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Chapter 46 Can There Be a Future for Them

"My dear Serena, my precious granddaughter-in-law!"

The moment Martha heard from the **maid** that Serena had woken up, she rushed to her room without delay.

Serena had just finished her chicken noodle soup, and her cheeks carried a faint flush of warmth. Her complexion looked much better.

Seeing Martha, she smiled softly and called out, "Grandma

Martha strode to the bedside, unceremoniously pushing Harrison aside before settling h erself down at the edge of the bed. She grasped Serena's delicate hands tightly in her o wn. Harrison was speechless at that moment

Martha's kind eyes brimmed with concern. "**Serma**, how are you feeling now? Has your lever completely gone? Do you still feel unwell anywhere?"

Serena took her head gently and replied, "Grandma, I'm fine now. I just had some chick en noodle soup, and I'm feeling much better."

Hearing this, Martha finally exhaled in rele

"That's good, that's good." Her gaze was filled with affection and care. "You have no ide a how frightened i was this morning when I saw you burning up with fever."

"Grandma, I'm sorry for making you worry," Serena said, her tone carrying a hint of gulle .

Martha patted the back of her hand and scolded lightly, "Silly one, what's there to apolo gize for? As long as you're healthy, that's all that matters."

With that, she shifted her gaze and cast a look of displeasure at Harrison before turning back to Serena with a warm smile, "Don't worry, Serena. I've already given Harrison a proper scolding on your behalf."

Serena lined her eyes slightly and met Harrison's gaze. She spoke up, intending to smo oth things over. "Grandma, it's not entirely Harrison's fault."

"How is it not?" Martha retorted. "The first time he brings you back to our manor, **he** talls to take care of you properly, and you end up sick. That's on him."

Her tone carried a trace of reproach, her dissatisfaction with the situation still lingering

Harrison stood silently beside them. He didn't argue or offer any excuses. After all, be k new he hadn't done enough

Once she was done scolding Harrison, Martha sighed and added, "But at least he's been tending to you all morning, so I suppose that makes up for it"

Just then, Marcus suddenly dashed in from **outside**. Like a guilty child, he stood stiffly a t the **foot** of the bed with his head lowered as he called out hesitantly, "Aunt Serena" The moment Martha sew him, she turned her displeasure toward him as well

"And **you!**" she snapped, her voice full of reprimand. "**You and** that scheming fance of y ours dared to plot against my granddaughter—in— law right under my nose during a Spencer family dinner, no less. A woman like her has no place in this family.

"your mother visited me once and confided that she never liked Lydia she was strongly against you being with that woman, but you refused to listen. I had interfering in your pe rsonal affairs, but that woman not only bullied **Serena** in the past, she even tried to har m her last night. That, I will not overlook." Marcus stood there with his head bowed, talding in her scolding without a single word of **rebuttal** 

Martha carried on, each sentence carrying undeniable authority.

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"Even though our side of the family never got along with your great—grandfather's and grandfather's generation, things have improved significantly with your rather's meration. Our families are much closer now

ship with this family, then you'll deal with

From the time you were a child, neither I not your Uncle Harrison have ever treated you unfairly. If you wish to maintain your relationship your fiancée accordingly.

ep foot in Spencer Manor, attend any family events, or appear

"If you **insist** on being with her, then that's your choice. However, **from** this day forward, she's not allowed to step front of my granddaughter—in—Low."

Having said her piece, Martha rast **a** cool glance at Marcus

"How you handle this is up to you."

This time, Marcus didn't hesitate for bog

"Great-

Grandma Martha, Uncle Harrison, Aunt Serena. He led his head, his voice stealy with c onviction. "I was blind before, failed to see Lydia for who she truly is. But now

His gaze was resolute as be continued, "I've already called off the engagement and cut all ties with her. There'll be no **more** contact between us in the future."

Hearing this, Martha's lips curved into a satisfied smile. "Good"

Harmon, on the other hand, merely **cast a** cold glance at Marcus and said indifferently, "Serena needs to **rest** Leave."

hob, alright. I'll get going now, Marcus said obediently before leasing, he said to **Serena**, "Aunt Serena, please rest well. Wishing you a speedy recovery,"

Serena forced a small smile, though the tide "Aunt Serena" will felt strange to her ears.

