

Be Gentle 2061

Chapter 2061

The brother and sister were emotionally connected. Ray knew what was on Vivian's mind. A gust of cold wind blew past them after they sent off Luke. Vivian had not put on any coats or hats. Her hair was messy now.

Ray took his coat off and draped it over her shoulders.

"Stop overthinking. I decided to take over the family matters. This is what a man should do. And all you have to do is live your life," said Ray. The brother and sister were supposed to carry the responsibilities of their family on their shoulders.

However, Vivian was not the kind of person who could take a firm stance with others. She would get bullied if she were to take over their family matters.

Hence, Ray started to take charge of various kinds of matters from the elders of the family after he graduated.

It felt warm to have the coat on, and Vivian smiled. It seemed like she had gotten over the heartbreak of leaving Gordan.

Although she still missed him, she was doing much better now.

"Let's go into the house. It's cold out here." Vivian knew Ray was not a sentimental person, but he comforted her again and again. He wanted to lighten the burden in her heart.

"Sure." Ray nodded. The brother and sister turned around and returned to the house.

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In the hotel suite.

Luca looked at the full bodysuit in her luggage, then she glanced at the floor plan on the laptop.

she came to Russia, she had brought a full bodysuit along with her after remembering that this was where the main stronghold of the Island of Despair was. Hence, she might be assigned a mission.

Wearing other clothes would get in her way and cause

fully prepared, but she did not expect that she would really need the

glanced at the time. Although she would only start at around one a.m., she was not the only one on this mission. She would have to discuss with the others how they were going to carry out the

picked up the clothes and changed into them. Then, she put on a thick, warm-down jacket to keep herself warm. When she was about to leave, Luke pushed the door and walked in. He had come back from Ray's

Crawford, you're back." Luca did not expect Luke to return this early. After all, Ray had caught someone from the Island of Despair after he broke into the house. She thought Luke must have headed to Ray's place because of this matter.

all, Ray had a strong influence in Russia. She believed that he had already figured out the identities of the four people who were caught and detained in the police

was unable to know everything about them, he had the solution with him now. He should have known that those people were from the Island of

you going out?" Luke asked when he saw that Luca was all dressed up. Her mission was supposed to take place around one a.m., right? There were a few more hours left. She was going out

friend in Russia knows that I'm here, so she said she'd like to meet me," Luca lied to

did not expose her lies and said, "Do you need the hotel car to send you

her head. It would only make things difficult if she asked the hotel's driver to send her. She said, "There's a subway station near the hotel. I'll just take the subway. The subway in Russia is quite convenient."

"Alright." Luke did not insist, and he walked into his *room*.

Luca let out a sigh of relief when Luke did not continue to question her. She carried her bag and left the suite.

Luke's door was left unlocked. He could hear the sound of Luca leaving the suite. He informed Gale to follow behind Luca **immediately**.

Ray told him to leave everything to Hansen and Hansen would handle everything **well**.

However, Luke would go the extra mile when it was about Luca's matters. Even though someone else would get it done, he was **still worried**.

After a while, Hansen shared Luca's location with Luke.

Luca headed to the subway station after she left the hotel. She found herself a place to stand and wait after she got into the subway.

Luke was keeping a close watch on Luca's whereabouts.

Luke opened the map of Russia on his phone. He could see Luca getting closer to the police station according to **the location**.

Luke thought that she should not be acting alone this time. She must be meeting those who would be carrying out the mission with **her**.

After Luca reached the subway station near the police station, she left the subway and headed to an inn. She told the receptionist the number of the room, and the receptionist threw the room card at her while muttering, "What the hell are you guys doing? Why are there so many people staying in *one room*?"

not answer her. She took the room card and headed to the elevator. She swiped the card, and the elevator moved

arrived at the room and swiped the card to enter. Before she could see the people in the room, one of them came throwing a punch at her.

swift in response. She stopped the person from punching her with her elbows. She was able to get a glance at the person who attacked her. She realized it was the woman who led her the way when she was in the beauty salon.

looked at her resentfully and scolded, "You b*tch! Go

to let her get away with it. The woman attacked her with another hand. Luca lifted her leg and kicked her. "Are you

sent the woman flying, and she fell to the floor. She lifted her head. The fury in her eyes was so overwhelming that it almost took over

have gotten arrested if you hadn't betrayed the organization! I'm going to kill you!" The woman would rather risk death just to tear the woman in front of her

had already informed everyone in the organization that Luca had betrayed the organization. Everyone knew that the reason the mission failed this time was because of Luca's

organization did not plan to rescue those who were caught. They were only asked to gather here to retrieve the weapons in the evidence room at the police station.

of them who were arrested were bound to be abandoned by the organization.

woman got very emotional. She was dying to kill Luca, who was in front

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"What did I tell you when we were on our way here? It's all Boss' arrangement. If you insist on taking revenge, then you should consider leaving. You can seek revenge on her after this." The man stared at Luca.

Who was she?

She betrayed the organization, yet she was still standing here, unharmed.

According to past practice, those who betrayed the organization would end up dead. Even if the betrayer managed to escape from the Island of Despair, they would not be able to live for long.

However, their boss gave her a chance to make up for her mistake instead of going after her and killing her.

That was why the man dared not to do anything to her.

The woman glared at Luca with hatred.

She dared not to mess things up when the man mentioned Abel. She showed Luca an obscene hand gesture and said, "Wait for it. I'll seek revenge on behalf of Jake."

Luca remained calm as she looked around the room.

The inn was nothing like a five-star hotel. She was able to see the end of the room with just a glance.

Other than the man who stopped the woman from fighting, there was another man who was sitting on the sofa. He was only watching them, not concerned about what had happened.

There would be four of them including Luca.

"Is everyone here?" Luca ignored what the woman said. It was not the time to provoke each other now.

