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Chapter 341 Just Like Her

Recently, every time Byron appeared in the headlines, it was never for anything good. Either he was seen dining with young actresses or spending hours alone with models in private rooms. There were even photos of him leaving hotels.

If this situation continued, Nora felt she couldn't bear it any longer. It only made her appreciate Cora even more.

Not only was she skilled at playing the piano and shooting, but she also had impressive medical knowledge. Most importantly, she could keep Byron from fooling around everywhere.

The more Nora thought about it, the more she wanted them to get back together.

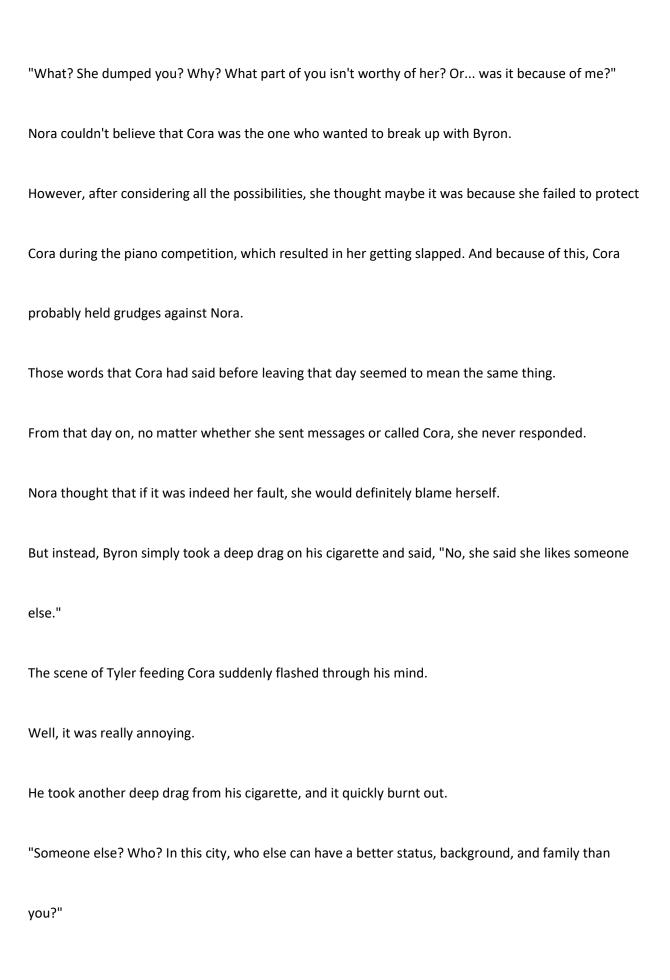
However, her words made Byron upset. "I also want to know why we broke up."

"What do you mean?" Nora somehow detected a hint of sorrow on Byron's face.

"It means she was the one who wanted to break up."

Byron lit a cigarette. He rarely smoked in front of Nora because she would always nag him about it.

But now, he was in such a bad mood that he couldn't resist the temptation.



No wonder Nora would ask this question. The ones she used to look down upon now looked down on her son, which was hard to accept.

Nora was very annoyed. In her opinion, there was no one in New York who could be as outstanding as Byron. She didn't understand how Cora could actually be so foolish and fall for someone else, disregarding the emotions of Byron.

But clearly, Cora's name was now a forbidden word for Byron, and he didn't want to mention her at all.

He wanted to leave immediately, pretending to be late for his appointment with Carter. However, Sara

and the other Nora's lady friends happened to arrive.

"Byron, go and ask the kitchen to prepare a pot of coffee and some pastries for me."

Nora intentionally kept Byron from going out and messing around, reducing his chances of getting sick.

However, when Sara heard Nora's words, she felt that Nora was creating opportunities for Jane and

Byron to be alone.

So, Sara immediately smiled and said, "If there's too much to carry, you can help Byron out."

Jane glanced at Byron and felt even more attracted to this man. Even with all the gossip surrounding



Chapter 342 Vacation

"Just so-so."

Byron casually glanced at Jane, but it made her feel like she was being flirted with, as if an electric current had passed through her whole body.

She felt that she had made the right bet!

