

## **CEOs Baby 1661**

### Chapter 1661: Shelly's Smart Response

Mrs. Bacon was so angry that her body was trembling. She glared at Shelly, but under Shelly's assertiveness, she became far less imposing.

She said, "Shelly, what do we have to do to make you leave Benjamin? Tell me!"

Shelly also calmed herself down. "I told you, I won't leave him unless Benjamin tells me he wants to break up!"

"Shelly, how can you be so shameless?"

"You're the shameless one, not me. What right do you have to break Benjamin and me up? Just because you're his mother, you can limit his freedom? Why?" Shelly's aura was very intimidating.

Under such intense intimidation, Mrs. Bacon was much less arrogant. She glared at Shelly and did not say a word for a long time.

Shelly said, "If you want us to break up, tell Benjamin to come to me. As long as he says it, I will never pester him again."

"If Benjamin were willing to break up with you, do you think I would come looking for you?" Mrs. Bacon finally told the truth.

Shelly looked at her. In fact, she had guessed it. If Benjamin were willing to break up with her, his parents would not have had to step in.

"Do you know that you are affecting Benjamin's future?" Mrs. Bacon asked bluntly.

Shelly frowned slightly.

She had taken up much of his time recently, but she did not pester him and affect his studies just because they were in a relationship. On the contrary, she was even very concerned about his studies and thought that she was being sensible.

“Benjamin even gave up the opportunity to study abroad for you!” When Mrs. Bacon said that, she broke down.

For the past three days, she had been trying to persuade Benjamin to leave Shelly and accept the chance to further his studies abroad, but it was useless. Benjamin refused to listen to anything they said.

There were only four days left before he was supposed to set off. If Benjamin did not accept the offer, he would miss out on that great opportunity. Hence, they had no choice but to look for Shelly, hoping that she would break up with Benjamin and allow him to study abroad.

When Shelly heard Mrs. Bacon's words, she was a little surprised.

“Don't you know?” Mrs. Bacon looked at Shelly and asked. “The school has given him an opportunity to study abroad at the University of Celte, one of the top universities in the world. It's a school that many people dream of entering, yet Benjamin has given it up for you! Don't you think that you've seriously affected his future and dragged him down?”

Shelly really did not know that Benjamin had given up such a good opportunity as he did not even tell her.

“If you don't break up with Benjamin, he will not go abroad! No matter what, Benjamin's future is the most important, and I will force you to break up with him!” Mrs. Bacon was determined.

She would rather die than allow her son to give up on such a good opportunity.

In the end, Shelly was moved by Mrs. Bacon's words. The University of Celte was once her dream school. Back when she knew there was no way she would be with Nox, she had even thought about getting into that university.

Now that Benjamin was given the opportunity to study in such a good school, he had rejected it, and she knew very well that the reason for his rejection was her.

Shelly's silence made Mrs. Bacon angry again. She said, "Shelly, when two people are together, all they would want is the best for each other. However, you're doing the opposite and ruining his future!"

"I didn't drag him down. Everything was his own choice. I didn't make a decision for him. I didn't even know that he gave up such a great opportunity for me." Shelly defended herself.

"Now that you do know, break up with Benjamin immediately!" Mrs. Bacon said righteously.

"Why must we break up? If he goes abroad to study, can't I wait for him in the country?" Shelly asked her.

She found it really funny sometimes. Why did they have to break up just because Benjamin was studying abroad?

In fact, she supported Benjamin's departure. However, she did not think that she had to break up with him.. As long as their relationship was stable, she did not think distance mattered!

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Shelly's words made Benjamin's parents silent for a few seconds. They were probably thinking about that possibility. To them, the most important thing now was to seize the opportunity and get Benjamin to study abroad first. As for the rest, they could talk about it later.

Anyway, they could not allow Benjamin and Shelly to be together. Benjamin had a bright future ahead of him, and Shelly, a single mother with a child, was not the best candidate for their daughter-in-law.

Mrs. Bacon and Mr. Bacon looked at each other and shared the same thought. Mrs. Bacon said, "Do you think you can persuade Benjamin to study abroad?" "I can." Shelly was very sure about that.

He would only be away for a year, and she could wait for him for a year. In fact, she could wait many years, let alone one year.

“Alright, I'll trust you for now.” Mrs. Bacon finally relented.

“Where's Benjamin? I want to see him.” Shelly said bluntly.

“I'll get him to see you tomorrow, but Shelly, don't play any tricks,” Mrs. Bacon threatened.

“Like you, I also value Benjamin's future.”

Mrs. Bacon was convinced by Shelly. She was also certain that a woman like Shelly must be someone who was greedy for money. If Benjamin could have a better future, Shelly would definitely want to benefit from it. However, Mrs. Bacon did not say anything else and left Shelly's house with Mr. Bacon.

Although the deal was successful, Shelly had to admit that the arrival of Benjamin's parents had changed her heart. At the very least, it made her understand that dating and even getting married involved more than just the couple.