"There are only four of us this time. Everyone is here. I'm the commander of the team for this mission. My codename is Wolf." The man came over and glanced at Luca.

been assigned to carry out missions around the world over the years. He was not sure about Luca's identity.

were not sure who Luca was either and why Boss had given her another

introduced herself as she sized the man in front of her

members of the Island of Despair all used fake names, those who had a codename had a higher

rankings on the Island of Despair were sorted based on the number of missions and their difficulty.

When a person had accumulated a certain number of completed missions, their name would be listed in the world's killer organization. Then, they would give them a

time, Abel even sent such a character here to join the mission. It looked like he was determined to retrieve those weapons in the

was not only just

that many things in the evidence room might be useful to Abel. Perhaps he was only using the excuse of retrieving the weapons back to get something

would Abel send a hotshot

As the commander of the mission, although his team members were lacking unity, he introduced to her, "This is Klein, and that's Eira."

Luca nodded without greeting them.

could not be bothered to greet each other even if they were on the Island of Despair.

here. Let's start planning," said Wolf. As the leader of the team, he had to make his team members who were dissatisfied with each other listen to his

could go wrong

"*Brother Wolf*, you should be careful. This woman doesn't look like someone who can be messed with. If she can betray Jake, then she's going to betray you too. Perhaps she has already discussed it with the police officers and they're waiting for us to go over. We'll end up like sitting ducks." Eira looked at Luca scornfully, refusing to let go of her clenched **fists**.

If it had not been for the mission and Wolf stopping her, Eira would have torn this woman into pieces to seek revenge for **Jake**.

Wolf turned to look at Luca.

Luca did not intend to start a fight or explain herself even though Eira spoke ill of her.

Wolf could not help but be vigilant. After all, if this woman could betray Jake, she could betray them as *well*.

Although Jake and the others got caught, they were brought back to the police station with their hands cuffed because of *their arrogance*.

This time, their target would be the police station. There was a chance that they might end up like Jake and the others no matter how careful they **were**.

Wolf thought to himself that even though Boss had assigned him the mission and arranged for Luca to join the team, he still had to stay *on guard*.

"Alright. Stop doubting. This was how Boss arranged it. Let's just each pull our weight." Wolf was working on the computer, projecting the image of the floor plan of the police station onto the wall.

"**This** is the floor plan of the police station. And here are the photos of the surveillance cameras. The surveillance cameras in the evidence room and the security facilities are here too. What do you think?" Wolf was trying to gather their **opinions**.

Luca found herself a chair and sat down, keeping a distance away from them. She **remained silent**.

She did not propose any ideas. It was because no matter what she said, the three of them would never *believe her*.

She had betrayed the Island of Despair after all...

at Klein and his cavalier attitude as though he thought that the mission would be easy this time. He did not seem to be taking it

for Eira, she kept on staring at Luca.

sat there and gave him a look that seemed to say she would leave the decision to them.

no choice but to say, "Since no one has any idea about it, then I'll share my plan.

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On the other hand.

Gale followed Luca into the inn, he gave the receptionist some money and made up an excuse. The receptionist told him which room Luca

the receptionist to give him the room next to the one where

he walked into the room, he informed Luke about

to him after reading his message:

looked at the wall and frowned. How was he going to eavesdrop... He did not get the equipment ready in

man beside Gale asked, "What did Boss

asked us to eavesdrop on their conversation. But we didn't prepare the equipment in advance. Even if the soundproofing here is bad, we probably can't hear anything," said Gale. He opened his backpack and took a listening device out of

did not make advanced preparations, he could only make do with this.

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Gale was left speechless when remembered how he had made up an excuse just now to make the receptionist tell him which room Luca was in.

Due to the concern and curiosity of the receptionist, Gale could only bite the bullet and reply, "I've thought about it. I shouldn't disturb her."

The receptionist looked at him with sympathy and said, "You're a good man, and you're good-looking. Don't be sad. She doesn't deserve you. If you can't stand it any longer, you'll definitely be able to find a better woman."

"..." Gale looked at the receptionist. He was so awkward that he only wanted to find a place to bury himself. "Uh, please don't let my wife know about this. I still love her."

The receptionist felt sorry and looked at him as though she was looking at a faithful, good man. "Alright, sir. I know what to do."

Gale had been on the line with Rain so that they could communicate with each other conveniently. Rain heard everything the receptionist said to Gale, and she could not help but tease him, "Gale, if Boss finds out that you've been defaming Sis, do you have any idea how he's going to deal with you?"

"Shut up. If Boss finds out about this I'm not going to let you get away with it." Gale left the inn and threatened Rain with a low voice to stop her from telling others about this.

"Don't worry. I won't tell, but your excuse is just too much," said Rain. She wondered why Gale would make up an excuse when this could be settled with money.

Not only was Gale smearing his name, but he was smearing Luca's name too.

"I had to. And I'm sending you the photo of the surroundings of the police station now. Take your time to analyze which route they'll be taking tonight," said Gale as took his glasses out of his pocket and put them on.

There was a mini spy camera attached to the glasses. Everywhere he saw would be captured and filmed. Hence, even if he walked to the entrance of the police station, the police officers would not find out what he was doing.

Rain, who was on the other end of the line, stopped teasing him and became serious as she got down to two of them were perfect partners when they cooperated. Gale walked across the streets nearby and the surroundings of the police station.

a photo of all the surveillance cameras near the police station without leaving even one

snow was falling, and not many people were on the
filmed everything, he walked toward an RV nearby and knocked on the
door opened and Rain said, "Come in. I've finished analyzing every
fast?" Gale climbed into the car and closed the door.

system Adrian developed works pretty well. It only takes a few minutes to process a bunch of photos,"
replied Rain. Adrian was one of

a lot of software, and Luke would buy useful ones from him for personal

We have to find out where Sis and the others will be breaking into the police station," said Gale. He
picked up one of the tablets and opened the processed photos.

think they'll be taking the west entrance," said Rain. "I noticed that even though the west entrance is far
from the evidence room, there are fewer surveillance cameras compared to the other places. I don't
think they'll choose somewhere with lots of surveillance cameras to get into the police station.
Otherwise, they'll be getting themselves in

"Are you sure about that?" Gale looked at the photos and compared them to the floor **plan**.

