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Chapter 761 I Won't Forgive You

Evan's eyes were glistening with determination.

Caroline calmed down gradually. "I won't forgive you if you put the children in danger, even for the slightest bit!"

She knew how cruel Draco was, so she was reluctant to expose the children to him.

However, she felt a sense of security after hearing Evan's remark,

Evan answered in all seriousness, "Of course."

Scott left Angelbay Hospital during his night shift.

Yuliana, who was on the verge of falling asleep, spotted him, She perked up, stood, and followed him from a distance.

He walked briskly, nearly eluding Yuliana, who didn't dare to get too close. Yuliana watched as Scott got into a black car parked outside the hospital. She worried that she might lose track of the car.

However, the car came to a halt. Scott exited the vehicle ten minutes later.

Yuliana disguised herself by tousling her hair and wearing a mask, making her look like a patient. She exited through a side passage and noticed Scott glancing at her without paying much attention before heading back to his office.

Yuliana left the hospital, briefly noting the car's license plate before it drove away. She snapped a photo of it with her phone and sent it to Neil, along with a text message.

Yuliana: [Check the license plate for its origin and destination, Neil. It appeared at the hospital around 2:00 a.m. Scott was in the car for about 10 minutes before leaving. Their communication is unknown.]

The next morning, Neil read Yuliana's text and immediately sent the license plate to Axel before calling him.

Axel woke up early because his siblings were going to school.

When Axel returned to his room after seeing his siblings off, he heard his phone ringing.

Just as Eira entered the room, he put the phone on speaker.

Nell's voice came through the speaker, slightly shocking Axel. "Please help me check where this license plate went last night."

Axel stared at Eira and replied, "Okay."

"I'll wait for your call,"

After ending the call, Eira approached Axel. "Why did your uncle want you to check the license plate?"

Axel shook his head, indicating he had no idea.

Eira sat in front of the laptop. "What's the license plate number? I'll check."

Axel said, "It's fine, Eira. I can do it."

"No! Don't overexert yourself. I'm perfectly capable of handling something like this."

Axel relented, "Alright, I'll send the license plate to you."

Eira started her investigation once she received the license plate number.

Axel sat on the sofa, observing. He knew Eira's proficiency in this task.

Nevertheless, Eira could speed up the investigation by tweaking a few codes...

Axel observed but remained silent.

An hour later, Eira pulled up the surveillance footage.

She took a deep breath and stretched. "This is tiring. Luckily, I'm quite smart..."

She turned to Axel. "How quickly can you access surveillance footage?"

Axel smiled. "About ten minutes."

Eira looked surprised. "What about Ty?"

"He's even quicker at tracking this stuff than I am," Axel answered.

Eira shook her head, exclaiming, "Carol has raised two exceptionally gifted prodigies, hasn't she?"

Axel approached Eira, extracted the surveillance footage, and sent it to Nell.

Neil watched the footage for a while and noticed the car hadn't left the hospital.

Chapter 762 Taking Everything He Has

The black car emerged from one neighborhood and ventured into another. Scott stepped out of the

vehicle with a pack of beers, leaving Neil bewildered by the turn of events.

He couldn't help but wonder if the license plate Yuliana had spotted was a forgery, and this uncertainty left him cold and perplexed.

Shortly after Evan settled into his office, Reuben rushed in with an anxious expression.

Evan frowned and asked, "What's the rush? Did you see a ghost?"

Reuben shuddered involuntarily at the mention of ghosts and confessed bitterly, "Please don't say that, Mr. Jordan. I've been dealing with some mental issues lately, and I have this eerie feeling that there's an unseen ghost in the room."

Evan said coldly, "What's so frightening about that?"

Speechless, Reuben decided not to retrieve the cow's tears and let Evan handle it.

Evan picked up a document and demanded, "Spill."

Reuben quickly returned to the present and said, "The company's firewall in Murcia got attacked, Mr. Jordan."

Evan abruptly looked up, his expression fierce. "What did you say?"

Worried, Reuben asked, “What should we do now, Mr. Jordan? That company stores a wealth of confidential documents!”

