

ALL
STRINGS
ATTACHED



MORNING,
3 DAYS LATER



XIAOGE, ARE
YOU ALRIGHT?





YEAH...
I'VE SEEN IT.

THAT'S ALL
NONSENSE.



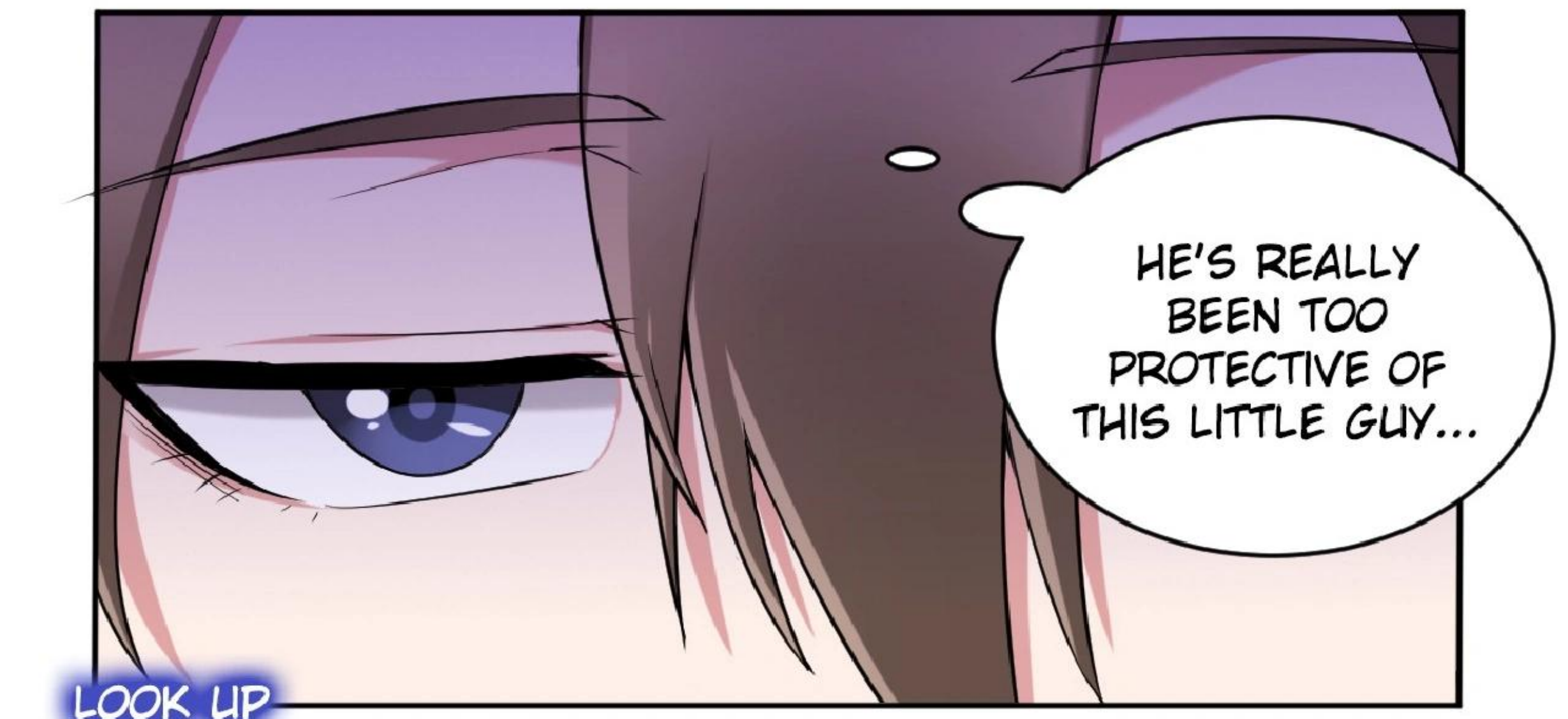
WHAT'S THE
MATTER?

