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| Alex Rockefeller did not accept Charles Carter's invitation to the dinner. He already had an appointment with Miranda Film to treat her unspeakable ailment. Also, he felt a deep sense of guilt whenever he saw Charles. |
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| Perhaps it was the previous incident where he slept on the same bed as Hailey in Michigan. Or at that time, perhaps he had to cleanse the aphrodisiac drug from Hailey's body. Or perhaps even the accidental embrace that happened just moments ago. |
| He was surprised to find out that they had so many intimate encounters. It was too risky, he thought. There seemed to be an urge brewing in his body. |
| 'I have got to keep my distance from Hailey.' |
| Alex thought to himself as he dialed Miranda's number on his phone. |
| He prepared some pills last night. Using his Chi at the same time, it should be an easy job treating her ailment. |
| However, Miranda said, "Oh, my dear Rockefeller, I am so sorry. I am stuck at work. Can we do it tonight? I will call you again later." |
| Alex agreed. |

It had given him an opportunity to talk to Dorothy Assex regarding the project with California Bridges

and Railways Inc.

After he told her over the phone, she said, "I heard of this very project some time ago. Back then, grandmother wanted me to get Charles's help in securing the project. Stoneworks is also vying for the project. It's very competitive out there, and without strong financial backing, there is no way we can try our luck. Our company is too small and is now facing some issues. I don't think we can do it"

| Alex asked, "How much money do you think you'll need?" |
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| "Fifty million dollars at the very least, I reckon," Dorothy replied. |
| "I do have the money. Let's talk about it over dinner tonight." |
| Dorothy was surprised. "You have fifty million dollars? Where did you get that money from?" |
| "You will know later." |
| Alex and Dorothy met outside her company at five in the afternoon. |
| Previously the Assex Construction City South Subsidiary Company, it was now called the Dorothy-Alex Constructions. |
| Looking at the massive signage, Alex chuckled, "Why did you name your company this?" |
| Dorothy rolled her eyes and said, "You helped me regain control of my company and obtained the authorization of Thousand Leaves. Without you, this company wouldn't exist. I think it's reasonable giving it this name." |

Alex held Dorothy's hand. Fiddling her slender fingers, he said, "As long as you are happy. Where do you

want to eat?"

| Dorothy frowned. "Let's cook dinner at home. You do the cooking! How long has it been since you last cooked for me?" |
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| "I used to do it every day, but you did not even look at me back then." Alex frowned. |
| "Well, I Fine! I was wrong, okay? Darling!" |
| Alex pointed to his lips and turned his face to the side. Blushing, Dorothy quickly gave him a peck. "Why don't you drive? I think we should go to the farmer's market first." |
| Half an hour later, they came out of the market, holding hands, and each with bags of groceries. |
| It felt nice. |
| Unfortunately, Dorothy was too pretty. Clad in her office attire, she attracted many men's attention, much to Alex's disdain. |
| Suddenly, Dorothy's cell phone rang. The call was from Beatrice Assex. |
| "Mom got beaten up, Sis!" |
| "What?!" Dorothy was shocked. "Why? By whom?" |
| "It's Uncle. You should come here quick! He is here with Emma and grandmother! They came here saying they need to reclaim the villa. But where else can we move to?" |

Dorothy was furious. "I will be there as soon as possible. Hold on!" $\,$