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Bogus Billionaire By Shining Riviera Chapter 694-The man nodded. "That's right." Caroline walked to the door impatiently. She spotted the man turning onto the hallway right away. The man was wearing a coat, his figure tall and straight. He looked just as she remembered Caroline was overjoyed as she looked at the man's face. He had very regular features, which were far from what Caroline had imagined. She'd thought that the man with such a great figure would have a face that blew people away. A face like Kirk's "Unc. Caroline trailed off. As she watched "Kirk Morrison" approach her, she gave it some thought and changed her mind. "Mr. Morrison." "Kirk" looked at Caroline's face, a bit fearful of doing so but having no choice.

"Hello" The two of them entered the private room and sat down.

Caroline sat opposite "Kirk". She couldn't help but feel that he was completely different from the man she had once seen.

"Mr. Morrison, thank you so much for taking time out of your busy schedule to meet me The anticipation that she had built up was all gone. Now, Caroline went straight to the point. The main reason I wanted to speak with you is to ask about your endorsement of me " She explained, "You should already know that acquiring the Collins Group will take 300 million dollars. That's the GDP of a whole region. If I mishandle things, this might put the SY Group in debt That's why I want to know what made you trust and support me " *Kirk" sat straighter and answered confidently, "It's actually very simple. I've gotten an understanding of how things were for the Evans Group in the past and how it is now That's why I'm very sure about my decision. I believe that you will be able to run the Collins Group well *

Is it really that simple?" Caroline could hardly believe it Especially considering how large the amount involved was Kirk could always find someone more mature and capable. It wouldn't be someone like her who was unprepared Kirk smiled "As a businessman, what I naturally prioritize in your ability to manage a big company well. He suddenly asked Caroline, curious, "What did you think was my reasoning?"

+15 BONUS Caroline ducked her head shyly. She could hardly say that she had assumed he liked her and was only investing in this because of his feelings.

“Alright. Do you have any other questions?” “Kirk“ asked.

Caroline replied, “No, there’s nothing else.” Then let’s try the fish stew here” “Kirk” held out his hand in a friendly manner.

“I’m sure you’ll like it. It’s prepared personally by a famous chef.” It was thanks to Caroline that he would have the opportunity to try such a delectable stew himself.

Gorging herself on the food, Caroline felt the confusions in her heart clearing up.

She waved goodbye to “Kirk ” Once Caroline left, “Kirk” suddenly felt his legs go weak. He stumbled to a seat on the chair.

At that moment, Kirk exited the surveillance room. He immediately got onto another elevator and raced downstairs. He sprinted to get back into the car before Caroline.

In the driver’s seat, Jack couldn’t help but glance at Kirk Kirk lowered his voice and ordered, “Face forward.” Jack had no choice but to obey A second later, Jack noticed Caroline walking out of the restaurant He got out of the car and opened the door for her.

“Ms. Evans, how was it? Did you meet Mr. Morrison?” Jack asked, even though he already knew the answer As Caroline got into the car, she frowned.

Seeing this, Jack looked toward Kirk Kirk’s attention was focused on Caroline all this while Caroline frowned, not relaxing even after a long time Seeing that, his heart dislodged from his throat.

“What is it, darling?”

Caroline looked at Kitk “It’s nothing. I just get a sense that that man doesn’t seem like Eddy’s second uncle Tell me honestly, Kirk Was that really the president of the SY Group?”

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like it wasn't him. It's just a feeling." Kirk relaxed instantly. He smiled. "Then what do you think the president of the SY Group should look like?" Caroline replied, "Well, I can't say. I just think he doesn't look like..." She trailed off, her gaze fell on Kirk. "I think the president of the SY Group should look like you." Kirk froze. After a moment, he caressed Caroline's hair and said, "Darling, I think you're biased." Caroline hugged Kirk's waist. "Well, I do think you're the best." In the driver's seat, Jack couldn't help but cough.

Caroline suddenly remembered there was someone else in the vehicle. Her face turned red.

After they arrived home, Caroline sent the pictures she'd snuck of "Kirk" into the group chat.

Everyone, including Sonia, thought he wasn't as they had expected.

"Aw, and I thought he would be a great hottie. But it turns out he's just rich." Gwen lamented in the group chat.

Caroline laughed. "Don't forget, he's the richest person in the world." Gwen snickered. "Even with all that money, it's not like he can make himself handsome. I think I prefer someone handsome!" Everyone in the group laughed.

As they chatted, Cheryl sighed in the midst of scrolling through her phone.