These past few days, Jane had been avidly following all the gossip about Byron.

She had noticed a pattern. All those women wore these slim-fitting knitted dresses and had their hair

slightly curled at the ends, exuding the same enchanting allure as Cora.

So she speculated, could it be that Byron was fond of this kind of seductive style? Was it why he could

be intimate with Cora and even these women?

For this reason, she had purposely dressed up like this tonight and came to the Hansen Mansion.

And the truth confirmed that Byron really liked this kind of attire. Not to mention the desire in his gaze

just now, even his attitude in responding to her was noticeably better than before.

Jane felt a sense of joy but also asked, "If you're feeling down, how about taking some time off to

relax? The seawater around Breezy Tides Island has been exceptionally clear these days, perfect for

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Byron loved diving. Every year before, he would make time to vacation and dive on Breezy Tides

Island. That was why the Hansen family even owned a private beach there, specifically for his diving vacations.

However, ever since he started working, he couldn't find much time to go diving on vacation.

Jane tried to appeal to his interests, but in fact, she didn't hold much hope, considering the unhappiness they had experienced before because of Cora.

But whether it was her Cora-like outfit tonight playing a role or just incredibly good luck, after taking a deep drag from his cigarette, Byron unexpectedly said in a slightly hoarse voice, "Sure, set a date and let me know."

At that moment, Jane was stunned. She had never imagined that Byron would agree to her request for a vacation together, especially just the two of them.

She looked at Byron, almost unable to believe what he had said, taking a while to collect herself.

"What's wrong? Don't want to go?" As his cigarette burned out, Byron extinguished it and cast a cold



she saw Jane return alone. "Byron made plans with Carter and had to rush out just now!" Nora glanced at Jane, unsure of what she and Sara had been talking about just now. But still, Nora didn't want anyone to misunderstand Byron. "Yeah, Byron just left," Jane confirmed. Upon hearing that Byron had left, Sara felt a bit displeased. But when she turned around and saw Jane's shy smile, she felt like there might be some hope after all. So, when they finished their card game and returned to the Yoris Mansion, Sara asked Jane, "How did it go with Byron tonight?" "Byron agreed to go on vacation with me to Breezy Tides Island," Jane said, slightly bashful. Sara immediately beamed with joy. "Then you have to get prepared!" Chapter 343 Another City Flora's condition was looking good. After resting in the general ward for two days, most of the medical equipment had been removed.

Gabe managed to find some spare time and rushed back to see her. Seeing that she was doing much

better, Gabe felt a weight lifted off his heart. "I wanted to come back on the day of your surgery, but there was an unexpected issue at the factory, so I couldn't leave." Gabe explained to Cora with guilt written all over his face. "It's okay, Gabe. Take care of yourself while you're out there." Cora smiled at Gabe, but her eyes showed nothing but concern. Gabe hadn't been doing well lately, worse than when he came out of prison. His eye sockets had noticeably sunk, making him seem worn out. "Gabe, if it's about money, take it easy. I only have you and Mom left. We all have to take care of ourselves," Cora said. Gabe smiled and moved closer, giving her a hug. "Silly girl, always worrying about others. Haven't you noticed how much weight you've lost recently?" "I've just successfully lost weight," Cora replied. Gabe had enough things to worry about recently, and

Cora didn't want to burden him further with her messy situation.

"No need to make excuses for me. I know how hard you've been working lately. As long as I secure this order, everything will get better soon," Gabe reassured her.

That particular order had the potential to change the industry landscape for the Lane Group and improve their current financial situation.

Later, Gabe took Cora out for a meal and shared the news of the significant order with her, saying, "If things work out this time, why don't we consider moving to that city?"

Cora's heart skipped a beat at Gabe's proposal.

The Hansen family and Byron dominated New York, and occasionally, she would bump into them. It was truly difficult to completely erase that chapter from her heart.

Perhaps, if she moved to another city, those memories and infatuations would gradually fade with time...

So, Cora agreed to Gabe's suggestion, which further fueled his determination. That same night, he hurriedly took a flight back to the factory.

A week after Gabe left, Flora's mental state continued to improve.

