Chapter 34 Pity

Everett's face turned cold. He loved the two children so much that he felt very angry hearing someone mock the children this way.

Seeing his angry look, Arielle bit her lip and tried not to make a sound.

"Miss Sherman, I hope you better apologize to my children."

Melissa would never let anyone hurt her children, and Arielle was nothing to her.

"No, I won't," Arielle hissed through her teeth, unwilling to compromise.

She would never apologize. If not for these people, Everett would have never ignored her. 2

Seeing that Arielle and his mother were at loggerheads, Merrick thought his mother was wronged. He rested his arms over his hips and stood in front of Arielle. "You're saying this based on your experience. The teachers have taught us to be polite, but they didn't tell us how to handle people like you."

Merrick had always been blunt and straightforward because he had always been a stubborn child. He had always been protective of his sister and his mother. Therefore, inherently, he couldn't bear to watch someone hurt his mother.

Arielle's face reddened with rage. She was too angry to utter a word.

Everett's heart swelled with pride when he saw Merrick speak with such confidence.

Merrick was a confident, domineering kid. Everett believed the boy would be talented when he grew up.

Everett crossed his arms over his chest and listened to Merrick talking in awe. He also wanted to know about him.

Merrick felt happier to see Arielle's angry face. After all, nobody could bully his mother.

A slow smile emerged on Melissa's face. "Since you are unwilling to apologize, I don't want to perform the surgery either. As you know, the hospital bars doctors from performing surgeries on their relatives or people who hold grudges against them," she said, leaning against the desk.

"Are... Are you threatening me?"

Arielle's face turned livid. Merrick's words had already rendered her speechless. Moreover, Everett stood aside and watched everything in silence instead of helping her.

People who didn't know them would think they were a family of four, but she was a mere outsider.

But she was Everett's fiancee! Why didn't he help her?

"Everett, look at the doctor you've found for me. She is threatening me with surgery and my safety."

Arielle staggered to her feet and leaned toward Everett. However, she lost her balance and fell down from the wheelchair with a heavy thud.

Everett stood still; he didn't move. He looked down at Arielle and wondered if she had always been this way. Everett didn't know why he couldn't understand her now.

Was she pretending to be weak and pitiful in front of him? Was this her true face? A thousand questions swarmed his mind.

He gritted his teeth and scowled at her. "Apologize to the children!" Everett sounded stern. It sounded almost like an order.

Arielle's jaw dropped in shock. For a moment, she thought she had misheard it. Melissa had seduced him. Everett was helping Melissa and her children and asking Arielle to apologize to them.

But she was his fiancee!

"Everett, how could you ask me to apologize? What are you doing here? She has seduced you. You have been so distant and indifferent to me lately. Did she instigate you to do that?"

Arielle bellowed at the people in the room, ignoring the caregiver who tried to help her up. She couldn't take it anymore.

Melissa sneered at Arielle, who was lying on the floor. For the first time, she felt sorry for her.