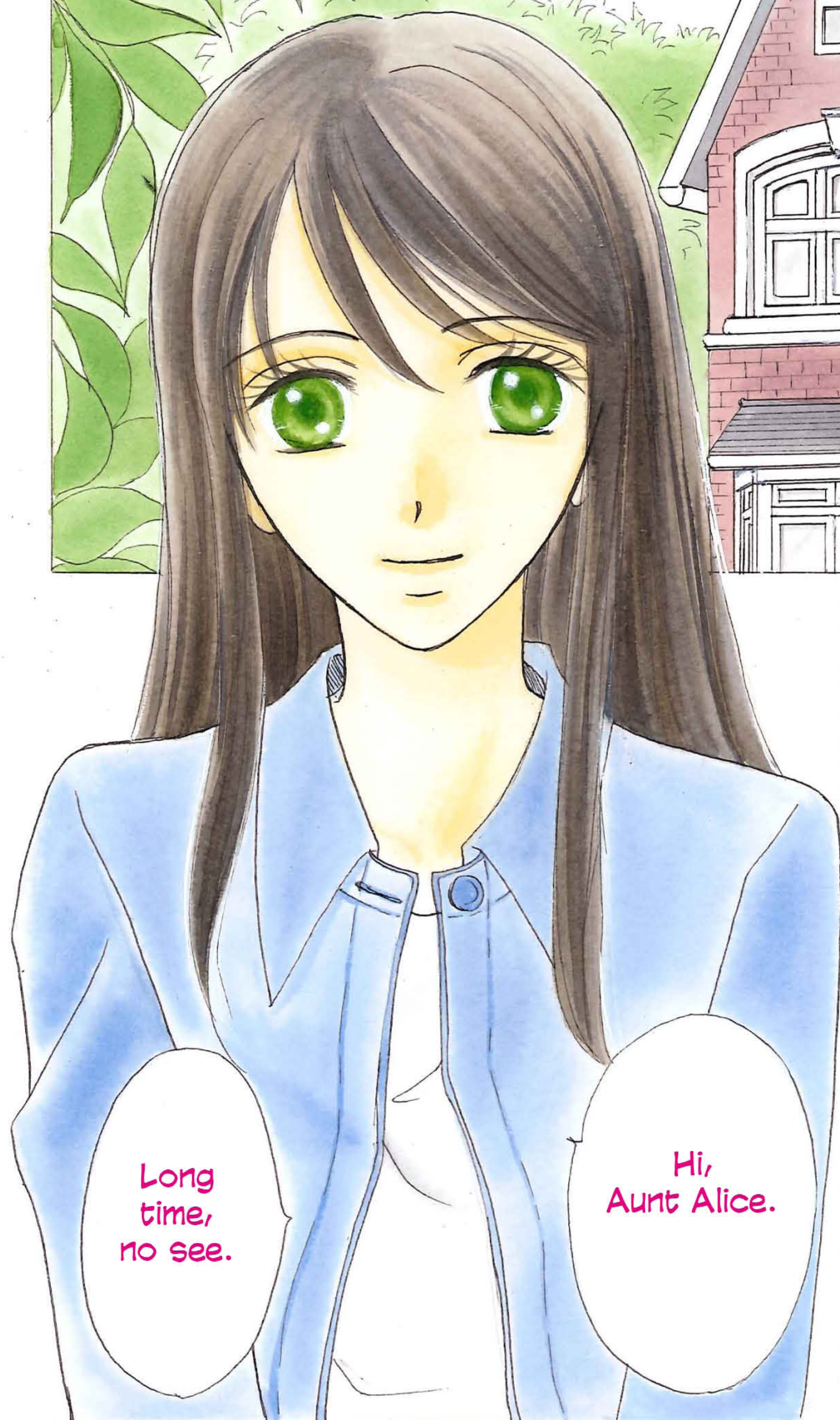


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DING
DONG



Long
time,
no see.

Hi,
Aunt Alice.



Hello,
Lydie.



It's been
a while,
hasn't it?

