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Wynn had thought she would have to wait a few more days for news.

However, that afternoon, Trevor called her and said, “Mr. and Mrs. Yoder will be attending an auction tomorrow. Would you like to go?”

Wynn smiled and replied, “Sure.”

The next evening, not long after arriving at the auction, Trevor took Wynn over to greet Sebastian and Melissa. He introduced Wynn to them.

Sebastian and Melissa knew about Trevor’s relationship with Celeste and were aware of all the conflicts between Celeste and Wynn. However, when they saw Trevor, they didn’t let their feelings about Celeste show.

They smiled and shook hands with Trevor, greeting him warmly. When Trevor introduced Wynn, Melissa also smiled and politely shook Wynn’s hand, saying, “Hello.”

The auction was filled with the elites from high society.

After some casual conversation, Trevor and Sebastian, along with others, began discussing business matters.

At this moment, Wynn saw an opportunity and started chatting with Melissa alone.

After a while, Wynn got to the point and said, “Mrs. Yoder, came here today because I need a favor.”

Melissa smiled and replied, “Mr. Fleming is so young and accomplished. Is there something he can’t resolve? Why would you need my help?”

“Ms. Locket, you’re being too humble.”

Wynn said, “This matter concerns Mr. Matthias.”

Melissa paused for a moment. “It’s about Matthias?”

Wynn replied, “Yes.”

Just as Melissa was about to speak, she glanced at her phone in her bag and said, “I have a call coming in, let me take it.”

Wynn responded, "Alright."

Melissa picked up her phone and walked a little further away to take the call.

After a while, she returned and apologized, "Sorry to keep you waiting, Ms. Locket."

"It's alright."

"Earlier, you mentioned that the matter you wanted to discuss with me was related to Matthias. Could you tell me more about what happened?"

Wynn said, "Are you aware of the cooperation between InnovaTech and YodaVision?"

Melissa replied, "Matthias has mentioned it to me. So, does this mean there was an issue with your cooperation?"

Wynn responded, "Yes, we had a small conflict. To be honest, it was a mistake on our part, but it's not to the point where we should terminate the contract.

"I've been actively trying to reach Mr. Matthias to resolve the issue, and I'm willing to compensate him for any losses.

"But some people are using this small misunderstanding to push Mr. Matthias to terminate the contract with InnovaTech.

"Now, Mr. Matthias is not answering my calls and refuses to meet with me. He seems determined to break the contract."

When Melissa heard this, her expression darkened, and she interrupted, asking, "The person you're talking about is Celeste?"

Seeing Melissa's change in expression, Wynn quickly replied, "Yes."

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Melissa asked, "Why would she do that?"

Wynn replied, "There are some personal grievances between her and me."

She continued, "Terminating the contract is harmful to both sides. Even if we break the contract and compensate Mr. Matthias, it still wouldn't benefit him.

"InnovaTech sincerely wants to continue working with YodaVision, but no matter how much I try to show goodwill, Mr. Matthias refuses to listen and only wants to terminate the contract.

That's why I came to ask for your help, Mrs. Yoder, to try to convince him."

Melissa lowered her eyes and said softly, "I understand."

Wynn could tell Melissa was unhappy, so she politely said, "Thank you. I really appreciate your help."

Melissa responded, "You're too polite, Ms. Locket."

They exchanged a few more words, and when Sebastian came over to find his wife, their conversation ended.

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After Sebastian and Melissa left, Trevor asked, "Did you finish talking to Mrs. Yoder?"

Wynn smiled slightly and nodded.

Looking at Melissa's expression earlier, it seemed that she was becoming increasingly displeased with Celeste.

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Melissa had actually known about the issues between InnovaTech and YodaVision long before. Matthias had already informed her in advance.

When Melissa was talking to Wynn, she didn't really get a phone call—she had recorded their conversation.

She walked a little further away, glanced at Trevor and Wynn, and then sent the recording to Matthias.

Matthias and Celeste had not finished work yet. After listening to the recording, Matthias smiled and went to Celeste's office to inform her of the situation.

After hearing the news, Celeste said, "Now I can be sure that we'll definitely win the lawsuit."

"Exactly."

Their insistence on suing for contract termination was not only because they really wanted to break the contract with InnovaTech, but also because they wanted to pressure Wynn.

They wanted to force her to try every way she could to prevent them from terminating the contract.

As long as Wynn tried to contact the Rodriguez or the Yoder family in an attempt to stop the termination of the contract, they would certainly be able to trap her into saying something or create further conflicts.

In any case, the more Wynn tried to reach out to them to negotiate the contract termination, the more opportunities they would have to manipulate her and collect evidence to fight the lawsuit.

So, the more Wynn did, the more mistakes she would make.

If she had simply stuck to expressing her apologies or showing her willingness to cooperate, even after the trial, they might not have succeeded in terminating the contract.

