

Rising from the Ashes (Andrew and Lauren)

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Chapter 111 Andrew stated firmly, While Ms.

Stevens might be satisfied, Im not quite done yet.

Christina froze, wondering how this guy could still make demands.

She thought he should be counting his blessings and wondered where he got the nerve to ask for more.. To her surprise, Mark played along perfectly.

Mr.

Lloyd, please tell me what else concerns you, and Ill take care of it.

First, we still need to process the loan, Andrew said

Second, these Jayrodale Bank employees who conspired with Nelson are no better than him.

Mr.

Thatcher, I dont think you should allow such parasites to continue working in public service.

Ill have someone process your loan immediately, Mark agreed without hesitation.

Then, he turned his icy gaze toward the employees.

Start drafting your resignations.

I wont repeat myself.

The employees faces turned ghostly white.

They had gotten away with so much nonsense under Nelsons protection that even complaints could not touch them

Yet, Andrews single statement had cost them their cushy jobs

The female employee with the revealing blouse fell to her knees, screaming, Mr.

Thatcher, it was Mr.

OConnor who was lusting after Ms.

Stevens and forced himself on her.

We had nothing to do with it! Another chimed in desperately, Mr.

Thatcher, I cant lose this job

Ill confess everything about Mr.

OConnors crimes if youll spare me.

Nelson harassed his female employees, took kickbacks, and cooked the books... A staff member even said, He even used company funds to buy personal items like lingerie, yoga pants, and other inappropriate things all expensed to the company.

As the terrified employees spilled all of Nelsons dirty secrets, Marks face darkened with anger.

He slapped Nelson hard across the face and growled, You bastard! I cant believe all the outrageous things youve done

Take him away for investigation.

Nelson, who had been bitter about losing his position, now trembled in fear

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Having his private misdeeds exposed meant this was not just about losing his job anymore he could face jail time and lawsuits.

The other employees thought exposing Nelson would save them, but Mark ordered every single one of them to be taken away for investigation as well

Shortly after, Mark had someone process the loan.

The efficiency was almost surreal

As they left Jayrodale Bank, Christina felt like everything that had happened was just a dream. She asked cautiously, Andrew, Mr.

Thatcher did all this because of you, didnt he? Chapter 111 Marks fawning attitude toward Andrew had been obvious to anyone watching

However, she could not understand what made Andrew so special to command such treatment. Christie, youve got it wrong! Irene interjected unhappily.

Mr.

Thatcher clearly helped us because of Harvey.

Leroy commented, Harvey hasnt even shown up yet, so he must be busy pulling strings behind the scenes.

Christie, dont give credit where it isnt due.

Some people dont deserve it! Whatever the reason, we got the loan, and thats what matters, Andrew stated calmly.

Ms.

Stevens, are you really that concerned about who helped us ? Christina bit her lip.

I ... Well, of course I care.

If possible, Id like to thank them in person.

Andrew glanced at her and said flatly, Theres no need for that.

Christina was stunned.

So, Mr.

Thatcher really did all this because of you?

Chapter 112 Chapter 112 Before Andrew could answer, Irene exploded, Andrew, would it kill you not to brag? Harveys obviously the one helping behind the scenes.

Have you no shame ? Andrew smirked.

If hes helping, where is he? Or is he suddenly too humble to take credit for his good deeds? Irene was at a loss for words, her face darkening Christina also found it strange that Harvey had not shown up even though everything was over, wondering if he had not received her messages or if there was another reason

Just then, a sports car came speeding up, and Harvey rushed out.

Christie, Im so sorry Im late

Something came up, he apologized immediately, looking troubled.

Irenes face lit up.

See? I knew Harvey was helping us behind the scenes.

Why else would Mr.

Thatcher take our side? Earlier, Nelson, the bank manager, refused the loan and got handsy with me, but its all sorted now, Christina explained.

Harveys face darkened with rage.

That pervert dared to touch you ? Dont worry, Christie.

Ill make sure that bastard cant show his face in this town again.

