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Madeline looked at the woman who was talking to her and saw the face that was almost the same as hers. She calmly walked

forward.

Under the dim street light, Naomi was smirking ominously while raising her face that looked like Madeline's as she stared

Madeline up and down with a calm and wise expression.

"Eveline, I know it's you!" Naomi concluded with certainty.

Madeline walked in front of Naomi calmly and parted her lips profoundly. "Mrs. Whitman, I think Eveline is your name. What are

you trying to say? Are you going crazy again like you did last night?"

"Hmph." Naomi chuckled coldly. She crossed her arms across her chest arrogantly and looked closely at Madeline. "If you're not

Eveline, why did you risk your life to save that little thing?"

It seemed that Naomi did not have the intention to keep pretending. She continued to provoke, saying, "Eveline, let me tell you. I

hired the man who abducted your daughter. I wanted to test whether you're Eveline and you gave me such a satisfactory result.

It seems that I was right."

Naomi was feeling pleased with herself. It was as if she was praising herself for being smart.

Madeline had guessed that the man was just carrying out orders. However, she did not expect Naomi to be the one who had set

up this trap.

She calmly listened to Naomi as she babbled while thinking highly of herself. Madeline looked into the villa with a strange look.

'Is no one home?

'Is this why Naomi is so unrestrained?

'Seems like it.'

"Eveline, tell me! How did Rye die? You killed him, right?"

Naomi suddenly roared as she questioned. Under the dark sky, her perfectly replicated face looked extremely wretched.

Suddenly, she pounced and grabbed Madeline's shoulder. At this moment, her eyes looked malicious.

"Eveline, I'm telling you, don't even think about coming back to this home. Your face is so ugly that your parents don't even

recognize you. So what if Jeremy still has feelings for you? The only person in this world who looks like Eveline Montgomery now

is me!"

Madeline's eyes went cold when she heard Naomi's conceited words. Suddenly, she reached out her hand and grabbed the

hand Naomi placed on her shoulder.

"Do you really think you can be Eveline Montgomery just because you have my face?" Madeline asked coldly.

Naomi was taken aback. "You admit it, Eveline. You're admitting that you're Eveline Montgomery!"

"Yes, I admit it. I am Eveline Montgomery. What about you? Do you dare to admit this, Naomi?"

"…"

Madeline's sharp and piercing gaze penetrated her, and at that instant, Naomi was like a burst balloon. She was extremely

overbearing one second and the next, she deflated completely.

She stared at Madeline with shock in her eyes. Perhaps she did not expect Madeline to already know her true identity.

"You... Eveline... You..."

"Naomi, Ryan has stopped, so what's the purpose of you continuing to impersonate me? Do you want to sleep with my man,

bully my children, and take over my identity?"

"…"

"Do you think you can get away with this?" Madeline asked calmly. "The saddest thing in this world is when a person can't be

themselves."

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"Shut up!" Naomi roared and lost control of her emotions immediately. "Eveline, tell me how Rye died? It must be you. You're the

reason Rye died, right? Tell me!"

She reached out her hand to grab Madeline again like a crazy person who had lost control. She was trying to grab Madeline's

neck barbarously.

Instead, Madeline grabbed Naomi's hand and controlled her.

"Naomi, listen here. Rye's death was an accident and it had nothing to do with anyone. He was the one who chose this path."

"Nonsense! You killed Rye! Eveline, you b*tch!" Naomi was feeling so pressed that she was stomping her foot and waving her

other hand to slap Madeline.

Madeline did not show her weakness at all when she lifted her hand and slapped Naomi loudly. At the same time, she pushed

Naomi's hand away.

Naomi stumbled backward and looked at Madeline's tough aura in disbelief.

She gritted her teeth and touched her painful face. Suddenly, she cackled coldly and sinisterly.

"Eveline, since we've shed all pretense of cordiality, I won't beat around the bush with you anymore! You killed Ryan, so Jeremy

and your three children will all go to hell!"

