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Joseph's face darkened again, and his thin lips pursed even more tightly.

Nine million was already out, and ten million was definitely not a

problem.

Raya suddenly stopped, not because she could not afford it, but because she gave up.

She did it on purpose!

But he couldn't say anything. After all, no one forced Grace to spend money on this painting. She was willing to do everything.

After a few more items, Chloe was very calm and didn't make a move.

And Joseph only wanted to bid back the yellow pear, so she didn't make a

move.

The next item was a pair of jade ruyi ornaments that Aubree donated on behalf of Sawle Group. The base price was two million.

Chloe snorted and shook her head in disdain.

She would rather bid for the first replica than buy two big silly stones at such a high price. Whoever bought it would be wronged.

Sure enough, there were very few bidders. The auctioneer tried to shout. and finally sold it at a price of 260 million.

The smile on Aubree's face gradually collapsed.

This figure was really...

Joseph was calm and composed.

No matter what Aubree did, she would only lose face to Jake. The father and son were not united, but the husband and wife were one.

"The next item is from KS Group. It was donated by Ms. Helena King. It's a pair of Song vases!"

The interest of all the collectors in the area was instantly aroused! Chloe was shocked and quickly turned back to look at the back.

Finally, she found Helena in the back row.

"Young Mistress, why is Helena here? Why didn't you tell me?"

Chloe nervously sent a message to Jordan.

Jordan, "Young Mistress, I just found out! Maybe Director Thorp sent the

Second Madame here at the last minute!"

"F*ck! This Stefan doesn't play according to the rules!"

Chloe was somewhat panicked.

On this occasion today, almost everyone was present. She was really afraid that her Thorp family would not be able to keep her identity

under wraps.

At this moment, she noticed that Helena secretly made a "oh" gesture at her, her gentle eyes carrying a hint of a mischievous tacit understanding between girlfriends.

Chloe's heart warmed, and she immediately understood.

'Helena, Helena, as expected of you, smart and clear!"

Everyone was restless and couldn't help but want to obtain the auction item of KS.

This azure kiln is hard to come by. Second Madame donated two! Thorp Group is really generous. He has the demeanor of a big financial group!

"They are both financial groups, but Sawle Group is too far away. What are those two just now? I estimate that they are not as valuable as the two stone lions at my door."

"This Director Sawle's wife, her taste is somewhat worrying."

Aubree's face was flushed red, as if she was sitting on pins and needles.

The collection she and Helena brought was simply like the difference. between clouds and mud. The strong contrast made her seem even more petty and ashamed!

Up until now, there was finally a hint of interest in Joseph's sandalwood eyes. His slender fingers turned the number plate.

"The head of celadon, thou kiln is the chief. Good stuff."

"The sky is broken after the rain. This color will be the future."

When Joseph heard Chloe recite such complex poems, he could not help but turn to look at her in surprise.

Chloe was immersed in the charm of antiques. Her white and delicate skin was like a fine porcelain. Her elegant eyebrows were smooth and elegant. Under the light, she was extremely beautiful. She was so beautiful that people forgot to breathe.

Raya was actually very beautiful, but he never put her beauty in his eyes.

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Because he already had someone in his heart.

So sometimes, Joseph even felt that Raya following him was a waste of her life.

A waste of her beauty.

Joseph's line of sight wandered all the way down and finally fell on Chloe's slender wrist.

Sure enough, she was still wearing the jade bracelet that her grandfather gave her. Even though it was not very fitting with her outfit today, she was reluctant to take it off. It seemed that she really liked it.

Joseph narrowed his starry eyes, and his chest subconsciously rose and

fell.

Such a kiln – porcelain attracted a hot auction, and even the auctioneer could not handle it!

"Ten million!"

"Twenty five million!"

"Twenty seven million!"

"Forty million."

Joseph elegantly raised his number tag, and his thin lips called out the highest number present.

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Chloe was secretly shocked and subconsciously looked at Joseph.

'Dog man, you don't have a good eye for choosing women, but you do have a good eye for choosing antiques.'

Joseph noticed her gaze, and his dark gold eyes moved slightly, meeting her eyes.

In an instant, the man was stung by her overly rational and cold eyes, and his heart shrank.

Chloe quickly retracted her gaze, no longer looking at him.

In the end, this pair of thou kiln porcelain was successfully won by Mr. Sawle, cut into the bag, and gained the envious eyes of everyone.

"In the future, when I find you to drink with me, you can use this cup to entertain me! Forty million will suit my identity —" Vincent said with a

smile.

"This cup is small, not enough for you to drink. I have a big one that suits

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your identity more," Joseph said coldly.

"What kind of good things should be given to me?"

"Toilet."

Vincent's face was full of black lines.

Chloe inadvertently heard it and turned around to laugh.

At this time, Grace also began to feel distressed. She bought a pair of broken glasses for 40 million. What was Brother Joseph thinking? Was it not fragrant to buy a big villa for 40 million?

She had not married into Sawle family yet, but she began to worry about how to spend Sawle family's money.

"The next item is of extraordinary significance. It is a personal collection of a gentleman who does not want to reveal his name for 50 years. It is the Ming Dynasty yellow rosewood chair!"

The auctioneer introduced enthusiastically. The yellow rosewood chair was protected by a glass cover, and four staff wearing white gloves carefully lifted it up.

"Brother! Coming! Coming!" Vincent hurriedly patted Joseph.

In the next second, he saw that Joseph and Chloe seemed to have been pressed by the start button. They walked at the same time and left the back of the chair. Their movements were very tacit.

They were all ready to fight!

"The starting bid is 30 million! Let's start the bidding now!"

All the wealthy merchants raised their bids one after another, and the auctioneer continued to bid. The competition was very intense.

30 million could be said to be the highest bid for tonight's auction! Aubree and Skyler, such a pair of mother and daughter who loved to show off, were scared to step back when they heard this price.

Mrs. Brown and her daughter had long been reduced to a crowd of onlookers, so quiet that she was one with the last row of flower baskets. At this moment, a jade–white hand gracefully raised, her red lips opened and closed, and she calmly spat out a number.

"60 million."

Everyone was shocked and looked at Chloe who raised the card!

The mysterious beauty was insufferably arrogant, but as long as she

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made a move, she would definitely shock the entire audience.

"Mom, I... I didn't hear wrong, right?"

Skyler's eyes were filled with shock and disbelief. "That village girl actually called out a bid of 60 million? How could she dare to bid such a high price? Is she pretending?"

Aubree remained silent, her cold eyes staring at Chloe's back.

Suddenly, Aubree thought of something. She rolled her eyes and looked in the direction of Thorp family's Helena. She sneered in her heart.

Little wench, you really want a quail to become a phoenix. I don't know if you can stand on Thorp family's high branch!

"Seventy million."

Joseph's thin lips slightly opened, and his bone–like hand slowly raised. The light that came down dyed his tall and straight figure a layer of golden outline, so dazzling that people could not take their eyes off him.

He directly raised the price to a new height, and a few people who were tightly biting could only be defeated.

"Seventy five million."

Chloe's expression did not change, and she raised her card again without hesitation.

Everyone cried out in a low voice again!

Vincent, who was used to seeing the big scene, did not dare to speak at

this time.

He only felt that they were like the peerless masters in wuxia novels. Two waves of biting cold True Qi collided, as if the next second would be like a lightning stone, and the sky would collapse and the earth would fall.

"Eighty million." Joseph was calm and composed, but there was a trace of fluctuation between his eyebrows, a trace of anger.

In order to help Oscar find the treasure, she worked hard enough!

The tip of Chloe's tongue touched her pink cheeks, and a dark flame rose in her heart.

Even if she didn't need big brother to reimburseher, her private money could still fight with Joseph.

However, she knew how to stop damage in time and weigh the pros and

cons.

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Antiques did have a high value due to historical sediments, but she had a bottom line in her heart. 80 million was already at the top. If they fought again, it would become bickering. It was so boring.

"Joseph, your IQ is so high. Do you always have a high EQ?"

Vincent saw that Chloe's expression was not good, so he quickly leaned over to his ear and reminded him anxiously, "Miss Lewis wants this chair at a glance. Can't you let her win?"

"Let's not talk about how a husband and wife can treat each other. Miss Lewis is just a girl. Aren't you a little rude to compete with her in front of so many people?"

"She is sitting there on behalf of Oscar. She is also competing with me. What does it have to do with her?" Joseph looked ahead, his eyes indifferent and calm.

Vincent gasped and gave a thumbs up. "No problem! Bro!"

"Eighty million going once! Eighty million going twice! Eighty million...

"One hundred million!"

Wow! Good fellow!

A voice like water striking ice came from behind. Joseph raised his eyebrows, but he did not turn around.

Everyone looked at the beautiful lady who raised the card. It was Thorp family's second wife, Helena!

Chloe's bright eyes curved up, and she suddenly understood why Helena was here.

It must be that Stefan was afraid that her big brother would not be willing to spend money, so he sent a female general over!

Joseph's starry eyes were like mist, and after hesitating for a while, he did not make a move again.

One hundred million was not that he could not afford it, but if he shouted again, he would really lose his grace.

In the end, the yellow rosewood chair was bought by KS Group, and the applause was thunderous!

Just when everyone thought that the auction was coming to an end, the auctioneer suddenly smiled and said,

"Next is the last item for today's charity auction. It is still donated by KS Group!"

It came from the top jewelry that was made by a famous French jewelry designer in a month – 'Heart of Crimson Flame!!!

In an instant, Joseph's pupils contracted, and his heart seemed to have been shot, stopping the beating.

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In an instant, Grace turned pale as if she had been struck by lightning! Willow was also shocked. All the blood vessels in her body seemed to freeze!

"Mom! What happened?"

"Didn't you sell this necklace? Why did it appear in the auction" Grace asked, her forehead covered in cold sweat.

"I, I did sell it. It's impossible!" Willow muttered in shock.

"What should I do now? Brother Joseph is sitting below the stage. Now that he saw that the things he gave me were taken up and sold, what should he think of me? He will definitely be angry with me!" Grace filled her chest with resentment and was about to cry.

