

# Chapter 21 Signing the Contract

Alyssa looked into Leon's suspicious eyes, knowing that it was useless to say anything, and kissed him directly on the cheek.

After that, she kissed his shoulders gently while he was in shock.

"Let's go home!" Alyssa whispered in Leon's ear, and her breathing was warm and fragrant.

"Okay." Leon nodded. The woman's words landed upon his heart like dandelion and itched him all over.

Looking into Alyssa's sparkling eyes, the man could not help but hug her.

Since that Saturday night, Leon began to come home every day.

Unfortunately, the man was busy with his work while the woman was busy with her studies.

The two of them dedicated themselves to their business respectively and did not interfere with each other.

Alyssa was not in a hurry. As long as the man came home regularly, they could take their time to build up their relationship.

Recently, she wanted to visit her parents and hoped Leon to keep her company. In this way, her family would be happy to see them show up together, and their relationship would probably be improved. Thus, it was a plan worth trying.

To persuade Leon, Alyssa made him freshly squeezed orange juice.

After stealing a glance at Leon to make sure he was having a break, the woman entered the study with the glass.

"Leon, I made orange juice for you. Try it."

Staring at Leon with her big, round eyes, Alyssa flashed a smile when the man lifted his head.

Leon glanced at the glass containing orange juice. It looked nice and should not be worse than the last time.

Then he glanced at Alyssa's ingratiating expression and guessed that she must have something to ask for. Deliberately, he remained motionless to make her anxious.

Sure enough, Alyssa placed the glass before the man, saying, "Taste it and see if I've made any progress."

Leon put the juice aside and looked at Alyssa, asking, "What do you want?"

"Nothing. I just want you to try the newly made orange juice."

Leon stared at Alyssa, saying, "I want to hear the truth."

Looking back into the man's eyes, Alyssa flashed a smile. "I want to go back to the Grahams tomorrow to see Grandpa. Why don't you come with me if you're not busy?"

"I'm not available tomorrow." He had an important social engagement to attend. The exact timing was still uncertain as it would be decided by the other party's schedule. Therefore, Leon had no idea when that event would be over at this moment.

Alyssa nodded as she believed that the man was not lying. Again, she placed the juice to Leon's front, saying, "That's fine. Then I won't go back tomorrow either. I'll read at home."

"Read?"

"Yeah." Alyssa nodded. "I'll leave you in peace now and go back to my room."

Alyssa turned to walk away.

A pair of big hands grabbed hers.

"What's the matter?"

"Nothing."

He let go of her hand and looked at Alyssa, saying, "I have an appointment tomorrow, but my assistant will be occupied for something else. You'll then come with me."

"Huh?" Alyssa came to her senses, asking, "Me?"

"If you don't want to, forget it."

"I'll go. I'm available anyway."

Staring at the woman, Leon worried that she would be bored and made it clear in advance, "It might be boring."

Alyssa sat down across from Leon. "Don't worry about that."

Then, Alyssa picked up the orange juice placed on the desk to drink. Witnessing the woman's movement, Leon abruptly reached out to take the glass over. "I think it's mine, isn't it?"

Alyssa smiled. "I just wanted to give it a try."

Leon ignored Alyssa, then took a sip of the juice.

It tasted good, not oversweet but refreshing.

Feeling happy to see the man drain the juice, Alyssa curled her lips up in secret and left as if she did not see anything.

At ten the next morning...

Leon and Alyssa arrived at the Hunter Group's private clubhouse.

The person that this couple met was a building materials dealer. They were going to talk about cooperation between the businessman's company and the Hunter Group.

"President Hunter, I've made it clear on the phone. The terms in this contract are unfair to my company. Suppose you buy out all the construction materials from the Jacob Company. It means we can't do business with other partners."

Jacob Jones, the man in charge of Jacob Company, was not satisfied with the contract's content and spelled out the reasons without beating the bush.

"I have stated my reasons as well. There is nothing we can do to change the contract on this point. The Hunter Group's construction materials need to be strictly controlled and definitely cannot be confused with those of other companies."

"Then there is no room for further discussion."

With that, Jacob left immediately.

Staring at Jacob's departing back, Leon revealed a relatively calm expression as he had expected this to happen.

Suddenly, he heard the sound of leafing through the documents.

He turned his head to see Alyssa reading the contract carefully.

Looking at the woman, he asked in a soft voice, "Can you understand the contract?"

Alyssa looked up at him, replying, "Yes, in my opinion, the terms are quite reasonable. It's Jacob Company's loss that they are unwilling to cooperate with the Hunter Group. You can find another candidate company. As long as it has potential, this is going to work."

"Are you positive?"

Alyssa nodded.

Leon felt delighted that Alyssa found the contract reasonable.

He did not want to do business with the Jacob Company in the first place.

That company demanded too many kickbacks. Last time, there was a sudden break in the construction materials supply. After that, Leon made up his mind to stop cooperating with the Jacob Company.

Thus, he took this chance to retreat in order to advance.

The Jacob Company's refusal was the best result for Leon.

He initially thought Alyssa would be as headstrong as those in the Hunter Group.

Unexpectedly, the woman thought differently than the others.

"This contract is really..."

Before Alyssa could finish her words, she heard footsteps coming towards them. She looked up and saw a person with a commonplace countenance.

Upon seeing the man, Leon pointed at the seat opposite his own, gesturing for him to sit down. "Are you president Brown?"

Harry Brown nodded with trepidation at Leon's question, looked at Leon and Alyssa, then sat down somewhat nervously.

Leon looked at Harry and said in a soft voice, "Nice meeting you, President Brown."

Harry revealed a somewhat embarrassed smile at Leon, saying, "President Hunter, the Brown Brothers has just set up, and there are only my brother and me in the company. Please don't call me President Brown."

"That's fine. Every company has a start. I've learned one thing or two about the Brown Brothers. Sure enough, your registered capital and scale are indeed not impressive. But they won't hinder your development. Here is the contract. If you're fine with it, please sign your name here." While speaking, Leon glanced at Alyssa.

After receiving Leon's eye signal, Alyssa immediately pushed the contract to the other man as young as her.

Harry was surprised, then read the documents in a hurry.

After reading the contract word by word to the end, he hesitated for one second.

Witnessing Harry's silence and sensing Leon's firm intention to cooperate with the former, Alyssa wanted to say something to persuade Harry.

However, before she could say a word, Leon held Alyssa's hand and pushed a glass of milk to the woman's front.

Alyssa glanced at the milk before her and instantly realized that Leon did not want her to speak.

Therefore, she swallowed her words back to her stomach and began to drink the milk.

And it tasted quite good.