"Do you have another opinion?" Rain would like to listen to his opinions.

"Have you noticed that? This building is next to the police station. The distance between them is less
than three feet. Both of us can jump over with this distance." Gale pointed at one of the photos.

The photo showed the distance between the police station and the building next to it. According to the
computer-based analysis, the distance between the two was not even **three feet**.

"**Do** you mean the rooftop?" Rain tapped on the tablet with her fingers. What Gale said *made sense*.

After all, there were barely any surveillance cameras on the rooftop. As long as they were able to break
into the building next door and get onto the rooftop, they would be able to sneak in without
anyone **noticing**.

"I think that's possible," said Gale.

"It's convenient for them, but—" Rain insisted, saying, "Let's keep an eye on *both sides*."

"Sure." Gale nodded and agreed with her. He thought his speculation would be **correct**.

In the inn.

finished telling them his plans, he turned to look at the three of them and said, "That's all. Is there
anything you'd like to suggest? Perhaps you can share with us if you have a

his hand. He said lazily, "Wolf, we have enough men and weapons with us. Is there a need to make it so
troublesome? Why don't we just go in and attack

police station," Wolf reminded Klein, who did not take the police officers seriously, with a serious tone. "If the Russian police were easy to deal with, why couldn't Jake and the others escape and let themselves get arrested

could not keep herself calm any longer when Jake's name was mentioned. "It's because that b*tch tipped the target off. Otherwise, Jake and the others wouldn't have gotten arrested."

your words. Who tipped the target off?" Luca narrowed her eyes, pulling a straight face.

it's you. You're still denying it, huh? I'm gonna rip your throat out! Let's see if you'll admit it then!" Eira stood

my throat out won't make your lover come back here." Luca sat on the chair. Her posture had never changed. She ignored what Eira said to her about wanting to take revenge on her.

you!" Eira thought of heading straight

"Eira, sit down!" Wolf scolded her.

around, glanced at Wolf, and said with dissatisfaction, "Didn't you hear what she said? Why are you still speaking up for her?"

care about the others. I'm only concerned about the mission," Wolf said seriously. "Klein, what do you think about Jake getting caught? Other than someone tipping the target off, Jake was way too arrogant. Otherwise, why would he choose to fight with a bunch of people while carrying a gun? Then, he and the others ended up battered and bruised. They were caught red-handed by the police officers. He had so many chances to escape. He didn't leave just because he was carrying a weapon. If he wasn't that prideful, he would have escaped."

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Luca stood up right after Wolf finished talking.

Wolf saw that Luca was about to head outside and asked immediately, "Where are you going?"

"I'm going out for a walk." Luca thought of going out to observe the surroundings of the police station. She could only see a small part of the police station from the window now. It did not help with the plan.

She would rather scope out the area than do some empty talking.

"Don't let her go." Eira stood up and looked at Luca resentfully. "If she goes out, she'll surely tip the police officers off. By the time we arrive there, there'll be a bunch of police officers waiting for us."

What Eira said was pretty much what Wolf had in mind too.

However, he was not as aggressive as Eira was and had no intention of seeking revenge on Luca for Jake.

Even so, he was still suspicious of Luca, so he said, "There are only a few hours left until the mission starts. Stay here. Don't cause any problems."

Luca chuckled. She was sure that the reason they refused to let her go out was that they suspected her.

"If I wanted to tip them off, I would've done it earlier. You didn't even confiscate my phone." She looked at the three of them coldly.

Wolf was shocked. How could such an important matter slip through his mind?

If he suspected someone, he would usually ask that person to hand their phone to him. Only then would they discuss the plan. However, Wolf did not even think of confiscating Luca's phone ever since Luca came in.

It was Eira's fault. He was taken by surprise when Eira swung a punch at Luca the moment Luca stepped into the room. The incident made him the peacemaker. At the same time, he forgot about such an important matter.

betrayed you, the police would already know about your plan," said Luca. "Will it make a difference whether you let me out or keep me here?"

out and said, "Hand over your

important things kept in Luca's phone. Luca did not listen to his instructions to hand her phone to him. Instead, she asked, "Would I keep the evidence in my phone if I had really betrayed

a little annoyed. Every word she said seemed to be mocking him for not thinking things

at Luca with his blue eyes and warned, "Stop playing tricks. Otherwise, don't blame me for killing you before Boss does. I'll just inform Boss after

no need for me to push myself to my death. Abel doesn't trust me anymore. If I betray the organization again this time, how much longer will I have to live even if I'm protected by the police?" Luca wanted him to understand that it was impossible for her to betray the organization

true that she would not be able to survive. Wolf thought to himself that not everyone would be given a second chance like

would have also drunk the poison before leaving the island. Even if she was protected by the police, she would still need the antidote every month. Without the antidote, she would still end up

Wolf pulled his hand back.

grabbed the door handle and said, "I'm going out to see what's the situation. I'll try to improve your plan when I'm back."

she pulled the door open and

stomped her feet angrily when Wolf let Luca out. She said, "Wolf, you'll regret letting her out!"

"She won't do anything to cause trouble." Wolf fell back in his chair and lit a *cigarette*.

"How can you be sure about that?" Eira was still doubting Luca. She had betrayed the Island of Despair before, so Eira did not believe her.

