

## Love Rats 1161

### Chapter 1161 Annihilate the Heart!

He repeatedly reminded himself that Selena liked Osvaldo. If he drove that man away, she might cause trouble. Only then could Patrick suppress the anger that had already risen to his throat.

No wonder they say that girls are outwardly oriented. Judging from the situation, Selena's heart is clearly leaning towards that man.

At this time, whoever stops her from being with Osvaldo, she will definitely get angry with them!

Antonio saw his grandson being beaten and felt a strange pleasure, clapping and laughing, "Good!"

It's just unclear whether this "good" refers to Osvaldo being beaten up, or Selena doing well.

Nicholas' face became incredibly gloomy. "Patrick, do you really allow the daughter of the Turner family to ruin the reputation of the Turner family like this?"

Before Patrick could speak, Antonio snorted, "This is the girl that my grandson likes. It's common knowledge that they are a couple in love. How can you say that she's ruining the reputation of the Turner family?"

Nicholas stared at Antonio with a face full of wrinkles, without any warmth, "Is the Anderson family using their power to openly snatch the Soo family's engagement?"

Antonio heavily snorted and knocked his teacup on the table, "Don't use that engagement as an excuse. Who knows how you obtained that marriage contract?"

"You are just bullying the Turner family for not having elders. They are young and don't know the truth, so they dare to act so arrogantly in the Turner family!"

"I tell you, Nicholas Soo, this girl is the one my grandson likes. No one is allowed to bully her. Put away your shameless and ugly face!"

revealed a cruel and strange smile. "Don't speak so self-righteously. Even if the Soo family did something wrong, we didn't lay a hand on anyone in the

don't forget, my elder brother and his family suffered this disaster, and the culprit was someone from your Anderson

knew what your little son did back then, but why didn't you kill him and apologize to the Turner

brought calamity upon the entire Turner family, and all you did was exile

shows no remorse and returned to the capital, preying on the Turner family's girl

was mentioned, Patrick's expression changed, and he fixed his cold gaze

let go of Osvaldo and turned around to

was "Divine Love" who carried out the attack on the Anderson family, Cassius, as an accomplice, could not

ago, when the Turner family was defenseless, Patrick was only three years old and survived thanks to Benjamin's

that time, the Turner family had no power to seek justice for their loved ones and had to swallow

But things were different now!

The Turner family's son had grown up and was capable of standing on their own, and their daughter was outstanding and unmatched. They were no longer the same weak family *as before*.

If Antonio chose to protect Cassius as he did twenty years ago, the Turner family would not let it go *so easily*.

Selena would not blame Osvaldo, but she would certainly kill Cassius!

As Selena's beautiful face turned cold, Osvaldo hugged her from behind, resting his chin on her slender shoulder and covering his emotions with his black, butterfly-like eyelashes.

The two old men were confronting each other, scaring everyone present **into silence**.

*Christ* had come to the Turner family not to be invisible, and although others were afraid to say a word, he was **not**.

*He sneered*, "Miss Turner, when you see Mr. Anderson's face, don't you think of the deaths of your entire Turner **family?**"

This was a truly cutting question!

**Although** Osvaldo didn't seem to have any special reaction, Selena could feel his arms tighten for a **moment**.

*Although Christ* still had some consideration for Selena's feelings, Freddie had no such *scruples*.

**The** more the Turner family suffered, the happier he was!

Freddie sneered, "Miss Turner trampled on the Turner family's dignity for her own love. Why should she care about the Turner family's hatred now?"

her eyes, there is probably no one else but

Turner, I suggest you not to trust your cousin who came back halfway too much. Her selfishness is evident to everyone, and you are not on the

Turner, don't let your sense of debt and guilt blind you to what kind of person your cousin

not to regret it in the

finished speaking, he suddenly noticed Osvaldo, who had been silent all along, raise his eyelids and stare at him with those eerie, cold

shivered and his face became even

liked Selena, he had not deliberately targeted or oppressed the Shaw family, who were enemies of the Turner family. Freddie thought he knew Osvaldo to some extent after knowing him for more than ten

long as the Shaw family didn't harm Selena and didn't use despicable means to harm or plot against her, and relied on their legitimate strength to compete with Selena, Osvaldo would not do anything to the

after he finished speaking, Osvaldo looked at him with these cold eyes for the first time, as if he was not his brother who had known him for more than ten years, but rather an enemy who had touched his scales and made him damn

clenched his fists and realized even more urgently that the Turner family's enemies were not only the Shaw family, but also the Anderson

was cold as he said, "You don't need to worry about the Turner

### **Chapter 1162 Grandfather**

Worried that Selena would reject him and resent him, especially since she was Selena. Even now, she did not dare to let the Turner family know the truth about the real Selena's death and the fact that it was related to her.

Osvaldo at least had redemption given to him by Selena in the form of her identity, but once the Turner family found out the truth, there would be no one who would forgive her!

Thinking of this, Selena coldly stared at Christ, "Mr. Poole is right, just as I see you, I think of how you and Isabel harmed me back then!"

Christ's face turned pale.

He looked at Selena, about to speak, but Selena had already shifted her gaze, coldly staring at Freddie.

On that beautiful face, there was an expression that no one had ever seen before - coldness. "It seems that I have been too kind to the Shaw family, which led Mr. Shaw and Miss Shaw to mistakenly believe that I would not take action against the Shaw family!"

Selena gave a smile, but there was no hint of joy in her eyes. "I declare that from this moment on, Mr. Shaw will lose the protection of my boyfriend's friend."

"I will take back what the Shaw family took from the Turner family, twice over!"

