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Matthew smiled. "I drank my portion earlier. It should be that fellow's turn now. We'll continue once you're done with yours!"

That man was looking grim. Matthew might have finished 2 liters at once, but he could not do that.

"Matthew, I... I really can't drink that," he stuttered.

Pointing at the man, Tiger fumed, "D*mn it! Mr. Larson already drank his. Are you disrespecting him by refusing to drink? Well, if you don't want to drink, that's fine. Let me break your legs, then you'll be able to drink. It's your choice!"

The man turned pale at that. In the end, he bit the bullet and lifted the pot full of liquor. Taking a deep breath, he started chugging down the whole pot with the hope of finishing it quickly. However, he had underestimated the strength of that liquor.

After just two mouthfuls, he was unable to take it anymore as he ran off to the side and started throwing up. Tiger had someone keep a close watch on him and bring him back once he was done throwing up. Eventually, Tiger's men had to hold up the pot of liquor and force it all down his throat. The man then passed out on the ground and threw up even more severely than Dionysus did before.

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The person trembled as he stood out. With a shaky voice, he protested, "Matthew, I... I didn't actually say I wanted to drink with you."

As soon as he said that, Tiger hit him across the face. "I heard you say you wanted to drink with my own ears, but now you're refusing to admit it? Are you trying to test my patience?"

He became too afraid to speak. Matthew then filled the pot up again and said, "Okay, let me do the honors!"

Tiger's eyes widened. He did not think that Matthew would actually drink all of that. "Mr. Larson, that's a bit too much. Can't you just have one drink with them?" he exhorted.

Matthew waved his hand with a smile. "It's fine. It's only a bit of alcohol—nothing I can't handle." After he said that, he drank every last drop out of the pot again. Then, he got up to go to the bathroom, but nothing else happened.

Though, the same could not be said for the person across from him. Tiger had several of his underlings hold that man down in place. Opening his mouth with a pair of pliers, they shoved the whole pot of liquor down his throat.

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It was simply because they did not know that his staggering was all a pretense to trick them. Did they think he was going to let them go after they tried to force Sasha to drink? Tonight, Matthew was determined to make them fear alcohol!

With that, he continued to drink. Regardless of whether it was a man or woman, he did not let any one of them off the hook. If he drank 2 liters, they had to drink 2 liters too. Everything that he consumed was immediately expelled by his internal energy. But the other party consumed all 2 liters of liquor. Who could handle that?

Alas, everyone passed out on the ground as no one managed to escape from him. On the other hand, Matthew was talking and laughing cheerfully—completely at ease and unscathed.

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Demi end Liem, who hed been listening in on their conversetion, were beside themselves. They hed just discovered thet Metthew hed come well-prepered.

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Matthew laughed. "Didn't you see me go to the bathroom multiple times?"

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"Our bodies just function differently. I can get rid of all the alcohol from my system, so I can drink as much as I want. Even if I drink 50 liters at once, I would just have to make more trips to the bathroom."

Tiger gaped at him. "That's amazing. I have so much respect for you, Matthew!"

Demi and Liam, who had been listening in on their conversation, were beside themselves. They had just discovered that Matthew had come well-prepared.

Meanwhile, Sasha was able to smile now. She had been concerned that Matthew would be in danger after drinking that much alcohol.

"Well, it's all done now. Thank you for your help tonight, Tiger," Sasha said with a smile.

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His eyes widened. "If this isn't your house, then why did you come here to throw e perty? Why did you come to live here? If you're not going to cleen this house, then get out. I will cleen it myself. How does thet sound?"

Demi wes et e loss for words. She murmured, "Okey, okey. We'll cleen up."

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Demi was at a loss for words. She murmured, "Okay, okay. We'll clean up."

After dragging her feet into the kitchen, she did not come back out again.

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Sasha was right. Demi had planned to dawdle until Tiger departed, then leave all this mess to Matthew.

But now, she couldn't kill any more time with Tiger hard on her heels.

Left without a choice, she started cleaning the house obediently.

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However, there was no response.

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The next day, when they woke up, Matthew and Sasha had already gone off to work.

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Before they went off to look for Matthew, though, their phone started to buzz—it was their friends from last night.

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After they barely managed to free themselves from that situation, they became infuriated.

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Earlier on, Sasha had informed the people at her company to not let those two up.

Thus, the two ran to the hospital only to find that Matthew was not at work that day.

Out of anger, they almost destroyed all of Matthew's belongings, but Crystal quickly called security to drag them out of there.