"It's okay! There can't be only one necklace in the world. Maybe it is exactly the same ... "

"There is only one in the world! The auctioneer just introduced it to me. It is the one that Brother Joseph gave me! How can you lie to him like this?"

The mother-daughter pair's mind was filled with comments.

Grace was thinking about how to explain it to Joseph.

Willow was wondering why this necklace that she had sold to the pawn shop would appear here. It was also donated in the name of KS Group.

Suddenly, she sat up abruptly. This inappropriate action attracted the disdainful looks of the surrounding people.

Could it be that the pawn shop was also Thorp family's property?

There were so many treasures flowing into the pawn shop every day, but Thorp Group chose such an unremarkable necklace and donated it to a charity auction. How could there be such a coincidence in this world!

Willow's mind was buzzing, and her eyes became more and more fierce as she stared at Chloe's beautiful back.

It must be that bitch!

Only she might know that "Heart of Crimson Flame" was a token of love that Joseph had given to Grace, so she couldn't love it. With resentment in her heart, she used Thorp Group to deliberately donate this necklace to the public so that she could drive a wedge, revenge, and disgust them

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in this way!

On the other side.

Joseph's handsome face was already as cold as snow.

His chest, which was hidden under the suit, rose and fell, and cold sweat dripped from his forehead.

"Joseph? Are, are you okay?" Vincent was frightened by his abnormal appearance, but he was confused.

"Heart of Crimson Flame!" From the design to the selection of materials, to the self–condescension to find a designer to personally carve them, every step was a painstaking effort.

This was the first time in his life that he, Joseph, had fallen in love with a

Woman.

But now, his sincere love had been openly announced on the stage. This was no less than stripping him naked and nailing him to the pillar of shame. In front of everyone, he would be executed!

"KS Group donated. It meant that this 'Heart of Crimson Flame' is a love token given to his lover by a man. It had an extraordinary significance."

"Sincerity love couldn't be marked, so this item was put on display at the end because of its special way of bidding."

"In the end, we followed the proposal of the KS party. This necklace will be auctioned without any reserve price!"

Grace collapsed on the chair, her vision pitch–black.

Everyone's interest was ignited in an instant, and the scene was even more lively than when they were bidding on the rosewood chair!

Joseph couldn't bear it any longer, and his eyes were red as if they were weeping blood. He tightly clenched his teeth and spat out two words.

"Stop."

"What?"

"Stop the auction immediately. This item is mine!"

Vincent was shocked and his mouth opened wide.

At this time, Joseph noticed that Oscar's position was empty, and Raya had disappeared at some point in time.

The man clenched his fist tightly and smashed it into the support hand. The dangerous aura emanating from his body caused Vincent to be

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terrified.

'Raya, what a good method!'

'Are you satisfied with humiliating me to this point?'

A good show was about to start, but Chloe did not have the mood to appreciate it and left early.

She washed her hands and sighed faintly in the mirror.

In the past, Chloe was ignorant of the world and had a smooth and naive background. She had always been doted on by Thorp family and never used these methods.

But now that she was Sawle family's daughter—in—law and had left Joseph, how could her mind be filled with schemes and plots?

She remembered that when "Heart of Crimson Flame" was taken up to the stage, the light in Joseph's eyes was broken. At that moment, she felt that she had played too much.

In fact, she could pretend that she did not see that necklace. There was no need to put it in the auction to humiliate Joseph in public and make a scene like this.

But she was not reconciled.

It was not that she was unwilling to divorce Joseph. The love she had pursued for thirteen years had died, and she had already resigned herself

to her fate.

She was just unwilling. Joseph had been intelligent all his life, so why could he not see through the fact that he loved someone who was not a good person?

"Mind your own business. I definitely won't do this next time."

The tip of Chloe's heart was filled with dense pain, and she laughed. bitterly.

This was the last time. In the future, she would no longer involve herself in the rotten matters between Joseph and Grace.

Suddenly, the bathroom door was kicked open, making a loud noise.

Chloe was calm and gave a cold glance.

She saw Grace holding her cumbersome skirt and angrily rushing to her front.

"Raya! You b*tch!"

"You've been scolding me for more than three years. your vocabulary so lacking?" Chloe raised her eyebrows coldly, not angry at all.

"It must be you! You were the one who took the necklace that Brother Joseph gave me to the auction! Why are you so contemptible and unscrupulous?"

Grace took another step forward. As a result, she stepped on her skirt and almost fell down. The momentum of revenge was reduced by more than half. She was embarrassed and her face was as red as a female monkey's buttocks.

"I am doing charity donations honestly. What methods do I use? Miss Brown, you are not in the mood to slander me."

Chloe took a step back, afraid that she would pounce on her and bite her.

It was so troublesome, and she had to get a rabies vaccination.

"Raya! You can't get Brother Joseph's love, so you use this kind of

despicable method to humiliate me and Brother Joseph, sowing discord between us!"

"Do you think you can win just like that? Do you think you can intervene between Brother Joseph and me so that Brother Joseph will fall in love with you? Dream on!"

Grace glared at her with her big red eyes, gnashing her teeth in hatred.

"You didn't want the necklace yourself. You sold it to the pawn shop. She is no longer yours. You can't control who bought it and who dealt with it." "If you feel angry and unwilling, then it is you who trapped yourself. You can't blame others."

Chloe looked away, no longer talking nonsense with Grace, and flashed away to leave.

If not for the fact that Joseph made them have no choice but to interact with each other, this kind of hypocritical woman was not worthy of her

eyes.

"Bitch, stop! Get back here!"

Grace's blood was boiling, and her eyes were red as she grabbed Chloe's slender wrist and pulled it hard.

Chloe suddenly felt pain, and her eyebrows furrowed.

Grace actually pulled down the jade bracelet that her grandfather had

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given her, leaving a burning red mark on her fair and tender wrist!

"Give it back to me!" Chloe was instantly enraged, and her almond eyes widened.

Grace held the bracelet tightly in her hand. She had taken a fancy to this thing the first time she saw it, but the damn old man insisted on giving her to the person she hated the most!

'Raya, you have taken what belongs to me, you shameless little whore!' 'Since I can't get it, then you don't even think about getting it!'

Grace fiercely curved her lips and slammed the jade bracelet on the marble sink.

"No!"

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A crisp sound that made Chloe's heart ache.

The jade bracelet that her grandfather had given her shattered into three pieces! Chapter 43

Chloe's breathing also seemed to have been broken.

Her grandfather's good intentions, her good heart, were easily destroyed by Grace just like that!

In a split second, anger surged like a tide to the tip of her heart. She wished she could break Grace's bones inch by inch, just like a bracelet!

"Grace!" Chloe roared at her with red eyes.

Grace was scared to the point of being scared stiff, but immediately, a fierce feeling surged in her heart.

'Raya, I threw the bracelet, but so what?'

'There are only the two of us here. If I say you harmed me, who do you think Brother Joseph will believe?'

Grace smiled maliciously, picked up the broken pieces of the jade bracelet on the sink, and stretched out her weak wrist.

Chloe immediately reacted, took a breath and was about to stop it, but it was too late.

"Oh –!"

She watched Grace cut her wrist with broken jade. Perhaps it was the first time that she had not enough experience. Although she avoided the artery, she was also injured and bled.

Grace was scared silly, but she knew that since she was acting, she had to do a full set. Otherwise, this injury would be in vain.

So she cried and screamed as she ran out of the bathroom.

Chloe was absent-minded for a long time. She picked up the broken jade bracelet and held it in her palm. Her eyes were red and red.

Just as she left the bathroom, the door of the innermost compartment quietly opened a crack.

Grace clutched her bloody wrist and ran in the corridor, crying bitterly.

As the auction drew to a close, the distinguished guests began to leave the venue one after another. Witnessing this spectacle, many people quickly dispersed, assuming that the woman was mentally unstable.

"Brother Joseph... Mom... Aunt... Save me!" Grace trembled and shouted

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incoherently.

As expected, she became the focus of attention, and this was exactly what she wanted.

'Raya, if you dare to sow discord, then I will destroy your reputation and become a poisonous woman in the eyes of Brother Joseph!'

Bell sisters and Skyler rushed over when they heard the news. The three women were shocked, like colorful screaming chickens.

"Grace! My good daughter! What happened to your hand Who hurt you like this'

Willow's face was full of heartache and horror. Her acting skills were seamless and quite smooth.

Because when Grace left the meeting place with Raya, she knew that her daughter was going to punish the bitch on behalf of the heavens, so she immediately responded and cooperated with Grace.

However, she remembered that her daughter was most afraid of pain. When she was a child, she cried endlessly when she was pricked by a needle. This time, she actually dared to do such a cruel thing to her...

She really looked more and more like the young Aubree. At that time, her sister used this kind of way to pretend to be a white lotus and frame herself. She successfully grabbed Jake's heart and took the position of the president's wife who originally belonged to Joseph's mother. It completely made Jake disheartened Joseph's mother.

Now that Grace was walking the same path as Aubree and was almost about to succeed, there must not be any more problems at this critical juncture.

This scourge, Raya, must be beaten until she couldn't turn over!

Seeing that people around her began to take out their mobile phones to record, Grace cried even harder, vividly acting as a weak victim.

At this time, Chloe walked to them with an expressionless face, like a beam of light splitting the chaos and darkness, bright and dazzling.

Her stunning face was covered with a layer of cold frost, shocking everyone to the point of holding their breath and focusing their attention, as if they had the awe—inspiring righteousness to subdue demons and exterminate devils.

Coincidentally, Joseph and Vincent stood tall and slender, their handsome figures also walking over.

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"Brother Joseph ... "

Grace cast a pitiful and resentful gaze at Joseph.

Joseph saw the long and narrow wound on her wrist and could not help. but frown. He strode to her.

The corners of Willow's lips curved up. She shoved Grace and pushed her daughter into Joseph's arms.

"How did it become like this?" Joseph asked anxiously.

"Brother Joseph... My wrist hurts so much... Will I die?" Grace cried like a frightened bird in the man's arms.

