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Chapter 491
Back at the hotel, Olivia huddled in the bathtub with her arms around her knees, looking blankly at the floor.
'What should I do?
'Take Lyla and leave Murica?
"What about the atelier?'
The atelier was her and Jennie's brainchild. They attracted every client and created every design.
They even designed the chairs and tables in the atelier
Besides, how would Lyla adjust to being kidnapped and now having to change cities at her age?
She would have fled without a word if she had been alone, but she could not even run away
now.
She had no idea what John was thinking or if he recognized her.
However, she knew the closer he got, the more dangerous it was.
Therefore it was better if she left

Therefore, she took out her phone to book a flight, but her hands were shaking. She lost. her grip and dropped her phone into the bathtub.
She scrambled to pick it up and nudged a tap on the side.
The cold water poured down from the top, chilling her heart and clearing her mind.
She could not leave.
She would expose herself if she left.
Olivia leaned weakly against the bathtub. Unable to leave, she had to keep playing Phoebe.
Suddenly, she began to cough violently.
Enduring the pain, she got out of the cold water and quickly turned on the hot water. Then she took off her sodden clothes and threw them aside until the water temperature was just right before sitting in the bathtub again.
After ten minutes of soaking, she finally felt warm and comfortable.
She had an operation four years ago but could not cure her lung cancer.
According to what the doctor said, she was merely surviving.
How long she could survive was up to fate.
After a hot bath, Olivia climbed into bed.
She was tired and had no appetite, so she just went to sleep.

In the middle of the night, her phone rang suddenly. She answered the phone in a daze and heard someone on the other line saying, "Ms. James, I'm a nurse at the city hospital. We just found Mr. Freeman with a stash of alcohol in his room. We went to get it, yet he yelled at us. "You know sick people aren't supposed to drink, especially in a hospital. So..." Olivia was speechless. She opened her eyes and looked at the ceiling. There was a long silence before she spoke. "So what? Is he drunk?" "Not yet. We can't control him, so we'd like you to come and check on him, Ms. James. What if something goes wrong?" After a long pause, the nurse called her again without waiting for Olivia's reply. "Ms. James, are you listening?" Confused and anxious, the nurse could only ask, "So will you come over, Ms. James?" Olivia gave a cold reply and said no more. "No."

With that said, she hung up the phone, threw it aside, and pulled the covers over her head. However, she was not at all sleepy after closing her eyes for a long time.

She was somehow irritated, tossing and turning in bed.

'What does this man really want?
'Why won't he stop when he's already injured and hospitalized?'
Less than half an hour later, her phone rang again.
Thinking it was still the nurse, she answered the phone and said impatiently, "I said I'm not going. Stop calling."
"I want to see you."
Olivia froze. After a pause, she said coldly, "I don't want to see you. I want to sleep."
The other party was silent for a while. Their hoarse voice was lonely.
"I'll wait for you until you come."
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She used to think John was not clingy enough, but she now found him to be like taffy-she could not get rid of him.
She had no idea when it started, but she only found the person she longed for to be overly difficult.
"I'm not going. You can wait if you want.
"I know you'll come."
Olivia only found her chest so stuffy that she exasperatedly hung up. Then she turned it off





Т	The man rested his head on her shoulder and replied with a low, "Yeah".
C	Olivia was secretly having a breakdown. His hand was still broken, yet he was doing
V	whatever he wanted.
и	'Have you lost your mind? Do you not want to leave the hospital?"
и	'I don't want to lose you again. Don't go, okay?"
и	'Mr. Freeman, I…"
В	Before she could finish, the man's cold lip came down and stopped everything she wanted
t	o say.
Т	The smell of alcohol crept in, making Olivia's head spin.
	She reached out to push him, but she heard the man's anguished moaning as soon as she touched him. Her heart softened immediately, so she withdrew her hand.
	However, as soon as she withdrew her hand, the man became more aggressive as if he wanted to empty ner out.
	t took an unknown amount of time before he finally released her and begged, "Don't go. I don't care who you are. Don't go, okay?"
C	Olivia's breathing fastened. She stared at him in the dark. After a long silence, she pushed him away.

"John, do you think you can do whatever you want? Should the whole world function the way you want?
"You get drunk when you're unhappy. What about me?
"Should I play along?"
She had had enough.
She begged him to return to her side, yet he was indifferent and arrogant.
Now?
He repeatedly pretended to be drunk and made a scene, forcing her to stay, but why should
she?
John froze and grabbed her without saying anything.
However, Olivia shook him away without a care. "John, didn't you ask me why I wanted a new life?"
She sneered. "Because I wanted to get away from you, or I'd lose control and kill you." Chapter 493
John's heart shuddered as he looked up at her with indescribable emotions in his eyes.
He knew she was telling the truth.
However, he did not want to set her free.

