

Gluey Love 1971

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Jadiel nodded and smiled gently. Clinking the glass in his hand, he said with a smile, "Mr. Joye, don't you want to talk to me? What a coincidence. We've fallen in love with the same girl."

Jasper looked his head and did not speak.

But he didn't deny what Jadiel said.

Perhaps he was only well disposed towards Lyric, but he didn't like it when Jadiel got close to her. Although Jadiel was a gentleman, he disliked it.

He was conflicted. Even he himself couldn't figure out what was going on.

Jasper lowered his head and said nothing. The flickering lights shone on his handsome face. Jadiel could tell that he was unhappy at the moment, but he had to speak his mind, "Mr. Joye, I will not give up my love for Lyric."

He only worked in Joye Group for the time-being to get experience. In less than a year, he had become a manager. He was very clear about his own strength.

He came from a well-off family, and he would establish his own company when he was confident.

He had met all kinds of people, and he had been very cautious in choosing his companion through life. Lyric was a very good girl.

She worked hard and did her best to advance. Even if she was free, she wouldn't waste her spare time. She would get a part-time job and worked hard to enrich her life.

When Lyric worked in his neighbor's house as a tutor for the first time, he noticed her. There was always a sweet smile on her plain face. No matter how disturbed he was, he would be in a good mood as long as he saw her smile.

Jasper held the glass more tightly.

Jadiel was declaring his determination. Jasper felt that this was an opportunity to test himself.

If it weren't for Jadiel, he wouldn't compare himself to anyone.

He would only feel that some things were well-reasoned.

Jadiel didn't need to say anything else, because he had already understood.

Jadiel liked Lyric and hoped that he could give up.

Only then did Jasper look at him. His voice was deep and hoarse as he said, "Do you want me to leave Lyric?"

Jadiel was stunned for a moment. Then he shook his head slightly, "Mr. Joye, that's not what I mean. I just want to tell you that I will never give up chasing after Lyric. If she really doesn't love me, and if she falls in love with you, I'll wish you two happiness."

"But I've known her for longer, and I know her preferences very well." Therefore, he was very confident that Lyric would choose him.

Lyric knew her own status very well.

Jasper's family was respectable, and his parents were very rich and powerful.

He and his elder sister's careers were accelerating.

The air seemed to be filled with hostility.

Jasper raised his glass, shook his head and had a quick swill of wine. The icy cold wine flowed down from his throat all the way to his stomach. Meanwhile, he looked more apathetic and serious.

He looked down. There seemed to be anger surging in his eyes, but he looked calm on the surface.

At this time, he realized that he did not know what Lyric liked to eat and what she liked to do. He only knew about her family situation.

He didn't know what kind of care Lyric wanted. If she hadn't told him that she wanted to ask for Eden's help, he wouldn't have known that she had such worries in heart.

If he was Lyric's boyfriend, he was definitely not qualified.

Although Jasper thought so, he spoke differently, "Mr. Bryant, there's no order of arrival in love. Although you have known Lyric for half a year, she might not like you. I'll leave first."

Jasper did not wait for Jadiel to speak. He stood up all of a sudden and hurried out.

He was very flustered, but he didn't know why.

He just didn't want to face Jadiel anymore.

He didn't want to hear anything about him and Lyric again.

He didn't let out a sigh of relief until he walked out of the bar in one breath. Taking a deep breath, he felt much more relaxed.

He looked up at the traffic stream on the road. The red taillights and the colorful lights in the buildings made the night brighter.

But he was more and more confused.

Jasper stood in the dark for a long time. In the end, he figured out something.

Did he like Lyric?

If he didn't like her, why did he want to cook for her and make her happy?

If he liked her... Why did he like her?

He hadn't known Lyric for a long time. When he saw her photo on the resume for the first time, he only felt that her smile was very sweet. At that moment, he felt his heart flip.

Therefore, he chose her as his assistant.

She looked simple and adorable, but she was very serious in work.

Back then, she fainted on the road and Eden sent her to the hospital. After he received her phone call, he left the client without thinking and immediately rushed to the hospital to see her.

Later, she was hospitalized again. But he was more anxious than the last time.

He was in a dinner party at that time, and he immediately left and hurried to the hospital.

On the one hand, he was worried about her. On the other hand, her parents were not by her side, and she didn't have any friend. This was what he thought. To be exact, this was the excuse he made for himself.

However, thinking that Lyric was about to meet Jadiel at noon the next day, he felt extremely agitated.

He lifted the bangs on his forehead in a low spirit, stopped a taxi on the roadside and left.

When Jadiel came out, he happened to see Jasper get on the car and leave.

He glanced at him and turned around to hail a taxi as well.

Inside the taxi, Jadiel closed his eyes slightly. Thinking of Lyric's attitude, he knew what she wanted to say to him the next day.

He would not give her the chance to say it.

He had to fight for his own happiness.

The next day, Lyric was awakened by a knock on the door.

After sitting up and looking around in a daze, Lyric moved her body slowly and sat in a wheelchair with the support of both hands.

As soon as she sat down, she heard the door opening.

Lyric's smile disappeared instantly. It was Eden. Only she knew the password of her house.

She was disappointed because it was not Jasper, but she was very happy that Eden came to accompany her.

After all, it was impossible for her to be with Jasper. Her expectation would only make herself sad.

She suppressed all the sorrow and disappointment in her heart. When she arrived at the living room, Eden had put the breakfast on the table.

She looked at Lyric and smiled, "Lyric, I'm here to send you the breakfast. Jasper has a very important meeting this morning. He sent me a message and asked me to bring you breakfast."

Lyric smiled. She remembered that Jasper had an important meeting with the foreign clients that day. If the cooperation was successful, Joye Group would compete in foreign markets.

She was glad that Joye Group was developing better and better.

"I see. Eden, thank you for taking care of me these days." Lyric looked at Eden guiltily.

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Besides, Eden had helped her a lot. Even her relatives couldn't do so much for her.

Her relatives did not like her to ask for their help. As time went by, she became estranged from those vain relatives.

Eden looked at her. In the past few days, Lyric had thanked her for many times.

"Don't be so polite. I'm good to you because you're worth it."

No one would treat others well for no reason, neither would she.

"Eden, I know." Lyric knew this.

"Lyric, have breakfast first." Eden put the seafood porridge in front of her.

Seeing her favorite seafood porridge, Lyric smiled with joy, "Wow! It's my favorite porridge!"

Eden opened her own bowl and said with a smile, "Jasper ordered it for you, and I just went there to get it. He said that you like seafood porridge."

Lyric paused slightly. He was so busy, but he still cared about her. She was really touched.

Lyric looked at Eden with a complicated expression on her face. There was a smile in her eyes. She looked conflicted but happy.

Eden looked at her innocent face. She seemed to be delighted and confused. However, she could clearly see the happiness in her eyes.

Eden smiled meaningfully and said in a playful tone, "Lyric, are you disappointed because it's me who came here this morning?"

Lyric was startled by her words, and she was so embarrassed because Eden had seen her through. Her smile froze, and she shook her head quickly.

"Eden, no, I am very happy to see you. If you didn't come, I would feel lonely." Lyric was in a hurry to explain, but she didn't know that her anxious tone had betrayed her.

