

## Powerful 1581

### Chapter 1581

Corentin not only notified Anne but Jeremy as well.

When they rushed to the scene, they saw Marshall and Beth lying neatly on the ground, as well as a woman whose neck had been slashed. Corentin was sitting in the car with his head hung and his long legs on the ground. His body and his arms were covered in blood. There was no way to distinguish where the wounds were.

The first thing Jeremy did was to check on Marshall and Beth, but he found their bodies had long gone cold, and their pulses had already stopped.

"Dad! Mom!" Jeremy has a terrified expression. He could not believe it, and his eyes immediately got teary. "Why? How did this happen?"

Anne was not willing to believe it as well. She went up to them to check for their vital signs. They truly have died.

"It's this assassin who captured them. When I rushed over, she killed both of them. This wouldn't have happened if I had agreed with Tommy's request ..." Corentin was heavy-hearted.

Anne asked, "What request?"

"Send you to him."

Anne was stunned.

possibility was so

wanted her, so he killed Marshall and Beth? He was simply too

have turned out this way! " Corentin stood up. His amber-colored eyes looked extremely sullen. "How do you want me to tell Ash? She's pregnant now. How

the one who made Ashlynn, who finally found her parents and was enjoying the wonderful relationship with her

things considered, she truly was extremely

Tommy say?" asked

trying to free yourself of any faults?"

want

price you have to pay to capture him!" Corentin pointed angrily at Marshall and Beth, who

with you when he

me if something happens

and Beth on the ground, as well as Jeremy,

you up into

reason we use, we have to keep this from

Beth into the car. After he closed the car door, he rushed to Corentin and punched him in the face.

"Why didn't you

did not fight

Chapter 1582

Just when she had no idea what she should do, Corentin, who was next to her, said, "Let's go. Don't let Ash get suspicious."

However, Jeremy did not move. He was so dazed that he looked like he was numbed. Clearly, he was too saddened. "I want to be alone."

Anne and Corentin understood. Both his parents were murdered, so how could he be calm?

"Why don't I stay here to keep you company?" Anne was worried.

"I'm fine," Jeremy said flatly.

Therefore, they left him there alone.

Anne left in Corentin's car. Jeremy's lonely figure as he stood in front of the tombstones could be seen outside the car window as they drove past him.

If Jeremy had been so beaten by the news, Ashlynn would be much worse.

They could not imagine the consequences.

Just like Corentin said, they absolutely could not let Ashlynn know for the sake of the child in her belly...

Corentin went to the company while Anne went to the mansion.

it would be too strange for

would wonder if Anne leaving the mansion in

sitting in the living room and watching the parenthood channel. When she

already back to normal. She sat down next to Ashlynn and asked, "Why did you stop watching?

just wanted to watch and prepare myself in

as well when I was pregnant with the triplets. But you don't have to be nervous. Corentin

happiness on her face could not

felt bad when she saw

happened to her parents and both of them were

you won't be returning before next

"What's the matter?"

dinner together, alright?"

however, was stunned for

"It's fine if you have something to do. I just...wanted to be with my best friend at such a

"Alright," Anne agreed.

but laugh. "Really? If your business is delayed, I'm not going

as she thought about

was it possible to still have a

was no

Chapter 1583

Corentin went on a stroll with Ashlynn after dinner. Anne used the excuse of her feeling tired to return to her room early.

Ashlynn wondered what it was that was so urgent when she looked at Anne's back as she left.

She did not ask when Anne came back because she did not notice anything unusual about her.

She should still ask about it, right...

"Anne's fine. There's no need to worry about her." Corentin held her hand and gently squeezed it.

"You know about it?"

"If something happened, Anthony would have called as soon as it happened."

Even so, Ashlynn still secretly went to Anne's room to look for her when Corentin was not around at night.

Anne saw her as soon as she opened the door. "Why did you come over? You're carrying a child in your belly now. It's better not to run around."

