

Escape Wife 1271

Don't Try to Escape, My Wife!

Chapter 1271 She Suddenly Couldn't Bear to Ask Anymore

"How is it? Mr. Green, do you want to check this place to see if you can find anything? I checked here all night and found this dagger. However, I can't rule out the possibility that someone deliberately used Commander Emory's dagger to confuse us."

Juliana's father had a clear mind.

Samuel also thought so. After all, it was too difficult for someone to secretly make a move in the Seapolis City without letting both Samuel and Blair find out. Therefore, there was another possibility that someone would do something to lead their investigation in the wrong direction.

"Let me check this place again. You can go back first. Your wife is not well. Go back and take care of her as soon as possible. My wife and children are also in town. Some mercenaries attacked the town just now. Your house has been destroyed. You can't stay there now. I'll have someone book you a hotel."

Hearing Samuel's words, Juliana's father shook his head slightly and said, "Don't bother. We can easily find a place to stay. It's just a couple of days. I'm the master of the Bryan Town. It's no big deal for us. Besides, we still can live in the ancestral hall."

"Are you the master of the Bryan Town?"

Samuel was a little surprised.

Juliana's father said somewhat embarrassedly, "Yes, the master of the Bryan Town. Juliana is only 22. She is my only daughter."

"I've heard so much about you. It's an honor."

Samuel knew the rules here. This town had full autonomy, so the master here was basically the king of the Bryan Town.

Realizing this, Samuel thought that he did the right thing.

Juliana walked down the hill with his father. Samuel and his bodyguards stayed behind to continue searching for clues.

After Juliana brought her mother down the hill, Joseph immediately gave Juliana's mother a check-up and treated her with serum. However, he still whispered to make sure she was safe, "Now find a car and take her to the hospital for a check-up."

"It's not necessary. You should be a descendant of the Harper Town, right?"

Juliana's father was smart. Judging from the way Joseph saved people, he could tell that Joseph was a disciple of the Harper Town.

"How do you know?"

Joseph was a little surprised.

Juliana's father nodded and smiled, "My wife is from the Harper Town. Naturally, I know about that."

"Dad, I'll go make something for Mom to eat first."

Juliana hurriedly said.

"Alright."

"I'll go over and see if Juliana needs any help."

Zoe followed Juliana to the kitchen.

They were lodging in a villager's house. It was a large house and had enough rooms for their family.

Zoe didn't expect that Juliana, who was in her thirties, would suddenly become younger. She looked pretty. The most important thing was that when she smiled, her dimples showed, eye-catching.

"I didn't know you know disguise technique."

not a disguise technique. It's just

faintly, feeling a little happy in her heart. It was rare for Zoe to praise

eyes and suddenly smiled,

Zoe's expression, Juliana immediately

do

just think that you are very beautiful and kind. You also know how to make up. Why don't

were filled with excitement

Juliana immediately understood.

"Sure, isn't it

"Really?"

was a little

you're a girl. Sooner or later, you will learn how to

with

then did Zoe realize that Juliana was really kind. How could she be mean to Juliana in the

will not be mean to you

slightly. Then she touched Zoe's head and said, "You are so adorable. I had a big brother. Unfortunately, my mother was too emotional that year so that she couldn't keep that baby. After that, my mother was unable to get pregnant for many years. Many people in town want my father to get

was a little

Alright, it's smoky here. You can go

was pushed out by

walked to Joseph's side in boredom. Seeing that Joseph was still checking up Juliana's mother, she

"OK."

expression was somewhat

walked back. He was very enthusiastic towards Joseph and

you so

the descendant of the Harper Town. My wife is from the Harper Town. Now that the Harper Town

father's words were filled with affection

see. Then you should also be nice

"Why?"

my Dad is the current master of

as Zoe said this, Juliana's

you say? Who

"Alice Harper."

Zoe said indifferently.

His expression immediately changed.

Alice Harper, the Young Master of

there another person called

Zoe was puzzled.

to have arranged the bodyguards and walked in. When she heard Zoe's question, she

Did you call grandma

"Mommy, he asked me."

out her tongue in

Juliana's father saw Nicole, he hurriedly asked, "Mrs. Green, is Mr.

"Your cousin?"

a little

wife is Natalie Harper. She is a cousin of your mother-in-law, Alice Harper. My wife is ten years younger than her. They had a good

Juliana's mother, Natalie, would

What were the odds?

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Chapter 1272 Do You Really Know Me?

"Do you want to know why your second uncle came to the Harper Town back then? If you want, I'll meet you at the back mountain of the Bryan Town at ten o'clock tonight. Remember, come here alone. If you tell anyone else, you won't be able to see your second uncle in this lifetime."

That person was using a voice changer, and the old and cold voice disgusted Nicole.

"Who are you?"

That person hung up the phone.

"Mommy, is it Daddy?"

Joseph walked away a moment ago, and when he came back, he saw Nicole staring blankly at her phone, so he couldn't help but ask.

"No, I forgot to pay the phone bill this month."

Nicole hurriedly put her phone in her pocket. Her palms were covered in sweat, and she felt somewhat guilty, as if she had done something bad.