Eden didn't tease her anymore. She knew that Lyric would feel awkward for a long while.

"Let's have breakfast first. Then I'll go out for a walk with you. I don't need to go to the company these days, so I have enough time to take care of you."

Lyric breathed a sigh of relief and nodded with a smile.

She stirred the porridge with her fair and slender fingers and sipped it.

The seafood porridge was fragrant and smooth, but she felt that it was somewhat sweet.

Eden had been observing her expression. Seeing that she was joyful, she was relieved.

When she woke up early this morning, she did receive Jasper's message. He asked her to send the breakfast to Lyric because he had something to do this morning. Anyway, she had nothing to do, so she agreed.

In fact, she was about to call Jasper and ask him if he had time to take care of Lyric when he sent her the message.

Lyric was injured because of Victor, so she should take care of her.

After breakfast, Eden covered Lyric's legs with a blanket and pushed her out for a stroll.

Lyric had to meet Jadiel at noon, so they didn't go too far.

The housing estate had a complete set of facilities, and it was a nice place. In fact, it was not far from Jasper's company. He could drive to the company in half an hour. This was the reason why he chose to live here.

Eden and Lyric both liked to go to the supermarket. They coincided with each other and went straight to the supermarket.

"Eden, I want to eat snacks." Only then did Lyric remember that she had finished all the snacks at home.

Eden had been to the supermarket, so she knew where the snack area was. She smiled and said, "I'm walking there."

"Oh?" Lyric suddenly remembered something. She turned around slightly and looked at Eden, "I forgot that you were buying snacks when I first met you. Why do we have so much in common? We like the same snacks. I buy lots of potato chips every year."

"When I was in junior high school, plum candy was particularly popular, and I always bought a lot. Now I don't like it anymore, and I especially like potato chips. It's great to eat it while watching movies."

Eden smiled faintly and recalled her past, "Isn't it just? Back then, we all liked to eat plum candy. It was sweet and sour. I could refresh myself with it."

At that time, she always had a bag of plum candy in her pocket. She did not have a friend to share it with. As a result, she could eat a bag of plum candy for a long time.

She would eat one while studying in the evening and attending the PE class. At that time, she looked really obedient on the surface.

"Ha-ha..." Lyric smiled and said, "Eden, why don't we buy plum candy today? Let's recall our youth together."

Eden shook her head and said with a smile, "I don't want to eat it. I only had bad memories in my youth."

The plum candy was too sour for her.

"Alright!" Lyric knew many rumors about Eden.

She was the daughter of the Clement family. When she was a child, she got lost and seemed to have suffered a lot.

As for what Eden had suffered, she had never asked Eden about it. It was a scar in Eden's heart, and she didn't want to touch her on the raw.

"Eden, can you make dumplings? I want to eat dumplings so much." Perhaps it was because her leg was injured, she missed her mother very much. But at the end of the year, her mother was busier. Unless her mother took the initiative to call her, she would not disturb her work.

"Yeah, do you want to eat dumplings? If you want, I'll make them for you in the evening. The freshly-made dumplings are very delicious, and I especially like to eat dumplings." Eden thought for a moment and added, "Jasper has time in the evening. Why don't we make dumplings for you?"

Although she felt that Lyric's mood was a bit strange, she wanted to give them a chance to get along with each other.

At this time, Lyric needed care the most. Jasper had to seize the opportunity.

"Okay!" Lyric nodded, and her ears became hot unconsciously.

She didn't know what was wrong with her these days. She blushed uncontrollably when she saw Jasper or someone mentioned him.

After buying snacks, they went to the vegetable area and the food area to buy some meat, flour and vegetables. Then they went back.

They stayed in the supermarket until noon. At twelve o'clock noon, they had returned to the housing estate.

Lyric said, "Eden, can you wait for me in the rest area? I have made an appointment to meet Mr. Bryant. I have something to tell him. I will come back soon."

She was going to meet Jadiel!

Eden glanced at Lyric. She knew that Jadiel liked Lyric, but she couldn't say anything.

"Okay, I'll send you there first, and then I'll wait for you outside." She would be worried if Lyric went there alone.

"Alright, he's in the cafe on the opposite side of the road." Lyric pointed to the cafe.

Eden sent Lyric there and happened to see Jadiel at the door of the cafe.

"Hi, Mrs. Alwynn." Jadiel greeted Eden with a smile.

"Hello, Mr. Bryant!" Eden smiled and found that Jadiel had dressed up specially.

Dressed in a light gray suit, he looked handsome. His eyes were long and brooding, which made him look even more charming.

In Eden's eyes, compared to those playboys, Jadiel was a nice man.

"Lyric, I'll wait for you over there. You can call me when you want to leave." Eden nodded at Jadiel slightly and turned to leave.

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In the cafe, they sat face to face.

Jadiel ordered a cup of coffee for himself, and then ordered a small cake and Lyric's favorite orange juice for her.

They didn't say anything after sitting down. After the food was served, Jadiel looked at Lyric and said, "Lyric, eat a piece of cake first. The cake here is delicious. I've been here a few times, but I didn't know that you live here."

Lyric looked at him. He was a gentleman, and there was a faint smile on his handsome face. "Jadiel, in order to avoid Ansley, I wouldn't tell anyone where I live. But I'm very curious. How did you know that I live here?"

Jadiel looked at her fair face and smiled. Then he pointed at the telegraph pole across the street.

"It turns out that this is why you didn't allow me to send you home. I saw the news about Mrs. Alwynn and Ansley online. Seeing the familiar telegraph pole, I knew that you lived here. Last night, I drank some wine, so I was a little impulsive. I didn't expect to meet you at the gate."

Lyric smiled faintly, "I see."

"Yeah, I didn't expect my memory to be so good. I remember the telegraph pole in front of your house." Saying this, Jadiel turned his head to look at the telegraph pole across the street. It looked somewhat solemn in the traffic.

Looking back at Lyric's hesitant face, he smiled and pretended to be casual, "Mr. Joye seems to be very busy today."

Lyric's expression changed as she lowered her head.

Jadiel looked at her and smiled, "The foreign clients should be his friends. His parents run a winery abroad, and they're of noble status. They're billionaires, which is really enviable."

Lyric was stunned. She didn't know if Jadiel said these words deliberately, but she understood one thing, which was that she was not qualified to be with Jasper.

"Really?" Lyric grinned. She looked calm, but she was very confused in heart.

The more she knew about his background, the more she felt that the gap between them was big.

"Yes. Lyric, I plan to work in Joye Group for one more year. Then I'll start a company on my own." Jadiel told her his purpose clearly.

He mentioned Jasper's status deliberately.

Sometimes, love required a scheming mind.

Jasper was not sure if he had fallen in love with Lyric, and this was a rare chance for him.

Lyric's heart was filled with disappointment. Hearing Jadiel's words, she tried hard to cheer up, "That's great. I've known you for more than half a year, and you've been working hard. It's only a matter of time before you set up your own company."

Jadiel was very outstanding. She realized this not long after they met, but she didn't think about having a boyfriend at that time.

At that time, she did not have a stable job, and she wanted to be in a relationship after getting a job.

She was longing for love, but did not know how to love.

However, one could fall in love without a master. No one taught her, but she had fallen in love with Jasper.

But the result was heartbroken.

