MY ACCIDENTAL HUSBAND IS A BILLIONAIRE!

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Keira furrowed her brows and looked at Lewis.

She didn't know that Lewis had prepared a wedding dress for her, but since it had been arranged by Lewis, she couldn't give the dress to someone else.

She lowered her gaze, her attitude indifferent. "Sorry, I can't do that."

Peter wasn't surprised by this reaction; after all, no one would want to part with such a thing, as a wedding dress was meant to be kept for life. He was only testing the waters just now.

The other brothers also started chiming in.

James said, "Peter, you shouldn't have asked. How can Keera give away something like that?"

Charles also nodded. "Yeah, wedding dresses are tailor-made, and since Mr. Horton had reserved that shop's most valuable piece early on, it belongs to our sister. Borrowing money is one thing, but a wedding dress? I've never heard of borrowing such a private item."

James coughed. "We could consider lending other things, but definitely not the wedding dress. Kate and I are also getting married soon, and her wedding dress has been in the works for two years... If someone asked for Kate's dress, I'd definitely refuse!"

After that, he glanced at Keira, "Of course, our sister is an exception."

After all, he was a real sister-complex!

The other two brothers also came forward to smooth things over.

"Yeah, Peter, your request is just too much. How could Keera possibly lend it to you?" ALL new chapters on nov(e)lbin(.)com

They looked toward Keira and Lewis, their eyes shining. "Keera, are you going to hold a wedding ceremony with Mr. Horton? When is it? I'll check out the best restaurants and hotels in Clance for you. Just pick one!"

"The Olsen family marrying off a daughter is a major event! We must make it grand and glorious! Don't set the wedding date too soon. Give us some time to prepare!"

"Right, we genuinely hadn't expected to have a sister. Growing up, we haven't accumulated many fine things. We're collecting jewelry from all over the country right now, and we'll make sure to give you the best dowry in Clance!"

"You guys are real blockheads. I thought of it long ago! When Auntie was pregnant with Peter, I secretly hid a sapphire as big as a pigeon's egg, thinking she might have a girl!"

James laughed heartily with his arms akimbo. "None of you can beat me on that!"

The rest of the brothers were speechless.

Charles immediately became annoyed. "Well played, James. You're so cunning and sly! Guys, can you tolerate this?"

As his words fell, everyone gathered around James, and with a signal from Charles, three other brothers cooperated with him and quickly hoisted James up.

Then they aimed him at the nearby staircase pillar and rushed over!

James immediately cried out, "Guys, have mercy! Put me down! I'm too old for this! I still need to use that part of my body! Kate is counting on me for her happiness in the bedroom! Stop messing with me!"

The brothers were putting on a show to scare him.

They were used to roughhousing since childhood.

The rest of the brothers said, "So, about that pigeon egg-sized gemstone, who's going to give it to Keera?"

James quickly corrected himself. "It's from all of us, all of us together!"

"That's more like it!"

Keira watched the few men with bewildered eyes and suddenly laughed.

The atmosphere in the Olsen family was warm and without so much scheming. The brothers worked together as one, and even during their playful times, the quietest of them all, a doctor, laughed heartily.

She lowered her gaze, suddenly finding her brothers quite endearing.

Peter was also among the playful brothers. After James finished speaking, he turned back and looked at Susan. "Susan, this request is indeed a bit too much. Forget it. Keera shouldn't have hacked your phone, and on her behalf, I apologize to you!"

Susan saw the siblings messing around, clearly trying to get her to drop the subject, which pained her.

She lowered her eyes, turned her head toward Keira, and suddenly sighed. "Peter, I know a wedding dress isn't something that can be lent off, but I want to ask one thing..."

Peter paused. "Ask away."

Susan then looked at Keira. "If it were Mary who came to you to borrow your wedding dress, would you lend it to her?"

This question made Keira frown.

If Mary and Ellis were getting married and couldn't find a suitable wedding dress, of course, she would lend hers to Mary!

After all, that was Mary...

Back when Mary and Ellis got married, they were in a rush and didn't have the opportunity to customize a wedding dress, so they bought a premade one. However, Mary wasn't one to fuss over such things. With some alterations, she was satisfied as long as the dress could be worn and looked presentable.

But Keira knew that Mary, her best friend, would never raise such a request.

Her face darkened, and she remained silent.

