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Chapter 1461 Permanent Guest

He can ask all he wants. I've got it all covered. I have my alibi. It's impossible for me to get implicated with Nicole's disappearance.

When Kyle arrived, he approached Sally, who was taking care of a patient. "There's something urgent. Please come with me."

"Oh, okay."

Sally followed Kyle out of the ward.

Staring at Kyle's tall and bulky stature, Sally felt unease. Despite Kyle not knowing that Nicole's disappearance had something to do with her, Kyle might find out about it one day, and he would definitely despise her.

I'm just trying to save Dad's life. I have no choice but to do it. I'm really sorry, Kyle!

They stopped in the hallway, and Kyle's gaze locked intensely on Sally. He kept quiet the whole time, but his expression was sufficient to send a stern message.

Sally's heart started racing. He's staring at me like I'm a thief. Did he manage to find out anything?

"Kyle, what's wrong? Why are you looking at me like this?" Sally deliberately asked.

"Sally, my mommy is missing," answered Kyle. He then stared at Sally closely, trying to observe her reaction.

"Missing?" Sally pretended to be confused. "What do you mean missing? She's gone?"

"Do you know where she is?" Kyle continued to question her.

"How would I know? When I arrived, she was already gone. Where could she be? Is she caught up in something important? Could it be that..."

As Sally was coming out with a plethora of theories, Kyle narrowed his eyes. "Can you help me look for her?"

“Me?”

I went to great lengths to trick her into leaving. And now he wants me to look for her?

“I’m afraid I don’t have the ability to do so. There are more than enough people in Seet Group who are much more competent than me for the job. I believe that with their help, we can find her in no time.”

“I think that you’re much better than them. Why don’t you follow me, and we’ll look for Mommy together. If we manage to find her, I will surely repay you.”

Follow him? He wants me to follow him everywhere?

Sally gazed at Kyle surprisingly. Isn’t this him keeping an eye on me?

That might interfere with my plan.

I can’t let this happen.

“I have my own matters to attend to. I’m afraid I really can’t help you. Why don’t I hire a private investigator for you?”

“That’s not necessary. You’re better than a private investigator!” Kyle uttered in a domineering tone.

Sally was rendered speechless. Nonetheless, looking at how adamant Kyle was, it appeared that she was not given a choice.

It looks like I just have to wing it and improvise as I go!

“Then, where shall we stay tonight? I don’t think we can stay in the same room together, right?”

Kyle did not anticipate such an awkward question from her. He thought for a moment before answering, “At night, you’ll stay in Imperial Garden. I’ll prepare the guest room for you.”

“Imperial Garden? I don’t think I’ll be comfortable staying there.”

“You’ll get used to it! Come with me now. We’re going to look for her. My patience is limited. If you don’t do as I say, then I’ll make sure you’ll be a permanent guest in Imperial Garden.”

Is he trying to lock me up by asking me to stay in Imperial Garden? That’s outrageous!

However, knowing the type of person that Kyle was, Sally dared not provoke him.

Although she was extremely reluctant, she had to succumb to his demands, and they left the hospital together.

Moments later, Juan was told by his assistant that Sally was nowhere to be found. Initially, she was in the hospital, but she was no longer there when the assistant arrived. The people in the hospital mentioned that it was Kyle who brought Sally away.

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Chapter 1462 Put On A Good Show

Kyle brought Sally with him?

Why did he do that?

Did Sally, the cunning and sly woman, manage to seduce Kyle again?

After pondering for a while, Juan decided and ordered, "Stay guard at Sally's place. There's no need to wait two days anymore. The moment you see her, kidnap her!"

I cannot let Sally seduce Kyle anymore!

Finding Mommy is of utmost importance. The matter cannot be delayed any further!

If we were to wait even for just a day, terrible things could happen to Mommy!

"Yes, Mr. Juan."

With that, Kyle and Juan carried out their searches separately in every place that they could think of. However, Nicole was nowhere to be found. No one had seen her anywhere, and it was as if she vanished into thin air.

Faced with such an abnormal situation, Juan was even more confident that Nicole's disappearance was engineered and well thought out. There wasn't even a tiny trail of evidence for them to pursue!

Kyle was equally surprised. He threw questions at Sally from time to time, attempting to catch her off guard.

