

Gluey Love 1651

Chapter 1651

Eden slept soundly that night. When she woke up the next day, the bright sunlight had already shone through the window. She stretched her body and felt that she was full of energy again, however, as soon as she stretched her arms, the scratches on her body started hurting again.

Although the scratches weren't serious, they still hurt a lot in the first few days.

She had suffered various injuries in her life, but she was still not used to it.

She got out of bed slowly and went to wash up, wondering how was everything going with the investigation of the accident.

She knew Lucian would never let her down.

However, she hadn't heard of any news from him yet, so they must haven't found the person behind it yet.

Thinking of this, Eden frowned slightly. She sat on the bed and thought about it. Then, she got off the bed and went to wash up.

After washing up, she went to the living room. The sound of running water came from the kitchen.

So she went to the kitchen and saw Victor was busy doing something there.

Victor didn't know how to make dumplings, however, he could still make some simple dishes and cook porridge.

Eden saw that he was washing mushrooms. The smell of chicken soup wafted from the pot, making her feel hungry immediately.

"Victor, are you not going to the company?" If he didn't go to the company for one day, all the work would pile up and wait for him the next day.

Victor looked back at her slowly and said briefly, "Taking care of you is the most important thing.

Go sit down and rest. We'll be able to have lunch in ten minutes." Seeing that her face was not so pale anymore after a good sleep, he felt much relieved.

"I feel very good now," Eden said with a smile.

Victor sliced the mushroom into small pieces and prepared to make pork and shredded mushrooms stir fry. He had done this dish several times, so he was very confident.

He said without looking up, "We have already investigated into the accident that happened on the construction site, and we haven't found anyone who was behind it. Therefore, we handed the person to the police."

Eden had already guessed it.

"It's alright. We will find out the truth one day." Eden gritted her teeth. She believed that it would not take too long.

After this, Victor just carried on making food without saying anything.

Seeing that he didn't make any comment, Eden said nothing either.

She felt that he had become much quieter since she shed tears last night.

Was he just trying to punish her?

She leaned against the door slowly and looked at him carefully.

But she couldn't see anything from his indifferent expression. He was a person who would never show his emotions anyway.

Seeing that his dishes were almost ready, she went to take the bowls, but Victor took them for her. "Didn't I tell you to rest? I can do these things."

Eden looked at him with some grievances, "I just got some scratches on my body. I'm not disabled."

Victor reached out and stroked her hair, then said softly, "I can do this. You just need to sit down." His tone sounded like he wouldn't accept any different opinions.

Eden could only sit at the table and waited for him to finish everything for her.

When they were having lunch, Victor still didn't say much. He just kept putting food in Eden's bowl silently.

Eden looked at the bowl full of chicken and silently glanced at him. "I can't eat so much."

She couldn't eat so much when she wasn't injured anyway.

Victor looked at her and said as if she was a child, "You should eat more. You've lost weight recently, so you should gain it back."

Eden looked at her belly silently. She felt that her belly looked so much bigger than before, and how could she lose weight?

She didn't want to be fat.

"Victor, are you angry at me?" She suddenly looked at him with her big and bright eyes.

She couldn't help but feel that he became so strange.

Victor put on a faint smile. "Silly, why would I be angry at you? If I did, I wouldn't have made food for you, would I? Besides, you haven't done anything wrong anyway. You should finish your food now. After lunch, I will go to the hospital with you to change the bandage. Dr. Conley is very busy these two days and has gone abroad."

"Alright." Eden lowered her head and started eating silently. She still felt that there was something not right. But Victor knew exactly what he was thinking about.

After lunch, Victor cleared their bowls and chopsticks, helped her to put on her coat, and then took her to the hospital.

At the same time, Thalia had also gone home to rest from the hospital.

After Eden changed the dressing on her wounds, Victor went to see Adonis.

So Eden decided to take a walking outside the hospital whilst waiting for him.

"Hey," someone's voice suddenly came over. Eden turned around and saw Karlee was standing there, wearing a pink coat and a knitted hat.

"You..." Eden looked at Karlee, felt that she was much thinner than the first time she saw her.

Karlee smiled. "Don't you remember me? You saved my life last time at the roadside of the hospital." She pointed in the direction of the road behind them.

Eden naturally remembered Karlee, but she just didn't know why she was here as she should be resting at home at this time.

Could it be that Stephen was staying in this hospital? This hospital belonged to Victor, but he was not the legal person, therefore, Barrett should not be able to find out that this was the property of Alwynn Group.

"Oh, right." Eden answered with a smile.

"Did you get hurt?" Karlee looked at Eden, who had bruises on her face and the back of her hand, looking a little concerned.

"It's not serious. I have already changed my bandages." Eden lifted her to show her the bandage, and it still felt a little painful.

Karlee felt Eden was so pretty and so easy to get along with, so she said jokingly, "What happened to you? Did you try to save someone else again?"

Eden laughed, "Who can I save? I was saved by others. But I'm fine now."

"That's good. I wasn't in a good status last time when I met you, and I thought that I would never see you again. However, I didn't expect that we could meet up again so soon. Can I add you on SNS so that we could be friends?" Karlee took out her phone with a smile.

Eden nodded slightly and did not refuse. She took out her phone and added her.

"My name is Karlee Woods." Karlee introduced herself with a smile.

Eden also smiled and said, "You can just call me Eden."

"Sounds good." Karlee felt that she really liked Eden. She was such a gentle person who was so nice to everyone else.

However, Eden's first impression of Karlee was that she had a bad temper.

But after chatting for a while, she started changing her opinions.

"So why are you at the hospital today?" Eden asked directly.

"Well, it's not a big deal. I just came to visit someone who is not important." A look of bitterness swept across her face. Eden knew that she was here to visit Stephen.

"Alright, I will leave you to it then. We can meet another time. It's too cold out here, you should go inside now."

"Sounds good! See you then, Eden!" Karlee was in a good mood. She waved her hand with a smile and left briskly.

Eden looked at her back and felt a little guilty. But Stephen was not a good man.

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Seeing that Victor was still not back yet, Eden decided to walk around this area a little longer.

The sky was clear and the air was so fresh, so she felt that she was in a much better mood.

"Eden..."

Hearing this familiar voice, Eden was slightly stunned. She turned around and saw Myra who was standing there and holding a baby in her arms. The person standing beside her was Jacob.

"You..." Eden knew that they were together, but she did not expect to see them here today.

"Eden, this is our child, Adonis." Myra said with a smile.

Eden nodded and looked at the baby who had Jacob's features.

"Such a beautiful baby!" Eden walked over, gently held the baby's hand, and smiled.

The baby also looked at her and smiled from ear to ear. His pink cheeks looked very cute.

Then she smiled at Jacob as a greeting.

"Why didn't you tell me when you had the baby? You don't have any families here, and you called me sister for so many years at least." Even though she could not let go of what happened before, Myra had also got what she deserved. Antony had never returned since he left the country.

