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"Before that, we should offer incense to Mr. Heath." Luther reminded.

After they entered the door, they kept talking and didn't do anything.

Jacqueline reacted and hastily apologized, "I'm sorry, Cecelia. Look at me, I forgot all my manners."

She took out an envelope from her bag, "Please accept it." Inside the envelope was a really thick stack of money.

Cecelia took the envelope and did not refuse. This was just the rule of high society courtesy, refusing it would make the whole thing awkward. Usually, they should just accept it first, and then find a better opportunity to return it in some other way.

Cecelia beckoned, handed the envelope to an adjutant, and gestured to the adjutant that they should offer incense.

Immediately afterwards, another adjutant handed over three incense sticks.

Jacqueline received the incense first, she went to the casket, bowed three times respectfully and inserted the incense into the censer.

then handed Luther three more

stepped forward and approached the casket, bowed three times respectfully, and inserted the side and stole a

black before, silent and majestic. The black of his suit set off the details of

help but swallow. Although Rodney's casket was beside her, she was fearless. Anyway, the old thing would be sent back to the General Military District tomorrow for burial, and

would soon belong to her, and she was about to get overwhelmed by the

him pitifully, "Thank you

Luther

but her tear-stained, pitiful face made him feel repulsed. It felt repulsive in his heart, but obviously Rodney passed away and

looked? The Charlotte he remembered was also soft and helpless, so why did he

breath and deliberately kept his distance from

Cecelia, "Cecelia, the general should

floor. Sorry, I had a lot of things to take care of at home and couldn't come

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Luther walked right up to Ralph and greeted him respectfully.

"General Heath, how do you do. I'm Luther."

Ralph slowly raised his head, measuring the imposing man in front of him, and his eagle eyes showed appreciation. He just had to admit that the man standing in front of him was indeed quite extraordinary. No wonder Charlotte's heart was tied to this man.

"Hmm. As expected, extraordinary. Please excuse me for not being able to entertain you today because of the change in my family." Ralph's tone was much more polite. He had quite a problem with Luther before, because Charlotte was pregnant unmarried, plus Luther was slow to take a stand. Although he was upset, it was still Cecelia who was in charge of all the family's affairs, big and small, so he did not comment.

When he met Luther in person today, he put aside his preconceived notions and thought that a man like Luther was indeed not something that a woman as soft as Charlotte could tether. If Charlotte could be anything more like Cecelia when Cecelia was young, then she probably could be able to manage such a man.

Unfortunately, Charlotte was not like him or Cecelia at all.

could not be forced, and they could only accept

Ralph did not want to get involved, leaving it all to

to the couch

nodded slightly and took

two men first exchanged a few words of courtesy and chatted for a

bids that the Capital

the real estate project in the Capital?" Ralph

latest central business district, and this project will become the center of the construction of the country's tallest landmark, with commercial area, subway station, high-speed rail station all in one place. However, because this land contains a secret underground base of the military. So many procedures need

happens to belong to our military district. And the approval of this special procedure needs to go through my

that the Capital is not like Khebury. Khebury is more about the economy, the Capital is more

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Jacqueline knew that Rodney had just passed away and that it was inappropriate to mention the engagement to Cecelia now.

She had been so anxious to get Luther to agree to be engaged to Charlotte, and she didn't expect the Heath family to have such a sudden accident at this critical moment. Now they would have to take care of the funeral, and she had no idea whether the Heath family would postpone the engagement.

Right now there were still more than ten days before the engagement. The invitations had all been sent out, and all the preparations had been made. At this time, if they just canceled the engagement, no matter what she said, such a hasty cancellation would affect the Warner family's reputation, plus the Heath family was not going to announce the death of Rodney. At that time, the outside world would certainly be suspicious. She didn't really know what to do this time.

Just now she had found the opportunity to speak, but Luther said he wanted to offer incense and interrupted her.

Right now, she finally found an opportunity.

beside her about the

hurriedly approached and asked in a low voice, "Cecelia, how long will it take for you to return from the

In addition, Rodney passed

jumped and she poked around again, "Cecelia, is Charlotte

intention. Jacqueline was worried that the originally planned engagement would be postponed. In fact, she was also worried, only she could not

go as planned with a little

descendant of the Heath family,

few moments, she seemed to understand Jacqueline's meaning, and her bright eyes shone slightly, "Oh, I see, you are

the engagement? Of course,

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"Let me think about it." Cecelia's long brow furrowed.

Charlotte had been with Cecelia for a while, and when she saw Cecelia's hesitant expression, she was afraid that Cecelia would reject Jacqueline.

She stepped forward and took Cecelia's arm before she could open her mouth, "Mom, can you come into the room with me alone for a moment, I want to talk to you alone."

Cecelia glanced at Charlotte and nodded her head in agreement.

Charlotte looked back at Jacqueline with a wink, telling her that she would figure out what to do next.