And even if they did succeed, the compensation Wynn would have to pay wouldn't be that high.

But now, things were different.

The prior conflicts between them had been Wynn's fault, and now she was claiming that their insistence on terminating the contract was all because of Celeste's personal grudges against her.

It was important to note that Celeste was not only a core staff member of YodaVision but also the key person in charge of the cooperation with InnovaTech.

Wynn first showed disrespect toward that fact and then, to avoid termination, indiscriminately slandered the staff of their collaborative project.

This provided strong evidence to justify their inability to continue working together.

Moreover, Wynn claimed that the reason Celeste wanted to terminate the contract was that she and Celeste had a personal grudge.

However, in court, if the judge asked about their personal grudges, wasn't Wynn worried that Celeste would expose everything about their conflict?

If it came to that, Wynn would likely be more worried about her personal issues with Celeste being made public rather than the contract dispute between InnovaTech and YodaVision.

To avoid answering the question, Wynn might even end up agreeing to terminate the contract and pay the sky-high termination fee.

Thinking about this, Matthias' smile grew brighter.

As soon as Matthias left Celeste's office, Celeste's phone rang. It was a call from Jordyn.

In fact, Jordyn had already called her that morning, but she didn't answer.

Tomorrow was the day Jordyn would be participating in the fencing competition. Jordyn's call was probably to confirm if she could accompany her to the competition..

But then again, maybe Jordyn had changed her mind and didn't want her to go, but would rather have Trevor and Wynn go with her.

After all, this kind of thing had happened before.

With that thought in mind, Celeste still didn't pick up Jordyn's call. She put her phone aside, planning to finish handling her data before heading home for the day. 2

Jordyn had called several times. Seeing that Celeste didn't answer, she felt disappointed and upset.

That evening, when Trevor returned home, he saw Jordyn curled up on the sofa, holding a small toy and looking dejected.

Trevor immediately guessed the problem. "Your mom didn't answer the phone or didn't have time to go with you?"

Jordyn pouted and grumpily tugged at the toy's fuzzy ears. She didn't answer the phone."

She became silent for a moment.

Then, seeing Trevor loosen his tie while watching her, as if waiting for her to make a decision, Jordyn hesitated before speaking, "Since Mom doesn't have time, could you and Wynn go with me to the competition tomorrow?"

Trevor smiled. "Sure."

"I'll let Wynn know."

"Okay."

"Good night, Dad." After saying that, Jordyn hugged the toy and went upstairs.

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The next morning, Trevor, Jordyn, and Wynn arrived early at the sports hall for Jordyn's competition.

After they had been there for a while, Beck and Shanice arrived as well.

Jordyn saw them and greeted, "Mr. Harper, Shanice, you're here."

Shanice came over and shook Jordyn's hand. "The competition is about to start. Are you nervous, Jo?"

Jordyn was very calm and shook her head. "No, I'm fine."

Beck had some business to attend to, and he was just dropping Shanice off.

Trevor knew Beck was in a hurry and said, "I'll take care of Shanice. You can go ahead with your things."

Beck nodded. "Alright, I'll join you all for lunch later."

"Okay."

Their relationship seemed to be as good as ever. However...

Wynn listened to their conversation, her gaze shifting between Trevor and Beck. If Trevor knew that Beck had developed feelings for Celeste, would their relationship still be as good as it was now?

Beck noticed her gaze and gave her a slight nod. But he didn't speak to her, just turned and left.

Watching Beck leave without ever saying a word to her, Wynn showed a bitter smile. Since he fell for Celeste, Beck had been increasingly indifferent toward her.

Meanwhile, Celeste, who was resting at home, received a call from Matthias.

"We're going out for lunch with my parents today. They haven't seen you in a while, and they've been talking about you these past couple of days. They're eager to see you. Would you like to join us for lunch?"

It had been quite a while since Celeste had seen Sebastian and Melissa, so she agreed.

At around noon, she drove out.

When she arrived at the restaurant, Matthias and his parents had just arrived.

Seeing her, Melissa happily took her hand. “It’s been a long time. You’re still as beautiful as ever.”

While Celeste was talking to Melissa, Miles got out of his **car**. Upon seeing Celeste and Matthias with Sebastian and Melissa, he was momentarily stunned.

Celeste saw him, and her smile faded a little. She quickly looked away.

After a moment of surprise, Miles greeted Sebastian and Melissa, “Mr. Yoder, Mrs. Yoder.”

Sebastian and Melissa just nodded.

Miles glanced at the four of them and then turned and entered the restaurant first. After walking a little further, he pulled out his phone and called Trevor. ¹

Trevor answered the phone quickly. “What’s up?”

Miles asked, “Guess who I just saw?”

Trevor didn’t guess. Instead, he asked, “Who did you see?”

Miles was speechless. Hearing Trevor’s tone, Miles knew he had already guessed.