Her love was unrequited.

Jadiel didn't talk much. As long as Lyric understood what he meant. If he said too much, Lyric might have other strange ideas.

"Lyric, what do you want for lunch? Let's have lunch together." His voice was unusually gentle.

He was gentlemanly. Although they were close to each other, Lyric was not disgusted.

Lyric shook her head lightly, "The lunch break is short. It will take you half an hour to go back to the company. Let's have lunch another day."

Jadiel was very satisfied because she said that she would eat with him another day.

He nodded slightly, and his smile became tenderer, "Alright, Lyric. However..."

Jadiel took out his phone and looked at her with a helpless smile, "You blacklisted my number in a fit of anger."

Lyric smiled and said apologetically, "Sorry, I was very angry that night because of Lyric, so I blacklisted your number."

Jadiel looked sad, and there was dissatisfaction in his tone, "Actually, I'm very depressed. You even blacklisted me. You clearly knew that I was chasing after you, and I didn't have anything to do with Ansley." He'd better say these words at this time.

He always remembered that love required a scheming mind.

Lyric was stunned for a moment, and she did not refute. She picked up her phone and freed his number from the blacklist.

She smiled and said, "Jadiel, let's just be friends in the future."

She said these words all of a sudden.

Jadiel paused for a moment. Then he thought for a moment. Her words meant that he still had a chance to be her boyfriend, right? At least, she didn't hate him.

"Okay! When you have time, let's have meals, go shopping and play together." He looked at her with a smile, and her smiling face was very beautiful. He believed that as long as he loved her sincerely enough, he would surely move her.

"Okay!" Lyric nodded with a smile and said excitedly, "I have a friend now."

"Fool, we've always been friends." Jadiel said with a doting smile. Then he reached out and rubbed her head.

Looking up, he saw a familiar car inadvertently. Although he could not see the person inside, he knew that it was Jasper's car.

He couldn't see Jasper, but he could feel his gloomy and sharp gaze.

He withdrew his hand casually, chatting happily with Lyric. However, he would look out of the window from time to time.

They chatted for a while. Lyric was afraid that Eden would wait for too long and Jadiel would be late for work, so she called Eden.

After they separated at the door of the cafe, Jadiel stood there and watched Eden leave with Lyric.

He slightly pursed his lips and smiled confidently. Although he hadn't been in a relationship with Lyric, it was good to be friends with her first.

Since they were friends, he could invite her to meals and go shopping with her.

He was so lucky to meet a good girl in his life!

He didn't expect much. The only thing he wanted was to spend the rest of his life with his beloved girl.

Jadiel walked towards his car and looked back. Jasper's car was still parked there.

Looking through the windshield, he saw that Jasper was looking at him. He smiled and turned to leave.

Jasper held the steering wheel tightly with both hands, and he couldn't forget the scene of Jadiel rubbing Lyric's head.

After the meeting, he rushed here without having lunch.

When they met at the door of the coffee shop, he had arrived.

He didn't dare to get off the car, and he could only hide here and peek. He didn't know what he was thinking. He was confused and afraid. Especially when he looked at Lyric's clear eyes, he felt nervous and helpless.

Jasper had no courage to think about the relationship between them.

When he started the car to leave, he suddenly saw two sneaky figures entering the housing estate.

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Jasper stepped on the brake. When a few cars drove out of the housing estate, the two people sneaked in through the small door very quickly.

Eden was here, and Barrett hated Alwynn Group very much. Jasper was experienced, and he was sure that the two people were malicious.

He did not dare to be careless, so he got out of the car and followed them.

He was very familiar with the gatekeeper. After he explained to the gatekeeper briefly, the gatekeeper checked the surveillance video, but they only saw the two people's backs. Jasper asked him to pay attention to their whereabouts and walked in.

Eden and Lyric were not in a hurry to go back. Instead, Eden pushed Lyric's wheelchair and walked around the housing estate.

Lyric shared her joy with Eden happily, "Eden, I became friends with Jadiel just now."

Eden was confused. She lowered her head and saw Lyric's bright smile. It seemed that Lyric was truly glad. She smiled and asked, "Weren't you friends before?"

Lyric raised her head and thought for a while with a smile. Then she shook her head slightly, "Yes, but our friendship was almost ruined by Ansley. Today, we made it clear and became friends again."

Eden smiled and said nothing. Lyric was really simple-minded.

Couldn't she tell that Jadiel wanted to be with her?

Since they could become friends, they would naturally become lovers in the future.

As long as they could meet often, he would let her fall in love with him sooner or later.

It was obvious that Lyric had a crush on Jasper, but Eden did not know what Jasper was thinking.

It was very difficult for Jasper to overcome his confusion over one issue. Once he figured it out, he would confess his feelings for Lyric.

The sunshine was very warm.

Eden did not want to go back. She wanted to stay here and bask in the sun.

"Lyric, your major is clothing design, right?" Eden saw the certificate of merit in her house. It should be the award she got when she was in school.

"Yeah. Eden, I have been fond of clothing design since I was a child, but my major is to design sports wear. I like it very much."

"It can't be easy to become Jasper's assistant. He's strict with his assistant, right?"

After Jasper changed, he had strict requirements on everything.

"Isn't it just? Eden, I began to prepare for it when I was in college. After all kinds of examinations, I finally handed in my resume, and I got the job after four rounds of interviews."

Thinking of the bitter process, she felt very tired.

"Really?" Eden smiled, "If you become Jasper's girlfriend in the future, remember to let him pay dearly for it. We women can be unreasonable."

Hearing this, Lyric had a glimmer of hope again. These days, she had been thinking about this.

She suffered violent mood swings because of Jasper.

She could not help but ask, "Eden, why do you think I can be with Mr. Joye?"

After that, she was full of expectation and nervousness.

If she didn't fall in love with him, he wouldn't be in her mind day and night.

The feeling of missing someone at night was very uncomfortable, but she had no regret. She felt sweet but painful.

She had been sleepless in the past few nights.

Besides, she didn't dare to tell anyone what she was thinking.

But at this time, she didn't even dare to miss him day and night.

Eden felt her nervousness. Seeing that she straightened her back, Eden said with a chuckle, "Why can't you be with him? As long as you like each other, nothing can stop you."

Lyric held her hands tightly. Wouldn't they be stopped by anything?

The scene of Jasper holding her came to her mind. His warm embrace was like a gentle trap, and she fell into it carelessly. At this time, she couldn't get him out of her head.

His strong arms made her feel so safe and warm.

Eden was about to speak when she saw two sneaky people.

They were dressed in dark suits, standing behind the flowers and keeping looking at them.

Eden's eyes flashed, and she didn't dare to lower her guard.

A hundred million dollars was too attractive to the people on the list. They couldn't give up so easily.

Eden made a prompt decision and pushed Lyric back home.

This time, she could not let Lyric get hurt because of her.

Aro was nearby, and he knew where she was. She was used to such a thing, so she was not nervous.

Besides, there were so many people coming and going, and they wouldn't dare to take actions.

"Lyric, let's go back and cook. It takes some time to make dumplings." Her tone was very natural.

Lyric was a little disappointed. She still wanted to chat with Eden about Jasper.

She had no one to talk to, and she had been conflicted.

"Okay!" Lyric smiled and didn't say anything.

