

## The Miraculous Simone Gray by Opal Reese Chapter 441

### Chapter 441 Starting With a "Surprise"

The Foster Family's villa.

Adam had received news that the special department would take action that day to make an arrest,

Not only did he return home from work him, deparately called Skyler, Leon, and Gwen, asking them to come home.

Melinda thought that Adam wanted to support her and punish their two ungrateful children, which was why he called everyone in the family.

Sure enough her husband still loved her and cared about her.

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Adam with an affectionate gaze, wanting to express her satisfaction.

y said to Adam, I knew you loved me the most. Those two ungrateful ildren punished."

She pouted like a little girl and said. "Otherwise, they will continue to mistreat me, their mother."

These affected actions and voices made Adam almost disgusted to the point of vomiting.

If it were a young girl acting like this toward her boyfriend, he would think it was normal.

But Melinda was already at this age and still made such expressions and gestures, which left him speechless.

She really thinks she's still eighteen.

Since their children had not yet arrived, and the people from the special department had not come either. he just smiled and said, "Indeed, they should be properly punished."

But the target should be changed.

Melinda looked at Adam with tender eyes and said, "You are so nice, honey."

She took the initiative to sit next to Adam, wanting to hold his arm and act coquettishly.

If hadn't fallen in love with that person, maybe she would have shown some affection to her husband.

But unfortunately, she could only say sorry to him. Her husband's love for her was destined to be

requited.

That was because her heart was too small and could only accommodate one man.

Now, it was just a charade with her husband.

Adam avoided Melinda's actions and said, "I'll make a phone call."

Although Adam had been enduring Melinda, they hadn't been intimate for many years,

Every time he saw Melinda in a good mood, he knew that she must have met her lover.

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So he pretended to want to be intimate, but it always caused her resistance.

He loved his wife so much, but if she wasn't willing, he naturally couldn't force her.

she could only 'regretfully give up.

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After getting used to it, the two of them no longer had those moments.

In Melinda's heart, they hadn't been intimate for so many years.

It was all because she had a man she loved, and her husband couldn't bear to force her.

In terms of motions, she was the winner.

So, the husband got up to make a phone call, and she didn't hold onto his arm or think much of it.

After a while

he came back.

His body had...ly recovered quite a bit.

And he knew what would happen that day, so he had to come no matter what.

But he didn't show any hint of it, smiling and greeting the two of them, "Dad, Mom!" Melinda looked at Skyler with a loving expression on her face, asking about his recent life with concern.

After chatting for a while, Adam finally hung up the phone with a smile and said, "You're back!" Theresa sat down next to Skyler and started talking about the company's affairs.

Melinda couldn't join in the conversation, but she was happy to see the affectionate and filial appearance of father and son.

Those two useless ones couldn't be relied on. Only Skyler is dependable

Now, she relied on her husband, and in the future, she would rely on her son. She would always be the winner in life.

When her husband was about to die, she had to coax him into transferring half of his shares to her.

This way, she wouldn't have to worry about her eldest son being ungrateful and escaping from her control.

nough her son would inherit the power of the Foster Family in the future, she would still have some control.

By supporting her family again, she could continue to hold her head high in front of her family.

With these thoughts in mind, Melinda looked at the father and son with even more tender eyes.

“His made the two of them, who were talking but noticed her gaze, feel all down their spines.

More than ten minutes later, Leon and Gwen came back together.

Leon specifically went to pick up his sister.

Gwen greeted Adam and Skyler with a smile. “Dad. Skyler”

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She became much colder when she looked at Melinda and deliberately said, “Melinda!” Leon, still playing the role of a good student, greeted her just like his sister.

This made Melinda extremely angry.

She looked at Adam with a grievous expression and said in a whiny voice, “Hubs. Look at their attitude toward me, their own mother; it’s so outrageous”

Gwen: Oh my god. She felt like throwing up.

Over the years, her dad had really suffered a lot.

Even Leon could feel the chill now. This voice and tone were truly beyond words.

Although mom used to like to put on an affected and coquettish voice, it wasn’t this exaggerated.

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for being able to endure for so many years.

Adam didn't po act anymore. "Where did they go too far? Didn't you cut off ties with them? So, they call you Melinda, and what's wrong with that?"

Melinda was stunned for a moment, obviously not expecting him to say that.

According to her thinking, he should have scolded the two ungrateful children harshly.

"Hubs, even though that's the case, they are still so ungrateful."

She pouted and said, "Can you teach them a lesson for me?"

Over the years, Adam had been too successful in acting like a loving husband.

So. Melinda still firmly believed that he wouldn't betray her.

As for the fact that she had betrayed him long ago and had schemed so much, it didn't matter.

Hey, he loves me too much anyway.

Adam and Skyler were speechless.

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couldn't help but say, "Melinda, don't you realize how old you are? If Leon had gotten hitched a few ye back, you'd have a grandkid by now. So, can you please stop using that disgusting tone and consider Our feelings? Can you?" She couldn't bear it anymore; it was uncomfortable to keep it in.

elada's expression turned sour. "What does it have to do with you? My well-being is none of your oncern," she retorted. She sneered. "You severed ties with me, so you are no longer a part of the Foster Family. You have no say here.

Gwen realized that her mother was incredibly foolish; she hadn't even not anything was wrong yet.

But it was also due to her father's indulgence.

She looked at Adam in surprise and asked, "Dad, when did I cease to be a part of the Foster Family?"

Adam replied, "Of course, you are still a part of the Foster Family."

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Then he dropped another uorabshell. "Not only are you a part of the Foster Family, but you will also be the heir of the Foster Group in the future. After you've had enough fun at Simone's studio, you should come to the Foster Group and familiarize yourself with the company. When I retire in the future, you can

take over the company."

This is a decision, and he deliberately said it for Melinda to hear.

She covets the family wealth and treats it like her personal possession: Well then, let's start with this: giving her a "surprise" right from the beginning.

Sure enough, Melinda looked incredulous and shocked.

She stared at Adam, her face filled with disbelief and astonishment, and asked, "What did you say?" For some reason she felt inexplicably anxious at this moment.

Adam said, "This joke is not funny at all."

She smiled

At this moment

Melinda only hoped that her husband would nod and say that it was indeed just a joke.

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However, Melinda was destined to be disappointed.

dan looked at her and said, "Do you think I'm joking about the successor of the conglomerate?"

Melinda still couldn't believe it. Unable to hold her tongue at Adam and asked loudly, "Have you lost your mind?" "The successor of the Foster Family conglomerate is Skyler. Skyler is your eldest son and has been, in the company for so long. Gwen, a young girl, inherits the company. Isn't that absurd?"

Having been influenced by her family for many years, Melinda also had a strong preference for males over females,

Gwen was speechless, "You're talking about me as if I'm just a little girl."

Her mother

was really contradictory and amusing.

Adam was a chless. "This is not feudal times, and our family has no imperial throne to inherit. The whole society advocates gender equality. Why can't Gwen inherit the company? I believe she is capable."

In his mind, there was no difference between his son and daughter inheriting the company.

Whoever has the ability should take charge, and strength is the ultimate criterion.

Melinda was going crazy. "How can you be like this? The Foster Family conglomerate clearly belongs to Skyler."

She looked at Adam with suspicion and asked, "Did Gwen work with Simone and cursed you? Did she make you lose your mind?" That was what she believed in her heart.

Gwen sneered. "I am not you. Simone would never do such despicable things."

Melinda glared at Gwen. "Shut up."

Then she turned to Adam, her face full of anger, "You tell me!" She said forcefully, "Today, you must give me an explanation and an account."