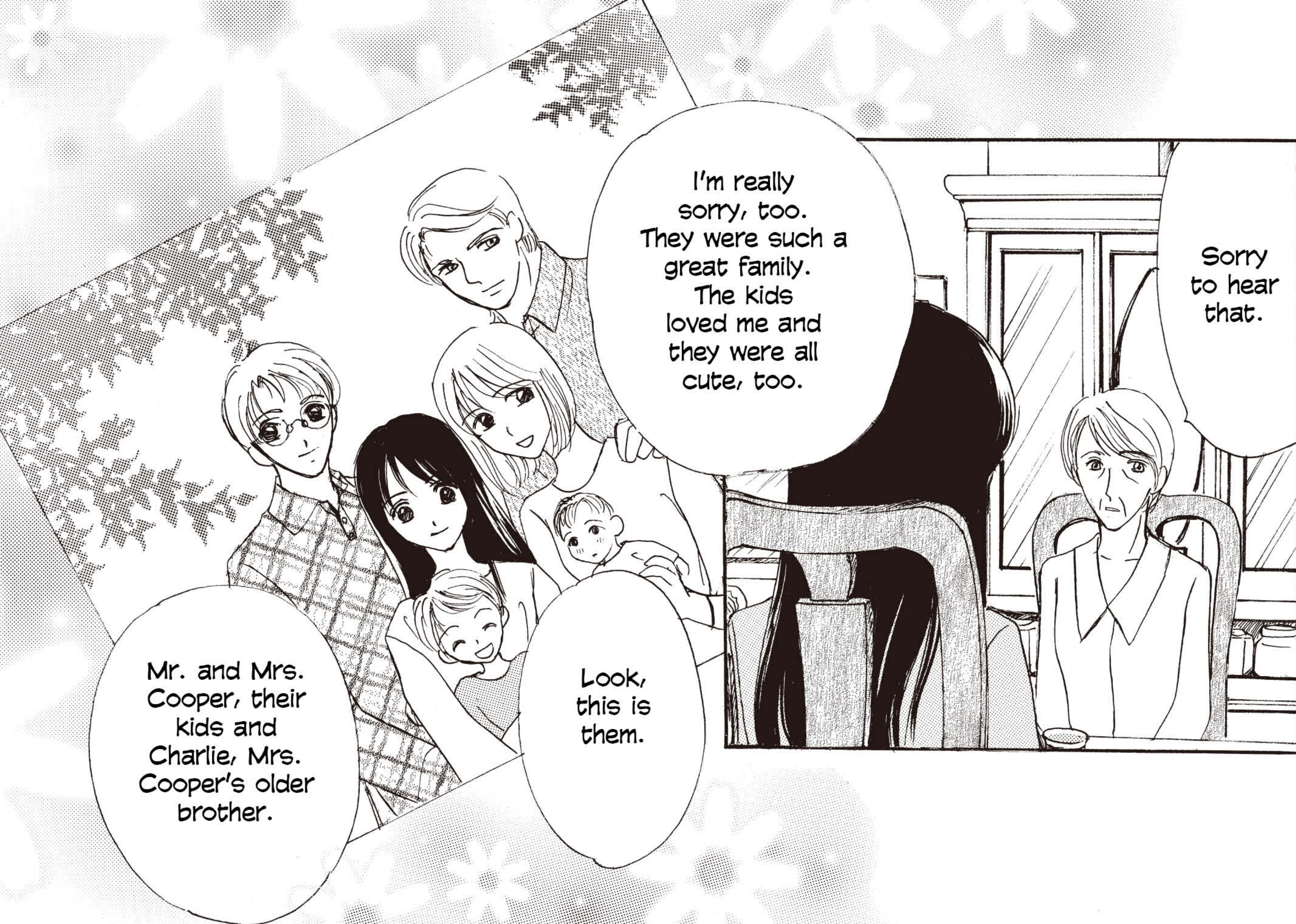


Because of
the family's
financial
hardship.
I'm on my
way home.

Well,
I just got
fired.

Fired?

How's your
job going?
You work
as a nanny,
right?

