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Everyone rushed to restrain Dave. The man tried to heal Dustin and Dave separately. "I can't do much. It seems that we will have to request an audience with the elder." He had initially not paid much attention to Dustin's request to speak to the elder since the elder of the Lindburg Family should not be bothered by every trivial request. If the elder agreed to grant an audience to anyone who asked, it would not be a good image for the family as a whole. However, there was no other solution as they could not figure out what was wrong with Dave.

The internal energy was going berserk within Dustin's body, with a chance of disabling him at any moment. Yet, it behaved bizarrely, balancing itself in order not to reach the limit of his body.

The Lindburg Family could not do anything about it.

Based on the damage caused, they knew that the assailant must be no ordinary person.

The moon high up in the sky revealed a small residence within the garden of the Lindburg Residence. When the rabble had arrived, the doors into the house opened on their own. An elderly man with pure white hair appeared. He stood in place visibly, but the visitors could not feel his presence. It was an ominous feeling for the visitors.

The leader of the family that was initially agitated had momentarily settled down. He observed that the elder's cultivation had improved once again. With someone like the elder backing the Lindburg Family, they would not be afraid of any enemies.

“Eh, Dustin.” Raphael glanced at

Dustin. He was one of the family members with the best prospects and was named 'Dustin' unprecedentedly by the elder. Thus, Raphael adored him greatly.

After being surprised, Raphael appeared beside Dustin within a split second. His finger's rested on Dustin's meridian pulse as his brows furrowed deeper and deeper.

"Elder." The leader of the Lindburg Family was about to speak, but Raphael gestured for him to stop.

"Everyone else, scram. Dustin, stay here." Raphael grabbed Dustin and disappeared in a split second.

In the room, Dustin laid on the bed. "Speak, who had you provoked?" Raphael asked in a serious tone while he stared at him.

"A young man, I lost to him. The surprising thing was that he knew of

the Eight Skills of Heaven and Earth. He even mentioned your full name,” spoke Dustin weakly.

“What else did he say?” Dustin suddenly realized that the elder that he admired suddenly trembled with emotion.

“He told you to go meet him in the Stardust Clinic,” replied Dustin honestly while looking at Raphael.

He might not know the reason why the elder was this agitated, but he dared not withhold any information.

“Stardust Clinic, Stardust Clinic,” mumbled Raphael, his pair of wizened eyes had slightly moistened.

“Master, is it you?” He mumbled.

“Bradmus Lindburg, come here right now!” The next moment, a roar sounded over the entire residence.

Bradmus, who was the current leader of the family, appeared. He looked at the elder respectfully and spoke, “I do as the elder commands.”

“Go and find me a place named ‘Stardust Clinic’. I must know the location by tomorrow morning!”
Raphael spoke calmly.

“Yes.” Bradmus nodded. He left respectfully.

“Great grandfather, who’s that person?” asked Dustin carefully. He had never seen Raphael this furious ever since he was born.

“You b*stard, did you piss him off?”
Raphael asked coldly.

“Cousin Dave got into a scuffle with him. I was there to help,” spoke Dustin quietly.

“B*stard, all of you are b*stards. Tell m

e everything he said and done from the moment you met him. Tell me every detail. If you missed anything, I would kill you,” commanded Raphael calmly.

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Dustin could not help but tremble after he heard those words. The old man had never been this harsh with him.

He recounted the event precisely under the elder's intense stare. After making sure he had nothing else to add, he lightly nodded, gesturing that he had said everything.

The old man's eyes showed a hint of nostalgia as if he was trying to recall something.

Dustin waited for a while before finally lost his patience and asked Raphael, "Elder, what about my injuries?"

"Endure it on your own! Let destiny decide whether you live or die," spoke Raphael coldly. Dustin could only lower his head after hearing those words.

"You think that you're so tough,

picking fights with everyone whenever possible. You may have learned six of the Eight Skills of Heaven and Earth, but you only mastered the form and not the intent behind it. Your injuries will fully recover once you have fully harnessed the intent of the first four skills.” Raphael grunted. By the time he finished speaking, he was already far away.

