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Chapter 581

Task NO 1 How To Pursue Miss CEO Chapter 581-The hut was clean and meticulous, which was a pleasant sight to behold. When the group passed by the study, a rich scent of herbs drifted out. “My master is in there. You should go greet him.”

“Doctor Werner, I’m sorry to have imposed ourselves on you,” Selena said politely.

“Hmph! What kind of parents bring their children on an outing during such a cold day? By the way, don’t even think about using the kids to put pressure on me into administering any sort of treatment! Leave once the snow stops!” The gray-haired doctor who reprimanded them had his back to the entrance, so none of them could see his face. All they knew was that he had a powerful voice.

The old man smiled awkwardly. “This way please. My master has a bad temper, so please don’t take his words to heart.”

“I don’t think he’s just grumpy.” Pierre snorted.

Upon hearing that, Selena glared at him. “I’m sorry, mister, and thank you for your assistance.”

The old man was polite and kind as he showed them to a guest room. “We only have a single room here. I’m afraid it will be a tight squeeze considering you have three children, but please bear with it.”

“Sure. Thank you.”

“However, my master no longer treats the sick, nor does he like the company of strangers. After the snow stops and the trail clears out a little, I’m afraid you’ll have to leave.”

“Okay.”

After offering them some hot water and snacks, the old man left. Although the hut was small, it was warm. The kids never got to spend time in a mountain before that, so they—especially Juniper and Jameson—were awfully excited as they admired the snow while leaning against the window.

After having some snacks, Selena got Juniper and Jameson to join Joaquin, who was already fast asleep after lying down in bed, to take a nap. Even Pierre and Selena fell asleep soon after, as they were also exhausted after two consecutive hikes.

A while later, Juniper opened her eyes to poke at Jameson. “Jamie, Jamie...”

Jameson was a little full, so he was already feeling groggy. Muttering to himself, he rolled over in bed.

Seeing that, Juniper asked, “Won’t you play with me?”

“No...”

After being rejected, Juniper blinked as she lay awake in bed. However, she couldn’t fall asleep at all. Upon noticing that the snow was still falling outside when she looked out of the window, she figured she should build a snowman so that she could show them to her parents when they woke up.

Therefore, she snuck out of the door after putting on her winter clothes. She built a tiny snowman, but it didn’t have a nose, so she wanted to find something that she could use as its nose. When she noticed an open door, she entered it.

When Selena woke up, she noticed that Juniper was no longer in the room, which jolted her awake from her semi-conscious state. Then, she woke Pierre, who was sleeping beside her. “Wake up! Quick, you need to get up! Juniper is missing!” In order to not wake Jameson and Joaquin, she made sure to keep her voice low.

When Pierre opened his eyes, he noticed that Juniper was indeed not in the room. “She’d better not have wandered off anywhere,” he muttered. Then, the two grown-ups put on their clothes before starting their search. The hut wasn’t big, and the door was locked, so they figured she had to be somewhere in the hut.

“Juniper is young and curious. I hope she didn’t do anything that will bring us trouble. We already annoyed Doctor Werner; we can’t further aggravate the situation.” Selena was feeling anxious. Although the hut wasn’t huge, it wasn’t that easy to find a kid, as it had a lot of rooms.

“So what if we annoy that old geezer? He won’t treat you anyway!” Pierre didn’t care if he offended the owner of the hut.

“That’s an entirely different matter! You can’t just offend Doctor Werner because he didn’t want to treat me. Anyway, where did Juniper go?” Selena was getting even more worried.

“Hmph. I’ll blow up this mountain if anything happens to my daughter!”

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Meanwhile, Juniper was sitting in a room while fiddling with the herbs on the table. “What do you think you’re doing?” someone chided.

The herb that she was holding fell from her hand as she whipped her head to look at the gray-haired old man. “I wasn’t doing anything.”

On the other hand, both Pierre and Selena were shocked when they heard the scolding. Both of them hurried toward where the noise came from, only to see Juniper sitting in the room. While glancing at the doctor, Selena apologized immediately. “I’m sorry! The kids were taking a nap, but she wandered off without us knowing. I’m so sorry!”

On the contrary, Pierre didn’t feel sorry at all, as his daughter was far more important than the old geezer was to him. Just when Selena quickly swiped in to carry Juniper in her arms, the doctor, Andy Werner, walked up to the table while caressing his gray beard. Before they could leave the room, Andy ordered, “Halt!”