Sally, on the other hand, knew Kyle's intention very well. She tried her best to pretend that she was innocent, fearing that she might inadvertently expose her doings.

Even she herself almost believed that she had never met Nicole and that the latter's disappearance had nothing to do with her. Nonetheless, Sally was unsure if Kyle had bought her act.

Kyle's piercing eyes trained on Sally. "My mommy is not really great at anything else besides medicine. Could it be that her disappearance has something to do with her medical knowledge? Is her help needed to save someone?"

Indeed, it's to save a life. However, it has nothing to do with her medical knowledge. She is the leverage to save the person, Sally thought.

"Kyle, I think that your theories might be true, but all we're doing now is guessing. The only viable solution is to find out where she is. Besides, you're not alone in this. Your daddy is also looking for her. Even better, he may have already found her!"

Sally's response was perfect as Kyle couldn't find anything incriminating from her.

"I think we can go back now. My daddy and Juan might have some news."

Sally nodded upon hearing that.

Kyle then turned around and got in the car, and Sally followed closely behind. The two of them headed in the direction of Imperial Garden.

While they were on their way, Sally looked out the window. Glancing at the scenic route consisting of tall trees and skyscrapers, she suddenly felt as if she was being taken in for interrogation.

It appears that I've managed to fend off Kyle. But what will happen when we reach Imperial Garden? Juan and Evan will be there too. Will they also be suspicious of me? Am I going to be interrogated by them?

At that moment, Sally regretted not taking up acting classes. If she had any knowledge of the subject, then the matter would be a walk in the park. Now, she could only grit her teeth and brave through the situation.

Nonetheless, there was a silver lining by following Kyle to Imperial Garden as she would be given the opportunity to carry out the next part of her plan.

While she was plotting her next move, she repeatedly told herself. Keep calm. I cannot lose my cool. I cannot let them catch me off guard.

Shortly after, they finally arrived at Imperial Garden.

They got out of the car and entered the living room.

When Juan saw Sally, he was dumbfounded. He did not imagine it possible for Kyle to bring Sally to Imperial Garden.

Before that, he even sent his men to keep an eye on Sally, and they were waiting for her at her residence. There was even a plan to kidnap her!

When Sally noticed Juan, her gaze looked dull, and she calmly took a sip of tea. Her facial expression remained composed, and she breathed a sigh of relief.

As annoying as Juan could be, he was much easier to handle than Evan, who was an experienced veteran. So long as Evan kept quiet, she would be able to handle Juan.

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Chapter 1463 Staying In Imperial Garden

A while later, Juan stood up and walked over to Sally while scrutinizing her.

He was perplexed as to why Kyle brought her back to Imperial Garden.

“Why are you staring at me, Mr. Juan?” Sally questioned Juan awkwardly as she felt uneasy by his gaze.

“What are you doing here in Imperial Garden?”

“I-I heard that Mrs. Seet is missing. So I came here to see if I can be of any assistance.”

Be of assistance?

Fixing his gaze at her, Juan replied, “Well, since you want to help out, let’s talk. Who knows? You could be of great help.”

Upon hearing Juan’s words, Sally was startled. Judging by his stance, does he intend to interrogate me? I never thought that Nicole’s disappearance would cause Kyle and Juan to suspect me. The members of the Seet family are brilliant indeed!

“You don’t need to rush talking with her. She’ll stay in Imperial Garden until we find Mommy.” Kyle spoke in a deep voice.

When he heard that, Juan was pretty surprised. Huh? Kyle is saying that Sally will stay in Imperial Garden for the time being. Does that mean he’s also suspicious of her and wants to monitor her indirectly? Hmm, it seems like she hasn’t seduced Kyle yet. Anyway, her staying in Imperial Garden is not a bad idea. Not only can

we keep an eye on her every move, but we can also have plenty of opportunities to interrogate her.

“Um, I’m a little worried that I can’t get used to staying in a place like Imperial Garden. Going back might be a better option for me.” Immediately after finishing those utterances, Sally looked at Evan. He was currently focusing on drinking coffee while remaining silent.

Sally was waiting for him to make his position known as she thought the final decision was in his hands.

