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Chapter 761 Exchanging Phone Numbers with Liam

Pulling Matthew behind her, Veronica smiled gently at Liam. "Thank you for the kind gesture, but I've already bought a phone." While saying that, she waved the bag in her hand, which had a mobile brand logo on it.

"You have?" Liam looked at the bag she was holding and a trace of disappointment appeared on his face, but then, his eyes lit up. "That's even better. We can exchange contact numbers." Then, he sprinted over and immediately blocked the road in front of her.

Judging by his actions, Liam was indicating that if Veronica did not exchange contact numbers with him, he would not stop pestering her.

A trace of slyness appeared in her moist eyes. "Since you insist, I can't reject you."

She took out the newly bought phone and handed it to Liam, who happily received it and entered a series of numbers before dialing his phone. It was not until he heard the device ring that he chuckled and returned her phone to her. "That's done. Now that we have each other's contact information, we're considered friends, so do keep in touch."

When he gave her the phone, he glanced at Matthew with an unfriendly gaze, seeming to be very displeased with him.

"I'll see you again."

the phone, Veronica turned around and

the busy marketplace, and he spoke up when they had walked a distance away. "Aren't you afraid that Master Crayson would object to your

had given Liam her contact number, it meant she would be meeting him again in the future. Despite knowing that

with our marriage, but look at us."

other and smiled before heading toward the

bustling marketplace was filled with people, it caused

she watched Liam leave and tilted her head to look at

the indifferent Hendrey held a cigarette between his fingers

only met up with Veronica a few times and already has eyes on her? That's absurd." While crossing her back while I go to the bathroom." Without bothering to ask whether Hendrey agreed or not, Tiffany found a reason

smoking while sending her off with his cold eyes. The indifference in his eyes became greater as he said to himself, Does she think she

Chapter 762 Tiffany Trying to Hook Up with Liam

Liam's actions stopped abruptly as he frowned while looking at the woman he had just helped to her feet. "You're not Veronica Murphy!"

"I-I think you have the wrong person. I-I'm Tiffany Larson."

Retreating a step, she lowered her head and patted the dust on her dress with her fingers. However, the angle she was standing accentuated her shapely figure perfectly. She and Veronica looked the same, so she was naturally a beautiful woman as well.

Yet, when compared with each other, Veronica was more of a cold and elegant beauty that resembled a hibiscus. On the other hand, Tiffany had gotten rid of her former gentleness and had become more charming, flirtatious, and seductive.

"Tiffany Larson?"

Liam's mind was running as quickly as it could and soon thought of Tiffany's identity. Then, the unfamiliarity on his face disappeared and was replaced with elegance and gentry. However, it was particularly obvious that he was faking it because of the arrogance in his bones.

her thin eyebrows together and

your younger sister, and I discovered from her that she has an older sister.

figure with an unfriendly gaze, Liam almost had the words 'scoundrel' written on his

I didn't expect

that Liam knew how to speak English, Tiffany also switched to English so

was Tiffany's older sister and not her younger sister. However, not many knew about this fact, so it was natural that no one would openly talk about

us here. Have you eaten yet, Miss Larson? If you don't mind, I'd like to treat you to dinner to express my apology for bumping

wouldn't be inappropriate,

friend's friend is also a friend. We're all friends here, so come on. I'll treat you

two exchanged contact information. He tried many times to invite Tiffany out but

like I'm an easy catch, so playing hard to get is the best

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Chapter 763 A Gathering

Veronica knew Crayson was afraid he could not keep her under control, but he knew even better that she was uncontrollable.

Besides him, Destiny was also sitting on the couch. The two watched Veronica slowly disappear at the end of the stairs and looked at each other, feeling frustrated.

“Mr. Crayson, are we being too lenient on her?” While tidying her bangs, Destiny sighed. “After tomorrow, the hidden clan will gradually become livelier, and if she continues behaving this way, she’s no different from a horse that escaped its reins.”

By then, keeping Veronica under control will be an exceptionally difficult task. “Sigh...”

Picking up the tobacco pipe, Crayson pinched out some tobacco from a pouch and packed it inside the pipe before lighting it and taking a puff. Since he had been smoking like this all his life, it became an etched habit in his bones. Veronica has always been very assertive since she was young, so how can she easily yield to others?

