### Powerful 1321

# Chapter 1321

If the Pinnacle Academy was still around, this matter would have been resolved very easily.

At that moment... Lucas took off his glasses with a headache and pinched the bridge of his nose.

Corentin's execution room, Athetin.

The man had been chained up and interrogated for days. He had been horrifically beaten, but he still did not reveal a single thing.

His shirt was shredded because he had been whipped, which left the round tattoo on his arm exposed.

The tattoo looked so familiar. What else could it be if not Tianya's symbol?

Corentin glanced at it and asked, "What is your relationship with Tommy? I'll let you go if you tell me."

The man was on the brink of death but his willpower was still very strong. "He paid us to get the job done. It's...that simple."

"Do you know Lilian?" Corentin did not get angry at him for not cooperating. "Both of you have the same tattoo, which belonged to Tianya."

The man's gaze changed a little.

It was a very subtle change, but it was still picked up by Corentin.

your life." Corentin's expression was as

wolf in the woods.

should

man.

slightly and looked at him. "Then, let me see if your bones or your will to remain tight-lipped will give out sooner. Use all of these torture devices on him. If he still isn't willing

help but ask after he sensed the

terrifying atmosphere.

was the first time he had asked this question since he had been locked up and

also tell that this was

around a little. His facial features could not be clearly seen. in the shadows, which made him look even more like a twisted monster.

man was stunned for

he did not expect that

"That's impossible."

looked like he was extremely thirsty for blood, then he turned around and left

was extremely across the ocean for almost then took a cab to the place that Tommy had she could only take a cab. What she got she got to her destination, she had had arranged for her was a

# Chapter 1322

"Thank you, my brother." This was the first time Anne willingly addressed him this way after she grew up and returned from abroad.

Tommy paused for a moment and said in a pleasantly deep voice that sounded as if he was speaking right next to Anne's ear, "I'll protect you from now on, alright?"

If the situation allowed, Anne did not wish to be protected by anybody. It would be great for her to resolve her matters herself.

In fact, in all those years when she was growing up, the atmosphere in her family was not that great, and her life was filled with miseries.

Later, she relied on herself to get through every day.

However, it was after she met Anthony that she understood success would not be guaranteed even if she worked hard when she was in front of a powerful person.

She needed to be helped and protected by others to be able to safely escape to the land across the ocean and be miles away from Anthony.

She did not need to worry about sleeping in the same bed and living in a living hell being tortured by Anthony's possessiveness every night.

"Anne." Tommy did not hear her voice for quite a while. Rather, he heard Anne start to breathe quickly, so he knew she was not emotionally stable. "Don't be afraid."

"I know." Anne had a catch in her throat. "How are things on Anthony's end now?"

"He wreaked such havoc that the entire Luton can't be at peace, and he is leaving no stone unturned in the search for you."

holding the phone gripped a little tighter, her knuckles turned white, and

Luton, she still could not stop feeling nervous and uneasy when

terror was

was very easily worked worry. He won't be able to find you," Tommy said could find her, Anthony would not a commotion globally for the sake of searching Anne. her senses, she also felt she was easily frightened by nothing, so for a while, she ended the in lonely. pillow under her chin and future. life that has nothing to do with to think that Anthony's obsession with her would be reduced after hiding from the Marwood family? Almost six years. In the end, once she returned to Luton, she should she wait for later, Anthony should not be having his eyes on

### Chapter 1323

It had been left in his car at that time.

Anthony's black eyes were deep and cold. He picked up the phone and went through the contents to see if there was anything suspicious.

Then, he saw a large volume of videos and pictures, and they were all of the triplets.

There were not so many in the past when he had taken a look at the phone.

Anthony's black eyes were as cold as a frozen lake. All these showed even more that Anne's leaving was planned.

How exactly was she able to contact Lucas when she was completely in the palm of his hand?

When she was at the apartment?

That was the only time they met. There were incoming calls from Lucas in the call history, but they were not answered.

Only Joanne had called her once, and he knew about that call.

What did Lucas say to Anne through Joanne?

If so, why did Lucas call Anne so many times after that?

truly had a plan, it would be impossible for Anne to not

... Was it a diversion?

