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Chapter 311 Don't Make Any Trouble

Bette decided to adopt Mandy and John soon after their mother's death. From then on, Bette treated both of them as her own children.

In return, John and Mandy treated Bette as their mother as well.

"Mom, " Mandy whined as if she was asking for Bette to defend her from Jina.

"Mom, " Jina called furiously not long after.

"Did you just come here to argue?" Bette responded in dismay.

"Might as well go if you'll just be arguing the entire time. Both of you are not welcome here, " she added.

Mandy reached for her hand, trying to calm her down. "Mom, I gave some clothes to my sister-in-law to show my kindness to her, " she added, trying to change the topic. "She refused to accept them though."

Mandy had always complained that her sister-in-law refused to accept the things she was giving. "Mandy, you have so much money. But do you know what you're bringing to this family every time you come back? All of your trash!" Bette exclaimed, looking at her daughter.

"That's the reason why your sister-in-law refused to accept all of the things you give!

Are you looking down on us?"

"Of course not!"

Confused, Mandy stared at her in return.

She suddenly felt embarrassed to hear Bette's accusations. She never knew that she would actually express her dissatisfaction in receiving second-hand items. She had always believed that her family simply didn't have the right to use the same things that she did.

"Jina, why don't you go to the kitchen and help them prepare dinner for our guests? More people will come over tonight, "

Bette said, shifting her attention to Jina.

heading straight to the

said, pointing at Mandy, "come with

there something you want to tell me?" Mandy asked, following her to the room.

before Mandy could see it, slapping her right across

"What was that for?!"

exclaimed, touching

Mandy even more furious with Bette. Besides, she never really cared about her seeing as she's not her real mother. She just paid a visit to prevent their neighbors from speaking

looking at me like

want to hit me

shouted at Mandy.

asked, trying to control her temper.

to know what was going on

you aware of what you've done?!" Bette asked, furrowing

only knew that this would happen, she wouldn't

do

the area of her face where she

me. Why did you help Becky stole Isla's

distraught the entire time. She gave up her boyfriend so selflessly just to

to contain her anger any

you. And yet, you never

how your brother and his wife treated you when you were young. Is that how you're going to

Jina tell you

But do you trust her

have promised me they will not require Isla to take responsibility, so what

Isla take responsibility for the something she

selfish woman. This wouldn't have happened if

done. There's nothing else I can do, "Mandy said, growing

Chapter 312 Stop At The Impossible

Kay was among the matrons at the party.

Mandy was busy preparing a sumptuous meal in the kitchen, completely unaware of Isla bringing Aron home. But close to dinner time, Mandy walked out of the kitchen to find Aron and Isla affectionately sitting beside each other. Taken aback, she ran screaming towards Isla, "You damn bitch! You have the face to show yourself here after what you did to my daughter! Not only did you steal her man, you caused us a huge embarrassment when the wedding was cancelled. I can beat you to death and it still won't be enough!"

Aron lost no time getting in between the two women to protect his fiancee, as Mandy tried to claw out towards Isla.

Instead, Mandy's hand hit Aron with burning hatred. Aron groaned in pain but was intent on protecting Isla.

Kay along with the rest matrons watched the drama with pleasure while eating melon seeds.

Mandy, seeing Aron who came to Isla's rescue, got angrier and grabbed a nearby broom and took it all out on Aron. "You are nothing but a faithless ingrate. Four years, Aron! My daughter devoted four years of her youth to you, only to be betrayed by you here. This is an injustice to Becky and I will not take this sitting down!"

"Auntie, please stop!" Isla while being shielded by Aron was in tears, pleading. "Stop it, You are hurting Aron." Isla couldn't bear to see her aunt beating Aron beyond measure.

Bette and Jina heard the commotion outside and ran out to see what was going on. Jina, at the sight of Mandy attacking Aron and Isla, joined in the rumble and wrestled the broom from Mandy's hand. She had developed much more physical strength, spending a lot of time in the farm.

