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#### Chapter 2051

In the afterglow of the setting sun, the purple-gold token reflected a dazzling cold light. The moment this token was taken out, Christian, who was standing at the entrance of the memorial hall, widened his eyes as his breathing became rapid.

After that, without another word, he knelt on the ground and said, "Greetings to the grand elder."

Instantly, all the elders and people in charge of the branch family, as well as the young masters and young ladies, turned to Horace and bowed deeply.

"Greetings to the grand elder."

For a while, these words resormded throughout the branch family's memorial hall!

Philip also trembled when he saw the purple-gold token in Horace's hand. His third uncle actually got hold of the grand elder's token.

Behind him, all members of the Griffin Army knelt on one knee and said with bowed heads, "Greetings to the grand elder."

Their cries were more majestic and imposing than those people from the branch family. Like rumbling thunder, the sound echoed and circled above the branch family's memorial hall.

token, Aria also bowed slightly

kneel. With the purple-gold token in his hand, he glanced indifferently at Christian who was kneeling on the floor and said, "Christian

with a chill in his eyes, gritted his teeth, and said, "Horace, why do you have the grand

elder's token that had never been easily given to others. Today, for Philip's sake, the grand elder actually gave

was obviously taking

up to Christian with his hands behind his back and said, "Don't worry about how I got it. The matter today will end here. Philip

Philip. Philip

that, Horace looked at Christian again and asked, "Do you agree?

corner of his eyes. He said with his

smiled as he turned

main entrance, Horace turned around and said, "Oh, I almost forgot. You people of the branch family are very protective. In that case, I'll use the grand elder's token to give you

said, he led Philip and the rest. They

people was far away, Christian and the rest remained kneeling on

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Aria turned her head, looked at Horace disapprovingly, and said, "And you! Do you want to cause trouble with him too? Do you know what kind of place the branch family is? If Christian really had the intention to kill today, who would've been able to stop him?"

Horace looked a little sullen and said, "But Aria, I did ask for the grand elder's token, didn't I? Besides, nothing happened."

"Say it again!" Aria coldly scolded.

Horace was like a schoolboy who had made a mistake. He turned to Philip and accused him, "Why are you so stubborn? Why couldn't you hold back a little? You just had to go and cause such a big fuss! Apologize to your third mother right now!"

Philip felt helpless. He knew that his third mother loved him.

"Third Mother, I'm sorry. I know I was wrong."

Philip lowered his head and said. Then, he took a step forward, pulled Aria's delicate arm, and said, "Third Mother, don't be angry. I won't dare to do it again next time."

With that said, Philip even wanted to make a vow.

Aria snorted and said to the attendant next to her, "Let's go."

to leave. After walking a few steps, she said without looking back, "Tomorrow,

and responded, "Okay,

got into the car and left. He

to her. Only you can do that. If that little brat Ethan was the one who did something like this, with your third mother's temper, she would

hand. He said, "Uncle Horace, can you let

at Philip as if he was a thief and said, "What do you want to do? Don't even think about it! This is the grand elder's token. I have to send it back

raised his eyebrows

and said, "You've just returned, so take a break today. Tomorrow morning, I'll get someone to pick you, Wynnie, and your kids up. You need to visit the grand

seven years! Don't you know that the

Philip replied, "I know."

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was

Lydia was lying on the

side, her eyes swollen from crying.

was still unconscious on the bed. He said to the doctor who was packing up the medical

#### Chapter 2053

Philip was dumbfounded at Dr. Garfield Gates' words.

Wynn had a hidden illness? She only had three years left to live?

How was this possible?

"Dr. Gates, are you sure?" Philip looked a little unhappy. If not for the doctor's superb medical skills, he would have gotten someone to give him a bashing!

Dr. Gates nodded with a look of regret and said, "Young Master Philip, there's no reason for me to lie to you. Young Madam's body is very special, indeed."

Philip frowned, and his heart was in turmoil. His breathing became very rapid and tense.

Was Dr. Gates telling the truth?