Anne's leaving had something

not the only one. There were other people as

Who could it be ...

popped into Anthony's mind. He squinted his black eyes a little and terrifying rays were

out his phone and called his bodyguard. "Check Tommy's whereabouts on the day we

hours later, the bodyguard called Anthony and said Tommy was taking a vacation at a resort that day and he did not go

was captured in the surveillance

at a dead

a bunch of professional hitmen in the shadows, and they were

it would be hard to

covered in coldness. That thin and long wound on his face was already scabbed. It looked brown and slightly twisted, which appeared to be hideous and

not see Anne, he was in a violent rage for a long

in a terrifying state where his patience

building at Canbridge, the phone on him rang. He saw that it was from an unfamiliar

Instead, he went toward the

phone from his friend to make

called Lucas' number,

not find it strange. There must be a reason for Lucas to react his

### Chapter 1324

"Anne, you don't owe me anything. I did it all willingly."

"Do you...still like me?" Anne could not help but ask him.

Lucas' silence was equivalent to an answer.

"I had long told you not to offend the crazy Anthony. He will never allow me to have other men by my side..." Anne's tears were already gushing down her face.

"Am I supposed to just sit idly by when you're in danger then? I can't do that." Lucas' voice was slightly deeper. "Anne, we are at the point of no return. We will see the light at the end if we keep walking forward. You are no longer in the dark anymore."

Anne quickly covered her own lips. Otherwise, she would cry out loud.

She did not want to let Lucas hear her emotion deep down that she could not control.

However, Lucas could still sense her pain and the suffering she had experienced all

this while.

"Anne, I will go look for you."

Anne did not reject him anymore.

could not bear to do

feeling so strong and resolute about wanting to meet her,

she reject him?

Anne leaned against the railings

looked down from it.

ask her for her address, which meant he certainly knew

to

she could never forget Anthony's

off the

powerful as he was in Luton, so he would not

into the house, she heard a car outside when she was having her breakfast in the dining

come

order to be cautious and not be found out by others, she did not leave the house and stayed

frightened that

was not safe, and she wondered if

that point, the person

was running wild and her heart was pounding out of her chest, there was a knock on the door and Lucas'

Anne's tensed nerves were relieved, her entire body

panicked body, and then

was opened, her body fell

was Lucas hugging her. She did not

# Chapter 1325

Both of them sat down to have breakfast. Lucas was extremely caring for her. He helped fill her plate with food, and all the detailed actions just made a person's heart

flutter.

Especially his eyes. They were so gentle and doting when he looked at Anne.

They seemed to be enveloping her in the most comfortable place where she could smell the sun in every breath.

Anne felt like crying. She was afraid that Lucas would see the tears welling up in her eyes, so she could only lower her head to cover it up.

This was the warmth she had once liked and longed for, and also the perfect peace and quiet she would have in her whole life if she were to marry Lucas.

Unfortunately, she had no choice but to give it up.

Later, she learned after she fell for Anthony that her fondness for Lucas was not love.

However, she could not tell him such a thing. It would be too hurtful.

Even if she did not tell him that, Anne was still feeling incredibly guilty and upset deep down.

Why could she not fall in love with Lucas? If she had fallen in love with him, she would have grabbed this man and had him run to a faraway place with her without caring for anything else.

if Lucas was the only one giving, and she was despicable for not being able to give him anything in

food here to your liking?" Lucas asked gently as he saw her keep eating without saying a word and her

Have you forgotten? I've stayed abroad for about seven years in the past. I've long gotten used to it. Besides, they know how to make food from our home country," said Anne after she suppressed

go there," said Lucas,

if he had only lost a car or a house

how was it

your parents...alright?" Anne asked with concern, "Mrs. Newman called me, but I still could not stop

very clear that this is not caused by you.

her.

have no idea...how much I hate him. I hate him so much!

still streamed down her

like this to everyone. He doesn't have a human heart." Lucas' gaze behind his glasses was

not refute. She just felt

all these

felt a sense of warmth at the back of her hand as her hand was gently enveloped by Lucas. "Slowly

him while tears were streaming down her

looked miserable

never forget the past. That kind of pain had already been etched in her bones. There were also her children whom

everything get better

not

# Chapter 1326

Anne walked out with her slender and beautiful calves all tensed up.

Just when she was feeling the strain, a hand reached out to her from the front.

She looked at the hand in front of her, which was beautifully slender with prominent joints and without any calluses at all at the palm. Just like him, the hand was gentle and flawless, but also embodied the innate strength of a man.

Anne paused for a moment before putting her hand on his palm.