“Be more forgiving, you old geezer! She’s just a kid, so she doesn’t know much! What was it that she broke? I’ll pay you back!” Pierre was glaring at Andy with discontent.

Selena immediately signaled Pierre with a look. “I’m sorry, Doctor Werner. My daughter didn’t do it on purpose. Although I don’t know what she broke, we will compensate for your loss.”

No matter what she said, Andy merely stared at the herbs in silence. His peculiar reaction caused the adults to exchange a glance, as neither had any

idea what he had in mind. “Kiddo, come over here.” With a wave of his hand, he called for Juniper, ignoring the two adults like they were thin air.

After glancing at Pierre, Selena eventually let go of Juniper. “Come on, go and apologize to Doctor Werner.”

As she was told, Juniper went up to Andy to apologize to him. “I’m sorry for touching your things without your permission, Doctor Werner.”

“Come here, little one. Tell me, how did you differentiate these herbs?” As of late, Andy noticed the herbs that he had in stock were damp, so he was thinking of drying them out in the sun. However, the weather wasn’t as nice as he wished for, as it started snowing all of a sudden.

He didn’t have time to sort out the herbs accordingly, so he could only pack all of them into a sack before moving them back into the room. After that, he spent a few days sorting the herbs out according to their classifications. It was a task that he didn’t expect a girl Juniper’s age could handle, say less of handling it correctly.

After thinking through Andy’s question, Juniper walked up to the herbs as she spoke. “This is easy.”

“Easy?” Andy stared at the delicate-looking little girl in front of him. Sorting out the herbs wasn’t necessarily an easy task, as a lot of them were indistinguishable by appearance alone. After all, dried herbs looked almost identical to each other, so it would require an expert to sort them out correctly.

“Yeah! I can easily differentiate them with a sniff!” With that, Juniper picked up a herb to sniff on it.

“Is that so?” Andy stared at her in awe.

“Yeah.” Juniper was thinking of finding her snowman a nose, only to run into a pile of herbs, as well as a small frame beside it. Isn’t this exactly the same as the sorting game that I used to play at home? It’s just that the things I need to sort are different. Therefore, she gave the herbs a sniff before starting to sort them out accordingly upon finding the right categories.

Andy picked up a herb and handed it to Juniper. “Try smelling this.”

Juniper placed the herb under her nose before taking a whiff. “This... belongs here.”

Andy was astonished. She got it right! Elated, he picked up another herb and passed it to her. “What about this one?”

After Juniper sniffed on it, she laid it down in the correct position.

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Juniper stuck her nose over and took a few sniffs. She then paused and sniffed a few more times before she placed it into one of the containers.

“Hahaha...” Andy stroked his beard as he chuckled. “You’re wrong. Why don’t you try smelling these two herbs? Tell me whether they are the same.” He retrieved another type of herb from one of the containers before he held them out for Juniper. She sniffed on both the herbs before she tilted her head sideways to give Andy a puzzled glance. “Both of them smell similar, but they also smell rather different.”

“Hahaha...” He laughed even harder than before. “You have great potential, young girl.”

Selena had no idea what the doctor was laughing about. Juniper had always had a strong sense of smell, and she was especially sensitive when it came to food. Selena had never regarded it as some talent to be proud of. “I’m so sorry, Doctor Werner. We’ll bring our kid home now. We’re sorry for bothering you.” Selena hastily gestured for Juniper to go to her.

However, Juniper didn’t seem interested in her mother then. “So, Doctor Werner, are these two herbs the same?”

“No. But the fact that you managed to tell the differences between the rest of the herbs is already extremely impressive. Some people may not have senses as sharp as yours even after years of studying to be a doctor,” he replied.

“Hehe. So, I got it right!” Juniper’s eyes turned into two straight lines as she grinned at the doctor before running back to her mother. Selena gave the doctor a polite nod before she hurried Juniper away. “This isn’t your house, Juniper. You can’t just run around as you please, okay? Also, you shouldn’t touch any of Doctor Werner’s things.”

Juniper nodded. “But Doctor Werner didn’t seem mad at me,” the young girl uttered.

“He didn’t blame you only because he was a kind and generous man. You’re still not allowed to do the same thing in the future,” Selena warned. Pierre, on the other hand, didn’t seem impressed by the doctor. “How could you call him a generous man? He’s a petty b*stard!” He then kept his mouth clamped shut after Selena threw him a furious glare.