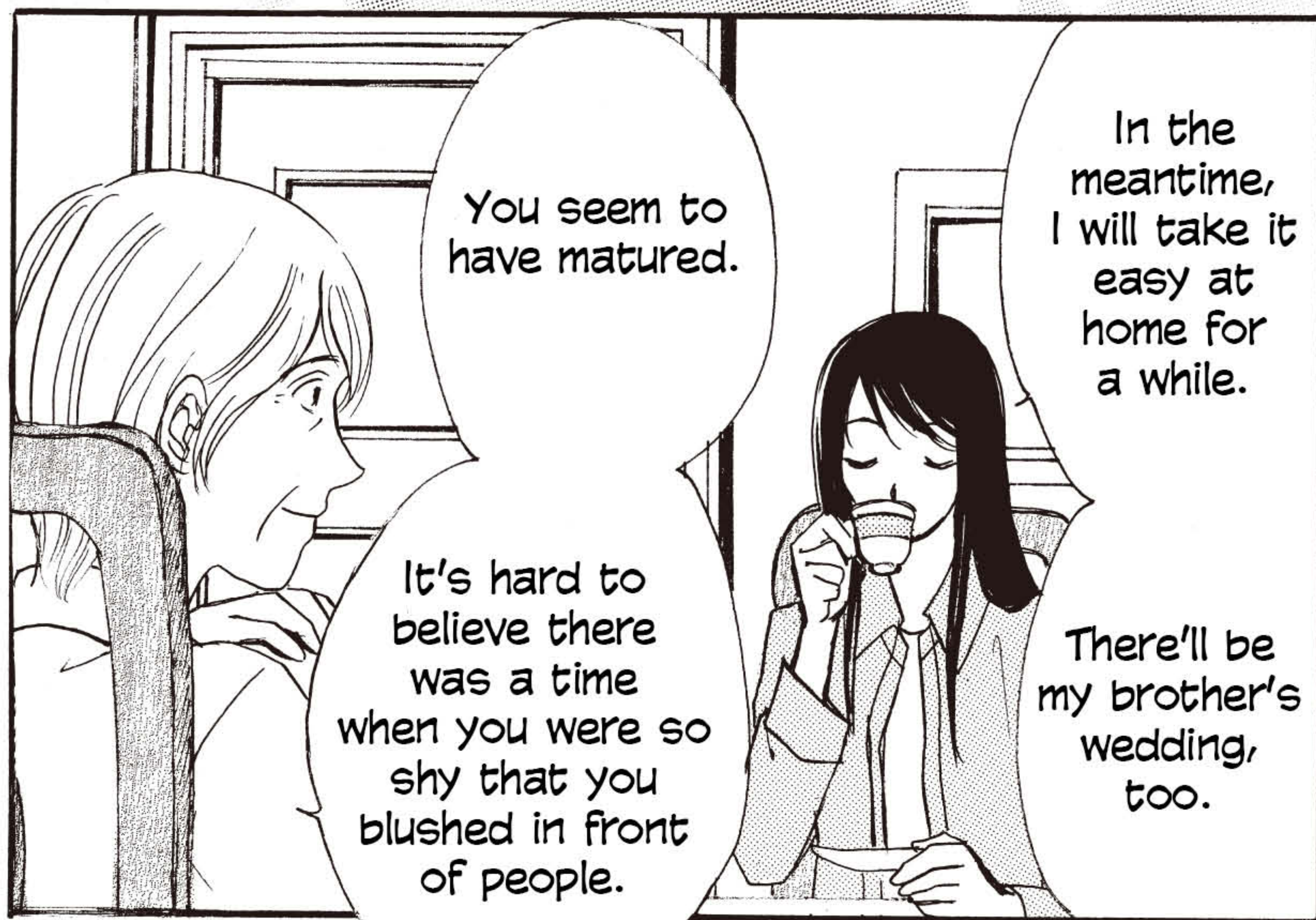


I'm really sorry, too. They were such a great family. The kids loved me and they were all cute, too.

Sorry to hear that.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, their kids and Charlie, Mrs. Cooper's older brother.

Look, this is them.



You seem to have matured.

In the meantime, I will take it easy at home for a while.

There'll be my brother's wedding, too.

It's hard to believe there was a time when you were so shy that you blushed in front of people.

