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Chapter 1131

Brian was shocked. The door was not locked when he opened

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“Let’s head over to the police station first!” the policeman said.

“Sure,” replied Grace.

“I’ll go with you,” said Brian as he took Grace’s hand.

“No thanks. I’ll go by myself,” said Grace.

However, instead of letting go, Brian insisted and said, “I’ll go with you! I was the first witness after the door opened.” His phoenix eyes looked straight at her as if he would dilly-dally with her like this if she refused.

Grace had no choice but to nod and agree.

Even if she refused, Brian did not need her permission to go to the police station. Besides, as he said, he was the first witness. since he was the one who opened the door.

Brian looked at the crowd outside the door and pulled Grace behind him. “Hide behind me and walk forward.”

“Huh?” Brian had already led Grace forward when she was still in a daze.

Many crew members and shopping mall customers were around, but there were more fans of the cast there. They were

all looking this way.

Even though a few security guards shielded them on their way out, a few people still tried to push their way over. They were even pointing their phones at Grace to take a picture of her.

Brian kept Grace behind him so that they could not get a picture of her face.

“Don’t look up, just follow me!” Brian’s voice rang softly in Grace’s ears, and she immediately felt calm.

It was just like... when they were in the forest when they were children, and it was always dreadfully dark when night came. He had held her hand tightly, saying, “Don’t be afraid. Just... Just lean on me. You... You can sleep next to me. I won’t fall asleep at night and I’ll keep guard. I’m braver than you anyway, so I’m not afraid.”

However, his hands were slightly trembling when he said so.

A faint smile could not help appearing on the corners of Grace’s lips at the thought of that moment. The world children. lived in was so much simpler than an adult’s.

Perhaps because of this, people particularly missed their childhood when they grew up.

Grace followed Brian out of the mall and got into a car.

It was only then that the film crew's eyes fell on Stella as the expressions began to warp. They looked at her with either sarcastic, sympathetic, or disdainful looks.

Stella felt like she was slapped in the face. She had been the one everyone tried to curry favor with, and many people secretly thought she might be Brian's girlfriend.

After all, even though Brian had previously said in the interview that he had someone he loved, he never publicly revealed who it was.

Therefore, some people thought that Brian was just trying to cover up the truth and that his girlfriend was actually Stella.

However, Brian's actions today seemed to tell everyone around them who he loved.

'Why did this happen? Why did the plan I thought of so hard not work out? Grace even managed to subdue Robert Brewer. It's so infuriating!'

Chapter 1132

Stella was preoccupied when suddenly a voice came from the lounge. "Huh, what are these?" It was the voice of the cleaning lady in charge of cleaning the mall.

Then, someone said, "What... What's with these photos? Wow, that's so gross!"

'Photos?'

Stella shuddered and suddenly remembered that she had tricked Robert Brewer into trading photos with her.

It was just that she did not follow Robert Brewer into the lounge after giving him the drug. Instead, she calculated the time the drug would take effect on Robert Brewer while waiting outside.

The original idea was that after Robert Brewer and Grace's scandal was discovered, she would take the photos away while others were not looking. However, she did not expect things to be the complete opposite of what she expected, so she totally forgot about taking the photos back.

Stella rushed into the lounge, only to see several people looking at the photos in their hands.

Suddenly, someone said, "Hey, this looks like Stella."

"Wow, really? The woman's so unsophisticated. It can't be her."

"She's taking intimate photos with this ugly and unsophisticated guy. Hey, this guy looks like the guy who was

carried out on the stretcher earlier!”

Stella was trembling with anger! She had put a lot of effort

and thought into this. Instead of Grace getting humiliated, she was the one being greatly humiliated!

‘Why did this happen?’”

Stella was not the only one trembling right now.

Wu Mincui never expected that the woman she bullied in prison would be taken away in such a protective manner by

Brian.

Anyone could see how protective Brian was of Grace.

‘Isn’t Grace an ex-convict? How did she get together with... Brian? What the hell is going on?’”

Wu Mincui only felt that her brain was not working properly. What feared her more was whether Grace would ask Brian to take revenge on her after the way she treated Grace in prison.

Wu Mincui just wanted to slap herself at the thought of this.

She wished she had not appeared in front of Grace today.

Grace gave her statement at the police station.

She was attacked by Robert Brewer when she arrived at the lounge today. She sprayed him several times with the pepper spray in her bag, and when he could not see, she took the

opportunity to pull the shoelace off her sneaker and tied

Robert Brewer’s hands.