Wynnie... How could she have only three years left to live?

hell is going on here? How can she have a hidden illness? She looks fine to me,"

glanced at Wynn who was guarding Lydia at the bedside and asked Philip, "Young Master Philip, let me ask you. Did the young madam show signs of hemorrhaging

"Yes!" Philip replied.

had bled heavily

nodded and said, "That's

going on?" Philip noticed the somewhat obscure and unfamiliar look on Dr.

his judgment. "Young Master Philip, when you were away just now, I observed the young madam's complexion and facial features. I found that the blood flow in the young madam's body is abnormal. It's not as robust. To be precise, the vitality in her blood is lacking. The hemorrhage during

for a moment and

returned to

will give you a check-up." Philip forced out a

Wynn asked, "Phil, I'm not sick. Why

about it, so I asked Dr.

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Dr. Gates sighed and paced back and forth with his hands behind his back. Finally, he said, "Young Master Philip, have you ever heard of something called the golden blood in this world?"

Philip abruptly reacted and said, "It has something to do with golden blood?"

Dr. Gates nodded and said, "Young Master Philip, truth be told, 20 years ago, I was fortunate enough to have encountered a patient with golden blood. That patient's condition was very similar to the young madam's. She underwent two childbirths and had a hemorrhage during her second delivery. Later, her blood flow collapsed and her body quickly deteriorated. All vitality in her blood essence was lost. In less than three years, the patient passed away and left two children behind."

"I have visited famous doctors and read various ancient books, but there's no treatment for this disease. It can be said that for people with golden blood, regardless of men or women, the blood flow in their bodies will collapse at a certain age. Within three years, they will die."

Dr. Gates' face was full of chagrin and regret. He had practiced medicine all his life and saved countless people.

back then had become

the past 20 years, he had read countless books and searched for countless famous doctors, but he was unable to find a cure for the golden blood disease. There was nothing more regrettable for a medical practitioner than failing to save

"Golden blood? Is it because of

medical terminology, this golden blood is a very rare and special blood type. I once studied this blood type with my friends. This blood type wasn't born from nature but artificially created by man. This blood type is constantly depriving people of their vital life force. As for who created it,

flashed with chills. He thought to himself, 'Is it related to the Lovelace

breath and asked, "Dr. Gates, is there anything that

After a moment of silence, he said, "Young Master Philip,

Philip's heart trembled. "No remedy? In

Suddenly, Dr.

"But what? Do you

in an ancient book. Perhaps it might be helpful to the

## Chapter 2055

After pondering for a moment, Dr. Gates said, "Multidew Herb."

'Multidew Herb?'

'What kind of medicinal material is that?'

After hearing this, Philip's entire face trembled as he inquired, "Dr. Gates, what medicine is this?"

Dr. Gates shook his head, put his hands behind his back, and explained, "Young Master Philip, I don't know this medicine either. It's just something recorded in an ancient book. It's said to be made from the juice of a hundred kinds of herbs that has absorbed sunlight and moonlight. It takes 3,000 years to form a plant. Then, the plant is taken and pounded into medicinal dew."

Dr. Gates raised three fingers as he said that, his face full of helpless distress as he shook his head.

Philip did not feel well after hearing this. Was there really such a thing in this world?

It sounded more like a plant from a fairytale. The plant needed 3,000 years to grow?

this country

recorded in an ancient book?"

with the handwritten notes of Symonds Soto, the King of Medicine. I was fortunate enough to have contact with a descendant of the Soto family before I could see this ancient book. This prescription was recorded there. However, this remedy is not aimed at the young madam's golden blood

of Symonds Soto,

There was some business cooperation between the Clarke and Soto families. Moreover, there was also a medical hall inside the Clarke family exclusively opened by the Soto family to serve the

involve?" Philip asked

Gates said, "The path of eternal

path of

Hiss!

that he had heard

be a path to eternal life in this world? A thing like the fountain

Master Philip, you know very little about the medical arts. In this world, there may not be a fountain of youth but there are pills to prolong life and promote vitality. This is the real deal. It only feels unbelievable because ordinary people can't access it easily. Moreover, these pills are exclusive items and can't be purchased by ordinary people. Even if you have a mountain of gold, you

explained with a face that did not seem

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"Young Master Philip, the 3,000 years mentioned in the ancient texts may not be very credible and perhaps just exaggerated."

