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Jasper was very happy when he heard that. "Eden, I won't leave then. I'll stay and have dinner with you."

Eden smiled and teased, "Okay! You often do this kind of thing anyway!" Her worries were gone with Jasper by her side.

"Hehe..." Jasper laughed happily. He had always been doing that.

He had often gone to Eden's house to have a free meal because their houses were close to each other when they were in Gate City.

The phone on the table rang suddenly. Eden glanced at Jasper before she quickly grabbed the phone and opened the message.

[Cyan, I know you are trying to investigate your identity. I will not let you fulfil your wish. I will tell you about the matter only if you make Victor cancel his acquisition of my company.]

When Eden looked at the message, she realized that Bethany could not be threatened easily.

Jasper also saw the contents of the text message.

He said in a low voice, "Eden, it seems that she is unwilling to talk easily. Why don't we add some information for her? She would have no other choice but to talk. Besides, she is anxious about the acquisition of her company at the moment. I believe that there are times that she would be desperate."

"Okay!" Eden thought for a moment before she took a screenshot of the important part of the message that Jasper had sent her and sent it to Bethany.

Bethany's reply was very fast this time.

[Cyan, what do you really want?]

Eden replied quickly, [Bethany, I don't want anything other than to know the location where you took Eden away. This is your last chance. If you still refuse to tell me, I will upload the rest of the information on the Internet. Let's see who is more cruel!]

Eden held the phone tightly after sending the message.

She received a reply from Bethany very quickly.

[Cyan, I'm going to let you listen to your daughter's voice. You know me very well because I used to be your mother. I am capable of doing anything if you push me over the edge!

Stop Victor from buying my company immediately or I will kill your daughter and you never see her again for the rest of your life!]

Bethany even added a smug emoji at the end.

Eden narrowed her eyes. The next instant, she received a video of Gia being tied up in a messy room. Gia was constantly struggling and her helplessness caused Eden to feel as though her heart was being stabbed by a knife.

"Ah, Gia." The phone in Eden's hand almost fell to the ground.

She had never expected that Bethany would be so vicious that she would abduct Gia to threaten her.

It seemed that she was very sure that Eden was Cyan.

"D*mn it!" Jasper shouted angrily.

He quickly grabbed the phone from Eden's hand and sent the video to his phone. After that, he stood up and made a call.

Eden also quickly dialed Jaida's number.

"Hello! Eden." Jaida's voice was slightly wheezing on the other end of the phone. It seemed like she was trotting.

Eden's heart tightened when she heard that. She suppressed the fear in her heart and asked, "Mother, is Gia with you?"

"Eden, Kenny and I are looking for Gia. She went to buy water on the way but she hasn't come back after fifteen minutes. I am now looking for her near the supermarket outside the bookstore."

When Eden heard that, she bit her lower lip hard and swallowed before saying, "Mom, you and Kenny can

come back first. You won't be able to find Gia there."

Jaida asked anxiously, "Eden, what do you mean by that? Do you know where Gia is? Did something happen to Gia?"

"Mom, Bethany had abducted Gia." Eden said in anguish. She closed her eyes tightly and forced herself to calm down.

She couldn't lose her mind at the moment.

"Eden, don't worry, I will call your father now. Remember, don't go anywhere. Just wait for me to come back." Jaida hung up the phone quickly.

She took Kenny's hand, stopped a taxi and headed home.

She sent a WhatsApp message to Zaiden in the taxi.

Zaiden replied to her quickly and asked her to go back to accompany Eden. He would send someone to save Gia.

Eden had just opened her eyes when her cell phone rang again. She glanced at it and quickly picked up the phone. "Hello! Dad! I was about to call you. Bethany took Gia away." Zaiden had many connections and he could find Gia faster than her.

A kind and caring voice came from the other side of the phone. "Eden, don't worry. I already knew that. Send me the message that Bethany had sent to you.

I will ask someone to check it out."

"Okay. Thank you, Dad!" Eden hung up the phone quickly and forwarded the video that Bethany had sent her to Zaiden.

At the same time, Jasper had returned to the room. He was calm and restrained at the moment.

Jasper sat down next to Eden and gently held her in his arms. He could feel that her slender body was trembling slightly. He hugged her tightly and supported her.

He comforted her in a low voice. "Eden, I have already sent someone to investigate the matter. There will be news soon. You don't have to worry too much!"

"Okay!" Eden leaned on his chest quietly and rubbed her lightly as if she was seeking comfort.

Jasper was slightly stunned by her slight movement. His suit jacket was not buttoned up and there was only a layer of white shirt above his warm skin.

Eden was only anxious at the moment and she didn't notice the look on Jasper's handsome face. His dark eyes were so deep that he couldn't wait to make her his.

Jasper hugged her quietly and his gaze was unusually cold. Bethany was playing with fire this time.

The notification from the phone on the table rang again. Eden got up quickly, picked up the phone and clicked open the message.

[Cyan, I will kill your daughter immediately if you call the police. Call Victor immediately and tell him not to acquire my company and stop the meeting with the shareholder. Otherwise, you can wait to collect your daughter's corpse.]

Eden realized that Bethany was testing her.

She quickly sent a message, [I don't know Victor.]

Both Bethany and Eden were testing each other.

Anyway, Eden had never admitted that she was Cyan.

There was still no response from Bethany a few minutes after Eden had sent the message.

Eden started to panic.

She could tell that Bethany still had doubts in her heart.

Jasper said, "Eden, don't reply to Bethany anymore from now onwards. Let her confuse herself."

Eden nodded slightly. She was worried that Bethany was sure that she was Cyan at the moment. If Bethany didn't make a move, Eden would continue to waste time with her patiently.

Eden had been waiting patiently only to receive another video from Bethany. It was a video of someone beating Gia.

"Bethany, you b*stard." Eden scolded in a low voice.

She grabbed her phone and called Victor. At the moment, she only wanted Gia to be safe.

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Victor was drinking with Lucian at the moment. He looked at his mobile phone and remembered that Eden had been slapped by Aisling today and was a little distracted.

He was worried about Eden. He took out his phone and wanted to call Eden. However, he couldn't do it when he looked at Eden's phone number.

Victor's phone rang suddenly. He suppressed his excitement when he saw that it was from Eden. He glanced at Lucian who had his head down and was not speaking, and said, "Lucian, I'm going out to answer a call."

He stood up and headed outside as he spoke without waiting for Lucian's reply.

He walked out of the door very quickly and picked up the phone.

"Hello... Eden!"

Before Victor could say anything, Eden's urgent voice came from the other side of the phone, "Victor, Bethany has abducted my daughter. Can you push back your acquisition plan?"

I know my request is very..."

Victor's eyes turned cold and he quickly interrupted her. "Eden, don't worry. I will ask Anson to stop the acquisition plan but you have to tell me what happened.

Gia was taken away by Bethany. Where was she taken to? Tell me everything. I will send someone to investigate the matter immediately!"

Victor suppressed the anger and urgency in his heart and asked patiently.

Eden was slightly stunned. She glanced at the phone quickly. She didn't expect that Victor would really stop the acquisition.

She quickly said, "Mr. Alwynn, thank you for stopping the acquisition. I will explain it to you later."

After that, she hung up the phone.

"Hello! Eden, Eden..." Victor glanced at the phone quickly when he heard the phone beeping.

