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[Chapter 1511 Why Was Rachel Looking For You So Urgently?](#)

Nicole had the nerve to release such a video to slander Elisa when she knew Elisa had the original footage. Nicole couldn't blame Elisa for whatever she did next!

Rachel realized Elisa was silent and felt worried. "Liz, I'm talking to you! Did you hear me?"

"Mm. It's not a problem."

There was currently vicious public opinion against Elisa, and everyone cursed her miserably, but the tide would turn. Nicole would receive the same consequences!

Rachel swore. "D*mn. I know this isn't a problem for you. I also understand someone set you up, but babe, this person has your face!"

Elisa smiled and consoled Rachel. "Don't worry. I have a plan."

Upon seeing Elisa so relaxed, Rachel stopped worrying.

But she was very concerned with Elisa's return trip.

She was slightly impatient. "What does the stupid man want? Thomas has returned, so what are you two still doing there? You're also using his cell phone to call me back. Don't tell me that you're going to remarry him!"

They were best friends, and Rachel would support Elisa in everything she did.

But she disagreed with Elisa about matters regarding Gareth.

Elisa had humbled herself immensely in the three years that they were married.

But what about Gareth?!

After Linda regained consciousness, he handed Elisa divorce papers without regard for her feelings.

Does he want to remarry Elisa now? Get lost!

Since he missed his opportunity with Elisa, he should give up!

Elisa was dumbfounded and confused.

"Why do you think so? Am I so dumb to you?"

"Heh." A sneer appeared in the corners of Rachel's mouth. "If you're not dumb, why would you stay with Gareth for those three years? And why would you run off to Moranta with Gareth to look for Ganoderma Caligo?"

"Let me tell you. You shouldn't care about Gareth's stupid affairs at all!"

They kept getting entangled with each other. It was never-ending.

Of course, Elisa understood Rachel's kind intentions.

She smiled. "Don't worry. I won't let such a thing happen again. This time, we were delayed by other things. I estimate it'll take around ten to fifteen days to solve."

Rachel could clearly sense the exasperation in Elisa's voice in the end.

Rachel didn't say anything else. "Mm. Take it easy. For now, solve the public opinion blowing up online."

"Okay."

Elisa nodded. It was a piece of cake to her.

After hanging up, Elisa was about to return to her room.

But Gareth called after her.

His brows were raised and furrowed.

"What happened? Why was Rachel looking for you so urgently?"

Elisa's face had suddenly darkened when she started talking.

He felt that Rachel had looked for Elisa because something critical had happened.

Elisa smiled and said, "It's just a scoundrel doing something insignificant."

"I'm leaving."

After that, Elisa returned Gareth's cell phone to the bedside table.

When Gareth saw Elisa's demeanor, he knew she could solve it quickly.

He didn't ask further.

He was injured and couldn't move around easily, so he couldn't help much.

The only thing he could do now was to rest well and not burden Elisa further.

Elisa returned to her room and turned on her laptop.

Nasty comments about her gradually came into view on various big domestic platforms...

[Chapter 1512 Is She So Confident?](#)

xx: 'I never thought Elisa was so depraved! Is everyone else invisible to her? Does she not see anyone else around her? Is she so confident in her figure?'

xx: 'I'm going to throw up. In any case, she's a public figure. Can she pay more attention to her image?'

xx: 'No, I finally discovered why Gareth divorced her. Why would he keep such a shameless woman by his side?'

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The more Elisa scrolled, the more they insulted her, and their comments were an eyesore.

She was photoshopped into an obituary.

These ignorant people were amazing!

Elisa couldn't be bothered to argue with them. She implanted a virus in the website, and the comments disappeared as the page showed a '404 Error.'

Elisa didn't deal with the video.

Because she quickly uploaded the complete surveillance footage.

In the footage, Nicole came out from the private room next door and put on a skin mask before entering the private room Gareth had booked. After that, she ran out of the private room in a rush.

The surveillance monitors caught Nicole's face and actions clearly.

Elisa didn't need to release any statement. It was clear who was in the wrong.

Elisa even included the footage of Nicole seducing Gareth while wearing a skin mask of her.

Once it was uploaded, the Internet went into a frenzy.