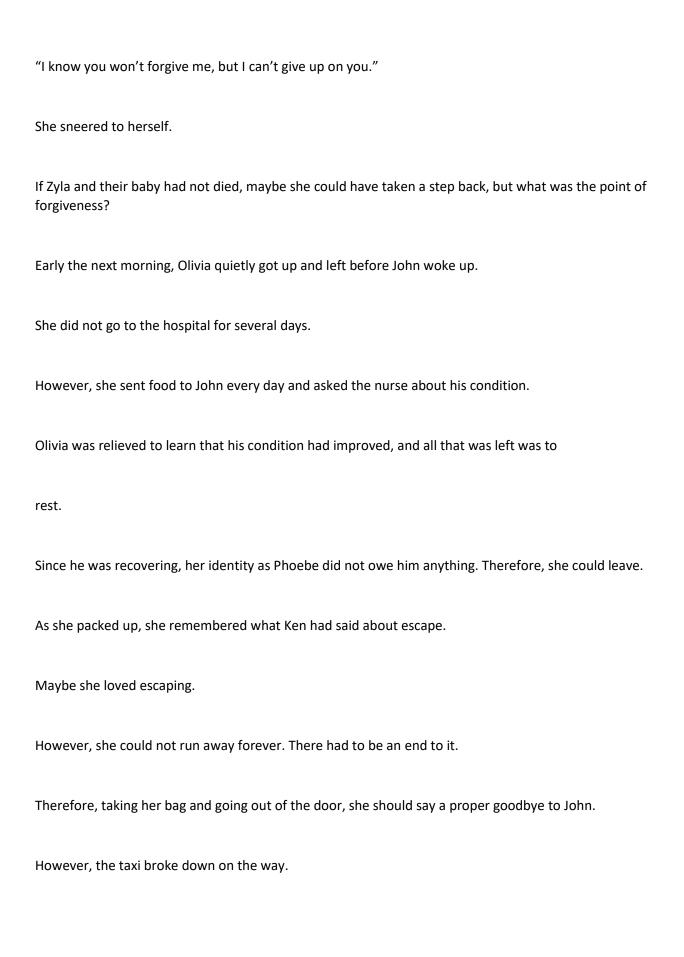
There was a long silence. Just as Olivia was about to leave, he said something suddenly.
"Stay with me for one night, okay?"
Afraid Olivia would refuse, he added, "Just for one night. I won't do anything."
He did not want her to go, and he did not want her to go with someone else. Especially that guy surnamed Hemsworth!
He wanted to ask what it was with the guy surnamed Hemsworth, but he was scared and could only beg her to stay.
Olivia turned around to look at him. She sized him up. "Are you pretending to be drunk?" John smiled helplessly and plonked down on a nearby couch. "Whatever floats your boat." He did not know how drunk he was.
He was drunk last time. This time, he was half awake and half drunk.
Olivia stood where she was, looking at the figure in the dark with an indescribable feeling in her heart.
Digging her nails into the flesh, she told herself that this man was only acting.
However, she gave in after all.
Finally, she breathed in relief. "Okay, I'll stay with you tonight. Go to bed. I'll sleep on the couch. It's late. We should go to bed."
She just did not want John to pester her endlessly. By agreeing once, she would be relieved.
It was how she comforted herself.

However, John did not budge. His voice was shaking slightly. "Take the bed. I just had the sheets changed. I'll sleep on the couch." Olivia did not pretend to be polite with him. She took off her shoes and lay down on the bed. Then she turned around and had her back against him. After all this, she was no longer sleepy, so she only closed her eyes and pretended to be asleep. After an unknown amount of time, she felt someone climb into bed and take her in his arms as she drifted off to sleep. Although there was a hint of alcohol, it could not conceal the familiar scent. She instantly opened her eyes and looked. John put his left hand under her head while his right hand was on her waist. His eyes were closed, and he rubbed his chin against the top of her head from time to time. Her heart churned with anguish.

She frowned, turned around, and had her back against him again.

This time, it was tighter than earlier.

John sensed it and opened his eyes to look before taking her in his arms again.



