

The Miraculous Simone Gray by Opal Reese Chapter 451

Chapter 451 Simone. It's You Again!

Next, Simone stayed in Cubilis.

Bailey continued to study the secret arts and refine Cubilis.

One day later, the sky, which had been clear, suddenly became overcast, with flashes of lightning and thunder.

Simone keenly felt a surge of power.

It seemed

to be emanating from Cubilis.

At that

moment, bolts of lightning struck down in the backyard.

Simone stood up and looked straight ahead but didn't make any moves.

If she went over the lightning that Bailey would face would be even more intense.

If he couldn't withstand it, he would never be able to leave this place in his lifetime.

The lightning became increasingly fierce, with a few golden thunderbolts mixed in.

The ground suddenly shook as if there was an earthquake.

A glimmer of light appeared in Simone's eyes, signaling that something was about to happen.

At that moment, a force suddenly emerged from the headquarters of the geomancy association and attacked in this direction.

Simone saw a long crack appear on the ground, emitting a sinister aura.

This crack spread toward the backyard, clearly targeting Bailey.

ier expression changed slightly.

Suddenly, she understood the meaning behind the words in her master's letter

It turned out that the Cubilis was not a means to bind Bailey but rather a prison.

he headquarters of the geomancy association had created this prison, intending to trap Bailey and use Cubilis as his shackles.

What are they trying to achieve? Her eyes narrowed, and she suddenly realized what was going on—they wanted Bailey's immortality.

Simone didn't rush toward the inner courtyard but took out a talisman pen and infused it with Vitality. continuously drawing void talismans to seal the crack.

After finishing one, she struck it onto the black crack, attempting to temporarily patch it up.

If this crack oded further, i, would undoubtedly cause Bailey's attempt to reime the Cubilis to fail.

Ghe not only took out the cursed artifacts she had on her body but also pl. them around the crack.

orbing the negative energy.

She also summoned the jade pendant hanging around her neck, using the auspicious energy within to help suppress it.

The little snake opened its mouth and greedily absorbed the negative energy from the crack.

Simone then shouted, "Bailey. I can only hold on for the time it takes to brew a cup of tea. The rest is up to

you.

In the wine Wurtyard. Bailey was struck by lightning, his whole body in tatters and his hair standing on

end.

He nor resembled an immortal but rather a beggar.

But his eyes were filled with hope, as enduring the thunder tribulation meant that the magic was almost complete.

He was just about to finish and take the opportunity to refine Cubilis.

Who would have thought that a deadly crack would emerge from the headquarter of the geomancy association and spread toward him?

Clearly, someone wanted to prevent him from refining Cubilis and trap him here.

This was something that Bailey had never anticipated.

After all, he believed that he had control over Cubilis and had no idea when this trap had been set.

It seemed that someone had planned in advance to use Cubilis against him.

Bailey was not foolish, and he naturally understood what the other party was plotting.

1 smiled bitterly, realizing that no matter how much he calculated, he had not accounted or the

unexpected.

1 thought he had overcome the thunder tribulation, but he had already exhausted a la portion of his energy and Vitality.

Now, he could only maintain the process of refining Cubilis and had no way to resist this demonic rift.

is today the day I die? Bailey had lived for so many years and was not afraid of death, but he was unwilling to accept it

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He truly wanted to step out and see what the world was like now.

He closed his eyes and sighed. "So be it, then. It's all fate! Just as he was about to resign himself to his fate, Simone's voice suddenly sounded in his ears.

He abruptly opened his eyes and found that the demonic rift had stopped about three hundred meters in front of him.

His previously despondent will instantly recovered. "Girl, I will remember this favor."

Even Simone had not given up on him, then he could not give up on either

Without hesitation, Bailey

decided to refine Cubilis.

Even though he had been bound to Cubilis for hundreds of years due to his immortality, the process of refining was not difficult for him.

What surprised him even more was that when he started refining Cubilis, it not only did not resist but seemed even more eager than him.

Then, the surroundings began to shake continuously,

Bailey's body trembled. That feeling of being targeted and wanting to devour him came again.

But this as he clearly sensed that it was not coming from Cubilis but from the deadly crack on the ground

More precisely was from the person behind the arrangement of the demonic rift.

It seemed the other party was becoming anxious.

Bailey took a deep breath and directly infused his entire body with Vitality, using magic to accelerate the refining process

He must not let the other party succeed. His fate was in his own hands.

Outside the courtyard, Simone was covered in sweat, and her hand, which was drawing talismans with a talisman pen, was trembling.

The negative energy inside the crack was too dense, and it was difficult to seal it. She had already exhausted most of her Vitality.

The negative energy artifact was also saturated and had stopped working.

Even the little snake's belly had swollen so much that it lay exhausted on the ground, unable to absorb or

levour anymore.

If continued to absorb anything, it would burst.

The luster of the jade pendant was becoming increasingly dim, indicating that it was about to fail.

She just hoped that Bailey could be more capable and quickly refine Cubilis.

Otherwise, Bailey would not only be finished but also not be able to hold on either.

After a while, the cracks in the demonic rift that Simone had temporarily closed became active again.

He had already done her best, and now it was up to Bailey.

In the backyard, Bailey also noticed that the demonic rift was coming active again, heading toward him.

It was as if it was opening its mouth wide, wanting to swallow him whole.

He knew that this feeling was not an illusion.

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If the refining of Cubilis failed, he would definitely be swallowed by this ilg

At that moment, he suddenly felt a connection with Cubilis.

More accurately, it was as if Cubilis was relying on him.

Bailey's eyes lit up, knowing he had succeeded. When the crack had extended to just a few inches in front of his feet, he commanded, "Fuse!"

Then, the entire city trembled, and a yellow light snaked in between Bailey's brows.

Cubilis merged completely with him, with him taking the lead this time.

Bailey gaz

"Close ne

the cracks of negative energy on the ground and activated the power of Cubilis, saying, "!! Soon, the demonic rift appeared to be forcefully squeezed together.

The cra closed and the negative energy was trapped within.

The surroundings, including the entire Cubilis, returned to tranquility.

Simone turned her radiant smile toward the backyard and exclaimed, "It worked! You're amazing!"

Mer while, in a room in Cebros, an old man who had been sitting cross-legged and emitting a red glow suddenly turned pale and coughed up a mouthful of black blood, his aura weakening.

It was all over. The plan he had been devising for so many years was unexpectedly ruined by Bailey. How can this happen? He felt as if he were on the brink of collapse and madness.

Then, anger filled the old man's eyes as he exclaimed, "Simone, it's you again!"

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More than ten minutes later, all

He looked at Simone with a softer gaze.

Hanged his clothes, appeared in the outer courtyard.

I owe you this time. Otherwise, I would have been consumed by that creature."

Simon sat paralyzed on the stone bench. "Luckily, you succeeded."

She smiled and said, "Anyone who tries to harm you will face severe consequences. After years of planning, it's been in vain. Just the thought of it feels satisfying."

To be able to

orchestrate so much right under Bailey's nose, targeting his immortal body, must have taken

Now that their plan had failed, the other party had to be going crazy and desperate.

The corner of Bailey's lips curled up. "Indeed, it's a relief."

Simon asked, "Can you identify who did it?" Bailey shook his head. "I can't tell. They concealed themselves too well. But now that we have startled the snake and forced them to reveal themselves, let's find them."

He narrowed his eyes and said coldly. "We won't let them escape, no matter what."

To control his immortal body, they would have to possess him, which was equivalent to killing him.

This was a deadly enemy, and he would not give up easily.

Simon nodded. "You're right."

Whoever is behind this must be caught.

She asked again, "Could it be that old hag Lewis?" Bailey pondered for a moment and said, "It's unlikely."

