

Genius 821

Chapter 821 The Elderly Man's Odd Illness

According to Leanna's guidance, Matthew found the village in no time. The village was hidden in the woods, and it looked a little run down.

Just like what Leanna had claimed, there weren't many people who stayed in the village, and those who did were mainly senior citizens. Most of the youngsters had already left to work in the city, and the children had gone to school. Only the elderly people continued staying in the remote village, reluctant to leave due to nostalgia.

No one really paid any attention to Matthew when he entered the village. They likely assumed that he was one of the elites who lived in one of the mansions nearby, seeing how there were a few manors surrounding the village. Hence, the villagers here would often see rich people coming over to tour around, and they were already used to it.

As Matthew walked around, he started observing the people here. Suddenly, his gaze fixated on an elderly man, and he quickly approached him before greeting with a low voice, "Hello, sir."

The elderly man looked confused. "D-Do you need anything?"

a little before he asked, "Have you noticed that your appetite has increased

you know that? I used to only be able to finish half a

Do you feel

"How do you know that? By right, my body condition should have improved as my appetite increased, but... I started feeling more fatigued. I was just wondering if

a hopeful look and the latter chuckled lightly. "That's right. I'm a doctor, and I can tell

delighted. "I-Is it possible for you to take

something. Have you seen this kind of plant around this place?" Matthew asked before he took

leaves on the plant, and two of the leaves were jagged, while another leaf was roundish in shape. All three leaves together had no sense of congruity and looked

"Hmm, I... I have actually seen these plants. Back then, I thought they looked weird, so I plucked one of them and wanted to show it to the

Chapter 822 Rainbow Centipede

After searching around the place, Matthew found those plants as expected. Nevertheless, he didn't touch the plants. Instead, he slowly squatted down and observed his surroundings.

Then, he took a small ceramic bottle out and poured some of the black powder from the bottle around the plant.

A while later, Matthew noticed the soil around the plant moving around as if something was about to crawl out.

Holding his breath, he stared at the ground intently. About three minutes later, a centipede crawled out of the soil.

The centipede wasn't large and was only about the length of a thumb. However, the centipede had a colorful appearance and looked more like a snake.

Right then, the centipede looked anxious as it moved around in the circles around the black powder that was circled around it. The centipede couldn't crawl out of the black powder, and it seemed like the centipede was fearful of the black powder.

At this moment, Matthew took another ceramic bottle and opened a little opening around the black powder before placing the mouth of the ceramic bottle at the opening.

the centipede crawled over and entered the

the ceramic bottle up, and the centipede was trapped in the ceramic bottle. Nevertheless, Matthew didn't leave yet. Instead, he took his pill furnace out and placed it

bottle into the pill furnace before pouring some powder into it as

looked as if it was burned and started thrashing around before an odd smell filled the

the area crawled out before crawling into the pill furnace one by one as if they

jumped down from the tree and sealed the cover of the pill furnace before wrapping it up.

for Matthew to return anxiously. When she saw him coming back, she quickly reported, "Dr.

softly.

voice, "Dr. Larson, do you know who tried to curse her? Could it be that the man from Bainbridge

head. "She wasn't cursed. This

then, Leanna was taken aback.

Chapter 823 Are You Looking for These Centipedes?

After the centipede crawled out, Leanne's best friend's body went limp before she fell onto the bed. Leanne hid behind Matthew in fear and refused to let go of her grip on his arm.

"Don't be afraid. This centipede is not harmful anymore," Matthew explained before he took a ceramic bottle out to keep the blood centipede.

Although Leanna sighed in relief, she still looked terrified. "Mr. Larson, if someone is rearing centipedes here, do we have to move away as soon as possible? I mean, we can't stay here any longer. It's too dangerous!"

Matthew smiled before saying, "You don't have to worry. As I said, the person who is rearing the centipedes does not mean any harm. Your friend only got cursed because of her body condition, and it's not on purpose. If not, the two of you would have died. I've checked the place where the person reared their centipedes. Although people used to walk past that area, most of them were fine except for this

elderly man in the village. As he plucked the medicinal plant used to feed the centipedes, he was poisoned by the three-leaf plant and was slightly sick.”

Nevertheless, the elderly man was only poisoned instead of cursed, as the three-leaf plant was a poisonous plant used to rear the centipedes.

