

My Eye 351

Chapter 351 Mess Up (Part One)

It was Wendy who opened the door and walked in while Yvonne followed closely behind. A sly smile showed on her face as Rachel saw them. 'How could it be possible for Autumn to return and be a part of Zhao family in peace?' Rachel thought to herself.

Wendy's presence led to a furor in the hall. All of the people turned to focus on her. Autumn furrowed slightly as she saw them. Just as she expected, Wendy was definitely not going to leave the matter at that.

She finally showed up with her annoying daughter, Yvonne.

Arthur stood close to Autumn seeing her frowning tightly. "Autumn, don't be afraid. I am here. I will protect you. No one can hurt you!" comforted Arthur as he patted her shoulders gently.

Autumn was moved by his words somehow. No one, except for her grandma and father, had cared about her like this. Therefore, Autumn felt warm yet a little bit grieved.

Staring at Autumn who was standing at the center of the stage, Wendy, with a piteous look, immediately attracted the reporters' attention. Soon they all rushed to her. "Mrs. Gu, what brings you here today?"

"It is the birthday party of my daughter. How could I not come? I have to wish her a happy birthday." Wendy smiled bitterly and then walked forward to Autumn, held by Yvonne. "Autumn, today is your birthday. I am your biological mother and I come to wish you a happy birthday, " said Wendy.

She then took out a small box from her pocket, opened it slowly and went on, "It is a gift for you. I should have given it to you at your wedding since it is actually a wedding gift. Take it. I wish you a lifetime of happiness."

"There is no need to give it to me. Keep it for yourself, " said Autumn in a cold tone. She didn't know what Wendy was going to do and what she had up her sleeves, but she was sure that it was just a trick or a trap.

"Don't reject her, Autumn." Seeing this, Arthur sneered and asked his assistant to take the bracelet from Wendy. "Anyway, this little gift is a token of her regard, so take it."

that can never be changed. As for the bracelet, she could take it and donate it to those in need.

bracelet since she had

Autumn with caring eyes as if she was really a warm and loving mother. Seeing this, the reporters began to ask, "Miss Ye, could you explain why you are so eager

could it be possible?" With a grim smile, Autumn replied. 'I wish I'd never see her again for the rest of my life

woman, who killed my father and my grandma

Yvonne, so I would definitely not disturb them for now. And that is why I didn't like to go to her house when I was still a kid, because I was afraid of causing her trouble which would easily make her

her when she was a child.

for not taking care

up this farce before the public. Though she was

a grim smile and continued, "Haven't you had a happy life over the years? I am glad for you. Now I have been married and I have also found my family. Isn't it good for us since we won't have to interfere with each other's lives in the future?"

us what you mean? Do you mean that you tried to break relations with your mother just

slightly and said nothing.

who stood by silently for a long time, joined in. She gazed at

her words. When they were at a loss whom they should believe in, Yvonne suddenly spoke again, attracting

her and asked, "Miss Gu, what do you

involved in this. Could you tell

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Wendy smiled bitterly and patted Yvonne on the back of her hand. "Let's go. We are not wanted here."

"No, I won't go. Now that we are here, we have to make everything clear." The troublesome half sister gave her mother a wry smile. "Mom, you have the heart to bear it, but I don't. What does she mean by doing that? Why is she so hell bent on severing ties with us? Is she worried that we will ask her for money?"

Yvonne stepped closer to Autumn. "You should know, when my mother heard that you were going to change your surname to Zhao, she was so angry and stressed that her old illness re-surfed. Today we had just come from the hospital just to congratulate you on your birthday. She sticks up for you at any time, but you still decide to change your surname. Do you think you are worthy of what she had gone through because of you?"

People naturally had a soft spot for mothers and began to condemn Autumn. The lovely birthday party was finally ruined halfway, which annoyed the celebrant. At this time, Arthur Zhao, who was standing on the stage, opened his mouth to speak.

He gave Wendy the coldest stare and said, "I didn't want to say these words at first, because Autumn once said that you were still her mom after all. And I will also show you some respect for Autumn's sake. But how shameless of you to come here and ruin this birthday party. But I have to clarify my position even if it upsets Autumn. Since Autumn is my only granddaughter, I must protect her from being misunderstood by other people, which is clearly your intent in coming to crash this party."