Susan then turned to Peter, her eyes tinged slightly red. "Peter, I know I don't mean as much to Keera as Mary does, and in her heart, your position can't compare to that of Ellis, especially since Ellis knew her first... I'm not trying to make things difficult for Keera with this wedding dress. It's just... My own family isn't wealthy, and if the wedding dress for the ceremony is just something mediocre, people will look down on me even more. I'm afraid you'll have trouble holding your head up high, too. Moreover... During Mr. Horton's birthday banquet, she was very hostile toward me. Today, she even... She doesn't really consider me as a sister-in-law, does she?"

This statement made Peter's expression darken gradually.

532 Chapter 531 \mathcal{N} eew updates at novel/bin(.)com Peter slowly looked toward Keira. He tensed his jaw and asked, "Keera, do you really not care about me and Susan?"

Keira frowned.

James charged over. "Peter, what are you saying? Keera has just returned home. We are in the phase of building our relationship. How can you say such things?"

Susan took Peter's hand. "Peter, don't say that. You all have been longing for a sister for so many years; of course, you'll have feelings for her. However, Keera didn't grow up in the Olsen family, and she now has so many brothers... She's not familiar with all of you... A wedding dress is a very personal item; it's understandable that she wouldn't lend it to me..."

Peter looked down with a bitter smile. "Yes, we hold our sister dear as she's the only one we've got, but our sister has six older brothers and one younger brother! What am I to her? If she can lend a personal item like a wedding dress to Mary, why can't she lend it to me? Am I not your brother?"

His last sentence was a question directed at Keira.

Keira clenched her jaw, momentarily unsure of what to say.

Susan had revealed a brutal truth: Keira's bonds with her seven brothers weren't very deep.

She had never grown up with them, and even after the reunion, she hadn't moved back into the Olsen residence. For most of the brothers, it was only the third time she had seen them.

How could she talk about deep affection?

But it was different for them... As they had said, they had been longing for their sister for so many years, expecting her with anticipation.

So, they readily accepted her and were willing to dote on her.

Keira let out a deep sigh. Just as she was about to say something, James rushed in front of Peter and punched him in the face. "Have you lost your mind? Keera just got home and hasn't adjusted to our family life yet, and here you are, yearning for reciprocation?"

Peter, covering his face where he had been hit, angrily asked, "Then let me ask you this: If I'm short of a suit for my wedding, would you be willing to lend me your wedding tuxedo in a pinch?"

James paused.

He certainly could because they were brothers!

But these were words that he couldn't say out loud, and he found himself suddenly at a loss.

Peter scoffed. "You could, so could I. If any of you guys were getting married, I'd lend mine without conditions! Because we are family! We now regard our sister as family, but does she consider us her family?!"

Peter dared not retaliate against James and merely clenched his clothes tightly. "Just now, I suddenly realized, the sister that I've treasured so much... in her heart, there's no place for me at all! Or maybe there is some place for me in her heart, but it's insignificant!!"

James said, "Shut up!"

Charles also said, "Peter, you've gone too far... Keera has actually been quite nice to us, and besides, feelings develop slowly. I believe that as we continue to interact, she will definitely come to regard us as her real brothers!"

Peter let out a bitter laugh. "Heh, listen to you! You knew it all along! You all understand that the feelings between us and her aren't mutual!"

Susan immediately added fuel to the fire. "Peter, don't say that. Keera has had a hard life while you all have lived in luxury. The Olsen family owes her..."

Peter immediately retorted, "It wasn't me who made her live like that! What do I owe her? She's come home, and I'm thrilled. I gave her the thing I treasure the most as a welcome gift, but what's the result? Turns out, it's me who owes her... I owe her, right?"

After muttering these words, Peter found himself pathetic.

James frowned. "We dote on Keera without ever craving any reward. Isn't that what family love is about? Do I treat you well so that you will treat me well in the future?"

Peter laughed. "But affection is mutual! You don't need to give me anything, but I know that in the face of adversity, we'll help each other! What about Keera? Does she have any feelings for me?"

Listening to all this, Keira suddenly felt an intense sense of crisis.

An anonymous text message had told her that Fox was coming to destroy her relationship with the five major families!

She had always thought it was the Gill family and believed that her bond with the Olsen family was profound, given that she was a member of the Olsen family.

But at that moment, Susan's presence made her suddenly realize that her bond with the Olsen family wasn't as deep as she thought...

She hadn't grown up in the Olsen residence, and her relationships with these brothers couldn't be easily judged.

James continued to speak for her. "Of course, Keera has feelings for you! If she didn't, would she care if you and Susan get married or not? Would she keep suspecting Susan upon seeing that event? Would she knowingly hack into someone's phone illegally to get that picture to prove something?! Although she misunderstood Susan, if she had no feelings for you, she could hypocritically wish you a happy life. Why bother to be the villain here? She's afraid that you're being cheated! How can you be so muddled?"

