

The Billionaire Alpha's Contract Lover by Caesar Erickson

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Jackson helped Taya into the car first before he got

1. in.

Ignoring his injuries, he picked up a clean towel and wiped Taya's wet hair.

His movements were very gentle for fear of hurting

her. However, his expression changed when his gaze landed on her exposed skin.

Taya, whom he had loved and cared for all his life,

had been bullied so hard by that bastard...

This was not the first time. A full five years was enough to make Jackson regret a lifetime.

Seeing that Jackson was staring at her neck in a daze, Taya subconsciously covered her skin and wrapped her coat tighter around her.

Jackson hurriedly explained, "Taya, that's not what I

meant. I just felt that I was too useless to make you

hurt..."

Taya shook her head and said, "It's not his fault. I

volunteered."

How could she blame Griffon when she signed the

agreement herself?

Jackson's heart trembled for a moment. Her willingness was harder for him to accept than if she had been forced.

Instead of answering, he continued to dry her hair with a dry towel.

Looking at him gently taking care of her, Taya couldn't bear it, but there were some things that she had to make clear.

"Silas, I have something to tell you..."

"Let's talk about it when we get back, okay?"

She was interrupted by Jackson as soon as she opened her mouth.

He seemed to have noticed something and didn't want to listen to her.

Seeing that his forehead was still wrapped in gauze, Taya put down what she wanted to say first.

Jackson wanted to take her back to his villa, but Taya didn't want to. She wanted to go back to Harper's.

That small home gave her a sense of security. She could sleep better there.

Jackson had no choice but to take her back to her home, but he was unwilling to go in because he was afraid that Taya would tell him something after going inside.

Seeing this, Taya was not hurrying to get out of the car. "Silas, some things need to be made clear."

She didn't have much time left. This injury had

worsened her condition. If it weren't for the special medicine that Stella gave her, she might not have

had the strength to say much to him right now. While she still had some strength left, she wanted to ensure she said everything she needed to say.

"Don't take what I said in Griffon's villa to heart. I said that just to leave safely."

She was referring to when she said, "Now that Silas is back, the misunderstanding has been resolved. I want to go back to him and be with him".

Jackson was smart enough to understand what she was talking about but couldn't accept it. "Why?"

She had already rejected Griffon, so why wasn't she willing to return to him? Was she still blaming him?

Taya looked at him apologetically. "I'm sorry, Silas. It's my fault. I betrayed you first."

A trace of frustration appeared on Jackson's handsome face. "You didn't betray me. You sold

yourself for me. And later, you did it because of

"

anger..."

The corners of Taya's mouth curled up slightly. "I was indeed angry at first, but later I was willing to do so."

Her light-hearted words made Jackson's breath catch.

It was as if a big hand was strangling his heart, making him unable to breathe.

“You...fell in love with him?”

This question almost took Jackson’s breath away.

His eyes, which had finally recovered their original color, gradually turned red.

He looked at Taya with his bloodshot eyes, pleading with her.

He seemed to be begging her to deny it. However, no matter how reluctant Taya was to hurt him, she could

only harden her heart now.

“Yes, I’ve fallen in love with him...”

She couldn’t say if she loved Griffon like she loved

Silas before or if she loved Griffon more than she

loved Silas.

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Jackson had already realized it but didn’t expect her to admit it.

She probably didn’t care about his feelings because she didn’t love him anymore.

It made sense. He had been absent for five years in that way, so it was normal for her to fall in love with

someone else.

However, why did he feel so uncomfortable...

The suffocating feeling gripped his heart, making it impossible for him to break free.

In the end, he could only say, “Then what should I

do...”

He had only lived for Taya since he was a pup.

She had fallen in love with Griffon. What should he
do?

Seeing him like this, Taya's eyes were filled with guilt.

“I’m sorry...”

Jackson raised his head, his bloodshot eyes reflecting

her apologetic face. “I don’t want your apology. I want you. Taya, please don’t love him
anymore. Love

me again, okay?”