Hence, he was poisoned when he plucked the plant and wanted to show it to the other villagers.

my friend’s condition? When will she recover? I-If she

these centipedes in these kinds of places. This time, it’s a special case as someone is rearing

Leanna asked, “W-Will you be

them must come over every day. Moreover, they only

looking around

top of a tree. Although the woods were humid at night,

to his surroundings. Suddenly, he heard soft footsteps

and turned in the direction of

figure in black, along

looked as if they were running on the flat

Chapter 824 You Crossed the Line

Immediately, the mysterious man’s expression changed as he turned around abruptly and moved his right hand before a rope-like object flew out at the speed of light.

The person standing not far away behind him was Matthew.

Upon seeing that object flying toward him, Matthew didn’t dodge but reached out to seize it with his bare hand. The object was slimy and kept moving around before it entangled itself onto his wrist.

Right then, Matthew could finally see that the man had thrown a red snake toward him. Although he had his hands on the snake’s body, he couldn’t manage to crush it by its heart.

As so, the snake managed to curl around Matthew’s wrist before biting his arm while Matthew reacted quickly and grabbed it by its heart, successfully paralyzing it.

At this moment, the figure turned around to reveal a man in his mid-forties. He had an odd look on his face, and his gaze was dark.

Matthew frowned. “Who are you? Why are you rearing these centipedes here?”

Yet the man glanced at him disdainfully. “How dare you go against me, you ignorant fool? You’re going to meet your demise today! Do you know that the red snake in your hand right now has been trained by me for years? This red snake’s venom isn’t in its teeth but in its body, so you’re a deadman the moment you touch the snake, and I’m not interested in talking to a man who is going to die!”

and flung

you think I

when he noticed Matthew was still able to breathe properly while looking composed, and there weren't many

on earth is

so he

man in front of him survived even after killing the red snake, so what exactly was

going against me?" the

the line! You should know that you can only rear centipedes at places without any humans living nearby. Yet, you choose to rear it at the border of a city. Do you know how many lives might be sacrificed if the centipedes

"Stop bullsh*tting and answer

replied, "I work

believe you? Which clan do you belong to?

mean the 72 voodoo clans

widened. "Obviously? All 72 clan leaders of Orleans had come over from Thousand Hills. Are you saying that you're

information regarding the voodoo clan

Chapter 825 Five Poisonous Creatures

This centipede looked similar to the ones Matthew had caught previously.

However, the centipedes he had caught previously were too small, only an inch or two, while this centipede was about a foot long. He had never seen a centipede of this size.

After the centipede came out, it crawled to the gunk that the man spat. It seemed like the centipede was swallowing the gunk on the ground.

At the same time, the man's pant leg moved a little before a little red snake slithered out while something started hopping under his shirt around his chest area. After a while, a gray toad finally managed to hop out.

Right then, a black scorpion crawled up from his hair before a tiny spider crawled out of the back of his ear.

All five poisonous creatures seemed to be eager to consume the black gunk, one after another. As for the man, he continued sitting on the ground with his legs crossed while laughing weirdly.

“Don’t think that you can fight us Orleanians just because you know how to detoxify yourself. Do you really think that you’ll be able to save yourself once I use the five poisonous creatures? If you still refuse to come clean about who you’re working for, you might as well start saying your last words!”

Still, Matthew’s face remained cold. “You’re actually using the five poisonous creatures against me even though we don’t even know each other? You’re indeed a vicious man. Aren’t you afraid of tasting your own medicines for bringing so many poisonous creatures along with you?”

you think us Orleanians train ourselves so

you haven’t

out and poured some powder on

they were agitated before

man’s facial expression changed, as he had

go on a rampage

for the poisonous creatures to attack

pale before he asked with a trembling voice, “What is happening? What is happening?! You

that had already crawled toward him bared its fangs

if all of his energy had been drained while Matthew

poisonous creatures stopped. It was as if they were

low voice, “Answer

gritted his teeth before using the last of his breath to say, “I-I won’t say anything... Y-You guys will never find her... Never... Orleans can only

man’s head fell, and he kicked the

Chapter 826 Let Me Show You Something

After getting everything settled, Matthew went back to Leanna’s place.

Of course, Matthew only told Leanna that an Orleanian accidentally left their centipedes here instead of telling her the entire truth.

