

Chapter 130

At that moment, a flight attendant came over and reminded Justin and Alex to take their seats.

Ignoring the instruction for a moment, Justin leaned on Elric's chair and bent down to speak near Lindsay's ear. "Linds, there is nothing going on between Olivia and me. I was just looking out for her as a favor to someone else. All those photos are misleading."

He began explaining the circumstances behind the photos, mentioning instances like Olivia tripping.

"The so-called couple's pendants weren't from me. Mine was a gift from an elder, who said it had been blessed for protection. That's why I wore it often. Olivia's pendant was also from the same elder. Neither of us knew it was a limited-edition couple's pendant until we saw the posts on Instagram."

Seeing that Lindsay was still unresponsive, he added, "And the reason we met privately was because this elder asked me to pass some stuff to Olivia or vice versa. You know me, Linds. I wouldn't be so foolish as to wear matching pendants with Olivia, knowing it would create such obvious misunderstandings."

His tone softened as he pleaded, "It's all just a big misunderstanding and a series of coincidences. Please, believe me."

The passengers watching the scene unfold began to wonder if maybe it was all just a misunderstanding. Otherwise, why would such a famous actor lower himself to explain so humbly and plead for forgiveness?



Elric, surprised by Justin's sudden humility, rubbed his arms and shivered theatrically. Then, with a look of exaggerated admiration, he said to Justin, "Wow, I'm getting goosebumps. You really are a first-rate actor. That performance was impressive."

Justin was speechless, suddenly feeling an urge to throw Elric off the plane. This guy was too infuriating.

He shot a cold look at Elric. "If you have nothing better to say, just keep quiet."

Elric was about to retort when Lindsay looked up again and said icily, "Are you done with your performance, Mr. Ford?"

"You deliberately lowered yourself in front of everyone to say all this just to build a heartfelt image and clear up the online mess," she said with a mocking smile. "An elder giving you matching pendants and having you exchange things privately? Isn't that their way of acknowledging you as a couple?"

She continued, "So, you told me there's nothing between you and Olivia, and that you had no idea about the couple pendant. Do you think I'm that naïve to believe you?"

She added, "Besides, we've already broken up and cut ties. If you want to put on a show, you've chosen the wrong person."

Justin's eyes narrowed, filled with disbelief and hurt. "You think I'm acting?"

He had laid his heart bare before her, only to be accused of putting on a performance.



Lindsay laughed. "What else could it be? If you were really this devoted, why didn't you act like this before? I never saw this side of you then!"

Aware that someone was recording, Lindsay deliberately put on a look of helpless amusement. "You're such a fine actor. If I didn't know you so well, I might have believed you."

Justin stared at Lindsay intently. "You're really something."

Now he understood that Lindsay was intentionally setting him up.

Lindsay shrugged nonchalantly. "I know I'm great, but you've lost the chance to have someone as good as me."

She then made a gesture as if inviting him to leave. "Mr. Ford, your performance is over, and the plane is about to take off. Please follow the rules and return to your seat."

Justin, now filled with anger and heartache, felt a wave of frustration and confusion wash over him.

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