It had been 60 years since he heard of any news regarding 'Stardust'. He could not remain calm after knowing about this. Even though he was unsure of the true identity of that person, but he was confident that the person must be related to his own master.

The cool breeze of the night blew along the river. Raphael stood beside a river and thought of his past. He would be a weakling that died in those chaotic times if he had not met his master back then. His current accomplishments and

the success of his family would not have happened without his master. “Master, is it you?” muttered Raphael as he looked at the water in the river.

“Is it you? Did you know I had missed you dearly?” Raphael spoke emotionally. The next moment, the water surface suddenly imploded, as if it was letting out a depressed sigh. Raphael had knelt on the ground and calmed down. However, tears were still flowing across his weathered face.

The night had passed in a blink of an eye. The next day, the first thing that Madison saw was Jason as she woke up. The pair of starry eyes were looking at her. As their gaze met, Madison smiled gently.

Jason felt that the moment was perfect. There was no other view that could compare to what he saw right now. The couple woke from their slumber and looked at each other. They smiled with

joy in their hearts.

“Woken up?” Jason asked gently.

“Yep!” Madison nodded lightly.

What happened yesterday was like a scene in a dream. When she finally woke up, she eventually came to accept that what happened yesterday was real.

After the two of them had cleaned themselves up, they went for breakfast. They held hands just like a pair of lovers.

“There’s something that I’m curious about.” Madison took a bite off a cake as she looked at Jason.

“What’s up?” Jason replied.

“You are such a capable person. Why would you be willing to suffer all those hardships back then?” She looked at him and asked curiously.

“What else could I do? Beat them up?”

Don't be silly, I can't do that. Moreover, I don't mind it as long as I get to see you." Jason laughed.

"Do you value me so greatly?" She rolled her eyes at him before she smiled sweetly as what he said flattered her greatly.

"You are special to me. Priceless even," Jason calmly said. His simple words made her feel something indescribable. It was as if she was the most important person in Jason's mind.

His statement was the truth. After living for 5,000 years, he had experienced many things and had many beautiful women throw themselves at him, but Madison was the only person he kept in his heart.

For him, love was the most wonderful thing in the world. Once it happened, he would not be able to let it go.

He could snatch souls from the reaper

and destroy an army alone. However, nothing can stop him from falling in love. There were many powerful weapons in this world, but none of it was as deadly as the feeling of attachment.

Sixty years ago, he battled the six people of the Deity Realm and was defeated. Nobody would suspect that his final thoughts were of a face as beautiful as a work of art.

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The morning sunshine gently on Jason's body. Madison smiled as she looked at his side profile. However, she felt exasperated. 'What have I missed for the past three years!'

The truth was that she had not missed anything from the past three years. Jason was the same person as before, but now he just had lived for 5,000 years and retained the memory.

Icy had arrived early at the Stardust Clinic. She was reminded to do so every morning by her grandfather, which annoyed her. She could not deny that Jason was skillful. To fulfill her wish of betraying him in the future, she must be patient. Therefore, she still had to perform her daily task.

Someone visited the clinic while she was cleaning. "Is it here?" A slightly

shrewd voice sounded. Icy turned around only to see a middle-aged woman and a girl around her age. The middle-aged woman bore an arrogant aura. It would not take much to guess that they were Jason's mother-in-law and sister-in-law.

“Are you sick? If that's the case, you will need to wait a while. The doctor isn't here yet.” Icy looked at Madison's mother and spoke calmly.

Staff should be courteous towards the guest, but their expressions made it difficult for her to do so.

“You are sick. Your whole family is sick.” Madison's mother roared at Icy.

Jason had been relying on the Dale Family for everything. That useless man still dared to spend her daughter's money, and he found himself a mistress. Madison's mother was in the right to be furious and hostile towards

Icy.

Icy turned pale after she heard those words. She grew up being pampered, who had not been criticized like this before. She spoke coldly, “If you’re not here for medical treatment, please leave.”

She had even behaved according to her grandfather’s orders not to cause trouble for Jason. Then, to her surprise, that irritating middle-aged woman had taken a seat in an entitled manner.