Ashlynn entered the room. "Why are you just like Corentin? It's like I'm a fragile item."

careful." It was because Anne did not dare to interact with Ashlynn that she

came to her room, so she

happened,

smiled. "What's

ran out frantically, but you came back as if nothing happened. I'm still worried after thinking about it over and over, so I came over to ask

felt relieved deep down. She

of it all, it's still because of Tommy. I really want very badly...for him to pay for what he has done." Anne lowered her gaze. It was hard for her to conceal the sorrow she felt deep down. Ashlynn did not know what she

too easy for a good person to

for example, has turned

now is for Tommy to pay for it with

realized this was the first time Anne had said such a vicious thing in front of

much

reached out her hand to grab Anne's hand and comforted her. "I've always believed evil people will be punished. Tommy will pay the price for what he has done sooner

at the kind

that was truly how it

do this to her? She had not

up and go back. Don't make Corentin worry,"

remembered something, and

Chapter 1584

She could face any challenges, but after she experienced Ashlynn's misfortune, she could not hold herself back no matter what.

Perhaps it was because she had experienced the pain of losing her parents in the past as well.

She truly understood that kind of despair.

Initially, she could hold her back from thinking about it, but when she saw Anthony at that moment, she could control it anymore.

All of the grievances and unwillingness to accept surfaced and turned into countless tears that streamed down her face.

Anthony hugged her tightly in his arms, making her feel secure, gently patting her slender back and kissing her ear.

It took Anne quite a while to calm down.

She felt embarrassed as she came out of his arms. She quickly rubbed her eyes, and her voice was still shaking. "Why... Why are you here?"

Anthony wiped the tear stains on her face with his fingers and stared at her with his deep set dark eyes.

He said nothing. Instead, he first kissed her little lips.

Anne was stunned for a moment, and she accepted Anthony's gentle but strong kiss.

as he picked her up in his arms,  
haven that he built and was kissed over and over again  
go. The corners of her eyes were red. She was panting, and  
rushed over." Anthony wiped away the moisture at the corner  
was trembling. She closed her eyes. "I didn't expect something like that would  
of it. Don't cry anymore, alright?" Anthony wiped away the tears from the corner  
not be able to accept it that he rushed  
he said made sense. How could she take care of  
person Ashlynn could rely on  
has delivered her child, she could be in a better emotional  
asleep in Anthony's  
asleep  
she were alone, she certainly would not  
her face, and brush her teeth every time. He would always attend to her by her side as if he was her  
was afraid that Ashlynn  
not even feel comfortable leaving  
not refuse. Clearly, she had already gotten  
useful even  
have listened as he  
to give my mother a call and tell her that Anne will also be coming to her birthday party. I'm pregnant  
now, and it's going to be inconvenient for me to do things, so you have to

#### Chapter 1585

'It's also possible that they had a small fight, so Anthony couldn't wait to run over and soothe her  
anger," said Corentin.

Ashlynn nodded and believed in Corentin's words. After all, nothing else happened.

'I'm done washing up. You go ahead and wash up. I'm going to give my mother a call and tell her that  
Anne is also going to attend her birthday party." Ashlynn turned around and left the bathroom.

She picked up the phone on the nightstand and dialed Beth's number.

Corentin did not stop her. He simply looked at Ashlynn's back with a darkened gaze.

Nobody answered the call after it rang for a few seconds.

Just when Ashlynn found it strange, the call got connected. "Mom, are you busy? Why are you only picking up the phone now?"

"It's two in the morning here at my end."

"Huh? What do you mean?"

'Your father and I are traveling abroad."

is in a

of us,

It turned out

She could understand.

fun with

her mother was woken up by her call, so she hung up very quickly as

did she say?" Corentin appeared behind her very

gone traveling abroad. They won't

the other hand, married my father for love. However, she has a strong personality. She knew my father had a first love, yet she did not back down. She just pretended like she didn't care, but she was actually suffering deep within. Perhaps both of them are traveling abroad this time to share their feelings with

and she even snatched away her father's position as

did not care about

got hurt,

that after she observed

even her mother, herself, would not notice it. After all, those involved in the matter were easily blinded to

let's not disturb them, or we might ruin it for them," said

the present I've prepared

not

of these were arranged

the late Beth on the other end of the call? He just got a voice actress that had a

## **Chapter 1586**

Ashlynn felt a little down after Anne left.

"Now that Anne has returned to Luton, I'm all on my own."

Corentin, who was by her side, could not help but laugh.

“Am I not a person?”

“You’re a man.”

