

## HACKER 2271

MY WIFE IS A HACKER CHAPTER 2271-“What are you talking about, Steve?” Nicole asked. She thought everything was resolved at Johnston Group, so she was confused when Steve said things were restless there.

“Wait, you don’t know? Did Jared not tell you?” Steve said in surprise.

Nicole asked again, “What’s going on?”

“Iris held a grudge after that incident with Jared and teamed up with Lawrence to get back at him. Her plan backfired, and Iris is now wanted by the authorities, but they haven’t caught her yet,” Steve explained. Assuming Jared did not want Nicole to worry, Steve told Nicole about the recent events.

Nicole’s face turned white. It was hard to believe the news.” With Lawrence?!”

T-This can’t be. How could this be real?!’ Nicole thought.

“Didn’t you lend some money to Lawrence before? He didn’t actually need it. He just wanted to use you to threaten Jared.” Sean sighed. Initially, he was oblivious to the situation. But upon discovering that Jared was searching for Iris, he was able to piece everything together.

Nicole’s face turned even more pale. She murmured, “So Lawrence didn’t actually need the money?”

“He didn’t get it because Jared stopped your transfer and it failed on Lawrence’s end,” Sean snorted. He was annoyed by the fact that Lawrence had lied to Nicole.

The office fell silent as Sean and Steve looked at their sister, waiting for her to calm down.

Nicole’s voice trembled as she struggled to digest all the things she had been told. “You’re saying that Lawrence might be behind everything that happened?”

Suspicion on Lawrence peaked during such a situation when something went wrong in Johnston Group.

Sean shook his head. “It’s not certain yet. I’m afraid things at Johnston Group are quite serious at the moment. I thought about it and figured you should know.”

Sean believed Jared had the ability to get through this crisis. However, if this matter did not end well, it might destabilize Johnston Group’s foundation. So they had to be prepared for the challenges.

“Alright, understood,” Nicole said, biting her lip lightly. After a moment of hesitation, she turned to her brothers. “I’ll leave company matters in your hands for a few days. I’ll be taking a trip to Johnston Group.”

“No problem. Don’t worry about the company,” Sean assured her.

Steve reminded, “Are you going alone? Why don’t you bring Lulu with you?”

“There’s no need for that. Lulu has her own things to do,” Nicole said. Then she left the office.

Sean and Steve exchanged a glance.

Steve asked, “Do you think Lawrence is behind this?”

It was no doubt that Lawrence was highly suspicious, but he should also know this fact. If Lawrence could not hit the nail on the head, failure was a likely outcome for him.

“Maybe he’s prepared for it,” Sean replied meaningfully.

Shocked, Steve replied, “Is he that tough?”

They had once investigated Lawrence and knew he was no common folk, but Lawrence being able to blatantly deal with Jared seemed improbable. They began to question whether they had missed something in their initial investigation of Lawrence.

“Let’s wait and see. This will all be over soon,” Sean said seriously, leaving Nicole’s office.

Steve nodded in agreement and followed after his brother.

After leaving Riddle Corporation, Nicole soon arrived at Johnston Group.

“Why are you here?” Jared asked in surprise, not expecting to see Nicole here.

Nicole frowned and said, dissatisfaction clear in her tone, “Why not? Can’t I visit?”

Noticing Nicole’s unusual mood, Jared figured out the reason and said helplessly, “You know about what happened.

MY WIFE IS A HACKER CHAPTER 2272-Judging from her expression, it seemed like Nicole already knew plenty about the situation.

“Why didn’t you tell me?” Nicole was a little upset, wondering if Jared did not trust her enough to tell her.

Jared stretched out his hands and signaled her to come over.

Nicole gave Jared a side eye and stood still. Her stance seemed to say, ‘Don’t bother calling me over if you’re not willing to explain things.’

Jared shook his head and sighed. Then, he approached Nicole and pulled her down to sit on the sofa beside him.

