

Genius 1181

Chapter 1181 Poison Spider's Younger Brother

"What do you mean?" Matthew asked.

"Poison Spider and the King of the South are merely working together," Connor said in a low tone. "In reality, she's the older sister of the King of the South's general, Phoenix! And this Phoenix is a terrifying man! There's a saying about two powerful figures, one in the north and one in the south. Phoenix of the South. That very Phoenix they're talking about is him!"

Wilson nodded as well. "Once you disregard talented people from those elite families who prefer to stay in the shadows, those two are the most excellent people among Cathay's youth," he said in a low tone. "Even Master Newman himself had said before that Phoenix will be able to rule this territory in less than ten years with his potential. In less than twenty years, he will be king! The King of the South is training Phoenix to be his heir! Matthew, he... absolutely will not stop in his journey for revenge now that you've captured his older sister. If Phoenix comes for you, not even Master Newman will be able to save you despite his seniority!"

Matthew frowned. He truly hadn't imagined that Poison Spider would have such a backstory. It seemed that this manipulator behind the scenes had thrown him a formidable adversary. However, he had no choice either now that things had come to this. If he let Poison Spider go, she would continue to fight against him. The only choice he had was to keep her captured. If he could find the crown prince, this situation would be able to be resolved perfectly.

He looked at the four family heads. "I know what you're worried about," he said solemnly. "However, this is between me and Phoenix. You're not tied to this situation. All you need to do now is to continue your preparations according to my earlier instructions. You don't have to pay attention to this matter!"

The four of them exchanged looks with each other.

of trouble," Wilson said in a low voice. "I simply think that there is no need hand. "I already have my mind made up about this matter.

his team to expend all resources to search for the crown prince. Only by finding the crown prince would this matter be resolved. At the

allow Sasha and the others to leave the house the entire day. With Billy Newman gone, Eastcliff had descended into chaos. Even the crown prince

it was an area that Billy had forbidden others from stepping foot in. Invading Lakeside Garden would be equivalent to declaring war

received a call from an unknown number, inviting him to meet at the villa by The Grand Garden. James requesting him to meet them at

doubts, but he still followed the appointed time and rushed

sat on the couch with their back to the light. Matthew couldn't see who they were clearly, but they weren't short. The person

at last. He got up

some reason,

Chapter 1182 Poison Spider's Tragic Past

Matthew's heart skipped a beat. "Your sister? You're the crown prince's uncle? The one they call Phoenix?"

Elio laughed flatly. "They're both names rooted in fire and the sun."

Matthew's expression shifted slightly. "You came here to ask for your sister back?"

Elio let out a puff of smoke. "Not exactly," he said lightly. "I'm just here to ask for an act of mercy: release my sister and hand your life to me."

Matthew was dumbstruck. Elio was capable of talking about the bloodiest of matters in such a calm manner. Just what shaped his personality into this?

prince, as well as Poison Spider, he suddenly realized that all

Eastcliff recently. You probably have no idea what

I know what went down in Eastcliff lately. I also know that someone deliberately set me up to antagonize you. But, I have no other choice. The only way the mastermind will let my

called Phoenix

no from me! I can help you to save the crown prince, but I can't die just yet!" Matthew replied in

gave a light chuckle. "That choice isn't yours to

place is Eastcliff—Billy Newman's territory! Even if you do kill me, do

more and spoke softly. "I happen to have some time on my hands. Why don't you listen

Chapter 1183 I Must Kill You

By then, Phoenix had already finished his cigarette. He lit another one, but he didn't smoke it. He simply held it.

"With no adults around, our food supplies at home were bound to run out one day. We managed to tough it out for five months, but our parents didn't come home. Out of necessity, my sister took me with her to beg for food. For seven years, we traveled from the north to the south. For those seven years, most of what we ate was garbage scavenged from bins. Going hungry and being exposed to the elements was our life. Regardless of how hungry she was though, my sister would always make sure that I ate my fill first before eating what was left."

"You know that my sister's called Poison Spider by others. She easily drew people's attention, and she had plenty of partners. She was also vicious and greedy. Many people loathed her. But no matter what

she did, I would never show her any disrespect, because I saw this with my own two eyes—she was tricked by an old man into selling her body when she was twelve, all so she could get me a pair of tattered cotton pants to wear. At the age of fourteen, she gave birth to that man's child. The reason I was able to survive during our trek to the south was because my sister traded her body for my life."