"What the hell are you doing? You are going too far, Mandy!" Jina threw the broom aside.

as she had

you

gently and calmly. He suffered a few blows but the pain

treat Aron like this!" Isla protested, standing up

anger had not been appeased. "What gave you

once and

wedding invitations were sent to relatives and friends. But because of you, everything was ruined. How

was rendered speechless.

are! First and foremost, you seem to have no clue as to who came into Aron's life first. I know that you knew about it, but you are hiding

is known for her unequaled courage when it comes to safeguarding her

with disdain. "My sister-in-law, this relationship between Becky and Aron would have been legalized had Isla not spoiled it. Your gold-digging

and Aron who nearly got married four years ago, only to break up because your sluttish daughter got Aron

sticking to her accusation, "Anyway, Becky's company and devotion that lasted four years could not have gone nowhere if not for Isla coming back into Aron's life. And to rub salt on our wounds, your daughter brought her stolen man here without any consideration of the pain and the shame she brings rebuke Mandy again. "No more of your tirades! You are

future happiness. She had to do

Chapter 313 Did You Think I'm Not Humiliated Enough

Aron had thought about what would happen here before he came, so he brought all the evidence he had. He was really tired of Mandy and Becky relentlessly troubling him and Isla.

"Let me make it clear from the beginning to the end. Four years ago, I was about to get married. However, after attending a wedding, Becky and I got drunk and slept together. We thought I was so drunk and that was the reason we had sex. But later I went to the hospital to get tested. It showed that my blood contained doses of ecstasy. These are the test results and I still keep them." Aron threw the test report on the table. A neighbor came up and looked at it. People gathered around to look at it as well. They pointed at Mandy who felt embarrassed.

"So what?" Mandy was defiant. "Becky loves you so much, She stayed with you for the last four years and took good care of your grandparents. Was that not enough to make up for this little mistake?"

Aron sneered, "There is only one person whom I have loved since the beginning and until now. That woman is Isla. Back then, I was going to ask for her forgiveness and get back together with her. But your conniving little daughter lied to me, telling everyone that she was pregnant, so even though it was against my will, I had to be with her for the sake of the baby. But then, I found out from the doctor who examined her that she was never pregnant. She just bribed the doctor. If you need any evidence, I have the recording here. Would you like to listen to it?"

Although Aron did not have to play the recording, everyone knew what he was telling the truth. They started to talk about it. Some were whispering while looking at Mandy. The chattering noise of gossip filled the air.

Mandy couldn't stand it, so she shouted at Aron, "That doesn't matter. You decided to marry Becky anyway, didn't you? I got the invitations all written and the hotel rooms booked. But you broke off the engagement without any consideration. After all this, how could Becky rebound from this and meet someone else?"

"Am I that stupid to make a promise like that? You know it better than I do. At first, Becky sent my grandmother into a coma by pushing her. We didn't think my poor grandmother would make it out alive! Then, she made it look like Isla did it, to keep us further apart. During that time, Isla did not even defend herself. Fortunately, my grandmother survived the coma. Come to think of it, your daughter tried to kill my grandmother! So do you really believe that I would want to be with such an evil woman? I am not out of my mind to do that." Aron's voice was booming and his eyes had gotten red in anger. "I say this here once and for all, and I hope I won't need to say it again."

is the only person I have loved. I had never admitted that Becky was my girlfriend during last four years, so..... No matter what happens in

with what just happened. She now wondered who would

at Aron's revelation. No one could imagine that a quiet girl like Becky would do so many despicable things.

been fawning on Mandy turned to fawn on Jina. As it turned out, she was so lucky to have such a rich son-in-law after all and he might be able to help

sorry for Mandy. But some started rebuking her. "Mandy, this is all your fault. Your brother and sister-inlaw helped so much in your difficult schooling times. You would never live a comfortable life now, without them. Don't you remember that your sister-in-law even had a miscarriage because of you? Though things got better and you got married, it was still your sister-in-law who took care of the whole family for you. How could

turned to agree with it as if they were also involved, Mandy had never looked so terrible.

Becky together. She found that Aron had prevailed from the beginning to the end. Unexpectedly Aron

helplessly, finding herself to be the sole target of criticism.

angrier she got. Suddenly she grabbed the broom nearby and stepped forward. But the next second she felt Jina grab her. "What

him!" Mandy was flustered and exasperated. She said, "He cheated on my daughter and broke her heart. He cannot

was desperate and out of tricks. She felt totally helpless and humiliated. What's worse was that she would also be too ashamed to come back to this

their eyes, there was only

Chapter 314 What's Wrong With You Two

She wasn't surprised to see Isla and Aron here together. She didn't want to stay at home and didn't want to be in conflict with anyone. But Mandy just ruined everything, and ruined every piece of her fairy tale.

