

## Mr Conrad 1081

Chapter 1081-As a result of listening to Natasha's analysis, Elaine was a bit distracted during the meal. When Aaron talked to her, she took a long time to respond and answered in a fumbling and stammering manner.

By the end of the meal, when Elaine was checking out, Aaron walked over: "You afternoon ....."

Elaine saw him suddenly leaning so close and subconsciously ducked to the side.

Her reaction was overly obvious, with a clear avoidance and distancing.

The end of Aaron's eyes sank a few notches: "What's wrong with you."

Elaine pulled her bag: "It's fine, what did you just say, what happened this afternoon?"

Aaron stared at her, "Didn't you wait for me to get to Riverside City and you set up my itinerary, forget it?"

Elaine didn't forget, she suddenly remembered something and raised her hand, "Ah, I know, my cousin is on vacation recently, he can take you to have fun."

Aaron: "....."

The more Elaine thought about it, the more she felt the feasibility was very high, and said she was going to send a message to Archer, while saying, "My cousin is usually busy, and did not have a girlfriend, listening to the concert are alone, you two just together, and will not be bored."

Aaron spoke expressionlessly, "I came to Riverside City to hang out with you, and this is how you put me off?"

Hearing him say that, Elaine put the phone down again, "I'm not stonewalling you, I'm just ....."

She felt it was time to tell the truth and said seriously, "Didn't I tell you last time that I have a boyfriend and we have to keep our distance?"

Aaron looked outside, "Fine, then you tell her to take me."

Elaine followed his line of sight and it was Natasha who was on the phone.

"It's not quite right, she's a girl ....."

Aaron said, "How is it inappropriate, she happens to be my type, can't you just let us promote our relationship?"

Elaine: "?"

She was surprised, "You like Natasha?"

"It's okay." With that, Aaron looked at her again, "So you're allowed to have a boyfriend, but not a girlfriend?"

Elaine's mouth was half open, half unsure of what to say.

Aaron said, "That's it, you go with your boyfriend, let her take me for a casual stroll on the line."

"No no no." Elaine pulled him back, "Natasha she and my cousin ..... she likes my cousin's, you can't."

Aaron glanced down at Elaine's hand on his arm, "Not thinking about keeping your distance from me now?"

Elaine sniffed and let go again in a hurry: "You really ..... forget it or I'll keep you company, you don't hit on Natasha, she likes my cousin's."

Aaron lifted his leg forward, "That won't work, you're right, you have a boyfriend, I have to keep my distance from you. Doesn't she this just like your cousin and isn't together yet, just proves I have a chance ....."

Saying that, he turned his head to look at Elaine: "I remember, when you ranked last time, there was no your cousin. By rights, my ranking in your heart should be ahead of his, and you should be on my side."

Elaine: "....."

What a hell of a ranking, where would she have thought of such a thing.

Natasha finished her phone call and saw two people leaning quite close to each other talking about something, immediately came over as if they were enemies and tried to separate them: "Elaine, you ....."

However, without waiting for her to finish, Aaron had already reached out and put his arm around her shoulders, "Let's go, I'll leave the trip to you today."

Natasha's eyes widened in shock and she looked back at Elaine while exclaiming, "Elaine, what's going on?"

Elaine's temples popped and she hurriedly followed.

So, the trip ended up being three people.

Along the way, Aaron really didn't pay much attention to Elaine, talking to Natasha about anything and shoving his phone into her hand to help her take pictures.

Natasha was dominated by him the whole time, her brain was completely turned around, and out of physical instinct she caught the phone and gave him a few shots.

Aaron walked over and casually swept his eyes: "It's okay, go ahead."

Elaine followed them, regretting very much what she had said to Aaron at noon today.

Her intention was to live in harmony with Aaron without ruining the friendship, but she didn't expect him to be so angry.

Guess he really just thought of her as a very good friend and was treated like this.

Elaine is also quite overwhelmed.

But .....

She looked at the two people walking together in front of her and suddenly had an idea.

I have to say, Aaron came at the right time too.

Elaine took out her phone, snapped a picture of their backs and sent it to Archer.

Archer replied almost immediately: [?

Elaine typed: [This boy is chasing Natasha, do you think it's okay.

Archer: [What can you tell from just a back view.

Elaine: [It just looks like a good match, don't you think.

Archer: [Didn't think so.

Archer: [She is in a relationship, what do you think is useful, it is up to her].

Elaine: [She thinks it's pretty good, otherwise she wouldn't be out playing together].

Archer: [Then what are you doing following along.

Elaine: [.....]

She thought about it, but still felt that since Aaron was going to be here for a few days, it would be more or less inconvenient to have the two girls following them all the time, and it would be more appropriate to have Archer, who could also drive them along.

Elaine: [Cousin, do me a favor.

Archer: [I'm not your cousin]

Elaine: [It just so happens that you're not on vacation, there's nothing going on these days anyway, want to come out and have some fun with us?

Archer: [Your dessert store is about to open and you still want to have fun?

Elaine: [..... That's not just a few days away, just to relax before the opening].

Archer: [Not interested, I'm going to rest at home for a few days, don't come to me with nothing to do].

Archer: [Don't look for it even if something is wrong.

Elaine looked at the two sentences he sent over and felt a wave of resentment across the screen.

The corner of her lips lifted, Archer can more than tonight to come to her, even if she lost.

When Elaine looks up again, she finds Aaron and Natasha's figures have disappeared from sight.

She looked around and rushed to dial Natasha's number again, which was unanswered.

Elaine dialed Aaron's number again, and it took two calls before he picked up, saying lazily, "What, you're afraid I'll sell your friend out?"

“No.” Elaine didn’t have a good time, “My friend hasn’t had much contact with strangers, so don’t scare her and don’t always make her do it.”

Aaron said, “Got it, it’s at the bridge, you’re coming over.”

Elaine put away her phone and looked towards the place Aaron said.

Chapter 1082-Elaine and Natasha accompanied Aaron for a whole afternoon of shopping, and when he returned to the hotel satisfied, Natasha slumped into the sofa in the hotel lobby and spoke breathlessly, “I think he’s not your friend at all, he’s sent from heaven to torment you, right?”

Elaine was also tired enough to sit next to her, somewhat overwhelmed: “I’m sorry, it’s all because I dragged you down.”

Natasha sniffed and rubbed up, “I just said it off the top of my head, I didn’t mean it like that .....”

Elaine nodded: “I know, but he wasn’t like that before either, because I said I wanted to distance myself from him and he was probably angry.”

Natasha frowned, a little confused: “Is he angry because he was poked in the heart?”

“No.” Elaine shook her head, “I think he really only thinks of me as a friend.”

“It shouldn’t be.” Natasha pondered, “But he really looks, like he likes you eh.”

Elaine looked at her, “Aaron said he likes your type.”

Natasha: “.....”