Evan tightened his grip on the document, his forehead veins bulging. His dark eyes constricted with suppressed anger.

The company in Murcia held confidential documents for all MK branches in Etes, including the headquarters in Angelbay.

After Evan took over MK, he placed many important projects in the Murcia branch, never leaving crucial documents in local offices to prevent Draco’s potential sabotage. He understood the importance of maintaining control over the company’s critical assets.

However, Evan knew that Draco wasn’t behind the attack, as he had no knowledge of it. He pondered who else could be responsible. Could it be Casey? But Evan considered Casey insignificant.

Evan’s voice turned icy as he asked, “So, the IT staff hasn’t identified the culprit yet?”

Reuben replied, “No, Mr. Jordan. The VP of the Murcia branch wants you to visit.”

Evan angrily demanded, “Fire those inept employees if they can’t resolve this minor issue!”

Blushing with shame, Reuben promised, “Of course, Mr. Jordan. I’ll inform them right away.”

Once Reuben left, Evan regained his composure, but he remained puzzled about why the culprit didn’t simply breach the firewall but initiated numerous attacks. Did they intend to make things difficult for him?

He couldn’t shake the feeling that their motives were more complex than acquiring confidential documents.

Evan contemplated, ultimately suspecting Casey. Although Casey was foolish, he might have received guidance from someone else.

Evan texted Reuben, instructing him to keep a close eye on Casey and inform him immediately of any suspicious activities.

In the afternoon, Daniella keyed in Azure's contact number on her phone and texted the latter when she was at Jordan Residence.

Daniella: it's me, Daniella. We'll text each other, but don't call me.]

Soon, Azure texted her back.

Azure: [Okay. What's your plan, Ms. Love?]

Daniella: [I've got a plan, but I can't leave Jordan Residence at the moment. I need your help in this.]

Azure: [Oh? Tell me. I'll think about it.]

Hence, Daniella told Azure about her plan.

Azure took a while to text Daniella back

Azure: [You scared me, Ms. Love. I didn't expect you to have AIDS.]

Chapter 763 He's Being Treated Unfairly

Frustrated, Daniella texted Azure back.

Daniella: [Can you do it? Don't come to me again if you can't!]

Azure sent a smiling emoji.

Azure: It's simple. But when are you going to give me the thing?]

Daniella: [There's a hole in the northwest corner of Jordan Residence. ITI put the thing in a box and cover it with bushes at 3:00 a.m. You have to come and take it.]

Azure: Great. It's a deal.]

Daniella stopped responding to Azure's messages. A determined and ruthless look appeared in her eyes.

She wanted to see how Paige, who had been acting arrogantly, would react.

Caroline headed to the factory in the afternoon. Her purpose was to meet with the staff there and discuss the uniform details Zeke Corp. required.

Unexpectedly, she received a call from Scott as she was en route.

Surprised, she picked up.

Scott asked gently. "Is this a good time, Carol?"

Caroline smiled and replied, "It's been a while since you called. You've been quite busy."

Scott chuckled. "Do you miss me?"

Caroline felt a bit awkward. She believed it was important to maintain some distance from Scott, especially because she was planning to reconcile with Evan,

"You shouldn't say that, Scott..."

Scott changed the subject. "Alright, 111 stop teasing you. Are you free tonight?"

After some thought, Caroline said, "Yes, I am. What can I help you with?"

Scott sighed. "I wouldn't call you if there was nothing. Have you and Evan gotten back together?"

Unsure of how to respond, Caroline redirected the conversation. "I apologize if I said something wrong.

How about dinner together?"

"Sure." Scott nodded. "I'd like to treat you both to a meal because I've been promoted to director."

Caroline genuinely congratulated him, saying, "Congratulations on your promotion! Have you informed Paige and Kenny?"

Scott replied, "Not yet. Could you help me tell them? I'm swamped right now."

"Of course," Caroline replied.

"I'll text you the details of the hotel and the time."

"Okay."

