

## **Snatched 711**

### Chapter 711 Let's Pick a Coffin

Soon, Eliza and Kim stood in front of Cora.

"You hit me, and now you're hiding here, afraid I'll retaliate?" Eliza said with a spoiled expression, poking Cora's shoulder.

Cora pushed her hand away directly. "I don't need to hide. If you bother me again here, I'll hit you again."

Eliza became angry instantly. "You think you can do whatever you want just because you gave birth to Mr. William Yoris's illegitimate child? Mrs. Sara Yoris is not someone to mess with!"

But before she could finish her words, Cora slapped her face.

"You're hitting me again?" Eliza didn't expect Cora to slap her without saying a word, which made her even more furious.

But Cora stared at her coldly and said, "If you dare call my son an illegitimate child again, I can beat you until your parents don't know you."

Martin was her bottom line.

Eliza could compete with her for hospital rooms, and Cora wouldn't mind. She could mock her for not having an invitation card, and Cora wouldn't care.

But if she insulted Martin as an illegitimate child, Cora would never forgive her.

Eliza wanted to retort but was afraid Cora would really take action.

She had already suffered twice under Cora's hands and knew how painful it was.

She didn't want to suffer like that again, so she gave a signal to Kim with her eyes.

Kim understood the hint and immediately shouted loudly, "The mistress is hitting people! The mistress is hitting people!"

Soon, many people noticed the three of them in the corner and gathered around to watch.

"The mistress? What's going on?"

"Oh my god, isn't this Dr. Lane, the first person to cure cancer? Is she being a mistress? No way!"

"I supported Dr. Lane when I watched the live broadcast. It turned out my judgment was correct. She really cured Isidra. I became her biggest fan. But if she is a mistress and cheats on her husband, then I won't support her anymore."

Some people also noticed Cora's outfit. "This is designer White's work. This whole set must cost

millions of dollars. Are doctors so rich these days? Surely she earned all this as a mistress."

"She used to be from a wealthy family too, but the Lane Group went bankrupt. I think she couldn't bear a life of poverty and chose this path."

Listening to people's comments, Eliza and Kim exchanged glances and smiled.

Before they could say anything, others spoke up, tarnishing Cora's reputation even further.

However, it was far from what Eliza wanted.

She signaled Kim to spice things up a bit more.

Only by completely ruining Cora's reputation and making her unable to stay in New York any more could she satisfy her hatred.

After seeing Eliza's hint, Kim shouted once again, "This mistress dares to do whatever she wants just because she gave birth to Mr. William Yoris's illegitimate child. Not only did she hit my good friend, but she also threatened to kick us out of here."

Eliza had mentioned before that besides the invitation card to the Yoris family's party. She also had invitation cards from two other prominent families.

If she performed well, she would bring Kim to those two parties as well.

Kim considered herself pretty and believed she would attract the attention of rich men, allowing her to become an upper-class person by attending these parties.

Thinking about becoming one of those enviable socialites and wealthy women, Kim shouted louder than ever before, "The mistress is acting tyrannically! Come and see!"

Cora was about to slap her for calling her son an illegitimate child for the second time when a commanding male voice came from the crowd.

"How did my wife become a mistress, and how did my son become an illegitimate child? If you don't explain this clearly today, I'll make sure your families pick a decent coffin for you!"

Chapter 712 Is It Me?

The man's voice was not loud. But even across the crowd, his words were clearly audible.

Coupled with the intimidating aura he exuded, the people watching automatically made way for him.

Eliza and Kim couldn't help but look in the direction he was walking.

In the aisle where the crowd voluntarily retreated, the handsome and extraordinary man walked quickly towards Cora.

That person's innate sense of coercion from a superior makes him a sight that cannot be ignored in any venue.

Soon, Kim and Eliza realized that people were looking at the man not just because of his outstanding temperament but also because of his high status and the power of his words.

"Mr. Hansen! My God, it's really Mr. Hansen!"

