



WHAT ARE YOU DOING IN A PLACE LIKE THIS?

THIS IS HATSUSEGAWA KAREN, YOUNG LADY OF THE HATSUSEGAWA GROUP...



IF YOU'RE SEEN LOOKING AT UNKNOWN GUYS, YOUR FANS WILL START ASKING QUESTIONS...

THIS CHILDHOOD FRIEND IS JUST TOO MUCH FOR ME TO HANDLE.

DON'T COME HERE

RUMOURS FOLLOW YOU, AND IT'S CAUSING PROBLEMS FOR ME, TOO.

EVEN IF WE'VE KNOWN EACH OTHER SINCE LONG AGO.

...OH?

PROBLEMS...?

IF YOU INSIST, I MIGHT AGREE TO REALLY GO OUT.



IDIOT.

...WHA-
!?



...WITH
WHOM?

WITH YOU.



SO AN-
NOY-
ING ...



HE WHO
CALLS
SOMEONE
ELSE
AN IDIOT
IS AN IDIOT
HIMSELF!!



YOU ARE
AS SHY
AS EVER...



GEEZ,
KAITO...



CHILDHOOD PRINCESS





YOU'D REALLY LIKE SOMETHING LIKE THAT?

YOU DAYDREAM TOO MUCH.

A CHILDHOOD FRIEND MIGHT WAKE YOU UP IN THE MORNING...
COOK FOR YOU...

COOK FOR YOU...



BUT IT MUST BE NICE... HAVING A YOUNG LADY LIKE HER AS A CHILDHOOD FRIEND.

SHE'S A BEAUTY, TOO.

HUH...?



IF YOU LIKE, I COULD OFFER YOU A LIFT.

ISN'T IT FINE TO EAT SWEETS?

FIRST OF ALL, SHE NEVER COOKS.

AND SHE COMES TO SCHOOL IN A LUXURY CAR.

IT'S PRETTY DREAM-LIKE, EH?



SERIOUSLY, WHO'S BEEN RUNNING THEIR MOUTH...

SHADDUP!

...YOU SEEM TO STAND OUT PLENTY ALREADY, THOUGH.

I HATE STANDING OUT!

YOU GET A LIFT TO SCHOOL WITH HER?

YOU'RE ALWAYS BARELY ON TIME.

HE'S KAREN-SAMA'S
OOH...!

AH! IT'S THAT GUY!





I AM SEEING KIRIYAMA-KUN FROM MY CLASS.

I AM HAPPY ABOUT YOUR FEELINGS, BUT...

SO IT WAS YOU!!

I...

SO THAT RUMOUR IS REALLY ...

THAT IS HOW IT IS, I BEG YOUR PARDON.

SURNAME: KIRIYAMA



WHAT WAS THAT ABOUT?

...IT IS BECAUSE THIS WAY I CAN EASILY GET EVERYONE TO GIVE UP.

KA-KAITO!?

YOU SAW THAT?

I'D LIKE AN EXPLANATION, BUT...

REJECTING CONFESSIONS HAS BECOME A HUGE PROBLEM FOR ME...

I'M

NOT HERE TO LISTEN TO YOUR SOB STORY.

SEE YA!

THIS IS... ERRR...



Y-YOU SHOULD BE THANKFUL TO ME!!

?

UM... ERR...

THAT... IT'S...

WHY DID YOU DRAG ME INTO YOUR STORY?

EVEN IF IT IS A LIE, YOU HAVE BECOME REGARDED AS MY BOYFRIEND.



ENOUGH ALREADY!

I'M FED UP WITH YOUR SHOWING OFF!

SUCH AN HONOUR-

E...



FIRST OF ALL, SOMETHING LIKE YOU AND ME GOING OUT WOULD NEVER HAPPEN...

WITH HER PERSONALITY, I EXPECTED HER TO LASH OUT.

"THAT'S MY LINE!" OR SOMETHING ...

UNTIL NOW...



...EH?

THE ALWAYS CONFIDENT AND PRIDEFUL KAREN IS



FOR ALL THE TROUBLE I'VE CAUSED YOU...



HURT BY MY WORDS...?

IT CAN'T BE... RIGHT?

I SINCERELY APOLOGISE ...



OOH!♥ THE GIRLS ARE IN THE GYMNASIUM, TOO. LUCKY!

AS I THOUGHT... SHE'S BACK TO NORMAL...

ON THE NEXT DAY ...



IT LOOKS LIKE ANEMIA.

HEALTH REP, TAKE HER TO THE INFIRMARY TO REST.

OKAY.



HATSU-SEGAWA-SAN!!

I JUST CAN'T ABANDON HER...