Those who had initially cursed at Elisa gradually changed their minds and went after Nicole.

xx: 'I thought Elisa was the shameless one, but I never thought it was actually the daughter of the Tabor family. What a hypocrite. She used Elisa's appearance to do such a thing! How disgusting!'

xx: 'She's so shameless. Didn't you see how she used Elisa's appearance to do it? How annoying. In any case, she's the dignified daughter of the Tabor family. How could she do something so demeaning?'

xx: 'Not only is it demeaning, but she has also completely humiliated the entire Tabor family!'

xx: 'That's true. Why didn't Nicole do such nauseating things openly?! Why did she have to set others up? I think Nicole was the one who exposed the initial video, right?'

xx: 'I disagree. Since it's so disgusting, if Nicole did it with her identity, it would be humiliating if she didn't get her way. If the other videos weren't revealed, would we have known that Nicole did it with a skin mask of Elisa?'

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xx: 'Kill yourself, Nicole Tabor!'

xx: 'Trash!'

xx: 'Slut!'

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The comments increased.

Nicole was now the target of cyberbullying. Even the Tabor family was also affected.

But Elisa didn't feel like she had done anything wrong or had destroyed Nicole.

Because Nicole had brought it upon herself.

If Nicole hadn't exposed the video and made Elisa the victim of cyberbullying, Elisa wouldn't have released the videos.

Because Elisa knew full well how the videos would affect Nicole once they were released.

But who was to blame?

Nicole could only blame herself.

She shut her laptop coldly.

As for Nicole, she stopped surfing the Internet once she saw that Elisa was being cyberbullied.

She didn't know that the tide had turned on her.

Until her father called her.

"Dad..." Nicole inexplicably felt a dreadful premonition. Before she could think about it, his voice rang in her ears.

[Chapter 1513 Public Humiliation](#)

"Nicole, this is not how I raised you. Didn't I say never to do something unless you are sure? You even promised me before you left. Look what you've done! How could you humiliate me like this?"

Nicole could keenly sense her father's fury through the phone.

He would have slapped her if he was standing before her right now.

Nicole was smart.

She knew it must have been something severe that made her father furious.

"What happened?" She felt a growing sense of unease.

"You dare to ask what happened? How can you not know what you did? See for yourself!"

Nicole's expression changed. Isn't Elisa the one trending on Twitter? What does it have to do with me?

She did not dare to hesitate and turned on her phone immediately, only to be shocked.

People were no longer criticizing Elisa on various social media platforms.

Instead, Nicole replaced Elisa as the trending topic.

Vicious, shameless, sl*t, and wh*re were among the many derogatory words used against her.

The surveillance camera had recorded when she took off a hyper-realistic silicone mask of Elisa's face.

Furthermore, the video recording showed Gareth scolding her furiously when she came to him in the private lounge.

How did this happen?

Nicole could not help but tremble. How could this happen? How?

Her face was shrouded with panic. She had no idea what she should do.

She was on cloud nine a moment ago, but Elisa dragged her into the depths of hell.

She had fallen from grace and became the city's most despicable figure.

The perfect image she cultivated so well was utterly ruined. Everyone throughout the country saw what she did. No! I won't accept this! I can't give in!

However, she had no choice but to hold down her anger. She humbly pleaded for her father's forgiveness.

"Dad, I'm sorry. It's my fault. My mistake has dragged the family into trouble, but don't worry. I will make sure to fix this today!"

I will make Elisa pay for what she did!

I will make sure Gareth never treats me like he did in the surveillance video again!

Nicole clenched her fists as she thought about this.

Although Bernard Tabor was still angry after hearing her, he would not be so cruel as to do anything to his biological daughter.

Furthermore, there were thousands of miles between them. He could not do anything even if he wanted to.

Still, Bernard's anger refused to die down. "Do as you see fit. If you fail to turn the matter around, our family will never be able to hold our heads up again! Gareth and Elisa are important. Do you understand?"

"Yes." Nicole nodded.

Everything started because of Gareth and Elisa. How could she not understand what her father was implying?

Bernard had nothing else to say and hung up straight away.

On the other hand, Nicole finally had the chance to vent her frustration.

