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"A perfect chance?" Sonia knitted her eyebrows in confusion. "What are you trying to suggest?"

"Haven't you always wanted to send Tina to prison? Well, here comes your opportunity. That man is your witness, and I've already sent someone after him. After capturing him, he is going to tell us everything Tina told him to do, and that'll become our evidence to put her behind bars," Toby answered with a deep voice.

While his goal was always to put Tina in prison, he initially intended to have Tom set Tina up and catch her red-handed. However, Tina, who had been staying in the hospital for the past few days, didn't go anywhere else, even after returning home. Thus, Tom couldn't find an opportunity to execute his plan, which was the reason Tina still hadn't been punished. Therefore, now that an opportunity to gather Tina's criminal evidence presented itself, Toby wasn't about to let it slip away.

On the other hand, Sonia's eyes lit up when she heard Toby's explanation. *Well, this is indeed an opportunity. Tina may be on her probation for now, but if she ever commits a crime, she'll be sent to prison right away. Although she hasn't done anything against the law at the moment, she can never get away with the evidence that can prove she is guilty of the crimes she did earlier.* "I get you now, President Fuller. Thank you so much." Sonia smiled gratefully.

"You don't have to thank me. I'm not just doing this for you, but for myself as well. In fact, I'm trying to atone for the mistakes I made in the past." Toby looked down and answered.

"President Fuller.." Sonia's smile faded.

"Alright, Sonia, I have something I must attend to, so I'm going to hang up the call right now. When that man arrives in Seafield, I'll let you know. Goodbye." Toby hung up his phone, knowing that Sonia was about to push him away with her disheartening words. Thus, he cut her short, refusing to hear what she was going to say.

In the meantime, Sonia was staring at the home screen on her phone while raising her eyebrows. After all, that was the first time Toby hung up on her ever since he confessed his love to her. *What does he have to hide from me?*

Meanwhile, Tom, who was in the ICU, took Toby's phone and put it on the headboard. "What's wrong, President Fuller?" Deep down, he was wondering why his boss would hang up the call so abruptly.

Why did he hang up in such a hurry? Man, he looked like he was trying to avoid some loan sharks who were after him for money.

"Nothing." Toby pursed his lips.

"In that case, perhaps I should return to the office." Tom wanted to excuse himself.

"Hmm... Yes, please," Toby replied before his assistant turned around and walked away.

Later that night, Zane returned to Seaford from Norfolk and made his way to the hospital after his touchdown as he learned from Tom that Toby had been hospitalized earlier that day. The moment he saw Toby lying in bed, he placed his hand on his belly and gloated with a loud laugh. "Oh boy! You look so charming in this outfit, Toby! Haha!"

"Shut up!" Toby bellowed as his temples were suddenly covered in veins.

At that moment, Zane faked a few coughs and forced a smile, waving his hand as he replied, "Alright. Alright, I'll knock it off now, but what happened to you? How did you end up in the hospital?" Although he had asked Tom what happened to Toby earlier that day, he was only given a perfunctory answer without exact details behind Toby's injury. Thus, he couldn't help but feel curious about the reason that put Toby in the hospital.

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"It was an accident. Alright, let's talk about business now." Toby looked down and spoke with a cold voice.

Sensing his reluctance to reveal more about his injury, Zane pursed his lips and answered, "What exactly are you hiding from me? Fine. Fine, have it your way if you don't want to tell me. I'm not interested in knowing it anyway. By the way, why did you capture one of my men?"

"Your man drugged Sonia, and you're asking me why?" Toby fixed his eyes on his friend in a cold manner.

"Sonia was drugged? How was that possible?!" Zane was stunned upon hearing that. After all, Sonia hadn't been to his club for the past few months, so he couldn't possibly figure out how his employees were able to drug her.

"Not now, but three months ago. It happened on the same day as the incident between me and Sonia took place. Your employee was bribed by Tina to spike Sonia's drink." Toby knitted his eyebrows while suppressing his anger.

