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“If it wasn’t for you, how would it be possible for them to show up just in time? Stop quibbling, you’re the

us what to do. Actually, we’ve been watching you for a very long time. You’re just too egotistical and didn’t notice,” the officer

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that all of the investment funds will not be used for stock speculation, so it means you’ve made a promise to your investors. Hence, this is illegal. A lot of people have reported you,

Jasper is also manipulating the stock price, if you have the evidence, you can report him to us too. We’ll definitely enforce the law

me! Everyone

because he remembered that Jasper had never admitted to

if he was watching the final outburst of a

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"Mr. Laine, Hugh is emphatic and domineering, so we all had sorrows that we couldn't voice out. Now that the villain has got his punishment, we'll definitely be well-behaved."

Someone stood up and said with a grin.

His words got the approval of a lot of people.

Jasper did not want to bother himself with whether this man was being sincere or not.

The pond of this city was too small to accommodate his growth and development.

These people would be destined to live in a different world than him in the future.

"Go now."

Jasper waved his hand and left the room with John.

At the hotel lobby, Jasper asked John, "Do you need me to find someone to ask about your loan kerfuffle?"

John said quickly, "No need. It was difficult back then because Hugh was watching me. Now that he's been defeated, I have a great chance to get away with this. I've been working in this industry for so many years and there will be some older higher-ups who appreciate me. Plus, this was a trap, after all."

After this was settled, John felt like he owed Jasper a big one. He did not have the cheek to trouble Jasper anymore.

However, he was fearful in secret, because he could sense from Jasper's tone that it would be effortless for him to take care of this.

John felt that this was outrageous. When did Jasper get to such a high level?

Jasper nodded. From the memories of his past life, John was able to make his way to the second-in-command position of the provincial branch before retiring with honor and glory. It was enough to prove that he had something in him.

"Mr. Laine, I don't know how can I thank you for this. Perhaps you might not need me anymore in the future, but if you do, just tell me and I won't hesitate to go through water and tread on fire for you!" John said sincerely.

Jasper laughed and said, "I didn't help you just to have you make it up to me in the future. I just feel that you were only implicated in this because of me."

things. I now know that I can't depend on the brothers I drink together with when friend indeed," said Jasper

Jasper, they

asked the moment she

the province this entire time and had a lot of things going on in the

leave Wendy alone in the office while you come back alone?" Sally was

son," said Jasper

you. I wanted to have a daughter back then but you Laines have a feudal way of

down on the sofa and saw a few pieces of crumpled-up tissue paper on the coffee table. He asked in astonishment,

She said with a miserable look on her face, "Rose

Who's

to mentally search for this person's information among the family and friends who were close to his

"Her!"

sighed. "She was such a wonderful person. Your father and I loved her skits. Aside from Mr. Roberts' skits, hers were

Peters who was beloved by everyone

voice

entertainment channel, Rose's death as an artist was still being broadcasted on

around Sally's age would know

her." Jasper did not know whether

was not related to them at all, so why would his mother cry so sadly

a star. Look at those young people on

them so much and call yourself groupies. I think you people need to

and said, "Mom, you're outdated. Just you wait, in the next few years, those are the ones who are

said that, Jasper fell

economic development, everyone's living standards will increase and showbiz would welcome its boom before truly

the end of 2020, any of those celebrities
to fame in late 2020 were probably

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“Are you planning to advance into the entertainment industry?” Wendy asked as she was sharp and could sense Jasper’s intention.

As for the last sentence, Wendy ignored it automatically. She was used to this guy spewing nonsense occasionally, so she would treat it as if she had not heard him.

“The entertainment business is full of potential,” Jasper said. When he saw Wendy trying to say something but stopping herself, he asked, “You don’t agree with me?”

Wendy sat down and said, “No, I’ll always support your decisions. However, I’m just worried that we have too much on our plate. On one hand, JW Capital is doing investment, and on the other hand, we’re doing real estate too. Would it be a little too much if we venture into the entertainment industry as well?”

