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Bella continued venting, "I believe in fate. But after meeting you, I think the

universe is playing a cruel joke on me. Andres is a playboy, and now I end up with a clueless idiot like you. Why is my life so miserable?"

Jack looked awkward and at a complete loss for words.

Bella continued, "And you! You're dumb, slow, unromantic, passive, always walking around in knockoff clothes, and you can't even drink! You're a complete hillbilly!"

Jack sighed but didn't argue back.

After she finished complaining, Bella's tone shifted to self-pity. "I even bragged about you in front of my friends, but now I don't dare to take you out. I'm afraid they'll laugh at me."

Jack's expression darkened. "Then, why did you pick me?"

Bella mumbled, "What's the big deal? I got tired of those pretty boys. Can't I try something new? Like when someone's had gourmet food every day and occasionally wants some home cooking."

Jack was speechless, and his annoyance began to build.

Just as he was about to leave, Bella grabbed his hand and begged, "Alright. It's my fault. I was just joking, okay?"

Jack wanted to walk away, but Bella suddenly threw herself into his arms. Her perfume mixed with her natural scent filled the air around him. She said breathlessly, "Hillbilly, will you take a walk with me?"

Jack stood frozen as he held Bella. This was the first time he had been so physically close to a girl.

Feeling the warmth of her body and seeing her pretty face so near, his heart began to race.

They left the bar and passed by an internet cafe. Bella suddenly grabbed Jack's hand. "How about we stay up all night gaming? Come on!"

The cafe was bustling with people playing the latest games, Bloody Dawn and Skybound Wars.

Bella turned to Jack and asked if he had played Bloody Dawn. When Jack shook his head, she gave him a disdainful look. "I knew it. You're such a hillbilly!"

Bella wanted to find a private room for the two of them, but the cafe was unusually busy because they were hosting a tournament for Skybound Wars.

Skybound Wars was the most popular game of the moment, and Bella had heard of it before. In the gaming community, skilled players who won global or national eSports championships not only earned massive prizes but were also revered by countless fans.

Although Bella liked the game, her skills weren't great and often lost matches.

The game demanded speed, precision, and strategy, qualities Bella lacked.

The cafe was filled with players. As Bella entered the game interface, a man with

a buzz cut approached her and offered to team up.

Bella rejected him, "Get lost!"

The man was enraged. "You bitch! Are you looking for trouble?"

He even tried to lay his hands on her.

Bella was terrified.

Jack stepped forward, a cigarette dangling from his lips, and calmly warned the man, "Leave."

Jack's tall figure and muscles intimidated the man with the buzz cut. He eventually backed off.

Bella's heart skipped a beat. So, Jack wasn't just a clueless blockhead after all. He had some heroic qualities too.