Alter he left, Serena finallysaid, "Actually, I wasn't Marcus's faulty and i have had issues **for** a long time. I just never expected her to-

"Serena," Martha interrupted her, her voke finn yet gentle

"Remember this, in the Spencer anally, you never have to tolerate inistration or compromise **yourself**"

Hearing those words, a warm feeling spiral through Serena's chest. What should she do? She was begining torrave this sense of protection. But a year from now, when her con tract with Harrison **ended**, would there still be a futute for the

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Chapter 47 Joining Forces Against Het

Earrived at Bayshore Brews earlier than planned She chose a window seat and endered a cup of lattenbitte wallingt

Naomi, as usual, arrived

late. She took off her sunglasses and carelessly tossed them onto the table before sitting ar pass from Fyha Her fore carried an unmistakable arrogance." You called me out of nowhere. What do you want?

"I ran into Serena Last night," Lvdu replied.

Naomi scoffed, her voice laced with disdain. "Why bring up that bitch for no reason?

Lydia adly stirred her latte, a teasing smirk playing at her lips. "Guess where I saw Sere na?

Naomi's patience thinned, irritation flashing in her eyes. "Il you have something to say, j ust say it. I don't have time for your rat

Seeing Naomi's growing impatience, Lydia dropped the pretense and get straight to the point. "Your dear cousin Serenalias landed herself quite the golden perch She's now Mrs. Spencer, the wide of Harrison Spencer—the head of the Spencer family."

At those words, Naomi's expression immediately darkened, her brows, knitting together in a deep frown. "Harrison Spencer? That Harrison Spot? That nudless, cold—blooded Harison of the Spencer family

Lydia nodded, amusement flickering in her gaze. "So, you didn't know"

Watching Naomi's Lace twist with resentment, Lydia found the situation increasingly ent ertaining.

A storm of jealousy ignited in Naomi's chest Her fists clenched so tightly that her long n ails nearly dug into her palmy.

"That bitch!" Naomi gritted her teeth. "No wonder she's been acting so arrogant lately as it she **has** nothing to fear. She even dares to go against us so openly. It is out she has Harrison Spencer backing her up!" Her voice dripped with unch ecked hatred and jealousy.

Lydia chuckled lightly "Naturally He protects her fiercely and won't let anyone lay a finge r on her."

Then, she shared the events of Last night, strategically leaving out certain details to paint herself as the victim.

"My fiance's aunt only meant to teach Setena a small lesson, yet Harrison went **berserk**. To avenge her, he completely broke that woman's spin. By the time she got home, she had collapsed from the stress and **hasn't** recovered since"

Hearing this, Naomi's jealousy flared to its peak. Her teeth ground together audibly. "Why? What does **she** have that deserves such favor from Harrison

"Who knows what kind of tricks she used to seduce him? Lydiasered. Then, she set do wn her spoon and elegantly picked up her coffee cup. "Then, who has abans been Indiff erent to women, now acts like a tool for her. It's utterly disgraceful"

The rage in Naomi's eyes gradually sharpened into something more calculating. Her ga ze locked onto Lydia with scrutiny and curiosity. "You dragged me out here just to tell me

Lydia let out a small Laugh, setting her coffee cup back on the table "Not just that."

Naomi raised a brow."oh"""

want to join forces with you to bring Serena down." The instant the words left Lydia's lip s, her eyes gleaned with undisguised malice "she ruined my engagement and humiliate d me in front of the Spencer family. It she won't let me have peace, then I won't let her h ave t

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e it either," she continued, he voice low and

"She relies on her beauty to seduce men. Fine. Then let's ruin her. I refuse to believe th at once she's tainted, Harrison will still hold her in such high repand" Aslow, sinister smi le curved Naomi's lips. "So, you already have a plan."

"Of course 1 wouldn't have asked to meet you otherwise."

Naomi tilted her head slightly, her tone a mix of amusement and wary. "And you're not a fraid of Harrison findingout andreissing after you?

Lydia lowered her gaze and smiled, **a sly** glint kering in her eyes. "Between you and Ser ena, you're far more beautiful. If you were the one to catch hisee, well Her words dangle d in the air, full of implications.

A spark of intrigue ignited in Naomi's heart. Yes, Il Serena could seduce Harrison, then why couldn't she?

### **she** could truly win

his favor, then one day, she could crush Serena beneath her feet. She'd be humiliated by her and beat her mercy

At that thought, Naomi's **lips** curled **into a** slow, knowing smile. She lifted her coffee cup gracefully and clinked in lightly agad Lyslia a. "Veywell Let's work together." Lydia rais ed her own cup in response, her smile equally wicked. "To a traful partarnship!"

