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### [Chapter 471 How Do You Feel?](#)

To tell the truth, Roxana hadn't thought much about it before expressing herself, instead she felt that the acupuncture point was not correct, so her heart raced. However, upon Daniel's questioning, she gradually calmed down and countless analyzes went through her mind. A moment later, she approached Daniel.

—Indeed, this is the most basic point to relieve pain —she explained to him patiently—, but I am also very clear that we must take into account the patient's body condition before doing anything.

“No matter the condition, the acupuncture points will always be the same. Daniel frowned impatiently. Then he tried to insert the needle into the little boy. However, Roxana immediately stopped him, grabbing him by the wrist.

“This is the best acupuncture point, but it only works on a patient who is well aware and prepared for what is coming. Jaimito is still very young and is too weak for this. Besides, his stress will not allow him to accept this method of treatment. If we use the needle recklessly and something goes wrong, he could be paralyzed! We can't take chances with a child. If we're just going to stop the pain, let me do it. I know of a much gentler way than this.

At his words, Leandro and Jael looked at each other and nodded approvingly. Instead, Daniel maintained the same mentality and did not listen to Roxana.

“Oh, how strange,” he said, looking down at her, “I've been practicing traditional medicine for years, and this is the first time I've heard of any other method of pain relief. I wonder where you get this knowledge from, Dr. Jerez. She tells me not to risk it with a child, but you're the one using them as experimental subjects, it seems to me. Look how much pain the boy is in! stand back!

The young woman, however, remained standing in front of Jaimito. While there was a staring contest between the two, Jael intervened:

—Let Dr. Jerez try her method.

Like Daniel, she had also never heard of another acupuncture point that could relieve pain. Even so, she changed her mind after remembering that Roxana had used an unknown method to treat Alfredo. Then his intuition convinced him that maybe they could believe in Roxana for once.

Immediately, Jael's words made Daniel's face redden. A moment later, despite his indisposition, he put the silver needles on the ground and made way for Roxana. Then the three of them fixed their gazes on her.

Taking a deep breath, Roxana calmed down before taking the needles and inserting them into the acupuncture points, as far as she remembered. She had seen this method in one of Javier's old medical

journals; it was the first time she had used it to relieve pain.

At that moment, she had no choice but to pray with all her might for the method to work. She did not imagine the calm and precision, qualities that she showed in the acupuncture session, made Leandro and the others believe that she was sure of what she was doing; Besides, her ability had impressed them a lot. Still, even after finishing the acupuncture session, she didn't seem to take any effect, as Jaimito didn't respond.

"It's a method I learned from an old medical magazine," Roxana said quietly, wiping the sweat from her forehead. Due to the more subtle nature of the method, it will take time to take effect.

Everyone around her calmed down upon hearing this. Although Daniel seemed to remain incredulous, she dismissed him right away when he saw the boy open his eyes. The pain that tormented the little boy was no longer noticeable. The other children stopped crying after seeing Jaimito come to his senses. In an instant, they surrounded the bed, exhilarated.

"How are you feeling, Jaimito?" —The girl who told Roxana about Jaimito's condition looked at him with concern. He seemed to frown.

-The pain! He went away! My whole body ached when I recovered, but now I feel fine! Jaimito shouted with joy. Roxana relaxed when she heard him say that.

"I'll prescribe some medicine," Roxana told him, touching the boy's head, moved. Make sure you take them properly and nothing will hurt anymore.

Jaimito nodded happily at her words.

—You can tell that he is a student of Javier Laborda, Dr. Jerez. What impressive skills she displayed," Jael praised with a smile, brushing aside her prejudices about her. In response, she smiled humbly at him.

Next to her was Daniel, who, unlike the others, had a nasty face; he felt humiliated by what happened.

#### [Chapter 472 Unforgivable](#)

While Roxana was treating the child, word spread about what was happening in her cubicle. Many doctors were shocked to learn that Roxana was questioning Daniel's ability; they were also curious when they learned of her alternative method that could stop the pain. They all put their work aside and headed there.