After ending the call with Scott, Caroline dialed Paige's number, and Paige picked up promptly.

Paige was still drowsy. "Carol? What's going on?"

Caroline checked the time. "It's 3:00 p.m. Are you still asleep?"

Paige yawned. "It seems like I've been perpetually tired lately. Pregnancy is so strange."

Caroline laughed and said, "Get up and get ready. Scott wants to treat us to dinner tonight."

"Scott?" Paige instantly thought of Scott's expression that day and became more alert. "Why does he want to take us to dinner?"

"He's been promoted to director," Caroline explained.

"Oh, will Kenny be joining us?" Paige asked.

"Yeah, Scott asked me to let you guys know."

"Alright, I'll get up now. Do you have some time later? Let's go pick a gift for him," Paige suggested.

"I'll come to pick you up in an hour then."

"Okay."

Fifteen minutes later, Caroline arrived at the factory. After a brief meeting with her staff, she asked Kenny to accompany her.

Kenny was thrilled to hear about Scott's promotion. "Scott is amazing! He should've been promoted long ago. It's unfair that it took this long!"

Caroline smiled and asked, "Do you think becoming a director is that easy? What kind of gift do you think

Kenny was stumped. "I didn't even think about that until you mentioned it. What kind of gift would suit him?"

Caroline shared Kenny's bafflement.

After picking up Paige, the three of them sat in the backseat, still pondering the ideal gift for Scott.

Frustrated, Kenny turned to Caroline. "Did you inform Neil?"

Caroline looked surprised. "Scott didn't mention my brother."

Kenny wondered, "Did he forget about Neil because he's so busy? They're usually so close. He must have forgotten to inform Neil."

Chapter 764 You Must Have Three Drinks

Caroline nodded. "Okay, I'll text Neil."

Neil swiftly texted her back.

Neil: [Got it, Carol. But I'll be late.]

Caroline: [it's okay. I'll help you give him a present too.]

Neil: [Okay.]

After shopping for a long while in the shopping mall, Caroline and the others finally picked a few gifts that were relatively more useful for Scott.

Scott arrived at Angelbay Hotel early in the evening. After ordering their dishes, he waited at the hotel's entrance.

Approximately ten minutes later, he spotted Caroline's car.

Scott approached and greeted them. As Caroline and the others emerged from the car, they each congratulated Scott.

However, Paige avoided making eye contact with him. She offered a stiff smile and little else.

Observing Paige's unusual behavior, Scott walked over and smiled. It seems like something's bothering you today, Paige. Are you feeling tired due to your pregnancy, perhaps?"

Paige turned her gaze elsewhere and replied, "No..."

After a moment's thought, Scott asked, "Is it because of that expression I put on the other day?"

Confused, Paige looked at him. "No, Scott. You genuinely looked frightening!"

"I apologize," Scott said awkwardly, "I didn't mean to scare you."

Scott's usual smile gradually eased Paige's concern.

Paige chuckled and teased, "I might reconsider our friendship if you make that scary face again! It's the look of a villain!"

Scott nodded and assured, "Certainly."

Paige's emotions quickly shifted, and she could even exchange playful banter with Scott.

Upon entering the private room, Scott presented two bottles of red wine he had prepared. "Do you fancy a drink tonight, Kenny?"

Kenny's eyes lit up. "Hell, Scott! It's been ages since we had a drink together! Can you really drink tonight?"

Smiling, Scott replied, "Yes, I've informed the hospital not to contact me, even in emergencies."

Excitedly, Kenny helped uncork a bottle of wine. "Fantastic! Let's make it a memorable night!"

He then turned to Caroline. "Would you like some too, G?"

Caroline smiled and agreed, "Of course, 111 have Paige's share as well."

Paige licked her lips, staring at the red wine. "I want some too..."

"No, you can't," Caroline, Kenny, and Scott said in unison.

Paige desperately lay her head on the table, venting her frustration. "This is unfair! You guys get to drink, but I can't!"

Caroline tried to console Paige. "Once you've given birth and stopped breastfeeding, we'll gather again for a drink, alright?"

