

Skeletons Of The Marital Closet by Wen Tang Tang

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Chapter 721

After sending it, Shawn sent Fiona another voice message. 'I'm in the hospital. I won't be going to the company from today onward. Any important documents can be sent to the hospital. Anything not urgent will be left to Joe to handle.'

After that, Shawn put down his phone and enjoyed his perfect lunch with his wife and daughter.

Shawn's photo completely exploded!

Shawn never shared anything.

Yet, he had posted something that day, which was a picture. Also...

What did he mean by a family of three?!

When Summer saw that, she immediately rushed to Joe's office. "Shawn, that dog. Did he find a mistress outside? He has another child now?!"

Joe was stunned.

Fiona was stunned as well.

"His post!" Summer took out her phone. "Did you two not see it?"

Fiona shook her head. "We didn't. What post?"

"Shawn's!"

"Mr. Wood just sent me a message. He said he was in the hospital and wouldn't be at the company. He asked me to have Mr. Winter..."

Hearing the message, Fiona was shocked.

What happened to Shawn?

Was he overworked?

Most absurd was the fact that Shawn sounded happy in the voice message.

What was there to be happy about in the hospital?

Summer said, "The hospital? Ha! What? Is he staying there because he's feeling weak?"

Saying that, Summer suddenly thought of something. "Hold on... Could Winnie be pregnant?!"

Her voice was so high that it almost caused the glass to break!

"Holy crap! Shawn's a scumbag! How long has it been since he started staying with Winnie? He already lost control? How could he still be pretending to be deeply in love? Please! Why doesn't he just open up a harem?! Ah, I'm going crazy!"

Joe and Fiona took out their phones and opened Shawn's story.

They looked at it a few times, making sure they were not seeing things.

"Shawn has never posted anything before." Joe rubbed his chin. "Why do I feel like everything seems to be well?"

Fiona nodded. "That's right, Mr. Wood is usually never this warm and affectionate!"

Summer took out her phone.

"Winnie! You fox!" she asked with a huff.

"What?"

"Did you get pregnant with Shawn's child?! Where are you right now?!"

Winnie was even more stunned. "Child? Pregnant? I'm at Temperley Hall."

Summer was dumbfounded at that.

Was it not Winnie?

She immediately hung up, clenching her teeth. "Then it must be another woman! I really couldn't tell. He already abandoned Gale and started a new life!"

Summer did not stop at all, as she called Shawn.

Shawn actually answered.

"Hello?"

Just as Summer was about to curse Shawn out properly, she heard an incredibly familiar voice on the other end of the phone.

"Nicole, don't be picky. Eat some more vegetables."

Summer had the speakerphone on, so everyone else heard it too.

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The three of them exchanged looks with each other.

Shawn's voice was heard again. "Hello? Summer, what is it?"

"Y-y-you... You have a child with someone who sounds like Gale?!"

"What are you saying?"

Summer asked, "Isn't that what your post meant?! What? Did Gale get resurrected from the dead?!"

"You're crazy."

Shawn hung up after saying that, ignoring her.

Gale looked at his phone. "Was that Summer?"

"Yes."

Gale's expression sank. "She doesn't know I'm back. I should find the time to go see her."

She wondered how Summer would react when Summer saw her.

However, Gale knew that Summer would not blame her for disappearing for four years.

Summer would only blame her for coming back.

They were best friends. She knew how Summer was.

"You can meet all your friends that you want to see. You can even go around the Wood Group to see how much Lovito has changed. You can go back to Temperley Hall..."

Shawn said.

Gale suddenly laughed. "Temperley Hall? You used to let Susan stay there, and another woman is staying there now. I won't step into that place again."

Shawn paused. "Galey, I only brought her in because she looks like you so much, but she and I..."

"You don't have to explain what happened between the two of you."

Shawn pursed his lips. "You're jealous, Galey."

"No," Gale denied it.

Shawn looked at her. "You care that I've had other women by my side in these four years. Galey, I was the one who never dared to look into my own hard back then. Now, I'm absolutely able to do that. Yet you don't seem to be able to admit to what you're really thinking."

