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Little Yichen stared at his brother in disbelief, not understanding why he would say that. In his impression, Youyou appeared arrogant outwardly, but he had a warm and gentle heart and would never monopolize Mommy's love and affection. This was not Youyou...

However, the person standing before him was clearly Youyou.

But why would Youyou say such cruel words?!

Seeing that he was silent, Youyou pressed on coldly, "Didn't you notice? No matter what, Mommy's primary focus has always been on me. In her heart, I've always been more important than you. You should have noticed it too, right?"

Little Yichen turned ashen.

Indeed. His mother had always treated Youyou as her priority. That was because Youyou had poor health, and he knew how to endear himself to her. As an elder brother, he did his part in shouldering the responsibilities that came with being an elder brother. He took care of Youyou as a duty.

It did not matter even if Mommy valued Youyou more than him. It was alright that Daddy valued Youyou more than him. Because Youyou was his younger brother. His beloved younger brother. In his heart, Youyou was irreplaceable.

Be it his mommy, daddy, Youyou, or Yueyao, they were all his dearest family members. Every one was an unique individual and could not be replaced. Except, Little Yichen could not help feeling disappointed when he heard Youyou's cutting words!

A smug look appeared on Youyou's face. "Mommy loves me more. Compared to me, you're nothing in Mommy's heart!"

Little Yichen glared at him and clenched his fists tightly. Suddenly, he lowered his head with a disappointed expression.

Youyou sized him up arrogantly and spoke in a casual manner, "I went missing for a year, and Mommy barely ate or drank anything. The moment she heard news of me, she was agreeable to us swapping places so that I could come home. But you? You can only stay on this big and lonely island."

"It's not like that..."

"Oh?"

Youyou calmly retorted, "What is it then? Mu Yichen, you don't have to deny that Mommy values me more than you. That's because Mommy and I have depended on each other since we were young. What about you? How can you compare to me?" With that, he smirked. "You don't have to come home. Mommy has me and that's enough for her!"

Little Yichen smiled bitterly and looked up, a tear running down his cheek. He said gently with tearful eyes, "Youyou, even if Mommy dotes on you the most, it doesn't matter. I won't be sad because you're my younger brother."

Youyou was stunned.

"You're my younger brother. I'll give you anything. I won't fight with you. Don't worry, I won't be sad."

As Little Yichen spoke, he moved closer to Youyou and tried to embrace him.

The latter, however, shoved his hand away with a look of disgust. "Don't touch me with your hand!" Youyou

hissed, "I don't want a brother like you!"

Little Yichen was taken aback. His brother's words pierced his heart!

"Why?" Little Yichen forced a stiff smile and asked, "Is it because... I'm not good enough? Or... do you dislike me?"

"I do not dislike you, I detest you!" Youyou's eyes were full of hostility. "If it weren't for you, Mommy would only belong to me! I hate people who compete with me for Mommy."

"I didn't compete!"

Little Yichen frantically explained, "I've never thought of competing with you for Mommy! Mommy is all yours, alright?".

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After a pause, he nervously said, "Mommy only belongs to you. I won't compete with you for her, alright? Youyou, don't be like this..." As he spoke, he helplessly reached for his brother's hand.

Youyou, on the other hand, took half a step back in disgust. It was as if he felt that Little Yichen would dirty him! "Don't touch me!" Youyou's figure gradually turned blurry and dissipated into thin mist.

"No!!"

Little Yichen lunged at him sadly, but there was only air. When he raised his head again, the scenery before him had changed.

He saw Xiangti Walk. His home. At this moment, he could not tell if he was in a dream or in reality.

Little Yichen bit his lower lip hard and walked forward tentatively. He stood outside the door and looked past the recessed area. Through the balcony's French window, he saw the figure of Yun Shishi carrying Yueyao.

"Mommy!" Frantically he groped for the door and tried to open it, but it was locked. He was locked out and could not get in. "Mommy, open the door!"