"Will that day ever come? Paige looked at Caroline with a pitiful expression, and Caroline nodded. "Yes. I'm certain it will."

"Great!"

Kenny poured wine for Caroline while Scott ordered a glass of juice for Paige from the waiter.

Paige rose excitedly, her baby bump evident. “Today is a happy day for Scott. I raise a toast to you with juice and congratulate you on your promotion to director! May you prosper and save more patients

Caroline and Kenny stood up to congratulate Scott as well.

Scott, holding his glass of wine, smiled and joined in the toast. “Thank you, guys.”

Caroline added, “May our friendship endure!”

Kenny chimed in. “Indeed! Let’s be friends forever!”

Paige echoed their sentiments. “We’ll stay together forever!”

However, Scott merely smiled, saying nothing as he clinked glasses with them. But he briefly fixed a complex gaze on Caroline before leaning back to finish his wine.

Afterward, he downed it in one gulp.

Neil arrived during the meal.

Observing Neil, Kenny stood up somewhat unsteadily. “You’re late, Neil! You owe us three glasses of wine!

Chapter 765 I Can Only Put Up a Show

Neil nodded at Kenny and told Scott, I’m sorry, Scott. I was busy today. Congratulations on your promotion.”

Scott stood up and held out an empty wine glass to pour wine for Neil. “Thank you. I’m glad you could make it.”

Neil accepted the glass from Scott. "As usual, I have three glasses of wine."

After Neil downed three glasses of wine, Kenny cheered excitedly.

Caroline also became a bit tipsy after having some wine. Her face turned beet red.

She joined Paige and Kenny, and they reminisced about their past in Spania.

Seeing this, Neil glanced at Scott and said, "Scott"

"Yeah?" Scott turned and asked, "What's on your mind, Neil?"

Neil took a sip of wine, pondered briefly, and asked, "Have you been very busy lately?"

Calmly, Scott replied, "Why do you ask?"

Staring closely at Scott, Neil said, "No, I'm just making small talk. Have you been busy at the hospital, or have any patients requested house calls?"

Scott's gaze became subtly intense. "Only occasionally."

Hearing that, Neil looked away. "Really? I thought you were tied up with other matters."

Suddenly, Scott burst into laughter. "I'm swamped with hospital work. I don't have time for anything else."

"Yeah, that's good," Neil replied indifferently.

After that, none of them broke the silence.

Scott raised his wine glass and took a sip. Scott's lowered gaze held a deep, mysterious meaning.

At that moment, Caroline's phone suddenly rang on the table. She picked it up and saw a text from Evan,

so she unlocked her phone.

Evan: [I've brought Tyler and Axel to Jordan Residence. I'll contact you later.]

The text startled Caroling, and she quickly responded,

Caroline: You must take good care of them.]

Evan: [Of course, don't worry.]

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Evan led Axel and Tyler into Jordan Residence.

Draco, who had been informed in advance, instructed Bernard to welcome them.

When the three of them reached the living room, Draco beamed when he saw Axel.

"You're back, my dear grandson!" Draco greeted Axel. But when he saw Tyler, he asked. "Why did you bring him, too?"

Although Tyler wasn't Evan's child, Draco always found Tyler familiar, so he wasn't distant toward him.

Axel stepped forward and explained. "Ty is my good friend, Grandpa. That's why he came along. You don't

mind, do you?"

Draco was surprised to hear so many words from Axel.

"You seem different since leaving the hospital, Axel," Draco remarked.

Axel smiled. "It's all thanks to Ty."

His words dispelled the last traces of resistance Draco had toward Tyler.

Draco gestured to Tyler. "Come here, kid."

Although Tyler was reluctant, he had to put on a show for his uncle and mother's sake. He walked to

Draco and said insincerely, "Hello, Mr. Jordan Sr."

"Good!" Draco's joy grew.

Afterward, he turned to Evan and said with a frown, "Your son is the only thing about you that pleases me."

However, Evan ignored him and went upstairs.

Draco also paid no attention to him as he continued to chat with the two children.