The next day, Shelly saw Benjamin. She thought she would be able to see him after his exams, but unexpectedly, four days had passed.

The moment the two of them met, for some reason, there was an indescribable sense of distance between them. Actually, it was Shelly who felt distant, which meant that the arrival of Benjamin's parents must have had an impact on her.

The two of them sat on the sofa in silence for a long time before Benjamin said,

“Shelly, don't worry. I won't leave you. No one can stop us. We'll be together.”

Shelly looked at how determined Benjamin was as if he was swearing an oath to her and felt touched. As she really liked him, Benjamin's kindness to her made it difficult for her to part with him.

She said, "Go study abroad."

Benjamin was stunned, but once he recovered, he instantly understood something.

He said, "What did my parents say to you yesterday?"

"They said I shouldn't stand in the way of your future." Shelly did not want to hide it from him either.

"Is my future just to study abroad?" Benjamin smiled sarcastically. "All roads lead to Rome! I don't think going abroad is my only way out."

"But in a situation where your future is unknown, this is the best path you need to take right now."

"Shelly." Benjamin took her hand and held it tightly in his palm. "Going abroad is the best, but that's only in terms of personal development. What I really want is to stay by your side. I want to be with you. I want us to live our lives together."

Shelly quietly listened to everything Benjamin said and could clearly feel him getting emotional. He was afraid that she would reject him.

Shelly pursed her lips and said bluntly, "It's just a year. Benjamin, do you think our relationship can't withstand a year of long-distance?"

Benjamin was stunned.

"Why can't we have both?" Shelly asked him, "If you study abroad for a year, it'll help you to develop your career better in the future. I'll wait for you in South Hampton City for a year, and when you come back in a year, I don't think it will change anything for us. Benjamin, I know you like me very much, but sometimes you really can't let your feelings get to your head."

Benjamin was silent. No matter what, Shelly's overly rational thoughts still bothered him a little.

Shelly said, "Don't throw away any chance of success. At least, you don't want to have any regrets in your life."

"I thought that you would be like me, unwilling to let me go," Benjamin said faintly, clearly disappointed.

He thought Shelly would be like him and could not bear for him to leave..

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Not to mention a year, he did not even want to be apart from her for a day.

"Yes, I can't bear for you to leave." Shelly nodded. "But for the sake of a better life, I think a year's wait will be worth it."

Benjamin could not refute. He knew it would be better if he could go abroad, but Shelly's persuasion still made him a little emotional.

Although he knew that Shelly was just being rational and not that she did not like him, he still hoped that Shelly would be like a woman who needed him and wanted him to stay!

"Benjamin, we're young, and we will still be young after a year." Shelly said seriously, "I'll wait for you to come back!"

In the end, Benjamin gave in because he could not reject Shelly. Even though he hated Shelly's rationality, he knew that Shelly had chosen the best path for them.

He said heavily, "Alright, I'll agree to study abroad."

Upon hearing Benjamin's words, Shelly was still a little sad. After all, one year was neither long nor short, and nobody would want to be away from the person they loved.

After reaching a consensus, the two of them looked at each other deeply. Then, Benjamin cupped Shelly's cheeks, and Shelly closed her eyes.

It was not unusual for couples to be intimate with each other, especially since they were about to part, and their feelings for each other would be more intense. If the phone did not ring at that moment, perhaps... it would have happened.

Benjamin quickly picked up the phone. He was also shocked by his eagerness just now. It was actually much more nerve-wracking for a man's first time than a woman's.

He took a deep breath and answered the call. "Mom."

Shelly tugged at her clothes and sat up straight, feeling a little awkward.

"Where are you? The school just called me again. You're leaving the day after tomorrow. If you don't go to the school to settle the relevant procedures now, it'll be too late."

"I understand."

"What do you know? Did you get stopped by that vixen Shelly again?" Mrs. Bacon was cursing on the other end of the phone.

The soundproofing of the phone was not very good, so Shelly could hear Mrs. Bacon's voice.

Benjamin took his phone and walked to the side. "Mom, that's enough. If you keep talking like that, I'm going to get angry."

"I don't care. Just go to the school right now and settle the procedures. You're going with your dad. If you don't go, I'll go straight to Shelly directly!" Mrs. Bacon said fiercely.

Benjamin gritted his teeth and hung up the phone. He tried hard to compose himself, and it took him a long time before he walked up to Shelly.

At that moment, Shelly was not as affectionate as she was before and was no different from her usual self.

"I have to go back to school first," Benjamin said.

"Alright." Shelly nodded.

"I'll be back after I'm done with the procedures." "Alright, I'll wait for you." Shelly smiled.

She would not make things difficult for Benjamin.

Benjamin looked straight into Shelly's eyes, clearly reluctant to part with her. Then, Shelly said, "Before you go abroad, we should do it."