"D*mn it!!" He shouted angrily and quickly sent a WhatsApp message to Anson.

Anson was sitting in the general manager's seat in the spacious, bright and luxurious office.

He was carefully listening to the discussion of the shareholders.

Suddenly, his WhatsApp notification sounded. It was the special notification tone that Anson had set for Victor's message.

He quickly picked up his phone to look at the message when he heard the beep in the shareholders' meeting.

He thought that he had seen wrongly the first time he read the message. He widened his eyes and looked at it again.

He was not mistaken this time. Victor had asked him to stop the meeting.

That was because Bethany had abducted Gia.

Anson quickly glanced at Bethany, who was sitting not far away. She had a calm look on her face.

She had acted like she was going to tear him into pieces when she argued openly with him a while ago. But now, she looked calm and composed!

It turned out that she had a leverage.

Hehe...

Anson sneered in his heart. The Gienger family would suffer even more than losing their company for daring to abduct Victor's daughter!

Anson glanced at the crowd and spoke casually, "We've already had a meeting for two hours. Let's rest for an hour and we'll continue after dinner!"

It would be enough to give Victor an hour, judging from his capability!

"Okay!"

"It's good to have a rest. We will also have time to think about it."

The shareholders agreed to Anson's suggestion.

They were a little restless after sitting there for two hours.

Anson said with a smile, "Thank you everyone. Please come back on time after an hour!"

Anson immediately texted Victor after he had finished speaking.

[Victor, the meeting is halted. You have one hour.]

Victor's gaze was extremely sharp and cold when he saw that.

He quickly turned back to the bar and dragged the half-drunk Lucian out. He called Eden while he walked.

Bethany heaved a sigh of relief when she saw the shareholders leaving the conference room one by one. She had an hour to deal with Victor.

A hint of malice flashed across her eyes. She didn't care if Eden was Cyan or not but she was sure that Cyan would not be able to defeat her!

She felt that it was time to get some interest back for raising Cyan for more than ten years.

She had indeed earned a lot of money from the business seven years ago.

She did not expect that the current Cyan was even more exploitable than the Cyan seven years ago!

She had indeed earned a lot of money after she ran over Cyan!

Children should express gratitude to their parents who raised them. Cyan would not be able to repay her for the rest of her life.

Brody and Antony also heaved a sigh of relief.

Antony looked at Anson who was playing with his phone with his head lowered. He asked Bethany in a low voice, "Mom, what should we do now?"

Bethany smiled coldly and said confidently, "Antony, don't worry. I have a way! Eden is Cyan. I have sent someone to abduct her daughter and threatened her to stop the meeting and Victor's acquisition immediately. My actions have immediate results. Victor cares about Eden so we can use this to deal with him.

After all, we were the ones who had raised her. She is gentle and kind!

She will just not sit back and watch us getting into trouble!"

Antony knew that nothing good would happen if they were involved in Victor's affair!

He said angrily, "Mom, how dare you threaten Victor?"

Antony suddenly panicked and was no longer as calm as he was a while ago.

Brody also said in disbelief, "Bethany, are you seeking death? Kidnapping is a crime. Even if our company is acquired, we would still have some shares but if you do that, you are driving our family into a corner."

Bethany glared at him angrily. "Shut up, you good-for-nothing. Haven't we done something like this before? Don't worry. Those people won't betray us!"

The company's management must be in our hands, otherwise, those missing taxes will be enough to send our entire family to prison."

Brody dared not say a word when he heard that.

Bethany had always felt that he was useless. Her gaze was arrogant and contemptuous every time she looked at him.

Brody had long been accustomed to Bethany's behavior.

Besides being handsome, he was useless to her.

Anson looked at Bethany and asked, "Bethany, aren't you guys hungry? Aren't you going to have dinner?"

Bethany smiled coldly and said, "Manager Skye, why do you have to say something like that to annoy me? Our family is about to go bankrupt. How do we have the mood to eat now?"

Anson nodded with a smile and said seriously, "That's true. However, if you don't go and eat now, I'm afraid it'll be very difficult for you to have a decent meal again in the future."

When Bethany heard that, she glared at him and said, "Anson, what do you mean by that?"

"Hehe..." Anson sneered, "Bethany, you have done so many bad things. Be careful of karma." Anson talked and laughed casually, and his eyes were cold.

He thought of Gia's cute little face and hoped that nothing bad had happened to her.

Otherwise, he would not spare Bethany.

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Eden finally answered the phone when Victor called her the third time.

Victor said angrily, "Eden, why didn't you answer the phone?"

Eden did not speak when she heard his roar and anxious voice. She did not want to trouble him. With Zaiden and Jasper's people investigating the matter, she believed she would receive the news soon.

She said, "I don't want to bother you, Mr. Alwynn. Jasper and my father's men have already gone to investigate the matter. I believe there will be news from them soon."

Victor roared, "What about me? What do you take me for?"

Did she have to push him away all the time?

"Mr. Alwynn..."

Victor said angrily, "Tell me where Gia is at the moment. No one knows River City better than me."

When Eden heard that, she gritted her teeth and said, "Okay. Wait for a while. I'll send you the video!"

After that, Eden hung up the phone quickly and sent the video to Victor. She also told him the place where Gia was taken away.

Victor had already gotten into the car at the moment. He watched the two videos. In one of the videos, Gia was tied and the other showed her being kicked by someone.

Victor roared angrily, "B*stard!"

His black and handsome eyes darkened.

He glanced at Lucian, who was sitting in the back seat with his eyes closed, and said angrily, "Lucian, wake up immediately."

Lucian opened his eyes helplessly and looked at Victor's angry face.

He opened his mouth slowly and said in a hoarse voice, "I'm awake. You can drive to the company!"

Victor heaved a sigh of relief inexplicably when he heard that!

Victor drove quickly in the direction of the company. At the same time, he called Adonis, sent the videos to him and asked him to bring some people to search for Gia.

The location in the video was an abandoned building.

Adonis had been in charge of the real estate business all the while. Thus, he was more familiar with it than Anson.

Adonis took action quickly.

The pitch black night without even a single trace of starlight caused the atmosphere to be heavy.

Victor and Lucian returned to the company quickly.

Lucian returned to his desk. He was half drunk and his face was blushing, making him look even more handsome.

He turned on the computer and traced Adonis's location. His every move was elegant.

He had also watched the videos and was trying to trace the IP address.

When Victor saw that, he made a cup of tea and put it in front of him.

Giada was taken away from the bookstore in the city center. Thus, Lucian started to check the surveillance footage in that area.

Lucian looked at the tea in front of him, raised his head and looked at Victor deeply for a while. He slowly withdrew his gaze and fixed it on the computer without saying a word.

Meanwhile, Kenny and Jaida had rushed back to Eden's house.

Kenny went straight to Eden's room when he got home.

Jasper and Eden were also waiting for the news!

"Mom, give me the phone." Kenny grabbed Eden's phone and ran downstairs after he had finished speaking.

Kenny had already gone downstairs before Eden could react.

Eden chased after him and shouted, "Kenny, what are you doing?"

Kenny went back to his room and locked the door from inside.

Eden was shut outside Kenny's room. Jaida came over and pulled her to sit on the sofa at the side.

Jasper followed them downstairs.

Kenny sent the videos to his mobile phone, turned on the computer quickly and sent the videos to his master's computer.

