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Chapter 851 What Reason Do I Have to Refuse?

Jenny wanted to turn him down, but she was a bit hesitant. After all, she didn't exactly have any conflicts with Luke. It seemed rather unreasonable for her to refuse him outrightly. She thought she shouldn't let Alec affect her that much.

As she thought about it, Luke continued, "Jenny, Walter Inc and Faust Group haven't tried collaborating over the years. I happen to have a good project in hand now. Why don't you consider it?"

"Since you put it that way, what reason do I have to refuse you?" Jenny agreed with a polite smile. It was also at that moment she realized the reason why she didn't like Luke.

Luke was the kind of person who would not give up until he achieved his goal, and to do that, he wouldn't bat an eye when resorting to unscrupulous means. That was why

Jenny instinctively disliked him.

as Luke had mentioned, both families had never worked together before. If he really had a good project in hand, Jenny wouldn't mind having a

with her, given her status. Jenny didn't refuse and got into Luke's car,

was part of her own company and

her a headache, so she thought it was better not to inform them. Though Jenny didn't want the two of them to know she was having a meal with Luke, it was futile because they were both well- informed. As soon as Jenny

them had unpleasant expressions

get into contact with Luke unnecessarily. But since Jenny got into his car, Luke must have said something Jenny couldn't refuse. It made

long after Jenny and Luke arrived at the restaurant, Alec and Evan also arrived one after

them had ill intentions toward Jenny. If they were abroad, he would have made those

the car window. Evan lowered his car window, and upon seeing that it was

Chapter 852 No Ordinary Person

In the face of Evan's mockery, Alec was unfazed. He approached Evan because he had something to discuss with him and not to argue or pick a fight.

After Evan was done speaking, Alec asked, "Does it matter which fool it is? What matters is whether they'll cause you trouble, don't you think?"

Evan frowned and stared at Alec for a while before smiling. "What are you trying to say?"

Alec wouldn't approach him for no reason. There must be a purpose behind his action; he couldn't have come up to him simply for an idle chat.

"Why don't you help me deal with Xavier?" Alec smiled, and from his tone, it sounded more like he wanted to discuss the matter rather than ask him a favor.

by Alec's words. He looked at him for a while, and after confirming that Alec wasn't joking, he couldn't help but laugh. "What makes you think I would help you? Besides, it's Luke who's in my way now, not his father. Aren't you taking me for

was pestering Jenny. If anything, Alec should be asking him to take action against Luke, not Xavier. Evan wouldn't lend a hand if Alec were purely trying to use him

have much say within the Fausts. Even if you deal with him, it won't be effective. There will be other Fausts who'll look for trouble with you after you get rid of him. Therefore, it's unnecessary. It's Xavier and Yakov who are currently in the running for the position to become the head of the Faust family.

but he wasn't keen on assisting Alec." Even so, I won't help you with Xavier. On top of that, you're overestimating me. I'm

at Alec and felt he seemed to know something. But upon careful consideration, it was unlikely. Ever since Evan returned to the country, he'd been very cautious. Alec wouldn't have any reason to be suspicious

could the famous mercenary leader from overseas be an ordinary

came out of his mouth, Evan's expression changed drastically, and he stared at

to spend some money

a simple task at all. Evan wasn't a fool, so he naturally kept information

Chapter 853 You're Not Capable Enough

"As the saying goes, 'Know thy self, know thy enemy; and you can win a hundred battles without defeat.' You should understand this principle more than anything.'

Although Evan appeared before he had fully regained his memory, Alec had a gut feeling that he would pose a threat to him, so he spared no expense in investigating him thoroughly.

After a moment, Evan smiled helplessly and said, "Mr. Faust, you truly are meticulous in your thinking. I'm in awe."

He had also investigated Alec, but all the information about him was publicly available, and anything he found could be found by anyone else. Because of that, there was no value in using any of that information against him.

Alec didn't respond to his praise but asked, 'What do you think of my proposal earlier, Mr. Clarke?"