After her father went to live with that woman, he didn't care about Myra anymore. So Myra was living a tough life all these years.

After she met Jacob, something awful had happened to her as well in public.

Hearing this, Myra smiled gratefully. "You are very busy, so I didn't want to trouble you. Jacob's mother is very nice to me."

Eden glanced at Jacob. They were treating her well now just because she had a son.

He divorced his ex-wife just because she did not have a son.

"That's good. But why are you at the hospital today? Are you not feeling well?"

"The child is coughing, so I brought him over." Myra's eyes were no longer filled with the arrogance and contempt Eden was familiar with anymore.

Her beautiful eyes were much calmer, and she looked at others more sincerely now. She had totally changed her personality and she was gentle and calm now.

"Alright, you should take him inside now. It is cold here. Call me if you need anything." Eden said softly. She had already let go of all the hatred she had for the past.

No matter how bad the Gienger family treated her, they still raised her up.

"Okay, thank you!" Myra's eyes were moist with tears. She had actually regretted treating her that way back then. She was young and stupid before, but she knew she hurt Eden a lot.

However, Eden was the only one who helped her when she was in trouble. All her old friends ignored her and even laughed at her.

When things happened, she really understood who she could trust.

"No worries. I'm waiting for Victor here, and you should go in now. We will chat another time." Eden smiled faintly and once again held the child's hand.

"Sure!" Myra nodded slightly and then went into the hospital.

Eden looked at their backs and took a deep breath. Maybe this was the best she could get.

At least Jacob was good to her.

He was not a perfect man, but he was not bad.

"Eden." At this time, Victor came over with a bag of medicine.

Eden nodded slightly and said, "Let's go home now."

"Yes," Victor said and walked to the car with her.

"Eden, I saw Myra earlier." Victor hesitated for a while and still decided to tell her the truth. She never asked about Myra ever since that thing happened.

"I met them too. Her son is sick, so they brought him here to see a doctor."

Victor was about to say something, but Eden's phone rang.

It was Jasper. Hearing that she was injured, he called her immediately to check how she was now.

Eden knew that few people knew about her injury, and the construction site also sealed off the news.

If Jasper knew about it now, it meant that he must know who was around her.

After chatting with him for a while, Eden hung up the phone.

Victor smiled a little sarcastically, "He still cares about you as always."

Eden knew he was jealous again, so she looked at him and said, "Do you actually want that no one cares about me? There are few people in the world who really care about me."

"That's irrelevant." Victor didn't know why she was so overreacted.

Eden glanced at him, knowing that she should stop talking at this moment.

So she just sat quietly in the car whilst Victor was driving home.

"Eden, why don't you talk? Did I... say something wrong?" After she had been quiet for a long while, Victor started getting a little worried. After all, she had just met Myra, and no one knew what they had talked about.

Victor glanced at her, and it looked like she was feeling sleepy.

"Are you feeling tired again?"

"Yes." Eden nodded.

Victor turned the heating on in the car.

At the same time, his phone vibrated, but he ignored it.

When the car stopped at the red light, he picked up his phone and glanced at the message sent by Adrienne.

"Leilani has already stepped into it. She must have done what happened to Eden, but she hid it very well. It's not easy to catch her."

Victor quickly replied, "Inform me immediately when she has any move. I don't want to see anything happen to Eden again."

"Have you ever thought that Eden might be planning something as well?" Adrienne replied.

"This is none of your business. Your job is just to tell me the news about the Simpson family. I'll make sure that the Simpson family will be fine if you do your job well. Do not try to interfere with anything else." This was the agreement between Adrienne and him, so he would only make sure that he would keep the Simpson family safe as long as she helped him to clean all the dark forces out.

"Brother-in-law, you sound pretty heartless. Don't worry. I won't do that anymore."

Brother-in-law?

Victor was instantly a little surprised.

After all, she hadn't married Delmont yet.

The green light was on, so Victor put down his phone and started his car again.

Three days later, Eden finally went back to work.

As soon as she arrived at the company, Paula stopped her with a worried face.

"Eden, are you alright?" She had almost gone mad in the past few days. She knew Mrs. Simpson must have something to do with the accident.

She was only worried that they would find out that she was involved in it as well.

Eden looked at her calmly and felt surprised that she was actually worried about her. But she knew Paula wasn't really worried about her.

"Do you really want something to happen to me?" Her voice was neither cold nor warm, and it fell into Paula's ears like countless needles piercing into her heart.

Eden was not like Victor who would make people feel like they were in hell when he was angry.

Eden was the one who made people scared when she was not angry because no one would know what she was going to do next.

"Paula, we always hope that everything is perfect in our lives. But do you really think it would be possible to have everything you want in your life at the same time?"

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"What are you talking about? I don't understand at all. Why are you saying this all of a sudden? If everyone can have what they want in life, I wouldn't be working for you at the moment." Paula's heart trembled a little. She didn't understand why Eden suddenly said this to her.

Eden sneered, "We never know what would happen. Anyway, let's go to the meeting. We will go on a business trip in two days. You'd better get ready." After finishing her words, she went directly to the office.

Paula was speechless. Why did she need to get ready?

Thalia was also back to work. She was standing with Dean and looking at Eden and Paula from afar. "Dean, what do you think Mrs. Alwynn was thinking? Paula is clearly involved in this. She must be the one who let out Mrs. Alwynn's schedule."

Dean stood there with his arms crossed, seemed to be thinking about something. "Is it because they were classmates before, so Mrs. Alwynn has always sympathized with her?"

"Are you an idiot? If Mrs. Alwynn were that stupid, how could she become such a good designer?"

"Why are you calling me an idiot again?" Dean looked at her with a smile. Something was different now between them after staying together for a few days.

"Give over. Go and prepare for your work. Mr. Alwynn will be here soon. If you lose your job, I don't think you can ever find a girlfriend in your lifetime."

"Alright, alright, I got it. You're concerned about me." Dean smiled cheekily and ran away.

Thalia stood there with a blushed face.

She muttered, "I'm not concerned about you."

When Eden was working in her office in the afternoon, she suddenly received a call from Karlee.

Eden did not expect that she would contact her so soon.

She smiled and answered the phone. "Karlee, hi."

"Eden, do you have time tonight? I want to invite you out for dinner. I have no friends here anyway." She sounded like she was in a good mood.

Eden took a look at her schedule and there were no important clients that she needed to meet, so she agreed without hesitation.

"Sure, what do you want to eat?"

"I am not very familiar with River City. I have been living abroad. You are a local, so why don't you take me somewhere? I don't like to eat in those big restaurants. Instead, I'd like to try some traditional street food."

Eden hesitated. Karlee had just recovered from miscarriage, so she didn't think she should go out.

She felt Karlee should pay more attention to her own health now.

"It's pretty cold to go out at night, are you sure it is...alright for you?"

"Thank you for being so considerate. But don't worry, I will be fine. I just want to eat delicious food and barbecue." Karlee didn't seem to care at all about her miscarriage.