Seeing Philip's look of dejection, Dr. Gates coughed lightly and said, "However, don't be discouraged. Although this prescription is hard to come by, I'll try my best to read the ancient books again to find out if there's a remedy to alleviate the young madam's illness."

Philip nodded. He felt very empty, disappointed, and upset.

"Dr. Gates, I'll be counting on you, then," Philip said respectfully with a bow.

Dr. Gates quickly helped Philip up and said, "Young Master Philip, you don't have to do this. I'm just one of the Clarke family's doctors and I should do my best. You don't have to bow to me."

Philip did not say anything but looked at Dr. Gates very seriously and said, "Dr. Gates, don't tell the young madam about this matter for now."

Dr. Gates naturally understood and answered with a nod, "I understand, please rest assured. I'll go back and prescribe a few supplements to the young madam to replenish her blood and boost her vitality. Even though it can't help much, it can lessen her suffering for the next three years."

he nodded and instructed the servant to send Dr. Gates back. Looking at the doctor's departure, Philip stood in the yard and looked up at

sky, and shooting stars could be seen

what are you thinking about?" At this moment, a gentle voice came from

her face. He squeezed out a smile, gently took Wynn into his arms, and said, "Wynnie, it's been a long time since we looked at the stars

happy smile appeared at the corners of her mouth as she said, "Phil, do you still remember the time when we

course I do. At that time, you were wearing a white dress and was worried about the bugs in the grass, so you refused to sit. I had to take off my jacket

## I found a ring

looked up at Philip and suddenly said with a laugh, "You said that you had just started attending university and only knew this one trick to deceive young women. I was really foolish at that time

hugged Wynn tightly and said, "Wynnie, do you regret being

don't regret it. Since I chose you, I won't regret it. Even if you're not the young master of the Clarke family and don't have such a big family business, even if you're just the ordinary Philip Clarke you used to

in his arms. He gently leaned over, kissed

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At this moment, a tiny figure was rubbing her sleepy eyes. She was wearing a cute pair of pink pajamas and standing at the bedroom door.

"Daddy..."

Mila called out and walked in wearing big pink slippers.

Philip smiled, bent over, and picked Mila up. He hopped her nose and asked, "Why are you awake?"

Mila hid in Philip's arms in fear and said, "I had a nightmare. I dreamed that Mom left me and went far away."

While saying that, Mila looked at the sleeping Wynn on the bed and wanted to call out to her.

Philip immediately put a finger to his mouth in a shushing gesture and said, "Mom is asleep. Let me play with you for a while."

Mila nodded, looking very cute with her hair slightly disheveled.

The father and daughter sat in the living room to play at this moment. While playing, Philip noticed a small object hanging from Mila's neck. It was a small green bottle carved with patterns and there was a red string on both ends. The bottle was about the size of a little finger.

Philip frowned. He did not buy this for his daughter.

given

Mila on his knee and looked at the small

seemed to be a container with very complicated lines

held the object in her chubby little hands and said

Aunt? Hannah Clarke?

the letter that Hannah handed to him before he left the hospital in Uppercreek last time. The letter mentioned that Hannah had

object in front of

can

Mila agreed obediently. She took off the small object from her neck and

small green bottle and looked at it carefully several times under the light.

that the material of this thing was very hard. It was similar to jade but not quite like it, or perhaps something metal. After looking at it for a while, Philip still

She said,

to her room and put her to sleep. Before he left the room, Philip's eyes fell on the object on Mila's neck

did Hannah

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the next morning. Outside Philip's residence, a group of servants and

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Wynn was stunned. Philip actually had a great great grandfather. Was that not her father-in-law's great grandfather?

The generation gap was too huge!

For a while, Wynn was a little flustered. She stared reproachfully at Philip and said, "Why didn't you tell me earlier? You nearly got me into trouble."

After that, Wynn took Mila, who was still drinking her milk, back to the room and started changing. About half an hour later, Wynn changed into a long white dress with a small trench coat. Her hair was coiled on her head, and she put on high heels. With light makeup on, she looked very savvy and approachable.

"How is it? Do I look okay?" Wynn looked at herself and glanced at Philip expectantly.

Philip stroked his chin, nodded, and said, "Okay, this is fine. The grand elder is not a particular person."