"Mr. Hansen disappeared four years ago and only returned a few months ago. It's said that once he returned, he took control of the Hansen Group, instantly surpassing other prominent families."

"Mr. Hansen just said his wife and child? Did he get married?"

"Mr. Hansen personally confirmed it, so it must be true. I think some people are in big trouble..."

Amidst the discussions, Eliza became more and more confused, her face growing paler.

Although her family had become wealthy, they had managed to associate with high society circles, so they were naturally aware of many rumors about the four prominent families in New York.

Among them, Eliza had heard the most about Byron from the Hansen family.

It was said that he was ruthless and decisive, not only rising to prominence with the Hansen Group but also making a name for himself in the financial world.

According to rumors, his personal wealth currently ranked first in the country, not including his real estate holdings and other hidden assets.

When her father told her all this before, he warned her not to offend such a person, offering to help her with anything else.

At that time, she didn't take her father's warnings seriously, thinking that she would never have any dealings with such a man.

But now, she had truly offended him, and not only that, she had offended him deeply.

His wife and child?

Did Cora actually get married?

And she married the richest man in the country?

But why wasn't there a single luxury brand logo on her clothes from head to toe?

When Eliza was stunned, Kim, who didn't even know what was going on with the four prominent families, stared at the man in front of him, a little confused.

When she saw this man enter the house with Cora earlier, she thought he was exceptionally

handsome.

Now, even among the crowd, this man seemed elegant and extraordinary.

It matched her aesthetic taste!

Moreover, listening to the discussions around her, she suddenly realized that this man's social status was extraordinary.

If a man like him could be interested in her, that would be great...

Because of this, she ignored Eliza's hints and continued to twist right and wrong.

"Are you her husband? Well, I saw this woman before with an older man, and they seemed to have a questionable relationship."

"Kim, shut your mouth."

Eliza's subtle hints had no effect, so she directly scolded her, not wanting to be dragged into the gutter completely by Kim.

But at this moment, Kim's eyes were fixed on Byron, trying to sow discord between him and Cora so that she could take advantage of it.

"Eliza, it's not necessary for you to consider past relationships at a time like this. They don't even treat

you as a former classmate anymore. Why bother?" Kim said.

She also said, "Sir, I just don't want you to be kept in the dark. If you don't believe me, you can check for yourself. This woman was hospitalized a few days ago, and that older man was quite willing to spend money on her. He even booked a top VIP ward for her..."

Kim had learned all of this from Eliza, and she didn't know if it was true or not. Anyway, as long as she could sow discord, it would be enough.

Just as Byron was squinting his eyes, about to slap this troublemaking woman, another male voice came from the crowd.

"The older man you mentioned, is it me?"

Chapter 713 The Yoris Family's Daughter!

Due to the consecutive dramatic events, the onlookers were overwhelmed and struggled to keep up.

Byron's wife was actually entangled with an older man.

Who was this older man?

What made him better than Byron?

When everyone was extremely curious about these questions, hearing someone asking if it was him,

they turned their heads in search of the source of the question.

They saw William, dressed in a white suit, quickly approaching that direction.

William, when he was young, was considered one of the most handsome men in New York.

Combined with his privileged upbringing and good maintenance over the years, he still looked like he

was in his thirties or forties, and he was exceptionally attractive.

This image of him was quite different from what Kim and Eliza described about an older man.

Moreover, not only did William come alone, but he also brought his wife, Sara, his father, Arnold, and

even his brothers.

With the entire family showing up, the scene was quite grand.

So naturally, people couldn't help but be curious about William's sudden revelation. What did it mean?

People started discussing various possibilities.

"Every year on this day, the Yoris family used to make big moves to celebrate Jane's birthday. But

before, there was news that she plagiarized Dr. Lane's medical achievements, causing harm to

countless cancer patients. Now she's imprisoned!"

"Could it be that the Yoris family is going to publicly announce the existence of a mistress and an illegitimate child at this banquet?"

"That's impossible! With Mrs. Sara Yoris's temperament, how could she allow William and the Yoris family to do such a thing?"

