

Good bye 421

Chapter 421 Become someone else's wife

Alain Ducasse was the new king of Z Country, and his succession to the throne naturally made the headlines of various newspapers in Z Country, becoming the latest news headlines.

It didn't take long for what happened at the palace banquet to spread throughout the streets and alleys of Z Country, and naturally it also reached the ears of Stefan who had just arrived in Z Country.

Stefan was still in his hotel room when he saw the news.

He wanted to use his mobile phone to search for some folk customs of Z Country, but who knew that he would see the latest news headlines.

The headlines of these news were very eye-catching, and they all speculated about the new King Ducasse and the daughter of the Lucas family.

The new King Ducasse and the daughter of the Lucas family, Martha, were a perfect match in terms of looks and talent.

King Ducasse's first dance after succeeding to the throne was with the daughter of the Lucas family. Does this mean that she has already been chosen as his future wife?

The new King Ducasse and the daughter of the Lucas family look at each other affectionately. Will the queen be the daughter of the Lucas family?

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In addition to these headlines and articles, Martha's photo was attached to the headlines.

In the photo, Martha was dressed up to attend the palace banquet. She was completely different from her past, elegant and dignified as if she grew up in Z Country.

In addition, some pictures were taken when Martha and Ducasse danced together, and the poses were obviously very intimate.

When Stefan saw this, his pupils shrank suddenly, his hand holding the phone tightened suddenly, and he looked at the woman in the phone with a gloomy expression.

It'd been a long time since their wedding day, and he didn't expect to see Martha again like this.

She was dressed up to attend the palace banquet, with a just right smile on her mouth, and her behavior was very elegant.

All these things were telling him that Martha was really the long-lost daughter of the Lucas family.

But, was she really going to marry The new King Ducasse and become the queen of Z Country?

The assistant standing aside was also shocked when he saw this scene.

With his mouth half open, he looked at the photos on his phone with a dull expression.

They had gone through a lot to come to Z Country, but they didn't expect to see this scene.

He didn't even expect that Martha would be the daughter of the Lucas family now.

In the past few days, they had been walking around the streets to inquire about Martha's news, and naturally they also know a lot about the Lucas family.

It was said that the Lucas family was a big family with a century-old foundation, and its power should not be underestimated.

Now, the news about Martha and the new king spread throughout this country. Did it mean that Martha really wants to marry the prince.

The assistant thought so in his mind, and couldn't help asking.

"Is Martha going to be the queen of this kingdom?"

Stefan's eyes darkened, and the temperature in the room dropped several degrees.

The assistant standing next to him shuddered unconsciously, pursed his lips and dared not speak any more.

He knew that Mr. Harrison came all the way to take Martha back.

Now Martha had been found, but... given the status gap, Martha might not go back with Mr. Harrison.

The assistant was very worried about Mr. Harrison's current situation, but he didn't dare to ask more questions about Mr. Harrison's current performance.

After a while of silence in the room, it was Stefan who broke the silence first.

"Go and investigate where the Lucas family is right now."

The assistant was stunned for a while, then asked suspiciously, "What excuses can we use to visit the Lucas family?"

"It's not good to act rashly without a plan."

After thinking for a while, the assistant persuaded Stefan, hoping that Stefan would not completely lose his mind because of today's headlines.

But after seeing the news, how could Stefan hold back and continue to wait?

He couldn't wait any longer now.

If this continued, his wife would soon become someone else's!

Chapter 423 The murderer is someone else

Jimmy was still waiting for her in the country, as well as her father, and that man...

Martha looked at Louis excitedly, feeling a dull pain in her heart.

Louis frowned handsomely, stretched out his hand to hold Martha's arm, and said in a helpless voice.

"But this is your home, and we are your family."

Martha immediately shook her head in denial, and looked at Louis' eyes with great resistance.

She pushed Louis away forcefully, and said angrily, "No, you are not my family!"

Seeing Martha so emotional at this moment made Louis feel sorry for her. He wanted to explain something but was afraid of causing a scene in public.

Now, he could already feel strange eyes falling on them from around him, and if he continued, he was afraid that everyone would notice them.

Finally, he sighed helplessly, and finally took a step back.

"Don't get excited, you go back to the Lucas family first, wait for you to go back and calm down, and talk about other things later."

Martha narrowed her eyes slightly, bit her lower lip tightly and said nothing.

She understood that they were outside the palace where it wasn't appropriate to draw attention.

Louis sighed again helplessly then left behind some complicated words before leaving.

"Martha, this is not your hometown. Don't take this as your hometown. In this place, either you die or someone else lives; no one will let you off easily."

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When Martha got in the car, she just felt distraught.

The breeze outside the window cleared her mind a little, but what Louis just said was still circling in her mind.

In this place, either you die, or someone else lives; no one will let you off easily.