Arthur had lost all his tolerance of Wendy Ye. He continued, "You eloped with my son, Bowen, many years ago just because you thought that he was a man of wealth. But when you found that Bowen was not as rich as you expected, you thought of leaving him. As a result, after you gave birth to Autumn, you thoughtlessly left her for Bowen to raise her alone. You then, disappeared with an amount of money which you extorted from Bowen. I haven't wronged you with these words, right? The heavens bear witness that every single word is true. "

Arthur smiled with scorn. "Bowen died of depression shortly after you abandoned them. You haven't taken good care of Autumn at all. She was brought up only by Emily. Everything I said also matches the fact, right?"

"Stop talking nonsense here." Yvonne retorted. "My mother certainly took her back home and looked after her closely for a long time. It was she herself who was unwilling to stay with the Gu family anymore. My mother is not the one to blame for it!"

marriage. At the very beginning, you wanted

time, no one had an idea whom to believe, but Arthur's words could well

Charles was a man of striking appearance and he treated Autumn quite well at the same time. So you egged Yvonne to seduce Charles. However, to your burning disappointment, during Yvonne's disappearance, Yvonne had an affair with other man and got pregnant. In the end, the baby was aborted, and you had not choice but to give up the Charles plan." Once again, Arthur's words caused an uproar among the guests. Everyone began to feel sorry for Autumn. Supposing

I?" The head of the Zhao family asked her with

the stage, saying with pretended grief, "My

put my daughter in an

just looked at Wendy. At first, Autumn thought that Wendy would contradict grandpa's words,

of Wendy. She asked angrily, "Wendy Ye, what the hell do you

see you." Wendy wanted to take Autumn's hand, but she drew her hand back with embarrassment because Autumn avoided her. "I know that you have been resentful that I treated Yvonne better than you. But

get from doing this? Or are you happy enough that you embarrassed me

as important as you imagine." Yvonne pulled Autumn aside and said, "Mom only came to see you. As for me, I cannot restrain my anger anymore. I came here today to lay bare your true character.

you respond to what Doctor Zhao has said just

for a long time, but finally she

Chapter 353 They Deserve No Mercy (Part One)

"Why are you in such a hurry? I haven't said anything yet." Aron sneered.

"I know you hate me, Aron. But this is between a mother and a daughter today. Please keep your nose out of this and I would appreciate it." Wendy tried her best to act properly. Yet Aron only scoffed at what she had just said.

He gazed at Wendy and said, "Auntie, I just could not bear to see someone suffer wrongful treatment in front of me. It is my principle of being. And I think it might due to... my own experience in my childhood. At the sight of something like this, I could not help but think of being wrongly accused of stealing when I was a child."

"Mrs. Gu, may we know who he is..." Many reporters were not familiar with Aron for he rarely appeared in front of the media. Nevertheless, a few reporters recognized Aron immediately.

"Well, he is....." Clenching her fist, Wendy very nervously looked towards at Aron. She was at a loss how she should introduce him to the public.

"Hey everyone, I'm Aron Gu. I am Mrs. Gu's..... stepson." Turning his face to the reporters, Aron revealed, "Yvonne is my half sister. And her mother Wendy Ye, who is now standing in front of you all, slept with my father more than twenty years ago. There may be a lot of people who know nothing about this. But, my mother, with a broken heart, died because of this affair."

"Aron, please stop!" In an instant, Wendy was near the point of breaking down. The secret that she had locked away for more than twenty years, was now being openly exposed to the public by Aron. Looking at the contemptuous and judgmental eyes of the people around her, Wendy felt that she was almost going off the deep end.

"Stop?" With a sneer, Aron continued, "She tried hard to attach herself to my father that very year, though she knew perfectly well that my father had a wife. And you might guess what for? Wasn't it because of my father's money? My mother could not bear that my father had an affair and died out of depression. What was even worse, Wendy wrongly accused me, an innocent kid at that time, of stealing. And my father threw me out because of her vicious lies. She did that on purpose, because she was afraid that I would fight her for my share of his wealth. A woman like her, with such a twisted and wicked mind, dares to do anything evil."