No one messes with my fiancée, whether theyre a bank manager or someone even higher up theyll pay dearly for it.

Thats our Harvey always so powerful and commanding, Leroy said admiringly.

Harveys expression turned serious as he held up his hand.

This is my fault for not being careful enough.

I almost let Christie get hurt.

Christie, I apologize and take full responsibility! Irene was beaming at his gentlemanly behavior, thinking what a humble son in law he was, taking responsibility even when he had done nothing wrong.

She could not imagine a better match for her daughter.

Christinas lingering frustration melted away.

This was the Harvey she knew reliable, responsible, and raised with good morals.

Then, Christina turned to Andrew with a smile

Andrew, lets grab something together.

Id like to thank you properly.

No need for thanks, Andrew replied.

Since you believe Mr.

Weller helped, you should thank him instead

Christina frowned, sensing a hidden meaning in his words

Andrew, youre just jealous of Harvey again! Irene snapped

Were being nice by inviting you to a meal.

So dont be ungrateful! Leroy scoffed and mocked, Well, Andrew ? Convinced now that Harvey was the one who got Mr.

Thatcher involved? What do you have to say for yourself? * 25 BONU Chapter 112- I have to say, everyone in your family is exactly the same, Andrew remarked indifferently

What do you mean? That we can see right through your fake act? Leroy said smugly.

Andrew looked at him and stated calmly, No, I meant youre all idiots.

You son of a ... Leroy choked on his words, fuming.

Leroy, thats enough! Christina commanded.

Then, she turned to Andrew with a stern voice.

Andrew, you did help me a lot with the loan, but insulting people like this is going too far! Harvey interjected, smiling

Andrew, I know what youre thinking you think I was too cowardly to help, right? I couldnt care less about that, Andrew replied, smirking.

Chapter 113 I just dont want someone to be twisting the truth and taking credit for another persons hard work, Andrew said calmly

Harvey shook his head with a wry smile.

Andrew, your bias against me keeps growing, and I dont even know what I did to offend you.

He pulled out his phone and showed Christina, Irene, and the others his call history.

Look, I called Mr.

Thatcher an hour ago .

Heres the proof Now, what do you have to say for yourself? Irene shouted at Andrew. Leroy smirked.

Mr.

Thatcher obviously came to help us an hour ago because of Harvey's call.

Andrew, stop trying to compete with Harvey. He's out of your league.

Harvey sighed dramatically and said, "Actually, I didn't just call Mr.

Thatcher.

I also had our family's connections ready to step in, along with several other powerful allies.

I could have had people here in minutes if Christie needed them.

Harvey, you're absolutely incredible! Leroy exclaimed, giving him a thumbs up.

Andrew shook his head, amazed at how the Stevens family could build such elaborate narratives from a simple phone record.

Without his presence, they would not have stood a chance against Nelson.

Mark was too seasoned for that.

He probably knew about Nelson's shady dealings all along but had no reason to crack down.

Yet, they really believed Mark would have taken down one of his own men out of some sense of justice. Politicians like Mark were experts at weighing their options.

To him, sacrificing Nelson was a small price to pay to keep Andrew happy.

Christina invited Andrew again, though her warmth had turned to ice.

Mr.

Lloyd, please join us for dinner.

Besides showing our gratitude, I have some business matters to discuss with you.

Even her tone had become formal, switching to her form of address to Mr.

Lloyd.

We should definitely treat Andrew to dinner as thanks, Harvey remarked with an earnest expression. Christie, let me handle this. It's my treat.

Soon, they arrived at an upscale private restaurant.

Irene could not help but comment, Harvey, this place looks expensive.

Harvey chuckled

Dont worry about it, Mrs.

Stevens

The important thing is that we enjoy ourselves.

Moneys no object.

Christie, why dont you all go ahead and order? Id like to chat with Andrew and get to know him better ! Chapter 113 +25 BÓNU Irene rolled her eyes and muttered sarcastically, Harveys truly perfect.

Someone could learn from his example

Harveys smile vanished as soon as the Stevens family left, replaced by a sinister expression.

Listen here, Andrew.