As Evan reached the corner, he looked at Tyler and Axel.

When they made eye contact with Evan, he nodded to indicate that he would take care of things.

Downstairs, Draco was Happily conversing with the two children, but Daniella's sudden arrival disrupted the harmonious scene.

Chapter 766 To Help Your Mother and Uncle

The children and Draco gazed up at Daniella,

The sight of a vibrant and healthy Tyler made Daniella frown. She wondered why he appeared so well.

Hadn't Naomi acted yet?

Draco was displeased and glared at Daniella. "Why have you come downstairs?"

Daniella replied, "I'd like to take a walk in the yard,"

"Return to your room! Draco snapped. "Can't you see I'm chatting with the kids? We can't keep talking because of you!"

Furious, Daniella gritted her teeth. She realized Evan must be there since the two children were present.

She turned and ascended the stairs to find Evan in his room.

Meanwhile, Evan was texting his subordinates stationed at Jordan Residence, giving them orders from his bedroom.

As he sent the last text, a knock interrupted him.

Vigilant, he asked, "Who is it?"

"It's me, Evan." Daniella's voice came from outside.

Evan stood and opened the door, only to be met with Daniella's unhealed bruises on her sunken face. She had lost her past vigor and appeared haggard and downcast.

Frowning, Evan demanded, "What are you doing here?"

Daniella replied, "Has Nell said anything to you? Did you come here with a plan?"

"It's none of your business!" Impatiently, Evan added, "You'd better stop coming to me."

He moved to close the door, but Daniella swiftly used her hand to stop him and said hurriedly. "You promised to save me, Evan!"

"When did I promise you?" Evan sneered. "I reminded you to find the evidence first."

"I'm trying my best now!" Daniella bitterly said, "But it's very difficult to access your father's study!"

However, Evan didn't want to listen to her explanation. "You can go back now!"

Reluctantly, Danielle let go. "It was all my fault, Evan. I'm begging you. You must help me just this once

"I asked you to go back!" Evan was getting angry.

"No, no..." Daniella shook her head. "Okay, I'll go now."

After that, Daniella didn't dare to disturb Evan any longer and hurriedly left.

Evan felt that Daniella couldn't know too much before he had resolved tonight's affair.

Around 11:00 p.m., Draco reluctantly allowed the two children to return to their room.

Evan immediately went to their room and told them they had to complete the task later that night, within half an hour.

Alex checked the time. "Half an hour should be enough."

Tyler asked, "Whose iris do you want to use?"

Evan replied, "Use mine. A bodyguard will come to install the monitoring device after we've gained access."

"Okay, pay me then," Tyler said.

Evan smiled, a bit dazed. "I'm helping your mother and uncle."

Tyler snorted. "But they didn't ask for my help. If my guess is right, I'm sure Mommy doesn't want you to let me do this."

Evan found Tyler very astute.

"It seems my guess is correct. Tyler extended his hand. "Pay me then."

With his arms crossed, Evan leaned against the sofa. "How much do you want this time?"

Chapter 767 Why Aren't You Afraid of Me?

"I'm not greedy," Tyler stated. "I'll give you a discount because of Mommy, Uncle Neil, and Axel. Just give me 7,000,000 dollars."

“Oh?” Evan smirked. “Looks like a 50% discount. But are you sure you don’t want to share some with Axel?”

Tyler glanced at the silent Axel and said, ‘Shouldn’t you pay for Axel’s commission, too?’”

“Why me again?” Evan asked. “Is it because I asked for Axel’s help?”

Tyler shook his head. “Logically, he should get more.”

“Why’s that?” Evan asked,

Tyler explained, “You can ask Axel if he would take such a big risk if it were someone else.”

Evan looked at Axel.

Shyly, Axel kept his head down. “I hate stepping forward to resolve problems. It’s okay if I control things

behind the scenes. That’s why I don’t accept such tasks.”

Evan was at a loss for words. In the end, he transferred 7,000,000 dollars to them respectively. As long as their reasons were logical, he wouldn’t be stingy with his money. Besides, he knew they wouldn’t use it for illegal activities.

