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Chapter 241

On the way back to Medo, the young lady, who was clearly in a sunny mood two days ago, did not say a word. Her beautiful eyebrows were shrouded in a depressing haze.

When they returned to the hotel, Chloe did not let Jordan disturb them. Instead, she locked herself in the office and searched for information about Sia's incident.

"That celebration was the darkest moment of Sia's life, but it was also because of that accident that she and Stefan got along with each other."

"Back then, the Internet was far less developed than it is now. The channels for people to understand the entertainment news were either magazines or newspapers. In order to block the news, Stefan heard that he bought all the newspapers in the country to destroy them. He also caught all the reporters who exposed this matter and severely punished them."

"However, I heard that there were foreign reporters present at that time. Someone recorded the video and posted it on the Internet. Later, Stefan also sent someone to investigate and delete it, but I heard that it was not completely deleted. We can still find clues."

Chloe took a deep breath and stared at the computer screen with her sharp eyes. Her ten fingers typed on the keyboard.

She quickly climbed over the wall and found the video of the channel celebration, which had been covered in dust for twenty years. Now, it seemed a little blurry."

In the video, Sia's face was pale, half squatting and trembling...

She was on the verge of collapse and on the verge of collapse.

The spotlights shone on top of her head, magnifying her despair infinitely. Shouts and jeers rose and fell from below the stage, covering the sky and covering the earth, as if they were going to engulf and crush

her entire fragile human form... At this moment, a tall and proud figure suddenly rushed onto the dance stage and walked towards Sia without hesitation.

Just by looking at his back, Chloe recognized his at a glance. It was Stefan.

Without a word, Stefan took off his suit jacket, knelt down on one knee in front of Sia, and tied the suit around her waist.

In a split second, the entire audience fell silent.

The video ended.

Chloe stared at the screen in a daze. Her shoulders sank and she slowly leaned back into the chair.

So it was because of this that Stefan had captured Sia's heart?

"Old man... in terms of picking up girls, you can even establish your own sect!"

At this time, his phone rang..

Chloe snapped back to reality and picked up the phone. "What's wrong, Jordan?"

"Young miss, Vincent brought his younger sister to find you."

Chloe was in a bad mood because of Sia. She did not want to see this unlucky brother and sister, but when she heard that Jordan had specially brought his younger sister over to apologize to her, she decided to go meet them.

If she could see that loathsome girl suffer defeat with her own eyes, perhaps her depressed mood would be relieved a little. Just treat it as a funny show, what is more satisfying than building your happiness on someone else's suffering?"

As soon as they arrived at the entrance of the reception room, Jordan came up to them with a frown.

“Young Mistress, I’m sorry. I didn’t know before... Joseph also followed us. He’s inside right now.”

Chloe lifted her eyes and looked at Jordan with a cold and calm gaze. “Why didn’t you punch him twice and then fight him again?”

“I’m sorry, Young Mistress.” Jordan knew well that he had neglected his duty and bowed deeply.

Joseph would appear and disappear. When he brought Vincent and Zoey into the reception room, there was no such person. When he came back, Joseph was already sitting on the sofa and drinking coffee with a thick face!

“Forget it, you can’t beat him either.”

Chloe raised her chin and motioned for Jordan to open the door.

The door opened, and the young lady stepped on high-heeled shoes that were sharp like blades. Her straight shoulders were draped in a black suit, and she walked into the room with an overbearing and powerful aura.

“Chloe...” Vincent hurriedly stood up from the sofa, so nervous that his throat was sore.

Today, Chloe was still grabbing her eyes as usual, like a beautiful, arrogant, and cold-blooded gang boss!

She was so beautiful that her heart and liver were trembling!

Joseph looked up at Chloe, and all the nerves in his body were tense.

His heartbeat, which was more regular than the operation of the Swiss watch, suddenly became chaotic.

Zoey hid behind Vincent, staring at Chloe's arrogant face, her fists trembling and clenched.

"Oh, everyone is here."

Chloe shrugged her round shoulders, and the black suit fell down. Jordan caught it quickly..

Then, she glanced at Joseph, who was staring at her, and teased her, "Second brother, you are really a good model brother. Did you come here to support Miss Anderson?"

Second brother?

The blood in Joseph's chest surged, and his resentful gaze locked onto the woman's beautiful face that harbored evil intentions. He coughed gloomily.

Angry.

This woman's attitude towards him was really as harsh and sour as ever. What did he not like to hear what she said? But this was Chloe. Chloe was not Raya. She was willing to accept her soul that had thorns in her body. When Zoey saw that Chloe had misunderstood the purpose of Joseph's visit, she could not help but be secretly delighted. Therefore, she wanted to play along with the plan and walked towards Joseph with a wronged expression.

"Chloe, I admit that my eyesight was not good before. Why has your vision also decreased now?"

Joseph still looked like an old monk in meditation. However, there was a hint of unfathomable emotion in his eyes as he stared at her. He could not be considered innocent. "There is no second brother here, only your ex-husband." "When someone's husband has already exhausted me, I don't have the energy or mood to acknowledge a younger

Zoey suddenly froze on the spot as if she had been struck by lightning!

sister.”

In fact, Joseph had already told her everything clearly in front of her, but she just refused to give up. In her heart, she always, had a false hope for her.

But at this moment, he actually cut ties with him in front of Chloe. This was no different than pressing her face on the ground and stomping on it!

“However, I am indeed here to support others. It is just that it is not Miss Anderson.”

After Joseph finished speaking, his handsome face could not help but heat up. He hurriedly picked up his coffee pretended to drink the coffee calmly. Even if his tongue was scalded, he had to swallow it down.

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He had originally thought that it was fine to think about this kind of thing.

To suddenly say it out loud, it was so shameful that he dug his toes out.

Chloe frowned slightly, somewhat surprised by the implied meaning of his words.

If he didn't support Zoey, then who would he support?

Vincent?

Heh, then wouldn't it still be Zoey?

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Chloe coldly lifted her red lips, her emotions unmoved and impatience beginning to set in.

Zoey was so enraged that her eyes were ablaze and she was on the brink of death!

Joseph's clear preference for his ex-wife was to execute her cruelly on the spot!

Why?

He didn't want such a talented and beautiful girl like her, but he had to throw away a "broken whore" that he had personally thrown away?

Moreover, there were many men around Chloe. In front of her was her big brother Vincent, and then there was that unknown little white face Jerome. How many men had an affair with her? Didn't second brother find it dirty?

"When I came here, I heard that Young Master Anderson deliberately brought Miss Anderson to apologize to me, so I took some time to see you. You should know that I am not only Thorp family, but also the famous jewelry designer, Alexa."

"Every day, I lined up to call my secretary, just for the people who saw me. I really don't have time to deal with boring people and things."

"If I had known that you would come with me, I wouldn't have shown myself," Chloe said as she shook her head.

"Why?"

"You would rather see Vincent than see me?" Joseph asked in a deep voice.

Vincent's eyebrows twitched as he cursed, "What the hell... Brother, you're talking like a dog!"

Your father's favorability with Chloe is much higher than yours! Why do you want to step on me

"I only have two conditions for meeting a person: either public or private."

Chloe raised two slender jade fingers and waved them at Joseph. "Mr. Sawle and I have no business or private affairs. What reason do I have to meet a person who is not even a stranger in my eyes?"

A person who was not even a stranger.

Joseph's face was gloomy, and his throat seemed to be filled with burning hot charcoal. The burning pain extended all the way to the bottom of his heart.

Vincent curled his lips, "Not bad, at least he is a human."

"Mr. Anderson, if you have something to say, just say it. I have a meeting later, and I don't have time to waste here." Chloe's beautiful eyes were like silk, dragging a noble and arrogant tone, her slender legs crossed, and her red heels were enchanting.

She was like a noble, beautiful, and vicious woman who had walked out of a painting.

Joseph's deep gaze could not help but shift to Chloe's slender, white ankles that were faintly discernible under her trousers.

Her lower jaw was taut, and her throat became dry and thirsty. She couldn't help but want to swallow it.

He had been so blinded that he had to abandon her, despite having been obsessed with her at one point.

Now, in his heart, she was like every hair on her head was shining, and there was not a single part of her that was not beautiful.

And Zoey was quite compatible with acting as a white lotus. Her round face was pale, and her lips trembled, as if Chloe had done something to her.

“Cough cough... Chloe, no, President Thorp.”

Seeing Chloe’s expression change slightly, Vincent immediately changed his words, even more so than a eunuch, “This time, our brother and sister came here specifically to apologize to you!

“In the last auction, the necklace that Skyler gave Ada Wang was made by my sister in Puplen...”

Vincent’s voice became smaller and smaller, and he had been observing Chloe’s expression in secret.

“Oh, I knew it a long time ago.” The young lady’s expression was indifferent.

The Anderson Group siblings were stunned!

Joseph’s brows were like a dragonfly skimming the surface of the water, not surprising him in the least.

After all, the current Thorp family was very capable, and Zoey’s little tricks were nothing in front of his ex-wife.

“When, when did you know?” Zoey was anxious and could not help but ask.

“When you found Tyler and spent a lot of money to ask him to make a copy of the jewelry I designed, I already knew about

it Chloe smiled playfully.”

“What...” Zoey no longer cared about playing the white lotus and shouted out of control.

“Miss Anderson, the reason why you found Tyler to be your gunman is because you accepted him as my apprentice and established your own sect because I broke up with him.”

“Your understanding is too narrow. A married couple can’t be friends, but it doesn’t mean that the master and disciple can not be separated.”

Joseph secretly took a deep breath.

It pierced his heart.

“Although Tyler is from Puplen, he also understands the principle of respect and respect. For the sake of the interests in front of him, such a despicable act like betrayal will never happen to my people.”

Chloe raised her red lips and sneered, “So your plan was wrong from the beginning. You are wrong. You should not use the heart of a villain to judge the heart of a gentleman.”

‘Who is a gentleman, who is a villain, it goes without saying!!

Joseph’s thin lips curved upwards imperceptibly, his starry eyes still calm.

It was just that his good brother, Young Master Anderson, was somewhat unable to maintain his face, The corners of his mouth lowered, his expression dark and serious.

Although he had already mentally prepared himself before coming here, and was well aware of the fact that their, Chloe’s, small cherry mouth, pecked people with it was not an ordinary pain.

But he didn’t expect it to be like this!

