

Chapter 1984 Deceived

Duran, too, arrived at the bar with the purpose of seeking solace in alcohol after losing his power in the Wright family, which led to bitterness and worry.

Spotting Luisa in the distance, an idea crossed his mind.

His despondency vanished as he approached Luisa and asked, "Luisa, what brings you to the bar alone?"

Luisa, though harboring some reservations about Trevor, wasn't particularly warm towards Duran.

She replied coldly, "That's none of your concern! Please stay away from me!"

Duran didn't get upset by her rebuff. He harbored a deep hatred for Trevor, but did not dare to confront him directly.

He saw this as a prime opportunity for revenge.

Duran persisted, "Is it Cecelia that's bothering you? I didn't lie to you. She's involved with Trevor!"

Luisa's expression visibly changed, but she coldly pushed Duran away, and said, "I'll say it again – it's none of your business!"

Nevertheless, Duran had a hunch about what had transpired.

He spread his hands and said, "I've been telling you for a while now that there's more to the relationship between Trevor and Cecelia. Cecelia was confined by the Wright family to avoid disgrace. They've both betrayed you; there's no need for you to stand by their side."

Recalling what Cecelia had confided last night, Luisa asked, "Cecelia mentioned that she was locked up because of her accidental discovery of the Wright family's injectable drug! How does Trevor fit into this?"

Duran's expression changed dramatically. He hadn't anticipated that Luisa would be aware of this.

Craftily, he whispered, "How do you know about the injectable drug? Let me tell you, it's a closely guarded secret of the Wright family. It

enhances the human body's capabilities and is incredibly valuable. You probably heard it from Cecelia, didn't you? She hasn't experienced it, so she downplayed its significance.

Also, Luisa, despite my embarrassment at Henrik's party, my family is secretly grooming me. They hold me in high regard and believe I have more potential than Henrik. I might even get that injection!

Luisa stared at Duran's face, trying to detect any falsehood.

But Duran was well-prepared and knew precisely what to say.

Ultimately, Luisa began to believe him.

She thought Cecelia might have misunderstood the purpose of the drug.

On the other hand, Duran continued to exaggerate. He gazed at Luisa with affectionate eyes and feigned a deep emotional connection. He said, "Truth be told, I'm not your boyfriend. I lied because I genuinely love you and want a chance with you."

Luisa's demeanor changed and she flatly rejected him, "I have Trevor. Stop bothering me with this excuse."

Duran persisted in his charade, pretending to care for Luisa and displaying sadness and frustration, as he scolded, "Trevor is being unfaithful to you! Why do you still have feelings for him?"

Luisa remained silent, her emotions in turmoil.

Even though she didn't entirely believe Duran, doubts began to creep into her mind.

Observing Luisa's reaction, Duran added, "Luisa, you're out drinking alone, and Trevor isn't here with you. Clearly, he doesn't care about you at all. I believe he's taken this opportunity to flirt with Cecelia!"

Upon hearing this, Luisa instinctively glanced at the bar's entrance and didn't see Trevor.

Though she knew Trevor wouldn't follow her to the bar for no reason, she couldn't help but feel disappointed.

After taking a deep breath, she scolded Duran, "So what? Even if Trevor truly doesn't want me, I wouldn't turn to you. Leave me alone!"

With that, she raised her glass and took a sip.