"No, don't scare yourself." Joseph lowered his long eyelashes and looked at the ferocious wound on her wrist. His handsome eyebrows twisted deeply.

Chloe looked on coldly and couldn't help but laugh out loud.

The plot thickened.

At this time, someone had secretly taken out his mobile phone to record the video.

Vincent reacted quickly sent a group of bodyguards to clear out the irrelevant people.

"Grace, Joseph is here to protect you. No one dares to hurt you!"

"Child, how did you do this? Tell me!" Aubree asked anxiously.

"Yes, Sister Grace, don't be afraid. Just tell us! We will never let anyone bully you!" Skyler also pretended to be a righteous messenger.

"I, I met Miss Lewis in the bathroom..."

Grace panted weakly in Joseph's arms. She looked at Chloe with hatred in her eyes, "I know that Miss Lewis doesn't like me... So I took the initiative to greet her, hoping to let go of the past with her..."

"But Miss Lewis didn't appreciate it at all, and the two of us chimed in one after another... I don't know why they started to quarrel."

Chloe crossed her arms over her chest, tilted her head and sneered.

Joseph looked up and saw that the woman was smiling. His chest was full of anxiety.

"Later, when I was about to leave, Miss Lewis grabbed me and refused to let me go..."

I was in a hurry to take out my hand and send her bracelet flying. The

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bracelet fell to the ground and shattered.

Miss Lewis was very angry because the bracelet was broken. No matter how I apologized, it was useless, so she, she...

Grace didn't say anything else, leaving everyone with endless

imagination.

"What a good tongue to stir up trouble!" Chloe laughed so happily that she was about to throw coins under Grace's feet.

"So, this injury was drawn by Miss Lewis for you? How could it be..."

Aubree covered her mouth, with a shocked face that said, "I don't believe it, I don't believe it."

In fact, she was the one who exposed this layer of window paper.

"What It was you who hurt my daughter?"

Willow flew into a rage and pointed at Chloe's face, "Why is your heart so black? Can't you just say what you want to say? Must you make a move"

"Grace's hands are the hands of an artist! The whole country is big, but Raya won hundreds of piano awards! The piano is her life!"

If she can't play the piano again because of you in the future, we won't let you off easily no matter what Thorp family is jealous of!

Willow's words completely pierced through Chloe's throat and broke her defense.

She remembered the pinky finger that was disabled because of Joseph and could no longer play the gorgeous movement on the black and white keys. She took a deep breath.

They had white eyebrows and red eyes, looking for an explanation from her.

Then what about her? Who should she look for?

"Wait, wait, wait, wait! No!"

Seeing that Chloe was surrounded and refused to talk back, Vincent was anxious and rushed forward to help her out. "No matter how wronged Miss Brown is, no matter how pitiful she is, it is only a one-sided word. We should also listen to what Miss Lewis says."

"There were no surveillance cameras in the bathroom, but it was estimated that someone else was present. There was no harm in finding them to confront each other. Wouldn't they know what was going on?" When Skyler saw that Young Master Anderson had fallen into a state of

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infatuation, he opened his mouth slightly as if he had lost his soul, and his IQ instantly went offline.

Chloe was slightly stunned, and finally raised her noble eyelids and gently glanced at Vincent.

With just this one glance, Young Master Anderson was overjoyed, only feeling that spring was everywhere in his heart.

The two of them looked at each other in tacit understanding. In Joseph's eyes, it became the evidence of eye contact.

The man remained silent and his fingers clenched tightly.

"There were no witnesses. We were the only ones in the bathroom at that time," Chloe said lazily.

"Ah, this." Vincent frowned, feeling that it was difficult to stop family affairs.

"Who else could it be if not for her? My daughter can't cut herself, can she? Grace has always been most afraid of pain!" Willow shouted in

anger.

Grace sobbed miserably in Joseph's arms, but she was secretly rejoicing in her heart.

"Raya."

Joseph held his thin lips and asked in a cold voice, "So, did you do it?"

Chloe's heart suddenly fell slowly. She clenched her fists tightly and tried to suppress the grievance that made her nose sour and her eyes open.

Vincent was speechless. What a good president. Why did he have a long mouth?

Joseph saw that Chloe's eyes were red and felt a stab in his heart.

It seemed that he had said too much.

It wasn't that he didn't distinguish between black and white, but the auction of the necklace had caused him to be humiliated. Towards Raya, he was more or less filled with personal grudges.

Thus, his attitude couldn't help but become a bit cold.

Chloe took a deep breath, opened her lips, and smiled like a flower.

"I did it. How about it? Do you want revenge?"

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Joseph was stunned, and his heart trembled violently.

He looked at his ex–wife, who had once been gentle and soft by his side, and did not dare to breathe, in disbelief. Now she was so rampant, and dared to hurt people?

"Raya, is it true?" Joseph's throat tightened, and his eyes were dark and deep.

Chloe slowly raised her lips. Her beautiful and stunning eyes revealed an evil smile.

Vincent couldn't help but cover his chest. This smile hit his heart.

How could there be a woman so evil that it was touching!

"Brother Joseph ... What do you mean by this?"

Seeing that Joseph still repeatedly asked her for confirmation, Grace was afraid that he would become suspicious, so she quickly cried out, "Don't you believe my words? Am I so untrustworthy in your eyes?"

She did not know why Raya would admit to this matter.

Regardless, it was enough that she had achieved the result she wanted! If Raya was willing to admit it, it was her own stupidity!

"Joseph, look... look at what kind of vicious woman you married back then!"

"Just a little bit more and I would have cut Grace's artery. She wants my daughter's life!" Willow and her daughter both cried.

Joseph lowered his cold and white eyelids, his eyebrows pinched and twisted.

"Raya, when you were with our Sawle family, your hostility was not so heavy. You are gentle and weak, and you don't look like a girl who will kill people without a word."

Aubree looked at Chloe coldly and said in a cold tone, "This is because I separated from Joseph and felt that I didn't have to hide anymore, so the map poor dagger was seen, right?"

Fortunately, Joseph turned back to the shore and was good friends with Grace. Otherwise, he would not know how long he would be deceived by a scheming girl like you.

"Madam Sawle, your words are a little too much!"

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Vincent could not bear to listen anymore. He narrowed his narrow eyes and was about to argue, but he was stopped by Chloe.

This scene was extremely dazzling to Skyler. She bit her lips and her hatred for her ex-sister-in-law deepened.

"What do you want to do?" Chloe's red lips curved into a mocking smile.

"Apologize to Grace." Joseph no longer looked at her, his expression cold and emotionless.

It was as if their three years of being husband and wife had been a dream for nothing, as if they had never met before.

The corners of Grace's lips couldn't help but curl upwards, and she felt great satisfaction in her heart.

'Look, slut, Brother Joseph always loves me.'

For three years, you two have been devotedly married. You have given your all to him. Gaze upon his face and be a stalwart for the Sawle family. Thus, with the slightest of my movements, Brother Joseph will be my loyal soldier.'

'I squeezed a few drops of tears, and they are all worth more than your sincerity!'

Chloe arrogantly raised her chin and walked to Grace step by step.

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Her palm was full of resentment, and without a word, she ruthlessly slapped Grace!

Everyone was stunned, and they were all stunned!

She attacked too quickly, and before Joseph could react, he felt a gust of cold wind blowing in front of him.

"Ah! You hit me... You actually dare to hit me?" Grace was in so much pain that she saw stars and her ears buzzed.

"I hit you because you deserve to be slapped!"

Chloe's smile completely disappeared, replaced by a trembling anger, "This slap, I slapped you on behalf of the bracelet that grandpa gave me. If you have the ability, come at me and vent your anger on my things. What kind of ability is that"

"Raya! You are too much!"

Joseph could not bear it anymore and growled. When she raised her hand, he noticed that her wrist was red and swollen.

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Her skin was too thin and tender, so a slight injury would be very abrupt.

But at this moment, his anger was at its peak, and he had no time to care about these things, only glaring at her.

Bell sisters and Skyler never expected that in front of Joseph, this abandoned woman dared to be so arrogant!

Really not to be provoked!

"Listen up. From now on, Grace and I will be irreconcilable. If I make a mistake, it will be like this bracelet!" Chloe clenched her teeth and slowly opened her left palm.

Joseph suddenly stopped breathing. He saw that her palm was full of blood, and the broken pieces of the jade bracelet were also stained with blood.

She really liked this bracelet very much.

That was why he kept holding it even when it was broken, not even noticing it when his hand was injured.

Joseph's chest was pushed by a huge emotion, rolling up and down.

He stared deeply at Chloe's face full of resentment. His eyes were obscure and difficult to understand, and his heart seemed to crack silently.

"Miss Lewis! Your hand is bleeding!"

Vincent cried out in alarm. He rummaged through the pockets on his body in a flurry. He wanted to find a handkerchief and a tissue. Everything was fine. He wanted to help her bandage her wounds.

But there was none!

There was a handkerchief in Joseph's arms. He narrowed his eyes slightly and clenched his fingers. However, he found that he could not muster the courage to take it out and give it to her.

At this time, a faint fragrance drifted. Wearing a low–key, luxurious, hand–made dark green cheongsam, a graceful figure swept past him. Chloe was in a daze. At this moment, Helena had already walked in front of her. She picked up the pieces of jade from her palm and placed them into the mouth of her suit. Then, she used a white handkerchief to carefully bandage her wound.

Helena...

Chloe's eyes were filled with tears. Her red lips trembled, and she almost shouted her name. She held it in.

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"What a beautiful little hand. It hurts so much." Helena pretended to be calm, but in her heart, she was so uncomfortable that she wanted to tear the Sawle family apart with her own hands.

"Long time no see, Second Madame! You are really getting more and more beautiful!"

Aubree instantly changed her face and greeted Helena, pretending to be familiar with her.

"Hello, Second Madame!" Willow also quickly smiled and greeted her with a flattering gesture.

After all, after Stefan's original wife passed away, the outside world naturally believed that the Second Madame had been promoted and she was Director Thorp's legitimate wife. Many people rushed to curry favor with her.

