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"Hey, take this expensive beer to Kaivan Velhart at Cherry Liquid." Suddenly, the manager of a famous beer shop in town approached a tall, thin young man.

The young man, Riki, turned to his manager with a confused look.

"Me? But I have to go home, and besides, I'm just a janitor, not—"

The manager immediately forced the luxurious package into Riki's hands. "Here's your pay, ten dollars. That's a lot for someone like you. Don't talk back and just deliver the drink, you jerk!"

Riki forgot that his manager was a temperamental man. Without saying a word, he quickly left and took his old bicycle.

Riki was a poor student who was often mocked by those around him. Who didn't know Riki Khaizer? The son of a famous businessman who died after being accused of corruption.

Although his father was later proven innocent, Riki remained the subject of mockery because he was the son of a corruptor and had now fallen into poverty.

All the family's wealth was spent on his mother's medical treatment and to pay for the mess his brother had caused. Riki's brother started acting like a delinquent after his father was accused of corruption.

However, his mother later died from illness, and his brother also died in an accident, leaving behind a lot of debt.

Now, Riki has to work hard to pay off the debts, support himself, and also his beautiful girlfriend.

Hannah is the one good thing he has; she stays with him even though Riki has fallen into poverty.

Riki doesn't mind the insults and mockery he receives every day, as long as Hannah can live happily.

Riki's old bicycle has arrived in front of the nightclub called Cherry Liquid.

Without saying much, Riki went inside.

At a fairly famous nightclub that could only be accessed by wealthy people. Riki couldn't have gone there if he wasn't delivering drinks.

"Wait a minute, you can't just walk in like that," said the guard at the entrance.

Riki quickly showed his ID card and said he was just delivering drinks to someone named Kaivan Velhart.

"Alright, you can go in," the guard said.

Riki entered and tried to find the person in question. Of course, he knew Kaivan Velhart. He was the son of Jeff Velhart, one of the country's conglomerates. A wealthy young man who could spend money just to buy a drink worth 80,000\$.

Riki might have to work non-stop for several months just to earn that much money.

Riki knew Kaivan because Anton often invited him out because of his higher status.

Oh, by the way, Anton Kendrick was the one who had been bullying Riki all along. His father was a rival of Riki's father in the past. After Riki's family fell into poverty, Anton was the happiest person in the world. Because finally, he could trample on Riki as he pleased.

Suddenly, Riki heard Hannah and Anton's voices.

The loud music didn't matter to him at that moment; his eyes kept searching for Hannah and Anton.

"Today, I'll treat all of you because I just started dating the prettiest girl on campus!" Anton said loudly while hugging Hannah's waist. Hannah then kissed Anton's lips tenderly.

Riki was at the peak of his emotions, rushing forward quickly and punching Anton.

Riki didn't realize he had thrown the beer bottle away. He didn't care about the sound of the broken bottle at that moment. He was truly mad.

"Hey, jerk, what's your problem?"

"Riki, stop!" Hannah shouted, pulling Riki away from Anton, whom he was about to hit.

SMACK!

Riki stopped when Hannah slapped him hard.

"Hannah..."

"Stop bothering me, Riki! We're broken up, I can't keep dating a poor loser like you! You might be a little more handsome, but are you even close to Anton? No! He can give me a luxurious apartment, get me the luxury brand items I've always dreamed of! While you don't even make any effort!"

What did she just say? Effort?

"What are you talking about? We haven't even broken up yet, Hannah!"

Hannah looked at Riki with a disgusted expression. "We've been broken up for a long time! I know you love me so much, but stop chasing me, I already have Anton."

Hannah hugged Anton again, and the two of them smiled mockingly at Riki.

"A poor corruptor like you doesn't deserve the prettiest girl on campus like Hannah—you'd only tarnish her dignity." Anton said, smiling widely, very widely. He was pleased to see Riki staring at him with hatred.

What's this?

Just this afternoon, Hannah said she wanted the new Chanel bag that had just been released. That's why Riki worked hard to get it.

Riki thought Hannah was a good girl who could accept him. After all, almost all of Riki's salary had been given to her.

She said Riki didn't make any effort? Does that make sense?

"Hey, drag this pathetic guy away, take care of him! Show him no mercy!" Anton shouted.

Riki was dragged away by several muscular men.

Since Riki was physically weak, he easily became a punching bag for Anton's henchmen.

Unable to fight back at all, Riki felt his life was on the brink of death at that moment.

He was beaten mercilessly by people who were several times stronger than him.

Fresh blood flowed from his mouth as his stomach was struck with great force.

"Is he dead?"

Someone stepped on Riki's lifeless back.

"He's dead. Let's leave him here. If he's still here tomorrow, we'll throw his body into the sea."

Riki's consciousness began to fade slowly.

Isn't this world unfair to him?

His father was accused of corruption, something he had never done. Then Riki had to spend his high school years dealing with all the chaos caused by his incompetent older brother.

Riki lost his family and wealth. He had to start over from scratch. And now, he's still at square one.

Why were they so cruel?

Couldn't Hannah just let him live in peace if she wanted to break up? She didn't have to do all this to Riki, did she?

Or was it Riki's own fault?

Who knows.

Riki's phone rang. With the last of his strength, he reached for his phone lying in front of him.

"Hello?" he mumbled, then coughed up blood again.

"You're fired, Riki! How dare you break a \$80,000 bottle of wine! Have you lost your mind? You owe me \$80,000, remember that, you bastard!" his boss said over the phone.

Suddenly, heavy rain poured down. Riki could no longer hear his boss's voice; his phone had died from a drained battery.

In that narrow, foul-smelling alley, Riki might have to meet his end there.

His life was truly pitiful.

In the end, he had to die a miserable death, just like his family. Perhaps Riki would soon reunite with them after this.

Slowly, his consciousness faded.

Everything went dark.

[New master detected]

[Scanning master's body]

[Body has sustained extensive damage; repairs will begin shortly... 1%]

Chapter 2: 2. First mission

Riki woke up. He felt numbness in his body, but he forced himself to get up.

He was still in the same place.

Damn it, why didn't he just die?

No, he didn't have to die. He had to get revenge on Anton and Hannah.

[You're awake, master!]

Riki stopped walking immediately, and suddenly a transparent hologram screen appeared in front of him.

"What is this?" he muttered, trying to touch the screen.

[Welcome to The Most Powerful Wealth System!]

The screen changed as soon as Riki touched it, startling him into taking two steps back.

What on earth was this? Why had it suddenly appeared in front of him?

Riki began walking faster, hoping the strange screen would disappear on its own.

But it didn't.

The screen continued to follow him, even after Riki closed the door to the small apartment he rented.

Riki stared as the screen appeared in front of his face.

[The system will help you become the richest and greatest person]

[You can reach the pinnacle of success and take revenge on anyone who has wronged you, are you ready?]

Riki nodded unconsciously.

His eyes blinked several times, but the screen remained there.

The robotic voice continued to buzz in his ears.

"Wait a minute, why doesn't my body hurt?" Riki muttered. He realized he could move his body freely. With such powerful blows and impacts, Riki should have been in the hospital with broken bones.

[The system has repaired your severely damaged body]

[Are you ready to receive The Most Powerful Wealth System?]

"What is that?" Riki asked, still confused by what was happening.

Even though maybe he was only imagining it, he needed some distraction after his heart was shattered by the actions of the person he trusted most, Hannah.

After all, Riki had always tried his best to fulfill everything Hannah had asked of him, but it turned out none of that counted as effort.

How tragic his love life was.

[The system will assist you, master]

[You can regain wealth greater than you've ever had before]

[You can also take revenge on anyone who wronged you and your family, including punishing the person who accused your father in the past]

"Can I really do it?" Riki murmured softly. He was truly helpless. He didn't know what to do now, except accept the existence of the system.

