

Chapter 271 He Feels the Baby Move for the First Time!

The night began to fall.

A black SUV slowly drove into the villa and pulled over. The driver opened the door for Madelyn.

A servant approached her and said, "Mr. Clark is in the study."

Madelyn nodded and made her way up to the second floor. She pushed open the study door...

Benjamin sat behind the desk, and the dim light cast shadows upon his profile. He looked handsome and charming. On the computer in front of him, a video was played. It was about Madelyn's press conference.

He had been watching it repeatedly throughout the afternoon.

Next to his hand lay the diary.

As Madelyn entered, he raised his eyes and stared at her. She was still dressed in the same white outfit, looking confident and elegant.

Benjamin extended his hand toward her.

She moved closer and leaned gently against him without saying a word.

He removed the scrunchie from her hair and took off her high heels.

Burying his face in her hair, he asked in a hoarse voice, "Are you tired?"

Tears welled up in Madelyn's eyes.

She shook her head and hugged him quietly for a long while. Finally, she whispered, "Ben, just go to the rehabilitation center."

Benjamin's body tensed.

Madelyn kissed his neck and murmured, "It'll be easier for you there. You won't have to constantly force yourself to remember me or Everest, and you won't have to endure as much pain!... Ben, when you remember us, just give us a call, and Everest and I will come to see you!"

Her voice quivered.

Because she knew that the days when he could remember her were numbered!

Benjamin was agonized and closed his eyes.

Madelyn sobbed as she spoke, "Benjamin, take this opportunity while I haven't changed my mind..."

She stood up suddenly, pushed him to the back of the chair, and then took off his belt...

Benjamin said in a hoarse voice, "Madelyn!"

Madelyn kissed him.

She knew what he liked best.

Things that she was unwilling to do before, she would do for him now. She wanted him to remember how he felt at this moment.

wanted to leave marks on his body. She wanted him to remember the ecstasy of this moment even if he was love to the deepest.

woman in his arms with wet eyes. He couldn't help but pull her over for a kiss and you are mine, and

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moved into the high-end rehabilitation center.

took the diary with him.

him a

to free him from his restraints.

he would

ten days, or

He would call her, say sweet things to her, and tell her that he was eager to meet

busy Madelyn was,

to grasp the meaning of Daddy going on business trips. She never cried. When her dad could remember fairy tale books with

and ask him

he could feel the first movements of their baby in her belly, which was so powerful this feeling.

lay in Madelyn's embrace, listening

fell asleep...

tears. She knew that Benjamin could hold on until now with night, she returned home.

she thought about their next meeting.

walked up to her and said, "Mrs. Clark, there's a package

it and glanced at it

was delivered

were three voice recorders

after a few moments of crackling

let's name him Francis, Francis Clark!... Madelyn, promise me that you'll find me, no matter what, and never give up! Because I love you, and I can't bear the thought of spending the rest of my life without you! In the past, even if I lived an affluent

I like

brave for me one

...

caressing her slightly bulging

tears streamed down her

a feeling that Benjamin

the sofa rang. It was a call

picked up the

was a call from the doctor in the rehabilitation center, who regretfully

cards, and two sets of

felt she was drained of strength and asked with

had left a diary by his pillow. Do you need

come to get it right

up the phone and wiped away her tears,

the driver that she

standing downstairs and looked anxious while feeling sorry

few days ago, he renewed his lawyer's license. I found out he got his passport and purchased a plane ticket to Dilandha. He should be on the plane now."

Madelyn wept silently.

Even though she had prepared herself for this day, she couldn't hold back her tears.

Benjamin had forgotten everything...

He could only remember things that happened five years ago when they had not met each other yet.

Benjamin had gone far away and returned to his beloved legal career he had longed for.

But she was left behind.

And Everest was still here.

Would he treat them as strangers when they met again?

Madelyn closed her eyes and burst out crying.

Alexander was also in tears.

He gently patted Madelyn's shoulder and said, "Maddie, don't cry too much, otherwise Ben will be heartbroken. Don't worry; he's doing just fine...He'll come back eventually."

Madelyn was still shaking.

Though he had mentally prepared herself for months, the day had arrived, and she was still heartbroken.

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Madelyn went to the temple.

She wanted to see Fletcher.

The temple was halfway up the mountain. She was devout and, though four months pregnant, climbed up on foot.

Upon reaching the temple, she knelt before the Buddha and burnt incense.

But Fletcher didn't meet her.

A young monk came out instead and conveyed Fletcher's message, "Master says that he told you before: 'Only by waiting patiently can you see a silver lining.'"

After saying these words, the young monk bowed and left.

Madelyn watched him leave with her head bowed and praised in front of the deities in the temple before slowly walked down the mountain.

Later, Alexander kept her informed every day that within a week, Benjamin had traveled to several countries...Madelyn stared at the updates about Benjamin, occasionally lost in thought.

Half a month later, she saw Benjamin on the television news.

He had won an international lawsuit.

Outside the Tando State Supreme Court, Benjamin was surrounded by numerous reporters.

Dressed in a classic black and white suit, he held his chin slightly up as he was taking questions from reporters. He looked so confident and elegant as he had a charming smile on his face.

Madelyn watched that interview countless times.

She was smiling and crying...

Chapter 272 Reunion!

Madelyn had looked at it countless times.

Everest, shaking those chestnut-colored curls, was so still...

"It's Daddy! Daddy looks so handsome when he smiles!" Everest thought.

Everest suddenly buried herself in Madelyn's arms, her voice very soft. "Mommy, is Daddy coming back?"

Madelyn responded with a soft "yes."

She stroked Everest's head and gently spoke, "But Daddy is sick. Can we give him some time?"

Everest actually understood a bit.

Although Mommy didn't say it, she knew that ever since Daddy went to the hospital, they rarely saw him. Sometimes when Daddy read her a story, he would get distracted...

So Daddy was sick!

Everest ran back to the children's room and, in no time, came back with a box. When she opened it, it revealed a plastic stethoscope set.

Everest, shaking her chestnut curls, said softly, "I'll help Daddy get better!"

Madelyn hugged her, kissed her, and Madelyn's eyes slightly went moist.

Everest was the most beautiful gift left to her by Benjamin.

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Late autumn.

Autumn was in full swing. The bustling sycamore trees in Gredax began to shed their leaves, but the maple trees turned a fiery red, as if the sky itself was burning.

At the airport, there was a crowd of people.

Countless reporters were waiting, cameras and microphones pointed at the exit from the customs area.

Today was the day Benjamin returned to the country.

After three years of absence, the legal world's "King" was making a comeback. Who wouldn't want to capture the first-hand photos?

Madelyn was there too!

She hadn't brought Everest with her, coming alone. Next to her was the Clark family's chauffeur, Henry.

Time passed slowly, and Madelyn's palms were sweating.

"Benjamin... What kind of scene will it be when we meet again? Do you still remember me?" Madelyn thought.

A commotion suddenly erupted as the reporters rushed in one direction!

Camera flashes went off everywhere!

Benjamin had come out.

Surrounded by his bodyguards, he came out through the security checkpoint. Despite so many cameras pointed at him, he seemed relaxed. He casually answered a few questions before leaving with an air of nobility.

The bodyguards held back the surging reporters...

Madelyn stood at the exit, and as he passed by her, she saw that her hands and feet were ice-cold. It felt as if all her strength had been drained in an instant.

"Benjamin... Do you really not remember me?" she wondered.

Just then, Benjamin stopped in his tracks, and his gaze landed on Madelyn's face.

His eyes were unfamiliar and cold.

couldn't help but call out to him, "Ben!"

his lips tightly and said,

taken

"Mr. Clark invites you to go over and talk!"

supported Madelyn as they headed to the parking

was already sitting in the car. The window of the black RV was rolled down, and he had taken off his coat. The well-tailored white shirt highlighted his well-defined upper body.

the window frame

his knee lay a file-the record of his missing five

with Madelyn!

a child named Everest, and he had broken up with her several times... And

he could easily find

was still a stranger to him. He

had been a confirmed bachelor

into the car

at the documents on his lap and thought that he must have been curious about the past five years before returning to

at Madelyn.

a petite and delicate face that was fair and smooth. Even though she was

her slightly swollen

that should be his

averted his gaze and said softly to the driver,
Madelyn didn't have a chance to refuse... She endured the unbearable longing and
not close physically, she
and she turned her face
car stopped in front of the apartment building, and
at
start to finish, he remained cold.
ached, but she told
he no longer loved her!
interior decor, she couldn't help herself, her voice trembling as she asked, "Have you been
to black and white.
as cold as
his luggage, changed his shoes, and gestured for Madelyn to sit.
her a glass of water and himself a glass of red wine. He
how
with this unexpected guest
the wine glass down. His dark eyes carried a hint of contemplation as he said, "These five years...
Although I've investigated, I still want to hear your version of the story."
his
charisma, unlike the later Benjamin,
turned slightly
Benjamin noticed it.
beside her, gently stroking her delicate cheek, his tone slightly teasing. "Tell me!"
Madelyn couldn't resist.
recounted the events of the past five years to him.
let out a light chuckle, "Quite touching! Ms. Green...
was taken
fingers, his voice low and husky. "Do
process it, she found herself pinned to the couch by him.

lay there, looking somewhat disheveled.

at him, gazing at his handsome face, filled

out and touch his handsome face, from his eyebrows to his nose, gently tracing, her voice slightly choked.

her hand, preventing her from

revealing her slightly

Snow-white and soft.

his long index finger to gently stroke it, his touch somewhat

had been a long time for Madelyn.

the man she deeply loved, and

trembled slightly...

want

ear, his voice husky, "I've heard that women your age have quite a strong desire!"

felt both embarrassed and

She wasn't afraid of him becoming cold, but he was not only cold but also a bit of a jerk.