Upon hearing this, Peter stood stunned.

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Peter wavered.

It wasn't that he truly harbored any resentment toward "Keera"; it was just that, moments ago, when Susan suggested that "Keera" was willing to lend her wedding dress to Mary but not to them, he suddenly felt a sense of jealousy.

He and Ellis were both "Keera's" brothers. How could she treat them differently?

And the difference was just too significant...

Peter tensed his jaw, his expression softening slightly, when Susan suddenly spoke up. She looked at Keira and said with a pitiful voice, "Keera, family members should understand and respect each other. I know you don't like me, but could you please not treat Peter like this? He really likes you a lot. The days after you just got back, whenever he and I went shopping, he thought of getting something for you... Can't you respect me for his sake?"

She lowered her head. "I won't hold a grudge about you hacking into my phone. I just hope to get your blessing to marry Peter. Is that too much to ask?"

Peter then turned his gaze back to Keira.

Upon hearing this, Keira silently sighed.

She knew she had to express her stance today.

Just now, during the dispute between James and Peter, she realized that she had actually been weighing the pros and cons, even contemplating at one point whether to reveal the truth to Peter and muddle-headedly agree to this marriage...

But now, she understood.

All of her brothers meant well for her.

Even Peter, who was kept in the dark, was sincere. How could she remain indifferent?!

Keira took a deep breath and said decisively, "No."

Everyone around was stunned, including Peter.

Keira turned to him. "Whether you believe it or not, I saw it in the mall that day. Her relationship with that so-called brother is dubious. What they did was beyond sibling affection. They were being intimate!"

James hurried in front of her, tugging at her arm. "Keera, do you have any evidence?"

"No."

Keira said it confidently.

Immediately, James said with a mix of laughter and helplessness, "If you don't have evidence, don't say it so loudly."

Charles also nodded. "Yeah, Keera, without evidence, don't... don't talk nonsense."

Both men now looked at Peter.

Susan was enraged and confronted Keira. "Peter, I can't tolerate this anymore. Keera, I know we've had our issues before, and that's why you won't let me marry Peter, no matter what!"

Everyone was taken aback. "What issues?"

Even Keira herself was puzzled.

Susan bit her lip. "Is it because during college, you lost to me in the campus beauty contest?"

Keira didn't know what to say.

She was entirely baffled.

That was the real Keera's life, not hers. Keira didn't know that Keera's life intertwined with Susan's once!

Susan bit her lip. "Back then, I won by a few votes, and it was said you were quite unhappy. When we met, the look in your eyes... It just wasn't right. I thought you had forgotten, but are you slandering me now because of that?

Keera, that was three or four years ago. We've never had any real conflict of interest, so why bother?"

Keira instinctively looked at Lewis.

Lewis had already picked up his phone and handed it to her.

Keira took it and saw that it was Keera's college intranet page. Four years ago, Keera indeed competed with Susan for the title of campus beauty!

It wasn't even an official contest...

Keira was speechless.

This Fox sure came prepared!

James and Charles, who could also see the screen, both glanced at Keira and then said, "We don't think Keera is that kind of person."

"Right, she's married with kids now. Who would be that petty?"

James even added, "I had unpleasant confrontations with her when I didn't know her identity. If she held grudges, I would be her least favorite brother. What's your little issue compared to that?"

Susan nodded. "Exactly, what's our little friction compared to all of that? Why can't you just let me be happy with Peter? Keera, is it because I am a woman?"

Keira said, "I..." ALL new chapters on nov(e)lbin(.)com "I don't want to listen to your nonsense anymore!" Peter finally erupted with anger, glaring at Keira. "What more do you want?!"

He was panting as he scanned Keira. "I treated you as my own sister, but what about you? You can't provide any evidence for what you said while Susan has all the evidence. How can I believe you?!"

Keira didn't know what to say.

She clenched her fists.

In the next instant, Mr. Olsen's furious roar came from upstairs. "Peter, how can you speak to Keera like that? You ungrateful thing! Come up here right now!"

Upon hearing this, Peter scoffed and then glanced at Keira before heading upstairs.

That glance carried disappointment...

It made Keira's chest tighten slightly.

But before she could reflect on why, her phone suddenly rang, and she answered immediately. She heard the nanny's sobbing on the other end. "Ma'am, please hurry home! The South residence... The South residence is on fire!! Amy and I are together. I took her out for a walk, but as soon as we got back, we found the house on fire, so I called the fire department. But Miss Mary is still in her room!!"

These words made Keira stand up sharply!!

Mary...

No! She couldn't let anything happen to Mary!