## **SURPRISED 711**

Chapter 711 Will He Save Her?
After a few seconds, her reason gave in to the devil inside. She wanted to escape.
She walked along the corridor with the support of the wall, daring not to turn back.
She cursed Leslie, "You are dead! How dare you drag me?"
Ivan saw her staggering alone and realized that something was wrong with her. He walked toward her
his hand in his pockets. After all, they used to work together.
When Ivan had just passed the door, it opened again. One step out, Leslie saw the cold,
unapproachable back of Ivan.
He frowned. Was it Ivan?
He stepped back as if being electrocuted. After a few seconds, he calmed down and carefully poked
his head out.
What was Ivan doing there? Leslie didn't expect to see Ivan here.
The luxurious corridor smelt good.
Due to her suffering, Catherine stopped again. She turned and leaned against the wall, rubbing her
temples with her eyes down.



Catherine was moved by Ivan's words of concern. Her nose went sour as she thought, "Perhaps he still
cares for me."
Then she saw Ivan take out his phone, ready to call.
Catharine pushed him. "What are you doing?" Must he tell other people?
"You are in danger. I'll get someone to send you to the hospital." His tone was calm, without the
slightest bit of anxiety.
She was greatly let down. "It's none of your business!"
Must he ask someone else to do so?
Couldn't he do it?
He would if he ever cared. But he didn't care at all.
Holding the phone, Ivan met Catherine's gaze, which was full of resentment. "Are you sure?"
"Get lost! I don't want to see you!" At this moment, Catherine hated him more than ever. "Did you come
here just to make things worse? You know Leslie would do things to me, don't you? You are just here to
make fun of me, am I right?"



He left her alone at this point. Leslie, who had been peeking through the door this entire time, couldn't believe that Ivan left without doing anything. After a while, making sure that Ivan had left for good, Leslie opened the door and walked towards the woman leaning against the wall, who was now suffering from the burn. Chapter 712 Outcome Footsteps came from behind. Catherine knew it was Leslie. She walked forward with great effort, yet not long after, the man grabbed her arm and dragged her into the room! "Let go!" Catherine struggled with her last bit of strength. "Let me go! This is against the law! Do you understand?" The room was bright with all lights on, yet Catharine couldn't see Leslie's face clearly. Griping Catherine tightly, Leslie let out an evil smile. "I don't give a shit about the law! I've done killing." His words made her shudder. He grabbed her by the waist. "This is Ivan's territory. Who will save you now that he left?"

"Yes. So just stop resisting now!" Leslie reached out and fiddled with her hair, looking down. "Your body

"You saw it?"



When they broke in, Catherine had been raped.
People rushed up and ripped Leslie off the bed, slapped and punched him in the face! Leslie was
beaten on the ground.
Catherine grabbed the bed sheet and covered herself with it. Some energy in her body was released.
Now, she was sober.
Ivan's men dragged Leslie away.
Before leaving, they took a look at the wretched woman on the bed and then closed the door.
Catherine lay flat on the bed. In the bright light, she stared at the ceiling. "The nightmare came true"
Tears rolled down her eyes.
She knew that Leslie wouldn't come back after being driven away. She was safe.
She also knew that these were Ivan's people
When she thought of Ivan, her heart hurt like being stabbed.
This was what she got to fall out with someone who didn't care about her. Catherine was suddenly
speechless with herself.
Ivan's Lamborghini was heading for Emerald Bay. It was a beautiful night with a shining moon and a















Unable to sleep, she took out the paper and started to draw. As she drew, she gradually realized that the character she had drawn somehow looked like Finnley. "Why am I drawing him?" Mya put the pen down, frowned, crumpled the paper into a ball, and threw it into the trash can. The room was quiet. Later, she regretted it. So, she bent down and pick it up from the trash can, unfolded it and looked at the little man on it, then put it in her drawer. The door of the master bedroom was locked from the inside as well. Clarence handed Finnley's information to Shirley. "I thought you would forget." The woman looked up at him. "My dear wife, how dare I forget your order?" Sitting in the chair, she looked at each line carefully. Clarence was changing clothes. He had read Finnley's information and was very content with it. "He has a fiancée? And she is the only daughter of the Calder family from Jacksonville?" Shirley raised her eyes as if hit by a thunderbolt, "The Calder family is a tycoon in the textile industry. It's famous in

Jacksonville!"