Benjamin was stunned, and his face was a little red. Of course, he knew what Shelly meant by that! If not for his mother's phone call just now, they might have...

Benjamin replied, "Okay."

"Hurry up and go. The sooner you finish, the sooner you'll come back," Shelly urged.

Benjamin nodded. With that, he left Shelly's house.

Shelly sighed heavily, still a little disappointed. She did not expect there to be so many obstacles in her relationship with Benjamin. She had always thought that when ordinary people fall in love, nothing much would happen.

Nox naturally heard about Benjamin agreeing to study abroad.

The other party reported, "He has signed the procedures with the school today, and his flight will leave South Hampton City at 8 a.m. the day after tomorrow."



"Alright," Nox replied, not showing how excited he was deep down.

"However..." The other party wanted to say something but hesitated. "What's wrong?" Nox frowned, obviously afraid that something bad would happen.

"Shelly and Benjamin didn't break up," the other party said bluntly.

"What?!" Nox was furious.

"Even if you send him abroad, it doesn't mean that the two of them will break up. In this world, there's a type of relationship called a long-distance relationship," the other party said while trembling.

"F\*ck! That was not what you said to me back then!" Nox was about to go mad..

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He had spent so much money and done so much, and instead of them breaking up, he had even made their lives better. Did he not suffer a double loss?

"I didn't expect Shelly to be so rational." The other party also felt a little guilty.

According to ordinary people's thinking, most people would choose to break up if pressured by their parents. However, who knew that Shelly would be so smart in dealing with that matter? She did not act on impulse at all.

"So tell me, what should we do now?" Nox gritted his teeth.

How could he give money to his love rival to further his studies? He was not that great of a person!

"I think we can create a conflict before Benjamin leaves," the other side quickly said.

"What do you mean?" Nox asked fiercely.

"That is, before Benjamin leaves, we'll cause a rift in their relationship. Once there is a rift in their relationship and Benjamin is in a hurry to leave, their relationship will suffer. Then, once they're separated, they will naturally break up."

"Just tell me what to do!" Nox was so angry that he was about to explode.

"Get Benjamin to misunderstand that you and Shelly are still together." The other party mustered up his courage and said loudly.

"Are you stupid? Do you think Benjamin doesn't know how much Shelly hates me? Are you crazy to make him misunderstand that Shelly and I are together?"

"When a man and a woman are in a relationship, they will care more about each other. And especially since Shelly and Benjamin are in their honeymoon phase, there is definitely no room for someone else to come between the two of them. So, when Benjamin is about to leave, you will go crazy to pursue Shelly and use all kinds of big moves to make Benjamin feel threatened. No matter how hard Shelly rejects you, Benjamin will definitely feel insecure and might make the decision not to go abroad again. After all, if Benjamin's first reaction when he received this opportunity was to reject it because of Shelly, it's very likely that he will reject it for Shelly a second time. Once he refuses to leave, Shelly will definitely get anxious. Coupled with the pressure from Benjamin's parents, Shelly will have to break up with him to make him leave!" The other party explained it clearly.

Nox also understood the situation, but he could not help but ask, "If that's the case, will Shelly hate me? Will she think I'm despicable?" "Um... Has Shelly ever liked you?" the other party asked.

'F\*ck!' Nox secretly cursed.

"Don't you think you've been very despicable in your ways of pursuing Shelly?" the other party asked again.

“Believe it or not, I'll fire you!” Nox was exasperated.

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“All I'm saying is that love is innocent. Mr. Winter, no matter what method you use, all you're doing is pursuing your true love. That's not despicable.” The other party said respectfully, “Besides, Shelly can't complain about you either. You're just pursuing her because you like her. You're not forcing her to be with you.”

If Nox could force Shelly to be with him, he would not have had to use so many tricks to get her and Benjamin to break up.

“What should we do next?” Nox asked. It was obvious that he agreed to the plan.

“The next step is to let the whole world know that you are pursuing Shelly. That, you can leave it to me.”

“If you screw it up again this time, I'll kill you!”

“...Yes.”

After hanging up the phone, Nox was still a little flustered. He could not understand why it was so difficult to woo a woman. Why could Shelly not be with him for the sake of money?

Benjamin went to school to settle the procedures, and because there were many things to sort out, he could not settle them all in a day. That was why Benjamin did not go back to Shelly's place that day.

His parents were also keeping an eye on him as they were afraid that something would happen. Hence, they did not allow him to leave until everything was settled and stayed with him at a hotel near the school for the night.

The next afternoon, Benjamin finally managed to convince his parents to let him go to Shelly's. In other words, he was leaving early the day after tomorrow.

The night before his flight, he would have to depart from school as there was a private car to send him to the airport. It meant that he and Shelly would have tonight until tomorrow afternoon to spend time with each other. That would be the last time they could see each other until a year later.

Thinking about it still made him feel a little uncomfortable. He did not expect that they would have to be away from each other right after they started dating.

