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Erica, gripping Larkin's hand tightly, walked straight out of the room,

Rosalynn trailed behind them.

Kelly appeared extremely nervous, seemingly desperate for Rosalynn's help.

With an icy tone, Rosalynn said, "Your family will come pick you up soon."

Kelly was scared out of her wits

"Mrs. Silverman, please give me another chance. I swear I won't mess up again" she pleaded.

"Did you ever think about giving Erica another chance?" Rosalynn retorted coldly

Kelly burst into tears, admitting her faults over and over again.

Rosalynn felt zero sympathy, she simply felt this was the retribution Kelly deserved.

Ignoring Kelly's sobbing, she left the room.

Just as Rosalynn was about to leave, a figure emerged from the room across the hall.

Rosalynn was taken aback, "Jacob, what are you doing here?"

Jacob looked like he had seen a ghost, "Is it all a lie?" he asked, looking at Rosalynn.

Rosalynn frowned with worry

Tears welled up in Jacob's eyes, "Are all the rumors false?"

Rosalynn let out a sigh, "Erica was your girlfriend. You should... know her better than anyone else.",

Jacob clutched his chest tightly.

He bent over, as if in great pain,

Jacob wasn't in the best shape that day. Drink

a couple of glasses of wine upset his stomach.

Originally, he was just looking for the restroom. But then, he saw Erica and Larkin rushing into a private room.

Worried about Erica, he hurried over

Little did he know, the conversation he overheard would break his heart

"When did Larkin find out?" Jacob looked up at Rosalynn.

Rosalynn thought for a moment, I'm not sure, but based on his expression in the room, I guess he just found out about Erica's situation."

Hearing this, tears continued to roll down Jacob's face. Yet,1 he let out a bitter laugh, "So, I really am not good enough..."

Jacob recalled that about half a month before those photos and

eos were leaked, he was skiing with Wayne and some friends.

One late night, due to no cell reception, he missed several calls from Erica.

When he called her back, Erica seemed upset. But when he asked what happened, she wouldn't tell him.

Now that he thought about it... Was that the night she almost got raped?

The more Jacob thought about it, the more heartbroken he felt.

"Jacob, that's all in the past. Erica wouldn't want you to feel like this, Rosalynn said softly.

"Rosalynn, if I had believed her and protected her back then, would we have ended up like this?" Jacob looked at Rosalynn, his face pale and streaked with tears, looking utterly pitiful.

Rosalynn didn't respond, which Jacob took as a yes.

Jacob gave a wry smile, nodded repeatedly, then waved at Rosalynn, "I gotta go."

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"Jacob...

Rosalynn was worried, Jacob didn't seem quite right.

I'm fine, I just wanna go home. Jacob shook his head while waving his hand dismissively.

He wanted to return to the home where he and Erica had lived. Maybe all that was happening was just a dream. When he woke up, he and Erica would still be teenagers and he could protect her without hesitation.

He would propose to Erica at an early age, and then hold a wedding even grander than the current one.

Erica once said she wanted a son first, like Rosalynn and Wayne, then a daughter

They would be so happy... they'd grow old together...

"Mike" Rosalynn called out.

Mike appeared out of nowhere.

"Follow Jacob, don't let him do anything stupid."

"Yes" Mike responded, then chased after Jacob.

Jacob didn't seem to notice, or didn't care.

He bought a ticket for the first available flight back to H Country. As he boarded the plane, his phone buzzed with a new notification.

It was an update from Erica, who hadn't posted in a long time

Jacob's hands shook as he opened it.

Erica was hugging Larkin, passionately kissing under the witness of the guests behind them.

Tears flooded from Jacob's eyes.

He turned off his phone, repeatedly telling himself it wasn't real. When he got home, Erica would be there. She'd always come back to him, like she always did.

The party ended late at night, but it wasn't the end of Erica's wedding. There was a banquet the next day to thank the guests.

As the guests gradually left, Erica, in a champagne-colored, strapless mermaid dress, sat in a chair with a bottle of champagne, her cheeks flushed from drinking.

Ivy had been running all over today and was now asleep in Wayrie's arms, worn out.

"I'll go tell the bride we're heading out." Rosalynn squeezed Wayne's hand.

Wayne nodded.

Rosalynn got up and walked over to Erica.

Seeing Rosalynn approach, Erica reached out with a grin

Rosalynn laughed and took her hand. "Enjoying yourself?"

"Very much so" Erica beamed. Today was definitely the happiest day of my life!!

She felt reborn, cutting away the rotten flesh of her past!

The heavy shackles that bound her fell to the ground, freeing her body and soul to soar!

"Cory and Ivy are tired. I'm taking them back to the hotel. Rosalynn shook Erica's hand. "Happy wedding, enjoy your honeymoon!"

Erica's face instantly flushed. "Alright, alright! Off you go! Remember to bring lvy and Cory for breakfast tomorrow!"

"Sure." It was rare to see Erica blush, and Rosalynn found it amusing.

Rosalynn turned and headed back to Wayne.

When they left, Larkin returned from seeing off the guests.

Rosalynn and Wayne waved at him from a distance.

The more Larkin learned about Erica's past, the more he appreciated Rosalynn as a good friend, and his fondness for her and Wayne grew.

Erica sat there, tipsy, her smile growing as she saw Larkin approaching

"Are all the guests gone?" Erica asked, her speech slurring a bit Tm sorry, I drank too much and didn't help you see the guests off."

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Larkin was totally smitten by Erica's cuteness.

"It's okay." Larkin gently touched her nose.

He recalled the scene in the private room and his heart ached.

His girl was really perfect.