“Chloe! You are so treacherous and despicable!”

Zoey was so angry that her lungs were about to explode. She pointed at her smiling face, which made her look like a fried chicken whose arm had been stepped on. "You... You knew that I went to find Tyler, but you pretended not to know."

"You also predicted that Sister Skyler would give the necklace to Ada Wang, but you endured until the charity auction and told the whole thing, just to make her fall?"

"Chloe... Why are you so cruel? Are you going to kill everyone who touches

your

interests?"

Zoey cried as she spoke, as if she was the victim.

"Otherwise, are you going to stay for the New Year?" Chloe was annoyed by her crying and rolled her eyes.

"You!" Zoey was so angry that she couldn't speak.

This woman was too arrogant!

Her brother and second brother were both here, and she was still spouting nonsense. Was there no man in this world that she cared about

your

mistake?"

"Miss Anderson, you came to admit your mistake, not to blame others. Is it difficult to admit Joseph lowered his long eyelashes and looked up at Chloe. "Even if President Thorp doesn't want to deal with

Skyler, I will do it for her. Even if your big brother doesn't force you to come, I will force you to come. The result will be the same."

"Is there anything else you can't accept?"

Chloe suddenly lifted her eyes and glanced at the man with a complicated look.

It seemed that Joseph really didn't show mercy to Zoey.

Pfft, who cares, it has nothing to do with her.

"Second brother..." Zoey was both heartbroken and angry. Her tears fell down as if they were broken threads.

But now, Joseph was no longer the gentle big brother who smiled at her warmly, holding her hand and strolling around the park with her.

He was completely bewitched by Chloe. He had lost his mind!

"Hey, do you still want to apologize?" Chloe was completely impatient and wanted to leave.

"Zoey, apologize to President Thorp immediately!" Vincent urged anxiously.

"I'm sorry..." Zoey gritted her teeth, her voice as small as a mosquito.

"Louder, I can't hear you." Chloe's brows furrowed, her imposing manner oppressive.

"I'm sorry!"

As soon as Zoey said this, Vincent rushed to her side and pressed his large palm on her back, pressing down hard, forcing

her to bow to Chloe.

She could not resist this power, and could only bow down to Chloe. The great sense of shame tore at her internal organs!

Chloe... I want revenge, I want revenge!

"Jordan." Chloe slowly stood up.

"Yes, Young Mistress." Jordan immediately responded.

"Just now, I heard from Mr. Anderson that he will compensate me on behalf of the consequences of Anderson Group's improper behavior. In a while, you will calculate the exact amount of compensation, the soul damage fee, and so on. Name them one by one and let Mr. Anderson have a look."

"All the compensation funds will be donated to Medo's Hope Project Foundation. I won't take any of them.""

Vincent suddenly froze and smiled bitterly.

Chloe was as beautiful as a fairy. She did not expect her temperament to be as cold as a fairy. She was either black or white. She had no mortal heart!

Chloe returned to her office to work. Jordan took Vincent to settle the compensation.

Secretary Stewart, who was also a lawyer, had long listed the list. The amount of money was huge, and it was an astronomical figure in the eyes of the ordinary people.

But this was the price to pay for imitating Alexa's design.

Vincent looked at the compensation contract and sighed heavily. His throat was bitter.

It was not that he could not afford to pay the money, but that he could not afford to lose this person.

He really liked Chloe. Even if they were not fated to be lovers, he really hoped to be friends with her and never thought of hurting her.

But now, he helplessly felt that the two of them seemed to be getting further and further away from the word "friend".

On the way to the parking lot, Zoey had been crying all the time, as if she had been greatly wronged.

"The victim has not shed a single tear. What right does the person who made a mistake have to cry?"

Vincent's handsome face was cold as he strode forward. Zoey almost couldn't keep up with him.

"Big brother... Is Chloe hard-hearted? She actually cares about your compensation... One hundred million! Why doesn't she go rob a bank?"

When Zoey thought about how the hundred million went into Chloe's pocket without even hearing a sound, her heart ached so much that it bled. "Big brother, when have you been so aggrieved in your twenty-eight years of life?"

If I had known the result would be like this, I wouldn't have apologized to her even if I died!

"Miss Thorp has already shown mercy to you."

"If I hadn't forced you to show your sincerity, the stage you would be apologizing on today wouldn't have been that room. Instead, it would have been a press conference."

Hearing this, Zoey gave a fierce fight.

“When you go home, you are not allowed to go out without my permission. Stay at home and think about it!”

Vincent took a deep breath and threw down this sentence with a cold and hard tone, He got into the car without looking back.

“Big brother, you can’t put me under house arrest! Big brother!”

But no matter how Zoey knocked on the window and cried, Vincent, who was sitting in the car, was completely indifferent.

He really couldn’t be soft-hearted anymore. If this continued, he would really hurt his only sister.

Seeing that the luxury car was gone, Zoey stamped her feet angrily, squatted on the ground and cried.

“Second Miss, please get in the car.”

The two female bodyguards simply lifted Zoey up with one arm and quickly stuffed her into the car and quickly closed the

door.

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The car drove to Anderson family, and Zoey was depressed as if she was going to the grave.

At this time, her phone rang.

She wiped her tears and took a look. The screen showed that it was a private number that had been hidden.

“Who is it?” Zoey asked angrily.

“Miss Anderson.”

A pleasant male voice came from the other side of the line, but it was obvious that the voice had been processed. .

“Who... are you?” Zoey asked, sobbing.

“What happened today must have made you feel very uncomfortable and wronged, right? The person you like doesn’t even want to look at you.”

She was stunned and her heart beat faster!

Who was observing her secretly and knew her situation like the back of their hand!

“If I say that I can help you get the person you want, will you listen to me and cooperate with me?”

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After completing the task, Jordan returned to Chloe’s side.

“Young miss, are you really going to show mercy to that Miss Anderson? This is really the most gentle time you deal with things.”

Seeing that Chloe kicked her high heels again, Jordan couldn't help but reveal a helpless and doting smile. He helped her keep the shoes properly and placed them under the table.

At this moment, Chloe was playing a game to relax and killing crazily in the virtual world.

Nowadays, the female butcher in this game world, Lucifer, was already a god that the players worshipped in their eyes. Every time she was broadcasting in the game, there were hundreds of thousands of people watching and her popularity was bursting.

“What are you thinking? Show mercy? I am a warm-hearted and charitable female entrepreneur, not a compassionate Mother White Bitch.”

I don't punish that Zoey because I don't have solid evidence in my hands right now. She took Skyler as a scapegoat. The suspicion she has is indirect, and I can't do anything to her.

“That Second Miss Anderson seems to have a grudge with you.”

“She doesn't have the slightest bit of remorse. She even glared at you before she left. Her gaze is simply like she wants to eat someone!” Jordan said resentfully.

“It's best if she has the ability to eat it for me. Otherwise, I suggest that she squint her eyes. Don't go for wool and come home shorn when the time comes. The clown will become herself.”

The phone vibrated at this moment. It was a call from her big brother.

“Big brother!” Chloe hurriedly picked it up and asked in a sweet voice.

“Chloe, are you in the hotel?” Oscar asked.

“Yes, in the office.”

“So you are with Jordan?” Oscar lowered his voice.

Chloe was smart and immediately reacted. She got up and walked out of the door, pretending to go to the bathroom.

If she sent Jordan out at this time, she would make the careful Jordan think that she was deliberately avoiding him.

After arriving at the exclusive bathroom, Chloe closed the door

“Big brother, what happened? Is it related to Jordan?”

“It is not related to Jordan, but it is also inextricably linked. He is by your side, and there are some things that are hard to say clearly.”

“In order to save his daughter, Director Sawle once again went to find Jordan’s big brother, Lawyer Johan. Now, Johan has already gone to the police station to pick up Third Miss Sawle.” Oscar paused.

Chloe’s eyes darkened. “With Johan protecting her; the chances of Skyler being saved are very high.”

“Johan is cunning and shrewd. In the blink of an eye, he has never lost his career as a lawyer for more than ten years. He won’t allow himself to fail either. So, even if he has to resort to any means, he will definitely help Third Miss Sawle clear her-

name.”

“Chloe, if I were Johan, I would start with that female reporter with the surname Gondor. After all, she is currently the number one witness to testify against Skyler.” Oscar gently reminded.

“Big brother, I understand what you mean. But Shelby is not in my hands now. She is controlled by Joseph.”

Chloe took a deep breath and looked calm. "I will handle this matter. You and second brother should not intervene. Especially second brother, he is a public officer. He can't violate the rules for this small matter of mine. It will not be good if he is caught by someone with evil intentions."

After ending the call, she felt even more dignified.

She never cared about a little ant like Skyler. After all, Aubree was the queen ant that she wanted to take down.

However, she was worried that this matter would make Jordan uncomfortable. That silly boy was too responsible and sensitive. Would he come to her and cry again?

Chloe walked in the direction of the office, full of thoughts.

"Chloe."

When she heard the call, she suddenly stopped in her tracks. Her heart skipped a beat and she looked back in shock.

There was actually no one behind her.

Chloe shook her head and rubbed her temples. She felt that she must have had a bad sleep and had an illusion...

"Ah!"

Suddenly, a strong force came and grabbed her arm, pulling her into the darkness like a whirlpool.

The next second, she crashed into the chest of the man. The man's slightly rapid breathing sprayed on her head and heat spread throughout her body.

The hug was deep and heavy, both unfamiliar and familiar to her.

It belonged to Joseph.

Perhaps it was because she was wearing a super high heels, but the man was afraid that she would sprain her ankle, and his solid arms immediately tightened around her slender waist.

The strength was a little heavy, and it was mixed with conflicting emotions. He wanted to protect her, but he was afraid that she would run away like a rabbit.

“Joseph! How did you get in here?” Chloe’s face turned red in shock and anger, and she struggled hard.

“Vincent said that your place is heavily guarded, and it will take some effort to get up.” Joseph narrowed his eyes, and his voice was a little hoarse, but also very casual.

He was a top student who had graduated from the top grade of the military academy. It was actually very easy for him to hide from a hotel security guard.

However, after he became the president, there were people serving him for food, accommodation, and transportation. He did not have to worry about it at all, and it was useless for him to be a hero.

Only, when he wanted to see Chloe, he had to rack his brains every time and try his best.

“Sneaky! Bad behavior!”