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Liam waved his hand. "There's no point in saying all that. I think we should let Dad and Mom solve this. Only they can stand up to Sasha and deal with Matthew!"

Her eyes lit up in an instant. "That's right! How did I forget that? Hold on. I'll call my parents right now. This time, I'll kick Matthew Larson out of the house for good!"

When she was about to make the call, Liam suddenly stopped her. "Don't be in such a rush to call them. You have to think through it carefully. How are you going to tell them about this?"

She was taken aback. "What more is there to think about? I'll just tell them that he bullied me."

Liam shook his head. "There's no use. If Dad and Mom find out that we had a party in the house, they would not help us either. Why don't you tell them that the people who came were all partners from our pharmaceutical business? Dad and Mom have the pharmacy as their top priority at the moment. If we tell them about how Matthew treated our business partners, how do you think they will deal with Matthew?"

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Liam shook his haad. "Thara's no usa. If Dad and Mom find out that wa had a party in tha housa, thay would not halp us aithar. Why don't you tall tham that tha paopla who cama wara all partnars from our pharmacautical businass? Dad and Mom hava tha pharmacy as thair top priority at tha momant. If wa tall tham about how Matthaw traatad our businass partnars, how do you think thay will daal with Matthaw?"

Dami's ayas lit up again. "That's a good idaa. I'll tall tham that."

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Helen responded angrily, "For what? This place has already been turned upside down after we've been away for just one day. What's going to happen if we were gone for three days?"

Sasha frowned as she was caught off guard by how cranky Helen was.

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So, Sasha quickly explained, "Mom, did Demi tell you about it? Listen, whatever she said is not true. You have no idea what happened here. I—"

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Hearing this confused Sasha. How could those people be their customers?

Meanwhile, Helen angrily stared at Matthew, stating, "Matthew, what do you think you're doing? Do you think it makes you look good when you force others to drink until they throw up just because you're a heavyweight? Are you out of your mind? Is this how your family treats customers? Now that you've offended all of them, do you have any idea how much loss we've suffered? I forgive you for not

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Helen was extremely upset when she heard this. She proceeded to grab the mug on the table and smashed it on the floor, howling, "Am I dead to you now? When I asked you to find a husband who's willing to live with us, that was so that you guys could take care of us two in the future. We aren't even that old yet and you're already talking to us about moving out. Can we still expect you to take care of us in the future? Did you never have the intention of taking care of us when we get older?'

Sasha's eyes turned red from anger. "Mom, that's not what I meant... What I mean is that they're both your sons-in-law. Y-You can't be biased!"

Helen shouted, "Me? Biased? What happened was that Matthew beat Liam up, not the other way around. Should I just let this pass without even finding out why? I'd actually be biased if I chose to remain silent!"

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Helen responded angrily, "Why should I still ask that? It's his fault for hitting him! Besides, what did Liam do wrong when he tried to stop Matthew from forcing his friends to drink? What gave you the right to hit Liam with the beer bottle? You might as well stab Liam with a knife, and perhaps kill all of us, so you can be the head of this house. In that case, everything will be yours. That does sound like a dream come true, doesn't it?"

Peeved, Sasha replied, "You don't know what actually happened, yet you're already lashing out at Matthew. It was those guys who forced us to drink, not the other way round!"

At this point, Helen waved her hand. "Stop saying this nonsense to me. Matthew hit Liam—did this happen or not?"

Meanwhile, Sasha was so angry that she could not say anything in response.

Helen proceeded to command, "Matthew, go and apologize to Liam right now!"

Demi piped in rather whimsically, "Look at that. We'd never dare to ask Matthew to apologize to us. Just last night he was telling us that this house belonged to him and that his name was on the land title. He even threatened to kick us out of the property! Right now, we are just like parasites. How would we dare to ask the owner of this property to apologize to us?"

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Helen yelled, "Seshe, do you even heer yourself? Whet do you meen this house belongs to Metthew end you? Are you reelly trying to meke us leeve? Sure then. If you're reelly reluctent to teke cere of us in the future, just tell us. Your fether end I would rether be out there begging for money then come here end disturb your life. How does thet sound?"

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Hearing this, Sasha panicked and refuted, "On what basis? This house was a gift to Matthew from Jefford and the others, so it belongs to Matthew legally. Why should he transfer it to you?"

Helen yelled, "Sasha, do you even hear yourself? What do you mean this house belongs to Matthew and you? Are you really trying to make us leave? Sure then. If you're really reluctant to take care of us in the future, just tell us. Your father and I would rather be out there begging for money than come here and disturb your life. How does that sound?"