"Okay then. Send me your address, and I will come to pick you up after work. I know a very good food stall. I'll take you there."

Eden remembered Zofia's food stall immediately. The food there was very good, and it was always very busy.

Her brother also would go to help her after finishing work, and they seemed to be living a very happy life now.

"Sounds good. I'll send you my address later. Thank you, Eden." Karlee was very happy and hung up the phone with a smile.

After hanging up the phone, Eden looked at her screen in surprise. How could she still want barbecue?

She wasn't taking her own health seriously at all.

However, she did not seem to have an arrogant temper as a girl from a rich family, which also made Eden surprised.

She quickly sent a message to Victor and told him that she would not go home for dinner.

Then she went to pick up Karlee directly.

It was the busiest time in River City.

Eden had already gone out half an hour earlier, but she was still twenty minutes late because of the traffic jam.

Karlee was standing in the setting sunlight, looking even more skinny.

Eden did not get out of the car because she could not park there for too long. She rolled down the window and called her, "Karlee, get in the car."

Karlee was looking at her phone when she heard Eden's voice. She looked up at Eden's red luxurious car and was slightly surprised. It seemed that Eden was quite rich.

She smiled and opened the door.

"Thank you for coming to pick me up, Eden." She fastened her seat belt while speaking.

"No worries. We are friends now." Eden smiled and started the car.

"You're right. I always have a feeling that we can be good friends." Karlee sent another message on her phone before putting it down.

Eden took a look at her. She was well dressed. It was already cold in the afternoon, so she put a pretty pink hat on as well, looking very cute.

"Yes, me too," Eden said whilst driving.

"Then what shall we eat?" Karlee looked very excited.

"Let's go to the food stalls. I know the person who owns the stall, and the food there is really good."

"Sounds great! I haven't eaten food at food stalls for a long time." Karlee sounded very happy.

Eden smiled and asked, "Do you like it?"

"Of course! Especially when I was in bad mood, only delicious food would make me feel better."

Hearing this, Eden was lost in thought. During this time, Victor also tried to make all sorts of different delicious food for her.

As soon as she said she liked something, he would cook for her every now and then.

Forty minutes later, they arrived at the Upper Street.

Eden hadn't been there for a long time either, but everything seemed to have not changed at all.

After parking the car, Eden took Karlee to the food stall. During this period, Karlee also bought some milk tea.

Eden didn't want it. If she had milk tea, she would not be able to eat much later.

From a distance, she saw her brother, Buddy, holding the menu and ordering dishes for the guests. He was not wearing his expensive suit anymore but out on casual gray sportswear. However, his tall and handsome figure was still very attractive.

"Buddy." Hearing his younger sister's voice, Buddy was so surprised.

"Eden, why are you here?" He said excitedly. He knew how busy his sister was, and she didn't even have much time to go home.

"Can't I be here?" Eden asked back jokingly.

At this time, Zofia came out with a plate of fried shrimp in her hands and looked at her with a smile. "Eden, you haven't been here for a long time."

Eden also couldn't help but feel time flies.

"Yes, Zofia. I'm too busy."

"I know you are busy, but you should also take good care of yourself. You are getting thinner and thinner. Tell your brother what you want to eat, and I will cook for you now."

"Thank you. This is my friend Karlee." Eden introduced Karlee to Buddy and Zofia happily.

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Karlee said hello to Buddy and Zofia then came inside with Eden.

It was so busy here at night, and the lights were shining on the street as if it were daytime.

Not far from them, Leilani and a man in a suit were standing in the crowd.

"Madam, Miss Woods and Mrs. Alwynn are having food here right now." The man in the suit whispered.

Leilani smiled coldly. This would be a good gift for Victor. Her gaze was contemptuous as she sneered. "No wonder she didn't want Stephen anymore. It turns out that she is friends with the Alwynn family now." After saying this, she suddenly realized that she said something stupid. The Woods family was more wealthy than the Alwynn family.

Karlee got rid of her grandson, which made her very angry.

If Stephen had a son, she would not need to worry about inheriting the whole Simpson family anymore.

However, she didn't expect that Karlee would be so heartless and got rid of the baby. She would not let any of them get away with it.

"Keep an eye on them. I want to know Eden's whereabouts at any time." She turned around and disappeared into the crowd after saying this.

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The yard in the back of the shop was much quieter. The shop was located in the city center, so it always got really busy at night. The Upper East night market was the only food market that

remained in River City, so there were more and more young people started coming here more regularly.

"Eden, this is such a good place to do business. The owner here must be very rich." Karlee looked at the kapok flower in the yard with an envious face.

The backyard was covered with glass ceilings, so it was not cold at all, but at the same time, they still could see the beautiful stars in the sky.

Karlee looked Eden up and down carefully at this time.

The more she looked at Eden, the more pretty she felt Eden was. She felt Eden's features were so delicate, and her skin was so fair as well.

"I saw your scratches on your forehead two days ago, but they are completely gone now. You recovered so quick." Karlee said enviously.

Eden smiled and said, "They are just some scratches, so it didn't take long for them to heal." As long as the wounds were not too deep, they would always be gone very quickly on her skin.

The medicine Victor gave her was very expensive. There would not be any scars on her body. She actually had a lot of scars from before, but all the tough times had already gone.

"You have such nice skin! I'm so jealous. I wish my skin was like yours." Karlee really wished that her skin would not be so easy to have pimples.

"I know a very good beautician. I can introduce her to you one day." She had to thank Sean for that. Sometimes she thought it was a pity for Sean to be a man.

"Sounds good! I have spent a lot of money on my skin. It seems that I just need a better beautician." Everyone wanted to be pretty, especially when she was rich enough, she would like to pay anything

to make her skin better.

"I'll take you there on weekend then. He's very busy, but we don't need to make an appointment if you go with me."

She always felt guilty towards Karlee. Nothing would have happened if Karlee didn't let her parents found out that she was pregnant, and Eden felt she had some responsibility for this.

"Eden, Miss Woods, here are the shrimp and fried rice noodles, as well as the seafood congee. Zofia is doing the barbeque for you," Buddy said and put the dishes on the table.

Buddy knew Eden couldn't eat much, so he prepared very small portions for different dishes so that they could try more food.

"Thank you, Buddy. Do you come here to help every night?"

"Yes. I don't work on weekends anyway, and now mom is taking care of Glenn, so I can come here more often."

Eden joked, "You just miss Zofia too much, don't you?"

Buddy's face instantly turned red. He bowed his head and smiled, tacitly agreeing.

Hearing this, Karlee said enviously, "Zofia is so lucky to have you, someone who loves her so much."

"Miss Woods, you will definitely meet a man who loves you very much as well." Buddy looked at her and said. He couldn't tell Karlee was not an ordinary girl, and he also wanted Eden to have more nice friends.

"Thank you," Karlee smiled brightly. She was still young anyway, so she would meet someone who loved her very much.

"You should eat now. Let me know if there is anything else that you want." Buddy smiled and went to serve other guests.

