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Inside the small car, the atmosphere suddenly became subtle.

Lucia's throat tightened a little when she saw his direct and burning gaze. She dodged his eyes and said falteringly, "I don't know..."

Before she could finish her sentence, he approached her.

As August got closer, she backed away a little.

Even though there was no way to retreat, she still tried her best to move her head back. But there was such a limited place in the car.

Even if she retreated, she couldn't escape from his range.

Under his intent gaze, she blushed.

"You...you go away!"

She pushed him away with all her strength and said angrily.

When Lucia met his deep eyes, she felt flustered and ashamed. She knew Jeanne's existence, but just now she didn't reject August.

Lucia looked away, pretending to be calm, "You have a girlfriend. We should keep our distance."

Hearing the word "girlfriend", August turned cold and pursed his lips unhappily.

An inexplicable sense of irritability rose in his heart.

his head, looked ahead, and said

moment. She turned her head to look at him and realized that he was asking her to leave. She reacted, took a deep breath,

immediately started and it just drove away

Lucia stood there.

her heart. He was the one who came to save her in the first

his temper more

stranger was that her

deep breath, Lucia withdrew her gaze, turned around, and

phone from her pocket and clicked it. She saw that Paula had sent her

to the time, it should have been not long

back and asked her if she had

was sent, she got no reply after

Lucia was puzzled.

always texted back in

At the same time, in the red sports car, Paula put on a

Burton looked at

stared at him angrily, and asked, "Have you seen

Burton, who was caught peeking at her, looked a

asked, "What's the matter

three requests, and you

a little cute, "I pinned all my hopes on you. I didn't expect you to come after more than half an hour. I almost got beaten up by

Today's battle was humiliating.

in the end! If he had been any later, their clothes would have been torn off! Paula got angry, and she

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Seeing the defensive look on Paula's face, Burton couldn't help feeling amused.

He raised his eyebrows slightly, and asked instead, "What do you think I will do to you?"

Upon hearing this, Paula immediately folded her arms in defense, "What do you want to do?"

Burton chuckled, and his eyes were clear and innocent, "Don't worry. I'll just send you up, and I won't do anything."

Paula heard his promise and her vigilance subsided a little.

She said, "Okay, you'll just send me to the door!"

Burton agreed and helped her to walk forward, but Paula seemed to have sprained her ankle badly.

After walking a few steps, she cried out in pain and couldn't go any further.

Seeing the pain on her face, Burton thought it didn't seem like she was pretending.

He took a deep breath, summoned up his courage slightly, and said in a serious tone, "I'll carry you upstairs."

"What?"

Paula was stunned.

Before she could react, she was picked up.

She put her arms around Burton's neck subconsciously and looked at his profile.

Her heart was beating wildly at this moment.

Paula blushed, and she couldn't help smiling.

Unexpectedly, he was quite strong...

Ten minutes later, after Burton sent Paula home, he left without stopping.

As soon as he walked out of the apartment building, he took out the vibrating phone in his pocket. It was August who called. He answered immediately, "Hello, Mr. Adams."

"Come to the Fifth Road. I'll wait for you there."

Burton answered without hesitation, "OK."

When Burton arrived at Fifth Road, he saw the car parked on the side of the road and got in.

already sitting in the back, waiting for him

Weske today, I've asked

"Well, report to me."

arrived at Weske

dim car,

the lighter in his hand and pressed it with a click, and a cluster of

Charlotte to continue to look into it, and make sure to find out the identity of the

period, Bishop's

up to help him out this evening. He was not doing it

seemed

very clear that Bishop was just

he had such a good

his relationship

He knew it.

was always easier to get things done with the help

worked hard to hook

"Mr. Adams, he has been making a lot of moves recently. I also heard that he has been doing resuscitation physiotherapy for his

frowned slightly, paused for two seconds, and

condition of Bishop's

was, he

didn't have to use those despicable

there would be plenty of time and he

"Oh, right."

his eyes slightly and said, "The matter of Franksfurt

Burton nodded immediately, "Yes."