He grabbed Taya’s cold hand and put it in his palm. “I’ll treat you
well in the future. I won’t let you get hurt

at all. Let’s go back to the past and be as carefree as

we were before, okay? My pack will accept you. You’ll

be my Luna, you’ll be one of us...”

Taya shook her head gently. “Silas, we can’t go back to the past...”

Jackson didn’t believe her at all. “You’re lying to me,

aren’t you? If you really loved him, you wouldn’t have

said those heartless words to him just now. You don’t love him at all. You’re
just blaming me. That’s why you lied to me like that...”

“I said those heartless words because he doesn’t love

me.” Taya calmly interrupted Jackson. “He bought me because I look like Tara Thorin. Now that she is back,

he will mate her soon.”

Another reason was that she was about to die. She

didn’t want Griffon to see her miserable state before

she died. It was too ugly.

She thought that even if she were to die, she had to leave a good impression on Griffon. When he found

out in the future...

If he could still remember her in the future, he would only remember her delicate and beautiful face, not her disfigured appearance.

Jackson looked at her and suddenly gave a bitter smile.

If she was just a substitute, why did he touch her after Tara returned?

Moreover, Griffon did it before him, clearly declaring

his sovereignty as a more powerful Alpha.

Perhaps it was because Griffon had never expressed

his feelings for Taya that she didn’t know how crazy

the possessiveness hidden in his wolf’s eyes was.

However, even though Taya thought Griffon didn’t love her, she still fell in love with him. Jackson couldn’t

judge how deep her love was.

His heart ached as if a needle had pricked it, but he

couldn't do anything to her.

He held her hand tightly, his fingertips trembling. "Taya, he doesn't love you. Can you let him go and start over with me?"

Even though he knew Griffon had feelings for her, he didn't want to tell her. His selfishness only wanted Taya to return to his side. He couldn't remember when he started to fall in love with Taya, but he had loved her since he could remember.

How could he let go of someone he had loved for half his life just like that?

However, Taya pushed his hand away...

"Silas, even if you don't mind, we can't start over..."

He was also the man she had once loved. Similarly, she did not want him to see her miserable state before she died.

Only by severing ties with him would he stop pestering her, and she could leave this world at ease.

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"Silas, do you know why I'm here to entertain you?"

It was Tara who forced me to do this. Otherwise, I would never have seen you again!"

"I've completely let go of you. I hope you can also let go of me and return to Wolverly Capital to manage the Sterling Pack. That's your home."

After finishing her words in one breath, Taya wanted to open the door and leave, but Jackson hugged her from behind.

He buried his head in her hair. "Taya, I can't let you go. I WON'T let go."

Jackson was inherently stubborn and paranoid, unlike Griffon, who was arrogant and cold-hearted. Jackson wouldn't just turn around and leave after a few harsh words. To break cleanly with him, Taya had to be even harsher.

Taya took a deep breath, gritted her teeth, and said, "Alpha Sterling, listen carefully. I don't care if you can let me go or not. I don't love you anymore. If you keep bugging me now, you will only make me look down on you and annoy you."

She pried open his fingers one by one that were pressing against her waist and continued in a cold voice: "Do you think I can still reconcile with you after your elder brother kicked me twice? I'm telling you, it's impossible. Those two kicks only made me hate you even more, and because you didn't return to Wolverly Capital, I was forced to entertain you, which made me even more disgusted with you..."

"Taya ..."

His face was full of disbelief as if he couldn't believe that Taya, who used to be so delicate and lovely, would say such harsh words to him.

"Alpha Sterling, there are plenty of women in the world. Why do you have to stay with me? I don't love you anymore."

Jackson's eyes were full of sadness. He stared blankly at Taya in front of him, unable to utter a word.

Taya clenched her fists, suppressed the pain in her heart, gritted her teeth, and said, "I don't want to

entertain you anymore. Please go back to Wolverly

Capital. Please don't come to me again in the future."