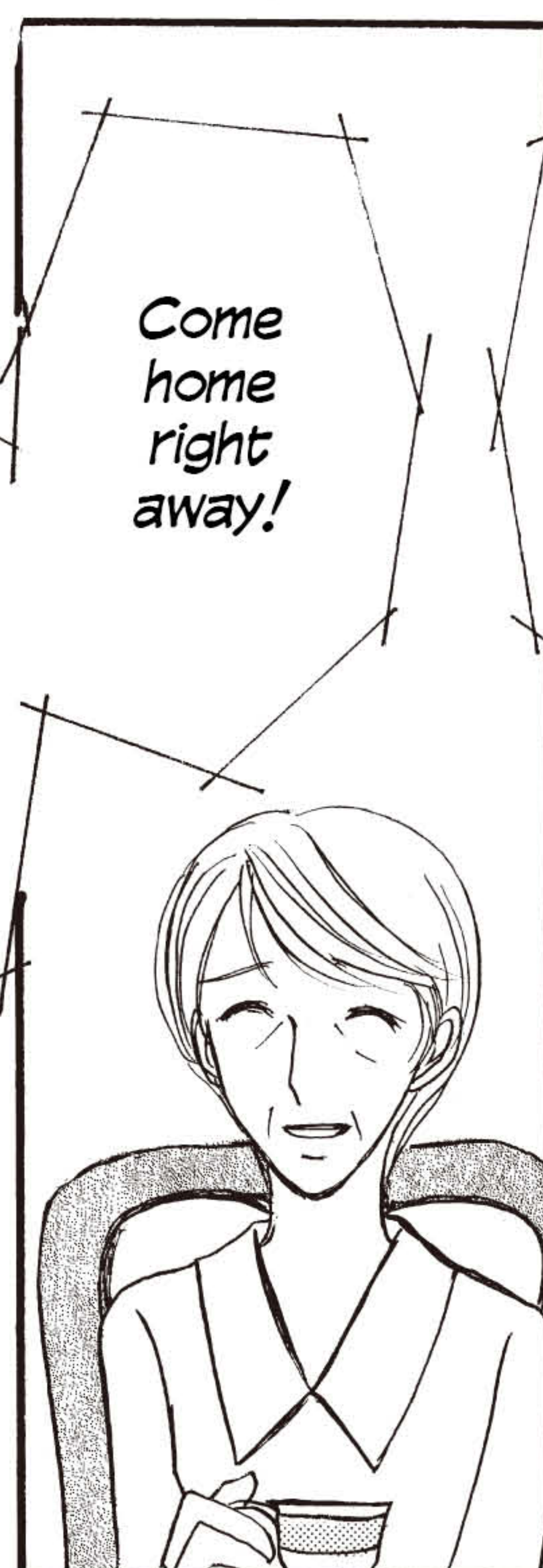
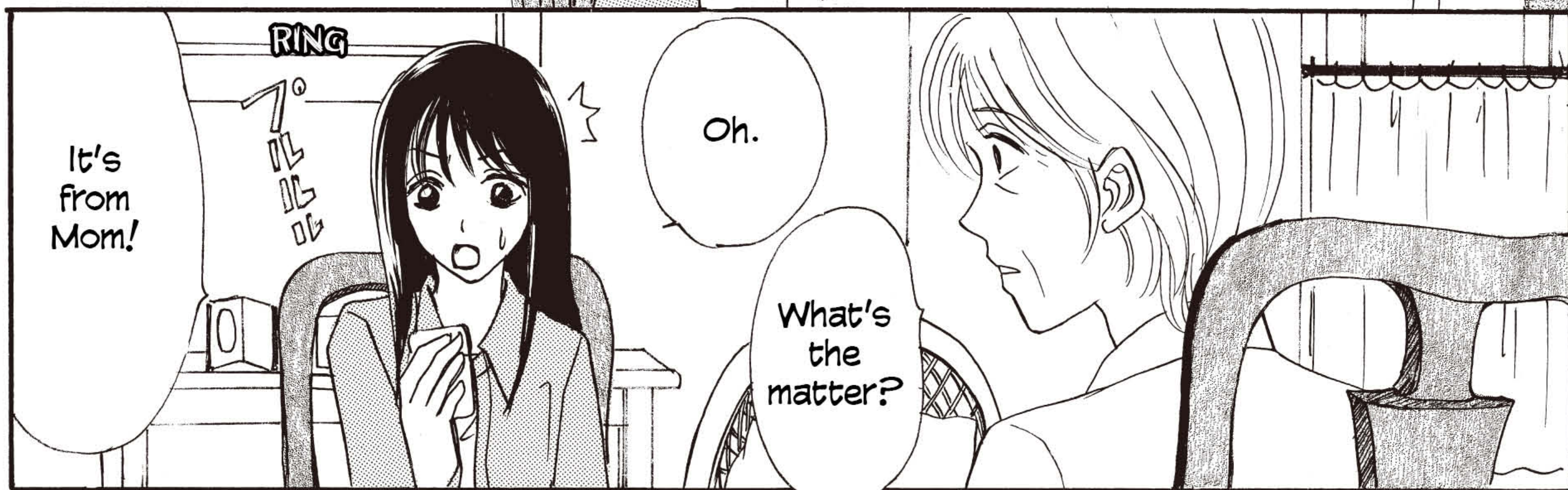
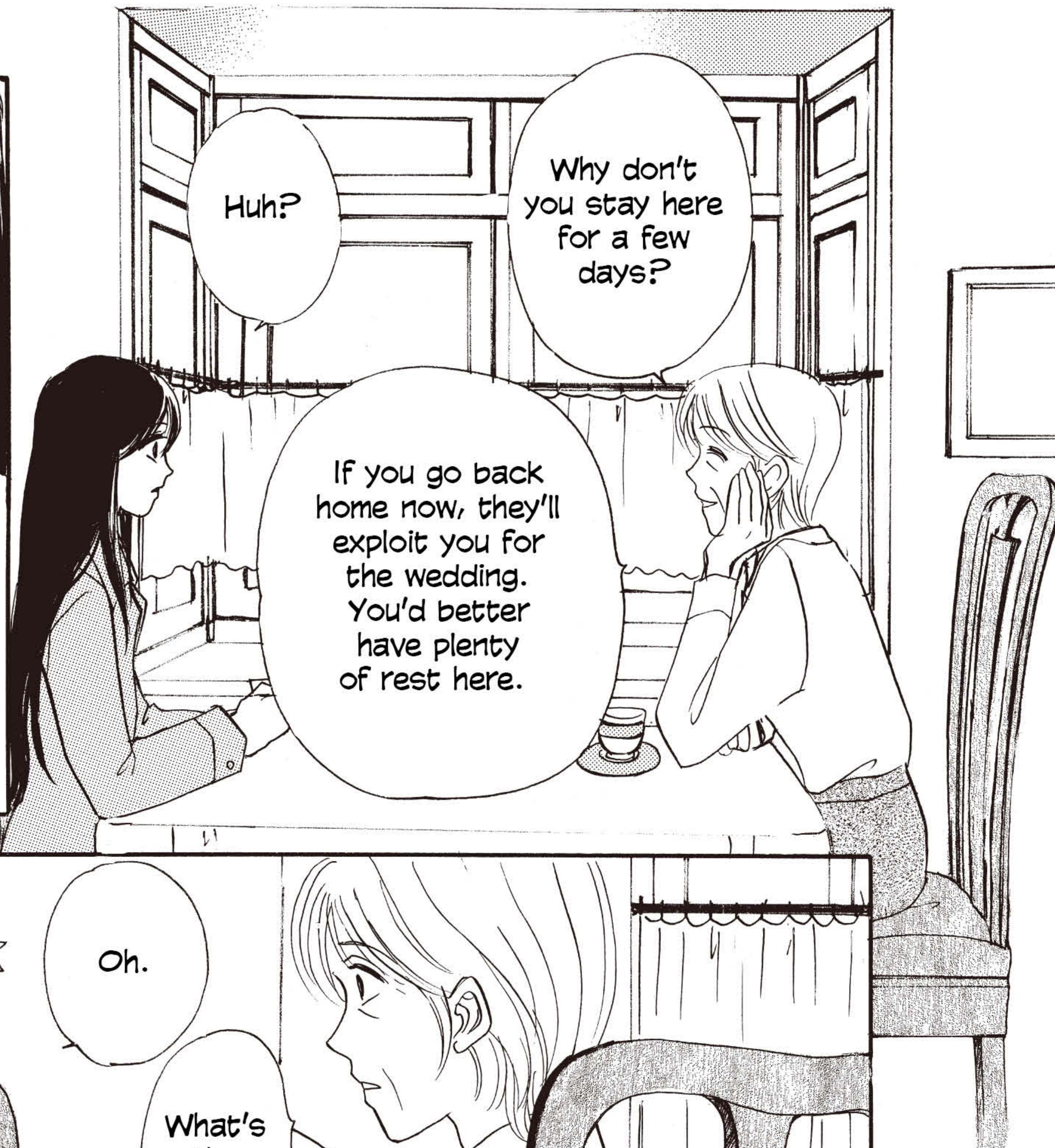
Hey, Lydie.

