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When Natalie returned to the Day family's villa in the evening, Billy was still in the study. After she thought about it for a long time, she knocked on the door.

Hearing Billy's voice, she walked into the study. She smiled very gently with a little embarrassment. She said that she had something to discuss with Billy.

Billy agreed and let her go ahead.

Natalie bit her tongue and said, "My brother wants to invest in a project now, but he doesn't have enough money, so he asked me to borrow some from you. He has promised to pay you back."

Without saying anything, Billy looked up at her.

"He will definitely pay you back, and he will give you a promissory note. Even though he doesn't pay you back, I will," Natalie promised.

Billy's eyes moved slightly and he signed on the document in his hand. "How much do you want?"

"Ten million dollars."

Billy raised his eyebrows. Natalie felt that she had asked for too much. She didn't know what to say when she saw his expression.

Although she and Billy had been together, she had

never asked him for ten million dollars before.

After thinking about it, Billy said, "I'll give it to you at noon tomorrow."

Natalie was so joyful in her heart. She rushed over and hugged Billy with excitement.

Billy raised his eyebrows higher. He pushed her away with a straight face and said with his eyes flickering, 'Go to sleep. I'm busy with the things in the company these days.'

"Okay, then go to bed early. Do you need me to make you a cup of coffee?"

"No. Go to sleep now." Billy picked up the pen and started to work again.

Seeing this, Natalie left and closed the door of the study. Anyway, she had got what she wanted.

When she thought that she would give the fat doctor ten million dollars, her stomach ached. It would be great if the ten million dollars could belong to her!

Sherman was so sleepy and tired that she refused to take a bath.

Kingsley bent down slightly and picked her up. He had already prepared the water in the bathtub, which was just the right temperature.

"You're so tired that you don't want to take a bath. Do you still have the strength to take off your clothes?" he

asked.

Since she had been in the bathroom and the water had been prepared, she struggled against the desire for sleep. "It doesn't matter. I can take a bath by myself."

However, Kingsley didn't agree. Instead, he said, "I've always liked to serve people. Now that I've already done so much, I still have to serve you to the end..."

Sherman wanted to say something more, but Kingsley had already quickly taken off her pajamas.

She didn't expect his sudden actions. Sherman screamed, but his actions were so fast.

Sherman felt a little embarrassed and jumped into the water. She scooped up a handful of water and sprinkled it on him with anger.

He was wearing a white shirt. The warm water quickly seeped through the shirt, which stuck to his chest, wetting his body.

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"You're so sexy ..." Sherman glanced at him, narrowing her eyes.

"I think so, too ..." Kingsley took a look at his chest and then he beckoned to her, "Come here, I'll help you bathe."

Sherman shook her head and refused him, her arms crossed. But Kingsley wouldn't budge; he then reached out and pulled her into his arms.

The man began to help her bathe. After a while, he simply removed his suit pants and seated himself in the bathtub.

The two were bathing happily when Kingsley's phone rang. Luke was calling again. Luke said he dreamed about Merlin and couldn't fall asleep again, so he wanted Kingsley to have a drink with him.

Kingsley frowned but agreed. He then hung up the phone.

Kingsley bathed Sherman gently. He dried her body with a towel and then wrapped her in a bathrobe. He kissed her lips, saying, "I'll be right back ..."

Holding her jaw with her hands, Sherman gazed at Kingsley, who was dressing in front of her, "Why not take the tub of bathwater with you? He can drink to

his heart's content. He is quite a nuisance."

"You are being naughty, aren't you?" He chuckled, "I am thinking about the same thing..."

"We are connected!" Sherman pulled the quilt and tucked herself in. "He is quite annoying. He always takes you away from me as if you are his man."

Kingsley ran his fingers through the hair by her ear, "I will have it settled..."

Sherman shook her head and shrugged, "It doesn't matter if it can't be solved. I think that Luke is quite a weird person. We'd better not hold a grudge with people like him."

"Good night, baby. I'll be back soon."

"Good night..."

