

## **The Miraculous Simone Gray by Opal Reese Chapter 491**

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### Chapter 491 Extra From The Past (1)

At the Gray Residence, Salma received a call from the kidnappers and immediately contacted several of

her sons to come over

Leon happened to be with Titus at the time and, upon

hearing the news, followed suit.

When they arrived, they saw Jodie and Simone sitting side by side on a long bench with their hands tied behind their backs.

The kidnapper held a gun and pointed it at the two of them.

Salma and the others negotiated with the kidnapper for a long time.

The kidnapper gave them a choice.

Jodie, with red eyes and biting her lip, said, "Mom, Reuben, Titus, Luca, Andrew, Aaron, you should choose. Simone. Although Simone is better than me in martial arts, this person has a gun, which is quite dangerous. Simone is the biological daughter of the Gray Family. I am grateful enough to have been raised by all of you. I am willing to make this sacrifice."

Upon hearing Jodie's words, Salma and the others, who were already biased, had only one thought in their minds-Simone was also skilled in martial arts, so there was no need to worry too much if she was taken away by this person.

On the other hand, Jodie did not know martial arts and was delicate. What if she got hurt by the kidnapper? They comforted themselves, saying that the kidnapping was here for the money, and they had already paid the ransom in full. They didn't report it to the police so he wouldn't harm Simone.

Upon hearing Jodie's words and seeing the expressions of the Gray Family members, Simone roughly guessed their choice.

She didn't say anything, as it wouldn't make a difference.

If she asked them to choose her, they would definitely accuse her of being selfish and self-centered, and they would think they should choose Jodie.

If she pretended to be like Jodie and asked them to choose Jodie, then they would take it seriously and think that she, because of her martial arts skills, understood the situation better.

In the end, they chose Jodie instead of her.

If Simone wanted to sever ties or something, they would definitely say, "Didn't you ask us to choose Jodie?" So, to these people whose hearts were already twisted, whatever she said would be wrong.

She didn't want to become the kind of person she hated the most.

Hence, she would just let them choose.

Anyway, since the kidnapping began, she had mentally prepared herself and didn't expect these family members to save her.

She had previously found an opportunity to pick up a small stone and tied it to the rope behind her back.

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It was about to break, and she would save herself.

Although she had made some mental preparations, Simone still held a glimmer of hope.

After everything she had done for the family, she believed they might have a bit of affection for her and choose her. Then, she heard Salma say, "We choose Jo, so release her first."

The Gray brothers also said, "Yes, release Jo."

The glimmer of hope in Simone's eyes vanished, replaced by a mocking expression.

Well, it didn't matter anyway. She had already planned to distance herself from them.

After this ordeal, as long as she could safely go back, she would sever ties with them.

Upon hearing the others' choices, the kidnappers looked at Leon and asked, "What about you?" Simone also looked at Leon, her childhood sweetheart and boyfriend.

She had gone to remote mountain areas to film a variety show and hadn't been answering his calls. They had been in less contact recently, and their feelings had faded somewhat.

But he shouldn't be like Salma and the others, with his heart leaning toward Jodie.

In Leon's heart, Simone was naturally more important than Jodie.

However, when he rushed over, he received a call from his mother.

She insisted that he must bring Jodie back unharmed.

His mother didn't really like Simone, and if he chose Simone and it became known, his mother's disapproval of her would be even greater.

Simone was stronger than Jodie and knew some martial arts.

Her ability to protect herself was stronger than Jodie's.

He had also brought along several skilled bodyguards from the Foster Family, who were lying in ambush

outside.

After the kidnappers took Simone away, the bodyguards would help rescue her.

Leon noticed Simone looking at him with a trusting expression.

He felt guilty and thought that he would explain everything to her properly after rescuing her.

With some difficulty, he said, "I choose Jodie too, so please release her first."

Simone looked at Leon with an expression of disbelief in her eyes.

She had expected the Gray Family to choose Jodie, and although she was sad, she could accept it.

But why is Iron choosing Jodie? After all, he was Simone's childhood sweetheart, and they had grown up together. Yet, he chose another woman. Simone's heart ached, and her eyes turned red.

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Looking at Leon, she asked, "Why?" He had intervened in the last variety show select

He had taken such good care of Jodie in the show.