"I can see the will to live in her eyes. This will be her last chance." Wolf took a puff of the cigarette. He could feel Luca's strong desire to stay alive when he looked into her eyes earlier.

She wanted to stay alive, and her only chance was to complete the mission.

Eira looked at Wolf smoking his cigarette calmly. She pursed her lips and picked up the stuff beside her before heading to the door.

"Where are you going?" Wolf stood up and stopped her.

"You trust her, but I don't. I have to follow her." Eira glared at him. She would never trust a person who had betrayed the organization before.

If they were betrayed this time, she would be arrested by the police. It would be impossible to save Jake by then.

Wolf blocked her at the door and said, "I'm the commander of the mission this time. You have to listen to me."

"*Will you* be able to bear the responsibility if she hands us to the police?" Eira glowered at him and insisted on following Luca.

"*Are you* doubting my decision?" Wolf frowned while he looked at her *fiercely*.

He had completed many missions without fail. Hence, he would not fail this **time**.

loosened her jaw muscles. She became anxious when Wolf insisted on blocking the door. She said without thinking, "Is it because she has a pretty face and you have something else in mind?"

who had remained silent, laughed after he heard Eira say that. He said, "You've got a point. Who doesn't like pretty faces, huh? Am I

Wolf gave Klein a dirty look. What an idiotic man. If it were not for Abel's instructions, he would never have brought someone like him to carry out a mission.

knew was to party and have fun. He was a

pouted and shrugged his shoulders indifferently as he replied, "Just take it as nonsense,

turned to look at Eira, "Do you think I have no idea what you have in mind? Even if you follow her, your fighting skills are no match for her. No one will be able to help you if you get into trouble

ashamed when Wolf stated the undeniable fact she knew deep down in her

her lip and said, "It'll be too late by the time that woman really betrays

to the sofa sulkily after

As for Klein...

did not say anything when he looked at how arrogant he was. He only hoped Klein would not mess up this

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It was the same question again, and Gale withdrew his gaze. He continued to study the floor plan sent by Luke to compare it to the photos of the surroundings. "We still need to do more research on this."

"You really didn't hear anything in the hotel?" Rain asked again.

Gale shook his head. "I couldn't hear what they were saying. Their voices weren't very loud either."

As Luca walked away, Rain lowered her gaze. "Then, we have to continue researching."

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It was nightfall.

After Luca had collected the photos of the surrounding environment, she returned to the hotel and sat there the entire time.

Wolf and Klein were not talkative people. They just fidgeted with what was in their hand. Meanwhile, Eira had been staring at Luca so intensely she almost burned a hole through her head.

Luca did not care about her malicious gaze.

She could understand her behavior.

If anyone were to hurt Luke, she reckoned that she would be much more ruthless than Eira.

What surprised her even more was the fact that there was a couple like Eira and Jake on the Island of Despair.

Judging from how Eira treated her, she could tell that she was very close with Jake.

Not many people had emotions on the Island of Despair.

Most of the men there regarded women as prey, while the rest of them did not have any interest in women.

the women on the Island of Despair, they had to be strong enough to protect themselves. Otherwise, they would be preyed on by the

no humanity whatsoever. He often preached that the weak were the prey of the strong, so it was no surprise that he would just disregard the safety of the

dragged past, and Luca grew indescribably uneasy as she watched time pass slower and

was time to

up and opened the cabinet. He took out a bag that was half the size of a human and threw it on the

Eira and Klein stood up simultaneously.

opened the bag and said, "The weapons given to us for this mission are all in here. Pick the one you like

at the weapons in the bag and frowned. "They're all so

want advanced ones? They're in the evidence room in the police station. Retrieve them and you can use them for your next mission," Wolf said indifferently. As long as the weapons could still be used, it did not matter whether they were old or

clicked his tongue in disapproval. Their boss said that this was a very important mission, yet he was still so stingy with the choice of

would be no match for the Russian police's

chose a submachine pistol from the bag and held it in his hands. It seemed like it would be quite at Luca and found a black pistol in

stopped her. "Now is not the right time to take revenge. If this mission goes wrong, Jake's life will be at know what to do," said Eira through gritted teeth after she had her intentions seen through by *Wolf* let go and took a step back. He looked toward Luca. "*Your turn.*"

Luca took a glance at her phone and saw that it was already 12. Luke must already be **fast asleep**.

She was a little surprised that he had not called to ask where *she was*.

"Ivana?" Wolf noticed that she had no intention of picking a weapon, so he called her **name again**.

Luca finally came to her senses and walked over to the bag. Then, she picked a **whip**.

"That's it?" Wolf frowned. She picked a cold weapon to go up against the armed Russian *police*.

"I have this too..." Luca bent over and pulled out a dagger from her boots.

Eira laughed contemptuously. "As expected from an **outlander**."

Wolf insisted. "You should pick a *gun*."

"I don't need it," said Luca. Guns were fatal. Even if one was familiar with the structure of the human body, there were still too many uncertainties when *shooting*.

Even if she were to shoot at non-fatal body parts, the gunshot wound may still cause serious injuries because of the other party's movement. That was why she did not want a hot weapon.

Moreover, they were only after the few guns in the evidence room. They were not after lives.

"They have guns!" Wolf warned her.

"*I can* dodge the bullets," Luca said **faintly**.