"If Mrs. Sara Yoris doesn't approve, there's nothing they can do. Her official account has been invalidated, so they can only cultivate a secret account. But at her age, it's impossible for her to have more children, so they can only accept William's affair."

In short, there were various arguments.

Some people in the crowd even knew some of the truths.

"I heard that when Jane was born, she was switched at birth. This banquet is probably meant to publicly announce her true identity."

"The other day, I saw Mrs. Sara Yoris shopping with Cora. Cora even called Mrs. Sara Yoris Mom"

These few people who knew the truth happened to be near Eliza.

Eliza listened to their words without showing any reaction.

But she still didn't believe it.

Cora's last name was Lane. How could she be the true heiress of the Yoris family?

Those people must have just heard rumors!

If Cora really was the true heiress, how could she dress so plainly?

And why did she appear at the Yoris family's banquet looking disheveled?

But when Eliza comforted herself, William had already come to her.

"It's you again? Not only did you spread rumors about our daughter in the hospital, but now you come to our family's banquet to openly slander her?"

Although William was a doctor, he usually showed people with a refined side.

But in fact, he also came from a wealthy family.

When he became angry, his commanding presence surpassed that of ordinary people.

At that moment, everyone present, except for a few people who had heard the rumors, was dumbfounded.

Cora was William's daughter?

What on earth was going on?

Wasn't Cora the daughter of the Lane family? Before the Yoris family thought that her achievements in medicine had hindered Jane's future, they had made statements within their circle that befriending Cora meant opposing the Yoris family.

Among them, many people were eager to befriend Cora after learning about her ability to cure cancer.

But because of the warnings from the Yoris family in the past, they hadn't dared to contact Cora yet.

They were figuring out how to bypass the Yoris family and secretly approach Cora!

And now, they received such explosive news!

At that moment, Eliza completely lost her composure.

Chapter 714 Born From a Marriage!

Eliza never imagined in her wildest dreams that Cora would turn out to be William's daughter.

She thought that Cora could only rely on the Lane family.

That's why she dared to bully Cora frequently after the Lane family went bankrupt.

She believed that even if Cora could cure cancer, her financial situation was not as prosperous as hers, and she could be bullied without consequences.

But little did she know that Cora had transformed into William's daughter...

However, if Cora was indeed William's daughter, it explained why he had spent money like water to book a top VIP ward for her in the hospital, why Cora appeared at the Yoris family's banquet today, and why she was dressed so ostentatiously.

"Mr. William Yoris, I genuinely didn't know that Cora is your daughter, which led to my misunderstanding of her relationship with you. I..."

Although Eliza panicked, she wasn't foolish. She quickly started to defend herself based on the misunderstanding.

As long as she downplayed her mistakes, she believed she could be forgiven.

Perhaps in the future, she could leverage her status as Cora's former classmate to establish a relationship with the Yoris family.

By then, the Vega family might value her more, and she wouldn't have to be restricted by her status as an illegitimate daughter.

But just as Eliza was calculating her next move, she suddenly received a slap across her face.

When she looked up in astonishment, she saw Sara coldly staring at her.

"Someone who isn't worthy of respect dares to slander Cora? You were born as an illegitimate child,

thinking that everyone in this world is like your father, unable to control their desires and giving birth to someone like you?"

Sara's words not only scolded Eliza but also scolded her father.

However, Eliza didn't dare to show any displeasure because no matter whether it was Sara or the

Moore family and the Yoris family behind her, they were all forces that the Vega family couldn't afford to

offend, let alone herself as an individual.

"Mrs. Sara Yoris, I really didn't intentionally slander Cora..." Eliza apologized and begged for forgiveness while bowing.

But Sara couldn't even hear what she was saying.

Not just Sara, William and his brothers couldn't bear it either.

Arnold spoke up directly, "We organized this banquet today, claiming it was to gather people in the industry and have some fun. But in fact, we were worried that Cora was too low-key and might refuse our offer to throw her a birthday party. That's why we said so."