His strength isn't at this level, but he must be involved."

I had a rough idea, but he still needed to confirm it.

Simon also shared the same thought. "Then, let's catch them all at once."

All these hidden dangers had to be eliminated.

She had a feeling that very soon, those people and secrets would all be exposed.

She asked again, "Can you leave now? Let's strike while the iron is hot and go back to Cebros to watch the show."

After all, it was not to

late. They would still be able to book a flight back to Cebros.

Bailey said, "That's fine. Help me book the flight ticket."

Simone nodded. "Okay."

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She looked at him and raised an eyebrow. "Are you going out dressed like... Bailey wanted to go out in traditional attire. Combined with his captivating appearance, figure, and temperament, he would definitely attract attention where he went.

Although Bailey kept up with fashion and learned what people wear online, he had never been out of Cubilis. I don't have modern clothes like you guys. Should we go outside Cubilis and buy some clothes first?"

He felt very happy to be able to leave Cubilis and wanted to experience everything.

Simone smiled and said, "We can just go to Cebros directly. As long as you don't mind being the center of attention wherever we go.

Bailey said, "I don't mind. If you don't mind being noticed, I'll dress like this to Cebros."

Even in Cubilis, as long as Bailey walked out, he would still attract attention.

Simone smiled mischievously and said, "Of course, I don't mind. In fact, I think it's better if we go bring a high-profile dinner."

It would surprise Lewis when he saw Bailey come out.

It would catch him off guard even more.

With Lewis caution, he might try to lure Bailey away alone, hoping to have the powerful great warlock deal with her.

But she could cooperate with that powerful great warlock and betray Lewis.

Let Lewis also experience what it feels like to be betrayed by others.

Meanwhile, Bailey could tell from Simone's expression that she had something mischievous planned.

He indulgently chuckled and said, "Alright, you arrange it. I'll follow your lead."

After some time, the two of them went to the airport.

Simone wore a hat and a mask, and Bailey also wore a mask.

As expected, as soon as they appeared in crowded places, they caused a commotion.

They were quickly recognized, and fans chased after them, calling out to Simone.

Simone smiled and greeted her fans, asking them to keep their voices down and not disturb other

passengers.

But she fulfilled the requests of fans who wanted autographs and photos,

One young fan accidentally slipped while going down the escalator.

Simone promptly caught her and helped her avoid a disaster.

She also gently comforted the crying young girl.

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"Wherever Bailey went, he attracted everyone's attention, and many people took photos of him with their

Just as they boarded the plane, the trending 'Simone's Beloved Fan' and 'Sunone's Companion with Extraordinary Looks' appeared.

In a courtyard in Cebros, when Lewis saw Bailey's news trending, he was greatly startled.

He couldn't believe it.

How did he manage to come out? He couldn't understand how Bailey escaped.

If that's the way the years of planning be ruined?

He then l

ooked at Simone's trending new topics, his eyes filled with resentment.

Bailey being able to come out must have something to do with Simone. It must be her doing. Why does this annoying girl always get involved in trouble wherever she goes!

He then cursed the great warlock in his mind.

He had already gone to Cubilis to find Simone, but under Bailey's threats, they went to Cebros.

He instructed his great-grandson to find a way to bring the great warlock to meet his deceased disciple at night.

Originally, he planned to wait for the other party to confirm that Simone was responsible for the disciple's death.

When Simone returned, there would be a good show to watch.

Who would have thought that Simone would bring Bailey to Cebros, causing some trouble?

They needed to find a way to separate Bailey.

Only then could the great warlock showcase his skills.

There is also hope that the useless person could be more helpful and directly eliminate Simone this time.

With these thoughts in mind, he made a phone call.

On the other side, Simone and Bailey arrived at Cebros Airport, where Zac was already waiting at the exit.

He had made arrangements with Simone to pick her up.

Zac wore a baseball cap, sunglasses, and a mask.

With his tall figure and outstanding demeanor, he attracted attention even when standing in a corner.

As if sensing something, Zac looked up and saw Simone coming out.

A gleam of excitement appeared in his initially indifferent gaze, and he quickly walked toward her,

He took the initiative to take Simone's bag and said, "Simone, let me carry that for you."

Then, he greeted Bailey with a smile and said, "Hello, Master Shawn. We gain."

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Bailey had a favorable impression of an "Hello!" He could sense that Zac genuinely cared for Simone.

Whenever she was around, Zac not only displayed great enthusiasm but also radiated a cheerful energy.

He always knew how to bring joy and entertainment to Simone.

Moreover, Bailey could see that Zac approached Simone deliberately, with her permission and indulgence.

She even shared Zac with affection.

As a result, her attitude towards Zac was not distant.

The three of them proceeded to the courtyard where Simone currently resided.

They sat down and got some rest. Before long, Simone's phone rang. She noticed that it was a call from

Salma

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Upon seeing Salma's phone number, just
me guesses.

"What's up?" she answered. Salma's voice sounded awkward as she asked, "Did you take Elbert to see Master Shawn to remove the poison?" Simone replied, "Yes, and it has already been removed. Spit it out What do you want?" Simone said.

Salma commented, "Elbert's situation is my fault. Thank you for your help. So, I want to invite you and Bailey to have dinner at my place tomorrow night."

Simone's

revealed a hint of irony as she responded, "I helped Elbert, not because of you, so I don't need your inks. Let's forget about the dinner.

This dinner had to have been arranged by that old man.

Salma was not surprised by Simone's refusal

After, her sighter did not give in to her anymore.

She sighed and said, "I know you don't like me now, but I'm really glad that Elbert was able to remove the poison.

Just as she was about to continue playing the emotional card, Simone interrupted, "No need for small talk Just tell me what you want. If it's just about dinner, then I'll hang up."

She didn't want to waste time talking to Salma.

Everyone knew each other's character, so it was better to get straight to the point.

Salma hesitated before saying, "Don't hang up. It's not just about dinner. The great warlock who dealt with us before is dead, and his master has come to

Cebros. He wants to seek revenge on you. President Lewis has temporarily suppressed him and wants to mediate between you. So, he wants you to meet him

narrow.

Simone sneered, "Will that old guy be so kind? Is he trying to cause trouble again?"

She definitely had to attend the meeting but couldn't agree directly. Otherwise, Lewis would suspect something.

She already had a prepared answer. "President Lewis is the president of the geomancy association. When the great warlock from Wocron came looking for trouble, he had the responsibility of handling it. This matter not only involves you, but it has also become a matter between two countries' great warlocks. Hence, President Lewis hopes that you can temporarily put aside your misunderstandings and conflicts and help resolve this matter."

She emphasized again, "After all, you are now a member of the special department, and many things need to be considered carefully. This is what President Lewis asked her to tell Simone."

Suddenly, Simone retorted, "So, do you also believe that President Lewis is just doing his job and not trying to plot against me?"

Salma was taken aback at first before replying, "Yes, he is helping you with this matter, right? Simone, you

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Have a big misunderstanding about President Lewis. Would you like to come clear up the misunderstanding? That was what she really thought.

Her lot dinner tomorrow

Lewis was an old man in his hundreds. Why would he bother to plot against Simone, a young woman?

Salma couldn't think of anything that Simone had that could make Lewis plot against her.

Salma thought Lewis was quite nice.

Recently, he helped her completely eliminate the residual venom in her body.

Although she was angry at her daughter back then, because she was the president of the geomancy

he had to tolerate and help her daughter.

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one's silence, Salma added. If you're not happy when you come, you can leave at any time. of it a dealing with the great warlock of the Wocron. Don't worry. With Lewis and Bailey here, that great warlock wouldn't dare to do anything to you in Cebros."