Wendy’s concern was reasonable. Some of the companies that were flourishing in one industry would be unable to recover after a minor hitch when they went onto the so-called path of diversification.

An example in another country would be the beverage company that was considered the brand of the people. They did not focus on making beverages, but instead, they went on to dabble in real estate and supplements. In the end, their losses almost caused the company to close down.

Within the country, it would be Schuler Group. An old fox like Dawson had almost jumped off a building because he went into the capitalist domain with his initiative after being deceived by the Hanks.

Wendy’s concerns were not completely

always be in the finance industry, and our main

your father will be

City. It’s the same concept. I can’t manage the company

what Jasper said. She asked, “Are you

smiled and pinched the bridge of Wendy’s nose. He

company’s system is too

a multi-industry development, the framework for a corporation is

planning to cast my net for now. In the future, when the companies from

with the holding corporation and each of the subsidiary companies will from outside the industry will need to lead the people from inside the industry. Plus, we won't have the possibility of failing to have a

Jasper looked at Wendy and smiled softly. "Let me test you, suppressed her excitement and said, "Financial right, financial groups." Jasper

only way is to create a true financial group and use it to own a controlling number of shares of the headquarters of different industries. That is the true

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"I'll definitely let a professional be the one to manage the overall system. However, aside from my parents and you, I won't trust anyone to be in charge of the finances."

Wendy grunted softly. She was enjoying the fact that Jasper was trusting her as much as he trusted his parents, but instead, she said, "I'll steal all of your money when you're not watching!"

"Whatever is mine belongs to you too," Jasper said with a smile.

A faint red tinge appeared on Wendy's face.

"Wendy, come, I've made chicken soup for you. Drink it while it's hot. They brought me an old hen from the hometown and it's good for you."

At this moment, Sally walked over with a bowl of soup.

Wendy quickly went over to take it from her.

"Thank you, Sally," Wendy said sweetly.

passed away when she was young, so she and Dawson had

like she was a treasure, he was still a man and was always busy with work. Aside from materialistic things, it could be said that he was unable to give Wendy the care she needed in

feel the motherly love she had lost for so many years from Sally. Naturally, she was very

was beaming with joy as she said warmly, "Just tell me anything you want to eat in the future. Don't trouble

"Okay."

for long hours. She felt a warm feeling flowing all

satisfaction when she saw Wendy drinking the soup. Then, she instructed Jasper, "Go, call your father over for dinner. That old man hasn't been doing anything after he came here. He's either

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later, Province International

entrusted the designers from the Province Design Institute to come up with something. I'll show you when it's

Dawson said to Jasper.

nodded and said, "No rush. Soon, the people who are constructing the Laws' amusement park will arrive. We

I'll be watching over JW Real

then," Jasper said softly to

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Wendy put her arms around Dawson's neck and said coquettishly, "Dad, you're the best."

Dawson patted the back of Wendy's hands, which were crossed in front of his body, and said, "You're my one and only daughter. Who else would I do all of this for, if not you?"

"The shares of JW Real Estates are already in your name. In the future, I'll entrust the management team of the entire real estate company to you.

"Is this appropriate though?" Wendy betrayed some hesitation.

"I'm giving it to you as a gift, so of course it's appropriate. Jasper's a smart man, he understands my intentions."

Dawson pondered for a moment, then continued, "Jasper is an outstanding young man. His future won't be limited to just this province. The entire country, or an even larger stage—that's where he should go.

"I want to seize the opportunity now to arrange a large dowry for you so that no matter where Jasper ends up in the future, you will always have sufficient authority to speak up."

Wendy frowned and said, "Dad, I haven't even thought this far ahead yet. What's more, Jasper isn't that kind of person."

"I don't think he is either," Dawson commented, smiling.