So his relationship with Jodie was not that simple? Simone wanted an answer.

Of course, since he had chosen Jodie, no matter the reason, Simone and Leon were finished.

She wouldn't want a man like him, no matter how much she had once loved him.

Leon felt a sense of panic and said, "I'll explain later."

He would explain everything to her properly and believed that she would understand and forgive him.

Simone's eyes filled with sadness and determination. "There's no need. We're done!" Just then, the

reached out and grabbed Jodie's arm, pulling her over and pushing her towards Salma and the

kidnapper others.

"I'll keep my word. Since you have chosen her, I will release her."

Jodie was embraced by members of the Gray Family while Simone stood up.

for The kidnapper suddenly turned around and said, "But I don't want to run either. I have a terminal illness, and I can't stand wealthy people like you. My child got sick and died because we didn't have money treatment. Why should

your daughter be so pampered and worry-free? Since she was abandoned by you, I'll take my revenge on her”

Simone heard this and thought to herself that it wasn't good.

The rope in her hand was cut by a small stone. Just as she was about to rush over and kick the kidnapper's gun away, the deranged kidnapper suddenly shot at her, hitting her in a vital spot.

Simone felt her life slipping away and remembered what her master had said.

She would encounter a calamity in her life, and if she couldn't avoid it, she would die.

Simone slowly fell to the ground, revealing a regretful yet relieved smile.

She regretted not finding the person who harmed her master and seeking revenge for him.

She also felt sad that she would not be able to see Gwen one last time.

But she felt relieved that she would no longer be a part of such a family.

In her next life, she wished to have no connection with these people.

And so, she looked at them with a desolate and icy gaze.

Summoning her last bit of strength, she said, “You chose to let me die, and I will remember that. It's better to die. Consider it as repaying your favor of giving birth to me. From now on, we have no relationship.”

Among all. Leon hurt her the most

She didn't want to say anything to him before she died; the previous words of 'we're done' were enough.

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Then, Simone closed her eyes, and her life force began to fade away.

Salma and the others, along with Leon, never expected such a turn of events.

The kidnapper's words and the gunshot happened too quickly, leaving them all stunned.

By the time they reacted, Simone had already been shot and lay on the ground, fighting for her life.

The kidnapper knew he couldn't escape, so after Simone fell, he also shot himself.

The Gray Family members and Leon were filled with shock and couldn't help but shout, "No! Simone!" Leon rushed forward.

He embraced Simone with a panic he had never experienced before. "Simone, I'll take you to the hospital. Hold on... Hold on..." –

Then, he picked up Simone and ran toward the exit.

Salma and the five Gray brothers were also in a panic and hurriedly followed.

Leon reached the car first, his hands and feet trembling as he tried to open the car door.

Waiting for an ambulance would take longer than driving to the nearest hospital.

However, it was not convenient to carry Simone.

Just then, Titus stepped forward and opened the car door. "I'll drive."

Aaron opened the back door and let Leon carry Simone inside before squeezing in as well.

Titus immediately started the car and sped away.

Leon held Simone in his arms and felt her body temperature dropping. He was filled with panic and

He looked down at Simone, whose face had turned pale, and urgently shouted, "Simone, don't fall asleep. Look at me! Don't scare me! Open your eyes and look at me!"

He didn't dare to check Simone's breath; he was afraid.

Aaron was also filled with anxiety. "Simone, don't scare the hospital right away."

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He also didn't dare to check his sister's breath, afraid of receiving bad news.

Titus, who was driving, also felt weak all over, but he forced himself to stay focused on driving.

He accelerated the car to its maximum speed, and after more than ten minutes, they arrived at the nearest hospital.

Leon rushed into the emergency room with Simone in his arms. "Quick, save her!"

Soon, the doctors from the emergency room came running.

They asked Leon to place Simone on the bed and proceeded to examine her.

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They realized that something was wrong with the patient-she

The doctor reached out and checked Simone's breath, but there was none.

He opened her eyelids and noticed her dilated pupils.

He then used a device to check Simone's heart.

There was no heartbeat either.

He could only look at Leon and the other two with regret and say, "The patient has passed away."

Leon widened his eyes and demanded. "How is that possible? It can't be! Doctors, quickly take her to the operating room for resuscitation. She's not dead; she's just unconscious."

