

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 501 - 550

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 501-Yvette Stewart It seemed that the Entes family's sons had been called away, leaving only the female relatives and maids that the butler had assigned to the ladies.

A maid introduced Bianca to everyone present.

Among the sons of the Entes family, only Malcolm and the fifth son, Icarus Entes, had not yet settled down. The rest were all married.

Indeed, the Entes family had a large number of siblings. Among the sons, Zane was the seventh and the youngest.

He also had three elder sisters and two younger sisters who were all present at the scene.

"Bianca, Zane really hid you away, you know? Father had been urging to bring you back, but he never agreed," someone remarked.

Who was that...?

Oh no!

Bianca suffered from prosopagnosia, a condition she acquired from her previous job, where she constantly met strangers. In her world, it wasn't arrogance but rather that she couldn't remember their face if she didn't meet someone three times or more.

So, who was the person introduced earlier?

"Perhaps he was worried I wasn't very familiar with etiquette," Bianca replied politely.

Her tone was neutral, giving no one a reason to fault her.

However, upon hearing this, Yolanda clicked her tongue. "Zane has always been so you think so, Yvette?" considerate. Don't you Bianca was silent.

The woman Yolanda spoke to stiffened instantly.

Bianca looked over to study the woman, Yvette Stewart, who Yolanda was looking at. Since Bianca entered the scene, she had felt more hostility from Yvette than anyone else.

Yvette subconsciously met Bianca's gaze, and a cold flashed in her eyes.

Bianca remained silent.

What was going on here?!

The girl beside Bianca quickly grabbed her wrist, "Yolanda, what are you saying? Don't scare Bianca!" +15 BONUS "You're right. It's Zane's personal matter. I spoke too much!" Yolanda replied, seemingly remorseful but inadvertently revealing more information.

The girl beside Bianca observed Yolanda's expression. Then, she tugged on Bianca's arm with a huff. "Yolanda, seriously! Bianca, let me show you around the manor." Clearly, the situation was escalating and wouldn't end well if it continued.

Bianca nodded politely and rose, offering a courteous glance to everyone present. Since it was their first meeting, she had to maintain a certain decorum. She then turned and followed the girl, leaving the main courtyard.

The atmosphere seemed to lighten once they stepped out of the main courtyard.

"Bianca, don't mind Yolanda. She has a rather unpleasant tongue," the girl said sweetly.

Bianca replied, "I noticed." "It's no wonder Zane chose you. Your demeanor is unlike theirs," the girl remarked, sounding somewhat disgruntled.

Bianca simply listened. Everyone here was far from ordinary. Although it was her first time visiting, it wasn't as pleasant as she had imagined.

She felt as if she were looking into a clear mirror, reflecting the complexities around her.

"Bianca." "Yes?" "How did you meet my brother?" The girl led Bianca to a pavilion, prompting them to sit.

Bianca had to admit that the Entes family was indeed exquisite. Every scenic spot they passed by was distinctly different.

Bianca replied, "We met in Verde City." She wasn't lying!

The way they came together might have been questionable, but they did meet in Verde City.

It was hard to believe that the current seventh lord of the Entes family was merely an assistant at her best friend's side back then.

Zane was just...! novelbin At this moment, Bianca was curious. Why would he serve as an assistant to Natalie? What kind of connection did he have with Regal Horizons International?

The girl's eyes sparkled with curiosity. But before they could delve deeper, a maid hurried over.

"Ms. Lorraine, we've finally found you. Madam requests your presence." "My mother?" "Yes."

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 502-Unfamiliar Paths "Um..." The Entes' family's ninth daughter, Lorraine Entes, looked at Bianca with a hint of apology.

Bianca replied, "Go ahead." "In that case, Bianca, do you remember the way back?" Bianca paused. She had been so focused on following Lorraine earlier that she genuinely didn't remember the way back!

Recognizing her confusion, Lorraine immediately rose and instructed the maid who had come to fetch her, "Kelly, please escort Bianca back to the main courtyard." "Of course, Ms. Lorraine." After exchanging a few words, Lorraine departed. Kelly respectfully said to Bianca, "Ms.

Bianca, this way, please." "Thank you." "Don't mention it, Ms. Bianca." Bianca stood up. She realized that she had walked quite a distance with Lorraine earlier. Now, the path back seemed complicated!

"Kelly?" "Yes, Ms. Bianca." "Does the Madam really have so many children?" Bianca asked with some apprehension.

To be honest, just hearing the introductions from the maids at the main courtyard had left her bewildered.

There were so many people!

In a family with so many siblings, she couldn't help but think that conflicts were inevitable. Upon hearing Bianca's question, Kelly hesitated for a moment.

"You don't know, Ms. Bianca?" "What?" "Madam didn't give birth to all the young masters and mistress... Um..." Kelly didn't continue, but at that moment, Bianca understood.

Ah, right! This was a prominent family!

+15 BONUS During her time with Zane, her primary concern had been how to retaliate against Malcolm. Moreover, her marriage to Zane was originally a transaction, so she hadn't paid much attention to these family intricacies.

Consequently, Bianca naturally had little understanding of the Entes family.

Ugh, she was really...!

Perhaps being tormented by Malcolm for two years had significantly dulled her thinking abilities.

The Entes family was no ordinary family. If the family had been founded on love between the parents, the situation wouldn't be as complicated and aggressive as it was.

Yes, if one were to be blunt, the current dynamics were indeed a life-and-death struggle!

Upon reaching the main courtyard, she noted that the Entes family sons who had gone to see the patriarch had returned.

Seeing the entire family gathered, one couldn't help but acknowledge the sheer number of people present.

Malcolm was also present!

Bianca headed straight to Zane. He took her chilly hand when she reached him and asked, "Where did you go?" She sat beside him naturally. With a slight smile, she responded, "Lorraine took me around for a tour." "How was it?" "It's a massive place. I got lost," Bianca candidly remarked.

Indeed, the Entes family estate was colossal. It wasn't surprising that one could easily lose their way inside.

Zane chuckled. Two intense gazes were on them, but both Bianca and Zane chose to ignore them, engrossed in their conversation.

"When are we heading back?" Bianca straightforwardly inquired.

Evidently, she wasn't fond of such gatherings.

It was in this moment that Bianca fully understood... how suffocating it must have been for Natalie during her time with the Johnson family?!

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 503-Something Amiss with the Man Both Bianca and Natalie had carefree personalities, making it hard for them to grasp intricacies and constraints of the situation.

the However, Natalie's free spirit seemed to have abruptly worn away while she had been around Cedric.

"What, you don't like it here?" Malcolm asked.

"Do you enjoy it?" Bianca raised an eyebrow at Malcolm, who smiled in response.

“Even if you don’t, you have to stay until it’s over,” he replied.

“I see.” In that case, Bianca was adamant about not returning here in the future.

However, after today’s gathering, she intended to understand the Entes family thoroughly, especially its current generation! novelbin Malcolm observed the interaction between Bianca and Zane, their smiles increasingly an eyesore to him.

Malcolm exuded an unmistakable hostility.

During dinner, Bianca finally met the legendary Entes family head, Robert Entes, who seemed to be in less-than-perfect health.

To her surprise, Zane sat beside the elderly man, and she naturally sat beside Zane. The moment she took her seat, she felt that something was amiss.

Amidst the dinner, Robert turned his gaze to Bianca and said in a gentle voice, “Bianca?” “Yes, Father,” Bianca replied with a nod.

Although the old man seemed gentle, his eyes were as sharp as an eagle’s. The very aura emitted by the head of such a prominent family subtly overwhelmed everyone present.

“The Entes family welcomes you,” Robert said.

“Thank you, Father,” Bianca responded, leaving everyone in silence.

When everyone’s eyes shifted towards Bianca, it was evident that their hostility had intensified.

In Simeria, everyone knew the status of women in the Entes family. Never had a new daughter -in-law been directly addressed by the patriarch.

This gathering seemed less like a family banquet and more like a welcome party for Zane and +15 BONUS Given the evident favoritism towards Zane, Bianca couldn’t help but wonder if she was being treated similarly due to her association with him.

Even with the old patriarch present, she sensed the undercurrents of tension and intrigue surrounding her. At that moment, every gaze upon her felt intensely scrutinizing. It was a family banquet, yet everyone seemed to harbor ulterior motives.

This was perhaps the first time Bianca had ever faced such pressure in her life, especially for something seemingly inconsequential to her.

In the end, she couldn’t recall how she managed to leave the grand Entes Manor.

As she stepped out of the main gate, Zane could distinctly sense Bianca exhaling a sigh of relief.

“Were you that nervous?” His voice remained calm, devoid of any discernible emotion.

However, Bianca couldn’t maintain her composure any longer.

She looked at Zane and asked, “Is it always like this when you return home?” Or perhaps, had he grown accustomed to such gatherings since childhood? Such a stifling environment was truly oppressive!

When Bianca looked at Zane again, she gained a renewed understanding of the historically prestigious Entes family, renowned even in Verde City.

She knew how many elites aspired to be associated with the Entes family in Simeria. Despite understanding the negligible status of women in such a setting, some still sacrificed them for the family’s sake.

“More or less,” Zane responded simply, his tone remaining steady.

At that moment, Bianca fell silent.

More or less?!

For her, just once was already suffocating enough.

Yet, for him, it seemed like an ongoing ordeal.

She recalled how frequently Malcolm used to return home not so long ago.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 504-A Grand “Gift” for Cedric When they returned to Versant Villa, Bianca couldn’t help but ponder how to swiftly conclude her dealings with Zane.

Tonight, she had truly come to understand that the Entes family was not to be trifled with!

Anyone with a semblance of reason would know not to get entangled with them. Once they did, it felt like sinking into a complicated web.

“What’s on your mind?” Zane asked, noticing her thoughts had wandered. When he looked at her, his eyes held a depth that wasn’t there before.

Bianca responded in a somewhat frustrated manner, “Why do I feel like I’ve been dragged into a very complicated mess?” Indeed, that was precisely how Bianca felt.

Even though she contemplated how to quickly conclude their transaction, she couldn't shake off the feeling that even after its conclusion, she wouldn't find peace.

"You're only realizing this now?" Zane questioned.

Bianca remained silent.

Now?!

Bianca's heart was in turmoil as she looked into the man's calm eyes.

Without waiting for Bianca's response, Zane continued, "Even if you had stayed by Malcolm's side, you'd eventually get sucked in. In this matter, you at least retain some semblance of control." A feeling of suffocation gripped Bianca's heart.

Yes, Malcolm had dragged her into a complicated situation between Jade and Zane.

He hadn't given her a choice.

Yet this... was a decision she had made herself.

Given another chance, she would still choose to stand by Zane rather than be forcibly pushed onto an operating table.

Zane's smile deepened at her silence. "What's wrong?" Bianca took a deep breath. "Nothing." The weight of her choices weighed heavily on her mind, clear as day.

+15 BONUS novelbin Before today, she might have overlooked it. But now, Bianca understood that she was just beginning to sink deeper into this mess, with numerous challenges awaiting her.

"Rest early. I need to step out," Zane said, noting her pale complexion.

Glancing at her wristwatch, Bianca realized how late it was. Still, their relationship didn't necessitate her behaving like a dutiful wife. So, she nodded and headed upstairs.

As she entered her room, she caught the flickering lights of a car outside and instinctively approached the window to look.

A Maybach with its window slightly lowered sat below. A faint shadow of a woman could be seen inside. When Zane pulled open the door, the shade of the lipstick on the woman's lips became instantly recognizable in the dim light.

Wasn't that Yvette, the Entes family's fourth daughter-in-law? Hadn't Yolanda ridiculed her during the family banquet? The woman with the most significant animosity toward Bianca?

During her time there, Bianca had sensed an intricate relationship between these two women.

And now, in the dead of night...!

That night, Zane didn't return.

Wexford was in utter chaos. Many issues had escalated, making it a crucial moment for both Irwin and Cedric.

Even from afar in Mount Elven, Natalie was acutely aware of the situation.

However, amidst such circumstances, Irwin remained calm as he accompanied her, even though he could sense her burning gaze on him.

A smile tugged at the corner of his lips. "What are you thinking about?" Gracefully setting down her teacup, Natalie replied, "I'm wondering how you manage to stay so composed." "You gave Cedric such a generous 'gift', you know? Rest assured, I have time to spend with you until he and the Schneider family's issues are resolved." So, the chaos in Wexford was between the Schneider family and Cedric.

That family was one that no one wanted to be associated with, as they were like a gaping maw ready to consume all. Even those closest might find themselves torn apart.

Given the risk, why would anyone get involved with such a family?

And Cedric was now...?

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 505-Irwin's Intentions "Do you feel better now?" Irwin observed her contemplative expression as his smile warmer.

Natalie remained silent.

Feel better? Hah!

"How could I?" grew The Schneider family's nature was clear to her, and she was indeed the one to have given Cedric such a "gift".

But in comparison to the past years, this "gift" was insignificant!

Irwin's eyes held a mocking glint.

Before he could respond, Natalie interjected, "Irwin, I haven't even started with you yet.

"You audacious woman," Irwin replied.

11 She had taken audacity to its zenith. She really was doing whatever she wanted, whether it to Cedric or Irwin.

“Cedric might not have time for you now, but are you really not concerned about Frederick?” she questioned.

Frederick!

Natalie had sold out Frederick to Malcolm, and now even Zane was aware of his existence!

While Irwin might not know Frederick’s exact whereabouts, one thing was certain—it was a headache that Frederick wasn’t by Irwin’s side.

If the Entes family caught him, it would be disastrous!

“Let me remind you, while the Entes family desires those documents, I doubt they’d choose you over Cedric for this collaboration,” Irwin warned.

Given Cedric’s secretive connections with the Entes family, was Irwin really free to stay here and be idle with her?

That was what Natalie didn’t understand.

Without hesitation, Irwin gracefully lifted his coffee cup. “Do you think they would cooperate when faced with the complete documents?” Natalie hesitated.

+15 BONUS Would they? She couldn’t be certain.

Irwin’s smile deepened mysteriously.. “You only understand the importance of those documents to us but not its true implications.” Natalie felt a pang of uncertainty.

What did it truly signify?

She had to admit that she truly wasn’t aware. Wexford was intricate, with layers of complexities that weren’t always apparent.

“But the grand ‘gift’ you presented to Cedric? That was genuinely generous,” Irwin remarked, his smile intensifying.

A shadow passed over Natalie’s eyes.

The Schneider family...!

Had it not been for it being a significant gesture, she wouldn’t have presented it to Cedric. But since she was to give him one, it had to be substantial.

“What would you like for dinner?” Irwin asked, changing the topic.

“Anything,” Natalie responded tersely, her tone betraying her annoyance.

Observing her irritation, Irwin chuckled, “I’ll take you skiing tomorrow.” “I won’t go. You enjoy yourself. I’m not interested in such things,” Natalie replied nonchalantly.

The truth was, she couldn’t, even if she wanted to. Extreme sports made her dizzy just by watching.

“With me by your side, you’ll be safe,” Irwin assured her.

Glancing at him, Natalie took in his refined and gentle demeanor.

“I wonder how many women you’ve ensnared over the years,” she mused aloud, finding his charm somewhat unnerving.

Irwin laughed softly. “Have I ensnared you, Nat?” She responded with a cold snort, refusing to engage with him further.

Natalie was currently bound to Mount Elven. While she appeared to have accepted Irwin’s proposal, she was constantly, albeit subconsciously, keeping her distance from him.

During dinner, Natalie noticed some seafood dishes, even some from the coast.

She was surprised.

How could such coastal delicacies be available here?

“What’s on your mind?” Irwin asked, breaking her train of thought.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 506-Things Aren’t That Simple “How considerate of you!” Natalie said, her tone indifferent.

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"For this month, just observe and understand who I truly am. We can discuss the rest later." A month felt like an eternity!

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“You...!” 773 +15 BONUS Natalie was already a bit agitated, and seeing Irwin’s demeanor only exacerbated her feelings. If she could calm down now, it would be even stranger.

A broader smile crept across Irwin’s face as he witnessed her increasing frustration.

One month!

Natalie finally understood.

Irwin had always been a man of his word. If he said he wouldn’t do something, he wouldn’t.

He was such a...!

“Regardless of what happens, I’m going back in a month!” Natalie declared, her tone laced with barely contained anger.

Irwin nodded. “Alright.” After her reluctant acquiescence, it seemed as though a weight had been lifted off the man’s shoulders for now.

After all, being in constant turmoil was exhausting.

“There aren’t many ingredients from Mount Elven here. It would be quite a hassle if I had to bring them over. Try the food, okay? The chef is someone I brought from Verde City.” “I see.” Setting aside the depth and complexity of this man, his other aspects seemed genuinely favorable.

But because of those ten years!

Who knew what lay hidden beneath this apparent mask of his? Thus, regardless of Irwin's actions, Natalie maintained an indifferent attitude. She let him do as he pleased.

While Irwin had confined her to Mount Elven, he hadn't completely shut her out. He ensured she was informed about everything she wanted to know about the outside world in meticulous detail.

Upon hearing that Zane had taken Bianca back to Entes Manor, Natalie commented, "It's different from Malcolm's approach towards Bianca." Indeed!

It was different.

Malcolm had sought revenge against Bianca. In contrast, although there had been a calculated alliance between Zane and Bianca, Natalie hadn't expected Zane to take Bianca to Entes Manor.

However, Irwin interjected, "Things aren't as simple as they seem." +15 BONUS "What do you mean?" "The Entes family's fourth son, Alto Entes, has a complicated relationship with his wife, Yvette Stewart. Even the Stewart family has been implicated." Yvette Stewart?

"What are you implying?" "You're probably unaware of the relationship between Zane and Yvette."

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 507-They're Indeed Inappropriate Natalie raised an eyebrow in confusion. Already entangled in intricate relationships, Irwin's revelations only deepened her confusion. Before he could finish, Natalie felt that perhaps taking Bianca back to Entes Manor was merely a diversionary tactic.