HE SEEMS
PRETTY
CALM...



LIKE I THOUGHT,
OF COURSE NO ONE
WOULD BELIEVE
SOMETHING SO
OBVIOUSLY
DESIGNED.

MO BOMBARDED ME
WITH MESSAGES TO
ASK ME TO CHECK
ON HIM.



HE'S REALLY
BEEN TOO
PROTECTIVE OF
THIS LITTLE GUY...

LOOK UP



JUST STAY UP LATE
TO FINISH A NOVEL
WITH A SAD ENDING

DID IT REALLY
UPSET HIM
THAT MUCH?

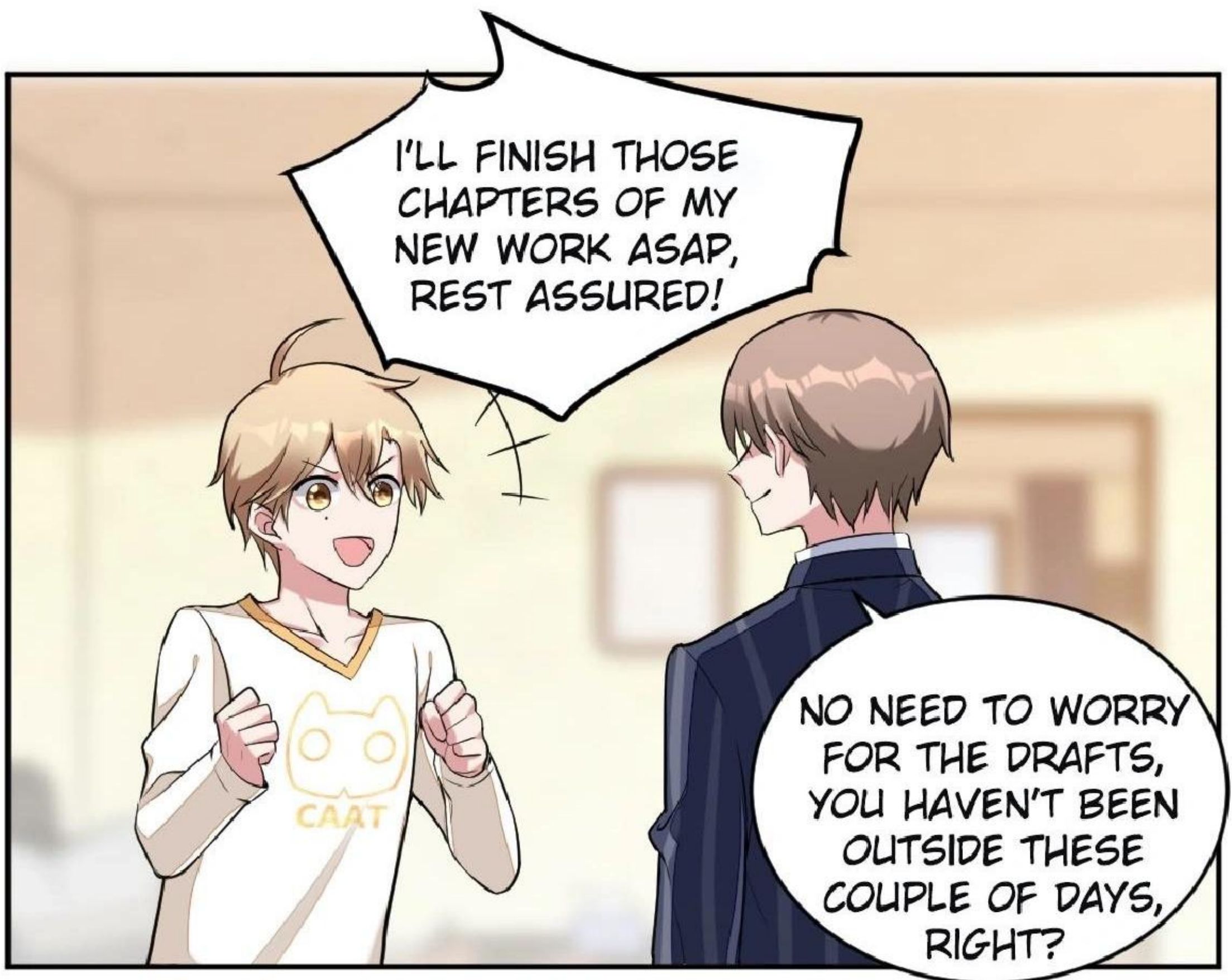


HEY, THERE'S
NOTHING TO
WORRY ABOUT!