"Karlee, let's start now. Zofia is very good at cooking. This seafood congee is very nutritious, so you should eat more." Eden filled a bowl of the congee and handed it to Karlee.

Karlee started at Eden for a few seconds, then her eyes turned slightly red. She remembered that even Stephen had never treated her like this when she was sick.

But Eden was so good to her even though they hadn't met each other for long.

"Thank you, Eden!" She felt warm in her heart. She believed that there were always people in the world who cared about her, and she deserved a much better man than Stephen.

She took a few sips of the congee, and her whole body instantly warmed up.

They had food and chatted for a while, then both went home at nine o'clock.

There was still no one home when Eden was back. She was surprised. She took out her phone but there was no missed call or any messages.

She looked at her phone and felt a little anxious. Was Victor angry at her as she went out tonight?

She pressed Victor's name in her contact list, but no one answered the phone. She called him two more times, still, no one answered.

She frowned in confusion, getting a little irritated in her heart. She didn't understand why he had to be so narrow-minded. She only went out to see a friend.

She then called Lucian.

"Eden," Lucian answered the call quickly.

"Lucian, is Victor with you?" Eden asked.

"Yes. Something happened in the company. Victor is on the rooftop, so he might not have the time to answer the phone."

Eden held her phone tightly. On the rooftop? Did anything happen?

"Lucian, what happened?"

"Eden, you don't have to come over here. Victor and I will get this sorted," Lucian said.

"What the hell is going on?" Eden sounded anxious. There had never been any accident happened in the company.

"There was an employee who jumped off a building."

"What?" Eden was shocked, "Then..."

"He's dead," Lucian said before she finished her sentence.

"So, Victor didn't answer my phone, but was taken away for investigation?"

"No, we are still in the company."

"I'll be right there." Eden immediately hung up the phone and was ready to drive back to the company.

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Eden drove all the way to the Alwynn Group building. Under the dim light, many people and journalists gathered there.

There were also several police cars nearby.

On the left side of the building, several people were crying their hearts out.

Eden was stunned. Everything seemed so unreal for her.

She stared at the crowd in a daze. Some people were trying their best every day to survive.

However, some people would jump off from the 25th floor and left their loved ones to live in great pain.

Alwynn Group had always been very good to its employees. Why would someone commit suicide by jumping off a building?

Eden just couldn't understand it.

"What happened? Did the person die?"

"He died straight away. I heard that the president of Alwynn Group didn't pay him the salary, so he went to the rooftop and jumped off straight away. He was only 25 years old."

"What? How stupid he was! The Alwynn Group is so rich, and it has always been good to its employees, and I've never heard that they delayed anyone's salary. My daughter is working there as well. They provide really good benefits. Mr. and Mrs. Alwynn treat them very well too."

"Who knows? Maybe they didn't delay your daughter's salary but did it to other people. Otherwise, he wouldn't have jumped off from the 25th floor. This requires a lot of courage..."

The two men in front of Eden were discussing in a low voice. Actually, everyone around them was discussing it.

The rising noise made Eden keep frowning.

Eden squeezed into the crowd and looked at the young man who was lying on the ground. He was badly mutilated. Eden could not help but tremble. She immediately closed her eyes and walked away.

It was the first time that she had seen a dead body. It was impossible to not feel scared.

There was a middle-aged woman sitting next to the man and crying very loudly. And there were two young women sobbing next to them.

"Victor Alwynn, give my son back! Give my son back to me!" The middle-aged woman burst into tears. Her hands kept patting her son's body whilst shouting Victor's name.

Eden turned around and wanted to squeeze out of the crowd to check out the situation in the company.

Just as she turned around, a loud shout came from the crowd. "That's Mrs. Alwynn, isn't it? Why are you leaving so soon? You owe us an explanation."

It was a man who spoke. His voice sounded malicious.

Eden looked over. It was a man in a black suit who was taller than the people around him. He wore a cap and looked at her with a weird smile. Eden could still feel his evil intention even though it was so dark around them.

Just when she was thinking about it, the man turned around and left.

Eden looked sideways and glanced at the CCTV position on the building. Then she turned to face the family members of the deceased quietly.

"You killed my brother!" The young woman who was crying got up and pushed Eden hard.

Eden stepped back quickly, but before she lost her balance, she felt her body was suddenly held by a pair of strong arms.

Eden looked back and saw Irving.

"Why are you here?" Eden asked in surprise, but there was also suspicion in her eyes.

Irving looked at her quietly. There was a faint scent of orchids on her body, which made him feel very comfortable. At such a close distance, her beautiful eyes were as pure as the ones in his memory.

"I'm just passing by." He explained elegantly.

"Passing by?" Eden raised her eyebrows.

Irving knew that she didn't believe him.

"This has nothing to do with me." He looked at her and explained seriously.

"Thank you for helping me earlier," Eden said politely, then turned around. Whether he had anything to do with it or not, she would have to find it out.

"Are you alright?" Irving said and shot a sharp gaze at the woman who pushed Eden earlier.

The woman lowered her head and kept crying.

"I'm fine," Eden shook her head slightly.

She actually felt sympathized with the woman.

But she still said with a serious tone, "Before things are clarified, you'd better not do anything to me. I believe the law will give you a just result."

The women laughed out coldly and sarcastically.

"How powerful the Alwynn family is? Is there really any justice in your mind? "

"Our family never does anything illegal, let alone treat our employees unfairly," Eden said resolutely.

The woman suddenly felt a little scared, so she instantly lowered her head again.

"My brother said that you haven't paid him for three months," she added.

Eden did not believe it at all, especially after she saw the strange smile of the man who had just disappeared. She suddenly realized that it must be all arranged by someone. "Unless he made a mistake in his work, the Alwynn Group will pay all the employees' salary on 15th every month. All the records can be found in our finance department. The police have already been involved in the investigation and we will soon give you a fair result."

"A fair result? My son is already dead. If you paid him the salary, he would not have done this." The mother of the deceased said with tears still on her face. Her sharp eyes stared at Eden, making her feel a chill on her spin suddenly.

This middle-aged woman seemed to have a really good voice, so everyone could hear her cry and shout at the moment. Eden felt so irritated somehow.

She tried to calm herself down a little and said, "Whether he is dead or alive, we will still give you a fair result."

"But my brother is dead. He is dead! How can you still say such ruthless words?" The young woman looked at Eden excitedly. She was too sad, however, Eden seemed to have seen something different on her face.

"Yes, he is dead, but we cannot change the fact. I only want justice for him right now so that he could rest in peace." Eden looked at the woman and said each word clearly.

"You are Mrs. Alwynn, right? What do you mean by saying that? Now that he is dead, the only thing we can talk about is money. What we should be focusing on right now is how much you can pay us." The other young woman stood up and looked at Eden arrogantly. She clapped her hands and shouted loudly.

She looked like she was more anxious than the other young woman.

"My dear son, why did you do this? It's just a few months' salaries. Why did you let it kill you?" The mother of the deceased thumped her chest and cried until her voice was hoarse.