“Kicking me out? Didn’t you consider who the owner of this place is? I’m telling you that this place will have a new owner soon. How dare he waste my daughter’s money like this, and he had even gotten himself a mistress.” The mother-in-law glanced at Icy and snorted.

She was here today to reclaim the medical center. She thought it would be

over for him after he became enemies with the Brown Family and was abandoned by the Greene Family. Since she assumed the medical center was opened using her daughter's money, she did not want it to fall into this mistress's hand.

“Show some respect.” Icy's eyes turned red. She might be a rude person, but she had not been treated this way by anyone else.

“Respect? Why don't you take a look in the mirror?” Jason's mother-in-law snorted.

Jason, who had just dropped off Madison at work, witnessed the exchange. ‘This mother-in-law is acting really extreme!’ Jason smirked.

The three women realized someone blocked the gleaming light coming from the doorway, and they turned to look at the entrance.

Jason stood at the doorway. “Jason Sky?” The mother-in-law was surprised.

Icy, who felt wronged, ran towards Jason. She stared at him with red eyes and said, “They said many terrible things, including taking back the medical center.”

The mother-in-law looked unfazed while Miranda pouted her lips. “Wow, how terrible. See if this useless thing could take revenge for you.” The mother-in-law chuckled.

Jason tapped on Icy’s shoulder. He then took a deep breath and spoke, “it’s fine, leave them to me.”

“Jason, are you ignoring me?” The mother-in-law felt angry when she saw him ignore her and went on to comfort Icy. She slammed the table and stood up with an angry expression on her face.

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Madison's mother was furious, but not as much as Jason. She was the first person to cause trouble in the Stardust Clinic. If she were not Madison's mother, he would have given her a fate worse than death.

Madison was his deepest attachment, while the title of 'Stardust Clinic' was something he held dear for a very long time. Both were things that he would not be willing to part with.

"What? Are you disappointed to see me?" spoke Jason calmly as he stared at his mother-in-law.

"Jason, you are really ungrateful. You won't even give me the respect I deserve?" She could not help but grunt. Although she did not know how Jason had survived the encounter last night, she still thought of him as a useless

human after being abandoned by the Greene Family.

“Respect? Do you deserve respect?”

Jason chuckled.

Not only did she not care for his safety, but she had not cared about Madison’s well-being as well. Instead, she was eager to reclaim the medical center that had belonged to him. He deeply disdained her as a person.

“You...you dare to talk to me in this manner?” Madison’s mother pointed at Jason furiously. She then pressed her finger onto her chest and breathed hard. “Traitor, traitor! You betrayed our family.”

Jason only smirked uncaringly. He walked towards his chair and sat down. He then looked at Icy and spoke calmly, “Call the police, tell them someone’s causing trouble here.”

“Alright.” Icy could not help but grin.

She coldly glanced at Madison's mother.

"Jason, don't you forget that who funded this medical center. You took my daughter's money to drive me away. Call the cops, do it! I want to see if you could manage not to dishonor yourself." Madison's mother chuckled.

"Who said I took Madison's money?" Jason's frowned.

"You actually managed it yourself? Is it even possible?" The mother-in-law grinned, her tone of voice was unsympathetic.

"I heard it myself, that sister wanted to give you money. Now, you'd even dare not to admit it." Miranda interjected.

Jason could not help but stare at Miranda after hearing those words. He already knew that the mother-in-law arrived because she had snitched.

Initially, he had been curious about how

the mother-in-law found out about this so quickly. Now he knew why.

“Excuse me, please get the truth of the matter before you accuse me of anything. Our family gave him the medical center. He really didn’t use your daughter’s money.” Icy calmly spoke.

“There’s even a written contract. Would you like to see it?” She laughed.

“You think I’m stupid? You’d just give away a place that’s worth millions of dollars?” Miranda grinned. She assumed that the promiscuous pair were just lying.

“He liked me, so I gave it to him. As to your daughter, hehe.” Icy did not hold back as she managed to leverage something in her favor.