"Stop the car!"

She glared at the driver in front and ordered, "Get out! I'll drive!"

The driver worked for her. He had no choice but to do as she demanded.

"Why are you still here?"

Nicole glanced at the rearview mirror as she was about to start the car and noticed Aaron seated at the back.

Aaron had at least seventy percent responsibility for causing her situation.

If not for him, she would not have rushed to seduce Gareth.

Thanks to him, her reputation was ruined, and she became the target of public criticism.

Aaron smiled. "There's still a long way, Ms. Tabor. You're not so cruel as to abandon me halfway, right?"

He claimed it was halfway, but it was only ten to twenty minutes from KKCD Casino.

[Chapter 1514 Heartless](#)

The driver had not even driven the car halfway to their destination.

Nicole pursed her lips. "Since you won't get out, you must hold tight."

Then, she immediately started the engine and sped up to one hundred kilometers per hour.

The car shot forward like an arrow.

Aaron guessed she would do this when she said those words.

Therefore, he grabbed the handrail at the top and was not affected by the reckless speed.

Meanwhile, Elisa returned to Gareth in KKCD Casino.

Gareth had closed his eyes but opened them as Elisa came near.

His eyes, which gleamed like gems, immediately came into view.

"Are you okay?"

Elisa pulled a chair and sat by his side.

Gareth grunted in response.

Their gazes met, but no one said anything.

The silence between them was palpable.

Gareth pursed his lips and appeared solemn.

Although the surveillance video exposed Nicole's despicable deeds and destroyed her reputation, Elisa had suffered severe criticism from netizens before the video was exposed.

He did not tell her that he secretly instructed Thomas to find a large group of netizens to attack Nicole's reputation.

Furthermore, he also took action against Tabor Group's stocks, causing their value to plummet.

However, Gareth still felt he had gone too easy on them.

Thus, he said softly, "You shouldn't have let her go."

Gareth was talking about Nicole.

Nicole had prepared the video against Elisa before Elisa released her.

It did not matter that Elisa let her go. Nicole had planned to post that video regardless.

However, Elisa disagreed with Gareth and was not bothered by Nicole. "There's no point dwelling on that. Her reputation is already ruined. Why would I let a clown like her get the best of me?"

Gareth knew she would never let Nicole have a chance to do that.

Still, Nicole had schemed against me and sought to harm Elisa. I must make her pay for what she did!

"Elisa, you must bring me with you wherever you go and whatever you do," Gareth said after pursing his lips. He seemed insistent about it.

Elisa shook her head.

Although she said nothing, Gareth instantly understood her.

He was injured and would only burden her if he followed.

Furthermore, she did not need him as her helper.

Even though she knew what Gareth instructed Thomas after she struck back at Nicole, she would not change her mind.

"You arranged for netizens to attack Nicole and pressured Tabor Group because you were also furious at them. Even if Nicole did not post anything, you would eventually act against her."

He had not done anything until now because the intricacies of his plans delayed the matter.

In actuality, Gareth did not care about the matter involving Nicole.

He pursed his lips and replied, "Elisa, don't change the topic."

Gareth looked into her eyes. His gaze was calm and cold.

Elisa was confused.

I was being frank about my opinion. How was that changing the topic?

Elisa felt she was unable to agree with Gareth's opinion.

Therefore she decided to be direct. "I came here to check if you're all right. After all, you blocked a couple of gunshots for me. I would seem heartless if I didn't show concern for you."

"However, I don't want you to get involved in anything I do from now on. Do you understand?"

She did not want Gareth to put himself in danger.

Moreover, she did not want to get involved with him.

Furthermore, how could an injured man be of any help? She would be more than thankful if he did not get in her way.

[Chapter 1515 Small Fry](#)

Seeing that Gareth did not speak, Elisa continued, "Gareth, I don't like to keep repeating the same matter. I'll change your bandages now."

She stood up as she said that.

Then, she unwrapped the bandages on Gareth's wound and discovered the stitched wound was red, swollen, and irritated.

She applied the herbal ointment she formulated on it.

The herbs were potent and stung when applied to the skin. Unexpectedly, Gareth only frowned and did not make a sound.