"Mommy, it's me! Little Yichen, I'm back!" he shouted frantically.

However, no one paid him any attention. It was as if he was thin air that no one could see!

A sense of loneliness consumed him.

Mu Yichen suddenly felt suffocated. The despair of being completely ignored welled up in his heart!

"Mommy, can you hear me?" Mu Yichen choked on his words. "It's me. I'm Little Yichen. Open the door and let me in, okay? I want to come home..."

Youyou's voice suddenly came from inside the house.

"Yueyao, Big Brother is here." Little Yichen retreated to the recessed area. Through the window, he saw Yueyao staggering towards Youyou. Yun Shishi and Mu Yazhe stood at the side, watching on with gratification and loving gaze. Youyou carried Yueyao and hugged the cuddly little ball lovingly in his arms. Yueyao put her arms around Youyou's neck tightly and smiled childishly.

"Big Brother!" Her crisp and clear remark made everyone smile.

Little Yichen could not help breaking into a smile when he heard Yueyao's laughter through the window. He had not seen Yueyao for a long time and missed her dearly. Now, just hearing her crisp voice warmed his heart.

Yueyao...

His little princess.

Little Yichen stood outside the villa and watched anxiously. However, the warm scene in the house seemed to have nothing to do with him!

It made him yearn for home all the more, to go back to that warm home. He missed Mommy, Yueyao, and Daddy... He missed Youyou!

Little Yichen went back to the front door and rang the doorbell frantically, but no matter how many times he rang it, no one came to the door.

Outside, the icy wind was getting colder. He shivered in the cold. Mu Yichen could not wait any longer. He nimbly climbed over the barrier and walked up to the French window. Standing outside, he lightly tapped the window and smiled gently. "Mommy!"

"Youyou!"

"Daddy, Yueyao..."

Little Yichen straightened his clothes seriously and smiled. "I'm home."

The room fell silent.

Yun Shishi and Mu Yazhe turned around. Youyou also turned around with Yueyao in his arms, but when his gaze fell on Little Yichen, his expression turned icy. This was especially so for Yun Shishi and Youyou. Their expressions were as cold as stone, and their eyes were devoid of emotion.

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Youyou walked to the French windows and opened it, asking coldly, "Why did you come back?"

Little Yichen's smile stiffened as he replied blankly, "Because... this is my home!"

"This is not your home. This is my home. Get out!" Youyou pointed at the door and said, "You're not welcome here!" "How could this be..."

Little Yichen sucked in a breath of cold air and looked at Youyou, then heard Yun Shishi's voice. "Don't stand here! You're an eyesore!"

He looked in the direction of the voice and saw Yun Shishi walking towards him. Little Yichen anxiously reached out his hands to hug her, but the only response he got was the sound of Yun Shishi slamming the window shut and locking

it.

Little Yichen was once again locked out. His jaw dropped.

"Mommy..." Through a floor-to-ceiling window, Yun Shishi said scornfully, "Don't come back here! I don't want to see you!" "Why?!" Little Yichen finally became nervous. He anxiously banged on the window as tears streamed down his face. "Mommy... Mommy, it's me! I'm Little Yichen. Did I do something wrong? Why don't you want to see me? Mommy? Mommy!"

The man in the white cape-coat slowly stood up. He held the crystal ball in his hand with a stony expression, and stared at Mu Yichen, who was tied to the chair. The boy had entered the illusion.

He leaned back in his chair with his eyes tightly shut. His brows were tightly knitted as he kept muttering, "Mommy... Mommy, don't leave me... Mommy..."

From the moment he broke the crystal ball, Little Yichen had already entered a hypnotic state. Everything he saw and was a hallucination. It was a hallucination created by himself.

The highest level of hypnosis is to unearth the darkest side of a person. Everyone has a dark side. Even Little Yichen was no exception. In the depths of his heart, there was a deep fear.

In reality, although Little Yichen outwardly looked cheerful, gentle, and adorable, deep attention. This was something that he himself may not even realize.