Benjamin released her and straightened his shirt a bit. Indifferently, he said, "Ms. Green, do you want a husband or a man who can satisfy you?... Think it over. We can only proceed with our conversation after you decide!"

Madelyn's eyebrows showed a faint trace of blue.

Benjamin gazed at that faint bluish mark.

Her skin was fair, so the bluish mark looked rather attractive, much like an ink painting.

He couldn't help but gently touch it, but he didn't hold back with his words. "That won't happen! After all, we still have two children to raise!"

Benjamin stared at Madelyn.

She was indeed very beautiful, and even with her pregnancy, she had a unique charm. However, he had no interest in being intimate with a woman!

He got up and walked into the study. When he came out, he had a set of documents in his hand.

He placed the documents gently into Madelyn's hand.

Benjamin sat on the opposite sofa, completely changing his demeanor from before. He appeared dignified and reserved.

He locked his eyes onto Madelyn's and spoke in a businesslike tone, "Ms. Green, I'm willing to jointly raise the two children with you! The condition is signing this separation agreement. After signing it, I will provide the corresponding child support and visit the children once a week!"

Madelyn felt somewhat embarrassed.

How was this any different from a divorce?

She hesitated to say something but ultimately didn't. She knew that begging and yielding at this moment would only make him more repelled...

In fact, she should be grateful.

It was already good that he didn't deny the existence of her and their children!

However, she was still very sad.

In front of her was clearly the husband she deeply loved, but she didn't dare to even hug him, fearing his aversion. She couldn't fathom what he was thinking at this moment, neither about her nor about Eleanor.

There was a saying, "The one you can never win against is the dead!"

Madelyn skimmed through the separation agreement he had drafted.

He would pay a monthly child support fee of 300 thousand dollars, visit her once a week to spend the night with the child, and have no other interactions during the remaining time. Of course, they would cooperate unconditionally when important events required the couple to appear together. Additionally, he specifically demanded her loyalty to the marriage.

Benjamin stood up and calmly said, "No hurry, take your time to consider."

He still had some work to attend to at his law firm, so he headed into the master bedroom's walk-in closet to change his clothes.

Just as he had taken off his shirt, Madelyn followed him.

She came right in and said directly, "Benjamin, I won't agree to the separation!"

Benjamin lightly frowned.

His hand rested on his belt, and when he saw that she didn't leave but continued to stand there, her little face was pale with a red nose, as if she had been crying. She seemed very easy to manipulate.

He took a few slow steps toward her, looking down at her with a superior gaze, his voice husky. "So, you want to watch a man change his clothes? Mrs. Clark, I think it's been a long time since I enjoyed myself. If you're willing, shall we...?"

Madelyn, of course, wouldn't agree!

He had no feelings for her now; he was just using her for his pleasure.

Benjamin had already started kissing her. His memories told him no experience, and he was driven by male instinct. He pressed her against the cabinet door, pinching her delicate chin, forcing her to kiss him deeply or shallowly.

In front of the mirror, a man and a woman entangled.

The woman's face was full of tears.

Benjamin let her go, smiling coldly. "What a killjoy!"

He held her chin and teased her pale pink tongue with his long fingers, speaking softly, "Don't ask for too much. We each get what we need, isn't that good enough?"

Although he resisted marriage, their marriage had become a reality.

As a lawyer, he needed his reputation. He couldn't get a divorce, which would invite ridicule from the public. So the best way was to maintain the appearance of marriage with her. If she was willing, they could occasionally meet their physiological needs.

Benjamin thought that if she were smart, she would sign this agreement!

Chapter 273 Intimacy Is Normal

After Benjamin finished speaking, he pulled out a set of clothes from the wardrobe.

He changed in front of Madelyn.

Madelyn watched silently...

After Benjamin changed his clothes, he met her gaze. He was about to make a mocking remark when his phone rang.

He glanced at it and saw that it was a call from Alexander, so he answered, "Dad!"

On the other end of the line, something was said, and Benjamin's gaze fell on Madelyn's face, his eyes somewhat deep. "Yes, she's with me!... We'll have dinner together tonight!"

He hung up the phone and spoke indifferently, "Dad wants us to have dinner together tonight. I'm a bit busy, so you take ... the child and go first!"

Madelyn understood.

He wasn't really busy; he just didn't want to be with her.

She didn't approach step by step. It was easy for her to agree. The two of them quietly went downstairs.

Benjamin had the driver take her, while he opened the door to a black McLaren, ready to get in.

Madelyn approached, and they were separated by a car door.

In a calm tone, Madelyn said, "Benjamin, you can be cold-hearted towards me, but... Everest is very sensitive. Please don't say those things in front of her!"

Benjamin thought of the little girl he had seen in the documents.

She looked a lot like Madelyn, fair and tender with curly hair.

And ... quite cute!

He nodded slightly, a bit cold. "You can rest assured!"

Madelyn's heart eased.

she was happy or sad... She

there for

felt sorry for her and couldn't help but approach her softly. "Madam, please get in the car first! Your body

held her waist and forced a smile.

and returned to the villa.

the study, drawing

was dimly lit.

Benjamin had left her, listening quietly. She listened countless times before feeling some

evening, she took Everest and went

Emerson rushed over, calling out affectionately,

crouched down and gently stroked his

guy blushed slightly.

funny face and said, "You always

and his wife

while Alexander stayed behind

Madelyn nodded.

the elders or bring up those matters.

made such a request, and you're not angry? Madelyn... What I want to tell you is, don't indulge him just because he sacrificed for you. You don't need me to tell you how much of a scoundrel Ben was in the past. In any case, constantly giving in isn't a long-term solution. You've slapped him so many times in the past, and

Madelyn remained silent.

his heart that she was too soft-hearted to treat Ben like

she had to deal with the situation delicately.

Alexander had his

...

at 7 in the evening,

in under the cover of the night. Everest couldn't wait and ran to him, hugging his long legs. She rubbed her little face against Ben's leg

Benjamin's body stiffened...

of spending time with children in his memory, but as he held Everest, he felt a hint of tenderness what they called blood connection?

Benjamin not showing any resistance on his face. Alexander felt a sense of sadness and regret

he used

away tears.

dinner, everyone ate in silence...

together, but

remember, and the other couldn't forget.

Alexander wanted to bring them closer together. He thought that as a married couple, they would become more familiar as they spent time together.

After dinner, Benjamin wiped his lips and said, "Dad, I have a case to attend to at the office."

Alexander frowned. "Is your case more important than spending time with your family?" He gave Brianna a signal and said, "Have the servants prepare Ben's old room. Let them have a good conversation tonight. Everest will sleep with us!"

Brianna always listened to him, and she immediately went to make arrangements.

Benjamin smiled faintly.

He lit a cigarette and walked slowly upstairs, a sense of detachment surrounding him.

Madelyn was still feeling uneasy.

Alexander patted her hand and said, "It's just temporary. Be patient."

Madelyn nodded.

She didn't go upstairs immediately; instead, she stayed downstairs with the two children. She even managed to put Everest to sleep before going to the room where Benjamin used to stay.

Benjamin stood by the window, smoking.

Madelyn stood at the doorway, watching him.

He had a perfect side face, and as he smoked, the smoke quickly dissipated into the air.

Perhaps sensing her gaze, Benjamin turned his head to look at her. Then, he extinguished the cigarette and spoke calmly, "Learning how to complain now?"

Madelyn closed the door behind her.

She walked slowly toward him and, under his gaze, gently embraced his waist.

"Dad already knows," she said softly.

"Ben, we're husband and wife. I don't want to live separately from you. I want to be close to you. Is that not normal?"

Benjamin's expression was inscrutable.

He leaned back leisurely, looking down at the woman in his arms.

She was so gentle and obedient, as if she could be manipulated by him. This piqued his interest somewhat, and he asked in a hoarse voice, "Is this how you want it?"

He had heard that women could resume such activities after three months of pregnancy...

Chapter 274 Don't You Want Me to Touch You?

Benjamin was not a man who would compromise with himself.

In his memory, he didn't get close to women, and many years had passed since then. But now, he had a wife, a young and beautiful one, carrying his child in her belly.

Just the thought of it was exhilarating.