Then, she called 120 and 110!

“Why didn’t you contact me?” asked Brian.

“I don’t... have your contact information,” she said a little uneasily under his gaze.

Brian was stunned. All his former girlfriends had asked him for his phone number. However, he was always the one going after Grace. It seemed that she had never taken the initiative.

to come to him!

Talking about her taking an initiative, it was probably the time. she wanted to go to the charity gala to seek out Martin Weiss. that she took the initiative to come to his company to see him.

Pressing his thin lips together tightly, Brian suddenly pulled Grace’s phone out of her hand. He quickly keyed in his phone.

number and created a new caller ID in her contact list.

"No matter what happens, you can call me if you think you need help," said Brian before returning the phone to Grace.

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Grace wanted to say no, but looking at Brian's serious expression, she swallowed the refusal back in her mouth.

The phone in her hand seemed to have gotten a little heavier.

Brian said, "Come on. I'll send you home first. I'll look into what happened today! You won't be set up for nothing."

"We've reported it to the police, and they'll look into it," said

Grace.

"I won't be rest assured if only the police are looking into this," said Brian. If anyone tried to harm her, then he would take care of the snake in the grass. "I won't spare anyone who

harms you!"

Grace suddenly asked, "What if the person who wants to harm me is Stella? You won't spare her too?"

Brian stiffened. This possibility was the last thing he wanted to think about. He could punish others severely and make them. pay for it a thousand times over.

However, after all... Stella was the one he had longed for more than 20 years and the one who saved his life when he was a child!

If he could, he wanted to give her a lifetime of wealth and peace.

Seeing this, Grace laughed to herself. "Forget about it." She walked out of the police station as she spoke.

She walked more slowly because of her shoes-one had a shoelace while the other did not.

When she was walking down the steps outside the police station, she lifted her foot and the shoe with no shoelace flew straight out.

"Ah!" Grace gave a low cry. She was about to go down and pick up the shoe when a figure came forward a step faster than her and picked it up.

Brian took the shoe and walked over to her. He crouched

down and placed it carefully on her foot.

As she slipped her foot into the shoe, his hand pressed on it carefully, helping to hold it in place.

Grace said, "Thank you."

Brian got up. "If there's no shoelace on your shoe, you'll easily kick it off your foot."

With that, before Grace could respond, he picked her up and headed to his car.

Grace was shocked. After all, one of his hands was still wrapped in gauze. "Your hand is injured. Put me down!" She © panicked.

He said, "I broke my wrist, not my arm. I can still carry you like this."

Grace said hastily, "Even so, what if you hit your wrist? What if you make your wrist injury worse, which will only make it harder to heal? Bone injuries can be serious!"

It was because her broken finger bones did not recover properly back then that she was left with these sequelae, and she suffered terribly because of it.

However, her anxiety brought a smile to Brian's lips, which turned the usual indifference on his face into some kind of pure youth-like joy.

He said, "It's nice that you worry about me."

She froze. "What's nice about that?"

He said, "This means that you have me in your heart. Even if it's just a very, very small place, it exists!"

Grace was stunned. She had no way to counter what he said because... he was Bryn! The Bryn who had gone through thick and thin with her!

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When they got to the car, Brian put her on the passenger seat and strapped her in. He got back in the driver's seat and started the car.

The car headed to Grace's rental house. On the way, Brian

bought ointment to relieve the bruises.

"It'll be alright without the ointment. It's just a couple of scratches, and they'll go away in a couple of days. It's no big

deal," said Grace.

"Nothing about you is a small deal for me," he said. As if to prevent her from not applying the ointment, he pulled over at the roadside and took her scratched arm, wanting to apply ointment on the wounds.

"I... I'll do it myself!" She quickly took the ointment from his hand and opened the lid. She dipped some of the ointment on her fingers and smeared it on the bruises.

The cooling ointment worked its way through the skin.

There were only a few bruises, and Grace finished applying the ointment in a short time. As Grace closed the lid of the ointment, she heard Brian's voice. "If it's Stella who hurt you, I'll get you justice."

Grace looked at Brian in surprise. "You..."

Brian said, "Stella saved my life when I was a child. She's indeed important to me, and I hope this incident has nothing to do with her. But that doesn't mean I don't know right from wrong. Besides, you're the one I want to cherish the most. I don't want you to be wronged no matter what."