If you mess this up for me, I have a thousand ways to end you.

Dont think being Mr.

Thatchers new favorite means you can interfere with my plans.

Ive put up with you stealing what should have been mine for way too long! Harveys face was twisted with anger, all his previous pretense gone.

Andrew remained perfectly calm.

Is that a threat?

Chapter 114 Harveys smile turned sinister

So what if its a threat? Im Harvey Weller, heir to the Weller family and the most prominent of Jayrodales elite four.

If I werent worried about Christie getting suspicious, I would have taken you down already.

Andrew chuckled, unfazed

You're awfully confident.

Well then, why don't you go ahead and try? Harvey narrowed his eyes, and he mocked, What do you have that could possibly match me, Andrew? I know what you're after it's Christina.

While she's out of your league, I'll have her in my grasp any moment now.

Then, I can have her any way I want, whenever I want.

Andrew replied calmly.

Christina and I have nothing to do with each other anymore, and you don't need to flaunt your superiority

But let me warn you don't push your luck.

I'm not as patient as you think, and if you go too far, both you and the Weller family might regret it.

With that, Andrew walked into the private dining room smiling, brushing past Harvey like he was nothing more than an annoying insect.

Harvey clenched his fists, his eyes burning with rage

He could not believe that a loser like Andrew dared to threaten not just him, but the entire Weller family. With their power, crushing Andrew would be easier than stepping on insects.

Nonetheless, there was no rush.

Once he had Christina completely under his thumb, he would make sure to humiliate Andrew thoroughly. Harvey, the food's here

Let's eat! Leroy called out.

However, he noticed something was off and asked, Harvey, are you okay? You don't look so good. Harvey forced a laugh.

I'm fine, Leroy.

What do you think of me? Am I worthy of Christie? Be honest with me! Leroy immediately gave him a thumbs up.

Harvey, youre like a god among men absolutely perfect for Christie.

Honestly, you two are a match made in heaven! Harvey chuckled, feeling much better.

He wished Andrew could see how the Stevens family viewed him as the embodiment of perfection.

He could not understand how a nobody like Andrew dared to challenge him.

At the table, Andrew helped himself with the food without hesitation.

Andrew, slow down before you choke, Christina said with concern

Irene glared at her daughter and whispered, Christie, youre focusing on the wrong person! Mom, I was just reminding him! Christina sighed.

Leroy eagerly poured red wine for Harvey.

Harvey, let me make a toast to you.

Chapter 114 Pour me some too, Andrew said casually, setting his glass down.

Why cant you pour it yourself? Leroy snapped What makes you think I should serve you? Who do you

think you are, making my precious son pour your wine? Irene added angrily.

Whats wrong with him pouring my wine? Andrew replied indifferently.

Have you forgotten that Im in charge of the orphanage project? You invited me to dinner as your business partner, so shouldnt you be serving the wine? Irene was furious but held her tongue when she remembered Andrews position

Like it or not, Stevens Corporation had to play nice with a Wealthroller Investments executive.

Leroy slammed the bottle down and huffed.

Pour it yourself.

Im not your servant.

Andrew wiped his mouth and started to stand.

Well, if Stevens Corporation shows so little sincerity, perhaps we should put the South City Orphanage project on hold.

Andrew, is it really worth making such a big deal over a glass of wine? Christina frowned.

Chapter 115 Andrew stated calmly, Thats just how I am Im petty and like to sweat the small stuff.

Is that a problem, Ms.

Stevens ? Fine, Mr.

Lloyd, have it your way, Christina replied, swallowing her pride.

Leroy, give me the bottle.

Ill pour Mr.

Lloyds wine

Christie, who does he think he is? Leroy protested

Acting like some big shot executive when he used to be your errand boy! Christina felt hurt and shocked.

This new Andrew was so aggressive and domineering, nothing like the person she used to know.

He was acting more like some arrogant rich heir now.

Nonetheless, business came first, so she poured his wine anyway.

Leroy sneered

Getting cocky just because youre riding on Mr.

Yatess coattails

Youd be nothing without him.