“Her matters don’t concern you. What you should be concerned with is Mateo. Don’t let him cause any more trouble.” He switched the topic.

Seeing that Crayson did not want to talk about Veronica, Destiny stayed out of it.

That night, Matthew appeared in Veronica’s bedroom like always. The couple enjoyed a pleasurable and affectionate round of copulation. Though groans and pants sounded inside the room, they deliberately suppressed their voices to avoid being overheard.

and the others will be coming to

pitch shall be defiled. No matter how well Matthew disguises himself, the truth cannot be contained for

hugged her waist while gently patting her back with his fingers. “There are two more months till the coronation for the new head of the hidden clan. Even if they don’t discover my identity now, I

neither a long nor short time. We can’t be sure that

girl, so what if they found out about me? I don’t want to show up before you in my current appearance either. What if you find me ugly and decide to throw yourself into another man’s arms? What will I do

What kind of joke is

in making Veronica

the way, have you seen the future head of the clan

pretty but

praise her if you want to. Why

“Is that true?”

“Of course.”

I feel jealous because you don’t seem to care about me, so what should I do? Not only am I jealous, but I’m also hungry...” Then, Matthew cupped the back of her head

gently and gradually became crazier until

The following day.

Chapter 764 Telling the Others About the Gathering

During lunch, they gathered around the dining table. Veronica was carefully chewing on the food Matthew had prepared and could not help but notice how much his cooking skills had improved.

Yet, such a perfect man could give his life for her and even willingly become a servant. She took in all of his sacrifices, and the guilt inside her increased as the days passed.

"By the way, I'm going out tonight." As she stabbed a roasted squash, she took a bite and looked down. "Liam invited me out."

A second ago, there were still sounds of cutlery hitting porcelain plates, but as soon as her words fell, the dining table was plunged into silence. Even with her head lowered, Veronica could feel burning gazes aimed at her, but she remained calm and continued eating while pretending not to notice them.

Crayson's expression was as dark as storm clouds as he instinctively looked at Destiny opposite him, meeting her eyes. Before he could say anything, Mateo could not hold back his temper and spoke up, "You're going out with Liam? Roni, can't you tell that he's trying to hook up with you?" His words were very straightforward.

After scooping some baked fish onto her plate, Veronica deboned her piece of fish while replying calmly, "Of course, I can."

"Yet you're still going out with him?"

happy' written all over his face, and he was looking at

the others will be there as well. They are all my acquaintances." In the end, she explained a little. While speaking, she deliberately glanced

looked at Crayson, waiting for him to

to eat his food. "She has her ideas, so

then. I'll go too,"

"No way!"

"No way!"

Destiny and Crayson's voices immediately sounded as they mercilessly rejected

words. With a tense expression, his mouth was still hanging at his last word as he looked at Destiny with a stunned expression, which

You... Fine..." After realizing that his words were futile, he turned to Veronica and pleaded, "Roni, bring me with you. I'll be very obedient and won't pull your leg

I'll bring Iron Pillar with me.

I must

idiot who can't translate. How can bringing him

Idiot?!

Chapter 765 Trying to Hook Up with His Wife

"Here. Do you like this?" Mateo gave Matthew a bottle of wine. "This is the best Drunken Wine in the hidden clan. It has been kept for ten years, and I'm not even willing to let Grandpa try it."

"If that's true, you're not a filial grandson." While standing on the side, Matthew glanced at the bottle of wine in Mateo's hand and commented. For some unknown reason, Mateo felt like he was being criticized but could not prove it.

"Hehehe. Aren't you Roni's bodyguard now? So, we're buddies from now on, and buddies should share their blessings. It's only right that I share this with you." "If I remember correctly, you've only known Miss Veronica for a few days."

"Oh, don't you know? I've already met Roni ten years ago, so we're considered old friends. Now that you've mentioned it, I fell in love with her at first sight, but back then, I..."

While Mateo was reminiscing about the past, a bright smile naturally appeared on his face, but halfway through his words, it suddenly disappeared. "Forget it. Why am I talking to you about these things? This wine is for you, but you have to find a reason to head out this afternoon so that I can accompany Roni to the gathering."