Grace's nose suddenly felt a little sore. His voice was calm. There was not even much fluctuation in his tone, but it gave her some strength as if hearing him say this would give her some peace of mind and warmth.

When the car started up again, Grace looked at the ointment in her hand and fell into a trance.

Stella was terrified. Robert Brewer had been sent to the hospital for treatment while Brian was accompanying Grace to the police station to give their statements.

She was more afraid of being found out that she had framed Grace than the embarrassment of people seeing her awful photos from the past.

"It should be alright!

'Robert Brewer was drugged. They probably won't trace

back to me. Besides, I paid a cleaner to lock the lounge door.

and unlock it quietly. As long as the cleaner doesn't tell on me,

they won't be able to trace it to me!

Besides, everyone had seen her photos because of this incident. Speaking of which, she was also a victim!

Nevertheless, Stella went to Brian's house in the evening and waited until Brian returned. When he reached the living room, she immediately got up with a concerned expression and asked, "Brian, how is Grace doing? Is she okay?"

Brian glanced lightly at Stella and got straight to the point. "Did the incident today have anything to do with you?"

Stella froze, feeling as if her thoughts had nowhere to hide under his phoenix eyes.

"I... I know it's my fault. I shouldn't have asked Grace to wait for me in the lounge, but I really don't know why that happened to Robert Brewer!" Stella put on a look of remorse.

"Today... Dazhu said he was coming to see me because he had something for me, so I told him to wait for me in the lounge. Then Grace came to see me, so I told Grace to wait for me in the lounge too. I thought that since they knew each other, it wouldn't be too awkward for them to see each other in the lounge, but..."

Stella sniffled as she spoke, "Was Robert Brewer really drugged? Is someone trying to frame me? If... If Grace hadn't come to see me today, then I might have been in danger if had gone into the lounge. Grace... took my place and was met with such an incident. Fortunately, she wasn't... You know... By Robert Brewer, or I'll really regret it!"

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Stella said what she had planned to say, turning herself into a victim.

As long as she was a victim, Grace's incident was not her fault. Grace was just unfortunate.

"Is everything you're telling me now the truth?" asked Brian as he stared at the person in front of him.

Stella immediately said, "Of course. Why would I lie to you, Brian? You know what? The more I thought about it later, the

more scared I became. If I had entered the lounge, and since.

I'm not as smart as Grace, then I'd... have gotten myself into a scandal in Emerald City and be laughed at by now!"

She wanted to throw herself into his arms and seek comfort as she spoke.

However, Brian pushed Stella out of his arms. "Stella, I've told

you that I only regard you as my childhood savior, so don't do anything inappropriate or say something inappropriate in

case you mislead others."

Stella's expression immediately changed at that, and she bit her lower lip hard.

"Also, I hope you're telling the truth today. The police have

started investigating this, and it won't be long before they have the results," said Brian.

Stella forced a smile. "Yes, I also hope... they'll have the results soon so that I'll know who's trying to hurt me!"

However, her heart was beating wildly and uncontrollably. It was almost as if it were about to burst out of her throat. Fear was welled up inside her.

'What if... they find out? What do I do then?'

Stella could not help shuddering at the thought of what might happen.

Over the weekend, Lina asked Grace out to relieve her boredom.

Lina drove Grace to a famous temple in Emerald City.

"Why are we here?" Grace was a little curious. After all, Lina was not the kind of person who liked to pray to Buddha or worship deities.

"I heard that the Buddha here is efficacious, so I brought you here to get rid of your bad luck. By the way, you can also make some wishes to the Buddha here if you have any. Maybe they'll come true!" said Lina.

Grace broke into a smile. "If you're accompanying me here today, don't you need to accompany Hadwin Stephenson?"

"He has gone back to the Stephenson family's house to deal with some things! He won't be in Emerald City recently," said Lina before blushing suddenly. She seemed like she was about to say something but stopped.

"What's the matter?" asked Grace.

"Well... Grace, if I say I'm going to marry Hadwin Stephenson in three months and want you to be my maid of honor, will... Will you do it?" Lina was in a dilemma when she said this.

After all, it would be the event of her life in three months, and she wanted her best friend to be her maid of honor. It was also a deal they had made when they were students. Whoever got married first, the other one would be the maid of honor.

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However, from another point of view, her best friend had just

ended things with Jason and was suffering heartbreak. Would making Grace the maid of honor make her sad? Would it make things even worse?