Gale frowned.

She bit her lip and said, "I just think you're very amusing. You make such a big deal of missing me, and keep saying you'll never get married again because of me. Yet, you have other women by your side. Shawn, your actions are quite disgusting."

"Galey, it's been really hard for me spending the past four years alone."

She had no way of understanding his loneliness and could not understand how he spent every night.

Using alcohol to numb himself, constantly smoking, and looking through all her pictures.

Only then would he barely make it past the night.

"Just eat," Gale said.

Nicole blinked and suddenly asked, "Are Mommy and Daddy fighting?"

"No!"

"No!"

Both of them said it at the same time.

Nicole said, "But mommy is angry. When mommy is angry, her lips will go down. Like this."

Nicole started to mimic it, putting her fingers at the corner of her lips and pulling them down.

Gale did not know how to react. "I don't do that."

"You do. You just don't know it," Nicole said earnestly.

After saying that, she patted Shawn on the hand. "You made mommy angry, so you have to make it up to her."

Shawn nodded. "Okay. Do you have any ideas?*

Nicole immediately said, "Just kiss her and it'll all be okay! I always do that!"

Shawn was very happy with that answer.

He wanted nothing more than to do that!

Gale almost choked on her food.

Her own daughter, whom she raised and brought her here, was already on Shawn's side in just one day's time.

Gale could not help but say, "Nicole, didn't you say that daddy was very scary and that you didn't dare to talk to him? Why are you on his side already?"

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"Because he's Daddy."

Gale was unable to say anything about that.

It was true. Shawn was Nicole's father. Blood was thicker than water. It was something that could never be changed.

"Also, Daddy can lift me up and let me fly. He lets me sit on his shoulder. Mommy, I don't want you to work too hard. Just let daddy do it! Nicole said.

"Hahaha, thank you for thinking about me."

"You're welcome, Mommy."

Gale smiled and fed her some vegetables. "Eat up."

Nicole's face soured.

Gale took the chance to say, "I told you, you can't be picky. Nicole, you can't be too easy to fool. Just picking you up can buy you over. There are some people who you can't forgive so easily."

Those words were targeted at Shawn.

He had just been planning to answer that he would give Nicole even more things. He would. not hold back both materialistically or in spirit.

He wanted to make Nicole the most respected princess in Sea City!

However, Nicole answered cutely, "Daddy gave me bone marrow, Mommy. With Daddy's bone marrow, I can go out of the hospital. I can not be sick. anymore."

Gale had nothing to say about that.

It made perfect sense.

That was true. Shawn even gave her bone marrow.

That time around, Gale had completely lost to the father-and-daughter pair!

She lowered her head and ate silently, no longer saying anything else.

While she was distracted, Shawn took away some of the vegetables from Nicole's plate.

Nicole stuck out her tongue.

It was the most comfortable meal Shawn had ever had.

In the afternoon, the nurse came over.

The nurse was very gentle. "Nicole, we'll need to draw some of your blood later. Are you ready?"

Nicole nodded.

"She's a good girl. She won't cry. Which room is it? I'll bring her there," Gale said.

The nurse said, "There's no need, I'll bring her there. We'll make sure to take good care of her. She'll have a person dedicated to checking her. It's different from regular outpatient treatment."

"Mommy, I can go with the nurse. You should just rest."

Nicole held the nurse's hand by herself and walked out.

Gale stood in place.

For some reason, she felt a strange sense of loss at that moment.

Before that, Nicole only had her to rely on. Gale had to do everything for Nicole.

Yet, after they returned to Sea City, Nicole had Shawn. She had someone to take care of her at the hospital as well. Gale did not need to worry about Nicole at all.

Shawn had already arranged everything, ensuring Nicole got the best treatment.

Gale suddenly felt like her daughter had grown up and was about to go away, that she was no longer the only person Nicole had.

"What are you thinking about?" She heard Shawn's voice. "The nurse is very professional. You don't need to worry."

"I know."

Gale sighed internally, not revealing her disappointment.

She had her head lowered, and saw Shawn's shoes the moment she turned around.