Several people asked, immediately in concern, "What is it?" "I just saw the news. Mr. Eddy publicly announced that he'll sponsor Layla and help her acquire the Collins Group.

"What?" Gwen started cursing the second she heard this "Is he fucking stupid?"

How could he actually be crazy enough to invest in Layla?" +15 BONUS "It's true." Sonia had also seen this news. "He admitted it in an interview, too. It wasn't just in some statement, but it was also a video. Come look. Mr. Eddy sure does love Layla." Gwen coughed loudly.

It was only then that Sonia realized she had misspoken. "Sorry, Caroline." Caroline chuckled. "I'm fine. Who Eddy wants to be with is none of my business." Seeing that Caroline really was fine, Gwen let loose and started bitching. "I wonder if Eddy's under a spell or something. After the Evanson

Corporation, hasn't he learned his lesson? Is he only going to stop after he bankrupts the Morrison Corporation?" Caroline said, "No, it's not a spell. It's because Layla once saved Eddy's life.

That's why he helps her unconditionally." "She saved Eddy's life?" All three of them were stunned.

"When was that? Why don't I know about this?" Gwen was completely clueless.

Caroline recounted what Eddy had told her before. She still couldn't remember the incident herself, so she could only tell them what Eddy had said.

The others fell quiet after hearing the story.

After a while, Gwen spoke up. "I do have some recollection of when you were kidnapped as kids. My mom even kept using what happened to scare us from going out. You went abroad during that time, too. But this is the first I'm hearing about Layla saving Eddy.

Bogus Billionaire By Shining Riviera Chapter 696-"No wonder Eddy has allowed Layla to do whatever she wants all these years.

So it's because of this," Gwen continued. "Even so, he shouldn't be so cruel to you just because Layla saved him." Gwen always remembered how Eddy treated Caroline in those eight years.

Plus, there was the matter of Layla faking her illness and wanting Caroline's kidneys.

Cheryl asked worriedly, "Now that Mr. Eddy is getting involved in this personally, does this mean the Collins Group will end up in Layla's hands? She must still hate us after we caused the Evanson Corporation's failure last time. The first thing she'll do after getting the Collins Group will be to take revenge on the Evans Group." Things would be totally different then. In the past, the Evanson Corporation was just a small entity. With the Collins Group in her possession, Layla would have a lot of power. If she wanted it, squashing a business she disliked would be as easy as squashing an ant.

Caroline had yet to tell anyone that Eddy's second uncle was going to sponsor her. But even with his support, she didn't dare act recklessly and think that she could definitely obtain the Collins Group. That was why she didn't think it was necessary to announce this news.

"Things will work out for the best," Caroline said, comforting Cheryl. "Things aren't set in stone yet. The bank still needs to approve the request. If the bank rejects it, then it doesn't matter who's endorsing whom." That was the only way Cheryl could make herself feel better. However, she was still plagued with unease, worried that Layla would one day do something to cause trouble for the Evans Group.

At the Hackett residence, Aurora brought a bowl of chicken soup to Yvonne's room. She knocked on the door before heading in.

Noticing Aurora standing there, Yvonne was so angry that she picked up a pillow and threw it at her "Get out! You'd better get out!" She was very aware that Aurora was there to see how wretched she was.

Aurora ducked to avoid the pillow flying at her. Tauntingly, she said, "Do you think hiding out in your room will solve the problem and make you the Hackett family's rightful heiress?" +15 BONUS Yvonne's eyes widened as she glared at Aurora. "I don't need you to get involved in my business Aurora chuckled. "Indeed, I don't want to get involved in your business. I'm only here to see you because we were once romantic rivals." Yvonne didn't believe it. She turned her back on Aurora and said, "You'd better get out now!" "Do you know what Mom and Dad did today?" Yvonne spun around. She stared at Aurora, astonished. For a moment, she forgot to retort that Aurora wasn't going to be her parents' daughter-in-law.

"They did another DNA test. The results show you're definitely not their daughter. Although they're not sure what happened, Mom and Dad have already gotten a private investigator to dig things up on you.

"Yvonne, you can be as stubborn as you want and try to stick things out here.

But have you thought about how badly things will go for you once they find their actual daughter?" Yvonne's body shook.

"You'd better think it through. As a renowned playwright, Marietta Weiss might not have riches comparable to that of the Hackett family, but she only has one

daughter—you. When she passes on, all her assets will go to you. Are you really unwilling to return to her?” With that, Yvonne stopped crying.

Seeing this, Aurora continued, “Besides, if you acknowledge Marietta Weiss as your mother, your identity and position in life will change.

