

## Pursuing My Ex-Wife Isn't Easy chapter 2819

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Even though Thomas had at one point hated his father's guts, he was still his father at the end of the day.

Besides, even though Senior Howard had committed many mistakes in the past, he still displayed remorse and tried to make up for his mistakes after finding out that Tina and Dan had deceived him for so many years.

The truth was, this was more than enough.

Thomas believed that if Senior Howard had pulled through, he would continue finding ways to patch things up between them.

Sadly, fate had different plans. Senior Howard had passed away before he could do so and before he could even meet his own granddaughter.

At the thought of this, Thomas sighed and took Yannie's hand in his. "Let's go. We'll stop by to see Riley, then give my father a proper goodbye. After everything is settled, let's pay Joshua a visit to discuss what should happen from here on out."

Yannie nodded and curled her fingers around his.

According to Tina, Thomas was doing all this just to get his hands on the family fortune, but at this moment, she realized that Tina had been wrong.

The most important thing that mattered to Thomas was her and Riley, then his late father, and finally, the family business.

This was the biggest difference between Thomas and the mother-and-son duo, Tina and Dan. Thomas placed the people in his life above all else, whereas Tina and Dan cared only about money. This was why Tina had been under the impression that Joshua was helping Thomas out of greed.

Thomas started the car and headed toward the hospital.

On the way, Yannie received a call from Luna, who was checking in on them.

"Don't worry; we've already left the police station." Yannie glanced at Thomas, who had his eyes on the road, and added, "But unfortunately, we still need you and Mr. Lynch to help us out at Howard Group for a little while longer. After what happened, we need to get things in order before returning to Howard Group."

Luna was reassured to hear this. "Alright. Don't worry; Joshua and I will take good care of things."

With that, she hung up the phone.

Behind her, Joshua stood in front of the glass windows, staring down at the streets as he held a cup of coffee in his hand.

Luna paused, then tucked her phone away and joined him.

The scene below them was a little amusing; after the reveal of Senior Howard's video online, everyone finally saw Tina and Dan's true colors. Because of this, the people on the streets erupted into chaos.

She bit her lip and closed her eyes. "I won't ask stupid questions like this anymore."

She knew the answer, but for some reason, whenever she thought about what Denise had said, she could not help doubting herself.

"Let's go visit Riley." Thomas let go of her and sighed, staring intently at her. "While I was locked in the holding cell, all I could think of was...whether I could see you and Riley if Joshua's plan failed."

He sighed. "That poor old geezer. He had trusted the wrong people, and even until his death, he never managed to meet his granddaughter."

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### **Chapter 2820**

"That's because I promised Senior Howard I'd do anything to protect his lawyer." Joshua sighed and turned to glance at the streets below him with a look of helplessness. "I wasn't the one who had filmed Senior Howard's will—it was Mr. Zink.

"After I received the recording, Senior Howard had called me himself to ask me to protect Mr. Zink. This was why I sent Steven and Gwen to rescue him before I posted the video online."

Luna was surprised by this.

Joshua was right. If he had released the video prior to ensuring Mr. Zink's safety, Tina and Dan would find a way to exterminate Mr. Zink before they got arrested. Therefore, Joshua had taken great care to ensure Mr. Zink was safe before going after Tina and Dan.

At this thought, Luna sighed and said, "You're such a detail-oriented person; nothing ever seems to faze you or disturb your plans."

No matter what happened, Joshua never failed to remain calm somehow and be the most reliable person among them in the face of adversity.

"Do you think so?" Joshua let out a self-deprecating chuckle. "If I'm as good as you claim, our daughter wouldn't have gone missing for so long."

Luna's heart sank at this.

She closed her eyes and sighed.

Even though she never wanted to give up on finding their daughter, the truth was...

Their daughter had been kidnapped three or four months ago, and according to her experience, it was not easy raising a baby.

If the kidnapper wanted to raise the child and eventually use her as a hostage against Luna and Joshua, all was good, but...

If the person just wanted her and Joshua to experience the pain of losing a child, the baby was unlikely to have survived.

Besides, if the kidnapper had wanted to use the child against her and Joshua, he or she would not have disappeared for so long without a trace.

Therefore, Luna was more inclined to believe that... their child was probably already dead.

Because of this, despite still wanting to track down their daughter, Luna deliberately tried to avoid talking about this and actually doing it.

The more time passed, the less hope she had of actually finding the child.

Joshua knew Luna was reluctant to talk about this any further. He sighed and pulled Luna close to him. "Don't worry. No matter what happens, we'll get an answer eventually."

Bonnie and Jim had already sent a sample of Shelly's DNA to the lab to be cross-matched with

his and Luna's.

No matter what the outcome of the test was, they would get an answer soon enough. "Yes." Luna could not stop her tears from falling at the thought of her lost child.

Just as Joshua was in the middle of consoling her, however, her phone rang.

It was Yannie.

Yannie's voice was croaky as she wailed, "Luna, Riley has gone missing!"

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### Chapter 2821

"Riley is missing?" Luna was astounded by this. "Yannie, calm down and tell me what happened."

