Virginity 441

Chapter 441: Burglary

Anything strange? The teacher froze for a moment at his question, not understanding what he meant.

-What's strange about it?

-Just my son's behavior, there is something unusual about him,|| Serena thought for a moment and

The teacher finally understood Serena's words, "So that's what you mean, I understand, don't worry,

Manuel is very friendly with everyone, and he is so cute and pretty that all the children in the class love

to play with him. Don't you know there are even girls in the class who say they want to marry him when

they are older?" She froze for a moment....

continued, -How are you doing with the children in your class?"

Manuel got along very well with everyone in school, so why had he suddenly brought up the subject of

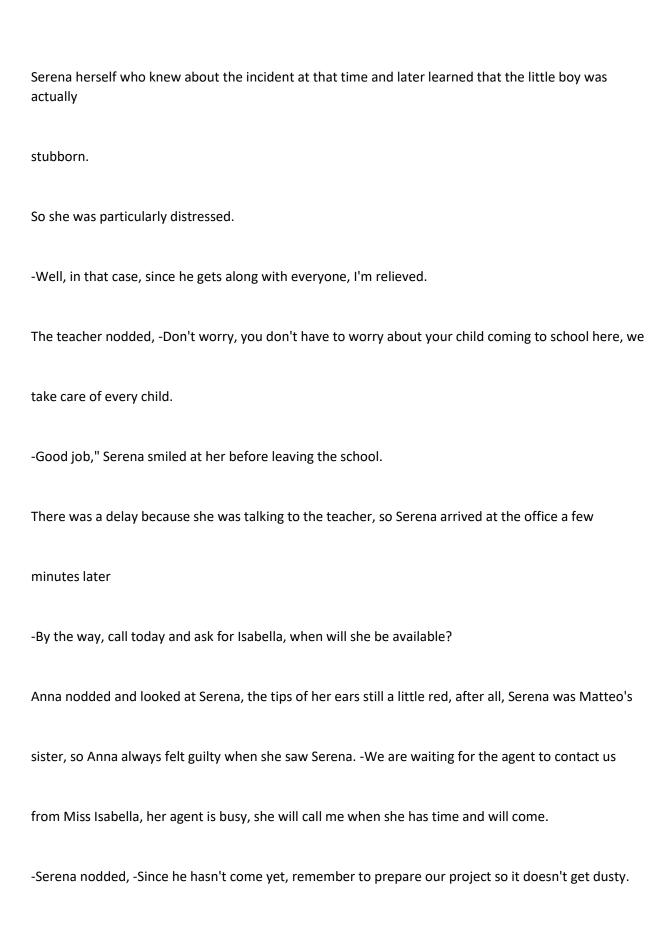
wanting a father?

Actually, Serena was just worried that other students at school would tell him that he was a fatherless

boy, which seemed to have happened before when he was abroad, only then it was a neighbor who

had said it.

Although Manuel said nothing at that time and did not return to Serena to complain about it, it was



-4	Anna nodded.
TI	hen, taking her position, Serena was about to enter the elevator when she saw Arianna walking
to	oward her with a pale face.
-5	Serena, you're finally here!
-4	Arianna," Anna said, giving her a somewhat surprised look, "What's the matter with you? Your face is
as	s pale as a ghost, what happened?
А	arianna approached Serena with a pale face, and her lips moved as she looked at Serena to say
SC	omething, but before the words could come out, she cried first.
TI	the sudden sound of crying made both Serena and Anna wince.
-5	Shit, that scared me to death, Anna covered her heart and took two steps back and then gasped
sl	lightly, -What's wrong with you? Tell us, why are you crying?
А	arianna wanted to say something, but everything choked in her mouth, and she still couldn't get a word
0	out.
Se	erena looked at her for a moment, not knowing what she was thinking, but suddenly said, 'You don't