Madeline laughed instead of getting enraged. "If you really had the ability, then Jeremy wouldn't be sleeping in the study. Naomi,

if Jeremy feels something for me now, it means he doesn't feel anything for you."

"…"

Naomi was speechless at the moment. However, she immediately displayed a pleased smirk.

"Eveline, are you so sure that Jeremy has been sleeping in the study every night? Let me tell you, the first night I stepped into

this house, I had already slept with your man!"

After she said that, Naomi could detect evident changes in Madeline's expression.

She stood firmly on her ground and walked in front of Madeline again while feeling pleased with herself. When Madeline was lost

in thought, she ripped the mask off of Madeline's face again barbarically.

"Tsk, tsk, tsk!" Naomi displayed a look of intense disgust and hatred. "How ugly. You're so hideous. Eveline, do you dare to show your current face to Jeremy and your children? Aren't you scared that your children will cry when they see your face? Hahaha!"

Naomi cackled wretchedly. Even if she had a stunning face, her laugh looked extremely unsightly.

In the end, she charged toward Madeline and mocked her with harsh words. "You ugly hag! Eveline Montgomery, you're stuck

with that face for the rest of your life now, you freak!"

Madeline told herself to stay calm, but when she heard that the woman had tarnished Jeremy the first night she entered the

house, her calmness started to slowly crumble.

She grabbed Naomi's collar forcefully and pulled Naomi in front of her.

The two eyes looked extremely similar, but the sharpness and aura coming from them were completely different.

"Naomi, do you think you're so gorgeous? Your beauty came from replicating my face. Jeremy and the rest of my family won't be

fooled by you forever. You won't be able to replace me in becoming Mrs. Whitman forever."

"Why not? Are you going to tell Jeremy that you're the real Eveline? Heh, who would believe you? Don't you know how ugly your

face is now?"

Naomi continued mocking. When she lifted her head, she suddenly saw the situation outside the front door. Then, she displayed

a sinister smirk on her face.

"Eveline, if you don't believe me, let's have an experiment. Let's see if the man you love the most will side with me or you?"

After saying those words profoundly, she suddenly yelled, "Ah, Quinny, please don't!"

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"…"

Almost immediately, Madeline sensed that perhaps Jeremy was back after seeing Naomi's sudden performance.

At the same time, Madeline also understood what Naomi meant by 'experiment'.

Naomi pushed her away exaggeratedly and sat on the ground to pretend she had just fallen. She yelped in pain, "Ah!"

"What happened?" Karen's surprised and curious voice sounded from afar.

Madeline quietly watched as Naomi looked provokingly at her from the ground. For some reason, her heart started beating

anxiously.

She remembered back when Meredith had impersonated her.

The man she loved the most and her family she was closest to decided to believe Meredith's lies, abandoning her instead.

When Madeline was stuck in a daze, she sensed the familiar footsteps and air behind her.

Madeline thought the first thing Jeremy would do was to help Naomi up, but instead, he stopped next to her and handed her a

mask.

"Put this on."

Jeremy said those three words gently to Madeline.

This action shocked Madeline and Naomi at the same time.

Naomi reacted quickly and called out aggrievedly, "Jeremy, my leg hurts. I don't know what happened to Quinny and why she

suddenly got angry with me. She even pushed me."

After Naomi slandered her, Sean walked to her side and bent down to help her up. "Eveline, are you okay? What happened?"

Naomi shook her head aggrievedly and looked at Madeline. "It's nothing, never mind. Maybe Quinny is in a bad mood."

Sean walked to Madeline after he heard that. Even though the night was dark, the light from the street lights was enough to

make him see the burns on Madeline's face clearly.

He was extremely shocked. At the same time, he felt heartbroken and pitiful for some unknown reason. He did not expect

Madeline's face to be so badly disfigured.

"Jeremy, Dad, don't blame Quinny. She's a woman, and her face was disfigured so badly. It's only normal for her to be in a bad

mood. I'm fine. She only pushed me a little, it's no big deal." Naomi pretended to be understanding toward others, and her

performance was natural and unrestrained.