Jason heard those words, and he could not help but frown. He felt that the topic was led astray. He did not like his

mother-in-law and sister-in-law, but Madison meant a lot to him. He realized what she said would mess things up.

“The medical center’s ownership will be unconditionally transferred to Jason Sky.” The mother-in-law read aloud the contract held in Icy’s hands, then inspected the handprint and signature below. “Fine. Jason Sky, you are terrible. How have I not realized that you’re a scumbag after keeping you for three years?” She grunted. “Miranda, let’s go.” She laughed coldly and left.

Icy grunted, her face filled with arrogance. She turned to Jason, looking for praise. She felt that what she did just now was the perfect maneuver, and she had even sacrificed her reputation as a woman. However, when she looked at Jason, she saw him deeply frowning his brows while speechless.

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‘How would I explain this to Madison?’ Jason furrowed his brows and sighed.

“Jason Sky, what is with your disappointed look? I’d sacrificed my honor for you!” yelled Icy exasperatedly.

“Yes. Thank you.” Jason nodded. He could not deny that the frustrated look on his mother-in-law’s face was entertaining. Icy had done what she did to defend him, so he could not blame her for the damage she did.

“You don’t sound sincere at all! Don’t tell me that you’re still attached to that family?” Icy looked at him and asked. In her opinion, Jason might be a little mouthy, but his abilities are unquestionable. He could easily attain all the wealth he wanted with his current medical skills. There was no

reason for him to stay and continue being abused.

“Of course, I can leave them, but I can’t leave my wife!” spoke Jason jokingly.

“Wife? The apple doesn’t fall far from the tree. From the looks of her mother’s attitude, your wife can’t be any better.” Icy pouted as she spoke uncaringly.

Jason was exasperated, and he could only roll his eyes at her. “Don’t be so quick to judge. Whatever, don’t rub your nose in my business.” Jason waved his hand, gesturing her to attend to her duties.

He sat on the chair, deep in thought. He thought to explain the situation to Madison, and she would understand as she’s a logical and understanding person. She would have known the behavior of her family members. He decided to ignore his mother-in-law if she were to distorted the truth of what

happened.

An elderly man appeared in front of the medical center's entrance. He recalled the name 'Stardust Clinic' from the depths of his memory. "It is true, it is true," muttered the old man. He had become much more emotional when he saw the word below the name. His master would be the only person alive and who could write it.

Moreover, the words were carved with a single stroke of the finger. He knew that he could do the same, but it would not look as well written compared to the owner of the plaque. The calligraphy looked naturally vivid.

The old man was almost sure of the owner's identity with the same name, same handwriting, and the unfathomable martial cultivation behind the writings. This old man was nobody else but Raphael Lindberg, the elder and patriarch of his own family.

He trembled as he walked into the medical center. “Go left for medical consultation, go right for prescription medicine,” Icy approached and said impatiently after she saw him enter the clinic.

She thought she had done something good, but it seemed to have triggered Jason. She was disappointed as she messed up trying to appeal to him. She was trying to get on his good side so that she may learn from him, then betray him. Hence, she was not in a good mood.

Raphael did not respond, he could only stare at Jason absentmindedly. Tears had already welled up beneath his wizened eyes.

“Girl, go out first,” spoke Jason calmly at this time, yet his tone carried a hint of inviolable persistence. Icy pouted then turned around and left. She had not

overthought it, as he had done the same thing when someone came to seek medical aid. She thought he had done this to prevent her from learning anything.

“Petty guy.” She muttered. As Raphael heard it, his gaze immediately turned sharp. He was angry that the little girl had disrespected his master, but he quickly softened his gaze when he realized that his master had not paid it no mind. He continued to stare at his master absentmindedly.

Jason had realized Raphael had shown up. Time had been cruel to him. After 70 years, the spry youth back then had become a wizened old man. Yet, Jason’s appearance remained the same.

“Raphael, it has been a long time,” spoke Jason calmly.

Bang! The knees of an elder from an incredibly affluent family had slammed

onto the floor. “Master.” Raphael’s voice trembled as he spoke the word.