"I will knock the Shaw family off their pedestal as a first-class family and turn them back into the second-rate family they were twenty years ago!"

Freddie snorted.

He was amused by Selena's arrogance in her words. Did she think that she could create such a commotion in the research institute before, taking away the position of the head of the research department, and still allow the Shaw family to have their way, just because of Osvaldo?

Freddie narrowed his eyes. "Miss Turner, you should be grateful that if you were not the woman Osvaldo liked, do you think you could have come this far today?"

Selena smiled, her elegance and domineering aura showing. "Well, let's wait and see!"

people present were shocked by

the words of the two lords, Poole and Shaw, had touched a nerve in Miss

that they could make her publicly declare that she would knock the Shaw family out of the first-class family circle and return them to their former

it were anyone else saying these words, people would have thought that they were just exaggerating. After all, even though Freddie had lost the leadership of the research department, he was still one of the four major families, and not someone who could be

if this was said by

of people looked at the Zone Six group who didn't speak much from beginning to end, and then looked at Osvaldo standing behind Selena, thinking of the engagement gift that the Anderson family gave to the Turner family... and everyone remained

could maintain his composure, Vivian would have been furious when she heard Selena's

you dare to touch anything belonging to the Shaw family, I will not let you

gave a proud smile and ignored Vivian's shouts, elegantly turned around and looked back at

ignored and almost wanted to scream. She stared at Selena fiercely, and her eyes were filled with intense resentment, jealousy, and the frustration of having her pride trampled

Selena!!

I will make sure you suffer!!!

Selena made her move, everyone's gaze turned to Antonio again, and the atmosphere became tense

It was clear that the Turner family wanted an answer from the Anderson family!

**If** Antonio continued to protect Cassius, whether the Anderson family could successfully propose today was **really unknown**.

After all, everyone knew that Patrick wouldn't back down in this **matter**.

Selena wouldn't either!

*Cassius' fate was sealed by the Turner family!*

**Lady Lauren's** smile disappeared, and she tugged on Benjamin's sleeve with some unease, "Honey..."

Antonio only had two sons, Benjamin and Cassius.

*In* addition, Cassius did such a crazy thing back then mainly because of the unique infatuation bloodline of the Anderson family.

If someone had killed Selena, Osvaldo would certainly seek revenge for her by any *means necessary*.

As for the so-called human nature and rationality, when it came to this point, the Anderson family's men had long lost these two things.

*At the time of the incident, Benjamin wanted to kill Cassius, but in the end, the old master couldn't bear it and secretly expelled Cassius from H Country without *telling Benjamin.**

Benjamin remained calm and said in a flat tone, "If your son can't win over the old master, he won't be able to enter the Turner **family's door.**"

Oswaldo dared to come and propose marriage, naturally, he wouldn't overlook such a big loophole **in Cassius.**

*After all, everyone knew that when it came to the debts of blood from that year, there was simply no room for maneuver.*

breathed a sigh of relief, looked at Antonio's aging face, sighed slightly, and held Benjamin's men of the Anderson family were

kind of infatuation is both a blessing and

Benjamin and Oswaldo are undoubtedly lucky.

Lady Lauren and Selena are beautiful and kind

unfortunately, fell in love with the malicious

deeply understands the uniqueness of the Anderson

she dared to use this and trample on Cassius' feelings without any

at the girl opposite him with a

she was waiting for an

answer satisfied her, the marriage between the Turner family and the Anderson family would

was not satisfied with his

looked at Oswaldo standing behind Selena. He still had that perfect poker face, and in his deep black eyes, there seemed to be nothing

### **Chapter 1163 Putting on the Bridal Dress for You**

Oswaldo's paranoia and darkness were unprecedented. If Selena rejected him or betrayed him, the final result would be either him destroying Selena or Selena destroying him.

Selena elegantly stood up and smiled, but didn't say anything. She just turned around and walked back to Oswaldo, holding his hand. Oswaldo's eyes lit up with joy, and he held her delicate hand in his palm.

Watching Antonio risk even his own son, the people at the scene didn't know what to say. Those who had accused Selena of not considering the Poole family's interests for her own benefit were now red-faced with shame. They had to admit that if a man was willing to go to such lengths for them, how could they not be moved, especially if it was a man they liked?

Ignoring their jealousy and resentment, everyone knew what was going on between Selena and the Soo family. Even someone as proud and haughty as Constance clenched her fists and couldn't speak. Under

the dominant bridal gift presented by Osvaldo, there was no point in acting high and mighty and accusing Selena of being shameless except to expose their own hypocritical envy.

The young ladies at the scene looked at Selena with a bitter and envious gaze. If they hadn't seen it with their own eyes, they might not have felt so upset. But they had seen it, and so this day became a deep and difficult memory for all of them.

The scene fell into silence.

Nicholas' eyes were full of anger, "No matter how many reasons the Turner family and the Anderson family have, it doesn't change the fact that the person engaged to the Soo family is from the Turner family!"

"As long as the engagement between the Turner family and the Soo family exists, the marriage between the Turner family and the Anderson family will be despised by the world!"

Antonio was provoked, and he slammed his crutch heavily on the ground, "You shameless old man!"

Nicholas suppressed a cold smile on his lips. His old eyes were full of cruelty, "I want to see what people will say if the Anderson family marries the Turner family without first dissolving the engagement between the Turner family and the Soo family!"

