

The Secret 631

THE SECRET THAT SEPARATES US

Chapter 631 Be On Time

Roxana stood outside the kindergarten for a while before she recovered from her trance; she saved the tickets and got into her car to head back to the research institute. Just as she got to the office, Jael called out to her.

"The date has already been decided: it will be tonight." Does it look good? she consulted. Hearing those words, Roxana, whose mind was still a mess, was a bit surprised and it took her some time before she remembered what Jael had commented on her visit from her the day before.

It's likely that tonight I'll meet the doctors I'm going to collaborate with, she thought, and on the other hand, Jael urged her when she didn't hear an answer.

"Miss Sherry?" Something happens? Isn't it a right time?

"It's nothing, I'll be free. I'll be on time tonight," Roxana answered, leaving her thoughts aside.

Although Jael found the reaction a bit strange, she didn't investigate further, since it was a conversation on the phone, so she just gave him a few reminders before hanging up. Due to the incident that morning, Roxana seemed to be absorbed in her thoughts of her for the rest of the day; Later, at noon, Roxana finished work thirty minutes earlier, since she had to go to the banquet that night. Out of respect for the doctors, she wanted to go home to freshen up; Just when she was about to leave her house, as the time was approaching, she received a call from Leandro.

-Where are you? the man's voice sounded, a second after answering the call.

-At home. What's happening? Roxana asked, puzzled.

"I'll go for you," she replied, giggling and the woman understood everything after hearing her words from her.

"It is probable that Leandro is also one of the doctors with whom I will work on this occasion," she mused, and recognizing that probability, she smiled and rejected him.

"No need, I'll go alone. See you later, at the banquet.

-Are you sure? I heard from Mr. Dorante that you hurt your foot.

Jael had casually mentioned it to him, while they were discussing collaboration matters two days ago; Leandro had the intention of visiting Roxana, but he did not have time to do so. Upon learning of her attendance at that night's banquet, Leandro suggested that he go for her, since he feared that it would be inconvenient for her to move around with an injury.

"I've recovered, you don't have to worry, Leandro.

Upon hearing his answer from her, the man did not insist any more and accepted; By the time the call ended, it was almost time, so Roxana went downstairs and drove to the place where the banquet would take place. Leandro and Jael were chatting away from the entrance after having arrived and when they noticed Roxana's presence de ella, they immediately stopped her conversation and approached with a warm smile.

"Hello, Leandro, Mr. Dorante," greeted Roxana, also with a smile. Jael nodded her head and gently, while Leandro began to talk to her shortly, because it was possible that he had not seen her for a long time.

"I heard you hurt your foot and I wanted to visit you, but I didn't have any time.

"It was only a small wound; besides, I already recovered. I'm sorry if this makes your job difficult," she replied without feeling anxious and with a smile. To one side of them, Jael stood and called to them as the other guests arrived, one after another.

—You have to go in first, almost everyone is here.

They both accepted and followed him into the banquet hall and as soon as they stepped foot inside, everyone in the room turned their gazes on them. There were two reasons why the crowd behaved like this: one was that Jael was the official host and the second was the extreme difference in age that Leandro had compared to the rest of the attendees. As much as they had a distinguished appearance and demeanor, what really mattered in their traditional medical community was one's experience and qualifications; in any case, their attendance at the banquet was nothing more strange and shocking.

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Chapter 632 Total Shock

Not many doctors attended the event on that occasion, but there were just over a dozen of them; With a glance of her *de ella*, Roxana managed to recognize some of them who had also attended previous medical consultations with her. Roxana hadn't met the others yet, but since the Dorantes had recognized them enough to work with them, they were certainly not people to be trifled with; So, Roxana smiled politely at the group to express her good intentions.

"Who are these two, Mr. Dorante?" someone asked, standing up. Will you also work with us on this occasion?

There was a bit of doubt in that person's tone; Although Roxana had long been accustomed to that kind of skepticism, she still couldn't help but tense up when she heard that. She was now on Jael's ground and she was worried that he would worry about her credentials from her and cause her unnecessary trouble.

"What if these people lose their trust in the Dorante family because of us?", she asked herself and the woman's expression became more and more docile; however, Jael turned to see the person in question and answered him.

"This is Dr. Jerez and this is Dr. Morales; They'll be working with us too, so I hope everyone can get along.