Aside from that, she could not comprehend why Evan could still be so tranquil when Nicole was already missing. Evan and Nicole’s relationship is so strong that nothing can separate them. That is a widely known fact. Consequently, shouldn’t he demonstrate his feelings at this moment? Why does he look so calm instead?

Following a momentary silence, Evan placed the cup to the side and looked at Sally. “You’ll get used to this place after staying for a few days. If you need any aid, feel free to call the maids. As for which room to stay in, you can pick whichever one you prefer on the third floor.”

Not surprisingly, those words had stunned Sally. Unbelievable! Evan is willing to let me stay! It seems like Imperial Garden will be my abode for now.

Soon after, Kyle ordered the maids to prepare a room for Sally. As she observed the majestically and elegantly decorated room, she thought there was a stark difference between the place she rented and that room she was about to stay.

On that account, she had an overwhelmed expression on her face instantly. “I have never stayed in such a luxurious room. It does feel a little uncomfortable. Are there rooms specifically for the maids? I think I’m better off staying in there.”

The second he heard Sally’s words, Juan could not help but sigh under his breath. This woman is such an excellent actor. Her renting a house outside is nothing but a pretense. From the indistinctively graceful aura exuding from her, I believe she might’ve stayed in a place that is better than Imperial Garden before.

“How can a guest stay in a maid’s room? What kind of logic is that? Settle down and treat this place as your home. I’ll visit you from time to time to talk with you.”

Sure enough, Sally could discern that Juan was hinting at something in his words. Therefore, she knew she had to be alert and cautious with her answers when he asked her questions in the future.

As soon as she had just sat on the bed to take a rest, someone knocked on the door. It was Maya. She was calling Sally to have dinner.

“I’m not hungry, Maya. I’ll skip dinner.”

"If you're not hungry, have some fruits then. Eating fruits during dinner will not make one fat."

"I don't feel like eating anything now."

I can't let that happen! Kyle has instructed me to bring Sally out of her room no matter what. I'm not sure what he has in mind, but I have to cooperate.

Upon that thought, Maya approached Sally and began to persuade her while grabbing her hands. "The chefs have prepared lots of delicious food and fruits exclusively for you due to your stay in Imperial Garden. They will appreciate it if you eat some of the dishes. Besides, I have no appetite because there's still no news about my mother. Accompany me. Okay?"

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Chapter 1464 The Maupay Family

Seeing that Maya was insistent on urging her to have dinner, a thought surfaced in Sally's mind. Since she was staying in Imperial Garden, Sally perceived that it was best to have a good relationship with Maya. By doing that, she was confident that she could proceed with what she was about to do next more conveniently. Thus, she consoled Maya and went to the dining room with her.

As they were on their way to the dining room, Maya shot an indicative glance toward Kyle, who was standing in the corridor. Seize this opportunity, Kyle!

Not long after, both of them arrived at the dining room and sat down.

Looking at the food on the table, Maya heaved a sigh. "I wonder where's Mommy right now. Did she have dinner already? Is she hungry?"

When she saw Maya's melancholic expression, Sally did feel a little remorseful. However, it was not as if she had no other choices regarding that matter.

She then comforted Maya and uttered, "Mrs. Seet is a good person. I'm confident that she will be safe. Don't worry."

"Really?"

Sally nodded against her conscience in response.

"You're right. Mommy has saved many lives. Not only that, she has done many good deeds. Why does she disappear suddenly then? Anyone who intends to

scheme against and hurt a good woman like Mommy is a heartless wretch and deserves to face the wrath of heaven!”

Consequent to that stinging condemnation from Maya, Sally felt exceedingly disturbed.

She never imagined that a forthwith lass like Maya could utter a denunciative remark in such fashion.

Afterward, Maya shifted her gaze toward Sally and asked, “Do you think what I’ve said has a point?”

Sally cleared her throat and nodded in agreement. “Yes, it does.”

“I think such a person deserves a punishment more severe than the wrath of heaven. I want that person to—”

“The dishes are getting cold, Maya. You should eat first.” Sally urged Maya to have her meal as she was afraid that she would pronounce harsher words.

In response, Maya let out a deep groan while staring at the delectable food on the table. “As I’ve said earlier, I have no appetite. I’m too worried about Mommy.”

