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Hearing the man's words, Alex finally recalled why the name seemed so familiar. The man before him was Edmund, a friend of his back in university.

“Edmund, you've changed drastically. I could barely recognize you.” Cheerfully, Alex tried to strike up a friendly conversation. After all, Edmund was now an employee working in his company.

Truthfully, they weren't particularly close friends in university. They only knew each other because of their mutual friends and similar social circles.

As Edmund retrieved the takeout from Alex's outstretched hand, a look of disdain flitted across his face. “Speaking of change, I believe that you were the

one who changed more than me. I can't believe that you've resorted to delivering takeout. Weren't you a security guard at Four Seas Corporation? What happened? Did they fire you?" Edmund sneered mockingly.

When Edmund realized that Alex, an old classmate of his, was the one who'd delivered his takeout, he couldn't help but rejoice at this unexpected coincidence.

Although they rarely interacted in university, Edmund had always harbored a long-time crush on Heather. Even so, she got together with Alex instead. Hence, Edmund could not approach her and only watched the couple silently from afar.

Edmund even opted to skip out on their university reunions because he didn't want to see Heather and Alex together.

Despite that, Edmund continued to keep tabs on Heather. He later found out that she tied the knot with Alex soon after they graduated from university. Furthermore, Alex was the one who married into the Jennings family.

When Edmund learned of this news, he could hardly believe his ears. Although he still liked Heather, he would never willingly marry into a woman's family no matter how much he loved her. Such a disgraceful act was the equivalent of losing one's dignity.

Throughout all these years, Edmund kept track of Heather's activities from the birth of her son to her divorce from Alex. When Edmund caught wind of their divorce, he even invited his friends out for a grand banquet to celebrate the occasion.

During the banquet, his friends asked Edmund why

he didn't seize this chance to win Heather over. Since they'd already divorced, he could possibly make her his wife.

Edmund merely scoffed arrogantly. “Why would I want her? She married a good-for-nothing and had a child with him. Even if she comes looking for me, I will reject her without a second thought!”

Initially, Alex wanted to have a civil conversation with Edmund. Since he's now working under me, it'd be nice if we could catch up with each other. But when Alex heard Edmund's rude and condescending tone, he had an abrupt change of mind. I'm not going to sit around and flatter his ego.

With a cold voice, he asked Edmund, “My line of work is none of your business. How can you be so sure that I'm a delivery man?”

Edmund pursed his lips and snorted incredulously. Is he trying to save himself from embarrassment? “The more useless men are, the bigger their egos get. Just admit that you work as a delivery man. Besides, how could an incompetent man like yourself achieve anything more?”

Here, Edmund deliberately adjusted his suit before he continued in a haughty tone, “Unlike you, I don't have to drive around in the rain or endure the burning heat. Instead, I get to stay in my office and enjoy the cool air from my air conditioner.”

Since Alex came to tech dome to catch up on the latest advancements, he couldn't be bothered to waste his time listening to Edmund toot his own horn.

“It was nice meeting you at tech dome. Please continue with your work. I have other matters to attend to, so I'll be taking my leave first.” With that,

Alex spun on his heel and left.

I've finally got the chance to humiliate Alex. I can't just let him leave like that! In haste, Edmund darted forward and blocked Alex's path.

“Why are you in such a hurry? Do you have another order to deliver? Seeing that we are old classmates, I'll leave you with a tip for your service. Don't you know that I'm a generous man? In fact, I often donate hundreds to pitiful street beggars,” Edmund remarked with a smug smile.

Clearly, Edmund had just implied that he viewed Alex as nothing more but a pitiful beggar.

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When Edmund blocked his path, Alex frowned in annoyance. “What are you trying to say?” he demanded. The coldness in his voice revealed his unhappiness.

“Haha, why are you getting angry? I was merely trying to start a conversation with an old friend. You don't have to get so angry.” Upon noticing Alex's anger, Edmund grew even more delighted. He must be feeling embarrassed because of the stark contrast between our statuses.

Edmund pulled out a nearby chair and took a seat. He crossed his arms together, making him appear like a commanding boss. “It is hot out today. It must have been difficult for you to run around with your

deliveries, right? By bumping into me today, you've struck gold. Did you know that tech dome is a huge company? Over the years, it has received over a hundred billion worth of investments. Although I'm just a clerk, I am much more capable than other small business owners. Alex, do you know why I've told you all of this? Truthfully, I'm trying to give you a chance to quit your job as a deliveryman. As long as you keep me satisfied and listen to my every word, I'll put in a good word for you with my manager. Who knows? You might be able to get a job here as a bodyguard.”