"Mommy, you don't look good. Are you tired? Why don't you go in and lie down for a while? Let me check you up."

Joseph was worried about Nicole's health.

"It's OK. I'm not that weak. Perhaps it's because the altitude here is a bit high. I have a bit of altitude sickness."

Nicole had an altitude sickness the last time she came here. She didn't know the route this time, so she wasn't prepared for it.

Joseph hurriedly took out a small oxygen tube and handed it to Nicole.

"Mommy, take a breath."

Seeing that Joseph was so sensible, Nicole was happy in her heart.

She took a few breaths of oxygen and let the children go to rest.

The people of the Bryan Town also settled down under Juliana's father's lead, while Nicole looked at the back mountain in a daze.

Samuel hadn't returned yet, and he didn't know what he was doing in the back mountain. That baffling person had also asked her to go to the back mountain, but the time was different.

What was going on?

Could it be that the other party didn't want Samuel to follow her?

Nicole frowned, unable to figure it out.

She subconsciously thought of Samuel.

If there was something she could not solve or understand, she would look for Samuel because Nicole always thought that Samuel was smarter than her. However, Nicole did not know if they had any spies here.

If he rashly went to the back mountain to look for Samuel, she might alarm the enemy.

Nicole took out her phone and shouted at Joseph and Zoe's room, "Children, it's boring to stay here. Let's play Penta Storm."

"Mommy, are you serious?"

Looking at her

you would like

Joseph, hurry up. Let's

shouted at

out in surprise and smiled, "Mommy, come in and play. It's

"Alright."

and walked

as she walked over, Joseph whispered, "Mommy, are you in

can temporarily interfere with the signal? I need

no other

of thing, perhaps Zoe would prepare it. She had never thought that one day she would ask these two children for help. One of them was a medical student, and the other seemed

was slightly stunned. Zoe took out a small item from her pocket and

is this

at her daughter. That

signal jammer and quickly took out her phone. She sent a message to Samuel and told him about

received Nicole's message, he was slightly stunned and

go down the

had someone cook for dinner. During this time,

don't worry about

tell me that you had a fever. Are

face was stained with tears and

at Juliana's childish look, Zoe couldn't help but smile and say, "Juliana, you cried. I thought you
and then embarrassedly

have

was even more

Juliana and a child got along so well, Natalie couldn't help but laugh

are you sure you're talking about

and naive, which made Juliana feel

you going to have dinner? I'll take you to eat.

pulled Zoe

a sigh of relief when she saw that her daughter could get along so well with a girl much

always felt that Zoe would be lonely after staying in the hospital for five years. Other than food, she was
not interested in anything else. Now, Nicole realized that

pleased with the

and took a nap.

not returned, nor did the others,

bath. After coaxing Zoe and Joseph

and walked

fresh. If it weren't for worrying about her second uncle, Nicole would feel it extremely beautiful here.

arrived at the cave in the back mountain, a

see the mark left behind by Samuel. She was somewhat uncertain in her heart,

coming in or

unfamiliar voice

that this man was the one who called

took a deep breath, adjusted

his back to her, and Nicole felt somewhat

and

man slowly turned his head. Nicole was slightly stunned when she saw

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Chapter 1273 I'm Afraid Tomorrow Will Be Too Late

Seeing Jarrod's dazed look, Samuel smiled mockingly and said, "You didn't know, right? In your heart, she was an angel. Perhaps your father also told you how good she was, making you have too many fantasies about her, but for me, she was never a good mother, not good at all!"

Samuel said with sadness, mockery, and even a trace of emotion.

Nicole could sense it. She was afraid that Samuel's emotions would be affected by the Golden Bug, and he would fight with Jarrod, so she quickly held Samuel's arm.

Felling her warm body and gentle touch, Samuel quickly calmed down. His depression and anger disappeared.

He looked at the Nicole, who looked worried, and smiled, "I'm fine."

"Thank God."

Nicole heaved a sigh of relief.

When Jarrod saw how much Nicole cared about Samuel, he couldn't help but ask, "What's wrong with you? Is something wrong with your body?"

"It has nothing to do with you. Since you want to tell us about her second uncle, hurry up and tell us. Perhaps I will have a good impression of you because of our brotherhood."

"Samuel, you're so despicable. You know what I care about, yet you're threatening me with our brotherhood?"

Jarrood felt extremely aggrieved.

Everything was fine in his first 30 years of his life, but why did he have such a younger brother?

However, Samuel said indifferently, "I'm threatening you, so what? Are you upset? If you are, you can leave. No one asks you to stay."

"Samuel, you..."

When Nicole saw that the two brothers began to argue, she couldn't help but feel amused. She hurriedly said, "Samuel, he's here to give me information about my second uncle."

"Oh, right, I almost forgot. Since my wife said so, hurry up and tell us."

Samuel's arrogant words really pissed Jarrod off, but after all, Samuel was his younger brother. Jarrod was angry and helpless for a long time before he said, "I can only tell you that Nicole's second uncle is in this area. If you have the ability, find him. If you don't have the ability, get lost. Don't stay here any longer. This is my final warning. If you continue forward, you will be in real danger."