She wasn't even as skinny as before.

Tyler, Sally, and other friends who were close to Cora would occasionally visit Flora's ward to check on her condition.

When they met today, Matt happened to have finished examining Flora and happily announced to everyone, "Mrs. Flora Lane is almost fully recovered. She'll probably be discharged next week."

Tyler expressed his joy more directly, saying, "This is such amazing news! I'll treat everyone to dinner this weekend to celebrate Mrs. Flora Lane's early discharge."

"Tyler, there's no need for you to foot the bill. It should be me." Cora insisted.

Sally jumped up in excitement, exclaiming, "That's fantastic, Cora!"

Cora rarely smiled so radiantly, revealing her dimples. She hadn't heard such good news for days.

"Why be polite to Tyler? He now has nothing but money. It would hurt him if we stopped him from spending his wealth," Matt teased.

As men, he could actually see Tyler's feelings for Cora.

They were once schoolmates, and Matt thought that Tyler was reliable. He had known Tyler for years and hadn't seen him engage in any messy relationships, so Matt was willing to help him out.

Sally quickly joined in, adding to the banter, "If he's going to spend, a meal won't make much of a dent."

Tyler swiftly went along with the flow, saying, "Then how about a barbecue and swimming at Breezy

Tides Island this weekend? I'll cover all the expenses."

With this suggestion, Sally and Matt enthusiastically agreed.

Cora, however, felt a bit conflicted. "Tyler, you don't have to spend so much."

"Cora, it's just a drop in the bucket for him. Don't worry about it," reassured Matt.

"Yeah, Cora. Just come with us! You can relax yourself."

Matt and Sally continued to encourage her, and even Flora chimed in, "Go and have fun. Look at you,

spending all your time either working or staying here with me. You're starting to turn blue."

Cora was taken aback. She hadn't expected to hear such caring words from Flora.

Since the incident of her attempted suicide, Flora had been indifferent towards her. Cora thought that

such indifference would remain for the rest of their lives.

But today, she unexpectedly heard these words from Flora, and she felt guite touched.

In the end, Cora reluctantly agreed, giving in to their requests, and decided to join Tyler and the others

for a weekend getaway to Breezy Tides Island.

Chapter 344 The Villa Encounter

The weekend came in the blink of an eye.

Unlike their previous trip on the Princess, Tyler planned a self-driving route this time, driving directly over the newly opened Breezy Tides Bridge.

This significantly shortened the journey, taking only four hours to reach Breezy Tides Island.

Sally kept herself occupied along the way, occasionally sharing snacks with Cora and asking for her

opinion on the handbag she had bought during a late-night sale on Amazon.

However, it seemed luck was not on her side as she handed her phone to Cora. Just as she did, a news article about Byron popped up.

[Lovely Journey: Marriage on the Way!] In addition to the headline, the article included a snapshot of

Byron and Jane.

In the photo, Byron walked ahead, speaking on the phone, while Jane followed closely behind. The

butler of the Yoris family was by their side, holding a pink suitcase and a dark gray one.

Cora recognized the dark gray suitcase.

It was the one Byron always used for business trips, or rather, the only style he ever used.

His preferences had a somewhat pathological obsession, whether it was clothing or everyday items. He stuck to the same style and rarely made changes.

Cora could almost confirm that the suitcase carried by the Yoris family staff member belonged to him, and that he was indeed traveling with Jane.

At that moment, Cora felt like someone had twisted her heart into a knot, causing immense sorrow.

Cora despised herself for still holding on to her past relationship, knowing that it was not deep affection but rather a foolish attachment. Yet she couldn't help but feel distressed by the news of his rumored relationship.

Sally, who was waiting for Cora's feedback on the handbag, grew concerned when Cora remained silent. She asked, "What's wrong? Do you think it doesn't look good? I thought it was pretty nice. Or would you like to see another one?"

As Sally reached over to switch to the link of another bag, she caught a glimpse of the news article that had popped up on Cora's phone...

Sally condemned herself constantly. How could she forget to unsubscribe this bastard's news? And

now, Cora was sad because she saw gossip about Byron. Sally couldn't believe how stupid she was.