Here, Edmund paused as he cleared his throat. He took a glass out and placed it on the table. “Pour me a glass of water right now,” he ordered Alex.

However, Alex only glanced at Edmund like the latter was nothing more than a foolish clown. Without acknowledging Edmund's words, Alex turned around and left.

He hadn't gone far before he heard Edmund's angry yell.

“Alex, what the f*ck are you doing? Stop pretending like you are better than me. Even Heather dumped you! Now, you are nothing more but a measly delivery guy. Aren't you going to appreciate the opportunity I offered you? You truly are nothing but a piece of useless trash!”

Despite Edmund's outraged screams, Alex didn't even bat an eye. I'm not going to waste my breath arguing with him. Honestly, how did an as*hole like him pass the recruitment process? I am going to pay the human resource department a visit.

When Edmund saw how Alex continued to ignore him, he couldn't help but seethe in anger. I can't let him off the hook so easily!

All of a sudden, Edmund came up with an idea. He turned toward the other employees and yelled at the top of his lungs, “Help! There's a thief here! He pretended to be a deliveryman and came here to steal!”

His loud yell attracted the attention of countless people. Immediately, everyone whirled around to look at Alex.

Immediately the security guards nearby leaped into action and detained him. After all, stealing from the company was a severe offense.

“Are all deliverymen like these nowadays? They don't have any morals at all. I can't believe he dared to steal under the pretense of delivering takeaway. Is he truly so desperate for money?”

“Just take a good look at the cap that he's wearing! You can instantly tell that he's not a good man. Besides, he's not even wearing his uniform. He must have come here with the sole intent of stealing.”

“It looks like he's only in his twenties too. Besides, it's not like he is handicapped or disabled in any way. Instead of working hard, he resorted to crimes and chose to steal from others. How humiliating.”

When Edmund heard everyone's hushed discussion about Alex, he smiled in satisfaction. Painting him out to be a thief was a brilliant idea. It serves him right for ignoring me. Let's see how Alex plans to talk his way out of this sticky situation. I hope they report him to the authorities and sentence him to jail. If Alex ends up with a criminal record on his name, he wouldn't be able to secure a job anywhere else.

Just thinking about it caused Edmund's gleeful smile

to broaden.

A dark expression loomed across Alex's face. I can't believe Edmund would resort to such despicable means to hurt me.

“Edmund, since we are old friends, I'm going to give you a final chance. If you tell everyone the truth about this incident, I will be willing to let this matter go,” Alex said coldly.

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“Old friend? Is that supposed to be a joke? No lowly delivery man is fit to be my friend. The nerve of you to say that you are giving me a chance at redemption! Just wait until the police are here. You'll eat your words. I can't believe you came to the tech dome to steal. You were practically asking for it!” Edmund replied.

Edmund sneered at Alex with a mocking expression. Alex is too much. Despite being caught between a rock and a hard place, he dared to call me out in such a rude manner. I can't wait for him to be locked up in jail for over a year.

“Since you refuse to accept the opportunity I gave you, don't blame me for doing things the hard way,” Alex spat in reply. I have been too kind to Edmund. Given how he didn't even think twice about framing me, he probably doesn't even see me as human. I can't reason with a lowlife like him.

Edmund merely rolled his eyes. “You are nothing but a stupid deliveryman! Stop trying to talk your way out of this. Not only did you come here to steal, you even pretended to know me. Save your lies for someone else; I will never help you. In fact, I'm eagerly awaiting your next move. What are you even capable of?”

Although Alex was the founder of tech dome, he rarely got himself involved with it. The most he'd do was give instructions to the higher-ups of this company.

Hence, these ordinary employees working on the eighth floor have never had the chance to meet Alex themselves.

If Alex weren't the head of the tech dome, any other ordinary delivery man in his shoes would have probably ended up in jail all because of Edmund's

lies.

Since I've given Edmund a chance that he didn't appreciate, it's time I take matters into my own hands.

Without another word, Alex fished his phone out and made a quick call.