River City was very big. Only his master was able to find Gia quickly.

His phone rang immediately after he sent the videos to his master.

"Hello! Master, something has happened to Gia. Can you access all the surveillance footage in River City on your end?"

"Seven, you can do this on your own and you don't need my help. You can try to do it."

Kenny refused, "Master, I am restless at the moment. It would be hard for me to do that! The address is at a convenience store at the entrance of the bookstore in the city center."

The other end of the phone was silent for a moment before his master said, "Alright. Seven, give me two minutes."

Kenny glanced at the computer and said, "Master, please take screenshots of the route and send them to the IP address I gave you last time."

"Okay, I got it. Seven, don't worry, it will be done soon."

"Okay! Thank you, Master!" Kenny's hand that was holding the phone, was sweating. He felt as though his heart was stabbed by a knife when he saw Gia being kicked by someone.

Two minutes later, a complacent voice came from the other end of the phone, "Seven, it's done."

"Okay! Thank you, Master!" Kenny heaved a sigh of relief.

After hanging up the phone, he picked up Eden's cell phone and walked out.

He opened the door and walked to the living room.

He would give Victor a chance because he could sense that Eden had feelings for him.

He walked to the living room slowly. His heart began to throb when he saw how lonely and helpless Eden

was.

At that moment, he wished that he could grow up quickly so that he could become the pillar of his family.

He looked at Jasper and apologized in his heart. Jasper was a great guy but...

Kenny blinked his eyes slightly. No one in the family could bear to hurt Jasper.

He walked to Eden and said, "Mom, your phone."

Eden looked up at Kenny, took the phone and pulled him to sit down beside her. She did not ask the reason he took her phone because Kenny had never let her worry.

The living room was silent and nobody spoke a word!

At the Alwynn Group!

A lot of screenshots suddenly appeared on Lucian's computer screen.

Lucian widened his handsome eyes and said quickly, "Victor, look at this quickly."

Victor took a few steps forward and saw the screenshots of Gia being taken away. He immediately dialed Adonis's number when he saw Gia's final location.

"Adonis, go to the crappy building of Western City

and call the police."

Victor hung up the phone when he had finished speaking. He picked up his car key and walked out. Lucian turned off the computer quickly and left with him.

Victor called Eden as he walked.

"Hello!" Eden answered the phone immediately.

"Eden, I've found Gia. I'll send you the address."

"Okay! Thank you!" Eden hung up the phone.

Jaida's phone rang at the same time.

She answered the phone quickly, "Hello! Zaiden."

"Jaida, I have found Gia. I'll go there right now. Ask Eden not to worry."

"Okay! That's great!" Jaida was so excited that she nearly burst into tears.

Victor had already sent Eden the address.

Eden got up and said, "Mom, you and Kenny stay at home. I am going there now."

Jaida looked at her worriedly. "Eden, your father is on his way there. He will bring Gia back."

Eden shook her head and said, "Mom, Gia must be very scared now. I have to stay by her side at this time." Eden insisted on going.

Jasper stood up and said, "Aunt Jaida, don't worry, I will accompany Eden there." "Okay!" Jaida looked at him and smiled gratefully.

Jasper and Eden left quickly.

Jaida closed her eyes slightly but she still had a worried expression on her face.

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"Grandma!" Kenny looked at Jaida worriedly.

His heart ached for Jaida when he saw the worried look on her face. Jaida had treated his siblings and him very well ever since they were kids. She had accompanied them patiently no matter how rowdy they were.

She was even closer to them than other people's grandmothers were to their grandchildren.

Jaida opened her eyes and looked at Kenny. She smiled lovingly and comforted him softly, "Kenny, don't be afraid. Gia will be fine."

"Yes!" Kenny smiled faintly. He was grateful that they had found Gia. They would bring her back soon if they acted fast.

Jaida suddenly remembered that Kenny had not eaten yet.

She glanced at the time and realized that Zofia was coming back soon.

She called Zofia and ordered takeout online.

After that, she waited quietly in the living room with Kenny.

Victor and Lucian were already at the entrance of

the West Tower when Eden and Jasper reached there.

Four policemen also arrived at the scene.

All of them met when they got out of the car!

"Eden!" Victor looked at her worriedly.

When Jasper saw that, he leaned his body to the side slightly and moved in front of Eden.

He looked at Victor coldly.

His gaze seemed to be telling Victor not to get close to Eden.

Victor's eyes darkened and he had a cold expression on his well-defined face when he saw that.

Eden came out from behind Jasper and asked, "Mr. Alwynn, where is Gia?"

Victor's eyes darkened even more when he heard Eden calling him Mr. Alwynn.

He looked at her pale face. Her lustrous lips had cracked due to worry.

He said in a low and hoarse voice, "She is in this crappy building. Adonis has already brought some men upstairs. This is Graeme. We're going up now."

Victor glanced at Eden deeply after he had finished introducing Graeme to her. His eyes were filled with bitterness. He and Lucian led the way together.

Adonis was leading five or six security personnel of the company. All of them were young and strong even after they had retired from the military. They were good buddies with Adonis and were dedicated to their work!

They arrived at the messy room on the third floor. The two men who had abducted Gia were unaware of their presence at the moment.

Both of them were playing with their phones with their heads lowered.

They were shocked when someone broke into the room and were held down to the ground before they could even make a sound.

Adonis took out his phone and called Victor quickly.

"Victor, the first room on the left on the third floor."

After hanging up the phone, he walked towards Gia who was curled up at the corner.

Victor told Graeme about the location of the room after he hung up the phone.

He rushed up the stairs alone as fast as he could.

Lucian was puzzled when he saw that. That was not his child. Why was he so anxious?

He laughed at himself after that. Victor was really serious towards Eden.

He had never seen Victor so agitated and impatient before.

Eden quickened her pace as Jasper guarded her carefully, afraid that she would fall down.

At the moment, Giada was covered with dirt. Her beautiful little face was covered with dust and her pretty hair was messy.

Although she was sitting in the corner and her hands and feet were tied up, there was not a trace of timidity in her big bright eyes.

Adonis had walked to Giada's side. He was about to squat down when he heard Victor's urgent voice coming from behind him.

"Gia."

Adonis looked back and saw Victor who was sweating all over his head. Victor walked past him quickly.

"Gia, are you hurt?" Victor asked as he untied the rope on her little hand.

Giada didn't expect that the first person to save her would be the uncle she'd only met twice.

Giada blinked her beautiful big eyes and smiled lightly, "Uncle, I'm fine. I was only kicked by them twice! It was very painful at that time but I'm fine now!" Her sweet voice was somewhat teasing.

Victor was convinced that Giada was his daughter. She was able to stay calm in such a situation without any trace of fear on her face.

He quickly untied the rope on her feet.

Giada was wearing a short-sleeved shirt and shorts, and there was a large bruise on her fair legs.

She had lost one of her white canvas shoes and there were obvious scrapes at the back of her foot. She seemed like she had been dragged across the floor. Her knees were also full of bruises.

Victor's eyes were filled with pity.

Graeme who had rushed over, shone the flashlight on Victor's side face and his handsome outline was illuminated by the lights clearly.

Giada could clearly see Victor's cold and distressed expression.

Graeme's people handcuffed the two men who were held on the ground and took them away. They also reminded Victor and Eden to go to the police station to make a statement after that.

Victor nodded and carried Gia in his arms carefully.