Of course Becky would not give up so easily; she was just looking for a better chance to take her revenge.

"Becky, why do you say that? I am doing this all for you." Mandy asked in disbelief at her daughter's reaction.

Becky sneered, "Oh, come on, you are acting like that because you have just been humiliated."

She shook off Mandy's hands, "I cannot stand being humiliated anymore. You can stay here as long as you want. But I'm leaving now."

"Where are you going?" Mandy asked.

"I'm going home!"

Mandy caught up with Becky. With some hesitation, she decided to go as well. "Wait for me, I'll go with you."

With what just happened, there was no more reason for them to stay any longer. The obvious choice was to leave to save face. Mandy knew it already, but was just looking for the chance to go.

Kay wanted to stir up more trouble and shouted at Mandy who was about to step out the door, "Where are you going? It's your mother's birthday. Are you going to leave like that?"

Mandy staggered and almost fell down, but then she tried to keep her composure and left with Becky.

Aron. "How are you feeling? A

Jina." Aron was kicked several times and got scratched when Mandy was going ballistic. But it

for you today, but you know, it's a small village. If things were not cleared up between you and Becky, Isla would always be humiliated whenever she walks the streets here. I can't let her suffer like that. She is my beloved daughter." She smiled bitterly

come to the dining room. It is time for us to have dinner together."

watched him take his shirt off. When she saw the large bruises on his back, she burst out crying, "Why are you so

fine." Aron laughed and said, "What's

"But I..... worry about

it takes so that those two evil women would never bother

and give me some of that cream. People

saying Isla and Aron were made for each other. They had forgotten that they were the same people who

everything was now. Isla suddenly could understand why Jina

relieved massively, after

Aron stayed in their hometown for one night. In the morning of the next day, Isla got up early to prepare breakfast for the family. They were going back to the city today, so Isla urged John and Jina to start packing

moving as slowly as when we came here." Isla

"I talked with your

for a bit and

with you and take care of your diet and living, but....." Jina paused for a moment and said to Isla, "Now since you have Aron to take care of you, we don't have to worry. So we discussed it and decided

wonder they packed so many things coming here. They had already made up

herself for not realizing

smiled and said to Isla, "Just go back with Aron. Your father and I could not get used to life

Chapter 315 Another Business Trip

"Really?" Gary was still worried about her, but Autumn nodded her head with finality. "Yes, it's true. Now, it's almost the end of the year and we have nothing but loads of work to deal with." Gary gave Autumn a nod, but added, "If he does something stupid, do remember to tell me. I will help you deal with him."

"OK, grandpa. I will. And thanks, " Autumn answered. After they finished eating, Autumn tidied up the table and then went upstairs. She couldn't explain why she was feeling worried somehow.

Charles arrived home close to midnight. That time, Gary wasn't asleep yet. He was waiting for Charles to have a word with him. He motioned for Charles to follow him. "Let's go upstairs."

Gary led Charles to the dining room. He pointed to the remaining food on the table. "You see? Today, Autumn prepared so many dishes because you told her that you would come home for dinner. But what's wrong with you? You didn't return until now. Is that worthy of Autumn's efforts?"

On seeing the food on the table, Charles felt sorry. But the reason why he worked so hard and so late was to give Autumn a good life.

"Grandpa, I" Gray interrupted him before he could say another word, "I don't know what you are thinking. I only ask you one question. Are you still in love with Autumn?"

"Grandpa! Yes, of course I am!" Charles looked at Gary, in disbelief. As it turned out, Gary thought that there were some problems between him and Autumn. How ironic it was! Charles stifled his laughter and asked his grandpa, "What are you thinking about, my grandpa? Recently, I've been too busy with the business to care for Autumn. It's my fault but there will never be emotional problems between us. Don't make a blind guess."

