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As if on cue, the deceased's family members huddled up and began to shout and demand compensation once more. Even the old lady, who had picked herself up from the ground earlier, lay down and began to wail and cry once more.

Sasha didn't know what to make of the situation. "Mom, what's going on? Why does our family have to pay compensation fees when it's their family who got into an accident? Mom, you didn't agree to help them resolve this matter, did you?"

Helen lowered her head while keeping quiet. She was afraid to tell Sasha about the 10 million. Instead, it was Demi who stood up for Helen. "What are you talking about, Sasha? These people are just trying to run away from their responsibilities. They're trying to scam us out of our money because they think we're rich! This issue has got nothing to do with our family at all!"

The man who led the other group of people was furious to hear what Demi said. "That's nonsense! Didn't your husband injure my grandmother just moments ago? Wasn't your family the one who purchased the bike that was involved in an accident? Your family's bike was the cause of the accident. Not only are you guys refusing to compensate us, but you even hit my grandmother! It only makes sense for us to demand some form of payment or compensation from you guys!" he howled. Everyone backed him up by chanting and shouting along.

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Minerva broke into a grin the moment she saw Matthew. "Well, if it isn't our dearest Matthew! What are you doing here? Didn't you say that you would help us to contact Mr. Harrison? Where is he now? Is Mr. Harrison too busy to come over?" she uttered sarcastically.

Demi immediately shot Matthew a stern look. "Do you have a brain, Matthew? Why would you agree to help them contact Mr. Harrison? Did you expect them to be grateful for your help?" she hissed.

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Matthew squeezed his eyebrows together as he gave Minerva a hateful glare. He no longer felt like explaining himself at that point. I thought I was being helpful by asking Dr. York to come over to help Tate, but I didn't expect Tate's family to insult and criticize me so harshly! It's fine if they don't show their gratitude, but I don't think anyone would be able to tolerate the way they're speaking to me now!

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Dr. York began to chuckle all of a sudden. He walked past Jonah and Minerva to stop in front of Matthew. "There you are, Mr. Larson!" Everyone was shocked by the sudden turn of events. Even Helen and the rest, who were standing at the back of the crowd, had their mouths hanging open. What's going on right now? Did Dr. York walk over just to greet Matthew? Why is Dr. York being so polite to Matthew? Do they know each other?

Minerva and her parents were utterly dumbfounded. What sort of relationship do Dr. York and Matthew have? they wondered. Dr. York doesn't even know who Lucia is, yet he's acting so polite toward Matthew. How could this be possible?

Matthew, on the other hand, wore a calm expression as he shook hands and smiled at Dr. York. "I'm so sorry, Dr. York. I'm sorry I had to call you over in the middle of the night."

Dr. York waved his concerns off. "Ah, it's no worry at all, Mr. Larson. We're all friends, so your problems are my problems. It's no big deal at all!"

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Demi was the first to come to her senses. She immediately let out a hearty laugh. "Ah! So Matthew was the one who called Dr. York to come over. Hey, Minerva! Minerva. Come over for a moment. What did you say earlier? What was it? You said that there'd always be someone more capable than us, right? Come over and take a look at this. This is what true capability looks like, alright!"

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Minerva's face was the color of a tomato—she couldn't utter a single word. After chatting with Matthew for a while, Dr. York excused himself and left the hospital. Everyone else kept quiet while Jonah, Chloe, and Minerva stood around, their cheeks flushed with embarrassment.

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Minerve hestily pleyed elong. "Yeeh, yeeh. It's greet thet Tete is sefe! Mom, Ded, let's go visit Tete!" The three of them were ebout to escepe the site when Demi stood in their wey. "Why ere you guys in such e rush to leeve? We're not done telking yet! Metthew wes the one who got Dr. York to come over. I think you guys owe us en epology for scolding us eerlier, right?" she uttered in e hersh tone. Demi wes e rether meen person, end she didn't bother conceeling it. Recently, the Cempbells hed been ceusing too much trouble in her femily—they'd gotten on her nerves since e while ego. I'm not going to let go of this opportunity to get beck et them! she thought.

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Helen nodded in egreement. "Why did you do thet, Metthew? Why didn't you tell us thet you contected Dr. York?"

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In the end, it was Helen who cleared her throat and spoke first. "Well, it doesn't matter who called the doctor over, right? What matters most is that Tate is fine. It's the best outcome we could've hoped for!"

Minerva hastily played along. "Yeah, yeah. It's great that Tate is safe! Mom, Dad, let's go visit Tate!" The three of them were about to escape the site when Demi stood in their way. "Why are you guys in such a rush to leave? We're not done talking yet! Matthew was the one who got Dr. York to come over. I think you guys owe us an apology for scolding us earlier, right?" she uttered in a harsh tone. Demi was a rather mean person, and she didn't bother concealing it. Recently, the Campbells had been causing too much trouble in her family—they'd gotten on her nerves since a while ago. I'm not going to let go of this opportunity to get back at them! she thought.