Simone could that Salma really thought so.

From the tone of her voice, she had already concluded that Lewis was good.

Simone thought that if Salma knew later that Lewis was her mother's lover and that she herself was manipulated by the two of them, what would her reaction be? As for explaining it to Salma now, it was

useless.

The other party would only think that she deliberately contradicted her own mother or that she had misunderstood again..

And so, she had to speak with facts.

Simone pretended to think for a moment before saying, "Okay, then. I'll be there with Bailey tomorrow."

With a hint of self-mockery, she added, "Since I am a member of the special department now have to

consider the overall situation."

Salma breathed a sigh of relief when she heard Simone's agreement. "Okay, see you tomorrow." After hanging up the phone, Salma contacted Lewis again.

She recorded the phone call with Simone and then sent the recording to Lewis.

Lewis felt relieved when he heard Simone's questioning and sarcasm toward Salma and himself.

That's more like it. If Simone had agreed without asking more questions, there would have been a problem.

In the evening, after the great warlock went to see his disciple's body. Lewis took the initiative to contact him. He said that he had created an opportunity for revenge for him and asked if he wanted to try it.

The great warlock's voice was filled with anger and grief, and he agreed without hesitation.

This attitude also relieved Lewis.

Little did he know that Simone quietly went to the secret place arranged by Joseph in the evening and met the great warlock and his disciple.

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They discussed their cooperation for tomorrow.

The next evening, Simone drove Salma to Salma's villa.

On the way, Bailey asked, "What method do you think he will use to distract me?" Simone thought for a moment and said, "Either he will come in person, or he will have someone contact you with an urgent matter. The latter is more likely."

Bailey nodded. "Let's see if your guess is right."

They arrived at Salma's villa.

Salma, Jodi

Lewis, and the great warlock were all present.

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Simone and Bailey walked over and sat on the chairs reserved for them by Lewis and others.

Lewisood up and respectfully addressed Bailey. "Bailey!" Bailey nodded lightly in greeting.

Sim he looked at the president and the great warlock and said, Just tell us what you want to do today."

The president turned to the great warlock and asked, "What do you think?"

the two of them, Salma spoke first. "You're here. Please have a seat.

The great warlock glared at Simone and said, "You killed my disciple. What do you suggest we do?"

Simone was puzzled as she countered. 'Are you out of your mind? When did I kill your disciple?"

The great warlock slammed the table with his hand.

Releasing a menacing aura, he confronted Simone and accused her. "You cast the curse on r disciple. Are you going to deny it?" Before Simone could respond, Bailey-with a cold expression-stare at the great warlock and cautioned, "Choose your words carefully, or I won't be polite."

J then, Bailey's phone abruptly rang.

He picked it up and heard a feeble voice ring out. "Old Master, please help me!

Chapter 454 What Have You Done Again?

Bailey furrowed his brows.

He asked, "What's the matter with you?"

The voice mentioned, "An ancient tomb rift was discovered, and we intended to seal it off, but we ended up getting trapped instead. I saw you coming out of

Cubilis, and since we are near the outskirts, we wanted to ask for your assistance.

Bailey pondered for a moment and replied, "Send me the address, and I will come by tomorrow."

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cy urgently exclaimed. "Tomorrow will be too late. The tomb's malevolent energy is seeping out for the people nearby."

Bailey ringent for a moment before saying. "Alright, I will come now."

The other part immediately responded. 'Great, we will be waiting here.'

After ending the call, Bailey received a location.

He looked at Simone and said, "Magnus is trapped in an ancient tomb, and he is waiting for me to help."

"Are you going?" Simone hadn't replied yet, but Lewis, with a helpless expression, said, "Bailey, Simone's matter hasn't been resolved yet. How about you go first to help, and after we finish our matters here, Simone and I will come find you?"

The great warlock also suggested, "Yes, let's resolve our matters first today."

Only then did Simone turn to Bailey and say, "Since you are in a hurry, you should go first. I will come later."

Bailey sighed. "Alright, I will go first."

He even opened a ride-hailing app and asked Simone how to get there.

Lewis immediately gave Salma a signal.

Salma suggested that they have a driver at home who can take Bailey there.

In fact, the driver was arranged by Lewis.

Bailey didn't refuse; he had intentionally wanted them to divert him.

After he left, Simone looked at the great warlock with her arms crossed.

She straightforwardly said, "Your disciple was killed by the president next to you. It has nothing to do with sne. If you want revenge, you should find him."

Lewis was taken aback. "Simone, don't talk nonsense. The master himself confirmed it. His disciple was killed by you, so don't blame re."

Simone ignored him and looked at the great warlock. "And you? Do you have a brain?"

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The great warlock was at a loss for words. At a time like this, this stubborn still wanted to mock him.

But if they were going to act, y bat all out. He coldly snorted. "Tor

In facts

Then, he took out his phone and pulled up the photo of the 'corpse' he had taken.

He sat down next to Simone and said, "Take a look for yourself. If this wasn't done by you, who did it?" Simone gave him a disdainful look and replied, "Don't you know that there's a thing called framing in this world? I think President Lewis' brain has gotten into you."

With a serious expression, the great warlock started arguing with Simone.

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they open t yet, he w

Two of them arguing and thought to himself. This isn't right! They should be fighting as soon as

ouths, shouldn't they? What's the point of arguing and theorizing? But since Bailey hasn't gone far ed the two of them argue.

He planned to ustigate a fight between them later.

Simon argued with the great warlock while sending out two messages,

Soon enough, Skyler posted on Facebook.

He revealed the betrayal of his mother to his father and announced that he was just a b'stard.

He openly declared that he would leave the Foster Family and have no further reship with them in the future.

He also hinted that his biological father's identity was not simple, but he would never acknowledge such n

beast.

Skyler was originally recognized as the heir of the Foster Family, and his father's loving attitude had deeply touched people's hearts.

Therefore, when this Facebook post came out, everyone in their circle was shocked.

No one expected that Skyler was actually the child of his mother's affair with another man.

As a result of Skyler's Facebook post, everyone not only didn't blame his father but also sympathized

with him.

Then, the situation between Leon and Gwen took a turn.

The fact that Skyler's mother had hired a great warlock to harm Salma, Simone, and even the siblings was exposed.

There was also a video of the great warlock claiming that Skyler's mother had bribed him and making

threats.

In addition, there was evidence of Skyler's mother paying keyboard warriors to smear her children's reputation.

When all of this came out, everyone had one feeling-Skyler's mother was crazy and ruthless.

They were her own flesh and blood, and she didn't even spare them.

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No wonder she threatened to cut off ties, and Leon and Gwen readily agree

Out of respect for their biolog

lines didn't say a bad word if

r's mother.

Those who had previously criticized the siblings were now silent, and some even turned their criticism toward Skyler's mother.

Simone and Leon's fans were also fed up..

They flocked to Skyler's mother's main and alternate Facebook accounts to hurl insults.

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the elite, Skyler's mother was heavily criticized, and people thought she was ungrateful.

reciate being a good wife and didn't want a husband who doted on her. She was just too

Behind the scene he colluded with a great warlock to harm others, even her own children. It was terrifying.

Then another explosive trending topic emerged.

Tin: also posted on Facebook, revealing that she and Jodie were children born from their mother's affair.

She also posted the DNA test online and publicly supported her father and mother's divorce.

At the same time, she dropped a bombshell-she and Skyler were actually half-siblings, as their mothers both had affairs with the same man.

They also released their DNA tests.

As for their biological father, both she and Skyler had the same attitude-they would not acknowledge such a beast.

Although Tina was often called the product of an affair, the main target of criticism was her mother.