Skyle who was ahead of Adam, said first, "Mom, why do you think Dad would hand over the Foster Family's years of hard work to an outsider to inherit?" Dad doesn't care whether the company is inherited by a

a daughter, but he does care if it's the bloodline of the Foster Family.

oreover, ever since he found out that he was a b"stard and the medium of fortune, he had never coveted

thought about fighting for the Foster Family's property.

Upon hearing this, Melinda's eyes narrowed, and she became even more flustered. "What nonsense are you talking about?"

Skyler sighed. "Mom, do you really think everyone here is a fool? Everyone knows that I am not Dad's biological son. So, what gives you the confidence to let a b'stard child born from your affair shamelessly compete with the legitimate heirs of the Foster Family?" He despised his biological father, and his biological mother wasn't much better.

Melinda widened her eyes. "This, this can't be possible!" Then, she immediately looked at Adam, Leon, and

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She found that their expressions were normal, without any hint of surprise.

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How could this be? How did they all find out? No hand's attitude suddenly changed; he must have known about her affair and the illegitimate chuid.

She pondered for a moment, then looked at Adam with a pitiful and pained expression. 'Honey, L... I was forced.'

Naturally, she couldn't admit that she had a man she loved.

She could only fabricate a story about having a son after being assaulted.

Adam raised

his brow, "Melinda, do you still think I'm a fool?"

Melinda was not to speak, thinking of ways to win back her husband's heart.

Just then, the butler entered with people from a special department.

The person leading them was Deputy Minister Joseph Presgrave.

Simone, being a member of the special department and a victim herself, came along as well.

Adam stood up as soon as he saw the group of people.

He had met Joseph before. "Deputy Minister Presgrave, hello!"

Joseph greeted with a smile. "Mr. Foster, hello! We have a serious case here that involves Melinda. Now that the evidence is conclusive, we are here to arrest her."

Then he took out the arrest warrant.

Adam took it and looked at it. "You are acting within the law, so I have no objections."

Melinda had a bad feeling when she saw Simone and the others coming in.

After hearing their conversation, she looked at Adam with shock in her eyes.

She couldn't believe it and asked, "Honey, what did you say?"

Her gaze towards Melinda was devoid of the previous tenderness and instead filled with coldness. "I know you have committed a crime and should accept the punishment of the law."

Melinda took two steps back. "You... you want to abandon me? I haven't committed any crime. They are falsely accusing me. Honey, I can explain Skyler's matter to you."

She then reached out to grab Adam's hand. "Please don't let them take me away, okay?"

Adam shook off her hand. "Didn't you hear what the people from the special department said? The evidence against you is conclusive. Melinda, I don't have the power to save you. Besides, I won't save you."

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Melinda was puzzled. Why und her husband become so cold and heartless today?

"I am your wife! If I go to jail, you will be disgraced."

Adam raised an eyebrow. "Can't be disgraced if you have no grace to begin with."

Melinda choked, wondering if there was something note with his brain today. She looked at him with tears in her eyes and pleaded for the first time, "Honey, for the sake of our many years of love, you must help me."

She also realized the seriousness of the situation.

The special 'epartment came to arrest her in person. If her husband didn't help her, she would most likely end up in ind

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Melinda's face instantly changed, her mouth trembling, and a hint of panic showed up. "I-I don't know what you're talking about."

She denied it. "Did someone tell you something random? Where did this adulterer come from?"

Adam said coldly, "You don't have to act anymore, and I don't want to act either. Let's be honest today have never loved you. The reason I acted with you for so many years was for the Foster Family and deal with your lover and backer. And you were mistaken previously. We haven't even gotten married, so what right do you have to claim to be my wife?" His eyes were filled with indifference. "I hereby declare that we are officially ending our relationship. From this moment on, Melinda, we have no connection, and you will never be able to enter the doors of my Foster Family."

It was also due to Leon and Gwen, the two children, that Adam refrained from saying anything too harsh.

For instance, Melinda was not even on par with a mistress.

Melinda widened her eyes, unable to believe it. "What do you mean? We didn't get married? I clearly saw our marriage certificate"

Ada looked at her with a smile that lacked warmth. "What marriage certificate? Did you imagine it? We never officially registered our marriage, let alone had a wedding celebration. We are not a couple at all. We were merely cohabiting, so we can end our relationship at any time."

Melinda finally realized what was going on. "You, you have been scheming against me from the

beginning?" No wonder there were always issues when they attempted to obtain the marriage certificate,

and then he claimed he would take care of it without her.

And then he continued to make excuses, postponing the wedding. But she still couldn't fathom why a man who had loved her for so many years suddenly became so heartless.

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Chapter 443 From the Beginning, You're Just a Joke

This woman's thought process was truly hypocritical.

Mr. Foster sneered, "Wasn't it you and your lover who have been plotting against me from the beginning? Connecting was a setup. Before, for the sake of the Foster Family, I had to endure the disgust and deal with; you. Don't think that you're so charming that y

hant me and make me a fool in love. Even if

I'm capable, the old man would never let me inherit the company if I was a love-struck fool."

With a look of disgust he continued, "Melinda, every time I see you, I feel nauseous and can't wait to throw you out. So, after you gave birth to Leon and his sister, we never had any intimate relations again. You think you're keeping yourself chaste for your lover, and I didn't touch you because I can't bear to see you suffer. Now, let me tell you, just seeing you makes me want to vomit, let alone touch you. You have no idea how happy I am that you're keeping your distance from me because of him. Now, can you see yourself cle

Seeing Mel

ing devastated. Mr. Foster felt somewhat relieved. He had endured enough over the years. In the

you and the Foster Family are not related anymore. Cherish the lays ahead in the special department prison, and once you're released in the future, go back to your beloved family."

If Melina were to be released, he wouldn't dirty his hands and do anything to her. What he enjoyed was watching wicked people suffer at the hands of other wicked people, and Melinda's family were all troublesome and difficult people, including herself. After she was released, let them torment each other,

Trembling with anger, Melinda collapsed to the ground, and tears flowed continuously from her eyes, not because she was pretending, but because she couldn't believe what she had just been hit with. She had always believed that her husband loved her above all else, but it turned out to be a lie; he had deceived her. this despicable man.

But he loves me so much. No, he couldn't have changed, she thought in denial. Although the man she loved wasn't him, she still hoped that she was his most beloved person, so she couldn't accept these words.

Suddenly, she looked up at Simone and asked, "Did you curse my husband and turn him this way?"

Simone was speechless. "Deep down, you already knew this was true, so why bother finding excuses? People like you are hypocrites for always blaming others for everything. If you hadn't plotted against Mr. Foster back then, how could you have ended up like this today? If you want to blame someone, you should blame yourself. What? So, you can do the world wrong, but nobody is allowed to do you wrong? But have you ever looked in the mirror? Are you worthy?"

Foster couldn't agree more with these words. "Yes, sometimes I can't understand, either. Where does he get such confidence from?" She acted as if she could charm any man. He added. "When you go to

, take a good look in the mirror and repent."

Melinda still couldn't accept it. Her husband, who loved her so much, suddenly became so heartless toward her. Crying, she tried to grab Mr. Foster's trousers. "No, you can't treat me like this."

Quickly, Mr. Foster stepped back and avoided her. "This is your retribution. Stop struggling."

Melinda looked up into his cold and icy eyes, instantly feeling like she had been doused with cold water. Why did it turn out to be a scam? Why did he stop loving me?

Seeing this, Joseph asked two men to come forward and restrain Melinda. Each of them held one of her

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arms and pulled her up from the ground. "Melinda Carver, you are under arrest. Now, come with us to the

special department for interrogation.

Melinda kept struggling. "No, I don't want to go to the special department. Then, she adopted a pitiful

ure that she believed was the most charming, looking at Mr. Foster dolefully and begging him to save

Despite that. Mr. Foster remained indifferent, with a look of disdain and disgust in his eyes and on his

face.