Elisa was impressed with his pain tolerance.

Previously, Gareth had undergone surgery and was unconscious when she bandaged him. However, he was wide awake this time.

Elisa's hand moved to his back as she bandaged him.

They were so close that Elisa could smell a light medicinal scent mixed with his pheromone. She could also hear his relaxed heartbeat.

Elisa held her breath.

It was her first time being this close to him since their divorce.

"Liz."

Gareth suddenly called her by her nickname.

"Yes?" Elisa raised her eyebrows, unsure what Gareth wanted to say.

However, Gareth remained silent. His Adam's apple trembled as he struggled to form words. All he could focus on was the light fragrance from her body.

"Done."

Elisa finished bandaging his wound and let go of him to stand up. Unexpectedly, her waist bumped against Gareth's arm, causing her to lose balance and fall into his embrace.

"Gareth, are... are you okay?"

She remembered Gareth was injured and immediately tried to get up.

Gareth shook his head.

The atmosphere between them...

Gareth parted his mouth to speak but did not know what to say.

In the end, it was Elisa who spoke first. "What food do you feel like having? I'll prepare it for you."

He needed healthy and nutritious food to recover from his injuries.

Furthermore, Elisa was concerned about the drug residue in his body. She hoped it would not trigger a relapse now. Otherwise, it would severely worsen his already painful condition.

Gareth shook his head again.

The atmosphere turned silent.

As Elisa was confused about what to say, Gareth broke the silence. "Are you sure you don't want me to go with you?"

Gareth focused his gaze on her as he asked.

Elise could not figure out why, but she felt an unexplainable strange feeling when she saw Gareth's gaze.

It made her feel uncomfortable.

Elisa nodded. "You're injured. How can you be of help to me? I will contact Thomas later and tell him to ensure Grandma consumes Ganoderma Caligo. Then, he can come here again."

"Are you going to tell Thomas to bring me home while you go off to deal with those matters? I know you have an arrangement with the casino owner, but are you not suspicious about his identity?" Gareth pursed his lips and brought up the critical matter.

Gareth believed everyone would reveal their true color at critical moments.

Elisa was intelligent, but she was still a woman. Gareth was concerned that she would be susceptible to being tricked.

Elisa understood what Gareth was implying.

She sighed before answering, "I've checked all the required proofs. A prominent casino owner like him does not need to fabricate documents to form a connection with a small fry like me, right?"

Small fry?

Gareth wanted to laugh when he heard Elisa say those two words.

[Chapter 1516 Blaming the Deceased](#)

Gareth narrowed his eyes. "Are you sure you're a small fry?"

Elisa is not someone insignificant. She has medical skills, an analytical mind, and is courageous and resourceful. Furthermore, she is efficient in investigations.

That shows she is highly skilled with computers.

She had hidden all these from me when we were married.

After we divorced, her secret identity was revealed one by one. Perhaps there are more that I don't know of.

Therefore, she is in no way a small fry.

Elisa heard Gareth's question and saw his solemn gaze. She instantly understood what he meant.

Gareth must have known her many secret identities.

She used to hide them from him, but there was no need for that now.

However, she felt she had no obligation to confess everything.

Elisa smiled and said, "Whether I'm a minor or prominent figure, isn't that something decided by others? What do you mean by that, Gareth? Are you surprised because you find me more outstanding than before? Or is it something else?"

Gareth answered flatly, "No matter what you did, you are still you. You are still Elisa, right?"

"That's true." Elisa nodded upon hearing Gareth.

No matter what I do, I can never compare to his beloved Linda.

"If there's nothing else, I'm returning to my room to rest. You can call Mr. North if you're hungry." Elisa had no mood to continue this conversation with Gareth.

She turned around after saying that, but Gareth grabbed her hand.

Elisa noticed the slight coolness of his palm as they touched.

They had physical contact a few times before, so Elisa knew his body temperature was lower than average. However, she noticed his body temperature now was even lower than before.

"Once Thomas arrives to bring you home, I will prepare a few medicines to help heal you. You can call me by phone if there's anything in the future. However, I will charge a fee for some tasks based on their complexity."

Elisa spoke frankly and sounded impersonal.

