the wealthiest family in Karovia. Yet, the project, which was funded by her family, favored Ryleigh over her.

That's outrageous!

Now, Ryleigh would be her sister-in-law and outrank

her in the family. So how could she take this insult!

At that moment, Paxton reached home.

Yuliana came forward. "Paxton, I know you always have a mind of your own. However, marriage is not a small matter to be taken lightly. The Lev family has plenty of assets. We can't just simply marry anyone," she said.

Even though she gave birth to Paxton, Yuliana had been intimidated by him since he was five years old.

"Yes, Pax. Get a divorce quickly. How could we give away our assets to Ryleigh?" Sophia chimed in, "Just give her some money. That would do for people like her."

"May I say something?" Ryleigh could not hold her tongue anymore.

Yuliana and Sophia looked at her.

"You don't need to worry about your property. I've signed a prenuptial agreement and waived my right to your assets." Ryleigh shrugged.

She would receive nothing except 80 thousand dollars.

Ryleigh needed the 80 thousand dollars urgently to save someone very important to her.

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Everyone went very still. Suddenly, Yuliana opened her mouth. "Even so, this is not going to work. Paxton, you are already engaged to someone else."

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