Upon seeing this, Edmund nearly burst out laughing. How can an incompetent man like Alex recognize any big shots? He must be bluffing to scare me.

“I am on the eighth floor. You have five minutes to complete whatever that you are currently doing and get here. If I don't see you within five minutes, don't even think about working at tech dome anymore!”
With that, Alex hung up the call.

Edmund snickered. “Alex, Heather must have married

you because you fooled her into thinking that you were a competent man. Yet, the reality is that you are nothing more than a lowly service worker. No one is going to save you from jail.”

Truthfully, Edmund's hatred toward Alex was partly because of Heather. Since Edmund still harbored feelings for her, he paid Heather a visit after she and Alex got divorced.

During his visit, he informed Heather that he didn't mind the fact that she was a divorcee and was willing to love her no matter what. Yet, Heather trampled all over his heartfelt confession. At that time, she was still fuming over Alex's position as the chairman of Four Seas Corporation. In the end, she took her anger out on him and claimed that he could never hold a candle to Alex.

When the love of his life called him a good-for-

nothing, Edmund's hatred toward Alex grew even deeper. Hence, he was so cruel to Alex.

“Today's meeting is adjourned!” Arthur blurted out.

Without waiting for a response, he scrambled out of the meeting room. In the midst of his panic, he nearly tripped over his own two feet and fell face-first at the door.

Earlier, he'd received a phone call from none other than the chairman himself. If I don't get there within five minutes, the chairman might fire me! Earlier, he sounded rather impatient and curt. I'm doomed.

Something in the company must have caused him to lose his temper. Who on earth dared to provoke the chairman? To insult the chairman is akin to poking a bear with a stick. That person must have a death wish.

Arthur didn't even bother waiting for the lift. Instead, he took the flight of stairs all the way down to the eighth floor. The hot summer day caused him to sweat buckets. Yet, he dared not even stop for a break.

After three minutes, Arthur finally reached the eighth floor.

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“Everyone, look! The general manager is here!” someone shouted from among the crowd, prompting everyone to look in the same direction.

Edmund was surprised too. He did not expect the matter to alert the general manager.

Soon, Edmund saw the general manager of the tech dome coming his way. Other than the mysterious chairman, the general manager had the most authority in this company. Good! Alex will be doomed this time. I will tell the general manager that our rival company sent Alex here to steal the company's trade secret. No one would believe Alex even if he denies it. Perhaps the general manager would charge him in court and send him to prison for a few years.

Edmund felt even more excited as he thought about this. He pushed through the crowd and ran toward the general manager.

“Sir, a delivery man sneaked into our company and tried to steal our company's trade secret. Luckily, I

caught him before he could succeed. He is here now. What should we do about him?" Edmund asked the general manager respectfully.

Meanwhile, Arthur was not in the mood to deal with such a matter. He was searching for the chairman urgently. The chairman called Arthur and said he was on the eighth floor. However, Arthur could not find him anywhere.

"Arthur!" someone suddenly shouted from among the crowd.

Arthur immediately looked in the direction of that voice.

When Arthur saw Alex, he ran to him without hesitation.

Meanwhile, Edmund was confused by Arthur's

reaction. Is the general manager rushing to beat up Alex?

However, Edmund could not believe what he saw next. One should know that the general manager had among the highest authority in this company. Thus, Edmund was shocked to see him behaving submissively and courteously to please Alex.

“Mr. Jefferson, why didn't you tell me that you were coming to the company? You must be tired after standing for so long. Please have a seat.” Arthur quickly pulled a chair and placed it behind Alex.

Alex sat down without hesitation and said coldly, “This employee here accused me of stealing from the company. Since you are the general manager of tech dome, how do you plan to deal with me?”

Stealing from the company?

After hearing Alex, Arthur instinctively glanced at Edmund and remembered what he said. Is Mr. Jefferson the thief that this guy mentioned?

Then, he turned back to Alex and noticed the two security guards that had detained Alex just now.

Arthur broke out in cold sweat as he thought about this. He did not expect something like this to happen.

At this moment, Edmund came over to Arthur with a puzzled expression and asked, “Mr. Hart, why are you so courteous to a delivery man? It's him. He pretended to be a delivery man to enter our company and steal our trade secret. Mr. Hart, I have just called the police. They should be here soon to arrest him!”

