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Ava's POV

I awoke to the sound of light snoring disturbing my deep sleep. I opened my eyes and noticed that Carter was still asleep. I snuggled more closer to him as warmth engulfed me. The warm sun rays shun over his face and hair, I pushed a strand of dark brown hair out of his face. His face was squished against his pillow.

I caressed his cheeks earning a groan from him. My hands shot back in hopes that I didn't wake him up, however he did by fluttering his green eyes open. "Good morning" I whispered smiling, he grinned and hugged me, "Good morning Ava" he rested his chin on my head not leaving his grip on me. "Happy birthday" he kissed my forehead and I opened my eyes in shock.

"How did you know it's my birthday?" I asked him curiously. He chuckled then answered. "You may never know." He pinched my nose and I giggled. We stayed in bed for a while not talking but just lost in our own thoughts.

Then I decided that I should have a shower.
"I'm gonna have a shower" I said to Carter breaking him away from his thoughts. "Alright I'll see you later." he grinned as I got up to leave.

"Ava, I need to tell you something" Carter stopped me from going out of the room. "What is it?" I smiled and looked in his enchanting eyes but his eyes held guilt and sadness.
"It never mind." he shook his head, I was curious on why he was acting like this but I shook the feeling o .

"I'll see you later then." I glanced one more time at him to see him frowning before opening the door and closing it behind me. I entered my room slowly trying not to wake up Noah since it was only 7 am. I took out a new pair of clothes and headed towards the bathroom for a nice long shower.

Once I had finished getting dressed I walked over to Noah who was sleeping. "Rise and shine Noah" He moved around a bit before opening his eyes. "Awe" he yawned.
"Wake up" I helped him get up so that he was now sitting on the bed. "Awee! I made you something." he jumped out of the bed and reached over to the nightstand taking something out of the drawer.

"What is it?" I smiled as he sat back on me holding something behind his back. "Happy birthday Awee!" he cheered handing me that he made. It was beautiful with a picture of me and him, and he actually remembered my birthday considering he's only 5, "Thanks sweetie but how did you know that it was my birthday?" I asked him.

"You are my favourite person in the world and I love you Awee. " he said leaning on me, what he said bought tears to my eyes. "Awe thanks." I kissed his nose earning a giggle from him. A er a while I finished getting Noah ready and so we headed downstairs to find Bina or Carter. But I can't seem to find Carter so I and Noah went into the kitchen and spotted Bina washing the dishes so I made my way to her.

"Hey Bina" I greeted her grabbing an empty plate from her before washing it. "Hello Ava, happy birthday!" she smiled and snatched the plate away from me to stop me from doing anything. "Thanks, but please let me help you" I tried on taking back the plate but she was too fast, she shook her head and said.

"It's your birthday... you shouldn't do the dishes go and do something else" I crossed my hands over my chest and furrowed my eyebrows. "Okay... do you know where Carter is?" I asked her. "No sir le on urgent work at the o ice he told you to stay here and not go anywhere" she sighed. "But it's a Saturday..... why does he have work today?" I rubbed my forehead in absolute confusion.

Why is Carter working on a Saturday? Is it for a meeting? But then he would have to take me to since I'm his secretary.... and why does he want me to be at home? It's not like anything's gonna happen to me, is it?

Carter's POV

I was feeling guilty about everything I'm doing to Ava. I had my lawyers work on getting Asher out of jail and I only need to sign on file and then that b*tch'd will be out. I was going to tell Ava about Asher and everything but her smile stopped me. It was her birthday and she looked so happy that I had no words coming out.

A er Ava le my room my phone rang and it was Julianna so I answered it. "What?" I asked her tiredly, I'm not in the mood to talk to her now. "Have you forgotten Coco? Today is the release date of Asher, you need to sign the papers." she said. I really didn't want Asher out of jail it'll break Ava's heart knowing I was the one releasing him.

"I'll do it but only if nothing happens to Ava" I warned her, I don't want anything happening to Ava. "Alright but sign the papers and go or else I have a surprise for little Ava here, one that will completely send her away from you forever" she laughed and my blood boiled on how she was speaking to me but I can't do anything.

"Okay I'll sign it" I said and she hung up. I didn't wanna do this, I know it will hurt Ava but it's for her safety, from Julianna, god knows what she will do if I don't release Asher. I headed towards my bathroom and took a shower before getting ready and heading over to my o ice to sign those stupid papers.

