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Lindsay caught sight of Elric's message, her eyes lighting up with an even brighter smile.

Lindsay replied, "I think so too. High five!"

Elric laughed out loud, "As expected, Linds likes the idea. Her emoji is so cute."

Ryan noticed Elric was completely engrossed. "Well, let's start poaching then. Wonder who she's interested in."

He couldn't help but admit that Lindsay's personality and way of doing things resonated with him.

The Harper brothers were trying to pressure her into compromising, but instead of backing down, Lindsay stood her ground. She wasn't afraid to go it alone and challenge them head-on. No wonder someone as picky and aloof as Elric took a liking to her.

Elric continued messaging.

"Do you have anyone in mind?" he asked. "Just let me know. As long as it's not Harper Entertainment's A-listers, I'll help you poach them."

As long as they weren't top talents, he would spend money and resources to bring them over to Lindsay. Besides, Lindsay's studio wasn't ready for A-listers yet.

Lindsay felt a warmth in her heart.

Despite Elric's sharp tongue and proud exterior, he was incredibly



loyal to his friends.

Of course, he also had a bit of a mischievous side.

"I've already chosen three people," she replied. "None of them are Harper Entertainment's prized talents, so you won't need to step in this time."

She added, "Otherwise, it would be overkill."

After reading her message, Elric turned to Ryan with a smug sigh.

"Ah, it's tough when the girl you like is so capable. There's hardly anything for me to do," he said.

Ryan felt even more exasperated. "Enough already, or I might lose my appetite for dinner."

Elric was clearly showing off how amazing Lindsay was and how good his taste was.

"Since you're single, you wouldn't understand," Elric teased, casting a disdainful glance at Ryan.

Ryan was speechless, thinking, "You're single too, you know?"

However, attempting to rationalize with a man deeply infatuated was futile.

After showing off, Elric continued messaging.

"Linds, you're amazing as always. If you ever need help, don't hesitate to ask."



Ryan smirked. "Tsk tsk, I never thought I'd see the day when our Elric was practically begging to help someone. Do your siblings know about this? How about your doting grandparents?"

If his family knew, they'd probably be shocked.

Elric snorted, "Do you think my family is as short-sighted as the Fords? If I like someone, my family will like them too."

Ryan had to admit it was true. Elric was treated like royalty at home.

Lindsay replied, "If I need help, I definitely won't be shy about it."

Elric responded, "Good, I'll be waiting. When you have time, let's arrange a dinner with the four of us!"

Lindsay agreed, "Sure, no problem!"

Elric typed, "See you later, good night!"

Lindsay replied, "See you later, good night!"

Ryan raised an eyebrow. "That's it? Not chatting a bit more?"

Elric reluctantly put down his phone. "You wouldn't understand."

He could tell that Lindsay didn't have romantic feelings for him yet.

She was entirely focused on her career, especially after a recent breakup. She likely wasn't ready to jump into a new relationship. So, he decided to be her friend and support her for now.

Seeing Elric's expression, Ryan leaned in and asked, "Are you planning to take it slow, like testing the water?"



Elric pushed him away. "Are you saying my Linds is like water? She's a beautiful swan, unlike you, who seems to thrive in mud."

Ryan rolled his eyes. "Seriously? You've completely chosen her over me. And now you're calling me mud?"

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