In the wee hours, Axel hacked into the Jordan Residence’s security system first. When he adjusted the surveillance footage from their room to the study, he went downstairs with Evan and Tyler, Evan’s pre-arranged bodyguards had replaced Draco’s patrolling guards.

When they reached the study’s door, the two children took out their laptops and started operating them.

Time passed, and when they were almost successful, Evan received a text from his bodyguard.

Bodyguard: [Mr. Casey is back, Mr. Jordan!]

Frowning, Evan realized he had forgotten about Casey. He looked at the children and asked, "How much longer do you need?"

Axel fixed his eyes on the rapidly moving codes on the screen. "At least three more minutes!"

"We need a few more minutes to input and delete the data, Tyler added.

Evan realized it might be delayed if he went to block Casey now, but Casey would certainly pass by that

Suddenly, he thought of Daniella and texted his bodyguard to get her downstairs to stop Casey.

His bodyguard rushed to Daniella's room immediately.

Daniella was startled and awakened by the bodyguard, who suddenly entered her room.

When she was about to scream, he covered her mouth. "Mr. Evan needs your help to stop Mr. Casey now, Ms. Love. It's urgent!"

Daniella didn't dare to delay despite her fear of Casey. Staggering down the stairs, she ran toward the door. When she reached the corridor near the door, she bumped into the intoxicated Casey.

After controlling her hatred and fear toward Casey, she stepped forward and kissed his alcohol-scented lips.

Consequently, Casey became quite sober. Stunned, he pushed Daniella away. "What are you doing?"

Daniella clenched her fists in her pockets under the dim light. She managed to suppress her disgust and said, "I missed you, Casey...."

Casey was aroused and sneered sarcastically. "Aren't you afraid of me now?"

"No, I do..." Daniella was honest. "But I want it, too."

Pinching her chin, Casey leaned to her ear and whispered, "I didn't know you were such a slut."

Hearing that, Daniella trembled vigorously as blood drained from her face.

"Do you want to be a bitch so badly?"

Casey smiled sinisterly as his breaths encircled Daniella's ear like a venomous snake.

Chapter 768 Going to Rebuild It

Daniella immediately denied it, saying, "That's not what I mean, Casey!"

"Isn't it?" Casey adjusted his glasses, and his eyes looked gloomy. "Tell me why you waited for me until this hour."

Daniella touched Casey's chest with a shaky hand, explaining, "I just want to do it once..."

Casey glanced around and asked, "Do you want to find excitement in the yard?"

Gritting her teeth, Daniella replied, "Yes!"

"Alright, I'll Casey assured.

Meanwhile, Evan had successfully accessed the iris and facial recognition system.

After opening the door, he instructed someone to install the monitoring device properly before asking Tyler to delete his information.

As Evan returned the children to their room, he briefly glanced at the door. He thought he heard a faint voice, but it quickly disappeared. He ignored it and went to sleep with the children.

The next morning, he planned to go home with Axel and Tyler.

However, Draco stopped him before he left, asking tentatively, "Why did you come back last night?"

Evan was about to respond, but Axel beat him to it, explaining. "It was me who wanted to come, Grandpa."

Surprised, Draco smiled and asked, "Did you miss me?"

Tyler chimed in to support the story, "He watched a documentary a few days ago that taught him to care more about the elderly at home. That's why we came."

The elderly at home...'

Dazed, Draco wondered if he was truly that old now. But it was true—the villa would be cold and desolate if the two children didn't come.

Looking at Evan, Draco suggested, "Bring that girl here next time you come."

However, Evan didn't respond and left the villa while holding the children's hands.

After getting into the car, he immediately called Caroline, who picked up promptly.

Caroline asked, "How did it go last night?"

Evan asked with an intrigued tone, "Are you concerned about me or the kids?"

Evan's tone signaled to Caroline that nothing had gone wrong the previous night. She brushed off his teasing and said, "I'm busy. Goodbye."