When Benjamin went to Shelly's house, he got off the car halfway to buy a bouquet of flowers..

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Due to the economy right now, he could only buy a bouquet of flowers as a

parting gift. However, in the future, he would give Shelly a better life.

With that thought in mind, Benjamin walked into Shelly's neighborhood with the flowers he had personally picked. The moment he walked in, he felt that there was something strange about the neighborhood.

As he went deeper, he heard a familiar man's voice shouting through a

loudspeaker in the neighborhood. "Shelly, I like you! Do you hear me?"

Benjamin's expression changed slightly, and he strode over to see Nox standing in the courtyard of the neighborhood, shouting in the direction of Shelly's house. At that moment, there were many onlookers, and people were also filming Nox.

However, Nox did not seem to care. He just shouted through the loudspeaker, "Shelly, I know I've hurt you a lot in the past, but I regret it now. I regret how I treated you and want to be with you again. Please, can you give me a chance?"

Almost all the windows were open, except for Shelly's, which was tightly shut.

At home, Shelly did not know what was going on with Nox! She thought she had made herself clear and that Nox would never come looking for him again after the last time, yet what was he up to now? She really wanted to kill Nox.

“Shelly!” Downstairs, the loud noise from the loudspeaker sounded again.

Shelly covered her ears, but Bella, on the other hand, was rather curious. She looked out the window and said, “Mommy, is someone calling you?”

Shelly did not want to hear it.

“Mommy, someone is calling for you outside.”

“Don't worry about him. He's a lunatic,” Shelly said bluntly.

Bella looked at Shelly in a daze, clearly frightened.

Speechless at Nox's behavior, Shelly gritted her teeth and suddenly took out her phone to call the police. “Hello, is this the police? I'm being harassed by someone. Please come over and deal with it.”

“What's the exact situation?” The other party was serious.

Shelly described the situation. “We'll be there in ten minutes.”

“Thank you. ”

With that, Shelly hung up. She was not to be blamed for treating Nox like that. Since he was so shameless, why should she care?

Ten minutes later, Nox shouted from below, "Damn it, Shelly, I can't believe you called the police to arrest me? I'm deeply in love with you, and you called the police on me? Hey, stop dragging me away. I'm confessing my love. F\*ck.."

Gradually, the sound disappeared, and only then did Shelly let out a sigh of relief.

At the same time, the door suddenly swung open. Shelly was shocked, but she then saw Benjamin at the door with a bouquet of flowers.

"It's you." Shelly tried to recover from her shock.

She was really afraid of Nox. However, Nox did not have her keys.

"I just saw Nox being dragged away by the police," Benjamin said with a smile.

"Yes, I called the police."

"Why did he suddenly come looking for you again?"

"Who knows what's wrong with him? Maybe something is wrong with his brain." Shelly was furious.

Although Benjamin was smiling, deep down, he still felt a little disgusted.

"Did you buy me flowers?" Shelly did not want to talk about Nox anymore, so she changed the topic.

"Yeah, do you like it?" As he spoke, Benjamin handed the bouquet to Shelly.

Before Shelly could take it, someone suddenly knocked on the door.

"Ms. Carter, we're the property managers," the person outside quickly said.

Shelly opened the door, thinking that the managers were there to apologize. After all, Nox had seriously affected her life. However, she did not expect to see the manager holding a large bouquet of flowers when she opened the door.

Benjamin's bouquet had nine roses, but the bouquet in the manager's hand had at least 999 roses.

“Mr. Winter has told us to pass this to you.”

“I don't want it. Take it away!” Shelly's expression changed.

She could not understand what Nox was up to this time!

“Mr. Winter has not only gifted you flowers but a lot of things as well.” As the manager spoke, he moved aside slightly.

That was when she saw a neat row of people in uniforms outside the door. At a glance, she could tell they were the employees of various luxury goods. At that moment, everyone was carrying a few bags in their hands, and they looked extremely respectful.

“Hello, Ms. Carter,” everyone greeted Shelly in unison.

Shelly pursed her lips tightly. However, before she could reject him, the manager sent the flowers to Shelly's home. All the shop assistants also proceeded to follow the manager and place the goods inside Shelly's home.

Shelly's home was not big, to begin with, so the gifts took up more than half of her living room. Seeing that, Shelly tried to hold her emotions in.

After putting the goods away, everyone left respectfully. The property manager even politely closed the door for her.

Shelly looked at the goods, and so did Benjamin. With so many luxury items, Benjamin felt that his flowers were... out of place.

Shelly pursed her lips and gave Nox a call.

"Do you like it?" Nox, on the other end of the phone, seemed very happy.

"What exactly do you want?" Shelly gritted her teeth.

He had disappeared for a month, and just when she thought her days were peaceful again, he was going crazy again!

"I want to woo you over!"