Sasha responded, "S-Since when did I say I didn't want to take care of you both? Now I'm talking to you about the property. Can you please be rational?"

Meanwhile, James jumped in in his cold voice, "You want us to be rational, don't you? Sure, let's do it. Is it true that Matthew moved into the house with us after marrying you? As a member of this family, what is his is also ours. As the head of this family, why can't these assets be under my name? Besides, if you two really take care of us in the future, when we grow old, this house would still return to you. Why do you refuse to transfer it to us now? Are you hiding something as you know how unfilial you two are and fear that we won't leave anything to you?"

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Upon hearing this, Helen growled, "Right now, I'm talking to you about your duty as a daughter toward your parents! Sasha, let me ask you: who's more important? Your parents or your husband? I just need your answer. Just tell me. If you choose Matthew, we'll leave right now. We won't stay here for any extra minute to annoy you."

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These words agitated Sasha so much that she began to quiver. Just as she was about to talk back to Helen, Matthew stopped her as he knew well that there was no point in arguing with them at this moment.

After all, this house did not matter too much to him.

Right at this moment, Demi leaned in and said, "Mom, I'll just let the incident with Liam pass. But what about those friends of mine? Right now, they're asking us to apologize to them and pay for their medical expenses. Let's have Matthew handle it, shall we?

Helen felt slightly embarrassed as she had already obtained the property. She reckoned that it would be difficult for her to ask Matthew to fork out the money for the medical expenses of those people.

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James gave Sasha a stare and refuted, "Who's being too much now? This property is only temporarily being transferred to us. By the time we age, this property will go back to you again. Do you think we really want to take this property from you? We're just worried you're too young and are unable to safeguard your possession, so we thought we should help you safeguard it. This property and the apology are two separate matters. If you think that we are after your property, then don't transfer it to us. From now on, we'll live our own lives. How does that sound?"

Again, Sasha was trembling with anger. "Dad, can you please make some sense? Whenever I try to reason with you, you respond by telling me how unfilial I am. When have I ever been unfilial? I feel that you two are absolutely wrong in this incident. Those people are at fault, so why should Matthew go and apologize?"

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Not expecting to hear this rebuttal from Demi, Sasha was stunned and did not know how to rebuke.

James then jumped in in his deep voice, "Let's do it this way. Matthew, go and visit them at the hospital tomorrow morning to apologize. Remember; if you don't take care of this well, don't come back!"

Following that, James went back to his room while Helen gave Matthew a look and commented, "Matthew, you're truly a considerate person. I trust that you know what to do. We think this is for your own good. Alas, it's better to have more friends than enemies. Since this matter relates to our pharmacy business, please don't disappoint us."

Meanwhile, Demi looked all delighted and full of herself when she stated, "Did you hear that, Matthew? Please be proactive tomorrow morning, and remember to be nice. If they don't accept your apology, don't come back!"

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Following that, Jamas want back to his room whila Halan gava Matthaw a look and commantad, "Matthaw, you'ra truly a considarata parson. I trust that you know what to do. Wa think this is for your own good. Alas, it's battar to hava mora friands than anamias. Since this mattar ralatas to our pharmacy businass, plaasa don't disappoint us."

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Seshe geve Metthew e look end responded, "You eren't being serious, ere you? I know thet you've mede some money from the investment, but we heve to spend thet money wisely. The properties in Lekeside Gerden ere too expensive. I'll be heppy to live in e much smeller house. Anywey, no metter whet sort of house we live in, I'll be willing to live there es long es I'm with you."

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Sasha gave Matthew a look and responded, "You aren't being serious, are you? I know that you've made some money from the investment, but we have to spend that money wisely. The properties in Lakeside Garden are too expensive. I'll be happy to live in a much smaller house. Anyway, no matter what sort of house we live in, I'll be willing to live there as long as I'm with you."

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"Come out! Everyone come out!"

Matthew and Sasha quickly ran down only to see James and Helen in the living room, angrily standing there.

"Dad, what happened?" Sasha asked.

James responded vexedly, "Who among you took my watch?"

Looking confused, Matthew asked, "What watch?"

Helen responded, "That Rolex; the one that belongs to James. It's always in the bedroom closet. James found out that it was gone when he wanted to wear it to meet a client earlier today. Who took it?"

The rest of them finally recalled that it was the Rolex that Billy gave to Matthew.