"What's their relationship?" Natalie admitted to being clueless about these details when Zane was by her side.

Irwin smiled. The depth of his smile hinted at underlying conflicts, much like between him and Cedric.

The photograph in Stephen's study revealed an intimate relationship between Cedric and Irwin, a relationship that seemed to have been more than ordinary.

However, no one knew why their relationship had deteriorated!

As for Zane... He had once been an extraordinarily capable assistant by her side, but the true depths of his hidden agenda remained unknown.

Perhaps the truth may be unbelievable.

Sipping his wine elegantly, Irwin shared, “Yvette and Zane met and fell in love during their university days. However, Yvette eventually married Alto.” Natalie was momentarily stunned.

That was... so dramatic!

“Why?” she continued, puzzled.

Given their shared history and affection, why would she choose someone else? After all, Zane and Alto were both from the Entes family!

Irwin responded, “I’m unsure of the specifics between the Stewart family and Lord Alto, but Yvette did marry him.” Natalie took a deep breath, trying to process the complicated relationship she was learning about.

“So, even though Yvette is with Alto, she still harbors feelings for Zane?” If that was the case... What was going on?!

Irwin chuckled at her candidness.

“Why are you laughing?” Natalie asked.

+15 BONUS “Nat, I admire your perspective towards emotions. Indeed, the situation is inappropriate.” “What’s wrong with my perspective?” Natalie sipped her tea, not appreciating Irwin’s comments.

How could one have a perspective when it came to emotions?

When someone truly fell for another, it was often uncontrollable. If it could be controlled, it probably wasn’t a deep feeling.

And if someone claimed to control such emotions, they’ve likely been hurt deeply and couldn’t even see their own heart clearly anymore.

People, in many instances... tended to be subconsciously selfish.

Initially unaware of the depth of emotional pain, they might dive headfirst into affection. However, once they experience the bitterness of such pain, their first reaction would be to choose self-preservation in matters of love.

Wasn’t that precisely Natalie’s situation?

Back in Simeria with Irwin, saying she didn’t develop any feelings for him would be a lie!

However, she subconsciously guarded herself.

Learning of Irwin's decade-long manipulation only solidified her resolve to retract her feelings, prioritizing self-protection above all.

"In recent years, Yvette finds herself in a precarious position. Alto doesn't hold affection for her. In the Entes family, a woman who can't earn her husband's love holds no significant status," Irwin commented nonchalantly.

Yet, to Natalie, each word seemed to echo with tragedy upon tragedy.

However, she believed Bianca wouldn't succumb to such fate. Bianca's calculated moves, particularly in her relationship with Zane, were a testament to her rationality.

Her strategic alliance with Zane against Malcolm meant she remained unaffected by the traditional power dynamics.

"However," Irwin continued, "the Stewart family's intentions towards her remain exploitative. Without genuine affection, her position beside Alto isn't enviable." In such circumstances, it wouldn't be surprising if she still harbored feelings for her first love. "So, what's the current situation?" Natalie probed.

"There are rumors that Zane and Yvette have a secret relationship," Irwin revealed.

Natalie's grip on her teacup tightened as she paused momentarily in shock.

"Are you suggesting that he's..."

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 508-Innocent "In recent years, both the Stewart family and Alto have tried to gain advantages from Yvette being beside Alto. However, despite being married to Alto, Yvette never revealed Zane's secrets to them," Irwin explained.

"Zane's secrets?" Natalie inquired.

"Yes, Zane genuinely cares for her. Hence, she never concealed much from him." "So, you're suggesting that neither the Stewart family nor Alto treated her as family but rather wanted information about Zane from her?" "That seems to be the case," Irwin affirmed.

Years had passed, and nothing had transpired involving Zane.

Despite their best efforts to separate Yvette from Zane, they hadn't acquired any information through her.

Now, with new rumors circulating, it was evident that someone was deliberately orchestrating the situation behind the scenes.

Despite Zane's escapades over the years, he had always been favored by the patriarch of the Entes family. This favoritism heightened the competition within the Entes family, especially given that Robert had little time left in this world.

"Even though women of the Entes family may not have much status, committing adultery within marriage is a severe offense," Irwin commented, setting down his wine glass.

"Do they intend to tarnish Zane's reputation once more?" Natalie's tone was full of rage.

In this moment, she momentarily overlooked Bianca's role. She only felt profound sympathy for Zane's plight within such a family.

But then, a thought struck her.

"Could they be using Yvette as leverage against Zane?" Yes, that wasn't completely impossible.

Considering the history between Zane and Yvette, there was no way he'd remain indifferent to her fate.

In that case...!

The more Natalie pondered, the more alarmed she became.

Irwin observed as she was deep in thought and chuckled. "You figured it out?" However, Natalie felt a heaviness in her heart.

What was this mess?

If that was really the case, then Zane...!

Natalie took deep breaths, but she could not ease the painful constriction in her chest at the thought of Zane's predicament.

"Did Zane start working in Regal Horizons when Yvette and Alto got married?" "Yes, he left the Entes family the day before their wedding," Irwin confirmed.

Natalie couldn't help but feel sympathy for Zane.

And Bianca? She was undoubtedly innocent!

Natalie hoped fervently that Bianca wouldn't get entangled further in this complex web. novelbin "Let's not dwell on it," Irwin tried to reassure her. "Currently, Bianca stands shoulder to shoulder with Zane. They wouldn't harm each other." While Natalie wanted to believe Irwin's words, her concerns for Bianca still weighed heavily on her mind.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 509-Their Whereabouts Are Unknown As Irwin had mentioned, Cedric was currently in a state of anxiety because of the Schneider family!

His study was dimly lit, and he smoked one cigarette after another. Lucas stood nearby. Even in the muted lighting, his grave expression was evident.

Just moments ago, Lucas had reported that Natalie and Irwin were no longer in Wexford, and their current location was unknown.

“Their whereabouts are unknown?!” Cedric bit out the words, the weight of the situation evident in his tone.

That fateful evening, upon learning of Casey’s discoveries, they had rushed to the scene, but they were too late. Before Casey’s arrival, Irwin had already spirited Natalie away.

Where had they gone?

It was a mystery to everyone!

It was hard to fathom how, in such dire circumstances, Irwin could disappear for an entire week.

What was Irwin’s motive for getting close to Natalie? Cedric knew better than anyone else.

Back in Verde City and Simeria, he and Stephen had been around to handle things.

But now... What was Irwin’s plan?

“Could it be that Mr. Frazier is concerned Casey might leak information to Madam?” Lucas’s anxiety was palpable. He was well aware of the dynamics surrounding Cedric. Every time he saw Natalie and Irwin interact, he sensed the looming danger!

Cedric’s eyes darkened at the thought.

If Irwin could spirit Natalie away amidst the chaos in Wexford, then surely things were more complicated than they appeared!

His phone flashed as he dialed Irwin’s number repeatedly.

After a long time, Irwin finally answered, “What, can’t contain yourself any longer?” “Irwin, what exactly are you planning?” Cedric’s voice was laced with restrained anger.

Irwin retorted, “Planning?”

+15 BONUS “After all these years, she remains innocent!” Each word Cedric uttered was heavy, laced with a veiled warning.

“Natalie is innocent,” Irwin said. “But she was also innocent...” Irwin wasn’t talking about Natalie in the latter part of his sentence...! novelbin It had been many years.

This was the first time Irwin faced the issue head-on, and his tone was filled with unresolved animosity.

Cedric felt a cold sweat forming on his back. Taking a deep breath, he tried to calm the storm raging within him.

“I’ll give you the half of the documents if you bring her back,” he finally conceded, laying all his cards on the table.

Indeed, that elusive half of the documents had been sought after by both Irwin and Cedric for years!

It was unexpected that they each held half.

Now, with Natalie revealing everything, both Cedric and Irwin found themselves embroiled in continuous troubles because of those documents.

For Natalie, it was revenge against them.

But now, the truth was out.

No one could predict whether it would lead to a resolution or an outright explosion!

However, Cedric’s concern for Natalie was evident.

A light chuckle came from Irwin over the phone. “She holds quite the importance in your heart! Too bad she doesn’t know.” Cedric remained silent.

“And she never will,” Irwin reiterated coldly.

“Irwin!” Cedric’s voice carried a heavy tone.

“But what interests me now isn’t that half of the documents,” Irwin responded, his voice dripping with arrogance.

Cedric was silent. In that dimly lit room, the danger in his eyes intensified.

So, Irwin wasn’t interested in that?

“What if I were to hand it over to the Entes family?” Cedric posed the question.

+15 BONUS Over the years, both he and Irwin had kept secrets from the Entes family. While they sought all the documents, the Entes family only needed half.

Handing over Cedric's half to them would have serious repercussions for Irwin.

"Do you dare?" Even under Cedric's implied threat, Irwin's laughter remained dismissive and light.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 510-You Didn't Have to Do All This "You...!" "You wouldn't dare," Irwin countered Cedric easily.

"Bring her back!" Cedric practically hissed each word through gritted teeth.

However, the only response was the abrupt beep of the call ending.

Irwin had hung up.

The tension in the study, already palpable, reached an unbearable peak. Despite puffing on several cigarettes in quick succession, Cedric couldn't quell the storm raging within him.

Lucas was standing nearby, and he sensed the brewing storm.

"What now?" he asked hesitantly.

The quietness of the study made even the faint sounds from the phone call audible.

If it was about how the relationship between them had fallen apart, it had happened a long time ago.

But this time... it was completely shattered.

Whether it was about the documents or the individual involved, everything had come crashing down between them.

Rubbing his throbbing temples, Cedric muttered, "We must find Natalie as soon as possible." The tone in his voice was tinged with regret. He had never intended to involve Natalie, but circumstances had ensnared her, driven by her resentment towards him!

"Yes, sir." Lucas nodded, understanding the urgency.

They had mobilized every possible resource to locate Natalie, but there hadn't been a single piece of information about Irwin, adding to the mounting concerns.

Once Lucas left, Cedric was left alone in the study. His gaze drifted, consumed by the weight of his emotions.

Why had Natalie been dragged into this?

Undoubtedly, it was due to her deep-seated resentment toward him.

And this resentment... was a bitterness that left him feeling utterly helpless!

Despite the tumultuous events in both Simeria and Wexford, Natalie appeared outwardly +15 BONUS The region was chilly, but Irwin had ensured Natalie was well-protected. His attentive demeanor and gentle eyes revealed a tenderness that could melt any woman's heart.

Yet, Natalie remained cold and aloof. She simply allowed Irwin's ministrations without much reaction.

"Alright, we can go now," Irwin finally said, satisfied after inspecting her thoroughly. novelbin "You really didn't have to go through all this trouble," Natalie replied icily.

He was treating her as if she were an invalid.

It was merely putting on some extra layers!

"It's too cold here in Mount Elven. I'm worried you might get frostbite," Irwin said.

That was why Irwin meticulously inspected even the gloves before Natalie wore them.

Natalie gave him a flat look in response.

Before setting out, Irwin had someone prepare a bowl of ginger tea for her, ensuring she wouldn't feel the biting cold immediately upon stepping outside.

During her time here, Natalie had been indoors most of the time, unaware of the true extent of Mount Elven's cold. Moreover, with the continuous snowfall in recent days, there was hardly a reason for her to venture outside.

Yet now, as she stepped out, a chilling sensation swept over Natalie.

Irwin was holding her hand. Even through his thick gloves, he felt her body tremble slightly.

"Are you cold?" He turned to look at her. His eyes were gentle and reminiscent of the warmth of sunlight in the sky.

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A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 511-She Gussed It All Natalie shook her head. "It's not that cold!" Everything Irwin had prepared was top-notch. Though she looked a little puffy and resembled an actual penguin, Natalie genuinely didn't feel the cold much.

Irwin looked at her and smiled.

There was a skiing resort in Mount Elven where winter holidaymakers gathered. Irwin had brought her here via helicopter.

Looking down, they saw a vast area filled with crowds, exuding sheer joy.

"So, this used to be your world," Natalie remarked as she looked below.

Irwin was slightly stunned when he heard that, and he fell silent.

He tightened his grip on Natalie's hand and sighed deeply.

"Nat, we agreed not to talk about the past this month." "But are you truly present?" Natalie remarked piercingly, her gaze into Irwin's eyes becoming even more profound.

Irwin remained silent.

Indeed, was he truly living in the present at this moment?

"She holds a significant place in your heart, doesn't she?" Again, Irwin remained silent.

Natalie's hand in his suddenly felt heavier.

Natalie observed a flicker of change in his eyes. She could decipher every nuance.

Being naturally perceptive, Natalie had always sensed a deep-rooted conflict between Irwin and Cedric.

What was so confidential that they couldn't tell her?

A decade was a long time. In that time, Cedric had never breathed a word about it in her presence, and he'd always been evasive about his relationship with Irwin.

And Irwin had kept her in the dark as well!

Given that he had promptly whisked her away from Wexford upon sensing Casey's impending discovery, it was evident he was desperate to hide something from her.

"Nat!" 15 BONUS "Regardless of the conflict, it's between you and Cedric, isn't it? Why so secretive about it?" Since she had to investigate it, it meant the matter at hand was undoubtedly complicated. Cedric and Irwin must have wiped all traces from back then.

Apart from the involvement of another woman, what could be the reason?

As for that woman's identity and significance, Natalie was at a loss.

"You...!" Irwin gazed at Natalie in disbelief.

Clearly, he hadn't expected Natalie to figure it out. But then again, what else could make both Cedric and Irwin so anxious about Natalie knowing besides another woman?

The helicopter landed on a helipad at the ski resort, yet they didn't disembark. The two locked eyes in profound silence for what felt like an eternity.

Finally, Irwin broke the silence. "Since you know, you should understand why I didn't want to tell you. Because..." 11 "Because what? It doesn't matter anymore!" Natalie interrupted him, cutting him off mid-sentence.

At her words, Irwin's eyes darkened noticeably. "It's irrelevant," she reiterated coldly, looking straight into his eyes.

A woman!

Hah...!

Things had reached a point where there was no longer a need to stay in Mount Elven, especially since Natalie had finally caught on.

They returned by helicopter. Once they reached the manor they had been staying at, Irwin instructed his men to pack up for a return to Wexford.

Natalie sat quietly on the couch, holding a coffee cup. Her eyes were calm yet profoundly deep.

No one could tell what was truly running through her mind. Whatever emotion was surging within her, she buried it deep down, and no one could discern its nature.

Irwin took a seat beside her, inhaling deeply as if trying to find the right words. Yet, at that moment, he seemed utterly speechless.

"What was her name?" Natalie finally broke the silence.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 512-Overwhelming Resentment Irwin's swallowed harshly, feeling as if there was something stuck in his throat.

Too calm Natalie's tone was too eerily calm.

Irwin's gaze rested upon her serene profile, and he felt choked up inside. "Nat!" "Is it a taboo?" Natalie's lips curled into a smile, but that very smile was enough to unsettle anyone.

The glint in her eyes was as chilling as a blade.

Irwin averted his gaze from her face and uttered, "Blair Russell." "Blair... That's a beautiful name." However, that name struck a nerve with Natalie at this moment.

Irwin tried to say something more, but words failed him.

Finally, he murmured, "Nat, it's not good for a woman to be too clever in matters of the heart.

Not good?

Natalie sneered but said nothing more.

That cold sneer made Irwin's heart tightened.

In Wexford, Cedric had been frantically searching for Natalie, turning almost every possible location Irwin might have taken her upside down.

Finally, when he discovered they were in Mount Elven and was about to rush there personally, Lucas informed him, "They're already on their way back." Cedric froze, eyebrows twitching at the news.

"Where's Casey now?" Casey!

Now that Natalie was returning, Clyde, who had been so uncooperative, would undoubtedly pass on the news to her.

"You forget that Mr. Yarbrough already knows," Lucas replied.

1/3 +15 BONUS So, it was a secret that couldn't be kept.

These past days had been tormenting for Cedric, and Lucas's words felt like an explosion in his mind.

Irwin had taken Natalie away, and the anxiety gnawing at him was palpable!

Now that she was finally coming back...!

His feelings were overwhelming. Thinking about how he would need to face her soon... He took a few deep breaths, but he couldn't shake off the heaviness in his heart.

On the plane, Natalie sat silently by the window. Irwin wanted to approach her but felt an unmistakable aura of rejection emanating from her, keeping him at bay.

Beneath her seemingly calm demeanor, no one could fathom the tumultuous emotions churning within Natalie.

After obtaining Blair's name, Natalie didn't pose any further questions. Yet, answers that should have naturally surfaced began to unfold.

Irwin took a deep breath and said, "Nat..." Natalie interrupted, "Did Cedric get close to me because of her?" Irwin's heart felt like it was caught in a vice, choking him momentarily. Before he could respond, Natalie continued, "Never mind. I will... uncover everything, bit by bit!" A decade-long relationship.

Ten years of emotions.

How laughable it seemed now!

Upon hearing Natalie's determination, Irwin felt as if his heart had leaped into his throat.

She would uncover everything bit by bit?

And then what?

Given her recent actions driven by revenge against both him and Cedric, what would she do if she discovered that their entire decade-long relationship was built on deception?

To Irwin, it seemed Natalie's resentment had surged to an overwhelming level due to Luna and Irwin's decade-long deceit and machinations.

2/3 +15 BONUS If Natalie were to learn that Cedric's closeness to her was also influenced by Blair, then... "Nat, things aren't as you think. His feelings for you were genuine," Irwin said, his voice quivering with an undertone of strain.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 513-All Because of Her Genuine?

When Irwin uttered those words for Cedric, Natalie laughed. Her laughter was icy and dripping with sarcasm.

"Is anything you two tell me even real or genuine anymore?" Genuine?

What was genuine?

After years of lying, one would even start to believe in their own falsehoods.

Wasn't that the case with Irwin and Cedric?

Genuine... hah!