“Now, you’re only the heiress of the Hackett family. But once you become Marietta’s daughter, you’ll be able to use all her connections. Yvonne, do you

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“Aunt Sarah, Uncle Dan, you must prepare the evidence. Once I get the Collins Group, you must immediately announce that Caroline isn’t your daughter.” Sarah and Dan couldn’t believe that Layla had actually gotten Eddy to come forward and announce his support of her. That meant that the Collins Group was definitely going to be Layla’s.

Could it be that no one in this world was more influential than Eddy Morrison?

“Don’t worry.” Dan smiled. “Layla, once you successfully acquire the Collins Group, I will announce that Caroline isn’t my daughter. When the time comes, we’ll be celebrating two happy events.

Won’t that be nice?” “Good. I’m relieved.” Right then, Layla was not the slightest bit worried about purchasing the Collins Group. What worried her more was Dan going back on his word. She would be assured the position of Eddy’s wife if Dan stuck to the agreement.

Meanwhile, Caroline didn’t know the world was getting into a huge argument because of her and Layla. She was ready to head to the bank in a few days to hand over the paperwork. With that, she would officially request to acquire the Collins Group.

The key to whether or not she could obtain the Collins Group lay in crossing this barrier posed by the bank. Once the bank agreed to loan her the money, she would have the capital to acquire the Collins Group. That was why she needed a sponsor.

“Caroline.” Cheryl knocked, then opened the door. Awkwardly, she said, “Mr. Eddy is here.” Caroline asked, “Why is he here?” “I don’t know. He says he wants to see you.

After giving it some thought, Caroline cleared her files off the desk and put them aside. “Have him.

come in.” “Alright Not long after Cheryl left, Eddy strode in. He was wearing a black suit and carried a briefcase in +15 BONUS “Are you here o see me for something?” Caroline really didn’t understand why Eddy kept visiting her every couple of days.

Eddy sat across from her and said, "My plan to ... support Layla in acquiring the Collins Group. Do you know about it?" Caroline looked at him strangely. "This is your own affair. What does it matter if I know about it?" Eddy replied, "Don't you have anything to say about it?" Caroline frowned at that. "Eddy, what are you trying to do?" Without saying anything, Eddy looked at Caroline's desk. His sharp gaze caught sight of the request documents.

"You've already prepared the request documents?" "That's right." Caroline followed Eddy's gaze and landed on the same documents. "What is it? Is there a problem?" Eddy's eyebrows furrowed tightly. "You've found someone to endorse you?" "Of course." The way Caroline looked at Eddy told him it was a matter of course.

She didn't understand why he seemed so astonished.

Eddy lost his balance and nearly fell into a seat on the chair. He had only announced to the media and Layla that he would endorse Layla because he hoped Caroline would feel a sense of danger. That way, Caroline would come to him for help of her own accord.

Now, it seemed things weren't going the way he expected them to. Eddy wasn't willing to believe it. Acquiring the Collins Group was a huge step to make. How could Caroline possibly do it without him?

Without him, there was no way Caroline would be able to acquire the Collins Group at all.

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Besides, she was only at the stage of procedures where she would hand in the materials. Even if she had his second uncle's support, she might still not be able to obtain the Collins Group. There was no need for Eddy to be so anxious just because he thought Layla would lose.

Eddy raised his head with difficulty. He said, "Who did you get to endorse you?" Caroline was surprised by this. She asked, "Don't you know?" It was such a big deal. Why didn't Eddy's second uncle tell him about it? It seemed Eddy's relationship with his second uncle wasn't a very good one.

“I—I don’t know...” Should he have known this?

Caroline shrugged. Since Eddy’s second uncle hadn’t told him about it, she wouldn’t stick her nose in “You haven’t answered me. Who did you get to sponsor you?” To this, Caroline only replied, “You’ll find out once it’s announced.” Eddy looked at Caroline intently.

Caroline ignored this and took a seat casually. “There’s no need to look at me like that. You know this person. But if you don’t know, it means he doesn’t want to tell you. In that case, I won’t either.” Caroline figured she might as well explain all this to Eddy clearly. That would stop him from coming over here all the time.

Eddy’s expression changed slightly. “Could it be.” He had an answer in his heart, fighting to escape from his lips. But he couldn’t believe it.

Caroline said, “Do you have any more questions? If not, you may leave now.” Eddy slowly turned to go. At the door, he whirled back around and stared fixedly at Caroline.