After saying this, she left without looking back, as if she didn't care at all.

As her fading figure disappeared from Jackson's blurred vision, he came to his senses.

He pushed open the car door and followed.

Taya knew he was following her, so she sighed deeply and went inside alone, ignoring him.

She knew about Silas's feelings for her. He had always doted on her since childhood, giving her everything she wanted. As they grew up, he worked hard to earn money to provide her with a good life.

He had been working part-time jobs since high school.

Such a good young wolf must have loved her so much that he would do anything for her.

However, what she could repay him with was to shift her love and have less than two months to live...

She had once asked him what he would do if she had passed away before he.

Silas said, "Then I'll go with you and commit suicide in front of your grave, since we won't be able to fully mate like wolves. I'll never let you be alone on the way to hell."

He was a man of his word, so she believed he would

not do anything foolish now that he had found her home and had a backup plan. However, Taya was still afraid to tell him she was about to leave this world.

She pushed the door open and entered her home while Jackson stood guard at the door, staring at the door motionlessly. The pack guards behind him all looked puzzled.

Their Alpha seemed to have changed since getting his head wound.

Although he still looked like a strong Alpha, his eyes showed a trace of sadness.

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Taya knew Jackson was waiting outside the door, but she didn't chase him away. The Sterling pack wouldn't allow him to waste his time in Arcadia. They needed their Alpha back in Wolverly.

She took a shower and then took the medicine prescribed by the hospital before. She had forgotten to take out the special medicine Stella had given her and her phone. She was in a hurry then, so she put on Griffon's clothes and helped Jackson out of the villa.

She picked up the coat with a man's fragrance and touched it, reluctant to part with it. But the tenderness in her eyes faded when she thought of what he had said in her ear. The will was still unopened in the drawer. Taya took it

out and found the piece of paper with the words "Griffon."

She picked up a pen and wrote, He said, don't dream that I will love you. It turns out that he doesn't love me.

Perhaps it was because Taya had been tormented for the past few days that she fell asleep as soon as she lay on the bed.

The man outside the door was leaning against the doorframe and did not move, as if waiting for Taya to give in.

However, after waiting an entire night, she still did not open the door.

In Alpha Knight's home, Stella brought her medicine bag over to check on Taya.

However, Frank told her that Ms. Palmer had left and that Stella didn't have to come here to treat her.

Stella was a little surprised. She didn't know what had happened yesterday and thought Ms. Palmer

had found a way to leave.

She thought it would be better for Taya to leave.

After all, no one knew when this illness would take

her away. She didn't want her to die in Alpha Knight's house and cause any misunderstandings.

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Stella nodded at Frank and was about to return to the hospital when Andre's voice came from upstairs.

"Stella, Alpha Knight has asked you to come up."

Stella had no choice but to go upstairs obediently.

"What does Alpha Knight want from me?"

Andre was Stella's cousin, and they both worked for Griffon.

However, Andre grew up with Griffon, so he was closer to him than Stella.

"You'll know once you get in."

Andre motioned for Stella to enter the study by herself.

Stella nodded, pushed the door open, and entered.

“Alpha Knight, you were looking for me?”

Griffon was sitting in front of the study, staring at his computer. When he saw Stella coming in, he only raised his eyebrows and nodded to the side of his desk.

“Take this to her.”

Griffon indicated the small white leather bag and a few medicine boxes.

When Stella saw the things on the table, she was happy she'd had the medication repackaged.

Now that it was in Griffon's hands, Stella was glad that she had replaced the packaging when giving it to Taya to avoid arousing suspicion.

“Yes, Alpha.”

Stella took the bag and medicine, turned around, and was about to leave when Griffon stopped her.

“Is there anything else I can do for you?”

Griffon took out a business card and handed it to her.

“This is Dr. George in Chicago. He's been looking for a suitable heart for Taya. Contact him in the future.”

Stella had heard of Dr. George, a world-famous

cardiology expert.