“It wasn’t intentional. I just felt like it was unnecessary to bring it up.” As a matter of fact, Jared did not want to put Nicole in a difficult position. He did not expect her to still find out in the end.

“Johnston Group is about to be in trouble, and you think it’s unnecessary for me to know?” Nicole got angrier. She thought, ‘I see. So, he never thought of sharing his burden with me.’

Jared grabbed her hands and said gently, “Don’t worry. No one has the power to ruin Johnston Group yet.”

“Even if it won’t collapse, this problem will cause a huge loss to the company if immediate action isn’t taken. How can

you be this calm?” Nicole frowned. ‘What’s he trying to do?’

"I've asked Max to handle it. It'll be taken care of soon." Jared was calm and seemed to be confident about this whole matter.

He hoped that Nicole would stay out of the problem, no matter how serious it was. If this were to involve Lawrence, how would Nicole take it?

Nicole bit her lip and replied, sounding annoyed, "Are you worried it'll put me in a difficult position?"

Jared smiled. "I think your presence here speaks loudly of your stance."

That made Jared feel touched and satisfied. At least, he knew that Nicole would stand by him, no matter how difficult the situation was.

However, Jared was still of the opinion that Nicole should not get involved. Because no matter what, she would have to face Lawrence.

Nicole glanced at Jared angrily, but her cheeks were flushed at the same time.

She slapped Jared's hands away and stood up. "Let me know the whole story first."

While speaking, Nicole got up and approached Jared's desk.

Understanding what Nicole meant, Jared pulled a chair over. They both sat down.

Nicole turned on the computer and quickly logged onto

Johnston Group's management system. Then, she entered the finance's system, the security system...

KNOCK, KNOCK!

"Come in," Jared said, his gaze still fixed on the monitor.

Max opened the door and entered. Seeing Nicole there, Max froze for a moment. Then, he strode to the desk but remained silent. He did not report anything.

"Spill it," Jared told him.

"Okay." Max reported solemnly, "This incident doesn't involve Lawrence. At the moment, there isn't any movement from his side. But I'm sure he's waiting for the outcome."

One thing to note was that Lawrence was not the only one who had been eyeing Johnston Group. This was based on Max's investigation. If Johnston Group failed to settle this incident properly, it was possible that many would take the opportunity to attack them.

After all, it was a golden opportunity. Who would not want to jump on the train and catch it?

"Is there any other news?" Nicole's gaze was dark and sharp.

Max hesitated and replied doubtfully, "It does seem a little strange. Based on our information, this whole matter seems to have started from within our company instead of an external attack."

MY WIFE IS A HACKER CHAPTER 2273-To put it in another way, the huge slide in Johnston Group's stock price was not caused by anyone but an internal system error. The strangest thing was that none of them detected anything weird in the system. There was no trace of being hacked at all.

“Yeah, that makes sense.” Nicole smirked.

After going through the system, she definitely made some discoveries. And what she found matched Max’s findings.

Max widened his eyes in shock. “Ms. Nicole, are you saying that there’s something wrong with the management of our company?”

He found it hard to accept his findings because he did not see any problem with the employees. After all, they had just gone through a thorough revamp. There were no suspicious people in there.

Nicole nodded and explained, “It’s a problem with the management, but it doesn’t concern the employees. It had something to do with the management system.”

Max was shocked. “There shouldn’t be any problem with the system.”

Johnston Group’s management system was designed by Nicole herself. She had also revamped the system when she returned. By right, it should be durable and safe.

Max, who had remained silent, was in a daze.

So, Nicole questioned frankly, “Who has the password to the system? I’d like to meet them all.”

“Okay,” Max said without any hesitation.

“There’s no need for that.” Jared stopped Max. He turned to Nicole and said, “Iris has it.”

Instantly, the answer to the mystery was clearly.

Nicole understood it, and so did Max. The answer was as clear as day.

“Iris must’ve gone mad!” Max yelled angrily as soon as he processed the shocking news.

