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Edith did not look very pleased too.

“Wenham is not this careless. Let’s go inside and see what this is about.”
Wilfred scoffed.

“It still wouldn’t change the fact that he’s foolish!”

Daryl chimed in, “Dad, the venue is already booked anyway. Let’s go inside first.”

Katherine added, “Dad, it’s a joyous day today. Let’s not find fault among our own family.”

Wilfred only reluctantly let go of his frustration after his children soothed him. Then, they headed toward the hotel.

Wenham and Darcie had also arrived.

Wenham was also very dissatisfied with the venue chosen and questioned Darcie, “Why did you book this one?”

Darcie explained, “I wanted to pick a better one, but Stella insisted on this hotel. I know this banquet was organized for her, so I respect her choices and follow her decisions.”

Wenham’s brows were furrowed.

Then, he kept quiet after knowing that it was Stella’s decision.

Indeed, it was important to respect Stella’s choices. But the hotel was simply not up to Wenham’s standards.

Wilfred and Edith came inside as they were speaking.

Wenham immediately approached them.

“Dad, mom, you’re here.”

“Hmph!”

Wilfred scoffed and looked away from him, Edith remained expressionless as she said warmly, “Is everything set?”

“Yeah,” Wenham replied.

Edith continued, “Wenham, Stella is not only your child but also the beloved granddaughter of the Hall family. You’re her father, and it’s only right for you to lead the ceremony. However, don’t make Stella feel neglected no matter what.”

Wenham responded sincerely, “I won’t, Mom.”

As soon as he said that, a voice rang out, “The rain is so heavy out there. The Saun family really picked an inauspicious day for the occasion.”

Molly shook off the raindrops from her body and complained, “Your newly recognized daughter seems to bring bad luck to your family. After so many rainless days, it just had to pour on the day of today’s ceremony. Even my shoes are soaked.”

These words darkened the expressions of the elders there.

At that time, another voice chimed in, “Ms. Moore, don’t be too quick to judge. It’s not inauspicious, but it’s an incredibly auspicious day. Do you know how many people are queuing up for marriage in the Civil Affairs Bureau office today? Everyone knows today is a great day. Look, it’s raining so heavily, yet there’s no wind at all. Isn’t this a rare sight? This is a sign of good luck!”

Olivia smiled faintly and quickly turned the conversation around.

Nobody would want to hear such discouraging words on a joyous occasion like that.

Only then did Molly realize that the Hall family members were there.

Then, she greeted them politely.

Wilfred and Edith nodded and ignored what she said, not wanting to argue with a young lady.

However, Daryl did not share the same patience as he said coldly, "Ms. Moore, have you heard the saying if you do not have anything nice to say, it's better to just keep your mouth shut?"

Molly was taken aback.

The look on her face turned ugly instantly. But Daryl was older than her. It would be impolite for her to talk back, so she just swallowed her anger silently.

Darcie spoke up, "Jaylene, please take Ms. Moore upstairs to rest. Bring her back down when the banquet starts."

"Okay," Jaylene said and did as was told.

A while later, Stella arrived at the hotel.

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Wilfred and Edith's mood immediately brightened up as soon as they saw their beloved granddaughter.

They finally smiled.

They warmly greeted Stella and asked about how she had been.

Stella introduced her friends to them, too.

After chatting, Trevor said, "Grandpa, Grandma, I'll take Stella upstairs. It's going to take some time for her to get her makeup ready."

"Sure, go ahead."

Edith let go of Stella's hand.

"Make sure you look gorgeous so we can show you off later."

"Sure," Stella replied with a smile.

As she turned around, she saw Darcie standing behind her.

She nodded at her before going to the lounge upstairs.

Darcie pursed her lips and pondered the meaning behind Stella's gaze.

After Stella left, Oliva started hosting the quests as the hotel's owner.

"Mr. and Mrs. Hall Sr., let me take you to get some rest and have something to replenish your energy. The banquet will only start in the evening, and it will be very tiring for you if you don't eat something now."

The elderly couple's expression eased slightly.

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After hearing Olivia's suggestion, they seemed to be less bothered by the hotel selection.

However, Wenham still could not let it go and his expression remained unpleasant.

Darcie pursed her lips.

"Wenham, I'm sorry for not thinking this through. It's my fault for blindly listening to Stella. Her return is a big deal for both the Hall and the Saun family. I was wrong for following Stella's wishes without being considerate enough. I'll make a call to the owner of Emperor Suite now and see if there's any hall available for booking. I don't mind spending a little more money to make Stella feel special."

Wenham furrowed his brows.

"We don't have the time anymore. What's the decoration going to be like even if there's a hall available? It might turn out worse than this place."

Darcie lowered her gaze.

"I'm sorry. This is all my fault."

Wenham was not blaming her, but he could not help feeling guilty that he had not given his child the best option.

Darcie had always been meticulous, so he let her pick the venue for Stella.

However, he was not expecting things to end up this way.

Darcie prepared everything herself and even carefully decorated Stella's room, leaving no detail overlooked.

Wenham had noticed it all.

So, he knew that it was not fair to put the blame entirely on her.

“Never mind. Just forget it. Stella has got to like this place since she chose it herself. Her happiness is the most important thing.”

Then, he patted Darcie’s shoulder.

“Go on and get some rest, too. There’ll be a lot of guests to entertain tonight.”

“Okay,” Darcie said and went upstairs with Wenham.

At seven o’clock, the guests began arriving one after another.

Because the hotel was not top-notch, there was some gossip among the attendees.

