

Trapped by the Ruthless Billionaire by Lucia Love

Chapter 28

28 – Caught Even Casper had seen through Hunter’s emotions but didn’t dwell on it. His only concern was Caleb. Why would he love someone else’s woman? What kind of game was he playing? Peggy also didn’t seem to mind and kept smiling. Casper had been there for a while and seen all that had happened.

“Cathan, what is his result?” Casper asked, squashing the urge to throw so many questions at Caleb.

“Very good.” Cathan wanted to burst with all the laughter bubbling inside of him. He knew that Caleb was messing with Hunter but couldn’t find out the reason why he did that. It was also clear that Hunter loved Peggy but why did he only see her as a sister? He also wanted to know, which was the reason why he didn’t stop Caleb.

Casper turned to Hunter, who was still looking red. “Will you be a shadow bodyguard?”

“Yes.” Hunter smiled. Shadow bodyguard was more difficult than normal bodyguards because the person you are guarding doesn’t have to know but Hunter liked it because it would help him to keep an eye on Peggy as well.

Casper’s tone was still indifferent as he continued, “your salary wages will be fifty percent lesser for the first three months till you prove your worth.”

Hunter knew that bodyguards in Blade Towers were highly paid than the others, which was why when he got here and realized Peggy could convince Jenna to help him, he encouraged her the most. Even with a fifty percent salary, he would be earning double what Rahman was paying him.

“I’ll take the offer but who I’m I supposed to be guarding under the shadows?” Casper subconsciously looked at Peggy and spoke calmly with an air of indifference. “Caleb, can you take her away for a few minutes?” Hunter’s face contoured and though he couldn’t go against Casper, he couldn’t accept Caleb being close to Peggy, not after what just happened. He went down on one knee. “Please I don’t trust Caleb. Can you let Cathan take her instead?”

Casper nodded. It was human for Hunter to not trust Caleb. The latter brought it upon himself. After Cathan had taken Peggy away, Casper spoke.

“You are to protect Jenna and Kate. Jenna is very special to me and Kate is her best friend. If anything happens to them, your life and that of your girlfriend/sister will not be enough.”

The aura emitted through Casper’s last words was enough to send Hunter to his grave. He knew the words were meant for him. After all, Peggy was Jenna’s friend, for which reason he got this job. Therefore, Casper would not hurt her.

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“Then your job starts now. Caleb will give you access to everywhere in the building, including your official car. Remember this, you are not to let her know that you are protecting her. Not even if she suspects and asks you.”

“I won’t fail you, Mr Blade.”

After exchanging a few more words, Pegey came back with Cathan. Then, something flashed in Casper’s mind just as he was about to leave.

“Peggy, what do you do for a living?” He asked with an air of indifference but the question similarly poked the attention of the three onlooking men.

Peggy was startled before coming back to her senses, responding timidly, “I’m an accounts clerk.”

Casper pursed his lips thoughtfully. “How about you work here? You’ll be closer to Jenna and your boyfriend/brother.” Peggy felt her cheeks redden at his description of her relationship with Hunter but she couldn’t be upset. Hunter made it that way. Moreover, she was also stunned. Her salary as an accounts clerk was quite low because the company she worked in wasn’t a big one. Never in her life had she thought of the possibility of working with the Blades.

“Is Mr Blade offering me a job?” Caleb and Cathan were amazed and even Hunter was shocked. But then, Caleb was the only one who saw through Casper’s plan. He was doing it to impress Jenna, to show her that he cared about her.

“Do you want it?” Casper asked instead.

If Peggy had her way, she would have gone around to hug him. However, though Casper was being kind, his aura was so intimidating that she couldn’t bring herself to consider what her thought was processing. “You are not the evil person they said you are. In my opinion, you are rather kind, thank you.”

Peggy’s words were sincere but it made Cathan and Caleb laugh internally. Indeed Casper was generous but the tag of evil wasn’t related to his generosity. At that moment, they saw Peggy to be naive.