Hearing that, the people gasped and fixed their doubtful gazes on both Roxana and Leandro, especially her *de ella*; Noticing these looks, Jael turned to see the two and using his eyes from him, asked them if they needed him to give the explanation for them. Roxana and Leandro just nodded their heads and smiled; Since the other doctors were older, it was normal for them to question the less experienced or the more recognized ones. A few words weren't going to change their mind; therefore, Jael began to explain to the two.

“These are the doctors who were involved in the last medical consultation with the Dorante family; some were part of this in other regions, so it is likely that you still do not know them, he commented, to which Roxana and Leandro nodded in agreement. Well, now that you're all present, let's sit down and start our discussion,” Jael announced, turning to look at the other doctors.

The entire group instantly agreed; Despite his young age from him, Jael sat at the head of the table, while the other doctors sat next to them in order of their qualifications and Roxana and Leandro walked to the seats facing Jael.

"Dr. Jerez and Dr. Morales, take a seat here," Jael called suddenly, when they were about to sit down; people were instantly shocked.

Roxana was about to reject Jael, but she observed that one of the doctors who was next to her had already given her the seat and when she looked more closely, she noticed that it was Daniel Hoyos, a doctor who had been part of the medical consultation. preview with her and Leandro. Perhaps the other doctors weren't aware, but Daniel now knew how well-versed those two were in the field of medicine, so he had accepted that they were indeed worthy of sitting next to Jael. It was visible that the other members of the group were perplexed, but seeing that a doctor of such caliber as Daniel gave up his seat, the only thing they could do was make room for the two young professionals; Roxana and Leandro, for their part, exchanged glances. Realizing that they might seem ungrateful if they refused Jael's offer,

—I inquired about the acupuncture treatment that you performed in the previous medical consultation, but there are some things that I still don't understand, would you be so kind as to lend me some of your time to talk about it, after the banquet ? Daniel asked softly, but everyone at the table managed to hear him clearly; Everyone was amazed to hear how he asked Roxana to guide him.

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Chapter 633: Expect Nothing In Return

Of course, Roxana also heard Daniel's question clearly and couldn't help but freeze for a moment before turning to see the other doctors sitting around her; As expected, everyone was looking at her full of shock and bewilderment. Later, the woman turned to see Daniel to smile modestly at him.

“That's very courteous, Dr. Hoyos, it's just that I know of some unorthodox treatments by coincidence; I am absolutely honored that you are interested in it.

"I have witnessed what you are capable of, Dr. Jerez," Daniel said. Ultimately, it has nothing to do with coincidence or luck; You don't have to be so modest," she continued, and Roxana wanted to answer politely again, but Jael cut them off with a smile.

"Let's save that for after the banquet, okay, Dr. Jerez and Dr. Hoyos?" It's time to talk business.

Roxana just managed to hold her tongue and nod her head towards Daniel in appreciation; At first, she and Daniel did not get along at the beginning of the medical consultation, but little by little the man exhibited his true characteristics of a traditional medicine practitioner. Thus, their relationship grew in a friendly way at the end of the medical consultation; Roxana believed that she would never see him again, but it was evident that she was wrong.

"He even saved me from all this awkwardness when I didn't ask him to."

Noting her gratitude from her, Daniel gave her a friendly smile before turning around and waiting for Jael to start speaking; The entire banquet fell silent for a brief moment and the gazes of the people fell on Jael and the two doctors at her sides of her. All the people there were well-known doctors through Chepa and they had taken the time to attend out of respect for the Dorante family and because they really trusted the importance of the project. Regarding the project itself, Jael had only discussed it with the doctors in the past, though most of them only had a little of the gist of the situation. That was why they longed to hear more from Jael; At the same time, they were just curious about who the doctors sitting next to them were.

«Even Dr. Hoyos treated the woman with great respect and Mr. Dorante seemed to be a very good friend of theirs. Who the hell could they be? Jael, for his part of him, looked at each of the audience members before opening his mouth.

"I think everyone knows the reason behind this banquet; Everyone sitting here will be a crucial ally for the Dorante family, so let's start with a toast," he commented and everyone raised their glasses in response; the host drank his drink before continuing. Due to all the years of experience you have, I am sure you are aware of what it means to be a medical professional; a doctor helps the weak, saves the dying and gives people hope. That's all. He who chooses this path should never expect anything in return!

"Expect nothing in return!" All the doctors exclaimed, exchanging glances, encouraged.