Love at first sight?

he was not expecting that Mateo already had his eyes on her ten years ago. To think of it, Mateo knew

However, the way he spoke was not as cold as how he used to speak. Instead, it had a sense of humility, which gave others

don't

At first, I thought he smoked, so I decided to give him some cigarettes, but

for a moment. Then, his eyes lit up as he giggled at Matthew. "Wait for me. I'll be right back." He turned around

found that Matthew was no longer

Mateo pushed

placing the cash into his palm. "Money. It's the most useful thing here. Take it and buy whatever you want. You don't have to

headboard and looked down at the money as a glint of light flashed in his eyes. It's funny. Someone is bribing me so that he can take the chance to hook up with my wife. This

situation left him at a loss for what to do. It was the first time he discovered his wife's endless beauty, which could get just about

Chapter 766 Mateo's Failed Plan

Matthew did not readily agree, but instead, he wore a 'troubled' expression while saying, "I'll give it a try." "It's settled, then. Iron, I'll head back to my room and wait for your good news."

Seeing that the matter was settled, Mateo was in such a good mood that there was an unconcealable smile on his face. Subsequently, he got up and left, closing the door behind him.

The calmness on Matthew's face instantly disappeared as a gloomy aura slowly emerged around him. While glancing at the twenty thousand in his hand, he smiled and shook his head resignedly.

At 3.00PM, Mateo came out of his bedroom, wearing a suit and looking all dressed up. Immediately, he saw Crayson coming toward him and thought his grandpa was looking for him, so he smiled and explained, "Grandpa, Iron told me he has something to do this afternoon, so I'll be accompanying Roni to the gathering."

"He told me about it earlier, but the little brat followed him out, saying that it wouldn't affect attending the gathering if they went to deal with his matters first. You should obediently stay at home." Crayson's words were undoubtedly a blow to Mateo, which caused him to freeze in his spot while his clean and fair face fell.

Pillar just go

clan credits to bribe him. I didn't expect

he had something to do, but the little brat said she was bored and followed him out,"

glaring at Mateo, he questioned, "You brat, did you bribe Iron Pillar? I was wondering why

no, no. There's no such thing. Iron told me he had something to do and asked if I could accompany

he quickly turned back into his room,

foot of the mountain, Matthew drove a Land Rover toward the outskirts of the

at the woman in the passenger seat while using his fingers to play with a lock of her hair. "Tell me, what am I going to

matter?" Veronica was in the middle of enjoying the beautiful scenery and

Chapter 767 Roni Is a Vixen

Hugging Veronica's waist, Matthew let her sit across his lap and used his fingers to hook her chin while gently running the pads of his fingers across her skin. He sincerely confessed, "If I reveal my identity, will I be able to drive away all your secret admirers?"

"Hey, don't say that as if you don't have any." His words amused her.

However, she could not deny that the way Matthew behaved when he was jealous made him look inexplicably cute and... a tiny bit pitiful.

"Don't change the subject." He pinched her chin a little harder with a trace of punishment in them.

"Gosh, Matt. What were you thinking?"

the jealous Matthew. She wrapped her arms around his neck before angling her head to lean against his collarbones, rubbing her face against him. "I only have you in my heart. I don't care if it's Liam or Mateo, even if a hundred

“Are you for real?”

“Of course, I am.”

noded at him. She looked into his eyes and felt the concern he had for her on his worried face. Feeling distressed, she leaned in and took

lips, getting a good taste

Matthew’s chest, wanting him to let go. However, he would not let
around, afraid that

who comes here. Also, the people around here listen to me,” he replied in his deep, hoarse voice while shutting his eyes and leaning his forehead against

no reason to reject him

“I... Matt, I’m scared.”

girl, don’t be scared.

Chapter 768 Shirley Is Dead

While she gradually lost herself in copulation, she felt like she was drunk and was shooting for the stars, floating in the air. Sometime later, she was tuckered out while leaning against Matthew’s chest and lazily closing her eyes. “Matt...”

“Yes?” Feeling satisfied, the man was smiling as he hugged her in his embrace while rubbing her cheeks with the pad of his finger.

“Hmm...” Veronica let out an almost inaudible groan between her breaths but did not speak because she only wanted to call out his name.

“There, there. Sleep.” He drew a blanket from the back row and covered her body with it, patting her back to comfort her like a child.

