

My Dreamy Old Husband

Chapter 695

Derek told Sophia about everything that had happened.

After Sandra's career took off, she was put in the Mitchell Family's registry and became the young lady in place of Natasha. Her life changed in an instant.

But a lot of people knew about her hidden identity. She was not Alex's biological daughter who was kidnapped twenty years ago, but his illegitimate daughter. Sandra's mother and Alex came to an agreement to hand her over to the Mitchells.

Sandra's biological mother received monies in exchange for cutting off all ties with her while the Mitchell Family found a new young lady in their family. Everything was supposed to be perfect.

It all went wrong when Derek's uncle, Ben, was sent to the police station after being beaten up by Celine and forced to undergo rehabilitation for a period before he was released again. However, he started to idle around after that. When he heard about his successful niece, he thought of ways to get money from her.

To him, Sandra was like an ATM. He visited Sandra's biological mother twice in three days for money. If she did not give him any, he would go and bother Sandra instead.

The brother and sister pair were more or less cut from the same cloth. Both of them saw Sandra as an inexhaustible ATM. They often visited her to ask for money and threatened to expose her as a good-for-nothing to the media if she did not comply.

Since Sandra was being threatened, she could only hand the money over to them obediently each time. The last few times they asked for money, it really exposed their greed. They lived a luxurious life and spent money like water. According to Derek, the last time they visited Sandra to ask for money again was actually the final time. The next day, the police contacted Derek,

who was still in school, and told him to identify some bodies. Both his mother and uncle were lying still in the mortuary after having died from a car crash.

When they found out that Derek's mother and uncle had passed away, Derek's greedy relatives came over and tricked him into giving up his house and family fortune. Moreover, some rascals who were bullied by Ben got to know about Ben's situation and came looking for Derek for trouble. They came and went constantly. Derek became afraid of going to school and of going home, so he ended up in the state that he was in now.

"Didn't you think to look for a job?" Sophia asked with disappointment in her voice as she looked at a miserable Derek.

With an anguished look, he said, "What can I do? It's not like you don't know how immoral my uncle was. People who want to kill him are everywhere. Now that he's dead, it's so hard for me to find a job or even go back to school. I have two more uncles. They took my mom's house away and chased me out of it."

When Sophia looked at him, she felt like she was looking at herself from many years ago. At the time, she had also felt dejected. However, Derek still had other family members. "Didn't you go look for your sister and dad?"

Speaking of his sister, Derek became even more sensitive. "I'm not going. She would rather see me dead!"

Sandra was already secured as the young lady of the Mitchell Family. Unless Alex had another son, her current position was unshakable.

Letting Sandra stabilize like now was nothing more than a way for Alex to stall time. He still had to have a successor that he could raise and nurture again. Some rumors claimed that Alex was starting in-vitro fertilization treatments again. He was trying so hard to have another child. If he had another son, he would still receive the attention of an athletic star. It would not end too badly.

The present Sandra was very appalled by her past. She feared that if people found out about her past and how she was willing to harm her biological uncle and mother, the car crash would not be seen as just an accident.

Indeed, she was a spiteful woman.

“Okay, you can make do with some odd jobs for now. I will be responsible for your food and accommodation. I’ll find a way to get you a new student status too. You should start going to school when school starts next year.

But, Derek’s misfortune served as a cautionary reminder for Sophia. She was the one that made Sandra Oak into Sandra Mitchell. She held the reins on Sandra now, but Sandra might grow independent and bite back at her one day.

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Stanley and Sean recently moved into a four-bedroom, two-sitting-room house that they bought. They were getting ready to bring the dogs over. Each of them stayed in one room, the dogs were in one room, and the last room was for Derek. He was able to move in right after Sophia paid the rent.

Just as she finished settling Derek’s matters, an unexpected person showed up at the company.

“Master Sam? What are you doing here? Please come in!”

Sam had also brought Corrado along with him.

He wore an extremely simple outfit today—all black with a fur coat and high boots. He looked younger, and despite being forty, his hair was full and black. When he walked amidst balding young people, it made him seem a lot more handsome and dignified.

“I came to take a look at your company. It’s not bad; it’s quite big.”

As Sam looked around Sophia’s company, he saw a lot of people and a rather aggressive interior. It did not seem like there was a flaw anywhere.

She was truly Cooper Mitchell’s daughter. It was hard to come by someone who could produce visible results while they were still studying.

On the other hand, Sophia felt embarrassed and did not dare to act up in front of him. “It’s nothing much. I must seem like a joke to you.”

Nonetheless, she still hurried to take Sam on a tour around her company.

Word that a handsome man was at the company spread like wildfire and Stanley ended up bringing Sean out to see.

“Look at that person over there! Where did he come from? Look at my aunt; she looks so happy.” Stanley caressed his own crew cut while he admired Sam’s thick black hair as he spoke. He had lost a lot of hair from staying up late and playing games. Hence, he had gotten his current haircut.

He was green with envy just by looking at Sam’s thick hair.

Sean looked at that person and fell into deep thought for a moment. “He’s the 9th Old Master of the Edwards Family. He used to be in politics, but now he is in business. I’ve seen him on Aunt’s IG stories before.”

A couple of days ago, Sophia posted a photo with Sam on her IG stories and Sean remembered it.

After walking one round, Sophia brought Sam to meet Stanley and Sean. “These are the other two founders of our company. This is Stanley Fletcher, my husband’s nephew, and Judge’s owner.”

“This is Sean Mitchell. We’re students at Bayside University.”

Sam shook hands with Stanley and Sean. “Hello, I’m Sam Edwards.”

Stanley was praising him silently. *I’ve heard of this man before. They say that he’s in his forties now. I didn’t think he would look so young. He looks even younger than Michael!*

When the introductions were over, Sophia looked at Stanley and said, “Master Sam wants to invest some money in our company.”

Wow, he truly is a big shot!

His smile became even more sincere.

Even though he was still wary on the inside.

With confidence, Sam said, "Even though you're a startup, you have good prospects. I see potential in you. Why don't I invite all of you for dinner tonight at Crimson House?"

Stanley was stunned. "It's really hard to book a place at Crimson House. I'm afraid we won't be able to get a table at this hour. It's also very expensive..."

"No problem. I'm paying. I'll be glad to."

Sam hoped that Sophia would enter Crimson House, as Annabel's things were there.