"And that is precisely why the Dorante family began this project," Jael stated, her voice raised. It is our honor to be able to get your support and we will make sure not to let you down; Considering this project, my family decided to launch a collection of books with the hope that they will help people in the future to expand their research in traditional medicine. Let's work together to exhume Chepa's wealth of medical philosophy and make traditional medicine highly recognized globally!

The emotions of all the audience members swirled in their hearts and their expressions turned solemn; Everyone looked visibly excited when they mentioned that the Dorante family would release their books.

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Chapter 634 A Promising Future

The atmosphere at the banquet reached an all-time high thanks to Jael's speech from her and the attention she now had; even those who did not join him and the doctors who had previously heard of the rumors about how exceptional he was in both elegance and wisdom. There were some among the people who were initially unconvinced by Jael's young age compared to them, but had still decided to attend, since he was a member of the Dorante family. However, at last, they now began to let go of their preconceived judgments after hearing his words from her; Also, they felt a growing security about the two young doctors sitting next to them.

"He doesn't seem like the guy who would let them sit next to him just because they're close to him."

"Among other things, I apologize for my omission; Let me introduce you again to these two talented people sitting next to me," Jael spoke again among the confusion of people. All eyes fell once more on Roxana and Leandro, but instead they both turned to Jael, not sure what he was about to say; he gave them a smile before returning to the audience. Everyone sitting here is already, in theory, part of the project started by my family's research institute; This lady that I have by my side is Roxana Jerez. The doctor is an exemplary student of Professor Javier Laborda and returned to Chepa under his advice to direct the Virtual Reality Medical Research Institute and also, she will be one of the few to work with the Dorante family on this occasion," she explained and then began to introduce Leandro. I am sure that everyone has heard of Dr. Leandro Morales, not only that he is the heir to the Morales family, but also that he has achieved great achievements in the field of medicine and is known internationally. With his participation, in the same way, we will receive financial support from the Morales family.

As soon as Jael finished speaking, all the doubts of the people vanished and were replaced by wonder and awe; While many people had not heard of Roxana, Javier was considered a legend. The fact that he had asked her student to take over the research institute on her behalf de ella, showed how much he esteemed her and also a testament to her abilities. Regarding Leandro, most of the audience members

had heard of him, but had never had the opportunity to meet him in person; Although no one expected that these two boys, who looked like they had a distinguished background, would possess such abilities.

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"No doubt! Even Dr. Hoyo asked for his advice! ».

However, Roxana and Leandro had no intention of showing off and remained humble in front of all the older people; when Jael finished introducing them, the two roses and addressed the audience.

"I hope we can all get along and please feel free to contact us if we make a mistake," they said and the other doctors sighed in amazement at his modesty of him.

—I had the privilege of working with them during the previous medical consultation and I dare say that the future of medicine in Chepa sure looks promising with people like them around here! —Declared Daniel, because being the person who has spent the most time with Roxana and Leandro, he couldn't help but get up and speak for them in admiration; the people, for their part, nodded their heads in agreement.

—Dr. Jerez, Dr. Morales, please excuse my rudeness earlier; I hope you don't take it personally— someone apologized and the boys smiled.

-Not at all! We are young, so it is natural that they have their doubts.

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Chapter 635 The Heiress Of The Altamirano Family

Most of the people began to express their harmony towards Roxana and Leandro and it wasn't long before the atmosphere in the room became more harmonious and relaxed. Jael waited a while longer and after seeing that they both returned to their seats, he began to introduce the other doctors; Each of the figures present had achievements in the medical field, so their mere mention was already more than enough. Soon, the only thing everyone felt was respect for each other, not to mention the expectation they had for the upcoming collaboration. Now that the official talks were out of the way, the audience changed the topics of the talks to lighter ones, striking up conversations with those they already knew best. Despite not being a fan of socializing,

"It seems that the collaboration will work out," Leandro commented, smiling, and Roxana nodded, agreeing to then look at Jael, who was among the people; the man deserved all the credit for creating such a lovely environment.

«I thought he was just a good doctor, but not that he was such a capable leader as well; once again, no surprise to anyone. If the future heir of the Dorante family couldn't even control a crowd like this, then there was no way the great lord Dorante would approve.

Just as everyone was chatting happily, the door to the banquet hall was suddenly opened, so everyone instinctively turned to look towards the entrance, only to see a group of young and aristocratic women walking towards the venue. The one who led them all wore a long dress, pure white in color and it was mermaid style with bare shoulders; with a quick glance, one couldn't tell if she was really a fancy girl or trying to be one.

