

Chapter 625 A Timid Man

With that thought, Melissa didn't hesitate. She gripped the branch in her hand and swung it at the man's head. Just as the branch was about to connect, the man sensed danger. He looked up and saw the hefty branch barreling toward him.

Immediately, he rolled to the side, avoiding Melissa's assault.

"Wait! You've got it wrong! I'm not a peepingtom! I'm a volunteer doctor, like you!" he blurted out, fearing another attack from Melissa.

"You're a doctor?"

Melissa studied him skeptically. The darkness made it impossible to clearly see his face. Although she lowered her guard slightly, she couldn't fully trust him. No matter who he claimed to be, following two women to the toilet at midnight was suspicious.

She held the branch firm in her grip, casting a doubtful gaze on him. "Then why follow us here in the middle of the night?"

"I... I just wanted to ensure your safety. Seeing you two women leaving, I was worried and wanted to accompany you," he stammered.

Melissa scoffed, "If you genuinely intended to accompany us, you should have joined us from the start, not lurked behind us."

At this point, the man didn't retort.

Just then, Maggie finished up and came out. Not finding Melissa in sight, she panicked and stood rooted to the spot, calling out for Melissa.

"I'm here."

Melissa parted the grass and leaned out, prompting Maggie to sprint towards her like a spooked rabbit. Simultaneously, she noticed the strange man.

"Who are you?"

"I..."

Stammering, the man said, "I swear, I mean no harm. Please don't tell

anyone about this. I'm just... I was too scared to use the toilet alone..."

Listening to the man's explanation, both Melissa and Maggie were taken aback. They simultaneously glanced down at his trembling legs.

It seemed his fear was indeed genuine which was causing a physiological reaction.

Once the man had relieved himself in the toilet, he immediately felt a sense of relief wash over him.

Upon exiting, he was surprised to find the two women had stayed, appearing to have waited for him.

He rubbed his head sheepishly and thanked them. "I really appreciate your patience."

Maggie responded earnestly, "I always thought I was the timid one, but after meeting you, I realize I'm not that bad. I mean, I am a girl."

Maggie's comment subtly suggested that despite being a man, his courage fell short in comparison to a woman's.

Hearing this, the man couldn't help but blush deeply.

"I... I'm just scared of the dark. I'm actually quite brave in my day-to-day life."

But Maggie merely offered him a knowing smile, choosing to let him retain some dignity.

"Well, let's head back and rest. Tomorrow is likely going to be another hectic day," Melissa proposed, leading the way. Suddenly, she remembered she hadn't asked for the man's name.

"By the way, we never properly introduced ourselves. I'm Melissa Sherman. What's your name?"



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