[Of course! Let's fix your pitiful life!]

[Here is your status]

[Name: Riki Khaizer]

[Age: 21 years old]

[Level: Bronze]

[Nickname: Poor Loser]

[Points: 0]

[Intelligence: 5/100]

[Charm: 5/100]

[Influence: 0/100]

[Reputation: 0/100]

[Strength: 1/100]

What the hell is that pitiful status?

Seeing all that, Riki felt sorry for himself.

"Can you explain it? I'm still a bit confused," Riki muttered again.

[Your level will be determined based on the difficulty of the missions you receive or your current wealth level]

[Levels are divided into bronze, silver, gold, diamond, and black]

[You will earn points by completing missions, which can be exchanged for anything in the system store]

[The system store is not yet open]

[Your nickname is what others see in you, and it may change over time]

[Every day, you will receive various missions from the system. There will be rewards you can obtain, such as money or stat boosts]

[Is there anything else you don't understand?]

Riki shook his head slowly, "No, but... what mission should I do?"

[You can search for missions in the mission column]

[Here are your current missions]

[Your first mission is to give sincere praise to one of the girls you first meet on campus, making sure that person is much richer than you]

[Your reward is \$100,000 and +1 to your reputation]

"What kind of mission is that? Why do I have to do that? The girls on campus treat me like a cockroach!" Riki ruffled his hair in frustration.

[That's the easiest mission, since your level is still low]

Riki couldn't say anything else; he sighed heavily, stood up, and began to clean himself up.

Giving someone a sincere compliment isn't that difficult, especially if the reward is 100,000\$.

When was the last time Riki saw that much money? He couldn't even remember.

The next day, Riki returned to campus. Although there were no classes today because the professor was absent. Because he was going to carry out his first mission.

He even canceled all his part-time jobs, because he no longer needed them.

He had to get that \$100,000 no matter what.

The first woman Riki encountered since stepping foot on campus, he had to sincerely compliment her at that moment.

But so far, he'd only encountered men. Maybe because it was still too early, just seven in the morning.

There were only diligent and nerdy people there, including Riki.

Oh, there's one girl!

Looking at her from behind, she was wearing an elegant pink tweed dress from Chanel with shoes from the same brand. Clearly, she was much richer than Riki.

[Quick, compliment her, master!]

Ugh, it wasn't that easy. Riki didn't even know who she was.

"Excuse me, miss..." Riki said nervously.

The woman slowly turned around, causing her beautiful long black hair to sway gently. The scent of strawberry shampoo was strong.

Riki became extremely nervous after realizing who he was facing.

Riki was studying at one of the most prestigious universities in his country, known for being attended only by the children of the wealthy. Riki knew there were many wealthy students compared to poor ones like himself.

However, Riki was still surprised to find out who the girl he was facing was.

Angeline Harland.

The girl rumored to be the most beautiful girl in the university. The type of first love every man finds hard to reach or approach.

Not only beautiful, this girl was also the top student at their university. She was the granddaughter of Verdinand Harland, the founder of the Harland Group. A conglomerate ranked third among the wealthiest in the country.

"What's wrong?" Angeline asked, giving a small smile. She was incredibly beautiful and sweet.

Riki was mesmerized for a moment by that beautiful smile.

"No, it's just that you're beautiful... excuse me!"

Riki hurriedly walked away and hid behind a large mango tree in the campus garden.

"Ah, damn it! I'm so nervous!"

[You have successfully completed your first mission! A reward of 100,000\$ will be sent to your account, and 1 reputation point added]

[One point added for you]

"What... I've already succeeded, that quickly?" Riki asked, confused.

[Your mission was to sincerely compliment a richer girl, and you've done it]

Riki's legs went weak, and he collapsed onto the grass.

Soon after, a notification from the bank arrived, stating that Riki had received his 100,000\$.

Riki smiled widely, "This is real!"

[Of course, master]

[Time for the second mission, are you ready?]

Chapter 3: 3. The system is real

[Your second mission is to purchase two expensive items totaling \$90,000 or more.]

[Your reward is \$550,000 and +5 points for influence, reputation, and power. You will also receive +5 points this time.]

[You only have two hours to complete this mission. If you fail, the system will taking back all of your money.]

Riki stared at the time, realizing he only had two hours to complete his mission.

He hurriedly left campus and headed to Apricot Street, where luxury stores lined the streets.

Apricot Street was not far from his university, Skylux University. Riki walked quickly and eventually stopped in front of a store belonging to one of the most famous luxury brands.

The store was always a destination for the upper class or those who liked to show off. Even famous influencers often flaunted items from that store.

Riki entered the store with forced confidence. There was no shame in getting \$550,000!

Upon entering, the scent of money filled the air. The price tags displaying the prices of the products on display left Riki speechless in astonishment.

They were even selling a keychain for 5,000 dollars!

That's crazy!

"Is there anything I can assist you with, sir?" asked the store clerk.

Riki rubbed the back of his neck, feeling awkward and confused at the same time.

"Um... is there any clothing I can buy that's the best quality, preferably around 50,000\$?" Riki whispered to the employee.

Unfortunately, Riki's whisper was heard by some of the other customers.

They laughed at Riki.

"Isn't that Riki Khaizer?"

"The poor loser?"

"He can't even afford a keychain; is he going to steal here?"

"Impossible, this store has CCTV cameras in every corner; it'd be stupid to steal here."

Ah, so they really did call him a poor loser. The system was right about that nickname; Riki just found out.

The employee who heard their words still smiled, even though he felt uneasy.

"I can really pay for it, don't worry," Riki said to the employee.

Suddenly, the sound of two people laughing was heard. From the sound alone, Riki knew who it was without turning around.

Hannah and Anton.

"Do you have money? That's the funniest lie I've ever heard in my life," Hannah said.

"Hey, wake up—you're poor now! You should be grateful you can even eat today," Anton replied.

"If you can buy a piece of clothing for 50,000\$, I'll kneel before you," Anton added.

Hannah burst into laughter and said, "Oh my God, Anton, that's not going to happen. He might actually want to steal it; he just hasn't run away yet because he was caught."

Riki turned his face away from them, "Don't listen to them, show me the clothes I asked for." Riki said. He tried to stay calm, even though his emotions were boiling inside.

He couldn't forget how Hannah had betrayed him for a scoundrel like Anton.

Riki had to prove he had money now, so they'd be ashamed for humiliating him.

"Alright, sir, we have men's clothing suitable for young men. Here's our collection; there are various prices. If you want something around 50,000\$, these two might be suitable." said the store clerk.

He showed two pieces of denim clothing. They looked casual yet luxurious.

One piece was priced at 46,000\$ and the other at 47,500\$.

"Alright, I'll take both of them. Here's my card," said Riki, handing his card to the store clerk.

"Come on, stop pretending, Riki! That's so pitiful!" said Hannah.

"If you can't pay, I'll call the police because you're planning to steal from this store," said Anton.

Riki pretended not to heard them. Even though the people in the store started talking bad about him.

Riki became the center of attention there. Some even dared to record a video.

Riki didn't care about them all, because he had the money to pay for it.

He would receive an additional \$550,000 shortly.

"I'm sorry, sir, it seems that our payment system is down, but I'll use the other machine, so please be patient," said the store clerk.

Riki swallowed hard.

Suddenly, fear crept into his mind. What if the system was just his imagination because he had gone mad from stress?

[Don't be afraid, master]

[The Most Powerful Wealth System is real.]

"What's going on, Riki? Is the machine broken, or do you not have any money?" Hannah said, looking at him with a mocking smile.