"In three months?" Grace was stunned, not expecting her best friend to drop such a huge bomb.

"Yeah, Hadwin said he'll use three months to resolve the Stephenson family's internal conflict, and we'll get married after that," said Lina.

Although it seemed too fast to her at first, she was at ease once she had made up her mind to get married in three months. She even began to look forward to the moment when she would become Hadwin Stephenson's wife!

"If so, congratulations!" Grace said with a smile and sincerely gave her best wishes to her best friend.

"Of course, I'll be the maid of honor for your wedding! I'll be upset if you didn't ask me to be your maid of honor!"

"It doesn't matter if you feel reluctant..."

The next moment, Grace reached out her arms and embraced Lina. "Lina, I'm not at all reluctant. I know you're worried about

1. You're worried that I'll think of my relationship and be upset, aren't you? But if so, you think too little of our friendship."

Lina was stunned. Grace knew all about her thoughts and concerns.

"I'm really happy that you can have a happy ending with Hadwin Stephenson. Even though I may never wear a wedding dress, more than anyone else, I hope that you get to wear it. Therefore, I must accompany you and see you happy

on your wedding day!"

Little by little, Grace's voice crept into Lina's ears.

Lina embraced Grace back and said with a sore nose, "What do you mean you'll never wear a wedding dress? You'll get to wear a wedding dress too! I'm sure of it!"

Grace did not want Lina to worry too much about her, so she replied with a smile, "Okay, I'll try my best to let myself wear a wedding dress one day."

When the two got out of the car, Grace asked, "You're going to marry Hadwin Stephenson in three months. What did your parents say about this?"

"They don't know yet. Hadwin will return to Emerald City in a few days and visit my parents at my house," said Lina. She had no idea how her parents would react.

The two walked up the steps along the hillside toward the temple as they chatted.

The temple was built on a hill, so it was a little tiring to walk. up, but it was also a good opportunity to have a look at the scenery along the way.

As she walked up the steps and looked at the scenery, Grace felt as if her worries had been alleviated by a lot.

It seemed that walking like this was pretty good!

Once they reached the temple, Lina cried out a “huh” before saying, “There seem to be a lot more security guards here today.”

“Security guards?” Grace looked around, and indeed, there were several men in uniform standing at the temple’s entrance. Every pilgrim going in and out was checked with metal detectors.

“When did temples become so strict?” Grace asked, puzzled.

“I have no idea. There were at most two security guards at the entrance when I came here with my mother.” Lina was also puzzled.

After being checked with metal detectors, the two entered the temple.

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Lina had been here several times before, so she was quite

familiar with the temple. She brought Grace with her and bought incense and paper ingots in the temple before heading to one of the halls nearest to the temple’s entrance.

There was an incense burner at the hall’s entrance. Grace followed Lina and lit the incense before putting the incense

into the incense burner.

Just as the two were about to enter the temple hall, Grace heard one of the people burning incense behind them saying, “Did you hear? Jason is here too.”

“Jason? The Jason... from the Reed family?”

“Which other Jason would come here and have so many security guards conduct such inspections at the temple’s entrance?”

Grace trembled. She had thought that perhaps since his name was being kept in the bottom of her heart, she would never hear that name again after leaving the mansion.

However, she did not expect to hear the name again so soon! They were... even in the same temple.

Lina naturally heard this too and immediately looked at Grace. somewhat awkwardly. “Why don’t... we go back as soon as we finish worshipping the Buddha statue?”

Grace said with feigned nonchalance, “Don’t worry, I’m fine.

So what if he's in the temple too? Does it mean that I have to quickly leave Emerald City and move to another city if he's in Emerald City? Since we live in the same city, there's always the possibility that we'll run into each other at some point."

With that, Grace grabbed Lina and walked into the temple

hall.

There were a total of four Buddha statues in the temple hall, and Grace worshipped them all.

Her heart that was somewhat confused after hearing Jason's name had suddenly calmed down when she walked into the temple hall.

Maybe it was because of the atmosphere in the temple hall. It was so quiet. Everyone was just quietly worshipping Buddha.

If she had any wishes, she hoped that God could bless Lina with happiness and that Kyla and Nelson could be together without ever having to separate. As for herself, she had nothing to ask for.

After walking out of the temple hall, Lina took Grace to the other temple halls to pray. Just as they arrived at the last

temple hall's entrance, many security guards were guarding outside. A temple monk was telling everyone that the abbot

was receiving an important guest and the temple hall would not be open to the public for a while.