Jarrood's words weren't exaggerated at all, but Samuel still said indifferently, "This is our business. You just need to tell us what we want to know. Don't worry about anything else."

"Samuel, I'm doing this for your own good."

"Thank you."

Seeing that the two brothers were about to argue again, Nicole hurriedly said, "Where is my second uncle now?"

"Your second uncle is..."

Before Jarrod could finish his words, a bullet suddenly headed towards Samuel.

"Watch out!"

brushed past

fired in the direction of the

eyes instantly turned incomparably

"Come out!"

eyes was something

was also slightly stunned, and then

the army, and they had nurtured several batches of killers.

no movement

ugly. He directly took out his gun and shot

but just as Samuel moved, the bullet

became even

said stop! Don't you understand? If you hurt Samuel, I will make your entire

so angry that his eyes turned red, but they

also tell that they wanted

Nicole hurriedly grabbed Samuel and whispered, "Their target is

habit of letting women protect

for you to be macho! Can't you see that the people outside are targeting you? Even if I go out, they won't necessarily change their target and chase after me. I just give a try. Don't

let out

Most importantly, he liked the

lowered his

Nicole was completely dumbfounded.

What was going on?

someone was trying to kill him outside. What about him? Was this

"Samuel, you..."

Samuel away, he kissed her again. This time, she felt like she was going to gradually lost her strength and slowly enjoyed herself in madness, but those bullets kept bypassing him and shooting towards Samuel's dodging situation, but he didn't expect guys. I'm covering you, but you are making out here. You can't do that he was hurt in his react and hurriedly pushed Samuel away, but because she pushed too hard, she pushed Samuel away from the immediately shot at Samuel "Samuel!" heartbeat was about She was so stupid. out to help, Jarrod suddenly blocked in front of Samuel, and they stopped opportunity to hide back on Nicole's Jarrod's expression became gloomier. present, the people outside didn't shoot "Follow me. Stay behind me for a moment, but he did not hesitate. He directly reached out to grab Jarrod's neck and coldly said to the outside, "Get out of the way! Otherwise,

Chapter 1274 Once Again, He Escaped Death

"Alright, I'll go back and make some preparations. We can't do this alone." Samuel knew that Nicole was eager to find her second uncle, but what just happened should have alerted Aaron. He didn't know if he would make another move immediately. Now it depended on who reacted faster. Nicole nodded. After returning, Samuel brought a small group of people and Nicole up the mountain overnight. The back mountain was very big, and it was connected to the surrounding mountains. Nicole and Samuel did not know where her second uncle was, so they could only search the mountains one by one. As soon as Jarrod went back, someone whipped towards him. He didn't even dodge and directly took the whipping. The whip was barbed.

After Jarrod was whipped, his skin and flesh were immediately torn apart. The smell of blood filled the room, but he didn't even blink.

"Bastard! You've forgotten who raised you, haven't you?"

The lights in the room immediately lit up.

There was a man in his fifties sitting in the middle of the house, and there was a woman sitting beside him. The woman looked at Jarrod with a seductive expression. She smiled and stroked Aaron's chest. She smiled and said, "Aaron, why are you so angry? No matter what, Jarrod and he are brothers. It seems impossible for him not to contact Samuel."

"Shut up! You have no right to speak here!"

Jarrod's gaze was like sharp swords, flying towards the woman. Those cold eyes scared her.

The woman involuntarily trembled. Then, she thought of Aaron beside her and hurriedly said in grievance, "Aaron, look at your son. What is his attitude towards me?"

"Alright, shut up. I'm talking to my son. Don't interrupt."

Aaron frowned slightly and was somewhat dissatisfied with the woman's noisy voice.

This time, the woman did not dare to speak at all.

Jarrod looked at Aaron. He was still bleeding, but as if it didn't hurt at all, he said coldly, "Father, can you let him go? He doesn't know anything now."

"He doesn't know? Why did he come to the Harper Town? Do you really think he brought his wife and children here for a trip? Jarrod, don't forget whose son you are! Go kneel in the ancestral hall. You are not allowed to treat your wound, eat, or drink water without my permission. Think about what you should and shouldn't do. You may think that I won't kill you because you're my son. But if you ruin my plan like this again, I don't mind trapping you at the foot of the mountain so that you'll never see the sunshine again."

Aaron's expression was extremely vicious, as if the person in front of him wasn't his son, but a stranger.

