## **Eight Uncles 251**

Chapter 251 Meeting or Not Is a Choice, Not a Result

The water bed broke, and water spurted from a hole. Lilly's paints on the bedside table were all swept off, and there were all kinds of colors in an instant, and the carpet on the floor was all wet and a mess.

Lilly, Hannah, Zachary, and Josh lay on the bed with dazed faces. They were all wet. The quilts and the pillows were also wet.

The wire socket was short–circuited, and smoke burst out instantly.

Polly woke up from sleeping. It fluttered about in fright and yelled, "Help, it's on fire!"

The Crawford Mansion was plunged into darkness.

Drake was speechless.

Half a minute later, the backup power supply was activated, and the electrician rushed to repair it. Bettany caught up and felt her blood pressure rise when she saw the mess in the room.

"Who did this?" Bettany was pissed off. Several children lowered their heads. They dared not to speak.

Lilly raised her hand cautiously. "Granny, it's my idea."

Hannah quickly said, "I also did it!"

Josh stood up. "I did these."

"I got involved," Zachary said.

Drake was silent, then said, "Granny, I made the water bed. It's my fault."

Drake, who did nothing, admitted the mistake for his younger siblings.

Bettany stared at them. "Go to stand outside! Wait, change your clothes first!"

obediently against the wall while holding the water

over, they saw the children standing pitifully in the corridor with basins on

not help but laugh when she saw that. She recalled the

expect that she could see such a scene

amusedly, "What's wrong? Did you all

"No! We only made a water bed. We rolled

said innocently, "Then, the water poured into

the

isn't strong enough... I know it! I might use

Hannah said,

think the seal ish

think I'm too heavy! And we shouldn't

and concluded their experience. Even if standing with basins, the punishments could not make their mouths

teeth and glared at Anthony and Blake. "What water bed? What rolls around? How

Anthony and Blake froze.

you guys taught

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Blake did not dare to speak. As a result, two

Anthony curiously. They felt strange. Why did Blake and Anthony get punishments

breath from laughing,

window while

Bettany promised to buy the children a water bed. But the

a mistake, she would be punished. It would not work if Blake or Anthony came. Bettany had the highest status in this family, and no one could

of happiness and joy. It was too bad

vacation, and All Souls Day was less than two

to see Bettany or to live with

afraid that after getting along, Bettany would face parting again, and the life that had finally calmed down would

it's the best,"

the less she should have met them. So she kept trying to separate herself and make

Chapter 252 A Life Staying In Bed Is a Perfect Life

The sky was dark, and the prison at night seemed to be covered with an invisible barrier.

Pablo checked several times while frowning,

The unlucky ghost was a malignant spirit, and the reason the malignant spirit could be trapped here was unimaginable.

"What is someone doing behind the scenes?" Pablo mused.

He looked at the prison surrounded by an inverted semicircle and found a few signs buried in eight. directions, which proved that someone was using this prison to suppress something. But he could not find that person yet and did not know who did it, so he could only wait now.

Anthony did not go to work and sat in the dining room for breakfast.

Blake went for a run carly in the morning. In addition to running, he usually went to the military department. He went out at 5.00 am and usually returned after 9.00 am.

Edward and Liam had to supervise the project. As a doctor, Gilbert hardly had weekends. Bryson's flying Time was even more irregular. Anthony and Blake spent more time at home instead.

The children who were on summer vacation were the happiest. They all slept late and did not get up at 8.00 am.

Hugh complained, "Children should develop the habit of going to bed and getting up early since they are young, or they'll be lazy when they grow up. How can they sleep until 8 o'clock? They have no self-discipline!"

Anthony pretended not to hear it.

Bettany refuted, "What's wrong for them to wake up later? You don't sleep much when you're old. But children need to sleep more! Don't they all go to bed carly? Although they wake up late, they go to bed carly!"

Hugh choked.