Max processed the whole incident quietly. ‘First, she helped Lawrence to go against them. And now, she actually messed with the system and caused the stock price to drop. Did she really want Johnston Group to lose all its capital? She clearly wants to destroy the group!’

“Have we found her yet?” Nicole narrowed her eyes coldly.

Max shook his head. “Not at the moment.”

“We don’t have to search for her anymore. Get everyone back.” Nicole was contemplating and felt that there was no point in wasting resources on such a thing.

“You’ve thought of a solution?” A glimpse of hope appeared in Max’s eyes. If they could find Iris, it would solve the root of the problem.

Nicole replied confidently, “If she wants to control the system, she’d need access to the internet.”

As long as Iris appeared in the system, she would leave a trace behind. From there, Nicole could easily track her location.

“Ask everyone to come back and be prepared for the next order of business,” Jared told Max sternly.

“Yes, sir,” Max replied and walked out.

Nicole raised an eyebrow. “It seems like we’ll have to work overtime tonight.”

Jared stretched his hands and wrapped her in his arms. He gave a warm smile and said, “With you here, working extra hours is also a pleasure.”

“Stop it!” Nicole pushed Jared’s hands away. Then, she stood up and said, “She wouldn’t dare make a move during the daytime. So, I guess we’ll have to wait in the middle of the night.”

Although Iris was a daring one, she would not dare make a move in front of everyone. After all, she was on the run.

Nicole gave it some thought. ‘It seems like Iris didn’t repent at all. And she actually wants to see things through. But with me around, there’s no way she could succeed. Iris will have to pay the price of her actions.’

A thought appeared in Nicole’s mind, and she questioned Jared, “How are things on Lawrence’s side?”

She knew that Jared was not the kind to give in. Since Lawrence dared to make a move, Jared would never let him go.

“Nothing much. He probably lost about three months of profit,” Jared said calmly.

Nicole instantly felt sad. ‘This isn’t nothing much. This is serious damage.’

MY WIFE IS A HACKER CHAPTER 2274-However, Nicole was not going to express any opinion on this matter. After all, win or lose, it all depended on one’s abilities.

What made her feel angry was the fact that Lawrence would actually make a move on Jared. She never expected that to happen. Yet, she knew that this was not just business competition.

“If you help him, maybe he might lose a little less,” Jared said jokingly.

Nicole could not help but roll her eyes at Jared. “Are you mocking me?”

“If you knew about this, would you have helped him?” Jared questioned.

“You’re being childish.” Nicole looked away and chose not to answer his question.

If she had known earlier, she would definitely not give Lawrence a helping hand. In fact, she might advise Lawrence to stop. That way, Lawrence would not suffer such a huge loss as well.

Looking at how Nicole reacted, Jared got the answer to his question. A smile formed on his face.

Then, he tilted his head downwards and left a kiss on Nicole’s forehead. With a wide smile, Jared said, “This is your reward.”

“Who needs your reward?” Nicole discreetly gritted her teeth and glared at Jared. ‘What kind of reward is this? He must be playing around with me.’

Jared smiled dotingly and deliberately teased Nicole, “If you’re not satisfied with that, then we can...”

Jared's gaze landed on Nicole's lips. However, Nicole immediately dodged him. She quickly reminded Jared, "We're at the office."

'How can he be this ignorant about his surroundings? It'd be so embarrassing if someone were to see us,' Nicole thought.

Jared grabbed Nicole's hands and did not do anything else. He only brought her to the sofa, and they both sat down together.

In the blink of an eye, the sun had set.

Everyone had gotten off work, while Jared's office was still lit. There, Jared and Nicole were having dinner.

"You should take a rest later. I'll be watching over it here," Jared said gently.

Once they find the root of the problem, Jared could handle it himself.

"It's fine. I want to track her down." Nicole's gaze was firm. "I want to do it with my own hands."