Antonio stared at Nicholas with murderous intent. The two old men suddenly became angry, which frightened everyone and made them back away. The other families who were enemies of the Turner family sneered, feeling lucky and pleased with themselves.

as Nicholas bites the bullet and cancels the engagement, even if Selena and Osvaldo have many reasons, they cannot escape the fate of being criticized and condemned. At that time, both families will inevitably be disgraced. Given Nicholas' personality, if the Soo family agrees to cancel the engagement, the Turner and Anderson families will definitely pay a heavy

face turned cold, but he still asked the question for the sake of the Turner family and Selena's reputation, "What do you want in order to agree to cancel Selena and Alfie's

a smile, "Patrick, the Soo family has come this far and only lacks

heir can only be Selena and Alfie's

Patrick's face suddenly sank.

family's true strength is not inferior to the Shaw family of the four major families, and can even compete with the Riddle family. Therefore, the Soo family is not lacking in

Soo family lacks

Selena, whether it is her identity as the first mechanic in H Country, or the Turner family's reputation in the police force, is destined to reach heights that everyone else

knows, the young master of the Turner family is not in good health, so it is still a question whether he can leave an

anything happens to Patrick, Selena's child will definitely be the only heir of the Turner

if Patrick can have an heir, can the Turner family, which has no blood relatives left, ignore their that time, with Selena and the Turner family, the Soo family could still stand at the pinnacle

*This old guy has a big appetite!*

**At the** same time, everyone also understands that with such great benefits at stake, the Soo family cannot give up that engagement no matter *what!*

The Turner family seems to have no other way but to admit *defeat*.

*For a while*, all major families looked at the Soo family with envy.

**Although the** Soo family's behavior is despicable, what is shame in front of family *interests?*

Only the Turner and Anderson families care about their so-called family reputation.

Upon hearing Nicholas' plan, Selena's rosy lips curled into a cold smile. She was about to speak, but suddenly saw Alfie take a step forward and walk towards *her*.

*As he* moved, everyone in the room instinctively turned to look at him.

*Selena* looked at the man walking towards her and stopped herself from saying anything, slightly furrowing her *brows*.

Alfie stopped one step away from her and lifted his gentle eyes to take in the girl in front of him. His voice was light and mournful, like the silence of snowflakes melting on a **winter night**.

"I just want to protect you."

Selena was taken aback. Osvaldo's deep black eyes suddenly became dim without any light. Alfie's face showed no calculation or manipulation, he simply said in a soft voice, "If I said I would steal from the Soo family and give it back to the Turner family twice as much, would you **marry me?**"

that man can give you, I can also give

you're willing to marry me, I'll prepare everything for the

you don't want to marry me, I'll spend the rest of my life alone,

"So... do you still like him?"

Selena was stunned.

looked at the gentle and handsome man in front of her, his eyes full of warmth. A feeling she couldn't quite explain surged in her

looked directly at him and said, "Before today, I didn't

smiled, his warm voice filled with affection. "I've known you for a very, very long time. You've been in my life since the moment I was a

never left my life, except that we haven't

Selena was suddenly shocked.

she remembered the strict and harsh family rules of the Soo  
the Turner family had a daughter, she must

### **Chapter 1164 I'm Already Married**

"I'm already married..." With Selena's casual words, the entire banquet hall was shaken.

Except for a few who already knew the truth, everyone looked at Selena in disbelief.

Alfie's gentle expression faded away, replaced by a chilling one as he stared at Osvaldo.

Osvaldo blinked his butterfly-like eyelashes and stared at Selena, his lips curling up with excitement.

"Selena... I finally waited for this day!"

From this moment on, he could finally openly embrace her in his arms. Everyone knew she was his wife!

The man couldn't suppress his excitement and joy, and with his long arms, he hugged Selena tightly from behind.

Selena's slender back was pressed against the man's chest, feeling his strong heartbeat clearly. She turned her head and smiled at Osvaldo, her face filled with undisguised joy and admiration.

Compared to the tenderness between husband and wife, the Soo family's faces were all extremely unpleasant.

Constance couldn't control her emotions and asked in a hoarse voice, "No one in the capital has ever heard of Miss Turner and Mr. Anderson's marriage!"

"To avoid the engagement, you fabricated lies and deceived everyone. Miss Turner, don't you think such behavior is despicable?!"

Selena hooked her charming red lips and said softly, "Miss Baxter, you are too worried. Mr. Shaw, Miss Shaw, and even Mr. Poole... all know that Osvaldo and I are married."

for what you said about me getting married to escape the engagement, that's

turned pale, and her eyes were full of

looked at the three people

Christ's face was cold and frightening.

turned white, but he didn't

face was full of sinister jealousy, but faced with the ironclad fact, she couldn't come up with

the reaction of these three people, everyone took a

No one denied it.

meant Miss Turner and Mr. Anderson had really

shocked, Leon glanced at Patrick, who was cold-faced, and finally understood why the Turner family agreed to the Anderson



down at Hattie standing beside him and asked, "You knew about this

Hattie rolled her eyes and said, "If Selena hadn't gotten a marriage certificate, I wouldn't have been willing to call him my *brother-in-law!*"

Leon thought carefully and realized that she had indeed called Osvaldo her *brother-in-law!*

He had overlooked this detail!

The whole room fell silent.

*Obviously*, no one had expected that the Turner family's young lady was already married! Only a few insiders would be delighted if Selena and Osvaldo separated, so they naturally wouldn't kindly remind the Soo **family**.

*Alfie stared* at Selena for a long time and then said softly, lowering his eyes, "You are not yet of legal age to *marry*."

**This sentence** stunned everyone on the scene once again.

*Indeed, everyone* knew that the Turner family's young lady was only nineteen years old and not of legal age to get **married**.

