

Chapter 238 Night Visit

"No..." Before Melissa could refuse, Vivienne continued, "It's just a room and nothing else. Besides, Lindsey and Merrick are also sleeping on the second floor. You can look after them well at night."

Melissa wasn't given a chance to speak up.

She cast a peek in the direction of the man on the couch and saw his resentful gaze staring back at her.

For some reason, Melissa felt the urge to laugh.

"Melissa, you're back." Johnny smiled at her as he returned from the back garden. "Merrick and Lindsey had already dozed off. It's getting late. You are welcome to spend the night here today."

"Okay, thanks. My room's already been set up nicely by Mrs. Mayfield."

"Good. I would be worried if Everett sent you back to your house."

Melissa wore an embarrassed smile. She could sense Everett's eyes on

"Please excuse me. I'd like to check on Lindsey and Merrick first. After that, I'll go right to sleep. I need to go to work tomorrow."

After finishing her sentence, Melissa immediately rushed upstairs.

Everett's deathly stare might kill her if she lingered much longer.

Lindsey and Merrick stayed with Johnny and Vivienne whenever Melissa was busy with work. Thus, there were two rooms for the kids on the second floor.

Melissa went to visit Lindsey and Merrick, who were both sound asleep. Since both had already gone to bed, she headed directly to her room.

The room was spotless, and the bedspread was brand new. Johnny and

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Vivienne must have organized everything ahead of time.

"Wow. It feels quite cozy."

Melissa sighed while lounging on the bed. She was feeling sleepy when her phone suddenly rang.

Melissa shifted her body and took the call.

"Leilany? Are you already at home?"

"Hey Melissa, it's me."

When Melissa heard Aloys' voice, she immediately came to her senses. She sat up after glancing at the caller ID.

"Sorry, Aloys. I wasn't looking at the screen just now."

"It's okay." Aloys laughed and then said solemnly, "I've traced the female teacher's whereabouts. She used to live at her home before moving elsewhere. However, my people discovered that she had previously lived in a rented house in the Western Outskirts of Andeport."

"The Western Outskirts?" Melissa frowned.

People from all walks of life could be found in that area. Everyone who lived there worked hard for money and had different jobs.

Likewise, there was a lot of tension between the several forces operating in each district. One could easily offend a big shot there if they weren't careful enough. Most people wouldn't bother going there unless they were sent by one of the powerful corporations that had already established factories to exploit the local workforce.

If the female teacher was there and they failed to locate her in time, she would vanish once again.

Melissa gripped her phone and wore a stern expression.

"Aloys, what will you do?"

"I'll get over there right now. That female teacher would let her guard down at night. I've requested someone to wait there. However, if you..." "I'll accompany you, Aloys."

Melissa already anticipated Aloys' response. After all, they were venturing out into the Western Outskirts, where dangerous things could happen.

"Aloys, I must go. Merrick was hurt because of that female teacher. I'll feel awful if I can't figure out the truth."

"Okay, I'll come and get you." Aloys readily agreed.

He hoped Melissa could live in peace and wouldn't experience the same thing she endured five years ago.

After hanging up, Melissa felt her heart race wildly.

She was thrilled at the prospect of finally apprehending the culprit. Even the hatred she had in her heart had given way to anxiety.

Melissa gave Aloys her current address. She then quickly sprang up and started to get ready.