"Aron Gu, just stop talking nonsense here." What Aron had just said made Yvonne and Wendy diffident and angry. They never thought he would appear at this event. "You must be saying these out of hatred for my mother. Because she was the one who found out your habit of stealing. You are taking your revenge on her today on purpose, aren't you?"

turning to address the public, Aron asked, "What would you do as parents

teach him well of course, " a reporter blurted out. He had just become

"Exactly! Normally, parents would teach their children well in case they make the same mistake again. But this Mrs. Gu did not. She only incited Simon, that's my father's name, to throw me out.

ago, Simon told me that he would hand over the company to me, because I am the only son in the family. However, this Mrs. Gu was not willing to make that happen. She said that the Gu's Group was founded and operated both by her and Simon, and she would take a share of the company." With a quick pause, Aron sneered, "I might as well tell you all here that the Gu's Group investment

Gu for so many years. It would be too inhumane to commandeer her dowry as well, wouldn't it?" Aron cared nothing about the money or the company at all. He just wanted to pound Wendy in her and her mother any more, Yvonne went quickly straight at Aron and shouted angrily, "Stop talking kicks as she was a girl after all. However, Yvonne became excessive. With a frown, Aron could not help but stop Yvonne with his hand. "You are acting like no attempt to hide her outrage any longer. She was losing face fast and said I only had two intentions here. First, to let the public know the truth. And second, I want It would totally ruin the Gu's Group if I give the money back to you." Wendy said nervously to Aron, caring nothing about how the people at the event were able determine the truth so far. It turned out that Wendy was the one there be such a cruel mother in this world? a reporter asked. Only then did Wendy realize that the fish had finally been caught in the mouth. a straight face, silent, as if

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Wendy felt her head whip to the side as a furious Simon slapped her. His face flushed with anger, and several thoughts began racing through his mind. 'What was she thinking making our domestic problems public? Does she have no shame? The media will no doubt have a field day when this makes headlines tomorrow!'

"Dad, why did you hit her?" Yvonne cried out.

She quickly ran and planted herself between Simon and Wendy. "Have you lost your mind?"

Yvonne knew she had to take Wendy's side no matter what happened. To her mind, they were two grasshoppers tied to one cord. "It was Aron who started it, but why did you hit Mom?" she blurted out.

Still bubbling with anger, Simon screamed, "You're lucky I didn't hit you, too! Now, shut up!" Staring at his daughter, he accused, "I'm not dead yet but you and your mother are already scrambling to divide my property! You're probably praying for my early death!"

Wendy grabbed Simon's arm and tried to explain. "You misunderstood my intentions, Simon."

Looking into his eyes, she continued, "I did this for our family."

"Save the sob story for someone else!" he said, cutting her off.

"After all this time that we've been together, do you think I still don't know what kind of person you are?"

All you care about is money!" Simon stressed every word. "Had I known this earlier, I would never have chosen to marry you."

Voice filled with emotion, he continued, "Aron's mother was a wonderful woman who treated me so well. I had to divorce her to be with you. Then she died after a difficult childbirth. I have been tormented

by guilt all these years." He gazed at Aron with regretful eyes before bringing back his attention to Wendy. "If it hadn't been for you, my life would have been happy with Aron and his mother."

Wendy's spine stiffened in anger. "What do you mean by that?!"

'I have been married to this man for many years. Now he's saying he regrets marrying me?!' she thought to herself. Finding courage to speak, she declared, "I have done everything for you and the Gu's Group ever since we got married. I even gave you a child, a daughter who has now grown up. How can you say such cruel things about me?!"

