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Before she met Tobias, it had never crossed her mind that she would be involved with a man who was more than ten years older than her. Furthermore, she wouldn't have imagined that his wealth could rival even that of countries.

As Skylar's mind began to drift away, she would smile politely and take a cursory sip of wine whenever someone came to raise a glass at her.

Right then, the man toasting her was someone she had met once before—Maverick Sullivan, who managed a TV station.

The drama would take up the prime time slot on Channel 3 in Maverick's TV station.

Maverick was short but very smart. However, he was so fat that his pot belly prevented him from buttoning his jacket.

In Skylar's eyes, he was simply disgusting.

"Ms. Jones, you have a bright future ahead of you. Any drama broadcasted from our station will top the rating charts."

Skylar smiled in response. Is he trying to blow his own trumpet?

"Mr. Sullivan, I appreciate the support you have shown us," Skylar replied cordially.

When Maverick put his arm around her shoulder, Skylar avoided it discreetly, causing him to feel upset.

After Skylar sauntered away, all Maverick could do was to watch her silhouette. He did so for a long time before recovering his gaze reluctantly.

When his secretary came over, he whispered some instructions to him. A moment later, the secretary shoved a room card into Skylar's hands.

Since it wasn't his first time doing it, he handed over the card calmly. As for Skylar, she received the card with equal poise.

However, she put the card back into his pocket next. "Please thank Mr. Sullivan for his kindness."

The secretary replied with displeasure, "Mr. Sullivan wants to take his relationship with you to the next level. Ms. Jones, are you playing dumb?"

Skylar's expression was frosty. "Let me be frank. I'm not interested."

The secretary stormed off, thinking that Skylar didn't know what was good for her. After all, one needed Mr. Sullivan's support before one could star in Channel 3's variety shows and dinners.

Skylar went to the hotel's corridor to get some air.

When Maverick walked in her direction, reeking of alcohol, Skylar couldn't help but furrow her eyebrows at the stench.

When he saw her frowning, Maverick assumed she was playing hard to get. He then made the same mistake as countless other men by letting the alcohol cloud his judgment. Suddenly, he threw himself at her and grabbed her hand.

Skylar didn't expect that someone of his stature would pull such a stunt in public. Luckily, she was mentally strong and didn't show panic.

She calmly asserted, "Let go of my hand."

Skylar's rejection caused him to feel the rush of playing the domineering male.

As his alcohol-laden breath caused Skylar to feel nauseous, he tightened his grip on her wrist further.

As the man inched closer, Skylar could no longer hide her fear. "I'm going to scream for help now if you don't let go! It will do you no good if the media catches the sight of this."

Her threats however, fell on deaf ears.

When he raised his hand to fondle her breasts, Skylar responded at once with a tight slap.

Incensed, Maverick glared at her. "F*ck! You are just a mediocre celebrity! How dare you act high and mighty in front of me? You should feel honored that I want to sleep with you."

When Skylar raised her leg to kick Maverick away, it wasn't much help as he easily overpowered her. The man shoved her against the wall roughly. The impact hurt so much that she almost burst into tears.

Just when Maverick approached her step by step, a hand reached out from behind him all of a sudden and grabbed him.

Looking up, Skylar saw a familiar face in her panic. It was Kai.

Realizing that he had witnessed the embarrassing incident, Skylar was suddenly dumbfounded.

Kai stared fiercely at Maverick. "Mr. Sullivan, why is a man of your age bullying a girl? I have recorded everything that just happened. What do you think will happen if I put it online? Do you think you can still keep your position as the station manager?"

As someone experienced in the entertainment industry, Maverick naturally recognized who Kai was. Although he was still new to the scene, his influence was so strong that no one dared touch him.

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As Kai had a recording of the incident, Maverick quickly wavered. "Don't do anything rash. I had too much to drink and just wanted to chat with this pretty lady."

Forcing a smile at Maverick's disgusting face, Skylar asserted, "I never agreed to chat with you. You owe me an apology."

Maverick widened his eyes and warned her, "Watch your words. I can withdraw your drama anytime and blacklist you."

Reaching out to Kai for his phone, Skylar saw that he did make a recording of the incident just now. She was well aware that the video couldn't be allowed to get out. After all, the last thing she wanted was to be the subject for wagging tongues.

However, she pretended to threaten Maverick. "If you don't apologize, I'll upload this video on the internet."

Hence, Maverick had no choice but to grit his teeth and apologize. At that moment, he had sobered up and held a grudge over what happened. However, he had no choice but to apologize.

Skylar sneered, "You can go now. Next time, stay away from me. I don't want to see your ugly face."

The moment Maverick left, the tension she felt was immediately relieved. Heaving a long sigh, she leaned helplessly against the wall and smiled at Kai. "Thank you for coming in the nick of time. You can delete the video now."

Skylar hadn't seen him in a while and he had changed his hairstyle. As compared to before, he looked a lot wilder now with a head full of frizzy hair.

When he tried to support Skylar, she retracted her hand at once. To reduce the awkwardness, he tousled his own hair instead.

Kai was aware that she wanted to avoid any gossip. She really is devoted to Tobias.

"I saved you again. So how are you going to thank me?"

After hesitating for a moment, Skylar couldn't think of anything else other than treating him to a meal. Am I to use my body to repay him?

When she realized it was getting late, she bade Kai goodbye. As the dinner hadn't ended, she knew she shouldn't be gone for long. Hence, she headed back with a confident swagger.

Kai noticed that she had since changed a lot. Skylar now exuded a feminine charm that could seduce any man she met. Therefore, it wasn't a surprise to him that Maverick committed such a despicable act of taking advantage of her in public view.

Given that she was a lot more alluring than before, Kai knew that she must be in a relationship right then.

When he figured that man to be Tobias, Kai clenched his fists so hard that his knuckles turned white.

After returning to the dinner, Skylar walked up to Harry and toasted the media together. After Skylar took a sip of wine, Harry took over her glass in a chivalric manner and finished it for her.

The affectionate display between them and the bravado shown by Harry only served to accelerate the camera clicks in their direction.

When the dinner ended, Maverick stood waiting by Skylar's MPV. The sight of a TV station manager escorting a third-rate starlet like Skylar caused the crowd to be curious. They wondered who Skylar actually was or if she had some kind of relationship with Maverick.

Skylar got into the car without even giving Maverick a glance. She treated him as if he wasn't even there.

When Maverick knocked on the window, Skylar ordered the driver, "Drive."

She was aware of what his intention was. He had wanted to ask her if she had deleted the video or not. But, she refused to reply as she wanted him to think that she had dirt on him. It would spoil the fun if she had given him the answer too early.

After the event ended, Claudia called Kai over to the Ford residence. The moment he arrived, he noticed that Tobias was also there.

He was sitting with another woman on the sofa but there was a large gap between them. The woman seemed to be in her early thirties and looked charming with her long hair draped on her shoulders. However, she was still a far cry from how attractive Skylar was.