HEALTH REP

I KNOW HOW IT WILL LOOK TO THE OTHERS
SO WHY AM I DOING THIS...?

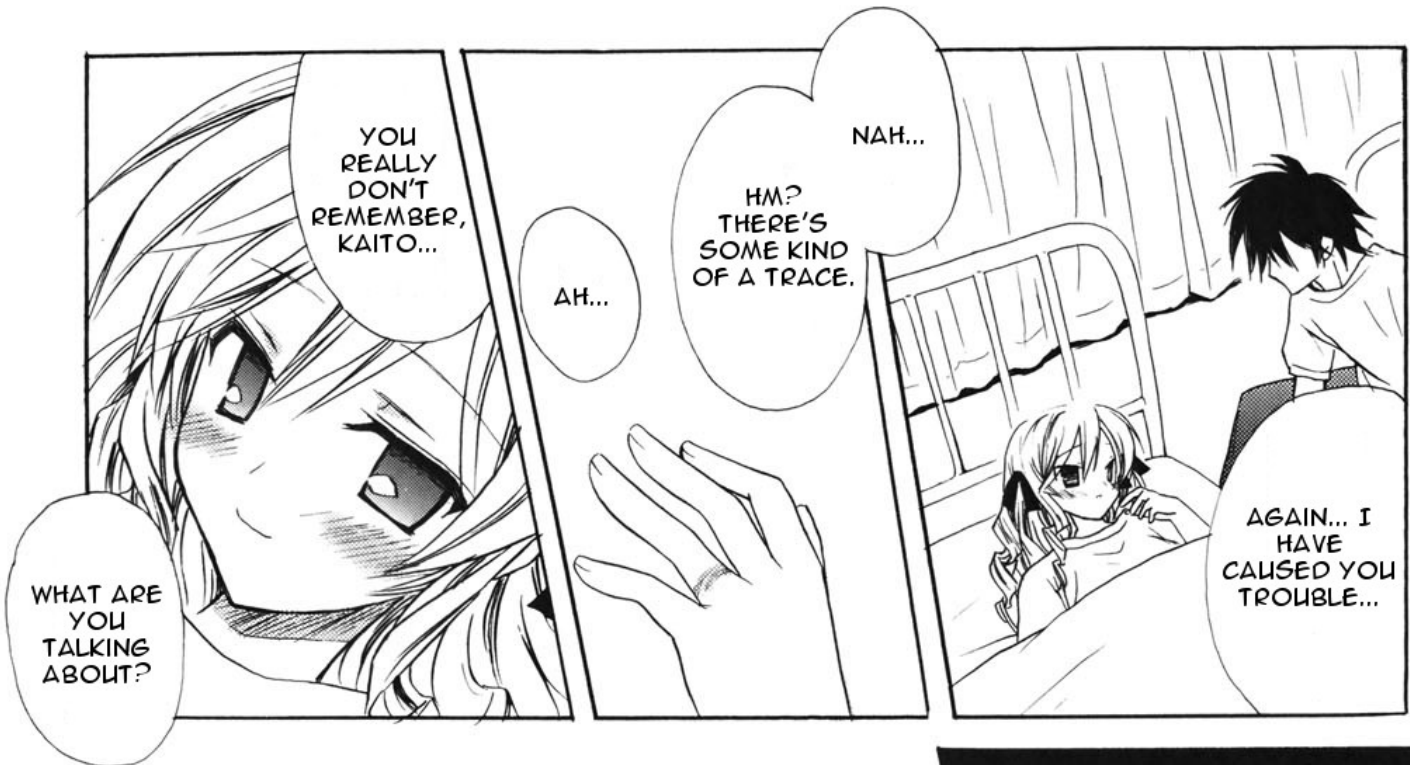
OH, ARE YOU GOING?

SHADDUP



INFIRMARY

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YOU REALLY DON'T REMEMBER, KAITO...

AH...

HM? THERE'S SOME KIND OF A TRACE.

NAH...

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?

AGAIN... I HAVE CAUSED YOU TROUBLE...



THAT IS UP TO MY FEELINGS.

MOREOVER, IF I GO OUT WITH SOMEONE ELSE, THE RUMOURS ABOUT YOU WILL DISAPPEAR.

WHAT... IS THIS? SHE'S NOTHING

LIKE HER USUAL...

NO... NEVERMIND THAT.

MORE IMPORTANTLY, KAITO...

AT MY FATHER'S RECOMMENDATION, I HAVE AGREED TO CONSIDER A MARRIAGE PROPOSAL.

HUH?

WHY SO SUDDENLY...? WE'RE STILL IN HIGH SCHOOL...



I'M SURE I'VE SEEN KAREN LIKE THIS BEFORE...



