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That was something that had never happened when I was with him.

Thinking of this, a sharp pain surged in his chest again, he picked up the wine glass in front of him and drained it in one gulp.

By the end, both of them were so drunk that they were unconscious, and had to be helped into the car by the driver to leave.

After Maxim left, Briana went to the study to check the call records of Isaac and Jennifer, but the results showed nothing unusual.

It seemed that both of them must have been communicating using other phones.

She was contemplating finding evidence of the two people conspiring against Maxim when she suddenly heard the sound of a door opening.

Stepping out of the study, she saw Maxim changing his shoes in the foyer, holding a food box in his hand. Surprise flashed in her eyes.

"How did you come back so quickly?"

Maxim looked up at her, handing over the food box in his hand.

"Fearing you would worry if I came back late, I passed by the restaurant you like on the way. This is the spicy chicken I packed."

Hearing this, Briana couldn't help but squint her eyes and laugh. She took the food box, opened it and sniffed, exclaiming excitedly, "This is my late-night snack for tonight!"

Seeing her hurriedly turn around and head towards the restaurant, a hint of indulgence flashed in Maxim's eyes.

"No one is competing with you, be careful, don't fall."

After finishing the spicy chicken, Briana contentedly patted her stomach, "If only I could eat such delicious food every day!"

"No, spicy food irritates the stomach. It's okay to eat it occasionally, but the stomach can't handle it if eaten every day."

Seeing his serious face, Briana pouted unhappily, "Alright then."

"It was already very late, go up and rest."

Briana nodded, "Right, since you're not doing anything now, would you like to help out at my company for a while?"

Maxim raised an eyebrow, "Why would you suddenly ask for my help?"

Briana said without any guilt, "You are my boyfriend, and you have such strong management skills. It's a waste for you to stay at home every day. You know that MY Corporation is facing a lot of problems now, almost on the verge of bankruptcy. If you could help, MY Corporation would definitely be able to return to its previous heights more quickly."

Of course, another reason was that Maxim had just recently lost the Yoder Group to Isaac. Even though he didn't say it, Briana knew that with his proud personality, he must have found it hard to accept.

Giving him something to do to distract his attention should have been much better.

However, Briana had no intention of telling him this reason.

Maxim chuckled, "The honor is mine."

"So it was settled then, we would go to work at MY Corporation together the next morning."

"So, in what capacity was I supposed to work at MY Corporation?"

"My personal assistant, I was going to call William later and ask him to place a set of office desk in my office tomorrow morning. You would work with me in my office."

Maxim fell silent for a moment, his gaze on Briana suddenly becoming incredibly profound.

Briana felt his gaze was a bit strange and frowned, "What's wrong? If you don't want to, you can sit outside."

However, deep down, she didn't really want him to sit outside. After all, in her heart, he was her boyfriend, not her employee.

"No, I just didn't expect that you would trust me so much."

Essentially, all of a company's confidential files were in the president's office. Letting him work in her office indicated that she had no defenses against him at all.

Briana was taken aback, she hadn't considered this point. She simply didn't want Maxim to be exposed in public, but it seemed that Maxim's understanding wasn't wrong either.

Realizing that Maxim's gaze on her was gradually becoming intense, Briana's face involuntarily heated up, somewhat unable to cope.

She quickly stood up, "If there are no other questions, I'll go upstairs first."

After speaking, she turned to leave, but her wrist was caught by

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Briana unconsciously gripped the front of Maxim's shirt, the distance between them gradually closing.

Just as their lips were about to touch, the cell phone suddenly rang.

Briana was startled and quickly jumped off Maxim, her face flushed red as she said, "Your phone is ringing, I... I'll go up first."

After speaking, she turned around and hurriedly left, as if something was chasing her from behind.

Maxim unconsciously furrowed his brow. Ever since he got back together with Briana, there hadn't been those intimate gestures between them like before.

He originally thought he could strengthen the relationship between the two of them tonight, but it was unexpectedly ruined by a phone call, so his mood was very bad at the moment!

Seeing the call was from the Yoder's house, he frowned and answered. Whatever was said on the other end, his face instantly turned extremely unpleasant.

After hanging up the phone, Maxim sent a message to Briana and then immediately left the villa.

In the bedroom, Briana's face was flushed red. She had to go to the bathroom and wash her face before she could calm down.

If it weren't for that phone call, she would have been kissing Maxim by now.