All this while, she knew Iris was not faithful to the Johnston Group, and the reason was because of Nicole. However, she did not expect Iris to be this crazy. Iris did not repent at all even after getting fired.

"Are you being jealous? Or are you trying to save me?" Jared smiled. Seeing Nicole being protective over him, he felt loved.

Nicole looked at Jared and said solemnly, "Actually, you could just think of it as me taking responsibility."

After all, she was the cause of this whole incident. It would be fine for her to say that she was taking responsibility for her mistakes.

Although Jared could tell that Nicole was avoiding the question, Jared did not get frustrated. Instead, he continued the topic. "In that case, please take responsibility for me for the rest of my life."

Nicole's lips twitched. "Is the big and mighty CEO of Johnston Group pouting right now?"

Jared was not shy at all. In fact, he replied confidently. "I won't argue if you'd like to think that way. As long as it makes you happy, my darling wife."

Nicole could not help but roll her eyes at Jared. "Who's your darling wife?"

"You." Jared was quick and definite. Then, he immediately planted a kiss on Nicole's lips. "It's sealed."

Looking at how childish Jared was being, Nicole could not help but laugh. 'Does reverse growth apply to personalities? Please don't tell me this guy here acted like that when he was younger!'

However, Nicole did not overthink it. She was the only person to have witnessed this version of Jared. And Jared would only put aside that cold personality in front of Nicole.

MY WIFE IS A HACKER CHAPTER 2275-DING!

A notification came from the computer. Jared and Nicole instantly became serious.

“That’s early. I didn’t know she was such an impatient person.” Nicole gave a look of disdain. Initially, she thought that she would have to wait past midnight for Iris to make a move.

“She must have thought that no one had noticed her movements yet.” Something flashed in Jared’s eyes. This was the reason why he did not show any reaction to the matter during the day. He was also trying to make Iris lower her guard by doing so.

Nicole nodded slightly as he understood Jared’s intentions. However, Nicole wanted Johnston Group to return back to normal after this particular night.

Standing in front of the computer, they could see that someone had entered the system. Since there were no warnings that popped up, they were sure that it was Iris who entered the system using the password.

Nicole quickly went to work on the computer and searched for Iris’s location.

Max roughly heard some noise, so he knocked on the door and waited for the next order.

Ten minutes later, Nicole smiled. “I guess she really has got the guts. She’s in the storage room at our basement car park here.”

Iris actually dared to hide in Johnston Group? Maybe she was not a smart cookie after all.

“Max, go and catch her,” Jared ordered.

Then, Max quickly left the office and dashed straight to the basement carpark.

Nicole quickly controlled the system as well, in order to prevent Iris from causing more damage.

Then, she got up and said solemnly, “Let’s go and meet her as well.”

Soon, Nicole and Jared arrived at the basement carpark.

Max was leading a few guys who were dragging Iris out of the storage room.

Iris was struggling to escape. “Let go of me!”

“Stop shouting. We’ve already called the police. They’re on their way here,” Max said in a cold voice.

They finally caught her after so long. How could they let her go?

“You better let go of me right now!” Knowing what could happen to her, Iris could not stay calm. She continued wriggling. However, her weak body failed her. She was tightly caught in the hands of the men and there was no way she could escape.

After that, Iris was brought to face Nicole and Jared.

“S-sir.” Seeing Nicole and Jared, Iris’s legs were numb. She could barely stand up straight.

The furious stance she had a second ago instantly disappeared into thin air. Her whole body was shivering now.

“Why did you do that?” Jared’s voice was emotionless, and it made people shudder.

Iris's face turned pale. Her voice trembled uncontrollably. "Sir, I-I..."

After mumbling for a while, Iris could not utter a thing. The hatred she had bottled up could not be released from her mouth when she faced Jared.

"You did it because of me." Nicole squinted at Iris, her voice was cold.

Seeing how mighty Nicole seemed as she stood beside Jared, Iris casted a jealous yet ashamed look at her.

