

## Her Revenge 91

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Helen stood up. "Thank you for your concern, Lea. It really wasn't a big deal. You made a fuss over nothing" In front of their grandfather, she was gentle and obedient. Even her tone was soft.

Lea responded, "But it was murder in public"

"What murder! I was saving someone. Helen immediately became flustered, her voice sharp in defense.

"Lea!" Matilda quickly interrupted. "You just came back from your tutoring session, so you don't know the full truth. It's not your fault for believing the rumors online."

She continued, "But as a daughter of the Berry family, you should trust your sister and believe in the integrity of our family. This matter has already been clarified. Do not say anything more that could tarnish our family's reputation."

Her words were exactly what Christian wanted to hear, and he nodded in agreement,

"Saving someone" Lea scrutinized Helen with a cold gaze. What a clever reversal, turning a murder into a rescue.

Ignoring the warning in Matilda's words, Lea smiled faintly. "I understand. Helen, you should also be careful in the future. Our family's loss this time is quite significant."

"Oh!" She feigned sudden realization. "Frale's loss must be substantial too."

Matilda's face turned sour as if two sharp arrows had pierced the bleeding wound in her heart. Helen clenched her fists, looking as if she wished she could kill Lea

Christian said gravely. "Lea is right. Don't do such foolish things again

The family's reputation was damaged, the company suffered great losses, and he himself was deeply embarrassed. Such unnecessary disasters were utterly foolish.

Helen bit her lip. She and her mother had just managed to placate Christian

They had rushed back from court, quickly changed clothes, and hurried to see him. They racked their brains to appease him.

Recently, Helen had been terrified and exhausted. Her body barely held up, but she still had to endure in front of her grandfather,

Yet, Lea, this little bitch had provoked Christian's displeasure again with just a few words. Helen cursed inwardly. Damn it! She should be dead

Matilda shot a furtive glance at Christian. As expected, he now harbored some distrust towards Helen.

"Christian is right. I will make sure Helen learns her lesson" As Matilda spoke, she gently stroked her daughter's back.

Receiving her mother's signal, Helen immediately lowered her head in apology. Grandpa, I understand my mistake. I will be more cautious in the future.

"Alright" Christian nodded. "Go real."

Only then did Maulda lead her daughter away

Lea glanced at Christian. He didn't suspect there was more to the story.

Indeed, for the court to release Helen without charge, the evidence must have been solid. Yet Lea was still angry. It was such a good opportunity. but Helen got away unscathed

After briefly greeting Christian, Lea went upstairs to her room.

Christian frowned. Lea wasn't even joining him for dinner tonight. He assumed it was because the SAT exams were approaching and her study pressure was making her irritable.

Back in her room, Lea opened her browser and saw that Helen was trending. "Helen acquitted. She is innocent"

She pressed the mouse and opened the li

The trending content was extensive, complete with pictures and evidence. The person who wrote it was skilled, presenting a logical and seamless

narrative

It said Lily's death was not a murder, but a suicide. Helen didn't push Lily but tried to save her. Lily's suicide was due to severe depression.

The court trial released official evidence. The medical diagnoses from the hospital, testimony from her parents, and records of them taking her to the hospital for depression treatment.

There were also chat records where Lily repeatedly mentioned suicidal thoughts,

In her WhatsApp chats with her mother, Lily often mentioned wanting to jump off the school building.

Helen, her good friend and classmate, was aware of her condition and always looked out for her.

That day, noticing Lily's unusual behavior, Helen followed to look after her, leading to the moment where it appeared she pushed Lily off the building.

The captured scene, along with various pieces of evidence and analysis, portrayed Helen as trying to save Lily.

Lea read the content thoroughly, her expression was calm like the stillness before a storm.

Depression was a good excuse.

Vaporleone High School was a breeding ground for depression, with at least two out of ten students suffering from it to varying degrees. Suicides.

were't uncommon

Lily's parents testified in court, providing ample "evidence"

Online.

line, there were many of their direct statements and videos, where they constantly thanked Helen for her kindness towards their daughter.

A while ago in court, Lily's parents had angrily confronted Shannon for their daughter's sake, and now they had completely sold their daughter's life to the murderer. Another pair of heartless parents.

Matilda must have paid them handsomely

Lea thought for a moment, opened a new window, and entered some code to investigate them.

She discovered changes in Lily's parents' assets and business dealings, though nothing overtly suspicious. However, they had purchased flight tickets to Trales.

Their flight was tonight, departing in two hours.

Their trip was publicly announced, citing that the grieving couple needed to escape reality for a while. Such a perfect excuse, no one would doubt them.

Matilda's bribe would never be uncovered, or the court wouldn't release Lily's parents. In any case, the price must have been substantial.

Lea closed the investigation page.

It didn't matter whether she looked into it or not. If Helen's murder was handled this way, what about the Donna incident?

She scrolled down the trending topics and saw a headline. "The truth about the Donna Yancey incident. Peter Dunlap guilty."

The trending topic briefly explained the incident

Everything was Peter's doing, driven by personal desires, with irrefutable evidence. Fraley Hospital had handed him over to the police. A video of him being escorted by the police was also posted.

She checked the reviews on both incidents, and all were positive.

Berry Group and Fraley's stocks were soaring, the situation looking very promising

Of course, the initial news content and comments were clearly controlled and guided by hired commentators and media. But later, netizens were swayed by the official results.

In summary, these two incidents were handled exceptionally well.

Matilda and Helen, along with Fraley, had cleaned up neatly, emerging unscathed.

No, Lea wouldn't allow that

If Helen ever had a single good day, how could she face her deceased son? If Helen had a single good day, it would be like living in hell for Lea

Lea picked up her phone and sent a message. (What's the situation with Ewan?)

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Lea encrypted the message to Jason

Only a few in the world could crack her hacking skills. Since Janice's incident, she had asked Jason to monitor Ewan.

family?

She thought, "Matilda, Helen's background is exposed. Could your vast connections still protect her in the Berry

Jason replied promptly. [He's still at the Purple Gold Club. He's indulging too much. It seems like he will get in trouble sooner.

Lea replied: [Keep an eye on him. Let me know at once if anything happens.]

Then, she placed her phone face down on the desk and resumed work.

This time, Helen escaped. She had to work harder.

Just as Lea immersed herself in her tasks, the phone rang again. She picked up her phone and saw it was Lorrard calling.

He usually texted, so this must be important. On the second ring, she answered. "Hello"

The silence on the other end was turbulent, filled with unspoken tension. Just as she was about to speak, the call abruptly ended.

Her eyes sharpened. She grabbed a jacket and texted Jason as she headed out. [Going out.]

Downstairs, Christian was finishing dinner, ready to head to his study.

With Helen's return, his spirits soared, filled with renewed ambition. Despite the company's recent setbacks, he was more determined to make it stronger and bigger.

Upon seeing Lea, Christian asked, "It's already so late. Where are you going?"

Lea replied, "To get study materials"

"Come back early" Seeing her diligence made him happy.

Lea responded. "Alright."

When she left the gate, Jason had the car ready. She got in and said. "To the hospital."