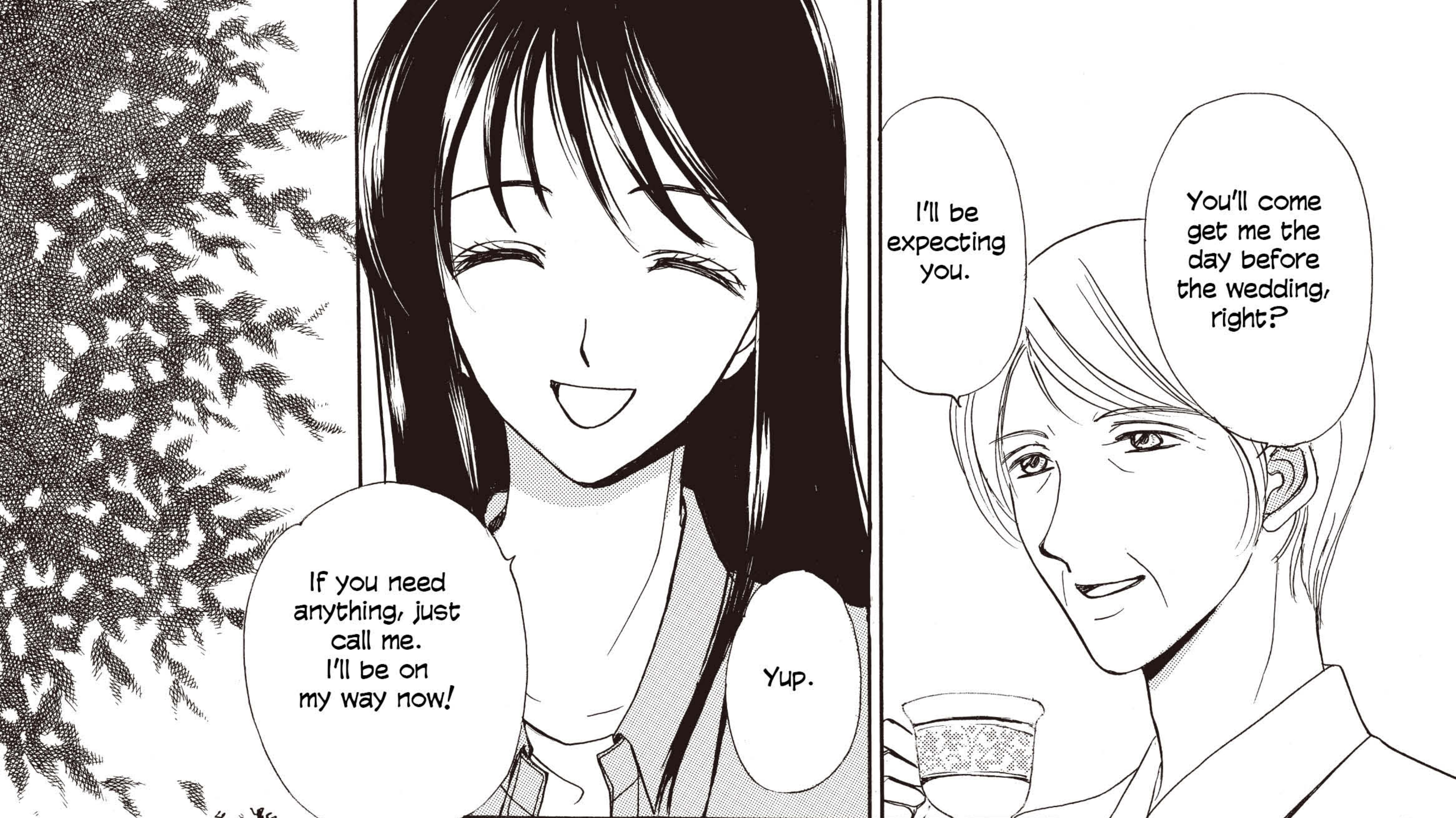
I'm already twenty-three years old.



I know it's part of the job, but it was hard to say good-bye...

...because we've been like a family for three years.





If you need
anything, just
call me.
I'll be on
my way now!

Yup.

