

My Dreamy Old Husband

Chapter 715

Irene waltzed into the backstage area and smilingly said, “I heard that you were having a product launch today. So, I specially came by to have a look. Is there anything I can do to help?”

As soon as Sophia heard those words, she knew why Irene was here. *What help can she give when she is so scared of dogs?!*

She would never send an invitation to Irene to attend her new product launch. *I knew Irene wanted to come—she knew Michael would be attending.*

During this period, Irene had been trying to find an opportunity to meet with Michael. Unfortunately, her circles had nothing to do with his circles; there were no joint projects that they were working on together; he never returned to the Fletcher Residence; she didn't know his daily schedule; and she couldn't enter The Imperial even if she wanted to.

The person that had been helping her had severed all contact with her too and could no longer be contacted. Thus, she could only rely on herself now. *I need to get back to Michael's side. But, how am I going to achieve that if I can't even meet with him?* Previously, she had hired people to hype up the fact that she was Michael's first love online.

She had two reasons for doing that. She wanted to remind him of their memories together. At the same time, she also wanted Sophia to exit the game on her own. Contrary to her expectations, he seemed to have completely let go of the past. Even Sophia seemed like she was unaffected by it. Despite reminiscing with

Michael in front of her, she had not shown any reaction. *She is so horrifyingly thick-skinned! Even though people all over the country are wishing for their breakup, she stubbornly continues to hold on! How shameless of her!*

Still, Irene didn't believe that the love between Michael and Sophia was really that strong. *As long as I exist, there will be a chink in their armor! But first, I need to get closer to Michael.* She might not have known his daily schedule, but he would definitely appear at Sophia's new product launch for her brand. Sure enough; she learned that both Michael and Harry were present today.

Then, Sophia and Irene made small talk as they headed toward the backstage area. However, Sophia was cursing Irene in her heart, *Came here to help? Yeah, right! You came here uninvited; why are you making it sound like you're so noble?!*

Having heard that Irene had arrived uninvited and was currently heading toward the backstage area, Sarah was frantic as she rushed about like a whirlwind. "Maria, bring Snowball here. Master Sam, can I borrow Corrado for a moment? Stan, remove Judge's leash. Old Wolf, let Bubbles go. Unleash it."

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Irene was dressed glamorously today, and her makeup made her look very youthful. Over the years, she had carefully maintained her skin. So, she still looked as young and supple as she was when she was younger.

Unexpectedly, they were greeted by two gigantic dogs sitting side by side as soon as they entered the backstage area. They were two poodles as large as gorillas. Even while sitting, they were as tall as a young girl's waist. Irene had a fear of dogs since she was young.

Knowing that many dogs would be present today, she had mentally prepared herself. Even so, she still turned pale with fright and subconsciously stepped

back in fear when she saw the two monstrously huge giant poodles. “What a huge dog! Bring it away! Bring it away!”

Both the giant poodles were not on leashes. When they saw Sophia, they dashed over immediately. Meanwhile, Irene was so scared that her face became bloodlessly pale. *I knew Sophia had a big dog, but I didn't think it was this huge!*

Sophia quickly grabbed both giant poodles by the collars and brought them over to Irene. “Irene, don't be fooled by their size. These two puppies are very well-behaved. Why don't you touch them and see?”

How could Irene possibly dare to touch them? She was so scared that she kept stepping backward, and her calves started trembling in fear. In the next moment, many other dogs ran over from the backstage area too, including the all-black Corrado, the all-white Snowball, the black-and-white Judge, as well as a group of Alaskan Malamutes, Golden Retrievers, and Saint Bernards. All of them were large dog breeds.

Irene was so scared that she blanked out. *Why are there so many dogs?!* All the dogs were not on their leashes as they surrounded her and sniffed at her. As a result, she was so scared that she couldn't speak. Thus, Sophia hurriedly said to her, “Hey, Irene. We have many dogs here. Why don't you go and have a seat at the VIP seating out front?”

After that, she asked Maria to lead Irene to the VIP seats in the main venue. By then, Irene was so scared that she barely had any strength left to walk.

Upon seeing Irene being led away, Sophia was overjoyed. Bringing the dogs with her to the backstage area, she handed Bubbles' leash over to Michael. “I'm leaving Bubbles in your care today.”

No, I should say I'm leaving Michael in Bubbles' care. Bubbles is going to protect him. If Irene dares to approach again, I'll set Bubbles on her!

As instructed, Bubbles remained by Michael's side all day long. Due to its monstrous size, it kept many women at bay. Everybody knew that Taylor had gotten a giant poodle, but nobody expected to see that it was such a large dog. It came up to Taylor's waist when it sat down!

The product launch today progressed smoothly. In particular, the fashion show was amazing. The models they hired were very outstanding, and the pet models were chosen very well too. After the product launch, the orders flooded in, and Ivan was surrounded by a group of ladies.

Naturally, the ones that stood out the most were Michael and Harry. The two Academy Award winners had gone above and beyond in creating a stir.

Michael and Harry came out from the backstage area after everything was over. Harry was holding a giant poodle by the leash while Michael was walking with a giant poodle, a Husky, and a Samoyed. Although he was usually quite cold at home, the pets in the house seemed to like him a lot. It was probably due to his handsome looks. At that moment, he was surrounded by a group of dogs.

Irene plucked up her courage to walk over. When Judge noticed her, it became curious and tried to get a closer look at her. However, its fierce appearance scared Irene so much that she didn't dare to get closer.

On the other hand, Michael quickly left, lest he was blocked by his fans once news got out of his whereabouts. Irene could only watch as he left; she didn't even have the courage to go up and greet him. Similarly, he pretended not to notice her as he got into the car with a large group of dogs.

After he left, she glared furiously at Sophia, who was being surrounded by a group of ladies. *It's her! It's all her fault! She deliberately arranged everything! She knows I am scared of dogs. That's why she placed so many large dogs around Michael—she wanted to stop me from approaching him! Did she think that just because she stopped me from getting closer to him, she can have him all to herself? In her dreams!* Making up her mind, she headed toward Sophia.

Most of the clients had left, and the remaining few were surrounding Ivan. In the meantime, Sophia was talking to Sam. Sam was leaving his dog in Sophia's care again. He claimed that he had to go on a business trip for a while. Since he was worried about leaving the dog at home, he might as well leave it with Sophia. As the first major customer of the new brand, Pouri, he had signed the lifelong rights of Corrado's outfits and accessories to her. Thus, she had no choice but to accept Corrado and allow it to continue living in her house.

After Sam left, Sophia asked Maria to take Corrado away while she drank a glass of water. She had worked hard the entire day—so much so that she didn't even have the time for a water break. As she was drinking, Irene suddenly approached her and said, "Sophia, can I have a word with you? I have something important to say."

Sophia said nothing as she left with Irene. *Let's see what trick she's trying to pull now.*