"However, given he's such an excellent young man, do you think he'd ever have a shortage of philanderers and lascivious women around him? Even if he does remain faithful to you till the end, you won't lack for rivals. The shares of the JW Estate, as well as the future Schuler Group are the bargaining chips I'm giving you.

the women who want to get close

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and no longer manages anything within the Hanks family. However, Zayden Hanks has been dispatched to Harbor City, so you need to

his eyes slightly, recalling

really did
position, he had used the last of his resources and connections to send Zayden
on Zayden to open up new prospects in
as having gained insight into the power
true that old institutions died hard. Even at this point,
many times deeper than that of the province—they were powerful enough
up within Harbor City, even if he had the capital that Sylva
the ravings of
into the air, Jasper closed his eyes and temporarily
tough battle to fight in Harbor
later, the plane eventually landed at the
going through Customs, from far

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“Please extend my gratitude to the old master on my behalf,” Jasper said sincerely to Anna.

Although it were the Laws who had asked for him, they had treated him with enough respect in all aspects regardless.

Jasper was not one to have an exaggerated opinion of his own ability. He respected Old Master Law, and his words were spoken from the heart.

“You should convey this to the old master yourself,” Anna said with a smile.

“Alright, Little Sis. You’ve picked up the man, I’m leaving now.” Henry took the opportunity to say this just as Jasper was getting into the car.

Anna furrowed her brows and said, “Grandfather wants to invite Jasper for dinner at home tonight. Where are you running off to?”

“Oh shucks, Grandfather also knows that I don’t fancy these kinds of occasions. I’ve already made plans with a friend, so I’ll be going off first.”

As Henry finished saying this, he sped off in a hurry.

Anna sighed. Turning around, she got into the car.

apologetically, “My brother, he is in

individuals from the same world. It’s not surprising that we might not have things to talk about.” Jasper actually

his group of scoundrels, who else would be of the same world as he?” said

there was a faint feminine fragrance coming from his side. This fragrance was not certainly wore perfume as not all women had a natural bodily fragrance. Like for Wendy, she did not really fancy using perfume as her body by the scent of her own body, making it even more fragrant. Even though it was not heavy, the level of its intensity was same car could first time you came to is the first time I'm in Harbor of them opened their mouths and spoke at the same time, then stopped at the same time as other, the two began laughing. The previously awkward first," and I'm not familiar with the place. I'd like to ask you to bring me around Harbor just about to say the same. I'll be your

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"Jasper, we meet again."

Zachary walked over with a loud laugh when he saw Jasper getting down from the car.

As he spoke, he smiled heartily while firmly shaking hands with Jasper and patting Jasper's shoulder with his free hand.

Jasper smiled and replied, "I'm sorry to bother you with my coming to Harbor City this time."

Zachary returned with a smile as well and said, "It's no bother. It's our responsibility to host you as the owner of this place."

With that, Zachary guided Jasper into the manor. He said as he walked, "How's the scenery of Harbor City on the way from the airport?"

Jasper thought for a moment and sincerely said, "I saw prosperity along the way. I also saw opportunities everywhere."

Zachary said meaningfully, "Young people are full of vitality. Your vision is indeed different.

"C'mon, the old master is in the backyard. I've talked to him about you and he really wants to meet you," Zachary said.

man in loose, everyday clothes wearing a straw hat. He was doing weeding

did not expect this to be how his first meeting with the corporate legend Old Master Law

in this small vegetable garden. There's nothing we can do about it, "

Law saw the two of them. Ignoring Zachary who smiled.

old master was born in 1923 and was

"There's a lack of energy to do other things when one is old, but it instead feels youngin, come

finally had the opportunity to take a

describe as ruthlessly ambitious or intractable. His whole bearing

nearly 80 years old, his gaze was not murky but full of vitality. The old master scanned Jasper from have a look. How's my vegetable garden?" the old master asked

not big, but it was obvious that

be racking their brains to think of praise and flattery regardless

head. "Old Master, you've planted them

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At this moment, Old Master Law smiled and said to Jasper, "As a matter of fact, you'll understand how to be a person after living long. The principle is the same when it comes to growing vegetables.

