

The Billionaire Alpha's Contract Lover by Caesar Erickson

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With the help of the bright streetlights outside the iron gate, she could finally see who the man was.

“Jackson...”

How did he find this place?

“Your old lover is here to pick you up, so you were eager to leave?”

His sarcastic tone pulled Taya back to reality.

She looked at Griffon, who had already walked to her side.

He had just taken a shower and smelled pleasant.

But what he said was so unpleasant.

Taya pursed her lips and did not reply. She wanted to leave.

But if she walked out of the villa at this moment, Griffon would definitely think that she had discussed it with Jackson.

“Why aren't you leaving?”

Griffon lowered his head and looked at her with frigid eyes.

Seeing the iciness in his eyes, Taya was afraid he would think she didn't want to leave, so she quickly turned around.

However, as soon as she took two steps towards the stairs, Griffon grabbed her by the arm and pulled her into his arms.

“As expected, you’ve discussed it with him!”

A low growl came from above her head, which stunned Taya for a moment.

“I didn’t discuss it with him.”

“Then how did he know you were here?”

“I don’t know, either. Maybe it’s-”

“Don’t try to evade the issue. You wanted me to find your purse so you could contact him.”

Before she could explain, Griffon interrupted her.

Taya stopped talking.

He had already decided that she had contacted Jackson to come to pick her up, and no matter what she said, the Alpha wouldn’t believe her. It was better just to forget it.

“He came to pick you up as soon as you recovered. How else would he know when to get here if you hadn’t told him?”

His pressure and lack of trust made Taya feel very tired. She took a deep breath and then spoke.

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“Yes, I’ve discussed it with him. I asked him to pick me up when I can leave the bed and walk around.”

Seeing that she admitted to it, Griffon sneered, his wolf showing

in his eyes and his fangs dropping slightly.

"You're so cheap. You haven't fully recovered yet but already wanted him to sleep with you!"

Griffon never failed to think the worst of her.

Taya raised her face and smiled provocatively at him:

"You're right. I'm desperate to sleep with him, so please let me go!"

Griffon's body stiffened.

Taya could feel that she had angered him, but she didn't know if she was too angry and that was overriding her fear of him. She just didn't want to let him off the hook.

Like a thorny rose, she stabbed him with all her thorns and said, "We've separated, and you're getting mated. We don't have any reason to see each other ever again."

Griffon's body became stiffer, and his eyes were so dark they looked like ink might start to seep from them.

"What did you say?"

He spoke in a low and ominous growl, and his fangs were fully extended now.

Looking directly into the Alpha's eyes, Taya gritted her teeth and said, "I told you not to pester me anymore. I don't want to see you again. Please let me go and let me go home with him."

After they separated, Griffon came to find her several times, which always made her mistakenly think that he could not let go of her.

But when she heard him say he had only physical needs for her, she decided she had to make a clean break from him.

Since she wanted to cut off all ties, she had to be more decisive with her words.

Otherwise, it would seem like she wanted to refuse but was still willing to accept him.

She needed to present a strong stance. An Alpha would only accept a strong stance.

Taya thought that if she acted decisively enough, he would let her go and let her get out of his house.

However, he held her waist with one large hand and backed her

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up against the French window.

The moment his lips pressed down on hers, Taya was completely stunned...

He was not kissing her. Instead, he was biting her lips. Hard.

He repeatedly crushed his body against hers and bit her as if he had accumulated too much anger in his heart, but also as if he had endured her for a long time before venting it on her in this way.

Taya's mind went blank. It wasn't until she felt a sharp pain on her lips that she realized what Griffon was doing.

She instinctively tried her best to push him away, but he grabbed her wrists with one hand and lifted her hands above her head, pinning her in place.

Taya's eyes widened as she looked at the handsome face before her. For a moment, she felt that he was completely crazy...

"Griffon!"

While struggling, she groaned and tried to stop him from going wild, but as soon as she opened her mouth, she was bitten again.

This time, it changed from being biting to kissing. It was crazy and unrestrained, and it was as if he was unleashing all of his pent-up passion and frustration on her. Her traitorous body responded to him, and she kissed him back.

Just as she was about to explode from his kiss, Frank's voice came from downstairs.

"Alpha Sterling has called the pack police. He said that you illegally detained Ms. Palmer. Now the police are here and are waiting outside."

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Griffon paused momentarily, raised his hazy eyes, and looked out the window.

Then, he looked down at the delicate woman in his arms.

"Your old lover is as ungrateful as you."

After saying this, he turned around and ordered Frank in a cold voice, "Let him come up."