“That’s right, it’s Celeste. The thing is, she’s with Matthias Sebastian, and Melissa. Are they at the point where they’re meeting the parents?”

“Melissa even held Celeste’s hand and called her ‘Cel’ with such a warm and affectionate tone. It looked like Melissa really likes her. Damn, I’m starting to think they’re getting married soon!”

Trevor listened and replied, “Oh, really?” Trevor’s indifferent tone made it clear he wasn’t interested in the gossip.

Given Trevor’s past indifference toward Celeste, it made sense that he wasn’t interested.

Since he wasn’t interested in gossip, Miles changed the topic. “Has Jo finished her match? Any results yet?”

“The morning match is over, and she did well,” Trevor replied.

“Okay,” Miles said.

Even after seeing that Trevor didn't react to the gossip, Miles' curiosity didn't fade. He thought that Wynn and Beck didn't know about this yet, so he shared the news in the group chat.

At that moment, Trevor and Wynn had just arrived at the restaurant and were getting ready for lunch.

Beck had also finished his tasks and joined them.

When they saw Miles' message in the group, both Beck and Wynn opened their phones to check.

Seeing that Miles had mentioned encountering Celeste, Matthias, and his parents together, Wynn thought that her conversation with Melissa the day before had worked.

She gave a subtle smile.

Matthias' parents meeting Celeste probably meant they were trying to warn her, right?

Just as she thought this, Miles posted two more messages in the group.

"Just now, Melissa held Celeste's hand, smiling warmly as she called her "Cel." Her tone was so affectionate, like she was her own daughter.

"You can tell Melissa really likes her. Looks like they're getting engaged or something!

"On Mrs. Fleming Senior's birthday, Melissa said that as soon as Matthias and Celeste were ready, she could arrange their wedding.

"At that time, I thought she was just saying it casually, but it turns out she was serious! Damn!"

When Wynn saw this, she froze for a moment. After realizing what it meant, her expression suddenly changed.

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Melissa likes Celeste? How is that possible?

If what Miles said was true, then when she told Meesterday.

Thinking about how Malices had left during their conversation, Wynn's heart sank

Perhaps noticing her change in expression, Trevor, converted, asked, "What's wrong? Are you feeling well?"

Wynn snapped back to reality, forcing a smile. “No, I’m fine

Later that day, she informed her family.

Upon hearing that Melissa liked Celeste so much, even agreeing to let her be their daughter-in-law, both the Shaw family and the Locket family were in disbelief.

“Celeste is married with a child, and her family background is ordinary But Matthias’ family is well-off and successful. How could the Yoder family possibly agree to them being together? Did Mr. Quinton misunderstand?” “That’s right,” Linda hurriedly added, “Or maybe that women hid her past? The Yoder family doesn’t she was married, which is why they-”

Wynn also couldn’t understand why the Yoder family would agree to Matthias marrying Celeste 8

Perhaps it was true that Celeste had hidden her past and deprived the *Yoder* family, but who knew?

She had originally thought that if she couldn’t persuade Matthias to settle things privately, the lawsuit wouldn’t be a big deal.

But if Melissa had recorded their conversation yesterday, then this lawsuit could no longer proceed.

But if Celeste truly concealed the fact that she was married and had a child, there was still a chance to turn things around.

With that thought, Wynn immediately contacted someone to investigate the matter with Melissa

Because of Trevor, many people were eager to get on her good side, so finding someone to gather information was not difficult.

The next afternoon, the person sent to gather information met Melissa and asked, “Mrs. Yoder, I heard that Ms. Rodriguez, who is very close to your son, has already been married. Is that true?”

Melissa smiled and said, “It’s true, you’re quite well-informed.”

After getting the information from Melissa, the person immediately passed it **on** to Wynn. “The Yoder family actually knows that Celeste is married.”

That meant they probably also knew that the person she married was Trevor

Linda's voice was a little sour. "Even knowing that the woman is married, they still agreed **for** them to be together? The Yoder family must have lost their minds."

Wynn's face darkened, and she didn't respond

Jordyn's fencing competition lasted for two days.

In the afternoon, while Celeste was reading, she received another call from Jordyn

After a moment of thought, she picked up the phone.

Since Jordyn had just finished her competition, she had called to share **the** joy of her win.

She had been worried that Celeste wouldn't pick up, but when she heard the call answered, she happily said, " Mom, are you done with your work?"

Celeste replied, "Mm, what's up?"

"I finished my fencing competition, and I got second place!

Celeste sincerely praised her. "Jo, you're amazing."

Hearing the praise, Jordyn became even happier: "I've only been practicing for a short time, so I only got second place. But I'll practice more, so that the next time I compete, I'll definitely get first place!"

Celeste was happy for her and said, "Mm, keep going, but don't put too much pressure on yourself."

"I know," Jordyn responded, then, full of anticipation, asked, "Mom, what are you doing? Do you have time to come home for dinner tonight?"