All along, he felt deeply that Yun Shishi valued Youyou more. Just as difficult as it is to balance a full bowl of water, it is impossible to split one's affection evenly between two people. Little Yichen had always known that Yun Shishi gave Youyou a little more attention. It was not that he was not envious, but as an older brother, he did not take issue with it. However, he still yearned for his mother to love him a little more. More than anything, he yearned to be on par with Youyou. These private thoughts had always been suppressed in his heart. Little Yichen did not care who his mommy loved more. Be it Mommy or Youyou, they were close family members. As long as he could be with his family, he was satisfied!

However, through hypnosis, his private thoughts and uneasiness, as well as his fear of being overlooked, were magnified several times. An illusion had been created for him through hypnosis. Through this illusion, he would face the deepest fear in his heart.

This fear continued to grow. It was going to become a nightmare that would be impossible to deal with. In this nightmare was an extremely cold world. He would not be able to find his way out or escape. Gradually, in the nightmare, the decay, the despair, the collapse, would lead to his heart dying

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Mu Yichen sat on the chair, his eyelashes trembling violently. Soon after, a tear slowly seeped out of his eyes.

"Despair..." The man in white cape-coat let out a faint sigh! Even the wisest person would find it hard to accept such a sense of despair!

In Little Yichen's heart, whether it was Yun Shishi or Mu Yazhe, Youyou or Yueyao – it all went without saying how important they were to him. Entering such a bleak and hopeless illusion would have left him in complete despair!

The man studied the boy's face. Suddenly, he noticed something strange. Little Yichen's expression gradually softened. It was as though a gentle sense of relief had come over him.

"Youyou... Yueyao..." His lips curled into a loving and warm smile as he gently spoke those names. As if he was gratified.

"What's going on!?" The man in white stared at him in great surprise and entered his hypnotic illusion. As an experienced hypnotist, he could easily enter the environment of a hypnotized person.

Upon entering the illusion, he saw the boy standing at the entrance of the villa by himself, looking like a lonely child abandoned by the world. However, he then hid in the bushes outside the villa and looked at the courtyard while lying prone in the recessed area.

The man walked to his side. He could see the scene that Little Yichen had created.

Little Yichen could not see him, however, he could also see through the boy's eyes.

In the courtyard, Youyou sat on the swing while Yun Shishi gently pushed him. Youyou was having fun, and he let out a series of bell-like laughter.

"Haha... Mommy, a little higher! A little higher!"

"Alright!" She laughed as she pushed him higher. Mu Yazhe stood by the side with Yueyao in his arms, watching everything quietly.

The family of four, without Little Yichen, seemed happy still.

Little Yichen did not dare to barge in and disrupt the harmonious moment. He stood guard outside the door and secretly watched this scene, feeling happy from the bottom of his heart!

Especially when he heard Youyou's crisp laughter, he smiled as he felt genuine gladness!

"Be careful." He kept watch over them softly, even though he knew no one could see him. He worried that the boy might accidentally fall from the swing.

From the anticipation and envy in his eyes, one could tell that he really wanted to join them. However, he did not dare to interrupt this beautiful moment. He knew that he was no longer welcome or accepted. However, he still harbored a tiny bit of hope. Even if he only hid in an invisible corner and watched this scene, this was good enough for him!

The man in white was somewhat alarmed. He squatted down and studied Mu Yichen. It was hard to imagine that such a child would not feel unfairly treated and indignant over such a chilling scenario!

Would he not be angry? Everyone rejected him, distanced themselves from him, and treated him coldly.

His most beloved younger brother said to him, "Don't come home!"

His beloved mommy told him, "We don't need you anymore!"

His most trusted daddy said coldly, 'Get lost! I don't want to see you!'

Was he really not sad at all? He had been betrayed by his family. Was there not a hint of disappointment or despair?

Did he really... harbor no hatred at all?.

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The man in white followed the boy's gaze. The scene before him was heartwarming and blissful. However, the illusion he created for the boy was not like this at all! Could Little Yichen have changed the illusion with his own willpower?