"A blind guess?" Gary sneered. As the saying goes, a neutral third party sees the issue in question more clearly than the disputants. In his view, Autumn could now bear a grudge against Charles. If they failed to resolve these issues in time, they were likely to encounter emotional problems sooner or later.

not. Charles, listen to me. It strikes me that you really don't understand your wife well enough. I'm aware that you are under great pressure at work. But do you think Autumn is just lying around doing nothing? Everyday, she takes good care of me and helps Chris see what is sensible, among other things. In addition to dealing with tons of things at her own company, she also worries about

me?" Gary patted Charles on his shoulder. "I am too old, Charles. It's impossible for me to keep you company forever. It's Autumn whom

said with a sigh. He continued, "It's getting late, and I have to go to bed. You'd better think about what I said to you just

that Autumn cooked for him. Then he sat by the table and devoured everything. Having finished the dishes, he went upstairs. He found

seemed as if it was kept on for someone who

leaned on the head of the bed, with a book in her hands. Hearing a rustling noise from the doorway, she was immediately sober. As she rubbed her sleepy eyes, she said to Charles, "Hey, you

He asked curiously, "Why are you still up? It's

embarrassment, and continued, "Was there too much

what was wrong with her, either. She just felt lonely in her heart, and wanted someone

coat and lay down on the bed. He took Autumn into his arms

was surprised

He explained, "I

had them?" Autumn was amazed to raise up

work that I need to deal with. I would have come back for supper tonight, but one of my clients asked me to dinner out unexpectedly, so I had to accept

that Charles said he was going on a business trip next week, she felt unhappy again. She confirmed, "You are

Chapter 316 Confiding Troubles

Autumn felt anxious, but she didn't show it on her face. She had a bad feeling that something would happen during Charles's journey to Europe.

In the meantime, Rachel's wedding ceremony with Edward was approaching. Since Rachel was a celebrity, the news of her wedding received great attention from mainstream media. As a result, reports of their marriage overwhelmed Autumn.

"You know what? Today I called Rachel and asked her when we could see the main hall, but she told me to wait until after her wedding. I was pissed off, " Isla complained while watching the news about Rachel. The more she saw Rachel's face on TV, the more furious she got.

Upon hearing this, Autumn gave a bitter laugh. Embarrassed as she felt, she had told Andy about this in private. After all, she couldn't allow any hiccups at the Giant Promise Company's press conference.

Andy said that he would consider changing hotels if Autumn wasn't allowed to check out the site.

"Autumn, what's up? You look unhappy, " Isla asked cautiously. 'Lately she has been in low spirits. Is she in any trouble?' Isla thought.

"I'm good, " Autumn replied, shaking her head. 'I don't know if it can be called a trouble. I just feel depressed that Charles has been too keen on his work these days. It sounds ridiculous, ' she teased herself.

"Are you really okay?" Isla continued. Autumn was noticeably upset. "If you need to find someone to confide your problems in, just come to me, " Isla said with a sigh, for she realized that Autumn was unwilling to tell her for now.

"I will, " Autumn returned, nodding. She looked at her watch, and stood up hurriedly. "It's getting late. I have to go to the airport to see Charles off. He is flying to Europe today, " she said to Isla.

"Want me to give you a ride?" Isla asked.

"No, thanks, " Autumn answered immediately. "Pay the bill. I have to go now, " she added.

arrived at the airport, Charles's flight had already taken off. Soon she recieved a

than before since that night. Despite this, he would spare time to send a message to her if he went somewhere, or give Autumn a call and asked her not to wait for him if he didn't come home

the thought that Charles was going

was there as

to see her husband before he left. She comforted herself that Leila wouldn't succeed as

Charles, she

turned around, getting ready to leave, she saw David walking out from inside. 'He didn't go with them. What is this?' Autumn thought with a

Autumn greeted, striding toward

here?" David asked Autumn in surprise.

with them to Europe?" Autumn asked bluntly, ignoring

urgent matters to deal with in the company, so I didn't go." David went on after some

her assumption wasn't true. But when she saw David

it from you." David explained. "Mrs. Lu, there is no

to be a paranoid wife. But

called Autumn as soon as he disembarked from the plane. "Autumn, you need to believe me. I am a man. Do you think that she can force me to do anything?" Charles reassured her over the

know Leila very

' she pondered. "I trust you, " she continued, squeezing a smile on her face.