As soon as they entered the room, they saw Roxana applying the treatment; even so, they judged her by her looks and did not trust her abilities. However, they understood the importance of staying focused when applying a treatment, so they watched in silence.

When they saw that Roxana's treatment worked, their jaws dropped. They had never heard of that acupuncture technique. However, it was obvious that her technique was older than theirs; no one knew

where she might have learned that.

Hearing Jael's compliment, they couldn't help but applaud thunderously, which stunned Roxana for a moment. When she turned around, she realized that several doctors had gathered by the door; each of them seemed to have more experience. For a few moments, she felt lost.

"Are you Dr. Laborda's apprentice?" She is rightfully so talented. Today we did learn something.

—Dr. Jerez, let's go out when you have time. I would like to learn more about his unique acupuncture techniques.

She was showered with compliments from everyone; their distrust of him turned into admiration.

"Thank you for her compliments," Roxana smiled humbly. I still have a lot to learn. I will count on you, my superiors, to guide me.

When they were lining up at the entrance of the orphanage a while ago, many looked at her strangely. Roxana only wanted to do her job; she never thought of showing off and impressing them. To her surprise, that was just what was happening and it made everyone change their minds. She was young and beautiful; Furthermore, she was a medical practitioner and a humble person; therefore, they admired her the most.

Instantly, the atmosphere turned peaceful and warm. On the other hand, Daniel stood by the side with a gloomy expression, making him upset among all of them. Suddenly, someone directed everyone's attention to him.

—You were too impulsive a while ago, Dr. Hoyos. Shouldn't I apologize to Dr. Jerez and the child for that?

Everyone immediately looked at Daniel, who was not only recognized for being one of the best traditional doctors in Chepa, but was also arrogant. Many local doctors had long held a grudge against him and seized the opportunity to embarrass him.

Daniel felt like he was being thrown into the fire as he took in all the stares. He had a hideous look on his face and stiffened as he turned his attention to Roxana. Even he had to admit that he'd been a bit naughty before; still, apologizing to a younger, less experienced doctor embarrassed him and he couldn't do it.

Roxana hesitated when she saw that Daniel was looking at her like that, but she didn't comment anything about it; all she wanted was for the medical appointments to go well. He remained faithful to the basic ideas of the Dorante family medical practice and his personal goal of participating; therefore, he did not want anything unpleasant to happen.

Though she never thought to hold a grudge against Daniel for questioning her abilities earlier, now that

it was pointed out, she couldn't help but think of how Daniel had been carried away by his emotions and nearly crippled a child. She didn't care what happened to herself, but what she almost did to the little boy was unforgivable.

### [Chapter 473 We Must Be Patience](#)

Daniel waited for quite some time, but Roxana never relaxed her stance, leaving him with no choice. Her face flushed red with embarrassment and she said,

"I only behaved badly because I was very worried and wanted to treat the child as soon as possible. —At the same time, they all frowned. Roxana's smile faded slowly and she became more discontented.

-Everything is your fault! A girl's voice broke the silence, easing the tension. You took Leslie and scared Jaimito," she complained, pointing at Daniel. She was the oldest of the children and the one who always took care of them. In other words, she was like the big sister, and at that moment, all she wanted was justice for the little ones.

Daniel's eyes widened, furious at what the girl was saying. If there wasn't anyone else around her, he'd beat her up and teach her manners right there.

"Dr. Hoyos, I can't deny that you are a successful man, but we all make mistakes," Jael said, frowning as she looked at Daniel, since he didn't want to waste time on this matter. He made a mistake and therefore he should apologize.

Jael's instruction tensed Daniel. Due to the power of the Dorante family, the good doctor had no choice but to force an unpleasant smile and address Roxana:

—I was very impulsive, Dr. Jerez, and I did not take into account the weak state of the child. However, please trust that I only acted like this out of concern, so please forgive me for that.

Although of course Roxana realized how unwilling she was to apologize, she didn't care, instead she smiled at him and said: —I think

her intentions are pure and I understand that she found herself in a situation difficult. The acupuncture point she went to is known as the only one that stops pain, so anyone would do the same if they were in his shoes. Still, it's not me I should apologize to, but them. She—she She pulled away, revealing the children by the bed.