Jael! What a coincidence! the woman greeted with mock modesty, walking toward Jael.

"Indeed, Yesenia," Jael replied with a polite smile.

The Dorante family shared a good relationship with the Altamiranos; Yesenia Altamirano, Ella's oldest daughter in her family, was two years older than Jael. The two had gotten along very well in recent years; Even so, Jael was a little upset to see how he interrupted with his people from him, since it was a banquet for the future allies of the Dorante family. Also, it was an event held for official business, so Yesenia's arrival was inopportune; Despite that, the man kept these thoughts to himself.

«I thought that he was only a good doctor, but not that he was a leader all the time too; Once again, it's no surprise to anyone. If the future heir to the Dorente family couldn't even control a crowd like this, then I shouldn't have wanted the great lord Dorente to approve of it.»

Just when everyone was celebrating happily, the door of the banquet hall was suddenly drunk, so, instinctively, they all turned and saw him enter, no more than to see a group of young and noble women walking towards the place. The leader and everyone wore a long dress, pure white in color and in the style of a mermaid with bare shoulders; With a quick glance, one couldn't tell if she was really an elegant girl or trying to be one.

“Jeel! What a coincidence! He greeted the woman with modesty feigned, walking towards Jeel.

"Indeed, Yesenie," Jeel replied with an educede smile.

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“Haal! What a coincidence! the woman greeted with feigned modesty, walking towards Jaal.

"In fact, Yasania," Jaal replied with a sweet smile.

The Doranta family shared a good relationship with the Altamiranos; Yasania Altamirano, the eldest daughter of his family, is two years older than Jaal. Both had gotten along very well during the early years; even so, Jaal sa disliked a little

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Chapter 636: Ambiguous Relationship

"If it's okay with you, can we join in?" Yesenia asked, slowly looking away from Roxana and smiling at the others.

Hearing that, the people exchanged glances with each other, for since they had already finished talking about the main topic and the woman was close to Jael, it was not possible to reject her. People nodded in Jael's direction, indicating with a gesture that they didn't care, so the man asked a clerk to add another seat. Yesenia sat directly in the space that Jael had given her and then, as if she had finally noticed Roxana's presence of her, she looked at her in surprise before turning to see him in confusion.

"Is this lady with you?"

"It's Dr. Jerez," Jael said, nodding. Roxana did not know what Yesenia had on her mind de ella and she supposed that she doubted her abilities de ella like the other doctors, so she smiled at her and greeted her.

"You can just call me Doctor Jerez," she suggested. Yesenia glanced at him and when she noticed the other woman's exceptional appearance of her and thought about how she managed to be in the same industry as Jael, as well as how he was friendly towards her as well, a hint of hostility crossed her eyes de she. ; even so, Roxana smiled softly.

"I am impressed, Dr. Jerez; She's young, but she's ready to work with the bigwigs of the medical world.

"It's luck, nothing more," she expressed, pursing her lips and smiling humbly at Yesenia.

When the employee brought the extra seat, Yesenia did not move and stayed between Roxana and Jael, unable to decipher if they were her true intentions of her or not of her; Roxana didn't analyze it too much and got up to move her seat a little and make room for Yesenia. She is she curved her lips in a smile and sat next to Jael without hesitation, then she raised her head to look at him, although he

continued talking to the other people and the admiration present in her eyes of her. Jael didn't notice the subtle events that occurred next to her, as she was more concerned with the toast with the other doctors.

Jael has been outstanding since she was young, but due to Dorante family rules, she rarely interacted with women; the only exception was me, who grew up with him," Yesenia mentioned with deliberate nonchalance. However, Roxana was the only one who managed to hear that, so the confusion came to her mind, but even so, for the sake of politeness, she smiled.

"Then she must be close to Mr. Dorante," she replied. Yesenia turned to see her and Roxana continued to smile sincerely at her, but, seeing that, the other frowned and added one more thing incredulously.

"How did you meet Jael?"

"The great Mr. Quevedo recommended me in the previous medical consultation of the Dorante family, so I had the pleasure of helping the child with Mr. Dorante," he confessed.

Yesenia's heart sank again with those words, since the Altamirano family was also involved in the medical world, but her skills were not enough to earn the opportunity to attend the medical consultation with Jael. However, Yesenia was well acquainted with the process involved in the Dorante family's medical consultation; Therefore, she managed to imagine how close they were when hearing Roxana's response from her.