Pondering for a few seconds, Sally handed the fruit platter to Maya. “Have some fruits then.”

As she looked at the fruits on the platter, Maya perceived that eating fruits was a great idea as that could dally more time for Kyle.

“Let us eat together then.”

“All right.”

While they ate the fruits, Sally noticed that Maya was eating very slowly. Since Maya had mentioned that she was worried about Nicole earlier, Sally did not have much thought and assumed she had a loss of appetite.

Meanwhile, upstairs, Juan saw Kyle walking out of Sally’s room and was curious. “Why are you looking for her?”

“Nothing.”

“She’s having dinner with Maya downstairs.”

“I know.” With that, Kyle left.

Subsequently, Juan directed his gaze at the leaving Kyle while frowning his brows. He’s aware that Sally is not in her room. Why did he still go in then? How mysterious.

He then followed after Kyle when he was entering Evan's study room.

Once he reached the study room, Juan saw Kyle standing in front of their father's wooden desk and was telling him with seriousness, "All done, Daddy."

"Excellent. This woman is a mystery, Kyle. I hope you can unravel her secrets rationally."

"I have a question, Daddy. Draven has found out about the Maupay family earlier. Does she have a history with them?"

In an instant, Evan's countenance turned grim when Kyle mentioned the Maupay family.

Concerning the Maupays, they were a very mysterious family. Back then, they rose to fame within a few months in Y City but vanished again not long after. Due to their temporalness, there were multiple versions of why they disappeared deduced. Some of them involved Evan.

Those accounts claimed that Evan had commanded his men to uproot the Maupay family behind closed doors as he was concerned that they would usurp the Seet family's reputation.

For Evan, such an accusation was not only at the height of absurdity but unreliable. A claim like that had certainly mythologized him into the undisputed murderer Lucifer.

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Chapter 1465 Who Are You

"We are unsure about her relationship with the Maupay family. However, this is a clue for us to dig deeper."

"Okay, Daddy."

After a momentary pause, Kyle asked regarding Nicole's situation, "How is it possible that we can't find Mommy after so long? Should we call the cops?"

Evan narrowed his eyes as he fell silent. Then, he turned to look at Kyle and responded, "Don't worry. Your mommy is a smart woman, and she'll be fine. As for you, you should be focusing on looking into Sally's background instead."

Kyle froze on the spot while a myriad of questions swirled in his head. Why is Daddy so calm even though we haven't heard from Mommy after so long? Could it be that he knows something that I don't?

He left the study room as the thought ran in his mind over and over again. Suddenly, Juan appeared. "Kyle, did you do anything in Sally's room earlier?"

Juan had overheard Kyle's conversation with Evan just now. I know that Kyle meant something else when he said that everything's settled.

Stopping in his tracks, Kyle sized Juan up. "Are you curious?" he teased.

Of course, I am. Why would I ask if I wasn't?

Juan nodded his head in response. "Uh-huh!"

"You want to know what happened?"

"Yes. I really want to know," Juan replied.

Kyle was silent for a while before he flashed a smirk. "But... I don't feel like telling you." With that, he turned around and left.

He doesn't want to tell me? How capricious!

"Fine! Forget about it!" Juan glanced around his surroundings and ended up fixing his gaze on Sally's room.

If he doesn't want to tell me, I'll go and have a look myself.

Then, he sneakily entered Sally's bedroom and searched the entire area. His gut feeling told him that Kyle had set up a trap as something was definitely fishy.

He began flipping through the closet.

After searching high and low, he failed to look for any clues. Just as he was pondering, Maya's and Sally's voices came from outside.

"Don't be sad, Maya. I believe we'll hear from your mommy in no time."

"Okay. Go ahead and grab some rest. Just let the servants know if there's anything you need."

Sh\*t. Is Sally back? What would she think if she saw me here? Will she suspect me? How am I supposed to explain myself?

The moment the door was pushed open, Sally saw Juan standing in front of her.

Feeling suspicious, she asked, "What are you doing here?"

Juan crossed his arms as he stared at her. "I've been waiting for you here."

"Waiting for me?" She raised her brows curiously.

"That's right. I'd like to have a word with you."

He was impressed with his ability to adapt to the situation as soon as his words fell. Thank goodness for my lightning-quick reaction. I should pat myself on the back.