It continued to snow throughout the night, and it only stopped the next morning. “Doctor Werner has asked to see you, Miss Yard.” The old man visited their room to pass them the message.

“Me?” Selena was thrilled when she heard what he said. The old man nodded. “Is he willing to take me in as his patient?” Selena asked as she gazed in Pierre’s direction.

The old man simply narrowed his eyes as he shook his head. “The doctor didn’t say anything about that.”

Pierre gave a cold scoff then. “That old man sure likes acting all mysterious. Well, let’s go, then.” He got up and prepared to leave the room with Selena, but the old man stood in their way before they left. “I’m sorry, sir. The doctor only asked for Miss Yard.”

“What? Are you saying that I’m not allowed to go?” Pierre finally understood the old man’s words. The old man nodded again. “No way!” Pierre couldn’t bear the thought of allowing Selena to go on her own. “It’s either I go with her, or we don’t go at all,” he uttered. A troubled expression surfaced on the old man’s face as he turned toward Selena.

“I’ll follow you there. You can wait for me here, Pierre.” She quickly came to a decision.

Pierre frowned when he heard her suggestion. “Are you going to be okay on your own? Who knows what that doctor is trying to do?” he hissed.

The old man shifted awkwardly in response to Pierre's words. "Doctor Werner is nearly 80 this year, sir." The doctor's so old; how could it be possible for him to show interest in a young and pretty girl like Miss Yard?

"Why does his age matter? Is it related to anything?" Pierre continued. Selena gave him a side-eye before she reiterated her decision. "Alright. This place is tiny anyway; you practically have a view of the whole area if you just looked outside. I'll be back really soon," she said firmly. Pierre finally gave up on arguing.

Selena followed closely behind the old man, and he led her back to the room they had visited the day before. A sandalwood candle had been lit, and the room's ambiance seemed especially calming and peaceful as there was a faint, pleasant scent that lingered in the air.

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The doctor looked up at her for a moment before he gave her a dismissive wave. "You can stop with that pretentious act. Do you think I don't know what's going on in your mind?"

Blood rushed to Selena's face as she responded with an awkward laugh. This old man doesn't filter his words at all, huh. "Well, is there a reason you've asked for me, Doctor Werner?" she asked.

He pointed at a tatami cushion, indicating for her to take a seat opposite him. "What sort of disease are you looking to cure?" he asked.

"I would like to get pregnant again," she replied.

Her words were met with a rather haughty scoff. "Those three kids are your children, aren't they?"

“Yeah. All three of them. They’re triplets.” Selena didn’t seem to mind his response—she had accepted the fact that no one else would be able to comprehend her desire to have another child.

“You want to have another child after giving birth to three of them? Have you forgotten how torturous it was to have a child?” he asked. Selena didn’t say anything—she simply listened to him talk as she didn’t wish to explain herself any further. He finally stopped for a moment before he lifted his chin. “Give me your hands,” he ordered.

She held her hands out, and Andy felt for a pulse on her right hand before shifting over to the left. He then stroked his beard thoughtfully. Selena kept quiet and waited for him to say something.

Andy eventually nodded his head. “You don’t have any diseases, but it will be hard for you to get pregnant again. I’m afraid it won’t be easy for you to get another child.” Selena felt her heart sinking upon hearing his words. She hadn’t expected a traditional Chinese doctor to tell her the same things that the other doctors did. “It’s hard, but it’s not impossible,” Andy continued.

“Can you help me, Doctor Werner?” she asked.

“I can try,” he uttered as he continued to smoothen his beard with his fingers. “But I have one condition.”

“What is it?” Selena had always assumed that god-like individuals like Andy weren’t interested in their own benefits, so she was surprised to hear that he actually had a condition.

“I want your daughter to become my apprentice,” he said.

She was too stunned to say anything as she hadn’t expected him to request Juniper as his apprentice. “Well...” She wasn’t entirely against the idea of it, but she thought that Juniper was simply too young. Traditional Chinese medicine was a challenging subject to master, and Selena didn’t want Juniper to suffer in any way.

Ever since she found out about Juniper’s illness, all she hoped for her daughter was a healthy and happy childhood. Selena had never thought about Juniper’s education or her career and specialization. In fact, Selena didn’t mind even if Juniper never got a job at all—Pierre and Selena could take care

of Juniper for the rest of their lives. She simply wanted Juniper to live a worry-free life.