Since he wanted to see Taya, he would let him see her as long as he could bear it!

"Yes, Alpha," Frank answered.

He let Jackson in after giving some instructions to the pack police.

Jackson, who was soaked all over, staggered up the stairs with the help of the handrail.

The head wound had affected the powerful wolf, but he was pushing past the pain and blood loss.

When he saw Taya being forcibly kissed by Griffon against the floor-to-ceiling window, he started to shift partially into his wolf, into his lycan form.

Over the past few days, he had checked all the a*sets under Griffon's name instead of under the Knight pack. Finding them

took a lot of effort, but now he was here, seeing everything with his own eyes.

Jackson was rooted to the spot, and his expression was filled with disbelief before other emotions started to take over.

"Taya!"

He staggered over and tried to pull Griffon away from her, but he was stopped by the pack guards behind him.

Griffon had his back to Jackson, so he couldn't see his expression, but he could hear the collapse in his voice, hear the other Alpha's anger and hurt.

He couldn't help but smile, clasped the back of Taya's head, and deepened the kiss. There was no way the other Alpha didn't smell Taya's arousal for Griffon.

After telling Frank to let Jackson in, Taya didn't expect Griffon to kiss her again.

It was not until she heard Jackson's voice that she understood Griffon's purpose.

Although she had already let go of Jackson, she still couldn't help but be shocked when she saw his bloodshot eyes.

She felt that the man struggling to rush to them was not Jackson but Silas.

Because only when Silas saw her being bullied by another man would he break down.

His desire to protect her above all else

had been Silas's only weakness.

Subconsciously, she didn't want to make him sad, so she struggled desperately.

However, the more she struggled, the harder Griffon kissed her.

And then he slid the hand wrapped around her waist to cup her breast.

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"Griffon, don't touch her!"

Jackson roared like a madman, wishing to rush forward and kill Griffon.

However, he was pinned down by Griffon's strongest pack guards and couldn't move at

all. Had he not been injured, he would have been able to throw them off, but his head wound kept him from accessing his full wolf powers.”

He could only watch as Griffon slowly took advantage of Taya.

Except...was he really taking advantage of her?

Jackson could smell Taya’s arousal, could tell from the glazed-over look in her eyes that at least part of her wasn’t resisting him.

“Don’t... don’t it here!”

Taya forcefully pushed Griffon and only squeezed out this sentence with difficulty.

Because if Jackson wasn’t watching, she wasn’t sure she would want him to stop.

However, Griffon sealed her lips with his again, and she couldn’t say anything. She was so angry and turned-on that she trembled and bit Griffon’s lips fiercely.

She wanted to force Griffon back in this way, but she didn’t

Something about it must have tapped into his wolf’s animalistic desires, even though a human was the one doing it.

She knew that sex between wolf shifters could be very rough, with the she-wolves giving out just as much as the males did. Perhaps she’d awakened something not just in herself, but something in him in regard to how he looked at her.

With a roar, Griffon suddenly let go of her, his chest heaving up and down. He picked her up and walked into the bedroom.

Jackson desperately tried to yank away from the pack guards holding him backing, letting out a warning growl.

“Griffon, I won’t let you touch her!”

The heart-wrenching voice behind them made Griffon stop.

He slowly turned around and looked down at Jackson. When he spoke, the commanding power of his Alpha wolf infused his words with warning.

“She’s my woman. I can touch her if I want. What right do you have to forbid me from doing so?”

His powerful and arrogant aura made Jackson, who was kneeling on the floor, look like a despicable dog rather than the strong Alpha he was.

in Griffon’s arms.

“She’s not your woman. She’s mine. I grew up with her, and we love each other. I’m willing to look past the fact that she has no wolf, and you won’t. How could she be yours if you don’t truly accept her for who she is?”

They had promised to be together forever!

How did she end up being his?

How could she be his even now?

Jackson couldn’t accept it, and his mind was in a state of mental breakdown, as if his wolf was turning feral inside of him.

Seeing Jackson’s expression, Taya was slightly shocked.

Didn’t he abandon her five years ago?

Why did he look so sad?

Holding Taya tightly in his arms, Griffon glared at Jackson, who was clearly on the verge of going mad.

“If you’d like, you can sit outside the door and listen to just how wild and passionate she is while I’m inside her.”

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The moment the door was closed, Jackson’s desperate roar was cut off.

Taya was thrown onto the bed by Griffon, and his massive body was pressed down against hers.

She’d thought he was deliberately provoking Jackson, but she didn’t expect him to be serious. He was going to sleep with her!

