

Chapter 825 Arch-Enemies

Yesenia glanced towards them and wore a strained smile. "Oh, what a surprise, seeing you here as well, former relatives."

Ruben's father, Elian Haynes, reacted immediately to this statement, expressing his displeasure. "Don't call us that. We're not in-laws. Your daughter isn't a suitable match for my son. If Ruben hadn't insisted on marrying her, I wouldn't have allowed it. You've not only embarrassed my son but also landed him in the police station. We're not relatives. We're enemies!"

Yesenia was taken aback upon hearing this. She had assumed Elian had come to cause trouble due to the cancelled engagement with Julie.

She had no idea about Ruben's police station incident.

However, she knew Ruben's parents wouldn't falsely accuse her. There had to be some truth to their words.

With a perplexed expression, Yesenia turned to

Julie and asked, "Julie, what happened? Are you aware?"

Julie's expression hardened as she slowly elucidated the entire situation to Yesenia. Learning that Ruben intended to exhume Ulises's grave, Yesenia couldn't help but feel a surge of anger.

Digging someone else's grave was definitely a punishable offense.

These thoughts altered Yesenia's demeanor. She became less compliant and said, "You've heard it. It's your son's fault. It has nothing to do with us. If we're not relatives anymore, so be it."

However, Elian remained obstinate, and said, "That's ridiculous! Do you think this matter will just end now? I want your family to suffer!"

Yesenia furrowed her brow, displaying rare resolve. "Mr. Haynes, your son was at fault from the start. Don't be so aggressive. Even though my daughter and I are just ordinary women, we won't be easily bullied!"

Ruben chuckled arrogantly upon hearing this. "I don't know how you managed to sneak into such an exclusive event, but let me tell you that Mr. Murray, today's event organizer, is not only the

wealthiest person in Salem but also the head of the Salem Chamber of Commerce! One of the projects he's planning involves the media industry. If the Haynes family secures this collaboration, I wonder if I could crush your Pearl company like an ant!"

This revelation caused Yesenia and Julie's expressions to change, feeling a sense of unease.

Apart from the inactive Kingland Group, the dominant force in Salem's media industry was Red Murray Group. Not even Joy International Media could compete with Red Murray Group in Salem.

And the Pearl company's survival heavily relied on the media sector.

Under such pressure, considering the current financial resources and the size of the Pearl company, its sustainability would be highly doubtful.

Should the Haynes family succeed, Elian could ascend within the Red Murray Group leveraging this association. With access to Red Murray Group's resources, he could significantly impact the Pearl company's media presence, causing considerable turmoil.

Even more crucial was the fact that the Haynes family held a prominent position in Salem's media industry.

In the event of the Pearl company's bankruptcy, Pearl would likely be swiftly acquired by the Haynes family. In such a scenario, Julie and Yesenia would find it nearly impossible to reverse the situation.

Amid their tense silence, Liam's chilling laughter echoed from the side.

"Looks like the Haynes family's just a bunch of arrogant and self-important individuals, all talk and no action!"