Celeste lowered her gaze, her tone turned a little colder as she said, "I still have things to take care of."

"Oh, okay."

The answer was expected, and Jordyn had grown used to it. Hearing Celeste say this, she didn't feel disappointed. She had answered the phone and praised her, which already made her very happy..

After chatting for a bit, they hung up the phone.

A little later, Jordyn sent her several photos, some from the competition and others from when she was on the podium holding her trophy.

In the photos, Jordyn, holding her fencing mask, had a graceful look. She was standing on the podium with a bright and radiant smile.

The photos were really well taken.

After sending the photos, Jordyn messaged. “These photos were all taken by Dad. Mom, do you think they’re nice?

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Celeste replied, “They’re beautiful.”

That meant Trevor had been with Jordyn the entire time during the competition.

Anyway, it was clear that Trevor was treating Jordyn very well and was quite invested in her.

To be honest, as a father, Trevor was doing a decent job.

Since he was so good to Jordyn, Celeste could rest assured.

On Monday, when Celeste and Matthias returned to the company, their lawyer informed them that he had received a message from Wynn’s lawyer saying that W

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After confirming the contract termination, Wynn called Trevor to inform him about the situation.

“On the day of the auction, I misspoke during my conversation with Melissa, and she caught it. Matthias’ reluctance to work with InnovaTech has also become very obvious.

“Even if I win the lawsuit, it would be difficult to guarantee that Matthias and his family won’t cause trouble **in**

the future.

“Since they have no intention of collaborating with Innovalech, I think it’s better to terminate the contract **early** and find new partners. It may not be a bad thing.”

Trevor didn’t ask what she had said that caused Melissa to latch onto her words.

He just said, “Since you’ve decided, let’s go ahead with the termination. Do you need my help with the termination fees?”

To be honest, Wynn was somewhat moved by his offer. However, ever since her family moved to Baumond, Trevor had already done so much for them.

Moreover, if she continued to expect him to help with everything, even if she was talented and attracted to him, after a while, he might grow weary of it.

She knew this was not a good approach.

So she replied, “No need. I can handle it myself.”

“Okay,” Trevor responded, then asked, “Once you’ve terminated the contract with YodaVision, you’ll need to find new partners quickly. Should I handle this for you?”

Wynn had been upset recently due to the situation with Celeste and Matthias. But hearing Trevor’s offer made her mood instantly lift, and a warm, sweet feeling filled her heart.

Even her tone became softer. “Okay, thank you, Trevor.”

As for the termination with InnovaTech, Matthias and Celeste directly handed it over to their lawyers.

When Wynn received the termination terms from YodaVision and saw the more than 300 million termination fee,

she frowned.

Compared to the contract they signed at the time, the termination fee of over 300 million was indeed too high.

“Over 300 million?” Seeing the termination fee, Linda also frowned.

It wasn’t that she thought the amount was too large or that Celeste and Matthias were being unreasonable.

Before Wynn got together with Trevor, given their families situations, 300 million was like taking their lives.

But now, the amount didn’t seem excessively high, although at first glance, it seemed like a lot.

After all, Trevor had casually given Wynn jewelry worth millions, given Erin a birthday gift worth tens of millions, and gifted the villa worth over 600 million to Lilian.

Trevor also gave InnovaTech to Wynn, which was worth billions.

Besides these, he had also given their two families many expensive gifts.

Compared to all these things, 300 million didn't seem that large.

Wynn and Lilian shared the same thought.

Therefore, when they saw the termination terms from Yoda Vision, they merely frowned lightly. Erin and Patricia, however, felt pain at the thought of it..

300 million was a large sum, after all.

Harvey also frowned. "We don't have that much liquidity."

Wynn paused.

Indeed, although Trevor had given them many valuable things, he only gave them gifts, not cash.

Given their two families' situation, it was really unlikely that they could come up with 300 million at once.

So, Wynn said, "Let's pool our resources."

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Ruby, feeling the pinch, couldn't help but suggest, "Why don't we ask Trevor to help?"

Before Wynn could speak, Lilian quietly said, "Ruby, most of the time you can accept things from others, but you shouldn't directly ask for help. Asking for help in everything isn't wise. Do you understand?"

If they asked too much, Trevor would get annoyed. Lilian and Wynn had already discussed the pros and cons of this before.

Ruby understood, of course. But wasn't she feeling the sting herself?

Still, this matter had been caused by her daughter.

Moreover, although 300 million seemed like a lot at first glance, after Wynn married Trevor, even 3 billion or even 30 billion would be nothing if it were for Wynn.

Furthermore, with InnovaTech's promising future, once InnovaTech's autonomous vehicles are launched, they could easily earn back the money.

Thinking about this, Ruby stopped speaking.

Although the others didn't speak, they were having similar thoughts.

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Wynn quickly signed the termination agreement.

As for the compensation, she promised to pay it within the specified time in the agreement.

