

## Obsessed CEO Throws Himself at Me Chapter 1268

### Chapter 1268 Mount Blackcloud

As Arielle said nothing, Queenie grew increasingly furious.

Anyone would be upset to get ignored, especially when Arielle was her love rival.

Gritting her teeth, she said, “Are you feeling smug? Even if Cor values your medical skills, there’s no way you would become the head of the family. Dream on!”

Arielle shot Queenie a glare like she was a fool before getting up to head to another seat.

“Hey...”

Before Queenie could fly into a fit of rage, Cornelius came out.

As Queenie wanted to join the selection to be the head of the family, she tamped her irritation down.

“Thank you for making time to join the selection for the new leader. Now, we shall begin the selection. There are three areas of assessment, and you’ll be graded in each area. Three days later, the candidate with the highest average score will be elected as the leader of the Mill family,” Cornelius announced as he stood in the middle of the hall, clad in his plain clothes.

After explaining the details of the selection, he revealed the first mission.

“Your first mission is to find herbs in the mountains. Before the sun sets, the person who finds the most herbs will receive the highest score.”

After a brief pause, he added, “There might be beasts in the mountains, so it is a dangerous mission. Those who are afraid can quit now.”

“The mountain? Which mountain?”

Many candidates weren’t local, so they didn’t know the place well.

“Could it be Mount Blackcloud in the suburbs of Jadeborough that people rarely go to?” a local asked.

In the suburbs, there was a mountain known as Mount Blackcloud, which was closed to the public all year long. Everyone wondered if Cornelius was talking about this undeveloped mountain.

“Yes, it’s Mount Blackcloud.”

Many were shocked to hear his answer.

As Mount Blackcloud was undeveloped, there was a chance of the contestants running into wild beasts.

Two contestants who did not dare to risk their lives immediately quit.

However, most of them chose to stay.

It was the twenty-first century, so they assumed they wouldn’t run into wild beasts that would take their lives.

Cornelius then told everyone to sign an agreement stating that the Mills wouldn’t be held responsible if they ran into danger.

After everyone finished signing the agreement, Cornelius asked Salvador to distribute the maps that he prepared earlier to everyone.

While Salvador was busy distributing the maps, Cornelius continued, “As the goal of this test is to select a leader, we must regard it seriously. To prevent any cheating, all contestants aren’t allowed to bring their phones along. Of course, for your safety, the Mill family will prepare a tracking device for everyone. If you run into trouble, you can seek help by sending out a distress signal with the device.”

Most of the contestants were medical experts and didn’t expect that the Mill family would confiscate their phones. Despite their reluctance, they could understand the Mills’ decision.

It was easy to search for information online, so people might be tempted to cheat. Getting elected as the head of the family was too huge a temptation, after all. Thus, everyone handed in their phones obediently amidst their grumblings.

Before Arielle handed her phone, she texted Vinson to tell him about the rules and that she had to hand her phone to the organizer. She reminded him to stay calm if he couldn’t contact her, for she would get in touch with him once she came back.

After receiving her text, Vinson typed out a reply quickly: Be careful. It would be great if you could get the medical manuscripts, but it doesn’t matter even if you don’t. Your safety is of utmost importance.

A blissful smile emerged on Arielle’s face after she sensed his concern through the text.

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### **Chapter 1269 Followed**

After handing her phone to Salvador, Arielle gave Sasha some brief instructions and waited patiently to head to the venue.

Donovan had been keeping an eye on her secretly. At the sight of the wide smile on her face, he felt his heart skip a beat. He had a sudden desire to pull her into his arms.

I thought I loathed Arielle, but it turns out that I've never forgotten her!

Queenie didn't know they had to head to Mount Blackcloud, and she glanced at her feet before turning to Cornelius. "Cor, it is hard for me to enter the mountain alone. Can Don keep me company?"

Cornelius shot her a conflicted look in response. Contestants were supposed to complete the mission alone, but Queenie was an exception. The mountain was steep and treacherous, and she couldn't head in alone.

"Mr. Mill, please allow Mr. Baxter to keep Ms. Queenie company. We understand that she needs help."

Most contestants were reasonable enough. There were a few who were against Donovan keeping Queenie company, but most had agreed. Thus, they had to keep their dissatisfaction to themselves.

As no one stood out to express their disapproval, Cornelius nodded and agreed to it.

"Queenie can't walk, so if something happens, give me a call immediately instead of trying to cheat. After the test ends, we'll check your phone. If we find out that you cheated, I'll disqualify Queenie at once."

Queenie's expression darkened. "Cor, do you seriously think I'll cheat?"

He's my brother! How could he say that in front of Arielle? Furious, she harrumphed icily and wheeled herself away.