"What exactly were you three to each other?" Natalie's tone was chillingly cold, sending shivers down one's spine.

Irwin fell silent, unable to respond.

What had they been to each other?

In that fleeting moment, profound pain surged in his eyes. It vanished as quickly as it came, replaced by a stoic calm.

"Never mind. As I said, I'll unravel everything, bit by bit!" She repeated the words she had said moments ago. Her teeth clenched, her voice dripping with venom and resentment, causing anyone who heard it to wince.

Irwin looked deep into her eyes. At that moment, the emptiness in his heart felt more profound than ever before.

She was...!

This was why, despite their intense animosity toward each other, neither Irwin nor Cedric ever let their true feelings surface in front of Natalie.

They never used it against each other, knowing full well the devastating impact it would have on Cedric if Natalie were to find out.

Cedric also knew it.

So, while Cedric and Irwin harbored animosity towards each other, they never let it affect this particular matter.

1/3 Finally, they were back in Wexford.

+15 BONUS Irwin handed Natalie her phone. His eyes betrayed a mix of emotions, but Natalie snatched the phone from him with force. Irwin remained silent.

In front of him, Natalie dialed Casey's number. Just as she started the call, Irwin spoke before she could.

"Casey isn't in Wexford." "How swift you are with your information!" Natalie's voice dripped with irony.

Irwin remained silent.

When had it begun? Every time something related to her came up, he was always the first to know.

The call went through.

Casey's respectful voice came through, "Miss." "You're not in Wexford?" "I've sent the information to your email," Casey replied calmly, having discerned Natalie's tone from the other end of the line.

Natalie responded, "Alright." Then, she promptly ended the call.

Irwin had been by her side all this while.

Natalie moved to a nearby sofa and opened her mobile email. Numerous recent emails were displayed, but she scrolled down until she found Casey's email.

The moment she opened it, she sensed the subtle change in the man's breathing from a distance.

The email contained detailed information, spanning over ten pages. Clearly, Casey had meticulously organized and explained the entire situation.

Half an hour passed, and Irwin remained rooted in place while Natalie sat calmly on the sofa.

However, the tension was palpable, with Irwin's anxiety reaching its peak.

Observing Natalie's serene demeanor, he understood that beneath that composed exterior, her heart was anything but tranquil.

2/3 +15 BONUS Finally, Natalie broke the silence with a chilling laugh. "Hah." Irwin remained silent.

"Remarkable... Truly!" Natalie continued, her eyes fixed on the screen of her phone where a particular photo caught her attention—undoubtedly the subject of the information, Blair Russell.

She looked up at Irwin, and the calmness in her eyes vanished, replaced by a storm of emotions.

The emotions that surged within her were unleashed like a beast—sarcasm, icy coldness, danger—all converging in a malevolent gaze directed at Irwin.

"Blair?" Natalie waved her phone, the photo on the screen nearly causing her to mistake it for herself.

The resemblance was uncanny.

Blair and Natalie.

They were two distinct individuals but entangled with the same person.

What kind of spark would this collision create?

A decade...!

She remembered her feelings during the time with Isabella, now realizing how ludicrous they had been.

It wasn't just laughable.

It was something more.

"Nat," Irwin approached swiftly, taking long strides until he was beside her.

Then, he lifted her from the sofa and pulled her into his embrace.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 514-So It Was Like This The grip he held her in was overpowering.

At this moment, Irwin distinctly felt the chilling coldness emanating from Natalie—so icy that it was bone-chilling.

It wasn't just her temperature... even her aura felt distant.

Despite being right before his eyes, in that fleeting instant, she seemed miles away. She felt farther than Irwin had ever felt before.

She had distanced herself entirely.

This sensation was unsettling for Irwin, and he despised feeling this way. This was precisely why he had never allowed Natalie to learn about Blair despite any animosity he shared with Cedric.

A decade of vengeance... Somehow, that revenge had morphed over time. Blair was initially part of a plan—to strike Cedric when Natalie was at her most vulnerable, deeply in love.

But an unexpected presence, Isabella, entered Cedric's life, causing a rift between them.

Watching Natalie struggle with her emotions had shifted Irwin's original intentions.

Inside Natalie, it felt as if a wild beast was thrashing about, her nerves entirely on edge!

Coldly, she let Irwin hold her, offering no words or response.

“It’s all in the past. It’s different now! That person...” Irwin began, but Natalie’s icy interruption cut him off.

“It all began because of her.” It all began because of that woman.

At that moment, memories of her time with Cedric in Verde City flooded Natalie’s mind, alongside memories of Irwin’s interventions on her behalf.

Irwin had saved her time and again in Verde City.

And it wasn’t like she and Cedric didn’t share good times. However, it was no wonder how such a seemingly strong bond had shattered so easily in the face of Isabella.

It turned out the love he felt wasn’t truly for her.

It was directed at another through her.

1/2 Such a foundation was bound to crumble.

+15 BONUS As for Irwin, had it not been for the face she wore, their relationship might have been entirely different...!

“Nat,” Irwin murmured, his heart racing as he processed Natalie’s icy words.

Both he and Cedric knew the ramifications of Natalie discovering Blair—just as it was unfolding now.

Stripped of all emotions, she felt like a frigid doll.

With her strong-willed nature, how could she ever allow herself to become a mere stand-in for someone else?

Yet, truth be told...! Both Irwin and Cedric had to admit... at the very beginning, Natalie was nothing more than a substitute.

“So, this is how it is,” Natalie exhaled deeply after a long pause, her voice dripping with irony.

So, this was it! Now, everything that had transpired made sense.

Before Isabella, Cedric’s feelings for her had crumbled at the slightest push.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 515-It's Time to End When it came to Isabella's daughter and her own, he chose Isabella's without hesitation.

No matter how many years had passed, she wasn't the one he truly chose. So when the moment of decision came, he easily leaned towards the other side.

The strength of Irwin's embrace tightened once more.

"Nat, it's not what you think..." "Are you speaking for yourself or for him? Your relationship truly is something else!" Natalie's biting words cut off Irwin's attempt to explain.

He was speaking up for Cedric?!

Indeed, in Natalie's eyes, wasn't everything Irwin was doing right now merely an attempt to justify Cedric's actions?

The seemingly broken duo still, at crucial moments, seemed to think of each other!

"Nat!" "To go to such lengths for a woman, was it worth it?" "You..." "It was no wonder Blair was intolerable!" Natalie looked at Irwin with a chilling gaze.

A shiver ran down Irwin's spine.

With an even more menacing tone, Natalie continued, "She... deserved to die!" "Natalie!" Irwin's voice deepened instantly.

"She had it coming!" Natalie roared.

The dangerous undertone in Irwin's voice made Natalie smirk sarcastically. Blair was undoubtedly a unique figure.

Irwin wasn't certain about the details of the information, but if it held Natalie's attention for half an hour, it was significant.

Whatever Natalie needed to know, she probably did by now.

And Blair? What sort of person was she? Over the years, she remained a painful memory in both Irwin's and Cedric's worlds.

The shifting emotions in Irwin's eyes only intensified Natalie's sense of irony and madness.

But as Irwin prepared to speak, Natalie's phone vibrated before a word could escape his lips.

1/3 +15 BONUS It was Heather calling.

Taking several deep breaths, Natalie managed to suppress the storm of emotions welling up inside her. She moved to the side to answer the phone.

“Mom.” “I finally got through to you.” “What’s wrong?” “Cedric’s people came and tried to take Luna. Given the chaos in Wexford right now, your father thinks... he might be trying to threaten you. Be careful.” Natalie remained silent. The storm that had just been suppressed violently surged again upon hearing Heather’s words about Luna.

They tried to take Luna?!

He...!

“I understand.” “Nat, Cedric isn’t a good person. The fact that he tried to take away Luna is just...” “Don’t worry. I’m fine!” It was only a few words, yet they were spoken with such urgency that Heather could feel her pain.

Previously, Stephen had wanted to give Cedric a chance.

But now... not even half a chance existed in her world for Cedric.

Apart from hurting Natalie, what else could he do after all these years?

After exchanging a few more words with Heather, Natalie hung up the phone.

She stood by the French window with Irwin not far behind her. At this moment, all signs of tension had disappeared from him.

“You knew, didn’t you?” Natalie’s voice was sharp.

“Nat.” Irwin “You knew his people were coming for Luna?” Turning to face him, the hatred and anger in Natalie’s eyes were palpable.

All the patience she had maintained over the years was now completely gone. There was no holding back anymore.

Seeing the hatred in her eyes, Irwin felt suffocated.

Taking a deep breath, he began, “Nat, he...” 2/3 +15 BONUS But before he could finish, Natalie turned around and stormed off. Watching her furious departure, Irwin quickly followed.

Outside the Terra Manor’s entrance, he grabbed Natalie’s arm firmly. “Nat, listen to me!

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 516-It's Time to End Irwin's head was throbbing intensely now.

This was why Natalie could never find out! Once she did, many things would spiral out of control.

And that was precisely where they were now: a state of complete chaos!

Natalie's entire body trembled.

The ten years of their relationship had already been completely overturned in her heart.

Now, knowing that Cedric's people were planning to take Luna too, it was as if the wild beasts deep within her had finally been unleashed. She had suppressed these feelings for so many years.

She wasn't a saint!

How could she keep suppressing everything after all that had happened?!

Smack!

"I The crisp sound of a slap echoed as Natalie used all her strength to slap him across the face. Her sharp nails left bloody marks on his skin.

The air stood still.

For a long while, Irwin stood motionless, unable to respond. By the time he came to his senses, Natalie had already left.

Upon hearing that Natalie had returned, Cedric looked at Kayla. The child had an unusually pale face and was holding a doll.

Kayla had been discharged from the hospital. The surgery had been successful, but perhaps due to the severity of the illness, her face was still very pale.

Cedric gazed at her. "Kayla." "Yes, Daddy?" "After this busy period, would you like Daddy to take you out to play for a while?" After experiencing this ordeal, Cedric realized the immense pressure children faced. The academic stress alone was overwhelming!

1/3 +15 BONUS Just looking at her homework gave him a headache, let alone for such a young child.

Looking deep into her eyes with tenderness, he saw the eager nod from the little one.

“Sure!” Children, after all, love to play. Hearing about an outing lit up her face, bringing warmth and healing to Cedric’s heart.

The butler came in to report that Natalie had arrived. The gentle smile on Cedric’s face instantly vanished as he turned to Kayla.

“Kayla, why don’t you go play with the nannies for a while?” “Okay.” Kayla was indeed sweet and obedient. Nodding, Kayla went on her way. “Where is she?” “We showed her to the garden,” the butler replied.

Given the conflicts between Cedric and Natalie concerning Kayla before, Lucas had instructed the servants to keep an eye out.

So, whenever Natalie arrived, a check on this side was customary. As Cedric was with Kayla, the butler came to report promptly on Natalie’s arrival.

In the garden, the scent of flowers was delightful.

As Cedric approached, he saw Natalie seated calmly on a wicker chair, holding a freshly served cup of coffee. Steam rose from the cup, indicating its warmth.

“You’re back,” Cedric said, composing himself as he approached, his eyes radiating gentleness.

It had been an unbearable few days for Cedric!

With Irwin involved, unexpected things were always a possibility.

But just as he settled down... Splash!

Suddenly, Cedric felt a burning sensation on his face. The coffee that had been in Natalie’s hand was now splashed all over him.

The cup crashed onto the table loudly..

At that moment, the calm facade on Natalie’s face shattered. She looked at the disheveled Cedric, her inner anger still unresolved.

2/3 Their eyes met, a storm brewing within his.

“Have you had enough fun?” Natalie asked with a biting tone.

Cedric remained silent, taken aback by the sudden question.

Fun?

“Enough of this tender act. It’s time to end the charade,” she declared coldly.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 517-No Wonder You Were So Indifferent Cedric stared at Natalie.

There was something shattered deep within his eyes! His heart was in turmoil, as if a storm had erupted inside!

She knew... she knew all of it!

When Casey went to Terra Manor, Irwin had already taken her away.

In fact, Cedric knew back then...!

He knew she would find out eventually. Being around Irwin, nothing was certain.

And in Wexford, she... would come to know about that matter!

It all circled back to the fact that she got entangled in the affairs of Wexford.

After what felt like an eternity, Cedric managed to gather his thoughts and looked at Natalie, murmuring, “Nat...!” “The resemblance is uncanny, isn’t it?” Natalie said, observing the pale-faced man across from her, with a storm raging in her mind.

Ten years!

A decade of feelings...!

Who could have imagined that the one who once held her dear was merely in love with the idea of her, a mere shadow?

Because of their uncanny resemblance, he could still hold her close, even if she was just a shadow.

Cedric remained silent, his gaze fixed on Natalie.

He tried to speak, but words failed him at this moment. He was overwhelmed by the storm in her eyes!

The smirk on Natalie’s lips deepened, and a sarcastic glint flashed in her eyes.

“I think so too,” she remarked.

Cedric felt his heart, already in turmoil, tighten at her words.

An explanation... Yes, he wanted to explain.

He wanted to tell her that things weren't as they seemed. But as he looked into her icy eyes, 1/3 +15 BONUS There was no way out, not when her gaze spoke volumes.

Any explanation seemed futile!

Yet, in Natalie's eyes, Cedric appeared not just indifferent but outright dismissive of their shared past.

Such an attitude only confirmed her worst fears.

In his heart, she was, after all, just a shadow.

Facing this reality wasn't as emotionally taxing for him as one might think. Instead, all she felt was an overwhelming chill!

Natalie's voice grew icy cold. "No wonder you were so indifferent!" Whether in the past life or this one, this sense of indifference wasn't just directed towards her but also towards... their child!

The thought of him willingly using Luna to save Kayla made Natalie feel a chilling suffocation in her heart.

Cedric remained silent, and his eyes widened upon hearing Natalie's words.

He finally managed to say, "It's not what you think." In this context, his words sounded feeble and hollow.

"Not what I think?" Natalie laughed bitterly. Rising from her seat, she continued, "I don't care if you're indifferent or not, Cedric. But if you dare harm Luna or me, I swear..." As she spoke, a cold fury surged in Natalie's eyes. Cedric felt his heart being entirely hollowed out. Before he could utter a word, Natalie cut in sharply, "I will tear you to pieces with my bare hands!" With those final words hanging in the air, Natalie turned on her heel and left with a chilling demeanor.

Cedric remained seated on the wicker chair, lost in his thoughts for what felt like an eternity.

She knew.

She knew everything!

When did it start?

When did he start worrying about her finding out about Blair?

Yet, inevitably, she had found out.

2/3 novelbin +15 BONUS And the moment she did, everything spiraled out of control.

His Natalie had never been this out of control before.

Yes... ever since he met Natalie, Cedric had been certain that she was the woman his heart yearned for.

He had vowed to protect her at all costs.

But now... Why had things turned out this way?

When Irwin arrived, Cedric was still seated on that wicker chair.

“Are you satisfied now?”

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 518-Once Perhaps Irwin could feel a familiar aura, but it held none of the former hysteria that usually accompanied it. Cedric seemed to deflate at that moment.

There was only a mournful undertone in his words.

Irwin remained silent, his heart sinking noticeably at Cedric’s words. A myriad of complex emotions flickered in his eyes.

Yet, amid this complexity, there existed a peace between them that had been absent for many years.

“She’s gone?” Irwin finally broke the silence, his voice carrying a weighty tone.

As the words left Irwin’s lips, Cedric’s gaze sharpened, filled with an icy coldness.

“Irwin, she’s not Blair!” For the first time in many years, Cedric uttered the name directly to Irwin.

Throughout the years, nobody dared mention Blair’s name in front of Cedric and Irwin. Even between them, the weight of that name was palpable.

Because that person... No matter how deep their hatred for each other was, they had never confronted this matter head-on.

Blair...!

It was a name associated with deep memories, buried yet always present whenever they met.

Now, Cedric had spoken it aloud.

Irwin's already troubled expression deepened further as he looked at Cedric, "I know better than you who she truly is." Irwin was referring to Natalie.

If things had gone according to plan, Natalie would have known who Blair was a long time ago.

Cedric remained silent, absorbing Irwin's words.

Before he could respond, Irwin turned and walked away, leaving Cedric pondering.

Who exactly had Irwin been referring to?

Hah... Irwin had actually said he knew better who she truly was?

1/2 And Cedric, he... naturally also knew.

+15 BONUS It was because the more Cedric knew Natalie, the more scared he became of her... finding out about Blair!

It was because... Cedric knew how exactly Natalie was.

After leaving Kritz Manor, Natalie headed straight to the airport. Everything had become clear to her, and she felt there was no reason to remain.

She was waiting for the person she was calling to pick up, and a woman's playful laughter came through. "You're such a heartless woman! Are you truly capable of letting go?" The voice belonged to Abigail.

Heartless? Capable of letting go?

Hearing Abigail's probing question about her feelings, Natalie felt an unprecedented chill in her heart.

Taking a deep breath, she suppressed the heaviness in her chest and said, "Perhaps, once upon a time..." Her words trailed off, left unsaid.

Indeed, once upon a time, it might have been hard for her to let go.

Natalie wasn't naturally heartless. Circumstances had driven her to this point. She knew the answer to why she had become this way.

"Let's leave it at that for now. Do as you please from now on," Natalie replied nonchalantly.

On the other end, Abigail chuckled at Natalie's response. "If you're this heartless, I'll naturally support your decision." Abigail's tone grew particularly stern with that last statement.

No one knew exactly what Natalie had given Abigail. In the past, the Schneider family would never have provoked people like Cedric, Irwin, or Clyde. But now, considering how things had suddenly involved Cedric, one could only imagine the implications.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 519-Stay Here by My Side Was she heartless? Ruthless?

Compared to what Cedric once did to Natalie, these labels seemed trivial.

Suddenly, someone snatched her phone from her hand. Turning instinctively, Natalie met Irwin's intense gaze.

Natalie was silent.