"What if I refuse?" Evan asked.

relief, Alec continued, 'That would give me something to talk about with Jenny. I think she should know quite well what

the way, I also found out that Randy had

found out that Evan was no ordinary person, Alec had been keeping an eye on him, so he had

without someone constantly stalking him, Alec wouldn't

to ask, "So, would you like to reconsider my

He looked at Alec as if he was looking at

Alec knew too much, so

he was thinking, Alec wasn't intimidated as he said, "Mr. Clarke, you should think about it carefully. Although I'm not as formidable as you, it won't

plans to get rid of Alec. Based on Jenny's personality, she wouldn't be able to accept him being such a

able to foresee how things would turn out as well.

them remained at an impasse. After a

Chapter 854 You Stalker

Unexpectedly, Alec shook his head, his expression solemn. "If Xavier is dead, Luke won't be able to cause much trouble. And if two people from the Faust family die at once, you won't be able to withstand Zeke's wrath."

The head of the Faust family wasn't to be trifled with. It wouldn't matter if Evan's men were brought in from abroad; if Zeke got serious, not a single one of them would be spared, and Evan himself might even end up in trouble too.

"That's true." Evan understood the reasoning as well. He just wanted to see if Alec was intentionally trying to get him killed. However, the result surprised him.

"Don't worry. We're working with each other now. I won't knowingly send you to your death.' Alec glanced at him, once again able to tell what he was thinking.

Evan sneered coldly and said, "I find it more desirable to work with Xavier to kill you rather than help you kill him." Alec was even more detestable than Luke, and the threat he posed was even greater.

"Is that so? Are you really going to do that?" Alec remained calm, smiling as he looked at Evan, showing no signs of panic.

way he behaved. He couldn't help but think Alec was hiding something and hadn't revealed

entrance.

immediately wound up his car window and said, "Send me the details." He then started the car engine and left

was going on, Jenny and Luke had already reached the entrance of the restaurant and naturally spotted him

frowned, especially Luke, who was extremely peeved

doing

by," Alec

by? Don't tell me you're stalking Jenny," Luke sneered, finding it hard to believe such a

the constant feeling of being watched made her feel very uncomfortable. She felt she was deprived of the freedom to do anything without falling under

anger in Luke's presence. Instead, she told him, "Mr. Luke, you should head back. I hope we can work well

be alone together.

had no interest in him at all. If it hadn't been for the sake of their future collaboration, she wouldn't have agreed to have a meal with him in the first place. "There's

Chapter 855 Admit It

Jenny felt a bit embarrassed at his words. "Sorry, I-'

"It's okay." Alec stopped her; he didn't need Jenny's apology. "Do you have time to go for a walk together?"

"Sure." This time, Jenny didn't refuse.

These days, she didn't have her meals with Evan or Alec. In fact, she was kind of avoiding them. She knew how both of them felt toward her, but the more she was aware of it, the less she wanted to think about it.

She could give a clear answer to Evan, but the same couldn't be said for Alec. Jenny didn't have an answer in her heart.

Alec didn't drive, so he walked with Jenny along the roadside. They walked side by side, but neither spoke, yet the atmosphere wasn't awkward.

There weren't many people on the street at night, especially on the small path near the river where they were walking. Only a few sporadic night runners were around, making it particularly quiet.

hospital going well?" Alec asked as they walked. He asked it in a way as

more suited to working in the hospital than taking

or the interest to

Walter Inc has

something did crop up, he would be there. But in

and the two

with trees. They instinctively looked toward the source of the sound and froze

seemingly unaware of anyone approaching

and she walked forward quickly, feeling that the scene was too

However, upon seeing Jenny blush, the corners of his mouth couldn't help but curve upward

not. It's just kissing. Everyone has

being shy, she would definitely be

didn't look pleased, and

him with

Chapter 856 Jerk!

If she didn't like it, she would have pushed him away at the first instance, feeling repulsed by him or maybe even slapped him.

All that should have happened instead of what went on now-she neither pushed him away nor raised her hand against him, and her heartbeat was faster than usual.