“I’ve slept with another man since you. Don’t you think I’m dirty now?”

“I don’t care. I’m going to erase every bit of any other man from your body.”

After saying this, Griffon’s deep eyes became more determined, as if he had made up his mind to fully possess her and mark her with his scent again.

It wasn’t until this moment that Taya realized Griffon was angry. He was so angry that he didn’t even care that she was dirty!

Part of her wanted to struggle because she thought he was only doing this to re-stake his claim of possession on her, to own her again and assert his dominance over her because his Alpha wolf couldn’t stand the thought of someone else having claimed what it considered his.

But the other part of her, the part that would always be helplessly in love with Griffon, forever tied to him...that part won out. She melted under him, grabbing at him and raking her nails over him.

His lovemaking was ruthless, passionate-like the last time they'd been together before he broke things off with her.

It seemed that he was deliberately doing what he could to make her be more vocal, and as much as she tried to keep quiet, she couldn't. It was too much. He did his best to punish her and vent his anger, unable to control his impassioned desire for her.

It was a longing that belonged to him. As soon as he touched her, he lost control of his emotions.

"Taya, you're destined to be mine..."

His eyes were full of possessiveness. It was the first time Taya had seen him like this. She stared at the man who was kissing her deeply. For a moment, she was in a trance.

"Griffon, who am I to you?"

Was she a tool for sex, or did he leave some space in his heart, in his soul for her?

She felt that maybe she was not as simple as just a physiological need for him because these actions weren't the actions of a man

who was just sating a bodily need.

There was a glimmer of hope again.

Then Griffon grabbed her face, leaned close to her ear, and growled, "Don't dream I will love you!"

He didn't love her, and he wouldn't!

He had repeatedly lost control because of her, but he just couldn't accept that she was with another man!

However, he didn't even notice that when he was together with her, his heart was unprecedentedly calm and content...

Griffon's words were like a heavy blow to Taya's heart, extinguishing the last glimmer of hope.

She smiled and said, "I don't love you either..."

Then his lovemaking became even fiercer, more possessing.

After it was over, Griffon pushed up from the bed and got up to go to the bathroom.

Taya lay there and looked in the direction of the door with despair...

This was Griffon's bedroom, and the door was a secured one.

Without a remote control, it was impossible to open.

While they were having sex, the man outside the door had been pounding on it crazily.

Taya suddenly remembered that when Silas woke up five years ago and learned she had sold herself to save him, he pointed at her nose and scolded her.

He scolded her for being shameless and for having sex with another man when he was on the verge of death.

She felt wronged then, but now she felt very guilty when she confirmed what he had said.

It wasn't because of Jackson but because of Silas, who once held her in his heart and loved her....

Taya sighed deeply when she heard his heart-wrenching voice. She struggled to lift the quilt, put on her clothes, and walked to the door.

When she plucked up the courage to open the door, she saw Jackson's red wolf eyes and bloodied hands.

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"You..."

Taya was speechless. She didn't know how to explain any of this right now to Jackson.

She was wearing Griffon's clothes, which were huge on her body.

Her lips were red and swollen, and seeing the love bites on her neck hurt Jackson.

His eyes were red, and his hands were trembling. He wanted to touch the places Griffon had touched, as if he could erase the evidence of what the other wolf had done, but Taya avoided his hand.

For Jackson, the action of Taya instinctively avoiding him was more hurtful than the sounds they made when they were locked inside Griffon's bedroom.

He took a step back in disbelief and looked at the woman standing at the door.

Until this moment, Jackson realized that what five years apart meant was not amnesia but loss.

After his brother pretended to be him and tried to kill Taya, he completely lost her...even though his brother's attempt hadn't been successful.

Angry, burning tears welled up in his eyes, making it impossible for him to clearly see what Taya looked like.

He staggered forward with difficulty, raised his hand, and pulled her into his embrace.

He hugged her with all the strength he dared, as if he wanted to pull her into his bones and blood.

But he couldn't feel any response from her.

In the past when he hugged her, she would smile and put her arms around his waist.

She would snuggle in his arms and acted like a spoiled child. "Silas, can you stop being so busy with work and spend more time with me?"

Taya had asked him to spend more time with her. But

he had never had time to accompany her in order to give her a better future and life.

When he had time, she and he had missed each other because of a car accident...

This regret gripped his heart, suffocating him to the point of being unable to breathe. Even if he were to take in large mouthfuls of air, it would not be able to

alleviate the pain in the slightest. His wolfclawed inside of him, desperate for things between him and Taya to go back to what they used to be.