And Griffon had asked him to find a matching heart

for Taya!

Surely, he must care for the human.

Why else would he hire such a famous expert to look for a heart for her?

“When he finds a heart, you can take her directly to have transplant surgery, and you don’t have to tell

me about anything related to her in the future.”

His cold words interrupted Stella’s guess.

He wouldn’t have such an attitude if he cared about her.

Obviously, he wanted to do something good for her at last for dumping her.

As for whether Dr. George could find the heart or not and whether Taya survived, he obviously didn’t care

at all.

Such indifference could only mean that the two of them had broken up.

However, his efforts might be in vain. Taya’s condition may not wait for a suitable heart anymore.

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Stella thought for a moment. Griffon didn't care about Taya, so she said nothing more. She replied with a "yes" and left with her things.

After she left, Griffon couldn't help tightening his grip on his laptop.

When Stella left, she remembered that she had forgotten to ask for the address but did not dare to return. She could only ask Andre, who was still standing at the door. "Do you know where Ms. Palmer lives?"

Andre nodded. When Taya first started seeing Griffon, he would always pick her up from that small house, so he knew where she lived. "Shall I take you there, or should I send you the address?"

Stella glanced at the medicine and said, "Give me the address. Alpha Knight may need you at any time."

Andre nodded. He took out his phone and sent the address to Stella.

Stella took Taya's things, got in the car, and drove to the small house

As soon as she got there, she saw a group of pack guards in black and Jackson, the Alpha of the Sterling Pack.

The man leaned against the doorframe. He looked fatigued, but even at this distance, Stella could feel the power radiating from him.

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Stella recognized immediately recognized Alpha Sterling.

In fact, she'd studied medicine because of his friend.

Stella refused to think about the past anymore. Instead, she walked over and asked, "Alpha Sterling, why are you standing guard in front of Ms. Palmer's door?"

Jackson heard a familiar voice. He slowly opened his bloodshot eyes. When he saw the woman before him, he was slightly surprised. "Stella?"

Stella saw that his eyes were red as if he hadn't slept for a long time. She couldn't help but furrow her brows. "Alpha Sterling if you continue to push yourself like this, your body will suffer. You might be a strong wolf, but your pack doctor's skills are insufficient to bring someone back to life."

Jackson knew that she was mocking Eric, so he didn't

reply. Their feud was none of his business. "Why are you here?" he asked.

Compared to the grudge between her and Eric, he was more concerned about why she had come to

look for Taya.

Stella picked up the bag in her hand and waved it. "I came to deliver something to her."

Jackson recognized the bag. It was the same one that Taya had carried to the banquet.

After he sent someone to find the bag, it was snatched away by Andre, and it fell into Griffon's

hands.

Stella must be here to run errands for Griffon.

“Why, Stella, are you working for Griffon now?”

She had learned a lot of medical skills at university. After coming back, she did not return to the Sinclair

family. Instead, she came to Arcadia to find her cousin, Andre.

They both scoffed at the Sinclair family and followed Griffon. If Eric found out about this, he would be furious.

Andre didn't care. After all, he had run away from home since childhood, but Stella... was Eric's taboo.

“Whom I work for shouldn't have anything to do with you.”

Jackson was that man's friend, so Stella wouldn't show him any respect.

But why was he standing guard at Taya's house?

Stella was very confused, but she didn't want to ask.

She was just here to deliver something and was not interested in anything else.

She raised her chin at Jackson, not caring if she was

directly challenging an Alpha. He was too weak to do anything, and no one would dare do anything to

someone who worked directly for Alpha Knight. "Step aside."

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Stella knocked on the door, but there was no response.

Taya must have fallen asleep. Just as she was thinking about how to open the door, a roar came from behind her, and she turned to see a woman in her half human and half wolf lycan form.

"Who are you? Why are you guarding my house?"

Harper had sent several messages to Taya but received no response, and her calls went unanswered. She was very worried about her, so she decided to go to the house.