Grace suddenly had a hunch that the guest inside must be

Jason!

"We're almost done for today. Since the last temple hall is

closed to the public, let's go," said Grace.

"Okay..." Lina responded quickly, also guessing it was probably Jason in there.

However, when they were ready to go, several figures suddenly walked out of the hall. Jason was one of them!

Grace only glanced at the figure for a moment before subconsciously turning around in an attempt to leave. However, several pilgrims behind her began to rush into the temple hall after the no-entry sign was removed.

Grace stumbled and fell to the ground.

"Grace!" Lina quickly cried out as she tried to pull Grace who had fallen to the ground.

However, pilgrims were walking quickly around them. Although they would avoid Grace, who had fallen to the

ground, Grace could not get up at once.

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After hearing the word 'Grace', Jason, who was not far away, suddenly stopped and looked in the direction of Grace and

Lina.

Terrence, who was standing next to Jason, also heard it and looked in the same direction. He quickly turned to his boss.

who was next to him.

However, Jason just looked indifferently at Grace who was on the ground. There was no change on his handsome face.

"Come on," he said lightly before walking down the hill.

As the place where Grace fell was not far from the steps, Jason had to pass by Grace if he wanted to leave.

At the moment, those pilgrims who were outside the temple had all entered the temple hall by now.

It was empty outside, and Grace subconsciously looked up as the sound of footsteps came closer.

She could only see a figure coming toward her.

It was Jason

She looked up and looked at him blankly.

It was not the same as the fleeting glance she had taken when he walked out of the temple hall, He was coming nearer and nearer to her, and she could see him more and more clearly.

His cold face and delicate features were the same, except that his expression no longer held the gentle longing he previously had for her, nor the broken beauty he showed when she left

the mansion.

There was only indifference left. His eyes never fell on her.

It was as if she could never enter those peach blossom eyes.

again, and she no longer existed in his eyes.

Grace shuddered when his footsteps passed her, but Jason.

never looked at her.

"Grace, are you... okay?" Lina quickly picked up her best friend.

"I'm okay." Grace shook her head, bent down, and gently brushed off the dust from her fall.

Out of the corner of her eye, she once again caught a glimpse

of Jason's figure as he walked down the steps.

That... was the most unreachable figure in Emerald City, but the figure had once knelt at her feet, saying that he was

willing to give her everything.

At that time, she was the one who pushed his everything away with her own hands. She was the one who fell on her knees

and begged him to let go.

Therefore, she really would not have anything to do with him anymore!

However... This was the result she wanted, but why was there

a bitter feeling welling up inside her? It slowly spread from her mouth to her whole body.

"Since... we can go in now, let's go in." Grace took a deep breath and walked toward the temple hall.

Lina sighed and turned her head to look at Jason who was surrounded by bodyguards. He had gone far. She raised her hand and hit her head.

If she had known that Jason would be here today, she would not have brought Grace here! She really knew how to pick a day!

Lina blamed herself and quickly followed her best friend into the temple hall.

There was only one Buddha statue in this temple hall, and the stately Buddha statue seemed to be compassionate to all living beings.

Grace was not a Buddhist, but she was now reverently

clasping her hands in front of the Buddha statue, respectfully closing her eyes and bowing.

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If deities and Buddha really existed, could they show her some mercy and let her... be able to let go of this relationship? Could they let her heart that had once fallen for that man restore its peace?

It turned out that sometimes, being able to not love was a blessing!

Down the hill, Jason sat in the car as he leaned against the backseat, closing his eyes slowly to rest.

Terrence, who was in the front, was looking fearfully in the rear-view mirror at his boss in the backseat.

Master Reed had done nothing after seeing Grace just now. It was as if he no longer cared about Grace.

At least... that was what it 'seemed'.

However, was it really the case? Terrence was suspicious. After all, one could say that Terrence had seen it all since Jason and Grace met.

Therefore, he naturally understood how important Grace had been to Master Reed. Even if Grace had wanted to kill Master Reed, Master Reed would have let her do it.

Could Master Reed really not love the woman he once loved.

so deeply in such a short time?

Sometimes, the more indifferent he was, the more it represented that Master Reed could not let go.

“By the way, is the party Patrick mentioned last time today?” Jason slowly parted his lips and asked, but his eyes did not

open.