"Don't be afraid, Gia. I'll take you to the hospital right now." There was an unconcealable heartache in his deep voice.

Giada smiled and said, "Uncle, why do I have to go to the hospital? I just have a few scrapes. I can just apply disinfectant and medicine on them when I get home!"

Victor looked at her and said solemnly, "Gia, no. You must go to the hospital." "Gia." Eden was panting while she ran over to Gia.

Giada saw that Eden was drenched in sweat and her exquisite eyes were filled with worry. Her expression darkened and she clutched her hands tightly.

She smiled and said, "Mom, why are you running so fast? I'm fine."

When Adonis heard that, he couldn't help but say, "Hey! Are you really a child? Shouldn't a child your age be wailing and throwing yourself into your mother's arms after such an encounter? Why are you so abnormal?"

When Giada heard that, she looked at him with disdain and said sarcastically, "Do I have to cry just because I'm a child? How embarrassing would that be? I was just kidnapped by someone. Can crying solve the problem?"

If I were to make a scene, would I still be standing here in one piece and talking loudly to you like this?

I did not read and watch television every day for nothing."

"Ah..." Adonis instantly looked at Giada with admiration.

He turned around and glanced at Eden who was sweating profusely. He said happily, "Director Bleu, I also want to have such a clever and sensible

daughter. Come home with me. I'll marry you!"

Eden was taken aback.

Jasper and Victor's faces darkened instantly.

"Hehe!" Eden laughed awkwardly. She was a little confused by Adonis' straightforwardness.

She said with a smile, "Mr. Church, you can't make such a joke."

"How can I not..." Lucian stopped Adonis before he could finish his words.

"Adonis, is this the time to talk about these things?" He warned him with his gaze. Victor was a vengeful man.

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Adonis could smell the stench of alcohol on Lucian. He glanced at him and asked, with a frown "Lucian, why didn't you invite me to drink with you?"

Why is now not the right time to do that? Isn't Gia alright? She is such a great daughter. It is natural that everybody wants to bring her home and keep her!"

Lucian looked at him deeply when he heard that. He wanted to save Adonis but Adonis was looking for trouble.

Didn't he see the terrifying look on Victor's face?

He said softly, "Adonis, you should pay attention to the occasion when you speak!"

Adonis scrutinized Lucian. He tugged at the corner of his lips lightly and fixed his gaze on Giada. He asked with a smile, "Gia, are you willing to go back with me? There are many ragdolls in my house!" Adonis spoke temptingly.

He simply wanted to bring Gia back to be his daughter.

Victor glared at him coldly.

Adonis lowered his head when he saw that. He believed that Victor wouldn't do anything to him because he was his best friend after all. He continued to smile at Giada.

Eden felt that Adonis would never stop.

Giada smiled and said, "Uncle, even though you like me very much, I still have no reason to go home with you. I'm afraid that you'll be beaten by your mother if I follow you home!"

Victor who had a grim look on his face wanted to laugh when he heard that.

"Er..." Adonis looked at Giada who had a sly smile on her face and suddenly felt that a thunderbolt struck him.

Would he be beaten by his mother if she took a daughter back home?

His mother had been looking forward to having grandchildren for a long time!

"Hehe..." He looked at Gia and smiled. He was about to speak when a clear voice sounded behind him.

"It seems that someone is trying to snatch my granddaughter away from me?" Zaiden's elegant figure slowly appeared in front of everyone. He was dressed in a well-tailored and expensive suit and he stood out from the crowd. He had an elegant smile on his face and his every move was noble and classy!

Zaiden was indeed a sophisticated man.

Everyone's attention was fixed on him the moment he showed up.

Eden smiled and asked, "Dad, why are you here?"

Zaiden looked at her with a doting smile. "Eden, didn't I tell you to wait at home? Why are you also here?"

Eden said, "Dad, I'm worried!"

Zaiden said, "I know that you are worried! You have let me worry about you! I will deal with the police later. You don't have to bother about that. As long as I am here, no one can bully you!"

Zaiden's words were doting and protective at the same time.

Eden smiled gratefully, showing her bright eyes and white teeth when she looked at the elegant and kind Zaiden.

A noble person could be easily distinguished by his outstanding qualities.

Zaiden had always been an outstanding person ever since Eden had known him.

"Okay!" She nodded gently. For the first time, she felt happy to have a father.

Victor and Jasper were the only ones who had remained calm at the scene.

Lucian had always been calm and polished but when he heard Eden calling Zaiden as her father, there was a look of disbelief on his refined and handsome face.

The newspaper had mentioned that Zaiden was married and had a daughter.

When Lucian looked at the back of Zaiden's daughter, he felt that it was a little familiar but he didn't expect she would turn out to be Eden.

Adonis was in charge of the real estate business so he was no stranger to Zaiden's fame.

He was tongue-tied. He stammered, "Mr. Calder, I... I didn't mishear it, did I? Director... Director Bleu called you... Dad!"

Zaiden said with a playful smile, "Why? You're younger than me but are you more deaf than me?"

"Er..." Adonis felt that he was struck by a hundred thunderbolts. The news was simply too shocking.

Anson had seen the news that Zaiden, the real estate tycoon, had gotten married and had a daughter one evening. He and his mother studied the news for a long time. They wondered who Zaiden's daughter was and how could such a lucky person exist.

Zaiden had family assets worth hundred millions of dollars but he lived a very low-key life. He was a mysterious man in the business world.

Adonis suddenly felt that his mother would not be able to sleep for three days if he went back and told her the news tonight.

After all, Zaiden was the man of his mother's dream when she was young!

Lucian looked at Eden deeply without saying a word.

Zaiden glanced at Victor, who was carrying Gia and his handsome eyes darkened.

He asked with a smile, "Gia, are you okay?"

Giada smiled sweetly. "Grandpa, I'm fine. Wasn't it just kidnapping? I was careless this time. I will be very careful in the future so that you and Grandma don't have to worry about me."

Giada's words were truly pleasing to the ears!

She really liked her grandfather, Zaiden.

"Haha..." Zaiden's hearty and joyful laugh echoed in everyone's ears.

Everyone was infected and had a faint smile on their faces.

Zaiden gently rubbed his messy hair and said in a kind and soft tone, "Gia, you are indeed my granddaughter. It's good that you are alright. Go back with your mother first. I will go back after I deal with the matter!"

Giada smiled and said, "Grandpa, you must come back soon. I will wait for you to have supper together."

"Okay!" Zaiden nodded with a smile. He turned to look at Jasper and said, "Jasper, follow me to the police station."

"I..." Jasper pointed at himself. "Uncle Calder, I want to send Eden and Gia back."

What was Zaiden up to?

Zaiden could have solved the problem alone but why did he want to bring him along?

Zaiden laughed and said, "Yes, you. My assistant is dealing with some things at the moment. You have to drive me there."

Jasper looked at Zaiden's smile and felt that Zaiden was acting odd and had ulterior motives.

Jasper glanced at Eden and asked, "Uncle Calder, what about Eden?"

Zaiden still had a smile on his face as he spoke, "Eden can drive your car back with Gia. If you are still worried, I can let Eden drive my car back and you can send me to the police station with your car!"

He wanted to prevent Jasper from sending Eden back. After all, he was aware that Victor was Jaida's son.

Victor looked at Zaiden deeply. He somehow felt that Zaiden was helping him!