YOUR LAWYER HAS PROBABLY
COLLECTED ALL THE EVIDENCE
ALREADY AND IS READY TO SUE
THEM FOR SLANDER!



...YEAH, I'M GOOD,
SERIOUSLY.



I'LL FINISH THOSE
CHAPTERS OF MY
NEW WORK ASAP,
REST ASSURED!

NO NEED TO WORRY
FOR THE DRAFTS,
YOU HAVEN'T BEEN
OUTSIDE THESE
COUPLE OF DAYS,
RIGHT?



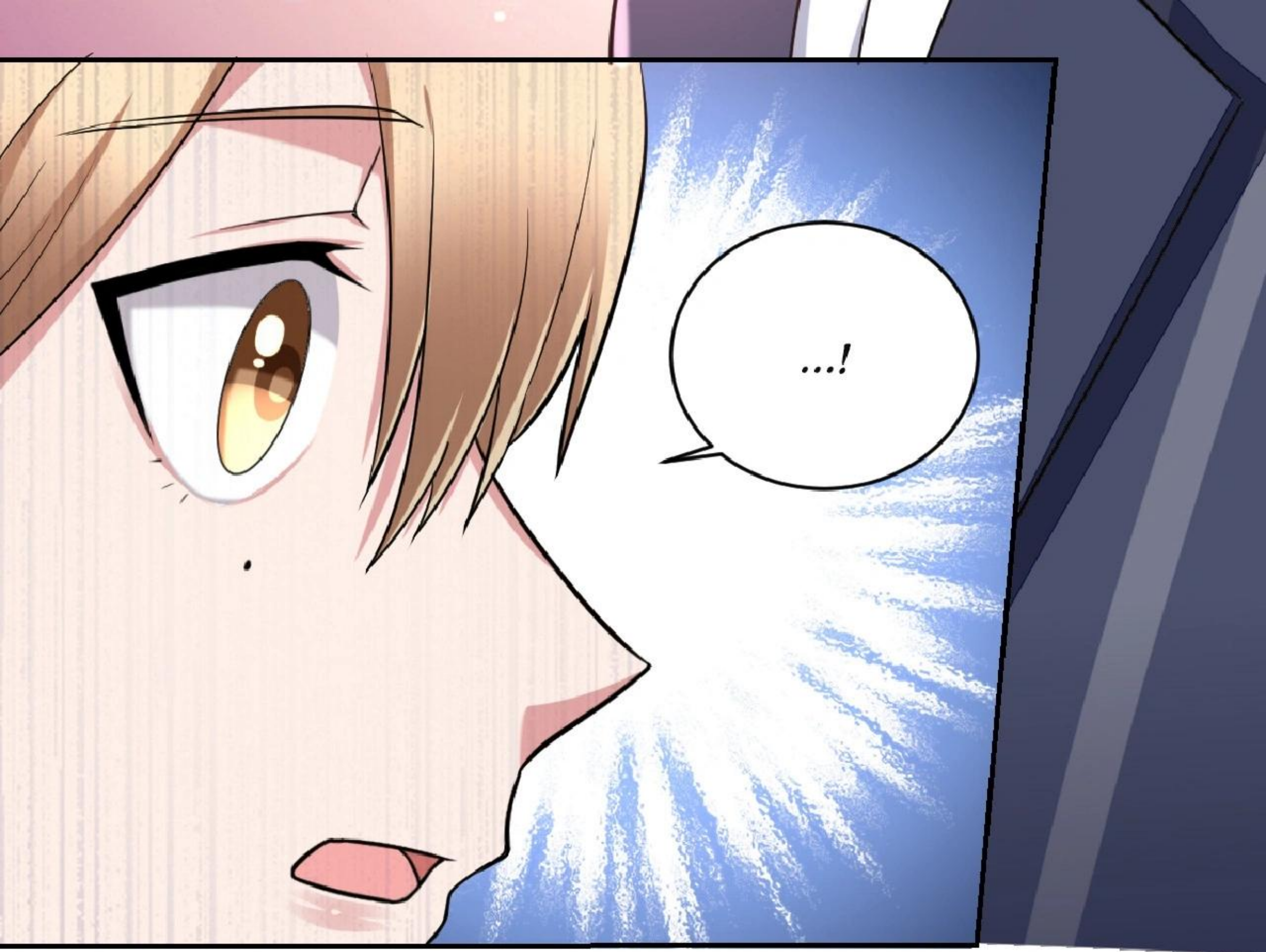


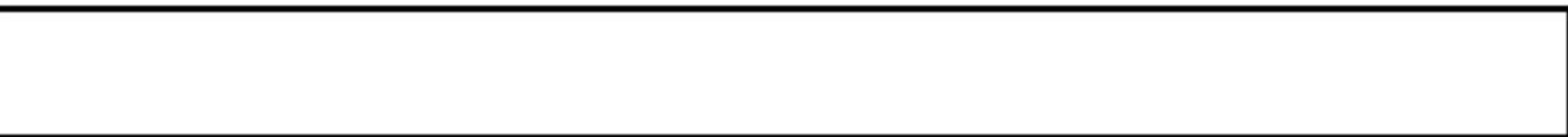


COULD IT BE
THAT HE'S NOT
PROCREATIVE?

THINKING ABOUT,
IMP?

I JUST DON'T LIKE
WOMEN SINCE I WAS BORN.
SO MY FAMILY GAVE ME THIS
KID TO LOOK AFTER IN CASE
I GET LONELY SOMETIMES.





APOLOGIES,
I'M LATE.