Jason responded, "Okay, Miss Berry"

As the car pulled out of the gates, Jason glanced at Lea through the rearview mirror. She rarely looked this stern, exuding a commanding presence that reminded him of Alfred

She seldom went out at night, so it must be important

Thinking it over, he discreetly texted Alfred. (Miss Berry is heading to the hospital now.)

In the study of the lakeside villa, Alfred held a tablet with a somber expression.

His phone vibrated, and he glanced at it. He frowned as his gaze grew more serious.

Eddie entered the room carrying files. "Mr. Andrews, these two contracts need your signature."

Alfred lightly tapped the table, ignoring him.

Eddie couldn't help but feel a shock. Lea had been here all afternoon, and Alfred's mood had been good. Had something happened on her end?

After a moment of silence, Eddie spoke again.

vain. "Mr. Andrews!"

"Go investigate Lorrard and Fraley Medical Alfred commanded.

"Yes" Eddie accepted the order.

When Lea arrived at Riverview Hospital, it had been dark for a while. The hospital was crowded and bustling, with everyone busy and preoccupied. Yet, outside the director's office, not a single light was on, leaving the area in complete darkness.

She pushed open the office door with great force.

"Miss Lea!" A figure stood up in the darkness, surprised to see her.

Fortunately, Lorrard hadn't gone directly to Nixon, which relieved Lea.

She assured Lorrard. "When I bring down Fraley Medical, Nixon will be left to you. Do whatever you want with him"

Though Lea didn't know what the private investigator had found, she could guess from Lorrard's reaction and her knowledge of Fraley Medical's scandals and Anna's kidney.

She had contributed some effort to the development of Fraley Medical.

In her past

Lea

life, Nixon married Matilda and was Helen's father. He had been a force behind Helen, so he was on her revenge list.

was determined to take down Fraley Hospital and those people.

Having experienced it firsthand, Lea understood Lorrard's emotions. She was willing to let him handle Nixon.

Lorrard looked at her in surprise. She stood in the doorway, her silhouette outlined by the dim light her black coat emphasizing her tall figure.

In the darkness, her presence was striking and commanding

Lorrard's turbulent emotions calmed instantly. He realized that refraining from immediately confronting Nixon had been the right decision.

Regaining his composure, he quickly turned on the light. "Miss Berry, why are you here?"

Knowing the exhausting surgery she had performed earlier and her current precarious situation, he had not expected her to come.

Lea didn't speak. She closed the door, walked over, and looked at the brown envelope on the desk

The envelope was stuffed with documents, photos, and papers. Lorrard had already seen them. In his anger, he had crumpled some of the papers.

Suddenly, Lorrard understood. He had called her, and she had rushed over for him.

“I followed your instructions and hired a private investigator,” he explained, handing her the envelope.

It wasn't just about him and Fraley Hospital. Considering her relationship with Fraley, she should also be informed.

Lea took the envelope, and as she looked through the documents. Her demeanor became colder under the light, her eyes piercing like ice.

Even her hands trembled involuntarily. These were the same hands that remained steady on the operating table even in life-threatening situations.

Watching her flip through the documents, the contents replayed in Lorrard's mind. His gaze turned fierce, and his fists clenched tightly, making cracking sounds.

Lea had thought she was fearless now, but after reading through the documents, she couldn't help but inhale sharply, feeling a chill in her heart.

She suddenly understood why she, a once unparalleled genius and Mrs. Andrews in her previous life, couldn't even save her son.

It was because she had principles and limits, while her enemies had none. They were absolutely ruthless.

and met such:

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Lorrard returned the documents to the bag. As Lea looked up, she saw Lea with a fierce expression, a commanding presence. “You need to swallow your pride for now,” she said firmly, both persuading and ordering. “Until I bring down Fraley, pretend you haven't read this information.

With that, she handed the envelope back to him.

They had unbearable hatred. But when facing formidable enemies, the only option was to endure, to wait until the moment the enemies could be defeated. Otherwise, they would be destroyed, losing the chance for revenge.

Rationality prevailed over anger, Lorrard looked at Lea, astonished by her authority and indifference.

Lorrard might have thought Lea cold-hearted if she hadn't saved two lives under impossible circumstances, giving him and his daughter a chance at rebirth. Moreover, Riverview Hospital saved so many lives. So, he knew she wasn't.

In a few seconds, Lorrard suddenly felt relieved. He wondered what kind of hatred Lea harbored towards Fraley Medical and Nixon that required such patience, caution, and meticulous planning.

If a young girl like Lea could do it, he should do better.

“Miss Berry, rest assured. I won’t alert anyone. I still need to take care of Anna”  
Lorrard said.

When he learned the truth, he indeed wanted to go to Fraley Hospital and confront Nixon, but he couldn’t leave his daughter behind.

Lea glanced at him. If he could resist going initially, he wouldn’t go later.

“I won’t keep you waiting too long?” She promised. Every moment the enemy existed was torment for herself.

|| “Okay.” Lorrard nodded solemnly

Then, Lea turned and walked out.

“Just getting some study materials shouldn’t take too long. If she stayed out too late, Matilda’s people at the mansion might start to suspect her whereabouts.

At the door, Lea suddenly turned back.

“Miss Berry, do you have any other instructions?” Lorrard asked.

Lea asked, “Which detective agency did you hire?”

Fraley Hospital wouldn’t leave any traces for others to find out about their actions. She could tell one needed to break through numerous seemingly impenetrable security barriers to obtain this kind of information.

This “delective” was very

y powerful to obtain these in such a short period.

“This is a detective agency I learned about in the Medical Union, called the Dark Union, he replied.

If it were anyone else, Lorrard would have kept this information confidential, but not for Lea

He explained. “This union has only become active in certain upper-level fields in the past two years. I don’t know much else about them.”

Lea contemplated briefly. “Cor it.”

She left the office, closing the door behind her.

Exiting the hospital, Jason drove her back to the Berry family’s mansion. It was past Up, with the city bustling with traffic and nea

brightly

lights shining

In the ca

car, Lea remained composed, the light filtering i darkness

through the window casting a fluctuating glow on her face. Her eyes reflected a mysterious

She called out. "Jason"

Suddenly called, Jason couldn't help but be surprised. "Miss Lear

"Since you're employed by me now, can you obey my orders?" Her tone was gentle yet carried an undeniable pressure, much like Alfred's. Jason asked, "Miss Lea, what do you mean?"

Lea responded, "I want you to do things for me without informing Mr. Alfred. Can you do that?"

Jason fell silent.

They grew up by Alfred's side, their mission being to serve and protect him. Now, they were being ordered to obey another person.

"Well... Jason fell silent for a moment, then said. "Mr. Andrews cares about you a lot. He's very concerned about you and wouldn't harm you."

to involve Alfred

"I know," Lea said with certainty. She just realized how perilous and difficult her future path would be and didn't for his safety.

want to

"I'll give you a day to consider. Answer me tomorrow, Lea said. Hearing her authoritative tone, Jason didn't dare to argue further.