'It's all because of this wench! If it weren't for her, I would not be in this situation!' Iris quietly cursed at Nicole.

"That's right! It's because of you! How dare you remain by Jared's side?" Iris screamed through her gritted teeth.

Nicole smirked. "That's our business. Does our relationship have anything to do with you?"

MY WIFE IS A HACKER CHAPTER 2276-It was not up to a secretary to talk about Nicole and Jared's affairs.

"You don't deserve to be with Jared!" Iris shouted furiously.

"I don't deserve to be with him?" Nicole snorted. Then, she calmly turned to Jared and said, "It's a pity that we're getting married soon."

"No! That can't happen! It's impossible!" Iris instantly broke down and shook her head like a madwoman. She refused to believe it.

Nicole narrowed her eyes and spoke in a cold voice. "These are none of your business. No matter what the reason is, they're not valid reasons for you to harm the company.

Especially if it's because of your one-sided feelings."

Jared did not wrong Iris. And yet, Iris took advantage of his kindness and wanted to ruin Johnston Group completely. That was simply unforgivable!

Nicole's words caused Iris to tremble even more. Iris even looked at Jared instinctively.

However, she did not expect Jared to ignore her totally. She did not even give Iris one glance.

Iris gritted her teeth, and her heart was filled with hatred. She was on her last straw.

"What do you mean it's none of my business?" Iris glared at

Nicole bitterly. Then, she clenched her teeth and said, "If you didn't appear, I'd still be in the company. I could stay at Jared's side forever. No one else could go near Jared, except me."

All this time, Iris thought of herself as a special person. But her fantasy was destroyed once Nicole appeared. Iris did not understand what was great about Nicole. Not to mention, Nicole already had two kids!



“If you manage to stay in the company, you’ll be a secretary forever and nothing more.” Nicole immediately got straight to the point. She knew that there would never be another possibility.

If Jared were human, he would not remain single during those five years when Nicole was missing. Therefore, Nicole was sure that Iris would never have a chance.

“That’s not true. If you had stayed missing, I’d be able to get together with Jared!” Iris yelled. “It’s all because of you!

What spell did you cast on him? You have two kids and Jared is still obsessed with you!”

Nicole glanced at Iris coldly and teased, “I guess I must’ve been away for too long. There’s actually someone in San Joto who doesn’t know about me.”

Previously, Nicole had always found it strange that Iris was so hostile to her. But now, everything was clear.

“Let me introduce myself,” Nicole said calmly. “I’m Nicole Riddle, the Chairperson of the Riddle Corporation. I’m also Jared Johnston’s wife. Five years ago, we got registered in Panem, but there was no wedding ceremony. As for those two kids you mentioned...”

Nicole paused for a moment before she continued speaking, sounding casual, “They’re our kids.”

It was as if thunder had struck. Iris widened her eyes in disbelief. “What did you say?”

“Th-That’s impossible! You’ve to be lying! That’s impossible!” Iris shook her head with all her might. She could not believe it.

“The reason why I told you all this is for you to come to your senses. Your one-sided love is a huge joke. It also shows how pathetic you are.”

The love that Iris spoke about, did she really think that love equaled to ruin?

“Let’s go.” Jared held Nicole’s hand and spoke in a rare gentle voice.

Nicole turned to him and smiled. “Alright.”

The reason she wanted to come over was just to see how crazy Iris was. But from the looks of it, it seemed like she was just an evil person.

Seeing that Nicole and Jared were leaving, Iris began to panic. She took two steps forward and was ready to chase after Jared, but she was stopped by Max.

“Jared, please let me explain. I didn’t know about this!” Iris was wriggling as she yelled. She wanted to explain and protect herself.

However, there was no chance for her to do so. Jared held Nicole’s hand and left.

“Sir, I’m really sorry. Please give me one more chance!” Hearing Iris’s bitter cry, Max frowned unhappily, “Stop crying. You should’ve thought about this day when you decided to work with Lawrence.”