Originally, she thought that after coming here, as long as others didn't offend her, she wouldn't bother others, but... now things were getting more and more complicated.

The next second, Sam, who had been waiting for Martha in the car, looked up at the driver sitting in front, and said coldly, "Go back."

Martha glanced sideways at the man sitting next to her, pursed her lips and said nothing.

Daisy left in anger after leaving the palace, so now there are only two people in the car going back to the Lucas family.

In fact, Martha had already figured out what was going on.

Daisy really wanted to marry King Ducasse and become the new queen, but unfortunately for her, King Ducasse was interested in her.

The thought of this gave Martha a headache. She didn't want to get involved with anyone else. At this time, Sam, who was sitting next to her, naturally saw Martha's absent-mindedness and worry.

He crossed his hands over his chest, his thin lips were slightly parted, and an indifferent voice sounded in the car.

“Now you should know that Eve brought you back mainly for you to become the new king’s wife and become Z Country’s queen.”

Martha turned her head and looked at Sam with slightly narrowed eyes. She sarcastically asked.

“Don’t you want that too?”

Sam nodded slightly, not trying to hide his purpose in the slightest.

He looked indifferently at Martha who was very similar to Elsie, and said in a cold voice, “I am just an adopted son of the Lucas family, and the status of the Lucas family had nothing to do with me. Of course, I won’t covet the power and status to the Lucas family.”

Sam paused here before continuing in a heavier tone, “However, I have the same goal as you.”

Martha frowned slightly, looking at Sam with obvious puzzlement.

She came here primarily to find out who was behind everything and give justice for her mother.

Could it be that the man sitting next to him...

Soon, Sam spoke again, confirming Martha’s guess.

“Yes, to avenge your mother.”

After Martha came back to her senses, she slightly curled her lips and smiled mockingly.

She didn’t really think that, Sam was a man who wanted nothing.

Thinking of this in her heart, she didn’t hide her guess on the surface, and said indifferently, “You said you don’t want power and status, I don’t believe what you said.”

As Louis said, everyone here lives for themselves, seeking power and status, but how could Sam, who grew up in the Lucas family, be an exception?

Sam knew what Martha was thinking, and knew that she didn’t believe what he said, and there was no point in saying it now.

His eyes darkened, and a cold and heartless voice sounded in the car.

“I know you don’t believe me, but you have to understand the current situation.”

“Eve suspects that Gage caused your mother’s death, so she wanted you to marry King Ducasse to find out the truth.”

Martha narrowed her eyes slightly, and asked coldly, “What about you? You think so too?”

Sam shook his head lightly when he heard this, “I’m the opposite of Eve, I don’t think these things were done by Gage. Once your mother left, Gage naturally got the rights and status he wanted.”

“Except for the position of the head of the Lucas family, Gage has everything he wants. And as long as he ensures that your mother lives abroad well, you won’t come back here to compete with him.”

“So, he doesn’t want to take your mother’s life. If he makes a move, things will only get worse.”

Martha frowned thoughtfully upon hearing this.

She couldn't deny that Sam's analysis made sense; however there was still a possibility that Gage might want to eliminate all potential threats.

She lowered her eyes, and after some deliberation, she still didn't know who to trust at this moment.

She frowned even tighter, raised her eyes and asked, "If this is the case, then why do you still want me to marry into the royal family?"

Sam looked at the woman in front of him seriously, with complex expressions in his pupils.

After a while, he said clearly, "Because I suspect that the person who killed your mother was someone from the royal family."

Martha's pupils shrank suddenly, and she looked at the man with shock.

Someone from the royal family?

What did her mother's death have to do with the royal family?

Chapter 424 Desire to Conquer

The royal family, the queen dowager's bedchamber.

At this time, King Ducasse and the queen dowager were sitting at the table chatting.

The two talked about what happened at the palace banquet tonight.

The corners of King Ducasse's mouth curled slightly, and he said with a smile, "I think Martha is very good at the palace banquet tonight, what do you think, mother?"

The queen looked at her son and smiled, but the smile was not expressive.

The queen's full name was Catherine Hopper, and the power of her mother's family, the Hopper family, in Z Country should not be underestimated.

In Z Country, apart from the Lucas family, only the Hopper family was oriental.

The Lucas family was very prosperous in the past, and it was wealthy in the early days.

Only later, because Elsie escaped from marriage and did not marry into the royal family, the Lucas family began to decline slowly and became what it was today.

Afterwards, the Hopper family, who was a little inferior to the Lucas family, sent the daughter of the Hopper family, Catherine, to replace Elsie and become the concubine of the prince at that time.

It was also at that time that the status of the Hopper family made a qualitative leap, surpassing the Lucas family in one fell swoop to become the largest family in Z Country.

And the Lucas family started declining slowly until today.

Now that his son fell in love with the daughter of the Lucas family, Catherine reminisced about old memories.