Chloe gritted her teeth. She was so angry that she raised her foot and wanted to step on his foot. However, Joseph suddenly turned around and pressed her against the wall,

Their

eyes met and their heated gazes intertwined.

Joseph was well aware that it was not easy to meet each other, so his slightly greedy eyes could not help but outline her face over and over again.

“What are you looking at? Haven’t you seen it before?” Chloe was furious, and the tips of her ears were red.

“You seem to have... gained weight.” Joseph stared at her intently.

Seeing that there was more meat on her thin little face, the corners of her lips could not help but curl up.

Fat.

Fat?

“Are you angry? There’s nothing wrong with being fat. In the past, you were too thin. Your waist was full of bones and your hands were uncomfortable. You should eat more.” Joseph’s handsome face was serious. He looked like a gentleman when he said this..

Chloe’s cheeks were red like two burning clouds, her beautiful eyes wide open, and she raised her hand to slap him!

“Chloe, is this how you treat people who have helped you?” Joseph’s cheeks were hot as she suddenly grabbed her right wrist. The palm print on her face was especially obvious, like a shameful brand.

I don’t expect you to thank me, and I don’t need you to punch and kick me every time I see you, do I?”

“Thank? What for? For the fact that you controlled Shelby and asked her to testify against Skyler?”

Chloe's chest heaved up and down, her beautiful eyes curved, and even her mocking smile was shockingly beautiful.

"You controlled Shelby to plot against Skyler. Do you dare to say that you have no intention of borrowing my east wind? If I didn't set up a stage for you that day, would you be able to continue your act?"

"Chloe!"

Joseph was angered by her again. His chest was stuffy and his eyes were red. "I just... wanted to see you."

"But I don't want to see you at all!"

Chloe's left hand was bound by him and could not break free. If she hit him, how could she be the opponent of this special forces soldier?

So she put her left hand into her coat pocket and wanted to touch her phone to call Jordan.

As a result, her little thoughts were exposed on the spot by Joseph. The man's left hand quickly grabbed her other hand.

Seeing that she was completely confined, Chloe could only shout. "Someone come... oh!"

Joseph, who had always been calm and collected, was immediately confused by this little girl's shout. A restless fire immediately surged up in his heart, and he directly sealed it with a kiss!

His thin lips moved forward, swallowing up all of Chloe's shouts.

Chloe's pupils contracted deeply, and her mind seemed to explode with a fog bomb, and in a split second, it was blank.

Joseph's warm and warm breath wrapped around Chloe's trembling soft lips. The palm that held her wrist was dripping with sweat, and the forehead was also sweating.

The last time he kissed her like this, it was because he was drunk and confused.

This time, he did not know what excuse he could use.

Joseph, you have already divorced. It is wrong to do this.

But he couldn't help it. Didn't he know that something was wrong, but he still couldn't control his restless heart that wanted. to invade?

At this point, Joseph's heart beat wildly, and the self-control he was so proud of was tottering at this moment.

His eyes became more and more chaotic. At first, he just didn't want her to speak, but now, his kiss was so fierce that he wanted to swallow her into his stomach.

Originally, Chloe still had a heart that refused to obey, but her body was controlled by him, her lips and tongue entangled with him, and her breath was plundered by him... Slowly, she became powerless, and gradually softened under his body.

So angry... so hateful!

A drop of crystal tears appeared at the end of her eyes.

She was just a pitiful person who had once been infatuated with this man for thirteen years. In the end, she was unable to obtain his love. What sins had she committed? What crimes had she committed? Why had the heavens repeatedly humiliated her in this manner?

“Joseph! You motherf*cker!”

A roar resounded through the corridor. Jordan rushed over with his scarlet eyes. He used all his strength to pull Joseph away from Chloe. Then, he threw a heavy punch at his face!

However, his punch was still too slow in front of Joseph, a man with extraordinary skills!

The man leaned back and dodged the punch as fast as lightning.

“Jordan!”

Chloe called out to Jordan in a hoarse voice, but how could he hear her at this moment!

His mind was filled with images of his big sister being forcefully kissed by that cur, and his eyes were filled with the blush on Joseph’s thin lips!

“Joseph... I’m going to skin you!”

Joseph’s pupils shrank and he could not help but frown.

Jordan was a sixth-stage Taekwondo black belt, and his pair of thunderbolt legs had also clearly moved Medo. At this moment, he spun around and raised his long legs to kick at Joseph’s chest!

However, even if he used all his strength, it was still too slow for a man like Joseph who was too strong.

It was still too slow!

The moment he raised his leg, the figure of the man in front of him flashed. Before he could react, Joseph had already moved behind him. His big hand clasped his shoulder and his fingers suddenly retracted.

Jordan suddenly felt a bone-piercing numbness spread throughout his body, and his body sank uncontrollably.

What kind of evil martial art was this

He thought that other than martial arts novels, it was impossible for such a sinister skill to appear in the real world!

But Chloe recognized at a glance that this was a close combat technique taught by the military academy. Her fourth brother, Sami, also knew this move.

As long as he was fast enough, he could easily subdue his opponent if he found the right acupoint. However, with just the first two conditions, it was impossible for an ordinary person to do it without five years of special training!

“Enough! Joseph!”

Chloe hugged Jordan, whose body was still numb. If she hadn't supported him, this 1.8 meters tall man would probably have knelt in front of Joseph

“Big sister... I'm fine...” Jordan gasped for breath and tried to comfort her, but she couldn't muster any strength at all!

“You can't even stand up, and you still say you're fine?”

Chloe was worried about Jordan's safety. Her eyes were red, and she glared at Joseph, who was standing there without any hair on his head. “How dare you do this to my people in front of me?”

“Joseph, are you still human? Is your body like a wolf or a dog in human skin?”

The man felt a stab in his heart, and his dark eyes turned red, as if he was trying to make someone else marry him.

“Didn’t you see that he attacked me first? Besides, I didn’t hurt him. When the acupuncture point is released at night, his movements will naturally return to normal,”

“Don’t explain. The more you explain, the more despicable and dirty you will be!”

The tears in Chloe’s eyes hurt Joseph’s heart. He watched her raise her hand and wipe her lips with the back of her hand, as if she was using this method to draw a clear line with him.

“Joseph, admit it. Do you regret the divorce?”

In an instant, Joseph’s heart shrunk into a ball, shivering.

Their eyes met, and her eyes were as sharp as a scalpel, staring at him fiercely for a cruel dissection.

For a while, he did not respond, and he could not even say the word “no” directly.

Only the last bit of restraint remained.

“If you don’t speak, I’ll take it as you tacitly agreeing.”

“But let me tell you, even if you regret it, please let your hidden thoughts rot in your stomach.”

“Your feelings for me is the greatest insult to my personality.”

“I’ve had enough, Raya. A marriage without love is a torture for me every second.”

“Grace is coming back. You have to give up the position of Mrs. Sawle.”

The day he threw the divorce agreement in front of Chloe, all the cruel words he said to her came at him again like a flood beast, tearing him into pieces.

Joseph walked to the underground parking lot in a daze.

He didn’t even know how he got here all the way. His head was splitting and his limbs were stiff, as if he was a wounded person who was on the verge of death from several knife wounds.

The moment he saw Max, all the strength in his body was exhausted.

“Mr. Sawle!”

Seeing that his face was extremely pale, Max hurriedly came up to support him and asked anxiously, “Did you have a headache again? Get in the car quickly, I’ll get you medicine to eat!”

The head disease can be used to calm down.

But, what can be used to cure the heart disease?

“Max, I don’t understand...”

Joseph covered her head with both hands and gasped for breath. “When I married her, I never took her to heart... I treated her so poorly, but she still never left me.”

“Why... why is it that when I treat her well now, she is... so cruel to me?”

Max was stunned. His eyebrows were locked tightly. Looking at the man who was tortured by all kinds of pain, his heart was extremely uncomfortable.

After a while, he sighed and replied softly, "Mr. Sawle, because Mrs. Sawle used to love you very much."

But now, she no longer loved him.

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After Joseph left, Chloe helped the numb Jordan back to the office.

She laid down Jordan's slightly trembling body, his forehead covered in sweat, pursed his lips tightly, and examined his limbs with both hands.

She was like a professional surgeon.

"Big sis... I'm fine..."

Although Jordan was paralyzed, it was not that he could not move at all. Seeing that Chloe was so worried about him, he felt a lump in his throat. "I'm sorry... I've caused you trouble."

"What are you talking about? You are also protecting me. It's just that you must not be so impulsive next time." Chloe bent over his leg and seriously massaged it.

"I am not impulsive."

Jordan sat up from the sofa with all his strength. His eyes were bright and stubborn. "Even if this kind of thing happens ten thousand times, I will rush up at the first moment to protect you."

“Jordan, don’t overestimate yourself just because you have a little skill. You are not Joseph’s match at all! Do you think that he was just eating and waiting for death in the four years he spent in the military academy?”

“He has been especially merciful to you today. If you are not my man, he will probably cut off your arm directly!”

“So what if it is cut off! So what if he dies?”

Jordan gritted his teeth and stood up shakily. His tall figure engulfed Chloe. “Even if I die... I can’t let that bastard bully you!”

“Jordan...” Chloe was stunned and stared straight into his tearful eyes.

In the next second, Jordan’s tears fell down.

Due to his nerves being paralyzed, he did not realize that he was already in tears.

“Jordan, why are you crying again? Why are you crying so often? Are you Brother Jordan?”

Chloe felt sour in her heart and raised her hand to help him wipe his tears.

Suddenly, Jordan mustered up the courage out of nowhere and wrapped his slender hand around her waist, pulling her into his embrace.

His other hand pressed down hard on her back, wishing he could integrate his most beloved big sister into his throbbing

chest.

Chloe's beautiful eyes narrowed. She was not stupid. She felt the hug Jordan gave her, mixed with indescribable complex

emotions.

"Jordan, let go. Let's talk things out." She pushed him.

"Big sister... I am willing to accept all your punishment for what I have done." Jordan's face was full of tears, like melted ice.

He knew that he was selling himself miserably, asking for a piece of candy from his big sister pitifully.

It was a little shameless, but he was angry and uncomfortable in his heart. He was about to go crazy!

However, Chloe was not such an easy person to talk to.

Her eyes were heavy, and her two slender fingers were filled with strength. She poked hard at Jordan's chest.

