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Yasmine took one step forward and sized Yolanda up. She sounded intimidating the moment she spoke. "Was it you who refused to move from my table?"

"No one told us this table was reserved when we sat down and ordered. So, we have a right to refuse to switch to another table," Yolanda said calmly, glancing at Yasmine indifferently.

As soon as Yolanda spoke, the bodyguards behind Yasmine inhaled sharply. They had never encountered anyone who dared to talk back to Yasmine so boldly.

Immediately after Yolanda had said those shocking words, she added, "If you insist on sitting here and can't eat if you don't sit at your usual spot, you can beg me. I will consider giving this table back to you if you do that."

Before Yasmine could say anything, Sofie spoke up indignantly. "Are you out of your mind, Yolanda? She's Yasmine Judd of Judd Corporation! How dare you speak to her so rudely!"

This was the perfect chance for her to show her support. If she played her cards right, Yasmine might offer her a good job position in her company.

Therefore, Sofie laid it on thick and urged, "Hurry up and apologize to Ms. Judd. You'd better beg her to show you mercy, or you're done for!"

Yolanda ignored Sofie's reproach. She knew very well that no matter what Sofie did, she still had to act according to Yasmine's wishes.

"Do you hear me, Yolanda Henderson? I asked you to apologize to Ms. Judd!" Sofie demanded loudly.

When Yasmine waved nonchalantly with an expressionless face, Sofie quieted down immediately. Her level of obedience and deference was no different from that demonstrated by a well-trained dog.

"Yolanda Henderson?" Yasmine frowned and looked Yolanda up and down. "I've never heard of this name."

She ran that name through all of the prominent families of Riverdale that she knew in her mind. When she was sure the Hendersons were not one of those families, she maintained the same haughty expression when looking at Yolanda.

Yasmine thought that Yolanda would, at most, only be a nouveau riche. She never took this kind of people seriously. "You want me to beg you? Who do you think you are?"

"In that case, get out. Don't disrupt my meal," Yolanda retorted coolly.

"What? How impudent of you!" Yasmine was taken aback, thinking that she had misheard.

"What's wrong with you, Yolanda? Do you seriously think you're some kind of hot shot?" Sofie exclaimed. She couldn't understand why Yolanda was so eager to get into trouble.

she beat up all the security guards in the restaurant. You must show her what happens

at Yolanda intently with a

nor is

gestured at the bodyguards behind her. "Get rid of them. I want to have my supper

"Understood, Ms. Judd!"

Yolanda

seriously. In their eyes, those guards were

to Ms. Judd if you

collar. She then threw

fell to the

what was going on at that moment. Wasn't Yolanda just some random rich person from an inferior family? How could she be so

either. This was especially the case for Tina, who had known Yolanda for quite some time. She shook her

"Impossible!"

Yolanda be so good at

school, she couldn't even fight back when the

"This isn't true!"

She then shouted at her bodyguards, "Beat her up! Break her legs

to underestimate her. They charged at her, but none of them were much of a

looked at all the bodyguards lying sprawled

at the same time, she took a step back apprehensively. "How dare you beat up my bodyguards!

bodyguards couldn't take Yolanda down, there were still the security guards of the restaurant. Yolanda could take on ten men by herself, but she wouldn't be able to

Yolanda with force with the number

need, Ms. Judd?" The restaurant manager ran out of his office, panting and

saw the chaotic scene in the restaurant and the bodyguards on the floor, he gasped in horror. He couldn't imagine who had the gall to offend

didn't dare delay and used his walkie-talkie to contact the security

immediately! Ask the ones who aren't on duty to come, too! Even the ones who are

in, and the restaurant, which had only several customers

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Yolanda did not beg for mercy. Instead, she charged at the security guards who rushed toward her.

"Is she an idiot?" Tina and Sofie exchanged disdainful glances. "There are nearly a hundred security guards in the restaurant. Does she think she's a heroine?"

Even though Yolanda had seemed to handle Yasmine's bodyguards with ease earlier, there was no way she could gain any advantage when faced with so many people.

"I can't wait to see that bitch get beaten to a pulp!"

"She deserves it!"

The two of them were visibly excited while chanting encouragement, "Go! Punch her!"

However, amidst their eager shouts, not a single security guard in the restaurant was able to put up a real fight. Most of them were taken down by Yolanda before they could even throw a punch.