## Accidentally Yours Chapter 48 –

Chapter 48 Determined to Win

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Naomi storied into the Linden residence, her temper flaring uncontrollably.

Upstairs, Helena, who had been longing with a plush Ragdollcat in her arms, heard the commotion. She descended the staircase with unhurried steps, her curiosity piqued.

The living room was a disaster with scattered cushions and merturned decorations, evid ence of Naomi's unchecked rage.

Helenafrowned, concern and conbasion flickering in her eyes.

"My dear, what's gotten into you?"

Hearing Helena's voice, Naomi forced herself to calm down. She ran a **hand** through he r tousled hair before folding her arms across her chest and sinking onto the couch. "Mo m, do you know who the man supporting Serena is?

Helena walked over, her tone indifferent, "Who?

"It's Harrison Spencer!" Naomi practically spat his name through gritted teeth. "The man who rules Southport with an iron fist–the ruthless Harrison Spencer!"

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mention of his name, Helena's expression stiffened, shock flashing across her face. "W hat did you just say?"

"I said, that bitch, Serena, is being kept by Harrison."

Helena slowly settled beside Naomi, falling into momentary silence **before** mering in dis belief, "How on earth did Serena get involved with Harrison?"

"How the hell should I know? **Naomi** snapped. Just the thought of Serena securing such a powerful man made Naomi's blood boil with jealousy.

"That worthless wretch! What gives her the right?" she was seething. "She's a parentles s, insignificant orphan. How dare she be favored by a man like Harrison?" Her voi tremb led with resentment.

"And that old bastard! Even in death, he only cared about her! His will is filled with ridicul ous clauses, all designed to protect her she sneered bitterly.

"And me? No matter how hard I tried to please him, Vincent never even acknowledged my existence. Just because we're not his real bloodline?

"Shhh!" Helena's voice cut through Naomi's tirade, sharp and warming. "The will hasn't been publicly disclosed yet. If Serena or Linden Group's board members discover that we arent truly of his bloodline, ir be impossible for us to inherit the family fortune."

Naomi clenched her teeth, frustration twisting her features.

"I refuse to accept this!"

Helena sighed, her hand resting lightly on Naomi's shoulder, patting it in a soothing gest ure. "Enough. He's just a man. If you **don't** like it, then take him from her."

She smiled slyly, her voice dripping with confidence. "If Serena—a nobody—can capture Harrison's attention, then with your beauty, why should you lose to her?"

A glimmer of confidence reignited in Naomi's eyes. She lifted her chin, and her usual arr ogance returned, replacing the initial outrage with cool determination. "You're right, Mo m. I'll take Harrison Spencer from Serena!"

A pleased smile spread across Helena's face, admiration **flashing** in her gaze. "That's my **daughter**. You have ambition."

Naomi's lips curled into **a** slow smirk, **her** voice filled with certainty. "Harrison Spencer—I will have him "

Helena **nodded** approvingly. "**Good**. Once you win over Harrison, we'll secure the Lind en family and control Linden Group entirely. After that, Serena will be nothing but a paw n in **our** hands"

Helena and Naomi exchanged knowing smiles, the amusement laced with unhidden arr ogance.

malice as she whispered, "Serena, you'l

### **Just** the thought of Serena

seduced to a tripless, groveling Liguresent a wave of satisfaction through Naomi. Her ey es darkened with malice a nevt escape our grasp

A moment later, Naomi's phone vibrated. It was a message from Lydia.

"Harrison has a dinner meeting at Wells Grand Hotel at 8:00 pm the day after tomorrow. This is your best chance. Make the most of IL"

After reading the **message**, **Nand** raised an eyebrow slightly and replied to Lydia with just two words, "Don't worry."

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### Chapter 49 Real Feelings

**Marcus** sat alone in a booth at Twilight Spirits Bar, idly swirling the amber liquid in his gl ass. The dim lights reflected off the whiskey, casting a golden shimmer. The Evely chatt er and music around him contrasted starkly with his silence.

Several women had approached him throughout the night, but his cold and indifferent d emeanor quickly drove them away.

Nathan strolled in and immediately spotted Marcus. He smirked, casually draping an ar m over his shoulder before sliding into the seat beside him

"Drinking alone? That's usual," he trased. "Where's Lydia? How come she's not clinging to you tonight?