have to say anything, just take us there. Arianna nodded, then turned and entered the elevator. After the elevator door closed, the only sound in the closed space was Arianna's sobbing, and Anna looked at Serena without expression, then at Arianna with a sobbing face, and asked in a low voice, "Do you know what she is talking about? -I don't know. Serena replied with an expressionless face. Anna's eyes widened, -So do you...? -She can't tell us, so what's wrong with showing us, || Serena turned her head to look at her. -There's nothing wrong with it, you're right, Anna held out her hands, affirming that it didn't matter. -What floor?" Serena suddenly remembered that she had not pressed the number yet, so she asked Arianna. Arianna paled, then trembled and reached out her hand to press on the number 6 button. At the sight of the number 6, Serena's eyes, which contained little emotion, blurred slightly for a few moments before she slowly squeezed her eyes shut; she could already feel an eerie feeling in her

heart.
In her perception, Arianna was the overbearing and slightly arrogant type of woman, but definitely not
the weak and tearful type.
Suddenly she was crying like that, presumably?
Serena thought of something, and her eyes instantly changed.
-The problem is the design of the dress, Serena suddenly asked, her eyes wild. Arianna was taken
aback by her aura, but she quickly replied with a nod, her eyes filled with tears, mostly from the pained
look on her face.
As soon as the elevator reached the sixth floor, the three of them quickly stepped out together as the
doors opened.
In the sixth-floor showroom.
The glass had shattered, and many other things had been knocked over, and the design piece that the
model had worn as decoration was now on its side, piled up with the shards of glass on the floor, and
various other miscellaneous objects.

The scene was as miserable as if they had entered a den of thieves. Seeing this scene, Anna could not help but suck in a breath of cold air; her face instantly paled. Serena, fearing that Anna would die of rage, hurriedly patted her back. Anna's breathing finally returned to normal and she immediately cried out, "Who the hell made this place like this? Arianna was shedding tears of irritation, and I was really pissed off at her. Arianna was going to check the surveillance video earlier, but she did not expect to run into Serena and Anna, so when she tried to explain the situation to them, Arianna did not expect to cry in front of Serena. She didn't even think about why she had suddenly become like this, to really cry in front of others? It was so embarrassing! But she could not hold back her tears. Because Serena had given her the opportunity to work in this showroom, Serena was kind to her. -It was a raid," Anna asked, looking at Serena.

Serena looked around for a moment, then tightened her lips before saying in a cold voice, "Someone

clean this place first."-What?

Anna froze for a moment, "Clean it up? Wouldn't that spoil the scene? Serena, I think the best thing to do now is to call the police. Serena disagreed with her, but went in herself, Anna blushed and rushed behind her, -You're crazy, there's a lot of broken glass here, what if you hurt your foot? Chapter 442: An act with intention -I have my shoes, all right. Serena approached the model on the floor without expression, thought for a moment and said to Anna, -Don't come in here, bring me a set of gloves first. Anna was about to enter, but hearing what he had said, she had to turn around and go get the gloves for herself. So only Arianna and Serena were left on the scene. Arianna finally calmed down, wiped the tears from her face and looked at Serena, -Will you go get the dress? But it's already damaged, so even if you pick it up, it won't do much good, will it? Serena looked at her sideways. -Who says it won't do any good?

Hearing this, Ariadne was stunned, -What do you mean?

-Serena looked around with a calm face, then whispered, -Tell me first how you found this place in this state."

Arianna curled her lips, -Yesterday I was so happy that I bought everyone a drink, and besides, it was the first time my work was displayed in the exhibition hall, and even though it was a hall that no one visited, it was something I had to be happy about. So, I took another look at the dress, and it was fine when I looked at it, and when I looked at it again this morning, it was in this state, and I think Anna is right, someone probably came in and damaged the place like this.

-Serena giggled, "Do you think ... a home invasion would do that much?

Arianna gasped, -What do you mean?

-If it's a home invasion, then it's a thief trying to steal some property. But if it was a thief trying to steal property, why did they destroy the place like this?

Arianna blinked, -Maybe, upset because there are no belongings in the company?

-If you were a thief and stole something from this company, would you get angry at midnight and break all the glass, including the contents, to attract the residents next door? -No, how could I be so stupid?

These things are so loud when they hit the ground, they could easily attract people.

At that moment, Arianna gasped, suddenly thinking about something.