"Go on to the next page." The middle-aged man was very calm, "She is just a nominal fiancée."

It showed that the Calder family was also engaged in freight transportation. It owned several docks and

trading companies. They were billionaires.

Eloise lived like a princess. She was spoiled.

Shirley's face changed slightly as she went on reading. "Finnley is from a rich family too?" The Russell

family's information was also listed there.

"Yes." Clarence said, "He is Albert Russell's son. The engagement was set by the older generation by

the time Finnley was born. They had never dated, I've checked. Finnley has nothing to do with Eloise."

"So?" Shirley put down the document and stood up. "Don't tell me that you would allow him to pursue

Mya, will you?"

**Chapter 715 Worried Parents** 

"Why not?" Clarence said, "The reason why Finnley is not enjoying his life as a rich kid was to avoid

Eloise. He opposed the marriage, but his parents were stubborn. Yet he is filial."

Shirley could not accept it. As a mother, she was worried.

"Finnley's a simple, reliable young man. He was a top student at school. Later, he became Ivan's assistant. I think he is a good choice for Mya." As a mayor, he was good at judging people. "But he's gotten a fiancée! She is a person, not an object. Avoiding her won't solve any problems." As a mother, Shirley didn't want her daughter to get hurt. "Living together with him has affected Mya's reputation. And now, we found his fiancée." Clarence walked towards her, grabbed her shoulder, and said seriously, "Honey, Let's see whether Finnley is trustworthy through the way he deals with this matter. This is a test that he can't escape. He must face it." Shirley was still hesitating. "What do you think?" He asked quietly, "They are not in love. Their relationship is just on the surface."

Finnley's information showed he was reliable. Clarence's attitude was firm. Shirley hesitated.

Most importantly, Mya didn't seem to dislike Finnley.

"Honey, let's just stay out of this, okay?" Clarence coaxed her, "Let's just pretend we don't know anything. I'll send someone to keep an eye on them and keep you posted."

"His family background is okay, although he is six years older. But even if Finnley is reliable, how could

he keep a girl at home? Doesn't he care about Mya's reputation? She is still a student.

"Maybe it's not that complicated." Clarence sighed, "Why don't we just believe in them? Just believe that they were telling the truth.

"It's not that I don't believe them." The woman said, "I just don't think he did the right thing."

"You can't judge young people with your old mindset. Age is not a problem. Nothing matters as long as

their personalities match and they are in love." Clarence was an open-minded father.

Shirley was a woman with principles. "But he is engaged. Tell me, what should we do about his

fiancée? Mya is the mistress."

"The unloved one is."

Clarence muttered a line from a romantic movie, which made his wife speechless.

Looking at his wife, who looked disturbed, Clarence took the document from her hand and said, "It's

late. Let's to bed. Finnley is not with Ms. Calder. So, the engagement doesn't count. Mya is not doing

anything wrong."

Clarence put away the document and got into bed. Seeing that she was still standing there, he said,

"Our parents didn't support us, do you remember? But aren't we happy now? Mya is no longer a child. We should give her freedom. We'll help her with the big picture. But we must remain on good terms. You wouldn't want your daughter to elope with Finnley." Shirley thought about her attitude towards Finnley that day and suddenly regretted it. She hoped that Finnley would forgive her if he got to be with Mya in the end. After reading the document, Shirley found that Finnley's education and ability were so much better than she had imagined. The downstairs of an apartment, a red Bentley was speeding into the underground parking lot. Catherine got out of the car and entered the elevator. Her eyes were a little red. On the way back, her mind went clearer and she cried sadly. What Leslie did to her constantly showed up in her head like a film. She felt humiliated! When she got home, she rushed into the bathroom, filled the bathtub with water, tore off her clothes, and lay down in it immediately.