While he didn't have feelings for her, his body certainly reacted to her...

When Madelyn came to her senses, she found herself pinned to the foot of the bed by him.

Driven by his male instincts, he gripped her slender waist and teased incessantly.

Madelyn felt both embarrassed and fearful.

She was afraid that Benjamin might accidentally harm the baby, so even though she wanted to be close to him, it was hard for her to let herself feel anything.

So, it was very unsuccessful...

Benjamin whispered in her ear with a hint of wickedness, "Don't you love me very much? Why don't you want me to touch you? Look at yourself, you don't feel a thing... Hmm?"

Madelyn's eyes welled up with tears.

She turned her face away in embarrassment. "I'm pregnant! I don't want to do it!"

Benjamin gently stroked her swollen belly. Inside was his child... He thought that if it weren't for his child, he would never have such thoughts about a pregnant woman in his entire life!

Mutual attraction between a man and a woman always requires passion.

Since she didn't respond, he found it uninteresting as well and was about to turn over to go to the bathroom.

A faint sound came from the thick bedroom door.

Through the gap in the door, a tea-colored curly head peeked in and called out like a little kitten, "Mommy!"

Madelyn's body stiffened...

She had just been mistreated by Benjamin, and her voice sounded weak and pitiful as she replied, "Mommy's here!"

Her clothes were disheveled, but luckily, the room was dimly lit.

As parents, they quickly got dressed.

Especially Benjamin, his face was turning black. He had never thought that this kind of thing would happen, and there would be a little brat coming in the middle!

Everest climbed onto the bed with something in her arms.

She skillfully climbed into her father's arms and took out a plastic stethoscope. With her soft little hand, she placed it on Benjamin's chest. "Grandpa said Daddy is very sick, and Everest will help Daddy get better!"

what to

lights came on brightly!

handsome face turned red, remnants of unattended desire lingering. Everest patted her father's face, thinking that

examined her father for a

the opportunity to

"This woman runs fast!"

curly head and blinked her eyes. "Daddy's heartbeat

must be an illness!

bottle and poured out two colorful pills. "Daddy, take your medicine!"

looked at the bottle.

Rainbow candies!

certainly didn't want to eat such overly sweet

pitiful expression like a

Benjamin's face stiffened.

gripped his teeth and reluctantly swallowed those two things. Surprisingly, they tasted quite head. "Daddy is really good!"

father's love after

to hand him a fairy tale book. She comfortably crawled into his arms, resting one of could resist such an

not like children before, but perhaps he knew that this was his blood, or perhaps the little bed, lightly embracing the

fairy tale to her, although his memory was somewhat lacking, and he disappointed. "Daddy doesn't read as well

Before...?

realize she was referring to him before he lost his truly deeply in love with his

Benjamin couldn't imagine!

continued to read the fairy tale slowly until the little one fell asleep in his arms. She felt warm, carefully examined the little bundle in his arms.

picture of beauty.

delicate, with a head of tea-colored hair that

her personality, he could already tell

no need for a DNA test; this

set the little one aside and quietly observed her for a while before getting out of

...

in a daze.

as if she had been born to meet his aesthetic standards, and her pregnancy had added a touch

she weren't pregnant, her figure would

wouldn't have been captivated by

was willing

what happened afterward, it's still hard

of how picky

life, but none of them could capture his attention. So he was puzzled

Hearing this, Madelyn looked up at him.

Although he didn't say it all, she understood what he was thinking-

He knew that Eleanor had died!

But he had forgotten all of Eleanor's wrongdoings. The only thing he seemed to remember was that she had cheated on him!

Now, he was asking about Daniel, and Madelyn knew that men often couldn't erase physical connections from their minds. He was suspecting whether she had been involved with Daniel...

Madelyn didn't explain, nor did she want to!

She was tired...

The child in her belly was nearly five months old and was quite active. Even if she wanted to win back Benjamin, she had to ensure the baby's safe delivery.

Madelyn calmly spoke, "Benjamin, I won't agree to a separation!"

Agreeing to a separation would mean allowing the man to go and have his way!

She wasn't that naive!

Upon hearing this, Benjamin raised an eyebrow and gave a faint smile.

Madelyn lowered her gaze. "I know you're probably thinking that as long as you have legs, you can go wherever you want, but Benjamin, not coming home and my agreeing to that are two different things!"

She finished speaking and walked out of the bathroom.

As they passed each other, Benjamin suddenly lightly grasped her shoulder. Somehow, he sensed her unspoken sadness.

Madelyn's nose turned slightly red. "I'm tired! I want to rest!"

Benjamin leaned closer to her and whispered, "Did you use this charming and adorable demeanor to seduce me in the past? Otherwise, why would I keep sleeping with you and have a child?"

That was really a jerk.

There was a hint of moisture in Madelyn's eyes...

Then she gently pushed him away and slowly walked to the side of the bed, lying down next to Everest.

Later, Benjamin also lay down.

Madelyn had her back to him, but he knew she wasn't asleep. Occasionally, in the darkness, he could hear her take a breath or two... She seemed to be crying!

Benjamin gently closed his eyes.

He had lost five years of his life's memories, and when he woke up, he had gained a wife, and she was none other than Daniel's ex-girlfriend!

His sister had also been mistreated by his wife's uncle!

He couldn't muster much goodwill towards her!

But he liked her appearance and figure; her waist was slender even though she was pregnant, and her legs were long and straight... She was fair-skinned, and everything about her seemed soft and supple.

In the darkness, Benjamin suddenly became a bit restless...

Chapter 275 Benjamin, Remember to Go Home!

Early in the morning, Everest woke Benjamin up as she sat on him.

As he opened his eyes, he found a tea-colored curly-haired bundle on top of him, yelling, "Daddy, I need to go to the bathroom!"

Benjamin shielded his eyes!

He really didn't want to get up, but this was his own child!

He had to sit up and help the little one out of the one-piece pajamas while asking, "Where's your mommy?"

Everest's eyes sparkled. "Mommy's making breakfast for Everest!"

Making breakfast...

Did the Clark family need a housewife?

Was she really so diligent?

Benjamin got a bit distracted, and with his unskilled movements, by the time he regained his focus, Everest had already cried... The crotch of the pajamas was warm.

A few warm drops had fallen on him.

Everest looked embarrassed!

Her once-white and tender face was now wrinkled, and she seemed very upset.

Madelyn came up from downstairs, a bit surprised to see that Everest had wet herself. But she quickly embraced the child and comforted her gently, and with her mother's tenderness, the little one squirmed a bit uncomfortably but stopped crying.

Madelyn fetched clean clothes for her.

Everest promptly took off her clothes, revealing her small body and big head.

She was really cute...

Benjamin raised his leg and sat up, saying, "She can undress herself, so why should I do it for her? Otherwise, she won't wet herself!"

Madelyn remained silent for a while before speaking, "You used to take care of her until she was three years old. She knew how to do many things, but she hasn't seen you for many days, and she misses you and wants to be spoiled..."

But Benjamin had forgotten...

He not only forgot to love her, but also how to care for Everest.

After Madelyn finished speaking, she went into the bathroom to prepare a bath for Everest. When she came out, she tidied up the bed and the floor.

Benjamin silently watched Madelyn.

She looked like a typical homemaker, very gentle and soft. He thought that if he desired marriage, he should easily accept her!

But he didn't like married life.

He felt it was constraining!

clothes in the dressing room, and after finishing

sneakily glanced at his son.

he's dressed like an elite, but he really gets on

at the two soft and tender little babies, and he couldn't help but adore them...

on a pretty dress and sat at the dining table, trying hard to eat her food. When she saw Benjamin coming downstairs, she was quite accommodating, "I

know what

and said, "I'm willing to give you a chance

coffee, and

me to

and Daddy have

him and lowered his voice, "Did

a bit

straightforwardly admitted, "Yes! You can choose not to

so calculated, how can I not satisfy you?" He then lightly

soft, so

about this marriage

don't be handsy! Madelyn is your legally wedded wife,

smiled

and, instead, kindly dropped off Everest at kindergarten and even graciously drove Madelyn

he didn't go

Madelyn wasn't foolish.

family life all at once. She remembered that in the past, he had a wild private life. While he didn't engage in promiscuous relationships, he wasn't a man who couldn't let loose in

got out of the car...

down the window, and lit

you coming home tonight?"

on the car window, took a slow drag of his cigarette, and smiled lightly at her question. "If I don't

her

was

took a deep breath and said, "Mr. Clark, remember to come

the corner of his mouth, "Is Mrs. Clark giving me a

going to let him off

for a moment, then turned and walked into the villa, back into

as she walked, tears welled up in her eyes.

how deep Benjamin's love could be, and now she

the days that followed, he

staying in his

kept asking, and Madelyn gently comforted her,

was impossible to tie him down with their

was like

but she had to endure it. She was pregnant and couldn't afford to quarrel with him or confront

up losing when they

the driver, "Mrs. Clark, are we going to the hospital

and said,

drove to Everest Group. When the car stopped, Paisley, her secretary, came over and opened the car door, looking somewhat surprised, "Mrs. Clark, aren't

in a white suit, and her belly was showing.

waist and smiled. "There's something I need to take

secretary, was

she felt happy for Madelyn. When they reached the

of milk, and suddenly asked,

Paisley, the secretary, smiled and said, "I've been with him for about seven or eight years."