When a drop of moisture fell on her collarbone, Taya was shocked. She wanted to raise her head, but his big palm grabbed her.

“No, don’t look at me...”

The Alpha would never allow someone to look upon his weak moment.

Taya stopped moving and allowed him to hug her, but her mind went blank.

Jackson was acting abnormally. It was as if he had changed into another person.

“I’m sorry.”

He buried his head in her neck and apologized in a low, gruff voice.

“I couldn’t accept that you were willing to sell yourself to save me. I was in an emotional blind rage. I had a car accident on the way home, and my head injury made me forget about you...”

“I’m sorry, Taya. I just remembered. I’m so sorry...”

Hearing his sincere words, Taya couldn’t help but choose to believe him.

He had not lied to her. He had really lost his memory.

He said that he lost his memory on the way home, but when she went to Wolverly Capital to find him, he clearly hadn’t lost his memory.

Taya was very confused and wanted to ask him what

was going on. But he suddenly let go of her and took a photo from his pocket.

“This is my elder brother. Look, do I look like him?”

There were two people in the photo taking side by

side.

The man on the left was in a black suit, while the man on the right was in a casual white suit.

They wore different clothes, but their appearances were exactly the same, as if carved from the same mold.

Taya looked at Jackson in disbelief.

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Jackson paused, his eyes full of guilt.

Taya’s heart stopped beating, and her face, which was as pale as paper, turned even paler little by little.

Silas had never considered abandoning or killing her.

His brother was the one who had been ruthless to her and said those harsh words back then...

Silas had never changed, and she had never loved the wrong person...

The wolf she loved hadn’t changed his mind and wanted to dump her off for being a human.

The resentment that had lingered in her heart for

many years was completely released when she knew the truth.

All of a sudden, she stopped struggling, feeling sad, or resentful.

She heaved a deep sigh of relief. When she looked up at Jackson again, she had never felt so relaxed.

“It’s not your fault. This misunderstanding was caused by our fates. It’s all in the past now. You don’t have to apologize for it...”

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Seeing him like this, Taya couldn’t help but cry as well.

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Every time she talked a little more with other men, he

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He cared about her very much and would not allow anyone to touch her.

That was why he had collapsed after learning that

she had sold herself.

It was in his wolf's very nature to be protective and possessive beyond all else.

And now, after witnessing her sleeping with another man with his own eyes, such a wolf actually said that it was fine.

He feared that she would abandon him, but she couldn't be with him again. They had already missed each other.

Taya raised her hand to stop him. "Silas, I'm sorry. I've been with him for the past five years. It's been more than once."

In anger, she'd signed the agreement and handed herself over to Griffon.

Even though they had cleared up the

misunderstanding, it was still a fact that she had betrayed him.

She was not worthy of Silas, who only had eyes for her.

"I know." Jackson nodded and said indifferently, "As long as you're willing to come with me, it doesn't matter..."

He would no longer be as childish as before. He would protect her and not let her suffer any more

harm. Even though his wolf hated that she'd been with another Alpha, his wolf also longed for Taya.

His firm gaze made Taya's heart tremble slightly.

Silas really loved her. She had degenerated into such a state, and he was still willing to accept her.

Taya opened her mouth and wanted to say something, but a strong force behind her suddenly

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She turned around to look at the man who was

hugging her tightly.

His face was cold and gloomy, and his thin lips were tightly pursed.

His face was angry, indicating that he had heard everything they had just said.

He must have thought she was leaving with Jackson, so he rushed to stop her.

He had already gone too far with her in front of

Jackson. Why wouldn't he let her go?

Taya lowered her head and hid her eyes, fearful they would give away the complicated emotions she was feeling.

Seeing that she didn't resist, Griffon's expression softened a little, but his eyes were full of coldness as he looked at Jackson.

"Alpha Sterling, why do you want to take over the woman I've slept with thousands of times?"

These humiliating words made Jackson angry.

He clenched his fists, shifting partially back into his lycan form and rushed forward, wanting to slash at

Griffon with his claws.

His wolf tried to take over on instinct, forgetting

about his injured state. Griffon was one of the only

Alphas as powerful as him; with these injuries, Jackson couldn't overpower him.

Before his claws could even touch the corner of

Griffon's shirt, Griffon lifted his leg and kicked him to the ground.

"You're overestimating your abilities!"

Griffon raised his hand and flicked his sleeves. He

snorted out a growl at Jackson on the ground.

He didn't care about Jackson's life at all, which made Taya more and more disappointed.