Aaron also said, "Yes, my sister can't be dead. Please save her!"

The doctor knew that the patient's family couldn't accept this reality.

Hence, to ensure the patient's safety and that he acted responsibly, he asked the nurse to take Simone to the resuscitation room.

While using the device to recheck, they started performing life-saving measures such as CPR.

At this moment, Salma and others also arrived at the hospital.

As soon as they arrived, the doctor came out of the resuscitation room.

He shook his head at them and said, "I'm sorry, but we did our best. Please accept our condolences." This statement was unacceptable to Leon and the Gray Family.

"No... You must be joking, right? She's so strong; how could she be dead?"

The doctor said, "She was shot in her vitals and died instantly. Please accept our condolences."

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Leon felt as if he was being tightly held by a strong grip, suffocating in pain.

"No, it can't be.. My Simone can't be dead"

He rushed into the emergency room.

Seeing the bed covered with a white cloth, he immediately rushed over and uncovered it.

Holding Sithone, he said. "Simone, don't scare me... I'm really scared... Open your eyes and look at me. I haven't explained to you yet, so why did you fall asleep?" He was overwhelmed with panic, his eyes red. "I was wrong. I shouldn't have chosen Jodie. As long as you wake up. I'll do anything for you, okay?"

Salma also rushed in, looking at her daughter, who was pale as a sheet.

“Simone, don’t sleep. Look at your mom. We didn’t choose you just now, not because we don’t love you, but because we thought you were stronger and more capable of protecting yourself. Don’t scare us. We were wrong. Wake up!”

Meanwhile, the Gray brothers couldn’t believe that their sister had actually died.

How is this possible?

However, Regardless of whether they could accept it or not, Simone was indeed dead.

Leon held Simone’s cold body and cried. ‘Simone, don’t leave me! You said we grew up together, and we were supposed to be together for the rest of our lives: We’re not finished. I can’t let you go. I love you!’

Salma and the Gray brothers also felt heartbroken and cried.

Leon held Simone’s body tightly and didn’t let go until evening.

Whenever someone tried to pull him away, he would collapse and hold onto Simone even tighter.

It was only when Adam heard the news and brought Melinda over that Leon finally let go.

Seeing his son like this, Adam couldn’t bear it either.

He didn’t expect Simone to die.

He had originally thought it would be better if Leon and this girl grew apart so as not to drag her into the whirlpool of their family and harm her. However, things had now happened this way.

Adam tried to persuade Leon, but the latter didn’t listen at all. He just held onto Simone.

Melinda didn’t expect Simone to die either, but she thought it might be for the best.

This way, the Gray Family's heiress would only be Jodie, and Simone wouldn't have to be entangled with her son anymore.

"Leon, she's already dead. Are you crazy, holding onto a dead person like this? After such an incident, I know you're upset, but I hope you can be rational and calm down a bit

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She then spoke in a commanding tone, "Let go of her and come home will!

With the way her youngest son cared for her and listened to her, he would still go home with her even if he was in pain.

But at this moment, Leon was only filled with despair and anger.

He looked at his mother with bloodshot eyes and roared, "It's all because of you! If you hadn't insisted on me protecting Jodie, how could I have chosen her first? My Simone was murdered, and you're happy about it, reveling in my misfortune. How could you be so cruel? Mom, do you hate me that much? You had to harm the woman I love just to make yourself happy, didn't you?"

Melinda didn't expect Leon to say such words. She was so angry that she fell back. "Y-You scoundrel! What are you saying?"

What did he mean by saying that I harmed the woman he loved?

"Are you crazy?"

Leon was filled with madness as he retorted, "Yes, I am. You two, get out."

Melinda wanted to curse but was pulled away by Adam.

He wasn't in the mood to pretend to comfort her now. He had his assistant forcefully send her away, afraid of further upsetting his son..

Leon still held onto Simone, and in the end, Adam had to ask the doctor for a sedative.

When he tried to comfort Leon in the past, he hit him.

That was the only way to make Leon let go.

Meanwhile, Owen and Alice heard the news and rushed to the hospital with other members of the Gray Family.

They didn't spend much time with their granddaughter, but she was still part of the Gray Family bloodline.