She lowered her eyes and split hairs again.

Eden's attention was focused on the people behind them.

There were quite a few roads in the housing estate. Eden detoured deliberately and looked back from time to time. The two men followed them. Sure enough, they came for her.

But they really underestimated her. Did they think she was stupid? How could she not notice them since they were so bold?

Eden arrived downstairs the building.

She heard the notification at this time.

When she looked down, she saw the message sent by Jasper. Her eyes flashed and she smiled.

"Eden, don't be afraid. I'm right behind you. Take Lyric home first."

Jasper had known that they were being followed.

She instantly slowed down and pushed Lyric to the elevator.

Eden lowered her head and looked at Lyric. She smiled and made an excuse, "Lyric, I forgot to buy ginger and sauce. I'll go buy it after I send you home."

"Ah! Is that so?" Lyric hadn't cooked for a long time, and she didn't know what was missing in the kitchen.

"Okay, I'm sorry to trouble you."

"It's okay. I like to eat dumplings and cook very much. We'll be happier if we can eat the meal in a lively atmosphere."

"Eden, me too." She hated being alone very much.

The elevator arrived, and Eden pushed Lyric into it. The golden elevator door reflected the two sneaky figures.

After pushing Lyric into the elevator, Eden pressed all the buttons above the eighth floor.

Lyric lowered her head and didn't see Eden's actions.

There were two houses on each floor. It would take them a lot of effort to find Lyric's house.

After sending Lyric home, Eden put the ingredients she had bought in the kitchen and left after saying a few words to Lyric.

When she reached the first floor, the two men were standing at the elevator door. They didn't know which floor Lyric lived.

Seeing Eden come out of the elevator, both of them were stunned and lowered their heads, not daring to look at her.

Eden glanced at them and walked out slowly.

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After Eden left, the men looked at each other with evil eyes. They smiled at each other and followed Eden out.

"As long as she leaves, we can taken actions. Ten million dollars! She is really valuable, ha-ha... We're going to be rich."

"Idiot! She is Mrs. Alwynn, and she's a billionaire. You'll just get ten million dollars, but you're so happy. What a good-for-nothing!" The man patted his head.

"Ha-ha... I'm too excited."

"Shut up and follow her carefully."

"Okay!"

Eden glanced behind her and heard their low voices.

She walked a little faster and saw Jasper not far away.

She gave Jasper a hand signal.

Jasper understood and turned around naturally, waiting for Eden to come forward. Then he followed the two men.

On the way out of the housing estate, Jasper told the gatekeeper about it, and the gatekeeper shot a video of the men.

Eden walked out of the housing estate and went to the left. There were many pedestrians on the left road. It was noon, and many people came out for lunch. The pedestrians walked in twos and threes, looking relaxed.

Dazzling autumn beamed through the leaves. Walking in the dappled shade of trees, Eden felt lazy.

She didn't sleep well last night. Basking in the sun, she felt lazy and wanted to sleep.

Although she was in danger, she couldn't help but feel somewhat sleepy.

Eden pinched her hand forcefully.

"Ouch..." Eden gulped in pain, and her body trembled. Why was she so vicious to herself?

The sharp pain made her a little soberer.

Jasper could tell from Eden's lazy back that she wanted to sleep under the warm sun. She could sleep well on rainy days and sunny days in autumn.

He smiled and saw her pinch her own hand.

He smiled helplessly. Did she regard the two men behind her as air?

He had called the police. At this time, he just needed to pin down the two b*stards until the police came.

Eden bowed her head and sent a message to Jasper.

"Jasper, I'm going into the alley. Be careful. I'm relieved to give my back to you."

Jasper had muted his phone. He looked down and and replied to her with a smile, "Sure! I have called the police."

Eden walked forward with relief and entered the alley. Feeling cold, she wrapped herself with the windbreaker more tightly and walked forward with her arms crossed. Her bright eyes were still lazy as she looked around.

There were not many people in the alley, but a few restaurants were busy. She could smell the oil and the aroma of food.

Some people sat there for lunch comfortably, and she could hear them chatting and laughing.

The lunch break was leisurely, so everyone was relaxed. They gathered together and chatted.

Their conversation was particularly interesting. Back then, when she worked in the restaurant, she often heard the old men's chatting which was very funny.

The farther she walked, the fewer people there were. Eden guessed that the two men were about to attack her.

"There are not many people in the front. Let's do it. The car is not far away, and it is easier to take her out of here. Send her to the destination and we will leave River City as soon as we get the money."

"Alright!" The other man narrowed his eyes evilly. Looking at Eden's back, he was so excited as if he had seen ten million dollars.

He was even in a trance, because it was so easy to get ten million dollars.

They had got a million dollars as a deposit, which was enough for them to live comfortably for a long time.

They couldn't hide their excitement and moved forward quickly.

Eden heard the heavy footsteps behind her, and her heart sank. The police had not arrived yet. Would it be difficult for her and Jasper to deal with the two men?

As long as Lyric wouldn't get hurt, they had nothing to worry about.

She saw a rusty steel pipe on the side of the road. There was even an iron hook on it. Her eyes turned apathetic as she walked over in a few steps.

The two men were behind Eden. They were about to attack her when they saw her stop. However, Eden suddenly turned around.

She hit them with the steel pipe.

They didn't expect Eden to attack them all of a sudden.

They were shocked and tried to move back, but they fell directly to the ground.

Eden was speechless.

Jasper was stunned.

He and Eden were very nervous and vigilant, but the two men were just weak idiots.

"Oh my god! My waist is so painful." One man looked at Eden viciously, wishing that he could kill her.

"B*tch, how dare you ambush us!" The other man was ashamed and mad.

He was actually obsessed with Eden's pretty face.

He really couldn't bear to beat her.

"Bang!" Jasper kicked his back hard. He fell on the ground and rolled awkwardly.

"Shut up! If you dare to say one more word to insult her, I'll cripple you!" His cold voice sounded in the alley, which was frightening.

"Puff." Before the man could scream in pain, he spat out a mouthful of gastrin.

"Are you okay?" The other man roared furiously. Ignoring the pain in his waist, he stood up immediately and wanted to attack Eden maliciously.

There was an iron hook on the steel pipe. Eden simply hit the man's back with it.

Her movements were very fast. The man wanted to dodge, and he didn't want to get hurt. While he was hesitating, Eden reached out the pipe with great strength, and he fell in front of her awkwardly.

The steel pipe in Eden's hand fell down on the man's neck.

The man stopped struggling in an instant.

With cold eyes, Eden lowered her head and looked him up and down. He looked awkward to the extreme.

"Don't move, or your neck will be pierced." Eden's voice was playful and proud. Her eyes were especially bright as she smiled.

Looking at her bright smile, the man was dumbfounded. Eden looked weak. How could she have the courage to wave the terrible iron pipe to attack them?

The fact proved that people couldn't be judged by their looks.

He was tricked by Eden's gentle appearance.

His brother had fainted in pain.

When did this man follow them? He kissed his younger brother fiercely. Had his brother died? The man was scared.

How could he still think about the money at this time? The most important was to survive.

"Please let me go!" He raised his head with great difficulty and begged for mercy.

Eden looked at him coldly. She was surprised that he begged her so quickly. She said indifferently, "I can let you go, but you have to tell me who sent you."