How could she make such a mistake?

After blaming herself, Sally spoke up, "I'll only pay attention to the news that worths my attention and forget about those stupid ones. Let's focus on the bags, shall we? It's much more entertaining."

While speaking, Sally opened the link of another bag, preventing Cora from staring at Byron's news.

Matt sat in the passenger seat, unaware of what Cora had seen. He thought she was worried about

Flora and reassured her, "Cora, I've asked someone to take care of Mrs. Flora Lane at the hospital.

You don't need to worry."

Tyler chimed in, "If you're still concerned, I can have my butler go and look after her."

"It's not that. I am just feeling a bit tired," Cora replied. They were constantly busy at the hospital, and it was rare for them to have an outing. Thus, Cora didn't want to ruin their good mood.

"Take a rest if you're tired. We'll arrive at our destination after this turn," Tyler said, glancing at Cora through the rearview mirror.

Cora smiled softly in response through the mirror and nodded. "Okay."

Soon, they arrived at Breezy Tides Island.

However, instead of heading to the Yoris family's resort, they went directly to a private beach. There were two villas nearby, and Tyler led them to one of them. "This is our family's villa. There are several rooms above, all of which have been cleaned. You can go upstairs and look around, then pick a room for your stay." Sally led Cora to check the rooms while looking at another villa next door. "Is that villa yours too?" "No." Tyler was standing nearby. But as soon as Sally asked this question, Cora could sense his uneasiness as he turned to look at her abruptly. Cora wondered if the villa next door had something to do with her. At this moment, they heard the engine roaring outside, which attracted their attention. Then, they saw an off-road vehicle parked steadily in front of another villa. When the familiar figure came into Cora's sight, she suddenly understood the meaning of Tyler's fluster gaze just now... Chapter 345 Can't Be Changed

The man who got off the SUV was Byron.

But he didn't wear a rigid suit, but black shirt and slacks.	
Because of his tall and straight figure, when he got off the car, he looked like a handsome man walking	
on a runway.	
"He is"	
The moment Matt saw Byron, he was very surprised and almost blurted out some words unconsciously.	
Before he could finish his sentence, Sally pinched his arm.	
Matt shut up immediately.	
Tyler noticed the actions of the two and said, "Well, that villa belongs to his family, and this private	
beach is shared by our two families, but I didn't expect that we would bump into each other today."	
At this time, a woman got off the car from the other side.	
The moment they saw her outfit, both Sally and Tyler had weird expressions.	
They seemed to see Cora.	
The pink slim dress on her was very similar to the mint green slim dress on Cora.	
Besides, the end of that woman's hair was also permed, and she looked enchanting from the back.	



Cora didn't dare to continue thinking about it. She would only feel sad, but she couldn't change the
result.
"Let's go have a barbecue. I'm so hungry!" Cora said.
She forced herself to look away and then dragged Sally to get their food.
"Okay, you ate the snacks all the way, but I was driving, and my stomach rumbled several times," Tyler
said.
He came back to his senses and quickly looked away, following Cora and Sally to the kitchen.
Only Matt continued to stare at Byron, who started smoking after getting off the car, wondering where
he had seen Byron before.
Byron was smoking, but he suddenly noticed something. He glanced at the window on the second floor
of another villa and met Matt's eyes.
Byron had been in a high position for a long time, and his aura was very strong.
After staring at him for a while, Matt quickly went to the kitchen to help.
Byron was lost in thought as he looked at the window.

Wasn't that Flora's attending doctor? Byron met Matt several times in Flora's ward before. Why would Matt be in the Cooper Villa? Byron stared at the window, frowning slightly. Jane's voice suddenly came from behind. Chapter 347 I'm Different From You Jane also noticed that it was Tyler and Cora who were having a barbecue. When they started to barbecue just now, the sky was dark, so Jane didn't see who those people were. She thought they were from the Cooper family, and she planned to go over to greet them later. She didn't expect Cora to be among these people. At that moment, Jane thought she was unlucky. Why would she meet Cora everywhere? On the one hand, she was afraid that Byron would be snatched away by Cora again, and on the other hand, she also felt that it was embarrassing for her to meet Cora in this dress. Jane said, "Byron, the sea breeze is strong. How about we go back to the room to have dinner?" She didn't want to meet Cora at all. But Byron didn't seem to understand her meaning. He didn't even reply to her but looked in the