After receiving the news, Matthias snorted, "She sure is quick to act."

The subsequent matters were handled by the lawyers. After Wynn signed the termination agreement, neither Celeste nor Matthias paid much attention to it.

Three days later, Zachary had a break, and the three of them hadn't seen each other for a while, so they made plans to meet for a meal.

At noon, Celeste and Matthias left the office. When they arrived at the restaurant, they ran into Wynn and Trevor at the entrance.

With them was also Donald Johansen, the CEO of another local AI company.

Donald and Matthias were familiar with each other and had a decent relationship. They would often sit down and chat when they met.

Now, seeing Matthias, Donald greeted him first, "Mr. Yoder."

Matthias didn't even glance at Trevor and Wynn, responding with a smile, "Mr. Johansen."

Donald also knew that InnovaTech had approached him only after terminating the contract with YodaVision.

Seeing Matthias' cold demeanor toward Trevor and Wynn, Donald assumed that they had had an unpleasant fallout over the contract termination, which was why Matthias was so indifferent.

In the past, even when Matthias was cold, Trevor and Wynn would always make an effort to greet him. But this time, neither of them took the initiative to speak to Matthias.

Wynn's gaze toward Matthias was noticeably colder than before.

As for Celeste, she still didn't bother to look at her.

Not wanting to linger on the matter, Matthias and Celeste immediately walked into the restaurant after greeting Donald.

After taking the elevator up and entering the private room, Matthias finally said with a cold smile, "They just terminated the contract with us, and now they're already working with DataWing. Trevor sure knows how to make big moves."

Donald's company, DataWing Inc., was also one of the leading AI companies in the country.

Working with DataWing, in terms of collaboration fees, would likely be far higher than when they worked with YodaVision.

Celeste sat down, poured a glass of water, and said, "Their language system was the best in the country last year;

one else even comes close. It's not surprising that they would turn to Donald.

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"Moreover, after terminating the contract with us, this is the best way for them to make up for the lost opportunity.

"They have no reason not to choose DataWing."

Matthias understood this reasoning, of course. But the more he understood, the more upset he felt.

He became increasingly frustrated and said, "So, I guess Trevor paid the termination fee **for** InnovaTech, right?"

Celeste didn't answer.

At that moment, Zachary arrived.

When he entered the room, neither Celeste nor Matthias brought up the matter again. They didn't want to sully Zachary's ears with their messy issues.

Whenever they met with Zachary, they usually talked about new developments in the AI field. Given that they rarely met, this meal lasted quite a while.

It was nearly two hours before they finished their meal.

However, when they left the private room and headed toward the elevator, the door to the adjacent room opened as well.

Trevor, Wynn, and Donald appeared before Celeste and Matthias.

Before either of them could speak, Donald saw Zachary and greeted him first. “Mr. Newman.”

Donald was also from the AI field and had some level of recognition.

Zachary nodded when he heard his name.

Trevor also greeted Zachary, and Wynn followed suit, saying, “Mr. Newman.”

Zachary’s expression was cold, and he didn’t speak.

At that moment, a group of people from the other side of the hallway turned the corner and saw them. They froze for a moment, especially when they noticed Zachary was also present.

Celeste quickly withdrew her gaze when she saw it was Jorge.

Jorge regained his composure and, after glancing at Wynn, he was the first to greet Zachary, “Mr. Newman.”

Zachary lightly nodded, still not saying anything.

Jorge then glanced at Wynn, Trevor, and Celeste before speaking, “Are you all here together?”

He had already heard about the termination between YodaVision and InnovaTech. He also heard that Wynn felt that Matthias lacked sincerity in continuing to cooperate with them.

So, even if YodaVision hadn’t terminated the contract, given Matthias’ attitude, it was likely that they would cause trouble in the future.

So, she agreed to YodaVision’s request for termination for long-term consideration.

However, it seemed a bit strange that they had just terminated their contract with InnovaTech and were now having a meal together.

Wynn knew what he was thinking and quickly responded to his question, “No, we just ran into each other.”

Jorge smiled slightly, “I see.”

He knew it.

Celeste and Matthias weren't interested in continuing the small talk with Jorge, Trevor, or Wynn.

Celeste was about to speak, but Matthias beat her to it, say

Zachary nodded and was about to turn to leave when Jorge) him, Trevor, and Wynn.

His face turned cold before he suddenly stepped forward at We met not long ago. I'm not sure if you remember me?"

"I do." Zachary glanced at him. "So?"

Celeste was about to speak, but Matthias beat her to it, saying to Zachary, "Prof, let's go."

Zachary nodded and was about to turn to leave when Jorge, noticing their cold attitude and their disregard for him, Trevor, and Wynn.

His face turned cold before he suddenly stepped forward and said, "Mr. Newman, my father is Theodore Robinson. We met not long ago. I'm not sure if you remember me?"