Chapter 1656

"Eden, you should go back and rest first. I can handle this." Irving saw Eden's tired face and couldn't help but feel sorry for her.

Victor was being investigated at this time, so he would not be here for a while.

Eden looked at him and shook her head. "Thank you, Irving. But I want to handle this matter myself."

Irving said with a bitter smile, "You still don't trust me."

Eden looked at the bitterness in his eyes and felt a little guilty in her heart. At the moment when she saw Irving, she indeed suspected him.

However, anyone would suspect him if they were in this situation.

And she was only human.

"I trust you," Eden said without thinking.

Irving narrowed his eyes and smiled gently.

"Who are you? If you are not the person in charge, do not waste our time here ." The woman looked at them and said impatiently.

"Shut up!" Irving cast an angry gaze at the woman.

The woman was instantly frightened and hid behind the other woman, staring at Irving's face cautiously.

Eden said, "Irving, I know you are not this evil, and that's why I trust you." Sometimes, even an evil person would change if they realized that there were still people that trust them in the world.

"However, this is the business of Alwynn Group. So I hope you can understand and leave it to me."

"Okay, I'll listen to you," Irving said obediently, which was so different from how he was usually.

However, Eden did not notice it at all.

Two women in front of them seemed like she didn't want to talk about anything but money.

"Please calm down first. If it's really the Alwynn Group's fault, the company is here and we can't run away."

One of the women didn't seem to buy it at all. She yelled at Eden loudly, "You're so rich, so you can all change your identity and move to another country whenever you want. How are we going to find you?"

Eden was very uncomfortable with her aggressive attitude.

She could understand that people would be in pain when they lost their beloved ones. But the two women in front of her didn't seem to care about their brother at all. They only cared about money at this moment.

"Don't worry, nothing like that would happen. I need to find out what happened now, and then we will sit down and talk about it appropriate." Eden did not intend to stay here. She could not help with anything here anyway.

"Don't let her get away, sister. If she ran away, there will be no one that we can talk to."

The older one seemed to be more experienced in this, so she knew as long as they had Victor's wife, they would not need to worry about not getting money. Her brother was dead anyway, so they should take as much as they could.

Then she could make sure that their brother didn't die for nothing at least.

Hearing this, her younger sister immediately pulled Eden's arm.

"Leave her alone." Irving stepped forward and grabbed the woman's wrist. His eyes were serious and cold.

The woman's wrist was painful, plus that she was terrified by Irving's scary expression, so she sat down on the ground and cried out loud. "You hit me! The Alwynn Group killed my brother, not they want to beat me."

Her voice attracted all the media and journalists. All the live cameras focused on them in an instance.

Eden looked at the reporters around her and frowned slightly. The scene tonight was about to go viral again.

She glanced at the woman who was crying and shouting on the ground, and her eyebrows were knitted more deeply.

She took out her phone and sent a message to Lucian.

"How's things going?"

After a while, he replied to her.

"It's nearly done."

"Ok. Can you come and save me now? I am surrounded by the family members of the deceased."

"Don't say anything to them. I'll come down right now."

After reading this, Eden put away her phone, then stood there and waited silently.

Irving had been watching her sending messages, but he just kept standing behind her silently.

She said she trusted him, but she did not want him to take her away from here.

She would rather seek help from others than ask him who was standing right next to her.

He was indeed passing by here tonight. He came out of his car immediately when he heard that someone jumped off the building in Alwynn Group. He only wanted to enjoy the show as he believed that it would be a great loss for Victor this time.

He actually felt an unprecedented excitement because he rarely could see the Alwynn Group lose.

He had lost so many times in the contest with Victor, so he would love to watch him suffer, although he wasn't the one who made this trouble.

However, he saw Eden there.

Worrying that she would get hurt in the crowd, he got off the car without hesitation and stood behind her to protect her.

However...

Irving smiled bitterly. There was surely no room for him in her heart.

Lucian arrived here quickly, following him was the police officer and Victor, who looked so serious.

As soon as Victor came, everyone stopped arguing and made a way for him silently.

The moment he saw Eden, Victor unconsciously softened his tensed handsome face.

Everyone's eyes instantly focused on the two of them.

"Victor, are you okay?" Eden looked at him worriedly.

Victor reached out and stroked her hair gently, then shook his head, "I'm fine now. Did you have fun with your friends?"

Hearing this, everyone around then felt a little awkward.

Eden didn't know what to say either. It really wasn't the time to talk about this.

With such a crisis happening in Alwynn Group, he still had the mood to care about whether his wife had fun or not. It was true that he cared about nothing but his wife.

"Yes," Eden nodded slightly, but her brows were still knitted tightly.

"Victor! You killed my son!" At this time, the middle-aged woman shouted and looked at Victor with hatred.

She even dragged Eden to her side as she spoke.

"Ah..." Eden stumbled and Victor quickly held her up.

He glared at the middle-aged woman and roared, "Do not touch her!"

He instantly pulled Eden back to his side and carefully protected her in his arms, then he asked softly, "Did you get hurt?"

"No, don't worry." Eden shook her head slightly and gave him a comforting look. Then she looked at the excited mother of the deceased, didn't know why she did that.

"Lucian," Victor suddenly called out.

Lucian nodded.

After glancing at the reporter, he talked to the police officer for a while.

The police officer nodded, then Lucian said, "My reporter friends, you could go to the first floor now. About the details of this incident, Dean, Mr. Alwynn's assistant, will give you an explanation. We have also updated the information on our official website, and you can take a look online."

"Explanation? What explanation? My brother is dead, and we only want money now." The older sister said angrily and glared at Victor. Surely she wouldn't let them go so easily without getting the money she wanted.

Chapter 1657

Lucian looked at her and smiled coldly. "Do you want money or go to jail?"

The elder sister was stunned, and the look on her face went stiff. "What... what do you mean?" Jail? How could it be possible? Why would they go to jail?

No, she had to get the money as soon as possible.

Lucian's gaze was cold. Although he look very elegant, when he was angry, his cold face was rather frightening.

His black eyes were not as threatening as Victor's, but they still seemed to contain the power to make people scared. He would not lose his temper easily, but even the calmness would be enough to make people shiver.

The eldest sister lowered her head immediately, and her courage seemed to have been shattered totally.

Lucian didn't say anything to her anymore. He looked at Victor and said, "Take Eden back to rest first. Leave everything to me and Dean."

"Okay." Victor nodded. After saying something to the police officer, he left with Eden in his arms.

The three family members of the deceased were not so easy to deal with. Seeing Victor leaving, the mother and daughters were about to make trouble. Lucian took a step forward, and his deep eyes sharply swept the three of them, forcing them to swallow their words back.

On the other side, the reporters had already rushed into the lobby on the first floor, and Dean had already prepared for everything.

Lucian followed the onlookers to the door and took the family members of the deceased in. The police were there anyway, so there was nothing they need to worry about. They wanted to see how they would deal with the matter.