“He also said that he wanted to chase you.”

Natasha: “?”

Elaine also collapsed into the sofa: “But I told him that you like my cousin. Don’t worry, he’ll be here for a few days at most, and he’ll be gone soon.”

Natasha quieted down, she suddenly felt that Aaron said he liked her in front of Elaine, dragged her all afternoon, and shopped with don’t want to die, is from his revenge.

In fact, between men and women, there are simply playing from childhood to the relationship, but most, there will also be day-to-day love.

And as she listened to what Elaine said, she had reason to suspect that Aaron might still have fallen in love with her at first sight and that’s why he stayed at the convenience store to work part-time with her.

But these thoughts, Natasha thought about it or did not say, from today can see, Elaine is really Aaron as a very good friend, his like, for her will be very troubled, and do not know what to do.

Plus, Aaron doesn’t seem to have any intention of piercing the window.

Forget about it, let her bear all this storm.

The two sat and rested for a while and helped each other out of the hotel, ready to go home.

However, they had just walked to the entrance of the hotel when they saw a familiar figure.

Elaine waved at him, "Cousin."

Archer stood calmly, looking first from side to side before finally looking their way: "What are you doing here?"

Elaine: "....."

His acting is so clumsy.

Natasha was so tired that he didn't see any clues and wondered, "How come you're here too?"

Archer did not change his face: "I was lying at home all day and came out for a casual walk."

Elaine laughed, his home was at least half an hour away, and it was impressive to come up with such a reason.

She said smoothly, "That's just the thing, you can take Natasha back."

Archer said, "What about you, get in the car together, I'll drop her off first, then you."

Elaine took a breath, "I have things to do, you send her back, don't mind me."

Archer: "Oh."

He looked over at Natasha and lifted his chin slightly, "Let's go."

Natasha waved to Elaine, "I'll go first then, Elaine bye."

Elaine smiles and nods, imploring her to cheer.

After they both left, Elaine's feet were really sore and she didn't see the driver Darnell had sent her nearby, so she found a bench to sit on and took out her cell phone to get a taxi home.

But it was already a little dark, and it was rush hour, so there was a long line.

She put the car on and reached up to pound her calf.

Just as she was feeling drained, a shadow was cast in front of her.

When Elaine looked up, she met a pair of deep black pupils.

She said unexpectedly, "How do you ....."

Halfway through the conversation, Elaine suddenly realized that he had been sending someone to protect her and was fully aware that she was there.

Darnell crouched on one knee in front of her, glanced sideways at her legs, and whispered, "Tired of walking?"

Elaine nodded resignedly and explained her whereabouts for the day, "Aaron came to hang out with me, so Natasha and I took him around."

Darnell didn't say anything, just turned his back on her, "Come up here."

Elaine immediately understood and happily plopped down on his back.

On the way, Darnell said, "Did he say when he was going back?"

Elaine tilted her head: "Not yet eh, but in a few days the sweet store will open, then I will not have time for him, and he will probably be gone by then."

"I'll have time the night after tomorrow, and you can ask him to join you for dinner."

"Sure." After answering, Elaine suddenly remembered that awkward scene from last time, and she decided to call more people to share it with her, "Then can I call Archer and Natasha, she is my friend who I grew up with, and I would like to introduce you guys to each other as well."

"Yes."

Elaine's smile widened a few points, lying on his shoulder is very comfortable, vague and do not know what to say, then fell back to sleep.

It does seem to have been an exhausting day.

Darnell put her in the car.

Front row, the assistant whispered: "Master of Riverside, has confirmed, Aaron is alone to Riverside City, the Johnson family side also did not have any movement ....." "

Darnell gave a soft "shh" to signal him not to wake Elaine up.

The assistant nodded, didn't say anything more, and drove on.

Darnell let Elaine lean back into his arms and ran his hands through her hair.

Elaine slept soundly, her whole body nestled on top of him.

Darnell put his arm around her and looked out the window.

He didn't want to upset her again, so he delayed making a move on Aaron.

But he was off, but had no intention of stopping.

After a long time, Darnell spoke in a low voice: "Tell them to bring Jon to Riverside City, the day after tomorrow at the latest."

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When Aaron got to his room, he heard the news that it might rain tonight and took another umbrella downstairs, wanting to give it to Elaine.

Just as she reached the door, she saw Darnell pick her up.

Elaine's eyebrows are covered with a smile.

He took his umbrella and stood there for a long time before finally smiling to himself and turning around to go upstairs.

Aaron sat in the couch, playing with the little piggy that Elaine had given her, wondering what she was thinking.

After an unknown amount of time, his cell phone rang and a voice came from it, "Jon is going to be taken back to Riverside City soon, you better get out of there."

Aaron said, "Is he going to leave me alone if I leave?"

"Darnell already let you off the hook once at City H. You shouldn't go back to Riverside City."

Aaron laughs, "You're wrong, he let me go more than once."

He lazily continued, "I bet he'll let me go a third time, can you believe it?"

Silence on the other end of the line.

"Just don't believe it, I don't believe it either, so let's see how he really got me."

Chapter 1083-The next day, Elaine slept until noon, feeling limp and exhausted.

She yawned as she lifted the covers and headed for the bathroom, catching a handful of cold water and pouring it over her face, instantly feeling much more awake.

Elaine had just finished washing up when she got a call from Natasha asking if she was up yet.

Elaine responded, "Just getting up."

Natasha said tediously, "My God, I feel like these legs are not my own anymore, let's go to the spa."

Elaine agreed without thinking: "But I have to go to the sweet store first."

"Go later, I'll go with you after the SPA, and Aaron feels like he won't let you off the hook today, so let's get over there before he gets to you."

Elaine thought it made sense: "Okay, then I'll have something to eat and come over."

Half an hour later, the two people lay in the massage room, feeling relaxed both physically and mentally.

Natasha hummed twice in comfort and Elaine turned her head to look at her, "Did you guys say anything when Archer sent you back yesterday?"

"Didn't say anything, he dropped me off at the door and left."

Elaine spoke tentatively, "He didn't ask if there were boys after you?"

Natasha said, "No, he'd be damned if he'd ask."

Elaine grimaced, he was so calm.

The two men had just pressed the button for a while when Elaine's cell phone rang.

Elaine and Natasha looked at each other and knew without thinking who was calling.

The staff brought her the phone, Elaine put it on speaker, then plopped down on the bed, "Hello."

Hearing her voice, Aaron paused, "You're still sleeping?"

"No, I'm having a massage with Natasha."

Aaron: "....."

He was silent before saying, "You guys really enjoy yourselves."

Elaine retorted, "It's not because I went shopping with you yesterday, or else I wouldn't ....."

"Then we're all going the same way, why don't you ask me to join you."

Elaine: "....."

She was too lazy to talk to him about all this nonsense: "Okay, okay, get down to business."