Madelyn stared at her and spoke softly, "Ben has forgotten many things, and I'm very worried. Plus, I don't have anyone reliable to help me. Paisley, I want you to go back to him!"

Paisley was visibly startled.

She wasn't a fool, and she understood Madelyn's implication. She was being asked to go undercover!

She was in a dilemma.

If she betrayed Mr. Clark and was discovered, she would be in big trouble. After all, the position she held now was a golden ticket!

Madelyn opened the drawer, took out her checkbook, and wrote a check for 1.4 million.

Additionally, there's another key.

"A 180-square-meter fully furnished apartment in Eimtin District, plus a 1.4 million check! Even if Ben divorces you, this should be enough for you to live comfortably. Furthermore, I promise you can return to work at Everest Group!"

Paisley was left dumbfounded by this generous offer.

That 180-square-meter apartment would cost around 4.2 million, and adding the check on top of it...

Mrs. Clark was really generous!

Madelyn not only used the financial incentive but also pushed for an emotional feel. "I deeply love Ben! But now I'm pregnant, and I don't have the energy to win him back. Yet, I'm worried about him... Paisley, can you understand the predicament of being both a wife and a mother?"

Paisley hesitated for a while.

She said, "Mrs. Clark, rest assured, I... Stand on your side!"

Madelyn stood up and gently placed the key and check in her pocket, smiling softly. "I won't interfere in minor matters, but if there are any special people around him, you must let me know!"

Paisley, the secretary, couldn't help but nod.

She felt that Madelyn was different now. Had she been provoked by Benjamin yesterday?

Paisley left.

Madelyn made a phone call to Benjamin. Her voice was gentle, "Ben, today is my prenatal check-up day. Do you have time to accompany me?"

Benjamin was at his law firm.

He was surprised to receive Madelyn's call. He hadn't returned to her for the past few days, and she hadn't made any phone calls either. Now, she was calling him on her own initiative!

He didn't mind accompanying her for the check-up. After all, it was his child.

But he had an appointment with a client in the morning.

Benjamin politely declined, making Madelyn feel that if she insisted, it would be unreasonable.

She was quite docile and said softly, "Alright, then I'll have Mr. Herman accompany me."

On the other end of the phone, Benjamin frowned.

Mr. Herman...

Joseph Herman?

He remembered that he used to work for him, managing finances. Now, he was under Madelyn's command?

And he had even reached the point where he could accompany her for a prenatal check-up?

Chapter 276 Benjamin, I'm Pregnant!

It was ten o'clock in the morning.

Paisley arrived at the law firm.

Benjamin's assistant led her into the office and smiled. "Welcome back, Paisley!"

However, Paisley wasn't sure of herself...

She closed the door and stared at Benjamin behind the desk.

Benjamin didn't even raise his head and continued to review the documents. He asked in a casual tone, "Did Madelyn send you here?"

Paisley didn't deny it and nodded, "Yes! Mrs. Clark said that I am proficient in this area and can assist Mr. Clark."

Benjamin smiled lightly.

He closed the documents and chatted casually for a while, then casually asked, "By the way, is the General Manager of Everest Group, Mr. Herman, Joseph Herman?"

Paisley was slightly puzzled. "Oh, yes, it's him!"

Benjamin's tone became even lighter. "Is he married?"

Paisley didn't understand why he was asking, but she answered truthfully, "Mr. Herman is 35 years old, with good conditions, but he has never been married. I heard he doesn't have a girlfriend either!"

Unmarried and no girlfriend...

Benjamin pursed his lips slightly and said, "Alright, I got it. You can go out for now."

Paisley took the documents and was about to leave.

Benjamin suddenly asked again, "What time is Madelyn's prenatal check-up, and which hospital is it at? Send me the details..."

Paisley couldn't help but smile. "Sure, I'll send it to you later!"

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Benjamin arrived at the hospital around 11 in the morning.

Madelyn had already completed her prenatal check-up. She was sitting alone on a hospital bench, quietly looking at the ultrasound report in her hand.

Benjamin approached slowly.

He noticed that she was alone, and Mr. Herman was nowhere to be seen.

He understood that this was her little trick.

He wasn't particularly annoyed, so he sat down next to her and stretched his body, glancing at her. "Let me see!"

Madelyn handed the ultrasound report to him.

"It's almost five months! I've already picked a name for the baby, Fran, Francis Clark!"

Benjamin looked at the ultrasound report. "Is it a boy?"

Madelyn nodded, her gaze falling on his handsome face. At this moment, she wished he would suddenly remember and say to her, "I'm sorry, Madelyn, for being late!"

But that didn't happen...

Benjamin, who had lost part of his memory, was merely playing the role of a husband reluctantly.

He came here because he was afraid she would cuckold him!

Sure enough, after looking at the ultrasound report, he gracefully escorted her downstairs and didn't bother inviting her for lunch.

They went their separate ways downstairs!

In the days that followed...

Benjamin lived like a bachelor; he was always socializing outside and rarely came home!

A private investigator sent photos to Madelyn, showing that Benjamin attended one social event after another, often in the company of numerous socialites and ladies...

One month later, at Everest Group's president's office.

Madelyn stood quietly by the floor-to-ceiling window. On her desk were several photos.

Joseph entered and happened to see them.

He pretended not to have seen them and considerately said, "Mrs. Clark, how about... I attend Mr. Kermit's private dinner alone tonight. You should go home early and rest!"

Madelyn gently shook her head. "Mr. Kermit has been a great help this time. I have to go!"

Joseph didn't insist any further.

He left...

At 9:30 in the evening, at Gredax's most upscale business club.

After having dinner, Madelyn was preparing to leave, and Joseph was planning to go back for a second round of drinks after seeing her off. They were discussing business matters as they walked.

Suddenly, Madelyn's gaze froze...

Next to the elevator, a private room's door was half open.

Inside, everything was clearly visible.

There were about five or six men, half of whom Madelyn recognized, including her husband, of course. What was most remarkable was that each man was accompanied by a young woman, and Benjamin was no exception.

Although he didn't embrace any of the women, they were leaning softly against him.

He didn't push them away!

Madelyn watched in silence...

raised his head, and

Madelyn and Benjamin. He

stood up. "Madelyn, what a coincidence! Please don't misunderstand Ben. We're just here to discuss business, and nothing else. You

Madelyn in.

another five or

this situation, if Madelyn went in, it would be embarrassing for her. Joseph also said, "Mrs. Clark, why don't you go back

wanted to leave, but she

at Benjamin intently.

"This Mrs. Clark is quite interesting. She can't control her husband and wants to keep up appearances
was in

had a temper, and she wasn't easy

Gredax Art School, right? At such a young age, instead of honing your skills, you're out here drinking
with a man... Do you believe that with just one word from me, you won't

her. She thought that with Benjamin

a long time, and Benjamin remained cold and didn't intervene at all!

woman's smile froze!

didn't feel victorious because she knew exactly what kind of person Benjamin used

girl like her couldn't possibly

making

made a

Madelyn's shoulder, and said lightly but

that, he held Madelyn's

in order to ease the atmosphere, deliberately said, "You

young woman felt embarrassed.

even more embarrassed.

into the black luxury car. She didn't speak to Benjamin, turned her face to look

was late at

dark night, like a winged

their past love...

from his father, Alexander. Alexander's tone was not pleasant as he scolded

with his father and looked at Madelyn with deep

an hour later, the car stopped in front of

on Madelyn's

slowly raised her

gaze was moist and filled

rough. He simply picked her up and carried her

She was pregnant.

to the foot of the bed and quickly removed her coat. Underneath, she wore a

resist and said, "Benjamin, what do you

with you!"

photos down, scattering them around her face!

in different situations, but mostly at social

the photos were sharp and

couldn't feel the pain...

known, and that was why he intentionally didn't

resisted this

many

and take pictures of me? Isn't that what you wanted? I'm fulfilling your desires now,

began unbuttoning his shirt, deliberately taking each button off slowly with

cried out in fear,

I heard that when women are pregnant, it feels different! I really want to try it, and you should

...

possession of her in just a few moves!

hurt a

the waves of anger from the man... Her brows twitched with excitement, a faint

stroked that area and spoke in a low, hoarse voice, "You're moaning like this under me, and you say

Madelyn couldn't speak.

dripped down, scalding her body, and she couldn't stop trembling as she clung to his shoulders.