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“Get up! You are way too old to be behaving like a kid,” spoke Jason calmly as he looked at Raphael. Jason was ecstatic to meet an old friend. To have an apprentice of his still alive was a comforting fact.

Raphael stood up, lowered his head, and stood in front of Jason. He had already suspected Jason was a living deity. Jason had also mentioned many times that he had lived through countless centuries. Now he believed it to be true, as his master looked the same, although 60 years had gone by.

“Have you been doing well all these years?” Jason asked Raphael.

“I was doing well. I had established myself well with the abilities you taught me. My children are rather well behaved.” His face turned red as he

mentioned his children and then snorted. “Except for one, the traitorous child who dared to offend you. I will break his legs once I return.”

“Are you still trying to impress me? The traitorous child you mentioned must be the grandchild you admired the most, right?” Jason smiled lightly.

Raphael lowered his gaze and remained silent.

“I do not blame him for what had happened. After all, it is good for young children to be a little rebellious. It is better to take a fall earlier in life than late, and I’m not looking for retribution. You don’t have to be this extreme,” spoke Jason calmly. For the many years he had lived, he had seen numerous remarkable people. Some of them had lived an extraordinary life, but once they had fallen, they could not get back up; some suffered all kinds of hardships as they grew and eventually

went on to achieve great successes.

Jason wholeheartedly believed what Raphael had said. If he had simply nodded to what Raphael said, he would have returned home and done so.

Dustin would indeed become disabled later. He felt he should not be too harsh towards the young boy since his apprentice's descendants were still his kin. Moreover, he only felt that Dustin was too arrogant but still had a good personality.

“As for the kid from the Brown Family, he will have to suffer some hardships. Consider it as a lesson!” spoke Jason calmly.

“Yes, you are merciful.” Raphael nodded respectfully.

“It's fine, you don't need to act so formally with me. We are no longer in the past, and there is no need for all these formalities. You must retain some

dignity since you're already so old. In the future, you don't need to act like this with me in public." Jason laughed.

"My master will always deserve an elder's respect," Raphael said stubbornly.

"Don't do that. I don't look like your master any more." Jason rolled his eyes.

"It was by coincidence that I met Dustin last night, and I wanted to continue my luck by trying to meet you. I feared that you had passed, and it's good that you're still alive. As for me, I'm just passing the days while guarding this medical center. If you had any exceptional children and grandchildren in your family, don't hesitate to bring them over." Jason chuckled.

After meeting his apprentice, he must show a little goodwill. Raphael had already mastered everything Jason

could teach, and there was no knowledge left to be passed onto him. Meanwhile, inexperienced people are like an unpolished piece of jade that he could polish under his skillful guidance.

“Yes, thank you master for your generosity,” spoke Raphael respectfully.

“You brat, the first person you thought of must be that traitorous child that you mentioned!” Jason was exasperated. He then spoke calmly, “Keep our relationship on the down-low. I wouldn’t want the whole world to know about me.”

Some things were too bizarre to be made public. It would be hard to explain how a man can remain unchanged for 70 years.

Raphael nodded respectfully as he heard those words. He truly respected him from the bottom of his heart. He

didn't need to share his existence with the world.

“Alright. Now brew me some tea,” Jason calmly said. Since Icy was not around, he could only instruct this apprentice to run errands for him.

Meanwhile, two people approached the entrance. One of them was Jordan Grand, who had visited the clinic some time ago. The other man who had followed Jordan was wearing casual clothes. “Is he really that good?” The man had a hint of disbelief in his voice.

Jason could hear that conversation clearly. ‘Good. The money printer is here.’ Jason could not help but smirk.

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“I would not lie, let’s go. The issue I had for years was fixed here, and I got the feeling yesterday night. If it weren’t for the doctor’s advice, hehe!” Jordan smiled and winked. Any man would understand what he tried to imply.

Both of them marched in, midway in their conversation. “Mister Jason Sky,” Jordan respectfully said. As for the man, who wore casual clothing, he was a little hesitant.

“Hello.” Jason lightly nodded as he gestured for Jordan to sit down,

“This is a good friend of mine, and he has some issues that need your help,” Jordan said with a grin.