She used a lot of shower gel, soaked herself in bubbles, and rubbed the marks on her body like crazy

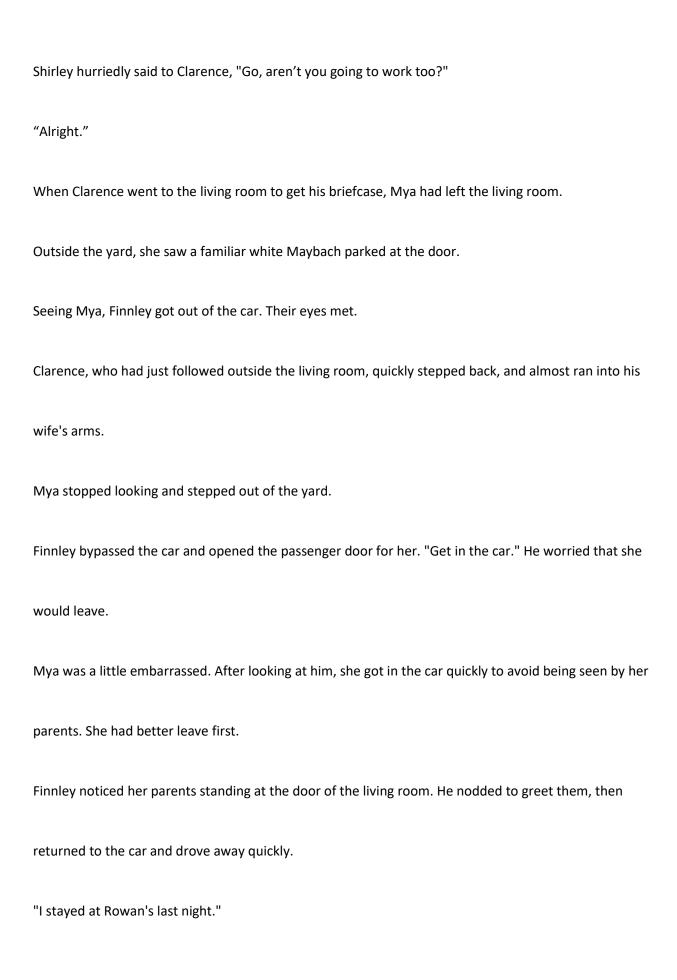
as if wishing to peel herself off.

The water in the shower kept spraying and overflew the bathtub. Thankfully, the drainage system was well, otherwise, the bathroom would be flooded! Chapter 716 Picking Her Up for Work Skyhigh Apartment Complex. Holly cleaned up the bed in the master bedroom, threw all the pieces onto the carpet, and changed into some clean bedding. She knew that Finnley wouldn't come back tonight. "Lady Eloise, go to bed. I'll sweep the room." It was too messy to not even stand. "Don't do it!" Eloise was angry. "I want him to see it! He hasn't seen it yet! " After hearing this, Holly dared not move, "Okay, I won't. Don't be angry. Have a good night." Eloise went to the bedside table and saw a girlish book on it. It seemed that someone had read it. Eloise got upset. Throwing it into the garbage can, she said, "I will not allow anything of other women to appear in this house." Holly knew that she was upset, but she couldn't help her. Who can help with love?

"Goodnight." Eloise went to bed, sounding tired. "He can't quit his job, can he? I can still find him even







"When did you come?"
They turned their eyes at the same time, spoke at the same time, and heard each other's words at the
same time.
Sitting beside Finnley, Mya lowered her eyes, playing with her fingers. She was silent because she
didn't know what he meant.
Was it an explanation?
Did he want to tell her that he wasn't with his fiancée last night?
But why did he explain to her?
Chapter 717 Someone Cries Until Daybreak
The atmosphere between them had been awkward, and it got even worse after Finnley explained.
She didn't answer. He stepped on the brake gently and parked the car at the roadside.
Mya met his eyes. "What are you doing?"
"Have you had the answer?" Finnley didn't care about the embarrassment. He did not sleep last night.
He wasn't sure if Mya would accept him, but now Eloise suddenly appeared, which caught Finnley off