Are you mocking me? Andrew stared at him intently

Leroy froze, surprised by Andrews directness.

Irene and Christina were equally shocked and wondered what had gotten into Andrew.

Hell yeah, Im mocking you, you gold digger! Leroy shouted, feeling insulted.

What are you going to do about it? I cant do much, Andrew replied calmly, pausing dramatically before continuing,... except cancel our partnership.

Ill also recommend to Mr.

Yates that we end all other business

dealings with the Stevens Corporation

Leroy slammed his hand on the table, his face flushed with anger.

Youre crossing the line! Christina felt a chill run down her spine.

The deals between Stevens Corporation and Wealthroller Investments were too important to jeopardize.

What are you going to do about ? Andrews piercing gaze made Leroy shudder.

Irene finally realized how serious the situation had become.

Even though she silently cursed at Andrew, she carefully controlled her voice.

Sit down and shut your mouth, Leroy.

Dont cause any more trouble.

Mom, he started it! Leroy protested in disbelief.

Listen to Mom, Christina snapped.

Sit down and shut your trap or leave right now

Seething with frustration, Leroy clenched his jaw and slumped into his seat, shooting Andrew a

venomous glare.

Harvey, ever the opportunist, plastered on a diplomatic smile.

Andrew, come on now.

Youre the older one here.

Why not be the bigger person and let it slide ? After all, Leroy is Christies brother

Cant you just cut him some slack for her sake? Chapter 115 Irene chimed in, her tone mocking.

If only everyone were as considerate and gentlemanly as you, Harvey, this world would be full of good

men.

Andrew chuckled, turning to Harvey.

What did you just say? Are you implying I should let it slide because Im the older one? Sorry, but an ill mannered person doesnt deserve my generosity.

Harveys face darkened instantly.

Yet, before he could respond, Andrew continued coldly, And who the hell are you to tell me what to do? The whole room fell silent, stunned by Andrews aggression.

Christina stared at Andrew in amazement.

In all her memories of him, she had never seen him this fierce.

This new Andrew was like an alpha wolf, baring his fangs to everyone who challenged him,

Chapter 116 © Andrew simply smiled and continued eating his dinner, brushing them off The chapter with Christina had long since closed, and their paths had diverged completely.

As for the Stevens family and Harvey, Andrew no longer felt the need to be overly courteous or put on a show of politeness for them.

From another perspective, his current standing did not allow him to maintain a low profile anymore. If Harvey played it smart and stayed in his lane, Andrew would not bother him.

However, as he had mentioned before, if this self proclaimed number one heir of Jayrodale decided to cross him, he would not hesitate to take action.

1 It would not matter if it were just Harvey or the entire Weller family with their prestigious status he would crush them all

After all, even before coming to Jayrodale, Andrew had already dealt with his fair share of so called elite families.

Leroy said through gritted teeth, Andrew, showing off in front of us is one thing, but do you really think your petty identity is enough to challenge the Weller family? First of all, I haven't provoked your precious brother in law, Andrew replied indifferently.

Secondly, if you or Mr.

Weller have a problem with me, you're welcome to try your luck.

Leroy was absolutely fuming his blood boiling

He thought Andrew was just too arrogant and disrespectful.

Christina frowned

Andrew, that's enough.

Nobody here has really wronged you, have they? Harvey's eyes were cold, but he maintained a casual smile.

Let it go, Christie

Andrew clearly had too much to drink.

With our family's status, it's natural to attract some resentment.

I understand that

Andrew chuckled

Ah yes, the mighty Weller family.

Though I've heard that your business empire in Jayrodale has been shrinking in recent years, and your family's standing has taken quite a hit.

Harvey's expression changed, but he remained silent.

In truth, he was actually shocked that this guy knew so much about the Weller family's situation. Irene sneered.

The Weller family's status is declining? Andrew, don't embarrass yourself with your ignorance.

Ask anyone on the streets everyone knows the Weller family is one of the leading powers in Jayrodale. Think whatever makes you happy, Andrew replied dismissively.