“Alright.” Jason lightly nodded.

Meanwhile, the man wearing casual clothes was frowning. It was because

Jason looked too young, and Jordan was too straightforward.

However, what they saw next made their jaw dropped. They saw an elderly man appeared and served tea to Jason respectfully.

If it were an ordinary old man, it would not have meant much. However, it was the identity of the old man that stood out to the two men. The Lindburg Family was not as famous as the Greene Family, but everyone who had a certain class level knew that it was because the Lindburgs were merely keeping a low profile.

Jordan was considered to have a relatively high status in society, and those he befriended would be of a similar class. There are many levels that make up the social hierarchy, and different people would be placed in different levels.

Raphael could only be considered an old man to the average person since they would have no idea of his identity.

However, these two men knew of his true identity.

“You’re the patriarch of the Lindburg Family?” The man beside Jordan asked cautiously.

“Patriarch? I suppose so,” replied Raphael calmly since he had bothered managing the family aside from teaching martial arts.

“Indeed, it’s true.” The man could not help but gasp. He could not imagine the true identity of Jason if the patriarch of the Lindburg Family would personally serve him tea. It was remarkable that he acted calm and naturally, just like it was supposed to happen.

The man wearing casual clothes was no longer arrogant like before. Seeing that Raphael had not bothered to converse

with him, he shifted his gaze onto Jason. “There are some accumulated issues on my body, and I will like for you to help me with it.” He spoke respectfully. He no longer doubted Jason after what he had witnessed.

Jason naturally knew the reasoning behind the man’s changed gaze. He calmly glanced and Raphael and realized that he had never thought that he would have to rely on his apprentice’s reputation one day.

“Alright, sit down.” Jason lightly nodded, gesturing to the man to sit.

“Extend your arm,” spoke Jason, as he levitated his fingers on the man’s pulse point. “Extend your right leg.”

The man could not help but feel joy as he heard it. Jason had figured out the problem on his right leg just by feeling his pulse. He thought that Jason was indeed a divine healer. Jordan had not

lied to him.

Just as Jason was curing the man, two people approached the Encanta Beauty Salon. They were Jason's mother-in-law and sister-in-law.

Both of them charged their way right towards Madison's office. "Mom, Miranda. Why are you here?" She looked at the two of them with surprise.

Her mother had rarely visited the beauty salon unless it was to manage the finances. Now that they were here with an intimidating aura, it had truly shocked Madison.

"You are sitting here like nothing had happened while your useless husband got himself a mistress! Do you know about that?" Madison's mother snorted, growing more irritated as she looked at the daughter. It seemed that she was projecting all the anger she felt in Stardust Clinic onto Madison.

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In her opinion, Madison made a horrible decision to defend that useless man. She would not need to suffer the humiliation today if she had not.

“Are you referring to Jason?” Madison asked in confusion.

“Who else could I be talking about?” Madison’s mother snorted.

“Are there any misunderstandings between you and him?” Madison frowned.

“Misunderstanding? How would it be fake if I had seen it with my own two eyes?” Madison’s mother grinned. “Fine! You do not want to believe me but instead, trust in that useless man. I will let you see it for yourself.” She grabbed Madison by her arm and walked outside.

“Stop tugging! I will follow you.”

Madison was exasperated. It was obvious that she trusted Jason, and she knew that Jason truly loved her. She was also confident in herself since there were not many women as attractive as her. She had not believed that Jason would find a mistress.

Meanwhile, in Stardust Clinic, Jason was performing acupuncture on the man who wore casual clothing. It was not a severe issue as it was only an injury on his leg. The veins were clogged, and there was some build-up of gout. He would feel immense pain whenever it rained. Acupuncture was the best method to treat the problem.

As Jason was tending to the man, a few people intruded into the clinic. "Did you change your staff? Where's your mistress?" Madison's mother caused a ruckus once she had entered into the clinic.

Jordan frowned. He was about to speak

but was interrupted by Raphael. “Don’t be disrespectful,” Raphael calmly ordered. Although he was confident in Jason’s abilities, it would still be best if there were no interruptions during the acupuncture session. Thus, Raphael stopped them immediately.

