

COMINGS AND GOINGS

"Alayi ni itiju (one who has no shame)" she screamed.

Oh hi there. On today's episode of Comings and Goings, a new tale has landed. But before we dive in, incase this is your first time, a little background.

So you see, I live in a house by a road path. And the funniest things seem to always happen right by my window. Must be something about the bushes there or the old woman none of us trusts that lives in the building. Either way, I live for these moments. Generous person that I am, I decided to share these gifts with you all. My fans.

Oh and i should drop my address at the end of this episode. Incase you want to visit. I'm mostly bored and jobless. Plus who knows, something funny may happen to you there and you'll end up in Comings and Goings. You'll be famous, yay. And I know some of you don't believe me anyways, sometimes I don't believe myself, you may want to confirm. Wouldn't want me misleading the public.

I may also have secret admirers who want to send me gifts. Oh I'm rambling, sorry, yes, yes, back to the story.

So there i was minding my business per usual when this lovely couple saunter on by.

"Adekemi, you're the one I live for. I truly love you. Only you" I hear the man saying.

"Femi, please. You say this everytime and the next moment you're embarrassing me." The woman replies.

"That was in the past. I'm a changed man now and you're the light of my life. I've realised my mistakes and I'm ready to change. I just need you to give me a chance"

They've stopped walking now as the man is holding the woman's hand. Probably trying to make his syrupy words stick better as the breeze may interfere if they keep walking as he speaks. Men, I chuckle.

"Isn't that all I've been doing? Giving you chances? And I regret it every single time. Because you do something worse than the last"

"Ayanfe mi (my love). That was all the work of the devil. I'm a new man now"

I burst out laughing and they both turn. Oops. I think i ducked before they could see me but still. I've said it that this my inappropriate laughter is going to put me in trouble one day. I don't think

today is the day sha. But really, people need to leave the devil alone.

"I'm not sure I have it in me to give you a second chance Femi"

Go sis. All men do is lie. Release yourself from his shackles.

"Remember when I saw you in Bimbo's house? And you told me that you were just tutoring her on a course she needed help with. Even though you both weren't dressed appropriately, i believed you because I felt that's what people in a relationship do. Trust each other."

People were half naked and you think you should trust them? I groan quietly. Lord save us from sheer stupidity. Love doesn't mean that you lose your senses and ignore what's right in front of you!

Should really go into that relationship coach business. These sisters need rescuing.

"You'd have to enter a relationship first" my mind mutters. Oh please, quiet. Semantics really. Besides, I'll give them advice from an impartial viewpoint.

Anyway, back to our lovely couple.

"But then you made me a laughing stock"

"And I am really sorry. I am. All I'm asking for is the chance to show you"

At this point our Romeo has drawn closer to his Juliet. Staring into her eyes and willing her sense away.

"I don't know Femi. I just don't know" she's saying in a low voice.

Oh no. That's the voice of someone slowly dancing to yes which is an obvious mistake.

"Please my love. Please"

And then he starts. To. Kiss. Her. On the neck. It is finished for this young lady I fear. A kiss on the neck is how these men start the process of sucking out one's sense. And from there one, is putty in their hands.

After some minutes of kissing and groping, on the road might I add, shameless people really. They stop.

"I got this flowers for you by the way"

The girl blushing, collects it. "They're so beautiful"

Ugh. Someone just kill me. Pathetic. On top plants?

"As beautiful as you. Pretty flowers for a pretty lady"

Shoot me already. Really?? Anything cornier than this and this man would have a plantation. Ha! See what I did there? Literary genius.

"To the light of my life, Bimbo" I hear the girl saying.

Bimbo? The same Bimbo?? Undressed, scantily clad Bimbo? Aha. This should be interesting I think as I crane my neck for a better view.

"Ah"

Ah indeed, young fool. Ah indeed.

"Femi!"

"There's a mixup somewhere"

In your brain obviously because you must be stupid. How do you give flowers meant for one to another? With an addressed card. The sheer foolishness.

She begins to beat him with the flowers.

"Aláinítjù (one who has no shame). Aláilójúti (one who has no shame). Oniranu (one who does nonsense). Shameless buffoon. Useless man"

Colourful dictionary she has there and I'm all for supporting women so I cheer her on silently, laughing in the background.

"Will you both leave this place" a voice in the building yells. "Handle your business at home and stop disturbing people"

That evil old woman, I sigh.

Anyways, till next time. I remain your lovely gossip.