"Nox, that's enough!" Shelly could not conceal her anger. "How clear do you want me to make myself?"

"You don't have to explain yourself. I know you dislike me, but just because you dislike me doesn't mean I can't like you! And the more you dislike me, the more I like you!"

"Are you a pervert?" Shelly was so angry that her lungs were about to explode!

How shameless could he be?

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Nox's shamelessness had pushed Shelly to her limit, and his sudden actions even made her suspect that he was up to something!



She did not think that Nox liked her. On the contrary, she thought that Nox was trying to make her suffer!

Shelly's hand that was holding the phone was trembling with anger. She gritted her teeth and said, "Nox, I'll say it again. No matter what your motive is, I don't like you and will never like you no matter what you do! I don't want your things. Take them back, or I'll throw them away!"

"Throw it." Nox replied nonchalantly, "I have a lot of money anyway, what I gave you is nothing to me!"

"You're sick!" Shelly could not help but curse!

She found Nox crazy.

Nox, however, was not angry when Shelly scolded him. Instead, he smiled. "You finally realized that I'm lovesick!"

Shelly hung up. Then, without a second thought, she threw all the goods in the living room out the door, while Benjamin looked at her going crazy.

After she was done, she slammed the door shut and then looked up at Benjamin, who was still standing there with flowers in his hands.

When their eyes met, Shelly said, "Nox is crazy. Don't worry about him."

Benjamin smiled and nodded. Although he did not make any comments, he felt a little upset. He did not think that Shelly would like Nox, but if Nox kept harassing Shelly like that... He was going to be away for a year, so he would not be able to be there for Shelly.

"I like it very much" Shelly took the flowers from Benjamin.

He could tell that she hated Nox's gifts but was very happy with his, even though his gift was so cheap compared to Nox's. "Shelly," Benjamin called her name seriously.

"Hm?" Shelly smiled.

No woman could ever say no to flowers. Moreover, it was a gift from someone she liked.

"I'll work hard to make your life better in the future," Benjamin promised.

Shelly nodded. "I know."

In fact, she did not need Benjamin to give her a better life. Now, she realized there was nothing wrong with living an ordinary life, and what she wanted the most was a stable relationship.

Nox had left the police station. In the car, he was a little angry because Shelly scolded him and even hung up the call on him.

He had no idea when Shelly had started acting so arrogantly before him. Had she not wanted to marry him since she was young? Now that he had given her a chance to marry him, why was she hiding?

While Nox was fuming, his phone suddenly rang, and he answered the call angrily.

"Mr. Nox, the things you gave Ms. Carter were all left at the door."

"F\*ck! Does she know how expensive those things are?" Nox was about to fly off the handle again.

"Maybe not," the other party replied nervously, "because she probably didn't even look at it. She took out whatever was given to her."

Then, the other party asked again, "How should we deal with those things?"

"Take them back. Don't you know they're expensive?" Nox was so furious that he lashed out at the man.

"Yes, I'll send it back to you immediately, Mr. Winter," the other party said respectfully.

Nox abruptly hung up the phone. 'Shelly! What's so great about you?

When Monica went for a prenatal checkup, she saw Nox on the news, stating that he was pursuing Shelly.

The first time she saw it, she thought she was mistaken because she felt that the name “Shelly” was probably printed wrongly. However, only when she clicked on the news and saw Nox confessing his love to Shelly at her apartment that she finally believed the news.

Was that guy crazy to say that he liked Shelly? Had Zoe pissed him off so badly that he had gone crazy?

“Mrs. Jones, it's your turn for the ultrasound,” the nurse said respectfully and gently to Monica.

Monica put down her phone and pondered for a while before deciding she would ask about the situation later. No matter what, she felt that Nox's change in personality was a little scary..

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Monica lay on the comfortable bed while Finn helped her with the ultrasound. However, she seriously doubted Finn's skills. After all, he was no longer a doctor.

As if Finn could feel Monica's doubts, he said, “Don't worry, I won't forget the basics.”

Monica rolled her eyes at Finn's humble bragging. Performing an ultrasound was not a basic skill! It was clearly a test of one's skill!

Finn was very serious, and the assistant doctor beside him had been helping him record the results. Throughout the whole process, Finn also told Monica about the baby's development. There was a smile in his tone, obviously indicating that the baby was fine.

The other staff members in the ultrasound room were shocked by Finn's change. Although the rumors said that Dr. Jones was not fierce or stern but just cold to everyone, from the looks of it, Dr. Jones treated his wife very well! It was obvious that he doted on her and was very attentive toward her.

The ultrasound went on for quite a while. Finn's device was fixed on Monica's lower abdomen for a long time as if he was seriously observing the baby's development. He even paused for a few seconds without saying anything.

"Finn, don't scare me!" Monica was a little nervous when she saw his serious expression.

Usually, there must be something wrong for him to have such an expression.

"Don't worry, Mrs. Jones. Dr. Jones is checking the gender of the baby," the assistant doctor quickly said.