Aaron said, "This is not to find you to talk about the business, how to arrange the schedule today."

"Let me take you to my dessert store, the equipment should be here this morning and I'll make you and Natasha dessert for dinner."

"Is that how you're going to get rid of me?"

"Forget it if you don't go."

Aaron said, "Fine, fine, go, send me the address."

Elaine said, "I'll send you later when we're done on this side, and you can go over there, so you don't have to wait at the door."

"Got it."

Hanging up the phone, Natasha said, "Eh, has he met your boyfriend?"

"I've seen it." Elaine continued, "I forgot to tell you, can you come along to dinner tomorrow night and I'll get Archer on later. He's inviting Aaron to dinner, but last time I got caught between them I was choking to death."

Natasha agreed readily, "Sure."

She's looking forward to this tragedy.

An hour later, both people felt refreshed after the massage.

Elaine sent Aaron the address and then went over with Natasha.

They arrived almost at the same time as Aaron, and he got out of the car and looked around and said to Elaine, "Did you open an emperor's dessert store?"

Elaine: "....."

She pointed toward Aaron, "Over there."

Aaron looked in the direction she pointed and saw the unique storefront.

He tsked, lifted his leg and walked over.

The renovation was completely finished and the store was locked. Elaine took the key out of her bag and opened the glass door.

All the designs in it were planned by her step by step, almost as imagined.

Although Natasha had been here yesterday, she didn't look that closely, and now standing in the sweet store, she couldn't help but marvel, "Elaine, this place is so nice too."

Elaine smiled and put her things down, "I'll go check the kitchen while you guys sit down."

Natasha refused to stay with Aaron and trotted in with Elaine.

Aaron found a seat and looked around the room.

This place is like her inner world, warm and romantic, yet bright and vibrant.

After two minutes, Elaine poked her head out of the back kitchen, "Is there anything you'd like to eat?"

Aaron's fingers fiddled with the ornaments on the table, "Whatever."

Elaine sends a sigh of relief, "That's good."

Soon, she came out with a plate of dry bread and plain water.

Aaron: "?"

Elaine scratched her head, a little embarrassed: "I forgot just the equipment arrived, the ingredients have not yet, the ingredients are expected to wait until the day before the opening, otherwise it will not be fresh."

As she said that, her voice got smaller and smaller and she took out her phone and said, "Forget it, I'll just order a take-out."

Aaron took a slice of dry bread and chewed, "You should be the first to order something from someone else's dessert store in your own dessert store."

Elaine: "....."

Natasha also thinks Aaron has a point: "Elaine, otherwise we'll eat this, what if people know about it and it affects your business in the future."

At that moment, a man appeared at the door, holding a large paper bag full of rich ingredients: "Miss James, Master of Riverside asked me to bring something over."

Elaine's eyes lit up instantly when she saw this and she said happily, "Thanks, you can help me put it in the kitchen."

She added to Aaron and Natasha, "You guys sit down for a minute while I go to the kitchen."

Natasha clearly saw that when she heard the words “Master of Riverside”, Aaron snorted lightly, his eyes full of mockery.

Tomorrow’s Thule seems to be even more intense.

In the kitchen, Elaine followed the man: “How did he know I needed these?”

The man said, “Master of Riverside heard that Miss James brought a friend here.”

Elaine sniffed and the corners of her lips slowly lifted.

He really knows her well.

After the man left, she took the ingredients out of the paper bag one by one, put on her apron and gloves, and began to concentrate on making dessert.

By the time she finished serving the two, Natasha was dozing on the table and Aaron was playing with his phone.

Elaine put down the tray in her hand, “There, you guys try it.”

Aaron didn’t raise his head and continued playing the game, “I’m full.”

Elaine: “.....”

She glanced at the empty plate to one side; the dry bread slices had already been eaten by him.

Natasha, who had woken up, yawned and pulled the tray in front of her: “He won’t eat I’ll eat alone, just when I’m hungry.”

Natasha tasted a bite and immediately said, “So delicious eh!”

Aaron finally looked up and stared thoughtfully at the dessert in front of her.

Natasha took the spoon just in time to try another one, but the tray was pulled over by Aaron: “Then I’ll do you a favor and try it reluctantly.”

Elaine smiled at this and turned around and walked into the kitchen.

Chapter 1084-In the afternoon, Elaine made a dozen kinds of desserts, Natasha held up to the point of no return, while walking to the kitchen to eliminate food, while watching Elaine do, looking at the equipment and utensils, feel so amazing.

Natasha put her hands behind her back: “Elaine, I really think that when you open this dessert store, business will definitely be very good.”

Elaine said, “I hope so, this has already cost me all my savings.”

Natasha said, “Then if you open a branch in the future, I will invest ah.”

Elaine smiled, “Good.”

She brought out the last dessert of the day.

Aaron sat there, lazily spoke: "My family's hotel, lack of a dessert chef, you go."

Elaine: "?"

Aaron said, "It is really condescending for you to stay here."

Elaine smiled, knowing Aaron was complimenting her, and placed the tray on the small table in front of him, "Okay, but I get paid a lot."

Aaron stared at her and spoke word for word, "I'll give you as high as you want."

It was supposed to be a couple of jokes, but Elaine somehow felt that Aaron's tone was too serious.

She sat next to them, "When this sweet store of mine closes down, I'll come to your place to retire."

Natasha handed the spoon to Elaine while saying to Aaron, "Then there's no hope for you, I'll be a loyal customer here, and as long as I'm around, this place will never go out of business."

Listening to the two of them singing in unison, Aaron chattered and said nothing more.

Natasha said to Elaine, "Elaine, eat up, you're busy one going down."

Elaine happened to be a little hungry at the moment, so she ate the dessert in front of her.

By this time, it was time for school to end and many people were passing by outside the store.

A good number of people have been giving the store a sideways glance as they pass by.

People have even come in to ask when they will open.

Natasha propped her hand on the small table and looked out and lamented, "It's nice to be reminded of being a kid after school."

Aaron said, "Come on, those people out there are walking home, you should have a special car to pick you up when you were a kid."

Natasha: "....."

She sat up a little straighter and retorted in a whisper, "What's wrong with that, talking like you didn't have a special car to pick you up when you were a kid."

Aaron said, "I had a special chase when I was a kid."

Natasha: "....."

Elaine: "....."

However, he said lightly, usually speak mostly joking ingredients in, they two also did not take it seriously.

As the sunset receded, Aaron stood up, "Let's go back."

Elaine suddenly remembered dinner time, got up and called out to him, "Eh, Aaron, let's have dinner tomorrow night."

Aaron turned his head and looked at her slowly, "Me and you?"

Natasha immediately raised her hand, "And me!"

Elaine explained, "My boyfriend called, didn't you invite us to dinner last time at City H, so this time ....."