Arnold also walked slowly to Cora's side and carefully held her hand.

"Moreover, besides throwing Cora a birthday party tonight, I also wanted to take this opportunity to tell everyone that Cora is the pearl of our family that was lost outside. From the moment she returned home, she became the only heiress of the Yoris family, a treasure for all of us. Anyone who bullies Cora is an enemy of the Yoris family."

At the same time, Byron also stepped forward with Martin in his arms and took Cora's other hand.

"I want to announce something as well. Cora and I got married four years ago, so Martin is our legitimate child, unlike certain individuals who are bastards and try to shift blame onto others."

Eliza was speechless.

After Byron made this announcement, he pinched Cora's hand.

Since their consecutive appearances and the revelation of her identity, Cora was dumbfounded.

She had been so busy during this period that she even forgot her own birthday.

And she didn't expect that Byron would secretly help her hold a birthday party with the Yoris family.

Looking at the envious and jealous gazes of the wealthy women in the crowd, she didn't know how to react.

It wasn't until Byron squeezed her hand that she turned around and smiled at him.

He reciprocated with a smile after seeing a hint of happiness on her face and then announced, "Cora and I will have a formal wedding ceremony soon, and I hope you all can honor us by witnessing our love together..."

Chapter 715 Protect Yourself Wisely?

"Oh my god, Mr. Hansen is smiling so gently. It's the first time I've seen him like this! Dr. Lane must have saved the entire galaxy in her past life to be able to have such a man."

"The Yoris family's daughter? Mr. Hansen's wife? Just revealing one layer of their identities is already terrifying. How did Dr. Lane manage to keep it a secret?"

"Dr. Lane can cure cancer and has overcome worldwide challenges. She's exceptional herself, even without these additional identities. Even if she hadn't revealed them, she would still stand at the pinnacle of the world."

Amidst the buzzing discussions, Eliza and Kim exchanged glances and quietly made their way out.

However, with just a cold glance, Byron immediately signaled his undercover bodyguards in the crowd.

Soon, the bodyguards grabbed both of them and brought them back.

"Mr. Hansen, Mr. William Yoris, Mrs. Sara Yoris, I was blind and offended Cora. But I realize my mistakes, and I promise I won't dare to do them again. Please spare me," Eliza pleaded, knowing that the situation was against her.

However, Kim continued to try to absolve herself, saying, "I was just following someone's orders. This has nothing to do with me."

Hearing this, Eliza became even more furious. "Did I twist your arm and make you say those things?"

She was already in enough trouble now that she had offended both the Hansen family and the Yoris family. She didn't know if she could continue to survive in New York in the future.

But Kim didn't offer any help and instead pushed her further into the fire. How could Eliza tolerate that?

"Although I didn't twist your arm, you did promise me benefits. I have no grievances with Cora, and if it weren't for certain malicious individuals who blinded me, I wouldn't have done those things."

Kim's attempt to distance herself from the situation only made Eliza angrier.

She rushed up, grabbed Kim by the hair, and slammed her head onto the ground. "You wretch, at a time like this, you're still trying to protect yourself and harm me!"

Previously, Kim had been submissive to Eliza, allowing her to act recklessly because she wanted to

gain something from her.

However, now it seemed that Eliza had already offended many people. Even if the Vega family wanted to protect her, it was too late.

Kim could no longer benefit from her, so how could she passively endure being attacked?

So she retaliated immediately, fighting back against Eliza.

But today was Cora's birthday party. How could Byron allow her territory to turn into a fighting arena for others?

So he instructed the bodyguards, "Throw these two out, and don't ruin Cora's birthday party. Also, inform the head of the Vega family that if they mishandle this illegitimate daughter, I will send each member of the Vega family a coffin."

After the bodyguards nodded in agreement, they took both women away.

As the farce came to an end, a multi-layered cake was pushed forward by Sara herself.

At this moment, the lights dimmed.

Under the flickering candlelight, Sara hummed softly while pushing the cake, "Happy birthday to you,

happy birthday to you..."

