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“Alright, I understand.” Vivian uttered in a low voice, then remained silent.

Seeing that Vivian was clearly upset, Finnick did not know what to say to comfort her. Hence, he pulled her into his arms and gently patted her back.

Vivian also knew that Finnick felt helpless, but she didn't understand why Evelyn kept appearing in their lives.

It was a sleepless night for Vivian that night as she tossed and turned in bed. Vivian turned to look at Finnick who was already asleep. She wanted to touch his face but was afraid of waking him up, so she retracted her hand and just looked at him quietly.

Since Finnick was right beside her, she could reach out and touch him. However, would Finnick always be by her side like he was now?

As Vivian reflected on how dull she looked when she and Evelyn stood side by side in the shop today, she couldn't help but feel heavily threatened. Will I be able to keep Finnick by my side since I can't even compare to Evelyn?

The next day, Finnick got up early for work and it was time for Vivian to go back to work at the magazine company as well.

Finnick had requested a week's leave from the magazine company on her behalf due to her foot injury. Now that her foot was almost healed, it was time for her to go back to work.

However, after thinking about how Finnick and Evelyn would meet, talk, and discuss work together today, Vivian's was still very uneasy. Since she was feeling so disoriented, she couldn't bring herself to go to work. Thus, she called Fabian and told him that she would like to take another day off.

Fabian guessed that Vivian was in a foul mood because she had probably read the news about Evelyn's unexpected return, which was trending on the internet a few days earlier. In

addition, Finnick had also called to inform him regarding Vivian's injury previously. Hence, he agreed to it without any hesitation.

"Take a good rest first, you don't need to come to work in such a hurry. You shouldn't take the news on the internet to heart either, it's all in the past. Moreover, I think that you are much better than Evelyn, and I believe Finnick feels the same way, so don't worry," Fabian comforted Vivian.

"Alright, I understand, thank you Fabian." His words and affirmation had truly comforted Vivian from within.

"I'll go back to work tomorrow. That's all for now. Um, alright, goodbye then." A few more words were exchanged between her and Fabian, who told her to take good care of herself. After assuring him she was fine, she hung up.

While sitting on the sofa, she turned on the TV and kept changing the channels with the remote control as she couldn't pay attention to any of it. Vivian turned around and walked into Finnick's study after turning off the TV, thinking that she might be able to find some books to read since there wasn't anything she could watch on the TV.

The only way she would be able to stop overthinking was if she did something.

Having found some magazines in Finnick's study, Vivian sat at his work desk and flipped through them. However, after a while, she couldn't continue staring at the magazines because the words started jumbling up and it was impossible for her to understand what the words were saying.

After she put away the magazine, Vivian closed her eyes and took a few deep breaths. I need to trust Finnick. If he says that he will not have any feelings for Evelyn, then he would definitely not do so...

Then she opened her eyes and continued flipping through the magazine in her hand. Soon after, the door to the study suddenly opened and Vivian saw Mrs. Filder walking in.

"What's the matter, Mrs. Filder?" Finnick had always cleaned the study himself because he was afraid Mrs. Filder would accidentally mess up his documents when she cleaned. What is Mrs. Filder doing in here at this time?

The housemaid replied with a smile, "Mrs. Norton, so you are in the study, I was just thinking why I didn't see you in the living room just now. Mr. Norton phoned earlier and said that he forgot to bring along a file which was sitting on the desk, so he asked me to send it to him."

After hearing that, Vivian searched on the desk and found a red folder sitting next to the computer, "Is this it?" Vivian picked up the folder and handed it to Mrs. Filder.

"I think so, Mr. Norton said that it's a red folder that is placed right next to the computer. This should be it." After Mrs. Filder received the folder from Vivian, she wasn't quite sure if it was the right one, but thought it couldn't be wrong.

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"Then I'll send it over to Mr. Norton first, he said that he needs it urgently for a meeting." Having said that, Mrs. Filder turned around and left the study.

"Hey Mrs. Filder, wait a minute!" Vivian called out to the housemaid who had just left the study. "I'll go and deliver it to Finnick instead since I'm more familiar with the directions to his company. It'll be quicker that way."

"If that's the case, alright then." Thinking that she really wasn't familiar with Finnick's company, Mrs. Filder responded, "Then Mrs. Norton, you should hurry up, Mr. Norton sounded rather anxious over the phone earlier."

"Yes, alright." After she replied Mrs. Filder, Vivian ran to the bedroom and put on a jacket, then she rushed out of the house hurriedly.

Shortly after that, Vivian reached Finnick's company in a cab.

"Finnick forgot to bring some documents and I'm here to deliver them." Vivian explained to the company's receptionist briefly.

“Alright, that’s the president’s personal lift, you can just take that one up.” The receptionist could instantly recognize that she was the president’s wife as she pointed towards the lift and let her in immediately.

“The president’s ex-girlfriend went up earlier and now his wife rushed here all of a sudden, what’s happening?” The receptionist and her female colleague, who was next to her, whispered as they watched Vivian wait for the lift.

“Didn’t she say that she was here to deliver some documents?” The female colleague also heard what Vivian said earlier.

“Are you daft? Do you really believe that? She’s clearly here to catch them in action. Woah! The battle between the ex-girlfriend and the wife. I can imagine how crazy it’ll be just by thinking about it!” The receptionist said excitedly while her face lit up.

They thought their whispers were soft but in actual fact, they were so exhilarated that they raised their volume without realizing it. After all, it was rare to come across such a huge scandal.

Vivian was standing not far from them, so she could faintly hear what they were saying and began to grip the document tightly. Is Evelyn really upstairs now?

Vivian walked anxiously into the lift after the door opened. While watching the floor numbers change, Vivian became more and more nervous. She was trying to come up with an explanation for her visit if she were to see Finnick and Evelyn together later.