"I'll call the police right now; he must be—"

Anton's words trailed off as they heard the payment machine beeping announce that the transaction had been successful.

"Payment successful, here's your receipt, and here's your shopping bag. Thank you for shopping at our store."

Riki received the luxurious paper bag with a wide smile.

[Your second mission was successful! A cash reward of \$550,000 will be sent to your account, and +5 will be added to your influence, reputation, and strength.]

[You have earned 5 points]

The system is indeed real.

Riki no longer hesitates.

He smiles broadly as the bank notification arrives.

There are many things he wants to buy with that money, such as a new apartment or a new car.

No, the most important thing is a comfortable new place to live. The apartment Riki rents is too small for him, and the surroundings are too poor.

With light steps, Riki walked through the city.

He no longer felt like an outsider there. He now had money.

No need to work tirelessly for a meager salary. No need to be scolded by a temperamental boss every day. No more worries about trivial matters.

No more...

Ugh, Riki's mood suddenly turned very strange. The heavy burden he usually carried on his small shoulders suddenly lifted.

"So you're here, little troublemaker?"

Riki startled when he saw five familiar thugs in front of him.

They were the henchmen of the loan shark who had lent money to Riki's older brother in the past.

The debt still existed to this day because they charged unreasonable interest rates.

The debt had grown significantly, causing Riki great difficulty.

[Your third mission today is to pay off all your debts in full]

[Your reward will be three times the amount you pay.]

"I'll pay everything at once now, so how much is the total debt?"

The five thugs burst into laughter upon hearing Riki's words.

"What did you just say? Pay everything? Hahaha."

"Did you just sell your kidney, kid?"

"Hey, you guys, shut up! He's going to pay the debt; let's see if he's serious or not." said their leader, the strongest and biggest of them all.

"If I can pay everything, you have to leave and not bother me again." said Riki.

The gang leader patted Riki on the shoulder, looking at him seriously.

"Kid, we wouldn't bother you if you had paid the debt on time from the start. But I never hit you because you have determination, unlike your brother. I'll even help you if you're in trouble later if you can pay 450,000\$."

Since the gang leader spoke seriously, Riki immediately paid everything.

450,000\$!

Riki's older brother's initial debt was only 15,000\$.

"You can really pay it all back? Hahaha! Crazy! All of you apologize to this kid!"

Riki was shocked when they suddenly bowed their heads to him.

"FORGIVE US!"

Riki felt a strange chill at that moment.

Chapter 4: 4. Fake or real?

[The debt repayment mission has been successful, you have received a reward of \$1,350,000]

[You have earned two points]

Riki's hands trembled when he saw that \$1,456,500 had been deposited into his account.

This is incredible!

He never imagined he would receive such a large sum of money.

A loud, impatient knock sounded at the door of the small apartment Riki rented.

The apartment was very small and run-down, so the rent was very low. There were many damages everywhere, and Riki had repaired it to make it livable.

Riki opened the door and found the apartment owner standing there with a woman.

"Hey, you little punk, pack your things and get out of here. My girlfriend is moving into this apartment. You're late on the rent, so you have to leave right now," said the man with the unpleasant face.

Riki said nothing; he just hurriedly packed his belongings and let the man's mistress look around the apartment.

[Your fourth mission today is to expose the man's affair to his wife]

[The reward is a luxurious apartment in The Manor Residence building]

Riki's eyes widened. The Manor Residence was one of the most luxurious apartment buildings. The cheapest unit cost 560,000\$ and the cheapest rent was 5,000\$ per month.

Exposing the affair was easy if Riki could get a unit at The Manor Residence. Even if it was the cheapest one.

With his old smartphone, which had some scratches, Riki aimed the camera at the foolish man and his mistress.

The two foolish lovers were hugging on the small balcony there. The woman was very happy to get the cleanest and neatest apartment.

Well, she should thank Riki for working hard to fix up the damaged apartment.

But Riki wouldn't say anything and left calmly.

"I've packed all my stuff, I'm leaving, boss! Have fun!" Riki said before slamming the apartment door shut.

But Riki hadn't left yet. He wanted to make sure that the stupid couple would do dirty things there.

Alright, it was time to send the video evidence to the man's wife.

It didn't take long for the man's wife to arrive, panting.

Riki smiled at her and showed her where her husband and his mistress were.

The apartment owner— uh, no. The husband of the apartment owner should be grateful to have such a wife. Though the man's wife wasn't as slim as his mistress, she was still quite beautiful. Having a beautiful wife, money, and cute children didn't stop the man from seeking a lover.

It was truly insane.

Soon, a commotion erupted there. Some apartment residents came out of curiosity.

The man's wife pushed the mistress out of the apartment.

It was a mess, but Riki was relieved to see it.

[You have successfully saved a woman from the stupid jerk who tried to cheat her]

[Here is the complete documentation of ownership for one of the units at The Manor Residence]

Suddenly, a black paper bag appeared in front of Riki.

When Riki opened it, the paper bag contained all the documents he needed. Riki carefully put them away, then called an Uber driver to pick him up.

It didn't take long for the car to arrive in front of the most luxurious apartment building in the heart of the city.

A little further from the campus, but still quite close.

Perfect.

Absolutely perfect.

"You paid more, sir," said the driver.

Riki turned around and smiled, "No, I intentionally gave you extra, just take it, okay."

Riki closed the taxi door after the driver thanked him.

Riki stopped in front of the apartment building. He looked up at the building.

Luxurious.

He couldn't believe he could live there for free.

With steady steps, Riki walked into the apartment building.

As he entered, he saw the commotion there. Riki was amazed that there was still a commotion in such an elite place.

But after finding out who caused the commotion, he wasn't surprised.

Once again, it was Anton Kendrick.

Now, Anton was causing a commotion just because he had been deceived. He made two innocent receptionists cower in fear.

[Your final mission today is to punch and kick Anton Kendrick from the apartment building]

Riki's eyes widened in disbelief.

How could he do that?

Anton was much stronger than him.

At the nightclub, Riki could beat Anton because he was in a highly emotional state.

[The reward is +5 to reputation, charm, and strength, plus an additional +5 points]

[If you don't do it, all your money and apartment will be taken back]

Riki was even more shocked by the punishment if he didn't complete his mission.

No, he couldn't fail this mission.

Riki mustered the courage to approach.

"How can the ownership documents for this apartment be fake? I've already paid a lot of money! 350,000\$!" Anton shouted.

"Our manager will be here shortly, sir, so—"

"Shut up! You just want to humiliate me, don't you? How are you going to pay me 350,000\$ now, huh?"

The angry Anton raised his hand to strike the two innocent receptionists.

Fortunately, Riki arrived just in time to catch Anton's hand and strike him.

"Hey, you bastard! Why are you here meddling?"

Anton stood up and tried to retaliate against Riki. But two security guards appeared just in time to stop him.

"Just so you know, Anton, the cheapest apartment unit here is \$560,000! If you only need to pay \$350,000, that's clearly a scam. You should buy another apartment at that price. Did you even buy it from a trustworthy person?" said Riki.

"Don't lecture me, you bastard! Your documents are probably fake too, right?" Anton pointed at the documents Riki was holding. They were almost identical to Anton's.

The manager arrived, and the two receptionists felt relieved.

"Let me see your documents, Mr. Kendrick," the manager said.

"Check that kid's too; I'm sure it's fake like mine. He's just a poor guy with nothing," Anton said confidently.

Riki smiled upon hearing this and also handed his documents to the manager.

"Alright, you can check mine too, Mr. Manager. Let's see if mine is also fake," Riki said.

Anton smirked, "It's impossible for you to have the money to buy the real one, you poor corrupt kid!"