Jordan, who had not fully recovered, suddenly lost his strength and fell back onto the sofa

"Jordan, I know you have no ill intentions. I will not punish you because of this."

Chloe looked at him with mixed eyes, but her voice was very cold. "Starting tomorrow, you have a week off. Go back and have a good rest."

"Big sister..." Jordan's eyes were filled with astonishment, and his heart ached.

Recently, your mind has been too tense, and your emotions have been fluctuating quite a bit. This week, you should relax your body and mind and organize your feelings. Think about what state you should continue to work by my side."

Skyler had been interrogated by the police overnight, and an entire day had passed.

These twenty-four hours was a torture for her, a pampered Miss Brown. Although she was also given food and drinks, she was not allowed to sleep or lie down. Her eyes were dark green and her face was withered. Her buttocks were almost calluses!

A bright white incandescent light shone on her head, roasting her hair that she had spent a lot of maintenance on.

It was too torture!

“I didn’t... I didn’t send Shelby to be a commercial spy... It has nothing to do with me... I was tricked by Chloe... I’m resentful...”

Skyler no longer had any strength. She was tired and sleepy, but she still kept quibbling. Her mouth was harder than a dead duck.

At this time, the door of the interrogation room opened.

A man in a suit, holding a black handbag, with an extraordinary appearance, with a calm and confident look on his face walked in.

“Officers, I am Miss Skyler’s attorney. My name is Johan.”

Johan...?!

Skyler’s pair of dead eyes lit up.

“I need to have a good chat with my client,” Johan said with a smile.

Skyler followed Johan to another room. After all, the only person who could see her now was her lawyer.

“Lawyer/Stewart! Did my dad ask you to come and save me?”

Skyler grabbed Johan’s hand and her tears fell. “Save me! I can’t hold on much longer!”

“Third Miss Sawle, don’t worry. Since I dared to take your case, it means that I have at least 80% of confidence to get rid of

the crime for you.”

Johan’s tone was very gentle, but his eyes were very sharp. “But the premise is that you must cooperate with me with all your strength and explain the ins and outs of the matter clearly. You can’t hide anything.”

“Good, good, good!”

Skyler nodded as if she was pounding garlic, and then she remembered that this Johan had even settled such a big matter that her mother had caused, so he would definitely be able to save her from the fire and water, so he spat out everything that had happened.

Johan listened calmly.

“Lawyer Stewart, don’t you have a way to deal with that Chloe? She is too hateful!”

“If not for that bitch, how could I have fallen to such a state” Skyler slammed the table in anger.

“Third Miss Sawle, Chloe is your plaintiff, she is the victim, and you know very well what her background is.”

Johan's eyes darkened. "This time, our opponent is very strong, and Miss Thorp is a ruthless person. It is already good- enough that I can let you escape unscathed this time. Don't expect too much."

Skyler felt that she had been insulted and was a little angry.

But now that she had a request, how could she dare to throw a tantrum?

"The female reporter who identified you, Shelby, has an affair with President Headline A. This is very useful for us. It can indirectly prove that the testimony of this witness is unreliable."

"In addition, the suspect named Justin was a couple with Shelby before the incident. This is the most important point, the breakthrough point of the entire case."

"You, you mean to push all the blame on Justin?" Skyler asked in a low voice.

Johan smiled meaningfully.

"But... is he willing to take the blame? As far as I know, he has completely broken off with Shelby."

"You don't have to worry about this."

As Medo's top lawyer, Johan had not only relied on the connections of Stewart family's family in the political circle, his own strength, and his treacherous and ruthless style of handling things.

If he wanted to win a lawsuit and wanted to reverse the case, sometimes he had to resort to some extreme means.

Under Jordan's pleading, Chloe still gave him a holiday.

Actually, the meaning of this holiday was very clear. It was not really to let him rest, but to let him adjust his mentality and think about how to face her.

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Following Ada's request, the big and small lady with Alexa's vest finally condescended to meet with her.

Ada was an international superstar. In front of the big and small ladies, he was no longer putting on airs. He served tea and poured water. All he could do was lick the tea and worship.

Chloe did not continue to make things difficult for her. Although she was Alexa, she was a businessman. She knew that it was useless to act impulsively. It was the right way to increase the popularity of the hotel and make money.

Therefore, she agreed to accept Ada's wedding.

This woman was elated on the spot and wished she could kowtow to her three times!

Not only that, Ada also expressed that she would give a sufficient budget and vowed that if KS Group needed a spokesperson for any products in the future, she would definitely stand up for them for free, just to make up.

"President Thorp, this, this is?" Ada asked in surprise as she looked at a document in front of her.

"Your new wedding plan," Chloe said as she sipped her coffee elegantly.

"So fast?" Ada and her manager looked at each other in shock.

What kind of terrifying speed was this?

"It's not fast, I was prepared for it."

“When I designed the first wedding plan for you, I was already prepared for it, just in case.”

“I thought I wouldn’t be able to use it, but I didn’t expect that I didn’t prepare it for nothing.”

Ada pursed her lips, feeling very upset.

“President Thorp, now that the wedding is right in front of us, and we have to redesign the scene... Isn’t the project too big? Can we make it in time?” The agent asked.

“I know that Ms. Ada has always been a fan of Gote style. You should be very interested in Black Rose, right?” Chloe asked with her almond-shaped eyes.

“Black Rose?” Ada screamed in excitement.

“The wedding venue was set up with more than ten tons of red roses. If you want to push all of them back, it is indeed too tight.”

“But if the red roses were replaced by Ecuador and Black Swan roses, it should be much easier.”

Ada Wang was so excited that her face was red!

The plan that Chloe had given her last time, if she said she was satisfied, then this was simply her dream wedding!

Black Rose’s flower language – mystery, desire, and everything you have for me.

It was both unique and cool to the bone.

“Black Rose? Is it... not too auspicious?” The agent asked weakly.

She was well-versed in, and her actions would definitely cause a sensation on the Internet.

This President Thorp was really a business genius. To her, earning money was only one aspect. Increasing the popularity of

the hotel was a profitable business! But in this case, wasn't Ada being used by him?

“Am I getting married or are you getting married? Also, I'm discussing business with President Thorp. Why are you interrupting? Is it polite?”

“Since I chose to cooperate with President Thorp, it means that I have absolute trust in her. I will accept all of her suggestions. Don't talk anymore nonsense!” Ada glared at her manager with a cold face.

After re-signing the contract, Chloe sent someone to send Ada and the others away, then returned to the team to convey the latest work task before leaving the hotel to get off work.

As soon as she stepped out of the door, she saw Oscar's Rolls-Royce waiting outside. The driver had respectfully opened the door for her.

“Big —Brother —! Why are you so free to pick me up from work today?” As soon as Chloe got in the car, she hugged Oscar's neck and began to act coquettishly.

“I heard that you gave Jordan a holiday?” Oscar touched her soft head.

“Yes, he is too tired recently and needs more rest.”

“Is that really the case?”

Oscar narrowed his eyes and saw through her thoughts. “You have been occupied with many things recently, and it is time for you to ask for help. What is the purpose of you sending Jordan away at this critical juncture?”

“Are you two in an argument?”

Chloe frowned. “Big brother, why do you sound so strange? We are not dating. Why are we in an argument?”

“It’s not reciprocated, right?”

“Big brother, you... what nonsense are you talking about!” Chloe’s beautiful eyes widened slightly.

“We can see Jordan’s feelings for you.” Oscar smiled faintly.

“Then?”

“And Helena, she mentioned this to me a few days ago. She was too embarrassed to tell you, so she revealed it to me.”

Chloe was a little helpless. Jordan, that brat, had already made everyone know about his crush!

So awkward...

“Second Madame is very afraid that Jordan will stay by your side with this kind of intention, which will affect your daily life. After all, you two get along with each other day and night. At present, in Medo’s villa, only you and him live. Second

Madame is very worried.” Oscar sincerely and earnestly held his little sister’s soft hand.

Chloe knew that Helena regarded her as her own daughter, so she paid extra attention to the affairs between her and men.

She was afraid that Jordan would not be able to control his desire and make a move on her.

“I believe in Jordan’s character. He will never do anything out of line, But you suddenly gave him a long vacation, so I have to ask a few more questions.” Oscar’s eyes were filled with worry.

“Actually, I am giving Jordan a chance to reflect on himself.”

“I’ve already noticed that he likes me, so I gave him a holiday to adjust his mentality and organize his feelings for me. It was also to ring the alarm clock for him.”

“If he can’t let go of his love for me, then I can’t let him stay by my side.”

“Such a ruthless heart?” Oscar frowned slightly.

“I’m doing this for his own good.”

Chloe sighed gloomily. “I’m someone who doesn’t plan to fall in love for the rest of my life. It’s impossible for me to fall in love with him. If he works by my side with such thoughts and sees me every day, he will never be able to enter my heart. Doesn’t he feel bad? Isn’t it painful?”

“I know the pain of love but can not be loved. I don’t want the people I care about to suffer. Jordan is a good man. He shouldn’t waste his time on me. He deserves a better person.”

When Oscar heard this, his heart trembled and he pulled his little sister into his arms.

At this time, his phone rang.

Oscar hugged his sister with his right arm and picked up the phone with his left hand. “What is it?” he asked coldly.

“President Thorp, just now, Skyler was acquitted and released! He was brought out by Johan!”

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After being locked up for three days, Skyler was finally able to escape.

Johan asked Jake to use all means to block the news, but it still reached Joseph's ears at the first moment.

"How could Skyler be released? Didn't you send someone to monitor Shelby well? Did you let Johan get close to her?" Joseph's cold face was covered with frost, and he punched hard on the car window.

"Mr. Sawle, the problem is not Shelby... It is Justin!"

"Our informant sent the news that Johan, in the name of acting lawyer, went to the detention center to meet Justin in secret."

"It was unclear what he said that scared Justin, but all doubts about Skyler were naturally dispelled as Justin took responsibility for the errors."

"What else can he do? It is to seize his weakness and threaten him with the safety of his family!"

"A golden medal lawyer used all kinds of despicable means!"

Joseph's peach blossom eyes were deep and gloomy, like the black sea before the tsunami, his clenched fists trembled, "The reputation of the great judge Jeremy has been ruined by this eldest son!" -

"Mr. Sawle, now that Justin is a scapegoat, doesn't that mean that Shelby's situation..."