But they were considerate enough not to criticize it openly.

Although it was not the most expensive hotel, the interior decorations were elegant and could rival those of more luxurious hotels.

The entire banquet hall was decorated with preserved flowers, whereas the tables were decorated with fresh ones.

Preserved flowers were difficult to make and more expensive compared to fresh ones.

It added a touch of luxury to the decorations, showcasing how serious the Saun family was about this occasion.

The guests could not help but speculate who the long-lost heiress of the Saun family was.

“Where did they find their daughter?”

“I have no idea. The Saun family has been very secretive about it. They also didn’t allow the media to enter this venue tonight and prohibited us from taking any photos.”

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“Could she be a bumpkin who can’t fit into high society? Is that why they did not want to reveal her identity right after finding her back? Look at this hotel. Would they choose to organize the banquet here if they really care about her?”

“Well, although this is just a normal hotel, the decorations here are decent.

Perhaps they have other considerations.”

“An ugly duckling transforming into the daughter of the richest man in town. How cliché.”

“You’re wrong. The ugly duckling was always a white swan from the beginning.”

“Do you think the return of this real heiress will threaten Jaylene’s status?”

“It’s hard to say. I heard that the Saun family favors daughters over sons. Jaylene is treated better than Trevor in their family, even though she was adopted. Can you imagine how they’d treat their real daughter?”

“But Jaylene has been in the family for more than twenty years. You can develop feelings even for a pet in such a long time, let alone a child raised as their own. I doubt that this true heiress can overshadow her.”

“Even if she doesn’t get favored in the Saun family, there’s still the Hall family. Anyway, this true heiress has reached the peak of her life.”

Vermont clinked his glass against Keegan’s.

“I heard that your uncle, the second son of the Hall family, almost got into an argument with Wenham because of the hotel selection.”

“Uncle?” Keegan thought for a moment.

“Daryl Hall?”

Vermont nodded.

Keegan was puzzled.

“When did you become so close with him?”

Keegan could not believe that he managed to get that information from Daryl.

Vermont shrugged.

“Our personalities clicked. We got along so well that he even wanted me to become his brother, but his wife interrupted us. Otherwise, you’ll also be calling me your uncle, too, now.”

Keegan’s mouth twitched.

“Piss off.”

“Tsk.

How could you scold me after I told you something you didn’t know?”

Vermont curled his lip and added, “I’m pretty sure your wife’s stepmother tricked her into choosing this hotel. How cunning that woman is. She listed out all the hotels for Stella to choose from, so no one could blame her since Stella was the one who made the decision herself.

“But Mrs. Chapman is very clever. She made her hotel look so much better with the decorations. However, it still can’t add another star to her hotel, and every guest here knows there are certainly better hotels out there. I’m afraid your wife will lose her first battle after returning to the Saun family. Hopefully, she’ll learn her lesson from this.”

However, Keegan was not worried at all.

“Stella is very intelligent. The battle hasn’t ended yet, so don’t be too quick to judge.”

Vermont glanced at him.

“Don’t you think you’re overestimating your wife? Are you sure intelligent is the best word to describe her?”

Keegan glared back at him.

“Why would she look for the soup recipes for you if she’s not intelligent? She has been asking me about your condition, and she might have already figured out that you’re lying to Felicity.”

Vermont froze and immediately said, "Not only is your wife intelligent, but she's also gorgeous and graceful. Please, you've got to cover it up for me before I can come clean to Felicity at the right time."

Keegan scoffed.

He was about to say something more but saw Cordelia entering the venue with Aurora and Baldwin. He put his glass down and said to Vermont, "Excuse me."

Then, he walked over to Cordelia.

Cordelia noticed Keegan from afar.

She saw him coming closer and stretched her arm out toward him.

Keegan held her hand and said, "Grandma, let me bring you to your seat."

Cordelia patted his hand and allowed Keegan to assist her to her seat.

Aurora was about to follow them, but she heard Dahlia's coming from behind.

She paused and turned around.

"Mom, why are you here too? "

She was surprised.

Dahlia dressed very elegantly for the night, reminiscent of the time when she was still in the Kane family. She was adorned with jewelry and exuded an air of wealth, giving her the look of a rich man's wife. She held her handbag with both hands in front of her, presenting a graceful and poised appearance.

After hearing Aurora's question, she said, "Your dad used to be very close with Uncle Wenham. This is an important event for the Saun family. How could I not be here?"

Of course, she purposely said that for others to listen.

She wanted to assert her identity and let the guests know how close she was with the host.

Aurora did not think too much of it and asked softly, “Grandma and Keegan are over there. Would you like to say hi to them?”

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She said coldly, “I don’t think your grandmother would want to see me, so I won’t bother her.” Then, she asked, “Have you met this new heiress of the Saun family before?” Aurora shook her head and said, “No, but Keegan has.” Dahlia was surprised.

“What? Are you sure? What did he say?” Everyone was curious about the new heiress of the Saun family, and Aurora was no exception.

She overheard Trevor and Keegan talking about the banquet on the phone the other day.

Aurora was curious as to why Keegan would be so interested in the new heiress of the Saun family, so she asked him about it out of curiosity.

She was not expecting a response from him, but he answered anyway, “Ms.

Saun is a melody of grace in a world of noise, with eyes holding stars and a heart’s gentle poise.

You’ll get it when you see her.” Dahlia was shocked.

“Did your brother really say that?” Aurora nodded.

Dahlia was worked up.

Her son would never compliment anyone like this.

Although it was just two lines of description, Dahlia could tell that Keegan held the new heiress of the Saun family in high regard.