Lucia got the good news as

quarterly bonus would be distributed to

was affected by the relaxed atmosphere, and her mood

from a business trip today, so she could breathe

hour later, Lucia was sitting at her desk when

up from the pile of documents, and she

be the bonus or Carter's return. She got up

small cardboard box in her hand, talking to her colleagues

out, Emma excitedly waved at her, "Lucia, come here. Carter is going

Hearing this, Lucia reacted.

wonder everyone

that Carter and the bonus arrived at the same

quickly and greeted Carter with a smile,

bigger, and she nodded at her,

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Seeing the look of disbelief on Lucia's face, Carter smiled and asked softly, "What's the matter? Don't you want to go?"

Lucia came to her sense and said, "I...I'm just a little surprised."

In the past two years in Lion group, she knew that sometimes the company would allow some excellent employees to study abroad, but such good things had never happened to her.

"As long as you work hard, anything is possible,"

Carter said as a matter of course.

"You're going to a company in Franksfurt. They have cooperated with our company for several years, and they have developed rapidly in recent years. I heard that their management model is worth learning, so

this time the company has arranged an opportunity.Each department selects an employee to go study for three to four days."

Hearing that, Lucia was surprised and delighted, and asked with excitement on her face, "Carter, are you sending me this time?"

In the past, when the department had such a good opportunity and only one person was allowed to go, Lisa was usually the lucky one.

Lucia hadn't expected Carter to choose her this time.

Seeing Carter nodding, Lucia was instantly elated, "Thank you, Carter!"

When she came out of the office, Lucia still had a smile on her face.

This news was the best news for her recently.

She passed through the office area and was about to walk towards her office when someone familiar suddenly came over.It was Lisa.

Lucia's smile faded.She glanced at Lisa and walked over without saying anything.

Lisa watched her pass by with a look of coldness on her face.She still remembered the scene at Weske last night.

Originally, she deliberately turned Lucia and Gigi against each other and waited to see Lucia being taught a lesson.

Unexpectedly, she saw Mr.Adams appear in the end.She was shocked.

other, and they seemed to be quite familiar with each

she thought of Lucia's inexplicable promotion and Irene's affairs, she suddenly

that August

make Lisa feel a little afraid, but

a disgusting woman who relied on a man to get promoted! Just now when she watched Lucia come out of the supervisor's office with a smile on her face, she knew that Lucia must be the one to go out to study in Frankfurt this

few minutes, she glanced at her phone on the desk, took a deep breath, bit her lips, and sent Irene a message, "Irene, how is your recovery recently? I want to see

was too weak to do

uncle was an executive of

Irene to deal with Lucia than

opportunity to study abroad

work, she

hospital to see her parents first

few boxes

got out of the elevator, she had

walked through the corridor for a while and saw the gate of the ward in the distance where Elisa was holding against the wall with one

there was something wrong, Lucia immediately stepped forward, "Mom, what's the heard the voice,

Lucia, her face changed immediately, and she quickly said, "It's

last time they met. She hadn't seen her mother for a few days, and she even

and Elisa had naturally stayed by his side

her hand and said in a casual tone, "It's nothing. It's

so tired, Lucia felt a little sorry. She dragged Elisa into the ward and helped

was sitting on the hospital bed

this scene, he couldn't help but

is not feeling well. Maybe

your mother to go home at night, but

finally realized that Elisa had

a headache and looked

suggested, "Mom, Dad,

some of the

hire a caregiver? I can

have an operation. Do you want to get tired and make yourself ill too? Besides, I got my quarterly bonus today. It's quite a lot, just enough to hire

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The nurse took the information sheet, glanced at it, and thought that Lucia had picked this girl. She nodded and said, "Okay, I'll call and ask her to come. Just wait a moment."

Lucia nodded. She looked calm on the surface, but she was a little nervous inside. She clenched his fists slowly. She and Mandy hadn't seen each other for so many years.

Wouldn't it be too abrupt when she suddenly called her over in this way? Just when she was thinking, the sound of brisk footsteps came from the door, followed by a crisp female voice, "What can I do for you?"