But the truth is often known only to a select few.

Irene scoffed.

You're just as pretentious as ever.

Who could possibly challenge the Weller family's position in Jayrodale nowadays?
Chapter 116.

Besides, once Harvey takes over, the family will reach even greater heights; maybe even dominate all of Jayrodale.

Exactly! Leroy quickly chimed in.

When Harvey takes control of the Weller family, they'll surely rule Jayrodale.

Harvey, don't forget to help out your brother-in-law when that happens! Harvey seized the opportunity to speak.

Since Mrs.

Stevens and Leroy brought it up, there's actually something I'd like to discuss with you all.

Harvey, is it something important? Christina asked.

Harvey straightened his suit and smiled.

Nothing too major.

I just received some insider information.

If it pans out, we could be looking at a profit of nearly 300 million dollars.

Would you be interested, Christie? Irene and Leroy both gasped at the news.

When they heard the amount, their eyes gleamed with undisguised greed and excitement.

Can you tell us more about this? Christina asked with a frown.

Well, Harvey explained confidently, an area in the East Side is about to undergo major development.

We've already moved to secure the entire property through our internal connections.

While we could handle such a large project easily enough, I thought I should include Stevens Corporation in this opportunity.

After all, Christie and I are getting married soon.

Chapter 117 Irene eagerly said, Harvey, I get it now.

You're planning to give Stevens Corporation a piece of this lucrative pie, right? Harvey smiled. Exactly, Mrs.

Stevens, but I'm not talking about just a small slice I'm offering Stevens Corporation a full third of the development rights.

Once the paperwork comes through, Mrs.

Stevens and Leroy, you could turn a few hundred thousand in investment into millions, maybe even tens of millions in profits.

Irene and Leroy's eyes lit up with undisguised excitement at the prospect.

There is indeed a major development project in the works, Christina commented thoughtfully.

But there hasn't been any official documentation yet.

How did you find out it's in the East Side? Harvey flashed a confident smile.

Christie, this is the difference between old money and smaller businesses.

Our family executives confirmed this directly with the state officials two weeks ago.

Christina fell silent, contemplating the situation.

She knew that when it came to high level connections, Stevens Corporation could not compete with an established dynasty like the Weller family.

Take your time to consider it, Harvey continued smoothly.

While it might not be a fortune by our standards, it's still a nice little investment for some extra spending money

A few hundred million might be pocket change to you, Harvey, Irene said eagerly, wringing her hands, but for people like us, that's serious money

Harvey nodded with satisfaction, pleased with their reaction.

Just then, an amused chuckle cut through the excited atmosphere.

What's so funny, Andrew? Irene's smile instantly vanished.

Nothing, really, Andrew replied.

Im just amazed at how tempting Harveys empty promises sound.

You think Im bluffing? Harvey sneered

Not bluffing, but fabricating, Andrew stated

The East Side isnt scheduled for any development.

Harvey shook his head dismissively.

Weve seen the confidential documents ourselves.

Dont pretend to understand things above your pay grade, Andrew.

Is that so? Andrew smiled.

Then why does my information from Mr.

Thatcher tell a different story? Harvey mocked, Even if Mr.

Thatcher somehow leaked this classified information to you, which I doubt, do you really think your secondhand gossip is more reliable than my inside +2560 Chapter 117 connections? Andrew, do you have some kind of problem? Irene snapped

Harvey, dont waste time on this nobody.

Hes not even in our league.

Harvey waved dismissively.

Dont worry, Mrs.

Stevens.

If Stevens Corporation is interested, suggest moving quickly.

The official announcement is coming soon, after all

Harvey, darling, Im your future mother in law, right? Irene jumped in eagerly.

Ill invest 750 thousand dollars

You better turn that into 15 million for me.

Harvey, my man! Leroy chimed in desperately.

I can only put in 150 thousand dollars, but Ill sign over my property to you as collateral.

Youve got to get me a few million in return! Harvey laughed

Mrs.

Stevens, 15 million might be a stretch, but Leroy's request is doable.

He turned to Christina with an expectant smile.