"She has been tricked and hurt by far too many men in her lifetime. Naturally, she loathes men with every fiber of her being. Regardless of all she's done and what others call her, I am the only one who can never look down on her or humiliate her with scathing words, even when others do so. Anyone else may be able to mistreat her, but I am the only one who will never do that! My sister only has two family members left—me, and her son. Her body has been wrecked due to all the abuse she suffered when she was young. She would only ever have that one son."

my sister, her son's

at last. He raised his head to look at Matthew. "Can you blame me

to be. To be honest, he actually pitied Poison Spider a little after listening to Elio's story. It hadn't been easy for her to survive until today. It was no wonder why she was so cruel. This world had been savage to her; how could she repay the

at last. "It's a touching story. I think I had the wrong idea about them before, but I'm afraid

older sister protected me with hers. Whatever you are willing to do for your sister, I'm willing to do for my own as well! So what if Eastcliff is Billy Newman's territory? As long as my sister is in danger, I will go through

the ashtray and got up from the couch. It was only then that Matthew

Chapter 1184 News of Matthew's Death

As this was going on, the few people hidden outside of The Grand Garden quietly observed the fight inside the villa. They didn't dare to enter the premises, but they could guess how the battle was from listening to the sounds inside the villa.

The battle lasted about ten minutes. At last, Phoenix grabbed Matthew by the ankle and dragged him outside. Matthew had fallen to the ground, completely bloodied. From the looks of it, he was on the brink of death.

A car came by. Phoenix tossed Matthew into the car. He then lit another cigarette, taking a few drags before he got into the car as well.

The few people watching this were more delighted than disappointed. They promptly ran to the masked man and reported the situation to him. The masked man was ecstatic when he heard the news and immediately got in touch with Lord Voodoo to inform him.

At last, Lord Voodoo nodded in satisfaction. "Smooth operation. However, you still have to be on your guard. Tonight, the Golden Cocoon Charm will be born. This is a most crucial period for me. As long as I have the Golden Cocoon Charm in my hands, I will be able to surpass any of the six kings. Watch yourselves carefully. Do not let anyone ruin my grand plans!"

The masked man nodded. "Yes, Lord Voodoo! By the way, what should we do about that crown prince?"

Voodoo was quiet for a moment. "Once tonight's events have come to pass, release him. Matthew is dead. There's no need for us to goad Phoenix. If we incur the King of

He didn't really want to make

Matthew's death spread through Eastcliff

news, those who worked for Matthew went into an uproar. Everyone was stunned. No one had imagined that

and the others were shocked. With Matthew dead, didn't

the spot. Tears immediately fell from Leanna's

that one faction in the Cunningham Family. Felicia was especially overjoyed by Matthew's death. She brought the Cunninghams over

had put

together to take Matthew's construction company for

contacted some old friends of hers to surround Cunningham Pharmaceuticals, kicking up a huge ruckus. All manufacturing activities at Cunningham Pharmaceuticals stopped. Everyone was watching

Chapter 1185 Matthew Isn't Dead

Charmine opened her mouth, but she didn't dare to speak in the end.

At the same time, the Left-Wing Guardian brought Charmine's fellow students over. He had a pleased look on his face. "Lord Voodoo, it has been done. Dr. Burton and his wife have been captured. We've also informed Jinny about this. She'll be here soon!"

Lord Voodoo nodded, pleased. "Good! What about the 72 Clans? Have you drawn them over?"

The Left-Wing Guardian immediately nodded. "Yes."

Lord Voodoo got up, his eyes shining. "Delightful! Tonight, I want them to behold Orleans' most glorious era! Let's see if anyone in Orleans dares to defy me in the future!"

The Left-Wing Guardian and the rest immediately kneeled. "Glory to Lord Voodoo!"

Lord Voodoo guffawed, a smug look written all over his face. "You did well. From this moment onward, you two may live within my palace!"

The two disciples of Crow were over the moon. Being able to live within Lord Voodoo's palace was the greatest privilege one could earn. It also meant that they had earned Lord Voodoo's approval!

however, panicked. "Lord Voodoo, they were

glanced at her. "Do you have

don't have any, but my master and Reese's soulbound curses have been

the other hand, have been rather close with Matthew. Did

protested. "Matthew saved me before. I just wanted to put a
you and Matthew were in league with each
that this

and locking her up in the

Once tonight's events are over, I will ask Lord Voodoo to hand you to me as my reward! Rest assured, I
will treat you well!" With

drained to a stark white. If she fell into the Left-Wing Guardian's hands, death would be the more
preferable

gritting her teeth. All of a sudden, she grabbed
a voice. "Why the drastic

Chapter 1186 Lord Voodoo's Plan

Matthew looked at Charmine. "I came to find you because there's something I'd like to ask you for
help."