He thought of Vincent who always smiled heartlessly but had his own

warm Vincent was when he talked about Samuel. He had never seen

hadn't done the paternity test behind Aaron's back, he would have doubted whether

Aaron had treated him very harshly, so harsh that

he couldn't have that. He envied that Samuel could grow up with Vincent. Even if there was any pain, they would share it with each other. But Jarrod

coldly and went straight to the ancestral

different. There was only one person's tablet,

tablet,

wounds on his body were burning with pain, and fresh blood was also flowing. However, Aaron seemed to not see, and Jarrod

at the tablet, his eyes

you're gone, Dad seems to have changed. These years, he has become even more indulgent. There were different women around him, and he seemed to have forgotten about you, but every time I do something wrong, he still punishes me to

mockery, and the

when he saw Aaron walk in with

to your mother again? Did you tell her

"No."

this was the only way to

and suddenly took out a

Jarrod saw the white porcelain

trace of fear in his eyes,

Your mother was an expert, but why did she give birth to such a trash like you? You share the blood

as he stared straight

little upset with his

You must do whatever I want

small black bug suddenly crawled out. It

"Damn!"

ground and hugged himself tightly His entire body was twitching,

bug crawled into his wound and swiftly flowed along his vessels. As it went through

kill this bug. Otherwise, no one can save you. I have only one son, but if you really die, I can still have a child with Lina.

walked out and locked the

on the

the ancestral hall expect

of them had just been captured, and some of them were raised by Jarrod. Every time that he knelt in the ancestral hall, he would experience this pain. Jarrod thought that he was used to it,

eyes stared fixedly at Alice's tablet on the table and asked, "Why? Mom, why? My younger brother doesn't want to talk to me, and my father didn't like me.

the table

to smell blood and became even

pain, the security guards of the ancestral

he could die, but

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Chapter 1275 It Sounded Frightening

Jarrold was clearly smiling, but there were tears at the corners of his eyes, mixed with his blood. They flowed down together.

He finally fainted from losing too much blood. But before he fainted, he took out his phone and edited a message, then deleted it.

Nicole and Samuel searched the mountains behind the Bryan Town but failed to find Nicole's second uncle. Instead, they fell into a trap.

This should be a trap for catching beasts. Fortunately, there were no sharp blades inside. Otherwise, both Nicole and Samuel would be injured.

Samuel fell first to protect Nicole. Nicole hurriedly got up and checked if Samuel was alright.

"I'm fine. Don't worry. I just fell."

Samuel was afraid that Nicole would be worried, so she couldn't help but speak.

But Nicole whispered, "How can I not be worried? We fall from such a high place. We would probably starve to death here if no one finds us. Moreover, you fell so heavily just now to protect me. I need to see if you have any injuries."

She ignored Samuel's objection and checked Samuel up. She only heaved a sigh of relief after discovering that it was only a scratch.

"Just now, we separated from them to search for my second uncle. We should have brought more people."

Nicole was somewhat annoyed and regretful.

However, Samuel shook his head and said, "It's easy to reveal our whereabouts if we bring more people. Yesterday, Jarrod ruined Aaron's plan. That old man will definitely set up defenses everywhere and even seize every opportunity to kill us. Now that we have fallen into this trap, perhaps it's still a good thing."

"Good thing? You're so optimistic."

Seeing Samuel being so calm, Nicole also calmed down.

She looked around. This place should be in the remote mountains. The trees were tall, and even the grass beside the trap was tall. It could be seen that usually no one came here.

Nicole helped Samuel sit up.

There was a lot of space inside the trap. It should be prepared to capture large beasts. They wondered if their people would find them.

"I'll send them a message."

Nicole took out her phone but was stopped by Samuel.

"If you send a message at this time, I'm worried that they will intercept our signal. Aaron's people may arrive before our people. Then we'll be in real danger."

Nicole did not have Samuel's jungle survival experience, so she naturally listened to Samuel.

Looking at the dark circles under Samuel's eyes, she felt a little distressed and said, "Why don't you lean on me and sleep for a while? It has been almost a night, and your body can't bear it. It's hard for people to find us here. The weeds on top of us haven't been damaged, so it's relatively safer."

"You should sleep for a while. I can still hold on."

Samuel looked at Nicole and felt a little distressed.

fine. Why don't we both rest for a while and think of a way to leave this place when we wake up? At that time, we'll both have strength,

"Alright."

Samuel hugged Nicole.

together, and not long after, Nicole

asleep, Samuel heaved a sigh of relief. Then, he looked at the trap and felt that there shouldn't be any
opened her eyes

eyes were somewhat sparkling, and she didn't

even if she was sleepy, she didn't dare to close her eyes, afraid that something dangerous would. If she
did not sleep, Samuel

of exhaustion and nervousness these past few

coat and put it on Samuel's body. Afterwards, she took out her pistol to be on

four to

was still on guard and she had dark circles, he knew that Nicole had not

"You..."

fine, I'm not

smile was gentle. Samuel felt warm

to sleep. Otherwise,

"Alright."

hesitate. She directly leant against the
couldn't help but feel heartache when he saw his wife had become somewhat skinny along the way.
When they got out, he must
that Nicole had set up some obstacles in the surroundings, and even some obstacles on top of them. If
someone came down,
he didn't expect that she would use the
Nicole was still asleep,
second
lied to trick him into
a little anxious, but calling Zoe and the others now would easily
his guess was correct, then it was very likely that Nicole's second uncle was not here
this, Samuel was a
enough, he shouldn't have
with the scene of Jarrod risking his own life to save him, and
was truly
way to notify Zoe and the others, so he could only hope that Juliana could protect
eating happily
woke up in less than
don't you sleep
after such a short sleep, Samuel couldn't help but feel
enough. We can have a good rest after we get out. Samuel, we need to find a way
only climb out of here. However, it was too slippery in the trap. There is no place for us set foot on.
Moreover, we still need a rope. I brought everything
"Me neither."
still lacked the experience to survive in the jungle, so she couldn't
footsteps
"Someone is here."