Thinking of that scene, the face that had finally cooled down seemed to subtly show signs of heating up again.

She quickly shook her head, shaking off those enchanting images in her mind, grabbed her nightgown and went to the bathroom to take a bath.

Half an hour had passed since she finished her shower. It was only when she finished blow-drying her hair and was preparing to sleep that she saw the message from Maxim. She immediately dialed his number.

It took a while for the call to connect on the other end, Maxim's voice seemed even more somber than usual, "Briana, what's wrong?"

"Where were you then?"

After a few seconds of silence, Maxim finally murmured, "The Yoder's house."

"Did something happen?"

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Another bout of silence ensued, until just as Briana's patience was about to run out, Maxim finally spoke: "Um, my mom has gone missing."

After hanging up the phone, Briana quickly changed her clothes and drove to the Yoder's house.

In the living room, Reese and Maxim sat facing each other, both of their faces looking very unpleasant.

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Maxim gave Reese a cold look, without saying a word.

The butler on the side hurriedly said, "This afternoon, the master and the mistress had a quarrel. The mistress said she was going out to play cards in the afternoon, but she didn't come back until dinner time. I called her, only to find out that the mistress didn't go to play cards at all today. I don't know where she went, and her mobile phone is now turned off."

Reese frowned, saying coldly, "It's normal for couples to argue. She might just want some alone time, not wanting anyone to disturb her. You guys should go back first!"

Although Briana knew that Reese and Kendra's relationship was not good, she didn't expect it to be this bad. His wife had been missing for most of the day, and he wasn't worried at all.

"Did you send someone to look for it?"

Maxim nodded grimly, "Hmm, but there's still no news."

No sooner had his words fallen than his cell phone began to ring.

"Young Master, we found Madam's phone in an abandoned factory on the outskirts. It's already broken, but we didn't see Madam or her car.

“Keep searching!”

After hanging up the phone, Maxim’s face became even more icy.

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Briana pursed her lips, took out her phone, and sent a message to Robin, asking him to check Kendra’s call history.

Soon, the message from Robin had come.

Seeing that Kendra had been intermittently in contact with a strange phone number since two–thirty in the afternoon, Briana immediately asked Robin to check the owner of this number.

Five minutes later, upon seeing the name that Robin had sent, Briana’s pupils contracted sharply.

The number that Kendra contacted, turned out to be Isaac’s!

“Maxim, find out where Isaac is right now!”

Seeing her serious expression, Maxim immediately made a phone call to his subordinates, then asked in a deep voice, “What’s wrong? Is Isaac related to my mother’s disappearance?”

Briana nodded, “Starting from two–thirty this afternoon, Isaac had called her several times. I guess it was Isaac who asked her to go to that abandoned factory. Now, she might have been kidnapped by Isaac.”

Neither of them noticed that Reese’s face across them had instantly turned extremely unsightly.

Upon hearing this, a chill radiated from Maxim’s entire body, a glint of bloodlust flashing in the depths of his eyes.

“If anything had happened to my mom, I would never have let him off the hook!”

Upon receiving the location information of Isaac from his subordinates, Maxim and Briana immediately set off to find Isaac.

At this moment, Bridenville Cemetery.

Isaac stood in front of Jayden and Grace’s tombstone, burning paper and saying, “Dad, Mom, the murderer who killed you will soon join you. Once Kendra is dead, I will quickly send that beast Reese down to atone for their sins!”

Saying this, a cold smile hooked up at the corner of Isaac’s mouth.

Gradually, his laughter grew louder and louder, sounding particularly terrifying in the empty and cold cemetery.

Briana and Maxim arrived at the entrance of the cemetery, just as Isaac was leaving.

Maxim quickly stepped forward, grabbed Isaac by the collar, and directly punched him, his eyes full of ferocity.

Isaac fell to the ground, a smile on his face and a mocking tone in his voice, "Maxim, even if you kill me, I won't tell you where Kendra is!"

A murderous intent flashed in Maxim's eyes, his voice cold to the extreme, "I think you're asking for death!"

Seeing him about to step forward, Briana immediately grabbed him, "Maxim, calm down. Have you forgotten what you promised me on the way here?"

Maxim took a deep breath, "I'm giving you three minutes."

Briana let go of him, turned to Isaac, "Your parents' death had nothing to do with Maxim's parents. Even if you killed them, you would only

burden yourself with two more lives."