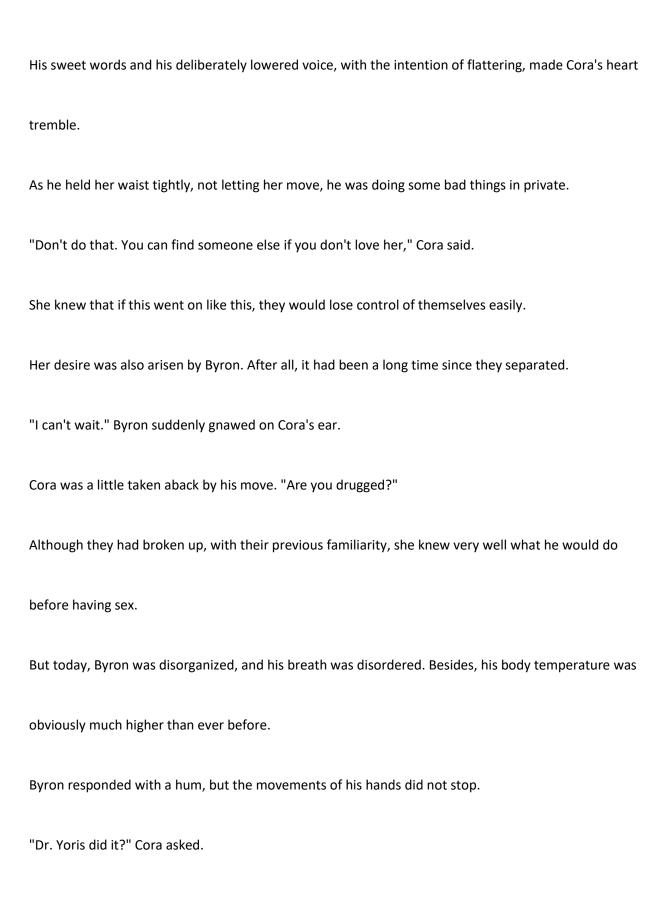
direction of the people who were having a barbecue. He raised his head and drank a whole glass of rec
wine.
Jane was slightly surprised when she saw this, but in the candlelight, her eyes seemed to hide some
expectations.
Cora's barbecue didn't last very long. Knowing that Byron was next door, they were unable to enjoy
themselves happily, so they quickly ended the barbecue and went back to their rooms to rest.
Returning to the room, Cora chatted with Sally, but the scene of Byron and Jane having a candlelight
dinner flashed unconsciously in her mind, and she started to think about what might happen to them
tonight.
Some scenes made her feel uncomfortable, so she left the villa and ran to the beach with the excuse of
calling Flora.
With the sea breeze blowing, she felt better.
She couldn't help but glance at the villa in the distance under the name of the Hansen family. Looking
at the only room with lights on, she felt sad.

She scolded, "Bastard! Do you need women so much? You even want to sleep with that kind of

woman. Will you die if you don't sleep with women?" She didn't deliberately raise her voice, but her voice was not low. She thought that such a voice wouldn't be heard by people in the sea breeze, but a voice came from behind suddenly. "If you sleep with me, I will not look for other women." Cora turned her head abruptly and saw Byron standing there and looking at her. Except for the moonlight, no other lighting equipment was around, so Cora couldn't see Byron's expression when he spoke. "We've broken up. Why should I sleep with you? Are we friends with benefits?" Cora sneered, passing Byron and wanting to leave. However, Byron suddenly put his arms around her waist and lowered his head to bite her collarbone. Cora heard his hoarse voice. "It's fine." "Don't touch me. I'm different from you. I won't sleep with other men casually." When Cora thought that Byron had gone to various places with different women before, she felt that the place he bit was dirty,

so she tried her best to escape from his arms.