Noticing how serious he looked, she could not help but wonder if he was here to ask about Nicole's disappearance.

Bring it on. If I can deal with Kyle, dealing with you would be a piece of cake!

"Is that so? What is it that you want to talk to me about, Mr. Juan?"

"I want to know your true identity. Who are you, really? Are you linked to my mommy's disappearance? Why would you do that?"

Juan narrowed his eyes as he scrutinized Sally. He wanted nothing more but to see how stubborn she was.

Smiling calmly, she replied, "Don't you already know who I am? I bet you've already done a background check on me. However, I'm sorry about your mommy's disappearance as I truly have no clue about it. There's no use questioning me, and you're only wasting your time. I suggest that you should spend more time thinking of ways to search for her."

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Chapter 1466 Taking Seet Group Down

Crossing his arms in front of his chest, Juan loomed over her and scoffed, "Sally, I know that you're a liar. Three days. All I need is three days to pry your mouth open!"

She gazed at his handsome face. Despite the devilish smirk on his face, his eyes were as cold as ice.

Three days... What is he going to do to me?

After she watched him leave, she locked her bedroom door. Immediately, she pulled her phone out to send a text.

In no time at all, her phone started to ring, and she picked up the call.

"Hello? How is it?"

"We have her with us. However, this isn't enough. You need to take Seet Group down as soon as possible."

If only it were that easy to take over the company! Even if I can talk Evan into this, Kyle and Juan will never believe me. It's almost impossible for me to accomplish that.

"Aren't you going to say anything? Right now, Kyle is the one with the most control over the company. Nevertheless, he's only a man. Don't tell me you can't even deal with a man?"

"He's no ordinary man."

"What's wrong? Does he have superpowers? Sally, all women are liars. The prettier they look, the better they are at lying. Just think of ways to trick him. I'm sure you can if you want to. If all fails, just make a scene. After all, women have plenty of talents, and I bet you can woo him easily."

Easy for you to say! Do you really think I can go up against him so easily? Do you actually think Kyle is retarded? Sally thought.

"Fine, I'll try my best. How about Dad? Is he doing better?"

"Don't worry. The poison in him can be cured by taking an antidote. He's stable at the moment and can only take the other antidote after you've taken Seet Group over. Now, all we need is to wait for good news from you."

"I understand. Talk to you soon."

After ending the call, Sally heaved a sigh. How am I supposed to take Kyle down and take control of Seet Group?

She jumped onto the huge bed at once and stared at the ceiling listlessly.

I wonder if he likes me after spending so much time together. If he does, I bet he cares for me, right? Will he do anything and everything for me?

She kept thinking of ways to get things done as Kyle's face occupied her mind.

Kyle... Seet Group... What do I do?

Meanwhile, the news of Nicole's disappearance had reached Seet Residence. Sophia, Jonathan, Sheila, and Davin were as anxious as ants on fire.

"Nicole's missing? How is this possible?" Sheila asked nervously.

"Exactly! I've heard that they've been searching the entire afternoon, but there still isn't any news. I'm so worried, and I can't stop thinking if she's fine." Sophia let out a sigh.

"Mom, I've called Evan earlier. He said that he'll take care of this, and we don't have to be worried."

Sophia looked at Davin angrily as soon as she heard that. "He's going to take care of it? How is he going to do that? If he's able to, tell him to get Nicole here right this instant. It's been more than ten hours. Is he even doing his job? What is he—"

Jonathan interjected before she could finish her sentence, "How could you say that when Evan loves Nicole so much? He values her more than his life, and you think he isn't worried about her? The reason Evan said that is because he is confident that he'll find her. You have to believe in your son!"

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Chapter 1467 The Seet Family In Action

"Mom, Dad's right. Their relationship is extremely strong. I'm sure that Evan's anxious as he's trying his best to look for Nicole. Don't worry about it."

A pillow flew in Davin's direction as soon as he finished speaking. Fortunately, he caught hold of it.

"Mom, why do you get agitated so easily when you're already so old?"

"You b\*stard. You're the one who should have gone missing instead! Then, I'll be able to rest peacefully. Look at how Joy and Zayden are crying!"