Aaron spoke with an expressionless face: "He gave the money, what counts as my treat."

"But you helped us pick out a lot of delicious dishes. Don't worry, tomorrow night I will also pick out the best dishes in all of Riverside City for you, and I will make sure you are satisfied."

Aaron: "Oh."

Elaine didn't quite understand: "Oh means you said yes?"

"Oh means I'll think about it."

After the words, he turned around and left without looking back.

Elaine looked at his back, tilted her head slightly, and slowly sat down.

Natasha took her hand: "Elaine, don't think so much, he will definitely go, he came to Riverside City just to find you, don't worry."

Elaine said, "I'll message him again tonight when we get back and ask."

"Don't worry about it."

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When Elaine returned home, the maid was giving cake a bath in the garden.

It was already a tiny one, and now that its fur is wet with water, it looks even smaller.

The cake starts whimpering when it sees Elaine.

She put down her bag and squatted down next to the maid: "Let me wash it."

The maid answered and pushed away.

Elaine gently rubbed cake's little head and ears, and it squinted in comfort, its tongue licking her hand.

Elaine's face lifted into a smile and she gave him another back and stomach scratch.

This time the sky darkened, the temperature has been a little cooler, Elaine hurried to him after washing, and then wrapped in a dry towel, carried to the living room, took out the hair dryer, blowing his hair.

The sound of the hairdryer hummed softly, causing Darnell to walk up to her and she didn't notice.

The first found cake, directly from her arms out, jumped on Darnell's lap and shook his body hard, the water bitch him all over.

Elaine: "....."

She was about to carry the cake back when Darnell had taken her hand, "I'll do it."

Elaine dutifully handed over the blow dryer.

By the time cake was done being bad and ready to jump back into Elaine's arms, its tiny body was already under complete control.

It can only crouch on Darnell's lap, a pair of big eyes looking at Elaine pitifully.

Elaine laughed even more and hurriedly took out her phone to capture the heartwarming scene.

Darnell said to her, "You go upstairs and take a shower."

Elaine was also wet.

She stood up, gave Darnell a quick kiss on the side of his face before he noticed, and trotted upstairs.

Darnell watched her back and raised his eyebrows lightly.

Elaine went back to her room, took her pajamas and went into the bathroom. Looking at the bathtub on the side, she thought about it and turned on the water.

Afternoon massage and an evening soak will definitely be more comfortable.

After she washed her head, the water in the tub just finished draining.

Elaine wrapped her hair in a dry cap and sat down in the tub, running her hands over the bubbles and sighing tersely in comfort.

Just as she was drifting off to sleep in comfort, there was a knock on the door and Darnell's voice came, "Elaine."

Elaine woke up with a start and answered, "I'm taking a bath."

Thinking again of Darnell's clothes being wet with cake, she said, "Come in."

It's just as well that one of them is taking a bath and the other is taking a shower, and they are not disturbed.

When Darnell came in, Elaine's entire body was hidden in the tub's foam, with only her head exposed, her cheeks flushed with steam, her eyes wet: "I won't steal it, you wash it."

Darnell glanced next to him, "Are you sure?"

Elaine raised her hand and swore, "That's for sure."

When she moved, the water underneath her swirled, revealing half of her tender white shoulders.

Elaine realized and immediately shrank back, lying in the water and looking at him with a very innocent look.

Darnell closed the bathroom door, stood there, and began unbuttoning his shirt.

One two three .....

It wasn't until he untied the last one that Elaine got a little overwhelmed and she twisted her head to look at the wall.

Chapter 1085-Elaine stared at the wall for a moment, suddenly realizing that there was no sound behind her.

Did he go out.

Elaine thought about this and slowly turned her head in a tentative manner.

However, just when she met the man's quiet black eyes, she didn't have time to react before she was fished out of the water by him.

Darnell sat on the edge of the tub, palm resting on the back of her head, his thin lips pressed down.

Elaine let out an "umph", and to keep from slipping, her hand tightened on his chest shirt.

She has been soaking for a while, the air in the bathroom was already very thin, and now the breath in her chest, almost completely plundered by him.

Elaine stepped back a little and breathed heavily, "Wait ..... wait, I'm a little out of breath ....."

Darnell's lips curled slightly and his dark eyes gazed at her, "How long to wait."

Elaine: "....."

The question, why is there an answer to it.

Her face was flushed by the vapor: "Then otherwise you go ahead and take a shower, I'll go outside ....."

It seems her ideal state ended in failure after all.

Elaine tried to stand up to get the towel next to her, but found Darnell looking at her without moving his gaze.

Although what should happen has happened, but this time the light is shining, he is fully dressed, she if so naked standing in front of him, more or less embarrassed.

Elaine sat in the water and looked at him blearily.

Seeing the pleading in her eyes, Darnell laughed silently, pulled the towel and handed it to her, turned his back to her and stood aside, taking off his shirt.

Elaine immediately stood up, wrapped herself in a bath towel, and trotted out, slipping and almost falling because she was in such a hurry.

Out of the bathroom, Elaine dried herself off and changed into her pajamas, not forgetting her mission, and plopped down on the bed to message Aaron.

Elaine: [Have you thought about it?

It took two minutes before Aaron replied, [Thinking about what?"]

Elaine: [Something about dinner tomorrow night].

Aaron: [Not tomorrow night night, there is still a day of time, what is the hurry, back to you tomorrow morning.

Elaine: [Oh.]

Aaron: [?

Elaine: [?

Aaron: [Oh what does that mean?

Elaine: [Oh means I got it.

Aaron: [.....]

This is to give him back the original conversation of the afternoon.

Aaron thought about it and continued typing.

Aaron: [Is there nothing else planned for tomorrow other than dinner, Riverside City is so big, you're not going to take me to just two places, right?

Aaron watched, the opposite side is in the input, but after a long time, the message was not sent.

He sent two more emojis and still got no reply.

He knew Elaine's chatting habits well, and there was no way she would have gotten angry and ignored him because of his comment.

Aaron raised his eyes to look at the time, gradually realized what, holding the hands of the phone bubbling blue veins, face slowly darkened down.

For a moment he tried to dial a phone number, but his finger didn't land on the screen.

What do you want and what do you get from doing so.

Like a self-indulgent fool.

Aaron tossed his phone aside and looked up at the ceiling, waiting for the minutes to pass.

The other side.

Elaine was replying to Aaron's message when Darnell came out of the bathroom.

She heard footsteps and thought it would be a good idea to report back to him on the progress: "I spoke to Aaron and he said he'd think about it."

Darnell hmmed, "Ready?"

"What's good ....."

It was only when Darnell bit into her lips that Elaine realized what he meant.

Darnell pinned her to the bed, took her phone and set it aside, gradually deepening the kiss and continuing what he hadn't done in the bathroom earlier.