Charmine was surprised. "Me? What can I help you with?"

"You know more about Lord Voodoo than me. I want to know what he actually wants to do. And, which
of the Ten Great Families of Eastcliff is still working with him?" Matthew asked softly.

Charmine hesitated. If she answered Matthew's questions, she would be betraying Orleans.

Matthew glanced at her. "Don't tell me that you still have your delusions about Lord Voodoo? Your
master was killed by those two students. Not only did Lord Voodoo not help you to get revenge for his
death, but he even favored those two. Do you think that Lord Voodoo will help you get justice?"

Those words made Charmine's expression slowly change into a cold one. She initially served Lord
Voodoo loyally because of her master. But now she realized that Lord Voodoo never thought of her
master as anything. Why should she remain loyal to Lord Voodoo, then?

third family working with Lord Voodoo is a mystery. Whenever they come here, they always wear a
mask. No one knows their identity other than

an enigma.

take the Golden Cocoon Charm for

possible? The Golden Cocoon Charm is the true King

is when its master is at their weakest. As long as you seize this opportunity and kill the master of the
Golden Cocoon Charm, then you will be able to get your hands on it. Lord Voodoo wants to

this plan through. According to his plan, Jinny would be sure to

deep breath and looked at Phoenix. "Elio,

have to say it. Since Lord Voodoo had

With his current strength, he was no match for Lord Voodoo. With Phoenix's help though, he would be able to come out

Chapter 1187 The Dangerous Lord Voodoo

Lord Voodoo gave a chilly laugh. "Since this is an Orleans matter that shouldn't involve outsiders, then why are you huddling inside Lakeside Garden? If you're going to follow Orleans' rules, then come out here!"

"Lord Voodoo, let's not talk about such meaningless things!" Sanyul stated in fury. "We're here. You can let your captives go now, right?"

Lord Voodoo guffawed. "What right do you have to speak to me with such impudence, Sanyul? Scram and get Jinny to see me, or I'll be killing these two wastes of space!"

Matthew's expression shifted as he watched this from where he was hiding. Just as he was about to blow his cover, Phoenix reached out and stopped him. Phoenix's goals were clear—he had to use this opportunity to figure out who was cooperating with Lord Voodoo. That was the only way he would have a chance to save the crown prince. If Matthew moved before he was supposed to, it would only make Lord Voodoo discover their scheme. Saving the crown prince would become an endeavor then!

Jinny finally emerged from the crowd of the 72 Clans. Fear and anxiety was clear on her face. She might be carrying the Golden Cocoon Charm, but she was still a little girl in the end. Despite her age, she still held her head high. "Lord... Lord Voodoo, I am here. You... will release them now, right?"

Lord Voodoo sized Jinny up. "Such an amazing thing, this Golden Cocoon Charm is," he exclaimed. "Who would have thought that it would transform a girl with festering sores all over her body into this! If your father were still alive, he would certainly regret his decision for kicking you out of Orleans!"

born. Her father thought her a harbinger of disaster, so he planned to

here now. Keep your

to release them? Fine. But you'll have to

all knew what

sly man who reneges on his promises. If you go to him, he will kill

was currently moving his hand toward Dr. Burton and his wife nonchalantly. From the looks

now, she wasn't just fearful; her body was in agony because of the impending birth of the Golden Cocoon Charm. This

Lord Voodoo's side. He looked at

going to let them go now, right?"

Chapter 1188 Last Stand

Jinny didn't speak. She held fast onto Dr. Burton and Stacy, keeping her hands to their skin. To her, they were like her parents. In her entire life, she had never experienced kindness from anyone else other than her mother. Right now, she only had three important people left in her life. One of them was Matthew, and the other two were Dr. Burton and Stacy. How could she stand aside and watch them die?

Lord Voodoo tilted his head back and guffawed madly. That had been his true plan all along. And now, it was coming to fruition!

In the distance, Sanhol suddenly let out a yell. "F*ck this, get him! As part of the 72 voodoo clans of Orleans, I will never bow down and be a slave!"

With that, Sanhol charged over to fight Lord Voodoo. The others stood there in shock for a moment before they let out yells of fury and charged at Lord Voodoo as well. Sanyul gritted his teeth and joined the fray.