"I'm sorry, Miss. It looks like you'll have to get another taxi. It won't be fixed for a while."
Olivia had no choice but to pay the fare and stood on the roadside trying to get another taxi.
However, there were no taxis, and it began to rain.
She had to take shelter from the rain at a roadside coffee shop, oblivious to a familiar figure in the corner.
Chapter 494
Not knowing when the rain would stop, Olivia ordered a cup of coffee and waited.
However, after finishing one cup of coffee, the rain only got worse. There was no sign of it stopping.
However, the place she was in was somewhat awkward.
She would get wet if she went to the hospital.
If she skipped out this time, she might not go again.
Sometimes, courage only took a moment, while getting discouraged also took only one
moment.
As she hesitated, the phone rang.
"Pheebs, are you coming back?"
Olivia recognized the voice and replied indifferently, "I have something going on, so I got delayed."









"I'll take you there then. It's just that... I'm a little short." Seeing how hard he was trying, Olivia smiled. She took the umbrella, put her arm around. his shoulder, and pulled him into her arms. She lowered her head and whispered, "How about this?" Sam froze slightly. His heartbeat raced as his ears turned red. It was the first time anyone had ever held him like that in the rain. It was warm. Once they reached the hospital entrance, Olivia put away the umbrella. Seeing Sam was a little wet, she took hundreds of dollars from her bag and shoved it into his hand. "Here, buy some clothes..." With that said, her heart broke when she looked down to see his shoes showing his toes." And buy a pair of shoes. Remember to call me if it's not enough." Sam's heart melted as he grabbed her arm. "Lady, thank you. But this money..." "Take it." Olivia smiled. "I'm not charitable. It's just that I can't bear to see you in ragged clothes and starving ever since becoming a mother. So, take that as a little thank you for helping me earlier, okay?" Sam knew Olivia's stubbornness, so he stopped rejecting her. He nodded obediently." Thank you. I'll be sure to repay you."

Olivia only smiled. She said nothing and turned around to walk inside.

However, she had only taken two steps when she wobbled and nearly fell due to the injury on her right leg.
Sam quickly stepped forward to help her. "Lady, are you hurt?"
Olivia swallowed the pain, bit her lip, and said, "No, I'm fine."
"Lady, where are you going? Let me take you."
She wanted to refuse, but her right leg was a little numb, making it difficult for her to walk. A dull pain in her lungs also made it impossible for her to refuse.
"Okay, take me to the inpatient department's top floor."
Sam could not help worrying as he watched her face turn pale.
Ordinary people would never get so weak after getting caught in the rain. Lady must be hiding something from him.
In particular, he could feel her shaking as he held her.
"Lady, do you have some hidden disease?" Chapter 496
Olivia coughed as she covered her mouth. She chuckled and shook her head. "No, really. Maybe it's because I haven't had enough rest recently and was caught in the rain."
Sam frowned as she replied and did not ask again.







J	John sneered. "Ms. James, I won't force you to stay since you hate me."
١	With that said, he turned away from her. "Leave."
I	He did not want to see her joy when she left. It was as if he could deceive himself that she
`	was also sad.
(Olivia froze and stared at his back in disbelief.
,	Why did he let her go so lightly when he was so icy earlier?
ı	It was unlike John at all.
ı	However, now that it was settled, it was time for her to go.
-	Therefore, she turned around to leave. However, she blacked out and fell to the ground as
9	soon as she was out of the door.
•	"Liv!"
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J	John eventually could not help looking back at her back as she left.
1	However, the thin figure collapsed to the ground before his eyes.
•	"Olivia!"

He tried to pick her up, but his hand had not recovered fully, and his right hand was not. strong enough.
Just then, Sam ran over. "Lady!"
Then he looked at John. "Uncle, wait a minute. I'll get the nurse."
John ignored him and held Olivia in his arms, only to find that her clothes were wet, and she was shivering.
He remembered that she had lung cancer and could not be exposed to the rain
He gently brushed away the damp hair from her forehead and said through gritted teeth, "Olivia, you're too hard on yourself just to have nothing to do with me!"
However, he was never letting go again.
Sam soon came with the nurse and the doctor. John gave a brief description, and the doctor took her to the ward and put her on the bed.
Sam wanted to follow, but John grabbed him by the collar and dragged him out.
"Who are you?"
Sam shook him off and glanced at him coldly. "And who are you?"
"I'm asking you here."
John had a commanding presence. He was especially icy at this moment.