She believed it was impossible to be friends with Gareth.

Gareth did not let go and frowned upon hearing her. "Elisa, we were husband and wife. Must you treat us as strangers?"

Gareth's chest felt heavy. It felt like a huge rock was sitting on his chest.

Why must she be so impersonal? For whom is it for?

Is it because of Will?

"Are we not strangers? You wanted nothing to do with me when you gave me the divorce papers," Elisa retorted.

She struggled to free her hand from his grip.

Gareth understood her but refused to let go. "Didn't I say I will investigate those matters? I..."

"What's the point of investigating them? Isn't Linda already 'dead'?"

Elisa interrupted before Gareth could finish speaking.

Linda was dead. Even if the investigation revealed the truth, the public would still think Elisa falsified evidence to dump the blame on the deceased.

Instead, Elisa focused on searching for her mother's whereabouts, expanding Benett Corporation's business and her career.

She was not interested in clearing the misconception about her.

Gareth had spent some time with Elisa and knew what she was like.

She would usually fight back if anyone wrongly accused or hurt her.

If she doesn't retaliate, does it mean...

[Chapter 1517 Neglecting Friendship for Love](#)

Elisa noticed that Gareth remained silent and sneered, "Why? Did I disprove your guess? Do you think I'm a devious woman again?"

Gareth pursed his lips and appeared stern. "Can we talk calmly about this?"

Elisa was rendered speechless and was surprised by his question.

She laughed. "You asked if we could calmly talk about this. Then, can I ask you a question, Mr. Wickam? Have you ever respected me since the beginning? Whenever I tried to talk to you, you cut me off every time. What am I to do?" Elisa shrugged helplessly.

Elisa struggled again to free herself. He finally let her go this time.

Suddenly, Elisa's phone rang.

It was a call from Rachel.

Elisa went to the side to answer it.

Rachel's voice sounded the moment Elisa pressed to accept the call.

"Babe, you handled the matter beautifully. I give you a thumbs up and a like!"

Elisa smiled and replied, "Of course, I won't let anyone bully me and get away with it. She impersonated me to do despicable things. In return, I exposed her to the public and ruined her reputation."

For a moment, Elisa imagined how furious Nicole would be, yet helpless to do anything.

Elisa had warned Nicole and did not plan to pursue the matter after releasing her.

However, Nicole forced her hands. Thus, she had only herself to blame.

Rachel was in complete agreement with Elisa. "Definitely. You know, every major media is showing Nicole's video. Moreover, her father collapsed from anger and had to be hospitalized. Even her family company's stock value is falling."

Rachel happily talked about everything that had happened to the Tabor family.

On the other hand, Elisa was calm.

She had long expected those outcomes.

Furthermore, no social media platform would not let go of such trending material.

Elisa had also programmed special codes that made the videos undeletable. They would remain on the social media platforms for seven days and nights.

This was mental torture for Nicole, who had worked hard to cultivate her image.

Although Rachel was excited, she could not help but notice Elisa's silence.

She frowned and asked, "Liz, are you okay? Why do I sense that you're unhappy?"

Elisa denied, "No, I was just thinking about some matters."

"What are you thinking about? By the way, you said you have other things to deal with. What are they? Should I book a flight over now?"

Elisa and Rachel were close. She would never neglect things concerning Rachel.

However, what Elisa planned to do next was risky and unpredictable. Even Gareth had gotten severely hurt. It would be even more dangerous for Rachel, who knew no self-defense or had prominent connections.

Elisa was unwilling to let Rachel get in danger on her account.

Thus, she smiled and said, "You won't be able to help much even if you come here. I have people with me, so don't worry about me. You should stay and work with Sheena to deal with the matters given to you. As for the others, you don't have to bother about them and wait for good news from me."

Rachel was astounded.

Rachel honestly felt dispirited.

Why does she allow Gareth to stay and not let me go there?

I don't understand.

"Elisa, tell me the truth. Is it because you are afraid that I will get between you and Gareth that you won't let me go to Moranta?"

Elisa could not help but laugh at Rachel's claim. She denied, "No way. You are the most important to me."

"Hmph, that better be true! Otherwise, you're neglecting our friendship for love."

