

Chapter 719 The Cause Of Jenifer's Death

Upon receiving a call from an unknown number, Celia hung up without hesitation.

But a text came soon.

"If you wish to know the reason for your mother's passing, pick up the phone, or you'll be sorry." Celia had completely lost her trust in the Kane family. But it was about the cause of her mother's death. After a moment of contemplation, she decided to answer the phone.

Adrien's anxious voice came from the other end.

"Cece, please come home with enough money. I'll explain the true cause of your mother's passing once you're back. I'm not deceiving you this time. I'll tell you the reason!"

Celia said icily, "Last time you duped me like this. Do you think your falsehood will work again?"

Instead of explaining, Adrien bellowed, "I promised I wouldn't deceive you! Hurry here, or you'll never find out what happened to your mother! Your mother didn't pass away from sickness; she was murdered. If you come over with the money, I'll tell you the truth and all I know!"

Celia sensed something amiss with him and, after a moment's deliberation, concluded he might really tell the truth this time.

"Alright, I'll be there."

Adrien's tone softened and became much more relaxed.

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"Don't forget to bring the money. It's fifty million dollars. Don't forget!"

He hung up the phone, then.

At this moment, Tyson emerged from the kitchen. Noticing Celia's solemn expression, he asked anxiously, "Sweetheart, what's the matter?"

Celia didn't lie to him. She relayed to him what Adrien had voiced on the phone and declared, "I don't believe he is being untruthful this time. I reckon I must go there."

Tyson nodded, "I'm in."

Without even stopping for dinner, the two of them drove straight to the Kane family's house.

As soon as they stepped inside, Tyson and Celia beheld a gang of menacing-looking men. Cerissa was surrounded by several of them. As soon as she spotted Tyson and Celia, she yelled out desperately, "Celia, help me! Help me!"

Adrien hurried to the front of Celia and yelled desperately, "Cece, where is the money?"

Celia stepped back to evade bodily contact with him and uttered icily, "I need to know the truth first."

Adrien, despite his anxiety, had to start by telling the truth about Jenifer's death.

"Back then, although your mother was seriously ill, her life was not in jeopardy. I also intended to rescue her because she had been so supportive of me. And after all the time we had spent together, it's not like I felt nothing for her."

He spoke with a hint of guilt in his tone.

"When I was on the verge of selling my company and

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looking for a doctor to save her, a man dressed in black suddenly burst into the ward. I was absolutely taken aback and quickly ducked into the bathroom. Without noticing my presence, the man took the life of your mother. I was so scared that I didn't dare utter a word or attempt to rescue her. Afterwards, I wanted to call the police, but I was terrified that the man would take my life, so... I kept the true reason for your mother's passing a secret and said she had passed away due to an illness."

Celia's anger grew with every new detail she heard, disbelief rising that Adrien could be so cowardly. Had he been courageous, her mother would still be alive.

All her pity for him had vanished.

"What about the evidence? Do you have any proof to substantiate what you said?" Noticing that Celia was in a bad mood, Tyson held her shoulder and asked Adrien, "You can't expect us to believe your words only, can you?"

Adrien added quickly, "I'm not lying. If you don't trust me, you can go to the hospital to check. Cece's mom didn't pass away from sickness, but was suffocated to death after the oxygen tube was removed!"

He took a metal button out of his shirt pocket and handed it to Celia.

"This is the button that the man in black dropped inadvertently. I have kept it with me for so many years. My original intention was to use this button to investigate the murderer of your mother if I could ever expand the Kane Group in the future."

Celia's hand trembled as she took hold of the button, her emotions a mix of anticipation and trepidation.

Adrien had taken great efforts to preserve the old button,

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which was still in remarkably good condition.

Tyson's gaze landed on the button, and he was taken
aback.

He recognized the distinctive mark on the button, linking it
to the four powerful families of Captern.

Jenifer's background might not be as simple as it
appeared. Otherwise, why would the four powerful families
have sent an assassin to deal with an ailing woman?