Riki tried not to get provoked at that moment; he remained smiling while the apartment building manager checked their documents.

"Mr. Anton Kendrick's documents are fake. You are the latest person to be deceived by someone named Gidion Rales. Don't worry, Mr. Anton; we will help you find the culprit and recover your money. As for Mr. Riki Khaizer, your documents are genuine; I guarantee it 100%!" the manager said.

Anton, who didn't believe it, suddenly grabbed the manager's collar, "You're lying, aren't you? Did you swap mine with his? Damn it!"

As a result, Anton was expelled for nearly harming the manager.

[You successfully completed your final mission. Your reward is +5 to reputation, charm, and strength. You also gain an additional 5 points.]

Finally, the final mission for the day was successfully completed, leaving Riki satisfied.

He was certain Anton would come to see him the next day because he couldn't accept that Riki now had the money.

"Let me escort you to your unit, Mr. Riki Khaizer," said the manager.

Chapter 5: 5. Bad Flirt

"This is your apartment, as stated in your ownership documents. We have the most elite and complete facilities here. If you need anything, you can always call me. Well then, I'll take my leave now, Mr. Khaizer."

The manager said goodbye to Riki, who was still staring at his new apartment in amazement. It far exceeded his expectations!

It was a fully furnished apartment suitable for a family. It had one master bedroom and two additional bedroom. There was a living room, a central room, four bathrooms, a very spacious balcony, a nice kitchen, and even a laundry area and a drying area.

An apartment unit like that for a family was clearly not the cheapest.

Riki looked at the ownership documents he had again. It turned out the apartment cost 670,000\$!

No wonder everything exceeded Riki's expectations.

Riki headed to the master bedroom. He placed his belongings there, then went to the bathroom.

What he always wanted to do was soak in the warm water of the jacuzzi. It felt so comfortable.

Today he had completed many missions. He couldn't wait for tomorrow.

"System, can I check my status? I think there have been a lot of changes," Riki said, enjoying his soak.

[Of course, master]

[Here is your status]

[Name: Riki Khaizer]

[Age: 21 years old]

[Level: Bronze]

[Nickname: Poor Loser]

[Points: 13]

[Intelligence: 5/100]

[Charm: 10/100]

[Influence: 5/100]

[Reputation: 11/100]

[Strength: 11/100]

"Oh, I'm still a poor loser," Riki muttered.

[You must regain your reputation in the eyes of society, master!]

[By completing daily missions, your reputation will increase and influence others' perceptions]

Well, nothing is instant in this world, even after The Most Powerful Wealth System had accompanied him.

No problem, he would try even harder. Until no one could look down on him anymore.

The next morning after he woke up, he found the system screen in front of him had already assigned his first mission for the day.

At first, Riki rushed to read it out of excitement, but after reading it...

"HUH? IS THIS A JOKE?"

[Your first mission today is to invest one million dollars into Inclusive Bank]

[Your reward is 100,000 Vircoin currency]

[If you don't do it, all your money will be gone]

Riki's body went limp at that moment; his enthusiasm plummeted.

Vircoin is a very new cryptocurrency. Its current value is around 0.5\$.

Riki had often heard about digital currencies like this ending in failure. Not all of them will end up like Bitcoin, whose price per coin has now reached around 118,000\$.

But if all his money is lost, he will suffer a huge loss.

Then, Inclusive Bank is a newly opened bank.

No, it doesn't matter. If Riki invests there, he will still have around 456,500\$.

With a sense of uncertainty, Riki followed the system's instructions and spent one million to invest in Inclusive Bank.

[You have successfully completed your first mission, and the reward of 100,000 Vircoin currency will be yours shortly]

[You also receive an additional 3 points]

[Create an account on Vircoin now!]

Riki's fingers moved lazily as he created an account on Vircoin. Immediately after registering, he received 100,000 Vircoin.

This is like a scam investment.

What has Riki done?

Goodbye, one million dollars. Riki will remember you.

[Don't be a crybaby. You'll get more than that soon.]

[Are you ready for the second mission?]

"Let me get ready first, system. I have a lecture at ten o'clock this morning."

[Good luck, master!]

Riki got out of bed and opened the curtains. The morning sunlight immediately hit his handsome face.

Riki opened the small door connected to the mini balcony in the main room.

The cool morning air greeted him, blowing his soft hair.

A bright morning in the luxurious apartment.

A luxury of life that Riki had never dared to dream of before, now suddenly came to him easily.

Not wanting to waste too much time, Riki immediately ordered food from the nearby restaurant that collaborated with the apartment for breakfast. Then he took a shower while waiting for his food to arrive.

Showering every morning had become a habit for Riki, especially since he lived in a tropical country. It made him feel fresh and ready to take on all the missions he would receive later.

"I think I need some new clothes," Riki muttered. He realized he had very few decent clothes to wear.

But today he had the clothes he had bought earlier, priced at 47,000\$.

As he admired himself in the mirror, he saw a handsome young man there. It felt very unfamiliar, but in a good way.

He heard his breakfast had arrived, so he quickly went to open the door.

[Your second mission today is to greet and flirt with the girl you complimented yesterday.]

[You will receive a luxury car as a reward, which will be delivered to the campus parking lot.]

[If you refuse this mission, there will be no punishment.]

But who would refuse a luxury car? Riki also needed a car, rather than using a taxi.

Greet and flirt with Angeline Harland, huh? Riki could do that and then run away. It was very easy.

Riki walked around, looking left and right, searching for the beautiful girl who was hard to approach.

Oh, there she is! She's sitting with... oh, no!

"I think I'll refuse this mission, system," Riki muttered.

Meeting Kaivan Velhart had never crossed his mind. He forgot that Angeline Harland was Kaivan Velhart's cousin and the two were on good terms. Though they also often argued.

[Do you like being a loser, master?]

Ugh, this is so hard.

Oh wait! He now had money to pay off his debt for breaking that expensive wine.

Okay, relax, Riki. You'll be fine.

He forced himself to walk confidently, facing Angeline and Kaivan who were talking about who knows what.

"Good morning... Oh, are you feeling any hurt, Angeline?" Riki asked, giving the girl a small smile. He tried to ignore Kaivan, who was staring at him with a gaze that could pierce his skull at any moment.

"Yes?" Angeline asked, confused.

"An angel who fell from the sky must be hurt, right? Hahaha—I'm just joking, forget it."

Riki was ready to run away, but unfortunately, Kaivan grabbed the back of his collar.

"Where are you going after flirting my cousin, hm?"

Chapter 6: 6. Unique way to flirt

[Your flirting is too boring, you have to repeat it until you come up with something interesting.]

The system must be joking with him. Even now, Kaivan is pulling on his collar and staring at him with a deadly gaze. It's as if he could kill Riki with his eyes.

"Hey, let me go, Kaivan," said Riki, trying to free himself from Kaivan's grip.

But this is crazy! Look at those muscular full of veins arms.

Kaivan is incredibly strong.

Riki is sure he works out at the gym every day. A reminder for Riki to use the gym facilities in his apartment.

"You're this weak yet you want to flirt with my cousin? You must be out of your mind."

Kaivan was about to raise his fist, but Angeline quickly stopped him, "Kaivan, stop! He's just joking. Besides, he's just reacting like any other guy when he sees me. He won't harm me." said Angeline.

Kaivan released his grip from Riki's collar. He sighed in frustration.

"Don't you know that guy is worse than a bear? Isn't that the trend now? Choose between a man or a bear, and everyone chooses the bear. That's because men are so dangerous."

Angeline chuckled softly, even when she laughed, she still looked elegant. Riki truly admired the girl sincerely.

Angeline was truly the type of upper-class girl who wasn't worth approaching by a man without money. Even Riki acknowledged that. That's why Riki had never dared to approach Angeline.