Benjamin, let me

...

you know... I miss you so much!"

the passionate

for a long time, until her body had a faint pink hue. She then got up, put on a bathrobe, and

Benjamin stood by the window, smoking. There was a faint smell of tobacco in the

clothes as before, just slightly wrinkled.

embarrassed to some extent. Their marital intimacy this time wasn't as close as the first time they had

Over the years, no matter what had happened, she had never neglected

and a breeze

heard the sound and extinguished his

at Madelyn.

her skin, gently opening her bathrobe and applying skincare products to her

she had just been

fact, during their recent encounter, he had also had a very enjoyable experience with her

She was pregnant...

and

felt really good, especially when she cried and said no, it was particularly

their marriage

all, men were sensory creatures, and sometimes,

to do it a second time. However, he also

example, if he never came home, she wouldn't give him a warm

wall and said in a slightly deep voice, "Joseph. I remember he's mine!"

Madelyn's hands paused.

a moment, she smiled faintly and asked, "Do you want to transfer him elsewhere?"

if he wanted to. However, doing so would make it seem like he cared too much about his wife, so he just snorted softly, "You've gotten

continued to apply skincare products...

the bedroom, it

while, Benjamin suddenly spoke up, "I'll move

set down the bottles and jars, gently tightened her bathrobe, and turned to

explain further.

he indeed moved back

two sets

evening, as soon as he returned, he

very

looked at the sparse

He wasn't moving back in; he clearly wanted a free, long-term bed companion. Perhaps he had enjoyed their last encounter, so he longed for her body and took the initiative to return...

However, when a man came back on his own, a woman had no reason to send him away.

Madelyn hung his suits carefully and descended the stairs slowly.

Servants was busy setting the table, and upon seeing Madelyn come downstairs, they joyfully said, "Mr. Clark is back, and a few of us chipped in to add some dishes. Madam, please don't mind!"

Madelyn looked at the dishes.

There were a few rather expensive items, and the ingredients alone would cost a lot.

She smiled faintly, thanked the servant, and made a mental note to reimburse them later. They were all hardworking individuals, earning fixed wages each month.

She asked them to call Benjamin for dinner.

After one of them went upstairs, the servant quickly came back down, looking somewhat uneasy. "Madam, Mr. Clark said his flight is at 10 o'clock tonight, and there's not enough time for dinner!"

"Ah, he's going on a business trip..." she thought.

So, that suitcase was for his business trip!

Madelyn lowered her gaze and smiled gently. "It's alright. Let's all have dinner together!"

She went upstairs anyway, like all virtuous wives, helped him repack the suitcase, and finally came to the study door. She knocked lightly. "Ben, are you going on a business trip?"

Benjamin had just sent the last email.

He responded, "Yes, probably for three days!"

He packed up his briefcase, held it in his hand, and looked at Madelyn's belly. "You'll be fine, won't you?"

Madelyn smiled faintly. "I should be."

Benjamin nodded.

He made a phone call while picking up his luggage, then left for his business trip with efficiency.

Three days later, he returned at night.

Madelyn was already asleep, and he quietly entered the room, put down his luggage, undressed, took a shower... and then, he woke Madelyn up and passionately made love to her twice.

Late at night, Benjamin fell asleep.

But Madelyn couldn't sleep; she could guess his intentions.

His move back home wasn't to be an affectionate couple with her. It was to legally satisfy his physical needs.

Madelyn turned on her side, her hand peeking out from under the blanket, gently caressing his handsome features, and her red lips slightly parted. "You're quite a scoundrel! There's nothing I can do to resist you!"

Benjamin rarely socialized now; he was swamped with work. He treated Everest well, and Everest liked him.

However, privately, he was still distant with Madelyn, except during their intimate moments. It was neither good nor bad, all the elements of a marriage were there, but it lacked affection!

Benjamin was satisfied!

A man's ultimate goal was power, a wife, and children, and he had them all at once.

His wife at home was also receptive to his advances.

He had nothing to complain about!

But Madelyn wasn't satisfied. She had tasted the best love in the world, and now she had a physical relationship, but it wasn't the same Ben as before...

Life passed uneventfully, but she couldn't change it. Over time, even the people around them thought they were a loving couple.

The five years of memories that Benjamin had lost seemed insignificant, and only Madelyn would taste the bitterness in the loneliness after every intimate encounter in the late night.

Yes, deep down, she was lonely.

She had tried, she had been considerate and gentle with him, the model of a virtuous wife.

But she couldn't penetrate Benjamin's heart. She couldn't get his affection. He treated her as a wealthy man should treat his wife, ensuring stability and allowing her to bear him a clean heir without worries!

When she was eight months pregnant, Benjamin stopped touching her.

He started socializing more.

Madelyn didn't complain.

During the first snowfall of early winter, she gave birth to the eldest grandson of the Clark family, Francis.

He was born full-term and weighed 3.5 kg.

Alexander was overjoyed and, even though Eloise scolded him for being old-fashioned, he didn't admit it. "Everest and Francis are equally important to me!"

In reality, when it came to doting, he favored Everest the most.

However, for the sake of the Clark family's future, it had to be Francis who carried on the family name. But Alexander would never admit it.

Eloise rolled her eyes at him.

She took care of Madelyn attentively and brought the newborn over. "Madelyn, take a look, he looks just like you!"

Madelyn, although exhausted, leaned over to take a close look at the child. He did resemble her, with his deep brown hair and delicate features, especially his dainty nose...

Alexander said to Brianna, "Look at their genes, so strong. They all take after the Ryan family!"

Coincidentally, Benjamin pushed the door open and entered.

Despite being a father of two now, he remained impeccably handsome.

He bent down to kiss Madelyn and then looked at their son on the small bed, whispering, "You've worked hard!"

Madelyn gazed at him intently, then smiled softly.

Benjamin went to pick up his son, and all the Clark family members were busy playing with the child, discussing who the baby resembled and how cute he was, and talking about how to take care of him...

Madelyn turned away; she thought she was being too sentimental.

With two children, Benjamin had finally settled down, so what more could she ask for?

But amid all this festivity, she felt incredibly lonely.

In her heart, she missed the Benjamin who had loved her. She didn't know if, in the future, they would forever live this respectful and distant life.

He was busy with work.

She had to work too, in addition to taking care of two children.

Forever, forever...

He didn't know that she was still waiting for him, waiting for him to come back...

Chapter 277 Madelyn's Transformation

In the VIP ward, everything was harmonious.

Madelyn's eyes were moist.

Only Eloise noticed, and she felt sad. Eloise made up an excuse to go outside and get some fresh air.

Unexpectedly, she ran into Kenneth outside.

Kenneth was in Vadiff for a meeting, and as soon as the meeting ended, he took a private jet and came specifically to see Madelyn and little Francis!

At the door, he saw Eloise.

He hadn't seen her in a long time, and although he was usually busy, he realized how much he missed her when he saw her now. He saw her eyes were teary and couldn't help but speak more gently, "What's wrong? Didn't the child come out fine?"

With that, he handed a gift to Kaleb, the secretary. "You go see Madelyn and the child first."

Kaleb nodded, knowing that it was rare for them to meet. She went in.

Kenneth pulled Eloise aside into an empty and secure corridor, closing the green iron door. He gently removed her hand covering her eyes. "You're all grown up. Why do you always cry?"

"You don't need to worry about it!"

Eloise turned away, her eyes red.

Kenneth smiled and took out a cigarette, lighting it and taking a slow drag. "Let me guess, is it because of Madelyn?"

Eloise was upset that he had figured it out, but even more upset in general.

After all, there was someone who understood her, but not Madelyn!

In the past few months, this was the first time Eloise was nice to Kenneth . She even cried in front of this man she despised, "Everyone thinks Madelyn is happy, but I know she isn't! Benjamin is back, but he doesn't remember Madelyn, and yet she loves him so much!"

If it wasn't love, if it wasn't attachment...

Which woman could endure her husband's neglect?

Kenneth quietly smoked his cigarette.

He knew everything that Eloise had said, but what could he do?

Madelyn and Ben had so much history, they had once loved each other so deeply, and anyone who knew about it couldn't bear to see Madelyn give up... including Kenneth.

He felt sorry for Madelyn; from beginning to end, everything related to Eleanor was not her fault.

Benjamin had only done what a husband should do.

However, Madelyn would have to repay it with her entire life!

Kenneth tilted his head slightly, a glimmer in his eye.

He thought of his own sister, Madeline, and thought of himself. He thought of Madelyn... the children of the Ryan family seemed destined for difficult love lives.

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When Kenneth entered the hospital room, Benjamin sent his parents away.

In the hospital room, besides Madelyn, there was only Kaleb, who smiled and said, "Mr. Ryan is here!"

Madelyn remembered.

Kenneth quickly stopped her, saying, "Why are you getting up? Aren't you afraid of the pain?"

He was always concerned about her, patting her head and asking about the childbirth.

Madelyn smiled faintly. "I'm fine! It's much easier than giving birth to Everest!"

These words made Kenneth even more uncomfortable, and he casually played with little Francis for a while, saying nonchalantly, "If you're not happy here, you can come back to Vadiff for a while! Grandma is not in good health and can't take a plane, but she's eagerly waiting for you and the two children day and night!"