The car pulled into the driveway of the Berry family's mansion. Lea got out and went straight upstairs.

Then, Jason drove back to the lakeside villa.

It was late at night in the villa. Jason sat on the sofa, sipping water, waiting for Alfred's response, "You'll follow her from now on Alfred said suddenly.

Jason nearly choked on his water. Alfred answered so quickly, without even considering it

Alfred added, "However, you still have to report important matters to me

Jason asked. "Important matters?"

Alfred responded, "Yeah,"

too deeply.

What exactly counted as "important matters"? Jason was feeling overwhelmed. And if Lea found out, given her personality, she wouldn't forgive him. This was difficult.

Before he could dwell on it further. Alfred asked, "How is she now?"

Lea must have further plans for asking him to do so

"She's not in a good mood, Jason responded after a pause.



Alfred's expression darkened, and his mood suddenly soured.

Jason remained silent.

Alfred ordered, "Go get busy."

Jason replied, "Yes,"

Jason left the villa, feeling puzzled and unsettled.

In the garden, he bumped into Craig and pulled him aside to ask questions.

After listening to Jason, Craig frowned. 'Good luck to you.'

Dealing with Alfred, who was in love, was terrifying. And his future wife was no less formidable.

Jason was at a loss. His mood worsened. He reluctantly made his way back to the Berry family's mansion.

It was almost midnight. In Lea's bedroom, the blue light from the computer screen illuminated the room faintly.

Several windows were open on the computer, displaying information retrieved through super code searches, scrolling rapidly. Lea's eyes followed the scrolling information, absorbing it effortlessly.

Her fingers flew across the keyboard, the tapping sound quickening the heartbeat

After reviewing the newly retrieved information, she smiled faintly.

Then she typed a line. [Quicksilver, I want to join your Dark Uhilon]

With a tap of the send key, she leaned back in her chair, resting while waiting

On the other end of the network, in a small dark room, eyes behind a pair of glasses widened in shock at the message. He hastily removed the glasses, wiped them, and put them back on.

lips, and began to

began frantically wiping the screen

screen. Yes, he had been hacked!

Then, he stood up from the chair, rolled up his sleeves, licked his lips,

For over a decade, relying on his hacking skills, he had wandered between the network and the real world freely like a ghost. Yet, he was being hacked for the first time.

He looked up at the dark ceiling as if someone was watching him from above, making him exposed.

Struggling to breathe, he tried to ease his panic and sent a message. [Who are you?]

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The other party replied with a name: [Lea Berry]

His first reaction upon getting the name was to look her up.

He found out she had been getting zero scores every year at Vaporleon High School but had scored full marks in her recent mock exams,

Then, he found out she was a developer of artificial intelligence.

Even across the vast network world, he could feel the pressure from her. He quickly replied: You're a genius in artificial intelligence. Why would you want to join us nobodies?]

Lea replied instantly: [So, do you agree to let me join?]

Quicksilver was stunned and replied. We welcome a genius like you, but we don't take students, afraid it might affect you.]

Lea. [Oh, then sorry, you can expect to be hunted by the whole world. I'll dig up the information on your relatives and let you all suffer.)

Quicksilver was shocked.

He had hacked the most powerful families and companies globally, sold their information, and made plenty of deadly enemies. If Lea leaked the information she had found, he would be dead soon.

Quicksilver: [Miss Berry, I won't pretend. Actually, we're just a few amateurs. You're too good for us.)

Lea replied without hesitation: [Oh, then I'll be the boss.]

Lea had only found information on this "Quicksilver. His hacking skills, while not as good as hers, were at the top level currently. Coupled with his detective skills, such a person could be useful.

Leading such an alliance, given time, would make them very strong. She needed such a force.

Quicksilver hesitated.

Lea: [You only have five seconds to consider.]

She was busy. This matter had already wasted a lot of her time.

Quicksilver was shocked. He replied: (Fine.)

After that, Lea did not send him any more messages. He could feel she had already logged off.

Although he had been forced to accept this new member, he was inexplicably excited. This "Miss Berry" had hacking techniques he had never seen before.

Meanwhile, at Berry Mansion.

Lea had just closed all the windows on her laptop and cleared the traces on the network when she heard a knock on the door.

She gently closed the laptop. "Come in."

Jeffrey pushed the door open and came in. "Miss Lea, we are hosting a charity party tomorrow. Mr. Herry asked me to inform you that he will take you with him. The stylist will bring the gown over in the morning, and you don't have to worry about anything else."

Lea immediately understood what the Berry family was planning. "Got it"

But the next morning, before heading to school, she told Christian she needed to study for the SAT exam and couldn't go.

Chrman valued the charity party very much and also paid great attention to Lea. He wanted to take her to introduce her to his business

However, the SAT exam was approaching, and there would be plenty of opportunities in the future, so he let it slide.

Even though Lea didn't attend, she watched the live broadcast of the charity banquet.

The party was hosted by the Berry family and co-hosted by Fraley Hospital, personally organized by Matilda,

The venue was the best hotel, the Vaporleon Grand Hotel. They invited all the city's elites, a few first and second-tier celebrities, and several influential media outlets.

The purpose of the party was to raise funds for depression patients. The Berry family was responsible for the fundraising, and Fraley Hospital would manage the funds, ensuring they were used to help patients.

The Berry family donated 32 million dollars, Fraley Medical donated 20 million dollars, and other guests were also generous, eventually raising over 80 million dollars

At the banquet, Matilda and her daughter wore the latest luxury brands, looking glamorous and free of the recent scandals.

Helen even delivered a highly polished speech, making her the focal point of the evening and stealing the spotlight. She transformed from a murder suspect into an angel advocating for depression awareness.

Christian was dressed in formal attire. He stood behind Helen. Usually indifferent to these events, he had become enthusiastic and proactive. The Berry family hosting this charity party in collaboration with Fraley Medical was a clear strategy. Everyone knew their purpose.

Christian's presence and enthusiasm demonstrated how much he valued his eldest granddaughter.

Everyone also showed the Berry family respect and actively supported this eldest granddaughter of the Berry family

The event was live-streamed, quickly making headlines.

**"Helen raises 80 million dollars for depression"**

Lea stared at the webpage, knowing the trending topic was bought. It wouldn't have climbed so quickly otherwise.

Given recent events. Helen became the city's focus, a trending figure whose online popularity rivaled top celebrities. Labels such as depression helper, kind angel, wealthy heiress, and philanthropist were attached to her.

Back at school. Helen became the center of attention, with classmates idolizing her like never before.

The bell rang, signaling the end of classes. Helen was swarmed by classmates before she could stand up.

“Helen, great news! Shawn Bowen was executed today. It’s all over the internet. Look.”

“Helen, how do we donate to the ‘Depression’ fund? I want to contribute too”

“Helen, do you have another charity event next week! Take me with you”

“Helen, can I study with you?”

“Helen, let’s grab a meal together.”

“Helen...”

Lea held her phone displaying a photo of Shawn’s execution. Her mood had been terrible these past few days.