If it weren't for the system, he wouldn't dare to be like this now. Especially with Kaivan, the cousin who closely guards the beautiful girl.

Only a crazy guy would dare to approach Angeline.

[And that crazy guy is you, hurry up and say something that makes her heart flutter]

Oh, Riki wasn't a romantic poet. He couldn't string together beautiful words for the girl.

"Kaivan, you're overreacting!"

"I'm not overreacting, Angeline! I have to protect you because your mother entrusted you to me. Of course I have to choose who's worthy of getting close to you. And he—"

Kaivan turned to Riki, who was staring at Angeline with a serious expression.

Kaivan then pushed Riki's shoulder.

"Hey, why are you staring at my cousin like that?"

Riki didn't move; he continued to stare at Angeline with a small smile. This made Angeline smile too.

This was the first time a guy had approached Angeline with such polite behavior. Riki didn't touch Angeline carelessly or stare at her with a dirty gaze.

Riki's gaze was always gentle and polite. Because of that, Angeline wasn't bothered by Riki's presence.

"Even though there are many beautiful flowers in this world, none can compare to the beauty of your smile, Angeline," said Riki.

Angeline giggled softly, feeling amused by Riki's words, but at the same time, she liked them.

[You've finally completed the mission!]

[A white Rolls-Royce Phantom Series II will be available in the parking lot shortly. The complete documents are inside the car, and the car keys are in your pants pocket.]

[1 point added]

Yeah! Riki had obtained a luxury car priced between 450,000\$ and 650,000\$. He could feel his pants pocket wasn't empty anymore.

"What the hell is that? It sounds so ridiculous. Who do you think you are to talk like that? You haven't even paid back the debt for breaking that expensive wine! I'll sue you for—"

"Kaivan!" Angeline cut Kaivan off, glaring at her cousin with annoyance.

"What? I was just helping you get rid of him!"

"He's cute and adorable, I like him!"

Kaivan's eyes widened in disbelief at what he'd just heard.

"This is your type of a guy? A poor, pathetic loser?"

Angeline rolled her eyes in annoyance, "Oh, come on, stop talking about wealth. This has nothing to do with that."

"It does have to do with it, Angeline!"

Riki, on the other hand, was confused about how to mediate between the two cousins who were arguing so heatedly.

He often saw Angeline and Kaivan arguing, but never in a situation like this.

[Your third mission today is to take Angeline on a date in your new car]

[If you succeed, you will receive a reward of 2 million dollars and +5 to all your stats]

[If you fail, there will be no punishment for you]

The system really muddied the waters. How could Riki do that while Angeline was in a heated argument with Kaivan?

Riki took a deep breath to steady himself before carrying out his mission.

Besides, there was no punishment. But he also didn't want to refuse outright. Because two million dollars was too tempting to pass up.

"I'll pay the 80,000\$," Riki said suddenly.

The two cousins stopped arguing and looked at Riki with confused expressions.

"Don't joke around, Riki," Kaivan said, then chuckled because he thought Riki was just saying something unreasonable.

"I'm serious. If I manage to pay, you have to let me take Angeline out this afternoon after my class ends, okay?" Riki asked.

Angeline, hearing Riki's boldness, was very surprised and amazed.

When did Riki gain such courage? Wasn't he usually quiet and afraid to stand up to Anton and his friends when they bullied him?

An odd feeling of interest began to grow in Angeline's heart. She was curious about Riki.

"Do you have that much money? Really? Send it quickly via QRPay," said Kaivan, pulling out his smartphone and showing his QRPay.

QRPay was a new instant payment method developed by the country. It could be used for various payments without any hassle. With just one scan, everything was done.

"Sure," Riki replied briefly.

He quickly pulled out his smartphone, scanned Kaivan's QRPay, and made the payment.

Kaivan and Angeline were surprised when the payment went through.

The 80,000\$ was indeed sent.

"You... have money? Have you been pretending to be poor all this time, buddy?" Kaivan asked.

Riki just smiled mysteriously, then stepped back slowly.

"See you later, Angeline! I'll pick you up at your class!"

Riki turned around and walked quickly toward his class, which was about to start.

Meanwhile, Angeline was still staring in disbelief.

Not only was Riki bold enough to approach her, but he also did so in a very unique way.

"I don't know what hit that kid's head before he came here, but Angeline—" Kaivan looked at Angeline seriously.

"—you still need to be careful around him. If anything happens, contact me immediately."

Angeline smiled slightly, "I think you don't need to worry, Kaivan. Riki isn't as bad as you think."

Kaivan snorted, finding it amusing to hear his cousin's words, as she usually always complained about the behavior of the boys around her.

That guy is perverted, that one is a bit crazy... there's always something Angeline can find to criticize about the guys who approach her. No matter how good a guy is, Angeline always finds a flaw.

But suddenly she has a good opinion of Riki?

"It's interesting to see you defending that poor loser, Angel."

Angeline stood up from her seat, gave a small smile, then left Kaivan without another word.

"You might regret agreeing to go with him," Kaivan said.

Angeline turned around and replied, "We'll see."

Kaivan sighed; Angeline was truly out of her mind today.

Chapter 7: 7. A new car

Actually, it was quite difficult to attend class with people who had hurt him. Unfortunately, Riki was in the same class as Anton and Hannah.

As soon as Riki arrived, his eyes were met with the sight of Anton cozying up to Hannah.

"Look who's here. I'm sure he sold his body to a wealthy old woman to get an apartment at The Manor Residence," Anton said in that annoying, mocking tone. It was like the buzzing of bees in his ears—no, even the buzzing of bees was more melodious than Anton's voice.

Hannah, who was sitting close to Anton, as if there was no empty space left, looked at Riki with a mocking smile.

"He must be desperate because he saw me with you, babe. So he's trying to make me jealous by acting like he has a lot of money. I agree, he must have sold his body to get the money," Hannah accused.

Riki couldn't believe he had ever cared for a girl with such a foul mouth.

[Your fourth mission is to sit in front of your ex-girlfriend. Make sure you sit with a girl and help her understand the lesson.]

[You will receive 500,000\$ if successful]

Riki raised his eyebrows. An easy mission with a big reward. No problem at all for this mission.

Well, Riki was only at the bronze level, so it was impossible to get a difficult mission.

[You were complaining about this earlier, master]

Forget that, now Riki had to find a seat... oh!

Riki hurriedly sat next to a beautiful girl named Lizbeth. She was Kaivan's twin sister.

Kimberly Lizbeth Velhart.

Usually called Liz.

However, unlike Kaivan and Angeline, Liz is a quiet girl who often gets mocked by those around her just because she's a bit overweight.

Riki remembers when they were freshmen, Liz used to go everywhere with Angeline and Kaivan. She was a cheerful girl.

But after facing so much ridicule and being compared to Angeline, she became withdrawn. Her body also grew bigger, and she began to distance herself from Angeline and Kaivan.

Despite this, no one dared to bully her openly.

"Hey, can I sit here?" Riki asked.

Liz turned to Riki, then smiled, revealing the dimple on her left cheek. She was very beautiful despite being chubby.

Riki's gloomy mood from meeting Anton and Hannah quickly faded upon seeing Liz's beautiful smile.

"Of course, Riki."

Riki smiled too, then unconsciously just stared at the girl.

"Is there something on my face, Riki?" Liz asked.

Riki shook his head, "No, I'm just happy to see your smile."

"Are you flirting with me?"

Riki laughed, "Hahaha, of course not."

Liz turned back to face forward, as their professor had arrived.

"Of course not, right?" Liz muttered.

"Hmm, did you say something?" Riki asked.

Liz shook her head slowly and smiled bitterly.