She walked to the side, wanting to avoid him.

Shawn followed her to that side.

He was insisting on blocking her way.

"What are you doing?" Gale looked up, staring at him. "Give way."

Without Nicole around, she really did not know how to interact with Shawn.

She was not used to the two of them being together alone!

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They had not seen each other for four years. Even if they were unfamiliar at that moment, the smell of his cologne stirred a deep sense of familiarity in her heart.

They were husband and wife. They were once the closest people to each other!

Shawn asked in a low voice, "Are you still angry? Gale, the woman in Temperley Hall really does just look too much like you. That's why I brought her in. However, I've never touched

her. I swear.”

“I’m not angry. I don’t care either. You’re free to have any woman you want.”

Shawn answered, “How could a married man be that free? The wife will care.”

“Who’s your wi-mp...”

Gale was about to offer a rebuttal when his lips suddenly pushed down. 1

There had been no signs at all.

Her mind went blank on the spot. Her eyes widened, and she forgot even to blink.

The familiar scent, the familiar taste. Even his lips were as cold as they always were!

Shawn’s kiss was still as strong and forceful as it used to be.

He did not give Gale any chance to run away. One of his hands circled her waist, and he pinned her against the wall.

His other hand was firmly behind her head.

By the time Gale was able to react, Shawn had already launched a successful attack.

She opened her mouth to talk, but that just gave him a better chance!

That kiss contained all of Shawn’s longing for the past four years.

He wanted her, crazily so!

Just thinking about her made his heart ache. It made him ache to the bones. His longing for her was like a beast that wanted to swallow him whole!

Shawn never thought he would be able to kiss her like that!

The woman in his arms was actually Gale!

It was not a replacement, not a substitute. It was not anyone else. It was Gale!

It was the one and only Gale!

“Ugh...” Gale turned away to try to get away, but he locked her head tightly. She could not move at all.

Her hands were on his chest, trying to push him away.

Yet, Shawn was like a steel wall, pinning her down firmly.

Gale could do nothing but use her feet!

She lifted her knee and prepared to kick him, but Shawn already expected that!

He lifted his leg before her, pushing her down. His mouth did not stop, and Gale was almost out of breath!

“Shawn... Ugh...”

Gale could not stand it. Her mouth was full of his taste, and her tongue was starting to hurt!

“Galey, Galey...”

Even Shawn was even starting to breathe heavily, constantly mumbling her name.

At that moment, he was really satisfied.

It was because he finally managed to kiss the woman he loved the most!

Shawn wanted to eat her up if he could so they could be together forever!

“My Galey... You’re so cruel. You haven’t seen me for four years and never contacted me. You raised our daughter alone... And I’ve been thinking about you every day. All I’ve been able to do is visit your grave.

“In these four years, I only dreamt about you once. Just one time.

“You still hate me so much, hating me to the bone... Galey, you can hate me, but you have to live on properly.”

When their lips parted, Gale’s lips were completely red, glistening.

Anyone who saw her would immediately know what she had just gone through!

Shawn carefully raised his hand and gently wiped her lips.

Gale was embarrassed, angry and helpless. All she could do was hit him on the chest!

Even after that, she was still unhappy. “Shawn you... Hooligan! Why did you kiss me?!”

“I kissed you to make you happy.”

“What kind of nonsense is that?!”

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Shawn answered, “Nicole said it. You’re angry, so she asked me to kiss you to make your happy.”

“Was that just a kiss?”

That was an intense french kiss!

She almost lost her breath!

Shawn nodded. “Oh, I understand. That was too intense, I’ll kiss you properly now.”

As he said that, he leaned in again.

Gale hurriedly looked away. “Don’t you dare!”

He let out a magnetic laugh as he moved away.

That man was a rascal!

Shawn said in a low voice, “Now you’re really angry. Gale, you look really cute like this.”

“If you dare to suddenly kiss me again like that, I...I’ll...”

“Oh? What will you do?”

Gale could not answer.

That was true.

What could she do?

She had never been able to do anything to Shawn. She even had to fake a suicide just to get away from him.