"The other party has guns. How are you going to dodge the bullets?" Wolf was clearly in disbelief. This time, he just wanted the mission to be a success without her being *a hindrance*.

looked up and reminded him, "Four armed people barged into a restaurant with over ten people inside, but no one got shot

faced more than a dozen moving targets but failed to wound any

worst injury any of them had was someone who accidentally scratched themselves on glass shards when fighting the opponent.

left speechless as she was

four people on the Island of Despair, armed with the most advanced weapons, could not hurt a single can hide, then I can hide better than them. You can try me,”

try it, then! I'll see if you can dodge my pistol!” Eira could not stand listening to her mocking Jake and the others any longer, so she raised

Wolf berated as he looked at Eira who got so agitated that she drew her pistol after a small remark from at Luca. “She was the one who said she wanted to

an hour away from starting the mission. Are you really going to do this?” Wolf expected from a woman. She lost all her senses after being brainwashed by

Luca said was the truth. She never intended to ridicule Jake and just brought it up. Even so, it got Eira so worked up that she drew

as a member who was currently working with them on the same mission, what she did was

Klein also looked at Eira lazily.

around to face Eira's pistol. The shiny black muzzle was pointing at her, but she had no intention of

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Eira followed Klein out.

“Put your hand in mine.” Klein looked at Eira and thought that despite her bad temper, she still had a decent figure.

Although her looks were subpar compared to the woman who just walked out, they were good enough to just kill time with.

“What for?” Eira glared at him. She would gouge his eyes out if he dared to take advantage of her.

“We're supposed to act like a couple. Do you think we look like a couple right now?” Klein gestured at the both of them with an innocent look on his face.

Eira gave him a warning look. “If you dare make a move on me, I won't let it slide.”

“I've been with plenty of women, and you're not even up to my standards,” Klein said mockingly. Eira was indeed not his cup of tea, but as a tool to pass time, she was not bad.

Eira rolled her eyes as she considered herself not bad-looking.

The two walked out intimately while pretending to be a couple.

When she saw that there was no one on the streets, she stopped in her tracks.

Klein looked at her with confusion. "What are you doing?"

"I want to team up with you." Eira stared straight at him.

"To get rid of that girl, Ivana?" Klein could read her mind at once.

"Yes." Eira nodded. Ivana had betrayed the team and caused Jake to get locked up. After the mission, there was no way she would let her live.

chuckled and looked at her. "I'm only interested in women and money. What do you have?" he
her lip. She would never sell herself out as her heart belonged

for money, she had always been assigned to the main stronghold where she never took on any big
missions. Thus, she had no

don't have either, then forget it." Klein was not interested in doing charity work. Not to mention, Ivana
was pleasant to the eyes. It would do him no harm to keep her

completing the mission and returning to the Island of Despair, he could even have a love affair

have women, but it's not me. I can introduce you to the women I know." Eira bit her lip as she decided
to betray the people at the

were not from the Island of Despair, so no matter what Klein did to them, it would not cause any trouble
for

they pretty?" Klein put his hands in his pockets

They work at a beauty salon. If we succeed, all of the women there will be yours. I'll help you." Eira
looked

"Deal." Klein walked forward.

followed. "By success, I mean I want

The mission will be a success as long as she's dead, but you have to think this through. The boss gave
Ivana a second chance. If the boss comes asking questions after we get rid of her, the responsibility is on
you." Klein put all the blame on her even before they got the

Eira nodded in agreement as their boss only ever cared about results. He would not care about how
Ivana died as long as they completed

During her time on the Island of Despair, she had never seen their boss care about anyone's life
or *death*.

The two of them walked unhurriedly to the location set by Wolf. Luca was already standing there, tilting
her head up to look at the *falling snow*.

"Hmph." Eira was filled with rage just from looking at her, but she forcibly suppressed it for the sake of
their mission.

Luca raised her hand to take a glance at her wristwatch. It was 15 minutes to one in *the morning*.

She heard footsteps coming from behind her and looked back to see that it was *Wolf*.

"There are about 10 minutes left. Are you all clear about the plan?" Wolf looked at the other three whose shoulders were covered with snow. They had arrived earlier than **he did**.

"Yes," Eira and Klein replied in *unison*.

Wolf looked at Luca.

Luca nodded and said, "Try not to alert the Russian police during the mission."

"Pfft, what a coward," Eira mocked her.

Luca remained silent. She just wanted to avoid alerting the police and not get into trouble.

Wolf understood where she was coming from. He lowered his voice and said, "She has a point. The boss only wants what's inside. If we alert the police, it'll be hard for us to retrieve the items. Be careful when carrying out **the mission**."

The moment Wolf spoke, Eira had nothing else *to say*.

Eira looked away with a defiant look on her *face*.

don't have as much manpower as the police, so keep your guards up," Klein chimed in. He might like bloodshed, but he did not like the hassle

indeed a hassle to tackle so many

at the time and said, "It's time. I'll jump over first and fix the rope for

saying that, he took a few steps backward. Once he was far enough for the run-up, he sprinted and jumped forward with all his

to the plan, they were going to sneak in through the rooftop of the

help of the run-up, Wolf successfully jumped over to the opposite roof. He pulled the rope, fixed the hook in place, and gave the three people on the opposite side an 'OK'

of them climbed the rope and made it to the roof of the police station

were preparing to sneak in, but little did they know that there were already several pairs of eyes watching their every move from

said, "I've told you that they would sneak in through

rolled her eyes while gently shaking off the snow on her body. "Yeah, yeah, you're

boss." After saying that, Gale squatted down and spoke into the walkie-talkie, "Boss, Mrs—Dr. Craw has gone in through the roof of the

inside will assist them. If they alert the police by accident, you have to help them. But try your best not to reveal your identity," Luke

not want the Island of Despair to know that he already knew everything

Chapter 2067

Eira, who rarely carried out such missions, frowned and said impatiently, "Since there's no one here, can't we just rush into the evidence room and grab what the boss wants?"

"Can't you see the surveillance cameras? Do you have a death wish?" Klein looked back at her and wondered why the boss would send such an airhead to come with them on the mission.

She was going to drag them down!

Eira was startled. She did not expect the man who agreed to cooperate with her to be so mean now.