Edmund talked excitedly and did not notice that Arthur's expression had turned grim.

“Are you the only one who noticed him trying to steal something from the company? Is there anyone else who saw it?” Arthur asked sternly.

Edmund thought the general manager asked this question to determine whom he should reward. He believed that the general manager would promote his position and raise his salary. Thus, he answered immediately, “Mr. Hart, I caught him myself. No one else noticed anything. If I didn't catch him on time, he could have left with our company's trade secret!”

Alex could not help but feel impressed with Edmund's stupidity. He did not expect the man to dig his own grave.

“Edmund, how can you accuse someone without proof? Aren't you scared that you would be in trouble?” Alex asked calmly.

Edmund sneered disdainfully and thought that Alex was worried that Edmund would falsely accuse him. Moreover, Edmund knew that the surveillance cameras on the eighth floor had malfunctioned. Therefore, he believed Arthur would trust what he said.

“Mr. Hart, we must deal with this thief quickly!” Edmund urgently wanted to see Alex's humiliation, so he urged the general manager.

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Arthur slapped Edmund immediately, causing the latter to fall backward. Edmund was stunned and confused for a long while.

Then, he held his painfully swollen cheek and looked shocked as he asked, “Mr. Hart, what was that for?”

Although Edmund knew that he had made false accusations against Alex, he did not think anyone would find out the truth. Furthermore, anyone would think that Edmund was helping the company to catch a thief. Yet, Arthur did not reward him but slapped him instead. He believed that Arthur was confused about the situation.

It never occurred to Edmund that Alex could be someone important.

Arthur looked at Edmund furiously and felt a strong urge to bash him up. Does this idiot have a brain? He

still doesn't realize how wrong he is.

“Edmund, who did you say is stealing the company's trade secret?” Arthur asked again.

Edmund pointed to Alex without hesitation and said confidently, “Mr. Hart, it's him. I caught him stealing the company's trade secret!”

Slap!

Arthur slapped Edmund again. He hit Edmund harder than before, causing Edmund's cheek to swell further.

Then, Arthur growled and scolded Edmund, “Do you not know who he is? How dare you accuse him of stealing the company secret. Why does he have to steal anything when the whole company belongs to him?”

Alex owns the whole company?

Edmund's mind went blank. No one knew whether it was due to Arthur's slap or refusal to accept the truth. He stood dazed on his spot and looked at Alex in shock.

It did not matter that his mind refused to believe. Since Arthur had told him, it must have been the truth. Edmund could not understand how he could do something so stupid and accuse the chairman of stealing the company's trade secret.

Wasn't Alex just the Jenningses' useless son-in-law? Furthermore, he and Heather are divorced. How can he be capable of owning the tech dome? Tech dome is a company worth a hundred billion. Somehow, he is the chairman of this company. None of this makes sense. Since Alex is the chairman, why is he working as a delivery man? What is going on here?

Alex could see Edmund's confused expression from his seat. Therefore, he smirked and said, "Edmund, I've never said I'm a delivery man. Furthermore, even if I am one, how can you slander me as you did?"

Edmund felt sweat dripping down his back. He realized that he had done something unforgivable today. No matter how he looked down on Alex, the latter was now tech dome's chairman. Edmund had offended such an important person and doomed himself.

Pride was nothing compared to a future at stake. Therefore, Edmund did not hesitate. He kneeled immediately and begged, "I'm sorry, Mr. Jefferson. I didn't know you were the chairman. It was an unintentional mistake. Since we were classmates, can you please forgive me this time?"

“Classmates? Just now, you said that you didn't have a lowly delivery man like me as your classmate,” Alex replied mockingly.

“I-I...” Edmund truly regretted what he did just now.

He raised his hand and slapped himself in the face a few times before saying, “Mr. Jefferson, I was an idiot for saying all those nonsense. Please, Mr. Jefferson. I beg you. Since we went to the same university, please have mercy on me.”

Alex watched Edmund slapping himself and did not say anything. A few slaps were not enough for Alex to forgive him.

At this moment, a few uniformed police officers arrived on the eighth floor and asked the crowd, “Someone call us here to arrest a thief. Where is he?”

The crowd immediately pointed to Edmund as if everyone had agreed in advance.

Edmund did not expect all of his colleagues to betray him so easily. Initially, he wanted to explain to the police officers, but any words he could think of disappeared before he could speak.