An experienced hypnotist would create an illusion that would allow the hypnotized person to enter a false illusion. The betrayal of his family, the abandonment of his family... In this way, the hypnotized person would develop self-doubt and eventually abandon all his memories. Youyou started to doubt himself because he witnessed those cruel and cold memories. In the end, he suffered a backlash from the first personality and his memories were sealed.

Little Yichen, however, did not follow his lead into this illusion he created. Instead, he altered the nature of the illusion!

When the man in white saw this, he immediately waved his hand lightly, and the scene before them instantly vanished!

Mu Yichen felt his vision blur as the villa disappeared. Youyou and Yueyao were no longer around. Mu Yazhe and Yun Shishi had also disappeared. In its place was a cloud of smoke.

He only felt as though he had been plunged into pitch darkness where he could not even see his own fingers.

Little Yichen panicked for a moment, but he quickly calmed down. Walking in the misty environment, he surveyed his surroundings and reached out to push away the thick fog, but he still could not see his surroundings clearly.

"Mommy..." Little Yichen tried calling out a few times, but all he could hear was the echoes of his own voice. "Youyou..." As he trod carefully through the fog, he could not see a single person in sight!

This must be a nightmare... It must be a nightmare!

Little Yichen kept reminding himself to wake up from his nightmare as soon as possible. However, in the blink of an eye, he vaguely saw a snow-white figure flash past.

"Who's there!?" Little Yichen panicked and ran after that figure! "Mommy! Youyou, is that you?!" He frantically ran after it, but after running for an unknown period of time, he suddenly tripped over something! He tumbled onto the ground.

Little Yichen looked up wearily and saw a tiny figure standing before him.nThe fog gradually thinned. The little fellow's face became clearer! Little Yichen looked shocked! He saw the little Yueyao standing before him, looking down at him with contempt. She stood there sucking on her pacifier with relish. However, her gaze was empty, as though she was being controlled by someone. While her face was familiar, the feeling that she gave was unfamiliar and foreign!

"Yue..." Before Little Yichen could finish his sentence, he felt a dull pain in his chest. He looked down and was taken aback to see a tiny, tender hand that was tightly gripping a dagger. The tiny, tender hand closed around the handle of the dagger belonged to the harmless and innocent little Yue Yao.

She thrust the dagger viciously into his gut as a creepy smile spread across her face. Her lips parted in a smile, and her pacifier fell to the floor. Then she broke into a peal of silvery and clear laughter. "Hahaha, so much blood..."

Little Yueyao retracted her hand and smeared droplets of blood on her face. Her smile was innocent and harmless. However, under such circumstances, it only made people shudder!

"Hehehehe..."

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Little Yichen lightly clutched his abdomen. He accidentally exerted a little more force and blood gushed out.

"Why..." He stared at little Yueyao in disbelief. He did not know why his little sister, whom he had always loved dearly, would so ruthlessly stab him all of a sudden! "Why..."

Yue Yao looked at him, but her gaze instantly became mournful. She spoke in a childish voice, but her voice was devoid of emotions. "I'm going to kill you."

"Why..." Little Yichen shook his head and smiled bitterly. "No, you're not Yueyao. Yueyao won't do this to me. She won't..."

### Pfft!

Little Yichen's body stiffened, and the muscles on his back twitched uncontrollably. He struggled to get onto his feet. As he lowered his head, another sharp dagger viciously pierced his back. He staggered and turned around unsteadily, only to come face to face with a ghastly looking Youyou.

"Didn't I tell you not to come home!?" Youyou yelled at him sharply, "Didn't I tell you to scram?! Why are you back?!"

Little Yichen looked at his brother, gritted his teeth, and started crying. Tears streamed down his face.

He stubbornly wiped his tears and said hoarsely, "Youyou, don't be like this!"

