

## **Master Odell 1641**

### Chapter 1641

John stared at her sharply.

The gaze irritated Sylvia. She furrowed her brows and said, "Believe it or not, it's up to you." She glared at John one last time before she went upstairs, leaving John alone with Odell.

John then turned his attention to Odell.

Odell had a sip of his tea. "Don't look at me. Why would I know anything about that?"

Upstairs in the children's room, Isabel and Flint were playing happily.

Despite being children as well, Liam and Caprice were much quieter as they sat opposite the noisy duo.

The boy read a book quietly while the girl looked at him silently.

Sylvia had a glance at them from the door before she went back to her room. She wanted to inform Sherry about what John said, but after she turned on her phone, she hesitated.

She looked down at the man sipping on tea

the tea table, looked up at her and then looked at John." Master Stockton, my wife is calling me.

"Of course.

chuckled. He put his cup of tea

to her room when

up to her and asked in a

men to

my men in Glenchester while you were talking to him. I believe we will get some updates

eyes gleamed. She curled her lips in delight and

face. "I learned from

his eyes. "What does that supposed

never say something this flattering without any reason. He chuckled and said, "Have you gotten in contact with Sherry?"

Sylvia's expression shifted.

All he took was one glance and

### Chapter 1642

As expected, John was still in the living room.

He was on his phone with someone. "I am busy. I won't be going back soon. If there's nothing urgent, just go to Peter; only call me when it's absolutely necessary."

John hung up the phone and saw Sylvia wheeling Madam Carter into the house. His gaze shifted. He immediately wore a polite and humble smile on his handsome face.

Madam Carter dozed off on the way back.

John said to Sylvia, "Mrs. Carter, Caprice really likes to be with Liam. No matter how I try to take her home, she doesn't want to go back. I might have to crash at your place for a couple of days."

Caprice, who was also in the living room watching Liam play with his Rubik's cube, looked up at her father in confusion. She did not remember her father persuading her to leave. However, it was true that she did not want to leave, she wanted to stay with Liam.

Therefore, she turned back to Liam and continued watching him play.

likes Caprice as well, and I am more than welcome to have her, but our place is too small

in tears if I leave her for more than ten

were in the children's room for more than two hours, and I didn't see

regained his composure. He continued, "That's because I told her I am down here,

ran out of patience. She asked, "You just

to leave Liam. I can't do anything about it."

the man. She wheeled Madam

relief and sat down

in the morning before she came back and went out for a stroll in the park with Madam Carter

she went to her studio to

evening when she heard her kids come through the

time as well. The father and daughter had gone out for the whole day, and they came back with a beautiful cap on the girl's head and several boxes of presents.

got down from her father's arm, she ran to Liam.

Liam and handed him a cool-looking keychain. She adorably said, "Here, this is for you."

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John pursed his lips. "I see."

He then walked past her and went inside the house, leaving Sylvia alone and speechless. The man seemed to have made himself at home.

It was then that a black MPV came in from the corner and stopped in front of the house.

Sylvia turned around and saw Odell coming out of the car.

Odell went up to her and saw the wooden music box in her hands. "What's this?"

Sylvia smiled and said, "Caprice gave it to me."

"She came back with John?"

They just

into the house. He then grabbed Sylvia away from

asked, "Got any updates from

different approaches, and they all confirmed that Madam Stockton is awake. She even attended a family gathering last night. Many people saw her alive and healthy. Julie has been arrested, and her family, the Weisses, tried to plead on behalf of her in front of Madam

sighed a breath of relief. "It seems like John is

not responsible for the fire. It was

his claims, so what are you going to do

even saw the mischievous grin

words and said, "Of course, I'll tell her, but I have to

He chose not to expose her. He put his hand

room, and when he saw them coming in together, he pursed his lips. He had a smile on his face, but it felt more like

kids went to sleep without causing

room was quiet

and Sylvia's room went dark as soon as it was time for

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The sudden hug surprised Sylvia and left her frozen.

The man's warm breath caressed the back of her neck and his deep and rich voice entered her ears.' What were you doing outside just now?"

Sylvia's eyes flickered nervously. She said, "N-nothing. I can't sleep, so I went out to get some air."

"Can't sleep?"

"Mm-hmm..." Sylvia confidently hummed a reply.

At the next moment, she was pulled into the man's arms. His staggering huge figure got on top of her and he lifted her chin softly. He pressed his lips against hers.

Sylvia was silenced. She tried to push him away, but he deftly pulled her hands to the side and pinned her down.

He kissed her for a while before he released her lips, but his body remained on top of her. His deep eyes were like a wolf searching for its prey in the dark. He grinned and said in his deep voice, "I can't sleep either. Why don't we do a little exercise?"