“What? Are you not okay with it?” Andy knitted his brows and glared at Selena. “Do you know how many people out there wish that I was their master? I’ve chased all of them away! You should be honored that I’m asking for your daughter personally. How dare you reject me!” He was clearly frustrated.

“No, no. That’s not what I meant. To be honest, I’m not the only one who needs help from a doctor. I’m also here because of my children. My daughter, Juniper, had previously been diagnosed with leukemia.

She had a bone marrow transplant, and my son was her donor. Although they are all fine now, I still think that they seem rather weak. I was hoping that you would be able to help improve their health.” She lowered her gaze as she continued, “Juniper is a really thoughtful and mature kid.

She didn’t complain—not even once—when she received her treatment at the hospital, and she even tried to comfort me during then. She had suffered a great deal during both her hospitalizations. I understand that she should feel honored to have been chosen by you as her apprentice. Our whole family feels honored.”

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“A normal person may think of traditional Chinese medicine as a tough subject to master, but how sure are you that traditional Chinese doctors don’t take joy in studying it?” Andy exhaled slowly before he continued, “You should go back and reconsider my offer. I think it would be good if you asked for your daughter’s opinion before giving me your answer.”

Selena smiled. “There are tons of children who are just like my daughter, Doctor Werner. Is there a reason she caught your eye?”

“Your daughter is naturally talented. If she properly learns and sharpens her skills with me, I’m certain that she will be a great contributor to our field of medicine someday,” he replied.

It felt good to hear someone calling her daughter talented, but Selena simply couldn’t bear the thought of Juniper having to suffer in any way. “I’ll go back and think about it,” she finally said.

Meanwhile, Pierre paced back and forth in the room as he waited for Selena to return. No one dared to talk to him as he looked too grim and moody to be approached. He finally rushed over when Selena returned. “Are you okay? Did that old man do anything to you?”

Juniper chuckled as she watched them from aside. “You’re finally back, Mommy! We nearly got dizzy from watching Daddy pace around in the room!”

Selena shifted her focus onto Juniper before she walked over and stroked the young girl’s hair. I really don’t want Juniper to go through those hardships, Selena thought.

“Well, what did the old man say? Did he agree to help you?” Pierre continued asking.

“He did. But he had one condition. He wanted Juniper to become his apprentice,” Selena replied.

“What?!” Pierre was shocked as he hadn’t expected the old man to be more interested in Juniper than Selena. “I don’t think he has good intentions! Why would he want a young child to learn medicine under him? He probably has some hidden motives, right?” Pierre hastily pulled Juniper into his arms. “No way! I don’t agree with this!”

“You’re overthinking it...” Selena actually thought that the doctor sounded sincere about it. She heaved a long sigh.

Right then, the old man who had been taking care of their lodgings knocked on the door. He stood outside the door after Selena opened it and greeted him. “Sir, Madam, I thought you guys should know that the doctor rarely ever takes in apprentices under him. He believes that someone has to have some innate wisdom to be able to succeed in traditional Chinese medicine, so he has only accepted three apprentices throughout his life.”

Selena gave the old man a warm smile. “We understand, mister.”

“No, you don’t. You guys have no idea how many people around this area would die to be the doctor’s apprentice. The doctor only took an interest in your daughter because she’s a smart and talented child.” They had never seen the old man acting so emotionally. “But there’s also another reason the doctor wants to take her in as his apprentice.”

“Look! I told you! That old doctor’s intentions aren’t pure!” Pierre voiced out hastily. Selena threw him a glare, signaling for him to keep his mouth shut. Since when did this man get so talkative?

“Please tell me what’s going on in the doctor’s mind, mister. Why would he even think of taking a five-year-old as his apprentice? What can she learn at such a young age?”

“Doctor Werner’s apprentices are all males. However, acupuncture and moxibustion are both practices that require the patient’s clothes to be removed. It’s hard for male doctors to use this practice with female patients, so these two skills are now on the verge of extinction.

The doctor has stopped seeing patients for years because he’s trying to organize all his data and previous case files on acupuncture and moxibustion.

He hopes that someone will step up and popularize this treatment someday. He has already written a few books on it now, but it would be better if he could directly pass the art of this practice to someone else.

The practice might end up turning extinct if people only tried learning it from books. The doctor finally found hope when he saw your daughter. She isn’t just talented; she’s also a girl!”

