

# Chapter 67 Scapegoat

Alyssa brushed her hair, put on some light makeup in the bathroom, and went out to see Leon looking for something.

She walked out of the bathroom and watched Leon staring at her.

"What's wrong? What were you looking for?"

"Nothing."

Leon was relieved to see Alyssa.

He just had a dream that Alyssa had run away. He watched her run away and didn't go after her.

Luckily, it was just a dream.

Alyssa naturally did not know that Leon had a dream, but only felt that his gaze at her today was a bit strange.

Leon kept his eyes on Alyssa, afraid that she suddenly disappeared.

After a long hesitation, he went to the study and took out a red velvet box, and gave it to her.

She stood there dumbfounded.

Leon opened the box directly, inside the box was a ruby bracelet. When he saw her not move, he immediately put the ruby bracelet on her hand.

She frowned at his strange action. Why did Leon suddenly give her a bracelet? Why was he so strange?

But it seemed like a nice bracelet.

Leon didn't feel his weirdness at all. He just thought that Alyssa was staring at him strangely, "You don't like it?"

"No, this is quite expensive, isn't it! These three gems are so big!" Alyssa glanced at Leon, sensing that Leon was a little unhappy, and immediately said, "It's not that I don't like it, but I just don't find it very convenient because of my work."

Alyssa looked at the ruby bracelet on her wrist and was a little confused, "When did you buy it? How come I haven't seen you buy a bracelet?"

"I bought it a few days ago."

"For who?"

Leon glanced at Alyssa. This bracelet was on her hand, wasn't it?

Would it be a little ... inappropriate for him to say that he bought it for her now?

In fact, he had bought this bracelet a long time ago.

He just hadn't found the right opportunity to give it to her. Originally, he had been thinking about the reason to give her the bracelet.

He didn't say anything and was a little irritated as he watched Alyssa stare at him.

Was it a sin for him to buy a ruby bracelet for his wife?

Why did she stare at him with that strange look?

When Alyssa saw that he wouldn't talk, she said, "You bought this bracelet a few days ago. If you were really going to give it to me, you would have done so already. This one is definitely not for me. Tell me, who are you going to give it to?"

He just treated her like she was blind! He actually wanted to give a gift to someone else behind her back!

She was a bit sullen and stood aside.

Leon didn't want her to have any misunderstanding and said directly, "I bought it for you. I just haven't given it to you."

"Then why did you never give it to me?"

"I just bought it for you."

Women were so troublesome. He had said that he bought the bracelet for her, but she still didn't believe it.

Leon's face didn't look good either.

The reason he didn't give her the bracelet for so long was that he couldn't figure out what she liked. He was worried that he would give her something she didn't like.

All these days, he had been secretly observing her preferences. He found that she basically didn't wear jewelry. She even wore her wedding ring for only a few days. So, he once thought she didn't like the diamond ring he bought, but he noticed that she locked it up in the cabinet and protected it well.

She didn't look like she disliked the diamond ring.

It was because he couldn't figure out what she wanted that he hadn't given her the gift.

"Thanks, I love it." With a smile, Alyssa looked down to examine her ruby bracelet.

The price of this ruby bracelet should not be less than fifty million, mainly because the color of those three rubies was really good.

Leon saw that Alyssa's eyes kept falling on the bracelet and it didn't look like she disliked it. He was relieved and not as unhappy as before.

However, a few minutes later, Alyssa put the ruby bracelet in the box.

She looked up at Leon and said softly, "I have to go to work later. It's not appropriate for me to wear such an expensive bracelet."

"You're not going to war, why can't you wear a bracelet?"

"Well, I don't think my job is any different from going to war."

Alyssa talked about her work status. She had various daily assignments for this asset liquidation project. Also, Hassan was a pretty strict person, so she didn't feel like her job was very easy.

Leon didn't insist. Although she didn't wear the bracelet, she had put it away.

She had recently put her mind on her work. He couldn't help but look at her serious look. Alyssa was still attractive.

After breakfast.

Alyssa sent Leon to Hunter Group.

Then she went to Citic.

She was not late, but all the members of their team had already arrived. Now, they were busy gathering information.

Trent yawned and sipped his coffee, looking as if he hadn't slept well last night.

Melany's hair was a mess. She probably washed up in a hurry this morning.

Hassan's office was open, but Hassan was not in the office.

Melany saw Alyssa and handed her a stack of files, "You go ahead and make copies of these and take them to Mr. Wood's office. Hurry up!"

Melany searched for the information all night but still couldn't find out any problems with Summit Group. She would be blamed later. Alyssa was here, so she chose her as the scapegoat. Anyway, it was Alyssa who would get scolded.

She was just an intern, so naturally, she wouldn't stay too long. She seemed like she hadn't even graduated yet!

Alyssa had a vague feeling that something wasn't right. It had always been the one who did the work to deliver the report. The person who got the credit would be happy to receive Mr. Wood's praise, but Melany seemed like she didn't want to take the credit today.

She went to make copies and found that she had checked them all yesterday.

At this point, she guessed Melany's intention. Probably because she didn't find any useful information, Melany was afraid of being scolded by Mr. Wood, so she asked her to be the scapegoat.

She believed that even if this information was given to Hassan, Hassan would not find the information useful.

But she still did what Melany said and made copies.

She took the copies to Hassan's office.

Hassan came back just in time.

He looked at the information and then at Alyssa.

"Did you make this information?"

"I made the copies, but I didn't collate them."

"What's the difference between these and yesterday's?"

"There are differences. We reconfirmed Summit Group's financial situation. Since Summit Group wants to raise money to expand its business, these are essential to know." Alyssa looked at the information for a moment when she copied it earlier. This was a kind of breakthrough that she had just found. Although these were not enough, it could prove that she was not idle, but working.

"What did you do last night when they all worked overtime?"