...NO.



ARE YOU... RELIEVED?

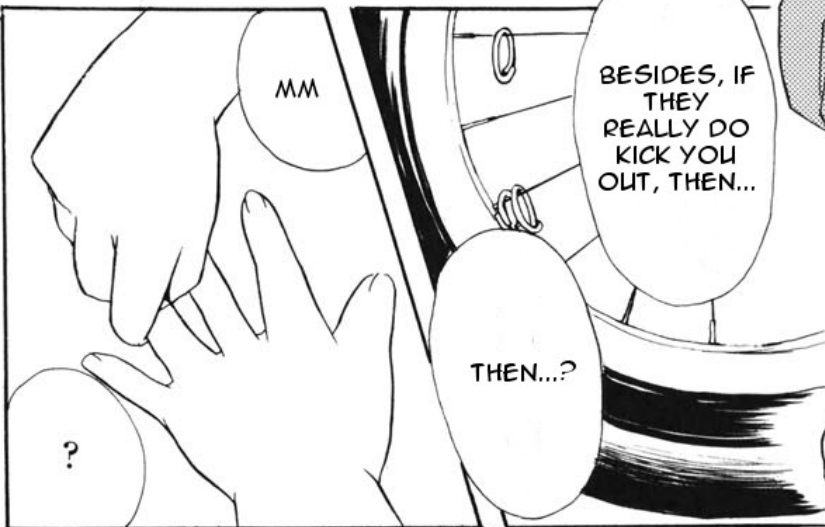


THEY WON'T KICK YOU OUT FOR SOMETHING LIKE THAT.

I WONDER IF MY FAMILY WISHES I WOULD DISAPPEAR...

THAT'S RIGHT... THE KAREN BACK THEN WAS ALWAYS

FRAIL AND DOCILE LIKE THIS...



MM

BESIDES, IF THEY REALLY DO KICK YOU OUT, THEN...

THEN...?

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WHEN I CLIMBED A TREE IN THE GARDEN, FATHER, HE...

A CHILD LIKE ME IS JUST NOT SUITABLE FOR OUR FAMILY.



...OKAY!

THEN LET'S GET MARRIED.



SHE WAS WEARING IT FOR ALL THIS TIME ...?

THIS... FROM THAT TIME...?

KYA ...!?

KA-KAITO...?

...EH?

IT...
EXPIRED
A LONG
TIME AGO...

SHE...
ALWAYS
SHOWS
THIS KIND
OF A FACE
FOR ME,
SO...

AH...

TH- THAT
WAS JUST A
CHILDREN'S
PROMISE...

I...
PROPOSED
TO YOU,
DIDN'T I...?

A PROMISE
IS
A PROMISE.

NO MATTER
HOW
TROUBLE-
SOME, I'LL
TAKE
RESPONSI-
BILITY...!

WHO...A...

NO!!

EVEN
THOUGH
YOU HAD
FORGOTTEN
ALL ABOUT
IT UNTIL
JUST NOW...

NO!!



NA...H
AH...

HA...

WHAT...
AM I
DOING...?

EVEN
THOUGH
IT'LL BE BAD
IF I DON'T
STOP...

SO
SOFT
...



HER
VOICE...
HER
SCENT...
HER
TOUCH...

HER WHOLE
BODY IS
LIKE SWEET
POISON
THAT'S
PARALYZING
MY
THOUGHTS...

KAI-
TO
...
♡

KA...
KA...
KA...

FLAH...
AH...A...
♡

KA...
KA...
KA...



ALREADY WET...

AH...