Their daughter-in-law and several grandsons had to be out of their minds to choose Jodie. Owen and Alice couldn't hold back and scolded Salma and the Gray Family brothers harshly.

Then, they went to take care of Simone's affairs.

Steven also rushed back from overseas that night.

After learning the details, he couldn't hold back.

With red eyes, he slapped his five sons. "You are all scoundrels! You killed your own sister!"

Then, he looked at Salma with disappointment and contusion. "And you... She is our daughter, and yet you abandoned her,"

Salma cried and shook her head. "I didn't want to abandon her! I didn't know the kidnappers would kill

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her!"

The fact that her biological daughter was shot because of their choices made her want to collapse.

Steven also wanted to collapse and felt immense guilt.

He was busy with work and neglected his daughter, resulting in such a tragic outcome.

Simone's funeral was a day later.

Gwen received the news and rushed back from overseas.

She immediately rushed over and grabbed Leon's collar.

She slapped him a few times and shouted, "I never expected that you would kill Simone for another woman! Leon Foster, you are simply despicable! What right do you have to stay here with Simone? You are just like Mrs. Foster, both heartless and cold-blooded animals!"

Gwen had already passed out on the plane once.

brother Her eyes were swollen now, and she cried and shouted, I am not related to people like you! From today onward. I am cutting ties with you. You are no longer my brother, and you don't deserve to be my either!

Then, she turned to Salma and the others. "Don't pretend to be righteous here. Simone doesn't want to see your disgusting faces. You are not worthy of being her family. You are worse than animals! I will take Simone's ashes with me and give her a proper burial. She wouldn't want to see any of you."

Gwen then pointed toward the door. Get out, all of you!"

Naturally, Leon and the Gray Family were not pleased.

But this time, Gwen was prepared. She had spent some money to hire a few mercenaries to forcefully drag Leon and the Gray Family out

Her actions gained the support of Owen and Alice.

They also believed that their granddaughter wouldn't want to see those who caused her harm.

So, they helped Gwen and prevented Leon, Salma, and the others from coming back.

Afterward, Gwen buried Simone next to her master's tomb.

She even took all Simone's belongings away from the Gray Family with mercenaries and burned them all. She then announced in the newspaper and on Facebook that she had cut ties with her mother and Leon.

After completing all of this, Gwen left the country, not wanting to stay in this place of heartbreak.

Later on, Leon quit all of his work and went to sit in front of Simone's grave every day.

He reminisced about their memories and constantly admitted his mistakes.

Every day, he regretted his actions and missed Simone, feeling immense pain.

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He ignored Gwen's scolding and emotional appeals,

He didn't care about his career or going home. He bought a house near the cemetery and stayed there, guarding Simone's grave every day.

As for the Gray Family, Steven knew he was also at fault, and he admitted it.

He didn't know how to face his wife and sons.

And so, he resigned from the position of chairman of the Gray Group and directly applied to work at the overseas branch.

With Steven leaving the company, Reuben, the heir, naturally lost his chance.

Especially when Owen was disappointed in this grandson and supported another grandson to take over.

With Steven gone, although Salma and the Gray brothers allowed Jodie to stay at home, there was a barrier deep down within their hearts.

They couldn't move past the hurdle of Simone's death.

Especially after Simone's death, whether it was Salma or the Gray brothers, they couldn't help but constantly think of Simone's care and thoughtfulness toward them in their actions. They regretted and missed her even more.

They didn't know how to cherish her when she was alive.

But after Simone's death, they all realized how good of a sister she was and wished they could turn back time to treat her well.

Afterward, Jodie borrowed luck from all the brothers.

Without Simone's reminder this time, all of them gave it to her.

And then, they all faced continuous failures and setbacks in their careers, relying on the small shares they had in the Gray Group to get by.

Then, Skyler exposed the fact that Jodie was siphoning their luck.

They finally realized that their misfortune was related to Jodie.

They also learned that the kidnapper and Jodie were actually colluding.

Back then, it was a conspiracy orchestrated by Jodie and her own biological brother against Simone.

They revealed that Simone's disappearance years ago was not an accident but a joint effort by Jodie's biological parents.

Jodie becoming a foster child in the Gray Family was also a calculated move, all for the purpose absorbing their luck.

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Salma and the Gray brothers were completely devastated by this revelation.