Upon hearing this, Isaac's emotions suddenly flared up, his gaze angrily fixed on Briana. "Shut up! If it weren't for Kendra and Reese, my parents would still be alive, and I wouldn't have had to wrestle the Yoder Group from Maxim's hands, but could have inherited it rightfully!"

Maxim looked at him coldly, "Your father had no business acumen at all. If the Yoder Group had remained in his hands, it would have gone bankrupt within two years."

"Shut up!"

Isaac's face was filled with hatred, "Your parents killed mine, and I will make them pay. Wait to collect Kendra's body. I've found a great place for her. If all went as planned, she should be down there atoning for my parents' deaths by now."

Upon hearing this, Maxim's face suddenly turned extremely gloomy. Just as he was about to speak, Briana on the side suddenly interjected, "The good place you mentioned, it should be a place of significant importance to you or your parents, right? If I'm not mistaken, it should be the place where your parents had a car accident, correct?"

Isaac's pupils contracted sharply, about to retort, when Briana

immediately said, "Have the Yoder family's people rush to the scene of Isaac's parents' car accident!"

No sooner had the words been spoken than Isaac burst into hearty laughter.

"Even if you go now, it won't make any difference, Maxim. You will soon taste what I felt back then!"

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"Isaac, if anything happened to my mom, I would definitely make you accompany her in death!"

A provocative smile was all over Isaac's face, he simply didn't care about Maxim's words.

"She was driving her own car, what does it have to do with me? Maybe she felt guilty for causing my parents' death, that's why she chose to commit suicide, isn't it?"

Maxim exuded an aura of coldness, his fists unconsciously clenched at his sides, the atmosphere was oppressively tense to the extreme.

Briana, worried that Maxim might impulsively hit Isaac again, whispered, "Should we take him back to the old house first?"

Isaac sneered, "Taking me back will depend on whether you have the ability!"

As his words fell, dozens of people in black suddenly appeared around them, each with a cold expression, looking like trained fighters.

The expressions on Maxim and Briana's faces changed instantly, clearly they hadn't expected Isaac to bring out so many people.

If he were alone, dealing with these people should not be difficult, but he didn't want Briana to get hurt.

The atmosphere was tense, like a string stretched to its limit, ready to snap at any moment.

In the silence, Maxim's phone suddenly rang.

"Young Master, we found the Madam... But her car crashed through the guardrail and fell off the cliff... She is now in a deep coma, and the ambulance is on its way..."

Maxim's face suddenly turned extremely ugly, his voice cold, "I'm coming right away!"

Because it was very quiet, Isaac also heard the content of the conversation, and a mocking smile appeared at the corner of his mouth.

"If we hurry now, we might still be able to catch a last glimpse!"

The smugness and schadenfreude in his tone were self-evident. Maxim's hand, gripping the phone, kept tightening, already beginning to turn faintly white.

Briana quickly grabbed his arm, saying coldly, "Maxim, go to the scene first!"

Maxim turned and got into the car, but Briana didn't dare let him drive again, she herself sped towards the scene.

The smile on Isaac's lips deepened, and he said in a rather good mood, "Let's go back. I need to rest well tonight. After all, if my aunt dies, it would be inappropriate for me, as her nephew, not to attend the

funeral. I need to be in good spirits.

When the two arrived at the scene, the ambulance had just arrived. Seeing the medical staff carrying out Kendra, who was covered in blood, Briana unconsciously tightened her grip on Maxim's hand.

"Maxim, there definitely won't be any problems..."

Maxim didn't speak, he just stared at Kendra's figure with his cold eyes.

The two of them went to the hospital together, Kendra was

immediately taken into the operating room, and the nurse brought the surgical consent form for Maxim to sign.

Holding the pen, he hesitated before signing his own name, pressing so hard that it went through the paper. Each character seemed to be written with all his strength.

When the operating light came on, Reese had arrived.

Panic finally appeared on his face as he stammered, "What on earth is going on?! How could I have had an accident at the same place where my elder brother and sister-in-law had theirs?!"

Briana turned to glance at him, seeing not a trace of worry in his eyes, only panic and fear, and immediately understood his thoughts.

It seemed that he was not worried at all about whether Kendra could survive, he was just worried about whether he would be retaliated against.

Even if Briana didn't like Kendra, she thought Reese was too selfish and too cowardly at that moment.