MY WIFE IS A HACKER CHAPTER 2277-Iris was trembling badly, as if a basin of cold water had just poured on her head.

It made sense. She had lost her chance and she made too many mistakes. It never occurred to her that Nicole was already Jared's wife.

By chance, Iris had heard that Jared had a wife in the past. But from what she understood, the lady was long gone. And now, she suddenly returned and was alive with two kids.

The siren of the police car sounded in Iris's ears. She knew that everything was over for her. Her face turned pale.

Iris remained silent the whole time when she was being brought onto the police car. She seemed to have lost the will and energy to live. Even her eyes looked as if she were in a daze.

After watching the police car leave, Max ordered his men to leave. When he was finally alone, he heaved a sigh and shook his head.

'Iris is such a fool! Even if Ms. Nicole never returned, Iris would've never had a chance,' Max thought.

'If Ms. Nicole never returned and disappeared forever, Mr. Jared would probably be single for the rest of her life.'

While this was happening, Jared and Nicole were on their way back home already.

Jared drove. And while driving, he kept smiling and glancing at Nicole from time to time.

"What are you smiling at?" Nicole could tell that there were some eyes gazing at her, so she could not help but glare at Jared.

"You've just publicly announced our relationship." Jared glanced at Nicole, and he seemed to be saying, 'You can't escape from me anymore.'

"I was just reminding Iris of her position. It has nothing to do with you." Nicole purposefully displayed a cold look.

It was as if she was saying, 'Those were just plain explanations to refute Iris. There was no need to take it to heart.'

Jared seemed to understand Nicole's reaction, so he replied calmly, "I heard it with my own ears, so it counts."

"Hmph!" Nicole huffed, acting prideful.

Jared laughed and pinched Nicole's hand. Then, he continued to focus on his driving.

Leaning on the car seat, Nicole looked out of the window, and a smile formed on her face.

The next morning, there was a huge commotion in the Riddle family because of the news.

Everyone gradually gathered downstairs and began to discuss the news out of shock.

"Does that mean their relationship is going to be official?"

"It doesn't seem like it. This looks like paparazzi work."

“Then what are they trying to do? Does this look like announcing their relationship to the world or refuting rumors?”

Nicole looked at how confused and worried everyone seemed. She smiled and comforted them, “Mom, Dad, let Samuel and June decide on their own.”

In fact, Nicole felt that this would be good for Samuel and June. Both of them had been arguing for a long time. A little push like this might bring them closer.

“The problem is we can’t tell what their decision is.” Gloria sighed.

If Samuel and June could clearly state their stance on this matter, Gloria would have gotten a grandchild by now.

“But it’s different this time. After all, they’re being exposed already.” Nicole laughed.

Hearing this, Gloria nodded. “That’s true. Well, I guess I should ask the wedding management company to speed up.”

Initially, Gloria thought of making the necessary arrangements first. Once Samuel recovered, she would discuss the details with Samuel and June. Looking at the current situation, they would not have to wait much longer. They could hold the wedding as soon as Samuel recovered.

“I’ll visit him after today’s show,” Spencer volunteered.

“I’ll go over after work too.” Nicole was also curious as to how the two of them would deal with being exposed.

MY WIFE IS A HACKER CHAPTER 2278-“Alright, why don’t you ask them when they’re gonna get married? Tell them not to wait any longer,” said Gloria.

They chatted while munching on their breakfast.

Lana, with a sparkle in her eyes, tilted her head and asked, “Mommy, can I go to Uncle’s house tonight?”

Nicole seemed unsure and replied, “Are you really eager to go, sweetie?”

“Yeah, Daddy, Mommy...” Lana said with a hint of sadness. “Ever since you stopped picking us up, we haven’t spent much time together with you.”

Jared scooped up Lana and said, “Alright, well all go together tonight.”

“Sounds good,” Nicole nodded. “After work, you pick them up, and I’ll head to June’s place on my own.”