Dahlia tried to match him up with Jaylene, but he was not interested in her at all.

However, his high praises for the new heiress led Dahlia to believe that he deeply admired her.

Dahlia was overjoyed that Keegan did not take an interest in Jaylene because she was not the real heiress of the Saun family, after all.

As she contemplated how to speak to the new heiress to establish a good relationship, she heard Jaylene's voice.

"Ms.

Crosby." Dahlia paused, turned around, and nodded nonchalantly.

Jaylene did not notice Dahlia's aloofness as she said gently, "There are some freshly served desserts over there.

Would you like to have some?" Dahlia rejected her indifferently.

"It's fine.

My blood sugar has been a little high lately, so I'm cutting down on sugar." Jaylene paused and looked at Dahlia.

Dahlia was not as friendly when she wanted to pair her up with Keegan back then.

Instead, she felt cold, as if they were strangers.

Jaylene pursed her lips and said flatly, "Okay then." Then, she stood upright and walked away.

Aurora frowned.

'Mom, why are you so cold to her?' Dahlia said, "Your brother isn't interested in her.

If I get too close to her, she might think otherwise." Aurora thought to herself.

'Keegan had never liked her, yet you treated her very differently back then.' As soon as Jaylene turned around, her gaze grew cold.

She could not figure out why Dahlia's attitude toward her had changed.

'New heiress of the Saun family, huh? I hope she won't be too shocked when she sees her face.' "How's Stella?" Cordelia held onto Keegan and asked softly.

"She's fine." Keegan poured her a glass of water.

“Don’t worry.” Cordelia glanced at him and said, “I should have been the host today if it weren’t for your incompetence.

Look at me now, sitting in the corner.

I’ll even have to crane my neck to see Stella later.” Keegan was speechless.

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Chapter 1435 Cordelia continued, “However, it seems like you’ve been performing well lately since the Saun family is still willing to invite you here.” Keegan replied, “Stella had made her stance clear to her family.

She said that if they don’t agree with us being together, she’ll end her own life.” It was just a statement, but Keegan was somehow showing off when he said that.

Cordelia fell silent for a moment.

Then, she said, “The banquet hasn’t even started yet, and you’re already drunk?” Her response dumbfounded Keegan.

“Don’t you have a little self-awareness? Clearly, Stella was just teasing you.

Why would you take it so seriously?” Of course, Keegan did not take it seriously, as Cordelia said.

He was simply trying to show off a little.

However, it turned out that his grandmother was still sharp enough to know about his place in Stella’s heart.

It stung Keegan a little.

“Keegan.” Jaylene’s gentle voice came from behind.

Keegan paused, turned around, and nodded politely to her.

Cordelia also adjusted her posture.

She sat up straight with an elder’s demeanor.

Jaylene wore a light blue long dress that exuded a hint of elegance.

Her long hair was tied in a low ponytail, and she wore a delicately designed sapphire necklace around her neck, with matching earrings.

They complimented her graceful makeup and highlighted her beauty.

She had a slender figure, a skinny waist, and a charming presence.

She walked gracefully, catching the attention of many.

Obviously, she was the spotlight of the banquet that night.

As she approached Cordelia, she asked gently, "Grandma, when did you arrive?" Cordelia smiled and replied, "Not long ago.

Jaylene, you look gorgeous tonight." Jaylene seemed a little shy and said softly, "Our family is welcoming my younger sister back in the family today, and it's a joyous day for everyone.

So, of course, I have to dress up for the occasion." Stella was almost three months younger than Jaylene.

So, technically, she was Jaylene's younger sister.

Cordelia still smiled when she said, "The jewelry you're wearing shone so brightly, and I couldn't even see you clearly when you were walking over here.

I thought that it must be the new heiress of the Saun family because of how extravagantly you dressed.

I only realized I was wrong when you spoke to me." Jaylene was taken aback.

Cordelia's words sounded strange as if she was implying that her outfit was too showy and that she was trying to steal the limelight.

Jaylene scrutinized Cordelia's expression and saw her gentle and kind smile, which made her feel like she might just be overthinking.

She pursed her lips and changed the topic before she stepped forward to hold Cordelia's arm.

"Grandma, this seat is a bit off to the side.

Let me take you to the front.” “It’s fine.” Cordelia patted the back of her hand and said gently, “My old eyes can’t see if I sat too near to the front.

This distance is just right for me.” Jaylene paused and had no choice but to retract her hand.

She raised her hand, and a waiter soon came over with a tray.

The waiter bent over and placed some delicate-looking pastries on the table next to Cordelia.

Jaylene said, “Grandma, I had someone specially prepared these pastries and food for you.

The dishes served later are mostly very flavorful, and I thought you may not like them.

So I got you these lighter and softer snacks that are easier to digest.” She paused for a moment before saying to Keegan, “Keegan, the banquet will only start a while later.

You should have some, too.” Keegan did not say anything.

Cordelia smiled and said to Keegan, “Look at how thoughtful Jaylene is.

It would be great if your sister were as sensible as her.” Keegan said, “I’ll make Aurora learn from her.” His response made Jaylene utterly speechless.

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‘Why am I being compared to Aurora?’ Jaylene was about to say something, but Cordelia interrupted, “Jaylene, you should attend to other guests.

Don’t worry about us.

Many people are here tonight; don’t neglect them.” Jaylene had no choice but to purse her lips and comply, “All right.

I’ll leave now, then.