As she watches her matured son show interest in someone else, Catherine felt content but disappointed that it happened to be Elsie's daughter.

Catherine clenched her hands tightly by her side, she lowered her eyes, and after thinking for a while, she asked with a smile, "Then what do you think of the other daughter of the Lucas family?"

King Ducasse was slightly taken aback when he heard this.

The color in his eyes darkened, and he thought about Daisy's appearance seriously, but unfortunately he didn't have much impression of her.

In fact, when his father was still alive, his father had already told him before – marrying the Lucas Family would be ideal given their century-old heritage; only through joining forces could Z Country prosper even more.

"King Ducasse, what are you thinking?"

Catherine waited for a long time but did not hear her son's answer, she frowned suspiciously, and looked at the other party with obvious worry in her eyes.

After King Ducasse came back to his senses, he smiled silently.

He listened to his mother just now, and tried to recall what kind of person Daisy, another daughter of the Lucas family, was, but the only person who remembered was Martha.

Martha was brave and decisive, and dared to argue at the palace banquet, and her rebuttals were unexpected.

In particular, after knowing that he had a crush on her, instead of being ecstatic like ordinary people, she rejected him coldly.

King Ducasse couldn't imagine what kind of person could refuse his marriage proposal, and he never thought that anyone would refuse him, and Martha was the first person.

His long and narrow golden eyes lit up, and the voice of a slight smile sounded in the room.

"I don't have any special impression of Daisy, and I only saw Martha at the palace banquet."

Hearing this, Catherine tightened her clenched hands again, but smiled gently on her face, showing no objection at all.

King Ducasse took a sip from the wine glass in front of him, and asked softly, "Does the queen want me to choose another daughter from the Lucas family?"

If his mother wanted him to marry Daisy, he could consider it.

After all, his mother was the closest person to him.

When Catherine heard this, the corners of her mouth curled up unconsciously, but she didn't express her thoughts.

She smiled and shook her head, still in her usual generous and decent appearance.

“Your marriage is your own decision.”

“So does that mean you don’t object if I choose Martha?”

King Ducasse frowned slightly, looking into his mother’s eyes with a bit of shock.

He thought Martha was the Lucas family’s long-lost daughter who didn’t grow up in Z Country nor knew its etiquette. If he chose her as queen now, his mother would object.

But unexpectedly, she allowed him to make his own choice instead of opposing it outrightly.

Perhaps, his mother wanted him to choose a wife he really liked.

The next second, Catherine interrupted King Ducasse’s thoughts-

“The person you choose will not only be your queen but also your wife. So naturally it should be someone you are satisfied with.”

Hearing this, King Ducasse looked at the queen with a softer look.

“Mother, you’re right.”

Catherine pursed her red lips slightly, smiled slightly, and gave a few words of advice like a loving mother.

“Although your marriage is ultimately your decision alone; whoever becomes your queen must shoulder Z Country affairs alongside you.”

“So you must consider carefully whether the daughter recovered by the Lucas family can take on this important task.”

King Ducasse pursed his thin lips tightly, and nodded slightly, his serious look clearly meant to agree with Catherine.

Sitting next to him, the queen continued speaking after seeing her son had listened, “If you really choose her, then you need to prepare her to become a qualified candidate for queen, do not be so tolerant just because she has been living in another country for years...”

Catherine’s words were not finished, but King Ducasse naturally understood what his mother meant after talking about it.

In the end, his mother was afraid that he would impulsively choose Martha as his queen without thinking rationally.

A person who becomes a queen must not only be born in a noble family, but also be capable of handling affairs. Otherwise, the royal family of Z Country may become unstable.

King Ducasse lightly shook the glass in his hand and unconsciously thought back on everything that happened between him and Martha today.

Based on tonight’s situation, Martha’s attitude towards him wasn’t very good. She didn’t seem like someone who flattered others.

But it was precisely because of this that made him feel a desire to conquer her.

King Ducasse narrowed his eyes slightly with great interest...

Chapter 425 I want to play with her

After the palace banquet ended, Daisy went back to the Lucas family alone.

It never occurred to her that it would be someone as lowly as Martha who danced the first dance with the new king.

In her opinion, someone of unknown origin like Martha shouldn't even have been allowed at the banquet in the first place!

Once she returned home alone and went straight into her room where she threw things around until they broke. Just when she smashed a vase onto the ground outside of her door there came an urgent knocking sound from outside of it too suddenly for comfort.

"Get lost!"

"Sis? It's me."

Andrew replied in a deep voice, and opened the door of his sister's room with a serious face.

He didn't know what happened at the palace banquet today until Daisy returned to the Lucas family.

He didn't expect that a lowly person like Martha dared to reprimand the duke's daughters at the palace banquet, and still get the favor of King Ducasse.

In his opinion, the reason why Martha was able to shine at today's palace banquet was because she was attractive enough.