The children's faces were still wet from crying so long ago. Because of what happened to Jaimito, the others were so worried that they forgot to wipe away their tears. They were standing by the bed with their cheeks soaked. Many of the doctors present were fathers and seeing their teary eyes broke their hearts, so much so that they couldn't even speak.

Daniel looked at the children, dissatisfied. Then, he turned to Jael, who was standing next to him and frowning; it was obvious that he agreed with Roxana's words. Daniel had no choice, so he crouched

down to get to the children's level.

"I'm so sorry, guys," he said in as sincere a tone as possible. I was worried and I scared them. The truth just wanted them to behave to cure them soon.

The little girl looked at him for a few seconds before turning to see the two children who were scared earlier; then, they slowly nodded their heads. She didn't look at Daniel until the children forgave him.

"Okay, we forgive you, but don't scare us like that again. Jaimito can't stand it.

Daniel forced a smile again and turned to face the crowd, as if he was telling them to leave after apologizing. Everyone could tell he wasn't being honest, but it was already significant progress for him, so no one complained.

"Well, the matter is settled. Please return to your posts," Jael said. The children are waiting to be served. Please take this as a lesson: we must be patient with them.

The crowd murmured in the affirmative and everyone returned to their respective cubicles.

#### [Chapter 474 Admiration](#)

Once again, only the four of them were left in their cubicle.

"See, children? Roxana asked sweetly when she turned around to check on them. Treatment is not scary, is it?"

"It's true," replied Jaimito, who had just been treated, raising his hand. Nothing hurts; Now I feel much better!

At first, the girl did not seem willing to receive treatment, but she felt more comfortable and calm with Roxana's attitude and Jaimito's words.

-Is right; there is nothing to fear. Sorry to stray away, miss.

The other boys nodded in agreement. This melted Roxana's heart, and she bent down to caress her little head and said:

"Everyone is doing very well." I am glad that they are no longer afraid. Trust us, okay? We will make sure that everyone grows up healthy and happy. In response, the little ones nodded obediently. Alright, who's next? she asked, standing up and pointing at the bed.

Before long, a boy emerged from the crowd and climbed onto the bed; he was the same one he had cried earlier when Daniel grabbed his arm. Seeing all this made Daniel feel worse. Roxana smiled affectionately at the boy, made him lie down and felt his pulse. The others surrounded her, ignoring the other three doctors as if they were invisible. When Leandro realized it, he smiled exasperatedly and

cleared his throat.

"Children, we are doctors too and we can heal you too," he reminded them. Don't play favorites, okay?

When one of the children heard what he was saying, he turned back and then back to Roxana, making it clear that they preferred her. Leandro shook his head irritably and turned to Jael, who was next to him. All four doctors were assigned there, so it wasn't fair for Roxana to take care of everything. Worse still, there were too many children and Roxana couldn't treat all of them, even if she worked late into the night.

Due to the recent events with Roxana, Jael was completely focused on her. His initial distrust turned to admiration, and now he even felt a little respect. He could admit that Roxana's heart was in the right place. He cared about the children, so he participated in the medical consultation; besides, they felt attached to her.

Since some were shy and refused to see the other doctors, there was a long line near Roxana. After seeing so many patients in a row, Roxana didn't seem irritated or tired at all; she even managed to stop Daniel in time to prevent him from making the wrong decision. So much work did not end Roxana's patience and she continued to be kind to the children. She was an incredible quality, especially from a young doctor.

Meanwhile, Daniel was still upset about the previous incident and hoped that Roxana would get into trouble, begging that she be forced to take care of all the children. Seeing how they surrounded her made him smile, since he wanted to see her exhausted. At that point, he no longer cared if they could take over the day job.

Leandro, emotionally exhausted, sighed and saw how the other two doctors fixed their gazes on Roxana, patiently waiting for her to finish Leila's treatment.

—Roxana, let us take care of some children, will you? Him," she asked kindly. We do nothing and those who do not know the situation would assume that we are here as observation inmates. It's very embarrassing, and if the situation persists, we won't be able to finish our homework today.