But her words only made Simon angrier. "Enough! Everything you've done wasn't for me but only for yourself! You did all that just so you would enjoy a good life!"

then finally announced, "I have made a decision. Since we are no longer the same people, I think it would be better to end our relationship

husband's words. Looking at Simon in

along so well before Aron returned. But now he's spoiled everything.' To Aron, she said, "Is that why you came back, to see us fight over you? Are

Wendy's accusations. "Do not blame others for your situation. Why not try looking at yourself to see what you did

caused all this. I don't care what's going on between you and Simon. Because unlike you, I

only infuriated Wendy more. She shrieked, intending to pounce on Aron. But Simon quickly caught her hand and held it

away and left the party. With the drama over, there was peace once again inside the banquet hall. Walking off-stage with Arthur, Autumn tried to explain

not a big deal. You and Charles

as a child by those two. I finally had a chance to strike back, "

hesitated before asking, "Is Simon

Aron replied, "It doesn't

So you should not concern yourself with whatever happens to her. Otherwise, you will just end

Autumn sighed. Yet there was a strong nagging feeling that she could not just brush aside her mother and

but worry about her, '

worry in Autumn's eyes, he gently patted her shoulder.

feel better, Aron added, "Look, you have a husband who cares about you, and family who loves

and gave a weak smile. She muttered to herself, 'Perhaps, I should learn from Aron and treat her as a stranger.

excused himself. "I have
as he walked to a corner. "Uncle, I told you I was busy tonight,
listened, impatient to end the
come see you soon,
deep breath, while thinking to himself, 'Each family has its own
what's up?" Isla

Chapter 355 The Weirdo Relatives

Aron turned to Fiona, holding his temper. "Did you have to sound so cynical talking to my grandparents? I will say it again: I bought the house myself and they had nothing to do with it." He was helping Albert's family take their luggage out of the car.

"You bought the house yourself?!" Fiona scoffed. "Well aren't you the boastful one!" Unable to stop herself, she continued further. "You would never have earned so much if your grandparents did not let you run the company! You should think about Colin, and not just make money for yourself."

Aron resigned himself to his aunt's ranting so he just kept quiet. After taking out the bags, he said, "It's already late. You can stay here if you wish, but tomorrow... You will have to leave. You can't stay here. Now that you're back, you need to find a house of your own. We don't run a shelter here, " he told Albert's family.

"How can you say such things?!" Colin exclaimed. He grabbed Aron by the collar and growled, "Let me tell you something... I have every right to whatever you are enjoying now. That had better be clear to you."

Still holding the collar of Aron's shirt, he spat, "If not for me, you would not be rich and live a comfortable life! Don't think you're so great just because you have been the company's general manager for several years. Just to warn you, I am going with you to work tomorrow. And sooner or later, I'm going to prove myself better than you!"

Aron smirked at Colin. "Anytime, my cousin." He brushed off Colin's hand and declared, "I'm ready for the challenge. But, you still have to move out tomorrow."

Albert, Fiona, and Colin listened to him in disbelief. "What is wrong with you?" Fiona demanded. "Why should we listen to you and move out?" Waving her arms in exasperation, she said, "We are you uncle and aunt, your elders. What gives you the right to kick us out?"

"The house is under my name and that gives me the right." There was a steely edge to Aron's voice, even as he held his temper.

He could not remember how many times he chose to swallow the insults and humiliating words from these people because he refused to embarrass his grandparents. But enough was enough.

to me in this manner! Are you not going to do anything... teach

ungrateful bastard! How could you talk to your aunt like that?" The man grabbed a broom resting by the door, slightly raised it as if to hit

"If you don't want to drag your suitcase to a hotel in the middle of the night, you

my heart. But you? You're nothing but just relatives to me!" Albert had never seen such look on Aron's face and it unnerved

fortune. She also reminded her husband about the

the reason why Albert never regarded Aron as his nephew... or as a family. Rather, he thought of

fool and bully him. But Aron was anything but a fool or a weakling. How could he be when he had been hustling in the business world for many years?

Albert now regretted more than ever his decision to allow Aron to be part of their

but all he was good

asked her nephew. "Why can your

company dividends but also relied on his parents for additional finances. Their primary reason for coming back was because of fear that Aron would take over

his parents would never

not afford to buy a house, and would need to save what little they had, the

can live here because they raised me. You didn't, " he answered Fiona. Turning to his grandparents, Aron gently said, "Grandma, grandpa, it's very late.

of Albert's family staying

about..." Mike started to speak.