Chapter 1276 Take Us to Him

"Shall we go up and pin Amelia down?"

Nicole observed Samuel's expression. She was clear what he was thinking.

"Aren't you afraid it's a trap?"

Samuel's voice was cold, but a trace of hesitancy showed on his face.

Nicole said in a low voice, "Even if it's a trap, we have to go. After all, that person has suffered so much for you. You must feel sorry for that. You don't want to owe him a favor, do you?"

Samuel did not reply, only tightly holding Nicole's hand.

After a while, Samuel broke the silence, "I'll go myself. You go back and stay with the children."

"I want to be with you."

Nicole knew that Samuel didn't want to implicate her, but she couldn't let Samuel go alone.

Samuel's mood was unstable because of the Golden Bug. She was afraid for an accident.

Samuel seemed to have expected her saying so. He gave a smile and a gentle gaze.

"It's always hard to turn you down."

"Then don't."

Nicole put her arms around Samuel's waist and gently leaned against his chest. She said softly, "As long as you are doing what you want, I will be with you."

"Alright."

Samuel held Nicole in his arms tightly, grabbed the rope, and climbed up with her.

Amelia and her group had gone far, but Samuel could clearly distinguish their traces.

Nicole followed Samuel all the way. They finally subdued Amelia when she was alone.

"Don't move, or I may hurt you."

A sharp dagger was against Amelia's waist. The cold seemed to penetrate through her clothes into her flesh.

Amelia was slightly stunned and annoyed.

She suddenly turned around, not caring if she would be hurt by Nicole's dagger. Nicole took a step back in surprise, and this gave Amelia a chance.

Amelia's hand moved quickly towards Nicole's neck. It seemed that she would strangle Nicole to death.

Samuel just looked on and did not give a hand.

He found that Nicole lacked fight experience. He could protect Nicole, but he could not guarantee that he would be by Nicole's side at all times.

She had to train to protect herself in the fight.

Now that everything was under control, Samuel had no intention of giving a hand. He wanted to see how Nicole would do with it.

Nicole did not expect Samuel to save her. The instant Amelia attacked her, she realized the opponent's intentions. She leaned forward unhurriedly and quickly kicked as they went close.

Amelia was fiercely kicked away.

Amelia fell on the ground while Nicole stood in the forest. Her indifference made Amelia a little annoyed.

not missed a hit for a long

of her was quick, but she sensed that Nicole's breath was

kept the fight prolonged, Nicole would be exhausted even if she was quick. Then it

Samuel, who was

of him, so it was not hard for Amelia to guess

for respect. After all, she was Jarrod's girlfriend. Or

Amelia jumped up from the ground and rushed towards Nicole

attacked, she passed the dagger from her right hand to her left hand. She

glanced at Nicole and said indifferently, "Are you here

take us

the dagger. Samuel immediately stepped forward and embraced

"Are you OK?"

weak. I really need to

bitterly, and did not say

Amelia looked at them, a trace of sadness flashing in her

afraid that it is my trap? A trap to

so, we'll

Samuel's words stunned Amelia.

it that Samuel

he didn't

they seemed to

a little red, and there was a catch

sincerely. Otherwise, I

Amelia and didn't quite understand. Then Amelia turned around and walked forward. She said in

Nicole exchanged glances

to avoid the group and went up the mountain along a
The passage was dark.
Samuel frowned.
Nicole recalled the Dungeon.
Tim who was by her side. Now she did not know how Tim
of them, Nicole felt
noticed it. He held her hand and whispered,
Tim and the time when we were
Samuel was slightly stunned.
had returned
friend. He hoped there would be
on the
saw this and seemed to think about something, but she said nothing
them walked for about half
no
opened the stone slab above and jumped
Samuel. Samuel nodded, and then
found that this is an ancestral
in blood. She did not know if he was alive or dead, but he
the blood on the ground had dried up,
eyes suddenly
Jarrod, wake up! Wake
hugged Jarrod and burst
and left
should stay with
or the bugs coming, she could help take it if she
pale face,

Chapter 1277 There Are Things You Don't See

Noticing Samuel's grim expression, Nicole associated this new information with her experience of being poisoned with bugs.

She thought that she was pregnant but was in fact poisoned. As a result, her health was undermined.

Nicole's eyes turned cold.

So it was Aaron!

Back then, she didn't think that Viola was capable of doing it. That's why she thought it was Major's doing. However, she never thought that it had something to do with Aaron.

In other words, Aaron and Major were on the same side, or were they cooperating?

This thought made Nicole's expression turn cold.

While looking after Jarrod, Amelia also paid attention to Nicole and Samuel. When she noticed their cold gazes, she became vigilant.