"Look at that, two pathetic people sitting next to each other," Hannah said.

Riki turned around with a smile, "Oh, are you talking about yourselves? Hahaha, you both really are pathetic."

"Hey, jerk—"

"Enough, Anton, he's just entertaining himself right now."

Riki turned back to face forward and listened to the professor carefully. Right now, the lecture was more important than listening to the ramblings of those two annoying people.

An hour passed, and the professor assigned them a group task.

"Do you want to be in a group with me, Liz? I don't have any friends," Riki said.

Liz nodded quickly, as she wasn't close with anyone either.

"But do you understand the assignment? I'm not too sure," Liz muttered, which Riki almost didn't hear if he hadn't been focusing on the girl.

"Oh, sure, which part don't you understand?"

Seeing that Riki no longer cared about Hannah, Hannah began to feel annoyed at the closeness between Riki and Liz.

On purpose, Hannah pushed Liz, causing the slightly overweight girl to bump into Riki.

"Hey, what are you doing?" Riki protested, glaring at Hannah angrily.

"Oops! Even though you're as big as an elephant, you're still invisible," Hannah said with a mocking smile.

Anton came over and hugged Hannah, "You don't need to worry about them, dear, because you'll end up as pitiful as they are."

The shameless couple left, laughing mockingly.

Not only them, but some of the people still there also joined in the mocking laughter.

"They do fit together, though."

"One's a bum, the other's swollen."

Riki, who was about to scold them, was stopped by Liz.

"Riki, just let it go. Don't cause a scene. I understand our task; we'll discuss it later, okay? I have to go now."

Liz hurriedly left.

Riki knew the girl must be very sad hearing the harsh words from the people around her.

[You have successfully completed your fourth mission. 500,000\$ has been transferred to your personal account.]

Riki then left the class. He had a date with Angeline, though he didn't know if Angeline wanted to go out with him or not.

On his way to Angeline's class, Riki saw Liz with Kaivan. Actually, Kaivan was chasing after her.

The twins who didn't look alike at all. Worse still, Kaivan was still friends with bullies like Anton.

But that wasn't Riki's business.

"Riki!"

Riki turned and was surprised to see Angeline approaching him, "Angel?"

"You said you wanted to take me somewhere?"

"Oh, right. Come on, let's go to the parking lot."

Angeline was confused when Riki took her to the parking lot. As far as she knew, Riki didn't have a motorcycle or a car.

"Did you borrow someone's motorcycle?" Angeline asked.

"Oh, no, I brought my own car, Angel. How could I take you if I didn't have a car? I'd be crazy to do that."

Angeline grew more curious about what kind of car Riki would show her. The girl clearly didn't have high expectations for the car Riki would show her.

They arrived at the parking lot, and Riki's brow furrowed at what was in front of him.

People were gathered around his car.

Riki approached the crowd.

"What are you guys doing?"

Riki's mood soured again when he saw Anton taking photos of Hannah posing in front of his car.

[Your fifth mission today is to drive them away from your car, make sure you embarrass them]

[As a reward, you will receive 10% of L.I Company's shares and +2 to all stats]

Riki furrowed his brow upon seeing the company owned by Angeline's father's family there.

L.I Company was the owner of the apartment building where Riki lived. The company had a high value on the stock market. And suddenly Riki could get it just by getting rid of those inconsiderate people?

Hell yeah!

"Is that car Anton's?"

"It seems like it, that's awesome!"

The people couldn't stop praising the car, knowing how expensive it was.

Would they still be amazed if they knew it was Riki's car?

"Get out of the way!" Riki shouted.

They started making way for Riki, but then, after Riki the one that asked them to move, they immediately mocked him.

"Huh, it's just Riki," Anton said.

"If you want to take a photo, get in line! You've probably never seen a car this nice before, have you? It costs 650,000 dollars. How many times would you have to sell yourself to get a car like this?" Hannah replied.

Riki laughed, leaving them confused. Usually, Riki would get angry if insulted, but now he was laughing. Has Riki lost his mind?

"Why are you laughing, you bastard!" Anton approached and was about to hit Riki. However, Riki quickly pushed him away.

"Get out of my car! Hey, Hannah, don't touch my car with your hands!"

The people laughed even harder after hearing Riki's words.

Chapter 8: 8. A compromise

"He said it was his car?"

"That's ridiculous, he couldn't even afford to rent that car."

The taunts of those people with bullies mentality made Riki extremely disgusted.

He stepped forward, making Hannah feel very uneasy under Riki's gaze. There was no trace of the usual silly smile on Riki's face; instead, he stared at her sharply. As if his gaze could pierce straight through her chest and stab her heart.

Full of anger.

As if a dark aura was enveloping Riki's body.

"Ri-rik-riki..." Hannah stammered.

Riki was already right in front of her, leaning his head closer, and Hannah reflexively closed her eyes.

She thought Riki was going to hug her or kiss her in front of Anton. Hannah knew Riki still loved her; he was just pretending—

"Move aside."

Hannah quickly opened her eyes.

Riki pushed Hannah's body out of his way.

"Riki!"

"You're blocking my path. Go away with your rich new boyfriend who can't even afford a car like this, so you have to take a selfie in front of someone else's car."

Anton, offended by Riki's words, immediately grabbed Riki and tried to punch him. However, Riki's reflexes were quick enough to catch Anton's fist before it touched his handsome face.

Riki himself was surprised he could do it. It was impressive, considering he used to just give in.

[Your strength has increased slightly, master]

True, his strength had increased, though only slightly.

But that was good.

Proud of himself, Riki finally had the courage to confront Anton. He pushed Anton's much larger body away. He even managed to land a punch on Anton afterward.

"Enough, stop fighting because of me!" Hannah said, pulling Anton away and hugging him.

"I know you're jealous that Anton is now my boyfriend, Riki. But stop it, enough is enough. There's no need to pretend to have money by renting a luxury car just to get me back. I'm already with Anton, so—"

Hannah stopped her rambling when Riki suddenly burst into loud laughter. The sound of his laughter seemed to be mocking her, making Hannah feel embarrassed for no reason.

"Sorry if I disappointed you, Hannah. I didn't rent anyone's car; I even have all the documents in my name for that car. And I specifically brought that car so I could go on a date with the prettiest girl on campus," said Riki.

"But the prettiest girl on campus is me!" Hannah retorted, still confident.

Riki smirked, then turned around.

Angeline was still standing there, behind Riki with her elegance.

Riki extended his hand to Angeline.

The girl approached Riki, took his hand, then smiled at Hannah.

At that moment, Anton and Hannah's faces looked like clowns, not expecting Riki to ask Angeline Harland out on a date.

"You must have paid Angeline to go on a date with you, right?" Anton accused.

Angeline smiled, genuinely amused by the ridiculous accusation.

"Can someone like Angeline be paid to do something silly? Come on, Anton," Riki interjected.

"Get out of the way, all of you! I have to go on a date with the prettiest girl on campus!" Riki shouted, holding his car keys high in the air.

When the car beeped, they finally made way.

Riki opened the car door for Angeline to get in. After closing the door, he turned back to look at them all. He smirked, then quickly got into the car.

Riki knew they must have been very embarrassed at that moment, even though their faces still showed clear denial.

[You have successfully completed your third and fifth missions today]

[Your reward of two million dollars, 10% shares in L.I Company, and +7 for all stats is now yours]

[You have received 7 points]

Angeline suddenly giggled after the car left the university area.

"Sorry you had to witness such a silly drama earlier, Angel," Riki said.

Angeline shook her head slowly, "No, it was very funny, Riki. They'll say anything to deny that you now have money. Was Kaivan right when he said you've been hiding the fact that you're not actually poor?" Angeline asked, sounding very cautious as she spoke.