Hearing her voice, Lucia turned her head and saw a girl with a delicate face at the door. She moved her lips nervously, but couldn't make a sound.

Mandy paused and looked up at her.

She froze for two seconds, and a bit of surprise flashed across her eyes, she cried in disbelief, "Lucia?"

Lucia was overjoyed, and she immediately smiled and stood up a little excitedly, "Mandy, it's you!"

The surprise in Mandy's eyes was replaced by excitement.

She took a step forward, and asked with a smile, "Why...why are you here?"

"My father is sick and needs a caregiver. I saw your information sheet and asked the nurse to call you"

"It's so coincidental," Mandy said, reaching out and grabbing Lucia's hand.

Probably because of excitement or surprise, there were tears in her eyes.

Lucia felt an indescribable joy in her heart, "We haven't seen each other for six years, right? I didn't expect to meet you here."

They held hands happily.

To avoid interfering with other people's work, they walked outside the registration room to reminisce.

They chatted and the memories from a few years ago flooded back to them.

As people got older, they couldn't help but miss the past.

was not affected by

the past, everything seemed to have

couldn't help but ask, "Mandy, why did you

Lucia talked about her leaving without saying goodbye, Mandy's smile froze

looked away, moved her lips, but did not

that it was inconvenient for her

changed the subject and said, "Mandy, when are you getting off work today? I'd like to invite you

awkward look on Mandy's face

tonight. I'm afraid I can go. Why

Lucia immediately agreed, "Okay."

contact information, Lucia suddenly thought of hiring a caregiver for her father, "Oh, Mandy, do you have the time recently? My father has been in the hospital recently, and he will

"Okay, I happen to

They were busy chatting.

far away

time, in a villa on the outskirts of the city, Bishop was sitting by the window, listening to Bob's

was sitting in the

he raised his eyes slightly and said, "You mean, she is hiring a

is still in the hospital. It is a heart problem and he

about the caregiver she hired. It's her old friend who works in

Bishop took it.

girl on the information

recited the name and tightened his grip on the

looked out of the window, and

little surprised, "Mr. Adams, given

"It doesn't matter."

of her qualifications, but because she knew Lucia. He could use her

any more questions. He nodded in agreement and went to do it right

hospital, Lucia and Mandy were still

I know that there is a certain risk

the hospital for several years and was used to sickness and

Lucia's shoulder with empathy, and said in a certain tone, "Lucia, don't worry. Your father will certainly be fine. I'll take care

Lucia heard this, she felt much relieved and

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Lucia came to her sense, looked up at Dr. Andy, and asked, "Dr. Andy, do you have his contact information?"

Dr. Andy shook his head, "You used to contact him on your own. I just received a notice from the dean. I have no direct contact with Dr. Long."

Lucia's eyes dimmed a bit and nodded, "Okay, then I'll contact Dr. Long and see what he has to say."

The doctor nodded, "OK."

After coming out of the doctor's office, Lucia thought about it.

If she wanted to know about Dr.

Long's surgical arrangements now, she could only go to August.

Thinking of this, she naturally thought of what had happened last night.

When she thought of him coldly asking her to get out of the car, she hesitated.

Now, with their current relationship, would he still be willing to help her? After thinking about it, Lucia finally took out her phone, but she didn't dare to call him.

Forget it! She'd better talk to him in person another day.

Besides, it was so late, and maybe he had gone to bed.

Thinking of this, Lucia felt a little more at ease.

She put away her phone and went back to the ward to accompany her parents for a while before returning to her apartment.

The next day, Lucia arrived at the company early in the morning and was told to go to a meeting about the departure for Frankfurt in two days.

There were a total of nine people on this trip.

In addition to one representative from each of the six departments, there was also an experienced leader, Jess, and the other two were newly trained management of the company.

At the meeting, Jess briefly talked about the process of the trip and determined the departure time.

During the meeting, they introduced themselves and got familiar with each other.

They were talking and laughing, and the atmosphere was very good.