He enveloped her hand and gripped it tightly. With a slight exertion of force, he pulled her up easily.

She lowered her gaze when she met Lucas' eyes, which were glinting in the sunlight.

"It's right in front," said Lucas, holding her hand tightly.

After they went over the hill, Anne was stunned by the scenery before her eyes. It was a white sandy beach with an endless sea.

It turned out that the house was not an ordinary house but a house with a sea view.

"I...didn't even know there's a beach here," said Anne.

to be walking on this

and Lucas took

and beautiful. It would indeed be spoiling it if they

fair feet looked even fairer under

her feet, so the skin of her feet reddened a

and buried her feet in the white

it tickled the tender soles of her feet and even slipped into the gaps between her toes. It was

hand. "Let's forward along the beach the beautiful woods and sea while looking at such pleasant scenery was the and he even held her hand, which between Lucas and if she was in love with between the ones that got married as the ones who were for Anthony... he was a person that was mixed with various sorts of pain her face to look at the endless sea not wish for her to spend the rest of her life

to forget him very badly and she no longer wanted to

# Chapter 1327

"I know." Anne nodded. "I'm afraid I will be staying here for a very long time. But that's fine. I won't feel like I'm suffering as long as I'm not by Anthony's side. Also, the view here is very good. I like it very much. Lucas, you don't have to worry about me."

Lucas' gaze darkened. "Just address me as Mr. Newman!"

Anne hesitated a little.

"It's fine. I'm already used to it." Lucas knew what her concerns were.

"Alright."

Lucas raised his hand and gently touched Anne's face. Her fair skin made his hand linger.

Anne turned her gaze away a little. She did not move, but her body subconsciously

became tense.

It was not that she could not tell the affection in Lucas' eyes was so rich that it could not be dispersed.

Such a mood only made her feel very pressured.

so how

if Lucas was the right

Anne wanted to say that she did not want to be in a relationship at that moment, she heard another voice coming from above which interrupted the ambiguous mood

just came to visit her,

and was still searching for the source of the voice. She could tell that the voice belonged to Tommy, so she thought

she did

up there,"

all she saw was the drone flying above

camera with a flashing red dot on it, which was capturing the entire

looked at it in a daze. She did not expect Tommy to

put your hand down," Tommy reminded

took a step back to

herself and Lucas.

unhappiness from

from him," Tommy said in

frowned a little. "What are you talking about?" His

"I am your guardian

not a minor. Also, are you in Luton now? How are

watch out for Anthony's men from all angles in

was still traumatized by being monitored. "Are you watching

### Chapter 1328

He got his men to guard the entrance. If Lucas appeared, they would notice him immediately.

However, Lucas did not come out at all after a few hours. Was he planning to stay home the entire day?

Ivan took his phone and reported this to Mr. Marwood.

After all, if they were to directly enter, they might inadvertently alert Lucas.

"Enter the house!" Anthony barked in an extremely cold voice.

"Yes!"

Ivan immediately got the two others and walked toward the mansion.

They did not enter through the main entrance but climbed over the walls.

For skilled bodyguards, even climbing on a wall with glass shards was a piece of cake.

Lucas' car was still there. The bodyguards went past the car and entered the mansion.

husband, who was just coming out, saw the strange and uninvited men. She exclaimed, "Who are you all? This is private

can shoot and kill you for trespassing someone's house!" Although Eason was still devastated by the destruction of the family business, he

Marwood's men. We're only here to see Lucas for confirmation on something. If we

flashed across

what you are talking about. Lucas has been at home resting all

to build up a business, choosing to rest and not leaving the house for a whole day is

Joanne was just a lady. She surely would

He moved

here or not. Don't assume that

his belt, but he did not point it at Eason's

then, it was

but Eason stopped her,

downstairs respectively, not

They looked extremely scary.

looked at Eason as if to ask what they should

They could no longer

their faces.

they knew clearly that Lucas was not

### Chapter 1329

"So, is it my intention for you to trespass into my house then?" Lucas said coldly.

Ivan asked, "You're doing alright, why are you resting? This isn't like you."

"I didn't sleep well last night. I was in terrible shape." Lucas' glasses glinted in cold light. "Is this your reason for trespassing? I never knew that Anthony's men would follow me all the way here. What perseverance."

Lucas' tone was filled with mockery.