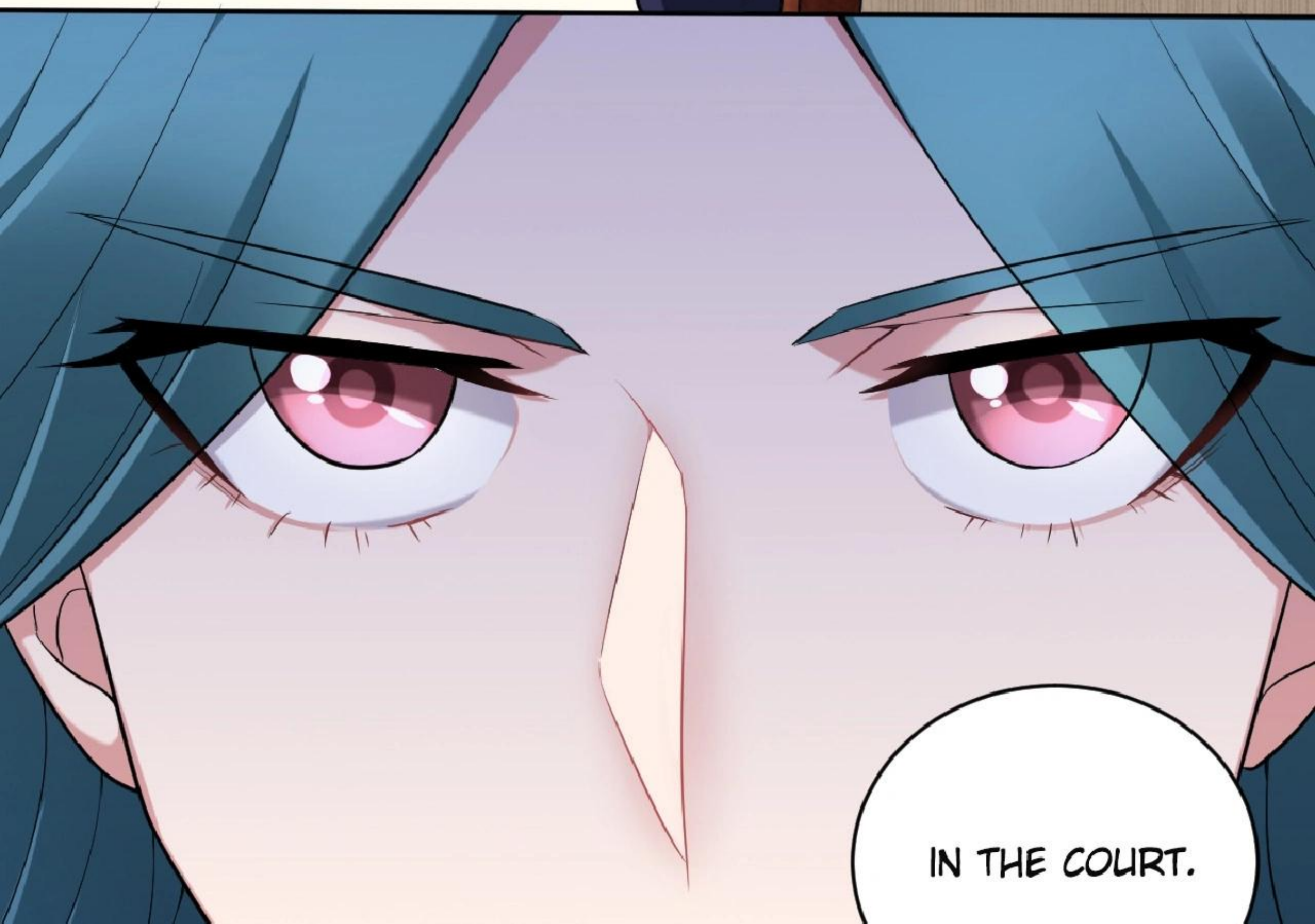
BEING LATE IS A
LADY'S PRIVILEGE,

NO NEED TO
WORRY, TAKE
A SEAT PLEASE,
MISS ZHUO.

MR. MO, YOU MIGHT
NOT REMEMBER, BUT
WE'VE ACTUALLY
MET BEFORE...