On the other hand, Zane was still caught in his trance until a few moments later. Then, he replied with a darkened look on his face. "I swear I was completely unaware of this incident!"

"I knew you weren't aware, but if I hadn't initiated an investigation, I would have been as confused as you are. Furthermore, Tina even sent another man to violate Sonia. Here is the security footage from that night. Tom went to your club earlier and asked for a copy of it, so take a look for yourself." Toby reached for his phone and showed his friend the video.

When Zane received Toby's phone, he proceeded to watch the video in a panicky manner. In fact, the video was the security footage that Toby sent to Sonia earlier. A few minutes later, Zane finished watching the video as he wrapped his fingers around the phone tightly without saying a single word.

Then, Toby fixed his glacial eyes on his friend. "I told you to take care of the security footage the next day after the incident happened. Why didn't you spot the man?"

Realizing his huge mistake, Zane guiltily replied, "I'm sorry. I know you told me to take care of the security footage so that Sonia wouldn't find out about it when she woke up. Although I did tell the guards in the security room to store the footage elsewhere, I didn't go through the video myself, so I was unaware of what happened that night."

Since he wasn't interested in Sonia at that time, it didn't occur to him to help Sonia for her sake. In fact, Sonia did approach him the next day to ask for his help to view the security footage, but even so, he directly told her that nothing was wrong without watching it at all. Now, he regretted it and beat himself up for his indifference and selfishness.

Upon hearing Zane's words, Toby knitted his eyebrows, clearly expressing his annoyance and dissatisfaction. On the other hand, Zane could tell that he wasn't happy as a bitter look showed on his face. "Are you blaming me for not checking out the footage back then, Toby?"

While Toby squinted and showed an ambiguous stance, Zane chuckled and added, "Be reasonable, Toby. Even if I did check out the security footage at that time, what else would you have done after doing some digging about the man? I doubt you would have stood up for Sonia anyway back then."

Toby's face changed, like something just sprang to his mind. Then, Zane grunted coldly and continued to say, "You only had eyes for Tina back then. So, even if you did find out who Tina sent after Sonia, you would still have been blinded by your obsession with her and protected her like nothing ever happened. Thus, don't you think it's a little unfair to hold me responsible for that right now?"

Toby was rendered speechless as he squinted because Zane was merely speaking the truth. Although he hadn't been hypnotized at that point, his obsession with Tina would have prompted him to protect her even if he had found out that she sent someone to violate Sonia. Therefore, he was in no position to blame Zane.

Looking at Toby's disheartened look, Zane let out a sigh and said, "Fine, it's pointless to discuss something that happened a long time ago. Instead, we should focus on *how we* can resolve the issue and atone for our mistakes. For

that, I guess you can do whatever *you want* to that waiter." Considering Toby's feelings for Sonia, Zane was sure that it wouldn't end well for that waiter.

"As for Sonia..." He expressed his helplessness, as he didn't know what to do next. After all, Zane was also at fault for lying about the security footage.

If I apologize to Sonia, she will know that I lied to her that nothing was wrong with the security footage. By then, she is going to be so mad at me. Also, she may even find out that I've been hiding the truth about Toby being her child's father from her. If it really comes to that, she is probably even going to cut ties with me.

At the thought of that, Zane scratched his head with annoyance. *Man, what the hell is wrong with me?! If I hadn't known I was going to fall for Sonia, I shouldn't have helped Toby, and I wouldn't have gotten myself into this mess.*

While Zane glared at Toby with a gaze burning in grudge, the latter only pursed his lips and calmly replied, "There is no need to dwell on the problem. Sonia's child has been aborted, and she already knew that I was Z-H, as well as the child's father."

After Toby's confession, the atmosphere in the ward stiffened in silence for a few moments until Zane clenched his fists in terror. "W-What did you just say? Sonia already found out that you were her child's father?"