After the meeting, Lucia came out of the conference room full of motivation.

was an excellent learning opportunity, and it would also be

was in a

she was taking the elevator, she suddenly thought that she had to find a chance today to

headache. She was going to leave for Frankfurt in two days, and she would not have time to do it when

it today so

break, Lucia deliberately didn't go to have lunch with

people in the company, she went directly to the CEO's

she saw the secretary Mary and another assistant

seemed that they were going to

took the initiative to greet them,

for half a second, and then

had something else to say, but she

"Okay."

notice her abnormality, smiled at her, and immediately walked toward the

assistant beside Mary couldn't help but ask, "Mary, didn't someone go to see Mr. Adams just now? Wouldn't it be bad for her to break in

lips, "I wanted to remind her. Forget

besides August, but she could feel that the relationship between Lucia and something to

Lucia as much as

better not

a deep

from him in

Lucia knocked again.

it be that he was not there? But just now

Lucia didn't think much.

went straight in, but saw no one

no one in front of the desk, but there was

was not

three layers in

outlined with patterns, which did not

or not when the secret door

was a

secret door in the

second, when she saw the woman walking out behind August, she

to be the

dumbfounded for a while and just

out of the secret room, and anyone could figure out what they had been

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Seeing Lucia's expression, August realized what was going on. She thought that he and Adeline had some kind of shameful relationship, didn't she? August actually felt a little amused when he understood what she was saying.

He had never expected that she would speak up for Jeanne.

After some surprise, August slightly curled his lips.

The expression on his face did not change much, but he was entertained by her reaction, thinking she was quite funny like that.

A moment later, he asked lightly, "Tell me, what are you doing here?"

Usually, Lucia would try to run away when she met him in the company, but now she came to see him in his office, so there must be something.

However, Lucia felt so angry that she obviously didn't want to say anything more to him, so she coldly uttered a word, "Nothing."

After that, she decided to leave.

When she turned around, she moved her lips and murmured in an unclear way, "Scumbag..."

Although her voice was low and muffled, August still heard what she said.

With a glint in his eyes, he moved his lips coldly.

"Stop."

She actually called him a scumbag? How dare she! August was angry and laughing.

Without saying another word, he walked toward her on his long legs.

Lucia was startled and secretly gasped in disbelief.

She hadn't expected that he would hear her curse him behind his back! In addition, she had deliberately said it in such a low voice that normally no one could hear her.

So, he wasn't a normal man, was he? Of course, Lucia didn't know that August's five senses were more sensitive than those of ordinary people.

He could detect even the slightest movement, not to mention a word.

Lucia paused and her body stiffened.

If she was caught by August like this, there would be no good consequences! It was best for her to leave now! She gritted her teeth and pretended she didn't hear anything as she went on stepping out.

But no sooner had she grabbed the handle and pulled the door open a little than a fair-and-clear-skinned hand with distinct knuckles and long fingers came over to slam the door shut and pushed her against it.

Lucia was so shocked that she almost screamed.

When she looked up, she saw the man's handsome face right in front of her.

signs of happiness or anger, but his expressionless face was

throat tightened and she forced

"What?"

August frowned.

was so deep that it seemed to be

did you just

his jawline a bit

was gritting his teeth slightly as he said, "Say it

man's dark, deep eyes, Lucia wouldn't even say boo

Her eyes wandered.

"I didn't say anything."

a hard time! She denied it vocally, but inside, she couldn't help feeling regretful! She shouldn't have said that

this door, it would be fine no matter how many times she cursed

she hadn't been able to stop herself from blurting it out, and he had heard her, so she was asking for trouble, wasn't she? Seeing

of him, but just now, she had been

forced her to look at him with

did you just say? Say

Lucia dared not say that

a deep

"I...didn't say anything."

up to brush her red, soft lips as he deliberately leaned

heard you clearly just

the man's cool breath swept over her, Lucia's heart beat

dare to look him in

his rough fingertip, which made

darkened and he asked

the mercy of him

said it or not, it would not end well! Just then, there was a sudden knock at

"Knock!"

with
the door, Lucia shivered with shock and her
next second, Burton's voice
is here. I told him to
that, he didn't hesitate and immediately said, "I'm
woman who was pressed against the
in
slightly and lowered his voice as he whispered in her ear, "You won't get off so easily
He could wait.

be a
he released her, opened the door, and strode
on the
said was

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For two days before she left for Frankfurt, Lucia was very busy.