Despite being a couple for several decades, and Kendra even bore him a son and a daughter, he could be so indifferent.

She couldn't be bothered to explain the whole story to Reese, she just silently stayed by Maxim's side.

Reese, feeling embarrassed, walked off to the side and sat down, not speaking anymore.

The lights in the operating room did not go out until the early morning of the next day.

Kendra was wheeled out, her body full of tubes, her eyes tightly shut, and her face pale.

The doctor stood by, removing his mask with a grave expression, "The patient has suffered a head injury, there's a hematoma in the head now, so we don't know when he will wake up. You should prepare

yourselves mentally."

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Maxim's face showed no expression, only the tightly clenched fists at his side subtly revealed the extreme restraint he was exercising at that moment, on the verge of exploding.

Briana hastily asked, "Doctor, do you mean... she might become a vegetable?"

The doctor nodded, "If he doesn't wake up within a month, he might never wake up again."

"What?!"

Reese, who had been sleeping on a chair nearby, was awakened by the sound of conversation. The news that Kendra might end up in a vegetative state immediately turned his face extremely unpleasant.

He stood up, disbelief filling his eyes.

"How could she have become vegetative?! I still have so many things to ask her! She must wake up!"

The doctor frowned, "I'm afraid that's not possible. We can't determine when the patient will wake up."

Reese gritted his teeth, "We need to transfer hospitals! They can't treat it here, I refuse to believe Haseton can't either!"

"If you had made a decision, the hospital would respect your decision. However, the patient's condition was very bad at the moment. If anything happened during the transfer, you would have to bear the consequences."

After speaking, the doctor left.

Reese was seething with anger, picking up his phone and preparing to call someone he knew from Haseton.

Maxim, who had been silent since last night, looked at him with a cold expression, "I disagree with the transfer."

Reese was startled by his cold tone, subconsciously turned around, and looked into Maxim's icy eyes, a sudden panic rising in her heart.

"Maxim... The doctor in Bridenville clearly isn't very skilled. We should transfer your mother to Haseton..."

Before the words were even finished, they were coldly interrupted by Maxim.

"Even if a transfer was necessary, it wasn't for now."

"But..."

Maxim didn't even glance at him again, he turned around and left directly.

Briana hurriedly caught up and finally stopped him before he got on the car.

"Your condition was not good, it was not suitable for you to drive, and you didn't sleep at all last night. I took you home to rest for a while."

"No need, I still had things to do!"

"Maxim!"

Briana's voice was filled with anger, "You need to rest well today, as for how to deal with Isaac, we'll talk about it after you've rested!"

Maxim looked at her, his eyes cold, "Briana, you go ahead, I know what needs to be done."

Briana didn't move, she stood off with him coldly.

If Maxim were asked to leave now, he would definitely go to find Isaac.

From Isaac's arrogant attitude last night, Briana had guessed that he must have had a way to retreat unscathed. If Maxim didn't calm down and confronted him, he would definitely fall into his trap.

"Before you calmed down, I wouldn't let you leave."

"If the person you cared about was hurt today, could you remain calm?"

Briana stared into his eyes, saying word by word, "I can't, but I know very well, you would do the same as I am doing now, trying to calm me down, so I can't let you leave."

Maxim's hand unconsciously tightened on the car door handle, a struggle flashing in his eyes.

After a long while, he slowly let go of his hand.

"Alright, I listened to you, I didn't go to find Isaac before calming down."

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"Alright, let's go back first."

Briana got into the driver's seat and drove back to Elm Bay.

Maxim made a call to the butler of the Yoder's house, asking him to arrange someone to take care of Kendra at the hospital, then closed his eyes to rest.

Soon, Briana heard the steady breathing coming from the co-pilot.

When the car stopped at the traffic light intersection, Briana turned her head and glanced at him.

Even in his sleep, his brow remained furrowed.

Recently, too many things had happened, his nerves must have been on edge all the time.

A wave of heartache welled up in Briana involuntarily, and she reached out, wanting to smooth his furrowed brow.

Just as she was about to bump into him, a horn sounded.

She snapped back to reality, saw that the traffic light had turned green, retracted her hand and started the car,

Returning to the villa, Maxim still hadn't woken up. Briana didn't disturb him, she simply draped a coat over him and got out of the car to enter the villa.

From last night until now, Maxim hadn't had a drop of water. She planned to cook some porridge.