Tia thought it might be a hassle for them, so she chimed in, “I can take Nolan and Lana there. Then I’ll come back on my own.”

Stanley said, Tia, we can just come back together.”

Just as Tia was about to explain why she wanted to come back, Stanley surprised her by saying, “I’ll arrange for someone to take care of Mrs. Wallace Sr.”

Tia was amazed that Stanley understood her concern, something most people wouldn’t think about.

“Yeah, it’s a rare chance, so you young folks should have some fun together. I’ll take care of things here for Mrs.

Wallace Sr.,” Gloria offered.

“Okay. Thanks, Mom, for looking after Grandma,” Nicole agreed with a smile.

Feeling a bit bashful, Tia didn’t refuse their kindness. She nodded and murmured, “Thank you.”

“Don’t mention it,” Nicole replied with a smile, and then reminded everyone, “Alright, it’s almost time. Let’s get going, n

Before long, they all headed off in different directions, each immersed in their own tasks.

When Nicole reached Riddle Corporation’s headquarters. Lulu came over all excited, ready to spill some gossip. “Hey, you heard about it, right?”

“Yeah, with such big news, I can’t not know,” Nicole replied, finding it pretty funny.

Lulu asked curiously, “What do you think they’ll decide?”

“I don’t know yet... I’ll ask after work,” Nicole said.

“Awesome, then I’ll come with you,” Lulu decided on the spot, wanting to be part of the fun.

Nicole grinned. She knew she didn’t have to invite Lulu; she would always be interested.

“Seriously, can you believe it? Samuel and June’s news got all the attention, and poor Harvey and Snow got overshadowed,” Lulu said with a sarcastic sigh.

Nicole raised an eyebrow, “So what’s the deal with Harvey and Snow?”

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Lulu sighed and rolled her eyes, “Oh, they’re just doing their usual stuff, showing up together at different events. I wish Snow would do something more interesting.”

“Be careful, things might be getting messy at DillCorp,” Nicole said, her expression turning serious. She thought, ‘Harvey doesn’t even try to hide it. Those casual outings won’t fool anyone who isn’t as easily fooled as Snow.’

“Got it,” Lulu nodded, “And you know what? Raine’s been unusually quiet these days. I bet she’s planning something.”

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MY WIFE IS A HACKER CHAPTER 2279-"Hey, come on, it hasn't been easy for her," Nicole said, her eyes showing a bit of coldness.

"Oh, by the way, didn't Ellar mention seeing James with some girl before? I think I saw them together that day too," Lulu suddenly remembered, lowering her voice as if afraid someone might overhear.

Nicole narrowed her eyes, thinking it was important to find out who this woman was and what she meant to James. 'Is James falling for someone else, or does he want to take over the whole Riddle family business?'

"Nicole, what's going on in your head?" Lulu whispered, noticing Nicole's silence.

Nicole's face turned serious, "Let's have someone thoroughly investigate this matter, leave no detail unchecked."

"Sure, got it," Lulu replied, her expression becoming serious as well.

The situation with James might have seemed like a coincidence once, but not twice. It was important to take it seriously.

While waiting anxiously in the DillCorp's office, Raine couldn't help but pace back and forth until she heard the door open. When she saw James, she couldn't hide her displeasure, "What took you so long?"

"The investigation took sometime, but I found something," James replied, walking toward her.

Raine's expression softened a bit. "What did you find?"

James handed over the information to Raine. "Take a look."

As Raine read through the contents, her face turned pale with shock. "Snow... How could she?"

"I don't think she realizes how serious it is. Love has blinded her judgment," James reminded Raine in a hushed voice.

Raine composed herself. "You're right. Everett teaming up with Harvey to come after us is despicable."

If Everett and Harvey succeeded, DillCorp would slip away from Raine's family, falling into the clutches of Everett and Damien, while Damien's group would gain the power to challenge the mighty Riddle Corporation.