Madelyn understood his intention and looked at little Francis, saying softly, "I'll go back in a while!"

gave a faint smile,

Benjamin returned with Everest after seeing off his

and asked to be held.

most. When it came to the children

to the secretary, "Let's two old men learn how to take care of children. Come on, let's take Everest outside for a walk!" He wanted the

happily clung to

her ride on his

pulled up the blanket and smiled. "With all the comings and goings, I'm a bit tired.

at her and thought about

guessed that in this relationship, Madelyn felt wronged.

months of being together, neither of them was willing to broach deeper topics. After all, she was attached to this marriage.

he slowly realized that this marriage was more beneficial

Madelyn fell asleep.

sat on the sofa, quietly watching her with a pensive expression.

he seemed lost in thought, Francis woke

loudly, and his

and softly saying to Benjamin, "He's probably hungry!

gazed deeply into her eyes.

him in Madelyn's

Her movements were a bit awkward as she
baby eagerly latched on and started
body. He nonchalantly commented, "Your waist seems so
body was simply
now he couldn't help but feel some
a

grew
finishing the

She wanted to express some milk to relieve the discomfort,
in the morning, Benjamin was still asleep on
felt much more relaxed, so she supported herself against the wall
her first time doing such a thing, and she was a bit nervous
bathroom door was gently closed.

the soft flesh behind her ear,

Madelyn was startled.

gaze in the

words, but his actions were not so restrained. Madelyn didn't know if he had deliberately learned, but
his technique was quite skilled, as if he was

afraid to look at the scene

embarrassing she

it still painful? Is it more comfortable now? If it's

...

ear, and Madelyn knew he was doing it intentionally. She clutched her clothes tightly, pulling them up
and whispered, "That's enough, I'm

moment, he lifted her onto the

beneath her and let her sit on the sink, while his other hand unceremoniously moved

saying that, he lowered his head and did

been so unrestrained in front

rested

and was somewhat entranced. She couldn't help but murmur, "Benjamin, do you have even the
to kiss her.

her body, which was genuinely

"Do you think our life now is

her head and kissed his chin.

was willing to open up and speak her mind. She whispered, "I

his love. Even if he never regained his memory for the rest of his life, as long as he loved her,

...

a child had improved

came to the hospital every day to see the

with Everest and prepared many gifts for her, mostly precious jewelry that women

night, he would also wake up to take

Madelyn herself felt that he liked her to some extent. Their marriage

a contented woman.

was written all over

a big celebration, but Benjamin came back a bit late from work, around nine o'clock. He brought gifts

sat by the villa's fireplace, her face beaming with happiness.

The next day was the weekend, and Madelyn received a phone call.

It was from Paisley, inviting her to a coffee shop for a chat.

Madelyn held her phone, feeling somewhat dazed...

She knew Paisley, who was very polite and discreet. If it weren't for something important, Paisley would never have invited her out shortly after Madelyn giving birth.

In the end, Madelyn decided to go out.

Inside the coffee shop, Paisley was already seated. When she saw Madelyn approaching, she greeted her softly. "Madelyn!"

Madelyn sat down opposite her.

She ordered a glass of lemon water and took a few sips before asking in a soft voice, "Is it about Ben?"

Paisley pursed her lips.

Madelyn had a hunch and smiled faintly. "Is it about women?"

Paisley gently placed a photo on the coffee table, her voice low. "Madelyn, if it weren't for the unusual circumstances, I wouldn't have told you on the second day after your baby's full moon!"

Madelyn picked up the photo, and her originally fair complexion lost color.

It was too similar!

Incredibly alike, just like the 22-year-old Eleanor!

A pure, untarnished Eleanor!

Paisley's voice quivered. "This girl is called Charlotte Lorne, 22 years old, a poor college student sponsored by the law firm for the past few years. Benjamin arranged for her to intern at the firm last month!"

Last month...

In other words, when she was giving birth!

Madelyn's fingers tightened.

Paisley said with certainty, "Benjamin definitely has no inappropriate relationship with her, but I feel this girl is not simple; there's ambition in her eyes!"

Madelyn lowered her head and smiled lightly. "She must know who she looks like!"

After saying that, she stood up and smiled at Paisley. "If you are troubled by Ben because of this, come to me!"

Without waiting for Paisley's response, she walked out alone.

She had come to the coffee shop feeling confident and radiant, but now she felt a chill run through her body!

It turned out that the happiness of these days had been her own illusion!

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Madelyn returned to the villa.

The maids greeted her. "Mr. Clark called and said he would be coming home late tonight. He asked you to have dinner first!"

Madelyn nodded. "I know."

She slowly walked upstairs, but when she reached the middle of the staircase, she suddenly stopped. "Could you come up and help me pack some things... um, it's the gifts that Mr. Clark gave me a few days ago. Pack them up and leave them at the door!"

The housekeeper remained silent.

At nine o'clock in the evening, Benjamin returned home on time and saw a pile of things at the door.

"Where did these come from?"

The maids hesitated but said, "These are the gifts that Mr. Clark gave to Madam recently. Madam said she wanted to get rid of them!"

Benjamin frowned and ascended the stairs slowly.

Madelyn was in the master bedroom, sitting at the dressing table, applying makeup. She used to prefer a natural look, but this time, she had gone for a rather seductive makeup style. She had also changed into a black tight-fitting evening gown and adorned herself with millions worth of jewelry around her neck.

Benjamin entered the room and looked around. "Where are Everest and Francis?"

Madelyn's gaze met his reflection in the mirror.

After a while, she slightly parted her red lips and calmly said, "I discussed it with my parents, and for now, we've sent them to stay with them for care."

Benjamin approached her.

She stood up, seductively reaching out to place her hand on his shoulder, her breath intoxicating. "In the future, I'll have more time to take care of you, my dear husband!"

Chapter 278 Do You Love Me

A photo was gently put into his jacket pocket.

Madelyn considerably straightened his suit jacket with slender hands and gently smoothed it out.

Benjamin looked Madelyn in the eye and pulled out the photo.

It was the firm's new trainee, Charlotte!

Benjamin walked to the end of the bed and sat down, gently loosened his tie, and smiled lightly. "Is that what this is about? It's just a trainee. I'm not entirely sure what all the fuss is about."

"Just a trainee?"

Madelyn walked slowly to him, bending down and murmuring, "Benjamin, you've crossed the line! You think I'm a pushover?"

Benjamin laughed softly and reached out to stroke Madelyn's delicate cheek.

Madelyn hated Benjamin's flirtatious movement and tried to avoid him, but he quickly grabbed her waist and flirtatiously stroked it.

"Oh, really?"

"What about you? Do you love me?"

"When I made love to you, you put your arms around me and called me Ben... Is it me or the guy you remember that you were calling out to? Huh?"

"Madelyn, I'm just a stand-in!"

"Don't take the moral high ground with me."

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Madelyn's heart ached badly!

Madelyn smiled coldly, her eyes downcast. "Benjamin, the only reason you're talking so much is that you don't want to fire her! Let me ask you something. Is it a trainee or your youthful regret you want to keep?"

"Benjamin, you sleep with me and enjoy the perks of married life while you keep a trainee around you... You disgust me!"

Madelyn picked up the photo.

She tore it to shreds in front of Benjamin!

Benjamin leaned back, and his eyes lit up as if he had never seen Madelyn before!

After a long time, Benjamin laughed softly. "So I married a tigress!"

With that, Benjamin reached out and pulled Madelyn down on his lap.

They made physical contact, and things started to get a bit sexy...

Madelyn gently lowered her eyes and said coldly, "It's been less than 42 days since I gave birth. Are you that horny?"

Benjamin did want to have sex with Madelyn.

But Madelyn's words dampened his sexual appetite!

Of course, if they were real with each other, they would have no reservations and would not have to maintain their covers. Benjamin gently pinched her cheeks. "I can't help myself. Mrs. Clark, I want to have sex with you whenever I see you."

Madelyn pushed him away, got up, smoothed out her clothes, and pushed open the door to the master bedroom...

She didn't go back to the master bedroom that night.

Benjamin knew she was sleeping in the guest room and guessed she was probably in the study thinking about 'Ben'!

It was true that they were experiencing marital problems!

She loved her husband...

But he didn't remember her. He spent over six months with her. He had actually tried, but he didn't have the similar feeling of being in love.

was a pile of shredded paper on the floor...

thought he would have done what she asked

a couple who didn't love each other, and now they didn't bother to act like they were a loving and Benjamin felt relieved!

children together and having sex a couple of times with the lights off on weekends when they had felt so stressed when it came

him instead of letting it go

returned home from business dinners, she wasn't home most of

night at the Clarks' mansion with the

was at home, she rarely slept in the same

...

at the

his chin resting on his long middle finger...

is

to his senses and forced

just about to offer some tips on how to increase couples' bonding when the office door was gently pushed open and a slender figure walked in. She was a young, good-looking woman named Charlotte, the

Benjamin frowned.