Before Max finished his words, his mobile phone rang!

“What is it?”

After hearing this, Max’s expression became serious. He hung up and hurriedly reported to Joseph, “Mr. Sawle! Not good! Just now, the police arrested her for damaging her reputation and making false evidence!”

The result was expected.

Although Shelby deserved it.

However, it still made Joseph furious and his

eyes

burn red!

On this side, Skyler cried and returned to Mazeland Manor, as if she had been reborn.

The mother and daughter hugged each other and cried bitterly, acting out the scene of mother and daughter deeply in front of Jake and Rory.

Many years ago, when she was an actress, her acting skills were useless, but now she was an old artist.

“Mom! Dad! You must avenge me! This time, I was really screwed by Chloe and Zoey, those two bad women!”

Seeing that her grandfather was in front of her, Skyler wanted to take the opportunity to ruthlessly step on Chloe, so she ran over and knelt beside Rory’s wheelchair. “Grandpa! Chloe wants to kill me! She is too shrewd and vicious!”

“Fortunately, Lawyer Stewart saved me, otherwise you would never see your good granddaughter again!”

All sorts of feelings welled up in Rory’s heart as he faced Skyler’s accusation.

On one hand, he naturally did not believe that Raya was the kind of person that Skyler spoke of, but on the other hand, the person who provided evidence to the police and called the police to arrest his granddaughter was indeed his Raya.

Old Master felt the pain once more.

The last time was more than twenty years ago, and it was also the years when Sawle Group expanded at the fastest speed in Medo.

In order to quickly seize the market and strengthen Sawle Group, his two sons, Jake and Tany, were deeply involved in bribery and the scandal of auctioning the land against the rules. In the end, because Old Master was partial to his eldest son and Jake was not in good health at that time, Tany finally resisted all of them and was sentenced to four years in prison.

In the end, he never expected that Tany would die in prison due to a sudden heart paralysis after half a year of imprisonment!

The death of his youngest son made Rory extremely sad. His beloved wife was even more heartbroken. Her health deteriorated-and she was unable to grow old together in the end.

“Grandpa! I have been telling you that Chloe has ulterior motives... She must have had a profit when she married our Sawle family!”

Skyler lay on Grandpa, tears streaming down her face. “Chloe is good to you... Maybe she is also trying to get some benefits from you! Maybe she is trying to get Sawle Group’s shares from you!”

“Yes! Dad!”

Aubree also added fuel to the fire, demonizing Chloe, “Chloe hid her identity as Stefan’s daughter from the beginning, lurking around you to win your trust, and successfully married Joseph!”

“Think about it now, don’t you think it is a conspiracy she carefully planned Fortunately, Joseph was not bewitched by that girl to divorce in time to stop damage. If Joseph fell in love with her and was completely controlled by her, and she won your favor and absolute trust, aren’t you afraid that she will slowly infiltrate Sawle Group’s core and eat away the control of Sawle Group?”

“Don’t say anymore. Raya is not such a child.”

Rory waved his hand, but his mood was very dull. “And I know Stefan. Although he is a little fickle, he is a righteous gentleman. I don’t believe that he will raise a daughter of low character.”

“Dad!”

“Grandpa!”

“What’s more, in terms of family background and wealth, Thorp Group is not inferior to Sawle Group at all. Miss Thorp married Joseph just to get some of Sawle Group’s broken shares, and she lost all her happiness in her life?”

“Hmph, it’s reasonable for you to say that Brown family’s daughter did this kind of thing that has no vision and no style. Miss Thorp is a heaven’s pride daughter. She absolutely can not do this kind of low-level behavior!” Rory was partial to Chloe, and seeing that Aubree was fanning the flames, he even more wanted to speak to his adopted granddaughter.”

Aubree was so angry that she gnashed her teeth and really wanted to rush up and kick this old bastard’s wheelchair!

“Dad, no matter what, that Miss Thorp still has too much malice towards our Sawle Group!”

Jake knew that his daughter was the one who provoked him first, but of course, he could not admit that his education had failed in front of Rory, so he said indignantly, “Even if there is a certain problem in our group, it is not up to an outsider like Chloe to criticize us!”

“She repeatedly used Thorp Group’s power to suppress us. Last time, it was Aubree. This time, because of a small matter, she sent Skyler to prison!”

“She attacked with such a heavy fist just to completely tear off our Sawle Group’s face! Have you ever thought that Chloe, who returned to Thorp family, has changed? Between her own interests and your affection, she will only choose the former without hesitation!”

Rory grabbed the armrest with both hands, and his chest heaved violently.

“Webb, let Raya see me. Regarding this matter, I just want to hear it from her own mouth!”

At this moment, outside Mazeland’s villa.

Joseph’s Maybach stopped in front of the door, and Max opened the door for Joseph.

Just as the man stepped out of the car with a cold expression, a black Maserati slowly drove over and stopped beside him.

The next second, Johan, who was in a suit, appeared in his cold gaze.

“What a coincidence, Mr. Sawle.”

“Heh, at this time, Lawyer Stewart even specially came over. Could it be that Director Sawle still has some shady mess that he needs you to clean up for him?” Joseph laughed coldly, his thin lips hooked up like a sharp knife.

“Director Sawle hired me to be Miss Skyler’s lawyer, then I have the obligation to be responsible to the end. This is my professional career as a professional lawyer, and I have no other choice.”

“Mr. Sawle, you saying this can only mean that you don’t understand the profession of a lawyer. It doesn’t matter, the distance is like the distance between a mountain.”

Joseph’s eyes were cold, his pale thin lips slightly pursed, and he approached Johan with an intimidating pressure.

Johan’s brows furrowed, and he subconsciously took a step back.

In fact, the moment he retreated, he had already lost. At the very least, in front of this man who was as handsome as a god but was as formidable as a tiger, he had already suffered a crushing defeat in his battle array.

“The political world is a place with deep waters. There are plenty of lawyers who uphold justice for the poor people, and naturally there are also many. A well-known lawyer like Johan, like you, who is at the beck and call of the financial group, values benefits above all else, and will do anything to achieve his goals.”

Johan’s smile stiffened.

“But this is your personal pursuit. I have no right to interfere. But there is one thing that I want to warn you about.”

“You can be ruthless and crafty, but Chloe is a woman who is very important to me. If you scheme against her again, you might even do something against her.”

“Don’t blame me. Using the other way, you still have to treat her differently!”

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Joseph said firmly and left with large strides.

Johan stood rooted to the ground, his entire body cold and filled with a strong sense of shame.

Born into a family of lawyers, his parents had high hopes for him since he was young. His younger brothers looked up to him, and his life was mostly smooth sailing. He was an outstanding figure among Medo's lawyers.

Even the wealthiest of tycoons, who had seemingly limitless power, had to humble themselves and ask him to come out.

When had he ever been humiliated like this?

Wait.

Johan furrowed his brows and turned around to look at the man's proud back.

What was the connection between Mr. Sawle and Chloe? Why was he, a man who had never been close to women and lacked emotion, so enraged that he was almost livid for her?

He was quite familiar with Thorp family. She was a celestial figure. She was the apple of Stefan's eye. Others were arrogant, but Miss Thorp was in outer space. How could the vulgar men in the world enter her eyes?

There was only one possibility. Joseph was an illegitimate child who overestimated himself and adored Thorp family! Even if he was as handsome as a painting, so what?

His mother did not get a title even in her death. His position as the president was just a charity from Sawle Group!

“Heh, the one who resides in the Eastern Palace may not be the Crown Prince. Even if you don your dragon robes, you won't

be able to become the Emperor! Joseph, with your humble origins, do you think you are worthy of having ambitions for the Thorp family? Keep dreaming!”

Johan’s gaze was icy as he walked into the villa.

Seeing Joseph and Johan walk in, everyone was a little surprised.

“Dad, this Johan or Lawyer Stewart is a rare talent. If not for him, Skyler would definitely not have come out so easily. Lawyer Stewart has made a great contribution.”

“Therefore, I plan to hire Lawyer Stewart to be the Minister of Legal Affairs of our Sawle Group. What do you think?” Jake asked.

“Hello, Mr. Sawle. I have long admired your name. It is an honor to see you today.” Johan smiled and bowed politely to Rory.

“Johan... You are Jeremy’s eldest son?” Rory looked at him and asked seriously.

“Yes, my father is Jeremy.”

“Do you know my father?” Johan looked proud and happy.

Joseph watched their interaction from the side, his brows furrowed.

He hated this Johan who exuded the aura of a hypocrite, but from the looks of it, his grandfather seemed to have some friendship with his father.

“Of course I know him.”

Rory looked at him simperingly. “Back then, my youngest son, Tany, was sentenced by your father. He was impartial and impartial, and was sentenced to four whole years.”

Everyone was shocked!

Johan's face turned pale in an instant, and he almost couldn't stop laughing awkwardly.

In an instant, memories surged, and that dark past split open a crack in Jake's heart, causing his expression to darken in an

instant.

This subtle change in expression was inadvertently captured by Joseph.

"Mr. Sawle, although my father's business ability is strong, he is indeed a person who does not know how to be flexible. I apologize to you for what he did back then."

Johan did not expect the situation to take a sharp turn. Seeing that Old Master Sawle was so serious, he felt that this might be the old grudge, so he quickly bowed to him and apologized.

"Ah, interesting."

Rory raised his eyebrows. "What did your father do wrong? Why did you apologize for him?"

"I..." Johan was stunned and his expression froze.

"As a judge, he is upright and upright, fair and strict. Isn't this most basic professional accomplishment? You apologize for him. Do you want to say that he did that in the past, was he wrong?"

"I... Mr. Sawle, you misunderstood. I didn't mean that." Johan smiled awkwardly.

“I’ve actually been aware of you for quite some time. You’re renowned for representing the wealthy, from minor celebrities to the affluent. Many have sought your services in the past.”

“Had you not mentioned that you were Jeremy’s son, I would have been convinced that the two of you were not related.”

“Your way of doing things is really different from your father’s.”

Anyone could tell that his words were full of sarcasm!

Wasn’t this questioning of Johan’s character?

Joseph couldn’t help but raise his thin lips slightly. Jake and Aubree’s expressions were not so good.

“Mr. Sawle!”

At this time, Secretary Webb hurriedly walked in and said respectfully, “Miss Thorp has arrived.”

