

Chapter 262

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After sending the both of them home, Matthew turned around and drove Soso to the office.

Just as Helen was about to persuade them to stay for the night, she was stopped by Jones.

After they entered the house, Helen questioned Jones immediately, “Old man, what were you thinking just now? That was such a good chance to ask them to stay for the night. We could have had a chance to discuss the money matter with Matthew, and it would’ve been perfect if we managed to get him to hand the card over to us. Why did you allow him to leave?”

Jones glared at her and snapped, “Do you think everyone else are fools? You’re still thinking of asking money from him after we made things so ugly just now. Do you really think he’s that stupid?”

Looking lost, Helen countered, “But, we can’t give up that money, can we? That’s 300 million we’re talking about. With that money, our wealth will surely surpass your father’s! Although we have Cunningham Pharmaceuticals, we don’t really own much assets. Once we have the money, we will finally be able to hold our heads high in the Cunningham family! How can we let this chance slip by us?”

Jones waved his hands in the air and said, “You don’t have to tell me all that; I understand the situation. The problem is, tonight is not the time to ask for the money. Matthew nearly got himself killed at the Jacksons’ place, and we just had a dispute with him. It’s not right to ask him for the money directly. On top of that, it will be harder for us when Soso is around. You know her personality very well; she only listens to her husband now. Will she allow Matthew to give us the money if you ask him for it now? Not only will we not get the money, we might even start another argument with them, and only hopes to get our hands on that money will be completely dashed by then!”

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