Luke had drunk a lot of alcohol before Kingsley got there. Kingsley didn't even want to take a sip of alcohol, for Sherman hated its smell.

Luke handed Kingsley a drink, but Kingsley did not take it. He refused Luke.

"Now that Merlin is gone, you are not burdened anymore. You feel much more comfortable and relaxed, don't you?" Luke was being harsh and delirious.

Kingsley felt that he didn't have to answer any meaningless questions.

"What about Zora? Does she mean anything to you?"

"I did love Zora a lot when she was alive. But now I've found my new love and I love her deeply." This time, Kingsley replied without the slightest hesitation.

Luke sneered, feeling it ironic, "You loved her when she was alive? Don't you remember how she died? And why did she die?"

"I always remember it. But everything about Zora occurred in the past. I used to think I would forever be stuck by those memories before I met Sherman. I was in love with Zora when I was twenty years old, and I am in love with Sherman when I am in my midthirties. The two aren't mutually exclusive. If Zora hadn't died, I would have spent the rest of my life with her, but there is

nothing like might-have-been. I am destined to meet Sherman in my life. I know my feelings for Zora and Sherman."

Kingsley knew how he felt about Sherman and Zora.

'Yeah.' Luke just wanted to sneer, "She died in such a horrible way. How can you live down her death and fall in love with another woman?"

"As you have said, I have lived down her death, which means that I'm over Zora. If one keeps a departed person in mind, they will forever be stuck in distress. Do not impose your opinions and thoughts on me ..." Kingsley tapped on the glass in front of him with his long fingers and watched it vibrate, "You always think I don't know that you love Zora. I just don't want to point it out."

Luke stiffened and grasped the bottle tightly, "No, I don't!" "Really? Then why do you grasp the bottle so hard? If you grasp it with greater force, the bottle may break in your hand."

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"Right. I do love her! So what?" Luke admitted angrily with his red eyes.

Natalie wanted to give Dr. Zack a check of ten million dollars, so she called Dr. Zack and made an appointment with him to meet at the cafe where they had met the day before.

When she left the Day family's villa, she was very careful. After all, it was an important matter.

When she arrived there, Dr. Zack had already arrived. She took out the check from her purse, handed it to him, and asked him to write a guarantee.

However, Natalie hadn't noticed that from the moment she left home, someone had been watching her.

Billy asked that person to follow her...

Billy gave the check to Natalie, because he wanted to know what she was going to do. As the saying goes, 'Nothing ventured, nothing gained.'

It was worth it to discover Natalie's secret she was trying to hide with a check.

Dr. Zack agreed to write a guarantee. He thought that

after getting the money, he wouldn't have any more contact with Natalie.

After getting the guarantee, Natalie left the cafe. She thought it disgusting to get a guarantee with ten million dollars.

Billy was at the company. The tracker came back and showed him the photos.

To his surprise, she met Dr. Zack.

'So, did she give the check to Dr. Zack?'

Billy narrowed his eyes and sat back in his chair. He tapped his desk with the pen in his hand, making a loud sound...

With a stern face, he was in deep thoughts.

After a long time, he asked his assistant to find Dr. Zack.

The assistant nodded and left.

Dr. Zack bought a ticket and planned to take the earliest flight in the afternoon. However, what he didn't expect was that he was stopped on his way to the airport.

The assistant didn't take him back to the office. They waited for Billy at a nearby cafe.

Remembering that the man next to him was Billy's assistant, Dr. Zack realized that it was Billy who had stopped him from leaving.

Why did Billy stop him?

After a long time, Dr. Zack thought it had something to do with money. He planned to protect himself and the money.

He was right.

Billy asked him directly about the check.

He knew it was wisest not to tell Billy about his relationship with Natalie.

"We signed an agreement before. I helped her set you u p and she agreed to pay me, but she never paid me. I'm here to get the money." Dr. Zack said after thinking for a moment.

Billy held the hot coffee that had just been brought over. Staring at the coffee, he sneered, "How could you want so much money?"

Upon hearing Billy's question, Dr. Zack trembled and felt extremely uncomfortable.