Caroline, I don’t care who your husband is. No matter what, I will fulfill Grandpa’s final wish, and no one can stop me from doing it.” +15 BONUS
Caroline’s heart started racing all of a sudden. Long after Eddy left, she still couldn’t get over what he’d said about no one being able to stop him from achieving his goal.

“Caroline, are you alright?” Cheryl asked worriedly when she walked in and saw Caroline sitting in a daze, her face pale.

Caroline came back to her senses. “I—I’m fine!” “Caroline ...” “Do you need something?” she asked Cheryl.

Only then did Cheryl remember why she came in. “Ah, it’s like this, Caroline. Ms.

Weiss just called me. She said she’s been calling, but there’s no answer. She asked me to come over and check what’s going on.” Caroline picked up her phone and found that Marietta had called her more than a dozen times. And yet, she had somehow missed them all. She hadn’t heard a single one.

“I got it. Please wait outside.” “Alright.” Cheryl left hesitantly.

Once Cheryl left, Caroline dialed Marietta's number.

On the other end of the line, Marietta sounded like she was in a pleasant mood.

"Carrie, are you free tonight?" Caroline forced herself to sound cheery. "Sure, Mom. What's up?" "I received a call from Yvonne. She said that she wants to see me. If I go alone, it'd be a little... Can you come with me?" Caroline replied, "Mom, is she planning to acknowledge you as her mother?" "Yes, Marietta said.

Aurora had told her that Yvonne had agreed to return to her side. As for tonight's dinner, it was being organized to apologize to her for what happened before.

That's great, Caroline said with a smile. "I'm free tonight. Where are you going for dinner?" Marietta sent Carcime the address, then added. "By the way, remember to bring Kirk.

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Bogus Billionaire By Shining Riviera Chapter 700-Caroline felt like she had lost something very important to her.

"Alright then," Caroline said. "Then let's see each other tonight." "Great." After Marietta ended the call, Caroline put her phone down dejectedly. Actually, she had gotten the feeling long ago that Marietta would leave Easton. She never expected her to leave so soon.

She sent Kirk a message and immediately got a reply. His text made Caroline frown in pain.

The scene of Jude before he died floated in her mind. Grandpa had died because of her.

She had been haunted by this all this while. This and Jude's final wish were etched deeply in Caroline's heart.

If she and Kirk weren't together, she definitely would have gone along with Jude's dying wish and married Eddy. It didn't matter to her if she lived the rest of her life like a puppet on a string.

However, she now had Kirk, and there was no way she was going to abandon him. It wouldn't be fair to Kirk.

Once again, Caroline let out a deep sigh.

Even if... Even if she had to endure the pain of nightly nightmares, she would stay by Kirk's side.

She would do anything to make it up to him, but she couldn't abandon Kirk.

Even if ... Grandpa would hate her.

Caroline looked up.

In the afternoon, after getting off work, Caroline went downstairs and noticed Jack's car parked by the entrance. Without thinking about it, she knew that Kirk had to be in there.

Opening the car door, Caroline found Kirk in the car.

"Have you been waiting long?" Caroline took a seat in the car, doing her best to pretend that nothing had happened.

However, Kirk immediately saw that Caroline was feeling down.

"We just got here. What is it?" Kirk took Caroline's hand in his own. "Is work giving you trouble?" "No." "Then why are you feeling so down?" "I'm not." Having been seen through by Kirk, Caroline immediately looked away, trying to hide her emotions but showcasing them instead. "Mom's going to leave soon. I'm going to miss her." It was true that she was feeling dejected in part because of this.

Kirk didn't suspect anything. "If you want to see her, I can go with you." Caroline lay her head on Kirk's shoulder. "Alright." They were quiet during the car ride. Soon, they arrived at the restaurant. They were led to the huge private room Marietta had reserved.

When they pushed the door open and went inside, the room fell silent. Three people looked at Caroline and Kirk.

Both Aurora's and Yvonne's eyes lit up when they saw Kirk.

"You're here. Quick, come in," Marietta called out to Caroline.

Caroline walked in, holding Kirk's hand. Meanwhile, Aurora and Yvonne were still staring at Kirk.

Unsettled by this, Caroline coughed. "Mom." "Is this your... husband?" Yvonne asked. Suddenly, she understood why Caroline would rather stay with this broke bum than get with Eddy.

While Eddy was rich beyond measure, he wasn't as blessed in the looks department. On a scale of 100, Eddy could easily get 98 points when it came to looks. However, the man before them now could get 1000 points.

Besides, it wasn't just his looks. His bearing was also astounding. Yvonne thought about shifting her interest somewhere else.