Jodie was also brought into the picture and received a wave of criticism.

Men people kept speculating about what kind of man could make both women have affairs.

After Tina's Facebook post, Skyler also posted a Facebook status, sharing and affirming what she had posted.

Amid everyone's continuous speculation, a prominent blogger exposed the truth and also posted at Facebook status.

They claimed that the father of the two was President Lewis of the geomancy association.

"They even compared the side profile photos of Lewis, Jodie, and Skyler.

Indeed, they looked very similar.

This prominent blogger was originally an associate of President Lewis, serving as a paid marketing consultant

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Her specific role was to handle the affairs of the president's children in the entertainment industry.

However, Simone managed to tam die tales and expose this situation on Faces

As a result, these individuals were caught off guard.

These online scandals quickly dominated the top search results.

Very quickly, Salma's luxurious villa became the center of attention.

Jodie suddenly felt a sense of uncase, feeling as if something unexpected had occurred.

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ent of the time when she faced criticism and lost her popularity on the internet.

But sinc

hadn't been active in the entertainment industry recently, she would not be receiving any criticist Before she could dwell on it too much, Lewis, who had been sitting back and enjoying the show, suddenly underwent a drastic transformation in his expression.

Not only did his expression change, but his physical appearance also altered.

Numerous deep wrinkles appeared on his face, and his once-gray hair turned completely white

In an instant, he appeared to have aged ten years.

Lewis could already sense that he was facing a counterattack.

His luck was diminishing, his lifespan was once again shortened, and his aura had significantly diminished.

His immediate reaction was to look at Simone and ask, "What have you done arain?!"

Chapter 455 The Truth Is Revealed

Simone could discern from Mr. Lewis us that their previous plan had

She smirked knowingly and remarked, "Of course, I anticipated your every move."

as intended.

In a fit of anger, she questioned, "Does it feel satisfying to be manipulated like this, Mr. Lewis?"

Mr. Lewis' face turned green with anger. "Simone, don't push me to take action against you."

He regretted a hit, wishing he had been more cautious and not allowed Simone to uncover him as the

mastermind

Simone at him intensely, behaving like a mad person. She sneered. "Then, go ahead and take action! Just make empty threats.

At this juncture, M. Lewis entertained the thought of strangling her. However, he hesitated due to the ongoing backland his diminished strength.

Additionally, he feared that if he took action, the great warlock beside him might seize the opportunity.

Upon turning to the great warlock, he proposed, "As we agreed before, let's join forces to avenge your disciple."

The great warlock agreed, "Alright, let's do it!" Then, he attacked Simone with negative energy.

The entire restaurant's temperature plummeted, causing Salma and Jodie to shiver.

Salma was confused about the sudden conflict. She wondered, Why did Mr. Lewis desire to team up with the great warlock against Simone when he was supposed to be meditating?

Simone scoffed and brandished her knife coins.

In Cubilis last time, it could also be considered a stroke of luck.

ler negative energy mystical tool underwent a direct upgrade due to its absorption of a substantial amount of negative energy.

50, when the great warlock approached with his negative energy, the knife coin absorbed and assimilated.

Even though the great warlock was acting, he couldn't help but feel shocked.

It had only been two days, and he was surprised by Simone's increased strength.

Fortunately, he and Simone were genuine collaborators.

Simone even compelled him to deliberately stage a show for Salma, exposing Mr. Lewis' true intentions.

Although he was unhappy, he had to agree to betray his old friend

The two engaged in a mystical battle in the restaurant, with Mr. Lewis also joining in but assisting the great

warlock

While defending herself. Simone revealed. "Mr. Lewis, I knew you weren't good person. Do you think

unaware? You're, in fact, the biological father of Jodie, Tina, and Skyler. When I was lost and ended up in the hands of human trafficker

who had Jodie's biological mother Then you let Master

Gordon instigate the Gray Family to adopt Jodie as my replacement."

Mr. Lewis frowned. "How did you find out?"

He was genuinely surprised that not only had he been exposed, but Simone also knew so much. Especially how Simone was lost; only he and Jodie's biological mother knew. And that woman wouldn't have revealed

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Now that Simone had identified him and had been confronting him all along, there was simply no possibility opportunity for reconciliation.

Therefore didn't attempt to argue any further.

Simone sclosed. The memories you sealed in me have been restored."

After achieving he Divine State, she regained her childhood memories, realizing that Mr. Lewis had sealed them by using a curse, preventing her from recalling her past.

After being saved by her master, she had no memory of the events.

Upon restoring her childhood memories, she discovered that Sc*mbag No. 5 had been taken away

watch the commotion.

When she followed after him, Jodie's biological mother drugged her.

Subsequently, she feigned being her mother and carried her away.

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No wonder when they went to the hospital last time, Tina's mother had dodgy look in her eyes when she saw hon

Originally, she was going to scold Tina, but because of their arrival, she didn't scold and just left direc

Previously, she thought Tina's mother wanted to pretend to be a classy lady, so they left quickly, b

ality, that woman knew of her existence and left out of guilt,

Mr. Lewis coldly snorted, "Who told you to block the way? Wouldn't it be better to be a good puppet? Why do you have to come out and cause trouble? Are you seeking death? Then I will grant your wish."

iter saying that, he increased the intensity of his attacks.

Salma and jodie heard their conversation. Salma looked at the two of them in disbelief.

So,er biological daughter's disappearance wasn't an accident, but it was done by Jodie's biological mother.

And what she just heard surprised her. Mr. Lewis was Jodie's biological father. And from what Mr. Lewis said, Simone wasn't accusing him falsely but merely stating the th

She couldn't help but ask Mr. Lewis, 'Did you arrange all of this? Why did you do this?'

Mr. Lewis didn't care about anything at this point. He only wanted to kill Simone and take away her luck.

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nd lifespan.

"Who made Simone's birth chan

her blessings and luck so f

Taut such a birth chart couldn't be created through a cesarean section because it was not allowed by heaven's laws.

So, he had to think of other ways, using Simone as a key person to seize the luck of the Gray Family and the Foster Family.

For the Gray Family, he could use Jodie's adopted identity as a way to seize luck.

The reason

he could also use Simone as a key to the Foster Family's luck was because she was saved

and adopted that person.

Through! series of coincidences, she became Leon's childhood sweetheart and lover.

The luck of the Foster Family was something he had planned long ago. Originally, he intended to let Jodie take action and lure Leon away, seizing Simone's luck in the process.

Once Simone's luck had been nearly depleted, he would get rid of her.

Leon would suffer greatly after losing Simone, with his luck continuously plummeting.

Then, he would use Freya to snatch Gwen's luck.

Finally, through Skyler as a medium, he would take control of the Foster Family.

And if Simone were to die, the Gray Family would regret and blame themselves for causing her death due to their choices.

Most importantly, with the demise of Simone, who had a deep blessing, her family, as well as the luck of the other members of the Gray Family, would be weakened.

He would be able to seize the luck of the Gray Family. However, he never expected that Jodie would become useless and for Simone to transform from being a pawn into a great disaster.

All of his plans were ruined.

Now that Simone's memories had returned and she had seen through all of his schemes and arrangements, she had spoken out.

Only then did he admit to Salma.

Because he had no intention of letting Salma go.

Once they unite to eliminate Simone, Salma could accompany her on the journey to the underworld.

Salma widened her eyes and exclaimed, "So you've been deceiving me all this time?"

Mr. Lewis responded impatiently, "Isn't that obvious?"

Simone interjected, "Not only did he deceive and manipulate you, but he also introduced the warlock to Mrs. Foster to orchestrate a curse on you, causing trouble for you. Only you would naively believe that

Chapter 456 Constantly Seeking Trouble Will Eventually Backfire

Salma grappled with the harsh reality

She glanced at Jodie, who had a shocked expression.