She did not dare speak to speak anymore as she was inexperienced in this area.

While they were talking, Luca was busy brainstorming. She soon came up with an idea. "Where are the changing rooms in the police station?" Luca brought it up to the others.

Her words brought Wolf to his senses.

If they could not find anyone to swap clothes with, there were still plenty of uniforms in the police station's changing rooms for them to change into.

"I remember. Follow me." Wolf remembered the floor plan of this place like the back of his hand.

The three of them followed Wolf closely while keeping an eye on their surroundings to avoid getting caught on the surveillance cameras.

They walked into the changing room, and Wolf heaved a sigh of relief as no police officers were around. If there were police officers in here, they would have had a hard time.

"Hurry up and get changed," Wolf said, urging them.

Klein walked up to one of the lockers and opened it. He took out a set of clothes and put it on.

Upon seeing that, Luca realized that she certainly could not fit in the men's clothes.

in Russia generally had a larger build, so she had no choice but to look for a locker with a woman's name found one and opened

immediately reached over and snatched the clothes inside. "These are

Luca glanced at her. She did not bother arguing because she knew Eira did it on

was not the right time to get into an argument. Luca found another locker with a woman's name on it and took out the uniform. After unbuttoning the jacket, she wore the uniform over her

uniform was a size small, it was still a little too big for Luca. Hence, she could still fit in the uniform without taking her

watched from the sidelines, had a disappointed look on

had thought that he would get the chance to take a look at

the four of them had changed into the uniforms, Wolf glanced at the time. "We need to hurry up and go to the

of them followed behind him with uniforms and hats as their disguise. They casually walked past several surveillance cameras like it was nothing and arrived at the evidence

room was locked with a combination

Wolf gave Klein a look, Klein stepped forward and planted a machine next to the lock. A few seconds later, the lock

Luca saw everything.

of Despair may not have equipped them with the best weapons, but they sure did provide them with advanced

Wolf pushed the door open and walked in.

Luca followed them in without uttering a word.

The evidence room was huge. Wolf started assigning positions after entering. "Eira, you search rows one and two; Klein, you search rows three, four, *and five.*"

Luca listened to him assign positions to everyone except her, so she asked, "What *about me?*"

"**You** follow me." Wolf did not let her *search alone.*

Luca knew that he did not trust **her**.

She kept quiet and followed behind Wolf.

"Found it." Klein's voice came from the next row. Luca turned around and saw him holding a large black bag.

Judging from the size of the bag, it did not look like it was for weapons. She frowned and realized that they were not only looking for *weapons.*

The evidence room of the police station contained more than just weapons. It also contained many items seized from other **criminals.**

Luca was silent. She had a bad feeling as she looked at the black *bag.*

"**Good job.** Keep on searching." Wolf nodded and glanced at Luca. She should know by now that the boss was after more than *just weapons.*

Luca continued to follow him forward.

taking two steps, she saw the weapons on

to it was a bag filled with evidence. Wolf picked it up and poured everything out. Then, he put all four weapons into

found weapons on my side. There are two items left. We need to move faster,"

Klein's and Eira's voices sounded at the same

up and took a glance at the position of the

they were wearing uniforms, the police officer on duty in the monitoring room might find it unusual that they were recklessly searching

On the other hand.

in front of the computer as he watched the surveillance footage. He frowned and said, "These people are not only taking

we notify the boss, then?" asked another person. Their people had already hacked into the police station's system earlier and replaced the

surveillance footage the police officers were watching right now showed that nobody was in the evidence room. The actual situation in the evidence room was displayed on

no use telling the boss. They're already inside. We can't suddenly suspend their operation." Hansen decided not to tell

their operation would put Luca in grave danger. The purpose of them doing this was to protect

he told Ray, he would not let them suspend this operation

they're allowed to leave just like this, how unfortunate would it be for the cops inside?" The man sighed. They somehow lost a bunch of evidence, yet they could not even catch the culprits. Could they get any

Chapter 2068

"I know." Luca noticed Eira and Klein exchanging looks with each other.

They must have planned something. Moreover, Eira hated her. Hence, Luca guessed that this plan had something to do with her.

It was just that Wolf's arrangement had prevented them from carrying out the plan.

Wolf nodded and looked at Klein. "Let's go."

"Okay." Klein carried two bags and left with Wolf.

Eira stared viciously at Luca while clenching both her fists.

Luca glanced at the two who left, then looked at Eira in front of her. "What? Wanna fight?"

Eira wanted to, but before Wolf had gone far, he warned her once again. "Eira, don't stir up any trouble. Think about Jake."

"Hmph." Eira turned around and left.

Luca followed behind her as the four of them left the building.

Gale sat in the RV and heaved a sigh of relief when he saw Luca walk out. They got what they wanted without getting into danger.

“She’s out. Inform Boss to reassure him,” he said.

“Okay.” Rain picked up the phone and sent a message to Luke, informing him that Luca had come out.

Luke sat in the car as he looked at Rain’s message.

only a block away from the

Hansen, Gale, and the others were keeping an eye on her, he was still worried. He was even willing to expose himself to save Luca should the need

to the hotel,” ordered

Boss.” Jason had rented a car from a car dealership and sent Luke here, ready to assist him at

hearing Luke’s order, he knew that Luca

was a good thing it was a success. Otherwise, based on how much Luke cared about her, there was no telling what he would have done if she were in

on the gas and drove back to the

done on Luca’s side, so they had to reach the hotel before

sat in the car and replied to Rain, “Keep her

Boss. We’ll protect her.” After Rain gave him a reply, she put down the phone and sighed. “Boss indeed loves

Good thing Sis is back,”

did not return, Luke would be so lonely. Even if he had all the money and power in the world, he would be like an abandoned lonely soul with no purpose

down the computer and picked up the phone to see the moving red dot, which showed the location of the people following Luca. They were moving, but no news came from them. It meant that things were going

we head straight back to the hotel or follow the red dot?” Rain glanced at the red dot on the

“Let’s follow the red dot just to be safe,” said Gale as he stood up, intending to drive back to the hotel.