Sam was afraid, but he kept his back straight. "You don't need to know who I am. All you need to know is that Lady is my savior, and I will avenge her if anything happens to her."
John froze and then sneered. "How old are you? You're still a kid. How can you help?"
"Ha." Sam raised his fist. "Did you bully Lady?"
"She's my wife. Why would I bully her?"
"Wife?"
Sam sized him up. "If she's your wife, you must have treated her badly. You left her in the rain."
Not wanting to talk to him, John snorted coldly and looked into the ward.
Just then, the doctor walked out.
"The rain caused her to have a fever. We've given her treatment to reduce her fever. It's not a big problem."
With that said, the doctor sighed again. "But Mr. Freeman, you should be more attentive to Ms. James when she has such a bad condition. She's more fragile than ordinary people and prone to fevers and colds. If it happens frequently and the fever cannot be reduced in time, it might trigger her old disease."
John's face darkened slightly as he nodded. "I see. When can she leave?"
"She can be discharged when the fever goes down in an hour, but she might have a recurrent fever. It's best to keep her in the hospital for observation."
"Okay."





John narrowed his long narrow eyes. His gaze was as sharp as arrows.
"Who told you to do it?"
"Sir, I know I might not survive it, but
Wes looked up at him. "Four years ago, after Madam died, they took advantage of your grief and attacked Freeman Group. Freeman Group almost.
"Shut up!"
John grabbed his neck. "Wes, I think you have a death wish."
"Sir, Freeman Group is yours. What happened four years ago had such a great influence on Freeman Group. We haven't recovered to our peak until now. We can't We can't let this woman. bring down
Freeman Group, Sir"
"You're looking for trouble!"
He tightened his grip but let go just as Wes was breathless.
John looked away from him and said coldly, "Get the f*ck out of here!"
"Sir"
"Get the f*ck out!"

Knowing John would kill him, Wes could only put the test report down, get up from the floor, and walk out.
After they were gone, John looked at the pale woman on the bed and the report on the floor.
He did not even need a test report.
The woman in front of him was Olivia. There was no way he was wrong.
She had lung cancer, an injured right leg, and likes to grow pea shoots
In particular, the familiar scent was unmistakable when he kissed her.
He also knew Olivia had bared her heart many times as he pressured her. She just had not
exposed herself.
Including how she braved the rain today to say her last goodbye.
All this proved that she was Olivia Larson, who died four years ago.
Therefore, what did he need this test report for?
John sneered and bent down to pick up the test report on the floor. He walked to the window, lit it with a lighter, and threw it into the ashtray.
He breathed a sigh of relief as the test report went up in flames.
The report should never have existed, and he could not let Olivia know that he had identified her as Olivia.



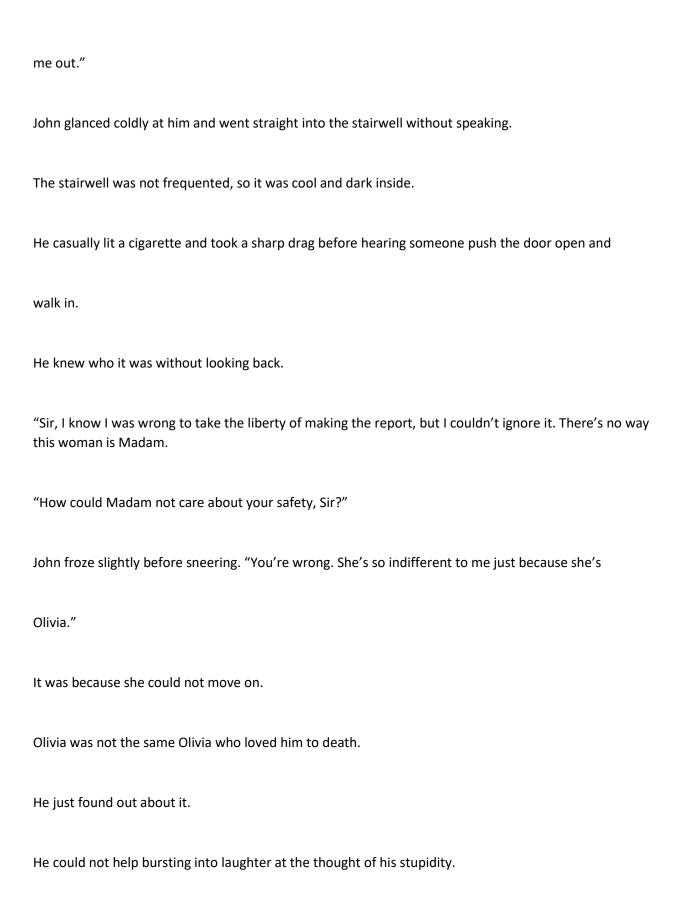
Ken frowned and grabbed him. "Where are you going?"
"I have an important meeting I need to attend. Take care of Olivia."
With that said, he headed outside.
Watching his hurried figure, Ken walked to the door and stopped him. "John, aren't you afraid you'll regret it?"
Chapter 499
John stopped but did not look back. He only replied indifferently, "No."
He knew she did not want to see him.
Maybe it would be worse if he stayed.
Ken snorted coldly as he looked at his back.
The man was the same-always so self-centered and self-righteous.
He would never have come if John had not said Olivia was sick and needed care.
The sight of John reminded him of Zyla's tragic death.
He told Olivia he was sure John had nothing to do with it.
However, how could he really think he had nothing to do with it?

