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By then, Tobias had reached the limits of his chivalry. Lowering down the windows, he lit a cigarette and rested his arm on the car door. He looked out the window to show that he had no intention of sending Lina in.

Finally, Skylar offered out of courtesy, "I'll walk you in. What's there to be afraid of anyway?"

When he saw Skylar preparing to get down, Tobias threw his cigarette away and drove into the compound instead.

Lina was disappointed by Tobias' actions. If not for Skylar, he wasn't even going to escort her in after all.

After walking Lina up, the environment reminded Skylar of being chased out of her rented place after Meredith's death. It could not get any worse than that.

Before Lina entered her home, Skylar called out to her, "When you invited me out for tea, did you really mean to catch up for old times sake, or was it just a pretext to see my boyfriend instead?"

Skylar never liked beating around the bush and preferred to be candid. Lina's dubious actions had caused her to doubt her intentions. When Tobias was driving, Lina looked at him as if she was ready to give herself to him.

Stunned by Skylar's question, Lina covered her mouth in shock. "Skylar, what are you talking about? Since when did you become so mean?"

Skylar had never expected the word "mean" to be used to describe her. All this while, she had never been feisty as the rage in her had long been expended by her birth family.

Skylar replied with a smile, "Don't worry, I don't mean anything. I'm happy to be reunited with you again. It's just that I remembered how happy it was during our school days. Remember, don't fall in love with someone you're not supposed to. Or else, you will regret it."

Instead of taking Skylar's advice, Lina felt that she had changed into someone who was mean and petty.

Not wanting to intensify the awkwardness, Skylar added with a smile, "I'm just kidding. I wanted to see how you would react when I scared you."

However, Lina couldn't tell which of them was real.

As Tobias grew impatient with waiting, he honked a few times. Just when Skylar entered the car, she suddenly noticed a bracelet on the seat. She picked it up while remembering that Lina didn't wear any.

"Do you think just because you're driving a Porsche the honk won't disturb the residents? Tobias, since when have you lost your civility?"

Skylar then flung the bracelet at his face. Tobias didn't flinch as this was the second time she threw something at him. At that moment, he began to lose his patience.

"Whose bracelet is this? It looks like an imitation given how light it is and probably isn't worth much."

"It's your friend's. Other than that, I don't know," Tobias explained calmly.

"She wasn't wearing it. In fact, there was nothing on her wrist at all." Skylar didn't believe it was Lina's. Furthermore, this was the second time she found something belonging to a woman inside the car. The first was lipstick, and then a bracelet.

"In that case, I'm equally stumped. If you really can't find the owner, just take it that I have a fetish for wearing female accessories."

Tobias never liked to lie. Besides, he really didn't know who it belonged to.

Skylar warned him, "It's not that you like wearing women's things, but more like you enjoy feeling jealous."

"Are you planning on making me jealous? If you cheat on me, I'll break your legs." Tobias finally lost his patience with Skylar's snide remarks.

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The atmosphere in the car began to feel tense. Obviously, Skylar didn't dare to cheat on Tobias as she was well aware that his threats were serious.

Skylar had not seen Tobias since the night he stormed off. Now that he had come to pick her up, she figured it might be because he was looking for sex.

Tobias was naturally worried that she would have that impression. Meanwhile, he had brought her to his house. Ever since he got together with Skylar, he seldom returned here. Before they entered, he emphasized, "Tonight, we'll not be sleeping with each other, so you can put a stop to your preposterous thoughts."

Skylar took a deep breath as she could sense the mood he was in. Despite not knowing where she was, she could deduce the identity of the owner from the cold and minimalistic design of the place. After all, Tobias loved cool colors. Bouncing off the light gray walls, the white lights shining above their heads gave off a frosty vibe.

"This is where I used to stay. I haven't returned here in a long time because of you."

"What do you mean because of me? I have never forbidden you from coming and neither have I restricted your freedom." Crossing her legs on the sofa, Skylar scanned the surroundings. Just from the living hall alone, there were no traces of a woman's existence.

"Do you know why I have fallen for you? Because I feel comfortable when I'm with you, regardless of whether we're in bed or not. Therefore, despite knowing that we aren't compatible with each other, I have never ended our relationship. In fact, I have been thinking about how to maintain it for the long term."

As this was the first time Tobias bared his soul to Skylar, he didn't expect her to understand all of it. He just wanted them to stop arguing.

Over the last two days, Skylar had calmed down a lot. Gazing deep into his eyes, she took a step closer to Tobias. As both their noses touched, he could feel her warm fragrant breath all over his face.

"Are you apologizing to me? Or are you trying to justify the situation? There's a big difference between the two."

Tobias stared intently at her. "Apologize. I shouldn't have sat at the same table with a matchmaking candidate. Going forward, I'll be more careful about situations that involve the opposite sex. I'll make sure you won't be upset by this again."

When he lifted her chin, he could see that her eyes were reddened. At the moment, she looked both puzzled and aggrieved.

She knew how difficult it was to get an apology out of him.

How much is one willing to compromise for love? Suppressing her tears, a gentle smile emerged on her face. Tobias must have feelings for me. After all, he didn't get me to compromise this time.

"I'm clear today. Do you have any plans?"

Making her intentions known, her gaze was filled with anticipation.

Tobias smiled. "Since I said we won't be doing it today, I will keep my word. Or else, you will have the impression that all I want is sex from you. Tonight, you should stay here. We will only go back tomorrow."

Skylar locked her arms around his waist. "And yet, I was thinking of staying here longer. Is it only for one night?"

"This place isn't equipped for ladies. So, it will be inconvenient for you. Or, if you really want, you can bring your luggage and stay here." That was Tobias' biggest compromise.

He had brought Skylar into his personal space. It was also something he had not done before.

He teased with a gentle voice, "Now that my nest has been discovered by you, you can easily find me whenever we quarrel."

"I won't be looking for you. You will come home whenever you feel like it." Skylar was too stubborn to admit it.