

Chapter 44 Provoked Her With Her Embarrassed Photo!

Mario paused, and the crowd instantly went silent, waiting to hear what he was going to say.

His face became very serious and he said, "I'm sure all the guests present know what happened to the Turner Group a few days ago. Make no mistake, I'm very sad about it. However, the Turner Group can't close its doors. So tonight, I'd like to present to you all, the new heir of the Turner Group, Eleanor Turner."

He turned his head and stretched his hand out towards the stairs.

Eleanor stood at the top of the stairs in a different attire. She now had on a light yellow dress. Her fluffy curly hair was wrapped expertly around her right shoulder. Even her makeup had been retouched. She looked exquisite.

Her gentle and elegant smile was perfect. No one would have guessed that something embarrassing had happened less than an hour ago.

The guests gave a thunderous applause as she came down the stairs.

After the lesson she just got, Eleanor held back her emotions and moved at a steady pace until she got to Mario and gave him a warm hug.

Mario returned her hug with the same enthusiasm.

Then, he stepped down the stage for Eleanor to have the floor.

Eleanor held the microphone and looked at the crowd with a smile. She was excited to finally be in the spotlight.

First, she looked at her parents. "Thank you for giving me the opportunity to do something for the Turner Group. I will try my best to understand the company affairs and help the Turner Group to grow." Then, she looked away from them and smiled at the crowd. "Thank you all for

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The guests applauded again, thinking that her speech was over.

But it wasn't. Her face flushed a little as if shy, and then she continued

"I'm sure a majority of the guests are already aware of this, but I want to officially invite you all to my engagement party with Mr. Nathaniel Roberts, the president of the Roberts Group. It is a month from now, and will take place in Eastmo Hotel. I hope you will all come and witness our love."

The joy on her face as she said this was evident. She looked at Nathaniel with a sweet smile, but from the corner of her eye, she tried to see how Lucinda was reacting to this.

Instinctively, Dwayne turned to look at Lucinda.

However, Lucinda's face was devoid of any emotion. She sipped on her wine like all was well with her world.

Although she didn't seem to be disturbed, Dwayne was still worried about her. "Lucinda, it's not been very long since you got divorced with him, but he has wasted no time to get engaged. He's not a good man. It's good that you divorced him." He scoffed and added, "Eleanor deliberately announced it at the banquet to egg you on. What a scheming bitch!"

Lucinda was amused by Dwayne's attempt to console her. She chuckled and said, "You've literally said everything. There's nothing left for me to add."

Out of the corner of her eye, Eleanor spotted Lucinda and Dwayne talking and laughing.

Why was the bitch pretending not to care? Did she take her as a joke?

Eleanor could feel her anger coming back to the surface.

After a small bow to the audience, she stepped down from the stage and began to toast with the guests.

Presley led her around the hall for her to greet the guests. A waiter

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< Chapter 41 Provoked Her With Her Embarrass... 🎁 +120 Points at most followed silently behind her with wine in his hand.

She went through the small groups of guests who were chatting happily and raised a toast that way too.

Soon enough she finally approached Lucinda.

Eleanor held a glass to Lucinda and said in a calm voice, "Lucinda, I think you are a very generous person. You will forget about the small quarrel we just had, won't you?"

Lucinda picked up a glass of red wine and also looked at Eleanor with a smile on her red lips. "Miss Turner, sadly, you're mistaken about me. I'm the type of person who holds grudges. Even for the smallest grievance, I never fail to seek revenge."

The smile on Eleanor's face faded for a second, but then she quickly covered it up with an even brighter smile and went close to Lucinda's ear.

Anyone watching them would think they got along just fine.

"I'm sure you felt terrible when you heard about my engagement to Nate, right? I mean, it must not have been easy to suffer so much in the Roberts family for three years, only to leave in dejection. I feel bad for you."

Eleanor smiled, but they both knew what that smile meant.

Lucinda tilted her head slightly and raised her eyebrows as if surprised. "I'm sorry, but I didn't see any love between you and Mr. Roberts. I thought it was only your eyesight that was poor. Since you can't tell a fake dress from an authentic one, you might have chosen the wrong boyfriend too."

The smile on Eleanor's face froze as she recalled how she had made a fool of herself earlier on.

She was so angry that she clenched the stem of the glass in a tight grip. She looked at Lucinda and hissed.

"Don't be so complacent, Lucinda. You've not won yet, and in any case, even if you do, I won't let you off the hook so easily."

She was smiling as she threatened Lucinda. No one could have guessed

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Lucinda raised her eyebrows lazily and rolled her eyes.

"I'll be here, waiting for what you can do. Before that though, there's something I want to share with you."