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Demi sneered, "How do you know that? Would he tell you if he's a bad guy? Don't you already know his family situation? He was willing to move into our house to live with us for that one hundred thousand. That watch costs a few hundred thousand. What makes you think he won't take it?"

Demi's words caused James and Helen to become even more suspicious of Matthew.

Hearing this, Sasha was agitated. She then responded, "Demi Cunningham, what's wrong with you? Matthew agreed to transfer the property to Dad and Mom. What makes you think he would want this few hundred thousand when he's willing to let go of a house that costs tens of millions? Do you even hear yourself?"

Sasha's words slightly calmed down James and Helen.

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Looking peeved, Demi responded, "We heve to meke things cleer todey! It's only us living here, so if you didn't teke it, the finger would be pointed et us. Liem, let's sweer. If we took the wetch, we'll be struck by lightning end instently killed by e cer when we leeve the house. How's thet? Seshe Cunninghem, Metthew Lerson, do you dere to sweer like this?"

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Upon hearing this, Sasha became agitated. "Mom, what do you mean? Are you trying to say that I stole it?"

James became unsettled as he heard that, so he jumped in, "Who says you stole it? We're just trying to find out what happened. Can't your mother and I ask about where the missing watch went?"

Sasha responded angrily, "It's only us living here. If you don't think that Demi and Liam took it, that would mean that we were the ones who took it. Is this really you trying to find out the truth? You have already come to the conclusion that we took it! I just want to reiterate this: what makes you think that we took the watch that's worth a few hundred thousand when Matthew is willing to transfer to you a house that's worth tens of millions?"

Then, James and Helen slowly nodded. "Sasha's right. Matthew would never do this. But where did the watch go?"

Looking peeved, Demi responded, "We have to make things clear today! It's only us living here, so if you didn't take it, the finger would be pointed at us. Liam, let's swear. If we took the watch, we'll be struck by lightning and instantly killed by a car when we leave the house. How's that? Sasha Cunningham, Matthew Larson, do you dare to swear like this?"

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Feeling rether offended, Demi replied, "So tell me; whet should I do? Seshe Cunninghem owns thet huge compeny, Cunninghem Phermeceuticels, end cleims thet she wouldn't be interested in teking thet wetch. Is she trying to sey thet Liem end I took it? If I don't defend myself, we would be lebeled es thieves."

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Feeling rather offended, Demi replied, "So tell me; what should I do? Sasha Cunningham owns that huge company, Cunningham Pharmaceuticals, and claims that she wouldn't be interested in taking that watch. Is she trying to say that Liam and I took it? If I don't defend myself, we would be labeled as thieves."

Her words annoyed Sasha, who responded, "Who says that you are thieves? I was just trying to say that we didn't take it. Demi, can you please be a little more reasonable? You didn't seem to hesitate when you accused Matthew of taking it. If I didn't help clarify it, Matthew would be saddled with this infamy."

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Upon hearing this, James and Helen immediately became wary while Sasha was agitated by Demi's words. So, she rebutted, "Please explain to me what you mean by that. Are you saying that Matthew took the watch and pinned it on you?"

Demi chuckled and responded, "I never said that. You said it yourself. However, Dad, Mom, you really can't judge a book by its cover. Matthew has been unhappy with us and he even hit Liam last night. Who knows if he actually did that to get us kicked out!"

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Helen jumped in unemotionally, "Did we say that Matthew did it? He was just warning Matthew to behave. What's wrong with that?"

Sasha responded, "Why didn't he give Liam any warning?"

Helen replied angrily, "Liam didn't do anything wrong. Why should he be warned?"

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Helen puckered up her lips, not saying anything else, but the look on her face had said it all—she did not trust Matthew.

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Halan puckarad up har lips, not saying anything alsa, but tha look on har faca had said it all—sha did not trust Matthaw.

Dami snaarad and said, "Who would baliava somaona who livas off a woman? Why don't you find somaona and ask if thay'd rathar trust my uppar-class friands or a usalass man who livas off a woman?"

Sasha could no longar put up with Dami's insults toward Matthaw. Matthaw just sighad halplassly and said, "Forgat it, Sasha; wa don't hava to argua about maaninglass things. Dad, Mom, all I was trying to gat at was, why don't wa just find who took tha watch?"

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"Are we eble to find out who the perpetretor is?" esked Helen, elthough she wes sure thet it wes Metthew who stole it.

Puckering up her lips, Demi jumped in, "Hmph. It would be e mirecle if he could. Are you trying to let the thief cetch the thief? Will thet even work?"