Upon entering Daisy's room he ignored all broken pieces scattered across its floor while focusing solely on comforting his sister who stood amidst them looking disheveled.

"Sis, don't be angry. Maybe King Ducasse just finds the oriental look intriguing," Andrew said, trying to calm Daisy down.

"Intriguing?" Daisy retorted angrily. "I saw how she was trying to seduce the king. She clearly wants to become a queen!"

"No matter how good-looking she is, she can't compare to you, sis! You are a lady who grew up in the Lucas family. How can someone of unknown origin compare to you?"

Andrew sneered at Martha, showing his disdain for her.

Hearing this, Daisy not only didn't calm down, but became even more angry.

Daisy's anger only grew when she heard this and she grabbed a nearby cup and threw it on the ground while raising her voice.

"If you have time to comfort me here, why don't you go kill her?"

Andrew paused for a moment when he heard this and couldn't help but picture Martha's face in his mind – the same woman who had protected that little maid so fiercely in the garden that day.

No one had ever dared defy him like that before at Lucas family except for her.

And then today at the palace banquet where Martha attended dressed like an angel fallen from heaven itself...

Thinking about Martha's charm made Andrew smirk wickedly as he said.

"Rather than killing her, I'd rather play with her."

Daisy furrowed her brows skeptically as she looked at him and became even more displeased when he expressed desire towards that despicable woman..

Martha was just some lowly person of unknown status; why would even her own brother harbor such thoughts towards someone like that?

The more Daisy thought about it, the more disgusted she became by this woman who not only caught King Ducasse's attention but now also seemed to have captured Andrew's interest too...

She took a deep breath before grabbing another cup and smashing it on the ground while asking.

"When did you start having these thoughts about her?"

"I..." Andrew opened his mouth wanting to explain himself but found himself unable to do so.

Just then Daisy suddenly changed direction of conversation as if struck by an idea; narrowing eyes slightly as if thinking deeply.

If Martha was raped by her younger brother in Z Country, then she wouldn't deserve to be a queen anymore!

At that point perhaps King Ducasse wouldn't even give Daisy another glance anymore...Daisy thought to herself, but couldn't help asking out loud, "Andrew, do you want her?"

"What are you going to do?"

Andrew saw the smirk on his sister's face, and he had a bad premonition in his heart.

Before he could react, Daisy's smile grew wider and more radiant.

"I'll help you. If you sleep with her, she won't dare compete with me for the position of queen!"

"Sis, that's a great idea. We kill two birds with one stone." Andrew narrowed his eyes and smirked.

After what Martha did to him before, he would definitely get back at her twice as hard and make her understand that he was not someone to be messed with.

Thinking of this, he couldn't help coveting Martha's beauty in his mind.

After he came back to his senses, he suddenly frowned, and looked at his sister worriedly.

"But how should we proceed? I can tell Martha is very guarded; things might not be so simple."

“You’re stupid, she’s not from Z Country, and naturally she doesn’t know everything here. If you want to sleep with her, isn’t it just a matter of burning incense?”

Daisy sneered mockingly as calculating light shone in her golden eyes.

After hearing this, Andrew nodded slightly.

They had no reason not to go through with it since it was killing two birds with one stone.

They exchanged a strange grin between them...

Chapter 426 I have no right to blame her

On the other hand, Eden immediately left for Z Country after receiving the latest news from Stefan.

By the time he arrived at Z Country, two days had passed.

When the assistant and Stefan were both in the room, there was a sudden knock on the door outside the room, causing Stefan’s handsome eyebrows to furrow slightly.

He wondered who could possibly be coming at such an hour.

He narrowed his eyes slightly, looking in the direction of the door vigilantly.

Soon the assistant stared at Stefan’s stern expression and walked towards the door, opening the room.

Eden stood at the door, looking at Stefan with obvious anxiety.

After he received the assistant’s news, he rushed over.

He didn’t expect that Martha left because of the Lucas family affairs, and he didn’t expect that Martha to be the granddaughter of the Lucas family.

Now, everything got tricky.

Eden walked into the room quickly, looking at Stefan who was sitting on the sofa with a heavy expression.

Stefan’s eyes darkened, and he looked at the assistant standing aside with a stern look.

He knew that Eden could find this place, the assistant must have sent him here.

It was just that he didn’t ask his assistant to notify Eden...

The assistant met Mr. Harrison’s eyes, trembled unconsciously, and quickly looked at Stefan with an innocent look.

Things had come to this point, and he felt that if Eden didn’t come, something would happen.

He couldn’t persuade Mr. Harrison anymore, so the only person who could talk to Mr. Harrison was Eden.

He smiled wryly, bowed his head guiltily and said, “Mr. Harrison, Eden must have come here in such a hurry, he must not have reserved a room. I’ll go down and reserve a room for Eden.”

After the assistant finished saying this, he turned around and left the room, and closed the door thoughtfully.