Just as the porridge was done cooking, she heard the sound of a car engine starting outside.

Briana's face changed, and she immediately walked out quickly, only to see Maxim's car tail disappearing from her sight.

She immediately dialed Maxim's number, but he never answered.

Briana furrowed her brow, a vague sense of foreboding in her heart, and immediately drove to catch up with Maxim.

However, Maxim's speed was very fast, and before long, Briana was left far behind.

Watching his car disappear from her sight, Briana immediately had someone check Isaac's current location.

Soon, the news came.

Isaac was holding a press conference, openly stating that his parents were killed by Maxim's parents, and hoping that the police would reinvestigate the car accident from six years ago.

Send me the address immediately!

Upon receiving the address from the other party, Briana immediately drove to the press conference venue.

It was clearly a trap set by Isaac. If Maxim had gone, he would have fallen into his snare.

However, Briana was still a step too late. When she arrived at the scene, she just happened to see Maxim hitting Isaac.

Her face fell, she quickly stepped forward trying to grab Maxim, but was pushed away by Maxim, almost stumbling and falling..

Having finally steadied myself, I saw that all the reporters present were holding up their cameras and shooting rapidly, excitement written all over their faces.

Briana gritted her teeth, coldly saying, "Maxim, if you lay a hand again, we're done!"

Maxim's raised fist froze mid-air, he turned back to give Briana a cold glance, "Even you are pushing me?"

Briana looked at him expressionlessly, "I'm not forcing you, I just hope you can calm down."

As her words fell, the scene plunged into silence.

Lying on the ground with a bruised face, Isaac suddenly burst into laughter. He spoke in a mocking tone, "Maxim, if you have the guts, kill me. Otherwise, I will definitely destroy your family and seek justice for my parents!"

Maxim's jaw was clenched tight, fury raging in his eyes. Everyone present could feel the oppressive aura he was emitting, making it almost impossible to breathe.

Briana gave Isaac a cold glance. Not to mention Maxim, even she wanted to step forward and kick Isaac a couple of times.

In the end, Maxim let go of Isaac.

He turned around with a cold face and brushed past Briana, not even glancing at her as he left directly.

Briana knew he was angry at her for stopping him, and quickly followed him

Isaac stood up with a smile, straightening his disheveled shirt, a coldness in his eyes.

This matter wouldn't end so easily!

Maxim walked very fast. By the time Briana arrived at the garage, he had already driven away.

Briana hesitated for a few seconds, but didn't chase after him. Instead, she had someone keep an eye on Isaac, instructing them to inform her immediately if he met with Maxim.

She had also tossed and turned all night without sleep last night, and now she just felt her temples throbbing.

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“Buzz buzz buzz!”

The phone suddenly rang.

As soon as the call connected, Melody’s slightly anxious voice through.

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“Briana, a video of Maxim hitting Isaac in public has gone viral, and now everyone is criticizing Maxim. Moreover, Isaac said that Maxim’s parents killed his own parents. What on earth happened?”

Upon hearing this, Briana only felt her headache worsen, “I’ll explain this to you later, let’s leave it at that for now.”

After hanging up the phone and opening Twitter, sure enough, I saw that Maxim was already being overwhelmingly criticized online.

If I hadn’t seen it with my own eyes, I would hardly believe it, Maxim actually hit someone in public!

“What’s wrong with hitting someone in public? Didn’t you see Isaac saying at the press conference that Maxim’s parents killed his parents? If he dared to say that in public, he must know something. I’m on his side for now!”

The wealthy family is really chaotic. If Maxim’s parents really killed Isaac’s parents, then Isaac is too miserable!

Looking at those comments, Briana pursed her lips and turned off her phone.

It seemed that in order to resolve this matter, it was necessary to uncover the truth about Isaac’s parents’ death back then.

Briana made a call, whispering, “I need the information about Isaac’s parents’ car accident years ago, as well as their network of relationships, and information about who they might have offended.”

After hanging up the phone, Briana drove back to the villa.

Just as she sat down on the sofa, her inbox notified her of a new email. Briana clicked on the email, her brows furrowing deeper the more she read.

On the other side, Maxim drove back to Emerald Villa.

Rayan stood at the villa’s entrance, and as soon as he saw Maxim get out of the car, he immediately approached him.

“Mr. Yoder, the matter you asked me to investigate has been clarified.”