Eleanor took a step back and gave her a suspicious look. "What?"

To others watching, it looked like they had just finished whispering to each other.

Lucinda opened her phone and turned the screen for Eleanor to see. She smiled innocently and asked, "Tell me, what do you think about it?"

"You!"

Eleanor couldn't keep her anger in check after that last draw.

The bitch!

How dare Lucinda threaten her with those humiliating pictures of her she just took?

Eleanor tried to take the phone away from Lucinda, but Lucinda quickly drew it back to her.

"You've gone too far!"

Eleanor spat out through gritted teeth and went to pour red wine on Lucinda.

Dwayne saw everything that happened and didn't care to interrupt them until now. He was about to step in and block the wine when Splash---

A full glass of red wine splashed on Eleanor's face and ruined her delicate makeup. Then the dark red wine instantly stained her pale yellow dress.

Eleanor gasped and wiped the wine on her face.

She didn't know how, but Lucinda seemed to have seen her move earlier. She held her hand down and instead, Eleanor was the one that got drenched with red wine.

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That was what she wanted to do to Lucinda, but the bitch got the best of her.

Eleanor was so pissed off at this point.

The noise in their direction drew the attention of the guests nearby. As soon as Eleanor noticed this, she put on a hurt and pitiful face.

"L-Lucinda. I was only hoping that you would be able to let Nate go. Why did you do that?" she cried.

The guests that were close came closer to see what was going on.

Naturally, the scene made them all to think that Lucinda was bullying Eleanor.

They weren't surprised though. Since Dwayne had a bad reputation, his female companion wouldn't be any different from him.

After this, some people started talking negatively about Lucinda.

However, Lucinda didn't even bother to look at them. She shook her head at Eleanor as though she pitied her and asked, "How many times have you used this same trick of yours? When will you get tired of it?"

A guest handed a handkerchief to Eleanor who took it and whined while cleaning herself. "What are you talking about, Lucinda? I just want you to let Nate go. I really love him and we're going to be engaged soon. Can't you just give us your blessing?"

She was clearly trying to pass on a message to the crowd by saying this, and just as she expected, they started gossiping about it.

When Presley noticed the commotion, she rushed over and was surprised to see Eleanor's dress stained with red wine. "What's going on?"

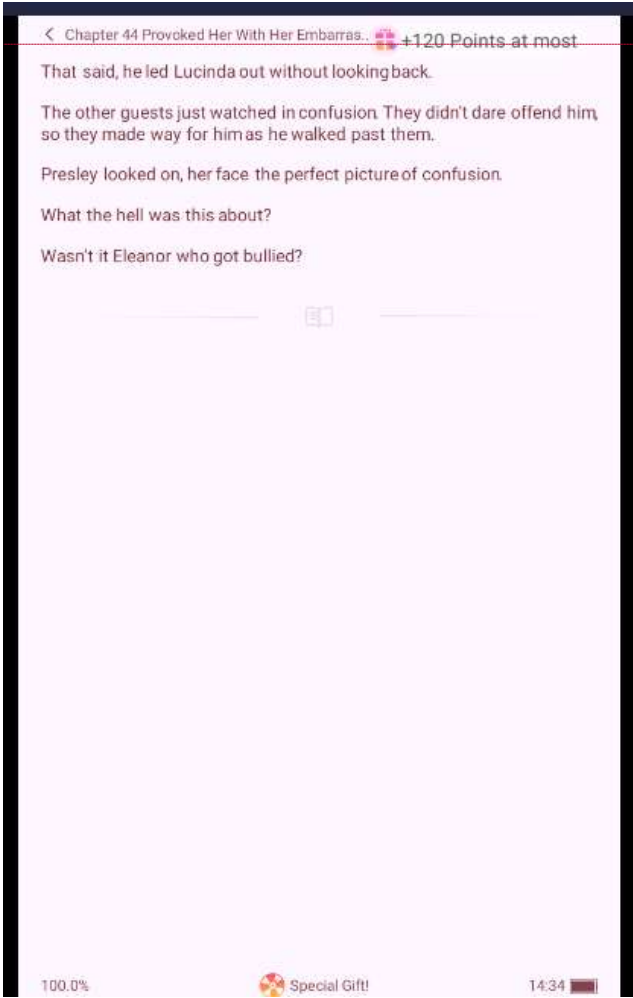
Eleanor opened her mouth to explain, but Dwayne interrupted her, his tone cold and eyes full of anger.

"The Turner family is a really something huh? First, you tried to slander my date by saying she wore a fake designer dress, and now you are trying to defame her. Are you looking for trouble with the Gordon family? Well, know this... I won't forget what happened tonight."

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