Irving looked at Victor and Eden who disappeared in the crowd. He pursed his lips bitterly and left without saying anything.

Victor got into the car with Eden and carefully fastened the seat belt for her.

"Why did you come all the way here?" Victor looked at her tired face, and his eyes became gentler.

"You didn't answer the phone nor send me a message. I was worried about you." Eden felt a little upset all of a sudden. They had been together all the time for the past few years, so she was naturally not used to it.

Usually, even when she left for a little while, he could not help calling her or sending her messages. If he suddenly stopped, she would not get used to it.

Victor smiled and his face became softer. "I already got home, but such a thing happened, so I had to return to the company and try to sort everything out. Lucian and Dean have been investigating Derick, so their phones have been muted.

But even if I was not with you, my heart was always by your side. I am so glad that you were worried when you didn't get a message from me. Because it means that you care about me."

Victor knew that she was worried, so he leaned over and kissed her on the forehead, trying to comfort her.

Eden rolled her eyes at him. She didn't know how he still could joke about it at this time.

Thinking of what happened tonight, she asked, "What actually happened tonight? How did the employee jump off a building? I don't believe that Alwynn Group owed him a salary."

She knew that this matter must have something to do with the Simpson family.

Victor narrowed his eyes, and a trace of anger flashed in his eyes.

"Derick Burris, who jumped off the building tonight, worked in the sales department. He was diagnosed liver cancer three months ago, and he was actually dying. He was from a quite poor family, so he didn't have any treatment but saved all the money for his mother.

However, in the last few days of his life, he was used by someone and jumped off a building to commit suicide. Then they could blame everything on Alwynn Group so that he could get great compensation for his family.

The person who persuaded him to do this was his big sister. His big sister's husband is a gambler and a drug addict. He owed a lot of usury. Because of his sister, he was persuaded and did it for his family.

It only took Lucian, Dean, and Brian, four hours to find out everything.

We have the footage of Derick talking to his sister on the phone, as well as the diary he wrote on his computer. Luckily, he wrote everything about his sister on his computer. Although he deleted them, Lucian still copied them. After seeing the diary, everything was finally clear now.

Although he was sick, he was still scared of death. He had no place to vent his anger, so he recorded everything on the computer."

Eden was so shocked after hearing his words. She found it really hard to believe what had happened.

"How could any sisters be like this to her brother?"

"Exactly," Victor answered.

No one expected this to happen at all.

What Victor said was almost the same as what Dean was saying to the reporters at the same time.

All the evidence was shown on the big screen in front of the reporters.

Dean's clear explanation was heard by everyone.

Many reporters were doing a live broadcast at the moment, so all the audiences online also became fuming.

Everyone in the room gasped with surprise at the unexpected news.

When they read the dairy that Derick wrote, they could all feel anger curled hot and unstoppable in their guts.

"How could there be such a detestable sister in the world? He was sick, but she actually used it to make money."

"In the eyes of his sister who loves money more than anything else, he didn't even have the right to live."

"How can she frame Victor with such a thing? She must be severely punished."

"I want to kill her! She is evil!"

Soon, there were already tens of thousands of comments online.

The elder sister stood in the crowd and looked at this scene with her mouth agape.

She had never imagined that all of this would be revealed so quickly.

They found all the evidence in just a few hours.

No wonder they talked to her so indifferently earlier.

She really didn't want to go to jail.

"Sister, what did you do to Derick? Why did he listen to you? Why didn't you tell us that he got cancer?" The younger sister looked at her angrily.

The elder sister was anxious and pulled her sister's hand, "Listen to me. Don't believe their nonsense. They are making it up because they didn't want to take responsibility. I only found out that Derick was sick recently. He knew that he can't live for long, so I didn't want you and mom to get worried."

"But you should have at least told me. You have been asking for money all the time. Is it because your husband went to gamble again?"

The elder sister did not dare to look into her sister's eyes anymore.

The younger sister understood everything as soon as she saw her older sister's expression. She turned around to leave angrily. Then the police took her older sister away to investigate.

The truth about Derick was finally clear.

Victor always actioned very quickly with this kind of thing, so that Alwynn Group would not suffer anything loss from it.

Chapter 1658

In the Simpson family's house. "Bang..." Leilani smashed the tablet in her hand onto the floor.

"D*mn it. How could Victor solve this matter in such a short time?" She shouted with a gloomy face. The smug look on her face when she was watching the news was totally gone.

Her daughter was in jail because of Victor, so she would like him to experience the feeling himself.

However, she didn't expect that everything was sorted so quickly.

"Let's wait and see!" Leilani kicked the tablet on the floor hard.

Hearing this violent voice from the balcony, Adrienne raised her red lips in delight.

Now she really saw what Victor was capable of. She was also surprised at how quickly he got everything under his control.

As for the conference, Dean's fantastic speech made everyone see a vivid image of a cold-blooded older sister.

She closed the live broadcast and sent a message to Victor with a smile.

"Leilani did it very secretly. This time, I'm afraid you still can't trace anything back to her. She is very cautious.

It will be another great opportunity for them when Eden goes to Lemmon City. There will be someone from Leilani's side around Eden, so if they leaked Eden's whereabouts, Eden will be in danger."

Victor and Eden just arrived home. When they opened the door, Victor was holding his phone in his hand, so he had already seen Adrienne's message.

He did not reply to her immodestly, instead, he helped Eden sit down on the sofa and poured her a cup of hot water.

Eden's face was still pale. She probably will have a nightmare tonight.

As soon as she tried to relax, she could see that bloody face in front of her eye. It had left a trauma in her heart.

"Eden, you should take a bath and rest first."

Eden put down the cup in her hand and leaned on Victor's shoulder. Her big bright eyes blinked, and then she said in a low voice, "I'm scared."

Victor smiled and stroked her hair softly. "Don't worry, I'm here with you."

"You're not allowed to leave my sight tonight."

Victor chuckled. "Don't worry, I will not leave your sight tonight." His voice was somewhat cheeky.

Eden still had doubts about what happened tonight. That man she saw was obviously trying to let people know that she was Victor's wife so that they would all vent their anger on her.

She told Victor what had happened after she arrived.

He did not want her to think too much about it. Now he realized that it was such a wise decision to send the three children away. Otherwise, the Simpson family would have more opportunities.

"I will ask Lucian to check the CCTV footage. But who did you go to dinner with tonight?" She left in a hurry, so he did not even have time to ask her.

"Karlee Woods," Eden said with a low voice. She lowered her head and dared not to look at Victor.

She didn't have many friends. She felt Karlee was a nice person, and that was why she agreed to have dinner with her.

"Okay. And then?"

Eden suddenly looked up at him. "What then?"

"What's your plan?" Victor asked directly. He looked at her shocked and evasive eyes with a faint smile. Eden instantly felt so guilty.

Thinking of her long-term plan, she felt even more guilty.

Victor didn't mean to mention it, but he knew she couldn't stop thinking about the scary scene she saw earlier, so he tried to distract her.