“Is he your biological father?” Salma inquired.

Bewildered, Jodie responded, “I don’t know!” She had always considered herself a child of the Steward Family.

Upon turning

Mr. Lewis, unable to contain herself, she questioned, “Is what Simone said true?”

Mr. Lewis

med, “Yes, it’s true. Do you have any objections?”

He didn’t see Jodie as his daughter, finding her less intelligent than Tina.

Only Jodie and one’s birth charts were more mutually conflicting, and she was better to manipulate, so that was why she was chosen.

At that moment, he regretted it a bit.

For a moment, Jodie was at a loss for words. She couldn’t believe her biological father was an old man. She wondered why her mother and Leon’s mother fell for Mr. Lewis. She had seen Mr. Foster, who was much better than Mr. Lewis both in appearance and temperament

Mr. Lewis could easily see the somewhat complex and disdainful expression on Jodie’s face.

His complexion turned even more unpleasant as he said, “It’s because of you that I have faced repeated backlash and ended up like this.”

Otherwise, when facing his woman, he always appeared quite young and attractive

Upon seeing her biological father unhappy, Jodie quickly feigned excitement, saying, “Dad, I never

expected you to be my biological father. That’s great.

She preferred an old father with money and influence over a useless one.

She figured out why there were always geomancy masters who helped her.

It turned out it wasn't her biological brother but her biological father who had been helping her and supporting behind the scenes.

She thought, Having a powerful president as my biological father is a good thing for me.

Therefore, Jodie quickly accepted this fact.

Mr. Lewis's expression eased a bit.

Although Jodie was somewhat useless, she was sensible.

Salou's face changed again. She pursed her lips and looked at Mr. Lewis, asking, "Did you have Jodie's mother take away my biological daughter and give her to human traffickers?"

1. Lewis admitted, "Yes, so what?"

He bluntly added, "I also manipulated and had her sent to your family for a moon. My purpose was to take away your family's luck."

Before he arrived, he had already checked with instruments and found no recording or monitoring devices.

To be more cautious, he even activated interference devices.

So even if he admitted to these things now, he wouldn't acknowledge them once he left.

Moreover, Sal and Simone were about to become dead people, and they couldn't disclose anything.

Salma was

again struck and angrily said, "You are truly shameless."

She couldn't have imagined that the president of the geomancy association would be such a person.

And to think that she had raised the enemy's daughter as her own made her feel heartbroken and resentful

He:howed no shame, retorting, "It's your own stupidity."

Salma choked, "You!" for a moment, not knowing what to say.

Mr. Lewis ignored Salma.

He noticed that the battle between the great warlock and Simone was still in the superficial probing stage.

He couldn't help but say, "Stop playing around and show some real skills. Get rid of them, and let's leave here quickly."

Salma widened her eyes. "What do you mean? Do you want to kill us?" She could tell that Mr. Lewis was referring to her and Simone.

1. Lewis impatiently replied, "You know too much."

Sala shrank back in fear. She never wanted to know so much. She turned to Simone and asked, "What

ould we do?" She didn't want to die.

Simone sighed. "Wasn't it your idea to involve me? Why are you asking me

Salma awkwardly said, "I didn't know he was this bad."

Now she regretted it, realizing that she had fallen into the trap of the old man.

She shouldn't have called Simone here today.

Simone glanced at her. I've always said that he's not a good person, but you didn't believe me. You event thought I was deliberately you. Now you have to admit while crying and kneeling."

Salma choked gain, feeling guilty. "I thought with his status, it's unlikely for him to be a bad person. Who knew..."

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Jimone sneered, "Stop making excuses. It's pointless"

Salma always did this-whenver opened, she would find excuse responsibility.

Simone didn't bother with Salma anymore.

Instead, she took out a mystical tool with negative energy and attacked the great warlock, saying, "Let's finish this quickly."

"I thought the same, the great warlock replied, also taking out his mystical tool and attacking Simone.

Upon seeing

impending real battle, Mr. Lewis intensified his attack on Simone.

At that me t, he not only suffered a backlash but also felt an indescribable panic, wanting to swiftly deal with mone, fearing unforeseen consequences.

Simone and the cleat warlock, originally attacking each other, abruptly redirected their assault simultaneously

Two dense negative energies surged toward Mr. Lewis,

Mr. Lewis's eyes narrowed, revealing a look of disbelief.

However, he was always cautious. Despite collaborating with the great warlock, he remained on guard against him.

Especially in this kind of confrontation, he had taken measures to protect himself. Immediately, he took out his mystical tool to defend himself.

The foe attacking Simone was also blocked by her prepared defense.

Attacked by two celestial masters of the Divine State, Mr. Lewis, despite his considerable strength d defensive mystical tool, couldn't withstand the attack and spurted out blood. He suffered serious uries.

With a gloomy look, he questioned the great warlock, "Why?" He realized the great warlock had collaborated with Simone against him.

The great warlock sneered, "How dare you ask me why? The aura that infed my disciple is all from you. It has nothing to do with Simone."

Le continued with a gloomy face. "I know about your scheme to frame my disciple and shift the blame onto Simone. Do you think you can deceive and manipulate me? You're dreaming

it weren't for Mr. Lewis's scheming, he wouldn't want to be enemies with him.

Although his son didn't die his whole being was crippled. His body's foundation was damaged by the curse, rendering him unable to cultivate in the future, and he could only live as an ordinary person

Moreover, his body would perpetually remain weak, and his life in would be limited

This filled him with resentment, and naturally, he couldn't let Mr. Le was get away with it.

Mr. wis was taken aback "Did Simone deceive you? He had imitated Simone's aura in the curse, so

Chapter 457 She Knows How To Betray

Sunne had no intention of wasting ini

Lewis.

She signaled to the great warlock. "Attack!" She herself activated the negative energy in her seal and knife coins, forming a sword-like weapon.

She swung it toward Mr. Lewis.

The great warlock had the same idea and unleashed his strongest attack without hesitation.

He also rele

his little treasures.

Mr. Lewi

pression changed once again upon seeing this.

Without Sitain, he reached out and grabbed his second disciple to use him as a shield against Simone and the great warlock's attacks.

Simon's negative energy sword struck, causing the man to convulse in pain.

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After the great warlock's attack landed, the man's eyes widened, and he fell to the ground. He was dead.

Clearly, he never expected his master to use him as a sacrificial pawn.

While using his disciple as a shield, Mr. Lewis turned and ran.

Simone said to the great warlock, "Let's chase after him."

The great warlock had no intention of leaving any potential threats behind.

He nodded. "Alright!" Together with Simone, they chased after Mr. Lewis.

Just as they reached the garden, the scenery suddenly changed, and a faint aura of negative energy filled the air.

Simone said, "He was prepared and set up a formation."

By the time they broke through the formation, Mr. Lewis would have already escaped far away.

She knew it wouldn't be easy to kill him.

It was perfect to keep him alive to catch a bigger fish.

Moreover, even if Mr. Lewis didn't die today, with the backlash he suffered and the severe injuries he sustained, he wouldn't live much longer.

Simone didn't move. The little snake on her wrist opened its eyes and began absorbing the negative energy swirling around her.

She was proficient in formations and immediately found the exit as soon as she was trapped in the formation.

So, she stepped back toward the exit, watching the great warlock struggle within the negative energy.

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The great warlock wasn't a good person and Simone decided to let him experience

of his old

Not only that, but she also quietly introduced more negative energy into several key points, doubling the destructive power of the formation..

The little snake also took the opportunity to blend into the formation, occasionally snatching away some insects as food..