Bettany continued, "Children can only grow up if they sleep well! Don't talk about self–discipline. The most important thing is for children to grow up."

bed was a perfect life. It did not matter if they stayed in bed during

also indulge the children. Anyway, she was very

them.

shook the newspaper and muttered, "You can

hear clearly. "What

touched his

don't learn anything during the holidays. It's a waste of life

them in some extra-curricular

eyes. "Do Drake and Josh need extra-curricular tutoring? Is tutoring useful for Zachary and Hannah? Lilly is

finally stopped talking. Anthony was smart enough not

have to study hard; when they play, they can play freely. It's children's nature to play.

she remembered about the water bed last

the Crawford family spent a lot of money rebuilding the circuit, but the children also concluded. The Crawford family had money. So they

of that, Bettany became optimistic again downstairs in
Bunny, and she had not tied her hair. She looked immediately asked the maid to get up so early?" Bettany poured milk for Lilly woke up after going to prison. Lilly wanted the phone and seemed surprised. Then, she' puzzled. "Granny, who an aunty. She'll come at Anthony. "It's the girl who was treated with Patterson?" for a

finished her treatment and

Chapter 253 Jean's Friend, Bella Patterson

Lilly looked at Bella and felt that her behavior was strange.

Jean said in surprise. "It's Bella..."

Lilly whispered, "Mommy, is she your friend?"

Jean recalled and said, "Yes! 1 used to be treated in the hospital. When I could get out of bed and walk around, I would go for a walk in the garden." It was at that time that she met Bella.

During the chat, Jean found out that Bella also had leukemia. She looked sad and said that she wanted to give up the treatment.

"I asked her why and encouraged her not to give up. She said her family sold their car and house to treat her illness. They were originally an ordinary family in a small town, but they used most of the money for her illness..."

Jean sympathized with Bella. Seeing that Bella wanted to give up treatment and choose to be discharged from the hospital, her father squatted aside without saying a word, and her mother wiped her tears silently. Jean was soft—hearted, so she paid Bella's treatment fee for that time.

"It was a month later the second time I saw Bella. She returned after the last treatment, and it was time for chemotherapy. Bella made a fuss about not coming for treatment, but her father sold his blood for her treatment, and her mother begged her..."

Bella told Jean that she felt envious to see Jean living in a VIP ward and enjoying the best medical resources and would never worry about money. Bella said she was different. She was ready to die at any time and even committed suicide and set her parents free.

"I thought they were pitiful. I gradually became friends with Bella. Later, I paid for her hospital treatment."

After all, money meant nothing to Jean at that time. She was not God, but she saw the same despair in Bella. She hoped that others would be well. Seeing others well seemed to give her a glimmer of hope.

Lilly finally understood.

"The last time was probably when I was lying down and couldn't even get up. She came to find me and said goodbye to me while crying. I asked her what was wrong, and she said she had found a suitable bone marrow match. But the entire bone marrow replacement and chemotherapy will cost several million. She can't afford it."

made us despair again. I might as well not have heard this news..." Bella said

glimmer of

but hoped that one more person would survive. What a pity to find a suitable match but give up because of a

Bella in front of her. Bella seemed to be healed now, but Bella was a little different from what she remembered. Maybe

his eyes slightly and said lightly, "No need. Just live

almost forgot about it. He gave Bella money only to do good deeds and accumulate virtue. He only hoped that Jean would wait

was not satisfied with his answer and even more uneasily rubbed her clothes while stammering, "Mr. Anthony, I came to thank you all. I... I can do anything to repay! I'm so lucky to know Jean. Now I'm better,

turned red, and she begged, "So I want to do what I can. If I don't

uneasy...

said lightly, "How do you want to repay us? Be my daughter and replace

treatment, but she wants to be the daughter of the Crawford family! She's

you for Jean. It's fine if you agree with

extremely humble,

Granny or Uncle

Adults were taller and could not see it, but Lilly was a child. She could see it as soon as she looked

How dare she

denied, "No, I didn't... I was just afraid

Bella, "But in our

sorry. I was wrong...

to Bettany. "Mrs. Crawford,

it to death. In the beginning, everyone's attention was on Jean, and every time

would never have agreed to let Bella visit

up first. Sit down and talk," Bettany said to Bella while looking at Jack. She signaled him to drive Bella away in a proper

won't sit. My clothes are dirty and old. Don't

Chapter 254 You Can Pay Back the Money!