"Yes!" Toby's eyes were filled with coldness. Just when everything seemed to take a turn for the better between him and Sonia, the shocking revelation simply just undid all the positive progress and reversed everything back to square one.

Nevertheless, Toby refused to suffer from the repercussions of the incident alone and was determined to drag Zane down with him. *We're like comrades, Zane. So if I'm going down, you're going down with me.*

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Unaware of Toby's sinister intention, Zane impatiently paced back and forth. "Oh my gosh! Oh my gosh! Now that Sonia knows you're John Johann and the child's father, she must have also known helped you hide the truth from her. Man, is this the end for me and her before it even begins?"

Upon hearing Zane's words, Toby squinted warily. *Is this guy still thinking about winning Sonia over? He is in over his head because Sonia is mine and only mine!*

"No!" Zane stopped in his tracks, seemingly determined to do something about the situation. "I must apologize to Sonia, even if that means she'll be mad at me. After all, I have to show my initiative to admit my mistake because who knows she may forgive me for that?" As soon as he finished his words, he turned around and left the ward right away before Toby could stop him.

Watching Zane disappear from his sight, Toby was worried that Sonia would eventually forgive the former for taking the initiative to apologize. However, he soon put his mind to ease when he recalled Sonia's unforgiving nature, thinking Zane would only be wasting his time to apologize.

In the meantime, Zane hurriedly made his way to Bayside Residence, where he nervously hesitated for a while before ringing the doorbell. At the same time, Sonia was about to take a rest when she heard the doorbell, whereupon she went to answer the door. "Who is it?"

"It's me, Sonia." Zane's voice was heard from the other side of the door.

The moment Sonia saw her visitor, her hand stiffened on the door handle just as her facial expression turned cold. *It's you, Zane!* When she recalled how Zane helped Toby by sitting on the truth, her anger surged through her body and was going to get the better of her. However, she closed her eyes and calmed herself down, responding with a cold voice. "Oh, it's you. Please go."

Upon hearing her glacial tone, Zane was seen with a bitter smile on his face. When he was on his way to meet her, he had a feeling that she would give him the cold shoulder. Thus, he knew his guess was right when he heard her grim voice. Furthermore, she turned him away directly without even bothering to ask his purpose of visit. Therefore, he could tell how mad she was at him. "S-Sonia, I have something I'd like to tell you. Could you please open the door?" Zane probingly asked, fixing his eyes on the door while rubbing his hands.

"We can talk some other time. I'm not in the mood to listen to your explanation right now." Sonia pursed her lips.

"No! It'll be meaningless if I don't tell you what I want right now, Sonia. So, please open the door! Please!" Zane crossed his fingers with his eyes closed, speaking with a voice so sympathetic no one could turn him away.

In response, Sonia blinked in hesitation. A few seconds later, she opened the door and said, "Well, let's see what you have to say."

As soon as Zane heard someone opening the door, he immediately opened his eyes. Exhilarated to see Sonia, he happily smiled from ear to ear. "Finally, you're willing to see me."

"You have something to tell me, don't you? Go on. I'm all ears now." Sonia was seen with an emotionless look on her face without any intention of showing her regard.

Meanwhile, Zane couldn't help but feel slightly upset upon hearing her mean words. However, he knew he deserved them for what he did to her. Therefore, he bitterly smiled and looked at her, noticing *her* pale face. "Sonia, I heard you aborted your child. How do you feel now? I have some supplements at home, so maybe I could..."

"Just get straight to the point!" Sonia frowned and made her point known as she didn't want Zane to waste time beating around the bush.

Zane gulped and sighed. "Alright. Alright, I'll cut the crap and get to the point now. I-uh-... heard that you already knew Toby was your child's father, so..."

"So what?" Sonia stared at the man with her cold, piercing gaze.

For the first time, Zane felt Sonia's indifferent attitude as she had never treated him so coldly, not even before they grew closer to each other three months ago. *Oh man, it looks like she is really pissed off with me!* At the thought of that, Zane looked down and apologized. "I'm sorry, Sonia. I shouldn't have held out on you."