“There’s a difference between a man and a woman? What do you have to say that you can’t tell me?”

Corentin pulled her over and made her sit on his lap.

“What...are you doing?”

Corentin did not say anything.

Instead, he put his hand on Ashlynn’s belly, and the emotions reflected in his squinting eyes were unstable.

“I still have to wait for a few months to do...”

“You seem to be in a hurry?”

Corentin lifted his head and looked at her.

“I can’t wait to be a father. Would you like a girl or a boy?”

“How about you?” Ashlynn asked in return.

“I’ll love the baby either way as long as you’re the one who gave birth to the baby.”

you want

have to wait until now if I truly wanted

Corentin pinched her cheek.

want anybody other than

“Even the next life?”

making a reservation in

and their flirtatious

“Promise me.”

talk about

“Why later?”

her and would not give up until he

life before one

work hard to make

amber-colored gaze was unusually sincere under the

was almost

even if everything was smooth sailing for the rest of her life and she was happy the whole

was terrified

seen him in a long

he's so busy, you should just not go back and make him worried." Corentin

be worried about? I'm just going back to

"I'll take you there."

the car

door, he made a call while walking toward the other

into the car, she said, "Are you busy? You don't have to take me

be the same as the driver?" Corentin was

not help

"Up to you then."

Hilton family's mansion, Jeremy's car was not there. He must be at

would everything appear to be

said, "Alright. Go on with your business

Chapter 1587

Jeremy stood up. "I just sat down not long ago. Did you sleep well?"

Just as Ashlynn was about to tell him she slept very well, she saw Jeremy's face, and she was stunned.

"Jeremy, why are you so much thinner?"

He used to be thin as well in the past, but he looked decent.

However, at that moment, he had lost a lot of weight to the point that his cheeks were sunken.

"Are you having a tough time at work? Is it very tiring?" Ashlynn could not help but feel sorry.

It took Jeremy a great deal of control to suppress that intense sorrow, then he smiled. "I've been working on a project recently that's been a real headache, so I've been pulling all-nighters."

Ashlynn did see the dark circles under his eyes. "You have to rest no matter how busy you get. What happens if you ruin your health?"

Jeremy pulled her over and made her sit down. "Don't stay standing. You're carrying a child in your belly! You're still worrying about me now when you're the one that I'm most worried about. I'll hold you responsible if my niece is too thin at birth."



As he touched Ashlynn's slightly showing baby bump gently, he said, "I can't wait to meet my niece!"

Ashlynn wanted to make fun of him, but when she saw Jeremy's thin face and exhaustion in his eyes, she could not help but want to get up. "I'll have them prepare more nutritious meals. The way you look is making me..."

sit here." Jeremy stopped her. "The dishes prepared by our kitchen have

leave today. I'm going to keep an eye on you

you taking me for a three-year-old child?" Jeremy could

How sad would they be if they saw

thought to himself that they would never be able to see them anymore

"That won't do. Go home. Alright. I promise that I won't be as thin as I am now the next time you

"Promise?"

his

then did Ashlynn

would be taking him to the hospital for a

suddenly get so much

then chat there, talking about Beth's birthday, making guesses about Beth and Marshall's

of the talking the whole time, while Jeremy just listened next to

Corentin used to

at that moment was to protect Ashlynn

in heaven would also be

Corentin and shoulder all

at

happy. "Didn't I tell you I'm going to

Chapter 1588

At first, when the triplets came out of their school and saw their papa's car, they did not feel anything. However, when they saw their mama getting out of the car, their eyes instantly lit up.

They then rushed right to her.

"Mama!"

"Mama!"

"Mama!"

Anne stretched her arms wide while smiling, happily endured the force of them rushing into her arms, and hugged them tightly.

They had been apart for more than a week, so she truly was missing them very much.

"Mama, when will the baby boy be born?" asked Charlie.

"It's a baby girl!" Chloe corrected him.

"Mmhm." Chris sided with his sister.

Besides, he did not mind if the baby was a boy or a girl.