It was true that she wasn’t comfortable knowing that Finnick and Evelyn were together, hence she delivered the document on behalf of Mrs. Filder. In that case, it certainly sounded like she was trying to catch them in action.

Will Finnick misunderstand me and think that I don’t trust him? What if he gets angry? As she stood in the lift, Vivian got caught up in her own thoughts.

Vivian arrived at Finnick’s office shortly after but she did not see him there. Instead, she saw Noah sitting on one side.

“Mrs. Norton, what brings you here?” Noah hurriedly got up when he saw Vivian walking in.

I am here to deliver some documents to Finnick that he had forgotten." Vivian handed the documents to Noah, then she asked, "Where is Finnick?"

"Mr. Norton is having a meeting in the conference room. He'll come up after he's done." Noah flipped through the documents in his hands and made sure they were the right ones before saying, "Mrs. Norton, please wait while I send the documents to them."

"Yes, alright. Please go ahead." Vivian's heart let out a sigh of relief when she didn't see Finnick and Evelyn.

Noah received a phone call as soon as he walked to the door.

"What did you say?" Immediately after answering the call, Noah's face changed dramatically as he yelled over the phone, "Hurry up and inform the maintenance department to send people there! Quick!"

Noah bolted after hanging up the phone.

"What's wrong?" Seeing Noah in such a panic, Vivian immediately chased after him and asked him.

Just as if he remembered Vivian was also there, Noah turned around anxiously and said to her, "Mr. Norton is in trouble!"

"What happened to Finnick?" After hearing that something had happened to him, Vivian asked Noah worriedly.

Noah tried to straighten himself out as he said, "After the meeting, Mr. Norton and Evelyn were on their way up here. However, the lift they were riding in suddenly broke down and now the both of them are trapped in there."

"Why is this happening?" As Vivian heard about Finnick being trapped in the lift, she immediately remembered those lift crashes she had read about in the news.

Furthermore, she had covered such news before and she knew that if the situation worsens, it could be life-threatening! Please don't let anything bad happen to Finnick!

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“What should we do now?” The more Vivian thought about it, the more panicked she became. She didn’t know what she could do at that time.

“I’ve already asked the maintenance department to go over. Don’t panic yet, Mrs. Norton, as it could just be a small matter. Mr. Norton will be fine.” As Noah realized his overly anxious tone might have scared Vivian earlier, he remained calm and comforted her. “Let’s go over and see what’s going on,” he said.

“Alright.” Vivian followed Noah from behind as they rushed downstairs.

The maintenance department’s technician was already there when they arrived at the location.

“What is going on?” Noah asked the maintenance technician anxiously.

“Don’t worry, Mr. Lotte, it’s not a serious problem. It’s because the lift’s leveling sensor malfunctioned and triggered other safety switches, that’s why the lift made an emergency stop and got stuck between two floors,” the maintenance technician explained. “We have already taken the necessary measures so it’s basically pretty safe. However, we might need more time.”

“How long would you need?”

“Around three hours.”

“That’s really long!” When Vivian heard that it would take so long, she couldn’t help but worry. “Will something bad happen?”

“Though it will take three hours, there will be enough air in the lift for two people to breathe, so there shouldn’t be any problems. We will try our best to shorten the rescue time, so don’t worry.”

As the maintenance technician reassured them that everything would be fine, Vivian and Noah felt a slight relief.

However, Vivian's heart sank at the thought of Finnick and Evelyn being alone in the lift for three hours.

I must trust Finnick, I have to trust Finnick... Vivian reminded herself repeatedly as she waited anxiously by the lift.

At the same time, both Finnick and Evelyn remained silent in the lift.

After the lift abruptly stopped, Evelyn instantly panicked and was worried that something might happen to her. As for Finnick, he calmly contacted the emergency number and told the maintenance technician outside about the situation inside the lift.

After explaining the precautions to them, the technician informed them that the problem was not serious and that they weren't in a danger. Hence, they would be able to get out of the lift in no time.

After Finnick hung up the call in the lift, he turned to Evelyn and said, "Everything's fine, we will be able to get out very soon." After that, he stopped talking and waited quietly by the side for help.

After hearing that it wasn't a dangerous situation, Evelyn was able to feel more relaxed. Evelyn thought to herself as she stared at Finnick, It seems like this is an opportunity given by God.

Evelyn had also tried contacting Finnick to ask him out since they last met at the cemetery, however, he would come up with different excuses to reject her every time.

Finnick would never have met her if she hadn't deliberately added a clause to the contract when she took on this design project, that she would discuss the design with the president of Finnor Group.

Logically speaking, Finnick had thought she was dead for many years, but now that she was back alive, he should be very happy. How could he be so indifferent instead? She couldn't understand that at all.

Evelyn would not believe it if it was because Finnick had forgotten about her. Otherwise, he would not have been so protective of her at the cemetery. Furthermore, he even won back the pen he gave her for a very high price at the auction.

Regardless of everything, Finnick belongs to me and only me! As for Vivian, I'll make her leave Finnick on her own accord eventually.

"Finnick, have you been well after all these years?" Seeing that Finnick had not been speaking, Evelyn had no choice but to break the silence herself.

"Quite well." Finnick remained mute after saying that.

"Have you ever blamed me for not finding you all these years, Finnick?"

Finnick glanced at Evelyn with a puzzled look. "Didn't you lose your memory?" he asked.

"Yes. Otherwise, I would have come to you sooner," Evelyn replied a little anxiously.

Finnick nodded and stopped talking.

Evelyn's eyes were filled with disappointment since Finnick had never looked at her or continued the conversation except for taking a short glance at her earlier.