"I'll kill you! I'll kill you!" Youyou suddenly pulled out the dagger and came closer to him. "Mu Yichen, if I kill you, Mommy will belong to me completely! I don't have to worry about anyone taking Mommy's love from me anymore! Without you, Mommy will only dote on me!"

Little Yichen felt his throat constrict, and a metallic taste rose from within. He swallowed hard to suppress the bloody smell and explained, "No... I'm not trying to snatch Mommy from you! Youyou, I'm your big brother! I'm your big brother..."

"Shut up!" The boy hollered at the top of his lungs, "You're not my big brother! I told you to shut up; I don't have a brother like you!"

With that, he held the dagger tightly and approached Little Yichen!

"No... No..." Little Yichen kept crying and begging!

With his strength and capability, be it in the dream realm or even if he were heavily injured, he could easily overcome the weak child before him. But he couldn't bear to. He could not bear to hurt Youyou. Even though he sustained multiple injuries, he was unwilling to hurt Youyou even a little!

"Youyou... I'm your big brother. Don't be like this. Open your eyes and take a good look..." Pfft! Youyou did not let up. Grabbing Little Yichen's collar tightly with one hand, he plunged the dagger into his flesh.

"Sob..." Little Yichen groaned. A tiny trail of blood appeared at the corner of his mouth. He gripped his brother's shoulder tightly, instinctively wanting to push him to the ground due to the excruciating pain from his almost numbed nerves. However, after a brief moment, he relaxed his grip.

Little Yichen curled his lips helplessly. No matter what, he still could not bear to hurt his younger brother!

"Youyou... It's okay... you don't remember me..." Little Yichen uttered these words with difficulty. Clenching his fists, he endured the all-consuming pain as cold sweat covered his entire back.

One stab after another, Youyou kept plunging the dagger into his body. Little Yichen could no longer feel any pain, as if all of his nerves had gone numb.

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Youyou's ferocious expression kept enlarging and enlarging in his vision... His eyes were bloodshot.

Little Yichen's body turned limp as he fell to the ground. He had lost count of how many times he had been stabbed, and he did not counterattack. He only knew that Youyou was his younger brother! Even if Youyou disowned him, hurt him, and wanted him dead, he could not hurt Youyou!

"Youyou..." Little Yichen choked. "It's me. Open your eyes... Open your eyes wide and look carefully... okay... Youyou, it's me... Mu Yichen..."

Youyou gave him one final stab and smiled coldly. "I know you're Mu Yichen."

Mu Yichen was stunned.

"Do you think I lost my memory? What a joke. I was only using you. I wanted to drive you away from Mommy! Now, I've returned to Mommy, and you're right here, dying without a resting place!"

Mu Yichen's entire body stiffened. He shook his head vigorously and forced a smile. "No... it's not like that..."

Before he could finish his sentence, he heard the sound of high heels clicking nearby. The high heels struck the ground with each step, producing an extremely pleasant sound. Except that the hollow echo, in such an environment, seemed rather terrifying.

Mu Yichen looked in the direction of the sound and caught the sweeping motion of a snow-white dress. A woman walked slowly towards him through the thick black fog.

"Mom..." Little Yichen stared blankly in that direction and struggled to smile. "Mommy..."

As the footsteps approached, Yun Shishi's tall figure gradually came into view. "Mommy..." Little Yichen sat up with enthusiasm. He could not stand up at all. After suffering so many injuries, just sitting up took all his strength.

Yun Shishi walked over and squatted down beside him. Her eyes were filled with tenderness and pity as she stared at his face and gently caressed it. "Does it hurt?" She asked gently, there was a hint of solace in her tone.

Little Yichen smiled and immediately answered, "It doesn't hurt..." "It doesn't hurt?" Yun Shishi's gaze fell on the wounds on his body. Her slender and fair hand reached out to gently caressed one of them. Suddenly, she dug in ruthlessly and as she did so, blood instantly gushed out!

"Tssss—"The boy arched his back in pain, breaking out in cold sweat.