Jacqueline was silent, her brow furrowed. Now she could only depend on Charlotte to convince Cecelia.

on the first

"Charlotte, what do

a thud, and before she could say anything,

was hoarse

wrong, Charlotte, why are you kneeling? Get up quickly." Cecelia

this request. But mom, I really don't want to postpone my engagement. You know, it was so hard for me to be able to marry the man I love, and I have gone through a lot of ups and downs in between. Now that Luther has finally accepted me, I really

a low sob, "Mom, I didn't expect my grandfather to pass away suddenly. I am so sad, I miss him so much. Poor grandpa couldn't see me get married, but if he could be there, he would be happy for me. But now, what should I do? Mom, I am so embarrassed.

could she not understand her daughter's

that after three months, your belly could be very

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Charlotte pretended to be in pain, and she grabbed Cecelia's arm and pinched it until it was bruised.

Cecelia panicked and wrapped her arms around Charlotte, who had already lost Rodney and couldn't take any more pain from the loss of her loved ones.

She hugged Charlotte tightly, and her voice even changed nervously, "Charlotte, do you have a stomachache? I will send you to the hospital. It's all my fault. I knew that your placenta is unstable and I should not let you be so emotional. Forget about staying here, you should have stayed in the hospital for two more days until you were completely fine before you were discharged."

"No, no, I don't want to go to the hospital." Charlotte grabbed Cecelia's hands, "Mom, don't send me to the hospital, I want to be with my grandpa for the last time. Don't send me to the hospital. I can do it, I can do it, you can see I can stand up."

With that, Charlotte struggled to get up against Cecelia's body. Pretending her legs were weak, she collapsed into Cecelia's arms again.

"Don't move, don't rush, take your time." Cecelia carefully helped Charlotte to the edge of the bed, laid her down, removed her shoes, and laid her legs flat on the bed, covering her with a thin blanket.

back a sob as her eyes reddened once

cup of hot water. You lie down and take it

room had an automatic hot water dispenser, and while Cecelia was boiling hot water,

few moments later, the call

snuck home last night and I couldn't stop it."

be fine, let her lie flat for two hours first. After that, drive her to the hospital. If there is no emergency, to be on the safe side, I suggest she stay in the hospital for a week, and I will give her

I got

the hot water was ready and she carefully made it warm

sat up reluctantly, took a few sips, and said, "Mom, I feel much better. It was just a stomach

run back!" Cecelia faintly scolded, "You have to listen to the doctor. Take a week off to recuperate. You lie down for two hours, and when this pain passes, I'll send you to the military

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Charlotte opened her mouth, but could not say a word. She purposely transferred Ricky to the Capital, just to avoid unnecessary suspicion.

At the moment she didn't need Ricky back.

"Well, that's settled. No need to discuss."

Cecelia was bold and decisive, and didn't give Charlotte another chance to talk.

Charlotte swallowed her saliva and thought that it was actually not a big deal to have him back, and that they just needed to be more careful.

The most important thing right now was that the engagement could take place as scheduled.

"Okay." Charlotte's eyes were teary and she looked at Cecelia with pity.

Cecelia sighed softly, "You stay in your room and lie still while I go

"Hmm." Charlotte nodded and looked at Cecelia's departing back, the curve of her lips pulled up in a smug

She knew that if she pretended to have a stomachache, she would be able to get anything done, and that

Cecelia, after all, valued

with her own eyes. Only when she saw that with her own eyes, she could be completely at ease.

However, he was dead, and what was it that she had to

took out her cell phone and cozied up to play a little

After Cecelia

She walked over to Jacqueline and Shelly who were

little embarrassed, "I'm sorry, Cecelia, we

of ourselves." Cecelia said, "I have discussed with Charlotte, her placenta is unstable, I want to send her to the military hospital to rest for a week. We will not let her go

Charlotte stays, and I can take care of her instead. Please don't worry about that." Jacqueline

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Jacqueline caught a glimpse of Luther walking down the stairs and hastily said, "We won't bother you today, we should go back."

At that moment, Ralph also came downstairs.

The two families met each other and greeted each other politely and courteously.

Luther looked around and asked politely, "If there is anything you would need our help with, just ask. Mr. Heath had an accident at home, do I need to report it to the local police department?"

For some reason, a strange feeling suddenly flashed through his mind. He thought of his own grandmother, Stephanie, who died also home, and they still hadn't been able to find out who did it.

Who could be so sure that Mr. Heath must have died by accident?

Cecelia replied, "The chief of criminal investigation from the second precinct of the police headquarters came yesterday. He checked the scene carefully, there was no doubt, and he took some files back with him, promising that they would keep it on file confidentially."