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“You’re just trying to gain our sympathy here. The doctor could easily find himself another apprentice. Juniper isn’t a healthy child, so we don’t want her to go through such unnecessary struggles.” Pierre waved him off. Both Pierre and Selena had the same mindset when it came to this matter—they simply wanted Juniper to grow up happily and healthily without struggling during her childhood.

The old man turned to look at Selena once he decided that he wouldn’t be able to convince Pierre. “I really hope you can give this some thought, Madam. This is an amazing chance. Furthermore, the young girl will be surrounded by herbs if she stays here. The scent of the herbs and the doctor’s treatment for her will definitely help with the improvement of her health.”

Selena found herself rather intrigued by the last point that the man made. That’s true. If Juniper practices as Doctor Werner’s apprentice and stays around herbs all day, then Doctor Werner will surely offer to improve her health with his techniques. “You may leave now, mister. I’ll give it some thought.”

Only the five of them were left in the room after the man headed off. Joaquin was kept occupied by his laptop—he could now mess around with it openly since his identity as a hacker was no longer a secret. Jameson, on the other hand, was zoning out as he stared at the snow outside the window. Juniper tugged onto Selena’s shirt then. “Does Doctor Werner want to take me as his apprentice, Mommy?”

“That’s right.” Selena sat on the bed and lifted Juniper to place the young girl on her thighs. “Doctor Werner would like for you to be his apprentice, Juniper. Would you want that?”

“I’d love that!” the young girl exclaimed.

“What did you just say?” Pierre barked. “I want you to stay at home. What is this talk about learning traditional Chinese medicine?! You should just stay home and play with toys!”

Juniper stuck her lips out into a pout.

“Listen, Juniper; traditional Chinese medicine is an extremely complicated and extensive subject. You’d have to sacrifice a lot of time and effort, and you’d have to struggle to master this practice properly. The herbs you saw yesterday might have only been 0.01% of all the other herbs out there. You

would have to remember their names, their functions, and so on..." Selena described it as an especially challenging practice in hopes that it would scare Juniper away.

However, Juniper only hesitated for a moment before she spoke. "Mommy, if I succeed in learning it, will I be able to build a living area like this? Will I be able to stay in the mountains and wait for my patients to come to me? Will I be like Doctor Werner?"

"Erm..." A child's mind really functions differently from an adult's, huh. They sure have weird questions, Selena thought.

"Why are you asking that? Do you want to become some magical healer too?" Pierre lightly knocked his knuckles against Juniper's head. "If you simply want to stay in a place like this, I can just buy a mountain and build the exact same home for you!" I'd shoot myself out into space to bring you a star if that's what my daughter wanted!

"Can you stop disrupting her thoughts?" Selena couldn't stop herself from lecturing Pierre. She understood that they shared the same goal of wanting to protect Juniper from harm, but she believed that Juniper had the right to make her own choice.

"She's only five! What's there to think about? I've made the decision for her, and it's a big, fat no!" Pierre uttered with great finality. She's my daughter. Don't I have the right to choose for her? Of course I do!

"But I want to become Doctor Werner's apprentice!" Juniper's eyes lit up. "That way, I'd be able to save a lot of people, and I'd be able to help Mommy give birth to her baby. Hahahaha..."

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Doctor Werner wants to teach you all about acupuncture and moxibustion, so you'll have to learn how to use needles." Selena brought up the topic of

needles as she knew that Juniper was afraid of them. She hoped that it would be able to scare the young girl off.

“Really? That’s perfect!” Juniper clapped excitedly. “I’ll be able to conquer my fear of needles, then! I want to be Doctor Werner’s apprentice, Mommy! Is that okay?”

Selena and Pierre stared at her exasperatedly. “Look. I told you; it’s useless trying to talk some sense into her. We should just make the decision ourselves. Let’s leave the mountains now. I’m not staying here anymore!” Pierre uttered as he walked over to pick Jameson up into his arms. He called for Joaquin as well.

“I want you to be honest with me, Juniper. Do you really like it?” Selena asked.

Juniper nodded. “I do. I like the scent of herbs.”

“Why would you like the scent of herbs? It stinks!” Pierre cried.

“Herbs smell great!” Juniper protested. Pierre hastily brought the young girl into his arms when he saw how stubborn she was acting. “Listen to me, Juniper. That old doctor is a bad guy, okay?”

She shook her head. “Doctor Werner is a nice man. He’s not a bad guy. He’s a doctor, isn’t he? All doctors are good people because they treat patients and save lives.”