Leon went even crazier, persuading Jodie to go out for a meal and driving with the intention of dying

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together with her.

But at that time, Jodie had unbelievably good luck, and nothing happened to her, while Leon himself ended up in a serious car accident.

He spent the rest of his life in a wheelchair, still visiting Simone's grave every day.

Salma and the Gray brothers wanted to seek revenge on Jodie, but they ended up being the unlucky ones every time.

They became more and more destitute and unfortunate.

This made their feelings toward Jodie change from affection to resentment and a desire for her to suffer or even die.

However, they couldn't do anything to harm Jodie. They could only feel frustrated, helpless, and suffocated.

They felt guilty and missed Simone, often visiting her grave and talking to her.

Ten years after Simone's death, Jodie suddenly died.

At that point, Jodie looked like an old hag and was even more ugly and disgusting.

Salma, the Gray brothers, and Leon felt a great sense of relief, and tears of excitement streamed down their faces.

This woman finally received her retribution, and it served her right! Meanwhile, their lives in the latter half were not good, and they deserved it too.

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#### Chapter 493 Simone And Zac's Extra Story (1)

After resolving the incident with Sage, Bailey invited Simone to enjoy the moon in the backyard one day,

Simone entered the yard and saw him sitting on a stone chair. He exuded a pure and ethereal aura, with a hint of distance, as if he could ascend to immortality at any moment.

Sitting across from him, she glanced at the wine he had prepared on the table. "You seem to be in high spirits today."

He poured a glass of wine for her and smiled. "The moonlight is exceptionally beautiful tonight."

Simone played with her wine glass. "Bailey, do you have something to tell me?"

He looked at her and nodded with a smile. "You're very astute. I am leaving, and I invited you to join me in appreciating the moon tonight as a farewell."

Simone was surprised. "Leaving? Where are you going?"

He whispered, "I've discovered a secret at the source of that cursed crack. There is a barrier at the deepest part of the crack, which should be a passage to another world. I have heard that our sect leader accidentally fell from another world to this one, and that world possesses spiritual energy that we lack here, just like the cultivators described in novels. So, I want to see that world."

Simone was taken aback. "So that's the true purpose of that crack." She believed that the other world was the world of cultivation. After all, she had experienced so many mini-timelines, and they were all real.

She asked, "Can you break the barrier and go there?" She knew that even though Bailey had a cold temperament, deep down, he enjoyed seeking excitement and exploring the world of cultivation seemed to align with his nature.

Bailey nodded. "I actually crossed over that day and found out that my special physique allows me to bypass that barrier. Then, I discovered that there is a passage, but only those who have achieved the Divine State can withstand the gravitational compression, and I have fulfilled all the requirements to go."

Simone raised her glass at him with a smile. "I wish you an exhilarating life in that world."

He clinked his glass with hers. "Thank you, I will" There was nothing here that he was attached to, so he was eager to venture out. The only thing he cared about a little was Simone, his junior.

After pondering for a moment, he said, "Once you have fulfilled your heart's desires and achieved the Divine State, I can have the flying serpent take you through that crack. I suspect its ancestors were also from there because it possesses a unique aura and can pass through that barrier without any restrictions."

Simone was not surprised as she had the same suspicion. She smiled and asked, "What do you think I desire in my heart?"

Bailey chuckled and said, "Love and friendship. The reason why I can leave anytime is because I have nothing here that I am attached to, but you have too much that you cannot let go of, so you are not ready to leave." He said

meaningfully, "I think you can save the struggle, just accept it naturally according to your heart and be together if you both have feelings for each other. Once he grows old and passes away naturally, most of your friends would have also passed away. That is when you will have no worries, and it will be time for you to come find me."

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Simone understood what he meant and chuckled, sighing. I'm not struggling: I just did not want to involve him because I have not eliminated the hidden dangers yet. She had always been a person who was true to her feelings. "Thank you for your insight, and you have a clear perspective. There are indeed many people and things that I cannot let go of. When the time comes for me to let go naturally, I will come find you." She looked at him with bright eyes. I just hope that you will have already made a name for yourself and will protect me when the time comes."

Bailey grinned. "No problem."

They enjoyed the moonlight and chatted while drinking until the next day when Bailey got up and left just as the sun was rising.