Everyone joined in singing the happy birthday song.

Under the flickering candlelight, Cora felt a bittersweet sensation in her heart.

During the time when the Lane family hadn't gone bankrupt, although she appeared like a little princess on the surface, with luxury cars taking her to school and decent clothes to wear, she had never experienced a proper birthday celebration.

Even when her father and Gabe tried to organize a birthday party for her, they were deterred by Flora's rage.

Therefore, over time, her birthday was gradually forgotten by her family.

But now, she had found her true family, and they had organized a grand birthday party for her.

She couldn't quite describe the feeling she had.

Tears had already welled up in her eyes...

Chapter 716 Her Birthday Celebration!

Byron turned around and found Cora crying. He went up to her and gently patted her back as if trying to cheer her up.

When the rest of the Yoris family saw this, they came forward to console her.

After finishing the birthday song, Sara spoke hoarsely, "Cora, happy birthday. I'm sorry. It took us so many years to find you and to celebrate your first birthday. But please believe, from now on, every birthday, even every day, we will be with you. We will keep you safe and ensure you are happy for the rest of your life..."

At this moment, Cora's tears flowed uncontrollably.

The motherly love she craved was all given to her now.

Her bound spirit also seemed to find salvation and new life.

Even though Sara was crying too, she couldn't bear to see Cora cry. She hurriedly embraced her.

"It's okay, my darling. Today is your birthday, and it's a good day. Don't cry."

She wiped away Cora's tears gently, then said, "Come, it's time to make a wish and blow out the candles."

And then, amid tears and emotion, Cora clasped her hands to make a wish and blew out the candles...

Byron watched as Cora blew out the candles. He saw the dimples on her cheeks, and he smiled.

Because he felt she was genuinely happy now...

Vaughn found out that the Yoris family was planning to celebrate Cora's birthday. He quietly brought

Isidra to celebrate the savior's birthday.

But Isidra still held a grudge against Byron for disrespecting her that day. Even when they arrived at the

Yoris family's door, she hesitated to enter.

"Vaughn, just give the gift to Dr. Lane for me."

"You're here already. Why not go in?" Vaughn said, "Plus, Dr. Lane is your savior, not mine. I can't

express your gratitude by giving a gift."

"But I don't want to see that nasty man!" Isidra said angrily.

Moreover, she had gained some weight recently and looked a bit more adorable now.

"Nasty man? Byron?" Vaughn asked.

"Yes, I don't know why Dr. Lane would be with someone like him."

Isidra seemed to be standing up for Cora, which made Vaughn laugh.

"That's Dr. Lane's choice. You have no right to interfere. Besides, you can only judge a person's

character and suitability after spending time with them. You haven't spent much time with Mr. Hansen,

so don't judge for Dr. Lane."

In the end, Vaughn said, "Moreover, you're here to celebrate Dr. Lane's birthday, not Mr. Hansen's."

Isidra felt Vaughn had a point, so she conceded.

They greeted the doorman.

Upon seeing Vaughn, the doorman let them in and escorted them inside.

Soon, Vaughn and Isidra arrived at the birthday party. They just happened to see Cora blowing out the candles.

Isidra knew she should focus all her attention on her savior. But for some reason, she found herself glancing at Byron.

She saw that Byron was also watching Cora. All the ice seemed to have melted on his charming face, leaving only deep affection.

Isidra felt as if a mouse was scratching her heart.

Chapter 717 Excessive Attention

At this moment, the guards informed William and his team that Vaughn and Isidra had arrived.

With Vaughn being of special status, Arnold rushed to greet them.

"Mr. Wolf and Miss Isidra Wolf, welcome. Thank you so much for making time to attend my granddaughter's birthday party," Arnold said.

On behalf of the Yoris family, Arnold started to entertain Vaughn and Isidra.

The attendance of the Wolf family at Cora's birthday party was of great significance to the Yoris family.

This meant the Yoris family was on good terms with the Wolf family.