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"You did these dirty things and set me up without my knowledge. Now you want to take away my check. Do you think that's possible?" Billy stared at Dr. Zack coldly.

Before Dr. Zack could react, the assistant standing at the side stepped forward, searched his pockets, and forcefully took the check away from him.

It was too late for Dr. Zack to reach out to take the check. He watched as the check was taken away from him. His face turned dark, but he didn't dare to grab it forcefully.

"No one has ever been able to take away my things after treating me like a fool. In the future, you'd better not show up in front of me again and not appear in Santabaca. Otherwise, you will be responsible for the consequences."

With that, Billy got up, looked at Dr. Zack in a condescending manner, and then left.

In the end, Dr. Zack got nothing, his chest rising and falling rapidly out of anger.

After thinking about it, he called Natalie and said, "The check was snatched away by Billy. You have to prepare a new check and bring it to me."

Natalie obviously did not believe him and said, "How is that possible?"

She had never mentioned this matter to Billy. Nor had she mentioned Dr. Zack. How could Billy know?

"Why would I lie to you? He really took the check away." Dr. Zack continued, "You prepare another check for me and send it over as soon as possible."

Natalie still didn't believe him because she felt that Dr. Zack was trying to cheat her out of her money. She hated people who were insatiable. She gave him a check for ten million dollars but he

was restless, and now he wanted another ten million dollars.

Moreover, she had just asked Billy for money. How could she ask for another ten million dollars?

Natalie was not interested in hearing him out, so she hung up the phone directly.

Dr. Zack was not good at lying. He actually said Billy went to find him and took the check. Did he treat her like a child?

Hearing Luke's shout, Kingsley asked with an indifferent expression, "Tell me the truth. Why do you hold a grudge against me? Is it because of Merlin or Zora? Please look into your heart, ask yourself, and then answer my question."

Luke experienced intense mood swings. He took a big breath and did not say anything.

"Or maybe you hold a grudge against me not because of Merlin, but because of Zora. Do you think that's fair to Merlin?"

Luke's eyes moved slightly and his mind was wandering. He was speechless for a moment.

Kingsley picked up the glass in front of him and took two sips of the drink. He narrowed his deep eyes and said, "You can't even control your own heart. How can you control other people's hearts?"

"You let Merlin and Zora down!" Luke couldn't listen to what Kingsley said.

"Whether I let them down or not, that's my own business. It's up to me. It has nothing to do with you or anyone else."

Luke flew into a rage at these words. "You are totally unrepentant."

What was the point of talking with such a person? They had nothing to say to each other.

"Go home and get some sleep. Don't come to me with such questions in the future. You drown yourself in misery, and you don't allow others to be happy. You've lost your mind. How can you communicate well with people around you?" Kingsley was rarely impatient. His angular face had a gloomy expression.

Luke got even angrier. He picked up a glass and threw it on the ground. The glass slammed against the hard marble floor, making a crisp ringing sound, and broke

into pieces.

"Why are you so angry? Well, let's think about it from another angle. You love Zora very much, but why did you marry and have children with your current wife?"

Luke remained silent. As for this question, he was at a loss for words.

"If you really can't understand my love, then you can think that I have chosen the same path of life as you." Kingsley said in a flat voice.

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For someone like Luke, it was useless to reason with them. In their mind, what they thought was always right.

It was just a waste of breath.

When Kingsley returned to the apartment, Sherman was already sleeping soundly.

When he sat down on the bed, the bedsprings creaked a bit. Sherman felt it and slowly opened her eyes a slit. "You're back."

"Am I waking you up?" Kingsley said in a low and soft voice.

"It's okay." She opened her eyes a slit again and patted the vacant place next to her.

Understanding what she meant, Kingsley lifted the quilt, rested his head on the pillow, and fell into deep thought.

He was thinking about Luke.

Sherman instinctively turned sideways and wrapped her arms around his waist. Her face pressed against his abdomen and asked, "How was it?"

"Not great. I think maybe I should have brought that tub of bathwater over and let him drink it."
Kingsley's

hand lightly stroked her hair.