“Go in and speak,”

Entering the study, Maxim regained his usual impassive expression, his eyes full of indifference.

Seeing him sit down, Rayan continued, "There is indeed a force behind Isaac, quietly eating away at our territory. If it hadn't been discovered in time, within half a month, the power we've cultivated would have been uprooted."

There was not a hint of surprise in Maxim's eyes as he said coldly, "Hold your positions for now. We've already been exposed. Anything we do will be immediately noticed."

Rayan frowned, "If we do nothing, the situation will become increasingly unfavorable for us."

"I had my own arrangements."

After a moment of silence, Rayan continued, "By the way, the video of you hitting Isaac has been uploaded online. Now, people on the internet are all cursing you. Do you need to deal with it?"

A cold smirk tugged at the corner of Maxim's mouth, "No need, the bigger the fuss, the better."

Only when things got out of hand, would Isaac believe that he was now completely defenseless.

"Alright."

Seeing Rayan with a hesitant expression, Maxim frowned and said, "Speak up, don't beat around the bush."

"Mr. Yoder, it's being said outside now that you're both perverted and violent, surely to become a domestic abuser in the future..."

Maxim: ". "

"Moreover, I think it would be better if you shared your plans with Ms. Schneider. Otherwise, if Ms. Schneider misunderstands you, it would be more harm than good."

Maxim frowned, saying coldly, "I know what to do, you keep an eye on Isaac's side."

"Alright."

After Rayan left, Maxim picked up a document, but he just couldn't concentrate on it. He kept thinking about what Briana had said to him – that if he lied to her again, she would never forgive him.

Maxim stared at the file for a long time, eventually getting up to take his car keys with the intention of going to Elm Bay.

Upon reaching the villa's entrance, they found the inside of the villa completely dark.

Maxim dialed Briana's number, but no one answered, his face fell immediately, and he ordered Rayan to find out where Briana was.

Soon, a message from Rayan came back.

"Mr. Yoder, we found out, Ms. Schneider went to the Yoder Group half an hour ago."

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Maxim's face instantly turned extremely ugly, and he immediately drove towards the Yoder Group.

On the other side, the President's office of the Yoder Group.

Due to his injury, Isaac's smile appeared somewhat comical at the corner of his mouth.

"Briana, what are you here for? Is it to invite me to my aunt's funeral?"

Briana's expression was icy, "You've been having someone watch the hospital, you should have known about her being in a coma a long time ago, right?"

Isaac raised an eyebrow, "I did hear about it this morning, but it's been a whole day, it's not impossible for something unexpected to have happened."

"I wouldn't give you a chance to hurt her."

"She was practically a living dead, of course I wouldn't do anything to her. After all, I was quite satisfied with the outcome of her living in such agony."

Isaac had made no attempt to hide his hatred for maturity, a stark contrast to the gentle and modest gentleman he was when he first returned to the Yoder family. Now, his eyes were filled with malice and resentment.

Briana frowned, coldly saying, "You claim Maxim's parents killed your parents, do you have any evidence?"

Isaac sneered, "Of course there is, but I won't bring it out. I want Reese to suffer physically and mentally, then I'll hand the evidence over to the police, letting him face the punishment of the law!"

Briana didn't speak again, instead she took out a USB drive and placed it on the table.

"I found out that your parents offended someone before their car accident. Perhaps you could look into it, to see if their accident was related to this matter."

No sooner had the words been spoken than Isaac picked up the USB drive and threw it directly into the trash can, saying coldly, "Is the person you're talking about named Adolph?"

Briana's face changed, "You knew?"

"Hehe, did you know that Adolph used to work under Reese? Reese was the one he looked up to. If my parents' death had anything to do with Adolph, it must have been Reese who ordered Adolph to do it!"

"Not long after your parents' car accident, Adolph emigrated abroad and has been off the radar for years. Just because he once worked under Maxim's father, you assumed that Maxim's parents were responsible for this. That's rather presumptuous."

Isaac's gaze turned icy and grim, staring at Briana as he said word by word, "Reese's fingerprints were on the brake pads of the car in which my parents had an accident. And before they had the accident, he had a big fight with Kendra because Kendra wanted to make Reese the vice president of the Yoder Group, but my parents refused!"

Briana's face changed, if viewed purely from this point, Reese and Kendra indeed had motives to harm Isaac's parents.

