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Chapter 1487 I Am Back

It was already near the end of fall when Ichika finally returned to Avenport. "Darling, I'm back! I'm at the airport right now. Can you pick me up?"

The woman intentionally waited until she arrived in Avenport before calling Solomon to inform him of her return, for she wanted to surprise her husband.

After listening to Ichika over the phone, Solomon was stunned for a brief moment. "What? Why didn't you tell me you're coming home?"

"I want to surprise you. Aren't you happy to hear that I'm finally home? Come get me at the airport now. I have brought so many gifts for you!" exclaimed Ichika with excitement.

However, the other end of the call was silent for a few seconds before Solomon informed coldly, "I'm at a meeting right now. I'll have someone else pick you up."

"Oh." Upon hearing her husband's response, Ichika lost her excitement. I thought for sure he was going to hurry over to see me.

Still, Ichika decided to be understanding and not make a big fuss out of it. The meeting is probably very important to him. I can understand.

After Ichika got home, she realized that Wendy was no longer staying at Frontier Bay, so she rolled her sleeves up and started to clean the house.

Ichika knew that she had been away for a long time, so to make up for her lengthy absence, she decided to tidy up the house and prepare a hearty meal for her husband.

In spite of all her effort, Solomon did not return home that evening, so she called him.

"Darling, are you still working?"

"Yeah. I still have a lot to do."

From Solomon's tone, Ichika could tell that her husband did not intend to go home any time soon, and that tore her apart. Why is he treating me this way? I'm finally home now. Shouldn't he come back early to see me? I did my best not to bother him while he was at work, and I even prepared dinner. Is this not enough?

Broken-hearted, Ichika left the dining table and went straight into the bedroom after hanging up.

After some time, the woman inadvertently fell asleep and only half-opened her eyes when a figure entered the room.

The figure then stood beside the bed for a while without saying anything.

"Darling, is that you?" inquired Ichika, still half asleep.

"Yes," replied the figure before pulling up the blanket for Ichika and lowering himself to peck her on the forehead. "Just rest. I'll be with you soon."

"Okay."

Content to hear those words, Ichika hugged her blanket and continued to slumber.

With his brows furrowed, Solomon watched as his wife fell asleep before moving to the study, where he had spent most of his time at home for the past month. Exhausted from keeping up his appearance at work, Solomon felt like he could breathe again when he finally rid himself of his suit. Anyone who saw how weary Solomon looked then, would find it hard to believe that he was a respectable businessman.

Haruto: Akiyama, would you like to give surgery a chance?

The message popped onto the monitor as soon as Solomon turned on his computer.

As if he had a terrible headache, Solomon knitted his eyebrows tightly while he stared at the screen.

Akiyama: Is there any point at all?

Haruto: Of course there is. I need to figure out which affected part of the body is causing your infertility. Only after I get to the root of the problem can I start treating you.

It took quite a while before Solomon moved his hands back onto the keyboard to reply to the physician.

Akiyama: And you're sure you'll be able to figure it out this time? It didn't work out the last few times. You even told me that it's incurable.

Haruto: You're my best friend, Akiyama, so I thought you deserved the truth. But I found another way to help you, and that's why I reached out. I believe I owe it to myself to do my best for you.

Not only was the Jetroinian forthcoming, but he was also a man of principles.

No matter how bad the situation was, he believed everyone deserved to hear the plain truth.

At that point, Solomon stopped responding to the physician. Although he was filled with despair before, the man could see a glimmer of hope once again.

The following day, Ichika woke up at sunrise feeling well-rested. "Darling?"

After opening her eyes, Ichika immediately turned around to look for her husband, but the man was nowhere to be seen. Where could he be?

Worried, Ichika hurriedly jumped out of bed and rushed out of the bedroom without a jacket. "Darling, where are you? Darling?"

The man fell asleep in the study but was woken up when his wife called out for him.

"Darling!" When Solomon was still rubbing his eyes, Ichika opened the door and threw herself at him.

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Chapter 1488 Noticed Something Strange

"Why did you sleep here, Darling? Have you been working all night?" The woman's eyes welled up the moment she noticed Solomon's bloodshot eyes and unkempt facial hair.