However, he got rid of the thought quickly!

Why would Zaiden want to help him?

Was it because of Jaida?

Victor said, "You guys go ahead. I'll bring Eden back. Gia's body is full of bruises. I'll bring them to the hospital first."

Victor looked at Lucian and Adonis and said, "Both of you should go to the police station as well."

Adonis retorted quickly, "Why do we have to go there?"

Lucian did not speak. He pulled Adonis and headed the other way.

Adonis had never been able to judge a situation. He had never learned his lesson even though he had suffered many times at the hands of Victor.

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Adonis spoke as he walked, "Lucian, why are you pulling me?"

Lucian walked even faster when he heard that!

"Alright! I'll go with you. Can you slow down?"

"Noisy!" Lucian's voice was filled with dissatisfaction.

"Lucian, my mom would be angered to death if I said only a few words like you. I really don't know how your mother could stand a son like you!"

Adonis' chattering voice gradually faded away.

Eden shook her head helplessly. Victor, Anson, Lucian and Adonis were rumored to be remarkable. Only people who were in the same circle as them would realize that they had unique personalities.

However, Eden could only use the word 'weird' to describe them!

The people who came along with Adonis also left with Adonis and Lucian.

Eden looked at Victor and said, "Mr. Alwynn, give Gia to me! You don't need to send us off. Thank you for today, Mr. Alwynn..."

Victor held Gia in his arms with a grim expression on his face and didn't say anything as his eyes darkened. Before Eden could finish her words, he walked past her and went downstairs directly with Gia in his arms.

Eden frowned when he saw that. She didn't want him to be too exhausted.

She was very grateful to him for what had happened today. Thus, she wanted him to go back early and rest!

Zaiden laughed and said, "Eden, go ahead. Jasper and I will be back soon."

Eden said with a smile, "Okay, Dad!" She looked at Jasper again and said gratefully, "Jasper, thank you."

"Silly, why are you being so polite to me? Do you have so little regard for our friendship?"

Just go back with a peace of mind!

I have no choice but to go there since Uncle Calder had specifically asked me to go with him." After Jasper had finished speaking, he looked meaningfully at Zaiden with a smile on his face.

Zaiden also looked at him with a smile and didn't say anything.

Eden looked at both of them and all of them went downstairs together.

Jasper glanced at Victor who was not far away. He gave his car key to Eden and said, "Eden, you'd better take Gia to the hospital."

"Okay!" Eden took the keys, bade goodbye to Jasper and Zaiden, and walked towards Victor.

Gia said with a smile, "Mom, you drive. I want to be carried by uncle."

Eden frowned at Gia. Victor had successfully made Gia like him in such a short period of time.

She looked at Gia and said coquettishly, "Gia, are you abandoning your mother?"

Giada quickly wrapped her arms around Victor's neck affectionately and said, "Mom, why would I abandon you? I just think that Uncle Victor is very nice." She just wanted to find a father for herself and a husband for Eden.

She was planning everything in her mind.

Eden looked at Victor suddenly when she heard Gia praising Victor.

Victor looked at her with a smug smile on his face. He was happy that Gia liked her. His anger had subsided when he heard Gia's words.

Eden looked at him with a displeased expression on her face. "Victor, why are you smiling so happily? I won't allow you to snatch Gia away from me."

Although Gia was very mischievous, she was also very considerate.

"Eden, I won't steal your daughter from you!" He wanted to share Gia with Eden instead. However, he didn't express his thoughts on that.

He smiled gently at Eden, showing his charms.

Eden looked at him with her deep eyes and said lightly, "That's great!"

After that, she walked towards Jasper's car.

Victor also carried Gia into the car.

Eden did not start the car immediately. She took out the phone she used to communicate with Bethany instead.

She closed her eyes for a while after turning on the phone. When she opened her eyes, she became several times colder than before.

She had finally made a decision. She lowered her head and looked at her phone before she quickly typed a few lines of words.

[Bethany, I've found my daughter. I'm going to give you a big present now!]

Bethany was unaware that her plans had fallen apart and had been calling Victor.

Victor's phone was dead at the moment. Bethany had made dozens of phone calls to him but her calls did not get through.

She was a little anxious and she wanted to dial

Victor's number again.

Suddenly, a text message popped up on her phone screen.

She was stunned when she saw the message.

She received another message shortly after that.

"Bethany, I'll get back everything that you've owed me this time and expose all the things that you've done secretly."

Bethany received a video at the end.

Bethany played the video quickly and saw Brody and a voluptuous woman hugging each other intimately in a cafe. A little boy was sitting next to them and he actually called Brody father!

Eden knew that Bethany loved Brody very much even though he was timid and could not deal with major situations. Otherwise, she would not have suffered together with Brody back then.

It wasn't easy for the two of them to support each other until today!

However, Brody was not as good as Bethany had thought!

The video would be a very heavy blow to her.

The main reason Eden came back to River City was to witness the Gienger family pay the price for their actions.

However, she didn't expect Bethany would pay the price for other things!

Bethany watched the video several times to make sure that she did not see and hear wrongly. She was so angry that her whole body trembled.

"Ah..." Bethany lost control of herself and shouted like a madman when she heard the kid calling Brody "Dad".

She turned around quickly and looked at Brody who was standing behind her.

Brody was about to question her the reason she was acting crazy.

Before he could even open his mouth, Bethany slapped him hard on the face.

The sound of the slaps caused Anson who was standing not far away, to widen his eyes in surprise.

Bethany was scary when she went crazy!

Anson maintained the same posture and looked at Bethany from the moment she started to scream crazily.

Brody was enraged after he was slapped several times by Bethany. He could no longer maintain his grace.

He pushed Bethany angrily without controlling his strength. Bethany stumbled backwards and hit the corner of the desk that was not far away.

Her waist hit the sharp corner of the table and she was in so much pain that blue veins bulged out on her forehead.

"Ah..." She let out a painful cry and tears flowed down her face instantly. She looked at the handsome Brody who was wearing a suit and leather shoes.

She felt as though her heart was being stabbed with a knife at the moment. She had accompanied him through the hardships over the years.

Bethany couldn't believe that she was betrayed by a good-for-nothing man like Brody. She roared at Brody madly, "Brody, you son of a b*tch. How dare you have another woman behind my back. Even your son has already grown so big!"

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At the moment, only Anson, Brody and Bethany were in the spacious office.

Antony took advantage of the time to persuade the shareholders.

Anson was stunned when he heard the explosive news.

When he came back to his senses, he quickly fixed his curious gaze at the honest-looking Brody.

Brody looked like a modest gentleman. Anson had never expected him to have another woman and a son behind Bethany's back!

Brody had really hidden his true colors.

Brody, whom Anson knew, was a timid person who could not handle heavy responsibilities.

No matter what the occasion was, Brody would always bring Bethany with him. Most of the time, it was Bethany who single-handedly negotiated the business deals.

Tsktsktsk!!

One couldn't really judge a book by its cover!

Brody looked at Bethany with his mouth agape. How did Bethany know about that?

His eyes flickered and he didn't dare to meet Bethany's painful and cold gaze.

Bethany looked at Brody who was quiet and timid. Her mind was in a mess and she felt even more depressed.

She felt as though there was a huge rock laying on her chest, making it hard for her to breathe.

She wanted to find a way to release all the frustration that had built up in her heart.