Caroline hung up, leaving Evan staring at his phone with a slight twitch in the corner of his eye. He wondered why she was so ungrateful.

Unable to accept it, he called her again.

Caroline quickly picked up and said, "I'm really busy, Mr. Jordan."

Getting to the point, Evan reported. "They didn't find out about the kids, although there was a minor incident. But overall, everything went smoothly."

He was very pleased with how well the two children had behaved. He also felt grateful to Caroline for raising them so well despite her busy schedule. He believed he should do something for her.

"I'm glad to hear that. Please drive the kids to school later. I'm hanging up now."

"Okay," Evan said. Then he looked at Reuben and asked, "Who has Casey been dining with recently?"

Reuben replied, "He's been busy due to the project you interrupted. He's been treating the city project team to dinner and indulging in booze with them daily. I even heard he borrowed a few million dollars to buy new materials for reconstruction. He's very dedicated to this project."

"Is Albert Jenkins leading the city project team?" Evan inquired.

Reuben nodded. "Yes, Mr. Jordan."

“Go to the winery and fetch two bottles for him. Mention Casey to him, and he’ll understand what to do,”

Evan instructed.

“Alright,” Reuben acknowledged.

After dropping Tyler off at school, Evan returned Axel to Villa Rosa before heading to the company. As he entered his office, he found two people preparing coffee.

Chapter 769 Let’s Meet Up

Evan furrowed his brow and asked, “Do you guys have no other place to be?”

They swiftly turned around upon hearing Evan’s voice.

With a smile, Alex greeted, “Evan, come over and have some coffee.”

Lucas chimed in. “These are some excellent coffee beans someone gave to my dad. Come and try it.”

Evan walked over and sat down as Alex handed him a cup.

As he sipped the coffee, Alex and Lucas asked in unison, “Isn’t it good?”

Evan glanced at them indifferently. “Spit it out. What do you want?”

Awkwardly, Alex touched his head and smiled. “I do need your help,”

Quietly, Lucas raised his hand. “Me too...”

Evan looked at Alex and demanded, "What's up with you now?"

Alex answered, "I want to go to your winery to get some wine for my father-in-law."

"Hmph!" Evan snorted. "You're not married to her yet, but you already see her father as your father-in-law?"

Alex refuted, "I'm going to Paige's home tonight, and I'm expecting a scolding. Her father will be my father-in-law after that, won't he?"

"Just go and get the wine you want. Why do you have to say so much to me?"

"But I need to ask you first, right?" Alex said seriously, "After all, your winery is full of the best wine you've collected from all over the world. They're quite expensive, too!"

Evan ignored Alex and glanced at Lucas. "What's going on with you then?"

"Evan!" Excitedly, Lucas pleaded, "Can you introduce me to a girlfriend?"

His plea made a vein bulge on Evan's forehead.

Glaring at them, Evan gnashed his teeth and demanded, "Do you take me for a matchmaking agency?"

Alex and Lucas looked at each other before immediately approaching Evan to give him a massage.

Lucas said, "Are you close to winning Caroline's heart, Evan? I can give you some advice. I've learned a lot about manners abroad and understand women's hearts."

Alex chimed in. "Yeah, me too. Lucas and I will come up with strategies for you every day. I'm sure you can successfully propose to her within a month!"

Evan leered at the two noisy men. "Sit down!"

"Okay!"

"Sure!"

They quickly took their seats again.

Evan might have almost forgotten about proposing to Caroline if Alex hadn't mentioned it just now. He was also puzzled about whether he could propose to her since she hadn't agreed to get back together with him.

Thoughtfully, Evan asked, "Can I skip dating and propose to her directly?"

"Of course not!" Alex said, "Women value the process the most!"

"Yeah, he's right." Lucas echoed Alex's words. "You're dreaming if you think you can win her heart without putting in any effort to pursue her."

Alex added, "You just need to pursue her using our methods."

Sneering, Evan said, 'Fine. Let's see what you've got, but you'll be responsible if it doesn't work."

At Jordan Residence.

Daniella woke up feeling exhausted.