It took the great warlock more than twenty minutes to forcefully break free from the formation.

Afterwards he appeared weak, and his face pallid.

Even the several pouches he carried were now half empty.

Upon seeing Soone standing unharmed, not far away, the great warlock was stunned. "How are you unharmed?"

He had paid a great price to break free. Yet Simone still looked as fresh and clean as before.

Simone replied truthfully, "I found a loophole in the formation, so the attacks from the formation won't hit me. That's why I've been standing here all along

The great warlock was furious. "Why didn't you tell me?"

Simone looked innocent. "How would I know? You can't even see through such a formation. Besides, I did call out to you when I saw you trapped in the formation, but you ignored me. You can't blame me for that

She did call out twice, but shouting alone wouldn't help.

The great warlock choked. He did hear someone shouting earlier. But he couldn't locate the direction of the voice.

He had a feeling that Simone was intentionally making him lose his reputation.

The great warlock's face was filled with gloom as he asked, "What do we do now that the old man has escaped?" Although they had severely injured Mr. Lewis today, the great warlock himself was also injured and suffered heavy losses.

His main mystical tool was damaged from resisting the formation, and his precious energy was depleted by more than half.

With this condition, he was uncertain about the duration required for recovery. His lifespan would be impacted as well.

Therefore he was feeling irritable and wanted to kill someone.

If Simone wasn't so powerful, he would have killed her directly.

Simone could easily see the anger building up in the great warlock. "You can go find Mr. Lewis. He's currently suffering from a backlash, and his injuries have worsened. If you find him, you can handle him alone if you can't find him, there are his disciples."

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"Those disciples of Mr. Lewis were no better.

Much like the individual brought on him.

After the disaster. There was

resentment

It indicated that he had been involved in many killings and karmic retributions.

The great warlock's eyes flickered. "He has harmed you so much. Why don't you go find him?"

Simone shrugged. "I would love to, but he obviously made preparations and is definitely hiding now. I won't bother with that effort

Her little snail had another talent, which was to locate the opponent based on their negative energy aura.

She locked onto the negative energy on Mr. Lewis, so she wasn't afraid of not finding him.

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She then gave the great warlock some advice. "If I were you, I would go and attack Mr. Lewis' headquarters. And plunder all his treasures. The Vice President of the Geomancy Association is now trapped in an ancient tomb. you go to Cubilis, you will be the strongest presence.

Mr. Lewis must have set up many things in Cubilis.

She intended to let the great warlock, who was full of anger but had no way to vent it, destruction.

The great warlock looked deeply at Simone and said, "Goodbye!" He turned around and left, heard all of Simone's words.

Simone wanted to use him to destroy Mr. Lewis' headquarters, and he knew her intentions.

But it suited him just fine. Although Simone would take advantage, he had to do it.

If he didn't let it out, he wouldn't be able to get past that hurdle.

1. Lewis' backlash was so severe. If he couldn't be found, he wouldn't live much longer either.

After the great warlock left, he went to pick up his disciple and had someone book the next flight to

Cubilis.

At Salma's villa.

Upon seeing the courtyard still being swept by the chilly wind, Simone moved a few stones and flowerpots around.

By fixing the formation in this courtyard, the negative energy couldn't escape and cause trouble.

Salma and Jodie had just been frightened.

But they run to the garden.

After seeing the great warlock leave, they still felt a chilling cold around them.

Salma hadn't help but speak up, "Simone, can you do something about this garden-

Otherwise, she wouldn't dare to live here.

Simone glanced at Salma and said,

time for that. The negative

naturally

dissipate in two or three months. If you really want to deal with it, you can go to the geomancy association. and hire a master yourself."

She could handle it. But it was troublesome and time-consuming.

Salma didn't deserve her help.

Salma felt a bit unhappy. Simone was clearly capable of handling it, but she deliberately refused to assist her.

However, S held back and didn't say anything. Reluctantly, she said, "I don't know any experts, so please help!

Simone glanced at Jodie, who was standing next to Salma, and said, "Given that your esteemed adoptive daughter's father holds the position of president at the geomancy association, simply summoning two influential experts should be a trivial matter."

Salma was left speechless. She felt a strong sense of irony in Simone's words.

At the same time, she remembered that Jodie was the daughter of Mr. Lewis and all the schemes against

her.

Her face immediately turned livid, and she distanced herself from Jodie.

Jodie's expression changed, and she remained silent. Simone, you little troublemaker. She always strikes where it

hurts.

She hadn't anticipated that her biological father would be so incapable, and he was actually driven away by Simone and the great warlock.

She didn't know what would happen to her biological father afterward.

Therefore, she couldn't let Salma or the Gray Family off the hook.

Some knew that Salma and Jodie would have more conflicts and arguments in the future. "You two continue to love each other; I won't disturb you."

After saying that, she walked away.

When Salma was temporarily appeased by Jodie, she let go of the things in her hand.

Those things hurt Salma's heart much more than today's events and the truth.

They would completely turn this "loving mother and daughter" against each other.

Betrayal? She knew how to do it as well.

Chapter 458 I'll Give You One Last Chance

After Simone departed, Salma gazed incor-2-lit

"You can leave now."

It had become challenging for her to face Jodie, especially knowing that Jodie's biological parents. conspired to abduct her daughter and schemed against their family.

From Salma's expression, Jodie could tell that she was currently disgusted with her.

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leave. She had nowhere to go. She had already spent most of the money she received

more than half of it given to her biological mother.

Before, she owned properties given by the Gray Family. But after returning from Cuba, Steven had someone he then away.

If she wanted to, she could only rent a house. But she didn't have much money left, and she couldn't afford a luxury house. She didn't want to live a miserable life.

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There, she suddenly knelt in front of Salma and cried. "Mom, please don't drive me away. You're only one I have left. I didn't even know he was my biological father, and I have no connection with him! I only acknowledged him before because I was afraid he would harm us. But I have no feelings with him at all. In my heart, you are the only family I have. Even though you're not my biological mother, you mean more to me than my biological mother. I have always treated you as my mother!"

Then she hugged one of Salma's legs. "Mom, please let me stay and continue to take care of you. I will definitely not go with him. If he comes back, I will stop him. You heard what he did; I had no knowledge of it. I am an innocent victim. I just want to be with you and live a good life together."

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She knew what Salma wanted to hear.

At this moment, Salma must be wary and afraid of her biological father, and having her by her side would

bring her some comfort.

After all, no one was capable of hurting their own children. So, she offered to protect her.

She emphasized that Salma was her only family and mother, and Salma always fell for the emotional

tricks.

Sure enough, after hearing Jodie's words, Salma's expression softened.

Indeed, Jo was just a kid back then. What her parents did had nothing to do with her.

Salma didn't know what to do now.

She didn't dare to continue living in this villa, but she couldn't bring herself to go back to the Gray Family either.

She needed someone to keep her company, someone who could provide her with some comfort. ?

Especially now that Jodie only had her as family. Jodie would rely on her and listen to her in the future.

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However, the uneasiness in her heart remained. She said coldly, "I'll give you one last chance. You are not

allowed to contact those people anymore. If they try to reach out to you, you must inform me

here. Let's move to the apartment immediately. There is too much negativity

She felt safer in a bustling place with a large crowd.

enter.

Jodie wiped away her tears and smiled. "Thank you, Mom. From now on, I'll listen to everything you say."

The two of them packed up and moved to a large apartment in the city center owned by Salma.

While Jodie was tidying up her room, Salma instructed the two maids who were supposed to accompany them to keep eye on Jodie.

Meanwhile one drove to the outskirts of the city.

At a highway service area, she found Bailey sitting and drinking coffee.