[Chapter 1518 Gareth Was Depressed](#)

Elisa explained patiently, "I have reasons for refusing to let you come here. This is not a vacation."

Rachel had been friends with Elisa for many years. She knew what Elisa meant.

Although she was angry, she knew Elisa was trying to protect her.

However, she could not help but make her feelings known.

"Liz, I'm not scared of the danger. I'm willing to sacrifice my life if it means helping you."

They had been friends for many years and helped each other countless times.

Sacrifice?

Rachel was truly fearless.

Elisa understood Rachel, but she would never let Rachel put herself at risk.

Still, she played along with her. "Sure, I won't hesitate to contact you if there's something you can do."

"I'm not falling for that! Are you saying I'm useless to you now?"

Rachel threw a tantrum.

Elisa laughed and replied, "I didn't say that. You're the one who said it."

Rachel knew Elisa did not mean it that way.

Thus, she decided to stop bothering Elisa and reminded her, "Liz, you must carefully consider the things we discussed. You must mean whatever you say and not just to appease me. You are alone in Moranta. I know your capabilities, but you still need to watch out and take care of yourself. Don't do something too risky."

"Sure, I'll heed your words and be careful, Ms. Markee," Elisa replied playfully to ease the heaviness of their conversation.

"All right, Ms. Benett. I'll accept your promise for now."

"It's late. You should get some rest. I'll return once I'm done with the matters here. We can have a good chat then."

"Okay."

They hung up after that.

Elisa put her phone away and looked up to see Gareth's stern gaze.

She could not help but frown.

Has he been watching me since I accepted the call?

Gareth pursed his lips and had something to say. However, he did not know where to begin.

In the end, Elisa looked away and moved to leave the room. Gareth saw she was about to leave and forced himself to speak.

"Liz."

His voice sounded hoarse for some reason.

Elisa considered and thought it could be because he had not spoken for a long time.

She paused and turned to him. "Yes, what's the matter?"

"I don't feel so well."

Gareth frowned slightly as he spoke.

He seemed to be in severe pain.

Seeing that, Elisa rushed to him and held his hand, placing her index and middle finger on his wrist.

Although his pulse was weak, it was not erratic or unusual.

That meant the drug residue in his body had not relapsed.

Elisa let go of his hand.

But she remembered he was injured and put his hand down carefully before covering him with a quilt.

Then, she told the truth to reassure him.

"I've checked your pulse and confirmed that the drug residue in your body has not reacted. You feel pain because of your injuries. Although I've formulated medicines that can help your wounds recover faster, they are too straining to the body. Therefore, it's best that you bear with the pain."

Gareth thought Elisa was talking to Will when she was on the phone just now.

Then, he heard the last few sentences of their conversation and realized she was talking to Rachel.

Knowing that it was not Will, his depressed feelings gradually relaxed.

[Chapter 1519 She Chose to Trust Him](#)

Gareth's expression darkened upon hearing her.

It was because he realized what Elisa's true aim was.

However, Elisa was puzzled by his reaction. "You were fine a moment ago. What's wrong with you this time?"

How could people say that women are as unpredictable as the weather?

From what I see, Gareth is the best example of that saying.

Gareth pursed his lips and pondered briefly before asking, "You won't let anyone help you. Tell me the truth. Are you planning to infiltrate the enemy camp alone?"

Elisa was rendered speechless.

His words revealed that he had been watching her since she picked up the call.

I don't need anyone to help me, nor do I want to get anyone involved. What's so strange about that?

Still, she was not angry.

Instead, she looked at Gareth calmly and said, "You're injured, and we divorced long ago. Rachel is a woman from an ordinary background. How can I ask you two to help?"

I'm not heartless.

How can I endanger you and Rachel over this matter?

Unexpectedly, Gareth retorted immediately, "Who are you planning to ask?"

Gareth stared at Elisa as he asked that question, refusing to give her any chance to escape.

Elisa could not help but frown. "I don't know. Why do you insist on dwelling on this matter?"

She had told him all she had to say. Yet, he stubbornly clung to the matter.

The answer stunned Gareth.

Why do I keep dwelling on the matter?

Why?