Out of wits, Melinda had to turn to Skyler. “Skyler, I did all this for you. You must save me, your mother!”

Skyler sneered. All for me? Aren't I just a tool you use for your benefit? A tool to maintain a relationship with that man, a tool to seize and take over the Foster Family's wealth for you. Today, I officially announce that I am conglating with you. From the beginning, I've never considered that man, who always hides and

as my real father, nor did I consider you, a selfish and self-serving man, as my mother.

“When I was a child, you deliberately gave me cold showers when you wanted to meet that man for a few days. You made me sick with a fever and sent me to the hospital, leaving me in the care of the servants. I remember all those things. In your heart, I, your son, have always been a disposable existence that can be sacrificed at any time. You probably know that I may not live long, so you have never truly invested any emotions in me. All that motherly love was just an act.” He sneered again. “With your acting skills, the only one you're fooling is yourself.” He had sensed it since he was young.

Melinda jerked her head up at him, disbelief written all over her face. “Y-You!” For a moment, she didn't know what to say. After all, when her eldest son was young, she had indeed used him for many things, but she never expected that he would still remember everything until now, without showing any signs of it in the past.

The last trace of hope in her heart vanished. She couldn't accept these facts and completely broke down, crying out in a shrill voice, “You're all wolves in sheep's clothing. You're so cruel.” Then, she started to curse, “You've gone too far. You're all heartless animals\_”

Skyler responded with a hint of mockery, "We're heartless animals and cruel? Compared to you and our adulterous husband, I think we're far behind." He sighed and continued, "To be honest, among all the people around you, the only one who truly cares for you and treats you like family is Leon, but look at what you've done. You pushed away the only person who sincerely cared for you. I have only one thing to say you deserve it!" Since his biological mother insisted on coming to him, he didn't mind delivering an er blow.

con, who stood beside them, pondered to himself, Can I honestly say that I don't want to be the only one who enuinely cares? Mom didn't deceive anyone else, only me. It felt awful to be the sole fool in the family.

Upon hearing this, Melinda suddenly turned her gaze toward Leon. That's right, I still have my youngest son. With determination, she lunged toward Leon and pleaded, "Leon, please save me. No one loves you more than me. As long as you stop them from taking me away, we'll move out, and I'll take care of you in the Tature.

Immediately, Leon stepped back, wearing a bitter smile. "I was foolish in the past, but do you think I would fall for it again? Once you're wrong, you're wrong. We've already severed our ties. Even if you truly repent, I cannot forgive you, and our relationship cannot be repaired."

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His mother had done so much, but it had all been in vain. In his pursuit of maternal love, he lost the girl he loved, and in the end, the motherly love he sought turned out to be the most deceitful.

ince the beginning, you've been a joke." He closed his eyes and uttered, "So was L. Let us part ways, never to see or contact each other again. You might well that you never had a son like me since you

ever truly raised me.”

Given her personality, there was no way he would give her even the slightest hope, or else she would undoubtedly cling to it in the future.

If she were good mother, she would never hurt them like this. Nevertheless, he would still assume the obligation and responsibility of taking care of her, but for now, it was best to have no contact at all.

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but he had been hurt the most, so he turned arose without a word.

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As he walked away, Melinda’s panic grew even stronger, and she desperately shouted after him, “Leon, don’t leave. In the future. I will only love you, my child. Don’t abandon me! Leon, what should I do if you give up on me, too?”

Leon turned his head. “Don’t you still have that powerful lover? If he truly loves you, let him save After all, you have done so much for him, and it’s time for him to repay you.”

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time, Leou read her mind and chuckled self-deprecatingly. “See? You still love that man the most. What are we worth?” His father pretended to be a fool in love, but his mother was a genuine one. “Don’t call me and don’t look for me in the future. I’m disgusted.”

After saying this, he didn’t stop and quickly walked away. Melinda watched his figure disappear, and her

she muttered, "Wicked child, ungrateful son, bastard.

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Simone spoke up. "Stop cursing. Among the people here, no one can save you. Why don't you beg for help from the man you love the most? With his abilities, he should be able to save you." Despite what she said, Simone felt that based on Melinda's deep love for that person, he probably wouldn't betray him.

Sure enough, Melinda glared fiercely at her. "Don't try to set a trap for me. I don't have any lover, and there is no one behind me." She looked at Simone with a sinister gaze and said, "It's a pity that that useless warlock didn't get rid of you."

Simone smiled indifferently. That's because you and your lover are incapable and had to hire a useless person to deal with me. It also allowed me to come and witness your humiliation today."

The expression on Melinda's face turned fierce again. "Are you here to make fun of me?"

Simone raised an eyebrow, crossing her arms. "What else?"

Melinda was greatly provoked. "Ah, you little bitch..." She realized that her husband's love, which she had always been proud of, was fake, and she believed that her eldest son resented her. Her youngest son, whom she had control over, decisively abandoned her and left. The daughter she disliked the most was going to inherit the Foster Family, which she had long coveted. In just one day, not only did she lose her husband and three children, but she also lost her status as Mrs. Foster and became a laughingstock.

She couldn't accept this situation to begin with, and now, she had to witness it herself, thanks to Simone, whom she despised the most. It drove her crazy, and she wanted to pounce on Simone and bite her, but she was held back by the people restraining her.

"Stay calm,"

Seeing her like this, Simone smiled. "Your son said you're a joke, and he's right. Do you think that that man

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cares about you? Then, ie: wait and see if he will save you. I'm certain he won because you've always ein just a pawn to him. She continued to provoke her, "Now that you're useless, he will discard you

Melinda shook her head frantically and barked wildly, "No, he won't. You're talking nonsense. He won't!"

tran she loved would never give up on her.

Seeing that it was almost enough, Simone none who then had the two men forcefully take Melinda away.

Struggling incessantly, Melinda couldn't help but plead with Mr. Foster and Skyler, but both of them had the same cold and indifferent expression. There was no other choice, so she could only beg her let favorite daughter, Gwen, to save her.

Gwen found it laughable that no matter when it was, she was always at the end of the line. She turned her body away. wanting to see or be bothered. Seeing her biological mother in such a situation, she didn't

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in't bother her much, and nether would she sympathize or show ar mercy. All of rother, and yet she was still protecting that unknown man. Since er mother chose bandoned everyone else, she had to bear the consequences.

She had seen through it all since she was young and didn't care, lest she would be hurt like Leon.

Melinda saw Gwen turn away, and all hope in her eyes shattered completely, so she let the people take her away without resistance. Still, she couldn't help but hurl various insults at Mr. Foster and Skyler as they dragged her outside, as if that would make her feel a little better.

After she was taken away, Simone bid farewell to the three members of the Foster Family and returned to the special department.

After everyone had left, Skyler said to Mr. Foster, "Mr. Foster, I will resign after I finish dealing with the matters at hand."

Knowing that Skyler was also a victim, Mr. Foster didn't blame him. "Don't worry; I know that you are a good person." It's unfortunate that this child ended up with such biological parents.

In his heart, Skyler wished that his biological father was Mr. Foster, but unfortunately, those two stood between them, and they were destined never to become father and son. He thought for a moment and said, "The online matter should also be dealt with. I will proactively post on Facebook, saying that I am a child born from my mother's affair with another man and not a blood relative of the Foster Family. I'll sever ties with the Foster Family and leave the family and the company?"

In this way, it could also explain why his father didn't marry his mother back then, which would also allow the Foster Family to walk away from that muddy water, apart from trying to disgust and pressure the biological father who was hiding. Furthermore, he also wanted to repay the Foster Family for their

nurturing and cultivation over the past twenty years in this way. Over the years, his biological mother never raised him, and he was raised by the Fosters.