Grandma, just have someone call for me if you need anything.” Cordelia nodded and smiled amiably, “Sure, go ahead.” As Jaylene walked away,

Cordelia looked at the pastries on the table and said, "I can't deny that Jaylene is really thoughtful." Those pastries and snacks were all her favorites.

Cordelia figured that Jaylene must have purposely asked out to know about her preferences.

Cordelia had lived for many years and had met countless people.

She knew Jaylene had other intentions when she invited her to sit at the front.

Both the Saun and Hall families took the tables in front, as well as friends and relatives from Darcie's side.

If Keegan and Stella were not divorced, she would have sat there without a second thought.

However, they were currently not publicly together.

If she were to go to the front with Jaylene, it could easily lead others to speculate about Keegan's relationship with her.

Cordelia liked youngsters with sharp minds but not those who used them to manipulate others.

Jaylene had always been obsessed with Keegan since she was a child.

Whenever she visited the Kane residence with Trevor back then, her gaze never left Keegan.

Cordelia thought it was just puppy love.

But to her surprise, those feelings had not faded even after so many years.

Cordelia never really cared about who Keegan married, including their family background.

She only cared if that person was the one that he genuinely wanted to be with.

So, the reason why she treated Jaylene so coldly was not because she was not biologically related to the Saun family.

Cordelia thought for a moment, glanced at Keegan, and said, "You're pretty popular among the ladies." Keegan remained silent.

'It certainly did not sound like a compliment.' He thought about what Stella had said about him and decided to go all out on himself, "Well, I consider myself a very charming man." Cordelia was speechless.

She opened her mouth as if wanting to say something.

But she gave up that thought after considering that Keegan was still her grandson.

"Jaylene is interested in you.

You should keep a distance from her.

She's still the daughter of the Saun family.

Regardless of your intentions, the Saun family would be unhappy if rumors spread." "IT know." Cordelia wanted to warn his grandson that Jaylene was a scheming person and had put in significant effort to gain her favor, so she might not give up so easily.

However, she figured it might not be appropriate for her to comment about Jaylene as her elder.

So, she decided to keep her thoughts to herself.

'I should just let the youngsters handle their own affairs.

Keegan is smart; he doesn't need me to tell him what to do.' "How shameless!" Felicity glared in Jaylene's direction and angrily said, "She'd do anything for a man! She actually went to suck up to Mrs.

Kane Sr.!" Vermont sighed.

"You've been keeping an eye on Jaylene since we came here.

You're making people think that she's after your man instead." Felicity gave him a side-eye.

"She's trying to steal Stella's man.

Of course, I have to keep an eye on her.

If she ever tries to steal mine...

Vermont got interested and leaned closer to Felicity.

“What are you going to do about it?” he asked.

“I’ll just give him to her.

I’m going to have plenty of other options anyway.” Vermont’s mouth twitched.

“What? You’re not going to do anything about it?” “What’s the point of fighting for a man who can be easily taken away from me?” Vermont gritted his teeth.

“Does Keegan not love Stella enough? Jaylene can never take him away from Stella, so why are you so worried?”

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“Well, we can’t just stand by and watch as Jaylene tries to put herself between our best friends, can we? Sure, Keegan loves Stella and wouldn’t fall for her, but why should we give that annoying little thing a chance to try? I have to keep an eye on her and make sure she doesn’t cause any trouble.

It would be best to teach her a little lesson and let her know she can’t just come into other people’s territory!” Vermont’s heart turned cold when he heard that.

Though he and Felicity were in a relationship, it seemed she did not care much for her boyfriend compared to her best friend.

‘My ex- girlfriends were always very protective of me.

Although I’m not one to cheat, plenty of women are interested in me because I’m so attractive.’ Vermont’s exes loved to pick a fight with him whenever he was friendly with a member of the opposite SeX.

“It seems like I’ve chosen poorly this time.

Felicity is completely indifferent to women who approach me.

She would even be kind enough to step aside...’ Vermont gradually realized that he had pressured Felicity into confessing her feelings.

She might not like him as much as he thought.

'If she actually likes me, she would be jealous.' The more Vermont pondered about it, the more he felt it was true.

His expression grew tense.

Unaware of Vermont's thoughts, Felicity noticed Jaylene being praised and admired by a group of socialites.

"She's probably just showing off again!" She snorted.

Felicity put her cup down and declared, "I need to go over there and see what they're talking about." But just as she stood up, Vermont grabbed her wrist.

Felicity was stunned.

"What's wrong?" She asked.

Vermont hesitated and said, "Miss bandit, do you...

Do you like me?" Taken aback, Felicity reached out to touch Vermont's forehead.

"Do you have a fever or something? What's gotten into you?" Vermont took her hand and looked at her with a serious gaze.

"Answer me, please..." Felicity felt puzzled.

"Would I date you if I don't like you? Why would I still stay with you after knowing you have erectile dysfunction if I don't like you?" Vermont fell silent for a moment.

"Then, why do you seem fine with the idea of other girls fawning all over me?" His words rendered Felicity speechless.

She poked his forehead and said, "How can you still be clueless after being in so many relationships? I was just joking." "T'll kill anyone who dares come in between us!" She added.

Vermont wrapped his arms around Felicity's waist and asked, "Do you actually like me?" Annoyed by Vermont's queries, Felicity said, "Get lost! Don't distract me from my mission." She then went over to eavesdrop on Jaylene's group with a wine glass in her hand.

As she approached them, she heard someone say, "Mrs.

Kane Sr.

seems to like you a lot, Jaylene.

I saw her smiling the whole time you two were talking." "Grandma is just a very nice person.