"Mom, how is it my fault? The kids are the ones being difficult."

"Shut up, Davin! I'll make sure Nicole gets her revenge when she's back!" Sheila rolled her eyes at him.

Davin felt indignant as he rolled his eyes.

Fine then. Bring it on. Do you think I'm scared of you, Sheep? Just look at your belly. It's as huge as a basketball! I can't even bring myself to look at it!

Sheila sensed that Davin was scrutinizing her. Catching him red-handed, she got up and pinched his ear. "I dare you to look at me like that one more time. I swear I'll dig your eyes out!"

"Please, I beg for mercy, Sheep! Let me go. We should be discussing Nicole's disappearance instead. It's an emergency!"

"Sheila, you can teach him a lesson later on. After all, Nicole's matter is more important. We need to think of a way to find her." Sophia was more concerned about Nicole's safety. When she heard that Nichole had gone missing, her heart was never at ease.

"Exactly, Sheep. Your attitude might even influence the kids later on. What if Zayden thinks that it's fine for women to hit men when he grows up?"

Sheila pondered for a moment and thought that his words made sense. Zayden will be an upright man in the future. There's no way he'd be bullied! Following that, she released Davin's ear.

Rubbing his ear, he uttered, "Mom, since Evan told us not to worry about Nicole, he definitely knows what he's doing. So, just relax. All we can do on our end is to help find her now."

"Get going then! Arrange as many men as possible to search for her," Sophia urged.

She's so bold, decisive, and domineering! Davin mused.

"Got it. I'll get going then." With that, he rushed out of the living room.

At that moment, Zayden and Joy were watching from the second floor, frowning.

"Mommy loves pinching Daddy's ear. Sometimes, she'd even hit him, and he'd use me as a shield. Can't he think of a better solution?" Zayden could not help but sigh.

Joy looked utterly confused as she looked at Zayden.

"What's wrong, Joy?"

"Did they say that my mommy's missing?"

"Don't worry, Uncle Evan, Kyle, and Juan are incredible people. They'll find her in no time."

Joy was stunned. Then, she dashed down the stairs. "Grandma, Grandma, is it true that Mommy is missing? I want to go to Imperial Garden to help look for her."

"Why aren't you asleep yet, Joy? Uncle Davin has already arranged for people to search for her. Plus, your father and brothers are helping out as well. There's no need to worry. We'll find her."

"But I want to help too. I'm no longer a three-year-old. I can help find Mommy!"

"That's right. Joy is already five. She's a big girl now. Why don't I bring you to Imperial Garden tomorrow?" Sophia responded.

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Chapter 1468 Joy And Zayden To The Rescue

Joy pondered for a moment and uttered, "Grandma, I'm worried about Mommy. I won't be able to sleep. So, I want to go now."

"Grandma, I can't sleep too. Can you please bring me along?" Zayden decided to tag along.

Sophia was silent for a while before she replied, "All right. I'll bring the two of you with me. I also want to check if they have any news about Nicole."

"Mom, I'll come with you."

Sheila stood up as soon as her words fell. To her, it was a serious matter that Nicole had gone missing. Therefore, she had to tag along.

"Okay. Let's all go together."

"I'm coming with you," Jonathan chimed in.

Quickly, everyone got into the car and headed toward Imperial Garden.

Bright lights were shining everywhere all over Y City, making the city lively.

Looking at the neon lights, Joy thought of Nicole's glistening eyes.

Mommy, where are you? I miss you so much.

Zayden was sitting right next to Joy. Sensing her sadness, he immediately comforted, "Don't worry, Joy. We'll find her. I know we will!"

Turning to look at him, she nodded in response.

“Grandma, Kyle, Juan, Maya, and Nina are very smart. I’ve heard that they used to come up with various ideas to tease and punish those who are mean. Joy and I want to learn that from them.”

Upon hearing that, images of the four kids appeared in Sophia’s mind. Sighing, she uttered, “The four of them were cheeky yet magnificent kids. You and Joy are too. All of you will always be my darlings, and I love you so much.”

“Grandma, Joy is terrified that we won’t be able to find her mommy. Why don’t we stay at Imperial Garden and wait for any news? Perhaps we might be able to help out. I bet Joy will feel better this way. Anyway, it’s the weekend, and we don’t have to go to school tomorrow.”