In addition to her work during the day, she had to pack her things at night when she returned to her apartment.

On top of that, she had to take time to visit Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell in the hospital.

Traveling between the company, the hospital, and her apartment, she couldn't get a good rest at all.

The day before she left, all the necessary preparations were almost finished, and Lucia finally had some time to take a break.

However, she suddenly received a call from Kirk.

When Kirk was taken to the hospital last time, she called to inquire about his injuries and felt a little relieved to learn that there was nothing serious.

Now Kirk was out of the hospital and asked her to go out for dinner.

Because of what had happened at Weske last time, she couldn't refuse him straight away, so she thought about it and agreed.

"Then let's do it tonight.

Do you mind if I invite Paula to come along, as we are all old classmates?"

When she said that, Kirk obviously paused for half a second at the other end before he said gently, "No. It would be great."

Lucia was relieved to hear that and chatted with him for a few more minutes before hanging up the phone.

The reason why she wanted to have Paula with them was that she could imagine how awkward it would be for her and Kirk to have dinner alone.

Therefore, she decided to bring Paula along after thinking about it.

Lucia held her phone and called Paula.

When she explained what was going on, Paula couldn't help but laugh at the other end.

"Lucia, Kirk asked you to dinner and you want me to join you. You're trying to make me a third wheel, aren't you?"

Lucia said frankly, "I just think it would be awkward for me to have dinner with him alone. That's why I called you."

Paula said deliberately when she heard that, "No way. I'm not that insensitive!"

Hearing that, Lucia pretended to be sad and said, "Please do me the favor, Paula. Without you, I'll be terribly embarrassed."

all, she hadn't seen Kirk for years, so she couldn't even imagine what it

other end, Paula laughed mischievously

there! I was just joking. How could I leave you

was relieved

Paula for a few more minutes, she hung up the phone, put it down, and went

was time to

Paula that Paula would come to the company for her and then the two of them would go and meet Kirk at the restaurant where he

just packed her things when Kirk's call came in before she

Lucia, are you off work yet? I'm

say that, Lucia froze, apparently not expecting him to come directly to pick her

slowly came to

"Yes, I'm...off work. You're downstairs?"

was warm and

entrance of

unconsciously felt a little
which meant that he must have arrived in advance and had been
so she immediately said, "Okay, I'll be
hanging up the phone, she took
a formal suit
the street like this, he was either trying
a deep breath, having a bad
the flowers in his hand, was he? It was rush hour, and the employees of the company were coming and
going, so those from her department might see what was
point, she had no choice but to
to him quickly and said
turned around and smiled as soon as he saw her. He
"Lucia, they're for you."
the flowers
a smile, "Why are you giving me flowers all of
saw a flower vendor by the road when I came over, and I thought
she heard him say that, Lucia was secretly
out to take the flowers and said gently, "Just now, Paula told me that she
Kirk nodded.
is down there. Let's get
Lucia naturally agreed.
standing here, and she had a bouquet of flowers in her
the car now to avoid being seen and gossiped about by
down

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Hearing that, Lucia came back to her senses and smiled apologetically at Paula and Kirk.
"Sorry, maybe I'm too tired from working today."
Kirk curled his lips and expressed his understanding.

"It's okay, Lucia. We'll take you back once the food is served and we finish eating. You have a flight to catch in the morning, so go back early and get some rest."

Lucia nodded and said softly, "Okay."

Paula, who knew Lucia so well, could see that she was not tired from work, but had something on her mind.

When Kirk went to the restroom, Paula couldn't help but ask, "Lucia, what's wrong with you?"

"Nothing."

Paula raised her eyebrows knowingly.

"Nothing? Just now, you have been distracted all the time. Tell me honestly, are you thinking about August?"

Lucia couldn't help but laugh at what Paula said, but she knew Paula was right. She kept thinking of August's face, which was unpleasant. She wanted to stop thinking about him, but her mind was out of control.