Joseph’s heart shook heavily, and his dark pupils suddenly shrank!

Everyone’s complicated gazes simultaneously looked outside the door.

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The sharp and crisp sound of high heels seemed to have stepped on his heart.

Chloe walked into this place that she had lived in for three years alone, but at this moment, she exuded a cold and noble aura, just like the first time she stepped here.

In an instant, Joseph’s vision became dazed.

It felt like they hadn't divorced yet.

“Grandpa, I'm here.”

Chloe smiled brightly, blinking her bright eyes as she walked over to her grandpa.

When she passed by Joseph, she didn't linger.

It was as if they didn't know each other at all.

The man held his breath and slowly clenched his ten fingers in the dark. His heart missed and he fell uncontrollably.

After marriage, every time he saw his ex-wife, it was as if he was going through a cruel torture, a monstrous catastrophe.

“Chloe!”

Skyler stared at Chloe's beautiful face. If Aubree hadn't pulled her, she would have pounced on her and bitten her to pieces!

“Eh? Isn't this Brother Johan? What a coincidence.”

When she passed by Johan, Chloe suddenly stopped and looked at him with a smile.

Johan was stunned!

Everyone was also shocked!

Brother Johan? Such a close address, could it be that their relationship was not shallow?

“Miss Thorp, long time no see.” Johan forced a smile and responded with a rather distant address.

“Indeed, it has been five or six years since Brother Johan visited my father, right? He even thought of you a while ago. Our two families are old acquaintances.”

I remember when I was young, Uncle Stewart often brought you and Jordan to our house as guests. In recent years, he hasn't been very active and has become distant.

Director Sawle, you still don't know, right? Uncle Stewart and his three young masters have always been the guests of our Thorp Group.

After Uncle Stewart retired, he was once the head of our KS Group's legal department. It was just that Uncle Stewart was a low-key person, so no one knew about this matter.

Johan forced himself to put on an expression, but his cheeks were burning.

Chloe's words sounded casual, but each word was piercing to his throat!

What he was most unwilling to mention was that his family had once enjoyed the favor of Thorp family, and he even had to

admit in his heart that his achievements today were related to Thorp family's financial support!

If he wanted to make a big move and become stronger, he had to get rid of the shadow of Thorp family if he wanted to change the door!

“I didn't expect that Lawyer Stewart and Thorp family are so close,” Jake said thoughtfully.

“My father has indeed been KS Group’s legal consultant for a few years, but he has long been dismissed. Thorp family and I haven’t been in contact for many years.” Johan hurriedly opened his mouth, and his words were all to clear

up the relationship with Thorp Group.

“Brother Johan, no, Lawyer Stewart.”

Chloe narrowed her eyes slightly, and her smile gradually became cold. “You should not have forgotten that when Uncle Stewart retired, Stewart family experienced a big change. If not for my father’s help, it would have been difficult for your family to cross the tribulation.

“Back then, my father was indebted to your father, and you, Stewart family, also ate a lot of our favors. We never thought of asking you to repay us. But you should not ally with outsiders and make trouble for me.”

“Ungrateful, tearing down the bridge after crossing the river. Is this your rule as a lawyer?” The young lady’s red lips curled up, and a cold and beautiful sneer appeared on her face. Send Gift

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Thorp family’s big sister forcefully questioned him. It was as if she had ripped off Johan’s cloth and put an ungrateful hat on

his head!

‘Didn’t you want to clear up your relationship with Thorp family?’

Good.

‘Then I must bring up the matter. You don’t want to see the light, so I will pull them out and let you see the light!’

The corners of Johan's lips twitched. Although he still had a smile on his face, there was no trace of a smile in his eyes as he stared at Chloe.

There was even a chill in his eyes.

Was this woman that his second brother, Jordan, was infatuated with?

If he married this kind of troublesome woman into Stewart family's door, then his family would not be able to have a good life in the future. Wouldn't it be a mess?

The atmosphere became oppressive and awkward.

Jake felt that this Chloe was simply a god of plague descending to the mortal world. Every time he saw her, she wanted to stir up trouble!

There was no doubt about Johan's ability as a lawyer. He had always wanted to take him under his command, but he did not know that he had such a relationship with Thorp family. This really made him very uncomfortable.

"It turns out that Lawyer Stewart and Thorp family have such an unknown past."

Joseph said to Johan, but his deep eyes never left Chloe. "It seems that Miss Thorp is the daughter of your family's benefactor."

"Is this way you repay your kindness?" Lawyer Stewart repeatedly went against Miss Thorp.

Chloe couldn't help but frown and smash the man's words.

Was he standing up for her in front of her family and an outsider?

He had never sided with her when they were husband and wife. Was he cosplaying as a weasel now?

No need!

Hearing this, Rory's brows furrowed tighter and tighter.

"Heh, Miss Thorp, according to what you said, because our Stewart family has received the favor of your Thorp family, I can't be a lawyer, right?"

"I am a professional lawyer, and there are only two types of people in my eyes – the client and the client."

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"Miss Skyler is my client, and of course I have to do my best for her. This is understandable, isn't it? If you hire me to file a

you, Miss Thorp, I will also perform my duty. This is different from whether I repay you or not."

Joseph looked at the man's hidden proud expression, and his eyes darkened and his fists hardened.

"Oh, I dare not invite you, Lawyer Stewart!"

"A powerful lawyer like you is a double-edged sword. If you help me beat someone up today, will you help others beat me up tomorrow?" Chloe said as she poked her face.

As she spoke, she poked her face again. "After all, my father is your father's savior. You didn't even give him face. I, Chloe, am just a little girl. What do I count for in your eyes? When you change the door, people want you to mess with me. Won't you just kill yourself?"

"My temple is small, but I can't afford a big Buddha like you."

-After saying that, Chloe felt goosebumps all over her body.

“Eh —!”

When she got bitchy, even Grace, who was at her peak, would be willing to admit defeat, right?

Joseph looked at Chloe’s beautiful little face, which looked innocent but was actually full of evil intentions. The corners of her lips quietly rose, and she could not help but smile.

Johan coughed gloomily, and his lungs hurt from anger.

Skyler originally wanted to take advantage of the fact that she was in her old nest, and Johan was there, to ridicule Chloe in front of her. Even if she could not vent her anger, she could at least vent it.

As a result, after Chloe’s verbal attack, even Johan was defeated. What kind of demon did she dare to be? She hid behind

Aubree like a turtle.

“Grandpa!”

Chloe walked to Rory’s side and held the old man’s withered hand. Her eyes were full of worry. She looked closer than his own granddaughter, Skyler. “Are you feeling uncomfortable calling me over so late?”

“Don’t worry about the child. Grandpa is fine.”

Rory gently looked at the girl’s clear eyes and patted the back of her hand. “Grandpa is fine. He is very healthy.”

“That’s good.” Chloe heaved a sigh of relief.

“Raya, Grandpa invited you over this time. Actually, it is not a big deal. First, I miss you and want to see you. Second... I want to ask you what happened between you and Skyler. Why did it become so big?”

“You and Skyler are both Grandpa’s good granddaughters. Grandpa hopes that both of you will be fine and make such an earth-shattering scene. Grandpa is very anxious.””

However, Chloe understood that her grandfather wanted to say a few words to his granddaughter.

For some reason, her nose felt sour, and her throat felt slightly choked.

No matter how well she treated his grandfather, it could never match the bond of a human’s blood relatives.

Even if the “good granddaughter” he spoke of was a villain who had evil intentions and repeatedly stabbed her in the back.

“Dad, when Skyler was at the police station for the past two days, she almost couldn’t take it anymore!”

Aubree took the opportunity to hug the sobbing Skyler and sobbed, “They took turns to interrogate your granddaughter 24 hours a day. They scared and scolded her, but they still didn’t let her sleep! Look... They tortured the child so much that he couldn’t even look human!”

Skyler, on the other hand, looked much more haggard, and her sad face made her look even more pitiful.

This eldest granddaughter was doted on by him since he was young. Although she was indeed not as good as Chloe, and she was not as good as Chloe who would make him happy. After she grew up, she had her own life and rarely came to visit him.

However, Skyler was actually his granddaughter... An old man like him still hoped to spend four lives in the same hall and enjoy the joys of life together.

Joseph saw that Chloe's eyes were slightly red, and his expression was no longer as high-spirited as before. He felt unspeakably uncomfortable in his heart.

The little girl had clearly been wronged.

He suddenly remembered that she had lived like an outsider in this family for the three years she married him.

At that time, he didn't know how to feel sorry for her and even hoped that she would back off because of this and take the initiative to propose a divorce to him.

At this moment, the scene from before seemed to repeat itself once more.

However, Joseph had already missed it once. He would never allow himself to make a second mistake!

Thus, his expression was cold and stern. His eyes surged with anger as he strode over to Old Master.

In the next second, everyone was stunned!

They saw Joseph raise his arm and naturally wrap his arm around Chloe's shoulder, pulling her into his embrace.

It was as if she was originally his woman, and they never divorced!

Chloe's beautiful eyes widened, and all the blood in her body froze.

“Joseph, you...!”

“Grandpa

The man did not give her a chance to break free. He held her round shoulders and tightened his fingers,

“Instead of asking Miss Thorp what happened, you might as well ask what your good granddaughter, Skyler, has done.”

Chapter 248

Chloe felt that Joseph’s palm was very hot, and waves of heat invaded her skin.

Mad dog!

“What are you doing again? Get your dirty hands away!”

As if sensing her intention to break free, the man’s five fingers were about to crush her shoulder bone, their strength so great that it seemed they were tightly connected to her.

Upon witnessing the ex-couple so close together, everyone was taken aback!

Only Rory revealed a pleasantly surprised and gratified smile. His originally somewhat suppressed mood was instantly elated, and he could not close his mouth!

Ah!

Did Raya reconcile with Joseph

However, Raya didn’t seem to be very happy.

Oh, no matter whether he was pestering or forcing himself, in short, his grandson was finally enlightened! It was a good thing that the relationship had improved. It was worth celebrating!

Chloe finally couldn't bear it anymore. While everyone was not paying attention, she slowly raised her foot and stomped heavily!

"Er!" Joseph furrowed his brows and let out a muffled groan.

She was the only one who could hear him.

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Chloe curled her red lips and let out an evil sneer in her heart. She stepped on the high heels of the man's high-end handmade leather shoes and ruthlessly stomped them!