I told Bina to take care of Ava and not to let her out of the house, I'm scared that if Julianna finds Ava she'll do something to Ava. I also called my lawyers to be at my o ice for my signature. I can't believe I'm doing this, Ava will never want to see me again in her life but I'm doing this for her safety.

When I reached my o ice I got my lawyers to give me the file to sign, it is a struggle to sign these papers but I'll explain Ava later about all of this. "Sir your signature for releasing Asher Beathns" one of the lawyers gave me a pen to sign the file in front of me and on my desk.

I sat on my chair sweating in fear and guilt. I don't want to betray Ava...but I gotta do this. I grabbed the pen of the lawyer and slowly signed the papers, my mind told me to stop signing these but my heart told me to sign them for Ava's safety. Once I was done signing them I threw the pen on the ground in my o ice.

"Okay now that you have signed the file I'll drop this in the court for further signatures from Mr. Beathns and the court." one of the lawyers said and le the room carrying the file, the rest of them followed shortly a er.

I was so helpless and stupid, only if I had any information on where Julianna is and how she is spying on me, it was no use to have the investigation team search for her. Julianna is sneaky and I really hate that. We still haven't got a clue where she even is, she got what she wanted now she won't ever leave Ava again.

I just wish I wasn't a coward and I could do something about this. My phone began to ring so I checked the caller. Speaking of the devil, I answered the call. "I signed the papers! What do you want?" I shouted across the phone, she is calling me even a er I did what she wanted.

"Uh-uh Coco you have signed the papers but you still have to do something else." she laughed evilly. "What?" I ran my fingers through my hair roughly in frustration.
"Break up with Ava" she told me simply.

How did she even know Ava was my girlfriend?

I took in a deep breath trying to control my anger. "How did you know that we were in a relationship? How do you even spy on us?" I asked her.

I heard her annoying laugh again. "I don't tell secrets Coco and anyway break up with her or ? I cut her o ." "No you may take her away from me and make her hate me but I will always love her unlike you." I was breathing in and out heavily. "Cute little love story huh? Well I hate to rain on your dreams but you gotta do it or like I said I have a little surprise for my favourite cousin a er all it's her birthday" she snorted.

Cousin? Julianna is Ava's cousin? How?

I was about to ask her about how Ava is her cousin but she hung up on me.

I'll never break up with Ava, she is my love and if she hates me for releasing Asher then fine but I'll never break up with her.

Ava's POV

It is currently 6pm and Carter still didn't come home yet. I was getting very worried so I called him but he never answered my calls, it would go to his voicemail. Giving up on calling him I sat down with Bina and Noah on the huge couch and watched the movie.

A few hours later it was almost 8pm and the sun was setting as the night sky was approaching. Noah and I stayed in the living room sitting on the couch waiting for Carter.
"Awe do you love Carter?" Noah asked me out of nowhere, I laughed and pinched his nose earning a giggle from him. "Yeah" then Noah's face became all sad, I got worried. "What's wrong sweetie?" I asked him concerned.

"Does that mean.... you don't love me then?" He said as tears filled his eyes. "No I love you too Noah and Carter " I hugged him tightly kissing his head. We stayed like that for a while hugging each other and soon Noah fell asleep so I took him to our room and tucked him in bed, he must be tired.

I went back to the living room and sat down on the couch, but I stood back up when I heard a car pull up into the driveway.

It must be Carter.

I excitedly jumped out of the couch and ran to the front door opening it. I ran barefoot outside into the driveway but there was no sign of Carter. With a sigh I turned to leave but something got my attention. I could hear voices in the distance, there were people talking. I walked towards the people having a discussion, the street lamps shun as I walked closer to the people and stood a far distance from them but I still hear them.

I can see a man's back towards me and a woman in front of him, however the man was blocking the way for me to see the girl, "Kiss me then " the woman said, I was confused on why they both were here, this was Carter's mansion only Carter, me and Noah, Bina and Carter's family or friends are allowed here, Unless that man is.....

The man wrapped his hands around the girl's waist and kissed her lips, they moved slightly aside nearer to the street lights, I can make out their faces but I was not happy. I was heartbroken.

The man was Carter, my heart shattered into bits and pieces as the woman caught a glimpse of me, she smirked at me. I was gonna move to hide but I remained frozen to my spot, all these months I've been with this woman that betrayed me and with my only boyfriend I loved with my heart. She knew how much I loved him but she still did this.

Tears rolled down my face as the woman's smirk grew wider and she kissed Carter, wrapping her hands around his neck. I shouldn of known Carter would do this but I was blinded.

He never loved me he betrayed with my only best friend. Sophie.

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