When she looked at Irwin, the warmth that had long vanished from her eyes seemed even colder now.

Clearly, she hadn't expected Irwin to catch up with her.

Before she could utter a word, she felt a grip on her wrist. Irwin held her gently yet firmly.

"You..." Natalie felt stifled looking at this version of Irwin.

Irwin said, "I never intended for you to get involved with the situation in Wexford. But now that you're here, stay by my side." His words carried weight and depth. Anyone unfamiliar with the situation would've assumed they held immense importance in Irwin's heart.

But Natalie's eyes were filled with icy disdain.

"Stay here?" "Yes, stay here by my side," Irwin declared, his eyes reflecting an unprecedented determination.

In the next moment, Natalie forcefully freed her wrist from his grip.

"Nat!" "With things at this point, you still expect me to stay with you?!" Her tone was far different than Irwin's.

Hers was dripping with sarcasm.

How shameless could they be? Even at this juncture, did they remain unchanged?!

Irwin tried again, “Nat, don’t you understand? The reason why he and I kept-” “Enough!” +15 BONUS Natalie didn’t want to hear anymore. No one knew that upon seeing the document about Blair, Natalie’s heart was in turmoil despite her outward calmness.

More than anything, she felt humiliated!

Yes, humiliation.

Malcolm’s blatant humiliation of Bianca was evident. He would make sure Bianca understood precisely why he treated her the way he did.

As for Cedric and Irwin?

The humiliation inflicted upon her by them was subtle.

During the time she spent with Cedric before Isabella appeared, Natalie believed she loved Cedric, and he loved her in return.

But in those beautiful moments, she knew now that while she truly invested her emotions, Cedric did not reciprocate in the same way.

Blair Russell!

Hmph... Every good thing that happened, even the times Irwin saved her from danger... All of it happened because Natalie’s face resembled another woman’s.

“It doesn’t matter what you say, Irwin!” Natalie hissed through gritted teeth, her voice icy as she glared at him.

The turmoil in her eyes made it abundantly clear to Irwin just how deep her resentment toward him and especially Cedric had grown!

“Let’s go back for now, okay?” Irwin took a deep breath, trying to remain patient.

Instinctively, he reached out to hold Natalie’s hand again, but she violently pulled away. Even the slightest touch from him now felt repulsive to her.

“Nat,” Irwin murmured, looking somewhat lost.

Without a word, Natalie turned away, leaving Irwin to reach out futilely!

She was close by, yet he lacked the courage to chase after her... Natalie was cold.

No, she was more than that... She was frigid, and it chilled him to the bone.

2/3 +15 BONUS Now that Natalie was aware of the affairs in Wexford, she was returning to Simeria.

There was nothing else she needed to know, so she had no intention of spending even an extra second in that place.

It was no wonder Cedric and Irwin were reluctant to return to Wexford before its complete downfall.

Looking back, the irony was palpable.

The place held their most haunting memories, making it a location they would naturally avoid.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 520-The Relationship Between Two Women
Meanwhile, the Entes family was now at a critical juncture.

It was rumored that after the family banquet one evening, the patriarch of the Entes family had collapsed.

Currently, many were gathered around the elderly Entes patriarch. Although Robert showed no immediate response toward Zane, it was obvious that Zane and Yvette's relationship undeniably affected him to a certain extent!

In these final days of Robert's life, his thoughts seemed to be shifting constantly.

Inside a studio, Bianca sat on a low table, holding a cup of coffee. Sitting across from her was Yvette, the Entes family's fourth daughter-in-law, who was married to Alto.

Upon entering, Yvette had a gentle smile, leading everyone to believe that her relationship with Bianca had strengthened after the family banquet.

However, the moment the door to the studio closed behind them, an icy chill permeated the room.

"You know everything, don't you?" Yvette elegantly sipped her coffee, every movement exuding grace and poise. Yet, her tone was chillingly cold.

Bianca remained silent momentarily, and her eyes darkened before she responded, "You shouldn't meet him for the time being." Bianca got straight to the point.

After all, the relationship between Yvette and Zane was bound to be exploited by others. Moreover, some were already using their relationship to slander Zane.

In Bianca's perspective, Zane had to emerge victorious in their agreement. If he lost, it wouldn't just be him facing the consequences.

Even Bianca would be ruined alongside him.

That was a scenario she dreaded the most.

Upon hearing Bianca's words, Yvette looked at her with a mix of surprise and disbelief, clearly not expecting Bianca to remain so composed and undisturbed in the face of such matters.

Yvette's gaze towards Bianca grew increasingly hostile, matched by Bianca's cold, piercing look.

1/2 +15 BONUS "If you genuinely wish for his well-being, then you should know what needs to be done at this moment," Bianca retorted, her voice cold and unyielding, every word dripping with determination and wisdom.

Her composure and wisdom were so pronounced that they deepened the shadows in Yvette's eyes.

After a momentary pause, a sly smile crept onto Yvette's lips. "And in what capacity are you speaking to me now?" novelbin "What role would you prefer I adopt when addressing you? Do you want me to call you Lady Yvette? Or Yvette, my fourth sister-in-law?" Bianca's words painted two starkly contrasting identities.

The storm in Yvette's eyes surged momentarily.

Meanwhile, a confident smile grew more prominent in Bianca's gaze.

Such wisdom and composure from Bianca unsettled Yvette, stirring a fit of unexpected jealousy within her.

Yes, jealousy.

After all, Bianca was now married to Zane. Consumed by her envy, Yvette wouldn't let Bianca have it easy, even if Bianca's marriage to Zane was only a charade.

But in this act, how could anyone mistake Bianca for Zane's devoted wife? Instead, she seemed more like a strategist, deftly maneuvering her position.

In this scheme, Zane was merely a pawn in Bianca's strategic game. That was why she could respond so rationally in this situation.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 521

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 521-Relationship with Lord Malcolm "Do you really have that kind of relationship with Lord Malcolm?" Yvette took a deep breath and sipped

her coffee. When she spoke again, her tone had calmed down as if Bianca's words were merely a reminder to her.

Bianca glanced sideways, and the pressure around her seemed to lessen a bit at this moment.

Then, her tone turned colder. "What do you intend to imply by this, my dear sister-in-law?" Bianca heavily emphasized the term "sister-in-law" when she spoke.

Her gaze was piercingly sharp, making one feel a chill just by meeting her eyes.

Before Yvette could respond, Bianca continued, "Regardless of the relationship between Lord Malcolm and me, you need to be wary of something..." Bianca trailed off and paused for a moment. When she looked back at Yvette, the sharpness in her eyes was like a sharpened blade.

Yvette felt her heart painfully clenched as she met Bianca's eyes.

"What is it?" Yvette's mind started to go blank as Bianca stopped speaking and stared at her with cold, piercing eyes.

It was too intense!

It was the first time Yvette had seen a woman this sharp!

Little did she know, Bianca had once been a top divorce lawyer, unforgiving of any reasons that led to the breakdown of a marriage.

In her eyes, there was no forgiveness.

Thus, Yvette's current demeanor was clearly not to Bianca's liking!

At this moment, Bianca looked straight at Yvette and said sharply, "Regardless of the relationship between Lord Malcolm and me, don't forget that I'm currently married to Lord Zane!" Bianca emphasized her words, and Yvette's face turned pale.

Without waiting for her response, Bianca continued, "Also, don't forget what your relationship with Lord Alto is!" Relationship?

1/3 +15 BONUS What relationship did they have?

A marital bond...!

Regardless of the circumstances in which they had gotten married or the current situation, there had to be boundaries.

It wasn't about moral blackmail, but about personal integrity. Sometimes, one had to be able to restrain oneself when it came to morals and boundaries. Not for others, but at least for oneself.

A storm brewed in Yvette's eyes, and she hissed, "Bianca!" At this moment, her demeanor had turned thoroughly hostile. However, Bianca looked at her with indifference and slowly said, "Remember what you're truly doing." "It's impossible for anything to happen between you two!" "And what about you? Is there still a possibility?" Bianca asked sharply and bluntly.

At this moment, Yvette wasn't just pale.

She was trembling all over!

Bianca observed Yvette's reaction with a cold and piercing gaze.

"I know why you're here with me. Go back. I think... you should stay where you belong." Yvette remained silent, her entire body quivering at Bianca's words.

Why had she come here?

Primarily because of Zane!

She knew that the Entes family was using their past to attack Zane. Therefore, despite her reluctance to face Bianca, she had come over.

Perhaps she wanted to create an impression that she and Bianca were on good terms, preventing others from harming Bianca recklessly.

However, Bianca saw through her intentions.

It must be said that when people are in complex situations, their emotions and perceptions would also become intricate.

And now, Bianca was a testament to that.

In the past, regardless of the complexity of the lawsuits she faced, they were not as challenging as her situation now.

Not even a fraction.

2/3 +15 BONUS The current situation was genuinely intricate, leaving no room for an escape.

Bianca appeared detached on the outside. But in truth, Bianca was fully aware of her position when Yvette came to see her.

“Go back, okay?” Bianca slowly said as she watched Yvette tremble.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 522-Wife There wasn't a trace of warmth in Bianca's gaze. novelbin And Yvette...!

Before Zane got married, no matter how many years she spent with Alto, she had always waited. She believed that everything would end as she had hoped once everything settled down.

So, she was willing to wait.

But Bianca's presence, coupled with her sharp and candid words and gaze, filled Yvette with a deep sense of humiliation.

Yvette was no longer the only one by Zane's side, a realization that pierced her heart deeply.

11 'Between you and him...' Yvette tried to speak but was abruptly interrupted by Bianca. "What's between him and me is irrelevant!" Yvette remained silent.

Bianca emphasized, "I am his wife!" The word struck a nerve, leaving Yvette breathless and stunned as the two locked eyes—one sharp, the other cold and numb.

After a long, silent moment, Yvette smiled bitterly.

"Wife, huh..." She muttered.

Hah... his wife!

Suddenly, something flashed in her mind, and tears streamed down her face.

Bianca looked on silently.

She had not expected Yvette to shed tears!

Before any more words could be exchanged, hurried footsteps approached from outside.

Soon, a man pushed open the door.

When Yvette looked at Zane, her eyes were filled with tears. It made her look vulnerable and heart-wrenching.

In contrast, Bianca's face was cold and fierce, creating a stark contrast between the two women!

1/2 +15 BONUS Upon witnessing the scene, Zane's eyebrows furrowed instantly.

Bianca set down her coffee cup and stood up. As she walked past Zane, she paused and said, "You'll want lunch since you came back at this hour, right? I'll let the kitchen know." Without waiting for Zane's response, she left the room swiftly. The door closed behind her.

Bianca was silent after she left the room.

She once thought Zane had feelings for Natalie, but she never expected that Zane had such deep feelings for someone else in the past.

What could be said about him?

A man like him was even more dangerous when it came to emotions...!

Indeed!

Based on Bianca's years of experience with lawsuits, Zane was the most dangerous type of man when it came to emotions.

If any woman were to earn his love, it would be even more challenging than gaining Cedric's affection.

And the eventual hurt inflicted at the end... would be even more severe!

Yes, that was Bianca's complete evaluation of Zane after learning about his relationship with Yvette.

The studio was quiet.

Only Zane and Yvette remained. Zane stood while Yvette sat on a chair, looking at him with a pitiful expression.

"Why did you come here?" Zane's voice was cold and stern as he broke the silence. Yvette choked up. "What else can I do now except try to help you in this clumsy way?!"

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 523-Because of Rumors or Her?

Zane's frown deepened at Yvette's words.

Looking at the pitiful figure before him, his heart sank further.

Help him?

Their relationship with the Entes family was delicate at the moment.

By showing that she was close to Bianca, she was undoubtedly attempting to dispel rumors indirectly.

“Go back.” Zane said.

Those words were chillingly straightforward.

Yvette stiffened instantly upon hearing them.

“Zane, you...” What did he mean?

Why was he asking her to go back?

Was it the implication she feared?

Why did he seem so devoid of warmth?!

A suffocating sensation gripped Yvette.

Zane continued, “Don’t come to Versant Villa again.” “But you...” “Intelligent people don’t entertain or spread rumors,” Zane cut her off with his icy tone before she could finish.

In that moment, Yvette’s heart wavered. A storm of hysteria now replaced the initial pain and grievance in her eyes.

She smiled bitterly and said, “Intelligent people don’t entertain or spread rumors, huh? Is it because of her?” Her? Bianca!

As the words left her lips, Zane’s eyes darkened noticeably.

He responded, “Such words don’t seem appropriate coming from you.” ar Silence filled the air, and the atmosphere around them became even colder and more rigid. At that moment, it felt as if something had shattered in their gazes.

Even after a long while, the two looked at each other coldly.

+15 BONUS When Bianca emerged from the kitchen after arranging everything, she found Zane, who had previously been in the studio, seated on the sofa.

A cigar was in his hand, and the swirling smoke around him only emphasized his inner turmoil.

Bianca approached him.

Hearing her footsteps, Zane came back to his senses and extended his hand towards Bianca.

She looked at his broad palm and naturally placed her cold hand into his warm one.

Instantly, Zane frowned, "Why is your hand so cold?" "Where is she?" She didn't answer Zane's question.

"She's gone," Zane replied.

Upon hearing this, Bianca seemed to breathe a sigh of relief.

Sensing how she relaxed slightly, Zane smirked and said, "If you don't like it, you don't have to deal with it." Bianca stiffened at his words.

She didn't have to deal with it if she didn't like it?

What did Zane mean by that?

At this moment, it was impossible to say that Bianca's heart didn't waver. It felt as if something had slammed into her heart.

She didn't... need to deal with it?

But Yvette was...!

"I found that person." Bianca was talking about the person he referred to before this... The mole in Versant Villa!

+15 BONUS novelbin She had found and severely punished them before expelling them. The entire Versant Villa was shaken by the incident.

After all, though Bianca was considered the mistress of Versant Villa, she had always been aware of her relationship with Zane.

She had always been accommodating to everyone, but her sudden rage today had startled many, shaping a new perception of her in everyone's eyes.

"Did you find one?" "Yes," she responded.

She had only found one, but perhaps there was more!

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 524-Impossible However, Bianca's capabilities seemed to exceed Zane's expectations. novelbin "You're competent," he said as he pulled her into his arms.

He planted a warm kiss on her forehead, sending a sensation through Bianca that seemed to breach her defenses.

However, she remained rational.

She was aware of what the intimacy between her and Zane meant.

“Is it almost over?” Bianca mumbled in Zane’s arms, her voice somewhat subdued.

They appeared perfectly harmonious to outsiders, but little did others know about the underlying complexities...!

Zane replied, “Things aren’t that simple. You’ll have to endure a bit longer.” “Okay.” Not that simple?

Indeed.

During the family banquet, she had seen that everyone from the Entes family was far from straightforward.

How could such matters be easily resolved?

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During lunch, the table was set with Zane’s favorite dishes. Despite their transactional relationship, Bianca displayed a strong sense of professionalism.

Through this unusual bond, she seemed to have understood Zane in a short period of time.

Suddenly, a notification sounded from the phone on the table.

Glancing at it briefly, Bianca looked up to Zane and said, “Nat is back.” Zane momentarily froze at the mention.

Bianca caught his subtle change and smirked. “I’ll be at Lotus Villa this afternoon.” “Alright.” Zane gracefully nodded in agreement.

In terms of freedom, Zane had always allowed Bianca to do as she pleased.

After lunch, Zane departed. Lately, he’d been less present at Versant Villa, indicating they might be nearing a crucial juncture.

+15 BONUS Although Bianca never questioned his whereabouts, their collaboration seemed seamless.

Not long after Zane left... Yvette appeared!

When the two women crossed paths again, the atmosphere was even colder and more somber than in the morning.

Bianca checked her wristwatch and said, "I have something to attend to this afternoon." "Don't get involved with him!" As they passed each other, Yvette grabbed Bianca's wrist.

Her grip was notably strong!

Bianca had to admit that this seemingly fragile woman wasn't always as weak as she appeared.

At this moment, Bianca felt a twinge of pain.

"Wasn't my message this morning clear enough?" Bianca retorted sharply and coldly.

Yvette remained silent.

The pressure on Bianca's wrist intensified as soon as she finished speaking!

"Please let go, okay?" Bianca's tone grew firmer.

She never liked being touched by others in such a manner. Over the years, she had only grown close to Natalie and had gradually become accustomed to her touch.

So, Bianca found Yvette's touch deeply unsettling.

"Bianca, I'm telling you this out of concern! The Entes family isn't as straightforward as you think! Things between you and him would never work out," Yvette warned.

"It's also impossible for you and him! Haven't you sensed it yet?" Bianca shot back.

Yvette's face was pale, but she turned abruptly when she heard Bianca's words. Yvette's eyes were not just sharp but also filled with intense coldness!

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 525-Substitute Sensed It?

Sensed what...?!

Though Yvette was reluctant to admit it, recalling Bianca's words at this moment made her realize that something had indeed changed.

wall.." Yvette attempted to speak, yet words failed her when she tried.

Blanca looked at her with a smirk. "Could you let go of me now?" Observing Yvette's cold, pale face, Blanca didn't have the patience to prolong the confrontation.

In Yvette's mind, a whirlwind of thoughts raged. Eventually, the grip around Bianca's wrist gradually loosened.

"I won't see you out," Bianca said coldly.

Without another word, Blanca turned and left. Her departing figure radiated an aura of decisiveness.

What was this feeling?

It felt as if Bianca would never face any harm. Her unyielding departure made those who saw her want to keep her for themselves.

Indeed!

Yvette felt this way about Blanca now.

If a woman felt this way, how much more so a man?

What about Zane?

As these thoughts swirled in Yvette's mind, she felt overwhelmed, like she was caught in a storm. The pain and suffocation were unbearable.

How could they do this?

Conflicting emotions surged within Yvette, seeking an outlet. Yet, she found none.

This overwhelming sensation made her feel restless.