"What do you want to do? Mr. Aaron's men are outside. If I scream, none of you would be able to leave."

"I mean no harm to him."

Samuel tried to explain.

Now Jarrod quieted down. He seemed to have fallen asleep, but his state made one worried.

Having mixed feelings, Samuel couldn't help walking over.

He remembered seeing Jarrod crying in front of Vincent's tombstone.

Jarrod was not that cold-blooded after all.

When Samuel got closer, Amelia was put on full alert. Nicole pulled her to sit down aside. Still, Amelia fixed her eyes on Samuel. She was ready to fight if he did anything to Jarrod.

Samuel smiled at Amelia's nervousness and said, "You are very loyal to him."

Amelia said nothing, and her mood was not affected by Samuel. She kept staring at him.

Samuel ignored Amelia, and took a look at the wounds on Jarrod's body.

There were many scars, both new and old. And most of them were cuts.

When seeing the new wound on Jarrod's chest, Samuel seemed to understand.

Did Jarrod always cut himself to take out the bugs?

Had he gone mad?

Or had he thought that he was immortal?

Samuel's eyes turned red, and his mood became gloomy.

Among him and his two brothers, only Vincent lived an easy life, which was unfortunately very short. In a way of speaking, they were fellow sufferers.

Jarrold helped him, knowing that he himself would be severely punished. Whether it was a sympathy-getting ploy or a sincere help, Samuel's heart was softened.

"Let's take him with us. If Aaron doesn't treat him well, then he'd better come back to me."

speaking, Samuel shouldered Jarrod, but then
still alive? Samuel, I'm not your man. What do
and weak. Still, the words

"Mr. Jarrod!"

from

still hurt? I'll go and find you some painkillers.

You are

out a low

her mouth, but her eyes were filled with

her, but

and his face was expressionless, but Jarrod thought that he was very

"Why are you here?"

I'll bury you. I've prepared a tomb for you beside

said with a cold face. Yet, his icy tone

impossible for you to double back. There must be barricades now. The forest that you entered through is probably under control. If you don't try to leave, you can survive.

and struggled to get free from

this, Amelia

"Mr. Jarrod."

Jarrold glanced at her.

in such a state? You

said, "It's for the sake of convenience. I can better walk around in

"Help me sit down."

Jarrold to Amelia and walked to Nicole's side, holding her

he's right. This place is safe. Aaron would

take a
sit down and handed her a
so you
little
food with you, but you didn't think
food. Who
slightly hurt
am I? Don't
know, nor do I
fed it to Nicole. He said softly, "It's a bit
"OK."
ate. And she glanced at Jarrod from time
who was bickering with Samuel,
lips and said dejectedly, "Samuel,
with
Jarrod rejected Amelia's
want yours. I want
Jarrod being so childish, so she was
here.
couldn't help but burst into
Samuel smiled, too.
"Just for a hardtack?"
with a rare
going to give me or
you are. How dare I not give it to you
a hardtack

Chapter 1278 Don't You Go Too Far

"You seem to understand something. Could it be that Emory had come here on a mission?"

Samuel frowned at Jarrod's words. He said, "I don't know what happened to him. All I have is your word and the credibility is in question. What can I know? If you know Emory has an army here, then you must know where he is. Tell me."

"What makes you think I'll tell you?"

Jarroed hated to see Samuel like this, so he felt a little annoyed.

Samuel said in a causal manner, "In your current state, do you think that I would let you off without telling me?"

"What do you want?"

Jarroed became vigilant.

Samuel gave an evil smile and said, "You are weak and even my wife can subdue you. Do you think you stand a chance?"

"Don't threaten me. I have help here. Do you forget about Amelia?"

Jarroed wasn't worried that Samuel would attack him. Samuel would have tried if he wanted to. And even if he did try, Amelia would be able to stop them.

Samuel peered at Amelia who was pouring water outside and teased, "What's the matter? Is she your woman? Your wife?"

Jarroed paused for a moment. Gazing at Amelia's figure, he said, "No. She is my 18-year-old present from my father."

Samuel was slightly stunned.

He knew what Jarroed meant.

In ancient times, when a man reached the age of eighteen, a woman would be given to him by an elder. This woman would give the men sex education in person. Generally speaking, such a woman was carefully selected by the elder. She was given to the men for two reasons — to relieve his boredom and to monitor whether he behaved himself. Once the man did something very wrong, such behavior would be reported to the elder immediately. In other words, she was the eye of the elders.

Samuel never thought that Aaron would control Jarroed in such an old-fashioned way.

"Was she with you when you were in the army?"

"Yes. Money talks. Bringing a woman into the military camp was a piece of cake."

Jarroed gave a self-mocking smile.

Only then did Samuel realize why Jarroed didn't say anything in front of Amelia.

"Why didn't you kill her?"

When some men had their own power, they would kill the woman and forge the scene to make it look like an accident. In that case, they wouldn't be spied on by their elders.

For Jarrod, this was an easy task.

Jarrod answered, "Why should I kill Amelia? If I kill her, someone else will take her place. Also, I'm a neat freak, and one woman is enough for me. I don't want to sleep with strange women."