"Useless! All of you are useless!" Yasmine couldn't help but yell in frustration.

her harder! You are all big men! You can't

the remaining dozen security

entire restaurant's security team and Yasmine's bodyguards were completely

Yolanda stood

know who I am?" Yasmine

of

was? She even doubted whether Yolanda knew anything

no idea how powerful the Judd

just an ignorant bastard who

with someone like that? Since you don't know

finger, I can make countless small businesses

my older brother Lewis; he's close friends with Mr. Rowse from Doxcon Group. With just one word from him, the entire Doxcon Group

know not to offend Mr. Rowse, who has ties to

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Yolanda refused to apologize, and Yasmine's people were no match for this arrogant girl.

As the daughter of the Judd family, she couldn't just stand by and watch someone

who had offended her walk away after injuring her people.

"Hey Lewis, I'm in a bit of trouble over here. Where are you right now?"

"Yeah, an idiot is bullying me..."

"You're at the Jades? That's perfect! I'm in the cafe on the first floor; hurry up!"

Yasmine said before she hung up the phone and pointed at Yolanda.

"My brother is on his way; you're done for!" she cried.

and even Lewis's ruthless methods

the restaurant. At the forefront were a young man in a suit

bitch knows you're on our side but still dares to bully Yasmine. She doesn't take you seriously, Mr. Rowse! You have to teach

Rowse was Blake, who

to warn those who don't know their place!" he said coldly. Earlier, Yolanda had sent him to

Yolanda and Gavin's intervention, he could have died the night when

the head of Doxcon Group, he had never felt so humiliated. Just as he was looking for an outlet for his anger, he ran into Lewis. Hearing that his sister was being bullied while out for dinner, he

people protected by Doxcon Group were not to be

way!" As Lewis entered the restaurant

finally made

Lewis and Blake approach, Yasmine's expression became even more

Rowse here to back me up; just

had noticed the defeated security guards scattered

this

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"What do you mean? Did I make a mistake?" Blake asked with confusion. He understood the situation clearly from Yasmine's aggressive demeanor and constant use of derogatory terms toward Yolanda. It was obvious that Yasmine was bullying Yolanda, who had stood up for herself.

He glared at Lewis. "You said your sister was being bullied? Is this how she bullies others?"

Fearing Yolanda might misunderstand, Blake quickly explained, "Ms. Henderson, I didn't know you were here. This man came to me saying his sister was being bullied, so I came to check it out."

Yolanda looked at Blake's anxious expression and didn't vent her anger at him; she nodded slightly. "You handle it."

"Mr. Rowse..."

Lewis and Yasmine exchanged confused glances at Blake's sudden change in demeanor. They were used to seeing him as decisive and commanding; they had never seen him speak humbly to anyone, especially not to someone who appeared so insignificant.

"Who is this person bothering you?" Lewis leaned closer to Yasmine and whispered.

"I...I don't know! She's just a nobody who spent time in juvenile detention; she has no background!"

Despite Blake's attitude toward Yolanda, Yasmine still clung to her hope. "Mr. Rowse, this person is bullying me in the restaurant... She injured my bodyguards and hurt the security staff! You can't side with her!"

"Bullying?"

Blake shook his head at Yasmine's claims. "Ms. Henderson isn't that kind of person. How dare you slander her?"

"I did not!"

At this point, Yasmine could only force herself to argue back. "If you don't believe me, ask the waitstaff whether she started all this!"

quickly nodded in agreement with Yasmine. They were intimidated by the Judd

to know Mr. Rowse, he wouldn't protect her if she was in

any longer as she saw everyone conspiring

this Yasmine girl came over demanding we give up our seats. When we refused, she threatened us; how could Yolanda have started

here is just her lackeys;

words left the room

you?"

to bully people and then trying to turn

please let

the heat of Blake's fury and turned pale, trembling like a

not what

you, Ms. Henderson is my

Lewis firmly,

who offends Ms. Henderson

were left breathless. Sophie and

"Apologize now!"

at Yasmine

your most valuable partner

face turned ashen, but he stood tall despite

for Doxcon Group; he couldn't believe

"Not anymore."

remark about this changed the fate of the Judd family

as if he might fall over. Blake's words meant that the

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"Starting tomorrow, all contracts between Judd Corporation and Doxcon Group will be terminated." Blake dropped this bombshell without even looking at Lewis, turning on his heel and walking away.

"Mr. Rowse! Please!"

Lewis was taken aback by Blake's ruthlessness. "Let me explain!"

But Blake's figure had already vanished through the restaurant door.

"Brother, what are we going to do about the family?" Yasmine fretted, stamping her foot. Even if they didn't care about the partnership with Doxcon Group, they couldn't afford to bear the wrath of the entire Judd family.