**So how** did she get a marriage certificate?

**In the** face of everyone's questioning eyes, Selena smiled slightly and said, "When I first met Osvaldo last summer, we got a marriage certificate at that **time**."

**Selena** remembered the scene that day, and her smile became even **brighter**.

still a poor orphan from Creephia who knew nothing about my background, let alone

time, I had just been jilted and was forced by that family, infamous, and desperate. I remembered the will my mother left me when I

Selena paused here.

Lady Nevaeh's will only meant to provide her daughter with some security, or was it related to this engagement with the

only flashed through her mind, and Selena didn't think too much about it. She continued, "In that will, my mother left me 20% of the

could only use that share after getting

went to the civil affairs bureau, intending to find someone to get married casually, and that's where I met

for what happened next, you

Selena, everyone knew about Isabel's escape from the marriage with

reason why these two got married in the first place was that one needed a groom, and the other needed a

age- as long as Mr. Anderson had the intention, what certificate couldn't be

### **Chapter 1165 They Have Someone to Deal With**

"The Turner family not only has a daughter but also a son!"

"As Selena can't fulfill the engagement with the Soo family, we can replace her with Patrick instead."

"Sienna and Patrick are of the same age, both talented and beautiful. They are a perfect match in terms of background and status. It would be great if they were paired together!"

No one expected Nicholas to suddenly say such words, and they were all shocked.

Patrick's face turned unpleasant.

Sienna, who was standing behind Alfie, suddenly turned pale.

Selena's eyes froze, and she looked up sharply, staring at Nicholas.

Even Lady Lauren was stunned.

After careful thought, everyone immediately understood Nicholas' intentions.

What the Soo family wanted was only the benefits that would come from a marriage alliance with the Turner family. As for whether the marriage partner was a son or a daughter, it didn't matter at all.

The only difference was that the young master of the Turner family had poor health, and he might die at any time. The Soo family's daughter might become a young widow at a young age.

However, this result might not be a bad thing for the Soo family. If Sienna could be determined and leave behind an heir, the Soo family could openly take possession of everything that belonged to the Turner family!

The result would be more than twice as effective as Selena marrying Alfie.

Sienna's own wishes, it was obviously not within Nicholas' consideration. Compared with the benefits of forming an alliance with the Turner family, the happiness of a granddaughter was not worth mentioning

like this, and Sienna was the

the twists and turns, everyone looked at Nicholas with strange eyes, revealing their

old guy was really shameless and

glanced at Nicholas, "You old man, you really don't want your

coldly, "The Soo family only did the same thing as the Anderson family. If your grandson can marry the daughter of the Turner family, why can't my daughter marry into the Turner

that strictly speaking, it was your Anderson family that snatched the engagement that belonged to my Soo

stole my grandson's engagement, and now you want to interfere in my granddaughter's marriage with the

sneered, "I don't care about the marriage of your Soo family's daughter. But let me tell you, whether it's a matter of principle or personal feelings, as long as the Anderson family exists, you won't be able to act recklessly in the

seemed to have not heard Antonio's warning and just looked at Patrick meaningfully, "Patrick, Sienna is outstanding in appearance and talented, she's even a queen... She is a match made in heaven for

you agreed to marry Selena into the Anderson family, I assume you are ready to marry the daughter of the Soo family

longstanding friendship between the Turner family and the Soo family cannot be ruined because

Patrick's expression was extremely unpleasant.

Nicholas would never give

*That's why* he asked that question even though Selena was already married.

But Nicholas had made up *his mind*.

Either Selena marries Alfie.

Or he marries Sienna.

**Someone** must fulfill the engagement between the Turner family and the Soo **family**.

Selena could barely suppress her anger.

*She stared* coldly at Nicholas, contemplating how to deal with this shameless *old man*.

**It** was impossible for Patrick to exchange his own marriage *for hers!*

**And** the only thing Nicholas could rely on was the marriage contract left by the Turner family years ago.

Why did Wilfred leave such an engagement contract back *then?*

As juniors, she and Patrick were too passive in this situation where their elders had arranged everything in advance.

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At the same time, a black police motorcycle parked outside the gate of the Turner family.

*Principal* Marshall opened the driver's door and walked *in*.

went to the back seat, opened the door, and helped the person

person looked up, looking at the familiar yet unfamiliar Turner family mansion in front of them, with a moment of realization in their dark

Marshall looked at the ancient and solemn gate of the Turner family, with a hint of emotion in her tone, "Although you left for twenty years, the two people have managed to sustain the Turner family's household with the help of Benjamin and the military

family has not fallen, and in the future... it will only get

person's gaze fell in the direction of the Turner family gate, and after a long time, lowered their eyelids and spoke with a low, hoarse voice, "Let's go

...

the hall, seeing the Turner family at a disadvantage, Lady Lauren secretly pulled Benjamin's

lifted his eyelids, "Someone will

not his turn to

of worrying about the two people of the Turner family, it was better to worry about whether his son's wife would

After all...

terms of means, Osvaldo was still too inexperienced compared to that

as Benjamin had the thought, Osvaldo suddenly seemed to notice something, and quickly looked up at him. The gazes of father and son collided in mid-air. Osvaldo's eyes darkened for a moment.

marry a wife, and still have to rely on your father to intervene, how

#### **Chapter 1166 Nicholas, come and talk to me!**

Constance glanced at Selena and spoke coldly, "Miss Turner, Mr. Turner, the Turner family should stop now. The Soo family has already made concessions. What more do you want?"

"Mr. Soo made such a big sacrifice for Lady Selena, but the Turner family doesn't want to make any compensation. How is that fair?!"