Marcus didn't react much and simply shrugged. "I broke up with her."

"You broke up?" Nathan raised an eyebrow, clearly surprised. "Weren't you two already preparing for the wedding? What happened?

Marcus didn't respond immediately. Instead, he lifted his glass and downed the remaining whiskey in one gulp.

Nathan studied his face briefly before switching topics. "By the way, did you meet Harris on's wile at the family dinner last night? What's she like? Some rich here?—

Marcus set down his empty glass and lazily reached into his pocket, pulling out his phon e. He tapped on a ploto he had secretly taken at Spencer Manor and handed the phone to

#### Nathan

"Here. That's Uncle Harrison's wife-Serena Linden."

"Serena Länder." Nathan repeated the name under his breath while taking the phone from Marcus' hand. As his gaze i with a hint of intrigue and amusement

landed on the photo, the smile on his lips deepened, laced

"Well, damn! She's absolutely stunning. No wonder Harrison has been keeping her und er wraps all this time—

he doesn't want to share." Marcus chuckled and said, "Exactly. Uncle Spencer is extrem ely protective. Last night, he was furious over what happened with Aunt Serena" Nathan 's curiosity **was** piqued. With an eager expression, he asked, "Come on, tell me what ex actly happened at Spencer Manor last night?" Marcus them recounted the events of the previous night at Spencer Manor, narrating them like a storyteller,

After listening, Nathan smacked his lips and sighed. Looks like Harrison is truly in deep t his time,"

Then, he turned to Marcus with a knowing look, his tone carrying a hint of reassurance, "But honestly, it's for the best that you broke off the engagement with Lydia, **Saves** you the trouble of her doing something stupid in the future and dragging you down

moved slightly, and aflicker of hesitation remained in **his** eyes.

"She should've thought things through," Nathan scolded from the side, his voice full of di sdain. "The fact that Harrison brought his wife back to the manor shows how much shir means to him. And yet, Lydia still had the audacity to provoke her?"

Marrs let out a light sigh and slowly said, "The main reason is that Lydia has done some things to Aunt Serena in the past"

"That's all the more reason to cut ties," Nathan said decisively. "Even if last night's mess hadn't happened, there would've been conflicts down the line anyway. What would you do when the time me?

Then, he **hit** Marcus with the ultimate question "Will you really go head—to—head with Harrison for Lydia?

The words made Marcus's expression shill instantly

A vivid image of Harrison's fury flashed through his mind, and just one thought of it sent a shiver down his spine. He shook his head sharply, his voice carrying a that day ever c ame, I probably wouldn't even know what hit me.

Nathan chuckled "Alright, stop thinking about your ex How about 1 introduce you to a fe w beautiful **ladies** later?"

Marcus shook his head again, rejecting the offer outright. "If my mom found out, she'd b reak my legs."

"Tak, boring" Nathan leaned back lazily, crossing one leg over the other with **a** carefree air.

Marcus tilted his **head**, studying him with acious gase **before** asking, "Mr. Fowler, have you, **as a** self—

proclaimed playboy, really **about** settling down with someone you actually

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never fallen for anyone? You've **never** thought

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way he was addressed, a flash of annoyance crossed Nathan's eyes. "How many times do I have to tell you? Stop calling me that. It makes me sound old. I'm not that much uld er than **you** 

Marcus shrugged, completely unfazed "Can't **do** that or it mess up the hierarchy"

Bathan was speechless

Marcon alerted the conversation back on track and pressed on "Seriously, though, have you never met someone who could make you willingly settle down and spend the rest of **your** life with her?"

caliswed rame without the slightest hesitation.

He added, "Men like pur a' sued for marriage. Even if ever **do** get itled, it'll only be because my father **forced** me into **1**.

"Ain't you worried "As he **spoke**, Marcus suddenly played downward right at Nathan's lower halt before trailing off.

Nathan Howard, confused "Worried about what?"

Marcus cleared bis diurnal berboge finally voking the rest of his thought, "Worded about catchling something?

As soon as the words left his mouth, Nathan kicked him lightly screw you. You're the on e who's gonna catch ammething."

Marcus curled his lips slightly, lowering his voice just rough so that Nathian could will him clearly. "I was just being considerate and reminding you."

Nathan insried. "I don't sleep with theris How would catch anything h

"Then you"

"H's all just for show."