Upon reaching Lotus Villa half an hour later, Bianca received a message from Natalie stating +15 BONUS While Zane had arranged for Bianca to stay in the back of Hillside Estate, Natalie lived in the front side!

What used to seem like coincidental neighbors now seemed... intentional?

Another half-hour passed, and Bianca arrived at Hillside Manor.

Natalie sat on the sofa, holding a glass of red wine and cuddling Ginger, her expression indifferent and desolate.

It was obvious Natalie was fond of her pet pig.

Bianca approached Natalie and said, "I've always found cats and dogs cute. So... Why a pig?" Bianca sat down opposite Natalie, and Lydia hurriedly approached her..

"Ms. Sanders, would you like something to drink?" "Coffee, please. Thank you."
"Alright." After Lydia left the room, Natalie spoke up, "Because pigs are simple." Bianca was silent.

Simple?

She thought Natalie liked the pig because Cedric gave it to her!

If that were the reason, Bianca would be flabbergasted. She might even try to knock some sense into Natalie's brain if the latter had said that.

"How were things in Wexford?" Bianca changed the subject and asked instead.

She was well aware of Natalie's reason for visiting Wexford recently.

As soon as Bianca mentioned Wexford, Natalie lifted her glass of red wine and emptied it in one gulp.

What was this?!

She watched Natalie silently, awaiting her response.

After consuming three glasses in succession, Bianca finally interjected, "Enough, stop drinking." "Bia." +15 BONUS "Hmm?" "Can someone truly be a substitute for another?" Once, when Natalie had come across such ideas, she dismissed them as nonsense. She had "never believed in the concept of substitutes—it sounded like a mere fabrication.

Given everyone's distinctiveness, how could anyone become a substitute?

But now... she felt enlightened!

Previously, regardless of how things had deteriorated between her and Cedric, she never doubted the authenticity of their relationship.

However, this time, she realized that everything could be a facade.

What she saw might be a lie! What she heard could also be false!

Even the emotions she sensed in others might be artificial.

If everything could be a sham, what could be genuine in the world?

When she heard this, a storm seemed to flash across Bianca's eyes, but it quickly subsided.

"Considering how Jade has become so crucial to Malcolm, it's likely because she has similarities to Faye. So, I believe... the concept of a substitute might indeed be real!"

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 526-A Decade of Deception Bianca's words struck a chord deep within Natalie, solidifying her wavering beliefs.

Indeed, substitutes were real...!

But how could this be happening to her?

That was a riddle she couldn't solve in this lifetime.

"Nat..." Bianca glanced at her.

"Blair, huh..." Natalie sneered with a hint of sarcasm.

After she mentioned Blair, she took another gulp of her wine.

Bianca paused, looking puzzled. "Who's that?" "The apple of Cedric and Irwin's eyes," Natalie responded, her voice dripping with irony.

Bianca fell silent.

What?!

Natalie chuckled again.

"Stop drinking," Bianca said. "It was all a sham, you know?" Natalie slurred, her voice drenched in intoxication.

"Nat," Bianca tried to reason.

At that moment, Bianca grasped the gravity of Natalie's revelations about her visit to Wexford.

She grabbed Natalie's wrist firmly, "Enough drinking, okay?" "All of it was fake. Everything...!" Natalie reiterated.

Though she had seemingly moved on and tried to be indifferent, learning that a decade of her life was a lie struck Natalie like a thunderbolt.

How could it not?

She had let go of those ten years because she had been too hurt by it. But now that everything was placed before her again... She still felt an unprecedented blow to her heart.

It wasn't just the pain of the past but realizing that everything with both Cedric and Irwin was a sham!

The shock was palpable, not just for Natalie but also for Bianca after the latter heard about this +15 BONUS "So, to them, you were just Blair's substitute?" With that revelation, the world of both Bianca and Natalie seemed to shatter.

A substitute?

Such a reality was piercingly painful.

Bianca was furious!

From the moment Cedric pursued Natalie, she had felt they were mismatched, not only just because of their different social standings.

Bianca's intuition, honed by her experience as a lawyer, had always whispered to her that Cedric didn't truly love Natalie.

So, he had really approached Natalie with a purpose!

Reflecting upon it now, her instincts weren't wrong... they were tragically right!

Cedric hadn't genuinely loved Natalie from the start.

"Bia." "Yeah?" "Do you find it laughable? A decade," Natalie's voice was heavy with sorrow.

Laughable?

It was more than that... it was tragic!

Natalie had done nothing, yet unknowingly, she had been caught in that profound vortex for so many years.

"A decade of emotion... a decade of deceit!" The decade-long emotions from Cedric, coupled with Irwin's decade-long deceit—what were these two men to Natalie?

Not just terrifying figures, but profoundly pitiable ones!

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 527-Habitual Dependence Natalie was intoxicated, and deeply at that.

That night, Blanca didn't return to her own home. Instead, she stayed by Natalie's side all night as Natalie suffered from severe vomiting.

Lydia and Xyla were frantic, especially considering Natalie's already delicate health.

"Ms. Sanders, please talk to Ms. Walker! Her body can't handle alcohol," Lydia expressed her concerns.

Natalie's eyes were already bad, so what would happen if she continued drinking like this?!

Bianca nodded in acknowledgment.

After everything was settled and Lydia and Xyla had left, Bianca looked at the pale-faced Natalie lying in bed with a tightness in her chest.

"Liars, they're all liars!" In Natalie's world, wasn't the relationship between Cedric and Irwin nothing more than deceit?

Their very existence hurt her! And they had been deceiving her for far too long!

Over time, even if Natalie wanted to deny investing emotions into it, it was impossible because she had indeed put her heart into it.

So, the pain she felt now was excruciating.

Yes.

Natalie was currently in pain.

Buzzing vibrations from Bianca's phone interrupted her thoughts. Seeing it was a call from Zane, she answered.

"Hello." "Where are you?" "Nat's drunk. I won't be going home tonight. I'll stay with her," Bianca said, glancing subconsciously at Natalie.

There was a slight change in the man's breathing on the other end of the call before he responded, "Alright!" Without waiting for Bianca to say more, he hung up abruptly.

+15 BONUS The world quieted down.

All that remained was Natalie's murmurs, "Liars... Liars..." Bianca sighed, gently running her fingers through Natalie's soft hair.

How deeply had Natalie been hurt?

She couldn't even lie still while intoxicated.

Bianca had to admit that this incident was more than just a setback for Natalie.

When faced with such a truth, the past injuries seemed trivial!

Indeed, what did those past hurts amount to?

The morning after her drinking spree, Natalie had a pounding headache. The intense pain woke her up.

Someone handed her a glass of water, and Natalie looked up to see who it was. When she saw it was Bianca, she instantly relaxed.

She took the water from Bianca and downed it. With the glass empty, some of the tightness in her chest eased.

"You stayed with me all night, didn't you?" Compared to yesterday, Natalie was much more sober now.

Bianca nodded, "How could I leave you in the state you were in last night?"

As always, during Natalie's most vulnerable moments, Bianca was always there by her side.!

Just like before, even without saying anything, the mere presence of Bianca's company stirred emotions in Natalie's heart.

"Thank you." "Didn't we agree there was no need for such things?" Bianca looked at her with a smile.

Natalie fell silent and looked down. Finally, she said, "Did I say a lot?" "So, you finally realize your tolerance for alcohol is poor?" Natalie had always been the hardest to handle when she was drunk "I only do it around you," Natalie replied candidly.

Otherwise, she wouldn't have texted Bianca the moment she returned. To be honest, her dependence on Bianca over the years had become a habit.

Bianca set the empty glass aside, taking Natalie's hand with a slightly firmer grip. Natalie met +15 BONUS Taking a deep breath, Bianca said, "I never expected..." Her voice trailed off, weighed down by the gravity of the unspoken words.

It was clear that Natalie was grappling with some immense burden, a weight that Bianca also felt deeply. novelbin A storm seemed to brew in Natalie's eyes.

"Yes, I never expected it either," she echoed.

Indeed, she had never known about the chaos in Wexford. Neither Irwin nor Cedric had ever informed her about it.

Not just the turmoil in Wexford but also everything that had transpired there.

“Bia!” “Yes?” “What would you do if you were in my shoes?” After returning from Wexford, Natalie felt like her world had been thrown into chaos.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 528-Can't Let Go +15 BONUS Everything was chaotic, and Natalie couldn't make sense of it.

Everything she had once believed now seemed completely altered.

It was a question she had never entertained nor considered, but now it was right before her.

And Bianca... When she heard Natalie's question, a coldness flashed in her eyes.

“Don't you know?” “What?” “Up until now, you still don't know how to deal with Cedric and Irwin?” Natalie hesitated. “...” “Or is it that even now, you can't let go of him?” Bianca was referring to Cedric To Bianca, Natalie was once an aloof child at school. Why had she changed so drastically over this matter?

Clearly, it was because of Cedric.

After Natalie had met Cedric, it was as if she had turned into a completely different person. The depth of that man's influence on her was evident.

Natalie felt a tightness in her chest.

She shook her head firmly. “That's not it!” Ultimately, they were talking about a decade's worth of emotions....!

It wasn't the same as letting go.

She had once moved on because of Isabella, but now? This overwhelming for her.

on roulation was Bianca looked at Natalie's delicate face and sighed. “If I were you, I'd make sure they suffer. I'd make sure they lose everything they hold dear.” She spoke with such ease and nonchalance.

Perhaps her casual demeanor stemmed from her complicated relationship with Malcolm, driven by hatred and torment.

When Malcolm caught Blanca, he was filled with hatred and only wanted to torture her!

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A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 529-Natalie's Ruthlessness and Bianca's Dilemma Indeed!

When it came to the matter with Luna, Natalie could not tolerate it.

Natalie nodded. "Yeah!" It was her!

Seeing Natalie's determined nod and the sharpness in her eyes, Bianca looked at her in disbelief and then felt relieved.

"The fact that you could give him such a significant 'gift' means I don't have to worry!" What did the Schneider family truly signify in Wexford?

Everyone in Wexford knew, and even the people in Simeria were aware!

So, even before Natalie knew about Blair, she had no hesitation in dealing ruthlessly with Cedric. She understood what the Schneider family meant to Cedric, yet she acted decisively.

At this moment, Natalie was only troubled by the authenticity of those ten years. Forget about it happening to Natalie. Even Bianca felt that if those ten years had happened to her, she might not have handled it any better.

Ten years was a long time.

However, to realize that such a long-standing relationship was a sham...!

How many could endure such a revelation in their world?

Natalie couldn't, and neither could Bianca.

Time...!

With the turbulent times, whether it was Irwin or Cedric... what awaited them would be fiercer storms!

It was too late...!

Whoever it was, they could never bring Natalie peace again. Once, she had been shattered by their own hands.

"What exactly did you give the Schneider family?" At this moment, Bianca was curious. What had Natalie handed over to the Schneider family?

After all, Bianca knew what kind of person Cedric was.

Over the years, he had never been involved with the Schneider family. Given his personality, if 1/3 +15 BONUS So, even Bianca was curious about what Natalie had given to the Schneider family.

It had to be something significant, as it made Cedric allow the Schneider family to bring Abigail into his life...!

Yet, Natalie only responded with a smile when asked about it.

She simply said, "Regardless of what happened, I've lived with Cedric for so many years." So, she still had some understanding of the man.

Moreover...!

When Cedric had thrown Natalie into prison for Isabella, she had already been subtly paying attention to some aspects of Cedric.

This trip to Wexford had indeed proven to be quite revealing.

"Alright." Bianca nodded. Hearing Natalie speak this way, she felt a bit more relieved, yet simultaneously, a sense of sorrow overwhelmed her.

If a ten-year relationship could potentially be a facade, then what she had seen with Zane must be even less genuine, right?

"Bia." "Hmm?" "While I understand some of Zane's character, remember that he's still from the Entes family. Please be cautious." Natalie couldn't bear to see Bianca hurt again!

After all, Natalie was well aware of what the Entes family was like in Simeria! Bianca and Zane initially came together because of a contract, making Natalie deeply concerned about what might transpire afterward.

Bianca nodded, "Don't worry, I know what I'm doing." "Okay." Hearing Bianca's assurance, Natalie felt somewhat reassured.

In truth, she trusted Bianca!

After all, Bianca had witnessed so much in her line of work. It gave her insights into the complexities of emotions.

+15 BONUS Some things aren't as beautiful as they appear. On this matter, Natalie believed that Bianca had seen the truth more clearly than most.

After Bianca left, Natalie sat alone in the room for a long time, gazing outside as the sky brightened. Gradually, her expression improved.

As Bianca emerged from Natalie's place, she spotted that familiar large G-Klasse parked nearby, with Conrad respectfully waiting by the car's side.

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Opportunity to Survive When Conrad saw Bianca, he bowed respectfully.

Bianca fell silent.

Malcolm?! So early in the morning...?

“Lady Bianca, you...” novelbin “Move aside!” Bianca coldly uttered.

Evidently, Bianca had seen Malcolm. However, she chose not to acknowledge him and headed straight to her car.

As she was about to open the car door, Conrad respectfully closed it for her—a gesture that irked Bianca.

“Lord Malcolm has been waiting for you for an hour!” Conrad said, his tone both respectful and icy.

An hour? Goodness! No wonder Zane mentioned that someone from Malcolm’s side was around her.

Indeed, it wasn’t a bluff. Malcolm knew where she was last night.

Eventually, Bianca got into Malcolm’s car.

From the outside, the vehicle appeared broad, and its interior space was spacious. The moment she stepped in, there was a force on her shoulder.

The next thing she knew, the world spun, and Bianca found herself pushed into the back seat.

A dangerous air enveloped her!

With a sharp and cold gaze, Bianca looked at Malcolm. She noted the fierceness in his eyes, and her lips curled into a faint smile.

“What are you trying to do, Lord Malcolm? Are you trying to solidify your scandalous reputation in front of the people of Simeria?” “Bianca!” Malcolm hissed through clenched teeth, his voice deep.

“I’m not like those women. You should know that!” “How so?” The chilling aura that surrounded the man intensified upon hearing Bianca’s words.

“I’m your sister-in-law!” Bianca retorted.

It felt like something had exploded in Malcolm’s mind as his eyes turned bloodshot. He glared viciously at Bianca.

Undoubtedly, those words.. had struck a nerve in the man!

Are you sleeping with him?" Each word Malcolm uttered was cold and hard.

Blanca acted as if she didn't hear him. She continued, "Imagine if everyone knew you'd even prey on your own sister-in-law..." At this point, Blanca's voice trailed off. She then looked directly at Malcolm, not just with a smirk but with a mischievous taunt that seemed almost ethereal.

"And the Entes family patriarch despises this side of you, doesn't he?" Such scandalous behavior would undoubtedly make Robert detest Malcolm even more if something were to happen between him and Bianca at this moment.

A cold gleam flashed in Malcolm's eyes as he looked at her.

Then, he chuckled a laugh that never reached his eyes, cold and devoid of warmth.

He said, "So, what do you think would happen if the old fart found out about our relationship? Would you survive?" Survive? Exactly!

Why had Bianca gotten involved with Zane in the first place, seeking refuge in his embrace amidst all odds?

Wasn't it to secure a chance at survival?

Undoubtedly, if Robert were to discover her relationship with Malcolm, her life would be in jeopardy!

In Simeria, even within the expansive Entes family, the status of women was tragically low.

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A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 531-Life is but a JokeSo, even though Robert despised Malcolm on this matter, Bianca would be in the same boat...!

The hard-won opportunity would ultimately be in vain because of this!

Even faced with such a threat from Malcolm, Bianca laughed carefree and wildly.

"It doesn't matter to me!" Malcolm fell silent.

"Why do you think I'm alive now? To live well? What a joke...!" Indeed.

The idea of living well in Bianca's world was merely a joke.

She studied her nails, then glanced at the man's distinctively cold and hard features and continued, "I was negligent not to tell you before this!" "Malcolm, you've destroyed so

much of my life! As long as you're around, I can never have peace! But even if I have to die, I will make sure to drag you down with me!" The more she spoke, the colder the glint in the man's eyes became. The pressure on her shoulder grew stronger.

Bianca felt slightly suffocated from the pain, but she didn't care at all.

1 She continued, "You can kill me now! But I promise you, by tomorrow, you'll leave Simeria and never return!" For everyone in the Entes family, now was a crucial moment.

They naturally understood what leaving Simeria would mean for them!

The pressure in the man's grip increased, and his eyes became even fiercer.

Bianca looked at him without speaking. The taunting smile in her eyes had been present since she was brought to his side.

He really wondered how this defiant woman challenged him with such pride!

Malcolm had forgotten how many methods he had tried to remove this pride from her. But so far, all attempts had failed.

Just 1. go.

as Bianca felt she was about to lose consciousness from the pain, the man abruptly let her Bianca gasped sharply, taking a few deep breaths to chase away the pain in her shoulder. The moment she gained her freedom, the lingering pain in her heart finally disappeared.

Turning around, she met the man's cold gaze. "Do you think that by staying by his side, everything will work out? Let's see if he can protect you till the end!" Malcolm hissed.

Did she want to go to such extremes?

Did she... not want to live anymore?!

If she wanted to ensure Zane's success this way, then Malcolm would indeed let her live well.

The hardship Malcolm was going through right now was nothing!

In the future, he would make sure she suffered miserably!

"Do you think that's important to me?" Bianca sneered at Malcolm.

Malcolm remained silent, and a storm brewed in his eyes once more.

Before he could respond, Bianca continued, “These days have been tough for you, haven’t they?” Indeed.

The outcome was still uncertain.

However, his days had been difficult, and this was what Bianca wanted to witness!

She was a woman who would seek revenge for the smallest slight. Even if she couldn’t truly harm Malcolm, she would still make him suffer.

Since she said she would do it, then she would!

“Bianca!” “Have you hidden Jade away?” Bianca asked.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 532-A Plan Foiled Malcolm remained silent at Bianca’s question.