Christ gave a humorless smile. "Miss Soo is not unhappy with Mr. Turner."

Christ didn't care who was in charge of the Turner family, but he didn't want to see Selena and Osvaldo being married without any resentment.

"Mr. Poole has a point. Everyone knows about Mr. Turner's situation, and Miss Soo is a top-tier celebrity in the entertainment industry. When she marries Mr. Turner, shouldn't the Turner family be grateful?"

"Mr. Turner's marriage to Miss Soo not only saves reputation for both families, but also solves the engagement issue. Why shouldn't the Turner family be pleased?"

Their position was the same as the Shaw family's.

Since they couldn't change the fact that the Turner family had already formed an alliance with the Anderson family, they could only find a way to make the Turner family unhappy.

Once Sienna married into the Turner family, with Nicholas' methods, the Turner family would definitely not develop too smoothly. After all, they wouldn't want to see the Turner family become too powerful and come back to retaliate against them!

As Selena heard the accusations against the Turner family, her eyes became colder and colder. She stared at Alfie, but it was unexpected that her gaze suddenly fell on Sienna.

voice was cold and emotionless as she asked, "Miss Soo, do you really want to marry  
immediately drew everyone's attention to Sienna. Sienna seemed surprised that Selena would bring up  
the topic about her, and she raised her head in  
stated a fact in a flat tone, "You and my cousin have no emotional foundation, and as a descendant of  
the Soo family, you must be well aware of the grievances between the Turner family and the Soo  
whether you can successfully marry into the Turner family, even if you do, you are destined to be  
a talented queen who can live well even without the support of the Soo family, thanks to your  
remarkable  
willingly become a tool for an arranged marriage when you could have had  
and upbringing from the family can be repaid in numerous  
is a lifelong commitment, and if you compromise on your own happiness, your life will be controlled by  
the family without any  
widened with a breathtaking emotion, and he looked at  
stared at Selena's calm eyes and suddenly seemed to understand something, her fingers clenched

**Selena's words** were not only addressed to Sienna but also to **Alfie**.

**Sienna** didn't know what triggered Selena's emotions, causing the cold Turner family heiress to say such  
provocative words in public. Nicholas' face had already turned **frighteningly dark**.

*But* she knew that Alfie would undoubtedly be pleased to hear **those words**.

*Sienna smiled* bitterly, "Miss Turner, you misunderstand. My elder brother genuinely wants to marry  
you, and he has no intention of using you for his own *benefit*."

**Selena's eyes** flashed with a faint light as she pursed her rosy lips. "What is *your choice*?"

**Sienna turned** around subconsciously and looked at **Nicholas**.

Facing those old, sharp eyes, Sienna's face turned pale, and her slender shoulders trembled slightly. She  
lowered her head, "Miss Turner, not everyone can live as recklessly as *you do*."

*"You have* the indulgence of the Turner family's young master and the favor of Mr. Anderson. There is  
only one Miss Turner in the entire **capital**."

**"You are** different from all of us."

**Selena** understood the other's choice and withdrew her gaze **indifferently**.

she turned her head, she met a pair of deep, dark

at her motionlessly, sinister

felt the icy aura emanating from the man, startled for a moment, and then realized that her husband  
was

a smile, Selena said, "It's not what you

She was indeed speaking to Alfie.

man inexplicably reminded her of

was gentle in the

had known of Selena's existence earlier, he might have cared for her and cherished her like Stanley did,

flickered for a moment, but was brought back to reality by the sudden tightness around her waist.

Osvaldo held her chin, with a sinister glint in his eyes, as if a ferocious beast was about to break free.

"Selena, don't look at him!" he said, beautiful yet fierce. Selena widened her eyes in surprise and met the man's unfamiliar and sinister gaze. She weakly replied, "...

lips curled up, and he bent down to rub her forehead. The intimate scene between the couple made others envious and resentful, wishing they could pounce on

### **Chapter 1167 I am Happy**

A sudden voice emerged, not loud, but seemed to carry some kind of magic that instantly drew everyone's attention.

The people who were accusing the Turner family with righteous anger suddenly felt as if their throats were being choked, and they all inexplicably fell silent.

A group of people froze, almost subconsciously turning their heads towards the direction of the Turner family's gate and gazing at it.

As the sound of wheels rolling over the ground could be heard, two figures slowly appeared through the ancient and solemn gate of the Turner family.

Everyone's gaze fell on the person standing there.

It was Principal Marshall of Union University.

Most of the people present knew her.

But... who was the person sitting in the wheelchair, being pushed in by Principal Marshall?

He was a man of indeterminate age.

Even sitting in a wheelchair, his body appeared thin and slender. His hair was somewhat long, and it already passed his brow.

That face...

So pale... without a trace of color!

If it weren't for the slight hint of red on his lips, one would almost think that he was a paper-made puppet.

moment, the entire hall of thousands of people seemed to be covered in a layer of cold white frost, so silent that even the sound of breathing seemed

man coughed into his fist and then suddenly opened his eyes the next

who looked into those eyes that were black without a trace of light was shocked to the point that their minds went blank, as if even their souls had been frightened, and they instinctively averted their

Even Selena was rare shaken.

her pounding heart and her eyes showed a hint

This familiar feeling...

because of her ignorance, regained her composure faster than anyone else when she looked at this man who had suddenly burst

the strange man up and

face was pallid, his body weak, and he was even disabled... he was not

her courage grew, and she raised her chin, questioning, "Who are you?! What qualifications do you have to meddle in the affairs of the Turner family and the

voice instantly brought the minds of a group of young people back to

younger generation of families who had grievances with the Turner family looked at the man who had suddenly appeared and, after confirming that the other party seemed to have nothing noteworthy besides looking slightly attractive like the Turner family, they began to mock

looks somewhat like someone from the Turner family... could he be a relative of the

knows that the Turner family doesn't have any elders. Did Mr. Turner and Miss Turner just find someone to pretend to be their elder? They should have at least found someone who could put up a front. Why did they find a disabled

**The young** lady speaking was interrupted mid-sentence by a slap from the elder beside her. "Shut up!"

*The young* lady was stunned, red-eyed and about to get angry. But when she looked up, she saw her father's pale face and shocked expression, as well as the elder's expression that couldn't hide **his fear**.