Madeline peered coldly at Naomi's performance before saying, "I'm not in a bad mood. I purposely pushed you because you

disgust me."

"..." Naomi did not expect Madeline to talk back to her like that.

Sean was also shocked. However, Jeremy's reaction was calm.

Madeline reached out her hand to grab the mask Jeremy handed to her. "Thank you, Mr. Whitman. I'm going back to my room.

I'll go and take care of Mrs. Montgomery afterward."

"You're exhausted from saving Lily today, so you can rest earlier. My father-in-law will take care of my mother-in-law tonight."

Jeremy's answer was out of Madeline's expectation, and his attitude was warm as well.

"Thank you for doing the utmost for saving Lily today."

Madeline lifted her head to meet Jeremy's gentle gaze. For some reason, she felt as if there was an abnormally warm glint in his

eyes. She had a million things to say to him in her heart, but in the end, Madeline only said two words, "You're welcome."

After she said that, she grabbed the mask Jeremy gave her and walked back to the house.

Naomi did not expect this to happen. She thought Jeremy, Sean, and even Karen would berate Madeline, but now, everything

passed as if nothing had happened.

Madeline went back to her room, and her heartbeat became erratic.

However, she had won the experiment just now.

Not only did Jeremy not blame her or misunderstand her, but he was also so considerate toward her.

"Jeremy, do you really feel something?"

Knock, knock, knock.

Madeline was still leaning against the door while deep in thought when someone knocked on it.

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She turned around. There was a door between them, so she did not know who was out there.

"It's me." Jeremy's voice sounded softly from the other side of the food.

Madeline quickly put on her mask before opening the door. When she saw the tall man in front of her, she tried her best to keep

calm.

"Can I help you, Mr. Whitman?"

"Don't take what happened just now to heart. You risked your life to save Lily, so it means you're kindhearted. I believe that you

won't push someone for no reason."

Madeline was surprised when she heard this.

She did not expect the man to deliberately come and comfort her.

Madeline stayed quiet for two seconds when suddenly, she looked into Jeremy's eyes.

"Are you saying that you believe me but not Mrs. Whitman whom you love the most, Mr. Whitman?"

"I do," Jeremy answered without hesitating. His eyes were staring straight into Madeline's eyes when he added, "I'll always

believe my wife."

"…"

"Rest earlier. I'll be in the study if you need anything. I'll always be there." Jeremy smiled softly at Madeline before turning around

and leaving.

Madeline stood at the door, and at that moment, she felt lost.

She could sense that there was a hidden meaning behind what Jeremy said earlier, but she did not dare to guess what it was.

That night, Madeline tossed and turned in bed for a very long time before falling asleep. The next morning, she went downstairs

and saw Naomi pretending to be a good mother as she accompanied Jackson and Lillian while they had their breakfast.

However, Jackson and Lillian did not interact with her at all. The two children were eating their food obediently.

Naomi lifted her head. When she saw Madeline, she gave her an arrogant look of disdain.

She was sure that Madeline would not dare to expose her because who would recognize her as Eveline with that face of hers

now?

However, Naomi was different. Her face was a perfect replica of Madeline's face, and the plastic surgery skills behind this

procedure were far beyond normal.

Even though Jeremy neglected her a little in terms of feelings, he could not deny that she was Eveline because her face was

Eveline's and no one could see any flaws.

Plus, the only person who knew the truth was only Madeline and she did not dare to rashly expose her, so she was at ease.

However, Madeline could guess Naomi's little thoughts.

Madeline was not in a hurry. At least, Jeremy's attitude toward her last night showed that he had a good feeling about her.

As for Naomi, she said she slept with Jeremy the first night she pretended to be her. Madeline was reluctant to believe this.

Her Jeremy would not do such things to women he had no feelings for.

Madeline pondered and did not notice Jeremy approaching her from behind.