"The chief of criminal investigation of the second division?" Luther was stunned

"Karl was here last night? Wouldn't, by any chance, he

our home. Speaking of which, Sergeant

Luther's handsome eyebrows were knitted together, and his heart was quite puzzled. He didn't expect Karl

"Oh. You don't know? I thought you'd know something about him since you've dealt with him over the whole Stephanie thing. He's got quite a background. His father is Chief Justice Chester Gregory and his mother Michal is the heir to the third largest construction company. The Cole family is related to us, the Heath family, by marriage and he could be considered Charlotte's cousin." Cecelia

"So that's how it is. No wonder

He thought to himself, "Karl has such a powerful background, no wonder he dares to ignore him and fight with him head-on. The most crucial thing is that Karl obviously likes Joyce, and as long as one's eyes

He thought again of

another woman, stay away from her. You don't want to marry her, there are plenty of men willing

this, he was so angry that he clenched his fists,

First Justin, then Karl... Now she was even

it was so late

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Subsequently.

Luther, Jacqueline, and Shelly then bid farewell to Cecelia and Ralph and left the Heath family first.

After they got quite far away from the door.

Jacqueline said sideways to Luther, "Luther, Charlotte was a little sick just now, she went back to her room to have a rest, so she didn't come out to see us off, you don't mind."

"Hmm." Luther frowned. Not only did he not mind, but he also didn't even notice. If Jacqueline hadn't mentioned it, he would have forgotten about Charlotte's existence.

"Luther, what did you and Ralph just talk about upstairs?" Jacqueline noticed an extra file folder in Luther's hand.

"Well, it's about the Capital's real estate project. It's actually Ralph who is going to make the decision. He made two conditions for the Warner family. If we can do it, then the project, naturally, is ours." Luther mentioned faintly.

was finally going to reach out to the Capital. She had long heard that the Capital had a top-level circle of military and political

"Luther, just now Cecelia has promised that the engagement will not be postponed because of Rodney's death. Charlotte will not return to the Capital, she will stay. We will just hold the engagement as planned then. Only,

"Hmm." Luther replied indifferently,

in his mind. Since it helped the Warner family and his mother was satisfied,

"Great, I'm

Shelly's eyes lit up, she had wanted to see what the Capital was like for a long time, and she was getting tired of

we should not stay long. We the Warner family

the car project to

future, he would have to discipline Shelly well, so that she would

"Luther, will

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On the other hand, Joyce was now working at R&S Group headquarters.

She finally slept soundly last night and woke up refreshed in the morning. Now she still had two weeks before she should finish the emergency evacuation part of her driverless design.

This was a work that she felt very proud of. Compared to the previous integrated casting design that caused quite a stir the new project was more high-end, and she had also put in even more effort.

It was actually a privilege to work for R&S Group, which provided her with a special laboratory. It was a privilege to be able to put ideas into practice in a way that no other company could. What was the point of having an idea if she could not even have the opportunity to realize it? In this regard, R&S Group was a strong company, with better funding and ideas.

It was nearing noon.

Justin sent a location to a Thai restaurant not far away across the street from the group.

Joyce then remembered that she had promised to have lunch with Justin last night.

She quickly gathered her things on the table and told Juanita that she was going out. Then she went downstairs and went to the restaurant across the street for lunch.

Justin had been waiting

here." Justin lifted the corners of his lips and

have to go back to the office as soon as possible. So I will

"Don't worry, I thought about that, knowing you're quite busy. I came early and already ordered my food." Justin snapped his fingers, signaling that

brought up their signature dishes such as seafood soup, lemon chicken and pineapple

restaurant. You try

Joyce did get hungry and started

"Joyce, what projects are you working on these

"Driverless." Joyce briefly mentioned, "Applications for emergency

laughed, "You're great. First it was shooting and now it's automotive design. Would

Joyce was drinking her soup

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"Joyce, come to my company and we will start a business together. What you create with your own hands will be your own in the future. I know you don't like to depend on anyone." His voice was so gentle that it made her feel crispy.

"I don't know anything about finance, and I can't be of any use in your circle. In fact, when I first entered college, when you broke your legs, I had thought about studying finance and starting over with you to help you find yourself. However, my interest was not in that area. Tried a few classes, and it didn't stick." Joyce picked up the lemon juice in her hand and took a sip. The sour taste permeated her heart and lungs.

Justin didn't think that once Joyce had ever thought that way. What a wonderful girl he missed out on... She had tried to help him get up physically and mentally. If he hadn't given up on himself, if ... maybe he would have hit on her a long time ago.

In the end, he took the wrong path.

A sad look came into his eyes, "Joyce, I've never heard you talk about it."

Joyce smiled.

She said only casually, "It was all a long time ago."

Justin's clear eyes dimmed. The fact that she said it without any burden at this moment meant that she was no longer thinking about it. A sinking feeling of loss crossed

"I can build a car company just for you, where you can do whatever you want." He suddenly tightened his

want to see you be yourself. You don't have to worry about me, I actually have plans. When I first joined the board of the R&S Group, I promised the directors that I would complete the project for the driverless

Justin was just

"You don't have to persuade me. I want

"Hmm." He knew her character

"But don't refuse my help, in your time of need. You took care of me for two

"Okay. I will."

she felt that she has been able to get

was finally back on his

changed." She raised her eyes, and the glow of

Raising her wrist to check her watch, she let out a low scream, "I forgot the time.