### [Chapter 475 Get Well Soon](#)

Roxana looked down and saw the children around her. Although they heard what Leandro said, they were still a little scared.

If possible, she would like to heal the children herself, but she had to stick to the day's schedule. If she took responsibility for curing all the children, she wouldn't be able to finish today, even if she worked all night.

"The doctors there can heal you too, boys," she sweetly convinced them on second thought, even if it broke her heart. Remember how nice you were during the review?

The children turned to see, but no one wanted to take the first step. Roxana couldn't help but feel defeated when she saw her reactions.

"If you insist on waiting for me, then I won't be able to attend to all of you today, which isn't ideal. I really hope everyone gets their treatment today.

The children hesitated again. Just when Roxana was struggling to find the words to convince them, the little girl, who was the leader, stepped forward.

"Please, be kind," she asked Leandro after obediently going to her side.

"Understood," he smiled at her, stroking her head. Thanks for trusting me.

The girl smiled sweetly. Now that someone had made the first move, more and more children began to see the other doctors, leaving Roxana's side. Even so, Daniel was the only one without any patients. The children may have forgiven him, but they were still afraid of him, especially since he was frowning.

When he saw that the children avoided him on purpose, Daniel got even angrier. He had been practicing traditional medicine for years; it was the first time they had not approached him. There was no way he was going to ask Roxana for help, especially after everything that happened, so he couldn't help but stand there rigid.

Quite a few children were still on Roxana's side. Seeing that Daniel was the only one without a patient, she frowned, feeling uneasy. It was clear the children were still afraid of him, but the team wouldn't be effective if they didn't come to him.

"You may as well go to that good doctor," she said, smiling after hesitating for a moment. Before she was scary because he was eager to heal everyone. She's already learned her lesson from him, so why not give her a second chance? He is an expert and he can heal them right away.

Roxana changed her gaze and smiled at Daniel, telling him to do something, but he was taken aback: «Is he seriously defending me? Even though I was rude and rude to her, she is still willing to help me...»

Daniel looked at the children, but they were teary-eyed. He had a tight smile on his face and it took time for him to turn into a warmer, friendlier expression.

"I was impulsive, children, and I'm sorry. I promise that I will be more patient and will not hurt anyone.

Even so, the little ones were still suspicious, which hurt Roxana. She got up, turned to Daniel, and gestured for him to hold out his hand. Although he didn't understand what he had planned, she obeyed anyway, and then a handful of colorful candies fell into her palm.

"See! It has a lot of sweets. If they behave and listen to her, they can eat one," Roxana said, smiling at

the children so they would listen.

Despite having candy in hand, Daniel still had an awkward smile, which scared the children. Even so, they couldn't resist the sweet temptation, so they approached him hesitantly.

### [Chapter 476 Is It True?](#)

After some coordination, the four doctors attended to some patients, which relieved Roxana, who sighed and returned to her post to continue working. The cubicle was filled with silence; from time to time the jokes and games of the children could be heard, but they made very little noise, as if they were worried about disturbing the doctors.

Roxana's heart grew heavier the more she worked. The first round consisted of a simple examination that consisted of taking the pulse of the children and getting an idea of their state of health. Those with more complicated medical problems would need to receive additional treatment.

When she first saw the abandoned children, she was already heartbroken for them, but treating their conditions made her feel worse. Some children had milder problems that could be cured with medication or acupuncture; on the other hand, it was unfortunate that the on-site doctors couldn't help those with more complicated problems. All they could do was send the children to the hospital, where the Dorante family would pay their medical bills.

The first children that Roxana cared for had mild illness problems and she was about to feel relieved until she cared for one in serious condition. The boy was barely four or five years old and was about the same age as Andrés and Bautista; his round, chubby little face was tense with nervousness. Seeing his big, round eyes, Roxana's heart sank and she couldn't speak for a moment.

-I am very ill? asked the little boy fearfully. Roxana felt a lump in her throat and she did not dare to answer because she was afraid that she would start crying instantly. The boy ended up consoling her: "It's okay. I am an orphan and nobody loves me, so nobody will be sad if I am sick. He doesn't feel bad for me; it seems that he wants to cry because of his red eyes.

