

My Baby's Daddy Chapter 1220-1224

Chapter 1220 – Ruka looked at the presents on the table, not knowing where to even begin. When she heard the sound of footsteps from the stairs, she looked up and saw Ren in casual clothing—a dark sweater and beige pants. The clothes made him look softer, yet he retained his usual steely demeanor.

She waited for him to sit beside her before sighing. “Why did you prepare so many presents? I only need one from you!”

He reached for one and handed it to her. “Open it and see.”

She couldn't help being attracted by the pastel blue wrapping. It was her favorite color; he must have taken her preferences to heart. Then, when she finally unwrapped the gift, she found a pretty pastel blue beaded handbag. Even though there weren't any brand logos on it, it was evident from the beautiful craftsmanship that it was handmade.

“It's gorgeous. I love it.” She held it out to admire it under the light.

Ren took a ring box from his pocket and gave it to her. “Open this one”
Ruka's breath caught. Is he giving me a ring?

He placed it in her palm, and she bit her lip as she opened it. A shiny open diamond ring with a simple, elegant design lay inside, which looked vintage yet stylish. Before she could react, he took it and placed it on her right middle finger. It was a perfect fit, making her blink in surprise. How did he know the size of her finger?

Just then, he pulled out another ring from his pocket and wore it on his left middle finger. Although the rings differed in size, their similarity made it known that it was clearly a couple's ring.

These were matching rings for couples. At that realization, she blushed harder, and she couldn't believe they were at that stage already.

“Did you choose them?” Ruka asked shyly.

“Yes.” Ren nodded. It had been the most important gift to him, a promise to tie them together so no one could ever separate them again.

“Do not remove it without my permission,” he continued in a low voice.

She nodded obediently. “Okay.”

The other presents were some necessities she might need, but she had already received the most important gift, which was his heart. It was soon 11:30PM, and she concealed a yawn. She had experienced a shock today, and it had worn her out.

Chapter 1221 – “Let's go to bed!” He must have seen how tired she was and led her upstairs. She bit her lip again, wondering with a racing heart if he meant to let her sleep in his bedroom or hers.

When they arrived at her bedroom door, she' stopped and withdrew her hand from his. "Goodnight."

He paused to look at her, his gaze clouded over as he sighed softly. "Goodnight."

When she turned to open the door, he asked, "Will you be cold sleeping alone?"

She understood at once, shaking her head firmly. "Nope. I have air conditioning."

He laughed out loud. "Is it as warm as I am?"

She thought internally, It's much safer than him, that's for sure.

"Uncle, if you're that warm, you probably have a fever. For your safety, I think it's better for you if we don't sleep together." She wasn't stupid. After all, she had just turned 24, and it wasn't as though she didn't understand how romantic relationships work.

He blushed slightly and coughed lightly. "You are so considerate. Why don't you think of a way to help?"

She didn't know how to answer him, so she opened the door quickly and slid through the gap before peeking out. "Well, I can't help you. Goodnight!"

He looked at her with a hurt expression but didn't force the issue. "Goodnight."

Chapter 1222 – Both Ruka and Ren went back to their rooms after the conversation. Ruka had been through a lot today, so she lay down and slept, still feeling happy. However, that didn't last since it wasn't long before sadness crept in.

She was standing on the lawn outside the Husson Residence when she heard voices from the hall, which she couldn't hear clearly. She moved closer in curiosity, and soon she could make them out. The elderly Mr. and Mrs. Husson was there, together with Scarlet, Walter, and her parents. Still, she could also make out a kneeling figure on the floor, back straight and head bowed.

It was Ren.

"How can you fall for your sister's goddaughter? If you destroy your future because of her, I will disown you," Mr. Husson scolded.

*Ren, Ruka's your niece. You can't be together," said Scarlet. .

"You are our family's pride and joy. You can't destroy our family honor," cried Mrs. . Husson.

At this sight, she was so shocked she fell onto the floor, then covered her face in pain. She could see her parents approaching, saying sternly, "Ruka, you cannot destroy his future. Leave him."