# **Accidentally Yours Chapter 50 –**

Chapter 50 A Final Struggle

"Marcus " A sudden voice cut in at an inopportune moment, interrupting Marcus and Nathan's conversation.

Both men barned their heads simultaneously, and Lydia's figureentered their view

Nathan was the first to withdraw his gaze. He then glanced at Marcus with a look full of unspoken meaning

Marcus frowned upon seeing Lydia approach, making it clear he had no intention of eng aging with her.

However, Lydia remained undeterred. She shamelessly walked over and sat down besi de him as if it were the most natural thing in the world. "Marcus, why did you block my n umber?" she asked softly, her voice carrying a tinge of grievance

Marcus kept his eyes fixed straight ahead, unwilling to spare her even a glance.

"I already made things very clear over the phone this attemoon," he said coldly. "Since we've broken up, there's no reason to keep in contact." Unwilling to give up, Lydia clung to his arm, her gaze filled with desperation and humility as she made one last attempt to salvage things. "Marcus, I really know I was wrong. I shouldn't have harbored such malicious thoughts or targeted Serena Can't you forgive me past this once?

Seeing his expression remain ky and unmoved, she added more sincerity to her plea. "I swear, from now on, I'll listen to you. I won't provoke Serena anymore, and I won't **ca use** you any trouble."

However, Marcus" face remained devoid of emotion. Instead, he coldly shook off her hand.

"There's nothing more to say," **he** stated decisively. "There's no future between us, so stop pestering me.

Seeing his firm stance, Lydia's eyes instantly turned red, and silent tears began rolling d own her cheeks.

Choking up, she said, "Our wedding is in just two months. The news has already spread . Now, you're suddenly canceling everything. What am I supposed to do?"

Looking at her pitiful act, Marcus **suddenly** felt a wave of disgust. He had truly been blin d before. How could he have ever liked a woman like Lydia, let alone considered marrying ber? If they had actually gotten married, his life would've been a living **hell** 

In hindsight, he should be grateful—grateful that he saw her true colors before it was too late.

"What should you do? Marcus let out a mocking chuckle. "Either cancel it or find a new **aroom**. Your choice."

"But no matter what you choose, it has nothing to do with me or the Spencer family" His gaze remained indifferent, and his tone was completely detached.

Lydia was furious yet unwilling to accept defect. She immediately tried another approach, playing the emotional card. "We've been together for two years. Do these two years of feelings mean nothing to you?"

"If Itly didn't care, do you think you'd still be standing here unharmed after what you didgiven my Uncle Harrison's method?—

Marcus" words left Lydia momentarily speechless. He continued, "Lydia, did you really think I didn't know about all the things **you've** done in the past?"

Hearing this, Lydia's heart skipped a beat. "What are you talking about? I don't **underst** and" Her voice trembled slightly, tinged with both confusion and panic.

Marcus" gaze bore into her, his tone ice—cold as he issued one final warning "If you want to retain even **a** shred of dignity, then st op clinging to me. And don't provoke people you shouldn't be messing with "

with that, he stood up, turned to Nathan, and gave him a slight nod. "Mr. Fowler, I'm heading out"

Nathan, who had been watching the drama unfold with amusement, nodded in response .

Without the slightest hesitation, Marcus strode away, leaving Lydia behind.

Watching him walk off so decisively, Lydia clenched her hands tightly in the shadows, h er knuckles turning white from the force.

Once Marcus lett, Nathan also stood up, ready to leave.

Sering this, Lydia quickly hatched a new plan. She followed suit, rising from her seat wit h a delicate and pitiful expression as she **parted her** lips hesitatingly. "Mr. Fowler, could

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Nathan saw right through her intentions and cut her off before she could even finish her sentence. His indifferent **gaze** swept over her before a look of utter disdain appeared on his face. "I may be a flirt, but that doesn't mean just any wornan can catch my eye. Esp ecially someone like you.."

He suddenly passed, as if searching for the right word—something accurate yet **not too** crude. But no matter how he thought about it, he couldn 't come up with anything more fitting. After a brief silence, he spat out three words, **blun t** and cutting, "Achrap whore."

Wch that, he turned and walked away, leaving **behind** only the sight of his proud and un touchable figure

Lydia's face formed an ugly shade of green from humiliation. Her teeth clenched so tight ly that they **made** an audible grinding sound.

\*Serra Linden, this is all because of you! just wait! I'll make you pay!"