Moreover, Helena was the younger daughter of the King Group. Even if she completely broke off with the King Group in order to marry Stefan, who already had a family, she was still the noble Miss Brown. Bell sisters could not compare to her at all.

"Madam Sawle."

Helena originally didn't want to pay attention to any of them, but if she didn't reach out to hit the smiling face, she had to give Jake this face.

As for Willow, if she couldn't take out the low–class people on stage, she would directly treat them as ammonia.

Willow was so embarrassed that her expression was petrified. It was embarrassing for her to stick her face to the cold butt.

"Second Madame looks like she knows Miss Lewis. That's true. Today, Miss Lewis took President Thorp's place to participate in the auction. Her heroic appearance in the conference room was impressive. How could Second Madame not know her?"

Aubree saw that Helena was particularly concerned about Chloe just now. She had doubts in her heart. She did not know the depth of their relationship, so she decided to secretly test Second Madame's reaction. "Of course I know Miss Lewis. Is she someone invited by Oscar?" Helena knew that Aubree did not hold back, so he gave an ambiguous answer to see how she would react.

"Then you definitely don't know this Miss Lewis well enough?"

"Is there a need for me to know?" Helena smiled.

"I think it is necessary."

"Because this Miss Lewis, maybe she will be the wife of KS Group in the future, and we will be a family."

"Oh? Is Miss Lewis Oscar's girlfriend?" Helena raised her eyebrows.

Isn't that right! Back when Miss Lewis divorced our Joseph, she got into President Thorp's car right after Sawle family left.

Aiya, I was worried for Raya at that time. After all, she was a girl from a village who was unfamiliar with Medo and had no one to rely on. What would I do if she left Joseph?

"I took a look. In the future, she will be taken care of by President Thorp, and the stone in my heart will be lifted." Aubree smiled and looked at Chloe.

Helena narrowed her eyes, and the atmosphere became particularly subtle.

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Chloe's expression did not change.

She really understood Aubree's two-faced and two-faced face. This explosive amount of information output was telling Helena that she was not only a second-hand, but also a country girl who hooked up with rich and powerful young masters for survival.

Mrs. Brown and her daughter laughed darkly in their hearts.

Thorp Group and Sawle Group were not on good terms. As the eldest son of Director Thorp, Oscar had a high status. What kind of woman could not get? How could she want a woman who was abandoned by Sawle Group?

It made people laugh their teeth off!

"Aunt Bell, this is my private matter, you have no right to interfere." Joseph frowned slightly.

"Joseph, this is your private matter, but it also concerns the face of Sawle family and Thorp family. I said it to prevent the matter of Raya being your ex–wife from being exposed and scaring her. I am doing this for everyone's good!" Aubree continued to spout nonsense.

"The two families 'face? Didn't Miss Lewis divorce Mr. Sawle? If they divorce, it is equivalent to no longer having anything to do with each other. How can Madam Sawle still feel that Miss Lewis has lost your family's face?"

Helena laughed coldly, "Don't tell me that you have to sign a slave contract to enter your Sawle family's door. If you live, it is your Sawle family's people who die, and it is your Sawle family's ghost?"

"Miss Lewis opened a second degree to marry our Oscar, what is there to be embarrassed about?"

"Just because she has divorced, we, Thorp family, will not accept her? What era is it? I advise Madam Sawle to be more open-minded. If you can't find a way to get angry, you have to find a way to get angry."

At this, Vincent almost cheered.

Mrs. Brown and her daughter, including Skyler, all had shocked expressions and stood there awkwardly, not daring to make a sound. Why did seem that Helena was protecting her own daughter?

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"Second Madame, you are also from a wealthy family. You must understand what I mean!"

When Aubree saw that Helena did not fall for her, she was embarrassed and anxious. Her face was red. "Miss Lewis just left our Joseph and President Thorp are together. If this gets out, people who don't know will think that Miss Lewis has an improper relationship with President Thorp in marriage. How shameful is that?"

"You are now the head wife of Thorp Group. You should plan more for your children no matter what!"

"All right!"

Helena frowned and raised her jade–like hand. Just this imposing manner pressed down on Aubree. "This is the private matter of the children. Although I am an elder, I am not the mother of Oscar. I have no right to intervene."

"Madam Sawle, you are not Mr. Sawle's biological mother, right? Don't you think that saying this in front of the children is too lacking in the bearing of an elder?"

"I..." Aubree was choked speechless.

"Also, Director Thorp and I did not register our marriage. It is true that he is my man. But saying that I am the head of the family, I do not want to hear it from you a second time!"

Helena's harsh words made Aubree's face as white as paper, and her expression was so stiff that it was about to fall to the ground.

Chloe bit her red lips, and a sour feeling welled up in her nose.

There was only one person in the head of the family, and that was her mother.

Joseph pursed his thin lips until they were white, and the cold light in his eyes flickered.

He did not like Raya. He had nothing to do with her, and this woman had repeatedly made him unhappy and provoked him.

But when Aubree used those sharp words to mock her, he actually felt as if his dignity had been pressed to the ground and rubbed against it.

"Is Miss Lewis going to find Oscar? I'll send you there." Helena's gentle gaze fell back on Chloe.

"Thank you, Second Madame. I'll have to trouble you then." Chloe smiled gently, like a well–behaved lady from a noble family.

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"How polite, what a beautiful child."

Helena held Chloe's hand and stroked it gently, deliberately saying loudly. "To be able to choose you as a girlfriend, Oscar's taste is indeed good."

"Wait."

"Miss Lewis, do you still owe me an apology?" Joseph asked.

Vincent sighed and really wanted to take off his socks and stuff them into his mouth.

Chloe felt a dull pain in her heart and looked back at him.

Joseph felt that the disappointment in his eyes had pierced through his soul.

"It wasn't Sister-in-law! It wasn't Sister-in-law!"

A sweet and soft voice suddenly appeared, like lightning that had been gathering in the clouds for a long time, catching the person with malicious intent off guard!

Chloe looked towards the source of the voice, and her dim eyes couldn't help but light up again.

"Annie!"

They saw a girl wearing a simple white dress, a "vegetable flower" above. her head, with a white and delicate face, running towards them in a hurry.

This ridiculous hairstyle was precisely Skyler's "masterpiece".

In Sawle family, Annie had always been the imaginary enemy of Skyler.

She was jealous that her younger sister was more beautiful than she was. Every day, she would think of ways to bully Annie. As long as the two of them showed up in public, she would play ugly for her younger sister, afraid that her younger sister would steal her limelight.

Annie had autism since she was a child. As a result, her personality became more and more self–abased and reclusive. When she met strangers, she would always bow her shoulders and back and be silent.

But little did she know that in the three years that Chloe married Sawle family, other than Aunt Gill, the only one who gave her warmth was this little sister who was not valued.

After she left Sawle family, she had always been concerned about her.

She did not expect to meet her here today. Naturally, Chloe was not

happy.

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"Loathsome girl, what nonsense are you talking about?"

"At that time, other than Grace, there was only her in the bathroom. If she did not do it, who else could it be?"

"No, not sister-in-law! It is not sister-in-law!" Annie was anxious and scared, and she was a little incoherent.

"Annie, this has nothing to do with you. Go to the side and play!" Aubree also had a bad expression, and her eyes were as cold as ice.

Annie clenched her small fists and walked to the tall Joseph, raising her nervous little face to look at him.

"Second Brother! It wasn't sister-in-law who did it!"

"Annie, why did you say that?" Facing this youngest sister, Joseph's tone was rarely soft.

"I saw it! I, I was also in the bathroom! I saw it!"

Everyone was shocked, and Grace's face was ashen!

Chloe was also stunned. She never expected that when she was confronting Grace, Annie was also at the scene!

"I saw... Miss Brown coming over to quarrel with sister-in-law... sister-in-law wanted to leave, but Miss Brown refused. She pulled her sister-in-law and pulled her bracelet down."

"Then, then the bracelet was smashed by Miss Brown, and then, then Miss Brown shouted and ran out..."

"But sister-in-law didn't touch Miss Brown! I saw it very clearly!" Annie said as she gestured in the air with her hands. She was so anxious that tears welled up in her eyes.

"Annie..." Chloe's heart trembled, and her eyes gradually turned red.

She knew that Annie was very timid and afraid of things, but in order to help her fight back, she finally forced herself to tell the truth.

Joseph narrowed his eyes, and his gaze focused on Grace's pale face, as if brewing a storm.

He slowly let go of the hand that was originally holding her.

Grace was like a drowning person who had lost a life buoy. She could not care about the injury on her hand and hurriedly hugged Joseph's waist. "No, Brother Joseph! It was Raya who provoked me first! I really did not provoke her!"

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"Annie's mind is not very good. Don't believe her words!"

"Bad brain? Sis of vegetable flower, I think it's just that the hairstyle is not good. The cause and effect of the matter is very clear." Vincent sneered. In order to save face for his brother, he did not speak too harshly.

Even a cold playboy like him looked down on Grace, but Joseph insisted on treating this scheming bitch as his Fairy dream girl, never abandoning her, as if she had been demoted.

"Raya did not hurt you, right?" Joseph sucked in a breath of cold air, his voice tense.

In front of the witness, Grace's forehead was covered in cold sweat. She did not dare to lie again.

"So, you are slandering her?"

The word "slander" caused Joseph's breathing to become heavy, as if ten thousand arrows had pierced through his heart.

"No, no..."

Grace was so scared that she was shivering. Suddenly, her vision went black. She was too nervous and lost blood. She actually fainted.

It was a ridiculous farce, and Grace and her group scrambled into the ambulance to end the mess.

When Jordan rushed over in a hurry, Chloe was accompanying Helena to the underground parking lot.

"Young lady! I'm sorry! I'm sorry! I wasn't by your side after such a big thing happened!"

Seeing the white silk handkerchief in Chloe's left hand was stained with blood, Jordan's heart sank. "How are you injured? Who did this? I'll cut him up!"

"It's okay, Jordan. I know you are going to deal with the company's business. I have a small problem here."

"Helena has helped me solve it," Chloe said, staring deeply at Helena.