Now that she was four months into her pregnancy, they should be able to tell the babies' genders.

When Monica heard the assistant doctor, she became even more nervous. She, too, was very curious about the baby's gender and was looking forward to it, but she suddenly had a bad feeling about it when he saw Finn frowning.

It was a long time until Finn let go, put the apparatus away, and helped Monica clean the couplant gel on her stomach.

Monica looked at Finn's serious expression and could not help but ask, "Are they boys?"

Finn's hand that was wiping Monica's pregnant belly paused for a moment, and he looked stunned.

"Is it really a boy?" Monica knew from Finn's expression.

"One is," Finn replied.

At that moment, he carried Monica down from the bed and tidied her clothes for her. Recently, Finn had been taking good care of her. If he could stop her from doing anything, he would.

Monica did not know when she got used to it, but she was used to it.

“And the other one is a girl?” Monica was a little excited.

Having one boy was good too. However, Finn shook his head, and Monica's eyes widened. It turned out she was pregnant with sons!

“I still can't see the other one,” Finn said.

Monica heaved a sigh of relief and thought, 'Damn it. Couldn't he just finish his sentence?'

The assistant doctor quickly added, “Girls are usually shy, so they won't let you see them.”

“Really?” Monica asked excitedly.

“That's what everyone says.” The assistant doctor smiled. “But there's no scientific basis for it.”

You're just teasing me!

“Let's go.” Finn tidied Monica's clothes and held her hand as they walked out of the ultrasound room.

The two of them left the hospital after receiving the results.

On the way back, Monica was looking at the baby's ultrasound report. She did not really understand it, but when she looked at the little guy in the picture, a warm feeling filled her heart.

“Which one is the boy?” Monica suddenly asked Finn.

Finn looked at her through the rearview mirror and replied, “The one on the left. ”

Then, Monica took a few more glances before looking at the one on the right and saying firmly, "I think the one on the right will be a girl."

Finn pursed his lips and did not respond.

Monica was a little hurt. "Finn, do you not like it?" "No," Finn quickly denied.

"Do you hate me because I'm pregnant with a boy?"

"No." Finn had a feeling that he would never be able to clear his innocence.

He did not hate her. If he wanted to hate someone, he should hate himself because he was the one who could not give them a daughter.

"Are you unhappy? You're angry because you didn't see the daughter you wanted." Monica was certain.

The thought of that also made her upset. She did not know if it was because she was pregnant, but she had become fragile, sensitive, and unreasonable.

Finn, who was a little helpless, explained, "I'm just a little disappointed.."

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"Look at you, you finally admit that you hate it!" Monica was very hurt. "I worked so hard to carry your child, and you're fussing over whether I'm carrying a boy or a girl. Finn, how can you do this to me? How can you-" "Damn it!" Finn suddenly stopped the car by the side.

Monica looked at Finn's angry expression and said, "See, you're angry." Finn angrily opened the door to the back seat of the car and sat inside.

"Do you still want to hit me?" Monica looked at Finn, her face filled with grievance.

However, Finn lifted Monica's chin and gave her a deep kiss.

Monica's heart skipped a beat. Finn was becoming more proactive, and she actually... liked it. Hence, at that moment, she wrapped her arms around Finn's neck and kissed him back.

They kissed passionately until... Finn pushed her away. At that moment, Finn's entire body tensed up, and he felt like he would not be able to hold it soon.

He said in a hoarse voice, "Don't seduce me." "You made the first move," Monica retorted.

"But you forced me."

"How did I force you?" "You insisted that I hate you for being pregnant with a boy."

"You just don't like it."

"I've explained myself. I don't hate it. I'm just a little disappointed. When it comes to the unknown, people will always have expectations. I didn't say that I don't like boys. It's just that if I had a choice, I would like to have a daughter." "Hmph, you still want a daughter." Monica did not accept his explanation.

Finn was about to be pissed off by Monica. Nevertheless, he retorted, "Is it wrong to want a daughter? Am I wrong to want a daughter who looks exactly like you? Why do I want a daughter? It's because I love you!"

His voice was a little loud, and it was clear that he was exasperated. Upon hearing him, Monica was suddenly in a good mood.

"So you want a daughter because you love me?" Monica smiled brightly. Finn looked a little shy as he said, "Don't you know?"

"I don't know," Monica denied. However, when she saw Finn get angry again, she immediately replied, "But I know now."

Then, she took the initiative to hug Finn's neck and kiss him.

She frustrated Finn. Did he not tell her to stop seducing him? Nevertheless, he suppressed the urge so hard and eventually managed to calm himself down to drive back. Only God would know what kind of torture he was going through.

Monica was actually a little... tempted. She looked down at her protruding abdomen and realized that having to be pregnant for nine months was torturous.

As she leaned against the back seat, she stared straight at Finn. She did not know if she had been staring at him too long, but Finn's red ears looked sexy.