Hearing these words, Nicole couldn't help glancing at Jarrod.

frowned and hugged Nicole

and then she realized that

Seriously?

only took a few glances at

smiled and said, "Don't worry. I'm

you

Nicole a little

this was

long to find water. She

me since she was eighteen. She's thirty now. We've been together for twelve years. If she wanted to betray me, she would have done it long ago. There's no need

"What?"

Nicole was somewhat puzzled.

Nicole, "Go and

"Alright."

meant, Nicole

Jarrod, Samuel took out a cigarette from his pocket

the cigarette and

relieve pain, but some men liked nicotine the

clouded Jarrod's face, obscuring

want to

doesn't leave now, her life will be truly ruined. She'll have a wider world and a better life if she leaves. I've held her back for twelve years. That's long enough, and I don't want

spoke, Jarrod puffed at his cigarette. Then he started coughing violently; maybe it was because he puffed

couldn't bear to see it and patted Jarrod on his back. Jarrod took the opportunity to lie down on his

you go

Samuel frowned.

could Jarrod

Were they that close?

hand and said, "Don't be stingy.

was speechless, and didn't push

in a low voice, "Help me to get Amelia out of here, and

Samuel was stunned.

you talking

Jarrold laughed charmingly.

looked into Samuel's eyes and said, "Amelia is

"You have three children?"

pregnant were very little, and she might not get pregnant ever again. That was why my father gave up on killing her. Now she is pregnant, but she doesn't know about it. Samuel, Amelia is thirty. Most women have been mothers for years at this

looked at Samuel. His eyes

Samuel felt anguish.

the happiness she wants. Aaron has

world is, I'm stuck with him. I'm not afraid of death. I'm afraid that after I die, no one will protect Amelia, let alone our child. I want to keep the

Jarrold said bitterly.

said

that a father would poison his own

Chapter 1279 This Day Will Surly Come

Nicole was shocked. Still, she stopped Amelia quickly.

"Did you kill him?"

Amelia's eyes were scarlet. She was clearly a little mad.

Nicole was afraid that the people outside would hear the noise and had no choice but to knock Amelia unconscious.

Seeing Nicole's move, Samuel whispered, "I think we'll have to take them with us."

"What did you two say just now?"

Nicole knew that Samuel wanted to have a private conversation with Jarrod when she was asked to leave.

Samuel said, "I'll explain later. Let's see if there's any food here. I guess we'll have to wait for a while before we can find a way out."

"OK."

When they were outside, Nicole trusted Samuel unconditionally.

She laid Amelia down beside Jarrod, and passed the water she had just gotten to Samuel.

Samuel took a sip and left some for Nicole, and said, "The Bryan Town is not far from the Harper Town. The mountains are connected. I wonder if we can return to the Harper Town through the mountains."

"Are you planning to go back to the Harper Town?"

Nicole was surprised.

Samuel nodded and said, "Yes, I think that the Harper Town is the key to unravel all the mysteries. Perhaps Emory is also there."

"Then what about Zoe and Lucas?"

Nicole was worried about the children.

Samuel said, "Call Joseph and tell him to contact Morgan. Morgan can to send them away or bring them to the Harper Town."

"Why don't you contact Morgan?"

Nicole was puzzled.

Samuel's eyes flicked as he whispered, "I don't want to."

Nicole recognized Samuel's rejection from his words, but there was nothing she could do about it. He was now leader of the Harper Town, and there were things that he could not avoid doing.

They leaned against each other and rested.

"Are you hurt? I can dress your wounds."

Samuel was a little sleepy, but now in this place, he dared not to rest or sleep.

"No, I'm fine. You can sleep for a while. I'll keep watch."

Seeing the dark circles beneath Samuel's eyes, Nicole felt distressed.

get some sleep. You never sleep much and you are not very well now. There's still a long way to go. We'll have to take Amelia out of here, so sleep for a while,

Nicole's head. His gentle

"OK."

she was not strong enough, so she closed her eyes

Soon, Nicole fell asleep.

by, but no one

long. He woke up after about an hour, looking much better. When he saw Samuel on guard, he paused. Then he found Amelia

a while.

Samuel nodded and slept.

He was really tired.

Jarrood, because his intuition

Jarrood had mixed feelings.

be caught by

He glanced at Amelia.

for so long, and now, Samuel agreed to take her out.

years of dangerous life,

believe that he was used to having her around. However, only when seeing how sad Amelia was after losing her child, Jarrood

couldn't care less about whether

he stroked Amelia's long hair, bits and pieces of their past

accompanied in their lonely killer

thought that one day he would be troubled by love, so he could not help but

and found the map of nearby area. After pondering for a long time, he made

map to Samuel who had

the vibrations of his phone and saw Jarrood holding the phone. Samuel checked Jarrood's message and was surprised to see

"This is..."

is path leading from the ancestral hall to the mountains behind. You can find a secret entrance

low, but Samuel recognized a

sold

Other than Aaron himself, perhaps only Jarrood knew about

Samuel's heart ached.