-Couldn't it be that someone broke into the house and stole something, but..." She looked at Serena with wide eyes.

Serena did not lift her, however, and just then Anna brought the gloves closer, and when Serena had put them on she bent down and gently pushed the glass fragments off the top of the gown, then rescued it from the mess.

When she came out with the gown, Anna and Ariadne tried to pick it up, Serena frowned and said:

-Don't touch it, there might still be some broken glass not cleaned, don't hurt your hands.

So Anna and Arianna had to retreat to the side and wait.

Finding an empty space, Serena was able to leave her dress and remove her gloves. -Serena, your leg hurts, Anna noticed some bloodstains near her pale ankle, Serena did not feel any pain so she did not worry, -It is not a problem, there is probably a lot of glass hidden inside the construction site, we will have to find it and retrieve it, Arianna squatted beside her.

Arianna crouched beside her with a dejected look.

countermeasure?

-But what will happen when we find it? The dress is torn, and that presentation event Isabella is attending is in a few days, so we don't have time to rush to make a new one, do we?

Anna also crouched beside her, looking at the damaged work in front of her, her eyebrows furrowed beside her, "Serena, what do we do? This work is badly damaged and time is of the essence, do we have a chance to repair it this time?

Serena looked at the destroyed dress in front of her and became a little depressed, but not depressed enough to go anywhere, and was silent for a moment before saying, "Let's get the glass shards out first, and we'll talk about the rest later."

She was very quiet and calm, but this was also very abnormal, after all, the dress had turned into this form, both Anna and Arianna could not be anxious, Anna had been following her for a long time, so it was fine, but Arianna was different, after all, she had just met Serena not long ago, seeing this bland look, her heart was angry, she said directly, "Later? What do you say? Even the dress is torn, why don't you care at all? This is the launch dress that our company is going to give Isabella, do you have a

-No. Serena said sincerely.
How could she think of an answer right away when things had just happened and her mind was in
chaos?
But the current issue should also be addressed urgently, and a countermeasure would be thought of
when it was over.
-So you haven't panicked yet," Arianna sniffed herself.
-Will panic solve the problem? Will you be able to get the glass shards out of there? Stop the bullshit
and move to handle it quickly.
Anna also whispered to Arianna, _Do what Serena said, this is your product, but don't forget that
Serena is the head of the company, she is the one who takes the onus if something happens.
Only when Anna said this did Arianna also seem to respond, which led her to nod and carefully pick up
the glass shards inside her work.
When she finished, Serena said in a cold voice, "When you come back, go on with your business as
usual and pretend nothing is going on."

-Arianna's eyes widened in disbelief, but seeing Serena's calm demeanor, she felt she had to believe her, so she nodded and reached out to wipe away the traces of undried tears. -I know, and by the way, I wasn't crying a moment ago, I just got distressed for a moment and saw my work broken like that.

Serena, -I understand, let's go.

Serena carried the dress to her office alone, then sat in her chair and stared at the dress. The person who destroyed the dress had intended to do that, because the dress was the silk type, and she certainly wouldn't be able to wear it when she encountered something sharp like that, so the damage was severe at this point.

With a bit of a headache, Serena stood up and frowned.