"Solve what... As an elder, I didn't do anything for you in the end." "Chloe, why didn't you reveal your identity? Why did you have to suffer this?" Helena thought of how she had been besieged by Sawle family. "You should say that you are the big sister of our Thorp family. Let them know what kind of price they have to pay to offend you!"

"Helena, I have already left Sawle family. I don't want them to know anything about me." Chloe shook her head.

"No matter how dirty, bad, and hateful those people are, they will always be left in Raya's life."

"And in my, Chloe's life, they will never appear again, including Joseph."

Jordan was stunned. Only then did he realize that Second Madame also knew about Eldest Sister's marriage.

"That's right. The sea of bitterness is boundless. The sooner you understand the cause, the sooner you let the past go with the wind."

Helena pursed her lips and couldn't help but smile. "Fortunately, it wasn't Fourth Sister who came today. Otherwise, the past would have turned into a rain of blood with the wind."

"Freya is a person with a temperament. She is a child of the martial world and is quick to settle debts of gratitude."

The two women laughed for a while. Suddenly, Helena held Chloe in her arms, and her voice choked.

"Chloe, I still feel wronged for you..."

"No."

Chloe's eyes were red, and she smiled and comforted her. "With you guys here, I don't feel wronged at all."

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After the rescue, Grace was transferred to ordinary ward room.

The doctor said that she was fine. Although the wound was not shallow, it was not to the point of stitching.

The main reason why she fainted was because she was too frightened and nervous."

"Daughter! You finally woke up!"

"I thought I would never see you again!" Willow cried beside the hospital bed.

"Alright, alright. Don't cry. Joseph isn't here; who are you crying so loudly to? You've disturbed my eyes."

"Have you thought of a solution for this?" Aubree asked impatiently, standing in front of the window with her arms crossed.

"What is it?" Willow wiped her tears and asked blankly for a moment.

"Heh, you guys aren't messing up more than this, are you?"

Aubree clicked her tongue and looked at her incompetent sister with disdain. "You really can't do anything but ruin things. Now there's a popular phrase called 'Supporting the Devil. I think I'm a' Supporting the Devil Without my help, will your daughter have a good result today with Joseph?"

"With your weak brain, you want to marry your daughter into a rich family? Heh, fat chance of that!"

Grace also held a grievance in her heart, blaming her mother for not caring about her mother when she was naked and wearing an apron.

In order to make up for her family, she sold the necklace that Joseph gave her, but she did not sell it to Thorp family for a long time and brought it to the auction. This matter would definitely make the relationship. between her and Joseph worse, leaving a hidden danger!

"Sister, if you want to talk about this, I have to talk to you about it!"

Willow had been scolded by Aubree since she was a child. Now, she was embarrassed in front of her daughter. She was angry and said, "Today, Grace and I were in harmony. I had already treated that little bitch Raya to death."

"What does your little daughter mean? Why did she come out at the

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critical moment to destroy our stage? If not for her causing trouble, how could it end up like this?"

"How would I know that Annie would be in the bathroom? Grace, you are also the same. How did I usually tell you? Why are you so careless when you do things? You don't even know that you left behind evidence?"

Aubree was also very angry, but this matter was indeed her responsibility, so she could only blame it on Grace.

Grace seemed to swallow a mute, pouting aggrievedly.

"In short, there is no evidence to prove that the injury was caused by Grace herself. Grace, if Joseph asks, you can pretend to be crazy. Joseph has feelings for you, and this matter should be perfunctory."

Aubree rubbed her temples with a headache and said coldly, "How about I have a way to make Joseph forgive you for what you did?"

"I know, aunt..."

Grace thought of Helena's protection of Raya, and her face twisted with jealousy. "Is Raya raising ghosts? Why are all of Thorp family's people so good to her?"

"Why is that Second Madam from the Thorp family so protective of her as if she is protecting her own daughter? If this goes on, Raya will really ride on our heads!"

At the mention of Helena, Aubree's face turned extremely ugly.

"What Second Madam from the Thorp family? She's clearly just a concubine! I gave her some face on account of Director Thorp, and she even took advantage of me!"

"That's right! Aunt, you are the first wife of uncle, a proper wife. How can Helena compare to you?" Grace hurriedly flattered. After all, if she wanted to marry Sawle family, she had to rely on her.

Willow laughed coldly in her heart. 'She still had the nerve to call someone else a concubine? Wasn't she also a concubine?'

Back then, if not for the fact that Joseph's birth mother was stupid and had been tricked by her, she wouldn't even dream of entering Sawle family's door!

"I won't let Raya marry Thorp Group as she wishes. Helena is a bastard. What's the use of currying favor with her?"

Aubree narrowed her eyes, her gaze cold. "It is only proper if Stefan can tolerate her. I heard from Jake that Director Thorp is very difficult to deal

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with. He has always paid attention to the reputation of his family.

"Oscar was also the eldest son that he had raised according to his successor. The eldest son would definitely marry the daughter of a big family. How could he allow his son to marry such a bumpkin!"

"The future is long. Let that wench be proud for a few days. I will make her cry one day!"

Before Aubree finished speaking, ward room's door suddenly opened.

A wave of rugged and cold came, and Joseph's handsome and tall figure was embedded in the middle of the door frame.

"Brother Joseph..." Grace was scared in her heart, and her face looked miserable.

"I have something to ask you."

Grace's hand that was holding the sheets trembled, and she hurriedly looked at Aubree for help.

"Joseph, Grace was a little stimulated and just woke up from a coma. Let's talk about it when she recovers." Aubree quickly persuaded her in a soft

tone.

"There are some things that I have to clarify right now." Joseph did not give in at all. His thin lips curved in a cold and hard arc.

"Mr. Sawle... It's all my fault! It's all my fault!"

Willow thought that instead of being blamed, it was better to strike first. and take the blame. This matter could not affect her daughter and block her way!

So she rushed over with a sad face and knelt down in front of Joseph, "Brown family is in trouble. Not only is the capital chain broken, but the factory also closed down one after another..."

"Sawle family refused to make a move, and we were forced to death by the Thorp family. We were really desperate... So I discussed with Grace's father and sold some assets to fill the hole in the company."

"I was the one who sold Grace's jewelry without permission. Grace did not know about it! If I knew that the necklace was a token of love from you, Mr. Sawle... I would never sell it even if I had to starve to death!"

Grace heaved a sigh of relief in her heart and pretended to be innocent and stunned. Her eyes were filled with tears as she said. "Mom... you are 100 much... That is my favorite necklace... How can you..."

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However, Joseph did not even move his cold, white eyelids. He only said coldly, "This is not what I want to ask."

Compared to the matter of slandering Raya, the necklace was no longer important in his eyes.

Although he could not help but feel frustrated when he saw his

painstaking efforts being ruined, if Grace really sold it to save her family, he could understand and let it go.

However, he could not let go of inverting right and wrong and framing an innocent person.

"Did you do the injury on your hand, or did Raya do it?"

"Did she accidentally break Raya's bracelet, or did you break it?" Joseph said in a low voice, his eyes calm.

"Brother Joseph... Are you saying that I am a bad woman who framed Raya?"

Grace cried with tears in her eyes, "Young romance lasts until now... Do you think that I can't catch up with an ex–wife who lied to you?"

"Annie never lies. She said that she didn't see Raya touch you." Joseph frowned.

"Your fourth sister's brain is not clear, and her ability to express herself is also bad. Joseph, it's not like you don't know. Moreover, she was hiding in some corner at that time. It's hard to tell if she saw clearly or not." Aubree hurriedly came out to smooth things over.

Joseph coldly raised the corner of his lips, "As a mother, do you always hurt your own daughter in front of others?"

"I don't have a mother, I don't quite understand."

Aubree's face instantly turned ashen.

This bastard was usually like half a dead person at home, and when he scolded her, he was really full of energy!

"So, Grace, why did you do this? Since I chose you, I won't reconcile with Raya. Why do you still want to find trouble with her?"

Joseph suppressed the resentment in his heart. The deeper the disappointment accumulated, the more it was like a heavy shackle that bound his heart, and he was really about to stop.

He was willing to call her "Grace" due to the two decades of friendship and the solace she provided him when he was young. After all, Grace was

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the only beacon of hope in his dismal childhood.

He was very afraid that the light would go out, and he was very afraid that the person he gambled on was wrong.

"I didn't! It wasn't me, not me!"

Grace shouted and patted the mattress. Her eyes, which were usually as gentle as water, were now filled with ferocious blood vessels. "She stole my man! Now she wants to turn me into a harmful monster!"

"Third sister said that Raya had a good relationship with Annie when she was with Sawle family... They must have teamed up to harm me!" "Brother Joseph! Would you rather believe them than believe me? Have you fallen in love with Raya? Do you not want me anymore?"

"I have always been yours. Even in the three years I married Raya, my heart has not changed, and I have never touched her."

Joseph clenched every trembling finger hard, his starry eyes dim and dim.

He thought of how Raya did not hesitate to take the blame when she was questioned, of her swollen wrist, of her disappointment when she looked back at him with tears and hatred....

Joseph took a deep breath. The intense headache caused him to be dazed. "But Grace, I don't understand what you have been doing recently."

"Are you pushing me toward her?"

"No, no, no, Brother Joseph... Brother Joseph!"

Seeing the man leave without turning back, Grace was so scared that she rolled out of bed and ran to the door.

However, there was only a heavy sound of the door closing, and a nose full of cold wind.

Grace glared at ward room and kicked the door angrily. As a result, she screamed in pain and jumped around on the spot.

'Raya, I won't let you go!"

You are challenging me, right? I also have this intention!"

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As night fell, ACE's top clubhouse, Vincent's industry.

Joseph was extremely depressed, so he looked for his brother for the first time to drink.

Vincent personally drove him over. After all, the number of times Joseph had taken the initiative to look for him since he was a child could be counted on one hand.

"Sometimes I feel like I'm like a mistress you raise outside."

Vincent leaned close to Joseph's ear and muttered. In front of outsiders, he was the unscrupulous Young Master Anderson. In front of Joseph, he was the noisy sister–in–law.

