

I WOULDN'T
EXACTLY CALL IT A
SPECIAL MEMORY...

IT WAS AROUND
THE TIME WHEN I WAS
HOSPITALIZED...

DUE TO THE
AFTEREFFECTS OF HAVING
SURGERY FOR MY HEART
MURMURS.

I'M SORRY,
BUT MOMMY NEEDS
TO GO.

YOU CAN BE
BRAVE ALL BY YOURSELF,
RIGHT?

MY PARENTS
PRIORITIZED THEIR OWN
PERSONAL LIVES OVER THEIR
RELATIONSHIP...

SO IT DIDN'T
TAKE LONG FOR THEM



TO PART WAYS.

MOM WAS
A FAMOUS ARTIST
AND ALWAYS SUPER
BUSY...



...SO I WAS
LEFT BY MYSELF MOST
OF THE TIME, BUT I
DIDN'T MIND IT.



OH!

YOU REALLY
ARE AROUND MY
AGE.



LET'S SEE...
YOUR NAME
IS...



?



C'MON, LET'S
GO OUT AND PLAY,
EUN-JAE.



SINCE THAT
DAY, HE WOULD KEEP
COMING OVER TO ASK
ME TO PLAY...



GRANDMA!

OH, YOU
LITTLE RASCAL.

JIN-HYEON,
QUIT BOTHERING HIM!
HE NEEDS TO
REST.

...UNTIL
THE DAY HE WAS
DISCHARGED.



**JEONG
EUN-JAE!!!**



**LET'S PLAY,
EUN-JAE!!**

BUT I DIDN'T
HAVE THE ENERGY TO
RUN AROUND...





...SO I NEVER
GOT TO PLAY
WITH HIM.



I CAME BACK
FROM MY CHECKUP
ONE MORNING TO SEE
THAT HE HAD GONE
HOME.



I REGRETTED NOT
EVEN BEING ABLE TO
SAY A SINGLE WORD TO
HIM BECAUSE I WAS
SO SHY.

THAT'S ALL
THE MEMORIES I
HAVE ABOUT KIM
JIN-HYEON.

MEMORIES
THAT ARE SPECIAL
ONLY TO ME...

MEMORIES
THAT HAVE NOW
FADED INTO THE
BACK OF MY
MIND.

HE SMELLED
OF SOAP EVEN BACK
THEN...

SLIDE



MY PULSE FEELS
IRREGULAR. I SHOULD
CHECK IT AGAIN
LATER.



HI, EUN-JAE.



HOW'RE
YOU FEELING
TODAY?



THAT'S GOOD
TO HEAR. WANNA GO
GET SOMETHING TO
EAT? MY TREAT!



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I JUST BROUGHT
ONE OVER BECAUSE MOM
HAD A FEW LYING AROUND
AS REFERENCE MATERIAL
FOR HER ART.



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LOOKS LIKE
EVERYONE ELSE IS HERE
TO GET THEIR SUPPLIES,
HUH?





BUSTLE



SLIDE

THANKS.



ARE YOU OKAY?
WE STILL HAVE TIME,
SO YOU CAN EAT IT
SLOWLY.



GULP

SO DID YOU GO
TO MIDDLE SCHOOL
AROUND HERE?



GULP



YEAH, I WENT
TO HAN-JIN MIDDLE
SCHOOL. HAVE YOU
HEARD OF IT?



AND THAT GUY
OVER THERE WAS OUR
SCHOOL PRESIDENT.





UGH, IT'S CHOI
TAE-UN AND HIS GOONS.
LET'S GO BACK TO THE
CLASSROOM.

OKAY.



TAP



D'YA KNOW
HOW ANNOYING
IT IS TO HAVE TWO
RATS EAVESDROP ON MY
CONVERSATIONS FIRST
THING IN THE
MORNING?





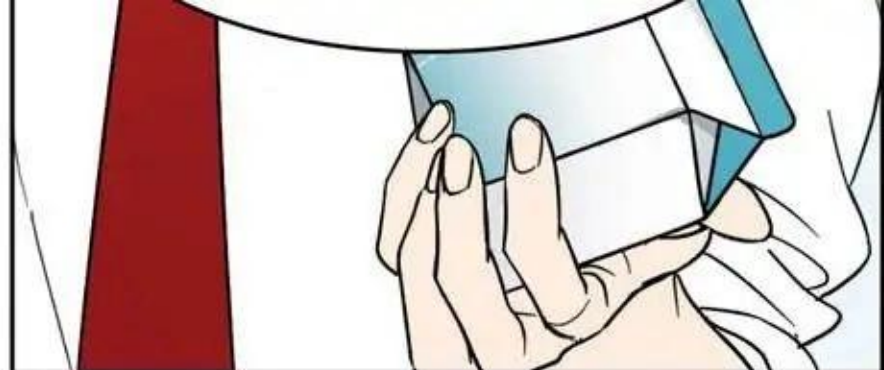


...THIS WIMPY
OMEGA? OH, WAIT.
THEY'RE BOTH OMEGAS.
DAMN, IT'S LIKE THEY KNOW
TO STICK TO THEIR
OWN KIND.



BUT WE
HAVEN'T EVEN
PRESENTED
YET...

WHAT'S GOT YOU
ALL WORKED UP THIS
MORNING?



I AIN'T
BOTHERIN' NO ONE.
WHY ARE YOU TRYIN' TO
MAKE ME LOOK
BAD?





I WASN'T.

...



I JUST
DON'T WANT A
NICE GUY LIKE YOU TO
GIVE OFF THE WRONG
IMPRESSION.

HERE, YOU CAN
HAVE MY MILK. MAYBE
YOU'LL GROW AN INCH BY
THE TIME LUNCH IS
OVER.

PHEW,
THANK GOD HE
STEPPED IN.





BUSTLE

THERE ARE SO
MANY PEOPLE IN THE
CAFETERIA...

EUN-JAE,
OVER HERE!







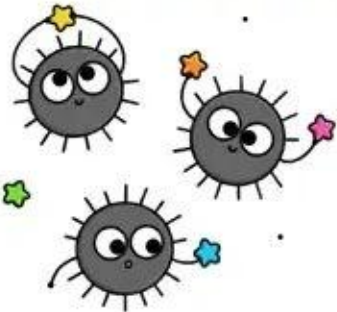
WHOA!







To be continued...



support the author on lezhin
when you can! -nekobasu