Sherman smiled. "Perhaps it would have helped if we added some special ingredients in it."

"You should go back to sleep now. It's already one o'clock in the morning. You need to rest." He dropped his large hands to her waist and rose slightly to kiss her on the forehead.

"But I'm not sleepy at the moment. I don't want to sleep. I want to talk to you." She was refreshed by now. She had no desire to sleep, and she couldn't sleep at all.

"But I don't want to talk to you. It's bedtime. No chatting."

Sherman blinked and said with complaints. "You're being mean to me now!"

Kingsley rubbed his eyebrows and said warmly, "No."

"It's obvious that you're being mean to me. I can feel it. " She frowned.

"OK, fine. I'll talk with you. What do you want to talk about? But there is a premise. We can only talk for ten minutes." He had no way to refuse her.

Sherman was satisfied. She narrowed her eyes with a smile and lay down on the bed. Then she closed her eyes and said, "I suddenly don't want to chat. Good night."

"Why do you suddenly not want to chat?" Kingsley asked. He reached out and tucked her in.

Sherman thought about it and replied quite seriously, " Well, I want to sleep now."

She was always sleepy after getting pregnant and couldn't get up every morning. She felt very sleepy and tired this morning, so she just lay in bed and didn't want to get up.

Kingsley was worried about her, so he advised her not to go to work. He was going to call the manager to help Sherman ask for leave.

When Sherman heard what Kingsley had said, she raised her head and said righteously, "You can't do this. You let me play truant."

He said with a gentle smile, "I'm doing this for you. If i t were anyone else, it wouldn't matter to me."

"Is it good to be so mushy in the morning?" Sherman lazily nestled in his arms. Kingsley said, "It's quite good." Then, he carried her to the bathroom.

She found the most comfortable position in his arms, hugged him around the neck, and said with a sweet smile, "I like being mushy."

He replied, "I know."

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In the bathroom, Kingsley tried helping Sherman to wash up, but Sherman refused and said, "You are making me feel that I am not capable of managing my own life. I should not let it continue like this anymore because you will get sick of me very soon. I'd better be independent."

"You are spoiling the fun..." Kingsley had no choice and was quite reluctant to let go of his hand.

But Sherman grabbed his hand and leaned her face closer to him, "Go ahead."

Kingsley stared at her, "Aren't you going to be independent?"

"You can help me on Monday and Tuesday, and I can wash up by myself from Wednesday to Sunday," she looked up and said in a very natural way without any bashfulness.

"Why haven't I found out you are so naughty earlier..." he laughed out.

Sherman shrugged, "Because I am good at hiding.

Actually I am a genie."

Kingsley smiled. Actually he never stopped smiling, and he had never felt so relaxed and happy before. Warm water sprinkled all over her face.

It was hard to describe the feeling of meeting such a woman who was able to make him happy and relaxed in regards to both his mind and body.

She lifted her face, feeling quite comfortable and enjoyable.

Afterward, he drove her to the company.

In the villa, Luke was extremely furious. All should be living in pain if he had to be so, and no one could live a happy life. That was what he thought.

In the past two days, Dr. Zack had been calling Natalie from time to time, as if he was bombarding her with phone calls.

Natalie refused to take the call. At first, she just hung i t up, then turned her phone off, and finally blocked his number.

He was given ten million but he asked for more. He was such a greedy man.

How could she talk to Billy and ask for the money? Could she tell him that her older brother was in short o f ten more million dollars?

She drove the car bought by Billy to work. Though it had been a long while since the scandalous photo of her and Leonel hit the headline, people were still discussing it in private.

But, after all she was the wife of the CEO, so no one could gossip in front of her.

After Natalie finished her work quickly, she left the office and sat in the car, noticing an unknown number. The moment she picked it up, the voice of Dr. Zack sounded.

Natalie frowned and snapped, "Leave me alone." Then she hung it up. For someone with no reliability at all like Dr. Zack, he probably would think she was soft and ask for more the next time if she gave him the money this time. So she would not compromise with D r. Zack.