Byron said, "Yeah, if you don't want me to be taken advantage of by her, you have to help me." "I can't help you. I..." Cora said. Cora wanted to refuse. Since they had broken up, they shouldn't have sex again. At this moment, the light at the gate of the Cooper Villa was on. Tyler came out of the house and said, "Although this is a private beach, other people can break in. How can you let her go out alone at night?" "Cora is good at fighting. Don't worry," Sally followed closely to persuade Tyler. "Even though she is good at fighting, she is a girl. What if something happens to her?" Tyler said. While he was muttering, he looked around. Cora was worried that if she and Byron were found in this state, she would be so embarrassed that she wanted to leave as soon as possible. Unexpectedly, Byron dragged her into the bushes on one side. Their actions made some noise, so Tyler and Sally were attracted by them. "There seems to be someone over there!" "Cora? Are you here?"

Tyler and Sally said as they walked toward the bushes.
Hearing the approaching footsteps and discussions, Cora felt her heart was about to jump out of her
throat.
If she was found out, she decided to pretend to faint, so that the two of them would suspect that Byron
had knocked her out and wanted to do something to her.
The script was good, and the actors were in place.
As long as Tyler and Sally came, she would pretend to be faint.
However, she heard Tyler and Sally discussing.
"It seems to be over there. I just saw a figure."
"Let's go!"
Then, the sound of their footsteps gradually faded away.
Before Cora could breathe a sigh of relief because of their departure, Byron approached her.
Cora wanted to struggle, but Byron told her viciously, "If you want to call them back, you can struggle."
Cora was annoyed, but there was nothing she could do.

She didn't want Sally and Tyler to see her in such a mess.
After much deliberation, she could only stop struggling.
Anyway, they had slept together many times, and it didn't matter if they did it again.
She also wanted to have sex now.
Later, they were both addicted to it.
Fortunately, under the sound of seawater, their voice was not very abrupt. Chapter 349 Having Fun
Cora didn't return to the villa until two o'clock at night.
At that time, Tyler was still waiting at the entrance of the villa. Holding a mobile phone, he contacted the
management personnel on the island.
"Yes, she is a girl in her early twenties. She looks very pretty. You immediately"
While Tyler was speaking, he saw Cora walking toward him.
"Cora? Where have you been?" He asked.
With the faint light from the street lamp at the entrance of the villa, Tyler carefully looked at Cora. There
were no scars on Cora's body, and there was nothing wrong with her.

However, her eyes seemed to be prettier, as if she was about to cry. In addition, her walking posture seemed to be more graceful. "I went there to smell the sea air," Cora said while going upstairs. She felt the smell of Byron all over her body, and the stickiness made her very uncomfortable, so she wanted to take a shower. "Where were you? I searched almost the entire island just now, but I didn't see you," Tyler said. "Maybe you missed someplace. Tyler, I want to go to sleep," Cora said. Tyler still wanted to ask because he thought that this matter was a bit strange. But seeing Cora looked tired, he had no choice but to give up in the end. Early the next morning, Cora and Sally were playing in the sea. Wearing a swimsuit, Sally had a great time, and she winked at Cora. "Cora, why don't you wear a swimsuit? You will be more beautiful than anyone else." When she said this, she was winking in a certain direction.

In the direction where she was winking, Jane was wearing a bikini and chatting with Byron and Tyler

happily.
They bumped into each other when they went out just now. Because they knew each other, they could
only say hello.
Cora, Sally, and Matt used the excuse of playing in the sea and came to the beach.
Tyler could only chat with Byron and Jane under the sun umbrella.
In Sally's eyes, among the two men under the sun umbrella, one was Cora's ex-boyfriend, and the
other was Cora's future boyfriend. However, wearing a bikini, Jane was showing off her figure in front of
the two men, which made Sally very uncomfortable, so she asked Cora to wear a swimsuit.
Cora said, "I'm in my period, so I can't wear it."
"Why are you in your period now? Wasn't it the 21st?" Sally was a qualified bosom friend, and she
clearly remembered Cora's period.
"Maybe I've been too busy recently, and my period is irregular." Cora smiled awkwardly. Sally was right,
and she was not in her period.
Byron was too crazy last night, leaving marks all over her body. If she wore a swimsuit, it would be
exposed.