She walked over and asked, "Bailey, did you get rid of the person who was supposed to take you to the ancient tomb?"

They had discussed this beforehand. If someone suddenly wanted to divert Bailey's attention, he would pretend to follow along. But halfway through, he would find a way to leave and not actually go with them.

After all, Mr. Lewis and the people behind him had always been interested in Bailey's physique.

If he had gone along, it would have been risky if they had set a trap to deal with him. Even though his strength was formidable, he couldn't afford to underestimate the situation.

Bailey nodded. "I used an illusion. He drove himself to the ancient tomb."

Simon thought for a moment and said, "Let's go, get in the car and head back."

Bailey stood up and said, "Okay."

his was not an appropriate place to talk.

After getting in the car, Simone asked, "Magnus is the person who diverted your attention. Does that mean I am the mastermind behind everything?"

Bailey pondered for a moment and replied, "It seems so."

Simone curiously asked, "Is there any connection between Magnus and Mr. Lewis?"

If Magnus was the mastermind, then her master's death was likely related to him. So, she didn't want to address him as her master anymore.

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Bailey replied, "They have a master-disciple relationship. After I woke up, I saw Magnus, Sage, and master. Then, I confirmed that they were the juniors of my sect. Your master had the highest talent and was the most upright, focusing solely on cultivation. Afterwards, they all achieved the Divine State. And they had their own opportunities, which allowed them to live in this era. Mr. Lewis became Magnus' disciple after achieving the Divine State, but his talent was much inferior to the other three. He also liked to scheme, and a little over a hundred years ago, he became the president. Not long after, Magnus

became the vice president, mainly to protect his disciples. But their relationship as master and disciple is unknown to others. They don't have a deep relationship; it seems like they are just casual acquaintances"

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He paused and continued. Mr. Lewis' talent was not good enough, so he couldn't achieve the Divine State

his lifespan was about to end. Then, Magnus used resources and secret techniques to forcefully

achieve the Divine State, it was difficult to help him achieve the Divine State... further progress, and his attempts to extend his lifespan failed. Then he came up with a method of using luck stealing to convert lifespan. He learned a secret technique and found a loophole to evade heaven's laws. He had been planning all along, using the method of having children continuously to steal luck and extend his lifespan so that he wouldn't be directly punished by heaven's laws. At that time, your master and I both opposed it and wanted to stop him. But Magnus took out the sect leader's token and ordered us not to interfere. In our sect, we all took an oath before joining that we were not allowed to disobey the sect leader's orders as long as it didn't involve risking our own lives. Otherwise, we would face divine punishment. I couldn't leave Cubilis, but I once encountered someone who was being manipulated by Mr. Lewis, and I tried to warn them. However, the other person was what they call a 'love brain' online. Not only did they not appreciate my concern, but they also accused me of causing trouble and trying to sow discord in their relationship with their wife. After that, I decided not to bother with such trivial matters anymore. My master secretly helped some people, including you and Skyler. Later, Magnus approached

me and mentioned that your destiny was very special. He suggested that you might be able to help me break free from the constraints of Cubilis. I also saw a glimmer of hope in you through divination, so I pretended to be his disciple to get close to you. But the condition was that I couldn't disclose their affairs to you while we were in Cubilis."

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Bailey added, "Now that we're no longer in Cubilis, I am not considered to be disobeying the sect leader's orders.

Upon hearing his words, Simone pondered for a moment and said, 'I see. So, it seems that Magnus is the main culprit.'

She asked, "What about my other master?"

Bailey replied, "I don't know much about Sage. I have hardly seen him a few times. He rarely visits Cubilis and mostly stays in his Cloudmist Observatory. So, I am unsure if he and Magnus are collaborating."

Chapter 459 Let's Not Pretend Anymore

Upon hearing Bailey's words, Simone sank into contemplation.

After absorbing Bailey's words, Simone suggested, "Since we're uncertain, let's visit Cloudmist Observatory later to test it out. Mr. Lewis doesn't wield such immense power, so the individual aiming to take away your physique is either Magnus or Sage. I suspect my master's demise is linked to one or both of them."

Bailey was also keen on discovering who orchestrated the plot to exploit Cubilis and strip him of his physique. "Alright!" he continued, "Should we head to the ancient tomb now, or should we dismiss it? I don't mind, but I believe you should still consider the lives of those ordinary people near the ancient tomb."

After having lived for many years and witnessed numerous separations between life and death, he genuinely didn't care much.

Simone chuckled.

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seems you understand me quite well. Let's go and take a look. They won't just talk outrightly have a plan. There must be an ancient tomb accompanied by an uncontrollable

surge of negative energy. After all, the play must unfold in its entirety."

She couldn't bear to let those innocent ordinary people suffer and die because of her.

She added, "Nothing ventured, nothing gained. Let's see the show they put on. I believe the two of us working together can still give it a shot."

If they fought alone, they might be at risk.

But when the two of them joined forces, they could even contend with a powerful celestial master who had achieved the complete unity of the Divine State.

At least they could protect themselves when working together.

And she still had a trump card.

There was also one more reason why she had to go. Today was a very special day.

She had to face it to crack the code and achieve true rebirth.

Bailey smiled, "Then let's go. Today, I'll risk my life to accompany you."

Perhaps it was Simone's personality that he appreciated and made him want to protect her.

The two of them drove to the location of the ancient tomb..

Upon arriving nearby, they noticed strands of negative energy spreading in all directions.

Simone reached out and poked the little snake on her wrist.

The little snake, still asleep, woke up, opened its lazy eyes, and lazily opened its mouth to absorb the surrounding negative energy.

If it weren't for Simone prodding it to work, it wouldn't even bother with this bit of negative energy

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Simone and Bailey then disembarked from the car and ascended the mountain.

There was a car parked in front or lic

empty. It was the car that h

earlier.

Evidently, the other party had already gone

The deeper they penetrated, the higher the concentration of negative energy.
y became.

Simone and Bailey both took out negative energy mystical tools, enabling them to absorb the negative energy around them.

If this negativenergy were to disperse, people within a radius of a thousand miles could fall ill or suffer

lents, even leading to death.

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After half our of walking, they came across a hole dug by a tomb raider, emitting negative energy.

Simone ked Bailey to stand still while she examined the surroundings.

She said "There are no traces of any formations here, so let's descend."

Bailey nodded and said, "Alright!" He was beginning to realize that Simone was extraordinary, but he didn't delve deeper into it.

As they proceeded further, the negative energy thickened, but they still withstood it.

Although they encountered numerous traps along the way, the two of them easily came them together.

After another ten minutes of walking, they reached the burial site of the tomb's owner.

Upon entering the burial chamber, a scene unfolded before them-several individuals lay strewn on the ground, their lives teetering on the edge, resembling tomb raiders caught in a precarious situation.

Magnus and three companions sat cross-legged, each clutching a mystical tool to quell the relentless surg

negative energy emanating from the coffin.

The condition of the quartet appeared grim, a clear indication of their severe exposure to the malevolent force

Upon spotting Simone and Bailey, Magnus's countenance brightened. "Old Master, Simone, you're re

Bailey acknowledged him with a nonchalant nod. "Yes, we are."

Simone approached the coffin, her observant eyes taking in every detail.

The little snake on her wrist adeptly absorbed any negative energy tempting to infiltrate her body.

Magnus watched as Simone circled the coffin, her gaze lingering at him from different points.

Upon feeling perplexed, he couldn't help but frown. "Simone, cease and help us. What are you scrutinizing?"

Simone nonchalantly leaned against the coffin, seemingly impervious to any malevolent spirits. "Tim merely admiring how realistic your props for this performance are.