Chapter 1086-By the time it was finally over, Elaine was drenched in sweat and went to take another shower. Her hair, which had been wrapped in a dry cap, was largely dry and already slightly moisturized, and Elaine had wanted to be lazy and just sleep, but was pulled back by Darnell again.

He said, "Blow dry your hair before you go to sleep."

She whispered and pouted, "But I'm so sleepy."

Darnell took out his hairdryer: "I'll blow you."

Elaine immediately sat obediently in the sofa with a smile on her face.

Darnell sat behind her, powered up the hair dryer, then lifted a strand of her hair and blew on it delicately.

His movements were gentle, not pulling a single hair on her head at all.

Elaine felt like she wanted to soul-cake for a moment, if only he could help him blow-dry his hair every time.

Just as she was getting sleepy thinking about it, Darnell's voice rang out, "Something tomorrow?"

Elaine yawned, her voice a little tired: "I'm going to dinner with Aaron tonight."

"Except for this."

Elaine struggled to think: "There doesn't seem to be any eh, but Aaron was just asking about tomorrow's schedule ..... By the way, I haven't gotten back to him yet."

She thought about this and hurriedly stood up to get her phone.

This was followed by a few subtle wisps of pain in the top of the head.

Elaine: "....."

Darnell: "....."

He sank his voice: "Sit down."

Elaine immediately sat down in the couch again.

Elaine couldn't help but gently rub the spot where her hair had been torn, and Darnell turned off the hair dryer and placed his palm over the back of her hand: "Does it hurt?"

"A little bit."

She could feel that several were ripped off at the same time.

Darnell picked up the blow dryer again, "Tell him you're not available tomorrow."

Elaine's brain is now weng weng, and did not ask Darnell carefully if something was wrong or what, vaguely responded, fished the strand of hair from the sofa, some regret.

Darnell said, "Don't worry, there's plenty more."

Elaine: "....."

A few more, she will have the risk of baldness, OK.

After a while, the pain slowly disappeared and the drowsiness returned, so much so that she didn't pay much attention to what Darnell said to her later, but just responded in a daze.

Immediately after, her head lolled back against the back of the sofa and she fell asleep.

Darnell put away the hairdryer and set it aside, bent her over the bed and gently rubbed the back of her head.

Elaine mewled in comfort and burrowed into his arms.

Darnell's eyebrows jumped and he turned to turn off the lights and control her hands and feet so she would stop moving around before closing his eyes.

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The next morning, Elaine slept through the night.

I don't know if it was yesterday's massage, or the evening soak, or ..... the reason for the sweat, she now feels refreshed throughout.

She picked up her phone and looked at the time, it was not yet ten o'clock.

Elaine lifted the covers and got out of bed, while clicking on the top of the message Aaron didn't reply to yesterday, sending him a voice: "Sorry, I'm a bit busy today eh, tomorrow. It's a good thing I'm planning my trip for tomorrow today, I can't just wander around like last time."

After a long time, Aaron did not reply to her.

Elaine washed up and went back downstairs to eat when the maid told her, "Miss James, Master of Riverside said he'd be back to pick you up at noon and that the clothes for you were already upstairs."

Elaine hugged the cake and responded, "Did he say what it was about?"

"This Master of Riverside didn't say."

"All right then."

Elaine put the cake on the chair next to her and sat down, ate her breakfast and went upstairs to change.

She saw the clothes on the couch that the maid said she was wearing.

Elaine picked it up and looked at it. It was a beautiful white dress.

After changing the dress on, a beautiful makeup was put on to match this dress.

Elaine looked at herself inside the mirror and rubbed her face, her crooked eyes filled with a bright smile.

If she was right, she should be going on a date today.

By noon, Darnell had indeed returned.

Elaine happily stepped forward and put her arms around him, "I'm ready, let's go."

Sitting in the car, Elaine looked out at the scenery and tapped her toes on the ground: "Where are we going?"

"Civil Service."

Elaine: "?"

She was curious, "Which Civil Affairs Bureau is it? Is there anything interesting around it?"

Darnell gazed at her and suddenly laughed: "Which civil office do you want to go to."

"I ....."

As soon as she opened her mouth, Elaine suddenly realized something and her eyes widened slightly: "It can't be ....."

Darnell took her hand in his and whispered, "Elaine, I didn't have time to prepare a formal proposal for you, so if you refuse, I can accept it."

Elaine didn't react, but when she heard the word "reject", she immediately said, "I don't want to reject, obviously you rejected me two years ago ..... but you rejected me once, I rejected you once, so it seems fair ..... It seems only fair ..... No, no, it can not be counted that way, I should ....."

Her mind is so confused right now that she has no idea what she's talking about.

While still in a state of confusion, Darnell had placed a ring on her hand, bent his head and kissed her hand gently, and spoke slowly: "Elaine, I'm lucky to be spending the rest of my life with you."

Chapter 1087-Until she came out of the Civil Affairs Bureau, Elaine was still dizzy and felt as if it was all a dream.

And so she just, became Darnell's ..... wife?

Elaine threw her arms around him happily, "Where are we going next?"

Darnell looked at the time: "Want to go to the movies."

Elaine nodded one after another, "Yes!"

She had never gone to a movie with him before.

Darnell took her hand, "Let's go."

Sitting in the movie theater, Elaine's mind was not at all on the screen in front of her, and every now and then she reached into her bag and touched her marriage license.

It seems that if you don't pay attention a little, you will drop it.

Darnell glanced at her, the corners of his lips slightly hooked: "You can leave it with me if you don't feel comfortable with it."

Elaine thought it made sense and handed him the other marriage license.

But this movie, the genius is also not to see what the name.

By the time we got out of the movie theater, it was already 4:00 or 5:00 pm.

Elaine stretched out comfortably against the sun.

At that moment, her cell phone rang and it was Aaron calling.

As soon as Elaine got through, his unpleasant voice came through: "Are you going to eat or not, where's the address?"

Elaine then remembered with a jolt that she had completely forgotten about the address.

Just as her eyes went to Darnell, the latter had picked up the phone and faintly said a place.

Aaron was clearly not expecting this and was silent.

Darnell hung up and handed the phone back to Elaine, "Did you tell Archer."

"Not yet, I'm talking now."

She opened her phone while crackling messages to Archer and Natasha, telling them again the address Darnell had just said.

Archer was reluctant to come at first.

Elaine took out the excitement: [The boy who is after Natasha is coming too.

Archer: [What does it have to do with me.

Elaine: [No, I'm just telling you, it's pretty hilarious].

Archer: [Oh, then cousin will give you that face.

Elaine: [.....]

Sitting in the car, Darnell was answering the phone and Elaine was talking to Natasha.

Natasha: [Have you guys left yet? Then I'm ready to go over there too].

Elaine: [Off we go! /spin around]

Natasha: [?

Natasha: [Why do you seem to reveal a hint of eerie excitement.