**Vivian** suddenly had a very bad feeling and hoarsely asked, "Who is this disabled **person--**"

Before she could finish her sentence, Freddie, who was standing beside her, suddenly raised his hand and gave her a hard slap. "Vivian, *shut up!*"

Vivian covered her face and looked at Freddie in disbelief. Freddie stared at the man with a never-before-seen ugly expression on his *face*.

**Vivian realized** what was happening and looked around in panic. She was horrified to find that all the older generations were staring at the man who suddenly appeared, with expressions that were hard to describe whether it was more fear or horror. Even Nicholas had the same expression.

**Vivian** felt a chill run through her body, and she couldn't bring herself to say the word "disabled" again. She asked tremblingly, "Who... who is he?"

**This was** a question that not only Vivian wanted to know, but also all the young people present.

Selena suppressed the familiar feeling of palpitations and looked at the man who had suddenly appeared. She then looked at the stiffened Patrick and had some guesses in her heart. Her dark eyes flashed for a moment, "He is..."

*Oswaldo* seemed to sense her unease and pulled her delicate body into his arms. He was about to speak when a sudden hoarse shout interrupted **him**.

It also broke the tense and uneasy atmosphere. "**Oscar!**"

*This* shout seemed to flip a switch, and the Zone Six bosses who had been sitting still suddenly ran over in a frenzy. The name that suddenly appeared also sounded like thunder in the minds of all the young people *present*.

Oscar!

the capital, even the most ignorant people had heard of

Oscar Turner!

former young master of the Turner

The first commander of the capital!

And also--

looked up and glanced

face turned pale and almost incredulously called out,

Selena lowered her eyelids.

Indeed!

amazing shock that only "kin" could make her

the first commander of Capital twenty

years ago, in Zone Six, everyone admired and respected undoubtedly

after twenty years, the prestige of this man in Zone Six is probably not comparable to those in

He's not dead...

### **Chapter 1168 The Origin of the Engagement**

"Oscar!"

"Commander!"

The people from Zone Six rushed over in a frenzy.

Sidney tightly held Oscar's shoulder, his eyes reddening, "You brat... You actually came back!"



Oscar looked at his former comrades and revealed a faint smile on his overly pale face.

As Patrick led Selena over, the others moved aside without a word.

Patrick suppressed his trembling and respectfully called out, "Father."

Oscar's gaze fell on Patrick's face and stared at him for a while before turning to Selena.

Selena met his gaze and resisted the urge to look away. "Uncle."

Oscar stared at her for a moment, his face emotionless as he softly said, "Patrick, Selena, come and push me over."

Principal Marshall let go of her hand, and Patrick walked over, pushing Oscar in the direction of the main seat.

at Oscar's back and unconsciously clenched her

hand wrapped around

looked up and saw Osvaldo standing beside her, but she didn't know when he had

her tightly, his exquisite features revealing a sinister air, but his tone was gentle, "Selena, don't be

Selena was stunned.

gaze was deep, as if he could see into the depths of her soul. His slender and fair fingers gently brushed over her eyes. "No matter what happens, I will always be by

at his handsome and delicate face, her eyes filled

Her tense nerves suddenly relaxed.

at Osvaldo and whispered, "I

Osvaldo's sinister gaze suddenly brightened.

stared at her face closely, as if he couldn't get enough of looking

Selena said with a smile, "Wait for me."

*Then she* turned around and walked towards Patrick.

**Until** this moment, the people in the hall came back to **their senses**.

**Apart from** the Turner family's genuine joy and excitement, the faces of the other aristocratic families **looked grim**.

**Lady** Lauren looked at Oscar, who had suddenly appeared, and thought of what Benjamin had said earlier. Her eyes were full of suspicion. "Benjamin, is **it you...**"

Benjamin knew what she wanted to ask and explained in a flat tone, "When I pulled him out of the pile of corpses back then, he was on the brink of death."

"I've been a walking dead for almost twenty years and just woke up recently," Lady Lauren exhaled deeply. "If Oscar was still alive, Benjamin couldn't have kept it from the Turner family. But since Oscar fell into a coma and may not have been able to be saved, it's better to keep it hidden from the Turner family from the start than to give them false hope. Keeping the news of Oscar's last breath a secret is a form of protection for both the Turner family and Oscar. Fortunately, he finally *woke up*."

**Oscar** sat in a wheelchair, looking up at Nicholas, "Nicholas wants to take charge of my son's and niece's marriage. Did you ask me, their father and *uncle*?"

*Nicholas froze*, looking at him in disbelief. "Oscar, how could you... still **be alive**?"

This question echoed the thoughts of everyone present. How could someone who had been dead for over twenty years suddenly reappear? For the Turner family, Callum and Oscar were the pillars of the family. Either one of them being alive was enough to make people tremble. But now, both of them were **alive**.