Bettany ordered. "Jack, send her out!" She felt annoyed to see Bella.

Hearing that, Jack withdrew his politeness. "Follow me, Ms. Patterson!"

Bella pretended not to hear them. "I'm sorry. I know I don't deserve to stay here. But I want to thank you all. If Mr. Anthony didn't give me money for treatment, I wouldn't be able to live now! Mrs. Crawford, I beg you to give me a chance to repay you, or I'll feel uneasy!"

Lilly frowned. This aunty is here to thank us, but why does she make me uncomfortable?

"Aunty, you can pay back the money!" Lilly thought for a while and said, "You keep saying that you don't know how to repay, and you feel uneasy if you don't repay. You can pay back the money! Everything will settle after you pay the money back!"

Lilly looked serious. She was thinking about the problem and proposed a solution. And she suddenly remembered Bella used so much money from the Crawford family! It was millions! It was more than her pocket money! Bella must pay back the money!

The Crawford family was stunned for a moment. Why didn't they think of this idea? Everyone fell silent for a while, and Bettany gave Jack—a hint to let Lilly finish speaking.

Bella was dumbfounded. She came to thank the Crawford family, not to pay back the money! Where could she find so much money?

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"I..." Bella clutched her clothes tightly. "I'have no money... I sold my house and car for my medical treatment..."

Lilly was surprised. "Oh, so you came here to find a job?"

When Bella heard that, she immediately answered, "If you all don't mind, I'm willing to serve you like a horse..." She kept belittling herself.

The Crawford family seemed to dote on Lilly very much, and it was easier to coax a child. Bella felt that Lilly might accept her after crying and begging for mercy.

when she heard her talking about

to be a horse?

verge of tears. "I don't have much education. I

family to be a horse, and we pay you? But if

and the Crawford family had nothing to do with

vomit blood. That's

thought Lilly would say, "Aunty, you're so pitiful. You can stay. Don't worry.

quickly said, "No, I'm fine to have no salary. I only need

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"Doesn't that mean we need to support

Bella choked.

her head. "It's fine if you don't pay back the money, but you want us to support you for

forgot

added on the side, "Thank you!,I'll take

you're here

How can she talk to

"I didn't mean that..."

"Then what do you

choked and could only look at Anthony.

looked indifferent. "Jack, kick her out! Also, she borrowed five million back then. You

Jack answered, "Okay."

panicked. "Mr. Anthony,

don't care about you. Remember to pay back the

can't do much

us to take care of you and treat you

was anxious. "I didn't mean

a horse. Now she said she had

talk and handed Bella over to the security guard. The security guard did not care if Bella was a newly recovered patient and skillfully threw her

Chapter 255 It's Time to Act!

Bella went home. Her family rented a house in a community with only two bedrooms and one small living room. As soon as she entered, she felt depressed and could not help but cover her chest.

Bella saw how big Crawford Mansion was. Compared to her house, the difference was too big. She felt sad.

Bella's mother, Sarah Fraser, saw Bella and hurriedly asked, "Bella, are you feeling uncomfortable again?

Sit down..."

Bella suddenly cried fiercely. "Mom, the Crawford family looked down on me and kicked me out! They asked me to pay back five million! It's all my fault! I'm useless! I'm a burden to you. Where can I go to find five million?"

Bella gasped heavily.

Sarah was stunned. What? Bella felt sorry and went to the Crawford family to thank them. But they refused to accept it and asked us to pay back five million!

Sarah suddenly felt sad. Why is it so difficult for us? God always likes to bully the poor!

Sarah wiped her tears. "That's how poor people are. How can we expect rich people to think highly of us? Forget it. We can pay them back for the rest of our lives! I'm incompetent. As long as you live well, I'll be Satisfied!"

They burst into tears.

Jean led the unlucky ghost to find the community. "Eh? This is the building Gemma's parents left for her!"

Although it was not a high—end residential area, it was also separated from the village. It belonged to an old residential area where the people had to climb stairs.