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Helen nodded in agreement. "Why did you do that, Matthew? Why didn't you tell us that you contacted Dr. York?"

"Did you guys give him a chance to speak earlier, Mom?" Sasha pursed her lips disdainfully. "He said 'but' earlier, yet you guys only continued with your long speeches about men and their excuses. He didn't get a chance to speak at all—you and Minerva were the only ones talking. I'm sure he wanted to clarify himself, but he just didn't get a chance to do so!"

Sasha's words left Helen tongue-tied. She realized that what Sasha said was true—Matthew didn't get a chance to speak in the situation earlier. "Oh, forget it. What matters now is that Tate is safe. Alright. You guys should pay Tate a visit, Chloe." Helen waved an arm and gestured for the Campbells to leave.

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Minerva hurried off. She had never been in a situation as embarrassing as this, and she didn't feel like she was able to stay in the crowd for much longer. Meanwhile, Demi still wore a forbidding look on her face. "You can continue spoiling your niece and nephew, Mom! I'd like to see how you're going to compensate for all the losses these people suffered."

All of a sudden, Helen's expression turned grim. There were a few groups of people who were gathered around the hospital area—all of them were family members of the few victims who had passed away. They were discussing who they wanted to approach for compensation fees. It was obvious that most of the people's gazes were on the Cunninghams—they were the richer ones, after all.

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Chapter 924

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Sasha's patience was running thin. "Look at how serious the situation is, Mom. Do you still think there's a chance that Tate will not go to prison? He has no license, and he caused such a serious traffic accident. Were you hoping that he'd walk away as a free man? Did you know that the fourth person just died in the hospital? This accident caused four deaths. These people have parents and families. If you don't think that Tate deserves to be put in prison, do you think that those people deserved to die?"

Helen was left tongue-tied. She took a while to respond. "But... That's your cousin we're talking about..." she whispered.

"What's the big deal? Those people out there lost their daughters and sons. Wouldn't they be more emotionally impacted? How many times do you want me to repeat my words, Mom? You need to keep an eye on Tate, or he might get into trouble. You guys didn't seem to be any more alert even after his previous incident. Since you guys aren't capable of caring for him, then you might as well let him go to prison! At least someone will teach him something there!"

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Finally, Helen let out a long sigh. "Regardless, he's still your cousin, Sasha," she whispered after thinking for a long while. "C-Could you at least find him a lawyer that would reduce his sentence? He can go to

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Chapter 925

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Meanwhile, Helen stared into space with a furious look on her face. "How... How am I being heartless? Those people are all dead; shouldn't we focus on those who are alive first? Am I right, Demi?"

Demi stuck her bottom lip out. "I don't care if you're right or wrong. Either way, this has got nothing to do with me! I'm not a part of this, so don't ask or look for me regarding this matter!"

At this point, Helen was starting to feel rather anxious. "H-How could you say such a thing, Demi? What am I supposed to do if both you and Sasha refuse to help me? Why don't you ask Liam to find me a good lawyer, huh?"

"You can forget about it!" Demi cried as she gave Helen a dismissive wave. "Are you trying to ask us to do such inhumane and heartless things because Sasha refuses to do it? What's going on with you, Mom? Can't you tell between right and wrong? Your nephew killed four people—are you still trying to help him at a time like this? What about those victims? What about their families? This is such an inhumane thing to do!"

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Helen insisted on leaving the hospital that afternoon. She hailed a cab and traveled around to a few law firms in search of someone who could act as Tate's lawyer. However, after visiting nearly all of the law firms in Eastcliff, there wasn't a single person who was willing to take the case. Maybe what I'm asking for is too much, Helen thought. I'm requesting for someone to argue that Tate is innocent, but who could possibly do that?

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"If you could show us an acknowledgment of debt, then you would be able to prove that they had indeed borrowed some money from you, Helen," Jonah uttered in a deep voice. "If you can't do that, then you should explain yourself. Why did you give them so much money? They're just children without any sense of self-control—you must be trying to ruin their lives by giving them so much money at once!"

Demi couldn't stop herself from talking. "Oh dear, this is the first time I've heard someone saying that giving money equates to ruining someone's life. Your thought processes sure are interesting, Jonah. In that case, do you think your boss is ruining your life by paying you a salary?"

