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Money poured out like a steady stream of water. Even so, Jasper had never been frugal when it came to events like these.

If morning was said to be the time for financial and daily reports to shine, then nighttime events were heaven on earth for entertainment news reporters.

There were celebrities everywhere. Three out of Harbor City's four richest families led the way, accompanied by many important and powerful people from the Southeast Province's and its surroundings. Furthermore, eight bigshots out of the dozen or so state-owned real estate enterprises within the country were also present.

Superstars were aplenty as well. Beautiful ladies, all of Harbor City's four main Superstars, and multiple Miss Harbor City's fighting over who got to appear first. The gala had gathered almost all of Harbor City's and the Mainland's top-notch celebrities.

A simple thank you banquet had now turned into an extremely classy gala.

Female stars were dolled up and looking beautiful as they walked the red carpet into the hotel.

Reporters could take a photo at random here and they would probably have a shot of rich sons with beautiful celebrities or models in tow. An abundance of people who tended to be the center of scandalous rumors were present, and the reporters grinned so wide that their smiles stretched from ear to ear.

Wendy did not like such events, and the past two days had indeed tired her out, so she opted to stay home that day.

However, Jasper felt that it would be rather embarrassing to appear alone in such situations, so he asked Scarlet to join him.

did not mean much, but then rumors started to circulate

Scarlet Seemingly Dating the New Billionaire

Blooms into a Smile with the Youngest

Goddess Stolen

began to appear in the reporters'

to take Jasper's arm, the dark night lit up like the afternoon sun with camera

over to interview

ignored them as he ushered

Scarlet commented with her arm

crowds,” Jasper spoke with  
these aren’t normal people,”  
normal? All of them have a head resting on their shoulders. There’s nothing special about  
a certain allure as she turned to Jasper.  
turned to look at Scarlet and chuckled, “You know, I’m sort of a  
at Jasper in shock, then she pouted, “Isn’t this the line that

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Zane felt his dignity crumble when he saw how happy Scarlet was while laughing.  
He had always liked Scarlet.  
He liked her differently from how he liked the other female celebrities that he had by now tired of  
fooling around with.  
Those female stars were willing to sleep with anyone for the sake of a bit of money and status.  
Scarlet was not like that.  
Scarlet was the kind who would rather die than let anyone force themselves onto her.  
Such purity and will were extremely rare in such a day and age.  
Despite this, Scarlet was precisely that.  
Zane had been trying all sorts of tactics to get close to her, but he was never given the chance.  
Now that he finally had the chance to see Scarlet tonight, he was just about to seize the opportunity to  
get close to her when he suddenly earned himself the title of a dog.  
mention, Scarlet had watched the scene  
country bumpkin!” Zane grit  
to the resentment. Now that Mitch was not here to hold him back, Zane was about to lose his  
“Ridiculous.”  
pulled Scarlet away after  
and he could not lower himself by causing a commotion with Zane. This would only make  
“Wait!”  
called out to stop  
Scarlet’s hand that was wrapped around Jasper’s with envy and resentment. Zane’s anger skyrocketed  
as he could acutely  
is mine! You better watch yourself!” Zane

look like some property you

“Stop acting like you’re some f\*cking sh\*t. She’s just a woman! I’ll get

is the difference

be one

what she thinks of his

trying to flirt with girls

to love him if not for the power and

‘Truly father like son.’

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Henry glanced at Scarlet and chuckled. “Yo, if it isn’t Scarlet.”

“Hello, Mr. Law,” Scarlet greeted softly, slightly afraid in the face of Harbor City’s most formidable Young Master.

“I didn’t know you liked such soft and gentle women. Then why would you fancy someone as terrifying as my younger sister?” Henry grinned at Jasper evilly.

“Cut the nonsense,” Jasper glared at Henry.

Bidding Scarlet goodbye, Jasper made a beeline for the main table.

Scarlet watched Jasper walk toward the main table that was filled with extremely distinguished people and sighed. ‘I’ll never be qualified to stand there, will I?’

“Stop looking there. Where’s that stupid f\*cker? Where’s Zane?” Henry’s voice jolted Scarlet out of her thoughts.

“Ah, he was there just now.” Scarlet pointed in the general direction behind her. “Are you going over?”

“Your boss asked me to take care of you and not let that f\*cker harass you, no?”

Henry grinned evilly.

protect someone is to get

happily went over to screw with

was

was because Bob had gotten to Zane

you start something with Jasper again just now?” Bob

bumpkin stole my woman! I’m going to

Slap!

the face

why are you hitting me?!” Zane shouted as he cupped his

gotten

and Kennedy were engaged in a very happy conversation at that

each other apart, yet here they are talking

around and think about who the host tonight is before

to go over there as well, so do not cause any more trouble for me! Otherwise, I’ll have you return to Harbor

his father leave. At that moment, Jasper was currently

matter how

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After toasting the main table and giving them his thanks, Jasper realized that Julian had vanished, which meant that the latter had gone to work.