The place was so quiet that everyone heard what the girl said. Feeling powerless, Roxana clenched her fists and turned around to ask the others for help. She had already lost a child once and she couldn't bear the situation. Jael stopped, reached over, and patted the boy's head.

-Don't worry. We'll take you to the hospital and you'll recover.

The boy looked at Roxana, since he wanted to hear her answer, who took a deep breath and restrained the urge to cry.

"You'll be fine," she promised him, forcing herself to smile. besides, you are not a child that nobody wants. When you recover, someone will come looking for you and adopt you. You will have a dad and a mom; you will grow up happy and healthy. That's why you have to be good and let us treat your illness,



okay?

After hearing the words "dad and mom", the little boy's eyes shone.

-It's true? She asked, filled with energy and illusion. Will I really have daddy and mommy... even if I'm very sick?

Roxana felt how her heart sank; the boy's words suggested that she knew how bad the situation was, but she was more concerned with knowing if anyone would like him. For a moment, Roxana felt tempted to adopt him; however, when she thought that she could not give him a suitable family, she had to push away that wish of hers.

-You'll be fine. Besides, you're so pretty that everyone will fight to have you —she consoled Roxana, caressing his cheek. The little boy smiled happily and nodded excitedly, so happy that he blushed.

Jael had participated in quite a few similar events, but it still ached to witness such a thing. She had to take a few seconds to calm down; then, she told the workers outside:

"Someone take that child to the hospital!"

Soon, a man came up and smiled at the boy before offering him his arms. The little boy got out of bed and obediently climbed into the worker's arms. Before leaving, he turned around and said goodbye to Roxana making a gesture with his hand:

—Goodbye!

Then, he looked at the other children in the orphanage and said goodbye to them too.

#### [Chapter 477 Can I Try One?](#)

All the children's eyes filled with tears when they saw him leave. Roxana lowered her head to hide her pain.

"There are many such cases, and all we can do is help them in the best way possible," Jael said. It's okay to be sad, but don't let it overwhelm you.

Although Roxana understood her logic, in reality, it was still a bit difficult to deal with. That boy from before was very polite and kind, so it was more difficult to accept his unfortunate fate.

"There are other children waiting for her," Jael added, saying no more, and returned to her seat.

Roxana took a deep breath and looked down at the children who were next to her. They each looked up and regarded her with their large, round eyes. They were all about to cry, and within those eyes was the most basic fear of all: the fear of dying. They were worried about the boy who left and about having the same fate.

Seeing them so terrified, Roxana forced herself to suppress her sadness and she bent down to look them in the eye.

"Don't worry, children her," he comforted them. We are here to protect them, so that they all grow up safe and sound. Her friend will be back soon. She—she turned around, since she couldn't bear to look at them in the eyes of her, so she staggered a little to get up. Even so, she pretended to be calm as she touched the bed as she asked, "Okay, who's next?"

It was a long time before a child fearfully climbed onto the bed. Roxana looked at him and her heart sank when she saw him. Fortunately, the rest of the children she had with her had minor problems and she could cure them herself. The bad news, however, was that the other three doctors had quite a few bad children to attend to. Of course, everyone was sad every time a child left.

Daniel saw how more and more children were leaving, which made him frown more intensely; after all, he was still a traditional doctor. Although he could easily become jealous and arrogant at times, he still had goodness within him, just like any doctor.

They worked until the afternoon, when the orphanage served lunch in the cafeteria, where they all went. Roxana and the others stopped working, but they continued with the pain in their hearts; they attended to the remaining children and took everyone to the cafeteria.

Nobody knew what happened; maybe the children who came out of Roxana's cubicle and the others had said something, since everyone in the orphanage couldn't stop looking at her during the meal. The other doctors couldn't suppress her curiosity either and were looking at her too. Feeling everyone's gaze, Roxana felt very nervous.

-Miss? asked a boy, who cautiously approached Roxana as she held her food tray.

-What's going on? Her," she replied with a smile, directing her attention to the boy in a pretty voice.

