

Chapter 53 - I bought three.

I bought only the first volume, even though several were on sale. When we left the store, I didn't put the novel "inside" my system because there were many people around us, and if the novel suddenly disappeared, it would draw a lot of attention.

They would think I'm a magician.

After I bought Edens Zero's first volume, we continued walking through the area. We visited some unusual stores before looking for an electronics store.

It was a lot of fun. Rias was excited whenever we entered a new store. She found many nostalgic things to her, so we were already carrying several bags before we knew it.

Luckily I had brought a large amount of cash, so I still had enough to buy the cell phones. I had a lot of 10,000 yen bills; it was a considerable amount.

Honestly, I don't know if carrying a lot of bills is a good idea. I will make a credit card later. Maybe the system can create a credit or debit card for me. I'll look into that later.

"That store looks good." After walking for almost 20 minutes, we finally found an electronics-only store. It was a huge, three-story store.

"Is everything at a discount?"

On the front, it had several posters. They were promotions.

"The refrigerators and televisions are 10% off."

"10%? I was thinking of buying a television to put in my room; maybe this is a good time. But I don't know if the money I brought will be enough."

"A TV to put in your room? Why?"

"When I was little, I liked to watch TV before going to bed, so I'm thinking of buying one to put in my room."

"But isn't it bad to watch TV before going to bed? They say it's bad for your sleep."

"I don't know anything about that. Now let's go after those cell phones and return to the island. Those two will do something stupid if we leave them alone for too long."

"Don't worry about that; Bulma is very responsible."

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We walked into the store and were amazed at how many cell phones they had for sale. They had so many different models; it was hard to choose. Since I didn't understand much about cell phones, I decided to buy a popular model, which was the iPhone.

My cell phone was also an iPhone.

Amazingly, an iPhone here was cheaper than in the United States, so I spent less than expected.

The store clerk almost panicked when I told her I wanted to buy three iPhones. Apparently, it was not very common for someone to buy three such expensive phones at once. Her reaction was even funnier when I paid for everything in cash.

I could only smile bitterly.

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We returned to the island with minus \$3,000 in my pocket. As soon as we stepped onto the sand on the beach, I noticed that something strange was happening.

All the lights in the house were off, and a strange sound was coming from inside. It was like someone was hammering on the wall of the house or something. I quickly ran into the house and turned on the light.

And in the living room, I found something surprising.

"What are you doing?" In the dark, in the middle of the room, I found Saber punching something that looked like a punching bag.

"I was bored and found this inside the closet; I'm using it to train."

"You train using a punching bag? But don't you fight using a sword?"

"Yes, but knowing how to use your fists is also important."

"I see... But why are you doing this in the dark?"

"Bulma said she wanted to sleep, so I kept the lights off" It was already night; we had been in Japan all day. But it is strange for Bulma to go to bed so early.

She usually would stay up late at night.

"You don't have to turn off all the lights in the house; just turn off the lights upstairs. And what good will it do to keep the lights off if you're making all that noise?"

"Right..." Saber said without sketching any expression. I sighed and then picked up one bag that was with Rias.

"Here you go." I took one of the iPhones and handed it to Saber.

"What's that?"

"It's a cell phone. Rias, can you teach her how to use it? I'm not very good at teaching people."

"Oh, sure, I'll do that. But first, I want to shower; I'm all sweaty."

"I need a shower too." I felt dirty. It was hot in Japan. I sweated a lot as I walked through all those busy stores.

"What do you say we take a shower together?" Rias said as we walked up the stairs together. She said it like it was no big deal. And, of course, how could I refuse an offer like that?

"Well, if you want to," I replied without a second thought. Rias giggled and then went to her room.

'So she was just kidding?' I went to my room, went into my bathroom, and removed my clothes. And as soon as I got under the shower, I heard the bathroom door being opened.

"What happened? Did you start without me?" When I heard Rias' voice, my heart soared.

I thought she was joking, but she wanted to shower with me. I couldn't help but celebrate internally.