What about you, Christie ? Are you ready to make Stevens Corporation some serious money?

Chapter 118 Christina hesitated, torn between the desire to make money and her business instincts that warned of potential risks.

Unlike Irene and Leroy, who blindly invested without considering the risks, she knew better than to jump in without thinking

If I were you, I wouldn't play the role of a gullible investor, Andrew interjected.

Andrew, do you know something? Christina asked, surprised by his tone.

Andrew frowned and said, I already told you the East Side isn't getting developed.

You've been in business long enough to be wary of such promises, Christina.

Since when does investing a few million guarantee returns in the hundreds of millions? It sounds too good to be true because it is.

Christina's resolve began to waver at his words.

Stop fear mongering, Andrew.

This isn't your business, Irene snapped

Leroy added, Christie, why are you even listening to him? Harvey wouldn't trick you.

Well, Christie, it seems you trust Andrew more than me, Harvey said with feigned disappointment. Forget I mentioned anything

Christie, don't let Harvey's goodwill go to waste Irene urged anxiously.

He's offering us part of the Weller family's profits! Christina reconsidered

After all, when it came to insider connections, the Weller familys credibility surely outweighed Andrews. Hence, Harveys information had to be reliable.

Im sorry for doubting you, Harvey, she said decisively.

Stevens Corporation will invest 12 million dollars.

Andrew gave her a pointed look.

12 million ? Christina, can Stevens Corporation really afford such a reckless move? Back out now before you end up crying about it later.

Mr.

Lloyd, please stay out of my business, Christina replied coldly.

She felt Andrew had gone too far.

It was one thing to throw his weight around using Marvins influence, but interfering in Stevens

Corporations affairs was crossing the line.

Besides, she was engaged to Harvey.

There was no way he would harm the Stevens family.

Such an opportunity was rare, and Christina was not about to let it go.

Andrew let out a sigh, his eyes filled with amusement.

Mark had personally told him the development was planned for the West Side, not the East Side, where Harvey claimed

Nonetheless, whether it was the East or West Side did not matter anymore.

Andrew knew one thing for sure: nobody from the Stevens family would ever believe him.

Even Christina was being so biased, looking at him through tinted glasses like he was some +25 BONL Chapter 118 kind of villain

Since they were so eager to jump into the fire pit, he figured he might as well let them do it.

There was no point in saving people who did not want to be saved.

Andrew, in Christies honor, why dont I let you in on this opportunity too? Harvey smirked with a winners confidence

Ill pass om losing money, Andrew replied.

Go find some other fool to scam.

Dont let your pride get in the way of making money, Harvey said with mock disappointment.

I know youre worried that Christie will look down on you for accepting my help, but theres no shame in making money as a man.

Andrew chuckled.

You should worry about yourself first.

I hear you still owe Jayrodale Bank millions.

A cold glint flashed in Harveys eyes, though his smile never wavered

Nelson must be spreading lies about me, knowing hes about to get whats coming to him.

Chapter 119 Harvey scoffed.

As if our prestigious family would need to borrow any money.

The very idea.

is laughable.

Actually, Harvey, Nelson did mention you owed the bank money, Christina said.

I was planning to discuss that with you

Christie, do you really think thats possible? Harvey smiled.

Irene jumped in and defended Harvey.

That idiot Nelson deserved to get fired for spreading such lies.

My future son in law could easily pull out 150 million or even 1.5 billion if he wanted to.

Harvey waved dismissively, exuding poise and confidence.

Mrs.

Stevens, you must be joking.

A few hundred million, or even billions that's a big deal.

But to owe just a few million ? Please, I wouldn't even bother with something so small.

Andrew stood up, clearly done with the conversation

Christina frowned and asked, Andrew, are you leaving already? He replied flatly, If I stay any longer,

I'm afraid my intelligence will take a hit.

Christina's face darkened.

Fine, Mr.

Lloyd

Don't let us keep you.

While Leroy gloated about their future wealth and Irene dreamed of multiplying her retirement fund,

Harvey watched Andrew's departing figure with hidden malice

Excuse me for a moment, Harvey said politely before heading to the restroom.