Shawn sighed as he put his forehead against hers, grabbing her hand tightly.

“Gale, if you want to leave, I’ll let you go. I won’t hurt you anymore...” Shawn’s breath-brushed against her face. “Do you know how powerless I felt when I looked at you jump into the sea? I was tortured for four years.”

“You’ll let me go?”

Shawn said, "I will. Once Nicole recovers, I'll leave her to you."

Gale was surprised. She looked him in the eyes.

She could not believe her ears.

Was that the Shawn she knew?

Was he actually willing to let her and Nicole go?

"Shawn, are you being honest? You're not joking?"

"Why would I joke around with something like this, Gale? I can't bear the pain of losing you again." Shawn's fingers were constantly running against her palm.

He would rather let her leave and start a new life somewhere else.

As long as he knew that she was safe and happy, that she was still alive, it would be enough.

Even if she was not by his side.

He knew that Gale could live anywhere in the world as long as she was not next to him.

The love in Shawn was incredibly deep.

"So, Gale, don't hurt yourself anymore. Don't put yourself in any danger. Just tell me what you want. I'll agree to everything."

She asked with some hesitation, "No matter what I want, you'll agree?"

"Yes, as long as you personally ask me for it, I'll satisfy any requests you have."

Shawn did not want to look at her jump in front of him again.

He wanted her alive.

He wanted her to be free.

"You're not allowed to die, and not allowed to do anything stupid. If you want to leave me, you don't have to pay for it with your life," Shawn said again.

Gale did not dare to look her in the eye.

If Shawn knew that her suicide was just a plot, would he still say that?

Did he already know something?

Gale was shocked.

Ever since she returned to Sea City, Shawn had never asked her how she survived the sea.

He did not say a thing!

Was he not curious? Did he already know something?!

"I'll remember what you said. All I'm hoping for right now is for the surgery to be successful so Nicole can get healthier," Gale answered.

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"Our daughter will definitely recover."

That was his promise. It was a guarantee!

Gale shot him a quick glance.

Her lips still tasted of him, and it made her heart flutter.

Shawn, with a head full of silver hair, was practically a monster!

He looked like a supermodel from a magazine!

"Shawn, you..." Thinking about it, Gale could not help but ask, "Why aren't you asking me how I survived the sea? Why aren't you asking me where I've been the past four years?"

"Galey, when you want to tell me, you will."

He would not force her.

He would not make any requests.

After losing her once, Shawn understood what love meant even more.

He loved Gale.

However, loving someone did not mean he needed to have her. It meant he wanted her to be truly happy.

Shawn had learned to let go.

That was what Gale taught him when she jumped off that yacht.

She would push her to death if he did not let go.

How could she be willing to let her die?

“The doctors are already discussing the surgery. If everything goes well, the surgery will be done at the end of the month,” Shawn lifted her hand and kissed it gently. “I’ll be here the whole time.”

As the bone marrow donor, he always needed to be ready for checkups from the doctors. He needed to take medicine and go through observations to ensure the bone marrow transplant went well.

Gale acknowledged it lightly.

Her hair hung around her cheek, tickling her, but she did not reach out to push it away.

All she did was wonder why Nicole was not back yet.

She did not know how she was going to keep staying there with Shawn!

If they

continued, Gale felt like he would definitely kiss her again!

The thought flashed in her mind, and Shawn seemed like he could read her mind. He raised an eyebrow. “What are you blushing for? Are you thinking about the kiss just now?”

“Of course not!”

“Galey, I’ll do my best to fulfill my responsibilities as a husband and a father for now.”

As he said that, he lowered his voice, “This is my last chance. I want to do what I can for you and Nicole. Don’t reject me. Once the surgery is finished and Nicole recovers, you can stay in Sea City with your father or even divorce me and fly far away.”

Gale could not say what the feeling in her heart was.

Back then, Shawn would always want to be with her for his whole life and would never let

Yet, Shawn actually mentioned divorce at that moment.

It seemed like her ‘death’ for the past four years had greatly affected Shawn.

He was afraid.

So he did know fear.