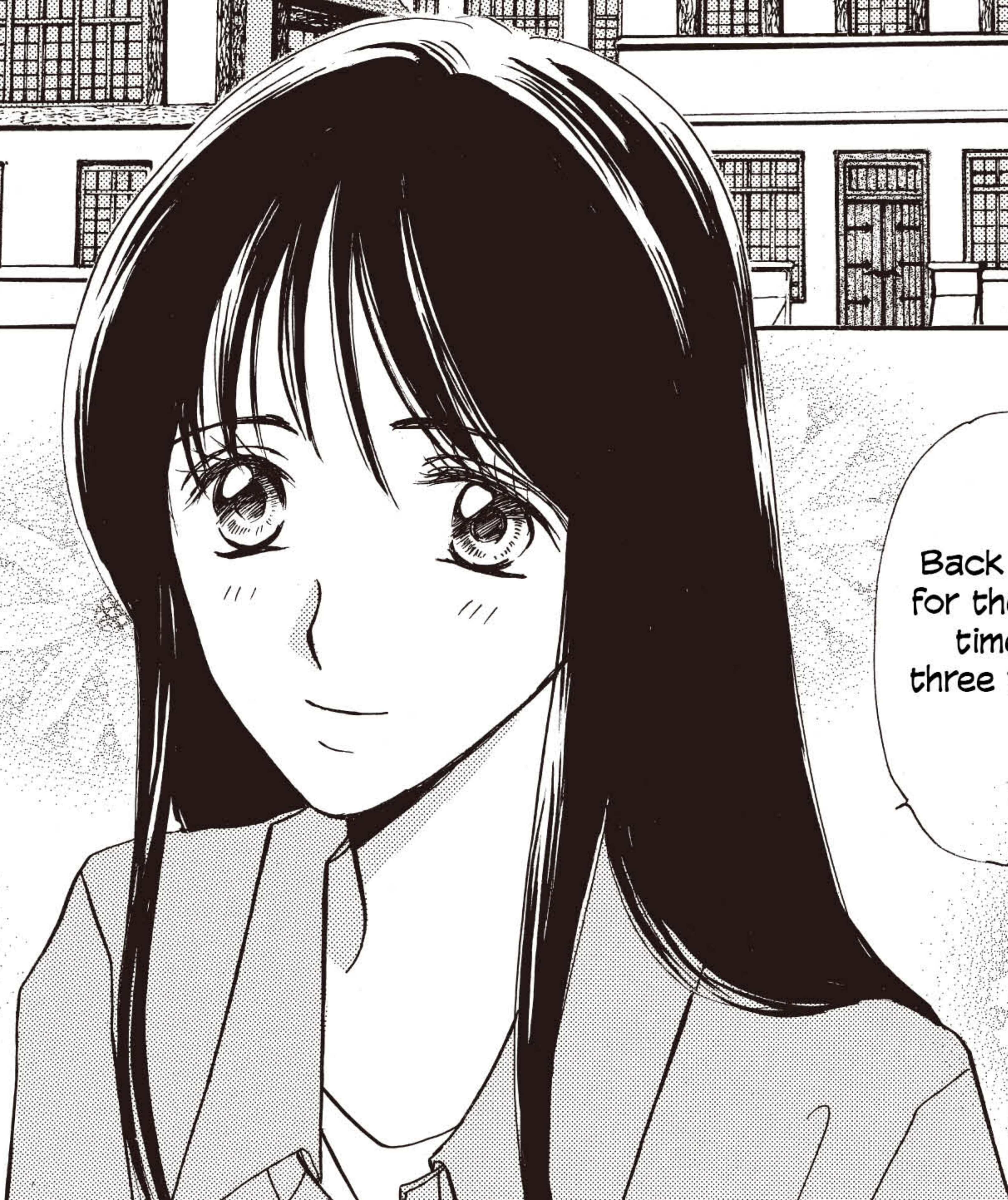
I'll be
expecting
you.