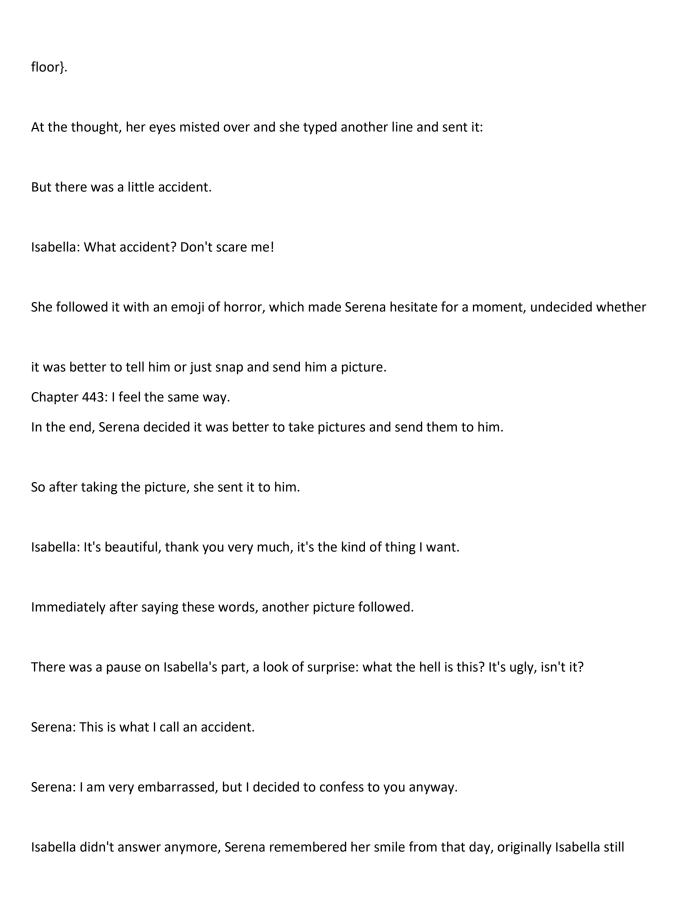
Suddenly, her cell phone rang.

Serena glanced over to see that it was a message from Isabella for her.

Isabella: Oh my goodness, I heard my dress is ready....

Serena was a little spellbound at the sight of her name, it was discouraging that she had not shown up when she had been asked to come earlier, and now that her dress was ruined, she was coming to ask.

Serena pondered for a moment and sent a message too: It's ready, it's in the showroom on the sixth



quite liked, after all, this outspoken and enthusiastic person, but after what had happened, it was hard to guarantee that both sides wouldn't break. She wrote slowly: I will repair the dress if you agree, but it will take your cooperation, I?

Before she finished the text, Isabella's side called directly with a video call.

Serena froze for a moment, then stood up.

After that, Isabella's extremely beautiful face appeared on the phone screen, she was wearing a period costume, and when she saw Serena here, she immediately showed a row of clean white teeth, -Hello,

Serena!

Serena, -Mrs. Isabella?

-Why are you calling me Miss Isabella again? Call me Isabella, I'm a big fan of yours! I'm still shooting

on set, but my scene is over, so soon I can take off my makeup and rest, then I'll leave.

Serena looked at Isabella and realized that her face wasn't half as angry as it looked impressed by the dress she had just seen.

She froze for a moment, and then asked in a weak voice, "It's a dress, you-.

-It's just a dress, isn't it? You didn't design it in the first place, so if it's broken, it's broken. -What?"



Serena lowered her eyes, "Did the surveillance see who it was?"
-Not yet, Anna shook her head, -There are other blind spots on the sixth floor, so, Anna said,
lowering her head a little remorsefully, -I'm to blame, the job is very important, I should have been
prepared."
-It's okay, it's decided,∥ Serena stood up and approached Anna, -Let's go." -Where to?
-To find the culprit.
Hearing this, Anna turned quickly and chased after him.
The two entered the elevator together.
-Do you know where to find the culprit?
-The other guy uses blind spots to avoid them, but every time he has been around he has left traces in
the guarded areas, and we need to check all areas of the company.
Hearing this, Anna shook her head, "Yeah, why didn't I think of that, he was probably in too much of a
hurry."
-All right, we'll give it a try.
Because probably checking all surveillance areas of the company would not necessarily lead to the



Matthew called her just after lunch in the afternoon to tell her that Mario had come to pick her up to get
through security.
Serena packed her bags and prepared to leave, and just as she was coming down the stairs, she ran
into Luca.
Luca?
"What are you doing here at this hour?"
-Mrs. Shelly, he had been polite to her since the last time Luca had spoken to her.
-Serena's footsteps stopped and she looked up at him.
Luca, -Mr. Cristian said I had to come and get Miss Shelly to discuss the termination of the contract,
and we received the contract break from your company. Hearing this, Serena paused for a moment,
then and said, -Since your company received our breach of contract, that means we are willing to
compensate according to the contract book above, as long as the compensation is sufficient for that
amount, the rest is not my business, right? If there is anything, you can call the lawyer we hired, do you
need me to give you his card?