At school, Helen flaunted her newfound fame before her eyes, while back at the mansion, Helen and Matilda hovered around Christian, constantly aggravating her

The stocks of Berry Group and Fraley Hospital had returned to normal levels and even showed an upward trend, improving Christian’s mood.

He approved of Helen’s “philanthropist image and supported Matilda’s strategy.

On the surface, their relationships seemed to have reverted to the old dynamics. Shawn’s death was the only event that momentarily soothed Lea.

Lea swiped her finger to close the webpage and glanced at Helen basking in the adoration of her classmates. She sneered.

Lily had depression? These classmates must be blind. No, their hearts were blind.

Lea slung her back pack over her shoulder and left the classroom.

Helen watched Lea’s retreating figure coldly, unable to hide her smugness. She knew Lea was upset.

Lea must have never imagined she would transform from a “murder suspect to a “philanthropist and become a trending online figure

Matilda had already arranged a team to manage Helen’s

popularity online and fund scripts for her.

Once the SAT exam was over, Helen could enter the entertainment industry and quickly become a top star.

She thought, Lea, just wait. Your peaceful days are over.

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Lea had just left the classroom when Chris called “Miss Berry, everything is ready here. The ribbon-cutting will be in forty minutes.”

After a period of preparation, Riverview Hospital’s headquarters was fully renovated and ready. Today was the grand opening and ribbon-cutting ceremony, marking its official start of operations.

Lea replied, "Okay."

Hanging up the phone, she had a relaxed smile. This was the only thing in recent days worth celebrating.

As Lea left the school gates, she saw Jason's car parked by the roadside. He had been responsible for driving her to and from school recently.

She walked over and opened the passenger door. Then, her eyes lit up with surprise and joy. "Alfred."

Alfred, dressed in a custom-made black suit with his hair styled, looked distinguished and regal. He was like a god from mythology. Just seeing him like this made her heart flutter.

Alfred smiled slightly and gestured. "Get in

The car drove forward, and in half an hour, they arrived at the city center, at the headquarters of Riverview SmartMed.

From a distance, she could see the sign on the twenty-eight-story building. Vaporleon City Riverview Hospital"

The bold, powerful letters exuded grandeur. The newly renovated hospital had several neatly arranged buildings, a well-planned park, beautiful landscaping, and a vibrant atmosphere.

The exterior alone was impressive and modern, leaving a great impression.

The ribbon-cutting ceremony had been specially arranged. A red carpet stretched from the road entrance to the outpatient hall, lined with flowers and banners.

The banners read, "Riverview SmartMed. Focusing on the future of smart healthcare."

"Serving patients with the most advanced medical technology"

"Patients always come first."

"Caring for life, pursuing excellence, practicing medicine with virtue.

"Dr. Berry, the miraculous healer, creating life miracles!"

There were many more striking decorations.

The area outside the hospital was packed with people, buzzing with excitement. The car circled the square, heading towards the parking lot.

Peering out the window in surprise, Lea asked. "Why are there so many people?"

She thought it was just a regular hospital opening and didn't expect such a crowd..

Alfred turned to look at her, pride evident in his eyes. "Dr. Berry gave our hospital a great gili.

Lea paused, then understood. Donna's live-streamed surgery had taken the medical world by storm.

The hospital's opening needed promotion, and revealing that "Dr. Berry" was collaborating with the hospital for high-difficulty surgeries garnered massive attention. Medical professionals, patients, and citizens were all focused on the opening

Patients from the former Andrews Hospital had also transferred here. Both patients and their families had a good impression of the hospital and strongly supported it

Alfred said, “All those flowers and banners were sent by people like doctors, patients, even colleagues, And there are many gifts too.

The car stopped opposite the main square, where the ribbon-cutting spot could be seen. Alfred parked so she could get a good view.

Lea was shocked to receive gifts.

. her waist straightening

With the window down, under the bright sun, the grand scene and waves of cheers reached her. She couldn't help but smile, 1 involuntarily

Having her own foundation and strength gave her confidence and joy.

She even felt a bit excited about going to Iverton to face those formidable opponents.

Alfred turned to look at Lea in her school uniform, whose confident and elegant demeanor radiated from within like a blooming flower. He couldn't help but smile too, filled with joy and pride.

He asked. “Do you want to attend the ribbon-cutting? There's a stylist and a dress ready

Although he knew Lea, as the major shareholder and boss, wouldn't personally attend the ribbon-cutting, he had still asked Chris to prepare.

“A dress too?” Lea looked surprised.

Alfred nodded. “Yes”

Tll pass.” She felt a bit disappointed inside.

This hospital was not only her career and leverage but also her dream deep down. She wanted to advance the medical field and benefit humanity.

So. Lea was excited and passionate inside. But a week ago, when Chris asked her, she had already declined.

Matilda's people were watching her closely, so she couldn't openly step out.

She had to remain hidden to maintain her advantage. She turned to Alfred. The disappointment in her heart dissipated, replaced by satisfaction. “Alfred, having you by my side is enough,” she said, her eyes moist with emotion as she tried to control her feelings.

Alfred had initially wanted to say that she could participate if she wanted and that he could protect her. But now, he responded with a soft “Okay” His eyes were filled with tenderness.

“This way,” he said, driving the car around before entering the underground parking lot. They got out and took the elevator to the top floor of the outpatient building, where they could overlook the entire ribbon-cutting ceremony.

The hospital had invited important figures from medical institutions, as well as the mayor-

Such a large hospital arriving in this city was a significant boost to healthcare, public welfare, and the city's economic development. The authorities were very supportive and helped with the promotion.

The guest of honor for the ribbon-cutting was Julius Decker, an esteemed biomedical professor who was eighty years old and still leading a team in medical research.

He had come to Vaporleon City to learn about the surgical techniques Dr. Berry" used on Donna.

The hospital invited him to cut the ribbon, and he gladly accepted. His presence greatly boosted the hospital's reputation and public trust.

At the designated time, the ribbon-cutting began. Julius and the mayor were responsible for the ceremony.

Soon, the ribbon was c

cut.

Then, the confetti cannon boomed, showering the crowd in golden confetti. The crowd cheered and applauded thunderously.

Watching this grand scene, Lea's smile grew brighter, and she felt even more confident. She vowed to become stronger than those who had trampled her in her previous life

Alfred looked at her with a gentle gaze.

"This is just the beginning. One day, your Riverview Hospital will spread across the country and the world," he said with a gentle and certain tone. "Lea, you will make this hospital the best in the world"

Lea suddenly turned to meet his gaze. In the sunlight, the light in his eyes illuminated her entire being, and her eyes gradually brightened

The dream buried deep within her heart awoke fully, spreading through her body, and making her blood boil uncontrollably.

In her previous life, she had worked hard in medical research, enduring suppression and adversity. She strived to establish herself in Iverton's high society and wanted to be a goad Mrs. Andrews. All she hoped for was to freely pursue medicine, combat disease, and save millions of lives.

Her eyes stung with unshed tears, and her vision soon blurred with a mis

Alfred stepped forward and gently hugged her, holding her tenderly and protectively. "Lea, I will be with you, watching the hospital grow into the largest and best, walking with you every step of the way"

Lea's voice choked with emotion as she managed to say, "Okay"

After calming down in Alfred's embrace for a moment, her phone buzzed with a new message.