“Well, that might be for the best. She should have some peace in her final moments, right?” “You heartless woman!” Malcolm couldn’t contain his anger any longer.

In Malcolm’s mind, this was the image Bianca had always portrayed—a heartless woman!

Once towards Faye, and now towards Jade.

“Yes, I’m heartless. So what?” And what about him? Born into the Entes family, he was always privileged. Even without the headship, he had access to everything.

Naturally, he didn’t understand how precious something earned by oneself could be.

To him, what he ruined might have just been an individual’s achievement. He was oblivious to how much effort Bianca had invested in it.

“So, be careful, alright?” ““Go to hell!” Bianca was silent.

Go to hell?

Swiftly adjusting her clothes, she stepped out of the car and stared at Malcolm.

“Hide Jade well. Otherwise, I can’t guarantee she won’t suffer greatly in her final moments.” Even once Malcolm remained silent, and a storm raged in his mind. But Bianca swiftly exited the car.

The confined space felt even colder at that moment.

Bianca...!

Fine... Fine!

As Bianca stepped out of the car, she found Conrad staring at her coldly. After adjusting the wrinkles on her attire, she flashed him a dangerous smile and walked toward her vehicle.

The intense gaze from behind seemed as if it wanted to consume her entirely.

Inside the car, Conrad glanced at Malcolm. "Lord Malcolm." "How is she now?" Malcolm was talking about Jade!

As Bianca had mentioned, Malcolm had to hide Jade away from Simeria because Bianca had become too troublesome.

But even with Jade out of the country, he wasn't entirely at ease.

As expected, Conrad replied, "Dr. Doyle said that if surgery isn't performed soon, Ms. Jade's condition could deteriorate dangerously." She needed surgery as soon as possible, huh?

"Any updates?" Malcolm asked, referring to the kidney transplant.

Initially, the plan was to use Bianca's kidney, as finding a compatible one was no easy task.

Everything had been set up perfectly.

However, Bianca's cunning maneuvering led to her alliance with Zane and foiled Malcolm's original plan.

Consequently, Jade's condition worsened.

Conrad's words elevated the already tense atmosphere, "There's none!" None...!

Melanie's warning implied the situation was reaching a critical point! Undoubtedly, Malcolm was feeling the pressure.

The Entes family was at a crucial juncture...!

Yet Jade's deteriorating health seemed to leave no room for delay.

"Speed things up," Malcolm said in an icy tone.

The underlying danger in his tone was clear to Conrad.

Given Faye's significance in Malcolm's heart, it was evident he wouldn't let anything happen. to Jade.

However, as of now... apart from Bianca, they seem to have no other options.

"Yes, sir!" Conrad nodded. Just as he did, his phone vibrated. He glanced at the caller ID and noted it was from Melanie Doyle, Jade's attending physician.

Conrad answered. "Dr. Doyle." "Her condition hasn't been steady since last night. We barely managed to stabilize her. You need to act quickly on your end." The seriousness in Melanie's voice indicated the situation was spiraling out of control.

Melanie was one of the leading doctors in the field, and the gravity in her voice highlighted. how critical Jade's condition had become.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 533-A Decade's Time After hanging up the call with Melanie, Conrad looked at Malcolm with evident apprehension.

At this moment, Malcolm's eyes were dark and flickering with gloom.

Clearly, Malcolm had heard every word from the call with Melanie.

"Lord Malcolm!" Malcolm's demeanor was icy and perilous. With a cigarette between his fingers, he drew puff after puff.

Jade's condition had reached a critical juncture, and apart from Bianca, they had no other leads or updates.

It was obvious that things right now were...!

Meanwhile, Bianca drove straight to Versant Villa, where Zane's car was parked. She slammed. the car door shut upon arrival.

Upon entering, she found Zane looking like he had just woken up, clearly having spent the night at home. As soon as he noticed Bianca, his expression softened, "You're back?" "Yeah," she replied.

"Have you had breakfast?" "Not yet." As Bianca shook her head, she naturally took a seat beside Zane.

The servants promptly served her, laying out an extensive breakfast spread. Bianca paused for a moment, realizing that even in her absence, they had prepared dishes she favored.

Zane ate in silence.

Despite Zane's stern demeanor, Bianca didn't seem to harbor the same level of fear toward him as she did with Malcolm.

In the past, no matter how fierce her confrontations with Malcolm became, she had always been afraid of him deep down. Indeed, after enduring two years of torment, she had developed an inherent fear of Malcolm. Yet, she never allowed this fear to surface in his presence.

Every time Malcolm saw her, he couldn't help but grit his teeth as their encounter always led to him on the losing end.

Until now, the depth of Bianca's resentment toward Malcolm was obvious. And Malcolm likely harbored an equal amount of disdain toward her.

"How is she?" Zane asked nonchalantly.

Bianca froze just as she was about to take a bite of her bread.

She then replied, "Not good." The news from Wexford undoubtedly had a profound impact on Natalie. Even Bianca would have likely found it hard to bear such troubling information if it had happened to her..

Zane repeated, "Not good?" At this moment, the gaze he directed toward Bianca deepened in intensity.

Taking a sip of her milk, Bianca considered the fragmented details Natalie had shared with her.

Cedric and Irwin approached Natalie because of a woman named Blair. The decade-long relationship with Cedric and Irwin's timely rescue every time Natalie had been in danger seemed to be linked to Blair.

"Do you know someone named Blair Russell?" Bianca inquired, looking at Zane.

Having grown up in such a complex and intricate family, Zane might be privy to some of the covert happenings among the elite families.

However, upon hearing the name Blair, Zane's brow furrowed.

Bianca paused, waiting for his response.

Why was he...?

After a moment, Zane finally said, "I'm not entirely sure." The uncertainty in his response made Bianca scrutinize him even more, searching for of recognition or deceit in his eyes.

“What’s the matter?” Zane questioned, noticing her probing gaze.

Shaking her head, Bianca replied, “Nothing.” “So, you mean Cedric and Irwin approached Natalie because of Blair?” Zane asked.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 534-A Despicable Existence “Yes, that’s at least what Nat discovered,” Bianca responded.

Zane fell silent.

The implications of such information painted a clear picture. The turmoil in Natalie’s heart. was now easily imaginable.

Blanca’s past confusion and unanswered questions had suddenly become painfully Vident.

Blanca took a deep breath and remarked, “Cedric and Irwin truly went too far.’ Indeed, that was not all. novelbin Blanca had always been puzzled for the past decade. Cedric seemed so fond of Natalie, yet her demeanor deteriorated drastically whenever she was around him.

Now that the truth had come to light, the reality was torturous to comprehend.

How could Cedric have done that to Natalie?!

With an understanding tone, Zane said, “Ten years is a long time, and it might not be just about one person.” “Isn’t it?” Bianca responded.

“Ten years... It’s too lengthy a period.” If Natalie was merely a substitute, then what was with all the things that had happened?!

But Blanca’s perspective was different.

Cedric had harmed Natalie gravely for Isabella’s sake, and though Irwin treated Natalie well, he never showed intentions of marrying her.

Indeed, if his feelings were he, he would have pursued marriage with Natalie during their years in Simeria, if not in Verde City.

But Irwin never pressed on the inatter. Initially, this respect seemed noble, but everything looked different with the hidden motives unveiled.

Irwin was rational, more so than Cedric. He understood that Natalie wasn’t Blair and, therefore, never entertained the thought of marrying her.

“Yes, ten years is indeed too long! Even as a substitute, one should be seen clearly. This is why Cedric could harm Nat without a second thought,” Bianca said.

Whether it was when Isabella or Kayla was involved, the underlying reason for everything remained the same.

Natalie wasn't the most cherished individual in their hearts. That was why Cedric hurt her the way he did.

Zane furrowed his brows deeply. The chill in his eyes intensified at the realization.

Indeed, Bianca's analysis was sharp and painfully accurate.

Because there was a lack of genuine affection and the fact that Natalie was only a substitute to them... that such reckless harm could be inflicted on her!

Meanwhile, Natalie had promptly returned to Lotus Villa after regaining consciousness.

Upon seeing her return, Heather was visibly relieved. Yet beneath Natalie's seemingly calm exterior, Heather knew an underlying wild aura was concealed.

Clyde, too, was keenly aware of this unsettling atmosphere around Natalie.

During breakfast, Natalie delicately fed Luna.

With Stephen absent, Heather voiced her frustration, “How could he have the audacity to send someone to fetch the child!” Heather was visibly outraged when discussing Cedric's actions during Natalie's absence!

“Wanting to take Luna to Wexford... What else could he possibly be planning besides threatening you with her?” Heather's clarity on the matter was unmistakable.

She knew Cedric had tried to take Luna away just so he could use the child to threaten Natalie.

With such knowledge, Heather was all the more determined not to let Cedric take Luna away.

Observing Heather's incessant complaints, Natalie took a deep breath and said, “Enough, Mom, let's not dwell on it.” Evidently, Natalie preferred not to discuss Cedric at all now.

Who would have thought that in her world, Cedric would be perceived as such a despicable entity- a presence that was utterly loathsome?!

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 535-Tilted Situation Luna was undeniably well-behaved. Heather had undoubtedly invested much effort in her upbringing, and everyone in the household was fond of the child. Her sweet demeanor was particularly charming.

After breakfast, Clyde and Natalie went to the study. Both were obviously tensed.

“What’s your plan moving forward?” Clyde finally voiced the question that lingered between them.

Indeed, what plans did Natalie have?

After witnessing so much, her perceptions and understanding of everything had drastically shifted.

It wasn’t merely a change.

Her entire worldview had been overturned.

Taking a deep breath, Natalie replied firmly, “I have my own arrangements.” “Nat,” Clyde began.

“I want to handle this matter personally,” Natalie cut in with a heavy tone.

Yes.

She wanted to confront things head-on, whether it was concerning Irwin or Cedric.

A shadow of concern crossed Clyde’s eyes.

Natalie was too calm, and her demeanor only heightened the sense of impending danger!

Natalie met Clyde’s serious gaze and said, “Cly.” “Yes?” “Did you know about all of this before?” Cedric had once warned her about Irwin’s true nature.

Following Clyde’s return to the Jarvis family, what had he said to her back then?

Clyde had told her that Cedric... wasn’t a good person.

Given the events that transpired, she realized none of these individuals were genuinely good.

However, the depth of deception and schemes behind their facades surprised her.

Ten years...!

What kind of resilience and cunning did it take for someone to maintain such a facade for a decade?

She dared not contemplate it.

Clyde shook his head and admitted, "I had no idea their feud was over a woman." He spoke the truth. While they had all been in Wexford around the same time, they had never truly crossed paths.

Even if they had met, suspicions about each other's identities would not have arisen because they were unfamiliar with each other.

In addition, the conflict between them had always remained hidden, brewing silently beneath the surface.

Clyde had never imagined that the enmity between Cedric and Irwin stemmed from a woman! By the time Clyde became aware of their existence, Cedric and Irwin were already enemies.

This understanding made Clyde deeply concerned when he learned of Natalie's involvement with both Irwin and Cedric.

Two arch-enemies vying for the same woman?

The implications were clear that it didn't bode well for Natalie.

"It seems they really cleaned up their mess back then," Natalie remarked, taking a deep breath.

No matter how well they'd covered their tracks, the truth always had a way of surfacing.

Ten years...!

To have been deceived for a decade—what emotional turmoil must she be grappling with now?!

Everyone had their pride. Even when Natalie had nothing, she never took advantage of Cedric's love for her.

Seven years of enduring love!

During that time, she had never accepted anything valuable from Cedric.

Looking back, it seemed bitterly ironic.

"Natalie," Clyde began, his eyes filled with concern.

He had noticed the fleeting hurt in her eyes at her mention of the past. She was proud, especially when it came to matters of the heart!

Yet, to realize now that her steadfastness and pride had been trampled upon was agonizing.

Clyde didn't need to ask to know that Natalie was carrying an immense amount of pain.

"Cly." "Yes?" "Is Frederick significant to you?" he asked.

"No," Clyde replied curtly.

"In that case, I need to know exactly where Frederick is," Natalie declared, each word dripping with cold determination.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 536-A Pivotal Figure Frederick!

He was the pivotal figure now.

No one could fathom the chilling aura in Natalie's eyes whenever Frederick was mentioned. It was a coldness so palpable it felt as if it could shatter everything into a million pieces.

Clyde nodded. "I got it." Frederick!

During her time in Wexford, Natalie sensed something was off. If Frederick were in Irwin's grasp, he wouldn't remain idle against Cedric.

That was the kind of person Irwin was in her mind.

But Irwin had done nothing during her time in Wexford, implying Frederick wasn't under his control.

Frederick...! Natalie wanted to see how things would turn out at this crucial juncture.

Chaos reigned, and Wexford was in utter turmoil.

Even though Natalie was at Lotus Villa, she was far from idle.

The Entes family, especially, was now on high alert upon learning Cedric had half of the critical documents. It wasn't only Malcolm and Zane. Even the other Entes family members, like Alto, were keeping a close watch on Cedric.

Irwin still hadn't located Frederick. As he searched, he also had to guard against both Cedric and the Entes family.

As for Cedric... No one knew what Natalie had given Abigail to allow her to be so close to Cedric now.

Not only did Cedric have to protect the half of the documents he held, but he also had to fend off the looming threat from the Schneider family.

Rumors were teeming that the heiress of the Schneider family was set to marry Cedric.

In the study of Kritz Manor, Lucas looked at Cedric with concern.

"Many eyes are on Frederick now. Even if we find him..." Lucas didn't finish his sentence, but Cedric understood.

Natalie was ruthless, not just towards him but also towards Irwin.

"And now, Mr. Yarbrough's men are also searching for Frederick," Lucas added.

"Clyde is also looking for Frederick?" In Wexford, if there was anyone least connected to the crucial documents, it was probably Clyde.

So, why was he searching for Frederick?

Without a doubt, it was for Natalie's sake.

She was the one who wanted to find Frederick. And after all she had done recently, her intentions for Frederick were clear.

She... intended to hand Frederick over to Zane!

While she had previously passed information to Malcolm, it was merely to clear the air and clarify her relationship with him to the people of Simeria.

However, when she relayed the message to Bianca, there was no mistaking that she intended it for Zane.

"You know how meticulous Mr. Yarbrough is when he sets his sights on someone," Lucas said, his tone growing increasingly solemn as he continued.

It was just like how Casey had managed to trace Ashley. Though the incident had happened years ago and traces of it had been cleared away, Casey had still managed to dig out the truth.

With the display of Casey's skills, it was obvious how things would go in this matter.

If Clyde's people were genuinely determined to locate Frederick, then the tides might very well shift in Natalie's favor.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 537-Poisoned to the Core At this juncture, Cedric was well aware that once Natalie located Frederick, she would have no intentions of siding with him or Irwin.

Her hatred had reached its peak for both of them.

“Leave!” Cedric ordered, irritation evident in his eyes, clearly reluctant to face the looming issue.

Upon learning about Blair, Natalie’s emotions had spiraled out of control. She was indifferent to whatever transpired between him and Irwin.

She had lost all trust in everything concerning them.

With Lucas gone and the study now empty save for Cedric, he lit one cigarette after another. Smoking half a pack did nothing to ease his growing agitation.

“Natalie...” He murmured her name, feeling a profound sense of hurt.

What was he to do with her?

The void left by her absence grew ever more pronounced in his heart!

However, she had made her stance abundantly clear.

She had mentioned that regardless of what transpired in their past lives, even if Isabella paid the ultimate price, it was what she had deserved.

So, even if Isabella had sacrificed herself for Natalie in the end... in Natalie’s eyes, Isabella was still unforgivable.

Her years of innocence had now transformed into an unyielding stance of non-forgiveness.

The ruthlessness Natalie showed him now was just as intense as the injuries she had endured in his world.

Yes, she was ruthless.

But could he truly blame her?

After all, his feelings towards Natalie once had been more than just animosity!

At least from her perspective, her ruthlessness was justified.

But some truths were not as they appeared to her!

Unfortunately, no matter what Cedric said now, Natalie would never believe it. She had decisively removed him from her world in a swift and clean manner.

In the dimly lit space, Cedric's eyes were filled with anguish.

In Simeria, the ion wasn't a better.

With the backing of the Jarvis family, Natalie had returned and maintained relative cal around her.

As for Bianca... Malcolm reappeared at Versant Villa, cigar in hand and his gaze deeply fixed on her.

Bianca remarked, "What, not satisfied yet?" They had just seen each other this morning. Yet, at this moment, Bianca knew precisely why he had come.

Given Jade's recent condition and Malcolm's repeated, unexpected appearances, it wasn't hard to deduce his motivations.

The significance of the Entes family to him, while a reason for his restraint, wasn't the primary one.

The true reason was, in fact, Jade.

L "State your terms," he said in an icy tone. novelbin Yet, beneath that coldness, Bianca discerned a sense of urgency in him.

Undoubtedly, Jade held a pivotal place in Malcolm's heart because of Faye.

At his words, Bianca laughed.

Her laughter was mocking.

"Weren't you saying something different before?" She remembered the times when he hadn't given her any freedom of choice, trapping her at every turn.

How had she responded then?

She had said that if Malcolm didn't kill her, she would take him down the moment she found the chance, and she would rip the very skin off his body!

Seeing him in such evident distress now gave her a sense of relief.

Yes, he was obviously in distress!

Even though Malcolm hid it deep within, Bianca could keenly sense the impending eruption of emotions.

“Previously, you said you would marry me!” Bianca was smirking, and her words dripped with irony.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 538-What Exactly Do You Want?

Yes, that was what Malcolm said at that time.

As for what the marriage meant to Bianca, she knew exactly what it entailed.

“Bianca!” There was a dangerous glint in Malcolm’s eyes.

‘It wouldn’t be hard for me to save her!” Bianca said.

“What do you want?

As Bianca spoke, the man’s eyes betrayed a flicker of emotion.

And that flicker?

Bianca could see it clearly Indeed.... Jade was in a critical condition.