“Mom, Jason is busy with a patient. Please be quiet.” Madison tugged on her mother’s hand.

Madison’s mother felt resentment in her heart after being yelled at by Raphael. She fell silent as she felt a tinge of horror from him. As she was dragged away by Madison, she could only grunt angrily.

“Alright, come back again in half a month. Let me write you a prescription,” spoke Jason as he calmly looked at the man.

“Mister Jason Sky, I thank you.” The man stretched his right leg and smiled.

“What a miracle, it feels so much better.”

“Mister Jason Sky, please accept this as a payment for your service. It is not much, please take it,” He said, handing Jason a check. The amount was similar to the amount Jordan gave, it was 1 million dollars. He was not lacking in funds.

Jason had not rejected the offer and placed the cheque on the table. He smiled at Madison and frowned after seeing his mother-in-law's hostile expression.

At this moment, the mother-in-law approached him. “Since when did you know Chinese medicine? You even accepted a cheque?” She looked apathetic as she stood in front of him. Her eyes immediately turned wide as she saw the number written on the cheque.

“A million? Hah, you are such a good actor. You think you can earn a million dollars just by poking a few needles?” Her expression was filled with mockery. “Also, where’s your mistress? Bring her over! Are you trying to hide her from us?”

“What is everyone looking at? All of you are actors as well. Is that the best you, low-standard actors, can come up with, a simple million-dollar cheque?” Her mouth spat out words like a machine gun. She had already launched insults without a chance for others to speak. Jason said nothing while she spoke.

He only lightly tapped Raphael’s shoulder, hinting for him to calm down. Raphael was currently fuming and looked like he was about to pick a fight with her. He decided to calm down because he might cause irreparable damage if he did. Jason did not want it t

o happen since she was still Jason's mother-in-law.

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“Mom!” Madison yelled helplessly. She then shot an apologetic gaze towards Jason.

“Low standard? I, Arden Springs, had never been this insulted for years. I wonder how much is your net worth, madam?” The man wearing casual clothes, Arden, had spoken up. He knew that she had purposely caused Jason trouble. Since his issue was cured just now, he did not mind helping Jason with the problem. However, he had decided to hold back in the words he said because he was not sure of their relationship.

“You are Arden Springs?” The mother-in-law sounded surprised. She immediately took a closer look at the man to find what he said was true. Since he had regularly appeared on the

financial magazines of the city, a business enthusiast like herself definitely knew of him.

“The one and only,” Arden calmly said. “I would still be able to part with a million dollars. It was money well spend on Mister Jason Sky’s medical skills.”

“That’s enough,” Jason interjected as he saw his mother-in-law’s face slowly turned green.

Arden had not spoken harshly, but his presents had shocked the mother-in-law. Jason decided not to do anything to her; he would have allowed Raphael to act out his frustrations if he wanted to.

Arden did not continue as Jason had requisition. Instead, he turned to Arden and said, “Mister Jason Sky, I will take my leave now. Let’s meet up another day.”

“Please let us know when your clinic

has officially opened. I, Jordan Grand, might have low standards, but I can still afford a flower basket.” Jordan grinned, stating his identity as well.

Since they were friends with each other, they naturally shared the same level of status. Those who recognized Arden Springs would have known Jordan Grand as well.

“You are Jordan Grand?” The mother-in-law shifted her gaze towards him, and confirmed her suspicion.

She was saddened as she had offended two multimillionaires of Mediterrania. She questioned why did they behave so courteously towards Jason. She remembered Jason had offended the illustrious Greene and Brown Family. She expected him to never recover from the fall, but he did.

Her perspective of the world shifted as she just witnessed him earned a million

dollars just by jabbing a few needles. She pinched herself and found out that it was indeed not a dream.

“Sit.” After Jordan and Arden had left, Jason gestured the three women to sit down.

Looking at Madison’s apologetic gaze, Jason lightly nodded and hinted that he was fine.

“Jason, I had been impulsive today. Please don’t blame me,” She blushed as she said. His mother-in-law finally regained her composure after sitting down. Raphael immediately widened his eyes. He looked at Jason, then looked at Madison’s mother.