With a cold face, she pushed Griffon away, rushed to Jackson, and squatted down to help him.

“Silas, are you hurt?”

Seeing that she was worried about another man, the hostility in Griffon’s eyes rose sharply, and his wolf

rose to the surface.

It was as if something important had been stolen,

and he could not help but want to take it back.

“Come here.”

His sense of superiority would not allow him to make

a move toward her.

He just stood there, looking down at the pair.

Griffon’s expression was commanding, warning, and

oppressive, suggesting punishment would be

inflicted if she didn’t obey.

Looking into his eyes, Taya felt extremely tired. She

didn’t want to go over at all...

But she knew his character. He wouldn’t let her and

Jackson leave safely if things didn’t go as the Alpha

wished.

She didn’t care. She had been under his control for

five years, but Jackson was still injured, and he had to go back for treatment.

Taya sighed heavily, helped Jackson, and placed him on the sofa. Then, she spoke softly to him and said, "Wait for me here. I'll talk to him, and then we'll leave together, okay?"

Jackson didn't want her to return to Griffon, but when he heard she would go with him, he couldn't help but let her.

After giving him a gentle smile, Taya turned around and approached Griffon. "Alpha Knight, you must have heard what we just said, right?" Griffon pursed his lips and didn't say a word, indicating that he had heard it. Then Taya continued.

"We promised to be together for a lifetime. You heard about what happened later because of his amnesia and elder brother. I misunderstood him, and that's why I signed that agreement with you in anger..."

Griffon interrupted her. "Do you mean you're unwilling to stay with me?"

Taya nodded. "That's right. I didn't spend your money in the past five years because I didn't want to owe you anything. Now that Silas is back and the misunderstanding has been cleared up, I want to go back to him and be with him. Can you let me go?"

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Her eyes were clear, without distracting thoughts about him, only pleading.

All the blood in Griffon's body was cold, and his little comfort after touching her collapsed instantly.

His heart was torn open, and his whole body was in pain, including his wolf.

Griffon clenched his fists and tried to suppress his claws from ripping into his palms, but he couldn't stop it. Couldn't stop the pain of her words.

That kind of pain was something that had never happened before. It traveled all over his body and hurt his limbs and bones...

"Alpha Knight, thank you for helping me when I was most helpless. Otherwise, Silas wouldn't have survived. I'm very grateful to you, but my feelings for you are limited to this-

"That's enough!"

Griffon let out a roar, causing Taya to shut her mouth.

She didn't dare to look at him. She lowered her head and waited for his wrath.

However, after waiting for a long time, Griffon did not respond...

Taya slowly raised her head and saw his cold and disappointed eyes.

Her heart felt like it was being grabbed by something, and it hurt so much that she had difficulty breathing.

Alphas were good at controlling their emotions. At this time, Griffon had already calmed down.

After five years, there was nothing else besides gratitude for this woman.

For such a woman's sake, he lowered his status and

went to find her again and again.

However, she had ruthlessly told him repeatedly that Silas was the only person she loved. He was nothing

in her heart.

If he continued to pester her, he would appear to be

ridiculous, and his pack and other packs would no longer respect him.

Griffon put away the disappointment in his eyes and glowered at Taya.

“Get lost!”

He only said two words, not a single extra word,

which meant he let her go.

Taya should have been happy that she had achieved

her goal, but she was heartbroken.

She looked at the Alpha, gritted her teeth, and

walked toward Jackson.

When she helped Jackson leave, she couldn't help looking back.

Griffon had shifted into his wolf and was down the

hallway.

The moment he turned the corner and never looked back, it indicated that all of this was over.

Frustrated, Taya couldn't catch her breath. Her hand that was holding Jackson was trembling in pain.

“Taya, what’s wrong?”

Her face, full of despondency and emotional

breakdown, made Jackson realize something, but he didn’t dare to think more.

“I’m fine.”

Taya shook her head. “Let’s go.”

Jackson nodded, held her hand tightly, and left the villa.

Griffon stood in the yard in his wolf form and watched them leave.

He stared fixedly at the petite figure, unable to describe his feelings.

He just had an impulse to rush forward and carry her back.

But the words she said pulled him back to reality.

She was just a human woman who did not love him. It was not a big deal. Why should he miss her?

He looked away.

Jackson and Taya supported each other out of the villa. There were a few cars that Jackson had brought.

The people in the cars were all pack guards, and their faces were all injured.

Before Jackson went in, they had already fought with Griffon's pack guards.

Seeing Jackson come out safe and sound, the guards breathed a sigh of relief. One of them opened the door for the two.