The man shook his head and said, "I don't know. I only know that she is a woman."

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"A woman?" Eden wondered who it could be.

Dahlia?

No, Dahlia hadn't appeared in front of her for a period of time.

How could Eden know that Paulina was still lying in the hospital after being taught a lesson by Victor?

"Yes, she asked us to catch you, and we don't know anything else." The man knew that he couldn't afford to offend Alwynn Group. Since he was caught, he'd better tell the truth.

He was obsessed with money.

Jasper said with a sullen face, "Eden, they came to catch you just for money. They won't know who the mastermind is."

Eden nodded slightly. She knew that this matter wasn't simple.

From a distance came the whistle of the police car.

Jasper's phone rang at the same time. The police asked him where he was.

After Jasper told them their location, he hung up the phone.

The man went deathly pale. The police came so fast!

At the same time, Bryanna, who was waiting for good news in a cafe, received a phone call from her company.

"Bryanna, bad news! Our company is under investigation because of tax evasion."

"What?" Bryanna's face darkened to the extreme. She trembled and almost couldn't hold her phone firmly. Then she suddenly stood up from the chair.

"Bryanna, just now, the legal authorities came here with evidence. You have to come back as soon as possible."

"Who did it? How could they have evidence..." Bryanna was stunned. It was Victor!

Victor told her that he would let Fly Media disappear in River City. She had been very nervous. But Victor didn't do anything these days, so she let down her guard.

She sent someone to hurt Eden, but Victor took actions on the same day.

"Bryanna, come back. The evidence is conclusive, and you are the legal representative. Moreover, they said that our company is under suspicion of laundering money."

Bryanna's eyes widened. Barrett's flattering face came to her mind, and she felt as if she had fallen into an icehouse.

But it was too late for her to understand everything.

Bryanna stumbled. How could she dare to go back to the company? She had to escape. Although she had figured out what was going on, she couldn't do anything to Barrett without evidence, could she?

There was some cash in her house, which was enough for her to escape and live for a period of time.

However, when she walked to the door and saw the people coming in, she stepped back in fear.

Victor walked in with Dean. His tall figure looked too commanding in the crowd. People couldn't take their eyes off him. His suit was made of high-quality silk, and the black trousers made him look handsome and noble. His every move was full of aggressiveness.

Victor looked at her with apathetic and horrible eyes.

"Do you want to run away? That's your wishful thinking." Hearing his cold words, Bryanna understood everything.

"Victor, you..."

"I've been a man of my words, but I was delayed for a few days because of something. I hope that you'll like the surprise!" He said with a smile, but Bryanna felt like she had been totally ruined.

"Victor, you are a devil!" Bryanna yelled at him without thinking. She was so angry but helpless.

She felt very uncomfortable, but she had no way to vent her anger.

Her heart ached, but the desperation in her heart made her even more afraid.

"Ha-ha..." Victor laughed. His voice was pleasant but cold, and his laughter sent a chill down Bryanna's spine.

"Bryanna, I've warned you, but you don't take my words seriously. The reason why I let you go was that I wanted you to face all these. You're the one who ruins your own life." At this moment, Victor was as evil as a demon from hell.

His smile was so sinister that even Dean took a step back uncontrollably.

He was too vicious!

Victor did this because Bryanna had sent someone to catch Eden.

They came to see Bryanna after making sure that Eden was safe.

Bryanna was so furious that her face turned pale. At this moment, she finally realized that Victor had been monitoring her in secret.

Ever since she was born, she had never felt so desperate.

She was beautiful, so she successfully entered the entertainment circle after graduation. She had never taken the subway or rushed to work just to earn money.

In order to have a better development, she went abroad and worked hard. She had met all kinds of men, but she still thought about her first love, Victor.

No matter how beautiful a foreign country was, it was no match for her homeland.

When she looked back, she suddenly found that her pursuit in the past few years was not what she wanted.

Time went by quickly. When she was aboard, there was always some regret in her heart. After she returned here, she finally felt satisfied.

Money and fame in the entertainment circle was so unreal.

"Victor, you know what? I did all these just to be with you." Bryanna pretended to be affectionate and looked at Victor.

She was slightly shocked in heart. When she met Victor again, she didn't feel her heart flip. Instead, she just wanted to show how unique and charming she was in front of him.

Recalling the life she had been pursuing all these years, she still liked Victor even though she was no longer as simple as before.

Hearing this, Victor sneered and said in a mocking tone, "You don't like me, but my money. I know what you have done aboard very clearly." Speaking of this, Victor paused and suddenly raised his head. His eyes were fierce and sharp, and he looked at her as if she was just a piece of trash, "Even looking at you makes me feel disgusted. You said that you wanted to be with me, but this is awful. Don't use me as your excuse, and your dream is not noble at all."

Bryanna looked embarrassed. Being seen through by him, she was greatly ashamed.

Victor had endless money, an outstanding status and a stable character. She wanted to get Victor, and that was why she did so many wrong things.

She lost her last life-saving straw, and she instantly became anxious. Tears streamed down her face as she begged Victor, "I beg you. Please let me go again. I promise you that I'll stay away from you and Eden. I will never disturb your life!"

"Sorry, it's too late. The two men you sent to kidnap Eden have been caught. The next one is you." As soon as he said this madly, two policemen came in.

Bryanna's pupils trembled, and she stepped back in fear. She wanted to run, but her legs went limp.

She could only watch as the two policemen walked towards her.

She didn't come to sense until she was handcuffed.

Looking at the cold handcuffs, she fell to the ground feebly.

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Although she was unconscious, she could not evade all the responsibilities.

Victor's gloomy expression didn't ease until Bryanna was taken away.

Dean took a look at the coffee shop. Fortunately, there were not many people here at this time. He smiled flatteringly, "Mr. Alwynn, it's a wonderful plan. In this way, Mrs. Alwynn won't get hurt, and we can eliminate our enemies one after another. Barrett is gradually losing his power and money. You're really amazing."

In his eyes, people like Barrett was invincible.

When he heard about Barrett for the first time, he searched for him on the Internet and laughed, feeling that it was impossible for Victor to defeat Barrett.

But later, he realized that Victor was not someone to be trifled with.

Barrett was no match for him.

Victor was simply his idol.

Why did he feel so proud?

Victor glanced at Dean who was flattering him smugly. Without saying a word, he turned around and left.

He cursed in heart, "What a flatterer!"

Dean was ashamed. Victor snubbed him completely!

He followed Victor with embarrassment. Beside the car, Dean trotted to open the door for Victor.

After Dean got on the car, Victor said, "Are you sure that Eden is all right?"

Dean immediately promised with a smile, "Mr. Alwynn, don't worry. Mrs. Alwynn and Mr. Joye are safe and sound. Aro has sent me a message. Mrs. Alwynn is awesome, and she looks so cool while fighting."

As Dean said this, he showed Victor the video.

Victor's face was still gloomy. When he saw the man rushing to Eden, he felt as if his heart had been clenched by a hand.

He said in a deep voice, "It's too dangerous. Ask them to follow Eden more closely. I don't want Eden to fight back in person again."

Hearing this, Dean really wanted to complain. He was in a dilemma.

Eden was always followed by someone. They had eliminated lots of reporters, bad people and those who were curious about her.