"I do." Zachary glanced at him. "So?" 1

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"Are you aware **of** the termination of the contract between VodaVision and InnovaTech?

"Your student, Matthias, has become increasingly arrogant and indulgent, unable to distinguish right from wrong because of his obsession with love. Have you noticed this?"

Jorge had intended to say these things, but when his eyes caught sight of Trevor, the words suddenly got stuck in

his throat.

These were, after all, matters concerning Wynn.

Now that both Wynn and Trevor were present, Jorge felt that he had no place to speak **on** the subject.

If he spoke out of turn in front of so many people, it would be equivalent to revealing his thoughts about Wynn to others.

That would cause Wynn unnecessary trouble.

Thinking of this, Jorge noticed Donald standing beside Trevor. He was aware of Donald's identity.

Now that InnovaTech and YodaVision had signed the termination agreement, and then Wynn and Trevor were having a meal with Donald...

He immediately realized what this meant.

DataWing was indeed the best option for InnovaTech after YodaVision.

Trevor was clearly attentive to Wynn.

Since Wynn had already found a new partner and Matthias' behavior was becoming more erratic, it might be better for Wynn to distance herself from them.

Given this, Jorge felt there was no need to bring up anything with Zachary.

His thoughts turned quickly, and he decided to say, "It's nothing, sorry to interrupt."

Matthias clearly knew what Jorge had wanted to say.

With a hint of mockery, he smiled and said, "I thought you were angry and were going to complain to my mentor."

Matthias' sarcastic tone made Jorge feel that Matthias was overly smug and unrepentant.

At that moment, Jorge thought that Matthias' situation was worse than he had imagined.

He had once felt that Matthias was somewhat pitiable.

Now, seeing that Matthias was eagerly descending into decadence with Celeste, Jorge thought, why should he stop him?

With this thought in mind, Jorge didn't want to say any more to Matthias. He responded dismissively, "Mr. Yoder, you're exaggerating."

Matthias, uninterested in Jorge, turned to Celeste and Zachary and said, "Prof, let's go."

Celeste nodded and said to Zachary, "Prof, this way."

When Jorge and Wynn heard Celeste address Zachary as "Prof," they assumed she was shamelessly following Matthias' lead.

Even so, they were **still** a bit displeased, feeling that by calling Zachary “Prof,” Celeste was tarnishing his **reputation**.

Matthias and Celeste were heading back to the office.

So, after Zachary left in his car, Matthias remarked, “Jorge is such an idiot. I regret ever cooperating with him just because I wanted to show Theodore respect. The thought of continuing to work with him makes my head hurt.”

Celeste rubbed her temples and said, “Should we have Mr. Lockridge handle him in the future?”

Matthias responded, “Yes, please!”

Celeste smiled, and they both headed back to the office.

As they exited the elevator and were about to enter the company, her phone rang.

It was a call from Trevor.

But Celeste didn’t answer.

Seeing her sudden change in expression, Matthias guessed who was on the other end of the line.

After the phone stopped vibrating, Celeste was about to discuss tomorrow’s work arrangements with Matthias when a new message notification popped up on her phone.

It was from Trevor.

“I’m going on a business trip tomorrow. Jo wants to stay with you. Can you take care of her during the May Day holiday?”

After reading the message, Matthias scoffed and said, “Just like during the Ember Festival, he can’t go on a business trip without bringing Wynn along. But he wants you to look after Jordyn so he can spend time alone with Wynn?”

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Celeste was thinking the same thing.

So, she replied to Trevor.

“I’m busy. Also, please keep your promise and make sure she doesn’t go to my grandmother’s house.”

After a while, Trevor replied, “Okay.”

After that, Trevor didn’t contact her again.

On the third afternoon of the May Day holiday, while Celeste and her family were preparing to enjoy rafting at a scenic spot, Lottie sent her a photo.

The person in the photo was Wynn.

Lottie was currently in Galdovia, busy with a fashion show.

Celeste looked at the photo and replied, “Is she watching your show?”

Lottie replied, “Yes! Talk about bad vibes.”

Then, she sent another message. “She’s alone, though. I didn’t see Trevor.”

Celeste responded with an “Okay,” not particularly concerned about the situation, and asked, “When are you coming back?”

“Not sure yet.” Lottie had other things to attend to, so they chatted for a bit before she got busy.

More than ten minutes later, Lottie video-called her..

Celeste hesitated, and just as she answered, Wynn and Trevor’s figures appeared in front of her.

Lottie snorted and lowered her voice to speak to her. “He just arrived. The show has ended, and now he’s come to pick her up.”

Wynn seemed to know people there and was chatting enthusiastically with someone, while Trevor patiently waited beside her, watching her interact with others.

Matthias had predicted that Trevor would bring Wynn along on his business trip, and it turned out he was right.

However, seeing only the two of them and not Jordyn made Celeste furrow her brows.

Just as she was thinking about this, the camera suddenly shook, and Celeste thought something had happened to Lottie.