Bianca said, “Kneel and beg me.” The air froze!

Everyone present took a sharp breath at Bianca’s words.

When Conrad looked at her, an even more dangerous glint flashed in his eyes.

Everyone thought Bianca had lost her mind.

She must be mad!

Otherwise, why would she make such an absurd request to Malcolm, the Entes family’s sixth lord?!

Did she have any idea of the danger she was in?

And now, the look in Malcolm’s eyes was not just dangerous..

It was almost predatory!

It looked as if he could tear Bianca apart at any moment.

Yet, Blanca seemed entirely unfazed. She met his eyes steadily with audacity and defiance!

She was smiling It was a glittering smile tinged with deep irony!

It was silent for a long while Just when everyone wished they could disappear on the spot, Malcolm finally smiled and said, "Do I really have the guts? Does it matter? I already said what I said. So, can you meet my demand, Lord Malcolm?" Everyone believed that Malcolm would never kneel for anyone.

In Bianca's opinion, whatever he had done to her in the past was unforgivable. Even if he were to kneel, she would never forgive him!

She was also well aware that this man would never do it!

Even if Jade was important to him because of Faye, this man would never kneel.

Wasn't Simeria a place where no one could make Malcolm do such a thing?

The two confronted each other fiercely, neither willing to back down.

The tension grew increasingly palpable.

Just when everyone thought that Bianca would definitely die here in this villa today, steady footsteps approached from outside.

And then, Zane appeared.

His appearance eased the tension among the people at the foot of the mountain.

"Why are you here, Malcolm?" Zane's tone was relatively polite.

Yet, underneath that politeness, everyone detected a chilling undertone.

Clearly, Zane had returned to Versant Villa because he heard Malcolm was here. Perhaps it was even because Zane was aware of Jade's current condition.

One didn't need to guess to know what Malcolm intended to do now.

The atmosphere was shattered!

Blanca stood up. But before she could react, Zane pulled her into his arms unexpectedly, instantly establishing an aura of dominance.

Blanca asked, "Why did you come back?" "To retrieve some documents." There was a hidden anger in the man's eyes as he looked at her.

Bianca felt puzzled. She hadn't done anything!

Malcolm also stood up. While his aura had somewhat restrained, it was still bone-chillingly cold.

Z, be careful of the woman in your arms. Some women may seem human, but they are..." He paused, looking at Bianca with eyes glinting with coldness.

Then, he continued, "Have you heard of a viper? Its entire body is poisonous!novelbin

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 539-Absurd Demand After Malcolm left, Bianca felt something was off as she looked at the man holding her.

The gaze Zane directed at her was intense. novelbin "Why are you looking at me like that?" Bianca's words carried a hint of displeasure.

Zane replied, "Didn't I tell you not to provoke him?" "What? Who would dare provoke him?" Bianca sounded somewhat irked.

She had never intended to provoke anyone. All she wanted was to work hard and live her life. Even after witnessing Natalie suffer so much by Cedric's side, she had never considered marriage.

Therefore, she had never intended to provoke anyone.

Yet, she found herself embroiled in this muddy situation.

How could she simply let it go?

The man's grip on her tightened.

"Don't see him these days. Jade is in a critical condition right now," Zane said carefully.

While the matters concerning the Entes family were pressing, Zane was also attentive to everything around Malcolm....

Especially when it concerned Bianca!

Given Jade's critical condition, Bianca was the top priority.

Zane didn't need to remind Bianca of how important Jade was to Malcolm.

Under the current circumstances, it wouldn't be surprising if Malcolm resorted to more forceful methods if it came to that point.

Bianca clearly caught Zane's implied warning and nodded. "I understand." Zane was very busy.

Not long after Malcolm left, Zane also departed. However, Zane left someone with Bianca.

"Michael!" Michael Quirk had always been by Zane's side, and Zane now left him with Bianca.

It showed how on guard Zane was against Malcolm.

Before leaving, Zane instructed Michael to stay by Bianca's side no matter where she went.

Meanwhile, Natalie seemed to be peacefully spending time with Luna at Lotus Villa. But in reality, she was far from idle.

When Casey called, Natalie learned that Clyde had entrusted Frederick's matters to Casey.

Over the phone, Casey said, "I suspect... that Frederic is in Mr. Johnson's hands!" Natalie was silent.

In Cedric's hands?

Now, that was intriguing.

Undoubtedly, both Irwin and the Entes family had been searching for Frederick.

At this time, Cedric had become entangled with the Schneider family. So, in everyone's eyes, he might be overwhelmed and simply have no time for anything else.

However, the news from Casey now... "Is it accurate?" Natalie's tone grew colder.

Frederick was in Cedric's hands?

If that were the case...!

Casey replied, "Based on our current leads, it seems he is indeed with Mr. Johnson." "How so?" "Because the last person Frederick met before his disappearance was Mr. Johnson!" If that was the case, then it was likely that Frederick was indeed with Cedric.

Unexpectedly, even amid the Schneider family's pressing situation, he... still managed to divert his attention elsewhere.

What words could Natalie use to describe him now?

But then again...!

She had never truly understood this man in ten years. What did this small revelation matter now?

Irwin, Cedric, everything—she had never truly seen through them!

So, Cedric's actions now weren't surprising in the slightest.

"I got it." Natalie ended the call, and a cold gleam flashed in her eyes.

When Luna rushed over, Natalie instantly pushed away all her hostility and quickly picked up the child.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 540-Resentment Natalie's tone was filled with indulgence.

"Look at you. You're all covered in sand. Where were you playing?" "In the sandbox! Mommy, do you want to come?" Luna said to Natalie, showcasing how much of a paradise that place was for the child.

Heather doted on Laina immensely. After Luna returned to Simeria, the backyard of Lotus Villa was gradually transformed. It was now filled entirely with playground equipment for the child.

Essentially, anything available outside could be found here. And the sandbox was Luna's favorite.

"Mommy has some matters to attend to now. Once I'm free, I'll come and play with you, okay?" Natalie gently said.

Luna nodded. She wriggled out of Natalie's arms and then ran off on her tiny legs.

Natalie's heart softened as she watched Luna's petite figure. She couldn't deny that at one point, she had prioritized avoiding Cedric completely for Luna's sake. Natalie had done it despite the overwhelming hatred she had felt toward Cedric. However, now...!

thoroughly Since he had intended to hurt Luna to use her to save Kayla, Natalie's heart was shaken. All her pent-up emotions were overturned, and her tolerance for Cedric reached its limit.

She couldn't bear it any longer! Just then, her phone vibrated.

Natalie glanced at the incoming call.

It was Cedric's.

She smirked coldly and picked up. "Hello." "Must it really be this way?" The voice on the other end of the call was hoarse.

Being forced to deal with the Schneider family already put Cedric in a dire situation. And now, Casey had discovered that Frederick was in Cedric's hands!

But Natalie sensed the implication in Cedric's words, and her eyes were devoid of warmth.

She replied coldly, "This is what you brought upon yourself." Brought upon himself?

Indeed!

In Natalie's opinion, hadn't Cedric brought this upon himself?

"Stop it. Wexford isn't as simple as you think," he said.

Stop?

Now, he was asking her to stop?!

Once, she was as pliable in his hands as clay. He had manipulated her at will.

Even a dead carcass on the chopping board had a better fate than Natalie.

Without waiting for her response, Cedric continued, "Nat, I never wanted to drag you into Wexford's mess." He "Can we put an end to all of this?" It wasn't as simple as she thought, nor as straightforward as she perceived.

Cedric knew that everything Natalie was doing now was her way of retaliating against him.

Enough!

It was enough.

If things went on like this, the one who would be her.

on like this, the one who would be her. "No!" Natalie replied with a chilling firmness.

Stop? He made it sound so simple!

Had he ever stopped before?

"Did you ever think of stopping the harm you inflicted on me for Isabella's sake? Did you ever consider not throwing me into prison?" No, he hadn't then, had he?

“Did you think of stopping when you were about to use Luna to save Kayla?” The tone in Natalie’s voice was more than just cold.

It was icy.

On the other end of the phone, Cedric tensed up instantly.

She hated him.... yes, she did!

And it was precisely because of this hatred that Natalie had lost all semblance of reason now.

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A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 541-If It Were Blair “You never thought of it then, did you?” Whether in this life or the previous one, Cedric never considered stopping regarding what happened at Scarlet Villa, He hadn’t even paused to think about throwing her into prison.

And even when he considered using Luna to save Kayla, he hadn’t contemplated stopping.

So, what right did he have to ask her to halt?

“If it were her, would you still act this way?” Natalie was obviously talking about Blair!

The mere mention of Blair seemed to still the air, making it palpably tense. Even across the phone, Natalie sensed the man’s breathing become heavier.

“Would you?” The chill in Natalie’s voice deepened as she probed.

On the other end of the line, Cedric felt his entire being tighten, the weight of the question pressing down on him.

Would the situations with Isabella or Kayla have unfolded if it had been Blair?

“You wouldn’t, right?” Natalie didn’t wait for Cedric’s response but continued with her biting sarcasm.

The world seemed to collapse around Cedric in this stormy moment.

The two were locked in a standoff, their emotions evident even over the phone.

“Cedric, you’re heartless!” “Nat,” Cedric began, attempting to find words. But at that moment, he found himself speechless.

Was he heartless?

In Natalie's eyes, he was beyond that.

"Don't call me again. Your words are meaningless to me," Natalie concluded before ending the call.

In the silence that followed, every inch of Natalie's body felt taut, her back drenched in a cold sweat.

The weight of her question about Blair had clearly unsettled Cedric. His hesitation and On Cedric's end of the phone, a tumult of emotions churned in his eyes.

She... didn't know.

She didn't know anything, yet at this moment... Cedric became painfully aware of everything.

The fears Cedric harbored had indeed come to pass. The moment Natalie learned about Blair, she would inevitably be drawn into his world.

Yes, this was precisely what Cedric had anticipated.

When Natalie found out about Blair, things between him and Natalie would be...!

The countless times he had imagined facing this moment now felt suffocatingly real.

When Lucas entered, he immediately noticed the gravity on Cedric's face.

"Your Excellency, Ms. Schneider is here." Abigail, the one who had given Cedric the most headaches lately!

"Let her in!" There was no escaping this. After all, hadn't Natalie's grand gesture left him with no room to hide?

Lucas nodded and departed.

Soon after, Abigail walked in. While Cedric's face was shadowed with gravity, Abigail's was lit up with a mocking smile.

"You don't look pleased." "Get to the point!" Cedric's voice was icy.

Abigail's expression stiffened briefly at his tone, but her smile only grew colder. "My father hopes we can announce our good news soon." Good news?

This woman could say a lot of things with a straight face, huh?

“What good could possibly come from your father?” novelbin If it were genuinely good news, why was Abigail nearing thirty and still unmarried?

Unfazed by his sarcastic tone, Abigail responded, “Regardless of the nature of this Come this far?”

She really had the guts to say such a thing!

“How about we register first?”

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 542-Abigail’s Love at First Sight “Dream on!” Without hesitation, Cedric swiftly dismissed Abigail.

Immediately, Abigail clicked her tongue and said, “So heartless. Remember that grand feast? I fell for you at first sight. Couldn’t you have given me some acknowledgment?” Love at first sight? Her? A member of the Schneider family?

The sound of a lighter flicked, and the man lit a cigarette.

Abigail didn’t particularly care for the scent, and her expression darkened at the sight.

She continued, “Blair is the wedge between you two. You’ve always known that, haven’t you?” This situation wasn’t accidental.

Blair was a real person, and she had once existed!

This concealed fact had finally come to light after all these years, presenting a threat to Cedric and Natalie’s relationship..

Cedric took a deep drag from his cigarette, exhaling slowly.

“You and her can never be!” Abigail stated firmly.

“Abigail!” The man’s voice deepened, clearly unwilling to face this reality.

“I heard you even planned to use Nat’s daughter to save Isabella’s. What were you thinking?!” Abigail said, her own astonishment evident.

Even though she had been in Wexford all these years, she knew Natalie held significant importance in Cedric’s heart.

But it was because Natalie was so important to Cedric that Abigail couldn’t understand.

Was Natalie more important to Cedric, or was ‘Isabella?

“Shut up!” Cedric’s entire demeanor turned colder when the topic arose.

“Cedric, Nat isn’t as important to you as you claim, is she?” Abigail asked.

Cedric’s eyes sharpened, suspicious of the way Abigail was addressing Natalie.

“Since when were you so close to her?” With a mysterious smile, Abigail replied, “That’s a secret.” “Hand it over!” Cedric demanded.

“Nat doesn’t intend to let you off so easily. Are you sure you won’t let her vent her anger? Indeed, with Abigail’s interference, wasn’t this a means for Natalie to release her pent-up anger?”

Natalie’s disdain for him ran deep!

Before Cedric could respond, Abigail stood, elegantly flipping her long curls, “Let me know when the time is right. Soon, okay?” “Forget it! Just give it up!” With those words hanging in the air, Abigail’s eyes dimmed momentarily, “Whether I give up or not isn’t for you to decide.” Having said her piece, Abigail departed, leaving behind the chilling aura of Cedric.

His presence grew even more intense and cold. “Natalie...” What should he do about that woman?

Undoubtedly, while Natalie was aware of Blair’s existence, both Irwin and Cedric were at a loss.

What Natalie was orchestrating was more than just retaliation.

During this period, the Schneider family had been making excessive demands. Amidst such pressing circumstances, Cedric found himself constantl

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 543-The Taste of Complete Darkness As for Irwin, dealing with just one matter was already giving him a headache, and that was Frederick’s whereabouts.

But now... Oh, Natalie... She was truly ruthless!

It seemed as if nothing else mattered to her anymore... Indeed, that was the impression Natalie gave Cedric—that nothing mattered to her.

Just then, Kayla returned.

Perhaps it was the natural disposition of children to love playing. Ever since her discharge from the hospital and after a few days of recuperation at home, Kayla was eager to go out and play.

“Daddy,” she greeted.

She was growing up so fast.

Cedric extinguished his cigarette when he saw her. "Where did you go?" "To the amusement park!" The moment she spoke of her outing, her spirits lifted noticeably, indicating her genuine fondness for such places. Perhaps because she hadn't been able to go when she should have, she still enjoyed it even at this age.

However... "You shouldn't go anymore this month, okay?" "Okay." She obediently nodded, clearly taking Cedric's words seriously. Despite her love for playing, she was also a well-behaved child.

With tenderness in his eyes, Cedric embraced her. "You've only just recovered. You shouldn't go to crowded places." "Mr. Kyle took me to less crowded places," Kayla replied softly.

However, Cedric was not reassured.

After all, those were still public places. Given the traumatic experience they had been through, one could only imagine the weight of the psychological shadow lurking within Cedric.

Hence, he didn't want Kayla to venture into such places.

"Kayla." "Yes, Daddy." "Daddy will be away on a business trip for a few days. You must be good, understood?" "You're not taking me with you, Daddy?" Her little face drooped instantly when Cedric mentioned a business trip.

Undoubtedly, Cedric was a pillar of support in Kayla's world. Hence, upon hearing that he would be leaving home, an unmistakable expression of reluctance appeared on her face, indicating how much she would miss him.

"I have something important to do. Also, you've just recovered, so you need to rest, okay?" "Okay." Kayla was obedient enough. Seeing her nod, Cedric was relieved and smiled warmly.

Meanwhile, Natalie's vision had been increasingly blurry recently. After consulting with doctors multiple times, they advised her to take proper rest.

Soon, the family became aware of it.

"Nat, perhaps we should proceed with the surgery..." Heather's voice choked up.

For anyone, eyesight is of paramount importance.

What would they do if she lost her vision?

“Mom, don’t worry too much, alright?” Natalie reassured.

“How can I not worry? I...” Heather’s voice hardened as she struggled to continue.

She had finally found her lost children, who were doing just fine, and now this situation arose.

Earlier, when she knew Natalie had a decent life growing up, she had breathed a sigh of relief. But then she watched her daughter endure so much emotional torment and pain and even ended up in such a state!

Heather was Natalie’s mother.

How could she not feel heartbroken?

“Mom!” Natalie felt exasperated.

How many times had the Jarvis family urged her to have surgery? She had already checked. The corneas available for transplant were scarce, and so many people were on the waiting list. Even though the Jarvis family could prioritize her, Natalie didn’t want to resort to such means.

Those waiting for the transplants were anxious!

“Nat, I just want the best for you, you know?” Finally, Heather couldn’t hold back her tears as she embraced Natalie.

Natalie fell silent.

Hearing Heather cry, Natalie felt a suffocating sensation in her chest.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 544-Natalie’s Torment Heather felt her heart break!

After all, who wouldn’t want their child, separated for so many years, to return to them in good health?

But Natalie...!

No one knew exactly what the doctor had told Heather.

The doctor had said, “With her eyes in that condition, she may not have much time left before she won’t be able to see.” It meant that Natalie would lose her sight soon!

“I truly despise Cedric!” Heather choked out.

Indeed, she hated Cedric.

Natalie's eyes had been damaged due to Cedric's actions. He had sent Natalie to prison because of Isabella. novelbin If he hadn't done that, Natalie wouldn't have suffered in that fire!

Until now, Heather hadn't mustered the courage to look at the scars on Natalie's body, but her eyes constantly reminded her of the unimaginable pain her daughter had endured.

"It's alright, Mom." When Heather mentioned Cedric, there was a dark shadow in Natalie's eyes. Clearly, all that

remained for that man in her heart was hatred.

But facing her mother, Natalie struggled to find words of comfort.

Being a mother herself, Natalie understood the overwhelming desire to annihilate anyone who harmed her child.

Yes, that was right!

She remembered the rage she felt when she learned of Cedric's choices regarding Luna.

She wanted to tear Cedric apart with her bare hands!

And then there was Heather...!

She hadn't been by Natalie's side since she was a child. So when Heather saw Natalie being hurt in these ways, it was easy to imagine what Heather wanted to do.