After Donovan was expelled from Maxwell University, his future was ruined, so he had no choice but to stick to the Mill family.

He immediately stopped staring at Arielle and went after Queenie, who was in her wheelchair.

An hour later, everyone arrived at Mount Blackcloud.

The large mountain spanned a wide area. Upon arrival, the contestants headed in immediately.

As there were many routes, everyone soon went on different paths.

Although there were many medical experts, Queenie only feared Arielle.

After all, Cornelius recognized Arielle's medical skills, so she knew the latter must be very capable for someone like her brother to acknowledge her.

After Queenie found out that Arielle was capable of handling a pacemaker placement surgery independently, her intimidation of Arielle increased significantly.

“Darling, I’ve been to Mount Blackcloud a few times, so I’m familiar with the area. Just keep an eye on Arielle. I can’t let her become the next head of the Mill family!” Queenie gritted through her teeth.

As Donovan wanted the Mills’ medical manuscripts, it was only natural that he obeyed Queenie. Tamping down his dislike for her, he pressed a kiss to her forehead. “Be careful, then. Your safety is of utmost importance.”

Queenie's eyes crinkled up in happiness after she received his kiss. "I know. Don't you worry. Go keep an eye on her, but make sure she doesn't notice you."

Nodding, Donovan reminded her to be careful yet again before going in the direction Arielle went.

Meanwhile, Arielle took a desolate path into the woods.

After hearing Cornelius say that they would be heading to Mount Blackcloud to get the herbs, she decided to head into the depths of the mountain.

The deeper she went, the more herbs she would find.

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### Chapter 1270 Ulterior Motives

Alas, she didn't realize she was being followed.

Not far away, Donovan stepped out from behind a tree. He squinted his eyes at Arielle's distant figure before going after her.

When Arielle went deeper into the mountain, she was surrounded by tall trees that formed a thick canopy above her. There were also weeds and strange plants all around.

As poisonous bugs, snakes, and rats would flit by her feet, Arielle felt as though she were in an indigenous forest.

Although she was a woman, she was unbothered by her treacherous surroundings. Back then, she had tagged along with the Wilhelms and

trekked deep into the mountains to seek knowledge from ancient Chanaean medicine experts. Thus, she was used to it.

The herbs she had prepared earlier came in handy at that moment. She applied them all over her body and tossed them to the ground so that the animals would stay away from her.

Behind her, Donovan saw everything, and a hint of rage flashed across his eyes.

Arielle observed her surroundings and immediately started digging when she found the herbs she wanted.

Two hours later, her bag was half full of herbs.

“Eh?”

Suddenly, her eyes lit up as she strode forward swiftly. She came to a stop before a rotten tree and bent down to confirm her guess.

“Two reishi mushrooms! This is an amazing find!” Arielle blurted out.

Carefully, she plucked the reishi mushrooms off the rotten trunk and kept them in her bag.

The thick reishi mushrooms were at their maximum medicinal value now.

Arielle’s side profile was undeniably attractive under the sunlight. Utterly captivated, Donovan revealed himself and went toward Arielle, Queenie’s reminder all forgotten.

Yesterday at the set, news of Arielle saying she wanted to catch her husband cheating on her had spread like wildfire.

The netizens went crazy trying to figure out who her husband was and why he would cheat on their goddess.

No one had an inkling of who her husband was, but Donovan was in the know.

It was deemed normal for someone as wealthy as Vinson to cheat on his wife since having one woman wasn't enough for a man of his status.

Clearly, Vinson has grown tired of Arielle and cheated on her. That's great, for I can take the advantage to pursue her. I assumed that I used to target her because I loathed her. Never in my wildest dreams did I know that it was because I loved her. Arielle only had eyes for Vinson, but now that he has cheated on her, my chance has arrived.

“Arielle!”

Arielle had just kept her herbs and was about to continue on her journey when someone called her name.

She looked up instinctively and realized it was Donovan. At once, her expression turned dark.

“Why are you here? Shouldn't you be with Queenie?”

Why isn't Donovan with Queenie? Why did he come to me instead?

“Arielle, I was worried about you, so I came after you.”

Although Arielle sounded rude, Donovan's voice remained gentle.

Hearing that, Arielle frowned in disgust.

“Worried about me? Are you crazy? Why are you worried about me instead of your wife?”

Instead of worrying about Queenie, who is in a wheelchair, he is concerned about me, a healthy person. Obviously, he has ulterior motives! He's a sly fox full of tricks.

"I love you, Arielle. Vinson cheated on you, and he has obviously gotten sick of you and no longer loves you. I know I did the wrong thing back then. Trust me. I will treat you better than Vinson and shower you with all my love!"