Mr. Foster didn't expect him to make such a choice. Frowning, he said, "You don't have to do this. I will handle the online matter and Melinda." If Skyler were to do this, it would have a significant impact on his reputation. After all, he was raised by him and was by his side. He hoped that even if he left the Foster Family, he could still have a prosperous future.

However, Skyler shook his head. "No, I have already made up my mind. I also want to sever ties with them and bid farewell to the past in this way. Only by doing this will I no longer be associated with the Foster Family. That person behind me won't be able to exploit me anymore and try to seize your family fortune."

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Even if he were to die, he wouldn't let that person behind him use him to seize the Foster Family's fortune. Sir tone's defiance empowered hini, and he couldn't help but want to break free, directly confronting and dismantling the wily fox's scheme.

12inued, "I feel exhausted these years. After resigning from the company, I want to travel and take a Greal deal worry about me because the online public opinion will die down after a while. After the matter is resolved and some time passes, not re

I remember or discuss it. He was truly mentally and physically drained.

This time, Mr. Foster could see that he was serious and determined. With unease in his heart, he reached out to hug him. "Alright, I respect your choice. Even if you leave the Foster Family, you can still come to me if you need anything. No matter what you think, I consider you my son."

Skyler's eye turned red as he reached out and hugged his father, saying, "Dad, thank you Ever since he was young took the initiative to approach his father for a collaboration, his father hz I been nurturing

teaching him many things and occasionally showing concern for hi. In his heart, yone father.

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After Skyler fined speaking, he let go of his father, nodded at Gwen, and turned to cave. His father let out a sigh, and Gwen's eyes couldn't help but well up with tears.

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norriving at the special department, Melinda was immediately interrogated. Initially, she denied

hiding bribing the warlock, insisting on her innocence. However, the special department had its way of extracting the truth without a punishment.

With the undeniable evidence of her phone records and bank transfers, Melinda had no choice but to admit her involvement. Nevertheless, she stubbornly refused to disclose who introduced her to the warlock or admit to having an affair. She didn't even request to make a phone call, fiercely protecting the person behind her. Even when she had to go to prison, she didn't want to implicate the other

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in't receive a heavy sentence and was sentenced to two years in the special department

However, for

son who had enjoyed a life of luxury for so many years and considered herself a noble Lady, this was another devastating blow to Melinda. She didn't want to go to prison and wanted to continue being Mrs. Foster instead.

She strongly requested to see Mr. Foster, Skyler, and Leon. The people from the special department were not harsh and contacted the three of them in front of her, but their attitudes were unanimous-it was already over, so there was no need to meet.

This caused Melinda to break down once again, crying and trembling uncontrollably. She couldn't understand why things had turned out like this.

The efficiency of Joseph and others was very high. After being detained for two days, Melinda was sent to the special prison.

In a quadrangle courtyard, as the disciple recounted the incident, Lewis' face darkened. Although Mida was just a plaything and a pawn to him, she was his woman, no matter what. Now that she had been arrested and sentenced to two years, he felt that his reputation had been tarnished, and he was provoked.

He believed that this had to do with Simone. "Go personally and get rid of that warlock," he ordered, harding a piece of iron with a black glow to his disciple. "Use the death curse sealed within to do it.

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ume, in the clash, when Simone fought against his eldest disciple, he had collected her aura. Inside e iron was the death curse imitating Simone's aura, and anyone affected by it would die quickly. That warlock was very cunning, and they needed to be fully prepared to frame Simone, which was why the aura of the curse was essential.

This second disciple took the fron piece and said, "Yes, Master. But I'll need you to inform Mr. Solomon so he can distract the guards when the time comes and tamper with the surveillance. I'll pass by the entrance of the confinement room; only then can I activate the energy in the iron piece and directly deal with that varlock. With his strength, he had to be within thirty feet of the oppone to perform this sealing spell.

Lewis nodded. "I will inform him. Go ahead and handle it."

At night, in the corridor outside the room where the warlock was confined, the lightbulbs suddenly broke and flickered. The guards who were originally stationed outside were also somehow distracted, and the surviance in the corridor suddenly displayed a screen full of static.

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Meanwhile, the warlock in une room was holding a new cell phone, watching the content displayed on it. Sering the flickering lights outside the room and the disappearance of the guards, he felt a sense of unease. Previously, when Joseph mentioned that someone wanted to harm him, Simone had specially given him a protective amulet.

to himself, Those people won't be so reckless, right? This is the special department, and with my strength, won't be easy for those people to come in and Lill

the person who had achieved unity of heaven and man personally took action. He stared at the cell phone intently. Could it be that that person has come?

Two minutes later, a middle-aged man appeared in the corridor. When he reached the entrance of the room, he took out a dark piece of iron before silently reciting a spell and wiping the iron piece with his hand. Soon, the iron piece was covered with talisman-like characters that looked like blood. Using all his energy, he activated these talisman spells on the iron piece one by one and passed through the room door.

Startled, Horlock immediately used his strongest defensive measures, but the talisman lenses, even shattering the protective puppet given by his master. He also dispersed by the puppet.

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Before he could catch his breath, he saw the man outside the room quickly forming another move. He awakened the last deep red talisman spell in the iron piece at the room. Obviously, he had anticipated that the warlock would have magical artifacts so this was the real killer move.

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guided it into defend himself,

The warlock felt the talisman spell entering the room from outside. For the first time, he felt a sense of fear and that he was about to die, sensing the extremely strong malevolence and killing intent contained in this talisman spell, which was comparable to the killing move of his master. Right then, he realized that this was a death curse cast by someone who had achieved unity of heaven and man.

What should he do when even the wooden pupper defense given by his master was broken by such a person? The warlock broke out in a cold sweat, thinking to himself, Am I really going to die here today? He felt the death curse approaching, unable to move his body.

His body stiffened, and he watched the talisman curse penetrate his body. Seconds later, he felt a piercing pain, and blood sprayed out of his mouth, but this feeling quickly disappeared.

His senses seemed to amplify, and he heard a faint “crack” in his ear. After a few seconds, his body became mobile again, and he quickly reached into his pocket and took out the jade pendant. As soon as he held it, the jade pendant shattered completely, turning into powder.

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ped in his seat, the warlock breathed heavily. Fortunately, he had the jade pendant given by Simone nim. Otherwise, he would have turned into a corpse. He then looked at his phone and heard movement outside the corridor.

cone must have arrived, the middle-aged man thought and quickly left.

After a while, Joseph and Simone entered the room, and the warlock breathed a sigh of relief when he saw them. With a hateful look in his eyes, he asked, “Did they catch that person?”

Joseph replied, “We were a step too late. Mr. Solomon’s men let him escape.

Of course, they had deliberately let him go. Otherwise, how could they continue fishing? This time, they not only wanted to catch the person behind but also eliminate all the pests in the special department.

The warlock gritted his teeth and said. “Dmn it. He had previously had an interaction with Todrick, who

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had subtly indicated that he would protect and assist him in successfully escaping. Naturally, he didn’t fully trust his words and maintained caution due to their past manipulations. Now, it was evident that they were

here to plot against him. Clenching his teeth once more, he was resolute in seeking revenge once he managed to flee.

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That warlock glanced at Simone, his eyes filled with complexity. "Thank you for saving me," he said.

Although Simone had rescued him, he still held a grudge against her for the events that had transpired

fore. After all, if it hadn't been for her, he wouldn't have been captured in the first place. He understood that he had saved in to prevent her master from misunderstanding, but despite his grudge, he didn't dare to provoke Simone again.

The jade pendant carved by Simone had the power to dissolve the death curse imposed by a celestial master. Even though he was still injured, the fact that she had saved his life indicated that her power was likely comp: rabir to that of a celestial master. No matter how many more years he practiced, he would never be abi: to match her.