They stayed at a different hotel from Luke as Luca would easily find out if they all stayed at the same place. However, their hotel was not far from Luke’s, so they were heading in the same direction as the red dot **anyway**.

“You drive. I’m exhausted today.” Rain sat there, not wanting to move.

“No problem.” Gale drove the RV and followed the red **dot**.

Luca was unaware that three people were following her. She hailed a night taxi and returned to **the hotel**.

It was almost three in **the morning**.

She walked into the hotel lobby. Except for the front desk on duty and the security guard, everything else was **extremely quiet**.

Luca swiped her card and went upstairs. When she reached the door of her room, she could not help *but freeze*.

From the moment she left the hotel until now, Luke had not called her, nor did she receive any messages from him. She wondered if he was waiting for **her inside...**

Luca was hoping that he had fallen asleep. Otherwise, it would be difficult for her to explain why she came back **so late**.

She mustered up the courage to swipe her card and carefully opened the door like a child who came home late. She was afraid that she would be interrogated for coming back so late.

She did not want to tell another lie to deceive *Luke*.

Only a small night light was left on in the suite's living room as if it was waiting for her **late return**.

the night light as the only source of light, Luca did not see

a sigh of relief and walked toward the door of Luke's room. The door was closed. It seemed like he was closed the main door, trying hard not to make a single sound from

tiptoed back to her room, and the moment she shut the door, she felt like she could finally

she did not have to face him after doing such things. It was a good thing she did not have to continue making up

she faced Luke, she felt like she had to use all her strength to lie. Each time after lying to him, her entire body would feel

took off the uniform she stole from the changing room. She did not dispose of the clothes when she was outside to avoid leaving evidence for the police as the clothes had come in contact with

hid the uniform in the innermost part of her suitcase and covered it with her

she did not know what else Abel had Wolf and the others take, she was thankful that they had not clashed with the police

got hurt, and she did not get

at the wall. The other side of this wall was Luke's room. If he knew about all the unspeakable things she had done, what would he think

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The following day.

Russian media were scrambling to cover these two

Chapter 2069

"There's no need to cook tonight. We have to attend M Group's dinner party," Luke reminded her as he sat down and picked up a knife and a fork.

If the signing was successful, there would definitely be a dinner party to attend.

Luca was startled for a moment before she nodded. "Alright."

As for dinner parties, Jason was already used to them. Not much needed to be said,

The three of them had breakfast in silence.

After the news had finished reporting the theft of the police station's evidence room, they started reporting the signing ceremony held on that day between M Group and T Corporation.

The economic experts on the news analyzed the economic development and benefits that the signing between the two companies would bring. Luca silently listened while spreading peanut butter on her bread.

The signing between both companies was a good thing.

It would promote economic cooperation between the two countries as well as economic development, which would improve the living standards of the people. It was indeed a good thing.

However, a good deed like this would also infringe the rights of some people.

Luca lowered her gaze and ate her bread in silence.

Luke noticed that Luca was lost in thought, so he did not bring up what had happened yesterday. He did not ask her what time she came back either.

Jason followed Luke's instructions and asked, "Boss, did you have a good rest yesterday?"

Luca's heart thumped as she looked up at Luke.

did not seem to care about her whereabouts yesterday, nor did he ask about her late return. It was

picked up a slice of bread and spread a little bit of peanut butter on it. "Why are you

just worried that yesterday's wine was too strong and it affected your sleep."

a pretty good rest yesterday." Luke glanced at Luca. The moment their eyes met, she immediately lowered her

a drink with Jason

glad you had a good rest. I didn't expect that the wine Mr. Lacroix gave to be able to help you fall asleep," said Jason according to Luke's instructions. The purpose of doing this was to make Luca stop worrying about what had

The wine that Ray gave?

on their conversation, Luca guessed that they must have drunk last night. It was also because of the wine that Luke went to bed early. That was why he did not send her any messages, nor did he wait for her as

She heaved a sigh of relief.

the three of them changed into formal attire and set off to M Group along with Mr.

signing ceremony was of great importance to Marcos. He personally came downstairs to greet Luke when

journalists present held up their cameras to capture

were media outlets that arranged a global live broadcast specifically for

The signing ceremony went smoothly, and with the reporters as witnesses, Luke and Marcos signed their names on the contract at the same *time*.

This moment was also recorded in the global live broadcast.

When Pierre saw the moment Luke and Marcos shook hands, he smashed the cup in his hands against the wall.

Crash! A bodyguard looked over and silently walked to the wall to pick up the *shattered pieces*.

The second son of the Mallory family loved smashing things whenever he was in a bad mood.

Thank goodness, this cruise ship could withstand *his torment*.

“Why are you cleaning up the mess? Get out!” Pierre was furious when he saw the bodyguard squatting there to clean up.

The bodyguard picked up the tray beside him to put the broken pieces of glass on it. He said dully, “Second Young Master, if I don’t clean this up, someone will **get hurt**.”

Pierre stood up, the wrath in his eyes making him look crazy as he threatened the bodyguard. “Believe it or not, say one more word and I’ll stab these broken pieces of glass into your **neck!**”

The bodyguard shut his mouth and stopped talking.

Pierre was a man of his words. Although his boss was Percy, if Pierre did anything to him, there was no guarantee that he would get fair and just **treatment**.

Percy was his brother, after all.

The bodyguard silently left with the tray, intending to dispose of the discarded glass, lest Percy used the shards to hurt others.