Chloe's eyes were bright. "Chris said it's a baby girl, so she must be a baby girl!"

girl." Charlie

little cheeks. The more she pinched, the more she liked it. "There's still a few months to go! Come on. Let's

them, and when he got into the car in the end, he picked up his daughter, who was falling behind, and let her sit on

who was sitting on Papa's lap, looked at Mama with those eyes of hers that were getting prettier and prettier. "When

laughed. She did not even want to correct how

did correct them, they would

be

her Aunt Ashlynn

has a child

about it and thought it made

to go to school on Sundays, so can we go over

distract Ashlynn's attention a little.

answer them directly. "Ask your

their heads in unison to look at their

and said, "We can go if your mother says

look at their mama again with

wondering why he asked them to ask her again. He

could not just let the three of them keep asking

all

to discuss happily what presents they were going  
feeling much

quieted, she would think of Ashlynn's situation

afraid that Ashlynn

Chapter 1589

After he kissed every inch of that small mouth of hers, both in and out, he hugged her tightly.

Anne was feeling dizzy when he heard Anthony say, 'Til first help to wash you.' His hand was caressing her back.

Anne's back shuddered and tensed up.

That was because her back was quite sensitive. It was even harder for her to keep calm after she was kissed by him.

She originally thought Anthony was just saying he would help wash her up as an excuse, and then things would get dirtier as he washed her up.

However, in the end, after they were both done taking a shower, Anthony wrapped her up in a towel and carried her out of the bathroom.

After they got onto the bed, Anthony put his strong body on top of her without dropping his full weight on her so that she would not feel uncomfortable.

flushed, and her short breaths were filled with sweetness,

her voraciously. He just let this seductive tension grow to an unusually intense state,

Ashlynn was met with such misfortune, and it was caused by her, so how

that Anthony certainly could not hold back anymore. After all, they have been apart for so long.

Therefore, she did not reject him. However, after waiting for a long time, Anthony still did not make another move. She could not help but open her dazed eyes. When she looked at those deep black eyes, she saw that they were affectionate, but they did not have

matter?" Anne's voice was soft

to take a few more looks at

Athetin? If I hadn't gone there, Tommy

on her lips to stop her from

"Don't talk nonsense. Why should you be shouldering the responsibility for other people's mistakes? Tommy is the one who should be damned. However, I keep feeling

Did you find something else?" Anne gave it a thought." Is it...Corentin? I think you're overthinking it. He loves Ashlynn, so he definitely cares about Ashlynn's family, especially since they were the loved ones that she found after so much trouble. He won't

squinted his black eyes a little and covered up most of  
such a matter

his own goals,

how he also had a reason that he had to

Chapter 1590

Anne got up in fear as she thought of something.

She was still wrapped in a towel, looking pure and beautiful like a doll.

She did not notice that Anthony's gaze got even darker.

"If Corentin were the one who killed them, then wouldn't Ashlynn be in grave danger? Even if Corentin won't kill her, it's too scary to be sharing the same bed with such a man!" Anne could not even imagine it.

Anthony wrapped his arms around her body and trapped her in his arms again.

Anne was like a caterpillar that could not move. It was as if she had been tied up.

"Anthony, are you listening to me?"

"I am." Anthony kissed her fair, soft cheek as if he could multitask. "Ashlynn's life won't be in danger. Don't worry. Our goal is to find out where Tommy is hiding. They need to take care of the rest themselves."

Anne knew that, but she was still filled with worries deep down.

Corentin was way

were his wife's father and mother! They were his children's

did he have to go to such

them?" Anne could not wrap her head around

had found the problem. 'It's because Beth and

it. What kind of heinous things would he have done that he needed to go so far as to silence them by killing them?" Anne could not think of anything. She could only look at Anthony

with the virus." Anthony's gaze was deep and sharp as he analyzed, "It's one thing that

either. Therefore, I'm guessing that Corentin must have pulled some tricks behind

felt it made sense. The Lloyd family was quite powerful in Athetin. How could they have not found any clues at

in the end, Corentin directly admitted that he was being threatened by

that truly what happened, or

matter what. Are we supposed to let Corentin lead us by the nose then? Beth and Marshall have already passed away. The person I'm worried about now is Jeremy. Corentin did not take Beth and Marshall's life seriously, so why would he care about Jeremy? If

already had my men keep an eye on him in advance. I will be notified as soon as there are any movements

to keep a close eye then,"

lost her parents. She would definitely go crazy if she

back gently. "Be a good

fine when you wake