"You

somewhat timidly, "Mr. Clark, it's

at

and put it on the desk. "Thank

biting her lip, looking attractive. "Actually... A few of my colleagues throw a birthday

cursed in his heart, "She's such a

way,

did look a lot like

was obviously

for Eleanor, let alone Charlotte! Benjamin was just... Eleanor died. Benjamin was sad when someone, who looked so much like Eleanor,

Madelyn argued about it quite violently with Benjamin, he didn't

Charlotte

didn't mean

"Get out!"

left, and the door closed behind her.

softly, "The weekend is coming. You order

was going to pick

with a smile!

...

out and practicing

in better shape after working out, so she came to work out with Madelyn. After working out for less than half an hour, Vivian was exhausted. Looking at Madelyn, who didn't look tired at all, Vivian was envious and said, "Madelyn, you're incredible. You haven't felt tired after working

to another

instructor left

had two children, and I'm nothing compared to young girls if

Vivian disagreed.

curvy body with large

girls

came in and whispered, "Ms.

voice,

last name

with a towel, and then said softly,

door

about last time? It can't be. Eleanor clung to Benjamin back then and wanted so

universal thing

rolled her

in with a very young girl. The girl was very beautiful and was a bit nervous.

Madelyn was stretching...

jealous when she saw Madelyn's thin waist and straight

lying on top of Madelyn's awesome body, reveling in the

about it,

respond to Charlotte right

of stretches before turning around to look at the girl

beauty! But she doesn't look as pale and delicate in person as she does in photos. Besides, she is coy and self-conscious."

how stunning Eleanor was the first time she met her.

better when she thought about

Madelyn a bottle of water and a

Madelyn leaned on a bar, took a few sips, and looked at Charlotte with a faint smile, "What do you want to see me about?"

Charlotte's red lips tremble slightly...

Charlotte whispered, "Mrs. Clark, I know you have a problem with me, but please don't go that far! I've been looking forward to my birthday party for a long time, but my colleagues told me they're not going to my birthday party. I know you're behind it!"

Birthday party?

Charlotte's colleagues wouldn't show up at her birthday party?

Madelyn guessed that it was Paisley's idea. Who would dare associate with Charlotte if words about that got out?

Madelyn thought, "Paisley is reliable!"

Madelyn smiled lazily, "Really? Why didn't I know?"

Madelyn gave a look to Gloria, who then took the bottle of water from Madelyn's hand. Madelyn continued doing her stretches... Madelyn spoke softly, "Ms. Lorne, you're young and pretty. Why do you have to get involved with a married man? You do look quite a bit like Ben's first love... He may occasionally look at your face and reminisce about past relationships. I don't really mind that, but he'd never have anything to do with you!"

Charlotte's self-esteem was bruised.

Charlotte hadn't expected the noblewoman in front of her to reveal the truth so easily.

Charlotte thought, "How dare she?"

Madelyn's nose was dripping with sweat as she said dismissively, "You probably don't know that no one is allowed to mention Eleanor in our family. There was no chance that Eleanor would marry into the Clark family before, not to mention you!"

Charlotte didn't believe it.

Charlotte thought of herself as a young beauty and did not believe that she could not compare to Eleanor.

Besides, Benjamin would be here in a minute...

Charlotte had a blade in her hand. Her eyes were wet with tears as she pressed the blade against her pretty little face. "Mrs. Clark, you've got me wrong. I've never wanted to break up your family, and it's not my fault that I look like Eleanor! If... If you hate my face that much, I'll just destroy it!"

Madelyn blinked lightly.

Madelyn asked Gloria, "What school did Ms. Lorne go to, Gredax Academy of Drama or Gredax Film Academy?"

Gloria cleared her throat lightly. "She majored in history!"

Madelyn nodded and continued to work out. But at this moment, in front of Charlotte stood six incredibly strong, black-clad bodyguards...

Charlotte went pale. She did not realize Madelyn was so guarded.

Madelyn said carelessly, "If you want to ruin your face, make it quick! When Ben comes over later, you can tell him that I bully you, and ask him to take you to the hospital!"

Madelyn was upset after saying that.

Back then... didn't Eleanor play this game?

The blade in Charlotte's hand fell to the ground, and her red lips trembled. "Mrs. Clark, I won't break up your family!"

With that, Charlotte turned around and ran away.

Madelyn smiled very softly, guessing that Benjamin was already here...

Sure enough, Charlotte bumped into Benjamin at the door.

Charlotte more or less wanted to throw herself at Benjamin!

Benjamin held her up, frowned, and said to Madelyn, "What's she doing here?"

Before Madelyn could say anything, Charlotte said with her voice trembling, "I'm sorry, Mr. Clark, I didn't mean to break up your family. Please assure Mrs. Clark that I am not lying!"

Madelyn couldn't help but roll her eyes.

Benjamin sent Charlotte away. Vivian and Gloria left sensibly. After working out, Madelyn rubbed massage cream on her waist and gently rubbed it until it was comfortably warm.

Madelyn already had a thin waist, and it looked even tauter after she worked out.

Her waist was slender, and her skin was soft. He could hold her around the waist with one hand.

Benjamin took the massage cream, held her still with one hand, and gently massaged her waist with the other.

Madelyn lifted her chin, and she narrowed her eyes slightly at him.

Madelyn was attractive with a hint of provocation in her eyes. Benjamin really wanted to lay on top of her and have sex with her, but he knew that Madelyn was seducing him deliberately and was not going to make love to him!

Benjamin leaned over, and Madelyn felt his hot breath in her ear. "Your waist is so taut. Your skin is so hot!"

Madelyn sneered, "Really? But I don't think any of that compares to Charlotte's face!"

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Madelyn finished her words.

Benjamin was stung by her remarks. He was supposed to be angry, but he wasn't. Instead, he found it quite amusing!

Madelyn grabbed the massage cream and rubbed some into her skin.

Benjamin looked at Madelyn's serene face and downcast eyes and was captivated by her radiant looks.

Benjamin suddenly said softly, "She's not as pretty as you!"

Madelyn's hands froze. Then she lifted one leg elegantly and continued to apply massage cream to her leg. Benjamin stared at her shapely leg. Even her knee was soft. He had never found anyone's legs so alluring!

Benjamin couldn't take his eyes off her legs. The Adam's apple in his throat moved up and down!

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Madelyn got in the car and sat in the back seat.

Benjamin gripped the steering wheel and muttered, "Ms. Green, do you think I'm your driver?"

Madelyn flipped through her papers.

Hearing that, Madelyn whispered without looking up, "I'm reading the files!"

Benjamin frowned, "You're a woman. Why are you trying to earn so much money?"

Madelyn suddenly smiled wickedly. "This is what my husband left me. Of course, I have to cherish it!"

Benjamin didn't say another word.

He was pissed off by Madelyn.

Unaffected by him, Madelyn continued to read the papers. Neither of them spoke again.

Benjamin and Madelyn arrived at the Clarks' mansion.

When the car pulled up, Everest came running up to them. She was cute with tawny curls.

Everest took Madelyn by the hand and said sweetly, "Mommy, you're so pretty!"

Madelyn crouched down and kissed Everest. Then she held Everest's hand and walked slowly towards the villa.

sun was

and gorgeous. Her waist was so slim especially when viewed from behind. No one could tell that

Benjamin's return, he had enjoyed everything

the marriage, and

revolve around Benjamin anymore,

to sleep

follow them in but stood by

his relationship

regret what he had said that

said that Madelyn saw him

acting like he was truly a stand-in!

Alexander came out with Emerson. Alexander was furious at the sight of Benjamin...

"What a piece of crap!"

pissed off Madelyn, she wouldn't be living

I thought you would hang in for a good while! But now you're back to see

taunted by Alexander.

"Dad, that's not

kill you if you cheat on her, physically or emotionally! But I don't really care. I have my grandson and granddaughter anyway!

frowned. "I didn't

"You better not!"

Emerson somewhere else to get some sun. The doctor said Emerson

...

didn't see Madelyn for almost

much. It wasn't until bedtime that

Francis shared the same

his face looking rosy

shower in

had just finished feeding the baby without pulling down her woolen dress when

an awkward

walked over and whispered, "Don't you feel pain when your other breast is filling

"I'll

me help

shameless. They were not on speaking terms right now, but it seemed he wanted to do every intimate thing a couple should do

and Madelyn. He just wanted to sleep with her!

would not come out for a while, she wrapped her arms around Benjamin's neck and whispered

face betrayed lust.

against his while murmuring, "You work

Madelyn kissed Benjamin.

She did not have sex with him. She just gave a little peck on his lips and then stuck her tongue down his throat to turn him on. When he wanted more, she just rested her head on his shoulder and chuckled, "It's for remarriage! Women stay in good shape to find better men!"

Madelyn reached out one slender finger and let it trace his straight nose again and again.

Benjamin was speechless...

Madelyn said softly, "After all, I have two children. If I can't make a man love me, my life will be hard! Benjamin, teach me how to win a man's heart."

Madelyn tapped her slender finger on Benjamin's chest and slowly stroked it. "Like this way?"

Sweat popped out on Benjamin's forehead.