The boy stared for a while before adding:

- The others say that the sweets he distributed tasted delicious. Can I try one?

Roxana was stunned for a few seconds before she recovered her senses. She smiled, took a few candies from her bag and gave them to the boy:

—Here you have a few flavors. If you like them I'll bring you more next time I come.

The boy smiled shyly, took a chicken leg from his tray and gave it to Roxana.

-Thank you, Miss. I know you've worked a lot, so have. I love chicken legs, but I'll give this one to you.

-I appreciate it. —Roxana was surprised at what the little boy told her. When she reacted, she smiled at him as a complex emotion welled up inside her.

He continued to smile at her and turned around.

#### [Chapter 478 Why Did He Help Me?](#)

"The children seem to like you a lot, Roxana," Leandro said, coming over with a plate of food and sitting across from her. Jael joined him and greeted Roxane by nodding, to which she responded with a smile.

"I have more experience than you taking care of children," Leandro mocked as he addressed her. Also, I always carry sweets with me to convince them. It's an effective method, don't you think?"

If it weren't for the candy, Roxana believed that the children would not have cooperated, no matter how much they liked her.

"Yes, that's a neat trick," Jael said. We can use them with the children during our medical visits next time.

"It's something I learned from experience, since I have to deal with my children," she said after remaining silent for a while, her lips tightening.

—More children will come in the afternoon. Jael didn't pursue the subject because he was more concerned with Roxana's state of mind. Do you want to take a break, Dr. Jerez? I guess she's exhausted.

"I can do it," he gave a serious answer, shaking his head. I have had more difficult jobs when I was abroad. These kids need me and I can't leave them like this.

Originally, he had come today to gain the trust of the Dorante family; In addition, she took this opportunity to convince the family to collaborate with her. However, seeing how sick the children were, Roxana put these wishes aside.

All of them were almost the same age as Andrés and Bautista, so she remembered them and the girl who died at an early age. The exhaustion she experienced was nothing compared to the fate of orphans.

At Roxane's determination, Jael was stunned; for him, doing medical consultations twenty-four hours a day was an unbearable burden, even for a man. He couldn't imagine how intense Roxana's workload must be when she was abroad. Out of curiosity, Jael turned to look at Leandro, who nodded firmly.

"Yes, you heard correctly: that woman is a warrior," Leandro explained. Roxana smiled, but she remained silent. During the conversation, someone came over and sat down next to them. Roxana turned to where the person was and saw Daniel sitting awkwardly next to her. Seeing his face, she immediately remembered how he had treated her before and wondered if she had come to find fault with him again. All the doctors looked at her; they even wanted to bring their plates closer to see the drama.

"Can I help you with something, Dr. Hoyos?" Leandro started the conversation with Daniel, as if he were protecting Roxana. Noticing the hostile tone in his voice, Daniel frowned.

"Why did he help me a while ago?" He asked him stiffly when he saw Roxana, who was surprised. Why did she help me convince the kids even though I was criticizing her all the time?

"Because I believe that you are not only a respected expert in traditional medicine, but also an ethical one," he replied with a careless smile. He criticized me for everything he did, but I know he wouldn't take her frustration out on the kids. I'm sure he just wanted to give them the best treatment.

#### [Chapter 479 Tarnishing The Reputation](#)

Daniel looked at her suspiciously, since he didn't believe what she told him and even because he felt that he himself had exceeded himself. No one else would have been able to handle the situation as calmly as Roxana, but it seemed that she hadn't taken her words the wrong way.

"I've been in the industry for many years and I've met people who doubt me, they even behave horrible with me," Roxana explained, smiling, when she saw her bewildered face. So it didn't bother me that he questioned my medical skills; instead, it did bother me how impatient he was with the children. Anyway, he already apologized to me, so let's not stay in the past. I believe that all traditional doctors are virtuous, and I believe that the Dorantes selected their best candidates for this mission.

As she spoke, the gazes of the crowd on Roxana changed from curiosity to kindness. What she said was what many had in mind: they also believed that all traditional doctors were trustworthy and virtuous, even though they also made mistakes. However, they deserved the professional title as long as they treated their patients sincerely. That's why no one dared to question Daniel's status, even if he was arrogant all these years.

