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Mistaking the CEO for a Gigolo 1373

Chapter 1373 Hot Potato

Sophia stayed silent for a moment before saying, "Sally? I think she's an orphan. I don't really know that much either."

"Mom, why would you introduce her to Juan when you don't really know her yourself? Aren't you afraid that there's something fishy going on with her?"

The woman chuckled. "Nothing is perfect in this world, Nicole. Do you want a beautiful and capable woman who can help your son out in the future, or do you want an average but materialistic woman who dreams of going from rags to riches as your daughter-in-law?"

"What do you mean by that, Mom?"

"It's simple. Perhaps Sally does have some secrets or ulterior motives, but both Juan and Kyle aren't idiots! You should know that whatever motives or purpose are useless if true feelings get involved. Just let them handle this themselves. This is a great chance for a battle of wits and courage amongst the younger ones. Maybe things might even come to fruition in the end."

"So you think that Sally isn't just an ordinary person too? Aren't you worried that whatever she's planning would harm them or maybe even the Seet family and Seet Group?"

"Of course I'm worried! However, if she really has something planned against our family, she would still have her backup plans even if you were to ruin her current one. You might as well let the younger ones handle this. You have to believe in them."

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Nicole stayed silent at that.

She heaved a long sigh when she suddenly realized that the whole situation felt like a hot potato instead of her mother-in-law introducing a wife for her son.

Hopefully, Juan is charming enough to tame Sally. Even if he isn't, let's hope that he has enough in him to outsmart her. Otherwise, he'd have to suffer a loss or even end up having to pay a price in their battle of wits.

How this would end depends entirely on what Sally is planning.

As a mother, Nicole felt the need to remind Juan to have his guard up regarding this issue.

At the sight of her being stuck in her thoughts, the corner of Evan's lips tilted upward slightly as he said, "I think Mom has a good point. It all depends on them whether this will end up good or bad. We need to have faith in Juan."

It wasn't that she didn't have faith in her son, but even a bomb expert would be on edge if there was a bomb that could go off anytime right next to them.

"All right. Didn't you say that you wanted to meet Stephen? You can go with Nina later."

"Okay. I'll go get ready."

Nicole stopped thinking about Juan and Sally's issue and went to get changed.

While sending Sally home, Juan would take glances at her from time to time, a strange look in his eyes. The girl couldn't wrap her mind around his behavior at all.

"Is there something you want to tell me? Do you want to praise me because you're satisfied with my performance at your house?"

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Hearing that, he laughed. "Praise you? Sure, I'll praise you for your excellent acting skills."

Acting skills?

Sally wasn't as calm anymore upon hearing those words. She subconsciously clenched her fists, trying to keep her calm as she turned to ask, "What do you mean? When did I do that? I don't think I've ever put up a front. Or maybe it's because you think that I was too sincere. Was I too good to your family, and that's why you thought that I was acting?"

Too good?

Bullsh*t!

Juan shot her a cold glare and said, "I have to admit. That part where you gave my mom a gift? That was superb acting. Some people spend the least money to do something meaningful and extravagant, and you're one of them."

Oh, so he's talking about the gift.

Sally was relieved to hear that. "Was my gift for your mom not valuable enough? But that's—"

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Chapter 1374 A Scheming Person

"What? That bracelet is the most precious thing to you?"

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"That's right!"

"I don't believe you. I think that it's just something you bought somewhere as an accessory, or you prepared it intentionally for a situation like this. It can't have cost you that much. But you're smart. You used a cheap bracelet and paired it with such a sad story. That made the bracelet valuable, and my mom fell for it. Tsk, tsk. You managed to make a righteous image for yourself without much effort. I've got to hand it to you for being so smart."

Sally wasn't even denying Juan's analysis. Instead, she simply smiled it off.

The latter turned to look at her and asked, "Was I correct?"

"Does it matter?"

"If I was correct, it means that you're a scheming person, so you won't be easy to handle. If I was wrong, then it means that there's something wrong with my observation and analyzing skills."

"Well, congratulations. You were right, so there's nothing wrong with your observation and analyzing skills. As expected of Mr. Juan of Seet Group. Here are two thumbs up for you."

He sighed at the sight of her thumbs. "I knew it. You're a scheming person with ill intentions."

"That's right. So you better be more cautious when hanging out with me."

"Why? Are you planning to rob me and finish me off?"

"If I was really planning to do that..." As she spoke, the girl suddenly pressed a dagger against Juan's neck. "Don't you think this is the best time to rob and kill you?"

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What the h*ll! She's even carrying a dagger with her?

He stared at the blade without a hint of fear on his face and said, "It's not a good time now. If I were to lose control of the steering wheel now, both of us will end up dead. Is that what you want?"

Sally smiled. "Relax. I was just joking. This dagger is made of sugar anyway." With that, she broke the dagger into pieces and put it in her mouth.

As Juan watched her crunch away on the candy, he thought that she was either too bored or she had a way of thinking no one else could comprehend.

Otherwise, why would she have made a dagger out of sugar and brought it along with her? Is it because it's fun or because it's delicious?

The Maybach came to a stop upon arriving at Sally's residence.

"All right. You can get down now."

"Thanks! I'll come to you when I think of the second request. Also, I'm your girlfriend in your family's eyes from today onward."

"Are there any benefits to being my girlfriend?"

By that, Juan meant to ask if there was something Sally wanted to do with the status she had now. Naturally, the latter knew what he meant. She started feigning ignorance and waved the jewelry Nicole had given her before his face. "Of course! There are so many benefits."

He sneered at her. She was quick-witted, so there was no way he could get anything out of her so easily. With that, he turned the car around and left.

Sally watched as the car left and heaved a sigh when it was finally gone. Then, she turned and went upstairs.

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Once Nicole was done putting on makeup and had gotten changed, she went to look for Nina. However, she suddenly felt uneasy when she reached her daughter's bedroom.

Stephen is just getting a little bit close to Nina. Is it really all right for me to meet him with her?

After pondering over the matter, she finally decided that she would come up with an excuse and approach Stephen at the company herself.

With her mind made up, the woman went back into her bedroom.

Surprised to see his wife, Evan asked, "What's wrong? Did Nina not want you to meet him?"

"No. I haven't told her yet since I was afraid that she would overthink things and feel pressured. I think it'd be best if I went and met him alone. Don't tell Nina."

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