Simone lochs and said. "To prevent them from coming after you again, Mr. Presgrave will publicly an

death and find you a new place to live."

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ant to experience the despair and terror he had just gone through ever again g nodded and ag. Okay!" Then, he shamelessly asked, "Um, can you give me another defensive weapon?"

Simone gave him a disdainful look and replied, "Carving one of these things takes a lot of time and effort. If it weren't for being afraid that you would be killed and taking the blame for you, I wouldn't have given it to you. So, don't even think about it. Don't worry, you'll live," she assured him.

However, he would become a useless person who could no longer practice, which would stop him from causing trouble. For a mystical arts practitioner who had always been superior to ordinary people, this was the greatest pain. This was why Simone deliberately weakened the protective jade pendant; she wanted him to get injured so that she could counterattack and frame Lewis instead.

The warlock smiled awkwardly and said, "Alright, forget it then." Simone didn't want him to die because she didn't want to take the blame. As long as he kept himself alive, he could find a way to ask his master to save him and get him out.

Simone walked over and took out a talisman, placing it in her palm. Reaching out to the warlock, she said, "Give me those powders. Otherwise, if those people find out, they might suspect that you're not dead."

Knowing that he needed to be cautious now, he transferred all the powders from his hand onto the talisman in his hand. Unbeknownst to him, a faint aura drifted out of the red jade bracelet Simone was wearing and quickly entered his body. Simone noticed it. Earlier, when she visited Elbert and temporarily took the little flying snake out, it was for this purpose.

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She could feel her own breath on the shattered jade pendant. The old thing had really left a last move. If it

the protective talisman she had given, the warlock would have been dead for sure. As the aura of the curse was hers, she would undoubtedly be the target should the great warlock seek revenge.

against Lewis, she needed to rely on not only her strength but also her brains as it all depended on who could outsmart whom in the end.

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The malevolent energy that had entered the warlock's body was unmistakably the aura of Lewis. Once she activated the curse later, this warlock might think about 'greeting Lewis every day. She wrapped the powder in a talisman and said "From now on, you're on your own. She nodded at Joseph and left.

Throughout the whole process, there was no physical contact with the warlock. When the warlock

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ransferred the powder, he deliberately avoided touching Simone. Thus, he had no suspicion or necessary thoughts.

As Simone left, she also took the flying mini surveillance camera that she had controlled in the corner of Le corridor. Because she had anticipated that the old man would take action, she bought a seven-star ladybug-sized flying needle-eye surveillance camera, which flew to the corner of the corridor ceiling when Joseph noticed that Todrick's men were acting suspiciously. The purpose was to let the warlock see for himself the person who had harmed him. In addition, she saved the video as evidence to show his master in the future.

While the external surveillance was still malfunctioning, Joseph ordered someone to quickly move the warlock, and the other body with the same appearance and figure as the warlock appeared in the room. His bod

itted a strong malevolent energy, making it look like he had been cursed to death. In reality, this pe n had already been killed by backlash before being cursed with negative energy. He was an evil cultivar who looked very similar to the warlock and had used mystical arts to kill hundreds of people in suCLE SOL

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His temperament and modus operandi were even more cruel, and he liked to torture the people he killed, which was why the special department used his body to pretend to be the warlock. The malevolent energy on his body was just a smokescreen. As long as it wasn't Lewis and his disciple who came to check, no one would notice anything wrong.

Half an hour later, Joseph reported that the warlock had been cursed and killed, and Todrick started causing trouble. He insinuated that Joseph and Simone had killed the warlock and asked the minister to hand over the investigation to him. As long as he was in charge of the investigation, even if there was no evidence, he could create the evidence.

However, Joseph had already discussed the arrangements with the minister a long time ago, so the minister naturally wouldn't agree to Todrick's mischief and even mentioned the higher-ups to pressure Todrick, indicating that this matter had come to an end. Now, it was time to explain to Philip and the others.

Secretly, Todrick resented that the minister was covering up for Joseph. Although he had always known that he wanted Joseph to succeed him, this was unacceptable as he had long considered the Minister's position as his own. So, he had to find a way to use this matter to bring Joseph down.

He is men to inspect the warlock's body. To his surprise, as soon as they approached, they sensed a strange aura from the body. Joseph's men stopped them from investigating, but he wasn't in a hurry. After returning, he first informed Lewis of this matter, and the latter instructed him to guard the body and not let Joseph and his men destroy the evidence. Once the great warlock arrived, he would personally take

him to see the body.

After the great warlock finished examining the body, Todrick would have to think of a way to shift the blame onto Joseph and Simone, but it didn't matter even if they could shift the blame because the great warlock wouldn't let Simone and Joseph off the hook. Their goal would be achieved if they could make him believe that Simone had killed his disciple.

While others might not know, he knew very well that the warlock the son of the great warlock. If his

entire bloodline was killed, that man would undoubtedly go insane. Whether Joseph was brought down or not was not of great importance. If they couldn't bring him down, they would find an alternative approach. After all, could a deceased person hold the position of a minister? Todrick was confident that his

influential great-grandfather could help secure the Minister's position for him. With this in mind, he felt relieved.

When Lewis reached out to the great warlock, informing him with regret that his disciple had died and that he had originally planned to wait for the situation to calm down before attempting a plan, unfortunately, he was too late

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After the great warlock ended the phone call, his eyes darkened.

He realized that the wooden puppet artifact he had given to his son was destroyed, which indicated that someone had targeted his son.

However, since he had received a call from his son earlier, he wasn't sure if it was Simone who did it or the old man who led him.

The most important thing was to determine if his son was alive or not. His son's phone was confiscated, and he couldn't contact him directly.

After careful consideration, the great warlock decided to go in person.

If his son were dead, he would make the person who killed him suffer a fate worse than death.

If his son were still alive, he wouldn't let go of the person who manipulated and toyed with him.

Therefore, arrangements were made to create a fake identity for him.

On the other side, Simone returned the little snake to Elbert's ward.

The little snake had conveyed a message to her earlier.

The venom in Elbert's body had been awakened three times.

Because of the snake's presence, the venom didn't dare to act, and Elbert was safe.

It must be that old man causing trouble behind the scenes.

Two more days passed.

Simmie contacted Bailey, and they took Elbert to Cubilis together.

Notiolas and his wife accompanied them.

soon as Mr. Lewis learned about this, he immediately sent a message to the great warlock

When Simone and the others arrived in Cubilis, the great warlock also boarded the incoming plane

In Bailey's courtyard in Cubilis, Simone first introduced the three members of the Johnston Family to Bailey

"The three members of the Johnston Family held Bailey in high regard.

They had also heard that Master Shawn was very powerful.

He was the one who deciphered the Transfer Luck spell in Andrew

Bailey added in greeting to the three of them. Then he looked at Simone and asked, "Should we remove

the venom now or rest for the night

Simone replied, "To be on the safe side, let's remove it now."

Since they had come to Cubilis, that old man would definitely contact the great warlock.

It was better to remove the venom before the other party arrived in Cubilis.

Otherwise, who knew if there would be any complications?

Bailey nodded "Alright!"

He said to

Nicholas and his wife, "You two wait here. Simone and I will take him in to remove the venom."

Nicholas and his wife nodded. "Okay. Thank you, Master Shawn and Simone."

So, Elbert followed the two of them and entered a room in the inner courtyard.

After they entered. Bailey had Elbert lie down on a soft couch.

Just as Elbert lay down, Bailey nodded at him.

Elbert knew nothing and fell into a deep sleep.

Bailey glanced at Simone's wrist and asked, "Did you find the place where the jade button was attached?"

Simone immediately knew that he had recognized the little snake. She nodded with a smile. "Yes, I found it."

Then, she explained what happened in the picture.