After freshening up, she called Naomi, who picked up quickly.

“Are you free in the morning? Let’s meet up.”

Glancing at the unfinished documents on her computer, Naomi suggested, “Let’s meet at noon instead.”

Daniella agreed, “Okay, I’ll text you the address later.”

“Okay.”

As such, Daniella started applying makeup and changing her clothes.

It was already 10:30 am. when she left.

Draco didn’t order anyone to stop her but sent someone to follow her car.

Seeing the two cars behind her in the rearview mirror, Daniella pressed the pedal with frustration.

Chapter 770 When Did They Get To Know Each Other

The driver in the last car saw Daniella speed up, so he quickly pressed the pedal.

He followed Daniella to their destination and parked a bit away. Then, he went behind her, crouched by some bushes, and took out a camera and recording pen from his backpack, watching Daniella.

A white car arrived swiftly, and Naomi got out.

The man hiding in the bushes took continuous photos of their meeting.

In the distance, Daniella leaned against the car’s front and stared at Naomi with her arms crossed.

"I ordered you to put my blood in the food of Tyler and Liora, those two bastards, and let them get AIDS. Did you do it or not?"

Frowning, Naomi asked, "Are you still dissatisfied since I've done what you asked me to?"

"What's with that attitude? Daniella suddenly raised her voice. "You're so ungrateful!"

Naomi became angry, too. "I've used my whole life to pay off my sister's favor, Daniella. What else do you want me to do?"

"You said you did it, didn't you?" Daniella's eyes were fierce. "But why did I see Tyler safe and healthy?"

There wasn't anything wrong with him. How about the rashes and fever? Why did nothing happen to him?"

Naomi had looked up the information on that aspect. "There's an incubation period to AIDS. Who knows. when it'll surface? It might only take a few days if it's fast, but it might take more than ten years if it's slow. I can't guarantee so much for you!!

Reluctant, Daniella yelled, "I don't believe it'll take that long with their small bodies. I'm sure you didn't do it!"

Naomi replied, "I can only tell you I already did what you asked me to. I can't say anything if you still don't believe me!"

"Okay!" Daniella said, "I'll trust you for now. Just wait and see if I find out that you lied to me."

"I'll go now if there's nothing else." After that, Naomi turned and got into the car, leaving Daniella.

However, the man hiding near the bush had already taken their photos and recorded their conversation. before sending them all to Caroline.

Caroline was having lunch with Paige at Table One.

Paige's appetite had grown recently, and she always wanted more, even if she was full.

When Caroline fished out her phone to order more dishes for Paige, she suddenly got a few texts.

Puzzled, she clicked on them and found them to be texts from Pete, the journalist.

Caroline quickly caught sight of the two familiar figures in the photos that Pete had texted her.

When she clicked on the photo, her hand trembled while holding the phone.

Naomi... and Daniella? Do they know each other?'

Paige stopped eating when she saw such a hideous expression on Caroline's face.

"Carol?" Puzzled, Paige looked at Caroline. "What's up with you?"

Caroline was lost in a trance as she stared at her phone, completely oblivious to Paige.

Paige noticed her friend's distant expression and approached, her frown deepening when she glimpsed the photos on Caroline's phone

"Wait, is that your secretary? Why is she with Daniella? When did they become acquainted?" Paige asked.

Caroline snapped back to reality, jolted by Paige's exclamation.

Gripping her phone tightly, Caroline felt a mix of despair and anger. "I have no idea!"

Paige swiftly took Caroline's phone and scrolled through the messages. Eventually, she discovered a recording.

"Caroline, there's a recording!" Paige exclaimed, holding the phone out to Caroline.

Caroline took the device and played the recording, but what she heard left her in shock. It was a conversation between Daniella and Naomi, and Daniella had instructed Naomi to mix blood contaminated with AIDS into the food of Tyler and Liora.

Paige turned ghostly pale. For a moment, she felt a burning desire to confront Daniella with a knife and exact revenge. After all, Tyler and Liora were just kids. Wasn't Daniella afraid of divine retribution?!