"Mom, please don't be distressed." "Wouldn't it be better to do the surgery?" Heather asked, her voice tinged with pain.

Yes, surgery.

Natalie's eyes needed immediate attention. However, due to the severity of the damage from the fire, conventional treatments were futile.

Only a comprehensive surgical procedure could help.

"Don't you realize, Mom, that surgery poses significant risks for me too?" "Nat." "I can still see now. At least while I can see, I don't want to undergo any surgery, alright?" That was right. Surgery came with its risks.

If the surgery failed, it would only hasten her complete loss of vision. That was partly why Natalie resisted the idea of surgery initially.

She could still perceive some light, albeit blurry. But if the surgery went wrong, even that faint glimmer would vanish!

She knew all too well the taste of utter darkness, a sensation she never wished to experience again.

It was too agonizing...!

Just contemplating that feeling was unbearable.

“Nat,” Heather’s voice was tinged with anguish.

It was the first time she had heard Natalie speak so candidly about her eyes and the potential surgery.

In the past, whenever the topic of surgery arose, Natalie’s immediate response was a firm rejection, often followed by silence.

But now... “Mom, the feeling of never seeing again is something I don’t want to risk,” Natalie articulated each word carefully.

“I understand... I do!” Heather’s voice quivered with emotion.

The mere thought of being in such a predicament was harrowing for anyone to contemplate!

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 545-Destiny Following the doctor’s examination of Natalie, the people in both Lotus Villa and Hillside Villa became considerably more cautious about lighting.

Within the shortest time possible, Heather and Stephen had all the lights changed once again.

Even at night, Natalie wasn’t allowed outside. Not just at night. Even during the daytime, when the sun shone too brightly, Heather wouldn’t let Natalie venture out.

This showed just how deeply concerned Heather was for her daughter’s eyes.

The doctor had said... Time was limited.

Hence, during this brief period, they had to ensure that nothing overly stimulating would affect Natalie’s eyes.

At night, Lotus Villa was dimly lit. Everyone felt the lights were too low. Natalie, who already saw everything as a blur, felt the darkness intensify.

“Mom, there’s really no need to worry. I can’t see anything anyway,” sighed Natalie, speaking the truth.

At this point, she truly couldn’t see anything.

However, Heather remained firm.

“I know it might seem too dim for everyone, but if you can see the strong lights, it would only further damage your eyes,” she reasoned.

Natalie remained silent.

Wasn’t such dim lighting also detrimental to those who could see?

After all, she couldn’t see anything!

“Listen to me. The lighting will remain like this at least until your surgery is successful,” Heather insisted with a stern tone.

“Alright,” Natalie complied.

Nothing could surpass a mother’s concern. As long as it put Heather’s mind at ease even a little, Natalie wouldn’t protest.

Later that night, back at Hillside Villa, Lydia and Xyla approached Natalie.

“We’ve changed the lighting to ensure it won’t harm your eyes too much, but you should still wear your glasses,” they advised.

Glasses?!

Natalie nodded. “Alright, I understand.” There were times before when she felt it wasn’t too straining and chose not to wear her glasses.

But now, everything was different.

The doctor’s examination had everyone in the Jarvis family on edge once again. Previously, their anxiety wasn’t just about her eyes but also the burn scars on her body.

And now?

Currently, the primary concern was her eyes. After all, her eyes were more important than anything else.

At night, Lydia and Xyla took extra care as they assisted Natalie with her bedtime routine. They were overly cautious every step of the way, fearing she might stumble.

“I can still see a little. There’s no need for such concern,” Natalie reassured them, sensing their heightened anxiety.

However, she couldn’t do anything about it.

Lydia responded, “Madam won’t even let you leave Lotus Villa.” Natalie remained silent.

It was the truth!

However, Natalie felt reluctant to stay there, considering the increased worry she had caused Heather at Lotus Villa.

At least here at Hillside Villa, she could have some peace of mind.

“Lydia.” “Yes?” “If my mom asks, tell her everything is fine with me.’ Everything was fine?”

Given the struggles when Natalie was caring for Luna, how could Heather not sense something amiss?

Lydia genuinely felt her heart ache for Natalie.

“Miss, if there’s an opportunity for surgery, you should take it, okay?” “...Alright.” At that moment, Natalie nodded.

After all, she truly felt overwhelmed. It was reminiscent of her past life. when she couldn’t see her daughter today.

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 546-How Painful It Was When Natalie found out she was pregnant in her past life, she had sat in the darkness for a long time clutching her stomach after Isabella had left.

At that moment, her primary concern was figuring out how she would live with the child once she left Cedric.

Yes!

Even in the pitch-blackness that enveloped her vision, she was determined to leave Cedric behind, no matter what awaited her.

But upon learning of the life growing within her, all her courage evaporated. She felt panicked and almost driven mad.

She could endure any hardship, but the thought of not being able to care for her child terrified her.

However, before she could confront Cedric or make a decision... a massive fire ended everything.

Cedric said she should forgive Isabella.

He claimed that Isabella sacrificed her life for her in the end.

But how could he truly understand?

While Natalie might have been willing to forgive almost anything when it only concerned her, there was no room for forgiveness when it came to her child.

There was absolutely no way.

It was also because of the suffering she had endured in her last moments for the child that she decided that... No matter what Isabella had done for her, she couldn't forgive her. novelbin "Alright, I'll inform Madam. She'll be pleased to know that you've agreed to the surgery soon, Lydia said, joyfully picking up the phone.

Watching Lydia's cheerful departure, Natalie shook her head in resignation.

That night, Natalie struggled to find rest, only truly falling asleep after midnight. Accepting these outcomes wasn't easy for her. The doctor's conclusions had shaken all her previous convictions.

In the darkness, a pair of bright eyes observed her frail form on the bed. A cold fingertip traced the uneven skin of her neck, causing a sensation as if the man's fingertip had been It was so painful it made him gasp for breath.

How excruciating it must have been for her!

Not just the burns on her skin but also her eyes seared by scorching heat!

She must have suffered so much!

When morning came, Natalie felt a familiar presence. Perhaps due to her fading vision, her sensitivity to this presence became even sharper.

And so, a heavy feeling settled deep within her heart.

Lydia heard the commotion and entered. "Miss, you're awake." "You've been standing by the door?" "Yes, Xyla and I took turns keeping watch." "There's really no need to be so tense. I'm fine!" Natalie reached out to grab the glass of water on the bedside table. However, as she extended her hand, the shadows seemed to blur. It caused her to knock over the glass, spilling water everywhere.

Natalie and Lydia were silent, and the air turned tense instantly!

“Miss!” Lydia was the first to react, rushing over to check on Natalie, her eyes filled with concern and anxiety.

Caught off guard by Lydia’s exclamation, Natalie finally came back to her senses.

Were her eyes really in such a dire state as the doctor had warned?!

Lydia reassured her, “It’s alright. I’ll clean it up immediately.” It felt as if something had engulfed Natalie’s entire world at that moment

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 547-The Rapid Decline Lydia quickly tidied up the mess However, the cold water in Natalie’s palm served as a chilling reminder that her vision was deteriorating rapidly!

It was possible that, at any moment, she might lose her sight altogether.

A sense of panic surged from deep within her.

Throughout her morning routine, from changing clothes to getting ready, Lydia and Xyla assisted her.

Natalie noticed that she could discern brighter colors more clearly from her wardrobe. Everything else seemed to blend into a gloomy haze. – At breakfast, Lydia carefully placed a bowl of soup in front of Natalie and cautioned, “Miss, be careful. It’s hot.” Lydia didn’t only caution Natalie. As Natalie reached for a spoon, Lydia promptly handed it over.

“Thank you,” Natalie responded calmly.

But beneath that calm exterior, a storm raged within her.

After a while, Heather called.

Natalie answered, “Mom.” “Why didn’t you join us for breakfast?” “I woke up late. You guys should go ahead.” “You should come home in the morning to spend time with Luna. Since you’re in Simeria, she’ll be upset if you don’t come here.” “Okay, I got it.” When Luna’s name was mentioned, Natalie felt a suffocating tightness in her chest.

Luna...!

This moment intensified Natalie’s resolve: she needed surgery, no matter the cost.

After ending the call, Natalie’s world felt heavy again. She pondered her fortune in having a brother like Clyde in her life.

What would Heather and Stephen do if they had only had Natalie to rely on?

With mixed feelings of relief and burden, Natalie was driven back to the Lotus Villa after breakfast by her driver.

Heather remarked, "What are you up to anyway? Staying home here would be so much better." "Mom, I need my own space," Natalie replied.

"Yes, of course. I understand the need for personal space. But..." Heather's voice trailed off, heavy with concern.

She knew Natalie only wanted to shield them from worry, but seeing her like this only heightened Heather's own anxieties.

Once they were seated, Heather couldn't hold back any longer.

"Natalie, did something irritate your eyes recently?" She remembered how stable Natalie's vision had been, but now it seemed to be deteriorating rapidly. Heather and Stephen couldn't help but wonder where Natalie had been.

They also believed that Natalie should wear her specialized glasses in bright and intense light. Heather suspected that perhaps during Natalie's recent visit to Wexford, they hadn't taken proper care of her.

Natalie responded, "I did visit Mount Elven recently." "M-Mount Elven?!" Heather's voice rose in alarm upon hearing the destination. Suddenly, she jumped up, her voice tinged with panic.

"Have you lost your mind? Haven't you heard of snow blindness? Even those with normal vision can't endure it. Why would you..." / The more Heather spoke, the more furious she became!

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 548-Once Trusted Natalie hadn't initially considered the issue, but with her vision deteriorating rapidly after her trip to Mounta Elven, it was hard to ignore the connection.

"You can't even handle bright lights. How could you...?" Heather was genuinely alarmed. Now, no matter where Natalie wished to go, Heather would likely object, given the harm certain places posed to her eyes.

"It's not a big deal, Mom," Natalie tried to reassure.

"Quiet!" Heather's frustration was palpable, her head throbbing with anger.

"I genuinely forgot," Natalie admitted.

She had indeed forgotten the warnings from her doctor. Since she seldom visited snowy regions, the advice slipped her mind over time.

She hadn't anticipated such severe consequences this time around.

"You forgot?! The price of forgetting is getting plunged into darkness! Don't you
"Heather's tone was more than just pained. understand?"

It was frantic!

Feeling the urgency in Heather's voice, Natalie's anxiety spiked. "Mom, I'm sorry!" "I don't want your apologies! I want you to be okay. Can't you see?" It was the eternal sentiment of a mother, always wishing the best for her child.

Natalie felt a warmth in her heart. She wrapped her arms around Heather's slender waist. Even with age, Heather remained delicate and slim!

"Don't be angry, okay? I promise I'll have the surgery," Natalie whispered.

"Nat..." "Mom, please don't worry," Natalie was enveloped in Heather's embrace and felt like a vulnerable child.

Heather trembled. She gently stroked Natalie's soft hair and murmured, "You finally...!"
"But..." Natalie interrupted before Heather could finish.

"What?" Heather responded.

Evidently, Heather would consent to anything if it meant Natalie would undergo the surgery.

The surgery was of paramount importance to Natalie. Taking a deep breath, she said, "I won't
"Alright," Heather nodded in agreement.

She would naturally consent to such terms. Heather knew all too well how Cedric had once prioritized saving Isabella's eyes, even at Natalie's expense.

That was why Natalie didn't want to hurt anyone with her decision.

She couldn't bear the thought of harming another for her benefit.

"I'll agree to that," Heather assured, her voice firm.

Undoubtedly, upon hearing Natalie's willingness to undergo the surgery, a weight lifted off Heather's heart.

Yet, her expression soon turned serious as she asked, "Was it Irwin who forcibly took you to Mount Elven?" Natalie remained silent.

Irwin?!

When Casey discovered information about Blair, Irwin immediately took Natalie to Mount Elven. At the time, she was preoccupied with confronting Irwin and had completely forgotten the essential details, including the doctor's warnings.

Reflecting on it now...!

Natalie nodded.

The atmosphere instantly chilled, a palpable cold emanating from Heather. It was evident just how infuriated and desperate Heather felt regarding Irwin's actions!

Irwin...!

He had once been considered trustworthy by the Jarvis family, even a close friend to Stephen.

But now, considering the events between him and Natalie... That was the fundamental reason why Heather would never forgive him!

A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 549-Luna's Fear of Cedric Heather wouldn't allow Natalie to step out of Lotus Villa, not even to return to Hillside Villa.

Resignedly, Natalie had no choice but to stay put.

Inside the study, Stephen glanced at Natalie.

"Your eyesight has truly reached..." Stephen trailed off, and the anguish within his tone was palpable to Natalie.

"Dad!" Natalie interrupted.

"It's better to have the surgery sooner. It'll also ease your mother's worries." "But I..." "Don't worry. We'll arrange for the best surgeons for you." Stephen seemed to understand Natalie's concerns and tried to reassure her.

In reality, both Stephen and Heather were anxious, especially fearing the possibility of the surgery failing.

Hence, they were extra cautious in making arrangements.

"Dad," Natalie began hesitantly.

“Yes?” “I—I’m... genuinely scared...” Natalie had always been concerned about how Stephen and others worried for her. Yet now, at this critical juncture, she couldn’t help but show her genuine fear to her family.

She was truly terrified!

The feeling of darkness was something she never wanted to experience again. She had always protected her eyesight, but things had spiraled to this point despite her efforts.

Did she feel suffocated?

Absolutely.

In her past life, when she opened her eyes, all she encountered was darkness. That moment drove her to madness, instilling profound fear and panic within her.

Yet afterward, she mostly worked on adapting to that darkness.

But this life was different!

The descent into darkness was gradual, making it all the more unbearable for her.

“Don’t be afraid. We’ll all be by your side.” “Okay,” Natalie responded softly, lowering her head as tears trickled down.

Yes, it was different this time.

Even if she couldn’t escape the fate of her past life, at least her family was with her.

It was unlike before when Cedric was the only person she had amidst the darkness. At that time, he was also the man she desperately wanted to distance herself from.

After speaking with Stephen, Natalie spent the morning trying her best to stay close to Luna.

However, this kind of company was painful for her.

She realized that everything else was too blurry apart from the bright red bow atop her daughter’s head.

Even her daughter’s face appeared indistinct.

Previously, Natalie could barely manage to drive herself around. Now, not only was driving out of the question, but she also struggled to see the dashboard clearly.

The thought of navigating roads was even more daunting...!

“Mommy, would you eat this?” Luna’s voice was soft and gentle as she handed something over. The texture was sticky, and Natalie didn’t know what it was.

Natalie reached out based on the shadow. “Thank you.” She tasted it only to discover it was ice cream.

Passing it back to her daughter, she said, “Mommy doesn’t want it. You shouldn’t have too much either.” Since her eyesight deteriorated, Natalie had become particularly cautious about her diet, avoiding spicy and cold foods.

“Mommy.” “Yes?” “Can we go skateboarding?” Luna’s words grew more understandable lately.

Natalie’s heart softened. “Sure.” She got up, allowing herself to be led by her child. Activities like skateboarding were something all children loved to do. She recalled her own childhood days when she loved “Money, come quickly?” Her Angbow factumest, wing her furate, hatufis fuibond Teas However, force unkansen, she stovekdaj čipke to see clearly, the very bangs and wd boward monday novelbin “Mommy, come quickly!” Her daughter beckoned, waving her hands. Natalie followed her shadow.

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A Divorce After My Rebirth Chapter 550-A Bad Guy Natalie felt her heart leap into her throat, thinking she was about to tumble. Then, a sudden force gripped her waist, and a familiar touch enveloped her.

The moment she steadied herself, she pushed him away without even needing to think... Obviously, it was Cedric!

He was the man she least wanted to encounter.

“Waaah! Waaah!” Luna cried out from a short distance away.

Upon hearing her child’s cries, Natalie’s initial cold demeanor melted away, and she seemed disoriented.

“Luna, it’s okay!” Rushing to her daughter, Natalie enveloped her in a comforting embrace. “Mommy, I’m scared!” “Don’t be afraid. Mommy’s here.” “There’s a bad guy... A bad guy!” Luna’s fear stemmed from seeing Cedric. Observing the mother and daughter embrace from a distance, especially hearing the child’s description of him, filled Cedric with a bitter taste.

A bad guy—that was how he was remembered in Luna’s eyes.

Yes, that was the memory he left behind for her.

“Yes, he’s a bad man. Don’t be afraid. Mommy’s here,” With Natalie around, no one would hurt Luna!

She was determined to protect her daughter from anyone who wanted to harm her!

Cedric watched them from a distance, feeling as if his heart was being ruthlessly torn. He felt suffocated by the pain.

When they heard the commotion, Agnes and the servants rushed over. Their hearts pounded fast upon seeing Cedric.

Heather and Stephen had also rushed out..

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"Are you okay, Nat?" Heather crouched down, taking Luna from Natalie's arms.

Natalie shook her head weakly, "I'm fine." "I'm fine!" Natalie claimed.

But internally, her emotions were in turmoil.

She had sent the Schneider family in Cedric's way primarily to ensure that he would never find peace again. Her intent was to keep Cedric away from her life forever.

So, she hadn't anticipated seeing him here!

Without even asking, Natalie knew the situation back in Wexford. Amidst the chaos, Cedric's sudden appearance only intensified the tension!

"Come with me," Heather commanded, clutching Luna tightly with one arm while pulling Natalie along with the other.

In that moment, Heather embodied the fierce protectiveness of a mother and grandmother combined.

She wanted no possibility of further interaction between Natalie and Cedric. Heather could never forgive Cedric for the state Natalie was now in!

Taking hold of both Natalie and Luna, Heather moved swiftly. Her defensive stance against Cedric looked as if she were guarding against a thief.

After they left, only Stephen and Cedric remained.

Stephen met Cedric's gaze, his expression less than welcoming. "I thought you'd be entirely occupied over in Wexford by now."