"Well, this is all I know—" Yannie was gasping for breath as she explained, "Tina and Dan have been arrested because of Mr. Lynch's help. After Thomas and I came out from the police station, he wanted to visit her, so I came with him to the hospital..."

She sniffed and continued, "But when we arrived here, we discovered that all the guards that had been assigned to look after Riley disappeared.

"We couldn't help thinking something was wrong, and when we got out of the elevator, we ran into Riley's doctor. When we tried to ask him what was going on, however, he immediately ran away as though he had seen a ghost.

"Thomas and I immediately knew something bad had happened, so we ran all the way to Riley's room. When we got there, we realized that Riley was missing, and there was another baby girl in there."

Yannie sobbed as she said, "Luna, we're in the security room right now, but the person in charge said that all the surveillance cameras had broken down two days ago. It's too much of a coincidence, isn't it?"

"We investigated this and discovered that this hospital is part of the Miller family's corporation. Could Kate be behind this?"

A twinge of pain shot through Luna's heart.

She knew what Yannie was going through; she had been through the same pain and despair of losing her child before.

"Don't jump to conclusions just yet, Yannie." Luna sighed and tried her best to console Yannie. "Joshua and I will try to help you."

With that, she hung up and turned to stare at Joshua. "Thomas and Yannie are at the hospital now, but Riley has gone missing."

At this moment, Joshua was pawing through some documents, but he did not seem at all surprised to hear this. He lifted his head to glance at Luna. "So?"

Luna furrowed her brow at the nonchalant look on his face. "So we have to help them find her!"

She knew the anguish Yannie was going through, and she could not help feeling a little surprised at Joshua's reaction.

She understood him well and knew he was always a careful and deliberate man. Not only that, but he was always eager to help out his friends in need.

Riley was not only Yannie and Thomas' daughter but had, at one point, been under Luna and Joshua's care. Therefore, Joshua's reaction was far too cold and aloof to be considered normal. He was not a heartless man, of course.

At this thought, Luna sighed and strode over to him. "Have you already come up with a plan? Or do you already know where Riley is?"

Joshua did not deny this.

Instead, he put down the papers and glanced impassively at Luna. "Nigel texted me this morning to tell me that Sean has arrived in Saigen City. Shall we catch up with him sometime?"

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Chapter 2822

Sean?

Luna's brow furrowed in confusion. "What's he doing here in Saigen City?"

Luna and Joshua had flown all the way to Saigen City for other people; Luna had come to join Gwen on her trip whereas Joshua was here to help Thomas settle his business.

However, Sean did not possess any friends or family in Saigen City, so what was he doing here?

"He's here to experience the world-renowned Saigen City winter, of course." Joshua curled his lips into a smirk, gently clutched Luna's wrist, and pulled her into his arms. "Let's all meet for dinner tonight. We should invite Thomas and Yannie too."

Luna stared at him in puzzlement, her brow still scrunched. "What on earth are you talking about?"

Why was he suggesting inviting Thomas and Yannie to dinner with Sean?

The three of them did not know each other well, and even if they were friends... Thomas and Yannie would probably be worried sick about Riley, so how could they want to attend a gathering with Sean?

At the thought of this, Luna sighed and said, "I don't think this is the right time. Our priority right now is to help Thomas and Yannie track down Riley. Since Sean is already here, we could use his help too."

Finding Riley was more important than catching up with Sean.

"I think we should probably meet him first." Joshua smiled and gently pressed a kiss on Luna's cheek. "Perhaps we won't need to go in search of Riley anymore once we see him."

Luna did not understand this. "What wouldn't we need to go in search of her once we meet him? He's not Riley, after all."

Joshua curled his lips into a wry smile, then reached out to tap her nose playfully. "That's not what I meant, stupid."

Luna frowned. "Well, what is it that you mean, then?"

"All I need is for you to believe me; go call Yannie and Thomas right now and ask them to join us for dinner with Sean tonight. There's a surprise waiting for them."

Luna paused, and despite still feeling a little dubious over this, she still decided to trust Joshua.

She strode out of Joshua's office and dialed Yannie's number.

Yannie was in the midst of trying to figure out Riley's whereabouts, so she, too, was a little confused about why Luna and Joshua would invite her to dinner with their cousin. Nonetheless, she accepted Luna's invitation.

"Well, Luna, since Mr. Lynch says that meeting this Mr. Wheeler will help us find Riley eventually, I guess there's no harm trying. Don't worry; I promise I'll find a way to make Thomas come, too."

After hanging up, Yannie turned to glance at Thomas, who was fixated on watching the surveillance tapes from a few days ago. "Thomas, Luna told me that..."

"Come look at this," Thomas interrupted her before she could even finish. He grabbed hold of her arm excitedly and pointed at the computer screen. "I've finally found them! Look, it's Denise and Tina, isn't it?"

“Those bitches! I should’ve known they were behind this; I was wrong to think they wouldn’t dare lay a finger on an innocent child!” Thomas slammed the table in fury and snarled, “I should’ve known not to show Denise mercy.

“Now that Tina has been convicted of murder, Denise will never admit to kidnapping Riley to avoid being arrested too. We have to find her as soon as we can!”