I would rather the police officers arrest me if it can assuage Alex's fury. It is better than being hated by someone of his position.

“Y-Yes! It's me! I have stolen the company's trade secret...” Edmund said reluctantly.

The police officers immediately handcuffed Edmund and pushed him into the police car.

Everyone on the eighth floor was anxious after the police officers took Edmund away. All of them had

taunted Alex when Edmund falsely accused him.

They thought that the chairman would scold them. Unexpectedly, the chairman went into an elevator with the general manager and left the eighth floor.

Everyone breathed a sigh of relief. The crowd quietly praised the chairman for showing mercy to them.

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“I'm sorry, Mr. Jefferson. It was my fault that you had to experience that!” Arthur looked down at his feet and apologized when they reached the chairman's

office.

Meanwhile, Alex went to sit at his desk and read through the documents. He arched an eyebrow and said, “The company's management should be more careful in choosing employees in the future. Anyway, what happened just now has nothing to do with you. Can you tell me about the company's latest development?”

Arthur breathed a sigh of relief when he saw that Alex did not blame him. Thus, he was finally able to calm down.

“Mr. Jefferson, Liana called before you arrived. She said that there is tremendous progress with the development of microchips. Furthermore, she might be back soon.” Arthur appeared relieved to be talking about work.

Suddenly, someone opened the door. Then, a beautiful and sexy woman dashed into the office and said happily, “Arthur, the microchip development is a success!”

Liana noticed that Alex was in the office. Her smile grew wider as she said, “Mr. Jefferson, you're here. I miss you! It's been a long time since we last met.”

Alex cleared his throat awkwardly upon hearing her. He found it uncomfortable that she spoke as if there was a special relationship between them.

On the other hand, Arthur seemed to realize something upon hearing Liana. He quickly excused himself and said, “Mr. Jefferson, Liana shall explain to you about the microchip development. I have to deal with another matter, so I shall take my leave first!”

After that, Arthur sent Liana a glance before slipping

out of the office. That glance was to wish Liana good luck in making Alex hers.

Arthur would not be surprised if Alex had a dalliance with Liana. After all, she was a beautiful woman. It seemed suspicious to Arthur that Alex put her in charge of the tech dome. Therefore, Arthur would find it harder to believe if there was nothing between them.

Alex was left alone with Liana in the office. Her behavior became even more outrageous the moment Arthur closed the office door.

She walked to Alex, hugged his neck, and said softly, "Mr. Jefferson, you haven't come to see me at the tech dome for a long time. I thought you had forgotten me! You have no idea how much I missed you!"

Liana leaned close to Alex and whispered into his ear.

She was so close that Alex could hear her breathing. It felt uncomfortable having her breath tickling his ear.

Therefore, Alex turned to Liana, intending to push her away. He wanted to tell her to behave professionally in the company. However, her fair and generous cleavage instantly appeared before Alex, rendering him stunned for a moment.

“Mr. Jefferson, do you like them?” Liana noticed Alex's dazed expression. She smiled and deliberately puffed her chest.

However, Liana's voice immediately woke Alex from his daze. He looked away quickly and coughed to conceal his embarrassment.

“Anyway, Arthur told me that the microchip development is a success. Is it true?” Alex had no choice but to switch the conversation toward work. He

tried to dispel the strange atmosphere between them.

Liana pursed her lips unhappily and quickly adjusted her shirt collar. Then, she answered calmly, “Yes, we have just finished developing the microchip and have begun test running it on the phone. I believe we can introduce it to the market soon.”

Then, Liana paused before continuing, “Our microchip is currently the most advanced in Eurasia. We don't have to spend a large sum of money to buy microchips from Anglandur anymore. Since the tech dome is the first to develop such a cutting-edge microchip, it shall generate astronomical profit for the company. Mr. Jefferson, you are a genius. There is no one like you!”

As Liana was complimenting Alex, she suddenly leaned close and kissed Alex on his cheek. It caught Alex off guard as he was still engrossed in his joy

over the success of the microchip development.

However, Alex enjoyed the feeling of Liana's soft lips on his cheek. She frequently did something like this, so Alex got used to it.

“You did well and achieved a good result. You must have put in a lot of effort in this research project,” Alex said sincerely.