Upon hearing that, Leanna finally felt relieved. Nevertheless, she insisted on moving away and taking her friend back to the city. Beyond the need for questions, she was already traumatized by her suburban nightmare.

Matthew didn’t stop her, as he knew that if the 72 clan leaders were at Eastcliff, they might actually start rearing poisonous creatures in the suburbs as well. Seeing that the creatures they brought along with them might starve to death if they didn’t feed them, it seemed like the suburbs of Eastcliff weren’t a safe place anymore.

When Matthew thought about the situation of the area around his villa, he realized that those poisonous creatures in the lake were placed there deliberately. Judging from the situation, he could tell that the location wasn't their natural habitat.

At that moment, Matthew felt his heart constricting a little.

Usually, the 72 clan leaders would choose a remote area to rear their poisonous creatures to avoid others from finding out.

However, the lake definitely wasn't a remote place.

Could it be that someone is trying to stir things up by rearing poisonous creatures in the lake near the villas? Is someone working with the Orleanians and placing poisonous creatures there deliberately to archive something?

the

Jaden landing himself in prison and destroying his own reputation. Still, who benefitted the most from seemed to have solved the mystery,

from this, the person who truly benefited the most was the current Head of the Lach rightful inheritor of the Lachs to take control of the

Jaden ended up

person who unquestionably benefited from this was the current Head of the Lach

villa area, the Lachs probably didn't care, as the position of the current Head of the

thought that it would be useless for Matthew to take those poisonous creatures from the lake, as those creatures might have harmed

the place back

really had to admit that the

was going on exactly in the past, he finally connected the dots

the Ten Greatest Families of Eastcliff. Among the Ten Greatest Families of Eastcliff, the Jacksons are now under my command. Although the Lachs aren't as powerful

Matthew headed

deep in her slumbers, and Matthew left for the Fields' villa after adjusting her

the living room, and she was

Chapter 827 The Mysterious Jinny

Hearing Jinny's question, Matthew answered softly, "They are centipedes. Do you like them? You can try touching them."

Jinny looked surprised. "Really?! Can I... Can I touch them?"

Matthew nodded.

Right then, Jinny took a deep breath before she slowly placed her hand into the pill furnace.

Any other girl would probably have been screaming at the sight of the centipedes, not to mention touching them, but Jinny looked like she really liked these little creatures as she reached forward slowly to touch the centipedes.

At this moment, something weird happened. When Jinny's hand entered the pill furnace, those centipedes immediately stopped thrashing around as if they were being consoled.

The moment Jinny's hand came into contact with those centipedes, they became obedient and gentle. It seemed like they honestly enjoyed Jinny's touch.

It was common knowledge that these centipedes that were reared as poisonous creatures were extremely aggressive, not to mention reared poisonous centipedes. Even a normal centipede would have attacked immediately upon coming into contact with humans.

like that at all.

thoughtful look before sealing the pill furnace again

ceramic bottles that contained the five poisonous creatures from

looked even

weren't going to attack anyone

snake had venom all over its body, and those who came into contact with it would surely die. However, Jinny never

Matthew confirmed his thoughts that Jinny might just be the person that the 72 clan leaders

planning

know the reason behind why these people were looking for Jinny, it was best to keep her sheltered because

all the poisoned creatures, Matthew instructed

the abscesses on Jinny's body had significantly reduced, and her clear skin came into

progress, Jinny

the poisonous creatures to the villa next door that was unoccupied, he used a secret technique to dispose

life-threatening to other humans, and

Chapter 828 He's My Family! You Guys Are Not!

However, Sasha chuckled coldly. "He's not worth my trust? Are you, though? The last time I lent you my car, you told me that your girlfriend would be driving, but you ended up driving the car. You even ran

over a person, like, come on! In the end, my family still had to show up to settle things for you, so how dare you ask for my trust?"

Tate's facial expression turned awkward. "That's... That's in the past! Matthew, on the other hand, did something morally questionable. He's just a live-in son-in-law that leeches on us and cheats on you... Aren't you going to do anything about it?"

Sasha waved them off impatiently. "Don't worry about my family issues. Also, do not talk badly about Matthew in front of me in the future. Remember this, Matthew is my husband. He is my family! You guys are not!"

Then she got up and left, leaving those two with dark expressions on their faces.