"No, I don't want to. I love Ren and want to be with him," shouted Ruka. She could see Ren's worried face as a sudden force pulled her away.

“Ren-” She woke up suddenly, calling his name. After her eyes snapped open and she found herself drenched in cold sweat, then she realized it was just a nightmare. She breathed harshly through her nose, with tears still lingering at the corners of her eyes. It had all seemed so real.

She sighed. If dreams reflect people’s inner thoughts, then her feelings for him weren’t just affection. She was already in love with him because losing him had felt so painful. Even the thought of it made her feel suffocated in despair.

The following morning, Ruka was still sleeping when a phone call woke her up. She felt around for it and answered dazedly, eyes still closed, “Hello?”

“Ruka, your father and I are now at the airport. Can you come back in the afternoon to help us clean up the house?” The voice of her mother chimed on the other end of the line.

She opened her eyes immediately, astonished. “Mom, are you back? Why didn’t you tell me earlier?”

“We took our vacation one week earlier. Your father wants to give you a surprise, so we didn’t tell you.” Claire laughed. “What? Aren’t

you happy?”

“Of course!” Ruka replied with a smile.

Chapter 1223 – “Okay, we’re heading home now. We have troubled Ren long enough, and I feel awful about it.” Claire must be calling for a cab, as she sounded frantic. “We have a lot of luggage. We’ll talk later. Your dad can’t get a cab.”

“Of course. You can head home first. I’ll be there in the afternoon” Ruka answered quickly.

“Okay, I’ll prepare something good for dinner.” Claire hung up as soon as she finished speaking.

Ruka exhaled and looked around the room since she didn’t feel like leaving. She couldn’t help laughing at herself since she had refused to move in back then, but now she felt attached to this place.

Nevertheless, she had no choice as her parents had taken a rare

vacation to come home. So, she had to spend more time with them. As her gaze laid at the ring on her finger, she raised it to her lips to kiss it.

She got up from the bed and packed her clothes into her luggage before going downstairs, wondering if Ren needed to work on weekends. The servant was already preparing breakfast when she arrived, greeting her respectfully, “Good morning, Ms. Singed.”

“Good morning,” she replied politely.

“I think Mr. Husson might be in the gym,” said the servant.

She nodded, surprised and pleased. So, he was still home! Otherwise, she wouldn't have the chance to say goodbye to him.

Chapter 1224 – Ruka headed toward the gym. It was a winter inorning, yet it felt warm and sunny, greatly affecting her mood. She peered into the gym from the other side of the glass to see Ren cloing pushups, hands pressed against the floor and body taut with strength. His workout shorts revealed his perfectly rnuuscled thighs, and she could probably see the veins all over his body from how hard he was working out.

She suddenly felt breathless for no reason and looked away. Her mouth felt parched as her eyes wandered back, unable to stop herself from admiring him.

Finally, he got to his feet and turned toward the doorway with a smile. "Why are you hiding? Come in if you want to have a look."

Ruka froze at once. How had Ren known she was there? She had been discovered anyway, so she walked detcrminedly into the gym.

She felt tiny in her flip-flops as she stood before him. Since the top of her head only reached his chin, she had to look up at him. He probably was around 6'4.

Suddenly she felt the urge to prove her stamina, so she glanced at the dumbbells and walked toward them. She tried to lift one, but it refused to yield and stayed where it was. She felt slightly skeptical that she couldn't even make it budge one bit. Thus, she bent over and tried to lift it again.

"Don't force yourself if you can't do it." He smiled in amusement as he placed his hands on his hips.

She still wasn't convinced. "I can do it. Just wait and see."

"I will, but you'll hurt your muscles if you push yourself too hard. Try jogging" He looked at her dotingly.

Left with no choice, she moved on to the

treadmill while Ren watched on the side. Soon, she was a little out of brcath. It seemed that working out didn't suit her after all. She also lost her balance in that split second as she turned off the treadmill.

"Oof!" She fell right into his arms, and he wrapped them around her waist in a tight embrace. She could smell his sweat, yet she found the scent attractive.

"My parents are back. I have to leave this afternoon," she said as she raised her head to look at him.

He stared down at her. "Really?"