“Other doctors save lives; this old doctor doesn’t! He’s evil!” Pierre argued. Selena pulled Juniper away from him then. “Is this how you’re supposed to educate your children?” she grumbled.

“What’s wrong with my method? Are you really planning to leave Juniper here so that she can become that old doctor’s apprentice? I’ll never agree to that!” Pierre said in a firm tone. He couldn’t bear the thought of allowing his daughter to suffer at such a young age, especially since she had already suffered a great deal.

Selena ran her fingers through Juniper’s hair while ignoring Pierre. “Tell me, Juniper. Are you sure you want to learn medicine from Doctor Werner?”

Juniper nodded. “I think learning medicine is a really cool thing to do, Mommy!” “Cool?” Selena was rather surprised by Juniper’s choice of words.

“Yeah. I’ve always thought that the doctors and nurses who cared for me at the hospital were cool. They had the power to ease your struggles whenever you suffered, the power to make you fall asleep when you couldn’t, and the power to take away your pain when you hurt. Isn’t that really cool? According to the stories I’ve heard, only Gods are able to do such things!” Juniper stared at Selena proudly.

Selena saw where the young girl was coming from then. Juniper has spent so much time in the hospital, and she got along well with all her doctors and nurses. It’s no wonder she has such immense respect for the medical profession. “But things aren’t as easy as they seem, Juniper. Medicine is an extremely tough subject, you know?”

Traditional Chinese medicine is particularly challenging since you’ll have to remember the names of the herbs. There are many, many herbs in this world; you wouldn’t even be able to finish counting all the types of herbs...” Her voice faded as she gently caressed Juniper’s hair.

Nothing Selena said seemed to dampen Juniper’s spirit. “It wouldn’t be challenging if I enjoyed the process. My brain hurts just seeing Joaquin learning all the endless things about computers every day, yet he seems to enjoy it a lot.”

Selena realized that she had underestimated her daughter’s abilities then. “Alright. If you insist on it, then I’ll have to agree with your decision.”

“What agreement is this? Do I look dead to the two of you? Am I not the man of this family? Do I even have the right to speak?” Pierre was evidently frustrated after he heard the conversation between mother and daughter.

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Pierre hissed when he noticed his son eyeing him. Joaquin hastily shifted his gaze back to his laptop while Jameson tried his best to stifle a laugh from his spot in the corner. Pierre felt his insides burning with rage.

Meanwhile, Selena had led Juniper over to Andy's study. Andy had been busy arranging his herbs, but he lifted his gaze when he spotted Selena and Juniper's figures approaching him. "Doctor Werner, I've spoken to my daughter about it. She's willing to be your apprentice, and she wishes to stay here and learn from you," Selena said.

He stood himself upright as he focused his gaze upon the tiny yet intelligent-looking girl. "Come here," he uttered as he gestured for Juniper to go to him. She hurried over in her small, stubby legs. "Are you going to teach me everything, Doctor Werner?"

"Would you like to learn?" he asked in return. "Yeah. I want to treat patients one day. Hehe," she replied.

The doctor tapped the tip of her nose fondly. "Alright. I'll be your teacher, then. But you'll have to stop calling me Doctor Werner from now on and refer to me as your master instead."

"Okay, Master Werner!" she cried happily. "Perfect!" He chuckled.

Although Selena had agreed for Juniper to become the doctor's apprentice, she still had a lot of concerns regarding the situation. "I'm sorry if I sound rude, Doctor Werner, but Juniper's not a very healthy child, and she can be rather naughty at times. If—"

"I know what to do." The doctor interrupted her and gave her a dismissive wave. Selena felt rather frustrated as she hadn't got a chance to finish her words. "Alright. Get your man to come over here. I'll keep my promise and help you to get pregnant again," he continued.

Selena practically dragged Pierre over to the doctor. Andy then felt for Selena's pulse once more. "As a twenty-plus-year-old woman, your body functions like a forty-year-old. Did you know that?" the doctor asked as he stroked his beard.

She was shocked to hear this. How could I have the body of a forty-year-old when I'm only in my twenties?! Am I experiencing premature senility?!

“You gave birth to triplets at the age of 18, and you spent the months after that living in terrible conditions and a depressed state—that’s the main cause. Your experience didn’t just harm you physically; it also traumatized you emotionally. Apart from that, you’ve also spent the recent years in a constant state of worry and stress, which has caused even more strain on your body. Lastly, you seem to be deeply depressed, which only further drains your energy.”