Jenny's originally flushed cheeks were even redder now. Her cheeks were practically scarlet, looking like a ripe, delicious apple meant to be devoured.

When she regained her senses and wanted to slap Alec, he didn't give her a chance to do so. He lowered his head and planted another kiss on her lips. The unique scent of his breath came between their lips, and Jenny was so dazed by the kiss that she lost all sense of her surroundings and couldn't tell where she was for a moment.

"I told you this is a good place for kissing. Look at them. They're even bolder than us." A voice came behind them, presumably from the young couple they had seen earlier.

Jenny's face turned even redder at that, and she forcefully pushed Alec away. She then walked briskly ahead, feeling too embarrassed to face anyone.

Alec turned to nod at the young couple not far away. If it hadn't been for them, he and

closer tonight. He quickly caught up with Jenny on the side of the street. The surroundings were now brightly lit- it was obviously inappropriate for him to attempt

to Jenny. "It's late. Let me take

replied softly, following

the restaurant. Both of them acted as if nothing had happened just now. From Jenny's viewpoint, Alec looked serious now, showing no

"What's this? He kissed me and acted like nothing had happened. What a jerk!" Jenny cursed

it would only make her more embarrassed. So, he pretended

they arrived at the restaurant entrance where Alec's car was

and silently got in

Just as Jenny's figure was about to disappear from his sight, Alec suddenly shouted in her

"Jenny! I'm serious!"

back as she exclaimed internally, "Who cares

got back in his car again, but he'd returned to his usual self by then, without the impulsive look

still seethe glimmer of joy he couldn't hide in his

Chapter 857 Brain Fog

Jenny was already feeling upset and restless in the first place. Since Stephanie asked, she decided to tell her everything, hoping that she could help analyze Alec's behavior.

After she listened to Jenny pouring out everything that was troubling her, Stephanie's mouth opened wide in shock. It was so wide, an egg could easily fit in.

"Jenny, shouldn't you be analyzing yourself now?" She couldn't understand why Jenny didn't notice she was behaving abnormally too.

Upon hearing that, Jenny paused, seemingly coming back to her senses.

"Alec forcefully kissed you, and you're not scolding him; instead, you're analyzing his mind? Jenny, are you having brain fog?" Stephanie was speechless, not knowing what else to say.

There was a brief moment of silence where Jenny was embarrassed and didn't know how to respond either. "I was too stunned to react at the time."

"Then what about now? Have you snapped out of it yet?" Stephanie asked, feeling like Jenny hadn't just failed to react but had actually acquiesced.

that mean? It could only mean that in her heart, Jenny hadn't let go

silent. She was

time, Stephanie sighed and said, "It's no wonder people always say the first love is the most unforgettable. Alec is your first love,

to

his first

didn't know what came over her when she answered, "I guess so. I haven't

with the surname Blue or something you guys argued about before? You even suspected

found it quite unbelievable that Jenny had

reminder, Jenny finally remembered that

girl

Stephanie was a little worried. "I was just casually mentioning it. After all, he likes you now, and the past is in the past. Besides, he definitely doesn't see you as

to her after that incident. Jenny understood to some extent that in the end, they didn't end up together,

liked someone whom they didn't end up together with in the

liked Evan, she was still a child and didn't understand what

Chapter 858 I Can't Give You What You Want

It was a Saturday the next day.

The sound of her phone ringing woke Jenny up from her sleep. She reached out a hand from under the covers and answered the call.

"Hello? Who is it...Oh, it's you, Evan...Where did you say you were?" Jenny sat up in bed, rubbing her eyes. If she didn't hear him wrongly just now, it seemed like Evan was saying he was right outside Walter Castle. Jenny came to her senses after a while. "Alright, I'll send the butler to pick you up."

She hung up the phone and rubbed her temples. Although she had fallen asleep quickly after talking to Stephanie on the phone last night, she didn't sleep well. It was because she had a dream about Alec that was quite inappropriate, and it annoyed her.