"I'm fine. I just had a lot to do. That's all," replied Solomon in a hoarse voice while looking at his teary-eyed wife.

"But this is going to take a toll on your health. You can't work all night like this. Please, Darling. You have to promise me that you'll stop doing this to yourself, okay?" pleaded Ichika as tears started to roll down her cheeks.

Seeing how heartbroken his wife was, Solomon could no longer hold it in. He immediately wrapped his arms around Ichika and embraced her tightly.

"Okay, I promise."

After that, the couple went downstairs to have breakfast as usual. It was just like every other morning until they were done with their meal.

"Ichika, I'll be away for two days. Do you want to go to Frontier Bay? Or maybe the Hayes residence?"

"Huh?" Still busy cleaning up the table, Ichika lifted her head when she heard her husband. He's going abroad again? But I just got back home. Can't he stay a while longer with me?

As much as the news saddened her, Ichika decided to be understanding. Even as a young girl, she was taught to respect the decision of the family's breadwinner.

"Don't worry about me. Just come home soon, okay?"

"I will. So will you be going to Frontier Bay or the Hayes residence? I have to inform them."

Solomon could feel his heart break a little when he saw how Ichika pouted at the sudden news, so he immediately grabbed his phone and called the Hayes residence.

He remembered Ichika had mentioned that there was no point in going to Frontier Bay since the children were no longer there. On the contrary, she could help out at the Hayes residence since Thanksgiving was just around the corner.

Relieved to see that Ichika was kept busy there, Solomon packed and flew off to Jetroina.

Haruto was already waiting for him when he got there.

Meanwhile, at the Oceanic Estate, Sasha only found out about Solomon's trip when Ichika texted her. The Jetroinian needed help finding some stuff at the Hayes residence.

Sasha: I thought you just got home. Why did Solomon have to go abroad all of a sudden? Couldn't he stay for another a day or two?

Ichika: It's fine. I know he's a busy man. He even fell asleep working in the study last night.

When Sasha heard how busy Solomon seemed, she could not help but wonder if something had happened to Hayes Corporation.

Worried, the woman immediately jumped to her feet and went downstairs to Sebastian since it was still early.

"Hey, can I talk to you?" asked Sasha after opening the door to the study.

"Give me a minute," responded Sebastian, still hard at work under the desk lamp, before motioning for Sasha to come in.

She then grabbed a chair and sat down close to Sebastian.

Even though the man was still working, he did not seem displeased that Sasha pulled up a chair beside him. Not only that, but he also moved his chair a little so that Sasha could move closer to him.

For some reason, that gesture warmed her heart.

"Could you find out if something has happened to Hayes Corporation? I was in contact with Ichika, and she told me that Solomon was so caught up with work he fell asleep in the study. He even told Ichika that he had to go abroad the next day she got home."

"What? Today? Nobody told me anything of that sort," Sebastian's slender fingers suddenly stopped on the keyboard.

"Here, take a look. Ichika told me herself," stated Sasha as she handed Sebastian her phone.

After going through the messages, the man furrowed his brows concernedly.

"Let me make a phone call." With that, Sebastian took his phone out and started dialing.

Since he was the one who almost single-handedly put Hayes Corporation on the map, it was only natural for Sebastian to be concerned about the company's welfare. If something terrible were to happen to Hayes, there was no way the man could sit by idly.

However, to Sebastian's surprise, Luke told his boss that there was nothing wrong with the company.

"Mr. Hayes, I'm not sure what Mr. George has been so busy with lately, but I can assure you that none of us at the company have been working overtime or attending late-night meetings. You can check the records for yourself."

What the heck was Solomon busy with then?

With his brows still tightly knitted, Sebastian followed up with another question. "Could it be something personal?"

"Something personal?" After thinking for a while, the assistant remembered Solomon's odd behaviors.

"Now that you mention it, I did notice how strange Mr. George has been acting lately. He always comes to work looking exhausted and distracted. Not only that, but he also seemed to be easily irritated all the time. He wasn't like that before."