Sylvia's face blushed. She knew exactly what 'exercise' meant.

sighed exasperatedly and said, "I couldn't sleep just now, but I'm starting to feel sleepy... Mmmhh!"  
kiss before she could finish.

media with a blank state of mind. She had been sleeping since the day, so even though it was already late at night, she was

Ding!

received a text on her phone.

from

by her friend, and when she went through it, her expression changed

even played along with Queenie to expose

she had done it because she

a shocking revelation to her. She knew that Julie was not as kind and gentle as she appeared, but her  
to remove her

strongly. She was at a

ago, her mind was still troubled by the fact that Madam Stockton was bedridden and the fire that almost took her life. Now,

she ran into Mason in the park the other day, and there was also the untimely manner of John coming back to catch them in the act. Julie was also

idea of

idiot, she could tell

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All she had for him was resentment. She never wanted to see him again, and she never wanted anything to do with him.

The refreshing sea breeze blew towards her face.

Sherry took a deep breath before she replied to Sylvia, "I got it. Thanks, Syl."

Since Madam Stockton had woken up, she could simply release the guilt that had been tormenting her and live a peaceful life.

A month passed by in the blink of an eye.

It was a weekday in Westchester.

After Sylvia sent her kids and Odell to school and to work respectively, she took Madam Carter out for a stroll in the park and then attended an art exhibition.

She only came home when it was dark.

entered the living room, she saw Odell and John

with a Rubik's cube beside Liam. Sylvia had already

John would spend time with Caprice at their home other than bringing her out during

Sylvia walked in.

her as soon as he was aware of her entry. He waved the handheld

handheld video game console looked modern

at John. "You shouldn't have, Master Stockton."

Carter, you are too kind. I'm their Uncle John. Of course,

her lips twitched

he was talking to family, but Sylvia ignored him. She patted Flint's head before she headed to Madam Carter's room. She had been

wonder if you have any good news today." John's

around to the man and

Sherry a few times in the past month, but even she did not know where Sherry was.

pursed his lips, Sylvia went straight to Madam

the kids play in the children's room after dinner before she went back to her

work in the

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Sylvia had a few glances at the picture. She sighed and said, "Sherry looks like she lost a lot of weight." Fortunately, Sherry looked energetic aside from the loss of weight. She must be doing well lately.

Odell saw the worry on her face. He hugged her into his arms and stroked her head in silence.

Sylvia leaned on his chest. The thought of John staying in their house for more than a month now bothered her. She frowned and asked, "Do we need to tell John about Sherry?"

The man was planning to stay as long as it was required to get news about Sherry.

Odell said, "That won't be necessary. He should have gotten the news as well."

Meanwhile, downstairs in the guest room, John had just brought Caprice back from Liam's room.

When he went over to Liam's room, the girl was already sleeping in Liam's arms. She did not take Liam as an outsider at all.

John pinched the girl's cheek and removed her jacket and her socks before putting her on the bed. He then lay down beside her.

to switch

Ding!

It was Peter.

phone and went to

ears, Peter's excited voice came through

gleamed. "Are

event at Coastrock City today, and our men noticed her. They even got a picture of

his golden-framed glasses. He said, "Send me

reported that Ms. Fowler attended the event on behalf of the Sagers. She

watching. Inform me at

"Yes, sir."

The call ended.

he

the ponytail made her look outstanding, especially with the smile that she flashed to the camera. Her delicate facial features remained

beat, but he was surprised nevertheless.

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Immediately, Sebastian asked, "Master Stockton, it's late. Where are you going with Ms. Caprice?"

John smiled and said, "Sebastian, I have to go back to attend to some urgent matters. When Master Carter and Mrs. Carter wake up tomorrow, please inform them about my leave. I will visit again with Caprice if I have time."

Before Sebastian could say anything, John left the house with Caprice.

Sebastian turned to Aunt Tonya with his eyes flickering out of confusion. Aunt Tonya was as confused as he was.

The man had been staying here for a month now, and he suddenly left in the middle of the night with his daughter?"

The silver MPV sprinted along the freeway in the middle of the night.

John sat in the rear seat with Caprice on his lap, holding her with one hand and making a call with the other.

Peter said to him through the phone, "Sir, there's no more flight to Coastrock from Westchester tonight. The earliest flight will be at nine o'clock tomorrow morning."