Otherwise, Eden would be in more danger.

Although he thought so, he didn't dare to complain, "Mr. Alwynn, you're right. I'll talk to them when I go back. How could they let Mrs. Alwynn fight back in person?"

"Yes!" Victor nodded with satisfaction, "Let Brian deal with Bryanna. Lucian has taken actions. This method is indeed feasible. It's much faster than cleaning up the mess in Fly Media."

If he could go on investigating like this, he would get enough evidence to ruin Barrett.

There was no need to compete with him in business at all.

Victor sneered. He looked so horrible, just like a devil.

Dean could sense that the atmosphere was getting cold and stiff.

After solving this problem, Jasper and Eden went to the police station to have confessions, and then they walked back.

Eden was extremely excited because she caught two bad guys that day. She couldn't stop smiling on the way back.

Jasper suddenly stopped and smiled at her, "Are you that happy?"

"Yep!" Eden nodded hard, "Jasper, aren't you glad?" Eden grinned. Under the sun, her skin looked fair and delicate, and her bright smile was attractive.

Jasper was stunned for a moment, and then he smiled helplessly. She was aimed at by someone, but she was not worried at all. Instead, she was so delighted.

They chatted while talking.

"Eden, how's your preparation for the competition?"

Eden smiled and said, "I'm very excited!"

"I didn't ask about your feelings."

Eden said naughtily, "But I just want to answer you in this way."

Jasper glanced at her silently and did not speak.

"Jasper, you know what? The international design competition was once something far beyond my reach. Every time I watched the live broadcast of the competition, I would be very excited. I wondered when I could stand on the exciting stage and become the fashion queen in the fashion world."

"You know about the winner of the competition last year. She won the prize when she was forty years old. I'm not young anymore, so I'm more excited."

Only a person who had been obsessed with his dream for a long time could have such a strong expectation.

She knew that she would live a hard life if she cared about the fame and fortune too much.

However, people needed fame to support their dreams.

All she wanted was to achieve her dream, and she wouldn't give up.

Jasper knew that participating in the competition had been her dream, and she was doing her best to prove herself.

This was because of her childhood experiences.

Everyone had their own dreams, including knowledgeable people, well-informed people and even insignificant people. They were all trying hard to complete their dreams.

He didn't have to win a prize in the competition. After all, the company worked very well and he was not short of money.

She had changed him, and he participated in the competition just to prove that he had not let her down.

This was a kind of persistence, because Eden was worth it.

"Jasper, I am actually quite confident." Eden lowered her head and walked much more slowly.

She was very glad that she could follow her heart and hold on. Whether she could succeed or not, she could accept the result calmly.

This was what she thought. No matter what kind of significance or differences existed in this journey, at least she had tried her best.

No matter she would win or not, she could fulfill her dream after the international design competition.

"Eden, do your best, and believe yourself." Jasper made a cheering gesture with a gentle smile.

"Jasper, you have to do your best, too. Don't forget how you stayed up late to draw design drafts many years ago!" Eden smiled brightly.

"Got it!"

They smiled and continued walking forward.

When they arrived at the gate of the housing estate, Eden remembered something.

"By the way, Jasper, I came out to buy ginger and sauce. But look at my empty hands. I forgot to buy them." Eden spread her hands and felt that her memory was really bad.

"Your excuse is so lame! There is ginger and sauce in Lyric's house." Jasper smiled helplessly. He wanted to reach out and rub her head, but he forced himself not to do so.

"Alas! I needed ginger and sauce to make dumplings, didn't I? So I said it casually. I have to explain to Lyric when I go back."

Jasper pointed at the small supermarket not far away, "There's no need. There's a small supermarket over there. We can buy ginger and sauce there. It doesn't matter if we buy some more and put it in Lyric's house. She doesn't know how to take care of herself. It's good to prepare some food for her. Wait for me here. I'll go buy it, and I'll be back soon."

"Alright. Hurry up. I used too much strength to hit the men, and my arm hurts a lot." Eden urged him to buy it excitedly. She was glad to have a rest here.

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Jasper came back soon, raising the ginger and sauce in his hands.

He seemed to be showing off.

Eden smiled, looked down at his hands and said proudly, "Yeah, well done. Let's go to Lyric's house to make dumplings. She wants to eat dumplings."

Eden planned to leave after making the dumplings.

In this way, she could create an opportunity for them to get along with each other.

She had contacted Victor. He would come to pick her up soon.

Jasper hesitated for a while. He just came back to see Lyric and Jadiel, but such a dangerous thing happened.

Eden seemed to know that he was hesitating. After thinking for a while, she said, "Lyric told me that she became friends with Jadiel. Now she's very happy to have a friend."

Jasper was stunned and looked at her in surprise.

He could feel that his heart was suddenly touched by something, and all his depression disappeared in an instant. He was no longer in low spirits, and his listless eyes lit up.

However, a friend... Humph, Jadiel didn't only want to be her friend!

Eden looked at his expression and immediately understood everything.

He felt insecure because of Jadiel.

"Let's go. It's getting late. It will be six o'clock after we finished making dumplings. Just now, Lyric sent me a message, asking me why I've left for so long. I said that I lost my way."

Jasper was speechless. What a lame excuse!

"You can think of other excuses. This excuse is really bad."

Eden chuckled. She had never thought about making a good excuse.

"It's okay. As long as we can go home safely."

"Let's go." Jasper walked forward with the things.

Eden looked at his tall back. He seemed to stand up straighter than just now. She smiled and followed him in.

Eden looked up at the setting sun in the sky. It was so beautiful!

"Ding-dong..."

Just as Lyric was about to open the door, she heard the sound of typing password.

Then she stopped.

"Eden, I thought you got lost."

As soon as she finished speaking, she saw Jasper behind Eden.

"Mr. Joye." Her smile gradually became bright, and her face blushed immediately.

"Hi!" Jasper nodded slightly and looked at her with intense eyes. Why did she look so cute? Especially when she blushed.

Eden looked at them. They definitely liked each other!

Their eyes were so affectionate.

"Jasper, I'm going to knead dough. Chat with Lyric."

Jasper's ears turned red when he heard that, but he stood still.

Lyric kept shrinking back shyly.

At this time, Eden was the most relaxed one.

She cared about Jasper. How could she not be happy when he was living a good life?

Although he hadn't been with Lyric, it would happen in the future, wouldn't it?

Eden made the dough quickly and covered it with a basin. Then she began to make the stuffing.

She had to cook a lot of dumplings, but her actions were neat and nimble. She could do all these alone.

Jasper and Lyric sat in the living room. Jasper was peeling an apple, while Lyric looked at him with a smile. She was shy, but she was in a very good mood.

"Mr. Joye, aren't you busy today? Why are you here?"

Peeling the apple, Jasper slowly looked up at her and said in a slightly hoarse voice, "I'm done with my work."

"Oh!" Lyric pouted slightly.

His reply was always so brief.

It suddenly became quiet in the living room.

Only the sound of Jasper peeling the apple could be heard. Then Jasper handed the apple to her and broke the slightly quiet atmosphere.

"Do you have nothing to say to me?"

"Ah?" Lyric was stunned. She looked at him in confusion. What should she say to him?

"What?" She asked.