She acts that way with everyone," Jaylene laughed.

"Grandma? Oh, you two sound close!" "Well, I've been calling her that since I was a child.

It's just a habit.

"That's good.

It means you won't have to get used to calling her that when you marry into the family." The group burst into laughter as they teased and joked around.

It was clear that Jaylene's affection for Keegan was no secret among her friends.

As they chatted, someone nearby said, "Ms.

Saun, your earring is loose."

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The crowd turned their heads to see a stylish man standing beside Jaylene, gently reminding her that one of her earrings was loose.

The man was none other than Jaylene's makeup artist, Michael Caleb.

Jaylene tried to adjust her jewelry, but Michael intercepted her and said, "I'll take care of it." He fixed Jaylene's earrings and tucked in a few of her loose hairs.

" I'll be right here, Ms.

Saun.

Just give me a call if you need anything.

“W Jaylene nodded in response.

Once Michael stepped away, her circle of friends began to chat.

“Is that Michael Caleb, the top-tier makeup artist in the industry? “W “I was wondering why Jaylene’s makeup looked so different today.

Turns out Mr.

Caleb had a hand in it.

His skills are extraordinary.” “It’s incredibly tough to book him.

My friend couldn’t even get an appointment for her birthday.” “Jaylene, your makeup looks exquisite.

The Sauns’ long-lost daughter is going to be overshadowed when she stands next to you later.” “If Jaylene can hire such an impressive makeup artist, I bet her makeup artist must be just as good, right?” “Michael is basically at the top of the industry.

Who could the long -lost daughter of the Saun family possibly hire that’s better than him?” “It’s just some makeup, guys.

There’s no need to argue,” Jaylene modestly said.

However, things would be a little awkward if Stella’s makeup artist was not on par with Jaylene’s.

After all, she had already selected a hotel not up to the circle’s standards.

Jaylene’s friends thought that the true heiress of the Saun family was no better than Jaylene.

They agreed that their friend’s status would not waver with her return.

Felicity lingered around, intently listening to the group while sending snippets of the conversation to Stella, bit by bit.

Then she intentionally said on the phone, “This place is full of shallow gossipers.

You're better off not coming." The crowd fell silent.

Jaylene looked at Felicity in disdain, just to have her eyes met with a defiant stare.

Felicity proceeded to say into the phone, "Someone's sure being a pick-me girl here." Jaylene was stunned to hear that.

Seeing that his girlfriend was going too far, Vermont hurried over to pull her away.

"I've been searching everywhere for you," he said, whisking her away.

As they left, Jaylene's group of friends started to gossip.

"That woman speaks so rudely.

Who is she? How did she end up with Mr.

Snyder?" "It seems she's his new girlfriend.

She even made an official announcement on social media." "Is Mr.

Snyder blind? How did he fall for such a crude?" "Maybe he finds simplicity appealing after indulging in the finer things for so long," one of the girls said.

"Let go of me!" Felicity yelled, struggling to break free.

Wanting to subdue her, Vermont firmly grabbed her face and kissed her.

Felicity froze and became compliant in an instant.

"Why bother with those people? No matter how beautiful she thinks she is, Jaylene can't compare to Stella." Felicity found solace in his words.

"But she hired the makeup artist on purpose.

You saw when people were praising her for it earlier, right? The look in her eyes and posture indicated that it was intentional.

I was infuriated as I stood there and watched! "She's been with the Saun family for years, and they've never mistreated her.

We're here to celebrate the fact that they found their long-lost daughter.

Why the hell is she trying so hard to be the center of attention at such an important event?! What an ungrateful child," She continued.

Vermont chuckled and said, "It's understandable for her to act like this.

She and Trevor were supposed to inherit the Saun family's wealth.

Now that Stella's back, she feels threatened, especially since she's the only one who was adopted." Felicity was about to say something when she received a message.

She opened it and found a selfie from Stella with the caption, "My looks are definitely going to win them over."

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"Sure, go ahead."

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"Make sure you look gorgeous so we can show you off later."

"Sure," Stella replied with a smile.

As she turned around, she saw Darcie standing behind her.

She nodded at her before going to the lounge upstairs.

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Wenham furrowed his brows.

"We don't have the time anymore. What's the decoration going to be like even if there's a hall available? It might turn out worse than this place."

Darcie lowered her gaze.

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Jaylene did not notice Dahlia's aloofness as she said gently, "There are some freshly served desserts over there.

Would you like to have some?" Dahlia rejected her indifferently.

"It's fine.

My blood sugar has been a little high lately, so I'm cutting down on sugar." Jaylene paused and looked at Dahlia.

Dahlia was not as friendly when she wanted to pair her up with Keegan back then.

Instead, she felt cold, as if they were strangers.

Jaylene pursed her lips and said flatly, "Okay then." Then, she stood upright and walked away.

Aurora frowned.

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If I get too close to her, she might think otherwise." Aurora thought to herself.

'Keegan had never liked her, yet you treated her very differently back then.' As soon as Jaylene turned around, her gaze grew cold.

She could not figure out why Dahlia's attitude toward her had changed.

'New heiress of the Saun family, huh? I hope she won't be too shocked when she sees her face.' "How's Stella?" Cordelia held onto Keegan and asked softly.

"She's fine." Keegan poured her a glass of water.

"Don't worry." Cordelia glanced at him and said, "I should have been the host today if it weren't for your incompetence.

Look at me now, sitting in the corner.

I'll even have to crane my neck to see Stella later." Keegan was speechless.