After Simone watched him leave, she returned to her room and took a nap. Then, she went to the studio and finished the pending work. Besides, she also brought in a few managers to secure good resources for

her artists.

As a well-known top geomancy master in the industry, many people sought her help with fortune-telling. Additionally, the artists signed by her studio were carefully selected; having a good character was the most basic requirement, followed by ambition and a willingness to improve their acting skills, which put directors at ease. As a result, Simone no longer needed to actively seek resources because they simply came to her.

After having her fill playing with the little puppy, Gwen returned and dedicated herself wholeheartedly to work, and the studio continued to grow and thrive.

One day, Simone received a call from Zac. "Simone, I am back. Shall we have dinner tonight?"

Simone smiled. "Sure!"

Zac had been filming out of town recently, and she had visited the set a few times. As long as he was shooting night scenes or she had something to do, they would message each other every night.

At the appointed time, Zac came to pick her up in his car, and they went to a very private restaurant. Being the considerate person that he was, Zac removed the fish bones for her.

“Simone, I have accepted an offer to be a mentor on a music live show and need to invite a friend to assist me. The show starts next month, and I would like to invite you. Are you available?” He had discussed this with Simone before and knew that she had been busy with studio work lately and had no personal commitments, which was why he wanted to invite her.

Simone smiled and replied, “I have some free time recently, so I can accompany you.”

Zac’s eyes lit up. “That’s great. If the director finds out that I have invited you to assist, he will probably be

Simone was now a popular top-tier, actress in the entertainment industry, and any show she participated in attracted a huge audience.

Of course, his invitation to Simone was not solely because he valued her popularity but simply because he wanted to work with her.

After thinking for a moment, Zac extended another invitation. “How about we go on a vacation together next week?” This time, just the two of them

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Simone could easily see through his intentions, but she was happy to indulge him. “Sure.”

The smile on Zac’s face grew even brighter. “Where would you like to go? Let’s plan the itinerary together

Simone pondered for a moment. “How about going to an island? A friend of mine recommended a beautiful foreign island that is less crowded after her recent trip.

He smiled and replied, That sounds great. Let's go there. As long as he could spend time and have fun with her, he would enjoy any destination. So, they made their flight and hotel bookings together.

Five days later.

Both of them were well-known celebrities. Although Zac wasn't concerned about being photographed, he worried about it affecting Simone. To avoid being easily recognized, he dressed up in a way that would make him less noticeable before driving to pick up Simone and going to the airport.

On the other hand, Simone wasn't particularly worried about being photographed either, but she appreciated his thoughtfulness because he always prioritized her. This was something Leon couldn't provide, and she always feared burdening him instead.

After arriving at the hotel, they took some time to rest. In the afternoon, they had a buffet together and then took a stroll along the beach. The sunset was beautiful, and Zac intentionally brought his camera to capture many stunning photos of Simone.

"Do you want to go out to sea? I have a yacht here. We can watch the sunrise on the sea tomorrow morning. When they decided to go on this trip, he arranged for someone to purchase and redecorate a yacht.

Seeing the anticipation on his handsome face, Simone chuckled and answered, "Sure, I've never spent a night out at sea before."

Zac knew how to operate a yacht and even obtained a license for it. The two of them didn't bring anyone else, and he piloted the yacht and took Simone out to sea.

Simone admired the newly decorated yacht and the variety of food, realizing that he had prepared everything in advance. As they stopped in a specific area of the sea, she looked up and saw the starry sky and the shimmering waves, which painted a breathtaking view.

Meanwhile, Zac grilled skewers on a rack, and she noticed that he only grilled the ones that she liked. Since she had never told him her food preferences, it seemed that he had observed and discovered them himself. Indeed, it sure felt wonderful to be cherished and cared for.

After finishing the skewers, they each returned to their rooms to freshen up. Simone dried her hair after showering and noticed the beauty of the night sky, which inspired her to do something. She put on a camisole nightgown and went to the bow of the ship to admire the moon.

After a while, Zac emerged with a bottle of red wine and two glasses. He shook the wine glass and smiled, asking, "Simone, care for a drink?" Tonight, he was prepared to confess his feelings and was very nervous.