"Did I hurt you?" Yun Shishi smiled apologetically and immediately hugged him gently to comfort him. "Little Yichen, it won't hurt anymore. Be good! It won't hurt anymore soon."

The boy smiled weakly. "Mommy, it's okay. It doesn't hurt..."

"But you've lost so much blood..."

Yun Shishi hugged him even tighter and sounded heartbroken as she said, "Little Yichen, it will stop hurting. Very soon..."

"You will be freed..." The moment she said this, Little Yichen felt a sharp and acute pain in his chest. His vitals.

Previously, whether it was Yueyao or Youyou, they did not stab him in his vitals. Only Yun Shishi's stabbed him right in his heart with her dagger. However, he could no longer feel the pain. Little Yichen did not look surprised, but when he raised his head and saw the coldness on Yun Shishi's face, he finally could not hold back his emotions.

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The boy continued coldly, "Gong Shaoying, you're not worthy of me calling you 'Grandpa', nor are you worthy of Mommy acknowledging you as her father! How could you do such a cruel thing to Youyou and I?! Let me tell you, Mommy knows how you've treated Youyou. She won't let you off!"

Gong Shaoying was stunned into silence.

The man in white asked excitedly, "How did you do it?"

Little Yichen turned to him. "What?"

"Weren't you swayed at all?" The man's voice had a feminine quality to it. He was just like a youth, without the calmness of an adult man. "You were betrayed by your mother, brother and sister, while your father remained indifferent. Didn't that devastate you and cause you to lose all hope?"

After a long silence, Little Yichen curled his lips in disdain. "So this is the method you used to hypnotize and seal someone's memories!?" Little Yichen sneered mercilessly. "Ridiculous!"

"You..."

"Why should I believe that they betrayed me?" The thought of Yun Shishi brought a warm expression to Little Yichen's face. "Mommy will always be my mommy. Youyou will always be my younger brother. Be it Yueyao or Daddy, they are all an inseparable part of my life! I'd sooner die than allow you to erase my memories of them!"

These words jolted the man in white! He didn't expect Little Yichen to have such willpower and would remain so steadfast! Gong Shaoying staggered a step back. After being in a daze for a brief moment, a hint of admiration appeared in his expression.

"Very good!" After saying that, he turned around and left!

The man in white had a complex expression in his eyes as he shot the boy a look. Then he turned and left as well.

Mu Yichen was left alone in the dark room. His chest rose and fell for a long time before he finally calmed down. And for a long time, he did not dare to close his eyes, for fear that if he did, those horrible scenes would return!

"Mommy..." Little Yichen sighed softly. "Youyou, Yueyao, Daddy, you... must wait for my return..."

When Lisa regained consciousness, she realized that she too, had been held captive in a secret chamber.

When she opened her eyes, she saw a slanted skylight in the upper left corner of the room. Through the window, she could make out that the sky had brightened slightly.

It was dawn.

How long had she been unconscious? She estimated it might have been a few hours.

Then... what about Mu Yichen?

Was he locked up here too?!

At the thought of Little Yichen, Lisa struggled anxiously. However, the rope became tighter the more she struggled. This knot was tied using a special method. The more she struggled, the more it would tighten. She calmed down, held her breath, and slowly drew her bones into herself. Even Gong Jie didn't know that she had learned how to shrink her bones.

In the past, when she was in the training camp, she was often locked up. Once she was locked up, she would have no food for a few days and only water to drink. She would be so hungry that her eyes would turn bloodshot. It was then she learned how to escape from the secured cage.

At first, the bars of the cage were not close to each other. She was small and thin then and easily escaped from the cage.

Once out of captivity, she stole some leftover food, was caught again and returned to the cage. Later on, they locked her up in a stronger cage, she began to practice the ability to shrink her bones. She did not expect that she would really master it.

The human skeleton frame is actually very small. Shrinking one's bones does not necessarily mean that one's bones become smaller. Rather, it involves contracting the muscles to draw in the bones, and this can reduce the skeleton frame size by half.