Since the day she was married to Brody, she had never thought that he would betray her one day.

Brody had behaved very well in front of her.

She really didn't expect that an honest person like Brody would betray her in the end. His child seemed to be about at least eight or nine years old!

Bethany looked at Brody in pain.

She became more and more furious. Besides having to deal with the company's issues, she now had to deal with Brody's betrayal.

She was suffering at the moment. Her forehead was covered with sweat and she looked extremely pale after hitting the table. Before she broke down, she asked angrily, "Brody, have I not treated you well? Haven't I endured the hardships with you all these years? Didn't I give birth to your children and raise them? Have I embarrassed you outside? Why did you betray me?"

Her angry and painful questioning left Brody speechless.

What made Bethany angrier was that there weren't any clues that led her to suspect Brady's betrayal.

She had thought that he went out every week for the sake of the company and that he didn't come back because the social engagements ended too late!

She trusted him very much but he still betrayed her trust in the end.

She had done a lot of immoral things in her life. She had sent Cyan, the daughter whom she had raised, to an old man for her own benefits.

When Brody borrowed money from loan sharks, Bethany brought the family and fled to the forest in the mountains, for his sake. She had never done any rough work before but she stayed in the forest for several years.

She had endured everything for Brody.

How could he bear to treat her like that?

There were two kinds of impulses in a person's life. The first one was undaunted love and the second one was spontaneous travelling.

She had countless impulses for Brody.

She had used all kinds

of intrigue and trickery to get

to where she was today.

She had climbed from the trough of her life to her present position. She was unscrupulous and did not complain about how unfair her fate was. She only wanted her family to have a better life than anyone else.

However, all her efforts were in vain in the end.

She was partly responsible for Brody having a mistress and a son.

Bethany roared at Brody angrily and crazily again, "Brody, you are an immoral person. Why don't you speak? Why don't you answer my questions?"

Anson's gaze landed on Brody. He also wanted to know why such an honest person would betray his wife.

Anson would never betray Abigail for the rest of his life if he married her in the future. He would treasure and dote on her instead!

At the moment, Anson was transparent to Bethany and Brody.

Brody looked at Bethany with a flicker in his eyes. He knew Bethany would not give up if she did not get the answer.

He knew her character very well because they had been husband and wife for decades after all.

He had a guilty look on his face and said in a low

voice, "Aisling, you are dedicated as a wife but you are too arrogant as a woman. All you did was to tell me what to do and call me dumb.

Although you only scold me at home, I am still a man and I have my own dignity. I like women who are gentle and kind.

Do you still remember the fight we had years ago?

It was the night when you kicked Eden out. I brought her back and you scolded me the moment I entered the house. That child might not be our own flesh and blood but she was clever and sensible. How could she survive if she was kicked out of the family at that age?

I went to the bar that night after I quarreled with you.

I met Freya that night and went to the hotel with her after I was drunk. We became more familiar with each other after that. She is very gentle and very considerate. I couldn't help but fall in love with her.

One thing led to another. We got together and she was pregnant after that. I asked her to give birth to the child because I was indebted to her." Brody even bought a house for Freya and the child after that.

However, he dared not tell Bethany about the matter. Judging by Bethany's temper, she would ignore him for the rest of her life if she knew about it.

Anson widened his eyes. Brody had betrayed

Bethany because he met the woman of his dream in a bar.

"Hehe..." Bethany raised her head and sneered. There was a trace of sorrow in her laughter.

The sneer became helpless and sad in the end.

Tears flowed down Bethany's face and her voice was filled with sobs, "Brody, even if you want to find a woman, you should find an innocent one.

Aren't you just trampling on my self-esteem by finding a woman from a bar?"

Brody was speechless and he quietly looked at Bethany's sad and miserable face.

A faint smile appeared on Bethany's miserable face and the corner of her mouth trembled slightly when she saw Brody's behavior. She wiped the tears from her face and suppressed the sorrow in her heart.

She warned herself in her heart that it was not worthy to shed tears for such a man!

However, there was still indescribable sadness in her eyes.

After a while, she said sadly, "Brody, let's divorce!"

She did not want to see this disgusting man again no matter what she was coming next.

She could start from the beginning if she lost the company. Brody was the man she had been guarding for a lifetime but she had already lost him now. She was no longer afraid of losing anything else.

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Brody looked at Bethany in shock when he heard the word "divorce".

In the past, Bethany had never asked for a divorce no matter how hard their lives were or how bad they had quarreled.

He somehow panicked when he heard her say the word for the first time today.

It was not that his heart didn't ache for her when he saw how distraught she was but that he really didn't know what to say at the moment.

Everything that he said now would be wrong!

He said quickly, "Aisling, I'm not getting a divorce!" His tone was firm and he looked at her guiltily.

"Haha..." Bethany laughed miserably. She walked hurriedly to Brody, grabbed his collar and said word by word angrily, "Brody, if you still have a conscience, divorce me immediately."

She hated to be betrayed, especially by her closest and most beloved person.

She could understand why Cyan had betrayed her. After all, she had never been nice to Cyan. She could actually understand the things that Cyan did today.

However, Brody was different. He was the person who had gone through the hardships with her until the present day.

They had been through ups and downs together for more than twenty memorable years.

Brody lowered his head and did not dare to speak.

Bethany became enraged when she realized that Brody was going to keep silent again. She roared at Brody desperately, "Brody, are you a human? I did all the things for you and our family.

But what about you? Why do you have to embarrass me before you're willing to stop?"

Brody still remained silent. He would never agree to divorce Bethany.

However, if he didn't agree to the divorce, this matter would become a part of their daily quarrel in the future.

He knew Bethany's character very well. She could hold onto a mistake that he had done and nagged about it for the rest of her life.

Moreover, this was a serious matter!

He would hear her mentioning the matter every day at home and she would remind him all the time that he had betrayed her and the family.

Didn't he have an affair because of her bad temper?

Brody was feeling extremely torn in his heart. At the same time, he was seeking an excuse for himself.

"Brody, say something! Do you know what I hate most? The thing that I hate most is when you refuse to speak when you have done something wrong.

What do you want? Tell me clearly!" Bethany roared angrily. She felt like she was going crazy.

"Aisling, I..." Brody was about to speak when he suddenly saw three policemen entering the room.

One of them was Graeme.

Graeme looked at Bethany and said, "Bethany, you're suspected of being involved in a kidnapping case.

Please come with us!"

Bethany calmed down when she heard that.

She turned around and looked at Graeme with teary eyes.

She had already forgotten about the issue because of Brody's matter.

Anson looked at Graeme, stood up and said with a smile, "Graeme, it's been a while since we last met!"

Only then did Bethany realize Anson's presence. She was too angry and shocked just now that she had forgotten that Anson was there and had let him watch a good show!

Graeme also said with a smile, "Mr. Skye, it's been a

long time since we last met!"

After that, Graeme hinted at the two men behind him.

The two men stepped forward and the younger police officer said, "Bethany, please come with us!"

Bethany let go of Brody's collar slowly. She turned around with a distraught look and left quietly with Graeme and the other policemen.

Brody chased after her when he saw that. "Aisling, Aisling..."

Anson shook his head slightly.

He thought to himself that Bethany had reaped what she had sown.

He picked up his phone to look at the time.