Bailey smiled and said, "Congratulations! This flying snake is a spiritual creature, a rare counter in a thousand years.

Simone smiled and said, "Thank you."

Heed again, "Besides the little snake, did you find anything else?" Simone knew what he wanted to as pried, "I found some vital energy stones and several ancient classe books. One of them contains sch techniques that can help you refine this city. Afterward, it will longer be a limitation for you. You can go wherever you want without being restricted by it anymore."

nether Bailey believed it or not, this secret technique had conveniently come to them.

Bailey looked deeply into Simone's eyes and said, "Well, that's quite a coincidence. It seems like this is my opportunity. You've put in a lot of effort for this."

He didn't think there would be such a convenient coincidence.

Wherever the flying snake was, there happened to be the ancient hniques he needed? It was probably just a "coincidence" on Simone's part, but he didn't plan to investie further. After all, everyone had

Simone beping him with this secret technique was a favor.

He now sought to break free from the constraints of Cubilis and regain his freedom.

Simone nodded in agreement. This is your opportunity, Bailey."

Site smiled and added, "Of course, if you want to thank me, I won't refuse."

If this guy owed her a favor, and it meant having another powerful ally, it was worth it.

Bailey chuckled. "Don't worry; I won't forget your contribution."

He pointed to sleeping Elbert and asked, "Should we lift the curse on him now?" He felt that once this matter washed, he could focus on studying the secret techniques.

After so many years, his calm heart finally had a sense of eager anticipation.

Simone nodded. "Mright. Protect me, and I'll lift the curse."

Bailey sat down and said, "No problem. With this little snake, lifting the curse will be much easier for you."

This little girl had quite a lot of opportunities, with a natural and profound luck.

No wonder she was targeted by that person.

Simone began to lift the curse on Elbert.

She lit the specially made incense to attract the venom.

She also placed her hand on Elbert's head and infused him with vital energy to protect his mind.

While she did so, she instructed the little snake to release its suppression and continuously force the

venom out.

The venom was attracted by the incense, but they felt a sense of danger, so they rested coming out.

However, they were forced out by the little snake's pressure and had no choice to emerge.

Assault, they became angry and wanted to destroy the host body, but as soon as they made a move,

were blocked by a powerful force.

Then, they conveyed this anger to their master.

Not long after he got off the plane, the great warlock who was waiting for a connecting flight to the ancient rity sensed something.

He squinted his eyes and sensed that someone wanted to kill his venom.

So, he found a secluded place with no one around and bir his finger.

With his other hand, he drew a venom spell with blood

On Simone's side, she quickly sensed the attack from the great warlock

Now that had entered the Divine State, she was not afraid of the opponent.

The only concern was that if the bad to free her hand to counterattack, it might affect and harm Elbert.

She glanced at Bailey and indicated that it was his turn to take action.

She had been waiting for him to protect them, and now was the moment to use his abilities.

Bailey was rendered speechless. "Here we go!" He reached out and touched Elbert's other side as he recited

an incantation.

Soon, two forces began to collide within Elbert's mind.

If it had een for Simone's protection, Elbert would have undoubtedly suffered brain damage.

The c between the two forces was brief.

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In just a few moments, Bailey swiftly overpowered the opposing force.

Simone beamed him and exclaimed, "Bailey, you're incredible!" It was no wonder he had lived for so many years and chortlessly handled the formidable great warlock.

Baile smiled and replied, "If you live as long as I have, you'll become even more extraordinary."

This girl's talent surpassed his own.

Simone smiled and added, "I also encountered some fortunate opportunities."

If she hadn't traversed through numerous timelines, she wouldn't have achieved the Divine State so quickly.

At the a port, the expression on the formidable great warlock's face instantly changed, and his hand trembled even more after being counterattacked.

Was it the individual from Cubilis who had made a move? Otherwise, he couldn't think of anyone else with such strength.

The formidable great warlock's expression fluctuated.

if that person intervened, and if his son was killed by Simon wouldn't let her escape.

course, if his son hadn't died, it wouldn't have been Simone's doing

Le also needed to find Simone to deceive the person was plotting against them.

Therefore, he would definitely have to go on this trip to Cubilis.

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After a while, a tiny bug the size of a grain of rice crawled out of Elbert's ear. Before Simone could react, the little snake opened its mouth and swallowed the bug.

Its eyes shone, and it expressed a desire for more delicious food to Simone.

Simone touched its head and smiled. "Do you like it? I'll find opportunities for you to eat more in the next few days,

Since the powerful great warlock had come willingly, she couldn't let him leave empty-handed.

The little snake happily rubbed against Simone's hand and showed its affection. It was so adorable.

Bailey was also surprised when he saw the snake's dependence and fondness for Simone.

"It's very attached to you."

Normally, a creature like this should be wary of humans who practice mystical arts.

Simon smiled and said, "It probably sees me as family."

It was also a coincidence that when she went to that place, the mother of the little snake perished along with the eagle.

Otherwise, if the little snake had hatched first and had contact with the big snake, it wouldn't have relied on her like this.

But she didn't feel fortunate.

If she could choose, she would still hope that the mother of the little snake hadn't died.

Bailey guessed roughly when he heard this. Simone was probably the first person the little snake saw after hatching.

His girl had extraordinary luck.

He said, "This is your destined fate; it's good."

Then, he felt a movement in his heart and frowned. That powerful great warlock is coming toward Cubilis.

When he fought against the great warlock, he had already sensed his presence.

So, even though there was a considerable distance between them, he could feel that the great warlock was getting closer in this direction.

Jie asked, "Is he coming to seek revenge on you?" Because of the restrictions of this city and the limitation of heaven's laws, he couldn't easily engage in a battle with someone of the same level.

Otherwise, the mere energy and vitality he consumed, the more he would be bound by this city

Althou this city was dead he had a feeling that it wanted to devour him,

So, in the end, either hewld rebne this city or be devoured by it.

Bu Simone had found a way for him to refine the city, so if that powerful great warlock came to trouble

her...

He owed her a great favor and couldn't just stand by.

He decided to take action.

Simone noticed the complex expression in Bailey's eyes.

She smiled

said, "Who said he's coming to seek revenge on me? Maybe we can even cooperate"

Bailey stunned for a momcat, and then he laughed. "Cooperate?" He then chuckled. "You little

turns out it was planned in advance. Alright, then, I don't need to meddle in this matter."

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Simone chuckled lightly. "You are my senior, so if I have any trouble, of course, you have to take care of it

She asked, "Is the great warlock stronger than me?" From Bailey's implication, if he had to help, it meant. that he thought she couldn't defeat the other party.

Bailey replied, Judging from the aura, he is much stronger than you. You have just entered the Divine State, and he should be close to the later stage. He is also an experienced old guy who has lived for over 200 years, so he has a lot of battle experience. Do you think you can defeat him?"

Simone smiled meaningfully. That's not necessarily the case. His aura strength is stronger than mine, but he may not have more means than me. He may not only kill me but even if he injures me, he must be prepared to be seriously injured himself."

She still had confidence in this.

After reaching the Divine State, she would be able to use many of her techniques and secret methods,

When he saw her appearance, Bailey didn't think she was being arrogant. "If there is a chance, I really want to witness it.

Stone replied with a smile, "We can have a battle and exchange techniques another day. Then, you will

be able to witness it."

She also wanted to test Bailey's strength.

She had noticed before that when the old guy heard he mention Bailey, he showed signs of headache and fear.

This indicated that his strength was definitely above that old guy.

Bailey laughed. "Then, I have to refine this city; otherwise, it will consume too much of my energy and

stability, which will cause me a lot of trouble,"

Simone remembered a sentence her master mentioned in a letter. This city was a prison, and it would be better not to come if possible?

This indicated that there was something strange about this city

When she came this time, she also felt uncomfortable in

contact with the city.