Ivan was infuriated, but he had indeed lost the justification.

"Better not let me find out that you are in contact with Mrs. Marwood," Ivan warned before turning and leaving.

The other bodyguards followed suit.

Joanne clutched and rubbed her chest. She sat on the couch. Her legs felt a little like

jelly.

Eason looked at Lucas with a sharp gaze. "Did you go to see Anne?" He looked at Joanne, "You knew about this?"

Joanne remained silent, which meant that he was right.

"You're reckless!" Eason was furious.

Joanne looked at Lucas, "Did you know that Anthony's men were keeping an eye on

you?"

"They won't find out about it," Lucas said.

"Meaning you knew about it. You knew about it, yet you still want to see Anne?" Joanne was heartbroken. If she knew that Anthony's men were keeping an eye on them beforehand, she would definitely object to Lucas seeing Anne. "Just because of Anne, look what you have made our family into. The Pinnacle Academy is gone. What else do you want? Are you trying to get your entire family killed? Is it only then you'll be satisfied? Lucas, since when have you become so reckless without considering the consequences? Anne...is someone you can't touch at all!"

Eason was furious.

"You've been so bewitched by a woman that you don't know what you're doing. Is this how I raised you?"

"I can't just stay idle and not save her." Lucas found an excuse.

has nothing to do with you even if she had

a little

incident, he could not come out of the grief, yet his son was still insisting on making a

you are even more organized than your

Anne in the future, you're no longer my son!" Eason

what, Lucas was their son. She was afraid that things

that moment, she could only persuade Lucas. "Lucas,

find out. There will be a time that Anthony will give

Eason was extremely

Eason. "Don't get mad. Be careful not

health."

you. I only want...Anne." Lucas restrained his gaze as he could not hide his true looked at the study." Lucas turned around and returned to the study, door behind him. has he never do anything out of line. This time, he. is really going on like this. Otherwise, if Anthony were to be ruthless, I can't imagine the had a slight chance of winning, they would not have what Lucas is like. He is determined to be with Anne. How do living room. After a few minutes, he stopped and said seriously, "The next time he goes to see Anne, Joanne was frightened. "Anthony will not let us talk to him. It would be much was worried. Was this the method She didn't even dare with the vicious Anthony and stopped causing trouble for by the balcony breathing in the fresh air of the mountains. Lucas went back two days ago, they have been contacting each he could only talk to her through the breakfast, Anne sat on the couch with nothing to do and turned on the television. She found out watch television the realized that it was indeed the Why? Tommy a call. "I can't watch television. Why is there would have one less method to pass a problem with the wiring. I'll get someone to go and have a Chapter 1330 The phone in her hand rang, but her reflexes were slow due to her overwhelming

sadness.

It was when her phone almost stopped ringing that she answered the call, "Why did you say that this was Anthony's tactic? Do you know where the children are?"

"The children are surely at the Royal Mansion. Anthony is doing this just to force you to appear," Tommy said gravely, "once you appear, you will fall into his trap."

Anne thought so too, but she was panicking.

"The children are my heart and soul. I didn't wish to see this happen when I ran away

." Anne said while choking up.

"Anthony knows how you feel, which is why he came up with this strategy," Tommy reminded her seriously, "Anne, you must never show yourself. Do you understand? You must stay calm. You have finally escaped. If you were to return, no one can help you anymore."

"I know..." Anne's voice sounded hoarse as if she had just cried. "I won't return. After all, the children are his own flesh and blood too."

"That's the way to think. A father will not harm his own children. Just stay safe and sound here."

Tommy, Anne ended

calmer. She walked to the balcony. Her gaze was

with tears and were filled

to look at her phone. As long as she did not look at her

to think was that no matter what

had promised Tommy, she still missed her children in

and adorable. How

father would not harm his children, she truly could not wrap her head

doing anything just to force her to

ruthlessness and obsessiveness, she...truly did not dare to guarantee that it was all a conspiracy

she returned to her room, her phone rang. She

figured out who it was and

doing? Did you go sunbathing by the beach?" Lucas' low and melodious

I'm sitting

will arrive in a few days. Wait a little longer. I'll take you out

tactfully, "I'm fine here without

world without Anthony, even breathing, felt

in her sleep. Even if she had fallen asleep groggily, she kept having chaotic dreams every night only to forget them when she woke up

her bed in the middle of the

"I hope that you'll return to the person in