"This is outrageous!" Lewis' face flushed with anger, his eyes blazing with fury. "How dare that bitch step on the Judd family?" he exclaimed.

In a fit of rage, he kicked over a nearby chair.

"And Blake is such a clueless fool! Making a big deal out of a nobody just for the Judd family!"

"What should we do now?" Yasmine felt lost. She was merely waiting for Lewis to take charge of the situation.

"What's there to be afraid of?" Lewis remarked indifferently. At this point, he had nothing to lose.

"Doxcon Group is not the only main player in Riverdale!"

"But those big families are all aligned with Doxcon Group. If Mr. Rowse decides to blacklist us..." Yasmine continued voicing her concerns.

"In the face of profit, those families might not necessarily side with the Doxcon Group," Lewis replied coldly, a sinister smile creeping onto his lips.

a certain big shot is coming; he's the most trusted subordinate of the Hoffman family in Croybia. When I get a word

...

and Sharon exited the restaurant and were about to leave,

"Yolanda!"

and turned around to

you doing

in her tracks

here with my grandfather for

said, looking back in the direction he came from.

waiting for the elevator behind him, and

Nigel. Upon hearing Brigham's words,

Henderson! It's been a long time!" he

As they were passing regards, Yolanda

to you,

acupuncture, his health

me check

previous ailment, Yolanda decided it

Henderson, how's my health?" Nigel looked a bit

found Nigel's pulse steady and noted

"That's great!"

in relief. "That's all thanks

too kind, Mr. Hansen

something important at Jade Tower, she

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Despite being a proud and arrogant person, he still tried to restrain himself and tone down his nonchalance when facing Nigel and Brigham.

"Mr. Hansen Senior, Brigham."

"Yolanda, let me introduce you! This handsome guy is my senior, Jimmy Hale. He is the most powerful martial artist among the younger generation of the Eternal Clan and a popular candidate for the future successor!" Brigham said.

He took the initiative to introduce Yolanda to Jimmy, and upon hearing Brigham's words, Jimmy's eyes showed a hint of pride.

"Jimmy, this is Yolanda, the renowned miracle doctor! You can seek her treatment if you or any of your fellow brothers feel unwell or get injured while practicing! I guarantee she will cure you!"

"I am Yolanda."

Even though Jimmy was not very likable, Yolanda still respected Brigham. However, her goodwill went unacknowledged; Jimmy remained arrogant and snorted coldly as he looked Yolanda up and down.

"Her? A miracle doctor?"

Jimmy scoffed.

"Brigham, that isn't funny!"

but she did

that he must be

had health issues that no doctor could diagnose. It was Dr. Henderson

of an impression of him. But since Brigham had specially invited these Eternal Clan members to serve as

for Yolanda slightly surprised Jimmy; he raised an eyebrow and softened his tone. "Even if she is

present makes me feel more at ease; if anything happens, we can get treated in time,

and his words further

in any danger with me and my junior brothers here! We represent the Eternal Clan, one of

so much importance on Yolanda. But perhaps out

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"Moreover, with me and my clan here, there's no way anything could go wrong.

Even if you are a 'miracle doctor,' you won't have any opportunity to be of use, so just behave yourself and don't cause us any trouble!" Jimmy snarked.

Yolanda was annoyed by Jimmy's tone. She completely ignored him and had no intention of speaking up.

Jimmy, having hit a wall, shot Yolanda an irritated glare but remained silent. The young men behind Jimmy looked at Yolanda with mocking expressions.

To them, she was merely a little girl; even if she were a miracle doctor as Nigel claimed, she would be useless in today's situation.

They had come to handle disputes in the martial world; what could a school-aged child possibly contribute?

Although the members of the Eternal Clan had their criticisms of Yolanda, they had no authority to interfere with Nigel's decisions and could only express their dissatisfaction through their looks, refraining from any overt actions.

the 20th floor of the Jades. As soon as Yolanda stepped into the corridor on the 20th floor, she felt a heavy aura of hostility lurking

one of the statues; her expression changed slightly but quickly returned to normal as if she hadn't

She continued walking forward.

with surveillance cameras, making

came to worst, she felt confident in leading Nigel

into a presidential suite with a small conference room.

swung open

followed closely behind Nigel and Brigham into the room. Upon entering,

sat more than ten people whose attire suggested they held some status-similar to those who frequently visited

man in formal attire closest

the head of the conference table sat an alluring woman dressed in a tight black leather skirt. She wore intricate and cumbersome

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The Black Widow was a charismatic woman. Her speech was imbued with an innate allure, evident in her gestures and expressions.