Jasper frowned slightly as he looked at the dazed look on her face. He was afraid that she didn't even know what was going on.

"Nothing. How's your foot today?"

"It's good. I have never felt so relaxed in my life." These days, Jasper and Eden often accompanied her and took care of her, which made her feel so delighted!

"That's good!"

Then, they became silent again.

Although Lyric didn't speak, she kept peeking at Jasper.

Jasper was speechless. Couldn't she just look at him straightforwardly?

Ringtone came from the kitchen. Jasper got up and said, "I'll help Eden make dumplings."

"Oh!" Lyric lowered her head and answered, not daring to look up at Jasper.

Seeing how timid she was, Jasper suddenly smiled. He was in a particularly good mood.

Eden had begun to make dumplings.

When Jasper came in, she had made more than a dozen dumplings.

"Jasper, I'll leave after making dumplings. Victor will come to pick me up."

Jasper was washing his hands. After that, he looked at her casually, "Do you want to leave deliberately?"

Eden turned around to look at the living room. Lyric was sitting there quietly and staring at her phone with her head lowered. She didn't know if Lyric was really concentrated on reading.

Then she looked back at Jasper and smiled mischievously, "Yes."

Jasper was taken aback.

"Humph!" Jasper snorted, "Do you think I don't know what you're thinking?"

"Ha-ha." Eden knew that he was shy.

Looking at his red ears, she couldn't help but want to laugh.

"Jasper, you're really cute in this way."

"Cute?" Jasper was rendered speechless by this word.

"I'm not cute at all." Jasper was a little displeased. He was a man. How could Eden describe him with this word?

"Anyway, you're cute." Eden made dumplings quickly, and the plate was filled very soon.

Eden looked at the time and went to wash her hands, "Jasper, I'm leaving. Victor is downstairs. I'll leave Lyric to you."

"Okay! You've schemed against me once, and I'll remember it." Jasper said expressionlessly. However, why was his heart full of joy?

Eden wiped her hands while saying, "Okay, just remember it. Remember to thank me in the future!"

"Be careful on your way back!" Jasper looked at her seriously. He knew that Victor had secretly arranged everything during the day.

However, Eden didn't seem to know about it. Victor finally became smarter.

"I see. I'm very powerful!" Eden smiled and walked out.

"Lyric, I have a date with Victor, so I'll leave first. The dumplings have been made, and Jasper will cook them for you."

"Ah?" Lyric was dumbfounded, and she said with a dejected face, "Eden, are you really leaving?" It would be very embarrassing if she stayed with Jasper alone.

Especially after she knew that she liked him.

When she was alone with Jasper, she was really nervous and uneasy. She didn't even know where to look at.

"Yes, Victor and I have to attend a party tonight. I will come to see you tomorrow morning."

Eden smiled and picked up her bag.

The temperature dropped in the evening. She took the blanket from the sofa and covered Lyric's knees, "Keep your knees warm."

"Eden!" Lyric looked at her pitifully.

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"Lyric, do your best!" Eden smiled and gave her a cheering gesture before leaving.

Lyric was stunned. What should she do?

"Alas!" Lyric sighed. She was so conflicted that she was about to fall ill.

She had never been so uneasy and hesitant before.

She would even dream of Jasper in her dreams, but there was a big gap between their families.

She wanted to love, but she didn't dare.

Lyric could not calm down. She kept looking into the kitchen. Jasper's tall and elegant figure was very pleasing to the eye.

She felt very satisfied just by looking at him quietly like this.

The decoration in the kitchen was very lovely. The stove was cream, and the white marble bricks were bright. The evening sun warmed the floor to a radiant glow, and the atmosphere was particularly warm.

Lyric's heart once again began to beat violently. She really wanted to be braver and confess her love to him.

Many beauty things in life were written in water. She always wanted to pursue pure love so that she wouldn't have any regret.

Unfortunately...

Looking at Jasper's back, Lyric sighed again.

Walking out of the housing estate, Eden saw Victor's car on the side of the road.

Bathing in the sunset, he sat in the driver's seat very casually.

With his hand on the car door, he looked lazy. Her handsome face was filled with affection the moment he saw Eden.

After Eden got in the car, Victor leaned to fasten the seat belt for her and kissed her cheek.

Looking at her clear eyes, he smiled and said, "You're in a good mood, honey."

Eden nodded proudly. Under the setting sun, she looked at him, and she was so glad that she wanted to jump up, "Honey, I did a very amazing thing today."

Her smile was as mellow as old wine, which could fill Victor's heart with happiness.

Victor started the car and said with a smile, "Oh, tell me about it. What did you do today?"

"Jasper and I caught two bad men, and then we sent them to the police station." She looked at him with a gentle smile. She was really in a good mood.

Victor knew that she wanted to talk about this.

He smiled and said, "You're amazing!"

"Yeah, I think so too. Honey, shouldn't you reward me?" Eden's interest was aroused. There was tenderness in her eyes.

"What kind of reward do you want?" Victor joined the flow of cars and turned the steering wheel smoothly.

With a smile, he waited for her reply.

Eden really thought about it seriously, "Let me think about it. I'm sure not now, and I'll tell you later."

"Okay! What do you want to eat?" Victor drove to Marriott Hotel.

Eden thought about it and she was not hungry, "Nothing. Just eat casually and go home. It's too late to cook at home."

"Then let's go to Marriott Hotel. I'm not going to work tomorrow."

His suggestive words made Eden stunned for a moment, and she blushed.

"Now I know what kind of reward I want." She said in a hurry.

"Honey, you don't have to be in a hurry. Just think about it slowly." Victor seemed to know what she was thinking and smiled more brightly.

"No, I want my reward right now. I have something to do in the company tomorrow. Let's go home." She was not going to Marriott Hotel! In that case, she would definitely not be able to go home the next day.

He was so crazy on bed that she couldn't bear it.

Once he said that he wanted to go to Marriott Hotel, it meant that he was particularly horny. To him, the sex would be like refreshing rain after a long drought.

Although the experience was wonderful, what she had to suffer was far beyond her imagination.

Victor responded naturally, "Honey, you have nothing to do in the company tomorrow. I've dealt with everything for you."

In bed, practice was the only criterion for testing his skills.

As her husband, he had to let her enjoy the ultimate happiness every month.

"Humph!" Eden was unhappy. She wanted to cry, but she couldn't shed any tears.

She knew how painful it would be very clearly.

Seeing that she was mad, Victor felt very upset.

He said unhappily, "Honey, can't I make you happy while bedtime? Why do you hate to go to Marriott Hotel so much?"

There was unspeakable disappointment in his tone.

Eden grew even angrier when she heard that he was putting on a show.

"Can't you think for me? Although the experience is wonderful and I feel good, I'll be really tired the next day."

Victor was relieved to hear this. As long as she didn't hate it!

"Honey, we'll have a whole day to rest. I've arranged a lobster feast. You like it."

Victor knew Eden's preferences very well.

Eden glared at him fiercely, but she really wanted to eat the lobster feast.

The lobster feast in Marriott Hotel was particularly delicious, because it was cooked by world-famous chefs.

It was really yummy.

Victor smiled with joy. He was delighted that his little scheme worked.

Moreover, he was proud to win Eden's heart in this way.