Simone reached out and took the glass, saying, "I'll have one"

Then, they sat side by side on the deck, sipping their wine. After a few glasses, Zac held his wine glass tightly, turned his head, and gazed at Simone affectionately. "Simone, I like you." Nervously and anxiously, he asked, "Will you be my girlfriend?" This was his first confession.

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Simone turned her head and met his gaze, seeing her reflection in his eyes. Smiling, she nodded. "Okay!"

Zac widened his eyes, filled with surprise and excitement. "Y-You agreed?"

Simone looked at his silly expression and chuckled. "Yes, I agreed to be your girlfriend."

Suddenly, he reached out and embraced her. "That's great, I'm so happy!"

Simone returned his hug. "I'm happy, too." She had been attracted to him for a long time, and since she liked him, they might as well be together. Living in the present and finding happiness every day was the most important thing.

Zac released his hold on her and looked down at her face and lips. He wanted to kiss her so badly, but he was incredibly nervous; because he liked her so much and cared deeply, he became cautious.

Seeing his innocence, Simone realized that she needed to take the initiative. So, she reached out and held his chin, kissing him first.

Zac's eyes narrowed as he felt the warmth of her lips, and his heartbeat quickened as he experienced a tingling sensation all over. Instinctively, he held her tightly and took control.

They shared a passionate kiss for a long time, and he carried her to the bedroom. Gently, he placed her on the bed and kissed her with overflowing love. "Simone, may I?" At that moment, he only desired her, and he felt like he was about to burst with desire, but he still wanted to respect her wishes.

Simone answered him with a kiss.

Their connection went beyond a spiritual level; it also became physical. It wasn't just Zac who desired it. Simone, being a normal woman, also longed for intimacy.

The next day, they both overslept and missed the sunrise they had planned to watch. However, on the third morning, not only did they wake up on time, but they also shared a passionate kiss under the rising

Sun.

They spent a sweet and blissful week on the island before Zac reluctantly bid farewell to Simone and returned home.

After dropping her off at her house, he held her hand and asked, "Simone, do you mind if we make our relationship public?"

Simone replied, "I don't mind."

She had chosen a career in acting and had plenty of resources, so she didn't care whether their relationship was exposed or not. Besides, she realized that many of her fans were hoping for her and Zac to be a couple.

She countered, "Do you mind? If you're worried about the impact, we can keep it private."

Zac immediately responded. "Of course, I don't mind either. I'm not portraying myself as a single person, and even before entering the entertainment industry, I was a hobby actor. I don't care about how our relationship will influence my career. If people who like me stop supporting me just because we're

together or because of anything related to you, then I'd rather not have those fails.

about is you."

Although grateful for the fans' support, he wanted to have control over his own life and freedom.

Simone playfully pinched his handsome face and said. "Then, let's find an opportunity to make it public."

Zac had an idea. "How about announcing it on the TV show we're recording next week?"

Simone understood that he wanted to reveal their relationship in front of a live audience and many viewers. Without spoiling his plan, she agreed, "Sounds good."

Unbeknownst to them, their trip had been captured by someone, and rumors about their relationship began to circulate. They didn't pay attention to it and didn't request for it to be taken down. Previously, they had traveled with others on two occasions, so people were unsure if they were truly together, but it served as a prelude and transition.

After two days, Zac couldn't wait any longer and brought Simone home to meet his family. Unlike Melinda, Zac's mother warmly welcomed Simone, and her genuine warmth made her feel at ease.

From his grandfather to the younger generation, everyone in the family showed a welcoming attitude toward Simone joining their family, and even his cousins enthusiastically referred to her as "wife." Later, Zac's mother took the initiative to invite Simone for meals, shopping, and beauty treatments, establishing a harmonious relationship. She also informed Simone that if they wanted to get married, the family was ready at any time. If they didn't want to get married so soon, they wouldn't pressure them, either.

In summary, Zac's family was happy and blessed that they were together, and as long as they were happy. no one would interfere with them. Simone enjoyed the atmosphere and the company of the elders at the Turner household because it felt like home.

Soon, it was time for the live music variety show. The mentors invited celebrities to assist them, and these celebrities were mysterious guests, so their identities were not revealed. Therefore, on that day, Simone caused quite a sensation as soon as she appeared.

Although some people speculated that Zac would ask Simone for help, many believed that given Simone's current popularity and status, it was unlikely for her to be an assistant mentor. After all, if she wanted to participate, the director would offer her a mentor position directly.