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She said that if they don't agree with us being together, she'll end her own life." It was just a statement, but Keegan was somehow showing off when he said that.

Cordelia fell silent for a moment.

Then, she said, "The banquet hasn't even started yet, and you're already drunk?" Her response dumbfounded Keegan.

"Don't you have a little self-awareness? Clearly, Stella was just teasing you.

Why would you take it so seriously?" Of course, Keegan did not take it seriously, as Cordelia said.

He was simply trying to show off a little.

However, it turned out that his grandmother was still sharp enough to know about his place in Stella's heart.

It stung Keegan a little.

"Keegan." Jaylene's gentle voice came from behind.

Keegan paused, turned around, and nodded politely to her.

Cordelia also adjusted her posture.

She sat up straight with an elder's demeanor.

Jaylene wore a light blue long dress that exuded a hint of elegance.

Her long hair was tied in a low ponytail, and she wore a delicately designed sapphire necklace around her neck, with matching earrings.

They complimented her graceful makeup and highlighted her beauty.

She had a slender figure, a skinny waist, and a charming presence.

She walked gracefully, catching the attention of many.

Obviously, she was the spotlight of the banquet that night.

As she approached Cordelia, she asked gently, "Grandma, when did you arrive?" Cordelia smiled and replied, "Not long ago.

Jaylene, you look gorgeous tonight." Jaylene seemed a little shy and said softly, "Our family is welcoming my younger sister back in the family today, and it's a joyous day for everyone.

So, of course, I have to dress up for the occasion." Stella was almost three months younger than Jaylene.

So, technically, she was Jaylene's younger sister.

Cordelia still smiled when she said, "The jewelry you're wearing shone so brightly, and I couldn't even see you clearly when you were walking over here.

I thought that it must be the new heiress of the Saun family because of how extravagantly you dressed.

I only realized I was wrong when you spoke to me." Jaylene was taken aback.

Cordelia's words sounded strange as if she was implying that her outfit was too showy and that she was trying to steal the limelight.

Jaylene scrutinized Cordelia's expression and saw her gentle and kind smile, which made her feel like she might just be overthinking.

She pursed her lips and changed the topic before she stepped forward to hold Cordelia's arm.

"Grandma, this seat is a bit off to the side.

Let me take you to the front." "It's fine." Cordelia patted the back of her hand and said gently, "My old eyes can't see if I sat too near to the front.

This distance is just right for me." Jaylene paused and had no choice but to retract her hand.

She raised her hand, and a waiter soon came over with a tray.

The waiter bent over and placed some delicate-looking pastries on the table next to Cordelia.

Jaylene said, "Grandma, I had someone specially prepared these pastries and food for you.

The dishes served later are mostly very flavorful, and I thought you may not like them.

So I got you these lighter and softer snacks that are easier to digest." She paused for a moment before saying to Keegan, "Keegan, the banquet will only start a while later.

You should have some, too." Keegan did not say anything.

Cordelia smiled and said to Keegan, "Look at how thoughtful Jaylene is.

It would be great if your sister were as sensible as her." Keegan said, "I'll make Aurora learn from her." His response made Jaylene utterly speechless.

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'Why am I being compared to Aurora?' Jaylene was about to say something, but Cordelia interrupted, "Jaylene, you should attend to other guests.

Don't worry about us.

Many people are here tonight; don't neglect them." Jaylene had no choice but to purse her lips and comply, "All right.

I'll leave now, then.

Grandma, just have someone call for me if you need anything." Cordelia nodded and smiled amiably, Sure, go ahead." As Jaylene walked away, Cordelia looked at the pastries on the table and said, "I can't deny that Jaylene is really thoughtful." Those pastries and snacks were all her favorites.

Cordelia figured that Jaylene must have purposely asked out to know about her preferences.

Cordelia had lived for many years and had met countless people.

She knew Jaylene had other intentions when she invited her to sit at the front.

Both the Saun and Hall families took the tables in front, as well as friends and relatives from Darcie's side.

If Keegan and Stella were not divorced, she would have sat there without a second thought.

However, they were currently not publicly together.

If she were to go to the front with Jaylene, it could easily lead others to speculate about Keegan's relationship with her.

Cordelia liked youngsters with sharp minds but not those who used them to manipulate others.

Jaylene had always been obsessed with Keegan since she was a child.

Whenever she visited the Kane residence with Trevor back then, her gaze never left Keegan.

Cordelia thought it was just puppy love.

But to her surprise, those feelings had not faded even after so many years.

Cordelia never really cared about who Keegan married, including their family background.

She only cared if that person was the one that he genuinely wanted to be with.

So, the reason why she treated Jaylene so coldly was not because she was not biologically related to the Saun family.

Cordelia thought for a moment, glanced at Keegan, and said, "You're pretty popular among the ladies." Keegan remained silent.

'It certainly did not sound like a compliment.' He thought about what Stella had said about him and decided to go all out on himself, "Well, I consider myself a very charming man." Cordelia was speechless.

She opened her mouth as if wanting to say something.

But she gave up that thought after considering that Keegan was still her grandson.

"Jaylene is interested in you.

You should keep a distance from her.

She's still the daughter of the Saun family.

Regardless of your intentions, the Saun family would be unhappy if rumors spread." "IT know." Cordelia wanted to warn his grandson that Jaylene was a scheming person and had put in significant effort to gain her favor, so she might not give up so easily.

However, she figured it might not be appropriate for her to comment about Jaylene as her elder.

So, she decided to keep her thoughts to herself.

'I should just let the youngsters handle their own affairs.