"Lilly, you stay in the car. I'll help you!" Jean patted Lilly

Lilly was soft and cute. She smiled. "Okay!"

Pablo stared at the building and felt a little weird. It was an old neighborhood, but the building was gloomy, with traces of a bad aura constantly floating around.

"I'll check it out. Jean, don't mess around."

Jean responded, "Don't worry. You can trust me!"

twitched. He pretended to believe her and

immediately floated upstairs with the unlucky ghost.

"Miss, are you

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"How can I? Am I that kind
when she saw a familiar
"Oh, it's Gemma!"
give Gemma a
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I'll add some to you! Jean
of a sudden. It seems
the door.
apologetically. "Ms. Gemma, welcome! Please come
there was only a plate of vegetables and a small bowl of chicken soup on the table. It
said weakly,
asked, "Bella, you're not in good health. Why do
incompetent and can't earn money. The doctor said Bella needed to strengthen nutrition, but
about this matter! Gemma, are
quickly said, "Yes, I'll get the money..." She took out her wallet, rummaged
and saw Gemma come to collect the rent. He rummaged through his pockets and found two
I'm sorry. How about
tears. "I'm sorry, I'm the one who dragged you down! I won't take the immunosuppressants for next
clothes embarrassedly while Alex smoked a
utility bills. But she knew Bella was
So she regarded
"No, I'll find out if I still have money.
up her bag and
helplessly, "Ugh,
and Bella fumbled but
It's your time to
unlucky ghost was speechless. It turned out that he was here to obey
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Chapter 256 Unlucky Bella

Bella's face swelled up, and she covered her face in pain. Tears streamed down her face. Alex and Sarah hurried over to wipe Bella's face and hair frantically.

"How could you be so careless and pour soup on Bella's head!" Alex yelled angrily.

"Didn't you also kick the clothes pole and hit Bella?" Sarah also shouted in anger.

Bella wiped her tears and said, "Stop arguing... I'm going to take a shower."

They quickly helped her up, but the soup slipped on the ground. Three of them fell.

Bella felt that her bone was about to split. Seeing that Alex and Sarah wanted to help her, she quickly said, "I'll do it myself!"

She leaned on the table and went to the bathroom. The more she thought about it, the more she felt aggrieved. She suffered from the Crawford family and lost her money. She felt so unlucky.

Bella turned on the shower while thinking, but the shower stood up and ran after her strangely!

Bella screamed and slipped into the toilet. She stepped into the pit and broke her bone.

Hearing Bella's screams, Sarah quickly opened the door and entered. The bathroom was in a mess, and the shower was shaking wildly. Bella was lying next to the toilet pit.

"How did this happen?"

Sarah quickly helped Bella up. Alex looked confused. "Didn't you keep saying that the water pressure is too low? I changed to a supercharged shower this morning..."

Sarah and Bella were speechless.

Bella did not know how she got back to the room. The water got into her nose, the bubbles hurt her eyes, and she fell on the bed and hit the head of the bed. Bella was too unlucky that she was doubtful about her fate!

Now she was lying on the bed. Her tailbone and sprained foot hurt, and she got a fever.

felt miserable. She wondered why Jean was born into a wealthy family and still had a good position after death. While her family was poor, she worked hard to

is this world so unfair? Why is the difference between people so big? Why did God treat me

thought about it, the more sad she became, and she burst into tears. What she

am

I'm an unlucky ghost. It's normal to

get close to me to covet

ghost dared not to

get a little of the lucky charm. It

Lilly Jean felt relieved and floated out

was more dilapidated and smaller than other buildings. There was a deserted house in the northwest corner of the 6th floor. There was a big hole in the doorway. Many talismans, knife points,

others followed Lilly

is this?"

clutched a

was holding the camera that Josh had invented and was standing there speechlessly and

is this?" Lilly looked

the house number on the top and murmured, "Building

he could check it quickly,

nodded and ran downstairs

you leaving now?" He

the net could catch ghosts, he gritted his teeth and threw

"Run!" Josh followed Lilly.

happened but felt inexplicably nervous. "Wait

impatiently with the camera but heard a sound behind him. It was the sound of

dilapidated house, which was dark inside. He suddenly felt it was a

around 6.00 pm, and many grannies were in the small square with their grandchildren. When the children

dim old building and became

in this building?" Hannah was puzzled.

her head. "I don't

you going?" Jean went downstairs with the unlucky ghost just

Chapter 257 Unit 602 Of Building 7

Jean was bewildered, "What's wrong with that place?"

