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When Skylar didn't come up after a long time, Tobias took a peek from the top of the stairs.

He saw her lying on the sofa while playing with her phone.

To him, it was as if she was addicted to her phone and would go crazy if it was taken away from her.

"It's getting late. Shouldn't you be in bed?" He urged, cognizant that Skylar was avoiding him.

Without even looking, Skylar continued surfing TikTok. "I'm not sleepy. You don't have to wait up as I'm still busy."

Given how brazenly she had ignored him, Tobias snatched her phone away and flung it onto the sofa.

Before she could react, he picked her up and pressed her against the coffee table.

As he gently kissed and nibbled her on her neck, she felt the cold from the table pierce her skin. However, the burning sensation from his breath somehow kept her body warm.

His hands made quick work of her pants and threw them behind the sofa. After that, he unbuttoned his own and unzipped it in haste.

As there was no avoiding the inevitable, Skylar looked at the ceiling in despair. She was filled with conflicting emotions, as both lust and the desire to refuse him dueled against each other.

"Be gentle..." she uttered meekly.

"Mmm-hmm."

Caressing her slender thighs roughly, his actions became gentler as he gradually moved upward.

“Here or upstairs?” Tobias asked when he saw her grimacing. Given how hard the coffee table was, it was no different than having her lay on top of freezing cold marble.

“Upstairs...” she replied softly. She had sat up and wrapped her arms around Tobias’ neck, waiting for him to carry her up.

As the sun shone on her face, she gradually opened her eyes and realized she was covered by a blanket. Rubbing her eyes, she saw that it was already eleven and Tobias was no longer beside her.

She assumed Tobias had already left as he was too busy to sleep in with her.

Recently, Skylar had a lot more free time. Other than a few commercial shoots and a reality show, she didn’t have much else on her plate. Kate was also busy screening through scripts so as to find her a new urban drama to act in.

The scripts that Kate had shortlisted revolved around office romance. After going through them, Skylar couldn’t come to a decision.

Yawning as she walked down the stairs, Skylar was surprised to see Tobias still there. After all, she had woken up at eleven. By the time she brushed her teeth and washed her face, it was already past twelve.

“Don’t you have to go to work today?” The moment she asked, Skylar realized her question was redundant. As the boss, Tobias could work wherever and whenever he wanted.

Tobias replied, “I don’t feel like it. So, I’m taking the day off.”

Taking a sip of milk, she nagged at Tobias, “When are you leaving?” Tobias furrowed his eyebrows. “What? Are you upset that I’m here? Why are you chasing me away? What is your plan for the day?”

Skylar squinted her eyes. “I’m not chasing you out. You can stay however long you like. I’m

going over to Uncle Wesley's house. He called early in the morning and I have no idea what he wants."

Tobias didn't know what to say in response. From his perspective, the mere mention of Skylar's relatives meant trouble.

After all, Skylar and her uncle never met for chatters. Worried that her relatives might cause Skylar trouble, Tobias decided to tag along.

Before she went over, Skylar didn't think much of it since the incident with Kevin's game credit reloads had been resolved.

Nevertheless, she knew it would definitely not be Wesley expressing his gratitude by inviting her over for a meal.

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After all, Wesley and Sharon were the kinds that always felt they were self-deserving and therefore, entitled to be treated well.

From Wesley's perspective, he was the one that raised Skylar. If not for her, Meredith's pension would have been given to him instead. After all, he was Meredith's son.

Skylar could still remember what happened when Miranda had just been sent to prison.

Wesley was the first one to make his position known.

She had assumed he wanted to take her in given that Miranda was his sister.

Instead, Wesley suggested to Meredith to have her sent to either her dad or an orphanage.

However, Meredith rejected the idea about sending Skylar to the orphanage while Thomas refused to acknowledge her as his daughter.

Worried that Skylar would be bullied by her stepmother and stepsisters, Meredith decided to raise her on her own.

Consequently, Wesley's relationship with Meredith became strained and it took them a few years to reconcile. After that, Skylar would move between families as if she was a ball being kicked around.

Ever since Meredith died, Skylar felt lonely no matter how luxurious her home was. She

would feel miserable and empty as it didn't give her a feeling of home.

Meanwhile, when she saw Kevin coming downstairs, she noticed his stubble and all the

pimples on his face. A boy going through puberty was when he would experience the peak

of male hormone secretion.

Skylar asked, "Where are you going? Don't you have school since it's a weekday? Since

you're already in high school, you have to be more serious about your studies."

Kevin nodded without a reply. Holding his bag with one hand, he looked at Tobias in the dark

building they were in.

"Are you rich?"

Thinking that he was asking her, she replied with a frown, "Have you been playing games on

your phone again?"

Kevin continued, "Skylar, I'm not asking you. I'm asking the one beside you if he is rich."

Tobias' expression darkened as he wondered why a high school student would want to

know.

He replied, "You can say that."

Kevin's expression changed from one of despair to hope. Now, he had to leave it to his

parents while all he wanted to do was hide.

Just when she was bewildered by the question, Tobias asked her, "How old is your cousin?"

"He's in high school, but I'm not sure about his exact age. Despite being Eva's brother, don't

you think they don't resemble each other at all?"

Tobias didn't care about their resemblance. He was more concerned with why Kevin didn't look like a student.

When Sharon saw that Tobias had come along with Skylar, she was suddenly filled with hope. She quickly grabbed onto Tobias' arm in front of Skylar. She was overwhelmed by emotion as Tobias' arrival felt like a light that illuminated the darkness that was their despair.

As Sharon clung onto Tobias tightly, he tried to shake her off as soon as he could.

"Skylar, your cousin was tricked and lost a lot of money. This time it isn't about the game credits. Can you help him out again?"

Sharon sounded as if it was Skylar's responsibility to deal with it.

When she glanced at Tobias, she could see the look of contempt on his face.

Nowadays, it was common for one to ask about one's relatives before marriage. They would like to know the number of one's relatives and what they do for a living. Skylar finally understood why this was so important before one got married. No one wanted to have troublesome relatives anyway.

Hence, she regretted letting Tobias come along. After all, he had already helped out the last time. However, of all days, he had to choose not to go to the office that day.

This time, Skylar wasn't going to let Tobias get involved anymore.

She admonished them, "Can't you keep an eye on Kevin? Didn't you learn a lesson from last time? How can he be involved in gambling at such a young age?"