"From loosening the soil to sowing the seeds, fertilizing and watering, then waiting for the flowers to bloom and bear fruit; each process has to be done meticulously in its rightful order.

"Problems may occur at every stage. If the quality of the soil is not good enough, the seeds won't grow. Too much fertilizer and the roots will burn, but too little fertilizer and they will wilt. Too much water and the veggies will be waterlogged, but too little water and they will dry up. Everything has to be just right."

Jasper nodded in deep agreement. "The smallest piece of land may be no more than a few square feet, but it still possesses great wisdom."

Old Master Law said cheerfully, "I heard from Zachary that you promised to help the Law family earn back the nine billion?"

Jasper said solemnly, "I'm certain of it."

However, Old Master Law waved his hand and said, "There's no need to feel pressured. The Law family enjoys making friends, even more so with young talents like you.

"When there's a lot of money, it's just a string of numbers. The Law family is still the Law family regardless of that nine billion. You don't have to worry about it."

Jasper smiled and said, "I am, of course, impressed that Old Master Law is able to look at the bright side of things, but I plan to seize this opportunity to lay a solid foundation for myself, so I can't let it slip by."

family

Master Law." Jasper did

Law family's manor had already proven the alliance between the two

and he also

main intention when it came to helping each other

look around the Law family's manor while you wait to have

Jasper smiled

of them walked out of the vegetable garden with

garden anymore. Just

Anna

Anna's hand, then said to Zachary peevishly, "You just need to mind your business. I don't

beside Zachary and watched

foolish to think that he was just an ordinary old man because of

be the real hero of

family, the Langdon family, had encountered violent criminals kidnapping their son. However, the Law family had for many years stood firm against the wind and rain. No

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"Jasper, I heard you started an investment company in Mainland?"

After Old Master Law had gone upstairs to have a rest, Zachary took Jasper for a walk in the backyard and asked the latter casually.

Jasper was not surprised that Zachary knew about this.

After all, investigating his background would be an effortless task for the Law family and their capabilities.

"My capabilities are limited and I can't perform specific tasks, so I can only provide the money and let the professionals do what the professionals do best," Jasper smiled and said.

Zachary laughed and then said, "The lower-class work using effort, the middle-class work using talent, and the upper-class work using people."

Jasper chuckled and said, "In fact, in my opinion, this is a golden age, especially in Mainland where opportunities are everywhere. Start a little earlier and you may have some preemptive opportunities in the future."

Zachary nodded and said, "Your investment company has invested in an internet company called Terizone Inc.. You seem to be very optimistic about the internet industry?"

Jasper nodded. "The internet is the general trend of the future. This is what the generation has chosen."

Zachary did not comment on that.

Jasper knew very well that all the rich and powerful in Harbor City of today were still sticking to traditional industries apart from a few others.

It was not that traditional industries did not make money, but these people had become accustomed to cultivating deeply in the field they were good at.

They did not understand the internet, nor were they optimistic about it.

rich having limited vision was not exclusive

the stock market indeed makes people green

has some investments in Harbor City's stocks, but the current turmoil in Harbor City's stocks has been treacherous and the market is a bit unpredictable. Several recent investments have failed, and comments against the Law family from the outside world are

something about the Law family from the memory

nine billion as well and had been looking for opportunities to earn back what

world could never be done

Law family had made several investments. Although there were gains and losses and still a slight profit

possible loss of half a million, should one really think that such

without a doubt,

the cost and risks were too high and not worth the

the Law family should have bought Hansel Index by

because they had lost 800 million

not a big deal for the Law family, but this failure had driven the family to completely abandon the financial capital market and return to the traditional industries of real estate and

betting that Harbor City's stocks will fall?" Jasper asked according to the

surprise, "Yes, how

you look at Harbor City's stocks

"Come

Zachary's guidance, Jasper came

ushered Jasper to take a seat

did the Law family buy?"

"One billion."

on is falling, the recent rise in Hansel Index also means that the Law family account now has a

As long as the Hansel Index drops later, we will not