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Chapter 317 It Was Really Discouraging

"I warned you earlier that Leila was a scheming and manipulative woman, but you still turned a deaf ear. If you had taken my advice into account, things wouldn't have gone down the way they have today. You are responsible for it because even after being aware of what you did, you decided not to act on the information. You should have known better what kind of woman she is, " said Isla with eyes red with anger. She was exasperated with Autumn as she had tried many times to warn her to prevent such a situation.

"Isla, I know that I am in the wrong here and this could be prevented had I seen this coming. I regret not listening to you. Please don't scold me and just understand my perspective!" As she stared at Isla with a remorseful expression, Autumn went on to add, "If I had foreseen any of this, I would have definitely not introduced her to work at Shining Company to begin with. But now it is too late. I don't have a clue of what to do next."

Isla, who was sitting cross-legged on the ground, continued to munch on he drumstick while talking to Autumn. The dish was quite spicy, so as she finished one drumstick, she took a mouthful of milky tea to wash down the overpowering taste of spices. After taking a gulp of the refreshment, she said to Autumn, "Well, in my opinion, Charles will most definitely not fall in love with Leila. So don't cross the bridge until you get there. For now relax and take it easy, " Isla comforted her.

Autumn also believed Charles and his loyalty, but she couldn't deny the fact that she was scared of what dirty tricks Leila would play.

With her brow furrowed, she responded, "I am just worried about Leila. Her affection towards Charles is so clearly visible through her every action. Now that she has finally got the chance to travel for business with Charles to Europe, I am worried that she will do something wrong."

"It is only fair that you will think on those lines. Of course, I understand you. You both have been married for about half a year, right?" Isla asked abruptly as Autumn nodded slightly. "Yes, we have been married for almost half a year. What's wrong?"

"When do you intend to have a baby with him?" Isla ambushed her with yet another question.

"What? Why would you even ask me this?" Shocked and yet a little embarrassed, Autumn asked Isla what her intentions were for asking such questions abruptly.

"Autumn, I think it is the right time for you two to start a family now, " said Isla, as she sighed. Isla paused for a moment and then added, "I know, in the beginning it was not easy for you to marry him and you two have faced many hardships. But now that you have fallen in love with one another, I think you should consider having a baby with him. Apart from starting the next bright chapter of your life, having a child with him will also subtly send a clear message to the women around him. I trust Charles. He is a man of rock-solid integrity. But if you have a baby with him, he will be more family-centered. In this scenario, Leila too would lose all her chance to get close to him. And naturally she will give up. What do you think?"

suggestion, Autumn was hesitant. She frowned with confusion. She hesitated because she didn't want to

to look at marriage as a gamble, but trust me when I say the most powerful chip in

an indisputable

is no need for you to worry too much. If you feel uneasy about the entire situation you can rest assured, I will ask Aron to keep an eye on them for you!" consoled Isla, as concern was seeping through her eyes. However, Autumn shook

in her marriage, then her relationship with him would be

a long time as Isla finally reminded her, "Autumn, I know you have faced many difficulties to be with him and your relationship has come out stronger. But now that you are married to him, you have to do all that you can to maintain and ensure this happiness is here to stay! No one could understand your feeling in

kept staring at Isla blankly, because she had never

on my face?" Confused, Isla asked Autumn who was still staring at her with a rather

it." Autumn shook herself out of silence and said, "I just feel like you are so different now. It seems that love can change

remember that you said the same things to me when I started dating

the same plight. You always feel that Leila is a stumbling block in your marriage, but it is not so complex as you think. You can make your own decision as you like to. You are the one who has to decide whether you are going to remove the stumbling block or make a detour." Isla's word hit her like a strong storm, and she finally realized it was not as complicated as she thought. All

her, he would remain loyal, under any circumstances.

your kind words and guidance, " Autumn thanked her sincerely. Her insecurities had disappeared after she poured

my best friend and you don't need to thank me as I only did what I am supposed to do after

stopped at a drugstore on her way back home. The shop assistant rushed up to her with

Chapter 318 Kill Two Birds With One Stone

Chris almost dragged Autumn out of the cinema abruptly. In fact Autumn knew very well what Chris was thinking. No matter whom she regarded that person, he would always remain her father. Who doesn't want to be the apple of the parents' eyes? Even though Chris wanted to be closer to her father, she would not admit it.