Phew! It was comfortable.

However, Joseph was in so much pain that his thin lips were trembling!

That heart-wrenching pain almost made his soul leave his body!

Joseph clenched his teeth tightly and turned his eyes inch by inch. He looked at the little girl in his arms who had a proud expression on her face.

He couldn't help but slowly open his handsome eyebrows.

Heh, bullying him made her so happy?

Then he didn't mind letting her step on him again.

“Grandpa! I was wronged!”

Skyler saw that if this went on, this ex-husband and wife would beat her to death in front of her grandfather, so she pulled Johan to clean up for herself, “If I really am guilty, even if Lawyer Stewart has extraordinary hands, it is impossible for me to be acquitted!”

“The police are not fools. How can a real guilty person not leave evidence From beginning to end... it was Chloe, this bad woman, who framed me!”

“Mr. Sawle, the police have a strict process of handling cases.”

At this time, Johan also stood up to speak for Skyler, “I am Miss Skyler’s lawyer. What I can do is to ensure the legal interests of my client to the greatest extent. I also don’t have the ability to turn black into white”

He turned to look at Chloe, his eyes unfathomable, “Miss Thorp, I don’t know what personal grudge you have with my client, but I think you should not solve the problem with dishonorable means.”

“What’s more, with Director Thorp’s style, his daughter should also be elegant, right?”

Chloe narrowed her eyes slightly and sneered.

Hehe, did this man have to be so gossiping?

He seemed to have forgotten that his father, Jeremy, had brought his younger self to thank Stefan with a lowered head. Johan had also given Chloe a death suppressing label and pointed the spearhead at her again!

“Heh,”

Suddenly, Joseph let out a cold laugh.

The laughter was magnetic and intimidating, and even Chloe, who was in his arms, couldn't help but secretly feel scared.

“I really gave you too much face. Lawyer Stewart really thinks that he is someone.”

The man's eyes turned red, and his sharp gaze pierced straight at Johan. “Before I entered the door, what did I tell you? Is your brain not good? You forgot about it so quickly?”

Chloe's pupils shrank: ?

This man, did he have contact with Johan before?

What... did they say?

Aubree and Skyler both froze in shock and took a small step back. They felt that the hostility in Joseph at this moment was heavier than that of a ghost!

Johan's hypocritical smile was about to collapse. His expression was filled with fear and anger, gradually becoming distorted.

“Joseph! How can you talk to Lawyer Stewart like that? He is our guest after all!” Jake could not help but scold him angrily.

After all, he still wanted to put Johan in an important position in the future and let him be his guest. Wasn't Joseph doing this to cause trouble for him?

“He is your guest, not my guest.”

Joseph's cold gaze swept towards Jake's flushed face, and then slowly moved back to Chloe's clear and moving beautiful eyes.

When their eyes met, his gaze suddenly became gentle, as if the entire world had disappeared, and there was only her in his

eyes.

“As I said before, whoever dares to cause trouble for Miss Thorp, I will definitely not let him have a good end.”

Chloe took a deep breath. Her heart was faintly trembling, and her gaze seemed to be sucked by Joseph. She could not pull it out for a moment.

Johan’s throat rolled with difficulty, and his hands secretly clenched.

“Lawyer Stewart, do you remember what I said this time?”

Chapter 249

As long as Chloe appeared, Sawle family would definitely cause chaos and end up breaking up in a bad mood.

Chloe had no feelings for him, and there was no need for her to explain anything to Rory; the clarity of the situation was evident.

Moreover, she had already understood Johan’s way of handling things from Stefan and Helena. Since he was able to fish Skyler out of the police station, it meant that he had already dealt with the hidden dangers. Even if she knew that he had threatened Justin to become the scapegoat, the police would not be able to turn the case over for the time being.

How polite Johan’s smile was, how sinister he was.

And Rory did not have any intention of making things difficult for her. After all, he trusted this girl. He had seen her gold like sincerity.

If even Raya could not be trusted, then in this world, who else could he trust?

Chloe personally pushed the wheelchair to send Rory back to his room.

Joseph always followed closely behind her, sticking close to her tightly.

She was so annoyed in her heart!

But Grandpa was very content tonight. Gazing at the “young couple” around him, he had a pleased smile on his face, showing two rows of teeth. His mood was exceptionally good, as if he had gone back to springtime.

It was not just love that could raise people, but it was also very comforting to see the CP that she supported together!

“Grandpa, I’m sorry. Recently, I was too busy and did not have time to visit you. You must be angry with me, right?” Chloe could not hide the guilt in her expression.

“Silly child, what are you saying? If you remember grandpa, grandpa will be very satisfied!”

Rory clenched her warm little hand and glanced at Joseph meaningfully. “You are so young, you should go out to play more and interact more with outstanding men.”

“What Brother Anderson? Young Master Xavier... I heard that they are quite familiar with you. How about it? Do you have a little guy you like? If you have one, you must bring it to grandpa. Grandpa will help you check it!”

Joseph’s eyebrows twitched fiercely, and his chest felt like it had been smashed by Old Master. It was really stuffy and painful!

This old man was sitting on the wheel chair and still wanted to be the matchmaker!

Wasn't he afraid that his precious Raya would pull out a crowned beast!

The man's eyes were red, and his breathing was obviously more impatient.

“Grandfather, how... did you know about Jerome and Fourth Young Master Xavier?” Chloe could not help but be surprised.

“Hey, grandfather is a crouching dragon. He knows everything about the world without leaving his house.” Rory also boasted.

“Yes, Fourth Young Master Xavier and I have known each other since we were young.”

“Childhood sweethearts?” Rory's heart skipped a beat.

“Er... Haha, this can be considered the relationship between a big sister and a little brother. He was weak when he was a child, and he had to rely on me to protect him! Hmph hmph!” Chloe raised her delicate chin slightly, and with one hand on her waist, she laughed in a lively manner.

It was as if this twenty-four year old girl in front of him was still the same as when she was ten years old, bright, lively, and

cute.

Joseph focused on her fluttering eyes, and suddenly his gaze became absent-minded, and he felt a sharp pain in his mind!

He was afraid that Chloe and his grandfather would see him, so he quickly turned around and raised his hand to press down on his throbbing temple, causing cold sweat to burst out on his back.

Her smile gradually merged with the little face of the girl in the depths of his memory.

He always felt that he had seen Chloe a long, long time ago.

But why, he couldn't remember anything...

“Is that so... Why hasn't grandpa ever heard you mention that you have such a good relationship with Xavier family before?”

Rory was actually not a person who liked to gossip, but he paid more attention to the future of his CP.

“Later, Fourth Young Master Xavier followed his mother to settle down in Stoeyae and cut off contact with me. A while ago,

he coincidentally met me and we had a new relationship.” Chloe felt that she was very magnanimous with Jerome and did not hide anything from her grandfather.

“Ah... Last time, I heard that in the charity auction you prepared, Fourth Young Master Xavier donated a sky-high collectible necklace in order to help you build up power. It can be seen that he is very attentive to you.” Rory continued to probe.

Chloe smiled faintly, “Fourth Young Master Xavier probably thought of the friendship I helped him when he was young. In order to thank me, he helped me.”

“Sigh, from the looks of it, this youngest son of Director Xavier knows how to repay kindness. He is a person with a temperament.”

As he spoke, Rory looked at Joseph with extreme disgust. The more he looked at her, the more annoyed he became. “Hmph, it's much better than my cold, hard coffin lid!”

Old Master was not speaking up for outsiders. He just hated that iron was not steel, so when he had the chance, he wanted to anger him and provoke him so that he could work harder.

“Grandpa, don’t have any complaints about him because I divorced Mr. Sawle. I have told you very clearly from the beginning that we divorced peacefully. I have no resentment towards Mr. Sawle.”

Chloe looked back, her eyes which were as calm as dead water made Joseph worried. “Mr. Sawle is not like you said, he is a person with a cold face and a cold heart.”

He had always known how to reciprocate kindness, how to be aloof, how to be affectionate, and how to lavish attention on others.

In an instant, Joseph felt a sharp pain in his heart. His throat was filled with guilt, and his stiff shoulders trembled slightly.

He knew how to repay kindness, and he knew how to be cold and warm.

However, he paid the wrong amount of affection and smashed through the southern wall. He was bleeding from head to toe, but he found that he was stupid.

Was he really inferior to Jerome?

In Chloe’s eyes, he was really inferior to Jerome.

Chloe gave Rory a few more instructions in terms of health and left the room.

Just as she stepped out of the door, Joseph hurriedly chased after her.

“I’ll send you off.” The man’s words were simple.

Chloe couldn't flare up in front of her grandfather. At this moment, she finally exploded. She suddenly turned around and pointed at his face.

She shouted, "Freeze!"

Joseph frowned.

Chloe pursed her red lips and felt a little embarrassed. She originally wanted to say "don't", but in the end, she smacked her lips and said "freeze".

Forget it, it was the same meaning anyway!

"I don't need you to send me. I'm in my twenties. It's not like I don't know the way home!"

"It's too late. I'll send you off." Joseph did not give up and took a step forward.

Chloe remembered that she had been hugged by this man tonight. She gritted her teeth and raised her hand to pat her shoulder. She brushed off the dirty things that she could not see. "Joseph, I was not angry just now. It's not that I want to do anything to you. It's just because Grandpa is here. Don't push your luck."

I am already angry because of the matter between Johan and Skyler. I want to slap any passing dog. If you dare to come over again, do you believe that I will slap you?

Chloe thought that her words were very powerful and domineering, and they were very intimidating.

But when Joseph heard this, he only curled his thin lips and wanted to laugh.

Johan is unhappy with you again. Tell me, I will help you deal with him," he said softly.

“Ah, no need! You, an outsider, don’t need to, interfere in the matter between Stewart family and us, Thorp family. Take care of yourself!”

Chloe recalled that tonight, in order to protect her, Joseph had embarrassed Johan in front of Sawle family, and a trace of obscure emotions arose in her heart.

But on second thought, the cur was probably more concerned about his own interests.

After all, she could see that Jake wanted Johan to enter Sawle Group. Once Johan really became Sawle Group’s legal

consultant, it would be equivalent to having another fierce general under Jake, and the situation would be unfavorable to the cur.

At this point, Chloe could only laugh coldly.