Keegan is smart; he doesn't need me to tell him what to do.' "How shameless!" Felicity glared in Jaylene's direction and angrily said, "She'd do anything for a man! She actually went to suck up to Mrs.

Kane Sr.!" Vermont sighed.

"You've been keeping an eye on Jaylene since we came here.

You're making people think that she's after your man instead." Felicity gave him a side-eye.

“She’s trying to steal Stella’s man.

Of course, I have to keep an eye on her.

If she ever tries to steal mine...

Vermont got interested and leaned closer to Felicity.

“What are you going to do about it?” he asked.

“I’ll just give him to her.

I’m going to have plenty of other options anyway.” Vermont’s mouth twitched.

“What? You’re not going to do anything about it?” “What’s the point of fighting for a man who can be easily taken away from me?” Vermont gritted his teeth.

“Does Keegan not love Stella enough? Jaylene can never take him away from Stella, so why are you so worried?”

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“Well, we can’t just stand by and watch as Jaylene tries to put herself between our best friends, can we? Sure, Keegan loves Stella and wouldn’t fall for her, but why should we give that annoying little thing a chance to try? I have to keep an eye on her and make sure she doesn’t cause any trouble.

It would be best to teach her a little lesson and let her know she can’t just come into other people’s territory!” Vermont’s heart turned cold when he heard that.

Though he and Felicity were in a relationship, it seemed she did not care much for her boyfriend compared to her best friend.

‘My ex- girlfriends were always very protective of me.

Although I’m not one to cheat, plenty of women are interested in me because I’m so attractive.’ Vermont’s exes loved to pick a fight with him whenever he was friendly with a member of the opposite Sex.

“It seems like I’ve chosen poorly this time.

Felicity is completely indifferent to women who approach me.

She would even be kind enough to step aside...’ Vermont gradually realized that he had pressured Felicity into confessing her feelings.

She might not like him as much as he thought.

‘If she actually likes me, she would be jealous.’ The more Vermont pondered about it, the more he felt it was true.

His expression grew tense.

Unaware of Vermont’s thoughts, Felicity noticed Jaylene being praised and admired by a group of socialites.

“She’s probably just showing off again!” She snorted.

Felicity put her cup down and declared, “I need to go over there and see what they’re talking about.” But just as she stood up, Vermont grabbed her wrist.

Felicity was stunned.

“What’s wrong?” She asked.

Vermont hesitated and said, “Miss bandit, do you...

Do you like me?” Taken aback, Felicity reached out to touch Vermont’s forehead.

” Do you have a fever or something? What’s gotten into you?” Vermont took her hand and looked at her with a serious gaze.

” Answer me, please...” Felicity felt puzzled.

“Would I date you if I don’t like you? Why would I still stay with you after knowing you have erectile dysfunction if I don’t like you?” Vermont fell silent for a moment.

“Then, why do you seem fine with the idea of other girls fawning all over me?” His words rendered Felicity speechless.

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Vermont wrapped his arms around Felicity's waist and asked, "Do you actually like me?" Annoyed by Vermont's queries, Felicity said, "Get lost! Don't distract me from my mission." She then went over to eavesdrop on Jaylene's group with a wine glass in her hand.

As she approached them, she heard someone say, "Mrs.

Kane Sr.

seems to like you a lot, Jaylene.

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She acts that way with everyone," Jaylene laughed.

"Grandma? Oh, you two sound close!" "Well, I've been calling her that since I was a child.

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"That's good.

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It was clear that Jaylene's affection for Keegan was no secret among her friends.

As they chatted, someone nearby said, "Ms.

Saun, your earring is loose."

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The crowd turned their heads to see a stylish man standing beside Jaylene, gently reminding her that one of her earrings was loose.

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Saun.

Just give me a call if you need anything.

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However, things would be a little awkward if Stella’s makeup artist was not on par with Jaylene’s.

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He was simply trying to show off a little.

However, it turned out that his grandmother was still sharp enough to know about his place in Stella’s heart.

It stung Keegan a little.

“Keegan.” Jaylene’s gentle voice came from behind.

Keegan paused, turned around, and nodded politely to her.

Cordelia also adjusted her posture.

She sat up straight with an elder’s demeanor.

Jaylene wore a light blue long dress that exuded a hint of elegance.

Her long hair was tied in a low ponytail, and she wore a delicately designed sapphire necklace around her neck, with matching earrings.

They complimented her graceful makeup and highlighted her beauty.

She had a slender figure, a skinny waist, and a charming presence.

She walked gracefully, catching the attention of many.

Obviously, she was the spotlight of the banquet that night.

As she approached Cordelia, she asked gently, “Grandma, when did you arrive?” Cordelia smiled and replied, “Not long ago.

Jaylene, you look gorgeous tonight.” Jaylene seemed a little shy and said softly, “Our family is welcoming my younger sister back in the family today, and it’s a joyous day for everyone.

So, of course, I have to dress up for the occasion.” Stella was almost three months younger than Jaylene.

So, technically, she was Jaylene's younger sister.

Cordelia still smiled when she said, "The jewelry you're wearing shone so brightly, and I couldn't even see you clearly when you were walking over here.

I thought that it must be the new heiress of the Saun family because of how extravagantly you dressed.

I only realized I was wrong when you spoke to me." Jaylene was taken aback.

Cordelia's words sounded strange as if she was implying that her outfit was too showy and that she was trying to steal the limelight.

Jaylene scrutinized Cordelia's expression and saw her gentle and kind smile, which made her feel like she might just be overthinking.