She only sensed the familiar scent after Jeremy walked past her.

"Why are you spacing out here? Go have breakfast." Jeremy invited her over in a friendly and gentle tone.

Madeline looked at him. "Thank you for your kindness, Mr. Whitman. I'll eat something after you're done in case I scare the

children with my face."

To be honest, Madeline was not throwing a tantrum. She just did not want to remove her mask and scare the young children.

Jeremy wanted to say something but stopped himself when he saw Madeline turning around to walk away. Suddenly, he heard

the pitter-patter of footsteps behind him.

He turned around to look and saw Lillian running behind Madeline with her chubby legs. Then, she grabbed her clothes.

"Mommy."

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Madeline stopped abruptly in her tracks.

Initially, she was doubting whether she had misheard, but she could clearly feel someone tugging on her clothes.

"Mommy."

She heard the cute and childish voice drifting into her ears, and immediately, she felt her heartstrings tightening.

The surge of excitement enveloped her chest again. She controlled herself from breaking down and slowly turned around.

When she was about to say something, Naomi quickly walked over.

"Lily, Mommy's here."

Naomi grabbed Lily's hand with a fake soft smile on her face.

"I'm so sorry, Quinny. It must be because your eyes look so similar to mine, so that's why my daughter mistook you as her

mother. You should know that she's still young and doesn't know a lot of things."

Madeline looked into Naomi's malicious eyes and said with hidden meaning, "No, I think Lily knows a lot of things and she's also

very smart."

Madeline's words carried a hidden meaning, and at the same time, she knew Naomi understood what she meant.

When she saw Naomi taken aback, Madeline bent down and caressed Lillian's hair. She smiled brightly and said, "Lily, be a good

girl and go to school with your brother after breakfast. I'll see you tonight."

Lillian blinked her clear and wide eyes before letting go of Madeline's clothes.

She looked at Jeremy at one side with a serious look on her face. "Daddy, Mommy."

When Jeremy heard that, he smiled affectionately and warmly. Then, he picked Lillian up. "Lily, are you done eating? I'll take you

and Jack to school now."

Lillian nodded. She turned her face to look at Madeline seriously.

"Mommy."

She called out childishly and smiled innocently at Madeline. She even waved her little hand at her.

Madeline had a flash of understanding after she saw Lillian's smile. She waved her hand at Lillian as well. "Bye-bye, Lily." "Goodbye, miss." Jackson ran over unbeknownst to her and said goodbye to Madeline naturally.

Madeline came back to her senses in time. "Goodbye, Jack. I'll see you tonight."

"Okay." Jackson smiled cheerfully and nodded. Then, he picked up his bag on the sofa and walked to the door.

Jeremy looked at Madeline and picked up Lillian's bag. With one hand, he carried the little princess and followed his son.

Naomi was pissed when she saw this scene.

She glared at Madeline before quickly following behind them to pretend to send the children off in concern.

Madeline did not follow them. She stood where she was, still distracted by Lillian calling her 'Mommy' just now.

'How great.

'Lily can say 'Mommy' now.'

Madeline suppressed the joy in her heart, but at the same time, more of her joy came from the way Jeremy looked at her. His

gaze felt like the breeze in spring when he looked at her.

After Naomi sent Jeremy and the children off, she went back to the house. When she saw Madeline eating alone in the dining

room and there was no one around her, she strode next to Madeline.

She opened her mouth to provoke her when she heard Madeline saying, "It's confirmed that you're the person who lost last

night. Even if you use my face and impersonate me, the truth is you can't be me."

"…"

Naomi's face fell when she heard this.

She looked around and approached Madeline. Suddenly, she laughed coldly. "So what? Do you dare to tell Jeremy you're the

real Eveline? You're scared, right? Heh.

"You're scared that he'll abandon you after he knows you're Eveline and after he sees your horribly disfigured face, right?"

Naomi was confident and acted like she had seen everything.