Moreover, the fact that Reese's fingerprints surprisingly appeared on the brake pads of Isaac's parents' car made it even more suspicious.

"Since there were fingerprints on the brake pads, why didn't you call the police at that time?"

Isaac sneered, as if he had heard some kind of joke.

"Call the police?! Do you know who the cop was that handled my parents' case? It was Reese's best friend! And... letting them just go to jail would be too easy for them. I want them to suffer so much they'd rather die, and then continue to atone for what they did to my parents!"

Seeing Isaac's cold, hate-filled eyes, Briana pursed her lips.

"You did it, you've already manipulated Kendra, made her car plunge off the cliff, and even made it look like a suicide. Isn't that enough?"

Enough?

How could it be enough?

He had been lying low for so many years, with the sole purpose of killing his enemy by his own hand. It was only just beginning.

Isaac lowered his gaze, letting out a soft laugh, his face full of innocence. "Briana, I don't understand what you're saying. She clearly committed suicide, and when she did, I was stopped by you guys at the entrance of Bridenville Cemetery, wasn't I? What does this have to do with me?"

A glint of coldness flashed in Briana's eyes, she hadn't expected Isaac to be so alert.

She rose coldly, speaking deliberately, "Isaac, anything that's done will leave a trace, regardless of whether your parents' death is related to Maxim's parents or not, the things you're doing now, you'll pay for them one day."

The smile on Isaac's face didn't change in the slightest, even carrying a hint of provocation.

"Briana, if there's nothing else, I have work to do. I'll have my secretary escort you out."

Briana turned around and left directly, while Isaac behind her stared at her retreating figure with an expressionless face, his eyes full of coldness.

After the office door was closed, Isaac immediately made a phone call.

"Look into Briana's background, I always felt that she was not simple."

In this confrontation, Briana gave him a subtle sense of oppression, and there was also a familiar feeling that made him unconsciously alert.

But regardless, Briana had no chance of stopping him from seeking revenge!

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Just as she stepped out of the Yoder Group, she saw Maxim striding towards her, his face unusually tinged with a hint of panic.

Briana was somewhat surprised, "How did you get here?"

Seeing that she was alright, Maxim breathed a sigh of relief, his face turning incredibly cold at the same time.

"Why did you come to find Isaac alone, do you know how dangerous he is?!"

"This is the Yoder Group, even if he wanted to do something to me, he wouldn't do it at this time."

Upon hearing this, Maxim's face darkened even more. He gritted his teeth and said, "You are not allowed to see him alone anymore!"

Briana nodded, "Understood, let's go back first."

"What did you come to the Yoder Group for?"

Briana's steps faltered, she spoke somewhat helplessly, "I originally wanted him to admit on his own that he planned to make your mother fall off the cliff, but he was too cautious, so I didn't succeed."

Maxim said coldly, "Just for this?"

"What else then?! Besides, I was just trying to help you, why aren't you happy?"

Maxim took a deep breath, suppressing the anger within him, and said in a low voice, "I will handle this matter myself. Don't do such things

in the future, I don't want you to be in any danger."

If something really happened to Briana, he didn't know what he would do.

"Understood, go back."

Back at the villa, while the two were having porridge, Briana mentioned Adolph to Maxim, asking him to look into this person.

"Adolph?"

Maxim furrowed his brows, "This man used to be my father's right-hand man, and he often visited the Yoder family in the past. Now that you mention it, it seems like I haven't seen him since my uncle and aunt passed away."

At that time, Isaac had disappeared, Reese and Kendra were arguing all day long, and Norma refused to hand over the Yoder Group to Reese, so it ended up in his hands.

At first, Reese caused some trouble a few times, until later Norma got annoyed by the disturbances. She gave him some money to start his own business, which finally made him quiet down.

In recent years, Reese's entrepreneurship was not exactly successful, but it wasn't a failure either. After all, he was able to earn tens of millions every year. Plus, as he got older, he gave up on the idea of becoming the president of the Yoder Group.

“The car accident involving Adolph and your uncle and aunt is related. Finding him will probably reveal all the truth, and... there’s one more thing...”

“What happened?”

“Isaac said today that the brake pads of the car in which his parents

had an accident years ago had your father’s fingerprints on them. But because the person handling the case at the time was a good friend of your father’s, he hid the evidence, planning to take revenge himself,”

Maxim frowned, saying coldly, “If my father really wanted to harm my uncle and aunt, would he use such a stupid method as doing it himself?”