Turning around to look at Zayden, Sheila was shocked to discover how thoughtful the little boy was. He’ll be a great husband in the future.

He is just like Davin.

“It all depends on whether Uncle Evan thinks that it’s fine for you to stay. We can arrange that once we’ve gotten his approval. If he thinks that it’s inconvenient, you’ll follow me back to Seet Residence. Okay?”

“Grandma, I’ll make sure that Daddy approves of our stay.”

Noticing how persistent Joy was, Sheila added, “Mom, it’s a great opportunity for Joy and Zayden to learn. Back then, Juan, Kyle, Nina, and Maya were constantly thinking of ways to help as well. So, I think the both of them should stay there.”

After giving it some thought, Sophia replied, “That’s fine by me. Let’s see what Evan says.”

Evan immediately dashed out of his study room the moment he found out that his parents and the kids were there.

“Mom, Dad, why did you come when it’s already so late at night?”

“We were worried when we found out Nicole had gone missing. Evan, have you heard anything from her?”

Evan was silent for a while before he replied, “Not at the moment. However, there’s no need for you to be concerned. I believe that Nicole is fine.”

“God, please protect Nicole at all costs. Evan, you need to get more people to search for her.”

“Daddy, when are you going to find Mommy? I miss her so much.”

Evan picked Joy up and pinched her cheek. “Don’t worry, Joy. We’ll see Mommy in no time.”

"I want to help find Mommy too."

"Exactly, Uncle Evan. Joy and I want to help. Can you let us stay here at Imperial Garden?"

"The two of you? There's no need for that. You can go have fun and study hard." Evan knitted his brows as he glanced at the two kids.

"Daddy, didn't Juan, Kyle, Maya, and Nina used to help you out? Do you think that we're stupid little kids, so you don't want us to help?"

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Chapter 1469 Staying Over At Imperial Garden

Evan was stunned when he heard Joy's words. "What? Why would I think that you're just a dumb kid? Joy, you're the smartest kid in the world!"

"Really? You're not lying to me, right, Daddy?"

"Of course not."

"Okay. Then, you'll let me help you find Mommy. Please?" she pleaded while hugging him.

"Uncle Evan, I want to help out too! I promise both of us won't cause you any trouble. Please trust that we're only trying to help." Zayden was tugging onto Evan's sleeves, playing along.

"Evan, just let them be. Back then, Juan, Kyle, Nina, and Maya couldn't stay idle too. It's good to train them since they're still young. I'll get someone to look after them if you're too worried."

"That's right, Evan. The two of them have been discussing non-stop about it on their way here. They were afraid that you wouldn't let them stay. Just give them a chance. Who knows, they might even be of great help!"

"Daddy, you need to trust me. I can help," Joy uttered.

"That's right, Uncle Evan. We'll help you," Zayden uttered.

Upon hearing the trio's words, Evan pondered for a while before agreeing. "Fine. However, the two of you need to be careful and refrain from doing anything dangerous," he warned.

Joy and Zayden nodded in agreement when they had gotten Evan's approval.

"We should get going since it's getting late. Remember to call us if there's anything. Davin has also sent some men to search for Nicole. We'll keep in touch."

"Okay, Mom. Let me send you off."

After they left, Evan arranged for his servants to bring Joy and Zayden to bed.

"Zayden, do you want to sleep in Juan's or Kyle's bedroom?"

After pondering for a moment, Zayden looked at Evan shyly. "I... I... I want to sleep with Maya," he stammered.

Evan was stunned.

"You're a boy. Why would you want to sleep with Maya?" Joy was shocked as well.

"That's because Daddy said that Maya and I are very similar. So, I think we're like kindred spirits, and I like Maya a lot. Is it okay, Uncle Evan?"

After a moment of contemplation, Evan suggested, "Why don't you ask her? You can sleep in her room if she agrees."

Zayden nodded in response.

Then, Evan turned to look at Joy. "Why don't you sleep with me tonight, little one?"

Shaking her head, she replied, "Daddy, I want to sleep with Nina tonight."

"Nina's not home because she's on a business trip." I wonder if Nina's okay. Did the Hidden Masters find her?

"Then, I'll sleep in Kyle's room."