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"Hmph, Eveline, why haven't you exposed me yet if you're not concerned about this?"

She said, suddenly reaching out her hand to grab Madeline's chin to force her to face her.

"Tsk, tsk, you're so ugly that I can't bear to look at you. I'm curious how your face became disfigured? Do you think it's karma for

killing Rye?"

Madeline slowly removed Naomi's hand from her face, and there was an ominous glint in her cold eyes.

"If there's karma in this world, then you best be prepared because evil people won't have a good ending."

"Eveline—"

"Naomi, Lana wasn't even my rival and you think you are?"

"…"

Madeline did not want to waste her breath on Naomi. She picked up her mask to put it on before going upstairs to look for Eloise.

Naomi gritted her teeth in dissatisfaction. However, Madeline's words served as a reminder.

Jeremy and the two children felt something for Madeline, and if this continued, then it would be detrimental to her.

Naomi pondered secretly. The more she thought about this, the more unwell she felt.

Ryan was dead and she was still reluctant to accept this until now.

She truly liked that man.

She only agreed to get plastic surgery to look like Madeline to please Ryan. She also hoped that Ryan would change his attitude

toward her when he saw her face, even though she knew clearly in her heart that Ryan never liked her.

It would not matter if she looked the same as Madeline.

The day she visited Ryan in prison, Ryan was indeed surprised when he first saw her. However, when he realized she was not

Madeline, he was visibly disappointed.

He did not love her.

That was a fact.

He was dead, and that was also a fact.

Naomi clenched her fist and gritted her teeth in dissatisfaction. "It's enough to have only one Eveline Montgomery in this world."

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Madeline walked over to Eloise's room. When she was about to go in, she saw Sean taking care of Eloise. He was helping her

wash up and dressing her considerately.

Madeline felt her heart warming up. She could feel Sean's love for Eloise.

It had been so many decades, and it was such a rare thing for a man to still be so considerate toward his wife.

Madeline did not go in. After Sean pushed Eloise out, she went up and asked, "Good morning, Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery."

Sean lifted his head and looked into Madeline's eyes. He spaced out for a few seconds and said, "You're Quinny, right? I heard

Jeremy saying that you saved my granddaughter yesterday. Thank you so much."

Madeline smiled. "You can go on with your business with no worries, Mr. Montgomery. I'll take care of Mrs. Montgomery."

Sean nodded and asked in curiosity, "Quinny, where are you from? To be honest, your eyes look so similar to my daughter's. I

had a special feeling the first time I saw you."

Madeline's heart warmed up when she heard this. She did not say anything and only pushed Eloise into the lift to go downstairs.

When she saw Naomi still at the dining table, Madeline pushed Eloise into the dining room as if nothing happened. Then, she

prepared breakfast for her.

Naomi knew Eloise was delirious now, so she put on a fake mask and approached her. "Mom, it looks like you're getting better

day by day. Eat more so that your body has more nutrition and you can recover faster."

However, Eloise ignored Naomi. On the contrary, she grabbed Madeline's hand.

Madeline looked over curiously. Then, she saw innocence and seriousness on Eloise's graceful face.

"What's wrong, Mrs. Montgomery?"

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Madeline smiled and bent down next to Eloise to ask patiently.

Eloise peered at Naomi who was putting on a fake smile and grabbed Madeline's hand. "L-Let me tell you a secret."

"Secret?" Madeline was curious. However, she also noticed something amiss with the way Eloise looked at Naomi. "Mrs.

Montgomery, what secret do you want to tell me?"

Eloise lifted her head and got closer to Madeline's ear.

"That person is not my daughter."

This statement went into Madeline's ear clearly.

She was astonished. She did not expect that despite being delirious and sometimes even failing to recognize her, Eloise could

clearly tell that Naomi was a fake.

"It's true. I'm telling you the truth," Eloise emphasized seriously.

Of course, Madeline knew what Eloise said was true. However, she could not do anything to take Naomi down now.