Chapter 356 Down Payment Only

Exasperated, Aron said, "I already told you I bought the house myself!"

He couldn't believe how difficult it was to talk to Albert's family. It was as if the people he was talking to were crazy.

Fiona kept needling him. "Who knows?"

Word of mouth is never a guarantee." Her next words left Mike and Joanna with no alternative. "Father, Mother, we want to make this easy for you. You either allow us to live here, in this house or... you buy a house for us. Those are your only choices." Looking at the couple with a glint in her eye, she added, "The decision is yours."

Before either one could reply, Fiona quickly ordered Colin, "Take your luggage upstairs and choose a room."

He said okay and proceeded to follow his mother's order, lugging his heavy bags up the stairs. Seeing their family quarrel always upset Mike and Joanna. How they wished everyone would just get along with

one another! But since that was not likely to happen, they knew the only solution to prevent fights was to buy a house for Albert and Fiona.

Before Mike or Joanna could speak, Aron raised his hand and said, "Okay, I want to make a proposition..."

He glanced at his grandparents before turning to his uncle and aunt. "You can go buy a house you like. And I will take care of the down payment. However, the rest of the payment will be your responsibility."

Aron didn't want to put Mike and Joanna in a difficult position, so he made a compromise. 'If a house must be bought, so be it. But I will not allow my grandparents to pay for it!

Contrary to what they may be thinking, my grandparents do not have a lot of money.' "Down payment?" Albert blurted out. "You have got to be kidding!"

His face turned pale just thinking about owing money. A life in debt was something he would not be able to endure.

Fiona, however, decided to play it smart. "Okay."

She patted Albert's arm to assure him. "Aron wants to buy a house for us to show respect. We had better accept his kindness." To her nephew, she said, "We will look for a house tomorrow."

"All right, " Aron nodded to acknowledge her. He hoped things were settled and there would soon be peace.

Albert, Fiona, and Colin headed upstairs. Colin wanted to stay in Aron's bedroom, so he asked his cousin, "Could you let me sleep in your room? Anyway, it is just for one night."

Fiona further pushed and said, "Be considerate with your family. We are your guests after all."

statement made Aron snap. "Guests, are

you are just guests, " he said

Have you never heard of the saying that guests should never impose

his temper in check but stressed every word. "I'm warning you. If you do not want to be thrown out of this house, you had better take your things out of my

Fiona blurted,

pulled at Colin and said, "There is no need to quarrel with him. Besides, we will have

of Aron's room, then

in bed getting ready to sleep, Albert complained to his wife. "Why did you stop me from arguing with Aron about him paying for just the down payment of our

patted her husband. "There's no

Aron was not around to interfere?" Fiona said. She was confident they would not even have to wrangle over cost, knowing

Albert smiled a little. "You're right. They will
tended to
for
plan. "Let's get some sleep. We will be busy
said while yawning.
up early as usual. As he headed downstairs, his phone
didn't answer. Was something wrong
eyes shut for a moment then assured
busy handling business matters. By the time I finished, it was very late. So I didn't call you back. I'm
sorry.
explanation and felt
a silent "whew" when she calmed
voice. Being cared for and loved definitely made him feel better. "Wait for me after work. I'll pick you
to that, " Isla said then hung
in
had he put the phone down when he heard
to annoy him. "You two sound
cousin went on. "I heard you broke up with

Chapter 357 Buy A House

'Aron has been taking over the company. It is obvious that Fiona came back to take the company away from him,' Joanna thought with a frown.

Aron brought Colin to the company without a word. After introducing him to the board members, he left Colin alone and went straight to his office.

Colin got acquainted with the female employees, who scrambled to butter him up after knowing who he was. Soon, he started to flirt with them, making Aron displeased with his frivolous behavior. He thought Colin would leave in a couple of days once he got bored.

Meanwhile, Autumn had just arrived at the company. The moment she sat on her chair in her office, Isla came in and asked, "Do you have some time now? I have something to tell you."

"Please sit down, " Autumn replied.

"What is it?"

"What happened?" she asked Isla who took a seat opposite her.

"Is there anything wrong with the activity for Giant Promise Company?" Autumn asked in a concerned tone, thinking that Isla came to talk about work.