He believed that Eden and Mr. Harrison would discuss what to do next.

After the assistant left the room, there was a brief silence in the room.

Soon, Stefan broke the silence.

“How did you come?”

“If I don’t come, you may be impulsive.”

Eden watched Stefan, turned around and walked to the other side of the sofa to sit down.

Upon hearing Eden’s words, Stefan’s face suddenly became more gloomy.

Martha was likely to marry the new king and become the queen of Z Country, which made him unable to calm down.

Stefan thought she left because of some other important matter, but he didn’t expect it to be...

No matter what, he would not stand by and watch Martha marry another man, even if that man was the king of Z Country.

Thinking of this, Stefan unconsciously tightened his hand, and the temperature around him dropped several degrees.

Hearing this, Eden sighed helplessly, pursing his thin lips tightly.

He knew about this situation from his assistant.

When he heard the news, he immediately packed up things from home and transferred to Z Country, fearing that Stefan would lose his mind because of these things.

Although Martha should not have left at the wedding, there may be other reasons.

Eden’s eyes darkened, his thin lips parted slightly, and he spoke to comfort Stefan.

“Martha is not that type of person who would give up on Jimmy and her family so easily.”

“Have you ever considered that maybe she had no choice in the matter?”

Stefan heard this and his hand, which was resting at his side, tightened again. His dark eyes became even more profound.

He knew Martha must have had her reasons, but he still couldn’t accept the fact that she was going to marry another man.

Eden felt the temperature in the room drop again, and there was a bit of bitterness unconsciously in his eyes.

No one expected things to come to this point, all he could do now was prevent things from getting worse.

He rubbed his temples wearily, and said in a deep voice, “Stefan, I know Martha’s sudden departure during our wedding caused you great distress. But you need to understand her and believe in her.”

“Think about it – when she faked her death and left you before, she went abroad alone while pregnant with your child despite risking harm to herself.”

“If Martha were really heartless like you think she is, would she have done something like that?”

When Eden said this, he pursed his lips tightly as he gazed silently across at Stefan who lowered his eyelids revealing complex emotions within his eyes.

After a long time, his hoarse voice sounded in the room.

“I know that I don’t have the right to blame her for what happened until now. I’m responsible for all of this. If it weren’t for me, things wouldn’t be where they are today.”

Chapter 427 She has forgiven him

Eden sighed helplessly before speaking again with an obvious tone of resignation:

“You can’t pass away easily with your current identity. After all, Martha’s current identity is different from the past. Although the Lucas family is there, if you go there rashly, how can you explain your identity? How can you explain your sudden visit?”

Stefan sitting on the sofa opened his thin lips slightly, and was suddenly speechless.

What right did he have now to go to the Lucas family to find her? He couldn’t just go over there demanding that Martha should not marry the new king...

Seeing that Stefan didn’t speak, Eden naturally knew that the other party had listened to his own advice.

But he still continued: “Even if you really went to the Lucas family, are you going to say that you’re Martha’s husband? Or her ex-husband?”

The man’s eyelids drooped, his long and narrow black eyes dimmed, his thin lips were tightly pursed, and the hand by his side was already tightly clenched.

He knew that no matter what identity he had, it could cause Martha a lot of trouble. Moreover, he wasn’t sure about Martha’s current situation. In fact, he could imagine that if Martha’s situation wasn’t bad now, she wouldn’t have left Jimmy and Maxwell.

He should really think about her from her point of view.

After Stefan wanted to figure that out, he tried his best to restrain his impulse, and raised his eyes to Eden who was standing not far away with a wry smile.

“Then what should I do now?”

Eden watched Stefan, and then said complicatedly, “Now we can observe secretly, and when Martha leaves the Lucas family alone, we can meet her.”

“I’m afraid I won’t have this chance.”

Stefan anxiously stood up and looked at Eden with some impatience.

Martha was now the daughter of the Lucas family, would there be a chance to go out alone?

Eden naturally understood the man's worries, but suppressed his emotions and went over to pat the man on the shoulder.

"Don't worry, the new prince has just succeeded to the throne, so it is impossible to choose the queen so quickly. If the queen of a country is chosen so hastily, Z Country will perish long ago."

When Stefan heard this, his sanity recovered a lot, but his mood was still not good.

He was still worried that Martha would marry the new king, and also worried about her current situation.

Seeing that Stefan didn't speak, Eden could feel that Stefan was gradually calming down.

He suddenly remembered what Melissa had told him.

With complicated emotions in his eyes, he took out his phone, clicked on the video and handed it to the man who sat down on the sofa again.

The video was recorded by Melissa herself, with a cold face, obviously displeased with Stefan, but what she said next made Stefan's eyes shrink slightly.

"Stefan, I still don't like you, but at this moment, I have to tell you one thing, no matter how much I hate you, I know Martha cares about you."