While Nigel and Brigham remained unaffected, the men behind them, including Jimmy, became somewhat distracted by her presence.

Yolanda glanced at Jimmy and couldn't help but shake her head at his reaction. It seemed that the Eternal Clan had truly fallen from grace, reduced to having someone like Jimmy represent them.

She remembered that in her youth, the Eternal Clan was among the top three in the Havaria Martial Arts Association, but sadly, no successors capable of winning the Havaria Martial Arts Tournament had been capable of doing so since the current leader, Xavier Yate.

"I don't think there's anything to discuss. Since you admit you stole that shipment, just have your men return it to me!" Nigel asserted.

His business primarily involved gemstones, and each quarter, he imported large quantities of raw stones from Myaten.

border had hijacked this quarter's shipment, and the Hansen Group employees responsible for transporting those stones were now

task. While I do enjoy jewelry,

don't worry; those things will eventually be returned to

tell me

the Hansen Group," Black Widow said with a sly smile reminiscent

expression darkened. "I

you."

every quarter, right? The journey along the border is long and dangerous. I'm sure you'll need an elite team

return the stones, and we can work out shipping costs and profit sharing-you

it weren't for your meddling, there wouldn't be any risk at all!" "And you better ensure that my company's people are returned

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Nigel knew he couldn't act impulsively, so he took a deep breath and slowly sat back down.

"Mr. Hansen Senior, so you agreed!" Black Widow exclaimed, gesturing to her underlings and saying, "Bring it in!"

Black Widow snapped her fingers toward the door, and soon, several black-clad assassins entered the conference room carrying large boxes.

"What is this?"

Both Nigel and Brigham frowned at the sight of the boxes, and Jimmy and the others became more alert.

"Don't be nervous; these are all things that Mr. Hansen Senior likes!" Black Widow said with a smile, instructing the assassins.

"Open them up!"

"Yes!"

assassins complied and opened the boxes. Everyone leaned in to look inside, only to be dazzled

precious

with scrolls and

second box contained valuable medicinal herbs-many rarely seen on the market and could fetch

a statue of emerald, standing nearly half

his reputation on emeralds and naturally recognized the immense value

worth more than all three boxes combined. Lying on black

eyes widened as he

burial site

fond of collecting antiques and had extensively researched such artifacts to recognize the dagger's origin immediately. However, he would need to examine it more closely to confirm its

on what he knew about Black Widow, she wouldn't bother bringing him a fake to buy his

was often called upon by official

would be like showing off her incompetence right before me-how

enjoy collecting antiques. This dagger was

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"Now I understand why Riverdale has been so unstable lately. First, I was poisoned out of nowhere, and then that kid from the Wright family had an accident. It turns out you're the ones stirring up trouble!" Nigel exclaimed.

Black Widow did not refute Nigel's words, nor did she confirm that their Serpent Alliance was involved in his poisoning or Zach's assassination attempt.

"He seemed to be doing quite well outside; why would he want to return to a small place like Riverdale?" Nigel pressed further.

"Mr. Shaw is, after all, from Riverdale. It's not strange for him to feel nostalgic. He was forced to leave Riverdale, and if he can't return honorably, he won't be able to swallow that bitterness!" Black Widow answered.

"Those who died unjustly would surely be restless if he comes back!" Nigel slammed the table. "Has he forgotten what he did before? How dare he talk about being unable to return?" he added.

"Mr. Hansen Senior, everyone has their own ambitions. You don't need to be so harsh." Black Widow's smile faded slightly, and her tone became somewhat displeased.

"Is indiscriminate killing what you call ambition?" Nigel's gaze turned colder.

well. A dog can't change its nature. I don't believe he would suddenly

Hansen Senior!" Black Widow

this matter. Even if I did, Vic and Lloyd would never agree either. Are you planning to threaten them one by

might as well advise him not to have unrealistic fantasies! He will never have another chance to enter Riverdale again! Since he's getting older, he should enjoy his life abroad and stop causing trouble," Nigel

seeming like she wanted to persuade him further but was interrupted by

goods you stole must be returned within a week, along with the bodies of my men and their compensation-nothing less! Moreover, after a week, you and your people

even if you are unaware of my methods, Mr. Shaw

to

items are a token of Mr. Shaw's goodwill. We may not be business partners, but please accept these gifts! Otherwise,

regarding the troubles caused to the Hansen Group, these items are my way of expressing my apologies on behalf of Mr. Shaw." As she

the assassins to bring the boxes closer

or accept; in fact,

for the other items, that