

Chapter 69 It's A Piece Of Cake For Him To Deal With...

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Rena offered a faint smile, refusing to be provoked.

Aline deliberately raised her voice. "Are the rumors on the school forum true? Did you engage in a relationship with some old rich guy out of vanity?"

A series of collective gasps were heard from the rich ladies behind her.

The ladies' gazes shifted towards Rena, finally recognizing her innate beauty. They recalled how Rena used to visit their homes to tutor their children for free—perhaps it was all a ploy to seduce their husbands.

This revelation further tainted their already negative impression of Rena.

Rather than engaging in a heated argument, Rena maintained her composure.

She smiled calmly and responded, "Indeed, I have a boyfriend."

Aline was taken aback.

She hadn't expected Rena to admit it so openly. It appeared that Rena had indeed found a wealthy older man and secured financial stability for the rest of her life.

A smug smile spread across Aline's face as she turned to the ladies and remarked, "Everyone has their own aspirations!"

The rich ladies, swayed by Aline's charm, began praising her and expressing their trust in her ability to teach their children.

"I feel reassured to let Miss Hanson teach my child."

"The most important thing about a person is their moral integrity."

"It's obvious that Miss Hanson is a decent person."

They remarked on her moral character and deemed her a suitable teacher.

Aline reveled in their flattery, relishing the victory of snatching away Rena's students.

Drawing closer to Rena, Aline whispered in a low voice, "If I were you, I wouldn't even attend the school reunion. Don't embarrass yourself."

Rena's gaze lowered, a tinge of sadness evident in her voice.

"Is it truly worth it, all these sacrifices for a man like Harold?"

When she had just entered the university, she and Aline were actually friends, but their relationship turned stale because of Harold.

Aline sneered and departed.

Rena realized that Aline's intentions had nothing to do with whether it was worth it or not; she simply wanted Rena to suffer.

Glancing at Vera, Rena couldn't help but remark, "You're surprisingly calm today. Normally, you wouldn't tolerate such behavior."

Vera casually flipped her hair and replied, "I'll teach her a lesson sooner or later. Just wait and see. Imagine the look on their faces when Waylen accompanies you at the school reunion. Those women may be well-dressed, but their

husbands rely on the Fowler Group for financial success. Besides, Mr. Fowler holds a prominent position in the legal circle. It'll be a piece of cake for him to handle their husbands."

The thought of Waylen brought a smile to Rena's lips.

She took a sip of her coffee and inquired, "Is he really that amazing?"

Vera's eyes twinkled mischievously. "Don't you know how amazing he is?"

Rena remained silent.

All of a sudden, her phone was vibrating with a message from Waylen.

"How did you feel about last night?"

Blushing, Rena bit her lower lip before replying, "Not bad."

Waylen's immediate response caught her off guard.

"I felt amazing last night. Shall we head back early after the school reunion on Saturday?"

Rena was at a loss for words. Vera snatched the phone, reading the messages with wide-eyed astonishment. Waylen's straightforwardness left her in awe.