"Ha-ha." Victor was so smug that he laughed unconsciously.

He immediately covered his mouth.

However, Eden had known that he was highly conceited.

She glared at him madly.

Victor didn't dare to speak.

How could he become so miserable? Eden not only saw through his conspiracy, but also caught him on the spot.

He tried to change the topic, "Honey, you haven't eaten in Marriott Hotel for several months, have you?"

Eden didn't want to talk to him.

At the intersection, Victor stopped the car, picked up his phone and transferred some money to her.

Eden heard notification. She had a look and found that Victor transferred two thousand dollars to her. He even sent a message to tell her that he loved her.

She looked at him angrily, and her face turned red with annoyance.

"You miser!"

Victor was stunned. He had no way to transfer five hundred million dollars to her at this time.

"Honey, I'm not stingy. Don't be mad. Everything I have is yours. Even I am yours."

Victor comforted her with a smile.

Only then did Eden look better.

"Eden, you made dumplings for Lyric. What did Jasper do? Don't do everything for Lyric, or he would have no chance to get close to her."

"Are you worried about their relationship?" Eden glanced at him.

"Ha-ha... Eden, of course I worry about it. No matter what, I'm very concerned about Jasper's happiness." He was speaking the truth. He loved her, so he cared about everything that she cared about.

He loved her with his whole life.

"Don't worry. Jasper knows what to do." Eden looked down at her phone and accepted the money. Then she wanted to shop online.

"That's good." Victor smiled slightly. Finally, Eden was no longer angry.

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In a black car, a man wearing sunglasses and a mask was talking on the phone.

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"We failed. The men were caught."

"I see. We still have a lot of people to use, but I am very curious to know why Victor knew the truth in such a short time." They watched for the proper moment for action, but they failed.

"I don't know. Miss Grant is still in the hospital. Let's make a detailed plan after she is discharged from the hospital."

"I know, but I can't wait anymore. I will find another way to deal with Eden and Victor. Ask him to give me another million dollars. As long as I have money, things can be done." All failures could become his experience. He would definitely find a way to deal with Victor and Eden.

Eden often went out alone during this period of time.

As for Victor, he seemed to have become less vigilant. He even sent less bodyguards to protect Eden.

"Okay, I'll tell him. Just wait for an opportunity."

"I see. I have been paying attention to Victor and Eden's every move."

"That's it."

After hanging up, the man drove away.

Looking at the direction where Victor and Eden left, he didn't want to give up, but there was nothing he could do.

In Barrett's courtyard.

Devin reported what had happened to Fly Media to him.

"Bang..." Barrett smashed the teacup in his hand. This was the second set of expensive teacup he had broken.

"Humph! Victor ruins these small companies one by one, and he is really going to break up my company! Once Fly Media is finished, it will be really difficult for me to transfer my money."

Devin's eyes were full of worry as he said, "Chairman, Victor is smart. As long as we take any action, he will immediately find it out and destroy our plan. If it goes on like this, the company will soon be ruined by him."

Even he was surprised that Victor had found out Fly Media.

It came as a complete shock for him that Fly Media would be under the investigation of the police.

Victor suddenly changed his strategy.

That was understandable. Rather than dealing with the mess in the company, it was better to destroy it completely.

Victor was really a terrible opponent.

"Humph!" Barrett stood up slowly.

He hesitated for a while before looking out of the window. The night was hazy, and the sky was dark. His heart was filled with anxiety and irritation.

He suddenly turned to look at the housekeeper, "Where is Victor now?"

Devin said, "I don't know. Victor and Eden don't often go home. I'm afraid they won't go back tonight."

Barrett squinted his scheming eyes and lit his cigar. Blowing a ring of smoke, he looked particularly leisurely and relaxed.

Devin waited for him to speak patiently.

He knew Barrett's temper very well.

Victor's behaviors had almost exhausted all his good temper.

Three minutes later, Barrett looked at Devin.

After looking at him for a while, he moved his thin lips a little and said slowly, "It's not feasible to make a third party the instrument of a crime. Devin, do you know what to do?" He failed again and again, he was really no longer patient.

Victor really troubled him exceedingly.

Devin had been waiting for him to ask this question.

He lowered his head slightly. A hint of apathy and maliciousness flashed through his eyes as he said, "Chairman, we can never do harm to Victor through the hands of another. Victor is too powerful, and his hidden strength is beyond our imagination. We don't know about his strength very well. After competing with him for more than half a year, you should know that he is not an ordinary person."

"What's your plan?" Barrett sat back on the sandalwood chair and leaned on it casually, waiting for his reply.

To catch a snake by the head was good advice. But they failed to kill Victor after trying for a long time and suffered great losses.

"Chairman, the best way is to cut the ground on which Victor stands. This is the last contest. Whether you can win or not, it depends on your strategy." This was a stalling tactic.

Moreover, it could help him and Dahlia carry out their plan.

Barrett nodded slightly, "Have a try. You do it in person. Don't let me down again. Besides, make an appointment with Victor tomorrow. In the future, I'd better meet him more often, lest he'll ignore me completely. He gets too big for his boots." Barrett's tone was exasperated.

"Yes, Chairman." Devin smiled smugly.

"Call Dahlia and let her come here to accompany me tonight."

Devin replied, "Chairman, she is on a business trip, and she'll be back tomorrow. She left in a hurry."

"Why does she go on a business trip?" Barrett was a little displeased.

Devin smiled and said, "She is an enterprising woman. You know how hard-working she is."

He and Dahlia wanted to disassociate themselves from Barrett, so he had to flatter Barrett first.

"Ha-ha..." Barrett sneered, "A woman like Dahlia is a good-for-nothing. The only thing she can do is to please me on bed."

Devin did not reply, because Barrett's words were half right.

Dahlia seemed to be scheming, but in fact, she was stupid.

However, life was amazing. A woman like her could earn a lot just because Barrett liked her.

This was a chance that many women dreamed of, but Dahlia got it.

"Let's not talk about her. Is there any news about Leilani?" Barrett had a headache and felt that he had suddenly aged a lot.

But he must get his money back.

Although he knew that Leilani wouldn't return the money to him, he did not want to give up.

If Leilani ran away with the money, he could not get it back.

Devin lowered his head, "Chairman, I'm afraid that you can't get the money again. She bought an island anonymously. Now she lives there in seclusion with Mr. Simpson and Miss Simpson."

"B*tch!" Barrett went off the deep end.

He was just afraid to hear such a result, but it really happened!

Devin knew that he was furious and lowered his head more. Although he had received the news, Leilani was very familiar with Barrett's temper. She used the money to buy real estates. Barrett had no way to get the money back.

"Chairman, it was deliberate and malicious." He evaded the crucial point and said.

The moonlight came in through the window, shining on the broken pieces of the jade cup and glowing them white.

With Barrett's surging rage, the atmosphere in the living room became extremely stiff.

Although Devin had experienced a lot, he was frightened by him.

"B*tch! A*shole! I treated her so well in the past years, but she's so heartless!" Barrett was so angry that his face trembled, but there was nothing he could do.

He had been smart and capable all his life. He used women's family backgrounds to gain power and money. After so many years' hard work, he became the richest man in Z Country, but in the end, his downfall was women.

If it weren't for the Alwynn family, how could he become so miserable?