Elaine sent several shy and happy emojis one after another.

Elaine: [You'll see when we meet later.]

Natasha: [You don't have any more cousins and uncles that are so handsome that you plan to introduce them to me, do you?]

Elaine: [.....]

Natasha: [Although your cousin is a big straight man, but sometimes it looks quite cute, I want to drink some wine tonight, take the opportunity to confess.]

Speaking of drinking Elaine's mind uncontrollably recalled some images she had forgotten for a long time.

Elaine: [It's not impossible .....]

With her encouragement, Natasha has more courage.

Natasha: [Okay! Then it's decided!]

After Elaine finished talking to Natasha, she looked up and heard a voice on Darnell's cell phone, "Master of Riverside, Jon has arrived in Riverside City."

Darnell hummed and then hung up.

Elaine puzzled to speak: "Jon who is ah, sounds like some familiar, is ....."

Can't think of any.

Darnell rubbed her head, "It's nothing, you don't recognize it."

"Is that your friend, and if so, should I ask him to come over for dinner with me."

Elaine smiled, "No need."

Elaine looked down at the ring on her hand, a smile growing at the corners of her lips.

Darnell took her hand in his and slowly clasped it in his palm.

By the time they got to the private room, Archer was already sitting there, looking straight at them, "How can someone be invited to dinner but let the guest arrive first."

Darnell glanced at him and spoke nonchalantly: "Why did no one else arrive but you."

Archer: "....."

He said, "That's because I live close by."

The second to arrive was Natasha. The staff pushed open the door to the private room and she poked her head in first, looking around.

Elaine reached out to greet her, "Natasha, here."

Natasha walked over and after a moment's hesitation, took a seat next to Elaine and next to Archer, eventually choosing the latter.

Archer said, "Why don't you sit next to her?"

Natasha lowered her voice: "It's scary over there, OK, or you can sit over there, I'm going to sit over here anyway."

Elaine introduction words stuck in the mouth, just.

There doesn't seem to be that need anymore.

Immediately afterwards, Elaine's cell phone rang again. It was Aaron, who said he couldn't find his way and asked Elaine to come down and pick him up.

Elaine had just gotten up when Darnell took her phone, "Sit down, I'll go."

Elaine randomly sat down again.

Only after Darnell went out did Natasha finally dare to speak up: "Eh, they're not going to fight, are they?"

"No way."

But Elaine did find it a bit odd how this place could not be found when there would be staff leading the way when you came in.

Archer slowly sipped his water and glanced at Elaine: "Can you put your diamond ring away, your eyes are giving me blindness."

Elaine: "....."

She had forgotten about it.

Natasha spoke in shock: "A diamond ring?"

Elaine blushed slightly and nodded.

Natasha hurriedly asked, "What's going on here? Is this what you were going to tell me this afternoon?"

Elaine continued to nod: "It's ..... going to the Civil Affairs Bureau to get a license."

"The Civil Service?"

"Get a license?"

Two voices sounded almost simultaneously, one surprised, one stunned.

Archer said, "Who did you get a license with?"

Elaine looked at him numbly, "Is there something wrong with you."

Archer choked on his water and blurted out, "No, Darnell took you to get a license for this thing is too outrageous, does your dad know?"

"I don't know yet, I guess. I'll go see him tomorrow and talk to him."

"Then he ....." Archer gave a beat, suddenly realizing something was wrong, "You've met your dad?"

Elaine nodded: "I went to see him the day after I got back, ah, and also met my Hilbert and talked to them a lot."

Archer: "....."

He went silent for a moment, strategically drinking water.

Natasha immediately picked up: "No, Elaine you're too sudden, how come you're suddenly getting a license?"

"Actually it wasn't sudden, two years ago, I wanted to get my license and then go to Switzerland ....."

After Natasha calmed down, she added, "I know why, Darnell's move was so high that Aaron could only break his teeth and swallow them."

Archer gave a sideways glance, "Who is this again?"

Natasha said, "It's one of the guys that ....." likes Elaine."

Archer frowned at Elaine: "I thought you said there was a guy chasing her? The same guy?"

Chapter 1088-Aaron stood in the lobby downstairs for five minutes and waited for Darnell.

He lazily said, "What virtue and ability do I have to actually bother you personally ....."

Darnell interrupted him coldly, "I warned you to stay away from her."

Aaron shrugged indifferently, "Then talk to Elaine, she listens to you so much, she'll do whatever you tell her to do."

"Is that the reason you approached her."

Aaron's lips hooked down, this time did not directly deny, but also did not admit.

He said, "I think you are not sincere in inviting me to this meal, there is no point, I will not go."

Aaron turned around and was just about to leave when a couple of men got in his way.

He wasn't surprised, he just turned to Darnell: "What do you mean by that?"

Darnell's expression remained the same, his tone cold: "It's you who won't go."

After the words, he turned around and left straight away.

Darnell's assistant stepped forward and said toward Aaron, "Mr. Johnson, let's go."

Aaron snickered and was led by Darnell's men, towards his opposite.

In the booth, Elaine saw that Darnell was the only one back, looked behind him several times, and wondered, "Where's Aaron."

Darnell said, "Go back."

Elaine was surprised: "Huh?"

When she was about to continue to say something, Natasha immediately coughed: "Elaine, or ..... we eat first, right? He's not always like that, his temper is strange, tomorrow it will be fine."

Elaine nodded gently, though she didn't know what was going on with Aaron, all downstairs and gone, but the meal should still be good.

After all, today is kind of their wedding day.

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After dinner, Archer sent Natasha away.

Elaine pulled Darnell, walking along the river, and asked in a whisper, "Did Aaron make you mad again?"

Darnell took her hand in his, "No."

Elaine was relieved that it wasn't that, so it was okay.

After a while, Darnell said with a sideways glance, "Elaine."

"Hmm? What's going on?"

Her other arm was wrapped around his, her eyes curved and bright and glowing.

Darnell didn't say anything after all, just said, "Go home."

At that moment, Darnell's cell phone rang and someone inside said, "Master of Riverside, they're doing it."

Darnell hummed and then put away his phone.

Elaine looked at him, "What's wrong?"

"It's okay, go home first."

Elaine gave a small "Oh" and took his hand, "Let's go then."

All along the way, Elaine touched the ring on her left ring finger with a happy and pure smile on her face.

In the distance, a moon is hanging high above the river.

When they arrived, Elaine was just about to pull open the car door when Darnell pulled back.

Elaine is unsure: "How ....."

Darnell kissed her gently on the brow and rubbed the back of her head, "Elaine, go to bed early and don't wait for me."

Elaine looked at him and dutifully responded, "Good."

Darnell let her go, "Go up."

Elaine thought about it, but moved up and kissed him on the lips, her eyelashes slightly drooping: "I don't want you to get hurt."

Although she tried to remain calm, Darnell could hear the light tremor in her tone.