"I have never been a bitch in front of a woman. In front of you, I am like a little mistress who lives alone in an empty room. If you call me, I will come out to accompany you."

"You said how good I am to you. Even I myself am touched and want to cry!"

"Have you never stooped in front of a woman?"

Joseph glanced at him coldly. "I think you are quite cheap in front of Raya."

"It's only once in my life! If the ex-sister-in-law is too outstanding, I... can't control my feelings."

Joseph frowned and his thin lips moved, holding back the urge to curse.

At this time, two sexy foreign girls walked past them, and one of them even gave Vincent a wink.

"It's so f*cking magnificent." Vincent narrowed his eyes and licked his teeth.

"Is there anything to see? It's not even as good as her."

"Who? Your ex-wife?"

Vincent seemed to have discovered a new continent, and his eyes bulged out. "Joseph, you actually slept with her behind my back? Didn't you say that you and Miss Lewis' marriage was just for show? You sure know how

to lie!"

"That's true... with such a top-notch beauty like Miss Lewis by your side,

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you are not a eunuch, and in the long run, you will definitely be pouncing on her."

Joseph was suddenly shocked by his own words, and his slender middle finger and thumb pinched the whiskey glass tightly.

It was like he had really seen Raya's body, and it was really like he had been intimate with her.

Even his fingertips seemed to be able to feel the woman's soft and smooth touch...

"I haven't touched her. Don't think too much about it."

Joseph's cheeks were inexplicably hot, and his Adam's apple rolled and down, and he suddenly gulped down a mouthful of wine.

Damn it, how could he have this kind of desire for that woman.

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After three rounds of drinking, Vincent could not help but ask, "Joseph, can I ask you something? I am very confused."

"Yes."

"Why does it have to be Grace? Why?"

Vincent put his arms around Joseph's neck and felt injustice for Raya in his heart. "Today, you also saw it. Those women wanted to swallow Miss. Lewis alive!"

"If not for sis of vegetable flower appearing in time to testify for Miss Lewis, even if Miss Lewis' entire body had been washed clean, how wronged would she be!"

Joseph was slightly stunned. His eyes were misty like stars as he fell into his memories.

"Back then, my mother committed suicide by jumping off a building because of depression and couldn't endure Jake's cold treatment and other people's gossip. In those dark days, I once fell into grief and couldn't walk out. I even wanted to leave this world with my mother."

"I tried to commit suicide."

As he spoke, Joseph untied the steel watch, revealing a long and narrow

scar.

He had kept these things a secret for twenty years, and Vincent was the first person to make him reveal his worries.

Vincent took a deep breath and felt a pain in his heart.

"It was Grace who found out in time and saved me. From then on, she

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became my only friend. She would personally make snacks for me to eat. She would invite me to her house as a guest and give me her collection of toys."

"Back then, she was sent by the Emperor to redeem me, and she was my hope for survival."

"I promised to marry her, so no matter what, I have to do it."

Vincent suddenly realized, and then sighed again, "But Joseph, people will change. You haven't been together for too long. Do you think you still understand her?"

"If you gradually find out that she is getting farther and farther away from the person in your memory, what will you do? Do you still want to stick to it with all your heart?"

"She has done you a kindness. It is not an issue for you to return the favor. However, Joseph, we can't just stand idly by and aid the wicked." Joseph put on his watch again, and his face was gloomy.

What appeared in his mind again was Raya's eyes, which were glistening with tears, without a trace of purity and arrogance.

His heart trembled a little, and he just lowered his head to drink.

"Sigh, you're a stubborn demon. You can't even pull back eight hundred cows if you think of anything."

"I think the only woman in your heart who is more important than Grace is the little white pigeon that you've been looking for for many years." Vincent pouted helplessly.

When he heard him mention the little white pigeon, Joseph's eyes lit up as if they had returned to the past.

"Do you have her whereabouts over there?"

"Like you, I have been sending people to investigate, but the information you gave me was too little. Moreover, you didn't even see her face clearly. Even if I went to the police station to find a first–rate writer, it would be useless." Vincent shrugged.

Joseph's eyes darkened, and he remembered the girl who dragged him far away with her thin shoulders and injured.

He had been looking for her for five years, but she was like a clay ox entering the sea, without any news.

"I really don't know if I can see her again in my lifetime."

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"If you see her, how will you treat her?"

"Of course I will repay her with my whole life. She is my savior." Joseph answered seriously.

"Little white pigeon is also your savior, and Grace is also your savior.

Then what if Little white pigeon is also deeply in love with you? Do you want to devote yourself to me?" Vincent propped up his chin with one. hand and asked jokingly.

"Kindness and love are two different things. We can't mix them together." Joseph said in a muffled voice.

"Oh, it's good that you can interpret it clearly." Vincent's tone was a little mischievous as she clinked glasses with him.

When they came out of the clubhouse, the two young masters' luxury cars were already waiting at the door. The driver respectfully opened the door for them.

"Vincent, let me ask you." Joseph held it in for the whole night and finally could not help but call out to him.

"Ah?" Vincent yawned continuously.

"Why? Why did Raya admit that? Why didn't she explain?" Joseph asked in a hoarse voice.

"Maybe she doesn't care anymore!" Vincent said casually.

"What does she not care about?" he asked.

"She has already divorced you, so why would she care about what you think? She doesn't care what you think, so why would she care about what you, Sawle family, and the others think of her? She must be disheartened!"

"Ex-brother-in-law, your mouth is too poisonous and hurtful. If I were Miss Lewis, I would find someone to put a sack on you and beat you up.

Vincent waved goodbye to him and entered the luxury car.

Joseph clenched his fingers so tightly that his knuckles turned white. It was as if he had grabbed his throat and his breathing was stuffy.

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After returning from the charity auction, Chloe locked herself in her room and did not come out. It was a rare low pressure.

At night, Oscar and Riley came to the villa to visit their sister. Although Chloe went downstairs to see them, she was very tired and had no spirit at all.

"Chloe, I heard what happened at the auction from Second Madame."

Oscar hurried forward and gently held his sister's hand that was wrapped in gauze. His heart ached and he caressed it over and over again. "How are your injuries? Did Jordan take care of you to change your medicine? Is it still painful? Is it infected?"

"I have learned medicine myself. I can handle it myself. He has been worried about enough. I don't want to trouble him with such a small matter." Chloe retracted her hand and muffled her voice.

"Jordan is getting more and more unreliable! If not for the fact that we met Second Madame when we went home that day and told us about how you were bullied by Sawle family at the auction, we would still be kept in the dark!"

Riley was so angry that his red eyes were about to crack. "Tomorrow, I will send a police notice to Sawle family. Big Brother, contact the KS legal team and officially sue those old witches in the name of destroying others! Let them burn their holes!"

"F*ck... If I don't teach them a lesson, they won't know their places!"

"Forget it, it's boring."

Chloe weakly leaned into her big brother's broad arms and said in a soft voice, "Do only we, Thorp family, have any legal affairs? Sawle Group doesn't? If we make a big fuss, it will spread to Stefan's ears. It's not worth

it."

In the end, she was afraid that her father would know about her and Joseph.

Stefan couldn't break her legs, but he would probably be angry and have high blood pressure. No matter how tough the old man looked, he was already one year old. She didn't want her father to worry about this rotten matter for her.

But this didn't mean that she would let Grace go just like that.

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Chloe looked at the wound on her hand and remembered that she had repaired the jade bracelet that she hadn't repaired for two whole days. Her eyes turned red again.

"I heard that you were injured. Your third brother was anxious to death. Now he is thinking of a way to come back from the army. Fourth brother is already on the way back, and he will be home soon." Oscar wrapped his sister in his arms and gently stroked her black hair.

"I just scratched my hand! How can I disturb Third Brother and Fourth Brother! They are in a high position and have a heavy responsibility on their shoulders. How can they delay the big matter for a small matter like me?"

Chloe was so anxious that her cheeks were flushed. She quickly took out her phone and sent a voice message to Security Bureau in the group chat.

"Whoever dares to come back at this time, I will ignore him for a year!"

Third Brother: Chloe, I have already asked the Bureau Chief for instructions...

"I don't care! Whoever comes back will have no sister. It's up to you!"

However, Fourth Brother had always been quiet.

"I guess you can't stop Fourth Brother. He should..."

"I'm flying in the sky," Riley said, pointing to the top.

Chloe held her forehead in frustration.

This fourth brother of hers had always liked to give her surprises since

she was young.

This was because he wasn't around, otherwise he could really spoil her to the heavens and roll up the other brothers to death.

"Forget about him, anyway, I'm done with my sisters!"

Chloe pursed her lips and fiddled with Oscar's crystal cuffs with her fingertips. "Big brother, take me back to Sea Gate later. I want to go to Falling Star House."

The matter of Annie standing up to testify for Raya had completely offended all the women of the Sawle and Brown families. Originally, she had lived like living on thin ice at home, and now it was like being roasted on a charcoal fire, extremely suffering.

"Damn girl! Have you been bribed by that village girl? Are you the little

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spy she sent to trick us?"

"Tonight, after drinking a little wine, Skyler became drunk and rushed into Annie's bedroom. She pointed at her face and scolded, "You are really an ingrate. I usually see you as a fool. I thought you were very simple."

"Hehe... I didn't expect that you were pretending to be a pig to eat a tiger. You hid your strength and hid your strength. When you found an

opportunity, you came out to play evil. When your wings were strong, you began to stir up trouble!"

"I, I am not a pig! I did not lie and was not bribed... I am telling the truth!"

Annie was so scared that her little face turned pale. She hugged her favorite teddy bear tightly. "You, you bullied sister–in–law... I don't want. sister–in–law to be bullied!"

That was the limited edition anime that Chloe had specially bought from Reskorus. For this, she woke up early and lined up in the rain for six hours before she got it. Every night, Annie would hold it in her arms and fall asleep.

"Well, you... actually dare to whisper to your sister. Die! You!"

Skyler grabbed her sister's soft hair, so strong that she wanted to tear off Annie's scalp.