Upon taking a closer look, she realized that it was Trevor who had glanced directly at the camera. Clearly, he must have seen Lottie.

Lottie was startled when their eyes met. Before she could react, Trevor casually shifted his gaze away.

She and Lottie had been close friends for many years, and Trevor knew this. Yet, even though he encountered her

foreign country, Trevor made no effort to come over and greet her.

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However, Trevor was like this with her family too, so it was normal for him to ignore Lottie.

After being seen by Trevor, Lottie was reluctant to point the camera at him again.

As **for how things were between Trevor** and Wynn, Celeste didn't want **to care**. She thought **about Jordyn and said to Lottie, "I need to**

make **a** call, I'll hang up for now. When **you** come back, I'll treat you **to a meal.**"

Lottie quickly **replied**, "Okay, go ahead then."

After hanging up the video call, Celeste dialed **Jordyn's** number. But the **call** didn't go through.

Celeste thought for a moment and then switched to a video call. This time, it connected.

Jordyn was overjoyed to see the video call and immediately answered, "Mom!"

Celeste saw that she was in a car. So, she asked, "Where are you?"

"I'm abroad now," Jordyn replied excitedly, "I just took a helicopter to watch the wildebeest migration. There were tens of thousands of them, nonstop. It was so stunning to watch them up close from the helicopter!"

Celeste was taken aback.

Wildebeest migration in May?

"Are you in Tavora?"

"Yes, I-

But Trevor and Wynn were in Galdovia right now.

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Although she knew that ever since Trevor started taking care of Jordyn, he had arranged for bodyguards to accompany her whenever he was unavailable, allowing her to go wherever she wanted.

Still, she was so young, and now Trevor and Wynn had gone to Galdovia, leaving Jordyn to travel so far with just bodyguards.

What if something happened?

Celeste tightened her grip on her phone, trying to control her emotions. She asked, “Did you go with your dad?”

“No,” Jordyn replied, “Dad said he was busy and didn’t have time to accompany me, so he told me to find something fun to do.

“I saw the animal migration on TV before and really wanted to see it in person, so I told Dad, and he arranged for someone to bring me here.”

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Chapter 369

Trevor didn’t have time to accompany Jordyn, but he could spend time with Wynn?

Before **Celeste** could say anything, Jordyn spoke again, “Men, I wish you had called earlier. If you had called earlier, I could have shown you a video from the helicopter

Celeste could tell that Jordyn was very pleased with Trevor’s arrangements this time.

For a moment, Celeste didn’t know what to say. But she couldn’t shake the heavy feeling of frustration growing in her chest.

Jordyn continued talking about her plans for the next day and mentioned that she would be returning to the country that evening.

Celeste listened, and before she could respond, Jordyn suddenly asked eagerly, “Mom, do you have time tomorrow? I want to call you again.”

Celeste snapped back to reality, and after two seconds, she replied, “I have time tomorrow.”

“Yay!”

Knowing that Jordyn was already on her way back to the hotel, Celeste felt a lot more at ease. After chatting for a little while longer, she ended the video call.

At this point, it was time for her to meet with Jamie and the others to go rafting, so she put her phone away.

She had originally been looking forward to the holiday outing. But now, she felt utterly drained.

Still, she didn’t want to ruin the fun for Jamie and the others, so she went with them.

When they arrived at their destination and were in line, someone suddenly tapped her on the shoulder.

Celeste turned around.

It was Kieran.

Kieran had asked her earlier if she was spending the holiday with her family, and when she mentioned rafting, he seemed very interested, so he had specifically come over.

She had known he was keen on the idea of rafting. So, seeing him here now wasn’t surprising. Celeste just asked, ‘ When did you get here?’”

“This morning.”

After officially joining YodaVision, Kieran had been trying to find an opportunity to ask her out, but had never been successful.

In the past, every time they met, it was only at the company, except for that one time at the banquet.

Celeste dressed formally when she went to work. But now, she was out without makeup, wearing a simple sleeveless top and casual pants, with flip-flops on her feet

The sun was just right today, shining on her face and arms, making her look even more radiant.

Compared to her usual formal office look, she now had a softer, sweeter, and even more stunning presence.

Around them, both men and women couldn’t help but glance in her direction. Kieran couldn’t take his eyes off her as well.

Kieran himself was also very handsome. He was a few years younger than Celeste and dressed in a T-shirt, shorts, and flip-flops, looking fresh and clean, like a college student.

Celeste's aunt, Adeline, saw Kieran and couldn't lo

Celeste replied, "He's a colleague at YodaVision."

but ask, "Cel, who is this handsome guy?"

Adeline smiled, noticing the way Kieran looked at Celeste. She felt there was more to it, but didn't press the

matter.

Besides, Celeste wasn't divorced yet, and it wouldn't be a good thing to get involved with someone at this time.