Riki snorted, "Well, let's just say that's how it is, Angeline."

"So, is it true?"

"Do you want to go out with me because you know I have money? Well, that's pretty normal. I don't blame you, because who would want to date a poor guy, right?"

Unexpectedly, Angeline burst into laughter again. The crisp sound of her laughter sounded melodious to Riki's ears.

"You might not believe it, but even now, I still can't believe that you're actually not poor anymore. Think about it carefully—why would you pretend to be poor? You don't look like someone who pretends. I know you've been working hard all this time, doing part-time jobs at several places. Whatever it takes as long as you get money. Someone who's pretending wouldn't act like that, right? But you're right, Riki. A normal girl wouldn't want to date a poor guy."

Riki smiled slightly. He didn't know how to respond to Angeline. But Angeline was indeed very smart; it was hard to deceive her.

"Are you not a normal girl?"

Hearing Riki's question, Angeline chuckled again.

"I've heard it from my cousin," Angeline replied.

"But Angeline, I wouldn't dare approach an upper-class girl like you if I didn't have money."

"Oh, I don't think you don't have money, it's just—"

Riki shook his head slowly, "It's okay, I know you still don't believe I have money. It's normal to think that way."

Angeline sighed deeply, then smiled faintly.

"Then I'll be honest now. I accepted you because I find you very attractive. It has nothing to do with money at all."

"So, should I be honest too?" Riki asked.

Angeline nodded, looking at Riki with a demanding gaze, urging him to be honest with her.

"I asked you out because I think you're very beautiful. But don't worry, I no longer have any feelings for Hannah. Those feelings vanished after seeing her true nature."

"It's okay even if I'm just a rebound, Riki. We're just dating, right? Honestly, I've never dated before because nothing has ever caught my interest."

Riki didn't know that Angeline wasn't as arrogant as people said she was.

She was just an ordinary, sweet girl who longed for beautiful things.

[Your sixth mission today is to buy whatever Angeline wants; don't worry about the money if you're dating the most beautiful girl]

[You will receive three times what you spend on Angeline]

Well, Riki was also an ordinary human being who could be happy about the great opportunity the system had given him.

"I'll grant you anything you want, Angeline. Let's make your first date the most beautiful one you've ever imagined."

"Are you sure?" Angeline asked, clearly doubting Riki's words. However, she quickly showed him something in a small pink notebook with a small black ribbon.

It was Angeline's wish list.

Riki stopped the car to read the list.

His eyes widened as he saw all the items Angeline considered romantic.

-Rent a Skydine for a romantic dinner with your partner.

-Being given a large bouquet of pink roses.

-Receiving a beautiful pink diamond ring.

The further down Riki read the list, the more money started spinning in his head.

But Riki would get three times the amount—this was a good opportunity.

"Let's do it, Angeline."

Chapter 9: 9. Pink diamond

"We can go to another salon, it doesn't have to be here, Riki," said Angeline when Riki's car suddenly pulled up in front of The Queen Crown.

One of the largest, most luxurious, and most expensive salons in the country. The salon has even expanded internationally, making it famous for its premium quality.

Even for the smallest treatment, tens of thousands of dollars will fly away.

But precisely because of that, Riki was even more eager to take Angeline there.

"This is just a small thing, Angeline. I just want the best for you. If I can give you the best, why would I settle for second best? You should know that you deserve to be treated like a queen. So, what are you waiting for?"

Riki got out of the car, while Angeline sat there speechless. It wasn't because she was waiting for Riki to open the door for her—well, Riki did do that. But Angeline just couldn't believe that Riki would take her to such an elite place.

Even as a daughter from a prominent family, Angeline rarely went to that salon.

"Maybe you don't know how expensive this salon is—"

"Angel, I've checked everything online. Chill, I know the prices and can afford it. You said you wanted a romantic dinner, so of course you have to look your best, right?"

At that moment, Angeline felt like crying. Because Riki was treating her so well. It was far from what she had imagined when thinking about going on a date with Riki.

In Angeline's imagination, they would just walk around and eat at a cheap place.

But what happened was the opposite.

Actually, Angeline didn't expect to be treated this well.

Angeline took Riki's outstretched hand, waiting for Angeline to take it.

They walked into the salon. The salon staff greeted them warmly and politely.

"Give this beautiful girl the best treatment, because tonight we're having dinner at the most luxurious place. Also, give her a suitable dress; don't worry about the cost, okay?" Riki said.

"Riki..."

"Angel, why are you always worried about the cost?"

"Well, because..." Riki pulled out his card and smiled slightly.

"I'll pay for everything now, so you can relax, okay, Angel?" Riki said.

Angeline agreed, though she still felt unsure. Many fears arose in her mind.

They selected everything Angeline needed at that moment, until they reached the total price.

"The total is \$250,000, sir. You're lucky because you got a 5% discount since you're the first customers on a date. We have a promotion for young couples."

Riki couldn't believe they got a discount and the total was still that much. But it was amazing!

[You got 750,000\$!]

Yeah, that's what made Riki happy.

Angeline couldn't believe it; Riki was smiling so widely after paying, instead of being sad because so much money was gone.

Actually, how much money does Riki have right now?

Didn't he already pay 80,000\$ to Kaivan earlier?

"It's only that much, Angel, why do you look so worried? I'll go prepare a surprise for you. I'll pick you up at eight o'clock tonight, okay?"

Riki doesn't look like he's running out of money. But— who knows. Is Angeline overthinking it?

"You should relax, miss. If I had a boyfriend like that, I'd be tense too. It must be really hard because so many people are after him."

Angeline just chuckled at that. The salon staff didn't know what was really going on, but from their perspective, that's how it must look.

Back to Riki.

He left to take care of everything.

First, he would rent out the entire Skydine tonight.

It was the most luxurious restaurant atop the largest hotel in the city. Renting out an entire restaurant for one night, of course, wasn't cheap.

Riki had rented it easily, of course with the system's help. But the restaurant was a matter for later.

Now, Riki was heading to where the pink diamond ring was.

Riki's car has arrived at the largest jewelry store in town. Information about the pink diamond ring, of which there are only two in the country, is currently available at the store.

The problem is, Riki isn't the only one who wants the ring.

There are already ten people waiting in line to buy the two rings.

A small auction will be held inside the store in about fifteen minutes. Even some media outlets are covering it. Because such things are very popular with the public. When people compete for expensive items, when people spend money on a ring.

However, Riki didn't mind, because he loved drama and money. The more money he had to spend to get the ring, the more he would get back.

After waiting for fifteen minutes, the small auction finally began in the hall inside the large jewelry store.

"Isn't that Riki?"

"Damn it, why is he here?"

Hearing his name mentioned, Riki turned to his right and smirked at who he saw.

Anton's friend, who was far richer than Anton, came from a family almost as prestigious as the Velhart or Harland families.

Alvin Moretz and Gidion Dahl.

The spoiled children of those wealthy families often helped Anton to bully Riki.

Another fact about them was that their fathers were also rivals of Riki's father in the past.

Riki still kept an eye on them, as there was a possibility that those people had accused his father of corruption in the past. Anton's father, Alvin's father, or Gidion's father.

"Oh, hi, do you guys want to buy a ring too?" Riki asked, feigning friendliness.

They chuckled, though Riki was sure there was nothing funny about his question.

"Of course, Riki. We're not begging like you are here," said Alvin.

"You might be able to get some trash to sell later, Riki, keep up the spirit!" replied Gidion, and they all laughed together.

People with strange senses of humor.

"We'll see later, whether I'll be scavenging trash or getting a diamond ring," said Riki, remaining very calm.