"Monica, don't look at me!" Finn suddenly said.

Monica jumped in her seat in shock. She was just... looking around casually.

Since Finn did not want her staring at him, she took out her phone, wanting to read some gossip to divert her attention. That was when she suddenly remembered that she wanted to call Nox, so she quickly gave him a call.

"Did you wake up on the wrong side of the bed today? To think you would take the initiative to call me!" Nox's lazy voice came from the other end.

"Are you pursuing Shelly?" Monica went straight to the point, not wanting to waste any more time with Nox.

"How do you know?"

"Everyone in the country knows now!" Monica rolled her eyes.



Nox paused for a moment before he seemed to remember something. "Oh, I'm on the news."

"Yeah, you lunatic. Didn't you say to the media a few days ago that Shelly framed you and made you sleep with her? It's only been a few days, and you're saying that you like Shelly. Aren't you slapping yourself in the face?" Monica cursed.

"Watch what you say." Finn reminded her,

Monica rolled her eyes.

"I like to slap myself in the face, and it's none of your business." Nox was unhappy.

It was because pursuing Shelly was already pretty difficult, yet now, his friend was taking a jab at him, pissing him off!

"Haha." Monica suddenly snickered.

Nox's hair stood on end. "Are you sick?"

"You're the sick one! Tell me honestly, did Shelly reject you?" Monica was certain of Nox's fate..

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"Yeah, I was rejected and even treated as a pervert. You can laugh if you want! I don't care anyway!" Nox said indifferently.

Of course, Monica knew that Nox was not as indifferent about it as he claimed.

She said, "That's right. I really do want to laugh! For treating Sarah the way you did back then, it serves you right!"

"Monica, that's enough!" Nox said he did not care, but when Monica mocked him, he exploded with anger.

"Just give up. Shelly won't accept you."

"If she doesn't accept me, I'll take her by force!" Nox gritted his teeth.

"Shelly will hate you even more if you do that."

"Do you think I'm afraid she'll hate me? I, Nox, have never cared about how many people hate me."

"It's really rare to see someone as shameless as you!"

"Monica, stop mocking me! You're just lucky to have met Finn. If it were another man, you'd be worse off than me!"

"Yeah, it's a good thing I didn't meet a man like you. If I did, I'd rather be dead!"

"Monica!" Nox was furious.

He was already in a bad mood, and Monica was provoking him.

"Let's not talk about it anymore. I'm just waiting to see you make a fool of yourself." With that, Monica hung up the phone abruptly.

Finn looked at Monica and could not help but ask, "What were you and Nox arguing about?"

“Nothing much. I was just mocking him for reaping what he sowed.” Monica put down her phone.  
“Whose fault is it that he was such a sc\*mbag to Shelly back then?”

Regarding matters of the heart, Finn usually would not comment much. After all, he, too, was not in a place where he could give others relationship advice.

At that moment, Monica could not help but call Sarah. Although she was mocking Nox, deep down, she still wanted Nox to have a better life. “Sarah.”

“Are you at work?”

“No, I'm on leave today. What's up?”

“Do you and Shelly still keep in touch?”

“Of course,” Sarah replied. “Are you looking for her?”

“No, I just wanted to ask about Shelly. Is she not staying with you anymore?”

“No, she bought a home and moved out. Shelly is more self-reliant and doesn't really want others' help.”  
Monica nodded. Shelly was indeed more independent, and that was what she admired about Shelly.

She said, “Do you know that Nox is pursuing Shelly now?”

“That piece of trash.” At the mention of Nox, Sarah became unusually indignant.

Monica frowned.

“You have no idea how horrible he is. When I saw Nox pursuing Shelly on the news today, I almost smashed my phone.”

"What did he do?" Monica asked curiously.

"You don't even know how much pain and suffering Shelly has endured because of Nox! Let's not talk about the fact Zoe went looking for trouble with Shelly when Nox was engaged to Zoe. However, after Nox publicly broke off the engagement upon learning that Zoe cheated on him and Zoe accused Nox of being a bad person with the video, Nox forced Shelly to clarify that she was the one who drugged him back then when, in fact, she was not. It was Zoe who drugged him, and Nox could've exposed Zoe, but he let Shelly take the blame instead!"

Monica frowned as she did not expect all of that to have happened. When she saw the news about Shelly drugging Nox, she was a little surprised but did not think too much about it. She assumed that Shelly might really want to marry Nox again, so she just took it as gossip.

Yet now, after thinking about it carefully, she realized that Shelly must be avoiding Nox like a tiger. Hence, why would she do such a thing to Nox? If she wanted to, she would have done it a long time ago.

"You also have no idea how much cyberbullying Shelly has suffered after she took the blame. Shelly is fine with people cursing her on the internet because she is mentally strong and can pretend that she never saw it. However, it's been a nightmare since the cyberbullying attacks started manifesting in real life! Shelly has received broken limbs in the mail, been splashed with blood by someone at the entrance to her neighborhood, received knocks on her door in the middle of the night, gotten threats... There was a period of time when Shelly was depressed."