Isla gave her a serious look. "I didn't come here for work, " she replied.

"Autumn, do you remember Roger?" she asked, raising her eyebrows.

"Yeah. I do, " Autumn scowled.

"What's up?" she asked, not knowing why Isla would mention Roger.

"Why are you mentioning him suddenly?" she continued.

"I saw him at your birthday party yesterday, " Isla replied with a confused look.

She didn't understand why Roger would go there.

"I met him too, " Autumn said.

don't know what he wants, " Autumn went
he keep harassing me?' she wondered, finding Roger
for a few moments before finally answering.

think I know

Although she couldn't tell exactly what were Roger's intentions, she had

"What is it?"

looking at Isla in confusion.

him with Rachel, "

kept pestering her. 'I

she do this?'

think they're lovers,

as she

are you

Autumn who was frowning

shook her head. "Thank you for telling me

keep an eye on Roger. 'Whatever game Rachel is playing, I won't let her get

thinking. She's already married with Edward. Why is she so hell bent on destroying your
young man she wants. Why would she choose Edward?' Isla thought.

break me and Charles apart because she hates to

Roger. We don't know Rachel's up to, " Isla reminded her. "I'm going back to work, Advertising Company by the time Isla got off from work. She went straight to Aron's car, not noticing that they were you asked Isla with a bright mood, he chose not to show the new restaurant along Quanfu Road?" Isla suggested after a Aron western restaurant with Isla. Meanwhile, a man got out mignon, medium-well with white pepper

Chapter 358 Divorce

Despite knowing the result, Aaron still felt the pinch of discomfort. Though the two elderly were quite old, they still had to worry about the family of their son. However, the selfish and self-absorbed Colin and his parents did not bother to even thank them let alone expressing gratitude. Instead, they took the elders' money for granted, which made Aron quite distressed.

"Is this true? Then I guess congratulations are in order, " Aron said rather sarcastically. "Why don't you come back and pack your things, since such a fortunate thing has happened with you?"

"Why should I be in a rush?" Colin smiled maliciously. "My mom will help me to deal with that as well. Hunger breeds discontentment. I'm hungry now and I have to eat something."

Colin then looked at Isla, and asked, "What's your name, beauty?"

Without responding to his question, Isla just stared quietly at Colin.

Isla remained silent for every question Colin asked her next. Then she blatantly ignored his imposing presence and happily chatted with Aron. Even though Colin wanted to say something, no one paid any attention towards him, which was driving him crazy.

"Hey! I'm talking to the both of you. Have you suddenly lost your ability to speak and hear?" Colin could not bear being neglected, so to make them aware of his presence he furiously shouted at them.

Isla still pretended not hearing his roar and continued talking to Aron, "This restaurant is actually pretty good. We can come here again soon."

"Sure." Aron felt content and happy upon noticing the building anger and anxiety on Colin's face.

Aron wiped the corners of his mouth with a paper napkin, and then asked Isla, "Are you full? If you have finished your meal, then let's leave."

Aron remained seated near

said to him in a cold and

Weren't you pretend to be

Isla gave Colin a cold and blank stare. "Everyone should have a clear estimation of himself. As for you,

"I'm afraid you don't even know who Becky is. Let me tell you. She's Aron's ex-girlfriend. They almost got married. Oh, how could I forget

onto Aron and heap hope on dreams of your future. He might flirt with you and even make

did not react, as she knew very clearly as to what had happened between Becky

an attempt to get some reaction, he casually added, "If he leaves you, feel free to come to me. There is an advantage when it comes to being with

have some interest

said right now!" Aron tightly pinched his neck, and then warned him fiercely, "Colin, if you ever say that again

Aron and grasped his arms in a bid to stop him in his tracks. When Colin was gasping for breath, Aron left him. Isla cursed Colin, "Please calm your enthusiasm,

look at Colin as she added, "I have something to tell you. I actually know his ex-girlfriend, she's my cousin. She's a cunning and an insidious woman while you are glib, rude and vile. You two are a perfect match for each other.

words in a confident tone, Isla held Aron's hand and

Isla and Aron decided to take a stroll in the picturesque park nearby. Many people gathered around the fountain which was in the middle of the park. Isla then took a seat next to Aron on a bench and asked

bitterly, "You have seen all of this. I do

in that moment, "That's okay... I

they shared silence, waiting for him to calm down. After a long

Chapter 359 We Need A Talk

At this point, one thing was certain and it was that Simon would divorce Wendy now that the vile event which occurred twenty years ago had been disclosed to the public. Wendy's true colors were finally exposed.