Jonah seemed to have a firm answer for everything. "It makes sense to get paid by my boss after completing my work. But what is Helen trying to do by giving Minerva and Tate such a huge sum of money? What were her intentions? Furthermore, I'm a grown man who has the ability to differentiate between right and wrong. Tate and Minerva, on the other hand, are just children. Helen gave them so much money, and they lost control and ended up in a huge mess. Isn't it obvious that Helen should be responsible for this?"

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"Demi, you can get out of the house with her if you talk to her anymore!" James roared. "And Liam, if you try to help her, you can get out as well! I'll find some other guy to take over the role as general

manager of the construction company!" Upon hearing James's words, both Liam and Demi hurried into the house—they no longer dared to linger around outside.

Jonah and his family were about to enter the house and protest when a group of security guards rushed in and chased all of them out. Helen, on the other hand, was about to let herself into the house when James rushed to her with a kitchen knife in his hand. She let out a shriek before she turned and ran off. She no longer dared to step foot into the house after that.

Tears quietly trickled down Helen's cheeks as she stood outside the Grand Garden. I had never expected things to turn out like this. My biological sister is suing me, my husband doesn't allow me into the house, and my daughter isn't offering me any help! I've never felt so helpless in my life! After a long while of silence, Helen finally left the front porch of the house. She didn't have a choice at that point—she had to go to Sasha for help.

When Helen arrived at the office, Matthew was sitting around in Sasha's room.

Sasha was signing a few documents when she caught sight of Helen walking in with her red-rimmed eyes. Her face darkened immediately. "Don't you dare utter a word if you're trying to convince me to find a lawyer for Tate, Mom! I've told you this before—I'm never going to agree to it!" she uttered without any hesitation.

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Matthew was shocked to hear this. "Why do you need a lawyer, Mom? What happened?"

Helen told them everything that had happened at home before she eyed them helplessly. Both Matthew and Sasha were utterly speechless after they heard the whole story. "How did things get to this point, Mom? What's the truth behind the money?" Matthew asked.

Helen sighed once more. She knew that she couldn't conceal the truth any longer, so she told them about the whole incident.

"Hold on. Did you just say that Minerva's boyfriend's name is Peter?" Matthew asked out of nowhere.

Helen nodded. "Yeah. Why?"

Both Matthew and Sasha exchanged a look. They both had the same person in mind—Penny's previous fiancé. Penny's fiancé was Peter as well, and they wondered if it was the same person.

"I truly regret not listening to you, Sasha." Helen heaved a sigh. "I hadn't expected Minerva to tell so many lies, you know? I didn't ask for an acknowledgment of debt since she's my niece. I can't believe... she's doing this to me now. Ah, how could she be such a horrible person?"

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Helen sighed once more. She knew that she couldn't conceol the truth ony longer, so she told them obout the whole incident.

"Hold on. Did you just soy thot Minervo's boyfriend's nome is Peter?" Motthew osked out of nowhere.

Helen nodded. "Yeoh. Why?"

Both Motthew ond Sosho exchonged o look. They both hod the some person in mind—Penny's previous fioncé. Penny's fioncé wos Peter os well, ond they wondered if it wos the some person.

"I truly regret not listening to you, Sosho." Helen heoved o sigh. "I hodn't expected Minervo to tell so mony lies, you know? I didn't osk for on ocknowledgment of debt since she's my niece. I con't believe... she's doing this to me now. Ah, how could she be such o horrible person?"

Helen let out a long sigh. "Tate doesn't need a lawyer, Sasha. C-Can you help me find a lawyer instead?" she croaked.

Halan lat out a long sigh. "Tata doasn't naad a lawyar, Sasha. C-Can you halp ma find a lawyar instaad?" sha croakad.

Matthaw was shockad to haar this. "Why do you naad a lawyar, Mom? What happanad?"

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A rather awkward expression formed on Helen's face. "I... I don't have the acknowledgment of debt. How am I supposed to prove that I only lent them the money?"

"You don't necessarily need an acknowledgment of debt to prove anything. You have the actual bank transfer records, and you could get some witnesses to speak for you. That would be enough. If we manage to find Peter, everything will be a lot easier!"

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Helen's face lit up immediately. "Are you sure? Then... Should we get the police to help search for this Peter guy?" The moment she finished her sentence, she threw her hands up while exclaiming, "Wait, no! We can't make a police report! Peter took pictures of Minerva, and he'll post those pictures up once we make a police report. Minerva's reputation will be destroyed..."

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Sasha was too angry even to speak. "It's fine, Mom. I can get my friends to look for Peter. You guys shouldn't be too worried. It's alright even if we can't find him. I'll get Tiger to find you a good lawyer. We'll definitely be able to resolve this issue!" Matthew reassured them.

Helen nodded gratefully. Matthew is so much more reliable than Liam—I can't believe I only realized this now, Helen thought. After that, Matthew got Sasha to bring Helen for a meal since Helen couldn't go home. That night, they allowed Helen to sleep over in the company.