"Ah, it's exactly an hour. Victor's actions were very fast. It seems that the acquisition plan will go very smoothly tonight." He muttered to himself and returned to his seat.

He had to finish dealing with today's issues no matter how long it would take.

Eden drove Victor and Gia to the hospital to clean Gia's wounds.

Giada and Victor enjoyed talking to each other on the way. On the other hand, Eden had something on her mind.

She did not interrupt Victor and his daughter's conversation.

It was not easy for her to make such a decision tonight!

After all, mistakes are usually circulated from one person to another!

She felt that there was a knot in her heart when she exposed Bethany!

Victor could tell that Eden was in a bad mood. He would glance at her via the rear-view mirror while he talked to Gia. He felt uncomfortable when he saw that she had no expression on her face and there was a hint of sorrow in her eyes.

Eden did not say a word all the way even when she came out of the hospital. She just drove the car seriously.

When the car stopped at the intersection of the red traffic lights, Eden asked, "Mr. Alwynn, where do you live? I will bring you back first before I go back with Gia."

Victor glanced at her for a moment before he said lightly, "Eden, I'll take a taxi from here. You bring Gia back to rest first."

Eden turned her head and glanced at him. She tugged at the corners of her lips and said, "I'll have to trouble you to go back by yourself then, Mr.

Alwynn."

The tone of her voice remained indifferent. Victor looked at her deeply for a moment without speaking. He slowly withdrew his gaze from her and looked at Gia's happy little face. "Gia, have a good rest when you go back!"

Giada nodded with a smile. "Goodbye, Uncle Victor!" Her voice was crisp and pleasant!

Victor couldn't help but smile. He opened the door and got out of the car.

He looked at Eden and reminded her, "Eden, drive carefully!"

Eden answered faintly, "Okay!"

Victor smiled coldly and charmingly, "Eden, see you tomorrow!"

After that, he curled his lips into a smile and turned around. He placed his hand in his pocket and walked gracefully to the side of the road to stop a taxi

Eden looked at Victor's upright back under the neon lights and felt an inexplicable sense of security!

She could tell that Victor was deliberately approaching her...

Gia saw that the traffic light had turned green but Eden was still looking at Victor's back. She yelled, "Mom, the traffic lights have turned green. You can go now."

Eden came back to her senses suddenly and quickly started the car.

Giada asked with a smile, "Mom, do you like Uncle Victor?"

Eden who was driving, was shocked by Gia's words that she almost hit the brakes.

She glanced at the rear-view mirror at Gia who was smiling and asked with a smile, "Gia, do you know what it feels to like someone?"

Giada answered seriously, "Mom, how can I not know? Love happens when two people are willing to be together with each other! Isn't that what the television says? Besides, I think Uncle Victor is a nice person.

Kenny, Ricky and I like him very much!"

Eden smiled helplessly and did not say anything.

It was not that she didn't want to speak but she couldn't answer Gia's question.

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Eden gripped the steering wheel tightly.

Speaking of Victor, she thought of something else.

When Bethany's matter was over, she would personally investigate her identity. She would only be satisfied when the doubts in her heart were cleared.

She couldn't get any information from Bethany. Even if she was not willing to give up, there was no other way.

She would continue to investigate the matter when Bethany's matter was over.

She wanted to meet with Bethany if she had the opportunity to do so.

She would feel better if she talked things out with Bethany.

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She couldn't help but ask again, "Mom, why don't you speak? Don't you like Uncle Victor?"

Eden smiled helplessly. "Gia, there are many types of love. Which kind of love do you wish I have for Victor?"

Giada was interested when she heard that. She leaned forward and whispered into Eden's ear, "Mom, of course the husband-and-wife kind of love. Uncle Victor is very rich. Besides, he takes good care of you."

For some reasons, Gia wanted Victor to be her father.

The feeling was very strong!

Eden was dumbfounded and didn't say anything when she heard that.

She knew that Gia and Kenny longed for a father even though they didn't say it aloud.

She said in a deep voice, "Gia, go back to your seat and sit properly. Your knees are full of wounds.

You'll have to suffer again if you accidentally touch your wounds."

When Giada saw that Eden had changed the topic, she lost interest and leaned against her seat. She pouted and did not say a word.

Eden smiled slightly and didn't say anything.

She glanced at Giada from the rear-view mirror and her heart was in pain!

Victor saw that the lights were still on when he returned home.

He frowned in confusion. Did Anson arrive home earlier than him?

He keyed in the password and changed his shoes at the entrance. When he looked up, he saw Lucian sitting in the living room with his head down. Lucian seemed to have something on his mind.

Victor was a little surprised and he teased, "Lucian, why are you at my house so late at night?"

Lucian was well known for listening to his mother. He would never do anything that would worry his mother.

Victor was really surprised that Lucian hadn't gone home so late at night.

Lucian raised his head and looked at Victor coldly.

Victor walked over indifferently.

Victor and Lucian looked at each other and knew that both of them were in a bad mood.

Victor collapsed on the sofa and raised his head slightly with a desolate expression on his face.

Lucian raised his head slowly and looked at him. He asked, "Are you in a bad mood?"

Victor did not answer the question. He asked, "Have you finished handling the matter?"

Lucian responded lightly, "Yes!"

Victor suddenly looked at Lucian with a wicked and charming smile. He asked, "Lucian, it's rare for you to come to my house. Tell me, what are you

interested in?"

Lucian looked at him and blinked his handsome eyes. A hint of interest flashed across his twinkling eyes.

He forced a smile and said, "Victor, the address of the guy who had helped us again tonight is a foreign address but it's different from the address last time!"

Victor narrowed his eyes slightly when he heard that. He said in a serious tone, "You still can't find out that guy's address?"

"I can't. His address is different everytime. Besides, he's very fast. He used less than two minutes to take the screenshots." Lucian had always been very curious about the identity of that person.

"According to what you have said, that person is not Kenny." Victor had been dying to investigate the matter too!

Lucian narrowed his eyes slightly and the corners of his lips curled into a mysterious smile. "He has something to do with it. I'm certain that he's a hacker."

Lucian had finally met an opponent this time. He had always thought that he was fast. He did not expect his opponent to be faster than him!

Victor said, "Just because you saw the book Kenny read in the bookstore?" "That's right!" Lucian's gaze was firm when he looked at him.

Victor didn't say anything and waited for Lucian to continue instead.

He had suspected Kenny before but he had no evidence!

"I have checked the surveillance footage. He will read the books that are related to hacking every time he goes to the bookstore. On the other hand, Gia reads the books related to drawing."

There was a painting exhibition in Gate City some time ago. My father's friend bought an ink painting of a lotus that cost two hundred and ninety thousand dollars. Gia was the author of the painting."

Lucian finished speaking in one go for the first time.

Victor sat up straight in shock and asked seriously, "Lucian, are you sure that the author of the lotus ink painting was really Gia whom we had saved tonight?" Victor was very excited. He did not know that Gia had a painting exhibition. If he did, he would definitely go there.

Lucian looked at Victor who had become very excited as if Gia was his daughter. He said sarcastically, "Victor, Gia is not your daughter. Why are you so excited? On second thoughts, she will be your daughter if you marry Eden."

Victor looked at Lucian discontentedly. Gia was actually his daughter.

Lucian would be envious if he knew that in the future!

He raised his eyebrows proudly and said, "Lucian, just watch. I will marry Eden. Don't be too envious when the time comes."