He said in a slow voice, "Don't worry, it will be fine."

Elaine stood by the car, directly Darnell left, before she slowly withdrew her eyes, picked up a side of cake and went upstairs.

Lying on the couch, Elaine was about to send a message to Natasha that she had arrived, but ended up feeling all over her body and looking through her bag, and she didn't see her phone.

She froze for a moment, suddenly remembering that Darnell had taken her phone during dinner.

Elaine remembered that her tablet was still sitting on the bed, so she put down the cake, went over and plopped down on the bed and dialed Natasha's video.

But after ringing for a long time, there is no answer.

Elaine sent another emoji to Aaron and waited for a few minutes but still no reply.

She was probably a little bored and a little distracted and flustered, but she also told herself to be calm, that she couldn't always be like this when things happened, and that since Darnell had said to reassure her, it would be fine.

Elaine scrolled through the chat conversation for a while, and when she saw Stella, her eyes immediately lit up and she dialed over.

Soon, the call was answered, "Speak."

Elaine bristled, not as excited as she had been earlier, "Why are you taking your sister's phone?"

Clarence said, "Then why are you staying at Darnell's house?"

Elaine: "....."

She blushed and tried to whisper a retort: "How can this be the same, you're invading privacy by taking someone's phone at random."

"My wife agreed."

"..... Oh."

At this time, Stella finished bathing the two little girls and came over to take the phone from Clarence, and a person finally appeared in the video: "Elaine, are you okay?"

Elaine looked at her, her eyes curved, nodded her head, came closer to the phone receiver again, and whispered, "Sister, I'll tell you a secret."

A look that doesn't let Clarence hear.

Stella matched her, taking a few steps to the side and echoing, "You say."

Elaine could hardly contain the happiness in her tone: "I went to get my license this afternoon, with Darnell, and we ..... got married."

Stella spoke incredulously, "Marriage?"

Hearing her voice, Clarence, sitting in the sofa, raised his eyes gently.

Stella met his gaze back and walked out onto the balcony after realizing she had let slip Elaine's secret.

Although it is normal for two people to fall in love and get married, in her eyes, Elaine always seems to be a little girl.

It's a bit unbelievable to get married all of a sudden.

On the other end of the phone, Elaine rolled on the bed, "Yeah, I still feel like I'm dreaming."

With that, she sighed again, "But Darnell seemed to have something going on tonight, and he dropped me off at home and went out, and I'm actually a little worried about him."

Stella slowly retrieved her thoughts, "Elaine, don't worry, nothing will happen to him."

"I know, that's what he said to me too ....." Elaine said, "but I just can't help it. Sister, do you also worry about Clarence every time he has something to go out?"

"It used to be."

"Now what?"

"Now it turns out that no one seems to be as domineering as he is."

A side note to Clarence: "....."

Elaine sniffed, a smile finally appearing on her face, "Also."

Stella continued: "Elaine, Darnell's ability to sit in the patriarch of the James family is proof enough that he is fully capable of protecting himself, you get a good night's sleep and when you wake up he'll be back."

"I know, good night sister, you go to bed early too."

"Good night."

Hanging up the phone, Stella was just about to turn around when she crashed into the arms of a man who wrapped his arms around her waist, his voice low: "How dominant am I?"

Chapter 1089-Aaron sat in the car with one hand propped up by the window, looking out and wondering what he was thinking.

At that moment, the car suddenly braked sharply and forced to stop in the middle of the road.

Aaron said impatiently, "Do you guys know how to drive or not?"

Assistant Darnell looked out of the car and spoke calmly: "Mr. Johnson, the man who came to rescue you has arrived."

Aaron sniffed, and the expression on his face finally changed subtly.

Soon, Aaron's face grew sullen as gunshots rang out one after another outside.

At some point, Darnell's assistant also got out of the car.

Aaron was the only one left in the car.

He took a deep breath as the car door was pulled open and Michael's face appeared, and he said sharply, "Go, before their people get here."

Aaron spoke with an expressionless face, "Can't you see that this is a trap?"

Michael said: "I have long warned you not to come to Riverside City, you do not listen, Aaron, do not think about revenge, you have seen, you can not win him, get out of here, save this life is the most important."

Michael saw him still sitting there indifferent, reached out to pull him: "Hurry up, if it's late, it'll be too late."

Aaron looked at the approaching headlights, "It was too late a long time ago."

Michael withdrew his hand and looked at the man getting out of the car not far away, frowning slightly.

Darnell stood in front of the car, looking at them with a cold expression.

Michael took two steps backwards, and Aaron got out of the car.

Meanwhile, the people Michael brought in, were disposed of cleanly.

He looked to Darnell: "Since when do you suspect me?"

Darnell's tone didn't ripple: "I'm not the one who suspects you."

Michael's face was hard: "Then you ....."

"It's me."

A voice, coming from not far away.

Immediately afterwards, Franklin's figure appeared in their line of sight.

Michael's eyes widened incredulously, his face full of amazement and shock: "You're not dead?"

Franklin said: "These two years, I have been investigating, Caesar behind the person who is in the end, but until not long ago I found that Caesar is just a decoy, the real person behind all this planning, is you."

Two years ago, Michael chose to be on the opposite side of Darnell, as most of the James did when they went with the flow.

And his good relationship with Franklin, in Franklin's struggling period, also in the dark to provide a lot of attention.

He is also not as ambitious as the other the James, and has a very high regard for his own interests, and seems like he just wants to be able to settle down in the James family.

So not only Franklin, but also Darnell, never set their eyes on him.

Until Jon was caught.

They deliberately put out the news and the people hiding in the shadows finally showed themselves.

Michael angrily smiled back: "You guys really put on a good show, all the James in the past two years, have been fooled by you."

Franklin said, "You're the one who's acting well, Michael, why are you doing this?"

"It's just that, to this day, the king has become the king, everything is up to you guys." Michael said, "I just hope you guys can leave Aaron alone, he has nothing to do with any of this, do whatever you want to do to me, don't implicate the innocent."

Franklin didn't know much about this young man who came out of nowhere and looked to Darnell.

Half a minute later, Darnell spoke, "He's Bob Thomas' son."

The affirmative sentence is used.

Michael blushed profusely and was just about to deny it desperately when Aaron laughed and said, "Yes, I am."

Once this statement was made, even Franklin's expression slowly converged a few points.

The Thomas family and Darnell, have a blood feud.

Bob had killed his father, and later Darnell also extinguished the Thomas family to avenge his father.

Aaron said: "Why, is not regret, regret when because of a moment of weakness let me go, you killed my parents in front of me, you think, I am will be grateful to you?"

Fifteen years ago, Aaron was only eight years old and watched his parents die in front of him.

He thought that the man who had killed his parents would kill him along with them.

But the man just glanced at him, then put away his gun and turned away.