No one in New York, or even the entire country, dared to offend the Yoris family.

However, Vaughn wasn't aloof as most people in power. He was exceptionally kind to the Yoris family.

"You're too kind. Without Dr. Lane, we wouldn't even know where Isidra would be. If anyone should be grateful, it's our Wolf family."

The Yoris family understood well. The only person who could make Vaughn this friendly was their savior, Cora.

They did not dare neglect Vaughn and Isidra and quickly ushered them in.

After blowing out the birthday candles, Cora, accompanied by Byron and Martin, came over to greet the two.

"Mr. Wolf and Ms. Isidra Wolf, thank you for attending my birthday party," Cora said, without flattery, her

smile natural and relaxed.

Isidra immediately hugged Cora, saying, "Happy Birthday, Dr. Lane."

"Thank you for coming. I hope you're feeling better."

"I'm fine. But I'm just overeating and gaining weight too quickly."

"That's good. It shows your body is recovering well."

While Isidra was talking to Cora, she couldn't help but sneak a peek at Byron.

She saw him looking intently at Cora as if she was the apple of his eye, his precious gem.

Isidra suddenly realized that Byron was very different from when she met him in Leucrest Town.

Especially how he looked at Cora made Isidra's heart beat faster...

After Vaughn greeted Byron, his gaze fell on the bandage on Cora's cheek. His brows furrowed.

"What happened?"

Though he hadn't been around many women, he knew they cared about their appearances.

Like Isidra, who would get anxious at seeing a small pimple.

The area of the bandage on Cora's face was not small. The wound must have been serious.

"It's just an accident and a minor injury. It has almost healed."

Cora's answer was neither humble nor arrogant, and her smile was always polite and distant.

Compared to those women who played the victim to arouse sympathy, Cora gave Vaughn a much better impression.

"Dr. Lane, if you need any help in the future, feel free to ask. You saved Isidra's life. You're a benefactor to the Wolf family. We owe you this debt of gratitude."

"It's alright. Everything has been resolved. Moreover, I treated Isidra by chance. So, you don't need to worry about it."

Most people would have loved to empty the Wolf family's coffers to repay her kindness.

But Cora didn't seem to care about that. Vaughn was even more impressed by her broad-mindedness and carefreeness.

He even made a silent decision in his heart that he would be friends with Cora.

Moreover, he considered finding her the best scar removal product when he returned.

Cora's face was so beautiful. It was a pity to see it scarred.

After chatting for a while, they went inside to chat more and eat cake.

But while Byron was feeding cake to Martin, he noticed that Vaughn's gaze was always involuntarily following Cora...

Chapter 718 Better Not

Byron's brow furrowed ever so slightly.

At this moment, Isidra approached with a glass of wine. "Mr. Hansen, our last encounter in Leucrest Town was unpleasant. Let's drink this wine and forget about the bad memories."

"I don't recall meeting you in Leucrest Town. I don't remember any unpleasantness. So, I'll pass on the wine."

Byron was already upset with Vaughn's excessive attention to Cora. Isidra's unexpected approach did not improve his mood.

Besides, he genuinely didn't recall meeting Isidra in Leucrest Town.

That day, he was upset because Cora and Jerry seemed too close. He had had a lot to drink and only vaguely remembered women chatting around him. He had no memory of who they were.

So, he saw no need to drink to forget what he did not recall in the first place.

"Aren't you afraid of upsetting Dr. Lane by refusing me?"

Isidra had always been the darling of the Wolf family, well-protected by them.

In her eyes, everyone should behave as she wished.

Even though Vaughn had previously emphasized that Byron was not ordinary, she didn't care.

To her, besides being handsome and rich, with a bit of a bad temper, he wasn't that special.

Why wouldn't he act as she wished?

"Make her upset, and I'll make Vaughn upset."

Byron didn't even lift his head, uninterested in engaging with someone immature.

"Do you think Vaughn is weak? That he can be easily manipulated?"