He had never been afraid of anything during the battle with the Simpson family. The only thing he was afraid of was that she would be hurt.

His family was not as complicated as the Simpson family. This was the advantage he had.

"I don't have any plans." Eden shook her head and denied it.

She was very glad that the matter tonight was solved so quickly. She didn't want any bad comments or rumors to ruin the reputation of Alwynn Group.

Victor had won it again in the shortest time.

This also made her realize how scary humans could be when it came to money.

Victor didn't want to force her. Anyway, he knew what she was planning.

"Okay, let's go and take a bath. You look tired," Victor said whilst helping her up.

"I..."

"I know you are scared, so I will go with you." Victor smiled and picked her up, then walked quickly to the bathroom.

Eden's face instantly turned red.

The scratches on her body were not fully healed yet, so Victor only used water to help her wipe the area that was not injured.

With Victor's help, she felt much more relaxed.

Victor quickly dried her body and carried her to the big soft bed. Eden turned over and fell asleep completely.

Victor brushed the hair off her face and looked at her little red face. She was so cute and charming when she was asleep. He kissed her eyes and brows gently and her unique fragrance made his heart flutter.

He stepped back a little. Looking at her pale and flawless face, he couldn't help but hold her hand tightly. He pressed his body so tightly onto hers so that he could feel the temperature of her body, as well as her heartbeat.

He could feel that his blood was heating up as if it wanted to burn him from the inside out.

He looked at her for a long time until she slept soundly. Only then did he moved away and closed his eyes tiredly.

The incident of Alwynn Group became a heated discussion overnight online.

All the relevant departments were involved in the investigation.

The next morning, Victor told Lucian what Eden had said to him the night before as soon as he got up.

It was the weekend that day, so neither of them needed to work.

Victor slept late last night, but he got up very early in the morning.

Eden was still sleeping, so he came out to make breakfast directly.

He was making the porridge whilst reading the news online. Derick's sister had been charged with abetting suicide, and she had been detained pending a final decision.

Even so, Victor still asked Lucian to pay Derick's family a burial fee. Derick used to be a hard worker, so Dean gave the money to Derick's mother after the conference.

They also showed everyone the record of Derick receiving the salary in his bank account, so everyone kept their mouth shut.

Lucian replied to Victor, "Do you have any food? I'm hungry."

Victor stared at Lucian's message for a few seconds.

Why didn't he even have food?

He looked at the porridge in the pot. He actually made a lot.

"Come to my house now. I'm making porridge."

"I'm coming," Lucian replied quickly.

It seemed that he really made himself at home.

As Lucian was coming, Victor took out the dumplings in the refrigerator.

Lucian liked the dumplings made by Eden.

As soon as Victor started boiling the water, some voices came from the living room.

He turned around and saw Eden was walking out of their bedroom with her pajamas.

"Eden, you are up." He walked quickly towards her, worrying that she would trip over as she still looked half asleep.

Only when his hands reached hers, did his heart finally feel relieved.

"Why don't you sleep longer if you are still tired? It's very dangerous to walk out like that." It sounded like he was telling her off, but his eyes were still looking very gentle.

Eden looked at him in a daze, then leaned against his chest and said softly, "I had a nightmare."

Victor stroked her hair gently. He liked it when he felt that she needed him. "Don't worry. I'm here."

His voice was so deep and gentle and captivating, making Eden feel much secured.

She rubbed her face on his chest and said, "I missed you."

Hearing her words, Victor couldn't help but hug her tightly.

"Lucian is coming over now." He knew what she wanted, but he had to say no for the first time.

"Alright." Eden looked quite disappointed. She raised her head and blinked her beautiful eyes at him. "I thought we could spend some time together this weekend, because I'm going to Lemmon City next Monday."

Victor's heart tightened. He lowered his head and kissed her lips passionately for a long time. That d*mned Lucian. Why had he come today?

"I'm going to wash up." Eden turned to the bathroom slowly with a flushed face.

Victor smiled gently. Seeing that she was much better, he finally turned around and went back to the kitchen.

When the dumplings were ready, Lucian also arrived. He also brought Eden her favorite strawberry cake.

Eden had already washed up and came out. She put on a pink hoodie and a pair of black casual pants, and her hair was pulled up into a ponytail. Her face still looked so young, as if she was a university student.

She smiled brightly at Lucian and said, "Hey, how are you? How could you get this cake so early on a Saturday?"

Strawberry cake instantly drew all her attention.

"It's a new bakery just opened recently. I saw it on my way here, so I bought a strawberry cake. I know you like it," Lucian said slowly, looking more chilled than usual.

"Thank you! The dumplings are ready now. Come and join us." Eden picked up the chopsticks and handed them to him.

"Thank you!" Lucian smiled.

Victor got up and put the cake into the refrigerator.

However, Eden wasn't very happy because the only thing she could think of at this moment was the cake.

So she cast an angry gaze on Victor.

Victor knew what she was thinking.

"You should have the porridge now. We can have the cake in the afternoon."

"Alright." Eden took the porridge slowly and started eating it quietly.

She still felt a little angry in her heart, but she couldn't show it.

At this time, Lucian saw it and couldn't help but giggle.

"Eden, has he got anything on you?"

He also knew them so well.

Eden raised her head slowly and said, "No."

"Then why do you look so guilty?"

Eden didn't know what to say. She just wanted to enjoy her peaceful breakfast at this moment.

She blinked her big eyes at him and said, "Really? Is it that obvious?" Why didn't she notice it earlier?

"It's all written on your face." Lucian smiled and sipped the porridge gracefully.

Eden only felt her face was burning hot.

She lowered her head with her cheeks puffed out.

Lucian glanced at Victor, feeling that his cooking was getting better and better. The porridge was fragrant and tasty.

After taking a small bowl of porridge, he started to have the dumplings. He loved the dumplings made by Eden.

Victor glanced at Eden who seemed to be unhappy, frowned slightly. He put the dumplings in front of her and helped her put the seasonings on.

"You should eat five more dumplings." It sounded like he wouldn't accept a no.

"I can't eat it." Eden looked at the dumplings and felt that she really had no appetite. She wanted to eat the cake.

Victor frowned again, but his dark eyes were full of love. "If you eat them all, I'll take you to eat something delicious at night."

"I'm injured. I can't go." Eden said it on purpose.

Victor looked at her and did not say anything. If Lucian was not there, she would have been well-behaved once he kissed her.

However...

Victor turned his face to her all of a sudden.

"What are you doing!" Eden looked at him with her surprised eyes and leaned her body away from him.

"Eat the dumplings." Victor pointed to the dumplings on the plate again.

Eden pushed the plate to Lucian and said, "Lucian, you can eat them all if you like them."

Lucian, who had almost eaten 20 dumplings, felt a little awkward.

"Finish it. I thought you liked the dumplings I made?"

Lucian wanted to say something, but he couldn't find the right words to say.

So he could only nod silently.

Victor did not say anything anymore, so Eden decided to change the topic.