Lucia took a deep breath. She slightly leaned over closer to Paula and asked in a low voice, "Paula, why do you think I keep thinking about August?"

Hearing that, Paula had a look that a gossip would have on her face. She kept winking at Lucia.

"Do you need me to tell you? Isn't it obvious? Because you love him!"

"Nonsense!"

Lucia's face instantly flushed red and she subconsciously denied it.

"It's not possible."

"Why not?"

Paula looked as if she was right.

"Just think about it, why aren't you thinking about Kirk or my brother all the time tonight? Why are you just thinking about August?"

Those words were like a pot of cold water that made Lucia a little more clear-headed and sensible.

After pausing for a few seconds, she shook her head and said in a firm tone, "That's impossible. I hate him. Maybe I've seen too much of him lately."

She would never consider a womanizer like August, who had many love affairs.

fall in love with him? Thinking that, Lucia assured Paula

mouth turned up in a subtle smile, but she pretended to

you. It's best if you don't love him, or my brother will definitely feel sad when he finds out about

Lucia laughed and said nothing more when she saw Kirk coming

volunteered to drive them

Paula kept talking as

the entrance of her neighborhood, Lucia asked Kirk to stop the car and said goodbye to them before she pushed the door open to

as she was about to close the

"Lucia."

of his voice, Lucia turned to him and asked softly,

to say something, seemingly having a lot

and pointed to the flowers on the passenger side, saying, "You forgot to take the

over and saw the lone

went over to pick the flowers

I didn't see

softly, "It's okay. Just

at Paula before turning to

gate, her phone suddenly dinged and she picked it up

Kirk

phone vibrated again, and it was an emoji

the two messages, Lucia could almost imagine the tone in which Paula said that. She curled her lips without replying. She knew very

had nothing to do

two years ago and neither

better to think more about her work than

to have surgery and she must prepare

mind made up,

she had packed, got

woke up

of the apartment and went straight to the airport by

hours, the

plane with her fellow passengers, Lucia felt a distinct wave

was already covered in sweat when they arrived at the terminal by
came to meet them at
group got into the vehicle prepared in advance and went directly to
hotel, Natalie assigned the rooms after they
with a
all very excited and
on, Lucia. Your room is opposite
from the Marketing Department enthusiastically took Lucia's hand and went straight
someone immediately asked, "Natalie, what are our plans for this afternoon
us for dinner. No need to wear anything too formal. We'll gather in the lobby at seven o'clock
"Okay!"
do you want to

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Before coming to Franksfurt, Lucia had specifically done some research online and found some information that there were cases of drivers in Franksfurt deliberately taking a detour for a higher fare, but she had never expected that she would encounter something like this within a day of her arrival here.

Lucia opened the map on her phone to estimate the fare.

Seeing the estimated fare was 150 FRD, she knew at once that this driver was trying to cheat her! Lucia took a deep breath and showed the screen of her phone to the driver.

"I can only give you 150."

The driver glanced at the screen and immediately shook his head.

"No, 400, 400 FRD."

Seeing how insistent he was, Lucia was even angrier in her heart.

Did he really think that people from Cannada had money growing on trees, which was so easy to get? She also insisted on her position and refused to budge.

"Just 150."

Hearing that, the driver looked angry as well.

He gestured with his hands, saying, "Then I'll...drive you back there!"

With that, he pointed to the place where the phone card store was.

Lucia was stunned, not expecting him to say that.

Seeing him about to start the car, she immediately pushed open the door and got out of the car.

The driver angrily rolled down the window and held out four fingers.

"400, 400!"

During the dinner party, everyone had drunk some wine because of the hospitality of the receptionists from Teda Corporation, including Lucia.

Now that she was angry and affected by the wine, she refused to stop arguing with the driver.

Here in a foreign country, she wouldn't lose the face of her countrymen.

She had to teach the driver a lesson.