Isn't it because Elisa is approached by too many people of unknown backgrounds and motives?

Isn't it because I worry she could be tricked or threatened? Am I concerned that something could happen to her?

Gareth was shocked by his thoughts.

Why am I so concerned about her?

Elisa was confused by Gareth's prolonged silence.

She asked, "You asked me, and I asked you a question in return. Why aren't you answering?"

Her question awakened him from his thoughts.

However, he did not answer her immediately but thought silently before saying, "I ask that question to confirm whether you have someone to protect you. Judging from the situation, Elisa, more than one party desires your death."

Gareth focused on Elisa as he said that.

His pupils darkened, and they appeared solemn.

At the same time, Gareth had a calm and severe expression. One could see that he was not lying.

Elisa was keenly aware that many people wanted her dead.

However, she had not attempted anything and was still in the casino.

At least her uncle was here. He would protect her.

However, things were different for Gareth.

She could see that her uncle hated seeing him.

That was why Elisa wanted Gareth to recover quickly and leave Moranta immediately.

While he was still recovering, Elisa would stay by his side and ensure he would not be affected by her uncle's dislike for him.

Elisa chuckled and said, "Thank you for your concern, but don't worry. I won't let anything happen to me. Moreover, my uncle is with me. He will keep me safe."

Although Gareth had raised concern about her uncle, she trusted him.

[Chapter 1520 Vicious Woman](#)

Uncle Winslow cannot be expected to protect her because they have no blood relation!

However, Gareth could not speak for a while.

He understood why she did not want Rachel to come to Moranta.

Strangely, for reasons he could not fathom, he thought of Will at this moment.

Gareth wanted to ask, but...

Elisa noticed him trying to speak but stopped himself.

Therefore, she encouraged him to talk.

"Gareth, you should speak up if you have anything to say. Stop hesitating."

Since Elisa exposed Gareth, he had no reason to hesitate.

He pursed his lips and said, "Did you reject Will's offer to help?"

"Yes."

Elisa answered despite not knowing why Gareth suddenly brought up Will.

She did not need Will's help.

Gareth fell silent.

But it was only for a few seconds. Then, he looked at Elisa and said, "Since you won't accept his help, please accept mine."

His tone had softened considerably.

Elisa was surprised. This was the first time Gareth spoke to her in such a tone.

Gareth had always been proud. He would never humble himself to offer to help someone.

Yes, he considered that as a humbling act.

Before Elisa could consider further, Gareth continued, "You have been a great help to me in obtaining Ganoderma Caligo and treating my poisoning. It's only right that I help you."

His explanation sounded reasonable.

Elisa froze briefly. Does he mean we will be even after he helps me this time?

But we stopped owing each other long ago.

Elisa felt they did not need to keep getting entangled over this matter.

Therefore she reacted much more calmly than she used to.

"Gareth, it's because of Grandma that I came here with you to search for Ganoderma Caligo. You knew this. Also, you got injured because of me, and I knew how to deal with poisoning. You can see me as a good Samaritan who won't ignore someone injured. Moreover, we were husband and wife."

Elisa expressed her stance, but Gareth had something to say.

"We were married for three years, but I neglected you. Now that you're..."

"You're not going to tell me you discovered good things about me, right? Or that Grandma likes me, and your grandfather tried to bring us together. Do you think spending the rest of your life with me is not so bad?"

Gareth fell silent at Elisa's words.

He was sure that Elisa was different from before.

Moreover, she was also not a devious woman.

"Gareth, it doesn't matter why you offer to help. You should stop thinking about this and get a good rest to recuperate. I will find you if I need your help."

Elisa smiled as she said that.

Gareth had nothing more to say after that.

He could not deny that Elisa was right. What he needed now was to rest and heal his injuries.

Only by doing this could he regain his strength and show up to her aid when she needed him to.

Still, Gareth did not want her to leave. "I wish to recover faster. You have to stay here."

"Sure."

Elisa did not refuse his request.

When Mr. North brought lunch, Elisa tried to take it from him to feed Gareth.

However, Mr. North immediately stopped her.

"Ms. Benett, leave this to me. It's lunchtime. You need to eat too."

Gareth's expression turned cold upon hearing him.