She did not know who Carter was yet and there was another matter she needed to take into consideration. Naomi was right. She

did not have the courage to face Jeremy now.

She did not dare to look into his eyes after she removed her mask.

Naomi did not know what Eloise said to Madeline, but she felt that something was amiss. However, she did not ask.

Madeline did not display her emotions. She smiled calmly and took care of Eloise while she finished her breakfast.

After the children went to school, Karen took care of Pudding so that Madeline could take Eloise for a walk in the park nearby.

Madeline felt that Eloise was getting much better compared to before.

Now, she was able to say a complete sentence.

Madeline had pushed Eloise under the tree yesterday. When she recalled what happened yesterday, she was still a little scared.

However, the good thing was that the child was fine.

When she recalled what had happened recently, Madeline felt that perhaps God was testing her and her family.

Something bad had happened to her and Eloise at around the same time back then, and now, Eloise could not even go on with

her life normally. On the other hand, Madeline did not even know if her face could recover to the way it was before.

Clink.

She heard something falling behind her.

Madeline came back to her senses and saw Eloise pointing at the spot near her foot. "It fell, the pendant. Help me pick it up."

Madeline lowered her head to see the gold butterfly-shaped pendant next to the wheelchair.

She quickly bent down to pick it up. When she saw the engraving on the gold butterfly, she suddenly remembered her

grandfather who raised her.

Even though he was not her biological grandfather, he had given her the best care and love.

He was not her family, but he was more than a family.

However, Madeline did not expect Eloise to have had this with her the entire time.

"Eveline," Eloise looked at Madeline and called out suddenly.

Madeline felt her heart skip a beat. While she was feeling distracted, Eloise took away the pendant in her hand.

"Come, lower." Eloise's face was serious as she waved her hand at Madeline with love.

Madeline was confused. However, she still lowered herself as instructed by Eloise. She did not think that Eloise would put the

necklace with the pendant around her neck.

"Pretty. It looks the prettiest on Eveline." Eloise praised Madeline, and it was obvious that she was treating her as if she was her

birth daughter Eveline.

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To be honest, she was indeed Eveline.

Madeline felt a knot in her heart. She did not know whether Eloise felt something too.

She slowly squatted in front of Eloise and lifted her hand to grab Eloise's hand. When she felt the warmth of the touch, she felt

her grievances pouring out from her.

"Mom, I'm Eveline," she said softly. She felt as if she could lower her facade in front of Eloise.

Eloise had not fully recovered yet, so she would not know what Madeline was talking about. Therefore, Madeline had a chance

to release the weight in her heart this way.

When Eloise heard this, there was a glint in her eyes. It seemed as if an abundance of motherly love, gentleness, and

benevolence were surging up from within her and enveloping Madeline warmly.

Madeline felt the warmth, and she did not think twice before pouring out all of the grievances and truth in her heart.

"Mom, the person who looks like me is Ryan's ex-girlfriend. She took the opportunity on the day I went to the supermarket to buy

some ingredients to make a cake to plot against me.

"Ryan brought me to a nameless island where he would visit me every day. He didn't torture me, but he only wished for me to

spend the rest of his life with him because the court had sentenced him to death.

"After that, Ryan said he wanted to have a bet with me. If I won, he'd let me go. However, I won and he changed his mind. In

order to get away from him, I jumped into the sea from the yacht. Ryan chased after me, but for some reason, there was an oil

leak and the yacht exploded ... "

When she recalled what happened that day, Madeline felt her head buzzing. It was making her feel extremely unwell.

Madeline took a deep breath and continued telling Eloise what happened.

"The yacht exploded and Ryan died. Then, my face was burnt by the hot air of the explosion. That imposter knows I'm Eveline

but she's sure I won't expose her because of how I look now..."

She laughed bitterly.

"I don't dare to let the children see my face and I don't dare to face Jeremy either. Even I'm unable to look at myself in the mirror.

I look so wretched and hideous..."