With a small smile, Jasper took the napkin Scarlet handed him to wipe his mouth. Then, he said, “Let’s go, I still have twenty to thirty tables to toast and thank. How’s your alcohol tolerance, by the way? Do you want to come with me?”

“It’s not too bad,” Scarlet replied softly, sneaking a glance at Jasper’s expression. It was as if she was worried that Jasper would get upset upon finding out that she drank.

It was evident that Scarlet was overthinking as, instead of being upset, Jasper replied with satisfaction, “Great. Let’s drink a bit and hold them off.”

“...”

Half of Scarlet’s gentlemanly image of Jasper immediately shattered when she heard the words ‘hold them off’.

However, the man’s kind and caring reputation still held firm in her mind.

The banquet lasted for at least another two hours.

Despite calling it a gala, it was essentially an event for the upper class to socialize.

the modus operandi as they chatted aimlessly with each other. Everyone was friends regardless of whether they were acquainted or not, almost like how men who sat at the same table in bars became

only rushed back when the gala was about to end. He whispered in Jasper’s ear for

right that Jasper sent people like Kayden and

watching them get into their cars and driving away, Jasper said calmly, "Go dig a little further and find out whose

Julian nodded understandingly.

late. His complexion was flushed, and the man seemed to have drunk a bit too much, but

Zachary back to the hotel

need to come with me, Jul, I'll leave by myself later. Send Scarlet back to her

Scarlet, then nodded and

see you next time," Jasper told

noded obediently and bid

forget to bid Zachary, the extremely distinguished figure, goodbye

be leaving, Mr.

"Hmm."

Zachary nodded faintly.

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"Now that I think about it, you've done very well on the Southface River project. If possible, I think we can work together to spread it across the country."

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Zachary had been very excited throughout the drive since he had witnessed first-hand the overall effect of the Southface River project's topping-out ceremony. Thus, he had been thinking about expanding the domestic real estate market alongside Jasper.

"It's a great idea, Uncle Law, but it won't be easy to execute," Jasper smiled wryly.

While the Southface River project was completed quickly, and its effects were almost immediate, this was partly due to the fact that they were the first to accomplish such a feat. Coupled with the fact that the Southeast Province was Jasper and Dawson's Territory, and that they had the support of the officials, the overall project was not very challenging.

It would be a different story to take on such a huge project in a foreign city. Merely coming to agreements with the official departments would be a major headache.

After all, every city has its own set of interests, and if you wanted to make money there, paying the toll was unavoidable.

Zachary naturally understood what Jasper was saying, and he smiled meaningfully, "That's okay. Business isn't always smooth-sailing everywhere we go."

The car pulled up at the hotel lobby as the two spoke, and Henry was about to slip out of the car secretly when Zachary grabbed ahold of him and frowned. "Where are you going?"

not staying

I checked Uncle Law into a suite, there are multiple rooms." Jasper smiled with crescent-eyes as he helped Zachary attack

with me tonight. There's something I need to talk

I'm not a child anymore, what's there to talk about? Moreover, I've got a room of my own on the other side of town. It'll be a waste of money if I

and it'd still be worth it if you're willing

and

about to ask

"Where are you?"

as usual and laced with the magnetism and charm that other

I'm about to go back though," Jasper

that they've just stepped out of a hotel, let

late at

back, come straight

his brows slightly, "It's late. Is something

you a little more, we're a little short on time right now. So to prevent you from scolding me, I'll get straight to the point. They're going to make a

froze mid-furrow and he replied grimly, "I'm on

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Jasper walked over to the coffee table. Without caring for much else, he squatted down and began to look at the Nasdaq market index that indicated that it was currently trading hours.

With Jasper active in the market and fighting for shares, Sena's share prices had already reached 240 US Dollars over the past two days.

This was an extremely high share price—one that had greatly exceeded Sena's estimated value.

Therefore, Sena's share price was now overvalued and now had a market surplus.

Many of the United States' financial media were reporting this, and some organizations had already classified Sena as a highly risky share. This had made it unaffordable for many investors.

Jasper looked at the date and realized that while Sena shares had undergone more transactions today, things were still not quite right.

After all, with investors losing trust in Sena, it was only a matter of time before the market corrected itself and got rid of the surplus of over-valued shares. That was why many investors would choose to sell the Sena shares they held.

of these shares would then fall in Jasper and the other party's hands, while some fearless retail investors would also claim

detect anything abnormal. How'd you conclude that they'd attack tonight?" Jasper

saw when he looked up was a pair of long slender legs in black stocking, placed casually before

couch, a plush carpet, long legs, and a beautiful

was a view that could easily excite a

was in

at how Jasper's gaze only lingered on her

laid sideways, "You guys are just looking at the surface. Go expand the two

and clicked on the two

belonged to New York's famous financial news

dated yesterday and

the articles were filled with warnings to investors that Sena's share prices were severely overvalued and extremely risky. It also persuaded investors to invest

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Celine clapped her hands together and spoke, "When that happens, the investors will lose all hope and Sena's share price will be done for."