However, when Bailey finished refining the city, this kind of problem should no longer exist.

She said. "Then, I will tell you the secret method now. If you can refine it quickly, maybe this time, we can go to Cebros together."

If she could bring Bailey back to Cebros, she didn't know if it would startle the old guy.

When she thought about this, she suddenly felt a bit excited.

Bailey was al

ooking forward to it. "Alright, I hope I can go with you."

Simone nodded to him, and he leaned his head over.

She whispered in his ear and taught him the secret method.

Bailey had a strong ability to comprehend, and he had lived for so many years. So, after he listened once, he remembered and roughly understood it, but he still needed to ponder on it before he could start trying.

"I'll go back to my room to ponder on it, and he's in your hands."

Bailey stood up and said, "If that powerful great warlock comes to bother you, just call my name, and I will come to help you."

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He wanted to focus on studying secret arts, so he might not pay attention to the situation in the ancient city, but if someone called him, he would immediately sense it.

Simone nodded. "Okay"

had a deep connection with Cubilis, so he could only rely on himself to refine it.

She couldn't help.

Otherwise, there might be sudden changes, and he would end up in trouble.

Bailey left, Elbert woke up.

Simone, what happened to me just now?" He had a vague memory of Bailey pressing his head, and then Ee didn't know anything.

He was indeed powerful.

Simone said, "Just now, Bailey put you to sleep so that we could easily remove the curse. The curse in your mind has been removed, and you will no longer be troubled by it, nor will you be in danger."

ibert was delighted. "That's great. I knew it; you are dependable."

Simone said with a smile, "Of course I am."

They chased for a while before heading to the front yard to find Nicholas and his wife, who seemed to be

anxies.

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As expected, they couldn't sit still and were pacing around the yard.

When they saw Simone and Elbert, their faces showed signs of nervousness. "What happened?"

Libert smiled and replied. "The curse has been successfully lifted."

It wasn't just Simone who confirmed this.

He could feel it himself; the oppressive and dangerous sensation in his mind had vanished.

Nicholas and wife were overjoyed. "That's fantastic."

Simone had proved to be more reliable than Salma.

The two of them sincerely thanked Simone.

They also suggested that Simone visit the mine and explore the area.

If she happened to find any vital energy stones, she could take them.

They expected that those stones would be beneficial to a geomancer.

That old man would only be interested in them and would use Simone to harm him.

Nicholas was a businessman, and he understood this after careful consideration.

They were truly grateful to Simone and wanted her to find those stones.

After a moment of thought, Simone didn't refuse.

If an ordinary person possessed such an item, it would be like a child holding a gold brick, which could be dangerous.

She could find it and use it herself or even feed it to the little snake.

Furthermore, she could also annoy that old man and accomplish two things at once.

ward, Simone asked the three of them to return to Cebros first, as she had something to attend to for

The Johnston family of three was sensible and booked an afternoon flight

In the afternoon, they departed, and Simone sat cross-legged in the yard.

In the evening, she suddenly opened her eyes.

She looked toward the gate of the yard, and the powerful great warlock had arrived.

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Soon, the sound of knocking on the door could be heard.

Sumont waved her hand, and the courtyard door opened automatically.

This door had been arranged by Bailey, and as long as one used their energy, it could be opened from ‘

inside.

Then,

A built and seemingly kind old man walked in.

Simone

felt that his kindness was just a facade and that he was actually cunning and ruthless.

She poked first, "You've come."

The great warlock walked in and looked at Simone as he said, "It seems like you've been waiting for me."

Simone nodded. "Of course."

She asked, "Did someone send you to seek revenge on me?"

He nodded. "Yes. Judging by your appearance, is my disciple alright?"

Simone replied, "He was almost killed by a death curse, but I saved him. When I left Cebros, he was injured by a death curse, but his life was unharmed."

Just before the arrival of the great warlock, she had triggered the curse on him.

Soon, the curse would take effect and torment him, which would gradually turn him into a vegetable.

Naturally, it had nothing to do with her, who had already arrived in Cubilis.

That old thing was still in Cebros, so everyone knew who was behind it.

When the great warlock saw Simone sitting there waiting for him, he felt relieved.

He roughly guessed that his son was still alive and asked, "How are you going to prove it?"

Kimane took out her phone and called the person arranged by Joseph

he asked the person to let the warlock answer the call.

Soon, the warlock received the call.

Simone handed the phone to the great warlock and said, "You can talk to your disciple yourself."

The great warlock glanced at Simone with deep eyes and said. "You're quite impressive."

In the eyes of the special department, she held a lot of influence.

Simone smiled. "Thank you for the compliment! Then, the great warlock took the phone and had a conversation with his son.

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The more they t

d, the colder his expression became.

After he hung up the phone, he did smile on his face.

That "old friend" dared to plot against them. Very well.

The great warlock straightforwardly asked, "What do you want in order to release my disciple?" Simone and her team had protected his son from death and even arranged for him to fake his death and be protected separately.

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here negotiations could take place.

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not his territory, and there were people of equal strength to him.

The special department was even more impossible for him to forcefully enter, so he still hoped for a peaceful resolution.

one knew that this guy was clever. "You'll have to go to Cebros to see your disciple first and then to Mr. Presgrave.

This old guy had a lot of good stuff, so of course he wanted to take advantage of the opportunity to make the other party bleed before his disciple was returned.

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vident that the old guy valued his disciple very much.

It felt like it was not just about the disciple.

Moreover, it was their fault in the first place, so it was necessary to exchange resources for people.

The great warlock felt a bit frustrated. He knew that if he didn't make a big sacrifice this time, it would be impossible to bring his son back.

He looked at Simone and said, "You must have taken my son to the special department."

Simone raised an eyebrow. "Yes, I took him."

What? If he wants to kill me, can't I fight back?" She looked at him indifferently. "Are you trying to settle the score with me?" The old guy wouldn't scare her if he wanted to make a move.

She also wanted to test the depth of the other party.

In other words, there was no deep-seated hatred, so they didn't need to fight to the death.

The key was not to harm her pet snake. How else could she enjoy

high-protein meal? The great warlock

saw that Simone not only wasn't afraid but instead had a strong desire to fight him.

The corner of his mouth twitched involuntarily.

This girl was either too ignorant or had some tricks up her sleeve.

"Sending the score is not necessary, but since I'm already here, I would like to have a friendly match with

you

He alwanted to test Simone's strength and teach her a lesson

Alle knew was that his son was almost killed by being taken to the special department.

weren't for Simone, he and his son wouldn't have been manipulated.

So, he was angry at Simone.

Simone could tell what the old guy was thinking.

She knew that these people had no reason to listen.

Their v and morals were nonexistent.

She sed on her face, but there was no warmth in her eyes. "Alright, I haven't fought again great warle before so please enlighten me."

Both of them were decisive individuals, and they immediately started to take action.

The great warlock attacked Simone with his sorcery first.

However, she easily resolved it and emitted an aura of the Divine State.

The great warlock's expression changed. "You have indeed reached this level. You are truly a genius among geniuses.

No wonder she could withstand that person's death curse.

He really wanted to destroy such a genius and turn her into his puppet, but this was Cubilis, which was that person's territory. So, he could only suppress this idea.

Then, he raised his finger, and a flying head flew out of the leather bag that hung from his waist.

The flying head had its eyes open with a fierce expression.

And it emitted a chilling laughter, "Hehehe."

Simone knew this was the art of flying heads.

She remained calm and took out a talisman pen from her bag.

Sac mobilized her inner energy and directly drew a talisman in the air in front of her.

Then she flicked the completed talisman and successfully stopped the flying head from pouncing on her as it tried to bite her.