She spoke English, so the driver used his broken English and gestures.

they argued

stopped in front of

August raised his eyes and saw through the front window that Lucia, wearing a cool halter white

his eyebrows

actually fighting

up front, also saw

it seems that the driver is trying to overcharge

August's eyes darkened.

open the door to get out of the car straight

the argument with the driver

won't fall for it. Just

she finished speaking than she suddenly felt

her head, she saw the handsome back of the man in a sharp

stood in

that

and said fluently in English, "Get out of

that, he turned slightly sideways, took the 150 FRD from

was apparently subdued

alone and vulnerable, so he tried to make more money

the driver took the money, rolled up the window quickly, and stepped on the
the car fly away, Lucia stood
something like that! After a glance at the car that was flying away, August turned around unhurriedly,
gave her
was confused, thinking she had
have to do with being
mocked, "You don't have
Lucia was shocked
his lips more
was a
came to her mind at once,
a bit of displeasure in her heart, and stared squarely at him, saying, "That's better
deliberately craned her neck to look
an innocent smile as she asked as if on purpose, "Why don't you have a star with you on your business
trip today, Mr.Adams? Can you stand
darkened all of a sudden and he
only been a few days since
become so bold as to talk to him like that! Suppressing his irritation, August stepped forward
few seconds, the coldness on his face faded
her ear, asking in an extremely soft voice, "It's been such a long time that I want

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On the way from the lobby to the elevator and then to the floor where her room was located, Lucia had
been looking for a chance to escape from August, but he seemed to know what she was thinking and
didn't give her any chance at all.

As they walked by her room, Lucia moved slower and slower, using her limited strength to fight against
him.

She gritted her teeth and mustered up the courage to say, "Mr.Adams, I have to get up early tomorrow
morning to go on a study tour with my colleagues..."

She was suggesting that he should let her go.

Hearing that, August raised his eyebrows and looked at her with his deep eyes, asking rhetorically,
"What does it have to do with me?"

"You..."

Lucia was so angry that she gritted her teeth and stomped her foot, regretting beyond words what she had just done.

Why had she been so hot-headed as to provoke him back then? Being a bit annoyed, she simply asked, "So what do you want?"

"What do you think? Didn't you say I couldn't stand loneliness?"

August deliberately said that ambiguously, making her imagine things.

Watching the woman as her cheeks gradually flushed red, he felt a touch of amusement in his heart.

Just now at the entrance of the hotel, she had taunted him with her sharp tongue, like a little feral cat.

He had to teach her a lesson, or she would get even bolder, wouldn't she? The corners of his mouth turned up slightly, and his grip on her shoulder tightened slightly as he pushed her onward.

Lucia grimaced and she finally began to feel worried.

If she was really pulled into his room, she was afraid that something would happen.

But the more worried she was, the more her mind went blank and she couldn't think of any way out.

She was somewhat pushed by August to the corner of the corridor.

As soon as they went around the corner, Lucia saw a man in a steel gray suit standing outside the door of a room.

The man was tall and well-built, with short hair.

He looked bright and handsome, but his eyes were piercing and sharp.

He turned to look at them and when he saw August, a smile flickered in his eyes.

and eyed Lucia, who was

had already

and made me wait for such a long time, but now you have brought back

a teasing tone as he kept glancing at

mind that August had an appointment. She thought that she could get

as

room card

go

at them

his lips in a meaningful smile and promptly said,

he didn't forget to give August a wink before he opened the door with the card and entered
ignored what he
closed, he turned
"If you have something to
to
using so much strength that his arm was
push it
face was red
to argue with him, August suddenly leaned down
Lucia was not prepared
closer and closer to hers, she felt her
of panic and nervousness in the woman's eyes, August curled his lips, looking happy, and said
unhurriedly in a low voice,
of time for that later, so he
loosened his grip on Lucia's
body
I'll leave now."
around without looking at August's face
timid
in his eyes as his lips
to the door of
August saw Joshua leaning back lazily on the couch as
Joshua raised an eyebrow,
glance, forcing him to swallow the rest
walked over and said in a deep voice as he
changed instantly when it came to
teasing and laughing all at once and put on a stern and grim face
quite close to the local villain called K.I had my men go and scout around, but they only found some
minions, not their lair