Monica gripped her phone tightly. As she had never experienced cyberbullying before, she never knew that people would take it so far with cyberbullying.

"Shelly tolerated it as much as she could in hopes that by helping Nox, she could cut off all ties with him. In fact, you must know as well that in all the years Shelly has been with the Winters, she has never done anything to Nox, so why is Nox hurting her right now? I really wanted to kill Nox with a knife, but Shelly stopped me, not wanting me to do anything about her being bullied. She said she didn't want me to be implicated."

Sometimes, her heart ached for Shelly, who had to shoulder everything on her own, even if she could not take it anymore.

“But whatever.” Sarah took a deep breath. “I’ll take it that Nox didn’t find any evidence to prove that Zoe was the one who drugged him, so he used some tricks to protect his reputation. After all, he’s a businessman. He will always value his interests more, which I understand. I figured Shelly also understood that, and that was why she took the blame for Nox.. The only thing I f\*cking look down on Nox for and think that Nox isn’t even a man is that Nox is deliberately ruining Shelly’s relationship! “

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“Nox is ruining Shelly’s relationship?” Monica was surprised.

What did Sarah mean by destroying Shelly’s relationship? Did Shelly have a boyfriend?

“That’s right! It’s sabotage!” Sarah said confidently, “Shelly is dating a boy who had good grades in high school, and he treats Shelly really well. He has been in love with Shelly since high school and is a hundred times better than Nox. Now that Nox sees how stable Shelly’s relationship is, he’s jealous. And as you saw, Nox is crazy about pursuing Shelly.

“It makes me suspect that Nox either likes Shelly or can’t bear to see Shelly live a good life! Monica, I don’t understand. Is Nox a psychopath? Why can’t he bear to see other people doing so well?”

Monica also fell silent. Although Nox used to be a playboy, he was not that despicable.

At first, she thought Nox did something so crazy because he liked Shelly.

However, now that she had heard it from Sarah, Nox was a complete jerk!

“Now, Benjamin, Shelly’s boyfriend, will be going overseas in two days for an opportunity to study abroad, which is supposed to be a happy thing. Even if they have to be away from each other, it would at least be of great help to Benjamin’s future because when he comes back, he’ll have a better job and be able to provide Shelly with a better life. However, Nox is deliberately ruining their relationship. At this juncture, isn’t it obvious that he’s making things difficult for Benjamin? Seeing how Nox is pursuing Shelly now, do you think Benjamin will want to leave or stay?” Sarah became angrier as she spoke.

“Damn it, Nox is a scumbag!”

Upon hearing that, Monica also found Nox to be a sc\*mbag.

“Monica, since you're friends with Nox, why don't you go talk to him and tell him to stop making things difficult for Shelly? She finally has a stable life and a boyfriend like Benjamin who treats her well. Please can he stop ruining her life? Shelly has suffered a lot in the past and has worked hard to get everything she has now. She doesn't deserve to be destroyed by Nox!”

“Okay, I'll go talk to Nox about it,” Monica said.

Her intention was to find out about Shelly's feelings for Nox and help out if she could. However, she did not expect to find out about Nox's evil side instead!

Monica hung up the phone and looked at Finn who was driving.

Finn felt her death stare and was a little confused. “What's wrong?”

“Do you know your best friend, Nox is a sc\*mbag?” Monica was a little angry.

If what Sarah said was true, Nox was shameless.

“I only have one best friend, who is Monica, not Nox,” Finn said seriously. His desire to live was strong.

Monica originally thought that she would be angry no matter what Finn said and that she would take the opportunity to throw a fit. However, after hearing what Finn said, she could not find any reason to lose her temper.

She took a deep breath and adjusted her emotions. She said, “I'll say this now. If Nox is really as bad as Sarah said, I'll take Shelly's side. Shelly has helped me once, and I have to return the favor to her.”

“What did Nox do?” Finn was also curious.

How could Nox, a man who had been cheated on so badly, have any bad intentions?

“In any case, it's unpardonable.”

Was Nox that bad? Based on his understanding of Nox, Nox was just a little playful, but his character was alright.

“Anyway, don't interfere in Nox's matter,” Monica said firmly.

“Okay,” Finn answered.

In fact, he did not explicitly agree as he was still curious about what Nox had done to offend Monica — or Shelly, to be precise. There was nothing wrong with liking someone and pursuing someone, right?

Only recently did Nox realize that he had fallen in love with Shelly. Although he did treat her horribly back then, it was because he did not like her. Now that he liked her and was pursuing her again, there was nothing wrong with that!

Although Finn was a little puzzled, he did not ask further, for fear that Monica would burst out in anger. Sometimes, women could be really unreasonable..