Riki's eyes and ears were focused on the store employee on the small stage in front of them. He no longer heard Alvin and Gidion's meaningless chatter, which was still mocking him.

The jewelry store employee showed a pink diamond ring that was up for auction.

It had a beautiful design, with a cute heart-shaped pink diamond weighing 0.46 carats. Surrounded by small white diamonds around it.

The starting price was \$195,000.

People began bidding with various prices. Alvin and Gidion, who had come with their respective girlfriends, also joined in. But they fell silent when the ring's price exceeded \$300,000.

Frustrated by their lack of funds, they started mocking Riki.

"Look at him, not saying a word and just watching. I'm sure he's thinking of a way to rob the people who came here," said Gidion.

"What are poor people doing coming to a place like this?" replied Alvin.

Riki smirked at that moment.

"550,000 dollars! If no one else bids, then—"

Riki stood up then, holding up the board he had written the price he was offering on.

"Oh, the gentleman over there is offering 600,000\$! If no one else bids, the ring will go to the young gentleman over there."

No one else bid, so Riki got the ring.

Riki then turned to Alvin and Gidion, who were staring in disbelief.

"Why? Can't you bid that much for your girlfriends? That's so sad."

Alvin and Gidion's girlfriends began to look embarrassed.

"You're just talking big, Riki! You haven't even paid for the ring yet!" said Alvin.

Riki smiled broadly, then sat back down.

"Of course not, who said I'd only buy one ring?"

"Has he lost his mind?"

Well, maybe Riki had lost his mind, especially when looking at the system screen showing how much he had earned so far.

[You have earned 1,800,000\$]

Chapter 10: 10. So Annoying

"Mr. Riki Khaizer is bidding again with a high price! \$750,000! If no one else bids, then the second ring will belong to Mr. Khaizer!"

Riki smiled broadly, even though this time the ring wasn't for Angeline, and Riki didn't get triple the price. However, Riki felt very satisfied with the purchase.

He would consider it an investment. Because a diamond ring, especially one with a unique color, would always attract buyers willing to spend a lot of money.

Riki would keep the second ring for now.

Alvin, Gidion, and their two girlfriends stared in disbelief as Riki successfully paid for all the rings.

"I'm very busy; I don't have time for the two of you. I have a date with Angeline that I'll be doing shortly. See you later, losers." Riki said.

Even Riki was escorted by security to his car to ensure no one bothered the store's special customer.

Riki gave a generous tip to the two security guards, then glanced back at the two losers. Riki smirked mockingly, then drove off in his luxury car.

"He's even using a luxury car? Is that the one that costs 600,000\$?" Alvin asked.

"It's around 650,000\$! Are you sure he's the guy you've been bullying all this time?" said Alvin's girlfriend. The girl truly regretted accepting Alvin as her boyfriend.

"I can't believe Hannah dumping such a handsome young man just to get someone even more of a loser than the two of you," said Gidion's girlfriend.

"Why are you talking like that? Riki might have gotten the money from robbing a bank!" retorted Gidion.

Gidion's girlfriend chuckled, "You're so stupid. Someone who robs a bank wouldn't just go around spending the money they stole. He's probably already been arrested by the police!"

Alvin's girlfriend nodded, "My father is the director of one of the banks, and now banks have high security. It's not easy to rob them like it used to be."

Alvin snorted and said, "We'll see. He'll definitely be arrested by the police tomorrow."

The two girls just rolled their eyes in annoyance.

Meanwhile, Riki was already at the flower shop to pick up a large pink bouquet for Angeline.

It was a bouquet of various types of cut roses, but all of them were pink.

A soft, fragrant scent filled the air.

Riki was ready to go pick up Angeline. However, he had to change into a better outfit.

The car stopped again, this time at a luxurious and elegant men's clothing store.

"Can we assist you, sir?" asked the store clerk.

[Your seventh mission today is to purchase ownership of the luxurious men's clothing store you visited]

[Your reward is an empty building worth 2 million dollars and +2 to all stats]

[If not completed, you will remain a poor loser forever]

Purchase ownership?

Actually, Riki didn't want to do anything troublesome. But of course, he didn't want to remain a poor loser forever.

"I like this store, so I want to buy it. Where's your boss?" Riki asked, pretending to be a wealthy, confident, and arrogant person.

Suddenly, a loud laugh echoed clearly. Riki turned and saw Kaivan standing there, alongside someone quite famous.

Zeno Raynold.

Back then, Zeno was Riki's friend in high school; he was the school's owner.

From one of the country's top conglomerate families, supposedly the number one in the nation.

Despite that, Zeno was the kindest person Riki had ever met. So, Riki was quite happy to see Zeno again after so long, since Zeno had been studying abroad.

However, it was annoying to see Kaivan there.

"Aren't you supposed to be dating Angeline? Why are you hanging around here and bragging like that? Even if you have money, it doesn't make sense that you could buy this store," Kaivan said, sounding very annoying, but for some reason, Riki heard a note of concern in his voice.

Is he afraid that Riki can't afford it? He might think Riki only has a few hundred thousand dollars.

"Don't say that, Kaivan. Riki might be serious about buying this store. Let's talk, Riki. I actually want to sell this store because I can't handle it anymore. I have some other businesses I'm focusing on right now," Zeno said, inviting Riki to sit on the comfortable sofa.

If the owner was Zeno, Riki felt greatly relieved.

"I'm serious about buying this store. How much is it, Zeno?" Riki asked.

Zeno checked something briefly, wrote something on notes, then handed it to Riki.

"I'll sell it for this much. Do you still want to buy it?" Zeno handed Riki a note. But before Riki could touch it, Kaivan snatched it first.

"What? How can the store's price be like this, Zen? Are you playing with Riki?" Kaivan asked.

Zeno laughed, then took the note back from Kaivan and handed it to Riki again.

"I'm talking to Riki, not you."

Riki took the note and looked at the numbers Zeno had written on it.

Then Riki looked back at Zeno and nodded, "Okay, that's the price, right? I'll pay for it, so let's do the transaction now," said Riki. There was no hesitation in his voice; he looked at Zeno with confidence.

Kaivan couldn't believe it. Suddenly, Riki wanted to buy a luxury store for one million dollars.

It was a large store located on a famous street known for its wealthy customers. Most of the stores there were luxury brand stores.

Although the store was indeed large and had a well-known name, selling it for 1.2 million dollars was slightly more expensive than the market price.

"Get everything ready immediately, Liam," Zeno said.

"Yes, sir!"

"It won't be finished tonight, Riki. I'll meet you tomorrow. Besides, don't you have a date with Angeline?" Zeno asked.

Riki was startled; he had forgotten that he was there to find a nice outfit, not to buy a store.

The system had almost made Riki forget.

"Ah, right, I actually came here to find a suit to wear. I can't possibly wear shabby clothes for dating at Skydine," said Riki.

Zeno stood up, "I'll help you find a nice suit, buddy. Come this way."

Riki followed Zeno to where the luxurious suits were kept.

Meanwhile, Kaivan remained silent. He still couldn't believe what he was seeing and hearing.

Was Riki really just pretending to be poor all this time? But that didn't make sense. Why would someone pretend to be poor? But if that wasn't the case, where did Riki get the money? Robbing a bank?

That was even more implausible, as banks nowadays have extremely high security measures.

Kaivan was startled again by the sound of a call on his smartphone.

Video call from his cousin.

"Hello, Angeline."

"Kaivan! Look at this—Riki is giving me the most expensive treatment at The Queen Crown. He's not messing around, so your words are unfounded. I'm always spot-on in my choices, including men." Angeline said, showing off what she had at that moment.

Kaivan, who was very annoyed, immediately ended the video call.

"She's annoying."