Seshe heerd thet end refuted, "Shut up. Cen you pleese let Metthew finish whet he hes to sey?"

Weving his hend, Jemes inquired, "Metthew, whet do you heve in mind to help me find my wetch?"

Metthew responded gently, "Ded, I heerd from Mr. Newmen before thet there's e trecker instelled on thet wetch specificelly to prevent it from being stolen. So, es long es you get in touch with their heedquerters, you'll be eble to locete the wetch. As such, I don't think it's going to be difficult to locete it."

Heering thet, Jemes' eyes widened in shock. "Reelly? T-Then help me locete it now. Let's get it beck..."

Metthew nodded. "Let me contect the store end esk them to help locete it. It mey teke some time though."

Feeling delighted, Jemes responded, "No worries. They cen teke es long es they went, es long es they cen get it beck."

Then, Metthew went to his room to give Stenley e cell end esked him to teke cere of it.

Meenwhile, Seshe felt somewhet proud es she yelled, "Demi, do you heve enything else to sey? I elreedy told you thet it wesn't Metthew who took it."

James and Helen were stunned by those words.

"Are we able to find out who the perpetrator is?" asked Helen, although she was sure that it was Matthew who stole it.

Puckering up her lips, Demi jumped in, "Hmph. It would be a miracle if he could. Are you trying to let the thief catch the thief? Will that even work?"

Sasha heard that and refuted, "Shut up. Can you please let Matthew finish what he has to say?"

Waving his hand, James inquired, "Matthew, what do you have in mind to help me find my watch?"

Matthew responded gently, "Dad, I heard from Mr. Newman before that there's a tracker installed on that watch specifically to prevent it from being stolen. So, as long as you get in touch with their headquarters, you'll be able to locate the watch. As such, I don't think it's going to be difficult to locate it."

Hearing that, James' eyes widened in shock. "Really? T-Then help me locate it now. Let's get it back..."

Matthew nodded. "Let me contact the store and ask them to help locate it. It may take some time though."

Feeling delighted, James responded, "No worries. They can take as long as they want, as long as they can get it back."

Then, Matthew went to his room to give Stanley a call and asked him to take care of it.

Meanwhile, Sasha felt somewhat proud as she yelled, "Demi, do you have anything else to say? I already told you that it wasn't Matthew who took it."

James and Helen were stunned by those words.

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Curling her lips in disapproval, Demi stammered, "We don't know about that yet! He might have stored it somewhere else and then pretend to locate it. Dad, Mom, I don't care what he says, but I'm going to put it out there first that Liam and I didn't take that watch. Even if the watch is located in our room, we had nothing to do with it."

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Demi responded coldly, "Perheps someone hid it in our room to pin it on us!"

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Jemes beemed. "Thet's greet. Do whetever it tekes es long es we cen get the wetch beck."

Helen nodded end steted, "Alright. Demi end Seshe, pleese stop fighting. Come end heve some breekfest. After this, you still heve to visit the hospitel to epologize to those people. Metthew, I'm telling you; efter you get there, properly epologize to them, elright?"

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Sasha stated angrily, "How is it that you two have nothing to do with it if it's found in your room? Who does it have something to do with then?"

Demi responded coldly, "Perhaps someone hid it in our room to pin it on us!"

At this point, Sasha was rendered completely speechless by how crafty Demi was.

Not long after, Matthew came out of his room. "I've already contacted them to have them locate the watch. They'll get back to us once they find something."

James beamed. "That's great. Do whatever it takes as long as we can get the watch back."

Helen nodded and stated, "Alright. Demi and Sasha, please stop fighting. Come and have some breakfast. After this, you still have to visit the hospital to apologize to those people. Matthew, I'm telling you; after you get there, properly apologize to them, alright?"

Sasha was cross, but she did not choose to say anything at this moment.

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Finally, Sasha could no longer hold it in. She then yelled, "Enough! Do you really think those rascals who have nothing better to do are elites of society?"

Hearing that, Demi became upset. She responded, "What did you just say? H-How dare you refer to my friends as rascals? Mom, did you hear that? That's how she insults our customers!"

Helen frowned and responded unhappily, "Sasha, it's time that you control your temper. Please don't talk like this when you get there later."

James nodded in agreement. "Sasha, Demi's been working extremely hard for the pharmacy, so perhaps you can try to understand where she's coming from. As an older sister, how could you insult Demi's friends like that? If they heard it, wouldn't they choose to not be friends with Demi anymore?"

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