"I'm so used to being put on a pedestal that I didn't see the whole picture," he replied after being silent for a while. I'm sorry, Dr. Jerez. Please forgive me for my behavior earlier. I hope we can get along and get to know each other better.

-Clear. Roxana smiled at him and commented: "But don't scare the children anymore, please, Dr. Hoyos." They can't stand it.

"I know I was very impulsive this morning," he nodded, flushed with embarrassment. Good thing he stopped me; otherwise, he would not know how to deal with the child. Now that Daniel had calmed down, he was overcome with a sense of guilt for nearly paralyzing a child.

"The boy is fine, so he shouldn't be hard on himself," Roxana comforted him with a smile. Let's make an effort to treat the other children in the afternoon!

Daniel accepted without hesitation. Jael raised her eyebrows, since he didn't expect the two of them to

reconcile so soon; he felt that there was something unusual about Roxana. After apologizing to her, he turned to Jael and apologized sincerely,

"I'm sorry, Mr. Dorante. I was about to tarnish the reputation of the Dorante family.

If word got out that the Dorantes were responsible for the paralyzed boy, the news would have tarnished the good name of the family. Immediately, Jael put on a serious face when Daniel mentioned family.

"You're right, but I can let it slide, since it was a false alarm." Doctor Hoyos, I hope you can do your best to treat the children. The Dorante family organized this medical consultation for underprivileged children because we want to offer them better health care services. That's why we brought together great doctors from across the country to participate in the initiative. Please note that this is not the place to compete with others.

Jael didn't raise her voice, but the doctors around her could hear it loud and clear.

"Don't worry, Mr. Dorante," they responded to his comment. We will strive.

Jael nodded curtly. Roxana looked sideways at the people around her and realized that she no longer gave her looks of doubt and curiosity; rather, they looked at her in a friendly way. Roxana smiled at them and continued with her lunch.

#### [Chapter 480 This Responsibility](#)

After the little parenthesis between Daniel and Roxana, it could be said that lunch was lively. At the end of lunch, the doctors gathered according to their respective cubicles and entered together. The children followed obediently; many doctors already had a friendly bond with them.

The little ones surrounded Roxana, causing Jael and the others to have trouble moving forward. With some difficulty, they reached the entrance to their cubicles; the sweets in Roxana's bag had almost run out. When they entered, Daniel still had a few left, so the children surrounded him with smiles, making him seem more popular than Roxana. It even seemed like they forgot about the morning's incident.

Roxana found it comforting to see the children become so fond of Daniel. She knew children well, and they knew they were not spiteful, but would respond with genuine affection if they were treated honestly, no matter what was done to them, and these were no different.

When Daniel had almost distributed almost all his sweets, Roxana clapped her hands to tell the children to come back and form a line:

—My loves, it's time for you to receive your treatment. —Fortunately, the children in the cubicle already trusted them completely, so they were obedient even without giving them candy. Hearing her words, the little ones almost immediately lined up and waited in silence.

The four adults looked at the children and exchanged glances, smiling. Then, they began to diagnose and treat the little ones. Before long, there was a cautious knock on the cubicle door and everyone looked in the direction of the sound.

“Mr. Dorante, they sent a batch of supplies to the gate of the orphanage and informed us that it is for us.

The staff stayed at the door, waiting for Jael's instructions; everyone was stunned at this news. The free medical consultation was already underway, so why would they suddenly send supplies? Also, Jael was not warned beforehand. After coming to his senses, he replied with a frown:

“Ask them to return it to whoever sent it, and tell them that the Dorante family will not accept any supplies from outside sources when free medical consultations are being offered.

Over the years, for the sake of their patients' safety, most of the Dorante family's resources were provided by themselves. Even when they needed supplies, they contacted other prestigious families beforehand and did not accept donations from unknown sources; after all, they had no way of checking that the donated materials were of good quality. If there was a problem with the materials, the Dorante family was responsible for the patients.

"It's from the Quevedo family," the employee added doubtfully. Do we reject it?