John looked nervous. "What about the flights from Glenchester to Coastrock?"

voice, "No flights available either. The latest flight will be the same as Westchester to Coastrock at nine o'clock tomorrow morning."

tomorrow morning at nine. Caprice, Aunt Wanda, and Jason are the bookings right

The call ended.

looked at the driver. "We're going

The driver nodded.

phone down and stared outside the

this hour, so it would take

on his phone again and tapped on the gallery.

photo with Sherry in the middle.

they arrived home

Caprice back to her room and laid her down on the bed so that she could continue sleeping. He then told Aunt Wanda and

they heard that John was bringing them to Coastrock to

watched the girl sleep. His mind

thought, Madam Stockton and

door and said, "Mom, go sleep.

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Madam Stockton's expression turned grim.

Queenie stared at her mother. "I don't care what you are going to say. I won't allow you to stop John from going to look for Sherry!"

As her voice subsided, John was coming out of the room. He looked at his mother with a rather frosty expression.

Madam Stockton's expression shifted immediately and said, "John, I have something to talk to you about. Don't worry, I'm not here to stop you. I just want to tell you something that happened a long time ago."

John looked rather dubious. "Something that happened a long time ago?"

Madam Stockton's eyes flickered. She somehow started to evade his gaze, but she mustered up enough courage to speak in a softer voice than usual, "I've buried it in my heart for a long time, and it's time for me to tell you."

John's expression changed as well. He looked at Queenie and said, "Leave us."

Queenie released Madam Stockton's arm. She had one last worried glance at her mother before she reluctantly walked out.

living room returned

Stockton. "What is this

and said, "The truth why you and Sherry broke up nine years

Nine years ago?

why he broke up with

and when

experienced the breakup himself, so what other truth would there be?

"Mother, are you trying to remind me of the things

no. It's not that. Don't misunderstand me.

up all of a sudden?"

because you were poor and then how she cheated on you with Mason... She

drastically. He thought he heard his mother wrongly. He stared at her and asked, "What did you

with you because I approached her and indirectly forced her to cheat

living room plunged into dead

It took him a while to suppress the rising anger in his chest. He took a deep breath and continued, "How...did

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Madam Stockton did not finish the sentence.

When she found out that Sherry had used Mason to break up with John, she was shocked too. Despite her admiration for Sherry for her ruthless methods, she was heavily prejudiced against her back then and her admiration was buried.

The living room plunged into silence again.



John's face turned pale, his eyes bloodshot.

When Madam Stockton finally looked up at him and saw his terrifying gaze, she got frightened and staggered backward.

She teared up, and with a regrettable tone, she said, "John, it was my fault. I made you hate her and separated you two for so many years. I deeply regret it. If I knew what would turn out today, I would have persuaded your father to let you two be together."

As John was petrified on the spot, his fists were tightly clenched.

He looked at his mother and saw the nervous and guilty look on her face. He said, "I got it. Go out."

well. That's why I decided to tell you. Just blame me if you want. I just hope you

GET OUT!"

turned pale

reddened eyes. His fair and humble countenance was replaced by a grim

quickly staggered to the door and left the living room. As soon as she stepped

kicked over the tea table out of

who were eavesdropping outside the house. Neither of them dared to look inside the

table toppled, shattering the cups

of the broken shards and stared blankly

to silence but his mind remained

break up with him, played again and again in his head. She

said she did not want to live in a cheap apartment with him and lead

he had gotten another laborious assignment the

back on a rainy day, he

night. The rain fueled his resentment for her and continued to torment him

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What about him?

Not only did he hate her for years, but after becoming the richest man in Glenchester, he had plotted to get the Fowlers and the Browns to develop their business here so that he could lure her out.

He had imprisoned her for a year, made her eat nothing but leftovers for a year, made her sew for a year, made her mow the lawn, and forbade her from stepping out of the front yard.

He enjoyed taking revenge on her that year, and until one month ago, his misunderstandings for her deepened.

Once again, he imprisoned her, starved her, and let her bleed. He even left her to die in the fire!

What would that make him?

What had he done for her all these years?

He felt helpless and weak all of a sudden. He straightened his back and sat on the floor.

His mind thought about nothing except for her face. From nine years ago until now, when they had broken up, when he had imprisoned her, and when she had bled on the floor a while ago, all the scenes in his head suffocated him.

he covered his head with both his hands.

and wet the floor. His eyes were tightly closed and the living room went quiet for a while.

felt like he

guilt ate him up

hour or more, a series of

sweet and adorable voice broke the

a clear

said as she took his

choked on his emotions. He hugged

sad," he

leaned on

his words, the girl's brows tightened. She tapped on his shoulder, offering him some comfort.

you

smiled bitterly. "Okay."

him feel re-energized. He patted

"I had a dream and I can't find you anywhere, so