Despite the heavy pressure Erica was carrying, she was still so kind and radiant,

"Can we enjoy our wedding night now?" Erica asked softly.

Larkin chuckled and nodded.

"But I can't get up, can you hold me..." Erica put down the bottle and stretched out her arms to Larkin.

Without saying much, Larkin picked Erica up

Erica leaned her head on his chest.

"Larkin, I'm really grateful you showed up." She choked out.

She had been misunderstood by Jacob, abandoned by Kelly, and lived like a rat scorned by all for over a decade.

Without Larkin, she might not have returned to Jacob. But if not to Jacob, where else could she go?

Jacob was her only safe haven.

If she lost this haven, perhaps she would choose to fall into depression.

Larkin's nose tingled, his hold on Erica tightened.

The evening party was held in Larkin's private estate.

The bridal chamber was personally decorated by Larkin, Every item inside was something Erica liked. Rosalynn's good words came true.

Erica's wedding night was exceptionally joyful.

Rosalynn returned to the hotel.

She forced herself to take a bath.

Ivy fell asleep as soon as she lay down and couldn't be awakened no matter how much she was called.

After being a flower girl, Ivy refused to remove her makeup and even reapplied her lipstick twice.

Rosalynn had no choice but to wash off her makeup for her.

After tidying up the kid, Rosalynn was too tired and fell asleep as well,

At today's wedding, several rising stars in the tech industry who heard that Tech Seven from Bane Corporation was also there, sought out Rosalynn for a chat. One of them even came up to her with a laptop hoping she could help solve a programming issue.

So, even though Rosalynn spent most of her day in quiet places, she was also socially active.

In addition, some people wanted to draw with Ivy, but the lively little girl was hard to find. So, those who wanted to draw had to seek out Rosalynn. Why not look for Wayne?

After all, few people knew about Wayne's amnesia. Even though he seemed more polite now, he was still intimidating!

Rosalynn turned to Wayne and asked gently. "Are you happy?"

Wayne nodded, "We will also have such a beautiful wedding

Rosalynn smiled, "I'm just going to enjoy, you'll have to arrange it."

Wayne looked even more determined, "Okay"

Rosalynn was busy handling group affairs every day, and he was already feeling guilty for not being able to help.

How could he let her worry about things like the wedding?

In the midst of her busy schedule, Rosalynn glanced at her phone. She had missed a call from Mike and he had sent a message as well

"Ms. Gabriella, Mr. Jacob has arrived in the H Country and is currently on his way home. He seems to be in a normal state, just a little pale and silent"

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Rosalynn showed Wayne the information.

"You know, Erica's been getting a lot of bad press."

Wayne nodded.

"Well, it's all made up." Rosalynn sighed. "It's her half-sister, Kelly, who's been spreading rumors about Erica out of jealousy. At the luncheon, that woman tried to frame Erica again, but Larkin and I caught her in the act. Jacob overheard us."

Wayne got the picture, "So Jacob's been buying into these rumors all along"

Rosalynn nodded, saying, "He broke up with Erica as soon as these rumors started swirling around. He's the one who called it quits"

In the afternoon, Rosalynn asked Erica about it

Even if she wanted to protect Kelly, she could have told Jacob it was all false accusations.

But Erica said, already did"

She said it calmly. But Rosalynn was taken aback.

"Jacob didn't believe me, so he dumped me," Erica added.

Those few words were why Jacob and Erica eventually broke up.

"That must have hit Jacob hard" Wayne said solemnly

Rosalynn nodded, "That's why I had Mike keep an eye on him, to prevent him from doing anything stupid."

Wayne didn't say anything, he just held Rosalynn.

"Ivy said you had an ex-boyfriend, a real jerk, who you dated for years." Wayne started.

Rosalynn laughed, "You two must be really close now. She even spilled the beans about that."

Wayne nodded, "Darling, thank you for still forgiving me."

Wayne's voice had a touch of grievance.

Rosalynn patted his back, "Didn't we agree not to bring up the past?"

Wayne mumbled an agreement.

"It's late, let's go to bed!" Rosalynn gently rubbed his back, 1 was thinking about showing you around for a few days before heading back, but Jacob doesn't seem right, we should get back ASAP

Regardless of Jacob and Erica's situation, Jacob had saved Cory and Ivy once. He was a benefactor to Rosalynn. She didn't want anything to happen to him.

"Okay" Wayne was also worried about Jacob.

After discussing it, they cuddled up and fell asleep.

The next day, Rosalynn went to Erica's place for breakfast.

But Erica didn't show up until around noon.

"Looks like you had a blast on your wedding night" Rosalynn started.

Erica coughed lightly, not so shy anymore. She crossed arms with Rosalynn and said affectionately, "You texted that you're leaving tonight?" "Yes," Rosalynn nodded.

"Stay a little longer, let the Carters' check out Wayne's conditions!" Erica whispered, as if afraid someone might hear Wayne's having problems.

"As luck would have it, the Scotts have invited a few notable doctors from the Carter family to Norhaven next month. Wayne and I will be in Norhaven by then, we'll see them then"

"Right, Paige is due next month. She's Baillie Scott's wife" Erica suddenly remembered.

"Yes"Rosalynn replied.

Erica had heard of Paige before, but they never had any interaction.

Until recently, introduced by Rosalynn, they added each other on social media

How to describe Erica and Paige's interests and topics?

They're just too similart

The things they're into, the topics they care about are almost identical. They hit it off immediately!

"Alright then" Erica was a bit reluctant, "Next time I go to H Country, let's meet up"

"Sure, Rosalynn answered, hugging Erica, "Take good care of yourself in the future, don't let yourself be wronged anymore, okay?"