She stepped out of his arms, took out her phone, and saw it was a video link from Shannon. She clicked on it and saw

surveillance footage.

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A top-tier black Mercedes-Benz car was parked outside the ribbon-cutting square, overlooking the entire area.

It was Nixon's personal car.

As Lea looked up at the square and the vehicles that seemed like small boxes from a distance, she could still feel the aggressive aura emanating from Nixon

Much like Matilda. Nixon possessed an insatiable greed. He would stop at nothing to achieve his goals.

In fact, he was even more greedy than Matilda.

quest to join the upper class. He even tried to marry Matilda but

Born into poverty. Nixon had faced countless humiliations and setbacks in his quest failed. Therefore, he craved power and wealth all the more desperately.

Riverview Hospital's powerful entrance into the scene posed a significant threat, and its backing was formidable. Nixon would not allow it to establish itself in Vaporleon City and usurp Fraley Hospital's dominant position.

[Do you want to see inside the car? Sh

Shannon sent another message.

Since her mother's surgery, Shannon had stayed at the hospital to care for her and had joined the hospital's information security system development.

Lea had developed the hospital's information security system. Apart from the core components, Shannon and a few other tech personnel managed

the rest.

With so many people at the opening, Shannon was responsible for monitoring the system and noticed the car.

To investigate Donna's incident, Shannon hacked into Fraley Hospital's system and thoroughly investigated Nixon, identifying his car.

"No need," Lea replied tersely

The hospital had been thoroughly prepared for its opening, inside and out, with a security system she had

had personally developed. Its intelligence and security far surpassed the market standard,

Recently, Nixon had been preoccupied with issues concerning Matilda and Helen. He had failed with Donna's incident and hadn't had time to deal with Riverview Hospital

On the opening day, the hospital was crowded. Many citizens registered and topped up their accounts, and the total amount surpassed two million dollars.



Numerous patients wanted to be admitted, but the doctors had to turn them away due to the overwhelming demand.

Chris, Lorrard, and Charles managed the hospital well. Despite being busy, there were no significant issues under their management. Lea was in a great mood as she returned home.

With only a week left until the SAT exam, she had to prepare not only for the test but also for the interview that followed. Conrad University's SAT exam required an interview after passing the written exam for final admission.

On Monday, the school scheduled the last mock exam. As the morning sunlight brightened the campus, Lea had just stepped out of the stairwell when Jason called.

He said, "Miu Lea, Ewan is in trouble!"

Lea responded, "Oh

Jason continued. "He collapsed this morning and was taken to Riverview Hospital. Mr. Phoenix personally examined him. I haven't seen the report yet, but it looks serious"

Lea replied, "Gærir"

Lea hung up and sent a message to Lorrard. Shortly after, she received the examination report.

Knowing her relationships with the Berry family, Jason had informed Lorrard during Ewan's transfer that he was someone she had her eyes on. Lorrard personally conducted the examination, expediting the process.

As Lea reviewed the report, her brows furrowed.

Ewan's condition was severe, with long-term alcohol abuse and an uncontrolled lifestyle leading to serious kidney damage. The past half month of

indulgence at the Purple Gold Club caused his health to collapse. He needed a kidney transplant.

Lea already knew they were not biologically related. During the nineteen years she lived with the Berry family, Ewan favored Matilda and Helen while ignoring their mistreatment of her. They had no emotional connection.

She had once resented him as a father, but after discovering the truth, even that resentment disappeared.

Lea had a faint smile. The timing of his illness was perfect.

She sent a message to Lorrard, made the necessary arrangements, and looked downstairs, where she saw Helen.

Helen was following closely behind Shannon, glaring daggers at her back.

Previously, Shannon had been at the hospital taking care of her mother and hadn't come to school. Now, with Donna's condition much improved and the SAT exams approaching, she returned to school for the mock exams.

This was the first time Helen had seen her since the court case

Shannon had actually betrayed her! Helen needed to find an opportunity to eliminate Shannon and make her regret ever crossing her.

Feeling the hostility, Shannon quickened her pace up the stairs. She wasn't yet a match for Helen and just wanted to stay as far away from her as possible.

On the third floor, Helen stopped in her tracks when she heard Lea and Shannon talking. She stepped back into the stairwell to eavesdrop.

Lea said, "Shannon, my dad is sick and is in Riverview Hospital. He needs a kidney transplant. After the mock exams, I'll go to the hospital for a compatibility test. If it matches, I can donate my kidney"

Shannon remarked, "But Lea, donating a kidney isn't good for your health."

Lea replied, "One kidney is enough for a normal life. Besides, there will be opportunities to get a transplant later. There is only one chance to save my dad. My grandfather is too old, and my dad is the head of the Berry family. If I donate my kidney to him and save his life, he will appreciate me and value me more. My status in the Berry family will naturally rise."

She continued, "As long as I gain his favor and importance, I have a high chance of becoming the Berry family heir. I'd give him not just a kidney but even half my life if necessary. If it weren't for the importance of the mock exams, I'd go right now."

Shannon said, "Okay, I'll go with you after the mock exams."

Then, they kept chatting

In the stairwell, Helen leaned against the wall, her heart pounding. Her dad was sick and needed a kidney transplant

Lea wanted to donate her kidney to gain his favor so that he would give the Berry family's inheritance and Berry Airline to her.

No way! Helen thought she should get the family inheritance because she was the eldest granddaughter and her father's first daughter. Her father and grandfather had always hinted that she was the rightful heir.

If Lea donated her kidney, Ewan would favor Lea more, especially with the strained relationship between Ewan and Matilda. Ewan resented Matilda for aborting his mistress's son.

Helen couldn't let that happen. She needed to donate her kidney herself. With one kidney, she wouldn't be much affected, and Lea had said it could be transplanted back later.

This would win her father's favor and the Berry family's wealth. She couldn't let that bitch take this opportunity. Helen hurriedly ran downstairs, her mind racing-

In the hallway, Shannon and Lea heard Helen's footsteps and exchanged a knowing glance,

Helen dashed out of the school building, pulling out her phone to call her mother. Just as she found her mother's number, she paused.

After the murder incident, her mother still cared for her as always, buying her countless luxury items. However, Matilda's disappointment and the impact and anxiety caused by these events were evident.

As a result, Matilda kept a tight rein on her. For every charity event, Helen's attire, behavior, mannerisms, and even simple greetings were meticulously planned by Matilda's team and herself.

Helen felt suffocated, unable to breathe under such pressure

Despite all this, her mother didn't promote or spotlight her as she once did. Helen desperately wanted to become a globally recognized socialite

Only by achieving that could her grandfather arrange for her to marry Alfred and propose to the Andrews family.

What if it was too late and Alfred was seduced by Lea! Even without Lea, there were other heiresses in Iverton.

Therefore, Helen had to prove to Matilda that she wasn't brainless and reckless and that she could accomplish great things and regain her mother's confidence.

