

Chapter 425 Don't Get Hurt Again

Bobbi, wearing a mask, stormed into the room.

His face was not completely visible to them, but his exhaustion and anger was evident.

Bobbi placed the tray of medicine on the table. He pulled out the needle and then switched out the infusion bottle. His voice went low as he began to complain.

"I think my hospital has really become the Mayfield family hospital. I was able to help him last night, but I was woken up again before I could even sleep for three hours. He's not the only patient I have to take care of. He didn't listen when I told him he wouldn't be able to survive being hurt again. I told him if he came back like this, I wouldn't be able to save him."

Melissa kept quiet and got some information from Bobbi's words.

She asked her question with a frown on her face.

"Did you know about what happened before, Bobbi? Did you say something to Everett?"

"I informed him he should not become emotional and should try and not to injure the same spot of his brain." Bobbi retrieved an X-ray and placed it on the chair, "Look at this. You can understand it."

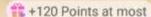
Franco called out, "Bobbi..."

Bobbi fixed a serious gaze on Franco, who was still trying to intervene. He spoke out to warn Franco. "Do you still want to hide it from her? Everett will not listen to us. He has only listened to Melissa. Do you really want Everett living in a vegetative state?"

"Of course not."

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Franco went back to his original position and pretended as if nothing happened.

Franco knew that Bobbi was right. Only Melissa could convince Everett to take his situation seriously since he felt protective toward her. Franco acknowledged that it was best to let Melissa persuade Everett.

They couldn't keep the truth from her.

Melissa had an inkling that something was amiss after overhearing their conversation. Her suspicions were confirmed when she saw the X-ray and she was able to deduce something.

The results of the brain scan revealed a shadow at the back of Everett's head.

Although she wasn't well-versed in treating brain problems, she could make an educated guess based on her experience.

"Is it similar to blood clots?"

"Yes." Bobbi confirmed her suspicion. "We've known about it for a while. It's a tough situation to treat and we will have to wait until it fades."

Melissa finally grasped the gravity of the situation.

Everett had been injured for quite some time, but he'd kept it a secret from her and even enlisted the help of Bobbi and Franco to keep her from finding out.

What was the source of the injury?

"Have you thought about why he was hurt?" Franco could understand her line of thought and revealed the truth immediately. "We found out about his brain injury when he came back from Malorcia.1

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Melissa's mind immediately recalled the incident and her hand began to tremble.

It happened when she was kidnapped. Everett put himself in harm's way to buy her some time to escape. Unfortunately, when he led the villagers

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away by himself, he encountered a group controlled by a foreign organization. It was then he suffered the brain injury.

It was really because of her.

"Franco and I will leave now. Please take care of Everett. He was given an injection recently and he should be alright for now. We've been up all night," Bobbi said.

"Alright."

The door closed, leaving only Melissa and Everett in the room.

She placed the X-ray to the side and then sat on the bed, unsure of how she felt.

She looked over at the unconscious figure in the bed and felt a deep sense of sadness.

She couldn't help but think about five years ago when she was on the brink of death after Everett put her out of the house. Now Everett was very ill and fighting for his life. He'd almost died two different times, and it was because of her.

Melissa found the situation to be utterly absurd. She couldn't discern who was to blame.

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