The man sitting on the sofa narrowed his pupils, and he suddenly looked up at the video in Eden's hand.

The video was still playing, and soon Melissa revealed why Martha still cared about Stefan.

"The day before Martha ran away from marriage, she told me that she hoped that the final ending of this novel I wrote... would be complete and happy."

"She hopes that the hero and heroine in the novel will be together in the end and become a happy family of three with their child."

Stefan's complex eyes suddenly lit up as he stared at his phone screen, holding his breath for a moment.

He knew that Melissa's novel was about him and Martha, and her words meant that she hoped they would have a good ending.

Stefan lowered his eyelids and couldn't help but smile slightly.

Martha had already forgiven him, and now it was just fate and external obstacles standing in their way.

As long as they believed in each other and overcame difficulties, they would definitely end up together.

Just as Stefan was lost in thought, Melissa's warning voice interrupted his thoughts.

"Stefan, no matter what happens, you must bring Martha back!"

Chapter 428 A loose woman

The next morning, the Lucas family.

Martha had just woken up when she heard an urgent knocking on her door.

Before she could react, Daisy walked into her room without permission.

Martha frowned at the woman who entered her room uninvited and scolded her: "That's rude."

"In this family, no one dares to talk to me like that."

Daisy looked at Martha mockingly, and sneered back.

Martha frowned even tighter, looking at her with defensive eyes.

She didn't believe that Daisy came here without any ulterior motives; there might be some hidden conspiracy behind it all.

She suddenly remembered the incense last time in her mind, and couldn't help but take a step back, looking at the woman standing in front of her vigilantly.

But Daisy seemed oblivious to all of it; smilingly took another step forward towards Martha instead.

"What, are you scared?"

"Get out, this is my room."

Martha looked at the woman walking towards her indifferently, and there was obvious displeasure in her words.

Daisy naturally heard it too, but she shrugged her shoulders indifferently, and asked with a smile: "This is the Lucas family, you are a woman of unknown origin, what right do you have to let me out?"

Immediately afterwards, without waiting for Martha to speak, Daisy asked again.

"Say, have you been interested in the king for a long time? Do you want to be the queen?"

"I don't want to."

Martha tried her best to keep a safe distance from Daisy standing in front of her, so as not to accidentally get plotted against.

When Daisy heard this, she glared at Martha as if her nerves had been touched.

"If you don't want to, why did you hook up with King Ducasse at the palace banquet?"

"I'm not interested in being the queen."

Martha looked at the woman standing in front of her coldly, and her tone was a little impatient.

She came here to find out the truth about her mother's death, but all these people wanted to associate her with King Ducasse.

But she didn't think about it at all, she just wanted to find out the truth of the matter as soon as possible and leave here as soon as possible.

When Daisy heard this, she looked at Martha in front of her with a sneer, as if she had heard a big joke.

“You’re really good at pretending. If you didn’t want to be his wife, why did you deliberately draw attention and catch King Ducasse’s eye? Why did you flirt with him?”

Martha’s gaze turned icy upon hearing Daisy’s words; and the last bit of patience disappeared.

“If it weren’t for you, would I have suffered all this at the palace banquet? Now please leave; I need some alone time.”

“This is my house; what right do you have telling me what to do?” Daisy sneered and thought about secretly drugging Martha while she wasn’t paying attention.

But who would have thought that when she looked sideways, she saw an exquisite incense burner on the desk not far away.

She recognized the incense burner, and it contained detoxifying incense, aroma which could counteract Daisy’s incense.

Daisy clenched her hand by her side tightly while looking downcast eyes filled with complex emotions.

There must still be someone helping Martha inside this house or else how could there be such detoxifying incense burner around?

She quickly thought of everyone from the Lucas family in her mind but couldn’t figure out who this person was helping Martha.

With detoxifying incense around now, there was no way for Daisy’s plan of drugging Martha inside her room anymore

It seemed like she had no choice but go back and discuss things further with Andrew.

Daisy rolled her eyes, then stared angrily at the woman standing in front of her, and said sarcastically, “What, you’re going to hit me if I don’t leave?”

Martha heard this and became even more annoyed. Her tone of voice was colder as she spoke. “Please leave my room.”

Daisy who was standing in front of her was also very unhappy when she heard this.

Daisy, standing in front of her, was also displeased with this request. If it weren’t for the detoxifying aromatherapy, Martha would have already been drugged by now. How could Martha still accuse her like this?

She tightened her hand by her side, and suddenly stared at the woman standing in front of her with a sneer, and a mocking voice rang out in the room.

“Martha, do you really think you’re disguising yourself well?”

“Andrew had found out about your past history before. I just didn’t expose you publicly yet. How could you think that you can deceive everyone?”

Martha froze for a moment, and immediately knew what Daisy said about her being married in C Country and having Jimmy.

Before she could speak, Daisy's sarcastic voice sounded again in the room.