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Alex was in a good mood after knowing about the tech dome's success. He went out of his office and

noticed Arthur waiting for him near the door.

Arthur bowed and asked respectfully, "Mr. Jefferson, how may I assist you?"

"You can come with me to see the new microchip!" Alex answered calmly.

Arthur replied in affirmative and looked at Alex's face. What he saw further reinforced his suspicion about Alex's relationship with Liana.

There is a large lipstick stain on his cheek. I can tell at a glance that it was Liana who kissed him. It is the same color as her lips. It turns out that even Mr. Jefferson can't resist a woman as sexy as Liana.

"By the way, Mr. Jefferson. Do you want to wipe that stain off your cheek?" Arthur asked tentatively.

Hearing him, Alex immediately remembered that Liana had kissed his cheek. He looked at Arthur and noticed him fighting back a grin. It made him realize how visible was the lipstick stain on his cheek.

Therefore, Alex headed to the washroom immediately and grabbed a tissue to wipe off the lipstick stain.

Now, the misunderstanding had deepened further. Alex felt that no one would believe him even if he explained that there was nothing between him and Liana. Thus, it would be pointless to explain.

Furthermore, Alex was the chairman of the tech dome. The misunderstanding would not affect him. Thus, he decided to let it go.

Meanwhile, Kate was reading in the living room of the Jeffersons' villa.

Suddenly, the nanny carried Emmalyn into the living

room and said, "Ms. Sutton, can you please have a look at Emma. I think she has a fever."

Emmalyn seemed to be sleeping in the nanny's arms. However, her small cheeks were flushed unnaturally, and her brow furrowed as if suffering from discomfort.

However, Kate did not rush to check on Emmalyn. Instead, she put down her book impatiently and pinched the nanny's arm.

The pinch was so painful that the nanny nearly dropped Emmalyn.

"I paid you so much money to take care of Emmalyn properly. Why does she have a fever? You can't even do such a simple job properly. What is the point of me keeping you here? A useless woman like you should just drop dead!" Kate cursed the nanny furiously.

The nanny felt wronged, but she did not dare to argue with Kate. The nanny waited for Kate to finish scolding her before saying, “Ms. Sutton, I took utmost care of Emma. I assure you that she did not kick off her blanket in her sleep. I think her fever might be due to something you ate recently. When I was feeding Emma, I noticed that your breast milk had a light green color.”

Kate's expression turned strange after she heard the nanny's accusation. She had been learning from the Insect Codex for the past few days and ate the medicine written there.

Furthermore, even if Kate caused Emmalyn's illness, she would never admit it. Instead, she would continue to blame everything on the nanny.

Kate snorted coldly and pinched the nanny's arm again. “What are you trying to say? How dare you

blame Emma's illness on me when you didn't do your job well? What's the point of telling me that Emma is ill? Why are you still standing there? Bring her to the hospital now! I will never forgive you if anything happens to her.”

The nanny had no choice but to swallow her indignity. She carried Emmalyn out of the living room and asked the driver to send them to the hospital. After the nanny left, Kate decided to stop reading and call Alex.

“Alex, where are you? Emma is sick, and I don't know what to do. Can you come to the hospital quickly?” Kate said and sounded as if she was on the verge of tears.

At this moment, Alex was looking at the newly developed microchip in the tech dome. When he heard that Emmalyn was ill, he immediately

abandoned everything and rushed to the hospital.

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“This child is only slightly more than a year old. What did you feed her that caused her stomach to suffer severe damage? Furthermore, there is an unusual poison in her body that even I can't find the antidote for,” said Dr. Wren. He was a renowned doctor in Quadfield's largest hospital.

Although Kate disliked Emmalyn, the latter was still her biological daughter. If Emmalyn died, Kate would have no way to make Alex remain by her side.

She panicked upon realizing this and shouted at Dr. Wren, “Aren't you a renowned doctor? If you don't cure my daughter, I will get my lawyer to sue you in court!”

Dr. Wren was the most reputable doctor in this hospital. In the past, people were always respectful to him. Many tried to send him gifts, but he refused them all. He didn't expect to be threatened by a patient's family. No matter how professional he was, it was something hard to bear.

Dr. Wren's expression darkened. Then, he replied coldly, “You can sue me if you want! No one can cure your daughter's condition. Her stomach has been damaged completely due to the poison in her system. Furthermore, the poison has also spread throughout her system. I advise you to prepare for the worst!”