Casper’s expression was unchanged. “Jenna will be closing soon but wait here. The HR will come and take care of both of you.” .

After saying that, he left with Caleb and Cathan.

As soon as they reached his office, he asked Caleb, “what were you thinking?”

Since his gaze remained on Caleb, he naturally knew it was because of what happened with Hunter. His expression was serious as he said,

“He doesn’t know what he wants. I was just trying to make him jealous.”

Casper was silent for a while. Caleb was never joavial the way he saw him today. What changed? Maybe his job responsibilities weren’t challenging enough.

“I see. Since you have a lot of time on your hands, I want you to open an investigation into Jenna’s father’s company, her father’s death, her step mother and her ex boyfriend. Precisely, I’ll like to know how she managed to cease the company from Jenna.”

Caleb straightened up. He liked these kind of jobs better than waiting on Casper, who gave him much to do. His eyes glinted but his expression was still solemn. “Consider it done.” He turned around and was about to leave when Casper said,

“I haven’t finished.” Caleb turned around with expectation. Perhaps Casper had more responsibilities for him.“ Anything else?” “I want it in three days,” Casper retorted indifferently. Caleb froze. Casper was punishing him. His cousin could be so heartless. What did he do wrong by teaching Hunter a lesson? “What? This is an old case. A very serious matter. I will need more time,” Caleb said pleadingly. Casper shrugged. “Then I advise that you use your remaining time and get to the button of it starting from now. I can’t give any extensions,” Casper said indifferently. Caleb knew there was no point in pleading anymore. His mind was made up.

“Okay. I’ll see you in three days.”

Casper understood that Caleb would be working night and day to get the information therefore, he only encouraged him. “All the best.”

“And me?” Cathan asked after Caleb had left. He didn’t guess what Casper had just done and was looking for responsibility as well.

Casper went around his executive chair and sat. “I have a very special job for you.”

Cathan was internally excited. “Which is?”

“I need two ladies to escort me to the Dons Bonfire Dinner,” Casper said. Cathan was slightly confused. The last time they sent women to Casper, he behaved as if he was in a spiders web and it wasn’t as if he was faking it.

“Are you sure about this?” Cathan was genuinely worried about him. Nonetheless, when he heard Casper’s response, he immediately understood.

“Do I have a choice?” Casper was ready to endure his imaginary cobwebs for the sake of fitting into the party. He couldn’t refuse to go because he had to acquaint himself with all the Dons and prove himself as the new CEO of Blade Towers. He couldn’t also attend without an escort. He really didn’t have a choice.

“What about Jenna?” Cathan feared that the pair must have gotten into a misunderstanding after the last time. After all, Jenna kept avoiding Casper. However, Casper’s response moved his heart.

“I owe her too much. I can’t involve her into this.” “I get it. I will send them over tonight for acquaintance.” Cathan was about to leave when Casper suddenly said, “Make it six. I’ll do the selection myself.” “Okay.” Cathan nodded. He only hoped to find a girl like Jenna. That way, Casper wouldn’t imagine cobwebs.

After Cathan left, Casper busied himself with other matters. It was not till he heard a knock on the door that he lifted his head from the screen of his computer. The door pushed open and Hunter stood in front of Casper, his hand tightly gripping an man Casper instantly recognized.

“What did he do?”

Hunter shoved the man violently on the floor before answering Casper. “He was following Mss Nova’s car when her friend picked her up. I caught him at the interception before Kate old apartment because she was going to drop Peggy.” At those words, Casper’s aura emitted through the room and the air around him because uncomfortable. Darkness covered his eyes as he gazed at the man. He w asArmando’s lead bodyguard so Casper could already tell who was behind it. “Did Armando order you to do this?” His voice emitted chills, that the man instantly shrunk back.

At the nod of the man’s head, he picked his phone and dialed Armando’s number.