"After all these years, you finally remembered that I am your son? Wow, this is unbelievable," Aron said sarcastically. People often recalled their beautiful memories as they got older, just as Simon was right now. However, Aron was no where near appreciating this sudden kindness. "The year Wendy kicked me out of the house, it was you who helped her. Have you forgotten that day? But I have not. Why did you not treat me like your son then? It is too late for you to repent now. The harm you caused then is simply irreversible just like time itself," Aron said in a cold and resolute tone.

"I..." Simon was now unable to utter a single word as Aron's harsh words reminded him of the cold reality. The damage was irreparable. He felt ashamed yet guilty as he recalled how he treated Aron in

the past. Simon drove Aron out of the house as Wendy's statement was enough to convince him. He did not even try to figure out the truth. Simon also hoped that Aron would not disturb his new life with Wendy but at that time Aron was just a walking and talking reminder of his dead wife, Aron's mother. So it was easy for Simon to turn a blind eye towards Aron as Wendy made a fuss over nothing.

Simon thought that he was still young and someday he could have another son with Wendy.

However, even after being married to Wendy for several years, they only had a daughter.

Now that he was getting elder, and was seeing Wendy's dark side, he remembered and missed his son.

"Aron, it is all my fault. I am so sorry. I truly regret what I did to you in the past and no words could ever be enough to express the guilt I feel," Simon said as he sighed. He paused for a moment to compose himself before going on, "Aron, I know you must hate me for the way I treated you. But I am determined to get a divorce with Wendy. Could you please forgive me? I will wait for you to visit me at home after you think this through with a calm mind."

Simon ended the call soon after he finished the sentence while Aron remained silent on the entire ride to Isla's house. After she got out of the car, Isla came around and knocked on his side of the car as Aron rolled down the window. "Aron, I know you still care about your father and I also understand why you just can't forgive him that in such a short span. But Aron, look at it this way, he is your father who is getting older and you don't have many days left with him. Now that he is trying to make amends, don't concentrate on what he did in the past, do away with the hate and try to get to know him. If you want I will come with you when you do decide to meet him."

"Okay. Please don't worry about me. I will be just fine." Aron then smiled as he continued, "It is quite chilly outside. Rush back inside. I will see you tomorrow, love."

he recalled the things that happened twenty years ago. He got very furious just at the thought of it. He would have definitely not done those horrible things to Aron if it weren't for Wendy who wedged a bone between them.

I want to have a talk with you," said Wendy, who walked over suddenly almost surprising him. Wendy and Yvonne did not go out since they came from Autumn's birthday party. Wendy had had a quarrel with Simon last night. Simon didn't sleep with her after the argument and instead

which not only fed the public's anger, but also got Wendy frustrated. She forced herself to calm down and decided to talk to Simon. She

in a calm yet indifferent tone. He now realized that he had no other emotions

going to get worse. Despite having such a strong feeling welling up in her heart, she

of going ahead with what he had to say, Simon poured himself a glass of tea and said,

see what tricks Wendy was going to play this time.

tears as she found it hard to speak. Wendy stammered as she tried again but failed. With her head lowered slightly, her tears started to trickle down her cheeks all of a sudden which shocked Simon. He suddenly was reminded of all the times in the past when he was misled

the past, he couldn't bear the sight of her crying so miserably, so he would promise her anything as long as she would stop crying. But things were completely different now, he saw through her manipulative attempts. No matter how hard she cried, he maintained an indifferent attitude. In

that he was completely annoyed this time, so she had to come up with

him, as her eyes glistened with tears. "Simon,

my daughter but even then she stole Yvonne's husband. And now after all that we have done for

that his only daughter had turned

I care about our family so much. I admit I made a mistake this time and took things very far. But do you think this is such a big sin? Please forgive me the last time. I will never act like