"You were married once abroad, but now you are just a loose woman that no one wants. What are you so proud of?"

"Do you think flirting with the king will make you his wife? Let me tell you something – don't be delusional because someone like you will never become a queen!"

Martha looked coldly at the hysterical woman standing in front of her without caring how much she insulted her.

So what if she had been married before and had a child?

Not to mention being able to become a queen, even if she could, she didn't want to be a queen either!

Soon enough Daisy's sneering voice echoed through the entire room again.

"You are a shameless person just like your mother. You want to get something that doesn't belong to you. Let me tell you..."

Before Daisy finished speaking Martha slapped her across the face.

She may tolerate insults towards herself but not towards her mother!

Daisy was taken aback for a moment, and after feeling the burning pain on her face, she wanted to hit back, but her hand was held down by Martha who stood in front of her with a cold face.

"I'm not someone who is easy to bully around; get out!"

Daisy standing in front of Martha trembled as fear crept into her expression when she saw how terrifying Martha could be – something she never expected from Martha.

After Daisy regained her composure, her face turned pale and then green. She left Martha's room in a huff, saying only one thing before slamming the door shut, "Martha, you better watch your back. I won't let this slide."

The room fell silent once again.

Martha stood by the desk, watching the closed door with indifference. Since she arrived at the Lucas family's castle, she knew that she wouldn't be able to coexist peacefully with Daisy and Andrew.

Chapter 429 I am in no position to like you

After Daisy left the room, Martha sat on the sofa alone and thought about a lot of things.

She understood her main purpose for being here and realized that she couldn't remain passive forever.

Although she wanted to take the initiative, she was helpless because she didn't know what happened to her mother before.

Just after she gradually calmed down from the excitement just now, suddenly a harsh bell sounded in the room, interrupting Martha's thoughts.

She frowned, and walked towards the desk in doubt. After seeing the note on the phone screen was Jane, her black eyes deepened.

After she came to Z Country, she returned to the Lucas family and never saw Jane again.

Martha looked at her phone with mixed feelings but eventually answered it, "What is it?"

In her opinion, at this time, Jane would definitely not call her for no reason.

Jane sighed before speaking, "Miss Doyle, you've been here for so long now but haven't gone out much, have you?"

"Hmm," replied Martha calmly while squinting slightly as she looked ahead.

She knew that the reason for Jane's call this time must not be simple, but the Lucas family wasn't a good place where people could talk freely.

In this family, Daisy and Andrew were siblings who were openly against her, but she was afraid there might also be others who opposed her secretly.

So at this time, it would be much safer to talk about something with Jane outside.

As expected, Jane continued speaking, "Miss Doyle, let me take you out for a walk. Also, I can have a chance to make things clear with you."

"Okay, you come to the Lucas family to pick me up."

After Martha said this, she hung up the phone and didn't say anything more.

She knew that Jane still felt guilty towards her now, because of what she had hidden in the past.

It was just that, until now, she didn't care about those things anymore.

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At noon, Martha walked out of the Lucas family at the appointed time.

She saw Jane at the door, whom she hadn't seen for a long time, and the two of them nodded and got into the car driven by Jane one after another.

After she came to Z Country with Jane and Louis, she never went out alone.

She was not familiar with everything here, but Jane was different.

Although Jane was also oriental, she had been living here for a long time. Seeing her skillfully turning the corners on the street and driving to her destination, Martha knew that Jane knew this place very well.

Soon enough, they arrived outside a shopping mall where Jane parked her car. She then led Martha inside where everything looked completely different from what they were used to back home in C Country – bright colors everywhere and styles completely different from what they were used to seeing back home.

Jane and Martha walked side by side in the mall, and Martha was looking at these completely different exotic styles along the way.

As for Jane, who was standing next to her, she was not in the mood to hang out at all. Instead, she kept looking at Martha standing beside her nervously, and remained silent the whole time.

In the end, it was Martha who broke the silence first.

“Didn’t you ask me to come out? Why didn’t you say a word?”

Jane looked nervously at Martha beside her, rubbed her hands together awkwardly, and replied with a wry smile, “I’m not qualified to say anything.”

In the past few years with Martha, Jane could feel that Martha really regarded her as family and a friend.

But she lied to Martha about so many things. Even their first meeting was arranged in advance...

Martha stopped and stood opposite Jane, looking at the latter with deep eyes.

This time, she didn’t let Jane speak first, but she opened her heart first.

“Jane, the past is in the past. I have long since forgiven you for hiding the truth from me.”

Jane froze, looked at Martha standing in front of her and muttered, but didn’t say a word.

She thought that if she concealed such a big matter from Martha, the latter would not forgive her easily.

Just when she was moved, Martha opened her red lips and said again, “After all, you have been with me for so long, I can feel your kindness to me and your sincerity to Jimmy. So just let bygones be bygones.”