He just hated himself more than he hated John.
Looking at Olivia sleeping peacefully in bed, he sighed.
People were always confused yet sober. He spoke as if he had seen through everything, but why were they tangled with each other?
However, Ken also understood Olivia just as he understood Zyla.
She was gone, but he could not move on.
Soon after, he got a phone call, and his expression changed instantly.
"Are you sure?"
It was unknown what the other party had said. He spoke sternly and urgently, "I see. I'm coming."
After getting off the phone, he immediately called John but could not get through. He could only call Wes, explain the situation, and ask him to come over and take care of Olivia. Then he texted John, left any medication they might need, and left.
It was two hours later when John saw the text. He immediately got in the car and returned to the
apartment.
However, as soon as he entered the apartment, he saw Wes standing next to the bed, trying to give Olivia an injection.
He hurried forward and slapped away the syringe. "Wes, what are you doing?"



No wonder she had a fever.
He sighed and began to help her change her clothes, but Olivia kept her hands and feet busy even though she was limp from the fever.
"Don't touch me!"
With that said, Olivia punched him in the chest.
Then she began to cry again. Her legs kicked helplessly, "Johnny, I'm carrying your baby. Watch out. You'll hurt the baby"
'The baby
John relented and reached out to wipe her tears, comforting softly, "You're confused from the
fever."
After helping her undress, John wiped her sweat with a hot towel. He wiped her entire body before covering her with the blanket again.
However, he was afraid that she would wet the blanket with sweat, so he could only find one of his clothes from the closet and put it on her. He also put a towel behind her.
Then he prepared to give her another fever-reducing injection.
However, just as he grabbed her arm, she grabbed his hand.
"Johnny, we lost our baby Give him back to me!"

Chapter 500
John froze with a chill in his heart.
Looking at the tearful person in his arms, he did not know how to respond.
They had two children, but they lost them all.
Suddenly, Olivia grabbed him and screamed, "John, why? Why would you kill Zyla? Why on earth did yo do it?"
Every word pierced John's heart.
It was a long time before he reached out and touched her face. He whispered with a tremble, "Liv,
it's over. Stop thinking about it, okay?"
The person in his arms was silent. John thought she was asleep and continued to inject her with fever-reducing medicine.
However, no sooner had he finished than he heard the person in his arms mutter, "It's not over."
'It's not over
Breathing heavily, John wiped the sweat off her body. He put her on the bed, tucked her in, and glanced deeply at her as he left the room.
As soon as he opened the door, he saw Wes standing with his head hanging low.
As soon as he saw him, he looked up immediately. "Sir, will you forgive me for this time? Don't kick



Puzzled, Wes asked, "Sir, you"
John flicked the ash with his long fingers as he narrowed his deep eyes. "Wes, I know her better than you do. Will I make a mistake?"
Wes lowered his head and said nothing. He dared not contradict him, but he felt it was all the
result of John's obsessive longing
He wanted redemption, so he found a woman who looked like Madam.
John suddenly put out his cigarette and said hoarsely, "She was delirious with fever, calling my name, asking about our dead children, asking why I killed Zyla.
As he spoke, he gave a wry smile and turned around to look at Wes. "Do you still think she's not
her?"
Wes froze, lowering his head and not daring to speak.
He knew his boss would never lie, no matter how confused his boss was.
However
The two were silent for a long time. John calmed down and said coldly, "Since you've worked for me for so many years, I will spare you this time. But if you interfere again, I won't spare you!"
"Thank you, sir. But

"That's enough!"
John's face darkened. "I've burned the report. Don't mention it again!"
Wes pressed his lips in panic, but those simple words stuck in his throat He wanted to speak but kept his mouth shut.
Since Ms. James was Madam, there must be something wrong with the report.
However, John was furious right now. It would be better if they talked about it later.
Therefore, he gritted his teeth and said, "Got it, sir."
John walked past him without saying anything. He stopped after taking a few steps and ordered," And don't let her know that we know who she is."
"Yes."
John went back to the apartment. Before he could reach the bed, he heard Olivia's weak, hoarse
voice.
"I'm fine. I'm just a little drowsy."
"Who is she talking to?"