Sonia sniggered and fixed her gaze on him. "You shouldn't have held out on me? Oh, you sure looked like you were enjoying those moments while I acted like a fool with no idea what was going on. In fact, I asked you a few times who Z-H was, but you brushed me off with some silly and perfunctory answers every single time. So, how did that look like you shouldn't have held out on me? And now that you came to me for forgiveness, I can't help but find your apology insincere and fake. After all, I don't think you apologized because you've learned from your mistakes, but because your lie has been exposed. For that, you were forced to apologize to me. Aren't I right?"

"Ugh..." Zane's lips stiffened in silence because he couldn't refute a single word she said. Indeed, he wouldn't have apologized and confessed his mistakes to her if she hadn't known the truth beforehand.

Looking at Zane's guilty look, Sonia rubbed her forehead and asked, "So, is this why you came here? To apologize to me?"

"Yes." Zane rubbed his nose. "It was true that I helped Toby keep you in the dark, and if you hadn't discovered the truth, I would have continued to sit on the secret. In fact, when I first agreed to help Toby, I was merely doing it out of kind intentions, but as we got along with each other in the past few months, I started to think that hiding the truth from you was for your own good because I didn't want the revelation to break your heart. I'm your friend after all."

"My friend?" Sonia sneered. *What a 'friend' you are to me, Zane! For someone who lied to me and betrayed my trust, you're a pretty 'good' friend, but I don't think I deserve to be your friend.*

Nevertheless, Zane had no idea what Sonia was thinking in her head. He was then seen putting his hands down as he went on and said, "I didn't think you'd find out

about it so soon, but since you already found out about it, I suppose I must do something, which is why I came to apologize. After all, I'm at fault for having hidden the truth from you, so I hope you could forgive me, Sonia."

After finishing his words, Zane bowed down to Sonia in a sincere manner, but the lady took a step back and said, "Fine, I understand why you helped Toby hide the truth from me since he is your friend."

Zane's eyes lit up as he stood up and agitatedly looked at her. "Does that mean you're going to forgive me?"

Well, understanding and forgiveness are two different things. Sonia shook her head emotionlessly and replied, "No. I understand you, but that doesn't mean I forgive you. You might have done what you should as Toby's friend, but to me, what you did was simply unacceptable. From now on, you and I are no longer friends anymore. Instead, we're just allies whose common enemy is the Gray Family."

"Allies.." Zane's facial expression stiffened.

"Exactly. Nothing more than allies!" Sonia pursed her lips and shut the door immediately, leaving the man alone outside her doorstep. With his eyes glued to the door, Zane was overwhelmed by disappointment. At that moment, he felt like crying.

I thought she was going to forgive me, but it turned out that she didn't want to be friends with me anymore.

It was then that Zane recalled how much he went through just to make a positive impression on Sonia and become friends with her while working his way to win her heart over. However, he was quickly dismayed and discouraged by the thought that he could no longer be friends with her, let alone woo her. Therefore, he scratched his head in annoyance. "No way! I mustn't let things worsen!" *I must talk to*

Sonia and save our friendship at the very least, even though she may not forgive me in the end.

As Zane raised his hand and was about to reach the doorbell, the phone in his pocket rang. With a frown on his face, he rummaged for his phone before realizing it was a call from home. Therefore, he quickly answered it and said, "Hello." After hearing what the caller told him, his face changed. "Alright, I heard you. I'm coming back now." Then, he took his phone away from his ear and typed a text message, whereupon he sent it to Sonia and made for the elevator hastily.

On the other hand, Sonia was going to grab herself a glass of water when she heard her phone vibrating on the table. Thus, she reached for it, only to realize that it was a message from Zane. She then put down the glass of water and viewed the content of the message he sent her. 'Sonia, I have something I must attend to right now, but when I'm done with that, let's talk things through. Can we?'