"We will never be slaves!" they all yelled. Many others emerged from the shadows within the area, all members of the 72 voodoo clans. They had all been lying in wait earlier. This time, they would fight till the bitter end, because they would no longer be strong enough to fight Lord Voodoo the moment he got his hands on the Golden Cocoon Charm. Rather than wait for certain death, fighting with everything they had would be better! That was what ran through the clan members' minds.

his platform. A cold grin hung on his face as he eyed the surging wave of people. All of a sudden, outside. Everyone turned their heads, only to see over a hundred cars zooming toward them. The cars rushed inside the residence grounds, mowing over the clan members. Hundreds of people

the Lachs, the Jacksons, the Telks, and the Lewises were not among their ranks. Pretty

effectiveness here! The 72 voodoo clans of Orleans are currently just a bunch of ordinary people. You have nothing to fear! Kill them all, and you will

his call to battle, the six families immediately roared and charged over to clash with the

was staring at the six great families. The mastermind was hiding among them, without a doubt. The

They're currently being controlled. If I cancel the charm curses, they... they probably won't listen to Lord Voodoo anymore!"

looked at her. "Four of them? Then, the remaining two... they aren't being

Charmine nodded.

Chapter 1189 Emergence of the Golden Cocoon Charm

Phoenix turned around to leave.

Meanwhile, Matthew's brows were tightly furrowed. He was aware that Phoenix wanted to save the crown prince first. However, he wasn't quite sure whether they could last for more than ten minutes in the situation here.

At that moment, the messy fight on hand came to a head.

Just then, Matthew took a deep breath and said in a low voice, "Charmine, go over and release the four Masters from the charm curse."

In response, Charmine nodded and swiftly turned around to leave.

Meanwhile, Matthew hid in the shadows and focused his sights on Lord Voodoo.

If Lord Voodoo made a move to attack Jinny, then he would definitely stop him immediately.

increasingly tormented. Nonetheless, she gritted her teeth and persevered. Her skin suddenly

Charm was about to emerge. Once the Golden Cocoon Charm emerged, he would instantly kill off Jinny.

body convulsed and quivered. At the same time, she couldn't contain the low growls that came out from to see Jinny in such a

stopped convulsing. She lay on the ground

everyone noticed Jinny's condition, the crowd stopped fighting and everyone focused their sights on her. Could it be that Jinny's dead just

right! The Golden Cocoon Charm

to go over and take a closer look, suddenly, many spots bulged up on the skin

expression became quite frantic too. The

the bulge expanded, Jinny's skin was raised

bug that popped out from her broken skin. The little bug was about the size

fluttered its wings, there was a loud buzzing noise emitted and it sounded like

Chapter 1190 Matthew Made a Move

Once the Golden Cocoon Charms emerged from their host, the host would be at their weakest state.

As such, if Lord Voodoo killed off Jinny at that moment, the Golden Cocoon Charms would lose their owner and be free for all.

Although Lord Voodoo had already put a curse on Jinny, he felt that it was still insufficient and wanted to quickly finish off Jinny.

Just as his blow was about to land on Jinny, there was a figure that rushed out from the side and took Jinny into his arms. Subsequently, he somersaulted to avoid Lord Voodoo's blow.

Meanwhile, Lord Voodoo's expression changed upon realizing that he'd missed his attack. He took a closer look and found out that it was Matthew who'd turned up to rescue Jinny. With widened eyes, he yelled out angrily, "Matthew?! Why are you here?! Aren't you supposed to be dead?!"

Matthew had been hiding in the shadows earlier, and he was keeping a close eye on the unfolding situation in front. As soon as he saw Lord Voodoo about to attack Jinny, he couldn't contain himself and instantly came forward to rescue her.

Meanwhile, from afar, everyone from the six families was stunned to see Matthew.

Everyone had thought that Matthew was dead, but unexpectedly, he was well and alive, standing in front of them right now. What's going on here?

Jinny and coldly exclaimed, "Lord Voodoo,

expression turned ugly, and he coldly retorted, "You brat! How dare you ruin my plans! Hmph! I spared your life the last time for Billy's sake. However, since you've chosen to tempt death again today, don't blame me for all this! Face your

pushed Jinny aside, and then he swallowed an energy pill

indeed very powerful, and Matthew wasn't quite his match

Voodoo was significantly stunned by

become so powerful?" Lord Voodoo asked in a low

of his efforts

matter how powerful you become, you're still no match for me! Besides, are you sure that you'll be able to save Jinny? She just took in all of the poison, and it's the most poisonous

point, Matthew's expression took a turn for the worse. After all, if all this was

the ground

so he released some more cursed bugs to attack Jinny, intending to send

then, Matthew wanted to stop the cursed bugs, but he was

and his eyes turned bloodshot. That poor girl! Is she about

latter in