"Okay. Go ahead and ask him."

Joy nodded her head.

With that, the two of them dash toward Maya's and Kyle's rooms.

Zayden stood silently outside Maya's bedroom. He hesitated when he was about to knock on her door.

What if Maya doesn't want me to sleep in her room?

At that moment, his eyes darted around and landed on the maid doing chores.

He immediately thought of an idea and rushed toward her. "Uncle Evan had informed Maya to arrange the ingredients in the kitchen. I really need to use the bathroom. Can you go ahead and inform her?"

The maid did not think twice as she noticed how desperate he looked. Without hesitation, she agreed.

Maya appeared by the door when someone knocked on it. Looking at the maid, she asked, "What is it? Did someone hear from my mommy?"

"No, Mr. Seet had instructed you to arrange the ingredients in the kitchen."

Maya was rendered speechless.

Since when did Daddy ask me to tidy up the ingredients in the kitchen?

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Despite feeling confused, Maya headed to the kitchen as instructed.

Seizing the opportunity, Zayden quickly snuck into her room. He immediately searched for a spot to hide after taking a look at the surroundings.

After a few minutes, Maya left the kitchen as she mumbled out loud, "What's wrong with the two dressing bottles? It's not like they're bothering anyone. I can't believe everything's getting on Daddy's nerves just because Mommy isn't around. I swear that I'll get the servants to clean the entire house meticulously tomorrow. This time, I won't let him complain about anything."

She then proceeded to her bedroom and locked the door. Letting out a long sigh, she jumped onto her bed and started thinking about her mother.

Mommy, where are you? How are you doing? I'm worried sick. Have you eaten? The weather's getting colder, and I hope you have something to keep you warm. God, please give me a clue about where she is right now.

Meanwhile, Zayden was hiding in the bathroom. He snuck out of the bathroom and saw Maya lying on the bed. Is she asleep? She's so clumsy. She should have covered herself with the blanket before sleeping.

Unknowingly, Zayden had turned into a sweet little boy. As he approached her, he wanted to cover her with the blanket.

Maya's eyes snapped wide open as soon as she felt someone touching her. Seeing Zayden, who had appeared out of nowhere, she forced a smile while looking stunned.

"Zayden?"

I'm not seeing things, right? What on earth is he doing here?

"I thought you're asleep, Maya," Zayden replied, smiling at her.

She jolted up within seconds and stared at the locked door. Turning her attention to him, she asked, "Why are you here? How did you come into my room?"

"About that..."

Despite racking his brain, he could not think of a reason. Finally, his eyes lit up as he finally came up with an idea.

"Maya, I made a wish to sleep in your room. Then, I appeared in your room, just like magic!"

What wish? Does he have a wand? This little boy is just like Uncle Davin, always fooling around. He has fully inherited his daddy's genes!

"Is that so? If that's the case, why don't you make a wish, and you'll be able to return home?"

He was at a loss for words upon hearing Maya's words.

There's no way I'm going back!

Blinking his eyes, he looked at her and smiled. "I don't want to go home, Maya. I want to sleep in your room. Is that okay? You're the prettiest and the best in the whole wide world. Can I stay? Pretty please?"

Maya stared at his cute little face as he pleaded. In the end, she let out a sigh as she gave in. "Zayden, you're truly Uncle Davin's son. I bet you inherited his gene of sweet-talking. Lots of girls will fall for you when you get older."

Zayden was smiling shamelessly. "It doesn't matter if other girls like me. Most importantly is that you do. Do you like me, Maya?"

Upon finishing his words, he made a peace sign with his fingers as he gazed at her with his big bright eyes.

She could not help but laugh at him acting cute. "All right. There's no need to act cute. I'll let you sleep with me tonight. Does your mommy know about this? Do you want to give her a call?"

"Don't worry. She knows. Plus, Mommy wants me to sleep with you too. She also told me that you're the nicest person in the world."

Maya caressed Zayden's head gently. Since when did this little monster become so sweet? Whatever it is, it's true that he's undeniably cute.

Zayden could not hide his excitement once he had gotten Maya's approval to sleep in her room. So, he began dancing around and tossing and turning on her bed. "This is great! Slumber party with Maya tonight!" he exclaimed.