Mya stared at him in surprise, "Are you serious?" "I didn't go back last night." Finnley emphasized again, "I live at Rowan's." "But it doesn't change the fact that you have a fiancée. I don't want to be the mistress." Mya was stubborn and proud. She wanted to open the door and get off, but Finnley locked the door before she could do it. "Would you say yes if I don't have a fiancée?" Finnley wanted an answer. He put one hand on the steering wheel and faced her sideways. Mya was forced to look at him. She could not help thinking of what she saw in his apartment last night. The girl's face appeared in her head. "I don't love her." Finnley said to her, "The engagement was made by our parents when we were just born. It is just a joke. She is not my girlfriend. I haven't even held her hand." After thinking for a long time, Mya said, "She... is very beautiful." She didn't know why she said that. "I don't care." Finnley blurted out, "I didn't even look at her face, so I don't know if she is beautiful." "I like you, Mya." Finnley confessed to her, looking very serious, "I have never had such a strong



She must have been crying for a long time. Holly looked at her, watching her silent tears rolling down her cheeks. "I waited for him all night..." Eloise's voice trembled. She was very aggrieved. Suddenly, she burst into tears. "Holly, am I not good enough for him? Why is he doing this to me? Why?" Thinking of how she had been waiting and searching for him for the past half year, she felt heartbroken. "We were good friends. But after he knew about the engagement, he started to avoid me. Perhaps we would be together if we weren't engaged?" "Lady Eloise..." "Holly, let's go to his company." Eloise sat up. It was finally bright outside. "I'm his fiancée. He shouldn't avoid me." Holly couldn't persuade her and there was no point doing so. No one could change Eloise's mind once she was determined to do something. Chapter 718 Stopping the car

Finnley and Mya had been silent all the way. The beautiful morning light was mottled in the car through

"Okay. Wherever you go, I'll go with you." Holly said to her, "So, get up now."

In the morning, white Maybach was heading for the Marsh Group.





Before Mya spoke, he added, "If I have to respond to anyone who likes me, then I won't have the time for anything else." Mya, however, got the message from his words. She found him cute when he got mad. Therefore, she teased, "So... You've got a lot of pursuers?" "Not a lot. Just one Linda and you know it." Finnley's tone eased up a bit, "But I only care if you like me. You better think carefully about that." He couldn't stop talking about this. Mya didn't know how to answer. Watching the car leave, Eloise was so angry that she wanted to throw stones at it! "Calm down, my lady." Holly persuaded, "People are going to work at this time, they'll be watching! You are a noble lady, you don't want to see yourself on news, do you?" Eloise suddenly noticed a girl staring at her beside the road. She got angry. She glared at the girl. Linda immediately looked away and walked towards the company.

"What the hell are you looking at? Stupid!" also walked to the company, "Let's go to his office to wait for

him! I'm sure he'll come! "

Eloise didn't know they got in through the back door.

Finnley didn't expect Eloise managed to get up the building. She even took the same elevator as Linda.

In the elevator, Linda secretly looked at Eloise several times. She was so beautiful. Her temper showed

that she must be someone out of ordinary.

Could she be... Finnley's fiancée?

Chapter 719 Drag Her Out

In the president's office, Finnley had just arrived at the door when he saw the woman inside.

"Sorry, Mr. Russell, I failed to stop Ms. Calder." The staff reported, "She said she had an appointment

with Mr. Marsh and insisted that she waits here."

Finnley made a simple gesture. The staff nodded and left.

When Eloise saw him, she put on a smile and stepped forward to take his arm.

Finnley dodged, "Eloise, the things between us are not complicated. You and I are very clear that the

engagement was made casually by the elders. It wasn't officially decided. I don't like you. What you're

doing is pointless."

"Why don't you like me?" Eloise couldn't reconcile. She blinked her watering eyes, saying, "The Calder



"Let go! Let go!" Eloise struggled.

At this time, Ivan appeared at the door of the office. He put his hands in his pockets, staring at the two people who were arguing.

Eloise stopped struggling when she saw Ivan, "Mr. Marsh, good morning!" She felt like seeing a savior.

Finnley turned around and saw Ivan at the door. He didn't yell, but he was grabbing Eloise's wrist.