In the evening, she did not go back to the Day family's villa but went to a French restaurant to have dinner with Livia.

Being served with the steak, scallops and wine listening to violin music, Natalie felt like she had not been so relaxed for a long time.

However, something unexpected was just around the corner, about which she had no idea.

Natalie simply refused to answer his call. Dr. Zack called her on others' phones, but the moment that Natalie heard his voice, she would hang up. Dr. Zack wanted to meet with her, but he was in no way to get any chance to see her. Dr. Zack was pushed to a dead end.

After that incident, he bore all consequences of it. His career met great setbacks, but Natalie married into the Day family and became Billy's wife, living a rich and glorious life. 'But she simply refused to give me a sum of money!'

Since Dr. Zack was having a hard time, he hated to see Natalie have a good time. So Dr. Zack went to the Day family's villa.

Moriah was aware of the secret deal between Dr. Zack and Natalie. Now when she saw Dr. Zack again, she no longer gave him a warm welcome as before but was very cold to him.

Of course, Dr. Zack knew Moriah would treat him in this way. He said that there was something secret that he wanted to tell her.

Moriah invited him into the living room, and she was still very cold to him. At that moment, Billy happened to come back with his suit casually on his arm. When h

e saw Dr. Zack, his eyebrows immediately knitted. He showed a very indifferent look.

Dr. Zack was a little afraid of Billy. But now that he was sitting here, he had to hold back and tough it out no matter what.

Natalie hadn't enjoyed herself for a long time, so she planned to go to the movies after eating French food and then go to the bar. But Divia suddenly told Natalie that she had other fish to fry. Natalie felt it was boring by herself, so she drove back to the Day family's villa.

When Natalie saw Billy's car, she looked happy and smiled. As soon as she stepped into the living room, she heard someone was talking.

She heard a man's voice which was quite familiar to her. 'Is any guest I know is here?'

Natalie was confused and continued to head into the villa. When she saw Dr. Zack sitting on the sofa, she felt like that she got a shock, and the car keys in her hand fell to the ground and made a loud sound.

'Why did he come over?'

Bending over, Natalie wanted to pick up the keys. But she felt as if someone was pulling her collar to strangle her, and she was short of breath. She was even unable to pick up the keys on the ground. Her teeth were chattering, and the muscles on her cheeks stiffened.

The loud noise attracted the attention of Billy, Moriah and Dr. Zack to her. But they showed the slightest

interest and looked away from her.

If she went upstairs at this time, she wouldn't be able to know what Dr. Zack was saying to Billy and Moriah. Then she had only to force herself to stand there.

Dr. Zack glanced at her and then said slowly, "In fact, the deal I have with Ms. Moore isn't just about money. The fact was that after I was drunk that day, I slept with her. Then she blackmailed me with this incident so that I didn't tell the truth about Billy's condition..."

Natalie was trembling violently like the leaves in the autumn wind. Natalie's hands clenched into fists. She became very emotional and snapped in a shrill voice, "You are talking nonsense!"

Moriah frowned and she had already put on a very unpleasant look. She did not expect that her daughter-in-law had such a messy sex life.

Natalie's affair with Leonel was just over, and she still didn't know if it was true or not. There came Dr. Zack. Natalie was indeed unable to suffer any loneliness!

Billy's face was sullen too. He was holding the cup in his hand and the veins on the back of his hands were bulging.

Natalie was in a good mood today, but she never thought there would be such a nasty shock awaiting her.

"I am not talking nonsense. Don't you know this better than anyone?" Dr. Zack looked at Natalie. If she hadn't pushed him so hard, he wouldn't have gone to

extremes.

"Billy, don't take his words seriously. He was making up stories for money.!"

Natalie was fidgety. She rushed over, bent down her knees in front of Billy, and held his hand, explaining and clarifying all of this.

"He extorted ten million dollars from me. He set me up!

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Dr. Zack said, "How come I set you up? If you hadn't threatened me at that time, I couldn't have hidden Mr. Billy's illness."