"What is wrong? You don't want to watch the movie as it has Rachel as an actress?"

Autumn and Chris then found a cafe near the cinema hall, where they sat down and ordered two cups of coffee. They began to chat and while away their precious yet free time.

They all had their work to do and responsibilities chalked out. With very little time to spare, they cherished every moment and decided to spend time with one another and chat. It was the small things like this that made all the difference.

"Autumn, let's change the topic. I simply don't want to waste any more of our valuable time together talking about her, " Chris frowned and said in an impatient tone, "I felt uncomfortable just hearing her name."

Right at that moment, the TV in the cafe seemed to buzz a little more loudly. It was broadcasting an interview about Rachel and her wedding ceremony tomorrow. As Chris watched her showing off her relationship with Edward on national television, Chris just wanted to turn it off.

"Please let us just go home." Autumn said as she considered her feelings. She knew Chris definitely had no interest in shopping right now so it was better just to head home.

After so many virtual run-ins with Rachel, they least expected to walk into Rachel hugging Edward on the sofa; both of them had smiles on their face. In contrast, Gary was solemn, sitting right across them.

Marriage seemed to impact the appearance of a person. It must be true. It appeared like Edward was younger than ever before. His looks had substantially changed from his inner body.

"What are you doing here?" Chris got angry and shouted at the both of them.

"Chris." Rachel stood up and tried to hold Chris' hand. "You are home, dear. Your father and I want to..."

Chris pushed her hand away and yelled at

father has

smug as she turned around and saw Edward's dull expression. She continued the drama of being kind as she persuaded Chris, "I know you are angry with your dad, but it's just rude to say your

he walked towards Chris, and then said to her, "Chris, please have a seat here. I want to talk with

noticed that Chris was so against

his wedding. But whenever he thought of his daughter and their relationship, he was rather distressed and just did not know what

mile regardless of the difficulties. He spared some time to meet Chris as he

your decision, then we have nothing to

wrist, then quickly blurted out, "I'm not here to quarrel with you, but I really have

her grandpa, brother, sister and Sam,

entire scene, but she tried to mask her inner feeling and said to Chris assuming an elder's position, "Chris, no matter what has happened in the

ever talk to you? Shut up and don't speak out of line!"

Rachel as someone who was kind, considerate and generous. Most importantly, she always thought for him and looked out for

without even being married and was like a family member he never had. As for Chris, he actually started to dislike her

Rachel's words were stirring more hatred in Edward's heart, though those word seemed to be

turning point, and Chris

kill two birds with one stone.

another woman, she would only hate Edward more. But in the other scenario, if she was unwilling to

Chapter 319 He Is In A Meeting

Edward understood that Gary did not harbor any ill-feelings in doing all that he did, but he strongly believed that they all misunderstood Rachel. He thought they would all get along well with Rachel as long as they spent more time together.

While Rachel was bubbling with happiness of watching them argue with one another, she was also worried because Gary wanted to cut his ties with Edward.

She grabbed Chris by her hand immediately and said, "Chris, your father and I have come here to invite you to our wedding. I know you do not like me, but soon we will become family. I hope with all my heart that you give me chance to start our chapter afresh."

Rachel paused for a moment to compose her thoughts and added, "You are Edward's only child and after our wedding tomorrow you will be my daughter, with that said I have never meant any harm to you and I never will. I don't care how other people think of you and me. I just want you to attend our wedding and support us as we begin our journey together. I will prove to you with my actions that I'll treat your father with all my heart has to offer."

"Really?" Chris sneered and said, "So what do you want me to do tomorrow?

I'm going shopping tomorrow so I'm afraid I have no time to spare for your wedding."

Then she sarcastically added, "I don't think famous Miss Bai would care to receive blessing from a girl whom none of her friends know. Did you forget what my grandpa just said?

From now on, we are strangers. Remember that!"