Isidra didn't believe Byron could do this. In her eyes, Vaughn was an untouchable figure domestically,

unbeatable by anyone.

"I heard he's trying to overthrow the McBride family. How about I help the McBrides and knock Vaughn

down a peg?"

Upon hearing Byron's words, astonishment filled Isidra's eyes.

She had heard about Vaughn's plans to topple the McBride family from the elders' conversation.

This was a matter few in Kinton knew about.

Yet Byron in New York knew about it. How?

Not waiting for Isidra's response, Byron gave her a cold warning.

"Stop bothering me. I know more than you think."

Then, he took Martin to find Cora.

Isidra felt humiliated again, fuming inside.

So when they returned, she told Vaughn, "Vaughn, find some excuse to bankrupt the Hansen family."

Vaughn frowned. "What's wrong with you now? Dr. Lane saved your life, not to let you torment hers."

"This has nothing to do with Dr. Lane. I just can't stand someone acting so arrogant." Isidra gritted her teeth.

She had twice acted in Byron's favor. Not only did he not appreciate her actions, but he also threatened her.

She decided she wouldn't tolerate such a person anymore.

Seeing Isidra's attitude, Vaughn guessed who she was referring to.

"Dr. Lane will remarry Mr. Hansen soon. If you bankrupt the Hansen family now, her and Martin's lives will be messy."

Vaughn comforted her. "Dr. Lane healed you under unimaginable pressure. Don't dishearten the good."

Seeing Isidra's dissatisfaction, Vaughn added, "Besides, the Hansen Group won't go bankrupt just because you want it to. The Hansen family controls New York's economic lifeline. Byron's businesses are scattered throughout the country. If you want to fight him, be prepared for mutual destruction..."

Chapter 719 Plotting a Major Move!

Isidra was at a loss for words.

As Vaughn mentioned, Byron had the power to protect Vaughn's enemies. He could deal an unprecedented blow to the entire Wolf Family.

Should they let Byron go that easily?

To be honest, Isidra was not willing...

So on the way back, she was thinking about this issue.

On the other side, after Cora's birthday party ended, the table was full of countless gifts.

Some high-end electronic products, a few pricey jewels, and some property deeds were among them.

"What should I do with all these things? My uncles gave me two houses. My cousins gave me a car and two dessert shops."

Cora was rubbing her aching forehead. She never thought she could become wealthy by receiving gifts. She just wanted to be a good doctor.

Byron had been in this circle for a long time, and he was accustomed to these social obligations.

"These are their gifts for meeting you. You just accept them. I'll have Carter help you manage them in a few days."

Then, he pulled out a document and handed it to Cora. "Harry couldn't come, so he asked me to give this to you."

Cora was taken aback, then remembered that Harry had been married to Jane.

He used to interact with William and Sara as their son-in-law.

With Jane's change in status, he didn't know how to interact with the Yoris family.

So he only asked Byron to deliver his birthday gift.

Cora thought about it and opened the document.

Inside was the deed to a hair salon.

"I'm just a doctor, but now my assets have suddenly expanded to various industries."

Byron put his arm around her shoulder. "What's wrong with that? If you want a haircut in the future, you

can go to your salon. It's so convenient!"

Even he had to admit that Harry was very thoughtful when giving gifts to women, winning their hearts.

The same night, hysterical cries came from the Vega family.

"Dad, don't hit me anymore. I really didn't mean it..."

Eliza was still wearing the luxury dress from today, but no part of her body was intact.

Even her face was bruised and swollen.

And the big-bellied man in front of her looked fierce face, continuing to whip her with his belt.

"Not on purpose? You almost destroyed our family without meaning to. What would happen if you did it on purpose?"

The beating continued for nearly two hours. Then, Edwin signaled Drogo to stop.

"Take some pictures of her, then throw her out. From now on, the Vega family won't recognize her!"

After Drogo nodded, he proceeded as Edwin ordered.

"Dad, you love me the most. Can you really bear to throw me out? Can you give me another chance? I promise I will listen to you and Nadia!"

