Zach looked irritated the minute he saw Zeke.

Sh*t. My plan was just about to work!

He hadn't expected such an obstacle to come falling from the sky at this crucial moment. Timing had never been Zeke's strong suit, huh?

Zeke looked at Robin and Zach and pretty much guessed what was going on.

This darling brother of his was cruel enough to try and punish his heart instead of his body.

If he had succeeded, it would have hurt more than any physical punishment.

Zeke walked over to Lacey.

Lacey was shocked and scurried backward. "Don't come any nearer! Who are you?"

Zeke was a little annoyed at that and flicked Lacey lightly on the forehead. "Silly goose, it's me, Zeke. Don't you recognize me?"

Lacey's heart leaped in her chest. She recognized that flick on her forehead.

Lacey pointed at Zach. "If you're Zeke, then who's that?"

Zeke sighed. "That's my twin brother, Zach Williams."

"So the man who brought me to the Williams household yesterday wasn't you after all." Lacey finally realized.

Zeke nodded. "Yes."

Lacey's eyes widened. "So the person in the photograph..."

Zeke sighed again. "Just think about it for a second longer. I hit Robin, didn't I? The two of us are enemies now. Why would we be dating then?"

Waaahhh...

After making sure that the man in front of her was Zeke Williams, Lacey instantly started wailing.

Zeke has never betrayed me!

Someone impersonated him and tried to cause misunderstandings purposely.

Zeke still loves me!

Zeke hugged Lacey gently, his heart ached at her cries. "Please don't ever believe anyone else so easily, okay? Tell me everything if this ever happens again."

Lacey choked out, "I'm sorry, Zeke. I really thought you didn't want me anymore. I was even planning on leaving this world."

Zeke dried her tears. "Silly girl. You meant the world to me. If I lose you, what else do I have to live for?"

Lacey started crying even more.

Zeke's cold gaze landed on Zach and Robin.

The two of them shivered as if the temperature had gone down by a few degrees.

Zeke's cold stare froze the very blood in their veins.

However, Zach didn't seem apologetic at all. "What are you looking at? I was doing it for you! You're part of the Williams family. We are a proud, well-known, and esteemed family, but you wanted to marry this lowly woman off the streets. That would have been an immense embarrassment for the Williams family. As your older brother, I wouldn't want you to become the black sheep of our family. That's why I tried to make her leave you!"

Zeke chuckled. "That's one great way of phrasing it. So putting me in jail in your place for all those years was also for my own good, right?"

"I-" Zach Williams stammered as he was unable to retort.

Zeke's gaze turned murderous and he walked toward Zach menacingly.

"Do whatever you want to me. I'll take it happily. But Lacey is more than the love of my life, she's my final straw. If you touch my final straw, you're done for."

Zach started to panic. "W-what do you think you're doing? I'm your brother! Don't you dare touch me!"

Bang!

Zeke didn't even hesitate before kicking Zach away.

Zach landed heavily on a rubbish bin and it shattered under the sheer impact.

"You *sshole!" Zach roared. "How dare you lay a finger on me! The Williams family will never let you off the hook."

Zeke couldn't be bothered to reply to Zach. Instead, his gaze landed on Robin.

Robin gritted her teeth. "You're done for. You just angered two extremely high-up families, you-"

Thwack!

Zeke slapped Robin hard. Robin spun around from the force of the slap before collapsing and spitting out a mouthful of blood.

"Both families are worth nothing to me. All of you'd better do your best and come up with a way

to save your sorry *sses for you won't live any longer than a few more days before I destroy all of you. Let's go, Lacey."

Zeke took Lacey's hand and they left.



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In the car, Lacey carefully asked, "Zeke, why have you never mentioned having a twin brother?"

Zeke replied mockingly, "He's not worthy enough to be called my brother."

Lacey asked, "What you'd said earlier... That he'd set you up to be his scapegoat for jail time... Is that true?"

Zeke nodded.

Lacey continued, "Your family had agreed to it?"

Zeke nodded again.

Lacey seemed upset. "Zeke, what kind of life have you been living back at home? You must've suffered. Don't worry. I'll take care of you with lots of love from now on."

Patting Lacey's head, Zeke chided, "Silly, those days are long over. From now on, I'll be the one who'll protect you."

At the doors of Eurasia Pictures, Zach took a long while, before he had finally risen to his feet.

Upon standing up, Zach immediately helped Robin up.

Robin exploded in rage, "Zach, did you ask me to come here to get beaten up?"

Zach had an apologetic expression. "I'm sorry, Robin, I didn't think that Williams would find out so quickly. Don't worry. I've thought of a plan to deal with him."

Robin asked, "What plan?"

Zach gritted out, "Hmph. If I can throw him into prison once, I can certainly do it a second time. I'm going to make him rot in there until he dies. That's the only way my anger will subside."

Robin's eyes lit up. "Zach, do you mean..."

The two exchanged a meaningful smile.

Zach uttered, "Let's not make any haste. Time to go."

The two soon reached a lively street.

They found their target quickly amongst the busy crowd... A limping, old woman.

Zach instructed, "Robin, film everything that happens next as evidence. You have to record what I say."

Robin nodded. "Don't worry. I'm more involved in this than you."

After giving Robin her instructions, Zach approached the elderly woman, bumping into her, supposedly by mistake.

Zach fumed aloud, "Old woman, are you blind? You've dirtied my shoes!"

The elderly woman panicked. "Young man, you were the one who'd knocked into me."

Zach cursed, "Bulls***. I'm young and my steps are steady. How could I possibly have knocked into anyone? Get on your knees and apologize. Otherwise, I'll kill you."

The commotion caught the attention of the passers-by.

After finding out what was going on, the crowd started to persuade Zach.

"Young man, even if the elderly woman was the one who'd knocked into you, you didn't have to be so harsh with your words."

"That's right. It's not like you're hurt. Let the elderly woman go."

"We're living in a harmonious society. Don't be so upset."

Zach raised his voice, "Shut up! You're nothing but idiots. Who are you to chastise me? I'll tell you who I am. I'm Zeke Williams, the boss of Trust Media. I'm also a field officer. You're not even worthy of carrying my shoes for me, let alone try to reprimand me."

When the crowd heard him cursing at them, they instantly grew furious.

"So what if you're a military officer? Do you think you can do anything you want?"

"Don't forget who's the one who's given you the power."

"You're supposed to be serving the public, not bullying them."

"Hmph! You're even holding an old woman accountable. How can someone like you be worthy of your military title?"



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