...AH

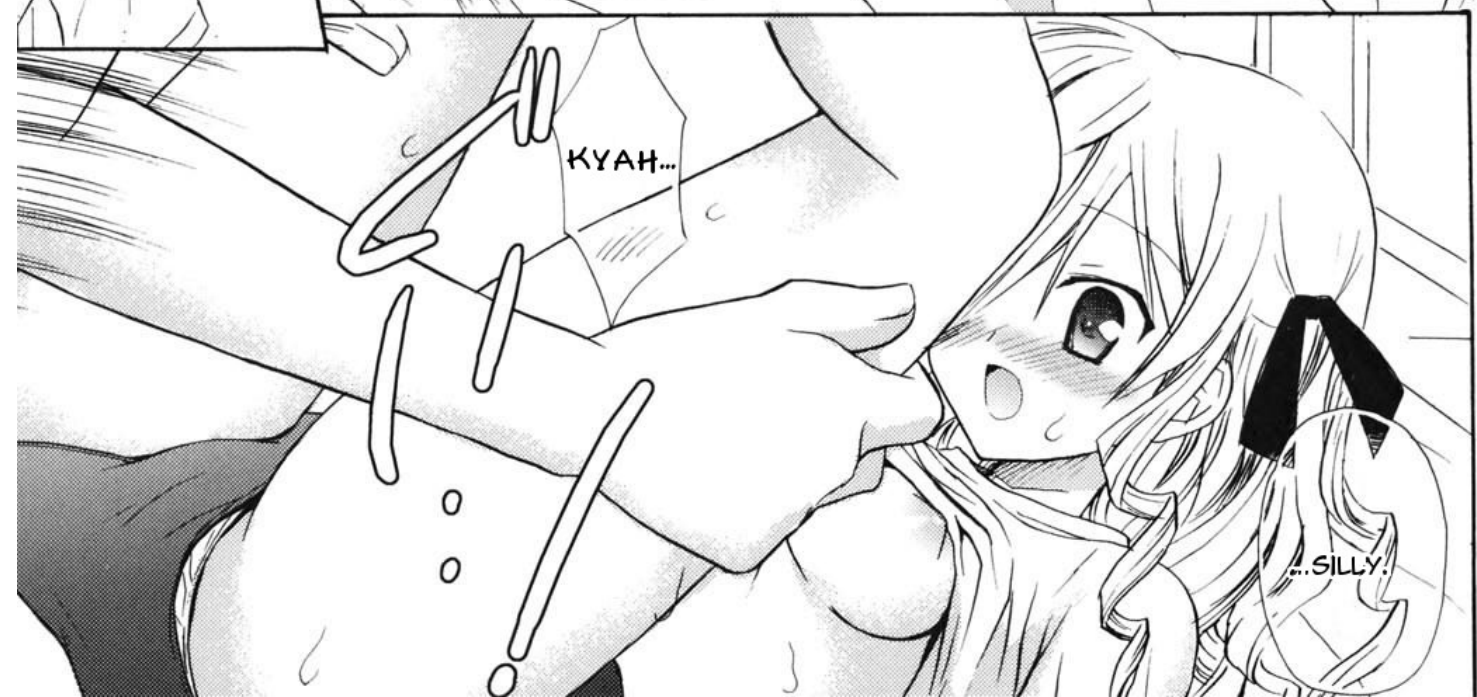
KA-KAITO...



EVEN THOUGH... UM... I AM SO DISGRACEFUL

YOU DO NOT DISLIKE ME...?

カイト...



KYAH...

...SILLY!



AAAAH!

TH- THAT IS EMBARRASSING ...

4x
3x
4x
3x

HYA...?

NAH...

4x
3x



Y- YES...

DO... AS YOU WISH...

KAREN...

CAN I PUT IT IN...?

4x
3x



I- IT HURTS A LITTLE, BUT...

TO GIVE MYSELF TO KAITO...



AH...

FU...AAH...

A- ARE YOU ALRIGHT?

IT GIVES ME... A VERY HAPPY AND...

FULFILLED FEELING...



NH...

KYAH...

what are
you doing...?
suddenly...
so violent...



FUA...
I...

already...

B...
B...
B...



...GH!!

A...AAAH...
♡

♡♡♡♡

HA...
KAREN...

MM...
NOW IT'S
ALL CLEAN...
♡

I'M
ALREADY
MORE OR
LESS USED
TO IT.
BESIDES...

110
A
Y
...



IF WE ARE
SEEN,
THERE WILL
BE MORE
RUMOURS.

ARE YOU
SURE IT IS
FINE? TO
GO HOME
TOGETHER

...



KAITO...
♡

...WELL

IF THE
RUMOUR IS
TRUE, THEN
I GIVE UP.

...AS I
THOUGHT
SHE'S
ANNOYING...

WE HAVEN'T
WALKED 5
MINUTES YET!



I AM TIRED.
WOULD
YOU CARRY
ME?

end

Dreamsicle
...color special...
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HELLO AGAIN, IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE MY LAST RELEASE. THIS TIME I'VE BROUGHT YOU A SAMPLE FROM THE WORKS OF KOMIYA YUUTA, WHO IS SO TERRIBLY UNDER-APPRECIATED INTERNATIONALLY THAT I COULDN'T FIND A SINGLE ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF HER WORKS! I KNEW I HAD TO DO SOMETHING TO RECTIFY THE SITUATION, AND I ENDED UP CHOOSING "CHILDHOOD PRINCESS" MAINLY BECAUSE I HAVE A WEAKNESS FOR BLONDE OJOU-SAMAS. THERE IS A SEQUEL, AND I'LL BE WORKING ON IT NEXT.

A BIG THANK YOU TO MY FRIEND, KARNIVALLO, FOR HIS EXPERT REDRAWS.