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Magnus was taken aback. "Props for the performance? Have you lost your mind to the negative energy?"

Simone looked at him with a half that I can stand here unscathed

disciple's little plot failed."

"We're well aware of each other's capabilities, so why persist with this charade?"

She continued. "And if we're discussing acting. I'm a professional. You all still have much to learn. The

in this coffin seem rather valuable, considering the lengths you went to

negative energy pearls

conspire against Bailey.”

With her wealth of experience, Simone quickly discerned that something was off about the negative energy as soon as she stepped in.

It didn't seem like Mike's typical graveyard malevolence but a condensed amalgamation of various negative energies.

So, she figured out what was going on immediately.

Uninterested in prolonging the act, she exposed their scheme.

Magnus hadn't anticipated Simone unraveling their plan so swiftly.

His gaze bore a mix of curiosity and surprise.

Despite the short duration, he found Simone inscrutable.

Bailey approached Simone, his gaze icy as he looked at Magnus. "I've left Cubilis, and your commands no longer hold sway. Cut the pretense; get straight to the point."

Though he had interacted with Magnus extensively, Bailey had never seen this side of him, let alone expected the former to secretly calculate against him for so many years.

Upon hearing Simone and Bailey say so, Magnus suddenly stood up and smiled. "Well, I'll stop

pretending.

Since they couldn't deceive the two of them, continuing the act would just make them mere puppets.

He looked at Bailey and inquired, "Old Master, how long have you known Simone to place such immense trust in her?"

Bailey responded, "If I didn't trust her, should I trust you all?"

Then, he questioned directly, "Who coveted my physique, you or Sage?"

Magnus sneered, "Of course, it was me."

Sage has secluded himself in Cloudmist Observatory for years, fearing involvement. He lacks the courage to conspire against you," Magnus admitted.

He cast an avaricious gaze at Bailey. "Old Master, you've lived for so many years; isn't that enough? Why not let a younger generation like me live a few more years?"

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Chapter 460 Why Pretend When We Already Have a Showdown?

After the incident with Bailey in Chums, Sngth significantly impro

Although Magnus had already reached the intermediate stage of the Divine State, Simone could still discern his situation to some extent.

She discovered that his lifespan was dwindling.

However, he did not resort to Mr. Lewis' cunning methods to extend his life, which was why he sought. Bailey's physique.

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Magnus and suddenly remarked, "You wear the appearance of a despicable person on impresses me. No wonder your son looks the same. It runs in your family."

Magnused ut her in confusion and asked, "What son?"

Simone looke him mischievously and said, "Don't we already have a showdown? Why pretend? Do you think the your relationship with Mr. Lewis is a secret that only you know and won't be exposed? You underestimate me. The resemblance between your features and his proves that you are father and son. I have already figured it out. Your profile looks very similar to those of Mr. Lewis, Jodie, and Skyler. Your genetic inheritance is powerful."

She could see some resemblance between the features of Mr. Lewis and Magnus.

Although she couldn't directly confirm that they were father and son, she observed similarities in their facial features.

The most crucial thing was that the two of them had a very subtle commonality, but she didn't mention it.

From what Bailey had said before, she felt that Magnus's dedication to Mr. Lewis was not just that of a disciple.

she deliberately observed Magnus's profile from different angles and indeed found similarities with Mr. Lewis and the others.

Magnus' eyes showed astonishment and surprise, and then he burst into laughter, 'I never expected that

you would figure this out. No wonder my son suffered such a big loss in your hands."

This statement surprised the three people beside him and Bailey.

Clearly, they had never expected that Mr. Lewis would be Magnus's son

Simone smiled and said, "The best way to hide a misdeed is not to commit it."

Then, she suddenly left the coffin and kicked up a red tassel spear that was buried in the ground, grabbing it with her hand, Using the red tassel spear, she lifted the lid of the coffin. "Mr. Lewis, you don't need to hide anymore.

As soon as she entered, she received a reminder from the little sne that it had detected the presence of Mr. Lewis

As the coffin lid was lifted, Mr. Lewis, who was originally lying down, sat up.

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"With a fierce look in his eyes, he glared at Simone and said, "You brat! My biggest mistake was not killing

him.

If Simone had been taken care of earlier, there wouldn't have been so many troubles afterwards.

Simone raised an eyebrow and said, "You said it was a miscalculation, but regretting now won't help. You've harmed so many people; do you really think you can escape?"

She then smiled brightly and said, "But I have to thank you today."

She looked at Magnus and said, "Otherwise, how could we have lured your father, the big fish, out?"

Mr. Lewis narrowed. "So, everything today was planned by you?" No wonder he had been repeatedly deceived and managed to escape so smoothly. This cunning girl is too sinister.

Simone sighed and said, "It can't always be you setting us up, right? How does it feel to be outsmarted? It must be quite frustrating."

Mr. Lewis remained silent. He felt extremely frustrated at the moment. It had always been him a father playing mind games with others, but this was the first time they had been outsmarted.

Magnus, far more composed than his son, commended, "Very good. You're worthy of being my brother's disciple. He couldn't confront me head-on, but he made you my worthy opponent. At such young age, you show remarkable intelligence and talent."

He cast a cold glare at Simone and uttered, "I really detest geniuses like you, so you'd better go and keep your master company in the afterlife."

Simone's gaze instantly turned icy as she faced him. "My master was indeed killed by you."

Magnus sneered. "He knew too much and tried to stop us. I originally intended to help him live longer. But he didn't know what was good for him, so there's only one way for him to go."

As he finished speaking, he abruptly moved his mystical tool in his hand and shouted, "Kill!"

His three companions activated their mystical tools and echoed, "Kill!" The surroundings transformed, resembling an ancient battlefield with countless arrows flying toward Simone and Bailey from all

directions.

In their ears, there echoed thunderous and earth-shaking roars filled with overwhelming killing intent.

Simone and Bailey's expressions remained unchanged, radiating calmness.

A hint of a smile played in Simone's eyes, which unsettled Magnus and his son.

Simone then produced a puppet and tapped the talisman attached to it. "Protect!"

Bailey followed suit, displaying his own puppet. "Protect!"

The two puppets ascended, shielding them from the incoming rows, each talisman inscribed with the name of the great warlock.

Before entering the grave, Simone meticulously checked for any formations. Therefore, it was impossible for her to neglect inspecting before entering this tomb chamber.

Upon discovering the killing formation inside, she handed a puppet to Bailey and silently mouthed, "Fight

with fire."

These two puppets had been crafted after a call from Saima.

During the battle against the great warlock, Simone deliberately captured his aura and the blood that fell into the formation, crafting them into

puppet substitutes.

At that moment, they were being put to use.

Magnus and his son were astounded. "You are so cunning." Simone's unexpected actions shattered their preconception

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“Isn’t this what you taught me? Anyway, neither of you are good people, so it’s fitting for

Simultaneously, the great warlock, who had just entered Cubilis, vomited several mouthfuls of blood, with his nose and bleeding profusely

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covered his chest, feeling as if his whole body had been shot by countless arrows.

Upon sensing the murderous aura, he realized the presence of Mr. Lewis and Magnus.

In fact, he accidentally discovered their true relationship as master and disciple many ye ago.

He clutched his chest, angered by the blatant crossing of boundaries. “They have gone too far.”

Are they trying to eliminate me completely? It does align with the temperament of that master-disciple pair.

From a small leather pouch hanging at his chest, he retrieved a lifeless purple centipede.

Fortunately, he had refined this life-saving talisman before coming out, and it absorbed a considerable amount of damage for him.

therwise, by now, he would have been a lifeless corpse.

His eyes brimmed with determination. “I must eliminate them. I must eliminate all of their disciples.”

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