Toward the end of her sentence, Madeline seemed to be talking to herself with her eyes already turned red.

When she was longing for comfort, Eloise stretched her hand and caressed her hair softly.

Madeline lifted her head in surprise to see Eloise's eyes filled with benevolence and kindness. Her eyes were also shining with

tears just like hers.

"Your face will become better," Eloise suddenly said those five words while softly caressing Madeline's hair again and again.

Every word sounded so clear.

Madeline did not force herself anymore. She leaned against Eloise's legs and enjoyed the motherly love.

Naomi saw this from a distance and scoffed arrogantly.

"Hmph, Eveline, I think you can only tell your idiot mother the truth now. However, do you really think that I'll believe Ryan died

just like that? You must've killed him!"

Naomi gritted her teeth and glared at Madeline. She looked around and noticed that there was no one around her, so she

arrogantly strode over to where they were at.

"Tsk, tsk, how heartwarming." Naomi mocked. She did not bother pretending in front of Madeline and Eloise anymore.

Madeline lifted her head when she heard that. When she saw Naomi, she wiped her tears and stood up slowly.

She looked piercingly and coldly at Naomi who was smirking at her with provocation.

"Why? Are you too lazy to pretend now?"

"Hmph, you're just a freak who doesn't have the guts to admit your identity and an idiot who can't speak coherently. Do you think

I need to wear my mask in front of you two?"

Naomi scoffed in disdain. "Eveline, you love your family so much. So, you'll definitely save your idiot mother like you saved your

daughter if she's in danger, right?"

"Naomi, what are you trying to do?"

"Hmph." Naomi scoffed ominously. "Open your eyes and see what I'm about to do!"

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When Madeline saw Naomi's sinister smile, she felt that something was off.

Actually, Naomi was good at controlling her because she had too many considerations.

Her lover and family whom she cared about were all her weaknesses.

As such, Naomi used this point to attack her.

Naomi looked around and suddenly lifted her leg to kick the back of Eloise's wheelchair.

The wheels of the wheelchair were locked, but perhaps Naomi was too strong so the wheels slipped and the wheelchair started

speeding forward uncontrollably.

"Mom!" Madeline ran without hesitation to stop the wheelchair.

The wheelchair was heading toward the lake. If Eloise fell, Madeline did not dare to imagine what would happen.

She sped ahead and grabbed the handles of the wheelchair to pull it back.

Fortunately, Eloise did not fall into the lake. However, Madeline felt a shadow looming behind her suddenly.

A second later, Naomi lifted her hand to push Madeline into the lake when she was least expecting it.

Madeline was caught off guard and lost her balance before falling into the lake with a loud splash.

"Hmph."

Naomi scoffed and looked at Madeline who was struggling in the water.

She knew Madeline did not know how to swim, so as long as no one saved her, she would inevitably drown.

Eloise fell on the ground since the wheelchair had slipped. When she saw the scene before her, her expression changed.

"Eveline!"

Naomi heard Eloise's screams and turned around to look at her in surprise.

When she saw Eloise struggling to get up from the ground, she slowly walked over to Eloise and squatted.

"Oh, so you know the person who has fallen into the lake is your daughter, huh? You're not as stupid as I thought, then."

Naomi mocked. When she heard passersby coming to see what was going on after they heard the commotion, she changed her

expression and pretended to help Eloise up considerately.

"Mom, are you okay? You scared me. Why did the wheelchair lose control all of a sudden?"

Naomi said while looking melancholic, even deliberately increasing her volume.

The passersby looked curiously at Naomi and Eloise. Some even came to assist Naomi in helping Eloise back on the wheelchair.

"Thank you. Thank you so much." Naomi thanked them politely and displayed a worried expression to ask for help. "Can any one

of you help my maid? She fell into the lake just now when she was saving my mother."

"Someone fell into the lake?"

"Go and save her now!"

Many good samaritans went over to the lake.

Naomi started cursing furiously in her heart when she saw so many people rushing to the lake.