This drove the fans wild. In the live chat, they were all saying. Zachy is spoiled by his wife.

"They are so sweet.

"They are perfect together.

The director noticed that the number of viewers in the live room skyrocketed within an hour, reaching tens of millions, and he was extremely excited. People in the industry claimed that Simone now had millions of followers, and this was true.

In the first episode, each mentor and their assisting guest had to perform a song, and Simone performed a song that she had written.

Although the title of the song, "New Life, may sound cliché, the lyrics and melody were anything but

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cliché; they were beautiful and moving-

Playing the guitar, she sang in a voice that carried an ethereal and magnetic quality, captivating the listeners. It was as if they could see her past hopes, helplessness, and despair. Then, suddenly, everything became clear: the past was left behind, and she soared high, becoming a new self. This song became an instant hit that reached the top of various music charts on the same day.

Leon and the Gray Family brothers were watching the live broadcast and listening to the song, and they were also captivated by it. They felt a bit uneasy because they now knew that Simone had written it herself, especially Luca, as he had just realized that his sister had such great talent in songwriting and composing.

On the day the first episode of the live broadcast was about to end, the production team prepared a surprise visit and went to the hotel where the mentors were staying to see their current state and rooms. Of course, before recording the show, the production team had obtained the mentors' consent. However, they did not inform them of the specific day of the surprise visit to achieve a more authentic effect.

That day, the production team knocked on the doors of the other mentors first and entered to take a look. Zac was the last one to be visited. When they knocked on his door, it didn't take him long to open the door in a robe..

At the sight of the production team live broadcasting, he was stunned, and just when the production team's staff was about to speak, a beautiful and lazy female voice came from the room, "Who is it?"

Everyone was shocked. The viewers watching the live broadcast were equally stunned, and the live chat suddenly became quiet. There was a woman in Zac's room. What big news this was! While everyone was curious about who this woman was, some already recognized Simone's voice, but they couldn't believe it.

The show's staff looked at Zac's face and saw that he wasn't angry or upset. Instead, there was a smile on his lips that he couldn't hide. "We're here to surprise you today. Can we broadcast from your room?"

Zac didn't answer immediately. Instead, he turned and asked, "The show's crew wants to come in and visit the room. Should I let them in?\*"

Knowing that he had been waiting for this day for a long time, she smiled and said, "Sure, let them in." Then, on the live stream, Simone appeared wearing the same robe, sitting on the bed and playing with her phone. When she saw the camera, she looked up, waved, and smiled, "Hello, everyone!"

The whole livestream exploded with excitement from Simone and Zac's fans, but there were no insults or criticisms like when other top stars were found to be in a relationship because their fans had a unique style.

Ah, Zachy finally made it to my wife's bed.

"Zachy finally got lucky with my wife. It's not easy!

"The couple I'm supporting came true. Oh my god, I want to cry!

"My wife is spoiling Zachy so much. It's obvious they're in an open relationship"

Definitely, Zachy's happy and sung smile can't be hidden

"Their way of announcing their relationship is really special, but I like it!

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Of course, some fans disagreed or couldn't accept it, but their comments were drowned out. Soon, the video of Zac and Simone together soared to the top of the trending headlines.

After watching it, Leon felt his heart turning cold; the thing he least wanted to see had happened. Unable to bear it, he called Titus and Harold out for a drink. As they drank, Titus opened Facebook on his phone before glancing at Leon. "Simone and Zac announced their relationship. They look quite compatible." Although Leon was his buddy, no matter how he looked at it, Leon couldn't be compared to Zac, and he was happy for his little sister.

Without her family, she would still have someone who loved her for the rest of her life, which was great!

Leon gave Titus an evil glance but didn't say anything and just continued drinking. As he drank, his eyes turned red. He knew that Zac treated Simone well and was considerate of her, and Simone had also fallen for Zac. Still, he couldn't bring himself to bless their relationship. He just felt heartbroken and uncomfortable. Well, that's how it is as long as Simone is happy and content. My little girl doesn't need me

anymore...

Simone and Zac posted the same thing on Facebook. They took a photo of themselves together at the beach and another one of their hands intertwined.

SimoneV: We're together!

ZacTurnerV: We're together!

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