-Oh really? It seems that she is much more skilled than I thought, if you could attend the medical consultation, Yesenia flattered her, reluctantly. Jael must think well of you.

Roxana managed to feel that something was wrong and for a moment, she did not know what to answer Yesenia; No matter what she said, it seemed that her relationship with Jael was romantically and ambiguously.

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Chapter 637: Cautious

"I'm sure Mr. Dorante isn't the only one who wanted Roxana to join them, since he also had the approval of the great Mr. Dorante," commented Leandro, who was paying attention to their interaction, when he saw that Roxana was stuck.

At that, Yesenia frowned and turned to her side of her to see him; she had already noticed her presence of her a while ago, because she was outstanding, but she was not interested in him. However, to her surprise from her, the man actually forced himself into her line of sight to defend Roxana.

"You are..." Yesenia spoke, to which Leandro introduced himself politely.

I'm Leandro Morales, I'm an ordinary doctor, so you don't need to remind me.

Astonishment crossed Yesenia's eyes, since Leandro was the heir to the Morales family and everyone within the circle had heard about him; they knew he was not interested in his family's fortune de él and had established his place de él in the medical world. Over the years, it was rare to find Leandro at Homeros banquets; therefore, it was the first time that Yesenia had seen him in person and she couldn't stop thinking that she did justice to his name. Although he was a son of the Morales family, he seemed calm, serene and not at all aggressive; Maybe all the years of him studying medicine made him learn to keep his aggressiveness out of him.

"So you are Mr. Morales. I heard about you for a long time," Yesenia greeted, after coming back to reality and smiling at him.

"If there's nothing more to say, Miss Altamirano, I'd like to talk to Dr. Jerez," Leandro asked, after nodding and before Yesenia could respond, Leandro had already turned to see Roxana. Are you free, Dr. Jerez? There are a few things about internships that I'd like to discuss with you.

Even Roxana couldn't avoid freezing for a moment and although she knew that Leandro was doing it to help her get out of that place, it was the first time she heard him speak in such a distant tone. Even so, Roxana was able to recover her composure from her and smiled quickly at him.

"Okay," he answered and turned to see Yesenia with pity. Excuse me, Miss Altamirano," she continued and Yesenia only managed to give Roxana a small smile before seeing her walk to sit next to Leandro. At that moment, she took a deep breath and gave the man a grateful smile. Thank you, Leandro ," she thanked with a soft voice.

"Be careful for a while; Miss Altamirano seems to have misunderstood something," Leandro implied, also sighing, and Roxana nodded, agreeing.

Roxana didn't know what she had done to make Yesenia develop those unnecessary misunderstandings, but she already had them and it wasn't something that Roxana could clear up quickly with a few words; all she could do was inform Jael later so he could explain it to her. When the other medical professionals saw that Roxana and Leandro were seated together, they quickly gathered to discuss questions about medical practices; both Leandro and Roxana were doctors established in the countryside and both had returned from abroad. Although the two tried to keep a low profile in their discussion, the things they said managed to pique the curiosity of most people's interests; At the same time, the other doctors were willing to impart their own experiences with the two. People became closer to the discussion and the doctors found themselves admiring Roxana more and more; therefore, they also began to approve what Daniel had said at the beginning: the future of the medical field in Chepa was promising. The distrust that Yesenia had of Roxana increased with intensity when she heard the compliments that people gave her.

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Chapter 638 A Tense Atmosphere

There was no other woman around Jael but her de ella in all those years and even though she was two years older, Yesenia already looked at herself as Jael's future wife, until she met Roxana; The more she watched as the others complimented Roxana, the less she could stay still in her seat. After examining her surroundings from her and seeing that Jael was on the other side toasting the doctors, Yesenia filled her own wineglass and walked towards him.

"Jael, are you done yet?" she interrupted, as if telling the others who she was, causing the women next to her to murmur in admiration. Jael, for her part of her, was in the middle of a conversation about professional matters with the others and instantly, as Yesenia interrupted him, she wiped the smile from her face.

"I still need a little more time; If you're bored, you can go ahead and go with the girls first and once I'm done, I'll visit you," she replied, in a very subtle way of asking her to leave, so disgust welled up in Yesenia's heart, but she kept smiling and she moved closer to him. Then she lifted her glass and looked at the other doctors at the table.