“I also found the evidence suspicious, but since Isaac had already decided that your parents were the culprits, he naturally chose to believe what he wanted to believe.”

She thought that the most important thing right now was still to find Adolph

Maxim’s expression was icy as he picked up his phone and dialed a number.

“Find out where Adolph is right now! Once you’ve found him, bring him here immediately!”

After hanging up the phone, he stood up and said, “I’m going to the Yoder’s house.”

Briana nodded, “Alright, come back early.”

Half an hour later, Maxim entered the Yoder’s house.

Reese was eating dinner, looking a bit under the weather.

The words Isaac spoke at the press conference today caused a significant drop in his company’s stock price. In just one day, the company’s market value evaporated by a billion, almost giving him a stroke out of anger.

Seeing Maxim, he furrowed his brow, “What are you here for?”

Maxim’s expression was icy cold as he stopped a few steps away from him.

“You had a subordinate named Adolph before. He went abroad after your uncle and aunt had a car accident. Do you know where he is now?”

No sooner had the words been spoken than the chopsticks in Reese’s hand fell to the ground.

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After a good while, he finally found his voice again.

“You...how come you suddenly asked about him?”

“The car accident involving your uncle and aunt might have been related to him. Now, Isaac thinks you are the murderers, and you are the next target. If we could find Adolph, we might be able to uncover the truth about what happened back then.”

Reese was silent for a long time before he slowly said, "Even if you find Adolph, it's no use."

Maxim furrowed his brow, "What do you mean?"

"He had been insane for several years, staying in a sanatorium in country F. I visited him once when I was abroad, but he didn't recognize me anymore. I was afraid it was impossible to get any information from him."

"Anyway, we have to give it a try. Do you still remember the exact address and name of that sanatorium?"

"Remember, I will write it for you later, but don't get your hopes up too high."

Soon after receiving the address of the sanatorium, Maxim left.

Reese also lost his appetite, sitting by the dining table for a long time. After changing his clothes, he left the old house.

He went straight to the Yoder Group.

Isaac saw him, his eyes full of coldness, "Uncle, what brings you to me?"

Reese sat down across from him, sighed and said, "Isaac, your parents' car accident really had nothing to do with me or your second aunt. Even if I wanted the Yoder Group so badly, I couldn't do something as terrible as killing my own brother and sister-in-law."

Isaac sneered, "I don't believe a single word you said. Please leave."

After speaking, he lowered his head to continue reading the documents, coldly saying, "Show the guest out!"

Reese stood in place for a while, but eventually turned around and left.

Not until the office door was closed did Isaac's hand, holding the file, slowly tighten, a chill in his eyes.

Late at night, Isaac returned to the villa and saw that Kiley was still awake, unconsciously frowning.

"Going to bed early is good for the fetus, what are you staying up late for?"

Kiley found it somewhat amusing. Previously, Isaac had wanted her to have an abortion, but now his attitude had suddenly changed so drastically. He couldn't possibly want her to have this child, could he?

She lowered her gaze, hiding the coldness in her eyes.

This child was destined not to come into this world.

"I was waiting for you."

Isaac's steps faltered, "What's up?"

"Mm-hmm."

Kiley looked up at him and slowly said, "Tomorrow is my mom's birthday, I want to go back and be with her, I won't be coming back tomorrow night."

Isaac's expression was indifferent as he nodded and said, "Alright, I will have someone prepare a gift to send over tomorrow."

"Understood."

Having said that, Kiley turned to leave, but Isaac suddenly stopped her.

"By the way, how much did you know about Briana?"

Surprise flashed in Kiley's eyes, not understanding why he suddenly asked about Briana. She shook her head and said, "I don't get along with her, why are you asking about her?"

"It's okay, you go rest."

Watching Isaac's retreating figure, Kiley's eyes flickered, turning back to her bedroom.

Maxim acted quickly, by the next morning he had found Adolph and even sent back a video.

In the video, Adolph looked emaciated, his face full of silly smiles, drool dripping from the corners of his mouth. The only words he could utter were "eat... eat... stomachache..." and so on, showing no difference from a two-year-old child.

Maxim's face turned incredibly unpleasant, and he kept a gloomy expression when he went downstairs for breakfast.

Noticing something was off about him, Briana looked at him with confusion, "What's wrong with you? Why do you look so awful this early in the morning?"