At that moment, Jasper pulled out the trendline over the past two months since Sena went public on the Nasdaq.

"I was the one who pushed Sena's share prices when it first went public, but I estimated that it should be worth around 150 US Dollars. Normal share prices should be around 100 US Dollars, or even 80 US Dollars if the market isn't doing so well. Exceeding 130 US Dollars meant that the share was already greatly overvalued.

"Even so, I had predicted the pullback from this to occur around one to two weeks after Sena went public.

"Despite this, the pullback didn't happen as I predicted. Instead, the prices kept climbing. Sena's stock still hasn't shown any signs of a pullback yet and is still climbing."

Jasper let out a long sigh and spoke, "It's my fault for neglecting it. I should've done something to pull the share prices back down before this."

"It's not your fault. All I can say is that Western traders love Sena too much," Celine consoled.

are thinking. They entered the market while Sena was the most profitable stock out there, and the share prices kept rising. They could only

many companies listed on the market. Sena's existence aligns perfectly with their interests, so they subconsciously tried to raise Sena's

there was no way you could fight against an entire army of capitalists. You'd instantly lose—not to mention that an increase in Sena's share

grimly, "They, on the other hand, only care about profits. Thus, they won't hesitate to drop Sena once the risks outweigh their benefits. Especially now, after they've already earned enough... Yet, I have to be

opponent has to do now is light the fuse, and

opponent to sell out all his

phone ringing almost seemed more rushed

not hesitate to

that it was a

was a surprising call

over in Somerland, Laine. I hope my call didn't

Benett. I haven't gotten to bed yet. Is

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"Haha," Winston chuckled and spoke, "While we are friends, I still have to be responsible for my funds.



"I can tell that there's something wrong with Sena's share price—it's almost as if you're fighting an invisible opponent. But your conflict has caused the share's risk to increase several fold, so I have to make a decision."

Jasper replied sincerely, "I understand what you mean. I am immensely grateful for the fact that you're calling to inform me first before you make your move."

"We're friends, after all," Winston's voice sounded from the other end of the line. "Benett Funds will make an official statement tomorrow. This is the most I can do for you. I hope you make the necessary preparations."

As she listened to the conversation between the two, Celine could not help but feel surprised by how great Winston's and Jasper's friendship was. Yet, at the same time, she felt that it was a shame how Winston prioritized his identity of a businessman. He had a clear distinguishment between his business and private life; People like him would never risk their own interests due to personal relationships.

If he did this, the man would not be the stock god people regarded so highly.

Nor would so many people trust him and be willing to place their money into his funds.

Just as Celine felt like Jasper was caught between a rock and a hard place, the man arched his brow and spoke to Winston, "How about we make a trade, Mr. Benett?"

"Oh? What trade? I'd love to work with you."

do you have to wait until tomorrow.

Sena's share price to crash. But the market has its own defense mechanisms, and

losses while others might make

someone willing to risk their lives to

He still needs major funds or organizations like yours to recognize that the

have the best reputation, and also

people will then become my main pillar as I

have on hand right now at the current market price, but my only request is that you only release a statement about

not hide his plan and told

knew that Winston would be able to guess it

long on the other

seemed to be

in no rush either, for he believed that Winston would

would only

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Celine muttered.

“To be honest, Laine, you really manage to surprise me...”

Winston’s voice was heard.

“But I have an idea. How about we sign a VAM for one month? I can lock Sena’s share prices that our fund hold, and we won’t buy nor sell for one month”

“During this month, I’ll follow your plan, but if Sena’s share prices drop below 150 US Dollars, you’ll have to purchase them all at 300 US Dollars.”

Jasper’s brows raised slightly at Winston’s suggestion.

At the end of the day, Winston was a capitalist, so the last thing he would forget about was making money.

Even so, this suggestion was very advantageous to Jasper.

from the stock market had gone to support the daily operations of JW

shares. However, with this proposal, it seemed like there would be no need to turn to the Law family after

Jasper

also made the situation easier for Jasper to

have the Benett Funds’ support, while Winston would also refrain from releasing any statements that were

tranquilizer for investors that used Winston to steer and ease the

did not sell his shares, then who could challenge him in claiming that

was how reputable Winston

also dramatically increased Jasper’s

route for himself as well. Say that Jasper did not manage to control the share prices and Sena’s share price ended up crashing, then Jasper would be the one to compensate for

current share price was at 240 US Dollars, which was probably twice more than it should have been. If the prices fell

battle, he would

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was just too much on

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