Pierre felt his heart shattering upon hearing the doctor’s words. It’s all my fault. I’m the reason that Selena has had to suffer so much in the past few years. She was barely 18 when she had to bring her children out into a foreign country and undergo periods of harsh training. After that, she even completed a life-threatening mission before she founded the JNS Corporation. She has simply gone through too much—it’s no wonder that she has the body of a forty-year-old.

“You’re still young, so there’s still a chance for you to make some changes here. This damage might be irreversible if you came to me a few years later. I’ll provide you with some medication now, and I want you to try it for a month. I’ll decide on further treatment methods after observing your change within this month.” The doctor scribbled some words on a piece of paper.

“Master Werner, does that mean I’ll be getting a baby sister soon?” Juniper rested her head on her arm as she watched the doctor doing his work. He beamed as he turned to look at the young girl. “Do you want a baby sister that badly?”

“Of course! I even dream about it at night!” she exclaimed.

Selena giggled when she saw the look on Juniper’s face. “Aren’t you afraid that I’ll no longer be as fond of you after your baby sister comes to this world?” Selena teased.

“No way. I know you and Daddy love me a lot, and I know that we’ll all love my baby sister just as much,” Juniper replied in a sincere tone. Selena felt tears welling up in her eyes as she listened to her daughter’s words.

“Okay. I’ll try my best to help your mother get pregnant with your baby sister soon, then.” Andy’s gaze was filled with love and care whenever he looked at Juniper, but he was a completely different person when he spoke to Selena.

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“He will have to save up some of his resources if he wishes to get you pregnant again. I would recommend both of you to have some self-control.” Selena felt blood rushing to her face, and she quickly lowered her head in shame.

“Do you really have to care about that, old man? Aren’t you overstepping your boundaries?” Pierre was displeased. This is the first time I’ve been on vacation in a long while; why can’t my wife and I get a little action in bed?

“You seem rather hot-tempered. Let me give you a prescription for that,” the doctor said.

“I’m not sick! Why do I need a prescription?!” Pierre felt the urge to tear out all the white hair sitting on the old man’s head, and Selena had to pull him away hastily. “Why are you pulling me away? That old man is my enemy now! He didn’t just kidnap my daughter; he even called me a sick person!” he howled.

Selena pressed her palms against her face as she didn’t know what to say then. Meanwhile, Andy didn’t seem bothered by Pierre’s words at all—he wrote out a prescription as he had promised. After that, Selena handed both her and Pierre’s prescriptions to Alex so that he could pluck the herbs needed.

Pierre lost his temper again when he saw the pile of herbs in front of him. “You got herbs for me as well?! Do you think there’s something wrong with my health? Did you get brainwashed by that old man, Selena?!” he shouted.

“What’s wrong with you, Pierre?! You’ve been complaining and hesitating ever since I brought up the topic of having another child. You should be supportive of me since you’ve agreed to it!

Alternatively, you can tell me if you’re not supportive of the idea, and we can discuss it again. But you’ve just been all over the place since we got here.

What exactly is it that you want?!" Selena raised her voice. She had had enough of Pierre's tantrums! He had been coming up with all sorts of unfounded suspicions and allegations ever since he arrived at the mountains.

"I just don't want to see you suffer!" he finally cried. She sank into a period of silence after she heard what he said. Pierre continued to give her the cold shoulder after that, and Selena no longer knew how to approach him. The three children's gazes flicked from one parent to the other as they wondered if they were supposed to say something then.

The snow outside hadn't melted, so Selena brought the three kids out to build a snowman, leaving Pierre alone in the room. He didn't even join them during lunchtime as he was still in a bad mood.

In the end, Selena brought some food into his room. "You should eat something," she urged.

He threw her a side-eye. "I'm not hungry."

She walked up to him and snatched his phone away. "Which one do you like looking at—your wife or your phone?"

It was a bonus question. Although Pierre was angry, he wasn't prepared to get into a full-blown fight with Selena. "I like looking at you more," he muttered.

"Hehe. Well, you should eat some food for the sake of your good-looking wife, then." She placed the dish in front of him. "You should stuff yourself with food so that there'll no longer be space for anger in your stomach."

She continued to watch him as he ate his food. Pierre found himself losing his appetite when he felt a pair of eyes watching his actions. "Just spit it out if you have something to tell me. Stop staring at me like that."