The worn-out Veronica then fell asleep in his embrace. She used to have insomnia, but it gradually faded after meeting Matthew, which amazed her.

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her tired body back to her apartment and went straight to the bathroom before

what had happened at the Brennan Manor, she felt endless humiliation and aggravation as tears fell from her eyes. Just like that, she soaked in the tub for an unknown amount of time and did not even realize that the water had

she tired herself

he saw her disheveled

he went to a bar alone to get drunk. However, no matter how much he drank, his mind was filled with

had the same results. Even after repeating that five to six times, there was still this situation. Picking up

but he could not find her there, so he went to the hospital where Wade's mom was staying, but she was not there either. In

she had kept her spare keys hidden under the mat. He

as well. Looking at the bag and phone on the couch, he knew that she was obviously at

bathroom was ajar, so he called out to Shirley without receiving a response. At that moment, he

in his head, but he quickly brushed

Chapter 769 Taking Care of Shirley

Splash! Water splattered everywhere and even wet Skyler's clothes. While hugging the woman's waist, he gently tapped on her cheek. "Shir—"

"Huh?" The woman in his arms groaned as her long, curly eyelashes batted before she lazily opened her eyes. Then, she saw Skyler with her blurry vision and could not help but feel bothered. "How annoying. You're even pestering me in my dreams."

That left him speechless. Damn it! Does she hate me that much?

Skyler had always been someone women sought after, and Shirley's words were like a huge blow to him, testing his urge to drop her back into the cold bathtub. However, he felt her skin gradually warming up and used his hand to touch her forehead. Just as he expected, she had a fever.

Since she was previously soaking in cold water, her skin felt cold, but now that she was out of it, her skin had become burning hot.

"What do I do with you?"

medication. Then, he poured her a cup of water and sat on the edge of the bed, ready to feed her the medication. However, she was

he pinched her cheeks to force her mouth open and force-fed her the medication. Later, he thoughtfully helped her cool

the towel to get out the excess water. Subsequently, he removed the blanket on her to wipe her body.

While frowning, he threw the towel right into the wash basin and stormed out of

Slam!

the bathroom door for a while. His fists tightly clenched by his sides, feeling a wave of desire raging inside him. Picking up his coat, he was about to leave when he thought about

passed-out woman in bed, he could only patiently dry the towel again to

What are you

in the room, and before Skyler could react, he had been kicked off the bed. Coincidentally, he fell into the wash basin, splattering

moment was the

in her covers and stared

she had taken some fever-reducing medication, she regained consciousness when Skyler was lifting

Chapter 770 Meeting Them Again

Back at the hidden clan, Liam arrived at the foot of the mountain and called Veronica, which successfully woke her up from her slumber in Matthew's embrace.

She picked up her phone and looked at the flashing chain of numbers and recognized it as Liam's phone number. They had just switched to a new phone yesterday, so besides him, no one else knew her contact number.

After answering the call, she glanced at Matthew and put it on speaker. "Hello?"

"Miss Murphy, where are you?" he asked.

Veronica observed her surroundings and still had no idea where she was, so she answered, "Something urgent came up, so I left home. Just send me the location of the place, and I'll head over to find you."

Having come all the way here to pick her up but missed her, Liam was displeased, but he did not show it and merely smiled. "Sure. I'll send you the location."

"Great. It's settled then."

hanging up, she lazily leaned into Matthew's embrace while wrapping her arms around his waist, squinting her eyes. "They've all arrived. Is there

act according to the situation. There's nothing to

his words sounded reassuring, Veronica still felt a little

the two tidied up their appearance before starting the car and heading

was already half an hour after Liam's call. It was

place Liam had chosen for this campfire party was a lawn outside the hidden clan palace. There was a mountain and creek on the north side of the lawn, which created a beautiful scene.

stopped by two soldiers outside the palace and were only let in after Veronica revealed

Miss Murphy, you finally made it." While greeting her, he glanced at the rustically clothed bodyguard behind

apologies. Something came up, so I'm a little late," Veronica politely replied with a slight

on, let's head

led her to the spot beside the campfire and announced, "Everyone, come and have a look at the distinguished

were sitting beside the campfire gazed over. When they saw her, they each