The granny looked around and moved closer to Jean, "That place is cursed! Don't go there!"

"What happened there? Please tell me more about it."

Both of them got closer to gossip while glancing at Building 7 while they talked.

That building is not safe for people to live in. That's why it looked dilapidated. Actually, people were living there ten years ago on the sixth floor."

"Is it 602?" Jean interrupted.

"Yes, that's the one. There used to be a few foreigners living there. They speak with a foreign accent and they were here to run their business. They set up their stalls at the apartment complex. When the property owners refuse to let them do so, they beat them up."

"They're evil!" Lilly exclaimed.

Josh tensed up. Evil? A place of great evil! There must be ghosts!

They also beat up the people from the grocery store at Building 3 you had passed by just now. They robbed and drove the owner away and opened their own store at the same place. They threatened us if we didn't buy anything from them." There was hatred in the granny eyes as she thought of the unpleasant memories.

Jean frowned. They're such a bully? No one's in charge?

one could control them?" Jean voiced her

complex. Our bicycles or motorbikes were usually parked downstairs in the open space.

it got worse. They set up a stop at the complex's entrance. We must prove that we live here before we can enter. Everyone had

No one called the

survived oppression. A lot of people quit their jobs to petition to bring them down. However, the men kidnaped the

what?" The four kids

fought with them. In order to warn those people who dare to resist. They... killed everyone that

too far, the

such a ingery, Jean murmured, "No way. This is too much. It's

know right, it's hard to believe that such a thing happened. They were still defending themselves about it in court, saying that the number is full of crap and they were not capable of killing so many people. When evidence was displayed, they had the nerve to say they were trying to educate their disobedient brothers as the community is a big family. Those who petitioned were their brother who had gone astray. They did that to re—educate us." The

Lilly's mood was disrupted.

have

forget about it. Some of our descendants doubt

were executed later on. However, their children did not admit their fathers

No wonder unit 602 of Building 7 was surrounded by

back to Pablo after

Some people wondered why she was chatting with the few children for so long. She froze for a second but a young man ran toward her happily, bringing the news that she was going to get rich by housing

to do

leave because of them," answered Pablo. "The prison is being suppressed to lock down the spirits of the few bad guys, so they couldn't be reborn forever. This is the reason why the unlucky

Lilly got it now.

Chapter 258 Admiration For Lilly

Lilly patted Josh, "Don't worry! I'm here!"

Zachary, who was holding the camera, also froze.

Only Hannah was confused by the situation, "What?"

What's wrong? What's going on? Isn't it just ari opened door?

Anthony frowned as he felt chilly. He whispered, "Lilly?"

"Don't worry, Uncle Anthony. Master is here, we'll be fine," said Lilly.

Hearing that Pablo was around, Anthony was relieved.

However, he saw Zachary suddenly throw the camera toward him while stuttering, "Un... Uncle An... Anthony, take this..."

Josh's camera is indeed special. After all, Zachary is only a child, so it is understandable if he's scared. Anthony thought while he glanced at the camera.

The camera's screen was full of people. A family was standing quietly by the door that creak opened just now. Their faces were pale and they were staring straight at the team.

Anthony's fingers shook slightly.

Lilly led everyone upstairs. Everyone was petrified except for Hannah.

"Lilly, how much longer do we have to climb? It's not fun at all, there's nothing here. I'm so tired. I can't climb..." Hannah complained.

"We're here!" Lilly exclaimed.