Lucian smiled coldly. There was a hint of bitterness in the smile.

He said faintly, "Treat her well!"

When Victor heard that, he suddenly knew the reason Lucian went to drink the past few nights.

He patted Lucian's shoulder gently. "Lucian, you have to also get married quickly!"

Lucian suddenly lowered his head and did not look at Victor. He replied perfunctorily, "We'll talk about it when I find a suitable woman!"

"Okay!" Victor knew Lucian's temper very well.

Lucian did not know how to flirt with girls. He could only wait for the girl to come up to him!

Victor twitched the corners of his mouth slightly and looked at Lucian. "Lucian, I really want to know the type of girl who could win your heart!"

Lucian looked at him and complex emotions suddenly welled up in his eyes. He learned from Victor and did not answer the question, "I'm here to tell you about what happened tonight. Since I have already told you that, it's time for me to go back."

Lucian stood up as he spoke.

Victor stopped him when he saw that, "Lucian, don't go. I'll be alone if you leave."

Lucian paused, turned around and glanced at him before he sat back in his seat silently.

He looked at Victor and didn't say a word.

Victor sat there quietly and didn't say a word too.

Both of them sat there silently and did not talk to each other.

They had similar personalities. Thus, they didn't feel uncomfortable at the moment.

After a few minutes, Lucian asked, "What do you plan to do after you acquire the Gienger family's company?"

Victor inhaled slightly. He had acquired the Gienger family's company because of Eden.

He would not allow anyone to bully the people he cared about.

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"I haven't thought about it yet. I'll make a decision tomorrow." Victor got up and walked to the refrigerator after he had finished speaking.

He took out a few cans of beer from the refrigerator and placed them on the table before looking at Lucian.

"You didn't have enough. Have some more!"

Lucian glanced at the beer on the table and shook his head slightly. "I don't want to drink at the moment!"

"Let's talk then!" Victor sat down next to him.

He didn't like to drink. Anson was the one who had bought the beers.

The beers were reserved for Lucian and Adonis when they came over. All of them would drink together occasionally.

"What do you want to talk about?" Lucian looked at Victor calmly.

Both of them didn't like to talk, so it was hard for them to chat with each other!

Victor thought for a moment and said, "Lucian, I truly like Eden. You will understand in the future."

Lucian's eyes darkened and he looked at Victor silently.

Victor added, "I will marry her!"

Lucian replied indifferently, "I could tell." He lowered his head so that Victor could not see the expression on his face clearly. There was a strong emotion surging in his clear eyes.

"So, the past few days, you..."

"It's not what you think." Lucian suddenly interrupted Victor and looked at him with a cold and complicated gaze. It was hard to see through Lucian's thought from his misty eyes.

Victor smiled lightly. He changed the subject and said, "Lucian, this is the first time that I've loved a person. My love for her has never changed since I was a child."

"We all know that. Victor, is it necessary to bring that up again? But..." Lucian frowned suddenly as if he had thought of something. "That's not right. Victor, the person you love is Eden Clement. Aren't you slapping yourself in the face by saying things like that?"

Lucian looked at him sternly.

He had a lot of things on his mind the past few days and he only realized that now.

Eden Bleu and Eden Clement were two different people.

Victor laughed and said sarcastically, "Lucian, you are usually smart. Do you think I will simply treat a woman differently?"

Lucian narrowed his eyes when he saw the confident expression on Victor's face. He said excitedly, "Eden Bleu is Eden Clement?"

Victor smiled suddenly and nodded warmly. Lucian would no longer be in a dilemma or in pain now.

Lucian was his good buddy who grew up with him together. How could he not understand Lucian's thoughts?

"Lucian, she's the Eden that I've been waiting for, for the last twenty years. She's back."

Lucian leaned back in shock. For the first time, he had an incredulous expression on his handsome face.

After a while, he scolded angrily, "Victor, you b*stard. Why didn't you tell me that earlier? You let Anson know but you kept me and Adonis in the dark. Do you think that it is fun to do that?"

Lucian grew more and more enraged as he spoke. He even gnashed his teeth in anger when he spoke the last few words.

He wanted to get up and beat Victor so badly at the moment. How could Victor do that?

Lucian had to admit that he had fallen in love with Eden the first time he met her.

That was the first time he had seen such a pure and tranquil woman. He was attracted by her eyes the most.

He was not good at words but he was very attentive. He was good at observing people and could determine their personalities and tell whether they were kind hearted or not.

He liked Eden and had been suppressing his feelings for her. He also drank because of her.

His relationship with Eden had ended before it could even begin!

Even though Lucian was enraged, Victor still looked at him quietly.

Victor watched the different emotions that flashed across Lucian's eyes. There was pain, helplessness and some other strong emotions.

He knew that it was the first time Lucian had fallen in love with a woman. That was why he had the patience to sit down and chat with him.

Most importantly, Lucian was one of his most sincere friends.

Sometimes, they would have to talk things out so that there wouldn't be any misunderstanding between them, especially when Eden was involved in it. Victor's line was crossed if Eden was hurt!

"It's not fun!" Victor answered him lightly in a hoarse voice.

He added, "But it's not too late to tell you now!"

Anger flashed across Lucian's eyes and the sorrow on his face deepened.

He closed his eyes slightly. That was the first time he had revealed his true feelings in front of Victor.

It turned out that Eden Bleu was Eden Clement. No wonder he was attracted to her eyes.

In his memory, Eden Clement's eyes were also surprisingly beautiful.

Her clear eyes were able to captivate people.

Lucian seemed to slowly remember the little girl who liked to follow Victor all day long.

Lucian looked at Victor angrily and asked, "Victor, you have long known her identity. Why didn't you tell Mrs. Clement? You even let Mrs. Clement bully her. Even Haven..."

Lucian wanted to speak but stopped on second thoughts. He seemed to realize Victor's concern.

Seeing that Lucian had figured that out, Victor smiled faintly and said, "Lucian, we have to wait for a while before we reveal Eden's identity."

Lucian asked, "What about the children?" He wanted to know whether Victor would truly accept Eden's children or not.

Victor smiled warmly and couldn't conceal the happiness in his eyes. He said, "Lucian, the children are mine."

"What do you mean?" Lucian looked at him in confusion. He didn't know whether to believe Victor's words or not. He narrowed his eyes and exuded a dangerous aura.

Victor said lightly, "Lucian, since we have talked so much. I don't mind telling you another piece of news. Eden was the woman who spent the night with me seven years ago. Hence, the three children are mine!"

Lucian felt as though he had been struck by bolts of lightning.

He looked at Victor with his mouth agape and his eyes were filled with shock. He couldn't believe that there could be such a coincidence in the world. He was too shocked to say anything for a moment!

Victor looked at Lucian's reaction and felt like it was similar to his when he first knew about it. However, he was more excited than Lucian back then

Lucian came back to his senses and he said with a trembling voice, "Victor, why are you so lucky? How could the three children be yours? Do you have such good genes?" His tone was filled with shock and

surprise.

This piece of news was just too crazy. He had never heard of anything more shocking than this before.

Victor's eyes darkened when he heard that. "Sigh! Lucian, what's wrong with me? The three children share the same blood as me. I have already done the paternity test. Is it necessary to say something like that to me? Do I look very weak?"

D*mned it!!

Lucian had actually suspected that he was not the father of the three children!