"Ah! It hurts... It hurts!"

"Who told you to get your hair style back to normal? Did I say something that you don't remember?"

"I said that without my permission, you are not allowed to get your hairstyle back!" Skyler's eyes widened as she shook her little head.

In fact, she was not so angry about the matter of Raya. After all, it was Grace who was in trouble and she had little relationship with her.

What she hated was that when Medo Auction Center came out that day, Vincent, whom she had been longing for, actually took the initiative to talk to Annie!

Not only that, but he also touched her vegetable flower hair with a smile. At that time, Skyler, who had witnessed the whole process, was so jealous that her face was completely pale, and she wanted to shave all of Annie's hair with a push!

"Ha... I know what you are planning! You are not really helping that village girl, are you? You want to pretend to be a kind angel and seduce

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Young Master Anderson, right?"

"I, I..." Annie's eyes were full of tears, and she was speechless.

"You just want to go against us. We don't like Raya, but you insist on helping her, so that you can show that you are different from the others."

"Don't be coquettish! You are like a fool. Young Master Anderson can't like you. Don't be selfsentimental!" Skyler's beautiful face was fierce.

"Third Miss! What are you doing!" Aunt Gill rushed in and hugged the crying Annie in her arms.

Sawle family and the other servants had long been used to this kind of thing, and no one dared to stop Skyler.

However, Aunt Gill was one of Joseph's people, and she had always been a veteran, so she was the only one who dared to stand up for the fourth miss.

"Aunt Gill, you go out! This is none of your business!" Skyler was also unhappy with Aunt Gill.

"I think you should be the one who should go out!"

Aunt Gill comforted the trembling fourth young miss while sizing up Skyler with a warning gaze, "If you behave yourself and leave this door, this old woman will pretend that I didn't see anything.

"Otherwise, when the young master comes back, I will tell him everything about how you bullied the fourth young miss."

Skyler trembled violently and gritted her teeth in unwillingness.

If Joseph knew what her face was like at home, it would definitely be spread to Vincent. The two of them had been really intimate. If Joseph interfered, then wouldn't it be even harder for her to chase after her

husband?

Considering this, Skyler could only temporarily stop.

However, she still felt that it was not enough to vent her anger. Before she left, she grabbed the bear in Annie's arms and threw it out through the window.

"Ah! My little bear!"

"What rubbish? What an eyesore!"

Skyler snorted coldly. She brushed her long wavy hair and left the room as if nothing had happened.

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Annie didn't even bother to put on her shoes and ran out of the villa barefoot.

Coincidentally, Joseph returned to Mazeland Manor and was stunned when he saw her panicked appearance.

"Annie, what happened?" Joseph stepped forward to stop her, his brows slightly furrowed.

Although he hated Aubree and disliked Skyler, he still felt pity for this weak little sister.

Especially the day before yesterday, she dared to stand up for Raya, which made him look at this little girl in a new light.

"My little bear... my little bear is gone..." Annie was so anxious that tears and snot flowed out at the same time.

"Don't worry, second brother will help you find it."

Joseph led Annie to the back garden.

In the end, in a muddy flower bed, they saw a lonely little bear doll lying in the middle.

Joseph was so clean. A pair of high–end handmade leather shoes were spotless all year round. At this moment, he ignored the dirt and stepped into the flower bed with his long legs. He personally picked up the toy for

Annie.

The little bear was already so dirty that it could not be seen. However, Annie did not mind at all. She held it tightly in her arms as if she had found a precious place. She cried and her tears kept falling.

Joseph had never been a soft-hearted person, but when he saw her cry so sadly, he could not help but feel a little sad.

"Don't keep it if it's dirty. I'll buy a new one for you."

"No... I only want this... This is what sister-in-law gave me... It's my favorite toy!"

Joseph's chest trembled. He didn't expect her to have such deep feelings for Raya.

Annie remembered how her sister—in—law treated her in the past. She remembered that without her, she spent her days in this huge manor like a year. She remembered her father's neglect, her mother's indifference, her sister's bullying...

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The little girl threw herself into Joseph's arms and sobbed,

"Sister-in-law... can you still let her come back? I miss her so much... Can you... not separate?"

Joseph's thin lips quivered, and his throat was blocked by a difficult

emotion.

He rubbed her hair with his big hand, but he could not say a word. He was afraid that if he said it, it would hurt her heart even more.

At this moment, his phone rang.

His grandfather's phone had disrupted his complicated mood.

"Grandpa."

"Why can't I get a call from Raya again?"

The older Rory got, the more he looked like a child. On the other side of the line, he was so anxious that he was about to cry. "What's wrong with Raya? Recently, she has been nowhere to be found! She hasn't come to

see me!"

"Does Raya not want me as a grandfather anymore?"

"Damn brat! You bastard! You bastard! If I blame you, you'll have to take it! If Raya ignores me because of you, I will treat you as an outsider and let you die!"

"Grandpa, Raya won't abandon you. Don't think too much about it." Joseph pinched the space between his eyebrows, and his unspeakable face was full of worry.

"Hurry up and contact Raya for me! I want to see my precious

granddaughter-in-law! Motherf*cker! Get the hell out of here and find

her!"

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That night, the three siblings returned to Sea Gate from Medo.

The two cities were not far apart, and it took less than two hours to walk on the highway.

Medo was the economic center of the country, with excellent resources and a bright future, a place that every soldier must fight for.

But Sea Gate was different. Sea Gate had been the territory of only one family for a hundred years – Thorp family.

Thorp Group's industry supported a third of Sea Gate's population. They were called Sea Gate's "Emperor". It could be said that without Thorp Group, Sea Gate was just an ordinary second-tier city. It was impossible for the economic development to be so fast. The three siblings came to the antique Fallen Star House.

"Ah! Young Mistress! When did you come back?"

The old man in armor who had come to welcome them was the manager here, Master Sharp.

He was the youngest son of Stefan's nanny. He had been playing with Stefan since childhood, and their relationship was so good that it could. not be separated.

Old Sharp did not have much ambition. Even though Stefan's driver had been listening to Stefan's calls all these years and bought three suites from Medo, he was not interested in the official career. He did not marry, and he did not have children. He was alone in the Fallen Star House and accompanied jade all day long. We sat and watched the flowing clouds and falling flowers.

"Uncle Sharp, how are you recently? Do your legs still hurt in rainy days? Are you better at breathing? How about the medicine I asked Jordan to send you a while ago?"

Chloe's eyes were curved, and she held Old Sharp's arm intimately. "Good, good, all good... But even a thousand good things are not as good as you coming back!" Old Sharp was so happy that his tears blurred. "Actually, I came here this time because I have something to ask you..." Chloe sighed faintly and got straight to the point, "I have a good friend who gave me a gift that I broke."

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"I was afraid that he would be sad if he found out, so I wanted to ... make an identical one."

"What is it?"

Chloe pursed her red lips and carefully took out a vintage jewelry bag. She took out the jade bracelet fragment from it.

"Aiya!" Old Sharp exclaimed, lamenting the broken jade. "This is such high–quality material – it's a once–in–a–thousand chance! What a shame!"

"I'm aware that this material is rare and won't be available in a century, but I'm still keen to give it a go. How many materials have you not explored yet?" Chloe enquired.

"More than five hundred."

"I'll want it all tonight."

"Pfft!" Old Sharp almost spat out a mouthful of blood.

Oscar coughed awkwardly. Riley's hand had already silently touched his phone, ready to call the emergency number at any time.

Little sister was always like this, using the most casual tone to speak the most shocking words.

"No, no, no! You are trying to empty my life!" Old Sharp was so anxious that he stamped his feet, which was exactly the same as Stefan.

"It's not that exaggerated. Either way, you left the material for yourself to play with. It's not like you want to sell it. I have already opened it. No matter how much loss..."

Chloe's eyes welled up. Thinking her fourth brother had been disobedient, she decided to punish him, so she changed her words, "Put it on my fourth brother's tab, just say it's my orders, and make him pay double. After all, he's got money and nowhere to spend it!"

Old Sharp covered his chest and leaned back with a broken heart.

Oscar and Riley quickly supported the old man.

Thorp Group had four gardens in Sea Gate, namely Falling Moon, Falling Cloud, Falling Mist, Falling Star.

Falling Star was naturally simple and the first place that the jade carving master Tade had taken a fancy to. As a result, Stefan had to pay a billion from his pocket to buy it over. Tade was so angry that he almost drove Old Sharp out of the sect. Who asked him to have a good relationship with Stefan?

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Then, half a month later, it was Tade's 60–year–old birthday. Stefan directly gave him the Falling Star as a birthday present, which resolved the misunderstanding. It turned out that the Falling Star Stefan had bought was originally planned as a gift to give him from the beginning. He just wanted to give the old man a surprise.

Now, Master Tade had already gone to the west. Old Sharp, as his last disciple, had inherited the Falling Star and maintained it until now.

Chloe followed Old Sharp to the warehouse to open the material. The two brothers sat in the front hall and drank tea.

"Chloe is too concerned about Sawle family. I am jealous." Riley curled his lips in dissatisfaction.

"Sawle Group's Old Master, Rory, is a highly respected senior and has always liked Chloe."

"Chloe is someone who will return a single act of kindness with a flood of gratitude. She certainly wants to show her appreciation to Old Master Sawle for his kindness. I'm all for her doing that," Oscar said, her voice soft and captivating.

"You support everything. I don't believe that you will support her to be with Joseph again!"

"The reason is determined by the heavens. No one can change it. This is how Chloe is. The more the whole world objects to them being together, the more she wants to love a stunning world." Oscar sighed.

"The heavens don't have eyes. What mandarin duck book are you talking about! My sister is a noble person, and the son of the Prime Minister of the neighboring country doesn't even put her in their eyes. She actually broke her heart for an illegitimate child!"

"But this is also good. After all, Joseph is already the best among dogs. In the future, when Chloe sees other male dogs, he should not be so easily deceived."

At this time, Oscar's phone vibrated on the table.

He glanced down and really couldn't help but talk about Joseph's name on the screen.

"Mr. Sawle." Oscar coldly answered the call.