Just as Joseph strode forward and wanted to get closer to him again, a deep and stern voice came from behind him.

Joseph!”

Joseph’s brows suddenly furrowed. He turned around and saw Jake quickly approaching him.

“Come to the study. I have something to say.”

“I will see you later. Now I want to send Miss Thorp back.” Joseph responded coldly and did not give in.

“Heh... Does she need you? Miss Thorp has left long ago!”

Joseph was stunned and turned around.

The little girl who moved like a rabbit had already disappeared without a trace.

Chloe walked out of Sawle family's villa expressionlessly.

“Miss Thorp,”

She stopped in her tracks and her eyes became even colder. She saw Johan walk in front of her simperingly.

“Regardless of whether you are convinced or not, I will still help Miss Skyler cross this tribulation. It is not shameful for you to lose to me, Johan.”

“Indeed, no matter how I think about it, I feel that I have earned a lot this time.”

Chloe was not angry. Instead, she followed his words and mocked him, “Through this matter with Skyler, I can completely see the face of the eldest son of Stewart family. I have seen a lot of people who put down their bowls and scold the chef. Johan is really unique.”

“I just don't know that Uncle Stewart wants to know that the son he is most proud of, his biggest ambition is to wipe the butt of the tycoon and go against his former benefactor...”

“Will he feel embarrassed for Lawyer Stewart?”

Johan's smile, which was originally fake and weak, was completely stiff. His face suddenly sank, “Miss Thorp, I let you have three points because you are Director Thorp's daughter. You repeatedly provoke me, is not too much!”

“Can a tycoon do whatever they want?”

“You’ve reminded me. I’m the daughter of a tycoon. It’s my talent to do whatever I want. With such a noble identity, why don’t I use it?”

Chloe narrowed her beautiful eyes dangerously, her red lips moving rapidly as if they were a blade that could slay without spilling a drop of blood. “So in the future, before you dare to oppose me again, you’d better consider who I, Chloe, am. Who is backing me up?”

“My temper is much worse than my father’s.”

After saying those harsh words, the young lady stepped on her beautiful high heels and left in a carefree manner.

Johan looked at the beautiful back of the woman and almost gnashed his teeth in hatred!

“Chloe, don’t treat me as my good-for-nothing younger brother. Jordan is willing to be your Thorp family’s dog. I, Johan, am not so useless. You cannot do whatever you want!”

“The future stretches out before us. Our fight lies ahead of us!”

Chapter 250

In the study room, Aubree and Skyler were both there.

Jake naturally wouldn’t let Rory come over. After all, in his eyes, Old Master was someone who was on Joseph’s side.

Until now, the father and son had been almost diametrically opposed.

Ever since Quinn, Joseph’s birth mother, committed suicide, it seemed that their father-son relationship had become only

nominal.

The gap between them had worsened once again because of Chloe.

However, this scene was what Aubree wanted to see the most.

Only when they were at each other's camp would she be able to take advantage of the chaos to gain benefits from Sawle Group!

Taking ten thousand steps back, Jake was the father of this bastard. So what if he was a monkey king? Wasn't he still going to be pressed under the Five Finger Mountain?

"I called you here to inform you of something."

Jake sat on the sofa with a cold face and casually threw a fresh printed letter of appointment in front of Joseph, "I have decided to officially hire Johan as Sawle Group's legal consultant and also the director of the group's legal department." This appointment will be issued tomorrow. I have already signed it, so I don't need you, the president, to sign it.

Aubree and her daughter secretly smiled proudly.

"I don't agree." Joseph said without hesitation.

"I don't need you to agree. It's enough for me to agree. Johan is a rare talent. Don't you know how important it is to accept an excellent lawyer to a consortium?"

"You should have heard the conversation between Chloe and Johan clearly, right?"

"That kind of ungrateful, selfish, and unscrupulous lawyer, did you call him over because you wanted to associate with him?". Joseph sneered.

“You! You arrogant unfilial son!”

Jake suddenly stood up, and because his movements were too big, his vision went dark. Fortunately, Aubree caught him in time.

“Jake, don’t be angry. Being angry is harmful to the body!” She stroked her husband’s back and laughed in her heart.

Thorp family has been a great help to Stewart family. His family is taken care of by Director Thorp. Even his own brother, Jordan, works for KS Group. Even so, he still has a rebellious heart. For his own selfish desire, he broke his promise.

“Do

you think you can control such a person? In the future, if someone offers more tempting conditions, do you think he can still obediently stay with Sawle Group and be used by you?” Joseph hit the nail on the head, not giving him any face.

“Joseph! You are just making excuses for yourself to protect that ghost girl Chloe!”

At this moment, there were no outsiders present. Jake finally stopped holding back. He was so angry that his eyes were red as he roared, “You are so protective of her... Could it be that you are moved by that loathsome girl!”

“So what if I am moved?” Joseph lightly opened his thin lips and lightly spat out a few words.

Only the heavens knew that his heartbeat at this moment was so fast that it seemed as if it was about to fly over!

When he heard these words, Jake was like he was struck by lightning and was fiercely stunned!

Aubree and Skyler probably did not expect him to give such an answer, and they were also stunned.

They couldn't tell whether Joseph had genuine feelings for Chloe or if he was just trying to defy Jake by saying something quickly

After all, this evil creature had only been stupid once in his life, and that was to be with Grace and abandon the beautiful Chloe, who was the daughter of heaven.

“Joseph! You want to come to me to find regret medicine? There is no way!”

“Let me tell you, even if you fall in love with Chloe, you should cut off your thoughts as soon as possible and give up on that idea!” Jake was furious.

“As long as I live for a day, I will never agree to you being with that wretched girl Thorp family!”

“I knew she was Stefan's daughter... I would never let you marry her back then! I let her fool our family for three years and let her delay you for three years in vain!”

His lips and tongue pierced through Joseph's chest like a thousand arrows.

In an instant, his eyes reddened with anger. His dark pupils narrowed into two sharp, cold stars, radiating a burning hatred.

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Joseph picked up the crystal ashtray from the coffee table, raised his arm high, and then smashed it on the ground in the next second.

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“Ah!”

Jake trembled all over, and Aubree and Skyler screamed out in fear!

The crystal smoke jar fell to the ground, breaking into pieces, and sharp pieces of debris flew everywhere.

Some of them were so loud that they directly cut Aubree's skirt and arms, causing blood to leak out. She was shocked and angry, and almost cried on the spot!

"Chloe did nothing wrong. What right do you have to talk about her?"

"What's wrong with her marrying me? After three years of marriage, how did she let me down? Did she let you down? Did she let Sawle family down?"

"I let her down. It was the entire Sawle family who let her down! If anyone says no to her, even if it is you, don't blame me for being merciless!"

This look...

It was this again. It was as if the eyes of both humans and demons came from the Asura Realm of carnage!

Jake held his breath and his lips trembled.

Back then, when Quinn jumped down from upstairs, the young Joseph hugged his mother's bloody body tightly. When he looked at his late father, it was just like this, the same gaze!

He hated it, he hated it, but he was even more afraid!

Now, for the sake of a mere Chloe, he actually wanted to shed all pretenses with his biological father?

Aubree and Skyler originally wanted to see Joseph laugh at them, but in the end, they didn't see the joke and instead, received a shock.

They didn't even dare to breathe heavily.

Joseph closed his eyes and took a deep breath. He felt that there was no need to say anything more and turned around to

leave.

“Joseph!”

Jake called his name in a hoarse voice, his voice trembling. “You are protecting Thorp family's daughter like this... Are you going to stand with Thorp family and disobey me, your biological father?”

“Don't forget what your surname is. Don't forget whose blood is flowing in your body. Don't forget, if I didn't support you, how could you sit in a high position? How could you have power throughout Sawle Group!”

Old topics are discussed with no new ideas.

Joseph heard this and felt bored.

“If you dare to go against me... believe it or not, I will make you roll down from the position of president! Believe it or not, I will make you not even a fart!” Jake was simply hysterical.

Even as a wife, Aubree had never seen him so angry.

“If you want to do this, then do it. If you really have the courage, then do it.”

Joseph slowly looked behind him. His gaze seemed to have been cut off from the world. It was so resolute that it was soul-stirring. "For her, I don't mind becoming enemies with the entire Sawle Group."

Just as Joseph left the study room, his straight and broad shoulders drooped. He felt as if his soul had been sucked out.

"Joseph."

A gentle voice sounded. His eyes turned red and he saw Rory appear in front of him.

Just now, he was completely immersed in his complicated emotions and did not realize that there was someone in the corridor,

The old man did not change into his pajamas. It was still the same gown he came from. It seemed that he had no intention of spending the night with Mazeland Manor.

Ever since his grandmother left and Jake married Aubree, he felt that this place was no longer his home. Morning Moon Bay, who was in the mountains, was his home.

"Grandfather..."

Joseph said softly. He found that his voice was very hoarse and even choked.

"I heard everything you said to your father in the study room."

Rory was sitting in a wheelchair, so it was not convenient for him to stand up. Joseph obediently leaned over, making it convenient for his grandfather to touch him.

"Although talking back to your father is impolite, but... hehe, this time, we want to go together!"

“I also don’t want that Johan to enter Sawle Group. Your idea is right, the mercenary is not in line with our corporate culture!”

“Don’t worry, although my old man has retired, I have not completely retreated.”

“I will still keep my word. If your father insists, I will stop him.”

“Grandpa, as the president, this matter should be handled by me. You should enjoy your later years and stop worrying about these messy things.” Joseph did not want to move his grandfather into action for such a small matter. That was really unfilial.

“It’s fine, it’s fine! Use the remaining heat! Hey, hey...”

Rory blinked his eyes and asked expectantly, “Just now, you said that you wanted to protect Raya and even said that you were tempted by him... Are you serious?”

Joseph’s eyes widened and his heart beat like a drum.

After a while, his Adam’s apple rolled and he replied in a deep voice, “I was angry for a moment, but I didn’t think too much

about it.”

“Tsk, alright! Since you don’t want to admit it, then it’s up to you!” Rory was a little disappointed.

“Grandfather,” Joseph frowned.

“Let’s go. Send me back. I’m bored on my own. You can chat with me!”

“Alright.”

Joseph wheeled the grandfather and grandson to the other end of the corridor.

The old man, his back to him, revealed a playful smile.

Such a silly boy.

The words that he blurted out were the words in his heart.