**The aristocratic** families who had attacked the Turner family back then shuddered at the thought of this fact. Oscar's gaze fixed on Nicholas, and he whispered, "Not only am I alive, but my younger brother is alive too. Didn't Nicholas already know this **news**?"

Nicholas' pupils trembled uncontrollably. Apart from coveting the benefits that the Turner family brought, he was also afraid of retaliation from the Turner family.

too amazing. If he returned to the capital and saw the family annihilated and his wife die a terrible death, he would surely bear a

the first one to be held accountable would undoubtedly be the Soo

thought that if Selena could marry into the Soo family and give birth to a child with Soo family blood before Callum returned, Callum would have to suppress his hatred if he didn't want his daughter to be a widow. But he didn't expect that Selena was

it was unexpected, the Turner family still had Patrick. The Turner family valued blood ties the most, and there wasn't much difference between a daughter and a nephew. But they never imagined that Oscar would return at this critical

seemed to have guessed Nicholas' thoughts and smiled coldly. "Indeed, when my father was alive, he did make a marriage contract with the Soo family, but the content of the contract was completely different from what Nicholas

relied on the fact that no one knew the truth and thus abused and forced the Turner family's children. The Turner family remembered this debt and, combined with old grudges, would settle accounts with the Soo family in the future! Nicholas felt a chill down his back as he faced those amazing eyes full of

shifted his gaze away from Nicholas and paused for a moment on Alfie's face before facing the

years ago, the Soo family heard of a superstition from somewhere, stating that the eldest grandson's destiny was extremely valuable and could ensure the prosperity of the family if cultivated

they say, success and failure are two sides of the same coin. If destiny is harmed, good fortune turns to misfortune, and the Soo family would fall from prosperity

as soon as Alfie was born, Nicholas set a lifelong rule that he could never

come to the Turner family to seek comfort from her sister. My wife, who had a kind heart, couldn't bear to see her young nephew suffer a lifetime of loneliness, so she pleaded with her father to arrange for him to marry one of the Turner

### **Chapter 1169 Bring My Sister Over**

Antonio was first surprised and then angry. He became so angry that he laughed in disbelief, "You shameless old man! You're truly shameless to the point of being ridiculous!"

Although the others were restrained by their seniority and the power of the Soo family, they couldn't speak out on the spot, but the disdain and contempt in their eyes as they looked at Nicholas were clear.

The Turner family's goodwill was turned by Nicholas into a bargaining chip to deceive and harm the Turner family's descendants.

Any person with a conscience would not do such a thing.

If Oscar hadn't appeared in time, the young master and young miss of the Turner family would have been ruined.

Thinking back to Nicholas' self-righteousness when he forced the Turner family to fulfill the engagement, everyone showed disgust on their faces.

One could only say that Nicholas had no shame at all.

The others were afraid to speak, but Selena was not afraid.

The engagement between the Soo family and the Turner family made her and Patrick feel very aggrieved.

Now that the truth had been revealed by Oscar, Selena's pent-up anger burst out, "Nicholas, you're already halfway into your grave, about to breathe your last breath, and yet you're still capable of such shameless things?"

"The Soo family already had no reputation left, and you've made it even worse!"

being ridiculed by Selena, was so angry that his face twisted, and he glared at Selena fiercely,

his words with a cold smile, "Is there anything I said that's

former friend of the Turner family, you are ungrateful and shameless. You took advantage of their misfortune to rob them, and now you're plotting against their grandchildren. Is there anyone in the whole capital more shameless and despicable

hand holding the cane began to tremble, and it seemed like he could smash the cane on Selena at

others were frightened by Nicholas' dark and twisted expression, but Selena remained calm and looked at him with

watchful gaze of Osvaldo and Oscar, Nicholas didn't dare to swing

breathed a sigh of relief and shifted her gaze onto Mrs.

was already nervous, and Selena's stare made her even more

thought that by keeping quiet, you could get away with what you've done?" Selena said

Mrs. Soo trembled.

is greedy and ungrateful, but you are even

don't care about your own son, and yet you use him to harm your own

**"My** family, the Turner family, is kind-hearted. We gave your son an opportunity, but instead of being grateful, you helped Nicholas harm me. You are truly despicable!"

*Mrs. Soo* seemed to be struck by something, and her face turned white. "I never meant to harm my sister. It was just an accident..." she **stammered**.

**Selena** sneered. "Mrs. Soo, do you think everyone is a fool? Everyone in the capital knows that you envy your own sister's happy marriage and have been doing everything in your power to harm **her**."

*Leia had* told Selena about this whole situation. The two sisters from the Palace family were married into different families. The older sister married a prominent member of the Turner family and lived happily ever after. The younger sister, on the other hand, married into the Soo family, whose husband was a wastrel and had many illegitimate children. Mrs. Soo had done many despicable things to harm Mrs. Turner.

*Mrs. Soo's* face turned even paler, and she moved her lips but couldn't utter *a word*.

**"You** are such a disgusting woman and don't deserve to be a mother. I can't wait to see the day when you are abandoned by everyone," Selena said **coldly**.

**Mrs. Soo** lifted her head in shock. She had three sons. How could she be abandoned by **them?**

**Even though** she had done wrong, she was still their mother. Would Alfie and Cameron really disown **her?**

*Mrs. Soo* glared at Selena with resentment before turning to look at her sons. Alfie had his back to her, and she couldn't see his expression. She then looked at Cameron, only to meet his disappointed gaze.