Terrence was shocked and immediately replied, “Yes, it’s today! It’s at Tianxiang Pavilion.”

Tianxiang Pavilion was a nightclub with many beautiful

women. Some were forced to earn a living, while some were deliberately there to find a rich husband. After all, many of Emerald City’s rich men liked to go there to hold parties or find excitement.

“Make the arrangements. I’m going there tonight,” Jason said lightly.

Terrence was dumbfounded. ‘No way... Does Master Reed want to go there? Master Reed never liked to set foot in places. like that. Why today...

‘Has he been triggered by Grace?’

Terrence made many speculations in his heart, but he dared

not say anything more, so he just responded quickly.

Tianxiang Pavilion was going to be busy tonight. Countless. women would be going to great lengths for Master Reed.

Grace came to the police station after receiving a call from them. Only when she arrived did she find Brian and Stella there as well.

When Stella caught sight of Grace, she immediately approached her and said, “Grace, you’re here. Are you here to hear the final results of the police’s investigation regarding the lounge incident?”

“Yes,” Grace replied lightly and glanced at Stella. “Why are you here?”

“I’m... here for the results too.” Stella forced a smile. “After

all, I’m the one who got you into this. The perpetrator was supposed to be trying to harm me. After all, I was supposed to be the one entering the lounge, but I didn’t expect to get you into this.””

Grace raised her eyebrows slightly. “Get me into this?”

“Yes, I got you into this.” Stella wore a guilty expression. “Grace, I’m so sorry and upset that this has happened to you. As soon as I knew that the police had the results of their

Coincidentally, she had been visiting Brian today to get some information about the case when the police called.

She hastened to show her sisterly affection for Grace and

insisted on coming with him.

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Grace looked at Stella with a half-smile. She did not think.

Stella was upset at all. She was more than 90% sure that Stella had something to do with the lounge incident.

However... no one knew what the police had found in their investigation.

Brian got up and walked over. He looked at Grace and said, "I also got a call from the police. No matter who they wanted to harm, once they find out who drugged that man and who locked the lounge door, I'll make them pay the price and give

you justice!"

Grace looked up at him. 'He knows I'm suspicious of Stella, so is he telling me that if it really is Stella who did it, he'll never

cover for her?'

Stella shuddered, and there was a flash of envy in her eyes when she heard what Brian said.

'Does Brian really care that much about Grace that he can't bear to see Grace being wronged just a little? Grace wasn't even hurt at all. She just got a few scratches on her arm!

The police said, "Alright, let's get into the room. There's something I want to explain to you."

Robert Brewer's family also entered the room with them. After all, Robert Brewer was considered a victim in this case.

The family members who came today were Robert Brewer's parents, who were also Stella's former in-laws.

Their eyes had never left Stella since they entered the police.

station. Seeing their former daughter-in-law dressing like a million bucks and their son, who was still lying in the hospital, both of them had an indescribable feeling.

Everyone in town said that their former daughter-in-law had snagged the crown prince of the entertainment industry and was going to be the young madam of the Hart family.

However, now it seemed that the crown prince was nicer to Grace!

Several people sat down in the room, and the police told them about their findings as they played some surveillance footage

for them.

When the police said there were two surveillance cameras installed near the lounge's entrance, Stella was stunned. She immediately turned pale.

'Two?' She remembered it was one. Moreover, she had done some research in secret. The surveillance camera only captured the upper part of the lounge's door, and it was mainly facing the escalator to the second floor. The lounge.

was just a passing shot.

Therefore, she had specifically told the cleaner she bribed to bend over when locking and unlocking the door so that the camera could not capture her.

'Now, the police were saying there was another camera?

'What's going on here? Did... the other camera capture the cleaner who locked the door? So if the police find this cleaner and track me according to the clues, I'll...'

Stella was covered in a cold sweat at the thought.

However, when the screen in the room showed a fast-forwarded footage of the surveillance, they discovered that one of the footage, as Stella had already known, filmed only the upper part of the lounge's door and not the lower

part.

As for the other surveillance camera... It filmed a corner next to the lounge's door!

Stella was stunned, and she stared blankly at the surveillance footage. 'How could this be? How could the surveillance camera be pointed at a corner? What's the point of monitoring a corner no one would go?'

The police pointed to the surveillance footage aimed at the corner and said, "The camera was supposed to show the

lounge's door, but someone moved it. The time they moved it

was at 4:12 p.m.