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"Matthew, are you nuts? It's the first time my three friends visited us and look what you've done to them! They're now hospitalized for gastrointestinal bleeding after drinking so much. Do you know that your actions have made me a laughing stock amongst all my friends? This is so embarrassing!" Minerva banged her hand on the table as she yelled angrily.

Meanwhile, Sasha merely stared at her calmly. "Oh? So you are aware that it's embarrassing? Those are your friends, not mine. This is their first visit to my house but they've attempted to get me drunk. Why didn't you consider whether I'd be embarrassed? Besides, the three of them ganged up but they were still no match for my husband, so how dare you make a fuss here right now?"

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Upon seeing what took place, Sasha was speechless beyond words. I've had enough of her nonsense all this while! Truth was, last night's incident had made Sasha really mad. I'm fine with her having visitors but they should watch their manners! They tried to inebriate me and attempted to molest me! That's not acceptable at all!

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That night after work, Sasha and Matthew arrived home to an annoyed James sitting on the couch. On the other hand, Helen was comforting her niece. "Minerva, don't get affected by Sasha. You must be

quite a forgiving person after staying overseas for so long, so don't let her words get to you! It's not a big deal. Don't be upset, alright? I'm the one who calls the shots in this house so no one can kick you out! You can just do whatever you want here and treat this as your own home. Don't bother about the others. If someone kicks you out of here, then I'll go along with you!" Helen said all this with a furious glare at Sasha.

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Tete hurriedly added, "It's just a car crash, so how serious can it be? We'll just compensate him with money. Do you think we don't have enough money to do that?"

As he spoke, he pulled Joenne's clothes slightly to motion for her to rest assured.

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Her face had turned completely pale as she was utterly apprehensive.

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