Kate felt her heart sink. She retreated a few steps in a daze before her legs gave way. Thankfully, the nanny was there and supported her on time.

“Ms. Sutton, since God gifted you with Emma, I believe nothing will happen to her. Everything will be fine, so please don't be sad.” The nanny hugged Kate and tried to comfort her.

Although she was only a hired nanny, she had taken care of Emmalyn for a long time. Therefore, she saw Emmalyn as her daughter. Now that Emmalyn was severely ill, she felt so worried that tears filled her eyes.

Slap!

The nanny did not expect that Kate would slap her. She placed her hand on her swollen cheek and asked sadly, “Ms. Sutton, why did you slap me?”

“I can slap you whenever I want. Why do I have to give you a reason? I hired you to take care of my daughter and see how she turned out. It is your fault that she became severely ill, and you dare to cry in front of me? If my daughter dies, you will pay with your life!” Kate yelled furiously.

The nanny, known as Maria, was an honest woman. She had been working as a nanny for nearly thirty years. In all those thirty years, no children had ever suffered from food poisoning while under her care.

Nevertheless, Kate refused to hear Maria's explanation and was determined to blame everything on her. Furthermore, Kate even demanded Maria pay for her daughter's death with her life. It was senseless and unreasonable.

However, no matter how angry Maria felt, she had no

choice but to swallow her anger. After all, she needed the income from this job to send her two children to school.

“Ms. Sutton, I didn't give Emma any food I shouldn't have! I gave her the snacks you bought and the breast milk you left in the fridge! I didn't feed her anything else!” Maria protested.

Kate refused to listen no matter how Maria tried to explain. Instead, she raised her hand and slapped Maria again.

“Are you trying to blame me? I have never seen such an irresponsible nanny who blamed her employer for her mistake! How dare you?” Kate shouted.

She was still furious about Emmalyn's poisoning and vented her anger on Maria.

Meanwhile, Dr. Wren could only sigh as he watched from the side. He was disgusted by Kate's behavior. It made him doubt whether she was Emmalyn's mother.

Furthermore, he did not want to get involved in a family dispute. Therefore, he turned around to leave.

Suddenly, a man dashed down the hospital corridor at lightning speed and grabbed Dr. Wren's arm.

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“Who are you? Let me go right now, or I'll call the security to remove you from this hospital!” Dr. Wren

sounded a little fearful. He was shocked that a man suddenly grabbed his arm.

Furthermore, the man seemed to have appeared out of thin air. Anyone would be scared if they were in his situation.

That man was none other than Alex. He had rushed out of the tech dome and drove speedily, running numerous red lights. After reaching the hospital, he got out of the car and dashed here. He was anxious about Emmalyn's condition.

“Are you the doctor assigned to treat my daughter? How is her condition? Is it life-threatening?” Alex asked urgently.

As Alex was panicking, he forgot he knew medicine too. Moreover, he was one of the best doctors in Eurasia.

Then, before Dr. Wren could say anything, Alex suddenly released his arm and went into the ward.

Dr. Wren had no idea who Alex was and was puzzled by his behavior. Unlike other people, Alex did not wait to hear the doctor's diagnosis but went straight into the ward.

He told me that he was the girl's father. There is no doubt about it as he looks so worried about his daughter. One can see that he loves her very much.

Therefore, Dr. Wren softened his expression and lowered his guard. He went into the ward to explain Emmalyn's condition to Alex.

At this moment, Alex placed his hand gently on Emmalyn's stomach and used his Mortal Force to detect the changes in her body.

“Master, her stomach is damaged by an unknown poison, and it has spread throughout her system. There is no way to remove the poison from her body. I'm afraid it is difficult to save her,” Jade explained.

Then, the condensed jade looked at Alex with a worried expression. It did not know how to comfort Alex.

Then, Alex opened his eyes gradually, revealing the sorrows within. He had never seen the poison within Emmalyn's body. Even the Nine Heaven Scrolls did not have something like it recorded.

She is only a little more than a year old. How did she come across such a severe poison? Are the secret forces behind it? That can't be right. Wanda is now at the peak of Master rank. How could she not detect any warrior approaching Emmalyn?

As Alex was in deep thoughts, Kate began to complain behind him.