Wynn rolled her eyes at him and said, "How can we act so casually? No way, I'll change into another outfit."

With that said, Wynn returned to the room. Ten minutes later, she still decided to stick with the previous outfit.

dress, with the graceful-looking Wynn next to him. They left the residence and

stopped at the side door of

At this time, Wynn was very nervous and her palms were all sweaty. Seeing her current state, Philip gently put his arm around Wynn's shoulder and said,

Philip an admonishing glance before she took a deep breath and said, "Let's

the butler to the entrance of the

them. As soon as he saw Philip, he complained softly,

didn't take that

to Philip, Wynn looked at Horace with some embarrassment. Not knowing

immediately squeezed out a pleased smile and said, "This must be

looked at Philip who made introductions, "This is my

Wynn bowed slightly,

smiled and responded, "It's good to freshen up a little. Taking some time is not

#### Chapter 2059

Soon, the four arrived at the middle hall.

At this moment, an old man with his hand behind his back was looking at the birdcage hanging in the yard. From a distance, the old man was dressed in plain clothes, looking quite hale and hearty.

Horace walked in with Philip and the others. He bowed slightly to the old man and said, "Grand Elder, Philip has brought his wife and child to visit you."

The grand elder turned around with a benevolent smile. He looked at Philip who was grinning broadly, stretched out his hand in a beckon, and said, "Little Monkey, are you finally willing to come back and visit this lonely old man?"

Philip stepped forward, bowed to the old man, and said with a smile, "Grand Elder, I'm here to visit you."

The old man rolled his eyes at Philip before looking at Wynn and Mila who were standing with trepidation on the side.

Then, with a smile on his face, he beckoned to Wynn and Mila while saying, "Come here, all of you. There are not so many rules to follow here."

Wynn stepped forward with Mila in her arms, bowed to the old man, and said respectfully, "Grand Elder..." Then, she said to Mila in her arms, "Mila, this is your great-grand elder."

big eyes that were as bright as gems, she glanced

our Clarke family, indeed. She

grand elder motioned to the butler next to

butler immediately fetched three objects from the room, one of which was a white jade

Clarke family, I have nothing good to give you. This is something your

she accepted the white jade bracelet with both hands. She said,

get up. Then, he took a golden locket from the butler's hand, bent over,

looked at the old man with her big soulful eyes. She glanced at

man laughed and stroked Mila's head. He put the small golden locket around Mila's neck

lowered her head and looked at the small golden locket hanging around her neck. She smiled sweetly,

nodded and praised her. Then, he looked at the third object. He turned

a small white jade pendant with two golden dragons embroidered with gold threads on it. It looked very beautiful and valuable

is this worth?" Philip asked

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#### Chapter 2060

At this moment, the grand elder was lying on a wicker chair, enjoying tea and listening to music.

"Little Monkey, refill my tea," the old man called out.

Philip walked over with a few steps, refilled the old man's teapot, and sat next to him.

The old man glanced at Philip and asked with a faint smile, "Something on your mind?"

Philip squeezed out a smile and said, "Nothing..."

The old man chuckled, looked at the flowers and plants in the yard, and said, "I watched you grow up. I can tell at a glance that you have something on your mind. If you tell me, perhaps I can help."

Philip thought for a while, got up, and sat down next to the grand elder. He refilled the old man's teacup before asking, "Grand Elder, I want to ask you something."

The old man hummed and said, "What is it? Why are you so secretive and why do you look so serious?"

Philip pondered for a moment and asked, "Do you know about the Multidew Herb?"

"Multidew Herb ..?"

repeated and sat up from the wicker chair. He looked at Philip very seriously and

Garfield Gates," Philip said

you about this?" The old

and said, "Grand Elder, don't worry

looked at the birds in the sky, and thought for a while. Then, he reached out and tapped on the wooden

immediately refilled

the legends outside, it's the most

man said with a look

where I can find this herb now?" Philip

elder glanced at Philip and said, "What are you trying to do? Do you think you can find something that thousands of

immediately dimmed

"There is no such thing in this world. It's just a herb recorded in ancient books. No one knows if it's true. After all,

If even the grand elder was not sure about this, there was

I remember