Simone then pointed her finger in the direction of the flying head and said. "Freeze!" The ethereal

disman landed on the forehead of the flying head and immobilized it in mid-air.

The great warlock expression changed. "How can you draw such an ethereal talisman?"

She had only recently entered the Divine State.

This dent was truly terrifying.

Although she apologized, she then drew another ethereal talisman and attacked the great warlock directly.

The great warlock immediately took out a wooden puppet artifact to defend himself.

Although the talisman dispersed, his artifact also shattered.

The great warlock's face darkened, and he felt a sense of fear towards Simone.

He had underestimated this girl.

If he

to give up now, it would be too embarrassing.

In situation, he had no choice but to resort to his most proficient method.

He uttered a series of peculiar incantations.

Then, a multitude of insects emerged from the pouch around his waist.

The swarmed the ground and advanced towards Simone.

Simone's eyes sparkled. This was the nourishment for her pet snake.

She beamed at the great warlock as she said, "Thank you!" The great warlock was perplexed by Simone's

actions.

He had unleashed so many insects to deal with her, so why was she expressing gratitude? But soon, he would discover the answer.

A crimson light shot out from Simone's wrist.

It then rolled towards the ground, which caused the heap of insects to vanish.

Soon after, another roll of crimson light shot out, and another pile disappeared.

The great warlock was speechless. He had been deceived.

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#### Chapter 450 Tricked by Her

The great warlock, who had reached the line age of the Divine State, quickly realized the nature of the red light.

His eyes narrowed, and his face changed drastically. "No!" he exclaimed. "Make it stop immediately."

This venom was the result of many years of cultivation, immense effort, and a significant investment.

Each one held great value to him.

Having devoured one after another was like tearing his heart apart! However, Simone looked into and said, "How can I make it stop? I don't know! Besides, aren't we in a fight? Who says it can just stop when you want it to?"

Indeed, this vernurtured by the great warlock, emitted a strong aura of malevolence.

Th providedrellent nourishment for her little snake.

What did it mean to stop? She didn't understand.

The great warlock had no words. This d'mn girl must have done it on purpose.

At this moment, he also understood that this dmn girl had planned it all in advance.

No wonder she deliberately provoked him to fight.

He activated the venom to attack the little snake, but the bloodline of the little snake was already very high, and it happened to suppress this venom.

It wa equivalent to the little snake being at the top of the food chain, so not only did te venom dare not approach, but they also scattered and tried to escape.

Fen the great warlock struggled to control the situation.

After the little snake devoured several piles of venom, the great warlock's heart was aching.

He even had the feeling that he almost went crazy and spit blood.

He was also backlashed.

After all, most of these little babies were nurtured with their own essence and blood.

It was just that in such a short time, so many of them were eaten

He also knew that his venom aot only couldn't deal with Simone but also became food for her pet.

He suffered a great loss in this fight.

The great warlock immediately made another strange sound from his mouth.

Then, the venom on the ground quickly turned their heads and crawled toward his body.

They all burrowed into the pouch around his waist.

The great warlock couldn't save some of them in time because they crawled to say.

Le could only watch as they entered the mouth of the little snake,

This made him want to spit blood in anger once again.

He looked at Simone with a sinister gaze. "You dare to do this, you scoundrel."

The losses were devastating! Simone sneered. "Why wouldn't I dare? You, an old man, dare to come

trouble, and I can't fight back? What kind of logic is that? In your eyes, whoever has the biggest right to speak. I am also executing this set of actions now, aren't I?

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The cat warlock choked and could not find any words. Although he said that, he felt extremely frustrated and uncomfortable.

This little brat meant that he brought it upon himself.

Simone looked at him and said. 'Old man, if I were you, I wouldn't continue wasting my energy and venom here. Otherwise, when we get to the capital, that old guy might just give you and your disciples a bag

This was not an empty threat.

She looked him up and down. "After all, you have so much vital energy in your body. Killing you would be a great supplement for that old guy. There's no need to think of ways to snatch the energy and convert it into lifespan. Killing you and absorbing your life force would give him a few more decades to live."

The great warlock's expression changed.

This little brat talked about killing. He was not a pig or a cow... But even though her words were harsh, he had to be on guard.

After all, that "old friend" was very sinister, and he knew it.

He snorted coldly. "You don't have to worry about that. I will collect this debt from you in the future."

He couldn't swallow this loss after his precious items were destroyed.

He had to make up for this loss.

His gaze fell on the little snake, with a hint of greed in his eyes.

This little brat, at such a young age, had such profound luck and opportunities that even this spiritual creature was with her.

He could get his hands on this thing and refine it into a life-saving venom...

Then, he might be able to completely enter the later stage of the Divine State.

The little snake sensed the malice from the great warlock and let out a few dissatisfied cries.

Simosie reached out and gently stroked the little snake to calm it down.

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"With cold eyes, she looked at the great warlock and said, "Don't even think about taking my little snake.

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He won't be able to leave Cubilis today"

He sneered. I admit that you have some strength, but you're still too young if you want to keep me here.

Simon raised an eyebrow. "You don't believe me? Fine, I'll prove it to you."

Then, she suddenly shouted, "Bailey, there's an old man who came to Cubilis to provoke you."

Soon, a strong aura emanated from the backyard.

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also echoed in the courtyard. "Old man, do you want to fight me? If you don't want to leave, Gubilis."

warlock's face changed once again.

This little brat wanning and shameless as she actually called him out.

If the person le a move, he really wouldn't be able to leave Cubilis.

So, he smiled awkwardly and said. "My elder, you're overthinking. I came here today is to ask Simone abo y disciple. I didn't intend to fight with you. I'm leaving now!"

He turned around and walked away quickly, his face and eyes filled with gloom and resentment.

That d'mn girl had tricked him badly this time in Cubilis.

Just as he reached the door, Simone's voice came from behind.

"Old man, don't think it was me who tricked you. I didn't ask you to come to Cubilis. Your disciple caused troub for me because of your old friend. If I were you, I would make the other party compensate you double for the losses you suffered today. You should also settle the accounts with your disciple and make the other party compensate. Otherwise, why did you come here? To be deceived and tricked? Ah, I thought you were a smart person, but it turns out you're just being manipulated by your old friend. I'm starting to

orry about your and your disciple's intelligence."

She was clearly provoking him, and even though he felt aggrieved, he had to jump into this trap.

Sure enough, the great workload was so angry that his chest hurt.

That d\*mn girl's intelligence was truly worrying... However, he did have to find his old friend and make him compensate for these losses.

Even though he knew that the cunning girl was trying to create discord, he had no choice but to accept it.

He hadn't felt this aggrieved in many years.

If the cunning girl ever fell into his hands in the future, he would definitely manipulate her.

He didn't reply but hastened his pace to leave as he was afraid that she would say something to provoke him again.

The great warlock departed, and the courtyard gate closed automatically.

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Bailey's melodious laughter could be heard. "That young girl is truly sharp indeed. She could have excelled in debate in ancient times."

He could sense the great warlord's anger from his venomous words, but due to the girl's strength, combined with his intimidation, he could only leave in frustration.

Simone proudly stated, "Even if it's not in ancient times, I can still hold my own in a battle of words."

Bailey cautioned her. "He will definitely hold a grudge against you now, so be cautious in the future."

Simone didn't care and said, "Even if I didn't provoke him today, if there's an opportunity in the future, he won't let off the hook. I can't allow myself to be mistreated, so I can only make him suffer."

The man looked at her and the little snake with malicious intent, and she wouldn't be polite.

Bailey sighed helplessly. "You..." But what she said was true. That old man had malicious intent, so there was no need to be polite..

Simone said, "quickly learn the ritual to refine the city. Let's hurry back to Cebros to witness the spectacle

A spectacle where dogs bit each other was so entertaining it would be a shame to miss it.