"Ms. Calder?" Ivan smiled slightly and stepped in, "Long time no see."

"Let go, it hurts..." She struggled gently.

Finnley, with a little effort, dragged her out of the office directly and threw her to the elevator!

"Let go of me! Finnley! Let go!" Eloise refused to go, she cried, yelled, and struggled, "Finnley! When

are you going back and marrying me?"

Her voice was so loud that people in the vice president's office heard it through the opened door.

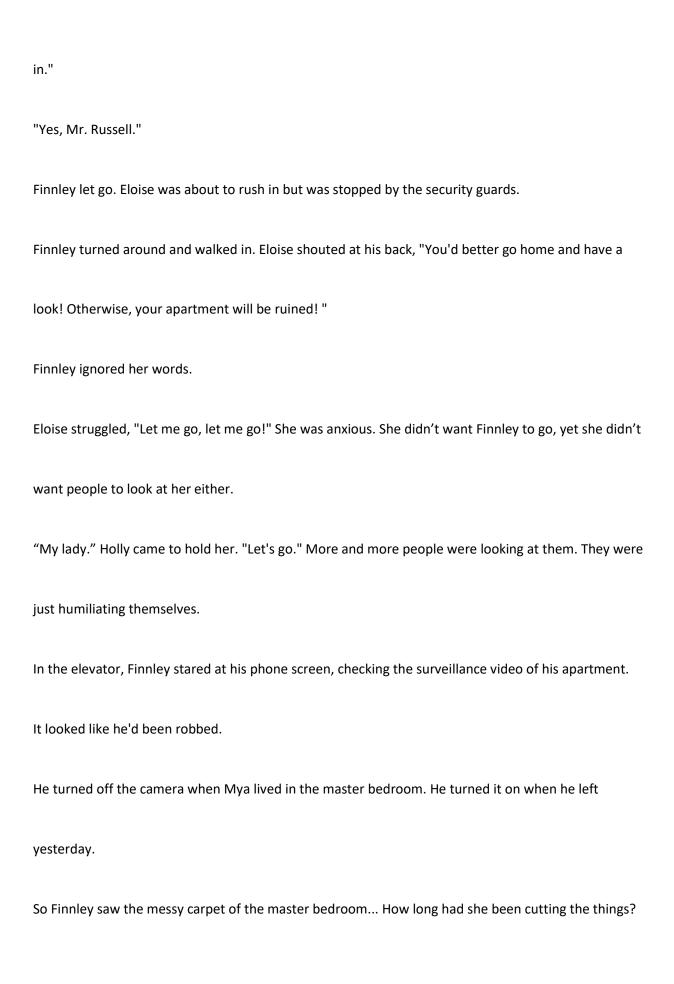
Jennifer, Mya, and Linda, all heard it.

They looked at each other for a few seconds. Then the sound disappeared. They should have entered

the elevator.

Mya looked down at the document that she was working on, her face calm, her mind empty.

Linda glanced at her, thinking, "Mya was in Finnley's car this morning. She played a shameful role."
However, thinking of the beautiful girl who claimed to be Finnley's fiancée, Linda couldn't help feeling
jealous.
"Let go!"
In the elevator, Eloise shook Finnley's hand off.
Finnley released it. If he had another choice, he wouldn't have had any physical contact with Eloise.
Chapter 720 Linda Is Nosy
"Finnley, I sincerely love you." Eloise was very upset, "I loved you since I was young."
Finnley replied lightly, "But I don't like you."
Their eyes met.
With a sound, the elevator stopped.
When the elevator door opened, Eloise leaned in. She refused to go out. She wanted to go upstairs
with him!
Finnley took her out without saying anything.
He carried her outside the hall, then said to the security guards at the door, "She's not allowed to get







Mya looked up and found Jennifer standing beside her, their eyes met.
"Do you like Finnley?" Jennifer asked her.
Mya paused and was then silent.
Jennifer had got the answer. Smiling, she said, "You do, right? Love could be confusing at the
beginning. And people involved could be timid, not daring to take the step out.
"He has got a fiancée." Mya said softly, "I didn't know it until last night.