Aside from them, there were also some resident employees on the *cruise ship*.

over and saw the bodyguard holding a tray. He took a closer look and saw the broken glass on

he smash this?” asked Percy. Ever since he forced Pierre to get on the cruise ship so they could go back home, the man had never once

how much the stuff in this cruise ship cost, as long as he was in a bad mood, he would destroy them all one

now realized how messed up his brother

watching the live broadcast of the signing between T Corporation and M Group, he became furious..." the bodyguard said in a

these properly. Don't let him use these things to hurt others when he goes crazy," Percy reminded it." The bodyguard left with

open the door of the cruise ship and saw Pierre venting his anger on a bottle

was holding a bottle opener but could not get the bottle to open. He was so angry that he almost slammed it on

advise you not to do that," Percy said in a cold

saw him walking over and forcefully smashed the wine bottle on the

shattered everywhere. The bottle was smashed in half. More than half of the wine inside spilled onto the table and

had always been this provocative. He poured the remaining wine into his mouth without caring about the injuries on his hand from the broken

Chapter 2070

Percy was getting frustrated from talking to Pierre. However, he was different from Pierre. He was sensible in all circumstances, even when he was provoked and raged.

"Stun him, tie him up, and bring him into the room," he said.

The bodyguard who just walked in did not know what was going on. He said quickly, "Boss, is that the best idea?"

"Tie him up!" Percy did not have the patience to deal with Pierre.

The bodyguards glanced at Pierre. Two of them gathered around him and said apologetically, "Don't mind us, Young Master Pierre."

Pierre looked at the approaching bodyguards and stepped on the chair angrily. "Percy, fight me if you're a man! How can you call yourself a man when you're getting two bodyguards to handle me?"

"You can't even fight against two of them. Do you think you're all that?" Percy said with a stern expression. "Pierre, I've been letting you off easily for so many years because you're my brother. I have bailed you out so many times, but you chose to put all that aside and continue causing trouble for Mallory Corporation. If I don't tie you up, who should I tie up?"

"You're opting to side with outsiders? You're nothing but a coward! I can't believe that you're afraid of Luke. I look down on you!" Pierre rolled up his sleeves and looked at the two approaching bodyguards, not intending to be subdued by Percy just like that.

He had to let him know that he was not one to be bullied!

Percy was fuming. He would have made a move long ago if Pierre were not his biological brother!

He would have gone all out as well.

"Do it." He ordered the bodyguards after seeing them hesitate.

felt as though he should bear part of the responsibility for Pierre becoming like this. If he had been stricter with Pierre when Madam Mallory spoiled him, he would not be as reckless as he was

bodyguards glanced at each other and took action on

about subduing Pierre without hurting him, but he put up a fight. They could not subdue Pierre without that all you got? You're nothing without drugs!" Pierre mocked them as

you doing?!" Percy's mood

two bodyguards gritted their teeth and had no choice but to go all out on Pierre. One controlled Pierre's hands and feet to withstand the force of his attack, while the other raised his hand and landed a slap on

blacked out, and his body

of the bodyguards caught him and carried him on his shoulders. "Boss, are you sure you want us to tie him

for what he breaks if you leave him with the ability to." Percy did not care what was broken on the cruise ship. He was just tired of Pierre yelling and shouting like a

would never think that everything Percy was doing was for his

insisted that Percy was siding

thought about how the Mallories would not gain anything if they fell out with the Crawfords. "What will Pierre get out of the

He looked as Pierre was carried out of the cabin by the bodyguards to the room. He said with a stern expression to an attendant standing in the corner, "You'll be responsible for delivering three meals a day to Pierre moving forward. Meet his demands for whatever it is that he wants to eat."

"I understood, Boss," the attendant bowed his head and **replied.**

Percy noticed that the entire cabin had been turned into a mess due to the fighting and frowned. He ordered the attendants, "Clean up *this place.*"

"Yes." Two attendants stepped forward and started to clean up.

Percy returned to his room and video **called Nina.**

Nina picked up the phone soon enough. A hint of disappointment appeared in her eyes when she saw the decorations behind Percy. "Are you still on *the cruise?*"

"Yeah, why? You miss me?" Percy saw Nina and knew she was thinking about him, which made him feel better.

"**No.** I have so much free time after you left. Why would I miss you?" Nina made a cheeky face at him, acting the opposite of how she felt.

"*Don't lie.* I'll have to punish you when I'm back. We'll see if you still dare to lie to me then." Percy smiled. It was not a matter of a day or two that she liked to be duplicitous with **him**.

"How long before you come back?" Nina could not help but ask when she heard the words 'come back'.

She did miss Percy, but she also knew that what he had to deal with at the moment was more important. As such, she did not stop him when Percy said he was going to Russia to bring Pierre *back*.

"**It's going** to be a while. Pierre is still putting up a fight, so I had to ask my men to take the longer route," Percy **said**.

had the cruise ship disembark later so that Pierre would have time to calm

Nina was a little disappointed, she also expressed her understanding. "Okay, make sure you take care of worry, I'm doing fine. I just miss you a lot." It was not that Percy did not want to bring Nina over. He just could not bring himself to do it no matter how much he missed her when he thought about what Pierre had done

well aware that Pierre had not given up on

don't know if you actually miss me..." Nina teased him by pretending to be

lying. Nina, you know that I speak the truth." Percy looked at her face and thought she

had taken him some time to make her a little fatter, but he did not expect that she would lose weight after he was away for a few days.

I know that you miss me." Nina smiled. She could see how serious Percy was through

felt her heart warm when she heard him speak so earnestly

"I tied Pierre up," Percy said.

was a little surprised but not too much. After all, she knew before that Percy had drugged Pierre to get him on

did you tie him up?" she asked since she had not heard of him tying Pierre