"I understand. I'll go look for Nicole..." Gale answered before she turned around and left..

As she said that, she quickly turned to open the door.

"Ah."

The moment the door opened slightly, Nicole fell inside.

Gale was stunned. "Nicole?"

Shawn smiled, but he quickly wiped the smile away.

When he was kissing Gale, he had already heard the footsteps. He just pretended not to

know.

"Mommy, why did you suddenly open the door? You didn't even say anything." Nicole got up as if nothing was wrong.

"Why were you at the door?"

"I came back after my checkup. I just got here," Nicole said.

Gale looked out the door suspiciously. "You came back alone?"

"No, the nurse brought me here and left."

Gale still wanted to say something, but Nicole hurriedly showed Gale the needle mark on her arm. "I just drew blood. Mommy, blow on it so it won't hurt."

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"Alright, alright. Nicole, you're so brave."

Gale forgot about anything else when she saw the mark. She felt her heart ache.

She really wanted to take the pain in Nicole's place.

Gale looked down and blew at it. "Does it still hurt?"

"Not anymore!" Nicole answered as she shot Shawn a cheeky wink.

Even though Nicole looked incredibly cute and obedient, and was a girl everyone liked, she was actually quite similar to Joshua inside.

She was a troublemaker with a lot of tricks up her sleeve!

While Gale was in the washroom, Nicole slipped over to Shawn.

"Daddy, I saw you kissing Mommy just now! The nurse saw it too!"

It was very easy to see what was happening inside through the glass on the door.

Shawn pinched her nose. "Didn't you tell me that earlier? She got angry, so she needed a kiss."

"Yes, yes. Daddy, you're so smart!" Nicole nodded.

"I'm not as smart as you."

"Daddy, you need to work harder. Mommy doesn't like you, did you notice?" Nicole said seriously.

Shawn knelt down and picked her up.

"I have, so are you going to give me ideas?"

Nicole thought about it and said, "I heard people say that quarrels between husband and wife need to be settled in bed, but you don't sleep in the same bed as Mommy..."

It was difficult.

Her parents were so hard to teach.

She needed to think so hard for their sake!

"There'll be chances. Take it slowly. I'll just kiss her for now. We can sleep together next time," Shawn answered.

"Okay! When you need me, just let me know!"

Shawn was very curious. "Why are you helping me? Aren't you worried she will be angry?"

Nicole whispered into his ear, "It's because I want someone to take care of mommy. Girls need to be kissed and hugged. Daddy, Mommy definitely loves being picked up too!"

He pointed at that bed. "We'll try it another day. This bed is only a meter and a half, but it's enough for two people."

"It's not good if it's too big, mommy will just hide on the other side! This is just nice.

Mommy can't turn away,
and you can hug her!"

The father and daughter discussed everything in earnest, figuring out how to 'trick' Gale into the bed.

It suited Shawn perfectly!

He had the support of his daughter!

She really was the apple of his eye!

The family of three stayed in the VIP room. Other than Gale, the father and daughter pair were quite happy talking to each other.

Shawn planned on staying there the whole time, and he had a perfectly valid reason. The doctor said so.

He needed to go through various checkups and needed to take jabs and eat medicine to keep him healthy. That would ensure the greatest success rate for the transplant.

It got dark.

Gale looked at the two beds and found a problem.
She had been planning on sleeping with Nicole. That way, she could immediately notice if there were any problems with Nicole.
Yet, the nurse had changed Nicole's bed for a child-sized one in the evening.
That bed could only fit Nicole.
Was she supposed to sleep with Shawn?!
Impossible!

Shawn looked at her standing by the bed, deep in thought and knew what she was thinking.
He did not do anything.
No matter what reasoning Gale gave, he would counter it.
He was going to sleep on the same bed as her.
No one was as tricky as Shawn!
"I'll go take a shower. Shawn, I'll sleep on the sofa. You can have the bed." Gale finally figured out the best way.
"Okay."

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Shawn answered incredibly quickly.
So much so that Gale shot him another look.
She was doubtful but did not say anything else as she took her pajamas into the toilet.
The shower could be heard.