"You are all Jael's superiors, so since I am someone close to him, I have to make you a toast; please let me do it.

Immediately afterwards, Yesenia lowered the glass of wine and the whole time she acted as if she were the mistress of Jael's house; The doctors, for their part of her, exchanged glances and despite the bewilderment they felt, they took a sip from her glasses out of politeness. Yesenia smirked and took the opportunity to be at Jael's side of him; when the other women saw how intimate Jael and Yesenia

looked, they cheered again. However, Jael realized that she could no longer continue after said interruption, so she apologized to the other doctors.

"Let's talk about the details another day, it's getting late." Let's go back early after a happy meal," she expressed. The others agreed and Jael turned to look at the person next to her then knitted her eyebrows, then suppressed the disgust in his heart de ella and led the woman back to her seat de ella; Just as she took a seat, she noticed the changes on the table and her frown deepened. Why is Dr. Jerez now sitting on the other side? Jael asked, despite knowing the answer; For her part of her, Roxana stiffened and subconsciously, she took a look at Yesenia and before she could say anything, Yesenia spoke.

"Mr. Morales said he wanted to talk about something with Dr. Jerez, so the doctor went there," he mentioned. Doctor Jerez, I think Jael has something to tell you, come and sit here, I'll stay to one side," she added with deliberate generosity. Despite her words from her, she remained seated and had no intention of getting up, so Roxana smiled.

"I'm sitting right here, so I have the chance to talk better with my two superiors," she answered; however, Jael intervened.

—Indeed, I have to talk about something with Dr. Jerez; Yesenia, I will have to bother you and ask you to move.

Yesenia had interrupted her event without caring about the situation and Jael had tolerated her actions from her on two occasions, so she was no longer going to allow her to do what she wanted. Both Roxana and Yesenia were surprised by the words; in fact, Yesenia never thought that Jael would seriously push her away from her. On the other hand, Roxana was frozen in her place because she managed to feel that Jael was using her as an excuse to get rid of Yesenia; For a moment, the atmosphere in the room became tense. Jael turned to see Yesenia, who was still sitting next to her, expressionless, and as soon as her eyes met, Yesenia gritted her teeth and stood up to give the seat to Roxana, who had no choice but to take it. .

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Chapter 639 I Want To Talk To You

"Mr. Dorante, what were you going to tell me?" Roxana asked, after sitting next to her. Genuinely, she didn't want to cause any scene and Yesenia, who was next to her, was staring at her; if Jael failed to start any topic of conversation, Roxana was certain that Yesenia's gaze would burn a hole in her de ella. Jael knew very well the kind of situation she was in, so she spoke casually.

"I'm going to depend on you and Mr. Morales in this collaboration, so let me express my gratitude first," he commented, and immediately afterwards, he raised his glass and drank, and Roxana copied her action from her.

"Yesenia, where did that woman come from?" Why does it seem like Mr. Dorante thinks she's someone important?

"You don't have any kind of relationship with Mr. Dorante, right?" She looks like someone who knows how to seduce men! —Yesenia's friends de ella whispered her speculations de ella, whom she had brought with her and continued to complain about Roxana to her wife de ella when they saw how Jael treated her. Yesenia felt threatened by Roxana, so when she heard the brand new comments from her friends, her frustration worsened.

"It seems that you are a crucial person for this collaboration, Dr. Jerez," Yesenia said through clenched teeth and raised her glass. So, I must thank you on Jael's behalf; I hope you have a good time working with him," she added and lifted her head to finish her drink, but Jael stopped her with a frown.

"There's no need to do this; Dr. Jerez and I have known each other for a long time, so I can thank you myself," the man intervened and looked coldly at Yesenia.

Jael couldn't claim to know exactly what Yesenia had in mind, but their families were on good terms; he had never raised his voice from her to her because he had a good relationship with her in public. However, he couldn't stand that Yesenia already read the room at all; This, for her part of her, she barely managed to smile and turned pale. Those nearby heard clearly what Jael was trying to imply: Roxana was closer to him than she was; in contrast, Yesenia was nothing more than a clown. In fact, Yesenia's hand de ella, the one holding the wine glass, froze in midair as soon as she heard the man's words de ella, resulting in an awkward silence. Roxana was trapped between the two of them and she felt her head de ella begin to ache; In the end, she could not bear to see the embarrassed look that Yesenia had in her eyes from her.