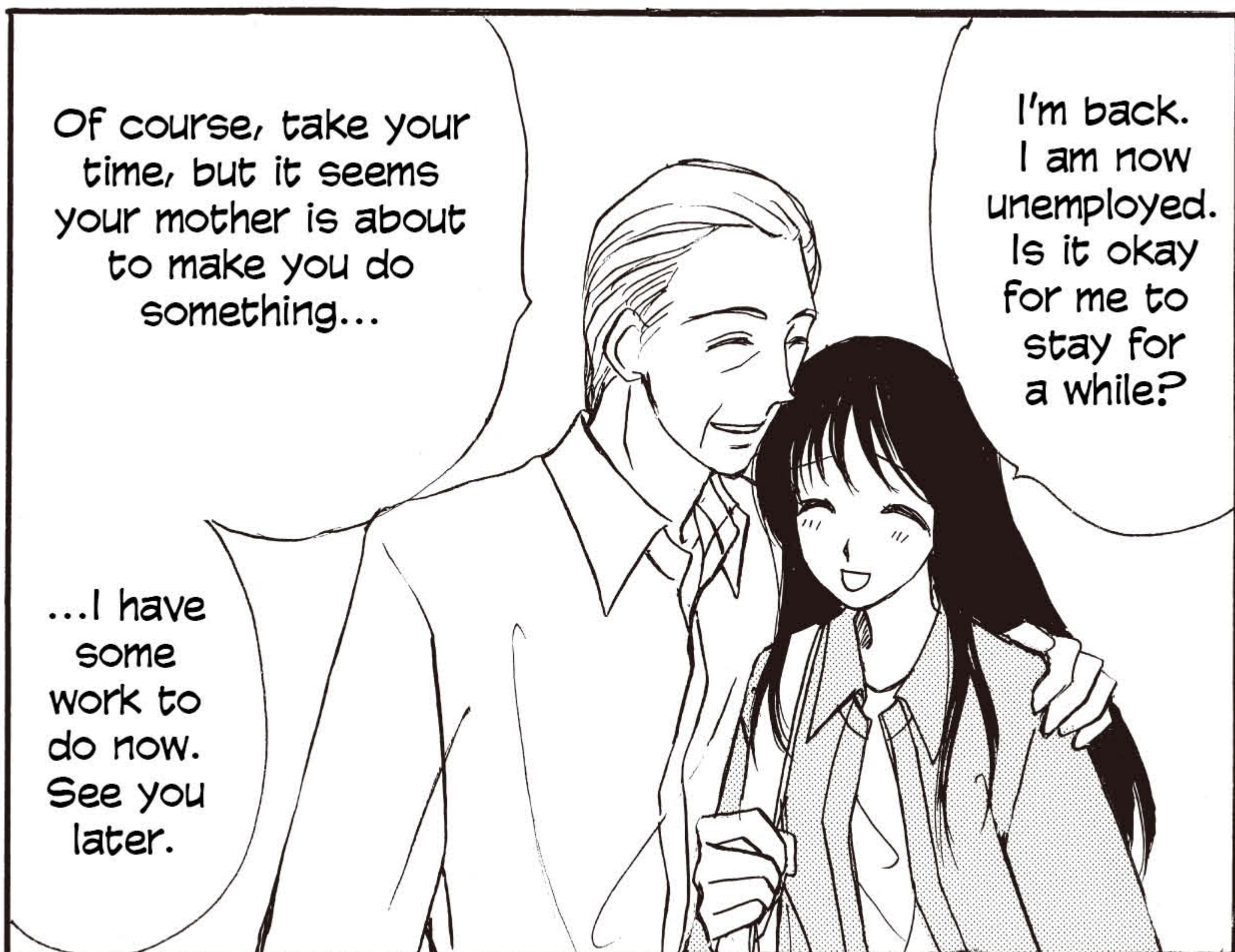
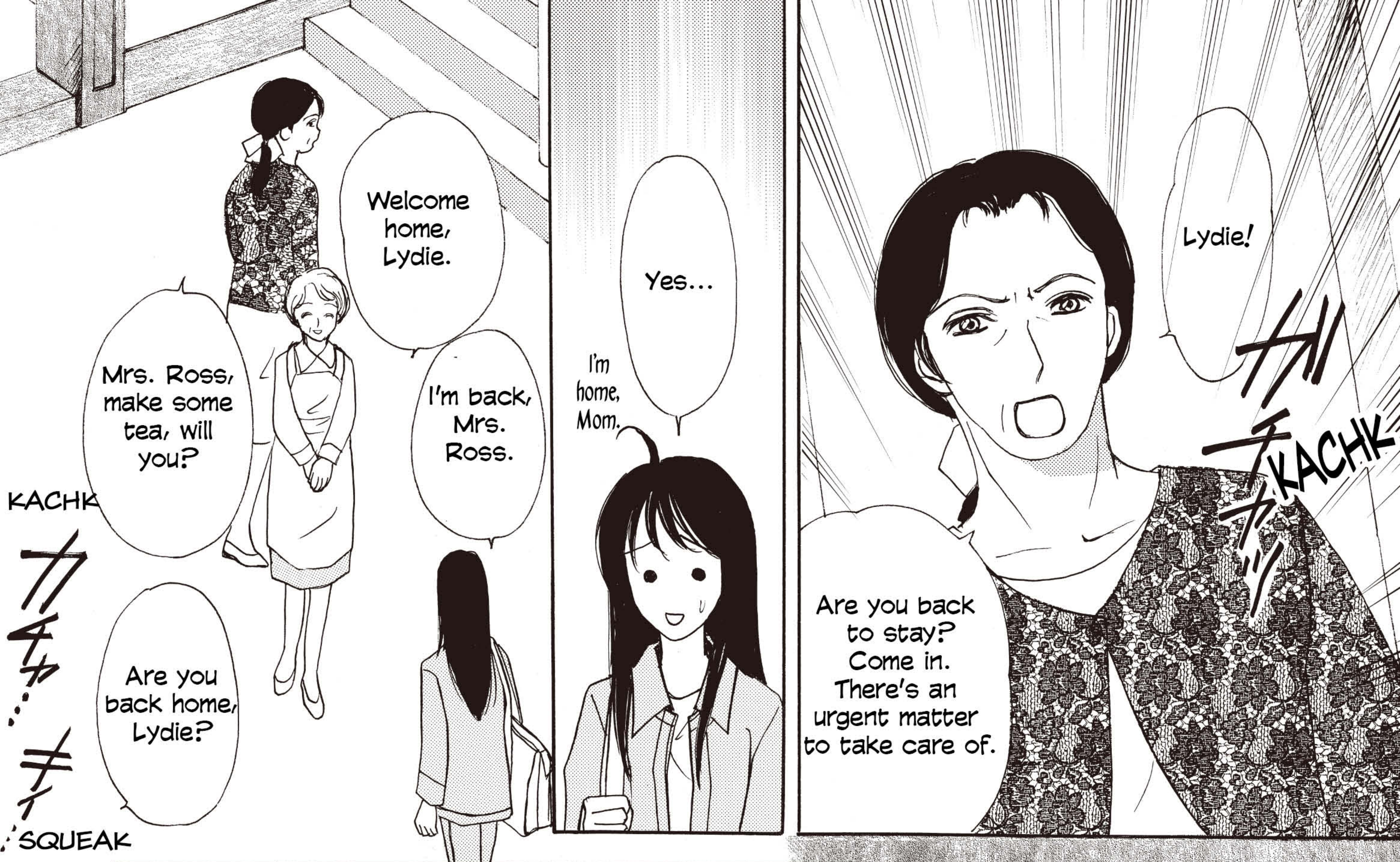
You'll come
get me the
day before
the wedding,
right?