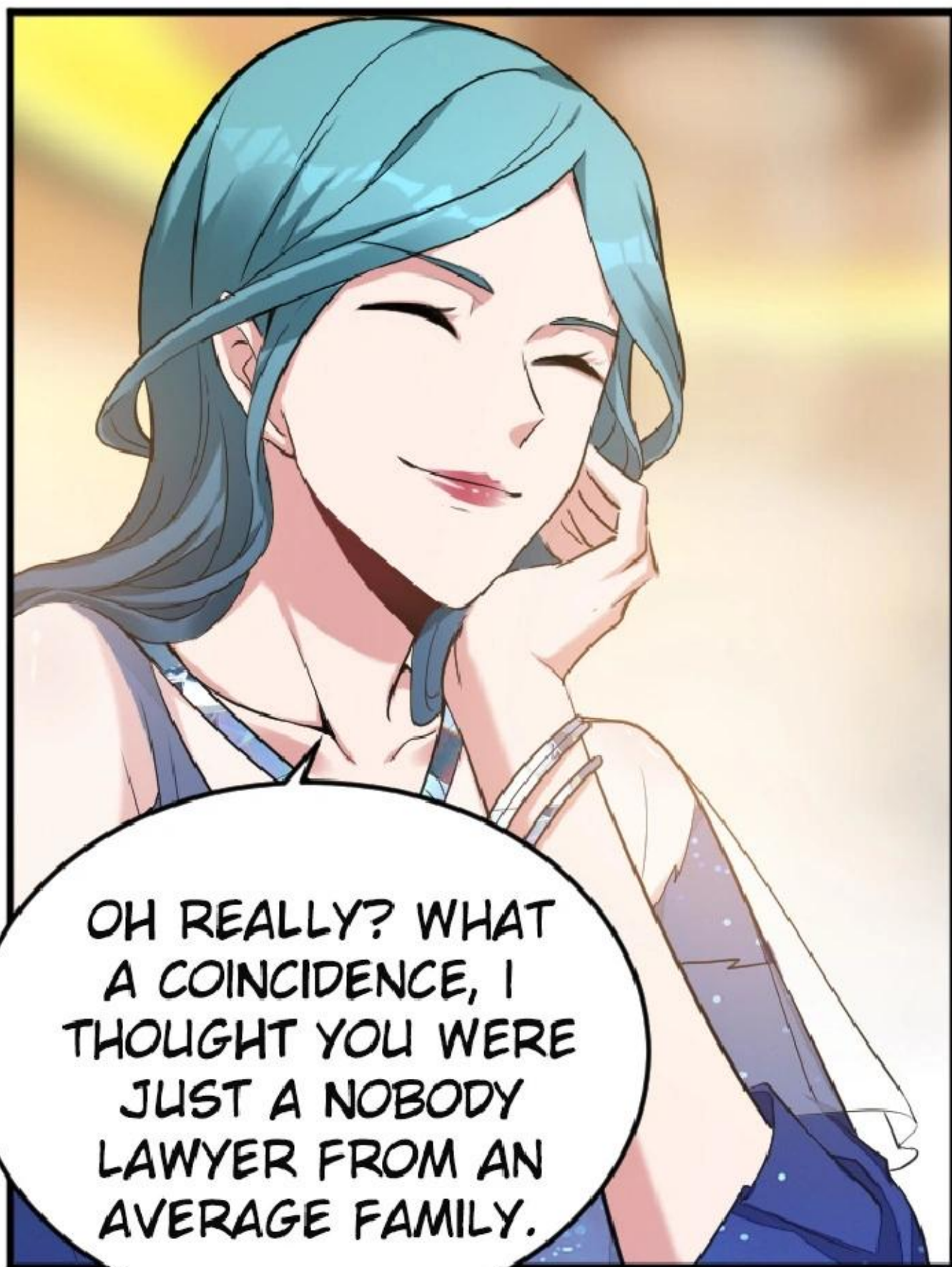
SIT DOWN



IN THE COURT.

IS THAT SO? I THOUGHT
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME
I'VE SEEN MISS ZHUO.
YOU SEEM SLIGHTLY
DIFFERENT FROM 'A
GENTLE AND DEMURE
WOMAN' DESCRIBED
BY YOUR FATHER.





OH REALLY? WHAT
A COINCIDENCE, I
THOUGHT YOU WERE
JUST A NOBODY
LAWYER FROM AN
AVERAGE FAMILY.



PLEASE DON'T MAKE
FUN OF ME MISS ZHUO.
WHAT MY FATHER SAYS



CAN ONLY IMPRESS
YOUNG GIRLS WITH
NAIVE MIND.



I'M SURE YOU
ALREADY KNOW THAT
I'M ONLY AN ILLEGITIMATE
SON. SO IF YOU'RE NOT
SATISFIED WITH OUR
MARRIAGE, I'LL LET
MY FATHER KNOW.



NO, I'M NOT
DISSATISFIED.



YOU NEED TO GAIN
YOUR INFLUENCE, AND I
NEED TO GET MY FATHER
OFF MY BACK. THE
MARRIAGE WILL HELP
US ACHIEVE BOTH
WHAT WE WANT.





HOWEVER, THIS
MARRIAGE CAN ONLY
EXIST ON PAPER.
BEYOND THAT, YOU
AND I LIVE OUR
OWN LIVES...



WE HAVE NOTHING
TO DO WITH
EACH OTHER!

TO BE CONTINUED...

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