"At the end of the day, we all have to work hard for this collaboration, since it's our job, let's make a toast, for that," he spoke, getting everyone to agree and raise their glasses to drink; Yesenia, for her part of Ella, took the opportunity to take a sip from her glass of Ella before returning it to her original place.

"It seems that they will fully enter the business after this, so my friends and I will retire first," Yesenia excused herself and with her pale face de ella, she got up and then lowered her head to see Roxana. Doctor Jerez, there is something I want to discuss with you. Would you mind walking us to the door? Her

de ella, "she consulted. Roxana was puzzled by the question, but there was no reason to reject it, so she got up and followed them to the door.

"Miss Altamirano, what do you want to talk about?" Her de ella," she inquired. Yesenia looked at the people at the table before fixing her gaze back on Roxana and despite the smile on her face de ella, she spoke with an icy tone.

"Don't suppose I'll thank you for helping me out of the awkward situation just now; I warn you at once to stay away from Jael.

These words caused the woman to frown, as she never expected to meet someone at a work-related banquet; apart from her de ella, Roxana had been as friendly as possible, but Yesenia's hostility de ella towards her de ella had only increased. By how he interrupted with his ganta, pus for a bench for the future allies of the Doranta family. Also, for an advance carried out by official businesses, thus, the sore of Yasania is inopportune; As it happens, the man kept these pansamiantos for himself.

-Who is she? someone asked, so Jael introduced her nonchalantly.

"It's Yesenia Altamirano, the heiress of her family of hers.

"It's just that she had a party in the next room, but I heard Jael was here, so I thought it might be a good idea to come say hi. I hope not to be a nuisance! Yesenia explained, with a smile and waving.

Seeing that she knew Jael and according to her previous experience with Roxana and Leandro, people put a big smile on her faces from her, not daring to treat the woman badly; Suddenly, someone nudged Yesenia and told her to look in Roxana's direction from her, causing her face from her to cloud over instantly.

"What's a pretty girl like her doing here? And she looks like she's also sitting next to Jael!"

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"I only believe what I see, so I better remember my words," Yesenia interrupted before the other could defend herself, she turned and left, causing exasperation to show up in Roxana, who turned around and he returned to her seat.

"I'm sorry, did I cause you any trouble?" Jael questioned sadly once Roxane took a seat.

"I hope you don't use me as a shield the next time you run into a situation like this; there are already some misunderstandings between Miss Altamirano and me.

"I think she and I also have some misunderstandings," he confessed. Otherwise, she would not have acted like she was his girlfriend while ago; if it hadn't been for her families, Jael would have confronted her on the subject long ago. Still, don't worry about this, I'll clear things up when I get back home. I won't let her cause him any more trouble," Jael added, after a brief moment's contemplation.

Roxana nodded, but she wasn't so puzzled by the subject; She didn't know why, but she felt sorry for Jael, since she knew a woman like Yesenia. However, promptly, April crossed her mind; here, Jael could clear things up with Yesenia and she wasn't to blame for anything in the first place. On the other hand, April still had her eyes on her and was going to attack her at any moment, but Roxana couldn't do much to defend herself against that woman. It was then that she realized that perhaps she was more pitiful, so a sour look caught her off guard on her face without her knowing about it.

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"It's nothing, I just find what happened today a little funny," she replied, and Jael apologized again.

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—Roxana, let me take you home; I don't think you'll be able to hail a taxi at this hour," Leandro suggested and she smiled at him.

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"Okay, I can go home alone; It's late and it's inconvenient for you to take me. Your parents will worry if you come home late.

"I'm not a kid anymore, so why would they still worry about me? You, on the other hand, will make Andrés and Bautista worry if you come home late," Leandro explained, sighing.

The look in Roxana's eyes softened when she thought of her children of her and at that moment, the warm light from the hotel door shining on her made her seem more gentle; Blissful was the sight she greeted Jael as she turned to them to say something. He felt that the sight he had of Roxana shot an arrow into her heart of hers and he couldn't do more than swallow; she even she forgot what she wanted to tell them in the beginning.

"I'll let you know later, since it's already late, it's better if I don't cause you any problems, Leandro," Roxana rejected, giggling. Leandro's look of her darkened, because he knew that it would not be so easy to convince her of her, so he had no choice but to give up.

"I'll keep you company for a while, then; It's late and I'm worried about leaving you here alone," she said, and Roxana agreed with a smile.