*Mrs. Soo's* heart skipped a beat and she couldn't help but grab Cameron's sleeve. "*Cameron...*"

*Cameron looked* at her sadly. "You already knew everything but still let my brother become a sacrifice for *the family?*"

Mrs. Soo's lips turned white instantly. She wanted to deny it, but couldn't say anything when the words reached her lips. "I..."

didn't know, why did she go all the way to the Turner family to confide in Mrs.

clearly knew the truth, yet she followed Nicholas and demanded that the Turner family fulfill the marriage contract with a

pulled his hand away from her sleeve and turned

Mrs. Soo was shocked. "Cameron..."

sounded tired. "Mom, enough is enough. I don't know how to face you right

Mrs. Soo's expression stiffened.

wasn't interested in the internal conflicts of the Soo family. She glanced at Mrs. Soo and withdrew

his throat and raised his hand. "Tom, please show our guests

that "our guests" referred to the

the butler came to lead them out, Nicholas had already stood up in anger. He slammed his cane on the ground and took the lead to walk

this point, the other members of the Soo family didn't have the nerve to stay, they lowered their heads and hurriedly followed

Alfie stayed behind.

### **Chapter 1170 Who Are You?**

"The Turner family is closed to visitors today. Goodbye, everyone, and thank you for coming," said Oscar in a calm tone, leaving everyone stunned.

Does this mean that the guests being sent away include not only the Soo family, but also everyone present? Does that mean... even the Anderson family is being rejected?

Isn't this tantamount to rejecting the Anderson family's marriage proposal?!

The people in the hall were too shocked to react and turned to look at Osvaldo.

Even Selena was stunned.

Osvaldo slowly lowered his butterfly-like eyelashes, his eyes flickering with coldness.

Benjamin, who had been silent all this while, spoke calmly, "Tell me, what is it about my son that you are not satisfied with? I'll discipline him as necessary."

Oscar's voice was as flat as his expression, "I'm very satisfied with everything about Mr. Anderson."

"And then?" sneered Benjamin.

Oscar whispered, "My satisfaction is not enough. My second brother is Selena's father, and Selena is still young. It's only right to wait for my second brother to come back before considering marriage for her."

Lauren's smile froze on her

was only now that they understood what Benjamin had meant when he said that the wife his son had just obtained might be lost. They had just resolved one small problem, and now the Turner family had thrown a bigger one in their

the reason given by Oscar was reasonable

missing, it would be heartless for the Anderson family to threaten the Turner family with the marriage certificate. But if they really waited for Callum to return before Selena could get married, how long would Osvaldo have

calmly, "Commander Turner is right. Miss Turner is only nineteen years old and clearly not yet of marriageable age. If Mr. Turner comes back and sees his daughter being deceived and abducted by a man, he will undoubtedly be

glared fiercely at Christ and then turned her puppy eyes towards her

his wife's hair and spoke lazily, "The Turner family's bloodline is rare. When Callum comes back and sees his grandchildren all around him, he will surely be

This reason was also quite clever.

closer inspection, it seemed to make

family is left with only a few people, especially after Lady Nevaeh passed away and Callum returned to the capital. It's easy to imagine the feelings Callum had when he saw this scene. At that time, if there were a few more blood-related family members, it would have been easier to

Oscar's eyes were calm as he said, "It's true, but even though my younger brother is sad, he doesn't need to use his daughter's happiness to comfort himself."

**Benjamin** narrowed his exquisitely curved black eyes and said, "My son is already married to the Turner family's daughter. Are you suggesting that your niece should bear the stigma of breaking off an *engagement*?"

*Oscar* coughed lightly and said, "There were no formalities like the Three Letters and Six Etiquettes, asking for the bride's name, betrothal gifts... How can it be considered a marriage?"

Benjamin's lips curved playfully as he said, "The Three Letters and Six Etiquettes are already completed today. The Anderson family will find a good day to hold an engagement banquet another day."

Oscar nodded and said, "That's a *good solution*."

*Benjamin sneered*, then hugged Lady Lauren's waist and walked away. The two gentlemen reached a consensus in just a *few words*.

*The others* were still immersed in the conversation between the two and were slow to react. Selena looked at Osvaldo with her dark **eyes**.

Osvaldo met her gaze with a gentle and indulgent smile on his face and softly said, "I'll come to pick you up *tomorrow*."

**Then** he turned and left. The others stared in surprise for a while before gradually coming back to their senses.

"What does the Turner family mean?"

*"Isn't it obvious?* The Turner family is unhappy that their daughter was taken away without following proper procedures, so they want the Anderson family to complete all the necessary **steps!**"

this mean that the Turner family has accepted the Anderson family's proposal? Are they really going to hit hard by these sudden twists and

face turned pale and she asked, "Are they going to be engaged?" Today was the proposal, tomorrow was the engagement, and then they would get married. Then those two would be a legitimate

heart tightened with jealousy and dissatisfaction as she glanced at Selena and made up her mind about something before turning and leaving. The host family had given the order to dismiss guests, so the others couldn't stay any

so many things happened to the Turner family today that everyone was busy going back to discuss countermeasures with the family and didn't feel like staying anymore. Soon, most of the people in the hall

looked up and asked Selena softly, who seemed absent-minded, "Selena, are you blaming Uncle for not directly admitting your marital

originally lost in thought. When she heard Oscar's words, she came back to her senses and shook her head, "No, I'm

moment ago, Selena's thoughts had been focused on her and Osvaldo's fake marriage. She never expected that she would not only accept his proposal but also become engaged to him and possibly marry him in the

turn of events made Selena feel a sense of unease that things were out of her

at the girl's hidden unease and joy in her eyes for a moment before speaking up, "Patrick, I have something to talk to Selena about. Go tell Tom to prepare, we'll go see grandfather