They arrived at the door of unit 602 again.

door opened at some point. The talismans made some sounds when the wind

Josh heard the familiar sound

"Ding... ding..."

in,"

have to go in,

"You'll wait for us

took a glance and several floating figures were in the corridor. All

with a hoarse

his spine, "Forget it. I'll go in too. I'll follow

entered Building 7. Josh admired him from the bottom of his heart. His cousin was so

nothing about it said, "It's too dark

problem now? Josh screamed in

the granny, the spirits inside this house must have been the spirits of the bad

comforted. "Don't worry. This is an empty building. There

the ground too. However, at the end of the living room, a table stood firmly. Four objects were placed

looked around quickly. Strange. There

placed near the entrance had beeps from

good that there are no

"Whoosh!"

were suddenly pulled

Anthony's arms, "Argh!

was shocked when they saw a tiny silhouette beside

me!" Lilly

the hell out

dust from the curtains. They finally saw what was on

Four little gravestones.

the table quietly under the moonlight. A plate of bright red apples was placed

sick b\*stard put this

gradually changed. Only... only

Chapter 259 Bella's Offerings

Josh, Zachary and Hannah looked at Lilly with admiration.

The face let out a thournful scream as it couldn't break free under Lilly's feet.

Lilly snapped her fingers, "Spiritual Fire!"

A fireball appeared at Lilly's fingertips and burnt the face into ashes.

Zachary and Josh were surprised while Hannah remembered something.

Wit... I saw this before!

She was crying in her room that night, when Hannah's mother was kicked out by her grandmother. A ghost crawled in through her window. She hid under the covers but the ghost tried to lift it. Suddenly Lilly came in and threw a fireball at the ghost after chanting something.

"Ghosts..." Hannah finally came to a realization.

Hannah pounced on Zachary's back."

"Let go! I can't breathe!"

Lilly threw a few fireballs burning the remaining three laces. They let out an angry roar and disappeared.

There!" Lilly clapped her hands and kept the spirit compass and containment spirit net.

Lilly is so powerful!

"Are they dead?" Josh asked uneasily.

resentful souls gathering together. If the gravestones are here for a

neatly on the ground and asked,

He bent forward slightly and took

think it's their

look and

"Their names are strange."

from the other rooms, which means there was nothing

they place these here?"

do people do when they make

to give them the

in the prison. It means that these four ghost spirits had perished, but they

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guide them

and ready to be reborn

making offerings to the

"That's right."

asked, "Who is

to worship tombstones, "The name, Bella Patterson widened, "That Pablo nodded. Lilly was confused... not of the money that fell out of be known altar by slapping Lilly burn the faces and destroyed the tombstones. Some of Chapter 260 Mr Anthony, Please Help Me Bella was lying in bed, her broken leg caused her a lot of pain. Sarah had called the ambulance but it was still not there yet. "Mom, my leg hurts... and I'm having a headache too," Bella cried. Sarah noticed Bella had a fever. She hurriedly got a wet towel to put on Bella's forehead. "Bear with it, your dad had called the ambulance again. Alex was annoyed, "They can't dispatch another ambulance here? Everyone went to the pregnant woman?" "Go to the hospital ourselves? A fracture is not an emergency?" Alex hung up the phone and cursed, "They must be ignoring us because we're poor. They said the ambulances were all dispatched to pick up pregnant women. Are all pregnant women giving birth tonight?" Bella cried more. Why is she so unlucky? "Mom, I want to eat watermelon." "Alright, I'll cut some for you now." Alex sighed, "Don't worry. I'll call a taxi now." was while holding you?"

should eat shit!" A man exclaimed while he kicked

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up. She clung
crowd stared
"You're Bella?"
Bella nodded.
threw the tombstones
your
head, "No. I
secretly worships the bad guys
misunderstanding. We just moved here a few months ago! We don't even know who the people you're
talking about are! Our daughter is very timid. She
to them. A man grabbed Bella's arm and dragged her
the stones and you're
Sarah shouted, "How can you be so sure
the closet to find evidence of Bella's worship. Some engaged in a fistfight with Alex. Someone
not me. I'm just a leukemia patient! I
are trespassing! I
"It stated that
If so, she had no reason to do that... Did we make
therapy every month. Our family is so poor that we often eat leftovers. Where do we
felt pitiful for
poor daughter..."
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