Aaron will never forget the day that blood stained his eyes.

From that day, he moved around a lot and was eventually found by his mother's sister who adopted him.

that is, his current parents.

And Michael, a close friend of his father's, holds a fortune left by his father during his lifetime.

This money has been in Aaron's hands since he was a teenager, and he is good at investing it, and soon this money has doubled by a quantity.

Later, he heard about the City Nthe Conrad family, and the James family's feud, they paid a high price to find the fugitive Jon, know more about the James family's inside story, but also in sparing no effort to use them against Darnell.

But they all ended in failure.

Finally he learns from Jon that Darnell has a weakness.

Michael stopped him, a moment as if aged ten years, he said to Darnell: "You should be able to understand Aaron's feelings, when Bob killed your father, you are also ..... injustice, it ends here."

Franklin is not saying anything about this.

This kind of personal grudge, the next person to say more will not help.

Darnell's tone remained the same as he looked to Aaron: "I've given you many chances."

Aaron laughs: "The opportunity, well, to hold in their own hands to count."

No sooner had he said that than the sound of brakes came from behind him.

After a moment of silence, Elaine stiffened her body and got out of the car with the same step.

Behind her stood Ariel with a gun raised.

Darnell's dark eyes suddenly cold, striding forward.

Franklin's face changed dramatically: "Elaine ....."

Ariel deflected the gun in her hand: "Better stand still oh, or I don't know, the hand will not shake."

Darnell swooshed to a halt, his thin lips pursed into a line, his jaw taut.

Elaine stood there, clearly stunned.

But even so, she did not cry out, just tried to control, not to let the tears fall down.

Darnell said coldly, "Let her go, and you can leave."

Aaron slowly took a few steps forward: "But now the opportunity is in my hands, what I say, is what I do."

He stood there, turned his head to Darnell and smiled again, "Well, are you sorry now?"

Elaine looked over at him and seemed to understand what was going on now as she choked out a sob and spoke, "Aaron ....."

Aaron didn't look back at her, just smiled at Darnell and continued, "You want me to let her go you can, take your life in exchange."

Chapter 1090-The entire riverside, are plunged into a dead silence.

Michael is not the only one who is unsure about Aaron's request, but also Franklin.

His face, compared to the initial panic when he saw Elaine being held up, now, gradually sank and frowned tightly.

Although said Darnell had promised him back with his life to keep Elaine safe.

But when it really comes to life and death decisions, to know, he will actually do.

Not only them, but even Ariel narrowed her eyes slightly, waiting for his answer.

However only a few seconds later, two voices sounded at the same time.

"Yes."

"No!"

One for Darnell and one for Elaine.

He looked to Elaine, eased his tone, and reassured her, "Elaine, don't be afraid, trust me."

Elaine shook her head desperately, her face full of tears: "Don't ....."

Aaron said, "Tell all your people to leave."

Darnell side-eyed, the assistant immediately stepped forward and said, "Master of Riverside!"

His voice was low and cold: "Go."

Soon, all of Darnell's men backed off and disappeared down the river.

Darnell looked back at Elaine and spoke in one word: "Tell her to come over here."

Ariel's pistol deflected to indicate, "Let's go."

Elaine stood there without moving.

Darnell whispered, "Elaine, come here."

Elaine huffed, wiped the tears from her face, and walked toward him.

Darnell stared at her intently, his thin lips pursed.

However Elaine had just taken a few steps when she was suddenly grabbed by the shoulder.

The gun that was in Ariel's hand also came into Aaron's hand, and he put it impartially against the back of Elaine's head and looked at them and laughed: "Did you think this would be the end of it? Why should I exchange with you? I said, hold the chance in your own hands to have a chance of survival."

Darnell said in a cold voice, "I say again, let her go."

Aaron said, "Do you now know how powerless it is to watch the person you love most, the person you are closest to, the person who matters most, die in front of you? Bob killed your father, you killed him that's it, why did you kill my mother! She didn't do anything wrong!"

Aaron latent in the heart of the anger completely vented out, hand tightly clenched gun, veins obvious.

With that, he snickered again, "Darnell, woe to the family, you are a Master of Riverside, do not even understand this rule."

"Those are my rules." Darnell stood there, his tone without the slightest warmth, "If you touch a hair on her head, everyone around you, will pay the price for it."

Aaron sniffed and there was a moment's pause.

Darnell is referring to his sister-in-law and aunt, his current adoptive parents.

He said, "They have nothing to do with this, and what's more, I've arranged for them to leave City H. It's impossible for you to find them."

It was also his initiative to go to Switzerland in the first place.

They only thought that he was studying over there.

Darnell said, "Then try it."

At that moment, Ariel suddenly spoke up, "Vincent is not here."

Aaron frowned and didn't say anything.

He snapped Elaine back: "It doesn't matter, it's come to this anyway, and I don't care how much further you can go, but if she dies, you should suffer more than I do."

After the words, they had retreated to the river.

Elaine's voice was a little hoarse: "So you approached me on purpose, from the beginning?"

Aaron sniffed and laughed silently, "You should ask him if he regrets sending you to Switzerland, otherwise how would I have had the chance to get close to you."

"Aaron ....."

"That's not my name."

His real name is Aaron Thomas.

Immediately after, he said in a voice that only the two of them could hear: "If you are willing to leave here with me and never see him for the rest of your life, I can also not hurt you."

More painful than watching the person you love most die in front of you, should be knowing that she is still alive, somewhere in the world, but spend a lifetime unable to find her.

Elaine said, "I'm not going anywhere."

She continued, "It doesn't matter what you think, but I've always considered you my best friend, and if you can stop now and end this, I'll pretend nothing ever happened."

"You pretend that nothing has happened, what about him?"

"I'll talk to ....."

"That's enough." Aaron interrupted her, "Do you know or not, your life is in my hands now, whether you live or die is up to me, who are you to negotiate with me."

The cold muzzle of the gun was pinned to the back of her head as he spoke, and Elaine shuddered between breaths as she closed her eyes and let the tears cover her entire face.

In just under a day, the world seems to be turning upside down.

Yesterday she was making desserts for Aaron and Natasha to eat at the dessert store, and he offered to hire her as a dessert chef at his family's hotel.

This evening, he was still playing up his temper and told her to come downstairs and pick him up.

In the twinkling of an eye, he was already pointing a gun at her.

This dream today, it seems, never woke up.

Aaron looked to Darnell and spoke again, "Or how about this, you show a little sincerity, okay. I'll only give you three seconds, if after three seconds, your arm is not broken, it's hers."

"One, two ....."

However, the second voice had just opened its mouth when a gunshot had come.

Darnell, gun in hand and blood dripping from his right arm, looked at him coldly, "What else do you want."

Aaron did not expect him to be so unhesitant, froze and then laughed, "Go on, it's only one arm, there's still a leg."