She had hoped that Madeline would drown.

That way, she could live her life peacefully.

Naomi saw two strong men jumping into the lake at the same time. When she was about to go see what was going on, someone

grabbed her wrist.

"Give Eveline back!"

Eloise grabbed Naomi's hand tightly, her eyes like knives. They looked like they were about to penetrate Naomi's mask.

Naomi furrowed her brows and intentionally looked at the people around her. When she saw that everyone's attention was on the

lake, she flung away Eloise's hand maliciously and warned in a deep voice.

"Let me tell you, don't infuriate me. If not, you'll be buried next to Rye!"

Naomi left Eloise angrily. Then, she turned around and her expression changed again.

She ran to the lake and saw the two men looking for Madeline. However, they did not find her.

"We can't find her. I think she's done for."

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"She might have already died."

"Tsk, how sad."

The passersby started to feel sorry for Madeline.

However, when Naomi heard all these, she felt extremely satisfied.

'Eveline, it's best if you died!

'This is what you get for killing Rye!'

She cursed in her heart to vent her anger. However, when she was not paying attention, she saw some ripples in the middle of

the lake. Suddenly, a figure emerged from the lake.

Madeline was drenched, and she lifted her short wet hair that was sticking to her face. A lot of people thought that she looked

extremely seductive when she did that.

She turned her face around, her mask sticking to her skin. No one could see Madeline's face, but her clear and sharp eyes were

looking extremely domineering. The passersby were all mesmerized by her piercing eyes.

Madeline ignored the people who were watching her. Her sharp gaze penetrated the crowd and landed on Naomi's face. Then,

she swam back to shore calmly. She did not need any help at all.

Naomi was stunned. She had no idea when Madeline learned how to swim.

She knew that it was clearly stated in the information and notes about Madeline that she did not know how to swim.

She had made enough preparations regarding everything about Madeline before she impersonated her. She did not expect to

miscalculate this.

The will of people was often treacherous. Madeline also did not expect Naomi to be so despicable.

She calmly walked toward the stunned Naomi and heard the people around her talking among themselves.

"Wow, I captured the scene of her getting out of the water. She looked so cool emerging from the water so suddenly!"

"Her eyes are so beautiful, so she must look gorgeous as well."

"Her mask is wet but she doesn't want to take it off. Does she have to be so cool?"

Madeline felt helpless when she heard people gossiping around her.

She was not cool. She just had no choice.

When she fell into the lake, she felt her face starting to get itchy. She could not be sure if the lake water was clean and if it could

lead to a bacteria infection.

Madeline did not want her face to get worse.

However, the burning and itching sensation was making her nervous.

She walked in front of Naomi. Initially, she wanted to teach Naomi a lesson, but suddenly, she heard Eloise calling out her name

frantically.

"Eveline, Eveline!"

Madeline walked past Naomi and toward Eloise. She wanted to tell her mother that she was fine.

However, Naomi rushed even faster to Eloise's side from behind Madeline. She put on a kind and gentle act before saying,

"Mom, I'm here. Don't be scared. It's fine now. Quinny is fine."

However, Eloise ignored Naomi. Her concerned and worried gaze was only glued to Madeline.

She reached out her hand longingly to Madeline.

Madeline did not hesitate and reached out her hand to grab Eloise's. "Mrs. Montgomery, I'm fine. Let's go home now."

Madeline had no choice but to change the way she addressed her with so many people around them.

She walked over to push Eloise away. However, when she took a step forward, Naomi grabbed her hand.

"Wait."

Naomi stopped them and got close to Madeline before asking in a deep voice, "Do you remember how you embarrassed me in

public and caused Rye to break up with me? Do you remember how you caused me to completely lose my reputation?"

Of course, Madeline had not forgotten about it. Back then, Naomi listened to Lana's orders and tried to spike her alcohol.

However, she got a taste of her own medicine and completely made a fool of herself.

"Eveline, I want you to have a taste of letting everyone see your ugly side!"