"You're talking nonsense. Billy, don't be confused by him. Don't trust him. He's lying!"

Billy didn't say anything, but he shook off Natalie's hands, squinting his long and narrow eyes.

"If I'm talking nonsense, do you dare to confront me? I still remember the name of the hotel we went to at that time. Do you want to go to the hotel to check our record now and take a look at the hotel's surveillance video?" Dr. Zack was angry that Natalie put all the blame on him.

As Dr. Zack got something on her, she retorted, "It was you who assaulted me, and it was you who got me drunk, so I threatened you with this. Otherwise, how could you be caught by me? Otherwise, why did you listen to me so obediently and do what I told you to do? H

Only now did Dr. Zack know this woman's ability to slander people. How could he be so stupid to believe her words at that time? Otherwise, he had made great achievements in his career and wouldn't be down and out.

This vicious woman ruined him!

The two of them kept arguing as if there was no one else in the living room. They quarreled very fiercely and couldn't stop.

Moriah didn't want to listen anymore. She said that she was tired and asked Billy to deal with it. Then she turned around and went upstairs.

No matter who was pushed to the corner, they would fight back. Natalie and Dr. Zack pressed each other so hard as if they were mad dogs barking at each other fiercely.

Billy was the person who had been cheated by the two of them, but now he was like an onlooker. While listening to their quarrel, he held a glass tightly, his chest rising and falling rapidly.

Natalie thought that she must win in this quarrel.

Although her heart and body were both trembling at this moment, she had to overwhelm Dr. Zack!

As their voices got louder and louder, even the busy servants in the kitchen could hear them. The servants looked at each other and had no idea about what had happened.

Billy, who had been silent for a long time, was boiling with rage now. He threw the glass to the ground. The crystal glass cracked, and the water splashed in all directions. At the same time, he shouted with a bonechilling rage, "Shut up!"

The sudden sound made Natalie scream out in fear. Dr. Zack's fat body trembled slightly and he did not dare to speak again.

For a moment, the living room became completely quiet. Even the sound of a needle falling to the ground could be heard clearly...

"That's enough!" Billy's expression was extremely cold.

Natalie didn't dare to say a word. She remained silent and clenched her fists tightly by her sides.

Dr. Zack even did not dare to breathe. He was afraid of Billy and glanced at him from the corner of his eye.

With his eyes fixed on Dr. Zack, Billy said word by word, "Stop this farce!"

Dr. Zack was keenly aware that the word he used was " farce", which obviously meant that Billy did not believe what he had just said at all.

"Mr. Billy, I didn't lie. I'm telling the truth. You have to believe me!" Dr. Zack anxiously said.

"If you want to return to Alcomara smoothly, don't try t o annoy me. I warn you again that my tolerance and patience are limited. Don't try to provoke me again and again. Do you understand? I've already shown you mercy once. I won't be merciful to you again!"

Billy's every word was full of anger, which made Dr. Zack tremble with fear.

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"I was wrong. Mr. Billy, I'm really wrong!" Dr. Zack immediately begged Billy and almost knelt to the ground.

"Piss off! You can say whatever you want about me, but no one will believe it."

Dr. Zack could understand the hidden message of what Billy had said. He immediately left the Day family's villa without asking for any money.

Dr. Zack thought that Billy was partial to Natalie, because he hadn't spoken ill of her.

Billy didn't mind if Dr. Zack would tell reporters about the incident.

Dr. Zack thought that Billy could handle this matter without effort. If he made a fuss, he wouldn't get any benefit but would irritate Billy.

So he'd better do nothing.

In the Day family's villa.

Billy wasn't partial to Natalie. However, he wouldn't argue with her in front of Dr. Zack. Otherwise, Dr. Zack would laugh at them.

Moreover, Billy didn't want to argue with her.

He thought about it carefully. If he argued with her, he

would be more disgusted with her and feel more annoyed. He shouldn't do that for an unrelated person.

After Dr. Zack left, Billy didn't pay any attention to Natalie. He turned around and walked upstairs.