With no time to think too much, she got up from bed, freshened up, and walked out of her bedroom. She noticed Evan sitting in the living room downstairs right away.

"Evan, why did you come so early?" Jenny was puzzled and quickly walked downstairs toward him.

been a few days since she last saw Evan, and she wanted to make it clear to him that she had no other intentions, hoping that

Walter Castle again, Jenny felt

circles under her eyes and

discuss this topic. "Have you

I'm here to have breakfast with you," Evan said with a smile. He didn't know what Jenny and Luke talked about yesterday or whether Jenny had any contact with Alec after he left. He

that he was thinking about all those things. After instructing the

you getting used to your work?'

but there's still a lot to

know you're very capable." Though Jenny didn't go to the company, she still needed to be aware

embarrassed.

continue the topic. "Evan, what are your plans for

Chapter 859 Nothing You Need to Apologize For

After Jenny finished speaking, the living room fell into complete silence, which made her somewhat worried. In fact, that wasn't the first time she'd said such things. From the very beginning, when Evan decided to join Walter Inc, she'd made herself clear. It was simple: she didn't like him.

"Evan, I'm sorry, I ... "

"Why apologize? There's nothing you need to apologize for. I've just been too naive about everything," Evan said with a bitter smile. He sighed lightly and continued,

"When Gilbert contacted me and asked me to return to the country, I didn't hesitate much because he and I had the same idea. We both thought that when you confessed to me back then, it must have meant you liked me, so I believed I could win you back when I returned."

"Evan-"

we both forgot that everyone has their own mind and personal thoughts. Your thoughts shouldn't be manipulated by anyone, nor will they be manipulated in any way," Evan interrupted what she was

feeling complex emotions upon

about the mistreatment you received from Alec, you don't know how sad I was to hear it. So, I didn't hesitate much when I agreed to come back.

continue to pester her if she really

locked eyes for a moment, then Jenny hardened her heart and

you have someone you like now?"

a loss for words and didn't

it matter if I like you? Don't I have the right to like you on my own?" In fact, he didn't need Jenny's permission. Evan

again, and just then, the maid came over to inform them that breakfast was ready. Jenny took the opportunity to end the conversation." Let's have breakfast first. After breakfast, I have something important to

Chapter 860 Ask Him Yourself

Jenny didn't understand why, but she didn't oppose what he said. "Alright, you handle it. I trust your abilities." "Okay." Evan smiled and asked her, "So, Luke approached you to talk about this collaboration? Why is he suddenly being kind?"

"Whatever his purpose is, as long as we can get tangible benefits, it doesn't matter even if he has ulterior motives." Jenny didn't care; in fact, she could guess what Luke was up to.

Hearing her words, Evan knew that Jenny wasn't interested in Luke. Even so, he would still help Alec get rid of Xavier, as he wasn't exactly thrilled to see Luke constantly pestering Jenny.

After breakfast, Evan suggested taking Jenny to meet Gilbert, and they could have a meal together.

Jenny didn't refuse. She hadn't seen much of Gilbert since he came back some time ago. They were all busy, and Jenny didn't know if it was her imagination or something else, but she felt that Gilbert had become more distant after he returned. It was unlike when they were in Parrington, where they used to contact each other almost every day.

On the way to meet Gilbert, Evan suddenly remembered something. "Do you know about Gilbert's situation?"

was a little confused, not quite understanding the

matter had caused quite a stir, and based on their

what happened between Gilbert and Jenny, so naturally, he wouldn't know why Gilbert went abroad. He had always thought that

moment but didn't tell her about it

Gilbert didn't tell Jenny, he probably didn't want her to know. If Evan were to tell her, it would probably make Gilbert

was being so secretive. Was there something that they were purposely hiding? Filled with doubt, she asked Gilbert about it right away the

eyes seemed like they could kill. Evan rubbed his nose and looked

found it odd that Gilbert wasn't speaking,

feel

head and looked at Jenny, there wasn't a trace of the killing intent earlier in his eyes. They had already returned to

just having some trouble dealing with a