Riley furrowed his brows, his back leaving the back of the chair as he listened attentively.

"President Thorp, I'm looking for Raya. I have something to tell her."

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Joseph's voice was low, with a hint of anxiety.

"Raya is not free right now."

"Then when will she be free?"

"For you, she has no time at all."

Oscar had always been calm and polite, but when it came to people, it was really hitting the nail on the head.

Riley clenched his fist excitedly, well said!

On the other side, Joseph's handsome face was black, as if he had been bombarded by a missile.

First of all, since Raya has changed her number, it means that she does not want you to contact her. Even if you have not officially registered for a divorce, out of respect for women, you should not harass her again and again.

"Secondly, I already know what happened at the charity auction."

Joseph's dark pupils suddenly shrank, and his heart seemed to be covered with dense and thorny vines.

Riley shivered in his heart.

This was his big brother. His left hand was merciful, and his right hand was Shura. It was not that he was not angry, but most of the things in the world were not worth his anger, except for his family.

"About that..."

"I don't know what your bottom line is, but you have already stepped on my bottom line."

My bottom line, other than Raya, is still Raya.

This is the last time I pick up your call, Mr. Sawle. This is also the last time I remind you to take care of your fiancee and your family. Don't look for trouble with Raya again.

Once again, take care of yourself.

As soon as the voice fell, Oscar decisively ended the call.

At this moment, Mazeland Manor.

Joseph stood in front of the window and stared at the long dark screen. The hand holding the phone slowly tightened, and his hard–pressed heart seemed to have been gripped by an invisible hand.

As he and Raya's only contact person for the past few days, Oscar, was cut

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off, an unprecedented feeling of emptiness filled his chest, and even a trace of panic could be seen.

This time, Raya might really disappear from his life completely.

He might never be able to find her again.

Joseph's heart was in turmoil, and he fumbled out a cigarette box from the depths of the drawer. There were two cigarettes inside.

His fingertips.trembled as he took out a cigarette and held it between his thin lips. He lit it a few times before igniting it.

The orange light flickered, and Joseph found himself becoming more and more strange.

For the sake of the ex–wife he did not love at all, he quit his smoking addiction for five years and made a comeback.

In the early hours of the morning, in the large workshop of Falling Star. Chloe was all alone, wearing a black apron. She was busy in the pile of stones like a small snail, and her smooth and clean forehead was full of

fine sweat.

She had already opened hundreds of materials, processed and polished countless bracelets, and each one of them was sold for at least five digits, but in her eyes, it was worthless.

It did not look like it, it did not look like it at all!

None of them could compare to the bracelet that her grandfather had given her!

Chloe's eyes were red. She bit her small white teeth and continued to polish the jade stone on the machine. Her delicate and white fingers were calluses. The wound on her palm was faintly painful, but she did not care at all.

She only wanted to make an identical bracelet, otherwise she would not have the face to see her grandfather.

At this time, there was a loud bang outside the warehouse, shaking the iron door.

However, Chloe was completely indifferent. His whole heart was focused on these stones that he was worried about.

Suddenly, the door was pushed open with a creak. A hurricane surged in like a tide, causing Chloe to narrow his eyes.

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Under the thick night sky, a helicopter sat outside the door. The hatch slowly opened and heaven– defying long legs stepped down. The man's black windbreaker flew in the air. His handsome face was filled with

killing intent, and he looked around in a daze.

"Chloe! I'm back!"

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Chloe raised her thin eyelids and looked at the handsome man with misty eyes.

He arrived like the night wind and knelt in front of her with one knee. He raised his handsome face and looked at her deeply.

"I heard that my sister is going to divorce me?" He smiled evilly and lovingly.

"Fourth Brother..." Chloe's lips moved, and her voice was soft.

"Phew, I heard that you can still call me Fourth Brother. My heart is finally at ease."

Thorp family's Fourth Young Master, Sami Thorp, was overjoyed. His usually black and cold eyes were like ice melting for her. Dawn broke.

His slender and strong arms wrapped around his sister's small waist, hooking her in his arms. His other hand reached into the pocket of his windbreaker, took out a piece of chocolate, tore open the wrapping paper with his teeth, and fed it to Chloe's lips.

"Aydin specialty, your favorite, try it."

"Fourth Brother!"

Chloe threw herself into Sami's chest like a flying bird. For some reason, a wave of sour emotions surged up, and tears filled her eyes, soaking the man's black shirt.

These tears are complicated. There is the longing for your brother, the guilt for your grandfather, the hatred for Grace, and the depression of not being able to make a jade bracelet...

There is also the disappointment and heartache for Joseph.

"Chloe? You... cried?" Sami was suddenly shocked and his large hand gently scratched the back of her neck.

"No..." Chloe said in a muffled voice.

"My clothes are all exposed, yet you still say you don't have them?"

"If you don't have them, then so be it!"

Chloe's voice choked, but she was still very stubborn and stubborn. Sami knew that his younger sister was a girl with extremely strong self-esteem. The number of times she had cried since she was a child

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could be counted on one hand, so he did not expose her. He only quietly hugged her and coaxed her. His heart ached.

Chloe, Fourth Brother is back.

The good days of Joseph, that son of a bitch, would end!

At this moment, Oscar and Riley stood side by side outside the door, looking at the deep affection between the brother and sister.

Riley gritted his teeth sourly. "Damn, this guy is pretending again!" "Even my little sister has never been so spoiled in my arms. He seldom came back and once he came back, he divided my favor. Why?"

"The helicopter flew into Fallen Star House. The bricks and trees are probably damaged quite a bit."

Oscar lowered his eyes slightly, sighed and shook his head, "Later, tell my fourth brother that the money to repair the garden is also on his

account."

After tossing and turning until dawn, Chloe finally did not make a satisfactory bracelet and unconsciously fell asleep in the pile of stones.

Old Sharp tidied up a good room for the big sister to stay in. Sami flew all the way to hold his sister's delicate and soft body. Under Riley's covetous gaze, he carefully placed the sleeping beauty on the bed.

After covering his sister with a blanket and kissing her fair, jade–like little face, he left the room with satisfaction and closed the door.

"Tsk, stingy. I don't see you bring anything good for my little sister, so I brought a piece of chocolate." Riley crossed his arms around his chest and mocked.

"Second Brother, can you change your habit of taking things for granted?" Sami glared at him.

"Will you die if you call me Second Brother?" Riley glared at him.

"You call me daddy, and I call you brother."

"F*ck you!"

Riley was so angry that he raised his long legs to kick Bai Jin flying.

In the end, he was no match for this top secret service agent. Fourth moved his body and dodged perfectly. He almost tore his crotch when he stepped on air. Don't mention how embarrassed he was!

"Haha... Second Brother, didn't anyone tell you that taking too big a step

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is pointless? Do what you can do!" Sami held his stomach and laughed.

It had been a long time since he had laughed heartily in the

high-intensity and harsh working atmosphere of the secret service headquarters.

Oscar stood at the side and watched his two younger brothers play and joke in front of him, revealing a kind and gentle gaze like a father. His memories immediately returned to his childhood.

"By the way, bring this up. Let me show you the gift I prepared for my

little sister."

Sami's eyes flashed, and he excitedly took out a silver and precise rectangular suitcase.

Opening the complicated password lock, the moment the thing inside appeared in front of him, Oscar's face was black, and Riley gasped.

"This gun, recently created by our secret service headquarters, is loaded with half bullet and half anesthetic. If you meet danger, you can rotate it to the left, hit the target, and let it sleep for three days and three nights. If you rotate it to the right, it can put them to sleep for a lifetime."

"This lighter was a miniature grenade. It was easy to carry, and it had great lethality. It was not a problem to flatten a building."

"Ah, there was also this!"

It was said that men were young when they died. Sami Fei proudly introduced them like he was showing off a toy. "Doesn't little sister like to play with jewelry? I specially customized a ring for her. Look, does it look good?"

Riley was very curious. Just as he was about to pick it up and play with it, he was suddenly grabbed by Sami Fei.

"Don't. This ring can release poisonous thorns. It's even more poisonous than a hundred withered grass."

Oscar looked down helplessly. "May God forgive you, Amen."

"Little sister has a brother like you who isn't stable... To be able to live until now, it's all thanks to her luck!" Riley was in a bad mood.

"What do you know? The gifts I give are all practical."

Sami narrowed his eyes and said coldly, "That blind bastard Joseph dared to bully my sister. I prepared all these gifts for him."

"Let's see how my little sister wants him to die."

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Riley's face slowly revealed a "speechless" expression.

"Fourth brother, how long do you plan to stay at home this time?" Oscar asked.

"About half a month."

"Next month, I have to go to Nialzuct to carry out an important task. I have to go back and prepare in advance. Otherwise... I want to stay with little sister for a while longer."

"Business is more important. Little sister has me and Second Brother to protect her. You can rest assured."

Oscar paused and asked in a low voice, "Do you want to go home to see Dad? He just talked about you a few days ago."

"Don't. When the old man saw me, he said that he wanted to live for a few more years. If I saw him fewer times, he would have lived for a hundred years." Sami waved his hand in a carefree manner, a trace of sadness flashing through his eyes.

Oscar and Riley looked at each other, feeling a little uncomfortable in their hearts.

Now, even Chloe had slowly accepted her three mothers, but Sami could never forgive his father for being so unfaithful to his mother.

That was why he had gone to the military academy, to be a secret agent without hesitation, to leave his hometown and go far away – it was better

to not see him.

But for the past two years, perhaps because he was getting older, he had become more and more homesick, wanting to have a carefree time with his brothers and sisters.

"Hey, let's go, second brother. Are you going to hit a dog with your brother?"

Sami suddenly wrapped his arms around his second brother's neck, and the two of them had just torn up, but now they did not care about the past, and were as close as conjoined twins.

"Hit a dog?" Riley immediately reacted.

"If

you want to go, go yourself. Chloe said that we are not allowed to privately cause trouble for Joseph!"

Riley hurriedly retreated, as if this little brother was poisonous.

Sami sneered and smiled evilly.