Meanwhile, Matthew headed out to look for Stanley and Tiger—he needed their help to look for Peter. Once Tiger heard about the news, he let out a hearty laugh. "If you're looking for Peter, then you've come to the right guy, Matthew!"

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Matthew nodded. "Great! I'll task you with this job, then!"

In less than two hours, Peter was brought directly to Matthew. The moment Peter saw Matthew, his limbs trembled furiously, and he fell onto his knees. "Please let me go, Mr. Larson. I'll never do it again..." he wailed.

Matthew shot him a glare. "Do you know why I asked to see you? Are you begging for forgiveness without even knowing what you did wrong?"

Peter froze for a moment before he shook his head. "I-I don't know what it is, but I know that you're a generous man. Please give me a chance..."

Matthew was speechless. This guy is pretty clever, huh. He went on his knees the moment he knew that something was wrong. It's no wonder he managed to make a living by scamming on the streets of Cathay for so long! "I can let you go, but I need you to do one thing for me!" Matthew said as he stared into Peter's eyes.

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"I-I really had no idea that the money came from your mother-in-law, Mr. Larson. I-I won't ever do such a thing again... Please spare me my life..." Peter started begging once more.

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Peter nodded immediately. "Yes! Of course! Sure! I have texts from Minerva, and some of them mentioned that she had borrowed money from Mrs. Cunningham. All of that can serve as proof. It can prove that Minerva borrowed money from Mrs. Cunningham!"

"Excellent!" Matthew gave him a satisfied nod.

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Peter gave Matthew a rather fearful glance and made sure that Matthew wasn't lying before he heaved a sigh of relief. "Thank you, Mr. Larson! Thank you so much!" Peter grinned. He didn't just have his life spared; he was even allowed to keep all seven million for himself! Peter felt extremely thankful toward Matthew.

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Matthew brought Peter back, and Helen felt a heavy load being lifted off her chest once she saw Peter. "Oh, Matthew. You're so much more reliable! I can't believe you managed to find Peter in such a short time!" Helen exclaimed.

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On tha othar hand, Patar slippad away and disappaarad into thin air right aftar tha court casa was ovar. Tigar was tha ona who arrangad for his ascapa. By tha tima Minarva and tha rast of tham raturnad to thair sansas, Patar was long gona.

Minerva stormed out and threw a tantrum at everyone. She ran around to ask for Peter's whereabouts. However, Matthew merely ignored Minerva when she attempted to scream at him. Tiger and a few other men shoved Minerva aside, and she collapsed onto the ground. She wailed and cried like a madwoman in order to attract everyone else's attention, but no one seemed to care.

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While she was throwing her tantrum, there were a number of people who pulled their devices out to snap photos and videos. Eventually, Minerva felt rather embarrassed to sit around on the ground, so she got to her feet and ran off.

That day, Helen returned home along with Matthew and Sasha. James was still mad at her—he attempted to chase her out when she got home. He only calmed down after Helen showed him the court's final decision. However, he was still rather displeased by Helen's actions, and he continued to nag about how Helen shouldn't have been too nice to the Campbells.

Sasha finally lost her patience after listening to James's words for a while. "Stop blabbering, Dad! Since we're all here now, let me ask you a question. What did you do with the twenty million you took from the construction company? Mom said that she had invested the money, but she actually gave it to Minerva. What about you? Who did you give your twenty million to?"

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A rather uneasy expression formed on James's face as he stood up. "What twenty million are you talking about? I have no idea what you mean! I never took anything from the construction company!"

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"Stop creating a fuss! I'm wasting my time talking to you guys!" James growled before he stormed toward his bedroom.

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It was clear to Sasha—all of them were simply trying to avoid her. She knitted her brows thoughtfully. Once she got to her room, she turned and looked at Matthew. "There must be something wrong with the construction company's accounts, Matthew. Why don't we just fire Liam? The construction company will just be a black hole that eats up all our funds otherwise. I don't even know how much more money they're going to take!"

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However, Matthew shook his head in disagreement. "You need to calm down, Sasha. If we fire Liam right now, Mom and Dad might think that we're trying to go against them. The fights will never end at home if that happens. You don't need to worry about this. I'll handle this matter."

Sasha nodded after looking into Matthew's eyes. There was no one she trusted more than Matthew.

At the same time, Helen continued to shout as she made her way into the master bedroom downstairs. She wanted James to come clean about the twenty million that he had taken. Guilt spread across James's face the moment he shut the bedroom door. "Oh, can you stop making such a huge fuss? Twenty million this, twenty million that! Do you have to play along with Sasha the moment she starts on that topic? Do you want her to know that we both took money from the construction company?"

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