"Come with us."

to stay here to investigate William's
Samuel's words. He smiled but did
to investigate. Now that you've told us Aaron's biggest secret, he won't let you get away with this even if
you are his son. I don't have any
body stiffened and his eyes were somewhat
would never get Samuel's approval, but he didn't expect that a map would do the
How do you know
won't risk
by my father. Do you really think I care about
happy
need to probe into my thought with these words. Jarrod, if everything you've done is just for a
sympathy-getting ploy, then I
trembled when he
looked up at Samuel and asked in a trembling voice,
if you lied to me and hurt me,
was moved by
away and said, "You're worse than Vincent. He never
up, we are brothers. Eight years ago, I didn't manage to
Samuel was serious.

Don't Try to Escape, My Wife!

Chapter 1280 I Can Swear on My Life

Samuel led Nicole and unconscious Amelia along the secret passage for a long time. Just as they thought that they would continue walking here, Nicole finally found a ray of light.

"There's light ahead. Does it mean that we can go out?"

Samuel also put on a delighted look.

"We've been walking for three days. We should be able to leave now."

Looking at Amelia who was still asleep, Samuel felt relieved.

As long as they could leave, they might be safe.

Nicole saw the hope and relaxed a little. Looking at unconscious Amelia, she asked doubtfully, "I only beat Amelia lightly, so it doesn't make sense that she's been unconscious for three days. If she hadn't breathed normally, I would be afraid that I might have killed her."

"No."

Samuel shook his head, took down the kettle at his waist and handed it to Nicole, saying, "Drink some water."

Nicole took a few sips from the kettle and handed it to Samuel.

Samuel took a few sips without hesitation.

Seeing that they drank from the same kettle, Nicole felt indescribably sweet.

"Then why hasn't she woken up?"

"Jarrod should have given her something to eat that keeps her asleep. In this way, even if she knows something after waking up, it will be too late to go back."

Samuel's words confused Nicole.

"What do you mean?"

"Jarrod asked me to bring her out. Amelia's pregnant with Jarrod's child, but she doesn't know about it."

Samuel told Nicole about Amelia and Jarrod.

After listening to it, Nicole sighed, "Is everyone's love so tortuous? I thought our relationship was difficult enough, but I didn't expect them to be so difficult too. Has Jarrod come to have feelings for Amelia?"

"Perhaps, but what's between them is certainly not as simple as we can see. On the one hand, love grows over time. On the other hand, perhaps Amelia and Jarrod are close because they've risked their lives together. How many twelve years does a woman have? Amelia has given her entire life to Jarrod without any regrets. Even if she had miscarriages, she still decided to stand by Jarrod, and she doesn't care if she can have any children in the future. We don't understand their relationship, but since I promised Jarrod, let's take good care of her."

Samuel had never cared about this before, but the twists and turns in his relationship with Nicole had made him want to help Jarrod when he saw how difficult Jarrod was.

Nicole nodded.

After the two of them had enough rest, they continued to walk out with Amelia. Neither of them noticed that tears were streaming down Amelia's face.

When they finally walked out of the tunnel, Nicole and Samuel still couldn't figure out where this place was.

They looked around.

This was indeed a mountain range, but they couldn't tell whether it was in the Bryan Town or the Harper Town. The area in front of them was somewhat unfamiliar.

"Where is this? The Bryan Town?"

around and

definitely have set up sentry posts near the Bryan Town or on the mountain behind to search for Nicole also noticed it.

deathly lifeless, and there wasn't even the slightest

suddenly feel

lost. I also feel that this

was uneasy, so he could only tell

supported Amelia and walked beside

path here. There were only grasses that were taller than humans everywhere, so they had to help Amelia forward while

time, they

and Samuel's

to have been going in

Nicole told her discovery.

well. He said in a low voice, "Why don't

"Alright."

of them walked for a long time only to find that they were back to where they started again. Nicole felt a little

"What's going on?"

"It's a formation."

not heard

everything here with a calm

somewhat surprised. She was going to ask something but did not know how to

and frowned. For a moment, he looked as if thinking of

"You've long been awake?"

leave the secret passage. I didn't want to embarrass you, so I pretended to be asleep. I didn't say anything just now to see

side of Samuel, narrowing

came to Samuel's side and whispered, "I feel that

and

a bit

Formation!

a very old

they would only see this in TV dramas or movies, but Amelia, who was with them,

Samuel was shocked inwardly.

who gave Amelia to Jarrod as a gift at Aaron's coming-of-age ceremony, so Amelia very likely worked for Aaron. But since

didn't know that

skills be willing as a

she stayed beside him for twelve

Amelia really work for

of

steps to the left, looking for something. Then she took a few steps to the right, also looking for something. She kept doing so in four directions for a long time. Then, she said with a pale face, "This is an Eight Trigrams Formation, which traps people here.

she seemed to be different from who

obvious sense of

weren't for Jarrod, Samuel really didn't want to bring this

"Who are you?"

vigilance in Samuel's

and Nicole and said

"Easier said than done."

swear on

Nicole tugged at Samuel's sleeve, signaling him not to