Raine's face flushed with anger. She clenched her teeth, feeling that the ambition of those schemers was ruthless.

"We can't let this news spread. We have to act carefully," James warned Raine.

Frowning, Raine quickly realized, "Right, we can't let Dad know yet."

After all, even with the evidence they had, there was no guarantee that Dillon would believe them. It might even tip off the perpetrators.

"I'll keep an eye on this side. We need to find the perfect solution," James said, his expression serious, as he couldn't afford to lose the prize.

"Do you have any ideas?" Raine asked James.

After a brief pause, James pondered and replied, "How about making Snow lose her real power? If Harvey's plan fails, Everett won't get anything either."

"That's a good idea. I'll try to talk to Dad about it," Raine immediately understood James's intention, and it was indeed a brilliant plan. She thought, 'I can persuade Dad to stop trusting Snow. When that happens, Harvey will also turn away from Snow, and everything will fall into place naturally.'

"Alright," James agreed, his gaze deepening.

Completely unaware of James's thoughts, Raine leaned into his embrace with a smile and said, "James, I wouldn't know what to do without you by my side."

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Raine blushed and smiled, leaning on James. It didn't matter that he didn't come from a fancy family. Right now, he was helping her, and that meant the world.

As the sun went down, June's apartment was crowded.

"You guys really here to celebrate with me?" Samuel asked, looking a bit unsure as he glanced at his brothers. He felt like they were teasing him.

"You've got such a serious face, I bet your proposal didn't go well," Spencer said, teasing Samuel.

"Ha! Don't act like you had better luck," Samuel replied, giving Spencer a challenging look. "You're not fooling anyone either."

Spencer was surprised for a moment, then he frowned at Samuel. "Well, at least I didn't get caught by paparazzi while dating someone."

There was no denying it. Samuel had indeed been caught red -handed, so now he had to make the most of the situation and propose.

“Did June not agree?” Stanley asked in a hushed voice.

Samuel’s face stiffened.

Spencer shook his head. “Looks like you guessed right, Stanley.”

Meanwhile, Nicole and the ever-curious Lulu bombarded June with questions.

“Hey, it’s not what you think,” June said.

“What is it then?” Lulu blinked her eyes, looking eager to know.

“Well, you see, yesterday the weather was nice, and after dinner, I thought it would be cool to take a walk with Samuel. But someone spotted us, and it seems like the paparazzi had their eyes on us for a while.” June sighed.

“It’s not surprising that you guys got caught. I mean, everyone knows about his injury, and he didn’t stay home to recover. People are curious,” Lulu thought being caught dating was normal and found it odd if they hadn’t been caught.

“I never thought this apartment would attract attention,” June sighed again.

“Don’t sigh. Getting caught is a good thing! It’s like announcing your relationship. Saves you from all that hesitation,” Lulu lightly bumped June’s shoulder. “I can tell Samuel can’t wait any longer. You better hold onto him tight, or someone else might snatch him away.”

“Don’t jinx me! Keep an eye on your Spencer,” June grumbled, giving Lulu an annoyed look. She wondered why she couldn’t just wish her well.

Lulu’s expression froze for a moment, a hint of sadness flashing in her eyes.

Noticing Lulu’s strange look, June widened her eyes in surprise. “What’s with that look? Don’t tell me...”

Lulu quickly denied it, not wanting June to keep guessing randomly.

Unable to press further, June turned to look at Nicole, silently asking for some explanation.

“Today, we’re here to talk about you and Samuel, so don’t change the subject,” Nicole avoided addressing Lulu’s situation directly. She thought Spencer and Lulu were okay, but it was that Icyln making troubles. However, this wasn’t the right time to bring that up.

Ding-dong.

Just as June was full of suspicions, the doorbell rang.

“Who could it be?” June got up to answer the door.

“It’s probably Tia and my kids,” Nicole replied.

“Little darlings are here!” June exclaimed happily and went to open the door. As expected, it was Nolan and Lana.