"When we go back, let's go to Dr. Perez. It's not a small problem," Sally said. The doctor, Sally said, was an endocrinologist. Cora nodded with a smile to end the topic. When the three people finished chatting, they came over. As if she sensed something or was probing something, Jane suddenly asked Byron in front of everyone, "Byron, where did you go last night?" Tyler suddenly turned around and asked, "Did Byron go out last night?" Although he was asking Jane, his eyes fell on Byron's face, as if he wanted to see something from his face. Byron said, "I went to have fun, and I slept there when I was exhausted." Byron's answer not only made Jane's face turn ugly, but even Tyler and Sally also felt it weird. Sally winked at Cora as if she was saying, "Byron didn't respect Dr. Yoris at all. She was dressed like you, but he would rather go out to have fun than stay with her. She must feel very embarrassed." Cora didn't know how Jane felt, but she thought that Byron said these words not to mock Jane, but to accuse her of making him exhausted. Chapter 350 She Went Into Shock Afraid that if this topic continued, Jane would lose control and jump into the sea, Tyler and others tried to change the topic, despite the fact they also thought that it was very likely that the disappearance of Byron and Cora were related. Later, they went snorkeling together and ate lunch together. The atmosphere was not bad, but Jane seldom spoke. After they returned to New York, Sally still couldn't help complaining to Cora when she thought of these things. She said, "Dr. Yoris must feel very embarrassed that day. She imitated your outfit but was seen by you. Although we didn't say anything, I think she must want to disappear from there at that time." Cora said, "I don't think so." She thought what really made Jane embarrassed was that she drugged Byron, but she couldn't sleep with Byron. Byron would rather find Cora, his ex-girlfriend, than Jane. Cora didn't know what he was thinking.

Sally didn't know about this, so after lamenting Jane's mental toughness, she changed the topic. They didn't know that Jane hated Cora even more after returning to New York. Although Byron didn't say that he was having fun with Cora that day, Jane's intuition told her that Cora had slept with him. She muttered. "She still pesters him shamelessly after breaking up with him. I must teach her a lesson." She immediately ordered a box of mango cupcakes and went to visit Flora in the ward. Flora almost recovered, and she could get out of bed by herself. Seeing Jane enter the door carrying a gift box, Flora felt surprised and joyful. She said, "Dr. Yoris, you are busy, but you still take time to visit me. Thank you so much." Jane said, "It's nothing. You can call me Jane." Jane's friendly attitude moved Flora, and her eyes turned red. She didn't want to disappoint Jane, so she ate several mango cupcakes. After Jane left, she waited for Flora's feedback.

When she visited Flora today, she vaguely told her that Cora and Byron were still contacting each

other. Her purpose was to let Flora completely cut off the relationship between Cora and Byron. However, before she got Flora's feedback, she was told that Flora was in shock and was being rescued. At this time, Cora had just finished a busy day of emergency work, and she was about to go home. A nurse from the burns unit came to tell her, "Dr. Lane, your mother is in shock, and now Dr. Cohen is saving her." Hearing these words, Cora hurried to the emergency room. After nearly two hours, Flora was saved. Matt came out of the emergency room and told Cora, "She is out of danger for the time being, but she will stay in the ICU for a few days." Cora looked frightened and almost collapsed. "How could this be? Didn't she recover well before?" Matt said, "It might be caused by allergies, coupled with the wounds on her body, which led to such

serious consequences."

Matt's words surprised Cora. "Allergies? No way!"

Flora had no drug allergies, and the only thing that could cause her allergies was mango.
However, Flora was quite careful and hadn't had contact with mangoes.
Cora was also very cautious, and she specially told the nurses not to buy mangoes or foods containing
mangoes.
"Look, the inspection result shows it is an allergy." Matt showed Cora the inspection report of Flora just
now.
As a doctor, Cora had the same conclusion after reading the report.
She was confused. Flora had never been in contact with mangoes, so how could she be allergic?
Cora found the nurse, and the nurse said, "Today, Dr. Yoris came to visit Mrs. Flora Lane with a box of
mango cupcakes."