Moreover, her mother was currently very busy, having gone on a business trip to Maspeyria for Berry Airline early in the morning. She couldn't bother her mother now,

Helen stuffed her phone back into her bag and ran out of the school.

To seize the opportunity quickly, she didn't even call for a private car but flagged one down and headed straight to Riverview Hospital,

Originally, she didn't want to take the mock test. She planned to fake a fainting in class to be sent to the hospital,

Now, she had a legitimate reason. She would go to the hospital to save her father and get a leave of absence from school, and everyone would praise her.

In the school hallway, Lea watched Helen flag a car and leave. She smiled happily.

She had dug a pit, and Helen eagerly jumped in

She thought. "Matilda, you wanted to make a grand gesture to regain your position while Grandpa was trying to revive the company. Congratulations. I have a big surprise waiting for you when you return."

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Shannon watched her smile. Lea was stunningly beautiful, and her smile was absolutely enchanting, but Shannon shivered.

The last time Lea had quietly turned the tables, Lily ended up dead, and Helen was arrested. This time. Helen would undoubtedly suffer as well

"Lea, you must be car

the seberg.

people. They were powerful, ruthless, and unscrupulous. Shannon only knew the tip of what was very worried about Lea.

The conflict between them was deadly. It was a fight to the death She

"I know," Lea replied confidently. "Let's go take the exam."

“Okay!” Shannon lifted her head and straightened her posture, her eyes sparkling.

She used to worry about Lea, but now, she didn’t need to at all.

They would both get into Conrad University and move to Iverton. No matter how many obstacles lay ahead, they would carve out a bright future together.

After finishing one section of the mock exam. Lea received a message from Lorrard. The results of the compatibility test between Helen and Ewan were out.

As the eldest daughter of the Berry family, Helen had used her influence to expedite the tests.

Lea replied: [I’ll be there soon.]

Half an hour later. Lea arrived outside Ewan’s VIP ward and overheard his voice. “Not a match? Are you sure there’s no mistake?”

Given that his life was at stake, he was furious and weak. His voice was also hoarse too.

“Mr. Berry, we repeated the test multiple times. There’s no mistake.” Lorrard said sternly. “Even among blood relatives, kidney compatibility is not guaranteed. Our results show that the donor has no blood relation to you.”

Ewan was stunned. “What do you mean? Who was tested?”

He clearly remembered that the person who had the compatibility test was his daughter, Helen.

Early in the morning, she came into his room, wearing her school uniform and carrying her backpack. She cried and insisted on donating her kidney to him because he was her biological father, her closest relative in the world.

Ewan had been moved by Helen’s gesture and felt guilty for neglecting her in the past. He had decided to make it up to her once he recovered.

Lorrard said, “It was Miss Helen.

Ewan’s mind went blank, and he lay motionless on the bed for a long time. “What did you just say?”

Lorrard repeated, “Mr. Berry, our tests show that you and Miss Helen are not related by blood. To be certain, we also conducted a paternity test.”

He handed over a stack of reports. The kidney compatibility test had been repeated several times, as had the paternity test. All results confirmed that there was no Biological relationship.

This can’t be true. This can’t be true! You must have made a mistake... Ewan tore the reports to shreds, paper flying everywhere.

Lea continued, “Dal, everything needs evidence. If you can prove that Mom really wronged you and that Helen is another man’s child, I’ll be the first to support you, Grandpa wouldn’t let her get away with it either.”

Ewan calmed down. She was right. If he confronted Matilda without evidence, she would deny it, and with her cunning, she might even turn the tables on him.

needed proof. He had to find that other man and expose the truth so she would have no defense. This time, even the old would side with him.

Lea murmured thoughtfully, "But I still don't understand. If Helen isn't your daughter, why would Mom keep her in the Berry family and let her call you Dad? You and Mom only have Helen, right? The Berry family needs her to inherit everything.

Suddenly, another realization hit Ewan like a thunderclap, making his mind clearer than ever.

He wasn't skilled in business and couldn't manage the Berry Group, but he wasn't a fool. He finally understood everything.

Matilda had never loved or respected him. She married him and diligently served the Berry family only to gain control of the Berry Group.

From the moment Helen was born, she had raised her as the family's heir. No wonder she ruthlessly killed his unborn children.

Ewan recalled the gruesome image of her killing Janice's fully developed male fetus.

Once Christian was gone and Ewan was aged, the Berry family would fall into the hands of this other man's child.

The century-old family legacy would be completely taken over by an outsider. And Ewan would be the ultimate fool, a pitiful, laughable joke.

Ewan snapped, "Adulteress... I'll make sure you die a miserable death!"

"Ugh!" He spat out another mouthful of blood and collapsed to the floor.

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Dad Lea sibly caught him as he fell

Several medical staff pushed forward to help, lifting Ewan back thito the le measures and then shook his

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Lea wasn't worried that Ewan would have a serious isure due to his fit of rage After all, he was only in his forties, with in his

Driven by this fury, he wouldn't fall easily.

In her previous life, Lea had been-

heart full of vengeance.

and schemed against by Milton and Abigail, losing her son and dying with a

That kind of hatred from being betrayed by one's partner could only be soothed by revenge. Ewan now wanted to stay alive, to make Matilda pay

"He should be fully awake soon after resting for a bit, Lorrاند reported to her,

Lea said, "Tinderstand. You can go now?"

Lorrand responded, "Okay, Miss Lea"

The medical team had played their roles perfectly. Now that the goal was achieved, they left.

Lea stayed by the bedside for about ten minutes. Ewan groaned in pain, clutching his waist. He was waking up.

She lifted her eyes towards the door. The person she had been waiting for should be arriving soon

Then, the door burst open, and Helen rushed in. She was still in her school uniform from the morning, with bandages on her wrists and hands, covering the needle marks from the morning tests.

Her eyes were red from crying when she saw Ewan earlier, her expression weary and anxious

"Lea?" Helen stormed over, grabbing Lea by the collar and pulling her up. "You conniving little bitch. Get out now! I care of Dad, you get out!" She wouldn't let Lea have the chance to read to their father and succeed in her schemes.

Lea stumbled back, nearly falling

Ewan's violent coughing fit roused him, and he struggled to sit up.

"Dad, Dad...." Helen immediately rushed to help him

Out of the blue, a resounding slap landed on her face.

Helen let out a scream as she fell to the ground, hitting her forehead on the corner of the bed, and causing a swollen bump. After a moment of silence, Helen's incredulous scream sounded.

"Dad, you hit me?" Helen clutched the bed, looking at Ewan in disbelief.

-From childhood, her father had always doted on her. He might not have been very attentive, but he bought her all the best

toys, food, and clothes. He would have given her the stars if she asked.

He had never spoken a harsh word to high. But now, he had hit her, and so hard.

Ewan muttered fiercely, "Bastard, get out...."

Helen was stunned, frozen in place

Tad, are you delirious! It's me! She clung to his arm, pressing his hand to her face. "It's Helen, not that bastard Lea."