After Jane regained consciousness, her eyes were misty unconsciously.

There was a slight smile on the corner of her mouth, she looked at Martha standing in front of her, and bent down in relief.

“Thank you, Miss Doyle for forgiving my previous concealment. Thank you.”

Martha looked at the girl in front of her with relief, and smiled along with her. Now that they had talked about it, there was no longer any pressure between them.

She thought about it for a while and decided that she should say something else to change the subject, so she asked jokingly.

“Are you and Louis a couple?”

“No.”

Jane immediately denied Martha’s question, her eyelids drooped, and a wry smile unconsciously appeared in her eyes.

“You misunderstood me. I’m just doing things for Mr. Caesar. I’m in no position to like him.”

Chapter 430 I finally found her

In her opinion, for a perfect man like Louis, his future wife would also be a perfect woman, not like her...

Thinking of this in her mind, she clenched her hand beside her unconsciously, but she couldn't hide the sadness she was showing.

Standing beside her, Martha could tell at a glance that Jane really cared about Louis, but Louis didn't seem to care about her.

Martha sighed helplessly. A love relationship was something that outsiders could not meddle in.

The look in her black eyes deepened, and she changed the topic in a soft voice.

"Okay, it's rare for me to come out, should you show me some exotic places here in Z Country?"

After Jane regained her composure, she looked up at Martha standing in front of her with a smile, took the latter's arm affectionately, and led the latter towards a dessert shop in the mall.

"Yes, I'll take you to one of my favorite dessert shops in this mall to try."

After the two had enjoyed the specialties in the dessert shop, they held each other's hand and walked towards the clothing store together.

In the store here, Martha tried several clothes she liked and bought them all.

They shopped together, chatted openly with each other, and got along well like they used to.

When talking about the recent situation, Jane couldn't help but speak up for Louis.

"Martha, despite Louis' cold demeanor, he really did a lot for you. Everything he did was for your own good."

"You have to trust him, he won't hurt you."

As soon as Jane finished speaking, Martha frowned impatiently, and looked at an object not far away indifferently.

"We rarely get out like this; I don't want to talk about that with you."

At this time, in the hotel not far from the shopping mall, Stefan received the news that Martha had left the Lucas family alone.

He had been waiting for her for days, and finally got the chance when she went out with Jane.

When the assistant said that he received the news that Martha came out with Jane, he couldn't hold back his emotions any longer, and rushed downstairs towards the mall.

He wanted to see Martha, to see how she was doing.

When Stefan arrived at the mall, he caught sight of Martha picking things up in the daily necessities section from afar.

Martha was thinner than when she left C Country, and there was some tiredness in her eyes.

His heart beat faster unconsciously as he walked quickly towards Martha, but just as he was about to reach her someone suddenly pushed a small cart towards him.

In a hurry, Stefan dodged it quickly and then continued walking fast towards where Martha stood.

Stefan unconsciously breathed a sigh of relief when he saw Martha still picking things there.

He was really afraid that in the blink of an eye, she would disappear again.

He walked quickly towards Martha, and when he was about to get close to her, his steps slowed down instead.

His hand on his side tightened unconsciously, and at this moment he could clearly feel his heartbeat constantly accelerating.

He searched for her for a long time and finally found her.

Just as Stefan was getting close to Martha, he was suddenly hit by a person hurrying past.

He quickly waved his hand and said it was okay, and looked in Martha's direction worriedly, and finally couldn't help but yell from not far away.

"Martha."

At this time, Martha was picking things with her back to Stefan. After looking at the row of shelves in front of her, she wanted to turn around and look at the items behind her.

As for Jane, who was standing next to her, when she turned her head, she clearly saw Stefan standing not far away, her pupils were full of astonishment.

She didn't expect Stefan to follow Martha all the way to Z Country..

For a moment, Jane thought she was wrong, but when she looked again, she realized that the person was really Stefan.

She didn't think too much, and immediately turned sideways to block Martha's vision of looking back.

At this time, there were a lot of people shopping in the mall, and the mall itself was very noisy, covering up Stefan's voice in every possible way.

Martha turned around and saw that Jane was also carefully picking things, smiled and joined Jane.

Jane's eyes darkened slightly as she smiled and took hold of Martha's arm, "There doesn't seem to be anything special here; let's go check out another store."

When she looked back just now, she saw a man standing in front of Stefan, who kept saying something to Stefan.

At this moment, As long as they could get Martha away now, they wouldn't meet here.

Martha heard what Jane said but didn't suspect anything; instead, smilingly nodded.

"Sure! Take me somewhere else."

Stefan, who was standing not far away, rushed to the shop as fast as he could after separating from the man, only to find that Martha had already disappeared.

He looked around the shop in a panic, but he still couldn't find the familiar figure just now.

He clenched the hand by his side vigorously, his brows were furrowed, and his eyes were full of disappointment...