At this moment, Minerva snapped in anger. "Sasha, why are you being so arrogant? So, are we not your family anymore just because you've become the president? We were just trying to be nice and warn you, as we are afraid of you getting tricked, but this is how you're treating us in return?"

However, Sasha glared at Minerva. "Stop acting like a good person in front of me! If you're really a nice person, you wouldn't have spread rumors that I owe you guys 1.6 million!"

as well. "Well, you do owe us 1.6 million! I still have receipts with me. Do you want me to show she turned around and left as she

when he saw Sasha entering and chuckled softly. "Did they piss you off again? Why

use what happened today as an opportunity to move into our place. Do you remember how

have to be bothered by them. Once I settle everything, we will move to Lakeside Garden together. We've just got

"You should stop mentioning Lakeside Garden. Once the company earns profit, any two bedrooms and one living room house would be fine. As long as we won't be staying with them any longer,

embrace before saying softly, "Dummy, how could I let you stay in a

felt her body going soft as she really enjoyed what she was feeling

going to make me late for work! I mean, I still have to earn money to take care

Chapter 829 You Should Go Look For Leanna Right Away

Nevertheless, Tate was relentless. "What do you mean? How... How am I not on his level? I'm way taller and better looking than him. I have more knowledge than him as well as a better family background, not to mention that I studied in a foreign country! He should be the one who is not on my level!"

Minerva chuckled coldly. "If you're that great, why couldn't you get Leanna? If you could do that, do we still have to come over to this place? Haha! Have you heard that Leanna has more than 20 suites like this in Eastcliff?"

Immediately, Tate's face brightened up. "Is that true? She's that rich?"

Minerva exclaimed, "Of course! I'm sure you know that all my friends are Eastcliff's elites, and they know everything that happens in the circle. Leanna's assets alone can be compared to the richest family among the Ten Greatest Families of Eastcliff, the Sandels. Think about how rich she is!"

Right then, Tate sucked a cold breath in before an excited look appeared on his face. "If... If I can get her, does it mean that we are going to be rich?"

on Leanna. I mean, look at Matthew. Although he's not on your level,

right. I should

even if I asked. It's impossible for ordinary people to even be able to meet her. If only I had Leanna's phone number, I would have been able to get

moment before she

her? Does it work like that? Lucia has been going over to her company a few times now, but

Can't you think of a good idea for

Tate

something because he's busy. By then, you'll be able to see her. With your status as well as

Minnie! Alright. I'll go to her company now! Haha! I'm going to win

Chapter 830 Confessing to Leanna

Tate did as Minerva said and rushed excitedly to Creative Cloud Group. Just when he arrived at the main door, the security guard stopped him.

Leanna was quite stand-offish, so not everyone was allowed to enter Creative Cloud Group. Tate gave the security guard a look.

"Hey, I came yesterday too. Did you forget about me? My dad is Jonah Campbell, the president of Gonzalez Corporation's branch office in Cathay. We have many business dealings with Creative Cloud Group, and we just signed a contract yesterday..."

Tate went on and on, but the security guard remained indifferent, as if he had never heard of this guy before.

In the end, Tate ran out of options, so he could only say, "I came with Matthew. Matthew Larson. Do you remember him?"

Immediately, the security guard switched his attitude to respect and courtesy. "Oh, you're Mr. Larson's friend! I'm so sorry for the rudeness earlier. Um, is there anything you need? Perhaps I can ask the receptionist to arrange it for you?"

No way! You must be kidding me! Dude, after everything I wasted my breath on, nothing compares to Matthew's name?

I meant more as Matthew's friend than I did as the son of Jonah, president of Gonzalez Corporation's branch office in Cathay?

What the hell?

say anything aloud in case the security

him to the receptionist. Once the receptionist heard that Tate was Matthew's friend, she

about it, but still, he did as his sister had told him. "Look, Matthew has something to attend to, so he asked me to come and meet

girl. He didn't know if he would be allowed to see Leanna just by

girl immediately replied, "Please wait for a moment. I'll

she put down the phone and smiled as she said, "President Sandel

visited this company so many

Matthew's name, and I could get a

up his hair while he was in the elevator, and when the elevator

"Greetings. This way, please."

Tate to Leanna's

quite a rare sight. The dress complemented her perfect figure, so she looked even more elegant

she now looked

taken away at the sight

What profound charm!