Ewan stared at her, his gaze scanning her face inch by inch. People said daughters resembled their fathers, but Helen bore no resemblance to him.

She had

Matilda's bold and striking features, but the rest were traits of her biological father, Matilda's other man.

Ewan snarled. "I'm talking about you. Get out, and don't come back"

Helen was pushed away forcefully

She fell again, knocking over a chair and landing heavily on the floor. She was completely dumbfounded.

Turning her head, Helen saw Lea. Lea stood with her arms crossed looking down at her with a smile.

The father who had always cherished her was now treating her like an enemy, hitting her with such hatred. The pain, confusion and fear in Helen's eye delighted Lea.

Helen suddenly understood. It was Lea. She must have said something to their father to cause this misunderstanding.

She scrambled up and clung to Ewan's hand. "Dad, don't be deceived by Lea. She's lying. She's trying to turn you against me so she can become the Berry family heir and take everything?"

Ewan's eyes widened, and he glared at Lea with bloodshot eyes. Lea had told him nothing. The truth about Helen not being Idaughter had come from the hospital. Her words only added fuel to the fire.

Suddenly, Ewan grabbed a nearby medical tool and swung it at Lea's head.

Helen screamed, falling to the ground. She touched her face. It hurt, and her hand was covered in so much blood.

"My face! My face. She held her hands near her face, afraid to touch the wound, trembling and screaming.

Lea took a closer look. A thin but somewhat deep cut ran across Helen's cheek. Among the miscellaneous items, Ewan had used an IV needle to scratch her face.

"Bastard, get out or I'll kill you!" Ewan's rage was uncontrollable. If he were in better health and could move freely, he would have hit even harder.

Suddenly, the door opened. Max entered and was stunned by the scene.

He surveyed the chaos. Ewan in a fury, Lea standing coldly, and Helen in pain.

Matilda had instructed him in the morning to ensure that Helen never interacted alone with these two.

Half an hour earlier, he had received a call from Helen asking him to come to the hospital for assistance.

After visiting her father in the morning, Helen immediately went to draw blood for matching tests. Following the doctor's instructions, she then waited in a designated room.

She had grown tired and hungry while waiting. She still had many things to handle at the hospital, so she called Max. Then,

nurse notified her that her father had woken up, prompting her to come to see him, which led to the current chaos.

Max surveyed the situation in the hospital room, feeling a sense of dread.

Helen, let me take you to get your face treated" He supported Helen as they made their way out.

“My face, my face.” Helen cried out in anguish. “Quick, quick. It must be healed perfectly. No scars, no marks.

She wanted to be celebrity and marry a man like Alfred in the future. A disfigurement would ruin everything.

Max said, “Miss 1

Helen kept crying.

worry. Stay calm. I’ll take you to Fradley Hospital right away”

Fradley Hospital was their own facility and the only place they trusted for medical treatment

The room fell silent again, an oppressive stillness settling over it.

Lea approached Ewan. “If you want to recover quickly, it’s best to rest in bed and control your emotions. No extreme anger

Having just hit Helen, Ewan himself wasn’t feeling well. His face looked terrible.

Ewan frowned, his eyes still red and his anger unabated. He knew Helen wasn’t to blame for the situation, but her presence, words, and actions had enraged him to the point of losing control. He didn’t regret hitting her.

He looked up at Lea, scrutinizing her in a way he never had before. Who was her mother? He couldn’t remember at all.

Before marrying Matilda, Ewan had several romantic interests. Even after marriage, unable to endure Matilda’s domineering ways, he had affairs. Those women were just a blur to him now.

Feeling his intense gaze, Lea frowned. “I’ve already done the matching test. It’s not suitable,” she stated bluntly, shattering any hope Ewan had.

Lea added. “Riverview Hospital’s new medication is very effective and can help with your condition. Even if a suitable kidney can’t be found right away, you’ll be fine.

Ewan was taken aback. He had been assessing Lea, considering her as a potential donor for a kidney transplant, crucial for his survival.

Ewan gave Lea a cold look before turning away and dialing his phone. “Find me the best private investigator!”

Matilda cheated on him and made him raise another man’s child. Now, she sought to take over Berry Group.

He wanted to expose Matilda’s affair, unveil all her dirty secrets, and destroy her and her lover completely.

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Lea glanced at Ewan one last time before leaving the hospital room.

She instructed a doctor to keep an eye on him. Once outside, she quickly sent a message to Quicksilver, asking him to take

on Ewan’s



The reply came almost immediately.

Quicksilver: [You're a member yourself, why not take it on? As a new member, you should prove yourself. Otherwise, it's hard to gain respect.]

Despite the infinite distance of the digital world, Lea could almost sense Quicksilver's smugness.

She responded: [Ewan is my father.]

Although she knew she was not biologically related to the Berry family and Ewan wasn't her real father, in the eyes of the Berry family and the outside world, she was still Ewan's illegitimate daughter.

Quicksilver felt helpless. [You arranged it?]

Lea: [Yes]

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She planned to use Ewan to expose Matilda and Nixon's affair. Since Ewan needed a detective, she would provide ensure she could control the situation.

Quicksilver: [I see what you're doing.]

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He finally understood why she wanted to join and eventually lead their group. It was to make them work for her for free. How annoying.

Lea was speechless.

Quicksilver. [We charge a lot, even if you're one of us. Rules are mules.]

Lea: [I'll pay you.]

She sent over the information she had already gathered, which was mostly to be handed over to Ewan via Quicksilver.

After a while, Quicksilver replied: [Got it.]

Meanwhile, outside the hospital, Helen was helped into a Bentley that drove her straight to Fraley Hospital. Max immediately called Matilda, who was on a flight to Maspeyria.

Matilda heard Ewan had called Helen a bastard, hit her, and that her forehead was injured and her face was bleeding....

Over the phone, she could hear her daughter's anguished cries.

"My face! I'm disfigured! It hurts!" Helen kept crying in pain.

Matilda's complexion paled. She leaned back in her seat, trying to regain her

After hanging up, she reallocated her work duties to a subordinate and adjusted her flight back to Vaporleon City.

She returned late at night. The Bentley drove straight into her secret private villa. It was heavily guarded inside and out. Not even a fly could get through.

She hurried inside and was met by Max.

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“Why why are you back Helen stammered Matilda was supposed to be in Maspeyria.

Malahands clumped down on her daughter’s shoulders, her eyes wild with rage “What did you do? What did you do

Helen was started he had just woken up, her fare still injured, Matilda had never been so disregarding of her feelings, so firmer, so therrrogative Helen felt like she about to be crushed by her mother.

Helen said, “Mom, I. I didn’t do anything, I just

Matilde asked, “Why did you go to the hospital? What did you do

Helen finally understood and quickly responded. “Dad is sick and needs a kidney transplant. I wanted to donate my kidney tease the tension between you and him. I don’t know what happened she cried out in fear and distress

Hospitalization, kidney transplant, bastard, physical violence Matilda had already heard these words over the phone while

the plane

Matilda’s body went limp, and she collapsed onto the bed. Her face turned sour, trembling uncontrollably.

Her verder was discovered.