As soon as she got there, she saw tons of pack guards in black. They blocked Jackson and Stella, so Harper didn't see them. All she knew was there was never a good reason for pack guards to be at a human's home.

Her wolf's protective instincts for Taya immediately kicked up, and she partially shifted and roared at them.

Jackson heard Harper's voice and motioned for his pack guards to get out of the way. Only then did Harper see Jackson. "Why are you blocking the door of my house with so many people?"

Harper looked at him angrily, her wolf eyes flashing with rage. He had kicked Taya twice before. Was he planning to come and do it again in person?

Jackson lowered his head apologetically. "I'm sorry, Harper. I have something to discuss with Taya."

Harper clenched her fists said coldly, "Wasn't she taken away by Griffon?"

Harper didn't know that Taya was back. She wanted to drive Jackson away, but then

she saw his eyes.

The harsh words she was about to say were held

back. After all, he was like her younger brother who she had taken care of since childhood, and it was

difficult to forget that when he looked so upset.

“Taya is back. She doesn’t want to see me.”

Harper rolled her eyes at him again. “You tried to kill her. Why would she want to see you?”

Jackson’s eyes turned fully into his wolf’s, and indescribable angry and sadness filled him.

Even if he didn’t do it, his elder brother did.

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In the end, it was Harper who mediated and let Silas in. She watched them hug each other, full of joy and happiness when they made up.

But what happened this time was not as simple as

before, and it was impossible to solve the misunderstanding like before and then smile happily.

However, as a middleman, she would still help him open the door.

Harper pushed Jackson away and opened the door. “If you want to find her, go find her. Why did you bring so many people with you?”

Jackson saw that Harper was still willing to open the door for him as before, and he quickly waved his hand and asked the pack guards to leave first.

The pack guards, however, were a little worried. They had only left momentarily during

the banquet, and their Alpha has suffered a nasty head wound. How could they dare to leave again?

Jackson's cold gaze swept over them. The guards could only retreat and wait by the cars, not daring to disobey their Alpha.

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She amused Stella. "I didn't come with him."

Harper raised an eyebrow. "Then who are you?"

Stella introduced herself politely. "I'm a doctor sent by Alpha Knight to treat Ms. Palmer's heart issue."

After saying that, she picked up her medicine bag.

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Stella didn't know what to say. She just looked at

Harper with a faint smile, which made Harper feel a little annoyed.

She asked them to sit on the sofa, then turned around and knocked on the door of the bedroom.

"Taya, someone's looking for you."

Taya had already woken up when they opened the door and came in.

She had heard their conversation outside but was too weak to get up.

When she tried to get up, Harper had already come in.

Seeing that she wanted to get up but couldn't, Harper immediately rushed over.

"Taya, what's wrong?"

Jackson and Stella also came in.

Jackson wanted to step forward, but Stella beat him and said, "I am the doctor. You go

away.”

Jackson was pushed to the side, and Stella stepped forward quickly. She raised her hand to touch Taya’s forehead and then took out a thermometer to take her temperature.

“Did you get wet in the rain?”

The temperature was not very high, but for Taya, this little bit of temperature could kill her.

When she walked out of Griffon’s villa, it was raining. Jackson had used his jacket to shield her from the rain, but she still got wet.

Jackson’s face was full of self-blame. He wanted to grab her hand, but Taya avoided him.

Sometimes, it was easy to forget just how delicate Taya was with no wolf to protect her and help her heal.

In front of Stella, Taya was afraid of being exposed, so she just avoided his touch and didn’t drive him away.

Her resistance was like a thorn in Jackson’s heart.

Taya would never be the same as before...

She once agreed with him that he shouldn’t take it seriously if she said hurtful words when she was angry.

He would wait for her to calm down and then coax her. She would definitely forgive him.

But he had been waiting at the door all night and still couldn’t get Taya back...

Stella saw their small movements, and she couldn’t help but have suspicion.

However, since she had found an excuse to see Taya, she would not ask any more questions.