“Alex, our daughter has been poisoned. This useless quack said that there was no cure. He even told me to prepare for the worst.” Kate pointed at Dr. Wren furiously and burst into tears.

Dr. Wren was furious upon hearing what Kate said. It was frustrating enough that she treated his good intention with contempt. When Kate called him a quack, he could not help but lash out in anger.

“Sir, you better watch your wife. If she keeps behaving like this, I will have no choice but to ask you all to leave this hospital. Furthermore, I can't cure your daughter's condition. I dare to say that no one can heal her!” Dr. Wren replied furiously.

Alex sighed as he looked at the unconscious Emmalyn and touched her burning forehead. He could see that she was suffering.

It pained him to see her like this. He would rather be severely ill from poisoning than let his one-year-old daughter suffer such pain.

“Her whole stomach is damaged, and the poison has spread throughout her system. Still, it is not a condition that is impossible to cure,” Alex said with a calm and determined tone. He would never allow Emmalyn to die without doing anything to stop it.

On the other hand, Dr. Wren looked at Alex in shock upon hearing him. He thought that Alex had gone insane.

If I'm not mistaken, this man seemed to know the girl's condition the moment he came here. It can only mean

one thing. He had brought the girl to another hospital before this.

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Cure her?

Dr. Wren was intrigued to see how the man would try to cure the girl. Even he himself thought it was impossible. Hence, he was utterly perplexed when a random family member of his patient claimed to be able to cure her.

Alex glanced toward Maria and asked, “What does

Emma eat on a daily basis? When did you start noticing that something was wrong with her?”

Maria then told the whole truth. “Nothing out of the ordinary. She's been eating the snacks bought from the supermarket. I'm confident they are not the problem. Also, there's the breast milk in the fridge...”

“Alex, the useless caretaker did not take good care of our daughter, which led to such grievance. If anything were to happen to Emma, I'd never forgive her!” Kate said.

She was worried that Maria would spill the beans on the greenish substance found in the breast milk.

Should that happen, Alex would inevitably be suspicious of her. Even worse, if Alex found out about Kate's secret attempt to learn the Insect Codex, that would mean the end of their relationship.

Kate was almost certain that the cause of Emmalyn's condition was the herbs and poisonous bugs that she bought from Venenum Clan.

However, the Insect Codex did not prohibit pregnant mothers from practicing it.

Right then, Kate realized the stupidity of her actions. However, it was too late, and it was up to Alex to solve the problem.

“Alex, please do all you can to cure our daughter! If not, I'll lose my purpose and meaning in life.” Kate lowered her head and sobbed like an anxious mother worried about the well-being of her child.

Alex was vexed by Kate's reaction. If it were Maggie, she would have dealt with the situation more maturely.

“Don't worry about it. I'll make sure that Emma recovers.”

Alex immediately started channeling the Mortal Force in his body. He was hoping that the purity of the Mortal Force could heal her eroded stomach, even if the effect were minimal.

After a while, Emmalyn, who was just unconscious on the hospital bed moments ago, slowly started opening her eyes. Upon spotting Alex, she burst into tears.

“Daddy, Daddy, it's so painful!” Emmalyn shouted. She held out her chubby hands and waved in protest while asking Alex to hug her.

Alex gripped her hands and kissed her gently on the wrist. He then muttered tenderly, “Emma, calm down. I will make sure you get better.”

Earlier, Alex merely channeled his Mortal Force to suppress the poison in Emmalyn's body. Although it was not a cure, her suffering could be minimized.

Dr. Wren was absolutely stupefied by what he had just seen. How did he manage to wake her up?

By right, with her stomach completely eroded and poison spreading throughout her body, she shouldn't be able to wake up. It simply does not make sense!

Can this weird-looking youth be well-versed in medicine? Even more bizarre is the fact that he can identify the little girl's condition without any medical equipment and wake her up! Who exactly is this person?

Dr. Wren was shocked. Is he really able to cure her?

If he can do it, it will be a medical miracle!

“Mister, are you a doctor? Are you really sure that you can cure your daughter?”

Dr. Wren immediately realized what he said was inappropriate. However, he couldn't take those words back.

“Yes, I can!” Alex briefly replied before carrying Emmalyn from the bed. He then said to Maria and Kate, “Let's go home!”

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