Helen reached out and held her arm “Mom, look at my

Her face was covered with gauze. The wound was not very deep After the best treatment and medication, it had mostly healed, but her face was still swollen

Helen said. “Take me to the hospital, find the best doctor for me I don’t want to be disfigured. If my face is ruined, it’s over.”

During the day, dermatologists and beauty experts had come to treat her at Fraley Hospital. But just as her wounds were starting to heal, she had been taken here by Max with a bunch of bodyguards. It was no different from being imprisoned.

Matilda impatiently said. "Be quiet. I've already talked to the doctor. There won't be any scars

Helen couldn't help but be surprised, biting her lip

situation, her mother was still harsh on her. But as soon as she heard there wouldn't be any scars, she felt

himself calmed down, and Matilda went over the events again.

St-Led. "So you went to the hospital because you overheard Lea?\*

Although Helen didn't want to admit it, it was true. She stiffly nodded.

Matilda snapped. "This little bastard again!" Matilda gritted her teeth. "No.. it can't be!

She couldn't believe that Lea had already known about Helen's identity and deliberately manipulated her into going to the hospital. But could such a coincidence really happen!

Matilda didn't believe it. Lea was becoming increasingly unpredictable and sinister,

"Mom" Helen hugged her arm again. "Please explain to Dad, tell him it's all a misunderstanding. It's Lea who's framing me. What if she has completely misled Dad? What should we do?"

The mention of Ewan made Helen afraid.

Matilda looked at her daughter and sighed softly. Helen had oversimplified things. It was also her fault for protecting Helen too well, so Helen didn't think deeply about it.

Matilda said. "Don't worry about this matter. I will handle it. You stay here and recover. The doctor will come to change your bandages on time to ensure there are no scars,"

"Stay here?" Helen resisted. "Mom, where is this? I don't want to stay here. Can't we go home? I want to go home."

Although the villa was luxuriously decorated, it felt oppressive with all the bodyguards around. At this moment, she just wanted to go home.

Matilda replied, "This is my private residence, also another home for us. You stay here. In a few days, I'll take you back."

Helen begged. "Mom

"Listen to me?" Matilda's tone was ste

stern..

Helen did not dare to say anything else.

Matilda went downstairs, collapsed on the sofa exhaustedly, and quickly dialed a number on her phone.

“Ewan might know about Helen’s identity... Her voice trembled uncontrollably, and her whole body shook

If this matter were to be exposed, Ewan wasn’t the terrifying one. She could handle that waste. But with Christian’s temper and his way of doing things, she, Helen, and Nixon would be doomed.

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Itexuill at Riverview Hospital Everything is normal with Christian,” Matilda replied, her

That means Cheptian dill doesn’t know. Otherwise, he would have already had you and your daughter under control, Nixon and Maulida thought the same way.

What exactly is Ewan’s intention? With his temper, shouldn’t he be the first one to come after you? Matilda, are you sure he knows? Nixon asked, still skeptical

Matilda pondered for a moment. I’ll go to the hospital to see him and find out more. But I believe he already knew.”

She continued, “Nixon. If this matter reaches Christian, it’s either their death or ours. But the most important thing now is to get rid of Lea

Don’t worry, I’ve already made arrangements. We’ll take action in the next few days, Nixon replied.

The night was as dark as ink. The city was like a dormant giant under the night sky.

At the lakeside valla, Alfred was on the phone with Jason.

“Mr. Andrews, as soon as it’s light, I’ll go to the hospital and take Miss Lea to school,” Jason stated.

Alfred responded sternly. “Alright, Increase the manpower, ensure her safety twenty–four hours

The sudden revelation at the hospital that Helen and Ewan were not biologically related was undoubtedly Lea’s doing. Despite her previous failure to destroy Helen, this time she acted swiftly.

When a rabbit was cornered, it would bite. Especially someone as ruthless as Matilda.

After hanging up the phone, Alfred couldn’t help but feel uneasy

Despite the hospital stabilizing Ewan’s condition and arranging for a kidney donor, he was still restless and angry. He was determined to uncover the truth behind Matilda’s actions. He called Christian

Victor picked up the phone and relayed the news to Christian. When Christian heard this, he was furious.

He believed his worthless son, who held a high position in the company, not only neglected his duties but also indulged in pleasures and ended up in the hospital.

“He deserves it. He’d better die out there, don’t come back!” Christian exclaimed angrily, though Victor conveyed the message more tactfully, assuring Alfred that Christian would visit when he was free.

With no relatives by his side, Lea stayed at the hospital to look after Ewan.

However, the medical staff were responsible for his care, and she had no emotional attachment to the man who was her

supposed father. Nevertheless, she still visited his room to check on Ewan the next morning.

The new mrostration ma dective, and Ewan’s condition was stable.

Tim going to school now. If there’s anything, ask Mr. Phoenix. They’ll take care of you,” she said.

“Yes” wan replied lightly, looking at her with a hint of guilt.

He treated this “daughter, who had lived under the same roof with him for nineteen years, as a stranger because of his wife and eldest daughter

Despite Lea’s suffering, he turned a blind eye. Yet now, as he lay ill in the hospital, only she was there for him. And her demeanor towards him conveyed no ulterior motives, no schemes.

Lea left the room with her backpack and headed for the elevator.

The elevator doors opened, revealing someone inside. Their eyes met, and they had an intense stare down.

Lea smiled. “Mom, you’re here so early.”

She turned her gaze towards the glass window at the end of the corridor. Outside, the sky was still dark. It was only 6 am.

he sun had yet to rise fully The weather was good, with colorful clouds adorning the sky.

Les added. Look it’s not even completely dawn yet.”

That one word “mom” made Manilda feel nauseous. Her face commoned in rage, and anger churned in her chest. It wa

That “mom” also reminded Manlids that for nineteen years. Lea had been nothing but a pawn in her hands, to be toyed with as she pleased.

But now Lea was fighting back, causing her harm and pushing her into a corner, yet she didn’t even know how Lea had done

it

Matilda couldn’t accept such a contrast. Now, it threatened her and her daughter, as well as the life of the man she loved.

“Wow, your dark circles are so heavy, and your eyes are so swollen. Did you cry? Lea’s remark was not very hurtful, but extremely insulting

Le “Matilda’s voice was sharp, almost breaking.

Cry? She would never cry. A sleepless night due to her advanced age had taken a toll on her face. Despite carefully applying makeup to conceal in Lea still mocked her

Manida asked Bercely. “What exactly do you want?”

Les said, “Mom. I’m concerned about you. Weren’t you supposed to be on a business trip to Maspeyria representing Berry Airline Why are you here! Should I say you’re deeply in love with Dad”

Matilda scrutinized Lea. She knew Lea was testing her.

Lea knew nothing about these secrets. Had she seen the test results from the hospital? Matilda’s mind raced, and she smiled coldly.

Matilda asked, “Do you know why I went to Maspeyria on that business trip, Lea

She explained. “Berry Group will collaborate with the largest aircraft manufacturer in Maspeyria and globally, focusing on artificial intelligence to develop and produce new aircraft