Natalie couldn't understand or guess why Billy ignored her. Typically, after Dr. Zack said those words, he would definitely lose his temper with her. Maybe he would hit her like the last time.

But this time he didn't say anything or do anything. He didn't seem to hear those words, but ignored her.

Natalie had a bad feeling. She was very uneasy.

To be honest, she preferred him to argue with her or fight with her. In that case, she wouldn't be so scared.

Billy went upstairs, and she followed him closely. When he was about to walk into the study, Natalie blocked in front of him with her back against the door.

"What do you want to eat? I'll go make it for you now." She said.

"I'm not hungry." Billy said coldly.

Natalie was really about to go crazy. According to Dr. Zack, she had slept with him and threatened him to conceal Billy's condition, but Billy didn't say anything or do anything.

She couldn't stand this anymore, so she said directly, "Let's have a fight."

Billy looked at her and frowned, "Why?"

Natalie ground her teeth and blurted out, "It was really not my fault! It was Dr. Zack who deliberately got me drunk and then took me to the hotel. I was too drunk to remember what happened back then. When I woke up the next day, I realized that I was forced to have sex with him. I wanted to die at that time. But when I thought of you, I thought I shouldn't die. He raped me, so I threatened him to lie to you!"

Billy didn't say anything, but maintained the same posture as earlier.

"I know you think I'm dirty! I feel the same way! But you've had sex with Sherman more than a few times before. I accidentally had sex with him. So now we're even!"

Billy twitched the corners of his eyes slightly and sneered.

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"And you can't divorce me, even for this! And I will never get a divorce from you! I did sleep with Dr. Zack, but I was drunk then and he took advantage of me while I lost my consciousness. Besides, that was before we got married, and you and I were on a break, so that was not me cheating on you!"

This time, Billy spoke coldly, "Are you finished?"

"Why don't you say something? I've explained so much, but you haven't responded to a single word. What the hell do you mean?" Natalie was desperate.

"You are right, and it makes sense. What else do you want me to say?" Billy asked nonchalantly.

Natalie was speechless. She didn't know what to say or how to think about his attitude.

After a while, she asked, "So you forgive me?"

Billy threw her a vague reply, "What do you think?"

His expression and tone were both ambiguous. She couldn't guess what he was thinking. Natalie was agitated and asked, "You still want to divorce me?"

"Yes." Billy answered explicitly, without a moment's hesitation.

"But it's impossible! That's no way I will get a divorce

with you! I'm pregnant now. You can't divorce me." Natalie became furious.

"You're right." Billy agreed with her, "So you don't need to take my words seriously. Just eat and sleep well, and take good care of yourself. Now I'm going to work. Get out of the way."

"What do you mean by that?" Natalie was puzzled. She was still standing at the door, blocking his path. She refused to get out of the way. "Don't work tonight, please. I'm begging you. Come back with me to the bedroom. Have a good rest. And we can talk about it."

Billy lost his patience and finally, he exploded with rage, "Get out of the way!"

Natalie's legs went limp. She almost fell to her knees. She thought of Billy's violence twice before. Immediately, she moved away.

The door slammed shut in her face. The sound was so loud that it stung her ears.

Natalie got back in her room. She was still panting heavily, her chest heaving unsteadily. Things were getting more and more out of control.

Now, she could see that Billy was determined to divorce her.

Sitting on the couch, Natalie was still contemplating the matter. She was thinking about what Billy had just said.

'So you don't need to take my words seriously. Just eat

and sleep well, and take good care of yourself.'

Why would he say that?

Considering the situation at the time, he should not be so calm as so. She felt that Billy's words must have had another meaning.

Sitting there, she thought a lot. She thought over and over again. She wanted to figure out Billy's intention!

Suddenly, she thought of the baby in her belly. Her body shivered involuntarily. Could he be referring to the baby?

The more she thought about it, the more likely Natalie thought it was. Did he mean to divorce her after the baby was born, or did he suspect that the baby was not his?

Natalie did not even know for herself whether her baby was Billy's or Leonel's.

What if Billy thought it was not his child? What if he requested her to go for a test?