Shawn walked to the balcony and called the housekeeper.
"Hello, Mr. Wood."
"Go get something done right now. Have Winnie leave Temperley Hall. She's not to step foot in it ever again," he ordered.
The housekeeper asked curiously, "Mr. Wood, are you kicking her out?"
"Yes."

Gale was back. There was no longer any need for Winnie's face to soothe his heart.
So, there was no longer any reason for Winnie to exist!
The housekeeper did not know what had happened, but the housekeeper never liked Winnie anyway!
Shawn was finally wise enough to chase that woman away!
The housekeeper said, "Alright, Mr. Wood. But Ms. Nightingale might not agree."
"Try everything. Ask her how much money she wants. Give her whatever she wants. If she won't agree to money, then force her out."
"Understood, I will have it done."
"Get it done tonight!"
It was better than delaying things.
Gale had already gotten angry at him because of Winnie before.
He could not let the two of them meet!

Furthermore, he did not plan on mistreating Winnie. She was aiming for his money by doing what she did, after all.

"That's right. Take out the prosthesis in her nose. Remove all traces of her plastic surgery. Undo everything that can be done. We can't let her keep having that face!"

Shawn said again.

"Yes, Mr. Wood,"

Shawn could relax when it was the housekeeper getting it done.

After hanging up, he went to the sofa and lay down. His hands were behind his head as he looked at the toilet.

Gale's shadow could be seen on the door, constantly moving.

She was there.

She was alive.

Just thinking about that made Shawn's heart feel full.

So, rather than having her, looking at her from afar was also a form of happiness.

Gale walked out of the toilet, and Shawn immediately looked at her.

He looked like he wanted to inhale her.

She wiped her hair and walked over. "Why are you lying down there? I said I would take the sofa."

Shawn answered, "Why would I make you suffer? You can have the bed."

Gale frowned. "You said yes just now. Why are you going back on your word?"

"It's fine, the sofa is quite comfortable."

Was that not just blatantly lying?

Shawn was over hundred and eighty centimeters tall. He had to bend his legs to lie down.

Furthermore, he needed to donate his bone marrow to Nicole, and he needed to sleep and rest properly!

"You're making things difficult for me right now. The surgery is soon. I don't want anything to happen," Gale said.

"I..."

"Mommy, can you sleep on the same bed as daddy?" Nicole's voice was suddenly heard.

Gale was speechless.

She wanted to shut her daughter's mouth for giving that idea!

"Why would you sleep on the sofa? Shouldn't Mommy and Daddy sleep on the same bed? All my classmates' parents do that!"

Ugh...

How was Gale supposed to answer?

"It's fine. She's used to sleeping alone," Shawn answered.

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Shawn actually spoke up for her.

Nicole pouted, "Why can't my Mommy and Daddy sleep together? Am I always different from everyone else? They are studying in kindergarten, but I'm in the hospital. They..."

Gale stopped her. "Alright, Nicole. Your Daddy and Mommy are the same as everyone else's. Of course we'll sleep on the same bed!"

Nicole's eyes lit up. "Really?"

"Of course."

Shawn looked at her. "Galey..."

"Shut up. Stop trying to act like you're a good boy!" she whispered.

There was no way he was not happy about it.

He had forced a kiss on her just now. Was sleeping in the same bed not exactly what he wanted?

Shawn got up from the sofa, looking like he was in a difficult position. "Since it's what Nicole

wants, I have no choice but to agree."

Gale really wanted to roll her eyes!

That was all an act!

She turned to blow her hair, ignoring him. She really did not want to get on the bed.

Shawn patiently waited for her on the bed.

The fragrance of her hair constantly blew over.

Nicole already tucked herself in. "Good night, Daddy."

"Good night, Nicole."

"Mommy, I'll sleep now. Go to sleep soon!"

Gale forced out a smile. "Okay."

She walked around everywhere, only going to the bed when she had delayed so much time she did

not know what else to do.

Shawn moved to the side in a gentlemanly manner,

Looking at that small space, he had left...

She was definitely going to touch his body.

"That..."

Gale asked, "Can you have the nurses get a new bed?"