Thinking this, she saw that Celeste didn't seem interested, so she didn't say anything further.

It was soon their turn, and as Celeste waved goodbye to Kieran, he said, "If you have time, let's hang out later?"

Celeste nodded and replied, "Okay."

After she left, Kieran's friend came over, "I have to say, this Ms. Rodriguez is really beautiful. She looks even more stunning than she did at the banquet."

Kieran's face darkened. "Shut up."

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His friend, now knowing that Kieran was seriously interested in Celeste, made an "OK" gesture and zipped his lips with a "zip" motion.

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Kieran never managed to find a chance to go rafting with Celeste. However, during dinner, he once again "ran into "**Celeste** and her family.

Ivan and Adeline warmly invited him and his friend to eat with them.

After learning that he was from the Gibson family, Ivan curiously asked, “What made you suddenly decide **to come** back and develop your career here?”

Thinking of the original reason he returned, Kieran paused slightly in his movements before replying, “I’ve always been very interested in YodaVision’s programming language Cuap and their latest project, Infinite-CM, **so** I came back to join the company and learn.”

Ivan, Adeline, and Betty were all aware of Celeste’s involvement with YodaVision.

Upon hearing this, they all smiled subtly and glanced at Celeste. Meanwhile, Celeste just quietly lowered her head and continued eating.

Kieran, however, didn’t think too much of it.

Celeste was indeed very capable professionally.

But from what he had gathered, she had only joined YodaVision last year. But Cuap had already existed for many years. Moreover, the outside world always credited Cuap’s development to Zachary.

To the industry, it made perfect sense that such a powerful language was developed by Zachary.

As for YodaVision’s latest project, Infinite-CM, Kieran genuinely believed it was being led by Matthias.

Since joining YodaVision, Kieran had interacted with Matthias in a few meetings. From those limited interactions, he could tell Matthias was indeed highly skilled in his field.

But since they hadn’t interacted deeply, Kieran couldn’t really compare who was more capable—Matthias or Celeste. That said, from what he observed at work, it seemed Celeste was always assisting Matthias.

So, he also assumed that Matthias was professionally stronger than Celeste.

The Rodriguez family was gracious, warm, and engaging in conversation. After dinner, Kieran was left with a good impression of everyone.

But once the meal ended, Celeste and her family left the scenic area and headed home. Seeing them go, Kieran and his friends didn’t linger much longer either.

The next day, Celeste received another call from Jordyn. She was getting ready to return to the country.

She said, “Mom, Dad won’t be back for another two to three days. Do you have time? I want to come see you and Granny when I get back.”

Celeste remembered how Betty had mentioned Jordyn a few times over the past few days. So, after two seconds of silence, she said, “Come on over.”

On the last day of the holiday, after returning to the country Jordyn went straight to the Rodriguez residence. She’d even brought gifts for Celeste and the rest of the family.

Betty, Ivan, and his family were delighted with the presents

Celeste noticed that in Jordyn’s suitcase, aside from the gifts for them, there were two that hadn’t been given out.

It was obvious they were prepared for Trevor and Wynn.

Celeste calmly looked away.

After distributing the gifts, the excitement from traveling wore off, and fatigue set in. Still reluctant to part from Celeste, Jordyn snuggled into her arms before falling asleep, hugging her tightly around the waist.

She hadn’t even showered.

But seeing how tired she looked and how soundly she was sleeping, Celeste didn’t wake her. After she fell asleep, Celeste gently moved her to the bed.

The next morning, before work, Celeste dropped her off at school. She didn’t ask when Trevor would be back.

Three days after the May Day holiday ended, Trevor returned to the country. But he didn’t contact Celeste. Instead, he reached out to Jordyn.

After speaking with him on the phone, Jordyn said to Celeste, “Mom, Dad said he’s coming to pick me up soon.”

Celeste replied, “Okay.”

Jordyn was still a little reluctant to leave the Rodriguez family, but Trevor had said he missed her. So, even though she didn’t want to leave Celeste, she had to go back with him.

Half an hour later, Trevor arrived.

Celeste walked to his car, holding Jordyn’s hand.

Trevor got out of the car, looked at her, and said, “Thank you for taking care of her these past few days.”

Celeste didn't respond. Instead, she turned to Jordyn and said, "Jo, I need to talk to your dad for a moment. Get in the car first."

Jordyn glanced at them and said, "Okay." Then, she obediently got into the car.

Once Trevor shut the car door, Celeste finally spoke. "Jo is only six years old. You really felt comfortable letting her travel so far with just bodyguards?"

Before he could respond, she continued coldly, "I don't know why you trust those bodyguards so much, but I don't want something like this to happen again."

When she finished, she expected him to argue. But he simply looked at her and replied, "Okay, I understand."

Celeste paused and didn't say anything else.

Trevor then added, "We'll head back now. You should get some rest."

Celeste said nothing and turned to go back into the house.