“What are you looking at? Tell the girl to come here.” Jason said exasperatedly as he looked at Raphael. ‘So what if I got another mother-in-law? Am I not allowed to have a wife? Is it really that odd?’

Raphael nodded in affirmation as he heard his request. He immediately set off to find Icy.

“There is more than meets the eyes. Please do not jump to the conclusion regarding what happened today,” Jason gently explained to Madison.

As for what the mother-in-law said, he chose to ignore it. The only way to force his mother-in-law to remain civil was to have a high standing in society. She would only kick him when he was down instead of helping him up.

“I believe you. My mother was the one who dragged me here,” said Madison gently.

“I did it for your sake! If you had ditched such a good man, you would be very disappointed and filled with regret,” scolded the mother-in-law. Her face blushed redder as she spoke those shameless words. This had shown

how far she would go for her dignity.

“Alright. I’m leaving now. Make sure you come home early for dinner,” his mother-in-law said before swiftly leaving.

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Jason had not planned to keep her around as she was too ashamed to remain. He had nothing to say towards such a shameful individual.

Even Madison had been embarrassed by her mother's antics, and she could only look at Jason with a shameful smile. She felt helpless when her mother had behaved this way. "I will take my leave. Come pick me up from work later," She looked at him and said.

"Wait." Jason grabbed Madison by the hand and smiled. "Stay for a while. I would like to introduce you to these two people while you are here."

Icy had already returned with Raphael at this point. "This is Icy, an employee of the medical center that runs errands. She was the reason behind the commotion today. However, it was

because of her that I had managed to drive your mother away.” said Jason calmly as he introduced her and explained the situation.

“And this is the lady owner of the Stardust Clinic,” said Jason to Icy as he gestured to Madison.

Madison nodded politely towards Icy, then swiftly rolled her eyes at Jason. Her switch in demeanor was attractive.

“No wonder you can endure the abuse from your mother-in-law. It was because...” She held her tongue before going on. She was sincere in praising Madison as she was shocked by Madison’s appearance. Yet, she was not polite to talk badly about someone’s mother while the daughter was present. Luckily, Madison had not reacted much to her words.

“Good, now you both are acquainted, now go!” Jason flicked his arm.

Icy could not help but glare at Jason upon hearing those words. She felt that he treated her as an errand girl that could be ordered as he pleased.

“Raphael, this is my wife.” Jason looked at Raphael and spoke calmly.

“Madam,” said Raphael respectfully. He was about to kneel in respect.

“This is too much.” Madison shook her head. An older man being this courteous to her was already shocking. She could not allow him to do this.

“Alright, there is no need for that. I only wanted you to get to know her,” spoke Jason calmly.

Jason pulled Madison to take a seat, then handed her the cheque. “There will be more in the future.” He smiled.

“You don’t need it?” Madison asked gently.

“I have nothing to spend on.” Jason shrugged and smiled. He was obligated to give his wife all his earnings.

“Then I will hold onto it for you.” Madison lightly smiled.

“I invoke the law of equivalent exchange. May I get a million-dollar kiss from Lady Dale?” Jason grinned as he looked at Madison.

Madison scratched her nose and rolled her beautiful eyes at Jason; a blush of red appeared on her beautiful face. She then carefully looked at the surroundings. Seeing that nobody was paying attention, her luscious lips gently pecked Jason’s face. As she retraced, her face was already flushed with redness.

Seeing that he was still enjoying it, she lightly slapped him in embarrassment. Then, she kissed him again. “I still have something to do. I’ll be going.” She

whispered.

“Alright.” Jason nodded in a smile. He walked Madison out.

Just as they were about to go their separate ways, she looked at him. “You seem to hold many secrets!”

“I’ll tell you whatever you want to know when I have the time.” Jason smiled as he had a jovial mood.

“Mom was right about one thing; she really is an attractive woman!” She was referring to Icy.

Jason felt a warmth in his heart as he saw Madison’s cute, pouting face. His gaze was incredibly gentle, and he laughed. “Are you jealous?”