Since Nicole got a child-sized one, surely a bigger bed would not be a problem.

Otherwise, she would buy a new one herself!

"That way, she could sleep in the corner and not touch Shawn!

Shawn answered lightly, "Do you think this room can fit a larger bed?"

Gale looked around and fell silent as she lay down.

She tried her best to make herself smaller, but...

It was not very helpful.

Shawn was quite the gentleman, not touching her and not holding her.

However, the bed was not big enough. Two adults sleeping together would definitely end up touching.

"If you go any further, you'll fall down," Shawn said kindly.

Gale ignored him.

She needed to find a comfortable position that was far away from him. After all...

There were still so many days ahead!

However, she overestimated herself.

As she twisted and turned, she suddenly felt an emptiness below her.

Cr*p! She was going to fall!

Right as she was about to fall, Shawn quickly pulled her up.

Gale fell right into his embrace.

Her hair was against his chest, wrapping around his buttons.

"Careful, don't wake Nicole up," he said in a low voice.

Gale felt very embarrassed at all. She did not say anything.

"Sleep, I won't do anything. I'll just hold you like this. I won't move around," Shawn said.

She was already very unhappy that he had kissed her. That was because he had been unable to

hold back.

If he still forced anything at that moment, she would really start to feel disgusted by him.

Shawn could not allow that to happen.

Chapter 730

Slowly.

He was no longer the old him that would only care about himself.

Gale did not say anything about it.

In truth, she felt like hugging was even more intimate than kissing.

Their bodies were right next to each other. His warmth completely surrounded her, giving her a sense of safety.

She still loved him.

She loved him but hated him too.

In the quiet, Gale slowly got sleepy as well.

Suddenly, a smooth object hung around her neck. Shawn's hands were behind her as his fingers moved.

She opened her eyes. "Shawn..."

Gale touched her neck.

"It's the pendant. I've had it all this time. I can finally put it on you after all this time."

Gale touched the pendant, and she suddenly felt awake.

Back then, Aurum had asked for the pendant.

She did not know why, but she did not ask. She gave it to him anyway.

Yet, the pendant appeared in Shawn's hands at that moment.

Gale suddenly thought of something.

"Back then, the corpse that was found was already completely bloated up by the water. It had this pendant on. I kept it, always treasuring it," Shawn said.

Gale could feel herself starting to sweat.

He had to know something.

In the dark, Gale felt her breathing speed up as she felt a bit anxious.

However, Shawn's voice was slow and gentle. "Galey, if you don't tell me, I won't ask. I won't look into it either."

He thought that he would be able to calm her down like that, but Gale actually felt even more afraid

Shawn really did suspect that her death had something else behind it!

What could she do?!

She could not drag Aurum into this!

Just as she was feeling anxious, Shawn put his hand on her back like he was consoling a child.

"It's all in the past, Galey. Good night."

He quickly kissed her forehead before he gently held her, not moving anymore.

Gale's heart was beating very quickly.

She slowly looked up, using the moonlight to see him.

Looking up, he saw his lips, his nose and those shut eyes.

The pendant was on her neck. It was from her mother.

It was something absolutely unique and was enough to prove her identity!

Gale was clearly alive, but the pendant had been found on another corpse. It was clearly not right!

Yet, Shawn said he would not look into it.

Was time really able to change a person so much?

Gale shut her eyes gently.

Since he was not asking, she would not say anything.

After some amount of time, Gale finally fell asleep, and Shawn opened his eyes.

He looked at her in a daze.

It was rare for him to be in the dark, but Shawn felt like that was fine as long as she was by his side.

At Temperley Hall, Winnie grabbed the gate firmly. "I don't believe it! Mr. Wood wouldn't kick me out! You're lying to me. I want to see him. Where is he!"

"Ms. Nightingale, Mr. Wood ordered us to do this."

"I don't care, if he didn't tell me himself, then it's all fake. Don't even think about kicking me out!"

She had spent a whole year doing plastic surgery, changing her face and learning Gale's mannerisms...

Even Lucas had agreed to help her, but she was being chased away.