Rachel looked at Chris with embarrassment, and then she said, "No matter how or what you think of me, I will always be your stepmother, so I really wish you reconsider your decision and come to our wedding..."

saw a reflection of her mother, he didn't have the heart to blame her or even remain angry with her. After thinking

she added, "Also please don't tell others that you are my father. For the world and for, my father

his cool but Rachel supported him immediately and asked, "How are you feeling?

Chris, "Always remember what you

is that so?" Chris sneered. Then she added, "I will be looking forward to that

her home. Before Rachel left, she let out a malicious smile. Right after they left, Chris started to sulk in silence as

said, "I can see you care about Edward, so why don't you change your attitude towards him? It

don't care about him." Chris shouted to affirm her point, "I don't

care about him or not.

speechless for a while, then she said abruptly, "Probably...

when I was very young. I was always really jealous of children who could sit on their dad's shoulders or play with their fathers who also bought them beautiful clothes and cute toys. So I always

"Once I found out that Edward is my real father, I was honestly happy even though I couldn't accept

still distinctly remembered the happiness when her father hugged her, the first toy he bought for her and his strict instructions for her when he taught her how to play the piano even though all these memories had blurred with time. These formed her childhood and she could never forget "There are so many women in the world. Why did he choose to marry Rachel? I hated his stubborn nature but couldn't stop worrying he would be cheated

overthink, I am sure he can handle it. Even if he does get cheated on, I believe you'll help him." Autumn consoled Chris, "We all know Rachel's real nature. We

Chapter 320 Attending The Wedding

"I noticed Mr. Lu looking cheerless lately which led me to think that maybe you guys had a fight, " Leila said.

"What happened that day was a grave mistake. I thought Mr. Lu must be feeling drowsy after working so many hours so I poured him some coffee. But I accidentally spilled the coffee on his lap. I was just trying to clean up his pants when you entered the office. I never meant to cause some misunderstanding, " she added, trying to explain.

Despite her apology, Autumn couldn't help but imagine her gloating deep inside.

'She doesn't feel sorry at all. She kept on reminding me of what happened. Is she expecting that my suspicions would destroy the relationship between Charles and me?

She must think that the more she tries to explain, the more skeptical I become. That's exactly what she wants, 'Autumn wondered.

"There's no need to worry. We've been married for a long time so I know him more than anybody else. He's a faithful husband and I know that he'll never betray me. I might have gotten angry when I saw that scene but I've already forgotten it, " Autumn said, looking as if she had read Leila's thoughts.

"If I were you, I wouldn't really think too much about this. Besides, we wouldn't be fighting over such a small thing. He just really works hard. Trust me, he's not upset or anything, " Autumn added, sounding sure of herself.

Leila's face turned red in anger upon hearing this.

'She's obviously trying to play it down by reminding me not to think too much about it. It's almost as if she's saying I'm not capable of turning them against each other, '

Leila thought to herself.

"Really? I even lost sleep just to think about this!" Leila responded, laughing casually.

"You can finally have a good night's sleep tonight then, "

Autumn said with a contemptuous smile.

" Leila

hanging up the phone now since I still have some work to finish. Don't worry about Mr. Lu. I'll make sure to keep an eye on him so he doesn't have the chance to

really have to. But thanks, " Autumn said, gritting

was her biggest

"You're welcome, "

she

and collapsed to the bed. She was extremely worried that Leila might do something

have pretended to be cool but she felt relentless

whole night, staring at her phone. Even a small noise woke her up despite being extremely drowsy. Unfortunately, Charles hadn't

Autumn came across Chris the moment she got up. "Hey, what happened? You almost look like a panda with those black eyes,

dark circles under her eyes. Autumn's white skin highlighted

sleep well, " Autumn replied, yawning as she sipped a

my clothes, " she added, going upstairs to dress herself.

for Edward's wedding while Chris remained silent on the way. Autumn couldn't even start to imagine how uncomfortable Chris might feel with her father marrying a woman she

" Autumn said,

out now. I'll just park the car, " Autumn said

Chris replied.

of the hotel, waiting for Autumn. She looked around, catching Edward and Rachel's wedding photo. The photo showed Rachel

uncomfortable, Chris stared at the photo with a

looking at?" Autumn asked, walking up

" Autumn said, catching a glimpse of the