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"If I were her, I would not acknowledge your existence and would break all ties," Simon said as he defended Autumn. All this while, Yvonne was hiding in a corner of the stairs. The moment she heard Simon speaking for Autumn, she couldn't control her anger and dashed towards Simon in an angry stride. "Dad, how could you speak in an outsider's favor especially after how she treated mom? Do you forget that I am your real daughter? Autumn is just a shameless bitch. She seduced the man I was to marry and now she is trying to disown us. There is nothing good associated with her," she exclaimed.

"Yvonne, why did you come downstairs unannounced?" Wendy asked as she yelled at Yvonne. "I am speaking to your father. You shouldn't come like this between our private conversation," she berated.

"Mom, I am not a child anymore," Yvonne snapped back. "If not for that ungrateful wretch, I would have married Charles and would have had my own child."

"Enough with you!" Simon shouted at both of them in anger. Simon was annoyed by their unrealistic expectations. "Just take a look at yourself. Do you really think that Charles would ever hit on you in a right frame of mind?" he berated Yvonne.

"Simon, what do you mean by that?" Wendy replied in shock and anger as to how he could say something like that to his very own daughter. 'Yvonne is not only my sweet little girl, but also his daughter. How could he belittle her like this without considering her feelings?' Wendy thought to herself in disbelief.

"Did I say something wrong?" Simon asked sarcastically. "I arranged your wedding with a good boy and family, but you ran away with a cheap man instead. Later, you came back alone and pregnant. Once you saw how handsome and wealthy Charles was, you started regretting your impulsive decision and tried all means to seduce him even though your sister married him. If I were Charles, I would have already taught you a lesson instead of letting you go time and again."

"Dad..." Yvonne called out as she looked at Simon in disbelief. She had never expected to hear such harsh and hurtful words from her father. "I'm your daughter. How could you insult me like this?"

Wendy started to feel queasy and anxious as she heard Simon go on...

"I shouldn't have showered you with so much affection and played along in your little sham. If I would have been a proper father then maybe you would not have become such an overbearing and unreasonable girl. Now it is too late, so from now on I won't interfere in your matters. Take care of yourself, " Simon glanced at Yvonne with dissatisfaction. He did not care about what she thought, not anymore at least.

beating much faster. "She is your daughter.

are you

to divorce me?" Wendy asked, dumbfounded as she did not see this coming. She almost broke down as she collapsed onto the floor out of shock. It had never occurred

Simon said adamantly. "Wendy, I have grown more and more tired of you over these years. I don't want to live such a harrowing life. I am sure about my decision to

she was old and that changed everything. The idea of losing everything after divorce petrified her. It was now impossible for her to marry another rich man as she was way past her charming youth.

too was tired and all she yearned was to have a stable

to get a divorce. If you think that I have any shortcoming, please just let me know and I will change. Let us sort it out, we can't just end our long standing relationship like this. Please don't abandon me, " she said in an imploring tone, as she tugged on Simon's clothes

as long as I can convince you to change your mind, " she

he shook off her firm grip. "I gave you many chances, more than you deserved. Wendy, we're over now and it is

Aron, haven't you?" Wendy asked in an authoritative tone. "You saw Aron return from abroad, so now

concern you?" Simon asked with a stern look. "The company is mine. I can give it to anyone I please. It

side as a loyal partner for so many years, but you have decided to desert me in times of need because of your son. You're so inconsiderate and cruel to me, " Wendy whined,

has nothing to do with others. Have you ever paused to think that something may be wrong with you?" Simon snorted. "That is it. I will meet you at

yelled out in disbelief as she grabbed Simon's arm in a hurry. "This is all my fault. Please don't divorce mother. I will change, I promise to be a good person and will obey all you ask of me. I won't do anything that displeases you. Please!" she apologized sincerely in a bid to save her parents'

change it. His annoyance increased by manifolds just by hearing Yvonne's voice. He was resolute and no matter what happened, the divorce

I will have nothing to do with you. Just live with your mother,