His voice was husky. "Where did you learn that, Mrs. Clark?"

Madelyn suddenly shoved Benjamin away and quickly buttoned up her shirt. Then, she looked up at him, flicked her long, tawny curls, and smiled faintly, "My husband taught me that!"

Benjamin was furious!

But Benjamin really wanted to sleep with Madelyn. She turned him on just now, and he felt a surge of desire for her!

At this moment, there was a sound from the bathroom. It was Everest getting out of the shower!

Madelyn gathered her clothes around her and said in a serious voice, "Benjamin, I won't sleep with you again until you respect our marriage."

Right after Madelyn said that, Everest came out.

Everest was naked and dripping wet.

Madelyn took a large towel and wrapped it around Everest's little body with a gentle face!

Madelyn toweled Everest dry and dressed her in her pajamas. After dimming the light in the kids' room, Madelyn leaned against the bedhead and began reading Everest a fairy tale... But Everest was only interested in Madelyn's scent.

Everest burrowed her face into Madelyn's chest. Normally, Madelyn would breastfeed her.

But Benjamin was there. Madelyn was gently patting Everest...

Gradually, Everest fell asleep!

Benjamin walked over, bent down, and kissed Everest. He then grumbled, "You sleep here every day?"

The light was dim.

Madelyn looked at Benjamin and said calmly, "I didn't ask where you slept before! I hope you'll get rid of Charlotte, or I'll deal with her!"

Benjamin sat down on the edge of the bed.

Madelyn was soft and alluring...

Benjamin admitted that he got completely smitten by beautiful women, just like any man in the world. Benjamin was willing to get her the stars and the moon now...

Chapter 280 He Has a Desire to Conquer Madelyn!

Benjamin suddenly understood something.

The first thing Madelyn cared about and wanted to protect was her children first, followed by him!

This discovery made Benjamin a little uncomfortable.

He looked down at Madelyn's soft face as if seeing another himself from her, the one with all his memories!

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Benjamin did not compromise with Madelyn, but the next day, he still drove back to the Clarks' mansion.

It was getting late, and dusk fell after sunset.

Benjamin did not go into the house immediately but leaned against the car, lit a cigarette, and smoked slowly.

The smoke rose, blurring his face.

There were many children in the Clarks' mansion, and laughter came from time to time in the hall, which was very lively. But it was a bit strange to Benjamin.

After smoking a cigarette, Benjamin walked into the hall.

In the hall, there was an unfamiliar child, who was good-looking!

At this time, the little boy was sitting on the sofa with a slightly indifferent expression, with a few toys scattered around him.

Benjamin was about to ask something.

Madelyn came over with a plate of baked cookies, squatted in front of the boy, and said very gently, "Edward, this is freshly made. Try one!"

Edward grabbed a few with an unnatural expression.

"Is it delicious?" Madelyn touched his head.

"Yes!"

Everest approached and sat next to Edward. "Edward, Mom added a lot of milk to the cookies! Why don't you come again tomorrow?"

Edward blushed slightly and nodded.

Benjamin frowned slightly.

He thought that this little boy named Edward was like the little son-in-law raised by the Clark family!

Everest's little husband!

Benjamin felt that he had to talk to Madelyn!

In the middle of the night, after waiting for the children to go to bed, Benjamin walked into the children's room and knocked on the door. "Are you free? I want to talk to you about something, about Everest actually!"

Hearing that Benjamin said it was about Everest, Madelyn was willing to talk to him.

She looked down at Everest in her arms and said softly, "I'll go to your room in a while."

After a while, Madelyn opened the door of Benjamin's bedroom.

In the bedroom, the light was dim, and the atmosphere was a bit intimate.

Benjamin had already taken a shower, and he was casually draped in a white bathrobe. He was in good shape, so he was still sexy and very attractive even just with the simple bathrobe.

When Madelyn looked at him, he was also looking at her.

He sneered, "Are you wearing so thick because you are afraid I will do something to you?"

softly, "What do

is the relationship between Edward and the Clark family? What's his relationship
smiled lightly. "You

...

deafening

looked at Madelyn.

thought, "She looks so gentle with a light pink sweater dress, but what

he said in a very low but stern voice, "He's a

...

a daze.

Benjamin was accusing

wasn't going to be

"Paisley, go to the company and take out Document No. 1

Paisley said okay, Madelyn hung up.

Benjamin frowned.

Paisley came late at night and left after delivering the

and said,

he had a vacant

law. Before opening this document, he never thought he would do such a ridiculous thing!

him!

injected 30 million dollars into Edward's father's

he who played golf with

was still he who decided to let Edward

him from beginning to end...or another self!

his eyes slightly and looked at

a long time, "Benjamin, even if I

those three years, Benjamin took care of Everest alone.

deep into the bone! He could

the one in front of Madelyn was rational and calm, and he was not the

thought, "I'm not trying to give up. I'm just feeling a bit

...

the dark night, looking lonely.

lips moved slightly.

had a hundred ways to defend himself, but the words couldn't come out because Madelyn looked so sad

wondered if she was missing...another him.

the sky on

fully heated, and it was very warm. A thin layer of mist appeared on

and scratched gently on the glass. She said in a bit gravelly voice, "Benjamin, you turned me into a person like you, but you've changed back to the way

he used to be. His soul doesn't match mine at all. Even if we do all the intimate things in bed, I'm always and lonely, which deeply enchanted this man.

Then he put his face in her ear and asked in a low voice, "Is he that good? What's so good about him, huh?"

but he still

me in bed. Her blushing face and charming voice were all caused by another me!"

thought of this made Benjamin very

turned her face slightly and asked, "You

kiss her from the face to the back of the ear to the neck... The

and kissed

on the side of his warm neck and murmured, "If you want to know, I'll show

night, and Madelyn

a videotape for Benjamin to let him watch slowly.

in black

bed, and turned on the TV with the remote control casually.

just one second, he was shocked by

and Madelyn had sex that day. He was sitting in the study, while she was moving up and down attentively in his arms... At that time, she was about four months pregnant.

the video intently, straightening and then curling his slender legs on the bed

raced!

and kissing

two in the video

was glowing in the dark

just ten minutes, Benjamin watched the video

Early in the morning, Benjamin was in a complicated mood. As soon as he got downstairs, he asked a servant where Madelyn was .

The servant said with a smile, "Mrs. Clark went out early in the morning. It seems that she is going to the airport to pick someone up."

Benjamin was somewhat disappointed.

He sat down and drank coffee quietly, but his mind was full of Madelyn's melancholy last night and the intimacy they had in that video...

Benjamin couldn't believe that Madelyn would be willing to do that for a man.

Over the past six months, they had made love several times, and he thought they had a good time. But after watching the video, he realized that Madelyn had never taken the initiative when having sex with him.

Not once!

Maybe because of a man's desire to conquer, Benjamin couldn't wait to have sex with Madelyn.

He wanted to see her fall into lust!

But he didn't expect her to run away early in the morning after teasing him all night!

Benjamin had not only flames of fury in his heart but also the fire of desire.

His law firm was very busy, and he was not young anymore.

So he couldn't let go of all business to chase Madelyn, but he was still in a sulk because of her behavior.

At noon, Benjamin called Madelyn.

Madelyn answered the phone.

After last night, their relationship was completely different. In particular, Benjamin was quite stimulated!

Leaning on the back of his chair, Benjamin gently loosened his tie with his slender fingers, and said in a softer tone than usual, "There is a drama performance in the evening. I heard Eloise say that it was performed by your favorite actress. Shall we go to see it?"

In the Everest Group.

Madelyn stood in front of the huge floor-to-ceiling window, watching the snow falling outside.

She knew that Benjamin was pursuing her. With her understanding of him, she also knew he was probably stimulated by the video.

He definitely wanted more!

But Madelyn didn't want to give him, at least not now.

With her slender fingers, she gently stroked the icy glass and said with a soft smile, "You can't even find a person to accompany you to the drama, can you?"

Madelyn's words had more or less flirting and teasing meaning!

Benjamin was a man, and men all liked it!

He gave a low laugh and said frankly, "Let's watch the drama first, and we won't go back to the mansion at night. We will stay in a hotel outside. We can enjoy the snow while drinking red wine!"

Madelyn lowered her eyes and smiled lightly.

She thought, "What he wants to appreciate is my body!"

She said, "Your proposal is really exciting, but...I have a business banquet tonight and I have to attend it!"

Madelyn lied in fact...

She thought Benjamin might know it, but if men really wanted to pursue women, they had a lot of patience.

Sure enough, Benjamin was not angry.

He whispered, "What about the afternoon? Do you have time in the afternoon? Shall we meet?"

Madelyn looked at the snow outside with a faint smile, thinking Benjamin really had perseverance!

She agreed, "At 4:30 p.m., I will be in the company's gym for an hour."

The gym...

Benjamin felt a little pity, but it was better than nothing.

Madelyn hung up the phone.

She remembered the message sent by Paisley an hour ago. [Mr. Clark fired Charlotte!]