"Are my stares making you shy? I thought my husband was more thick-skinned than this," she replied. He narrowed his eyes and glared at her without replying.

She then lifted his left hand—not his right, as she didn't want to stop him from eating—before placing it over her abdomen. "Have you ever thought about how our three kids came from my belly?"

They used to be the size of tadpoles when they first started off inside here, and they were only the size of tomatoes when we saw them on the ultrasound monitor.” She smiled fondly at the thought of it. “I’ll always remember how it felt like when I got my first ultrasound. I was so, so happy when the doctor told me that I had three babies!

I remember how they looked on the monitor, and I remember feeling it as they grew inside my body. It was nearly four months into my pregnancy when I first felt like there were tiny, squirming motions in my belly.”

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Task NO 1 How To Pursue Miss CEO Chapter 590-“Yeah. They began to hiccup a lot during the last few months, and they would take turns to do it. It felt like they were playing drums inside my belly! Hahaha...” Selena chuckled.

Pierre threw her a glare. “You’re making this up, aren’t you? How would babies be able to hiccup in the womb? Even if they did, how would you be able to feel it?” This is all nonsense!

“I’m completely serious; I’m not lying to you at all! The whole process of getting pregnant and giving birth is a really miraculous experience. I would love for you to see it first-hand, and I want to show the children how they came into this world,” she said.

“Alright, alright. We can have a baby if you really want it. I’m not going to stop you.” He conceded to her requests as he knew that he couldn’t stop her. “I just don’t want you to put too much strain on yourself. I need you to know that I might have to leave without any warning.” He lowered his head and continued with his meal after that.

Selena was well-aware of this; she had even mentally prepared herself for the possibility that he might not be around throughout the entire course of her pregnancy. “I’ll just wait for you to come home,” she replied. In response, he let out a cold scoff, but his lips had curved into a slight smile. I just don’t want Selena—someone I care so deeply about—to go through any pain or suffering.

“Also, I don’t think there’s a need for us to fight over Juniper’s situation. We should just let the kids do whatever they want, as long as they like it, right?” she continued.

“Fine, fine, fine! We’ll just go with whatever you say!” Pierre had finally come to accept the fact that he was the member with the lowest position in their family’s food chain. Fine. I surrender.

The family then spent the next two days in the same place. The snow began to melt after that, and Pierre arranged for a few men to pick them up from the mountains once the roads were clear. Since the Spring Festival was coming soon, they promised Andy to send Juniper over after the celebrations. Before they left, Andy handed a book to Juniper and told her to study it for the time being.

During the drive back home, Selena looked out of the window quietly. Pierre could tell that something was bothering her. “What is it?” he asked.

“It’s nearly the Spring Festival. It’ll be my mother’s death anniversary soon.” Selena fell into a state of melancholy whenever she thought about her mother’s death.

Pierre wrapped an arm around her shoulder. “Should I go with you to visit her?”

Selena nodded. “Sure. I’ve always wanted to introduce my mom to her son-in-law anyway.” They both beamed as they exchanged glances with each other.

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Meanwhile, Linda’s illness dragged on for another whole week back in Yucaria. Lindsay felt sorry for her granddaughter, and she insisted for Linda to have a complete recovery before allowing her to move around. Linda had been faking it from the start, so she could naturally decide when she would fully recover.

The Murray Family immediately traveled to Astoria after Linda recovered, and they all stayed in a villa that Jason had prepared for them a while ago. Linda was the only person who had the address to the cemetery, so the family had to wait for Linda before they could all head over to the place together.

They all arrived at the cemetery after resting in the villa for one day. The weather had been bright and sunny for the past few days, but the skies were gloomy, and it looked like it was about to rain on the day they headed to the cemetery. Thus, it left everyone in a rather glum mood.

A series of tombstones were scattered all over the cemetery. Lindsay's eyes welled up with tears the moment she stepped past the gates. My daughter's buried right here, she thought. "Don't cry, Grandma. I wouldn't have brought you over if you're going to cry. If Mom's watching us from the skies, I'm sure she'd hate to see you acting like this too," Linda uttered. Everyone seemed to feel moisture gathering in their eyes, for the old lady's sadness felt contagious.

"Okay, okay. I'll stop. I'll stop crying." Lindsay fought back her tears and got Linda to lead her toward the tombstones. On this day, Linda walked at a languid pace, not just because Lindsay's legs were weak, but also because she felt burdened by her own thoughts. This visit is going to determine whether I succeed or fail.