Sure enough,
I feel as
though I could
take it easy
here for
a while.

Back home
for the first
time in
three years.







Is Oliver
at work?

Your
brother
is out for
a meeting
about the
wedding.

SLAM



Sure
...



Dad seems
to be getting
thinner...

Listen to me
calmly...
The thing is...



Lydie.

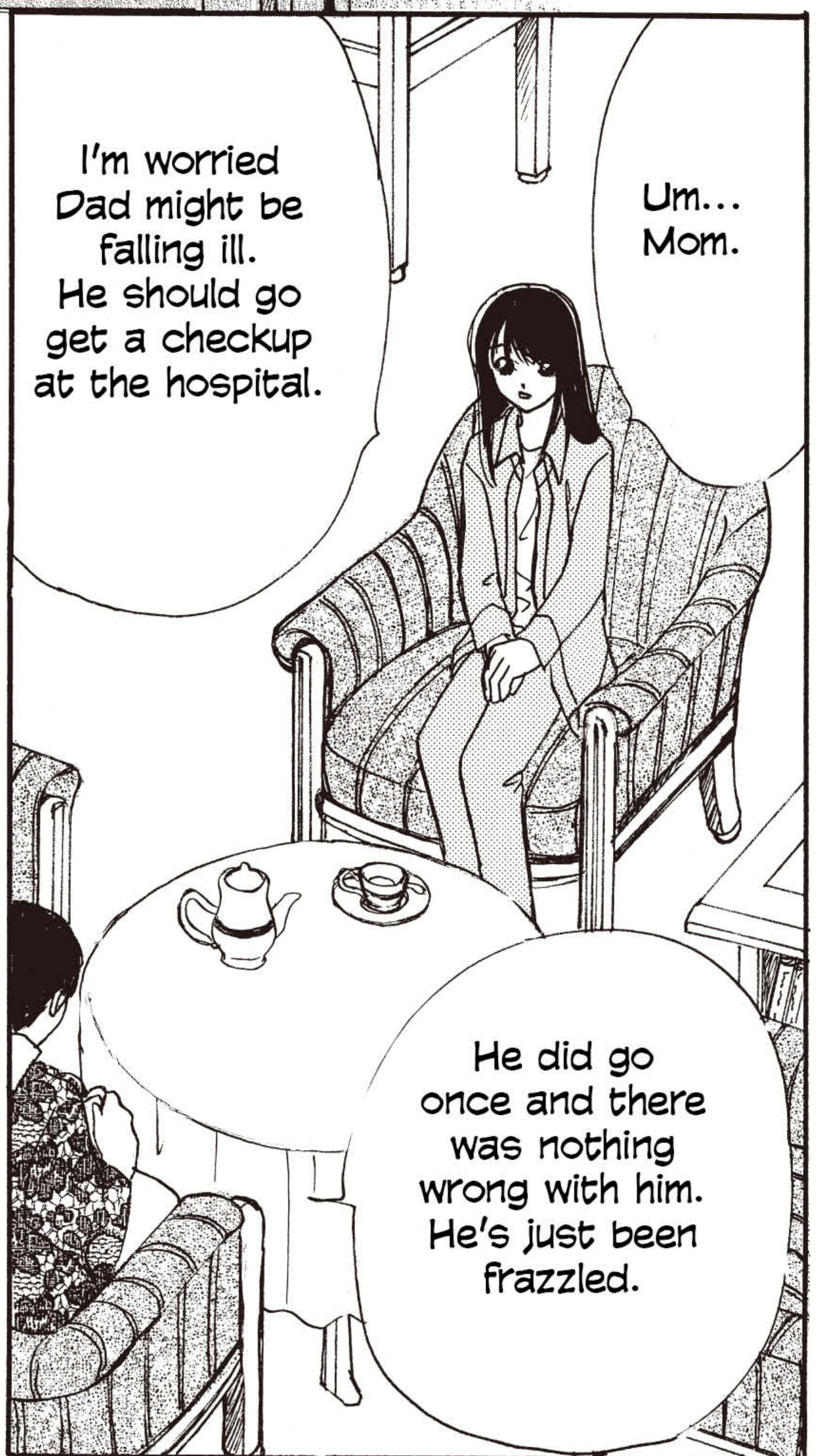
But...

Fraz-
zled?



I'm worried
Dad might be
falling ill.
He should go
get a checkup
at the hospital.

Um...
Mom.



He did go
once and there
was nothing
wrong with him.
He's just been
frazzled.