Eliza begged desperately.

Drogo indeed felt pity for her.

His first wife only bore him useless sons. None of them made him as happy as Eliza did.

He brought Eliza home against his first wife's objections and spoiled her rotten.

But just as Drogo softened, Nadia, his legal wife, stepped forward.

"Didn't you hear what the messenger from the Hansen family just said? If we don't handle her well, Mr. Hansen will send each of us a coffin. Don't drag the entire Vega family down with you if you want to die!"

Nadia had disliked Eliza for a long time.

Eliza played games well, acting one way in front of her father and another behind his back. She always tricked Nadia's two sons.

With today's chance to throw Eliza out, how could Nadia miss it?

Drogo indeed favored Eliza, but the survival of the entire Vega family was more important.

So, in the end, he turned his gaze away, waved his hand, and ordered people to drive Eliza out.

The first few days after Eliza was kicked out, she would appear in front of the Vega Mansion's door, begging desperately.

But later, she disappeared.

Everyone in the Vega family thought she had come to her senses and left.

They didn't expect that she was plotting a major move...

Chapter 720 Go to Hell!

It was a beautiful day.

After Byron and Cora took Martin to school, they went to the hospital. Cora had her wound redressed there.

After that, they went to a private kitchen nearby.

Cora wanted to order a food delivery. Byron disagreed, "Your wound isn't healed yet. You should eat something light."

"I've been careful with my diet, but the wound keeps getting infected. It's annoying."

Cora was getting frustrated because her wound wouldn't heal.

"You need to stick to a light diet even more now."

Byron ordered a few light dishes and two bowls of nutritious soup.

While they were eating, two people came into the private kitchen.

One of them was Isidra.

"Georgia, do you want to go shopping after we eat?"

"Sure. Where do you want to go?"

Isidra and the other person chatted and sat down. When the other person looked up, she saw Byron

and Cora. She smiled at them immediately.

"Hello, Uncle and Auntie." Georgia walked toward Byron and Cora. "Are you also having meals here?"

Georgia was a granddaughter of the Hansen family. She was about the same age as Cora.

When Cora first met Georgia, it felt awkward. After all, Cora was now Georgia's aunt.

But Georgia was friendly and straightforward.

Everyone who had met her liked her.

Cora started to like this cheerful girl after meeting her a few times.

"Yeah, Georgia. Did you come alone? I was thinking of inviting you to get our hair done! Why don't we go together after having meals?"

Harry had recommended a hair salon. Cora had wanted to try it.

She had asked Sally, but Sally was busy. The only person Cora could think of was Georgia.

When Byron heard that Cora was inviting Georgia to get their hair done, he frowned slightly. "Didn't we agree to discuss our honeymoon location next?"

Byron had taken Cora out today, so they could have some alone time.

But Cora didn't understand his intention...

"Uncle is jealous. Auntie, let's make our hair appointment for tomorrow. I don't want to upset Uncle."

Georgia also said, "I came with a friend today. You know her, too."

As she said this, Georgia waved at someone. "Isidra, come over here. My auntie is also here!"

Georgia used to study the violin under the same master as Isidra.

They got along well.

So, whenever Isidra came to New York, she would spend a few days with Georgia.

The world was indeed small.

What Isidra didn't expect was that Georgia was Byron's niece.

"Hello, Dr. Lane and Mr. Hansen..." Isidra greeted them. Her attitude toward Cora was fine, but somewhat reluctant toward Byron.

However, Byron was more indifferent. He picked up his cup and started drinking his coffee without glancing at her.

But Cora and Georgia were busy discussing the hair salon. They didn't notice the tension between the two.

Later, Cora even invited them to eat together.

After they finished most of the meal, Byron paid the bill and wanted to leave with Cora.

"Auntie, let's make the hair salon appointment for tomorrow. Enjoy your day with Uncle today."

Just then, a woman rushed in with a knife as Georgia waved goodbye to Cora. She shouted, "Cora, you're why I'm like this. You'll die for this!"