"Lucian, did you check the CCTV of that strange man last night? I saw the CCTV, it should be able to capture his face."

Lucian said, "I've already got the footage, but I haven't had time to have a look. I was too hungry to do anything this morning. I didn't sleep last night and I'm not even tired."

"You didn't sleep last night? How can you not feel tired?" Eden was surprised.

It reminded her of the time when Amelia just left, Lucian worked so hard and didn't sleep much either.

However, it was better to work hard than to feel depressed all the time.

"I'm not tired. I haven't been sleeping well for a while now," Lucian said as he lowered his head slightly.

Eden looked at his pale face and realized the dark circles under his eyes.

"Why?" Eden was confused. Was he still thinking of Amelia?

At this time, Victor said, "He always dream of seeing a snake."

Hearing this, Eden was even more confused.

Eden thought for a while and said, "I remember when I was pregnant, I used to dream of snakes a lot, as well as when I forgot about the payday."

"What about when I gave you the money?" Victor asked.

Eden smiled and said, "I'd dream of many pears."

However, Lucian only looked at Eden's face and couldn't laugh. He had many things that he wanted to say, but he didn't know where to start.

Chapter 1660

"Pears?" Victor was totally confused. Why did he feel that it was not the case?

Why did he feel that he was the pear in her mind?

Eden looked at him and said at the same time, "You look like a pear."

Victor glanced at her and knew that she would say this.

"Eden, I've been..."

"Dreaming of snakes?" Eden had already heard what Victor said.

"Right," Lucian nodded. "It seems that you have some experiences on this."

Eden smiled and said, "I did dream of it a lot at that time. Don't worry too much about it, but it's possible."

She knew Lucian used to go to the Marriott Hotel with Amelia a lot.

"Really?" Lucian narrowed his eyes slightly. He actually hoped that it would be the case.

He always wished that he and Amelia could have a cute baby together.

Thinking of this, Lucian sighed slightly and did not say anything anymore.

Eden knew that he was thinking of Amelia again, so she didn't say anything either.

After having breakfast, the three of them decided to go to Anson's to see little Ayman.

Babies grew so quick. Eden felt that Ayman looked a lot different now even though she just saw him not long ago.

They all stayed in Anson's for a whole weekend. Eden wasn't interested in going out anyway, so she just stayed at home with Abigail.

Victor, Lucian, and Anson were playing cards.

The news of what happened to Alwynn Group had grown more and more popular online, but Lucian did not seem to care about it at all.

After all, Alwynn Group won again this time. But someone died in this incident, so Lucian still felt a little sad about it.

At the same time, as the news was getting bigger and bigger, Karlee finally learned that Eden was Victor Alwynn's wife.

She made a phone call to confirm it with Eden directly. Eden did not want to hide it from her, so she admitted it straight away. Karlee was so happy and even asked her to make customization clothes for her.

Eden was going on a business trip, so she agreed to Karlee that she could come to the company the week after, and she will personally design it for her.

On Monday, Eden was going to Lemmon City. Early in the morning, she finally could go to wash up after Victor had done it twice with her.

After that, Victor got up to help her pack up. He couldn't help but feel so sad when he thought that she was going for a whole week. He rarely went on business anymore, because Lucian was doing it for him.

If Lucian was busy, Dean would go, so he could have time to be with Eden, in case she felt lonely.

Thinking of this, he sighed slightly.

He carefully put all her skincare stuff and sun cream in her suitcase.

As well as all her favorite pajamas and clothes.

When Eden came out from the bathroom, Victor had almost finished packing.

"Thank you, honey!" Eden smiled and kissed Victor on his face. Then she put her lipstick on.

Victor followed her and said, "Dean has already booked the hotel over there, and there will be a car picking you up. Remember to go back early at night."

"Got it. You already said that last night." Eden looked at him helplessly as she put on her clothes.

"But why do I feel that you didn't listen to me at all?" Victor looked a little worried.

Eden knew that he was worried about her, but he was really worrying too much.

The morning light came in and passed through the gorgeous curtains, making the room look more comfortable.

Eden took Victor's arm, smiled, and blinked her beautiful eyes at him. "Don't worry, I won't starve myself, nor freeze myself. I promise that nothing will happen, and I won't let myself get hurt."

However, Victor didn't seem to believe a single word of her promise.

She didn't have to go to the exhibition in person, but she insisted on going, which made her a little suspicious.

He had already arranged everything. No matter how cunning Leilani was, she still could not hurt Eden from so far away.

Even though she was powerful, she could not do anything in Lemmon City.

Victor took Eden to the airport. Paula and Thalia were already waiting for them there.

Eden still felt that Victor's voice was buzzing in her ear when she got on the plane.

It was so difficult for her to go anywhere.

Victor really treated her like a child.

The three of them were in first class, so Eden covered herself with a blanket and went to sleep straight after the plane took off. She always felt so tired on weekends. Maybe it was because they were always together during weekends.

Victor was also keen on that kind of thing, so she was so exhausted.

Paula looked at Eden and could not help but raise her eyebrows. "Eden, didn't you sleep last night?"

Eden nodded slightly.

"How come? You know we are going on a business trip. Do you have the energy to go to the exhibition after getting off the plane?" Paula didn't want to go to Lemmon City at all. She knew exactly how terrible Leilani was.

She always felt that the suicide incident was not so simple.

"Don't worry. I will be fine!" Eden crossed her arms and closed her eyes. With the moving of the plane, she fell asleep straight away.

Paula was totally speechless.

She glanced at Thalia beside her and started chatting, "Thalia, do you have a boyfriend?"

Thalia looked at her from the side. "Why are you asking?"

Thinking of the way Dean looked at Thalia, Paula felt that Dean definitely liked Thalia.

"I just want to remind you that you should have a high standard when it comes to marriage. You are still young, so you can definitely find a handsome and rich man. A poor man like Dean, you don't have to take him seriously."

Thalia had been working with Dean for a while, so she knew what kind of a person Dean was. Although he was not rich, he was definitely a good man.

She was an orphan, and she was brought up with all kinds of men around her, so she knew what a decent man was like.

She believed that a person like Dean, who was smart and hard-working, would definitely have a bright future.

He had been working hard for Mr. Alwynn for a long time, and Mr. Alwynn was a grateful man. As long as Dean did not betray Mr. Alwynn, Mr. Alwynn would not mistreat him.

Therefore, at this moment, after hearing Paula's words, she couldn't help but feel angry.

"Has he lent you money?" Thalia said sarcastically, but Paula didn't seem to notice it at all.

"What? Does he have money to lend me?" Paula said with a face full of contempt. Dean always ridiculed her, so she did not want any woman to have a good impression of him.

She would not forgive a person who had offended her.

"Then why are you saying bad things about him all the time?" Thalia glanced at her with a cold face. She really despised a person like Paula who would sell anything for money.

"I... I'm just kindly reminding you." Seeing that Thalia was not buying it, Pauls started feeling a little embarrassed.