She pursed her lips and changed the topic before she stepped forward to hold Cordelia's arm.

"Grandma, this seat is a bit off to the side.

Let me take you to the front." "It's fine." Cordelia patted the back of her hand and said gently, "My old eyes can't see if I sat too near to the front.

This distance is just right for me." Jaylene paused and had no choice but to retract her hand.

She raised her hand, and a waiter soon came over with a tray.

The waiter bent over and placed some delicate-looking pastries on the table next to Cordelia.

Jaylene said, "Grandma, I had someone specially prepared these pastries and food for you.

The dishes served later are mostly very flavorful, and I thought you may not like them.

So I got you these lighter and softer snacks that are easier to digest." She paused for a moment before saying to Keegan, "Keegan, the banquet will only start a while later.

You should have some, too." Keegan did not say anything.

Cordelia smiled and said to Keegan, "Look at how thoughtful Jaylene is.

It would be great if your sister were as sensible as her." Keegan said, "I'll make Aurora learn from her." His response made Jaylene utterly speechless.

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'Why am I being compared to Aurora?' Jaylene was about to say something, but Cordelia interrupted, " Jaylene, you should attend to other guests.

Don't worry about us.

Many people are here tonight; don't neglect them." Jaylene had no choice but to purse her lips and comply, "All right.

I'll leave now, then.

Grandma, just have someone call for me if you need anything." Cordelia nodded and smiled amiably, Sure, go ahead." As Jaylene walked away, Cordelia looked at the pastries on the table and said, "I can't deny that Jaylene is really thoughtful." Those pastries and snacks were all her favorites.

Cordelia figured that Jaylene must have purposely asked out to know about her preferences.

Cordelia had lived for many years and had met countless people.

She knew Jaylene had other intentions when she invited her to sit at the front.

Both the Saun and Hall families took the tables in front, as well as friends and relatives from Darcie's side.

If Keegan and Stella were not divorced, she would have sat there without a second thought.

However, they were currently not publicly together.

If she were to go to the front with Jaylene, it could easily lead others to speculate about Keegan's relationship with her.

Cordelia liked youngsters with sharp minds but not those who used them to manipulate others.

Jaylene had always been obsessed with Keegan since she was a child.

Whenever she visited the Kane residence with Trevor back then, her gaze never left Keegan.

Cordelia thought it was just puppy love.

But to her surprise, those feelings had not faded even after so many years.

Cordelia never really cared about who Keegan married, including their family background.

She only cared if that person was the one that he genuinely wanted to be with.

So, the reason why she treated Jaylene so coldly was not because she was not biologically related to the Saun family.

Cordelia thought for a moment, glanced at Keegan, and said, "You're pretty popular among the ladies." Keegan remained silent.

'It certainly did not sound like a compliment.' He thought about what Stella had said about him and decided to go all out on himself, "Well, I consider myself a very charming man." Cordelia was speechless.

She opened her mouth as if wanting to say something.

But she gave up that thought after considering that Keegan was still her grandson.

"Jaylene is interested in you.

You should keep a distance from her.

She's still the daughter of the Saun family.

Regardless of your intentions, the Saun family would be unhappy if rumors spread." "IT know." Cordelia wanted to warn his grandson that Jaylene was a scheming person and had put in significant effort to gain her favor, so she might not give up so easily.

However, she figured it might not be appropriate for her to comment about Jaylene as her elder.

So, she decided to keep her thoughts to herself.

'I should just let the youngsters handle their own affairs.

Keegan is smart; he doesn't need me to tell him what to do.' "How shameless!" Felicity glared in Jaylene's direction and angrily said, "She'd do anything for a man! She actually went to suck up to Mrs.

Kane Sr.!" Vermont sighed.

"You've been keeping an eye on Jaylene since we came here.

You're making people think that she's after your man instead." Felicity gave him a side-eye.

"She's trying to steal Stella's man.

Of course, I have to keep an eye on her.

If she ever tries to steal mine...

Vermont got interested and leaned closer to Felicity.

"What are you going to do about it?" he asked.

"I'll just give him to her.

I'm going to have plenty of other options anyway." Vermont's mouth twitched.

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"Well, we can't just stand by and watch as Jaylene tries to put herself between our best friends, can we? Sure, Keegan loves Stella and wouldn't fall for her, but why should we give that annoying little thing a chance to try? I have to keep an eye on her and make sure she doesn't cause any trouble.

It would be best to teach her a little lesson and let her know she can't just come into other people's territory!" Vermont's heart turned cold when he heard that.

Though he and Felicity were in a relationship, it seemed she did not care much for her boyfriend compared to her best friend.

'My ex- girlfriends were always very protective of me.

Although I'm not one to cheat, plenty of women are interested in me because I'm so attractive.' Vermont's exes loved to pick a fight with him whenever he was friendly with a member of the opposite SeX.

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Felicity is completely indifferent to women who approach me.

She would even be kind enough to step aside...' Vermont gradually realized that he had pressured Felicity into confessing her feelings.

She might not like him as much as he thought.

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His expression grew tense.

Unaware of Vermont's thoughts, Felicity noticed Jaylene being praised and admired by a group of socialites.

"She's probably just showing off again!" She snorted.

Felicity put her cup down and declared, "I need to go over there and see what they're talking about." But just as she stood up, Vermont grabbed her wrist.

Felicity was stunned.

"What's wrong?" She asked.

Vermont hesitated and said, "Miss bandit, do you...

Do you like me?" Taken aback, Felicity reached out to touch Vermont's forehead.

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