Once alone, Harvey quickly made a phone call.

Mr.

Madden Senior, that guy just left the restaurant.

Your men wanted to deal with him now's the perfect chance while he's alone, without any of the Rhodes family's protection.

Tony's deep laughter came through the phone.

Well done, Harvey.

I'll extend the deadline on your 30 million loan for this tip.

Harvey's face lit up with relief.

Thank you, sir! But Tonys tone quickly turned cold.

Dont get too comfortable

Youd better figure out a way to pay me back soon.

And remember my money is no joke

Anyone who tries to cross me wont live to regret it.

Harvey quickly put on a submissive tone.

Of course not, sir.

Ive got an investment lined up, and Ill pay you back as soon as it pays off.

Good, Tony replied flatly.

Dont disappoint me, or Ill pay a visit to your father and make sure he settles your debt.

After hanging up, Harveys face contorted with rage.

Tony, you old bastard! I wont let my family or Christina find out about these debts

I cant let my image be ruined! Chapter 119 Harvey looked at his reflection in the mirror, noticing his eyes were bloodshot

He clenched his fists and muttered, Its a good thing Nelson got fired.

If Christina had found out about those millions I owe to Jayrodale Bank... That was too close, way too close... he murmured as beads of anxious sweat gathered on his forehead.

Chapter 120 Harvey felt better knowing Andrew was in bigger trouble than him He smirked and muttered, Tonys even more ruthless than Dylan

Andrew wont have a single bone left intact when Tony is done with him. Just outside the restaurant, three SUVs suddenly surrounded Andrew.

He remained calm as he watched several men step out of the vehicles. Remember me? Juan sneered through his barely healed bruises. Today will be your last.

Oh, I remember, Andrew replied with a smirk.

How could I forget? Last time, I beat you up so badly that you were almost unrecognizable.

The memory of Andrews slaps at the racetrack still haunted Juan.

You wont be laughing soon

Before we kill you, Im going to make sure you know exactly how it feels to have your face destroyed.

Standing nearby with a cold glare, Rocco chimed in, Dont play any tricks.

Cooperate, and I might make it quick.

If not... His voice trailed off menacingly, leaving no room for doubt.

Andrew raised an eyebrow

Let me guess, youre from the East Side, Tonys crew, right? Rocco chuckled darkly.

Topk you long enough to figure it out, but its already too late.

Last.

time, you had Dylan to back you up, but now youre alone.

Ill make sure you regret your actions.

Actually, Andrew replied calmly, youre the ones wholl regret it.

Leave now while Im still in a good mood

Juan lunged forward, ready to slap Andrew.

Still talking big when youre about to die? Lets see how tough you are now! He was fueled by rage, moving in to attack before Rocco and his men even realized it.

Yet, the outcome was not what they had expected

Suddenly, the sharp sound of two slaps echoed, and before Juan knew it, his face burned as Andrews hands landed squarely on both cheeks.

The fiery pain shot filled Juans head, leaving him stunned

When he realized what was happening, he shouted, How dare you hit me ! Youre surrounded by my guys, yet you still lay your f*cking hands on me? Juan was so upset that he yelled hysterically, Rocco, kill him! Kill him now! The swelling on his face had just subsided, but Andrew had worsened it.

Rocco hesitated, caught off guard by Andrews speed.

He glanced at Juans face, now bruised and swollen.

After that, he pulled out a handgun from his waistband. Dont move.

One twitch and Ill blow Chapter 120.

your head off

So, you came prepared, Andrew said with a cold smile. Scared now? Rocco growled.

Its too late for that.

We planned to make it quick, but after hitting Mr.

Madden, were going to make you suffer first.

Andrew glanced at Juan dismissively.

Its his fault for being born as a punching bag.

Shut your mouth! Juan shrieked

Take him to the warehouse! I want to torture him slowly and record every moment of it!
As they bound Andrews hands and shoved him into one of the SUVs, Rocco blew
across the gun barrel with a smug smile.