Luca was speechless.
He did not know if it was just his wish, but he had always felt that Serena treated him much more coldly
than before, was it because of the words he had said earlier on the phone? Thinking about this, he
coughed slightly and explained, -Mrs. Shelly, what I said last time was an unintentional mistake, you
Luca, I agree.
-Luca, I agree with what you said, I also think the same, if I did something before that was
misunderstood, please help me explain clearly. I still have some things to do, please excuse me for
now.
She had seen Mario's car coming this way, and Serena waved to the car before walking quickly toward
it.
Then she opened the door and got into the car.
Luca watched her departing figure with mixed emotions.
Then he saw the car's license plate number and narrowed his eyes with some suspicion.
"Isn't that the Giordano family's car?"

"How did you get involved with people from the Giordano family?" Thinking about this, Luca's face became even uglier.

-What are you doing here, | a voice came from behind him.

Luca turned to see Anna looking at him suspiciously, her arms tightly around her chest in disgust.

Anna had not liked him since their last conversation.

Chapter 444: Talk to my lawyer if you have any questions.

-All right," Luca replied.

-Anna smiled wryly and said, -There's an old saying that you don't accidentally come to the same place

three times if you don't ask for something, besides, I can see from your expression that you came to

bother us, so tell me, what do you want to do? We have already paid the compensation, why don't you

leave us alone, then don't tell me that it is Serena who disturbs your Mr. Cristian!

Luca muttered, "I didn't mean that, what I want is....

-Everything you have done is for that Mr. Cristian, isn't it? That's why you put all the blame on us

women, isn't it? Luca, I really liked you before, but now with what you did, I don't want to comment

anymore. Well, anyway, we did our duty, if you ask anything else, please talk to our lawyer and don't

come to our company anymore," Anna said. Finally, Anna entered the building and left Luca without any chance to explain.

After a long time, Luca lowered his head and became very sad, regretting what he had said that day.

Actually, he was not against anyone, he behaved badly that day because, seeing Cristian so sad and

humiliated, he was very angry and then he threw those bitter words at Serena.

"If you have already abandoned him, why are you coming back again?" she thought about what he had

told her. "After all, she came back according to her taste, she didn't do it intentionally for Cristian, and

besides, with what happened these days, she didn't feel anything for him anymore, the one who was

still in love is Cristian." Even though she was thinking so clearly now, she did not dare to tell Cristian. *

It did not take long for Mario to bring Serena to her destination. When Serena entered, the workers took

her directly to the surveillance room because they had agreed.

-Look at these, Miss Serena," said one of the workers.

-Thank you very much, she replied, and then stood there looking intently at the videos. When she saw

a suspect, she shouted, -Excuse me, could you go back 10 seconds?

The worker did as she told him, then a person wearing an oversized cap appeared on the screen in





From his face it looked like he was furious.

Thinking he was angry at Serena's unexpected arrival, the person in charge explained: -Sir, this young

lady is coming on behalf of the Giordano group... - Who asked you to open the door?

-Who asked you to open your mouth?" replied Cristian in a demanding tone.

He shut up immediately.

Serena did nothing but stand there to see what he wanted to do. She raised her head to look at him.

-If you ask something?

At his sound, the workers turned pale with fear.

This manor was extremely unapproachable and unfriendly, and no one dared to speak to him in this way as she did.

If something happened to her, what would she do? Would she not get into trouble with the Giordano family if something happened to her here? Or would she lose her job? At that moment, the man in charge was thinking about the deal he had made with Señor Matteo, who would protect her. But faced with her ladyship's cruelty, the man in charge felt even more frightened, trembling, and had to explain,

"Your lordship, I have nothing to do with her, it was she who broke in here and forced me." Serena did not know what to say as she looked at that worker, who was so frightened that he looked like he was going to faint at any moment. In the end she decided not to justify herself. "He has already helped me a lot, now we were caught by his superior, so that he wouldn't get into trouble, it was normal for him to blame me." He thought, with no reason to blame him. Then Serena looked at Cristian, smiling. -Yes, it was me who personally broke in here, so what? Can I go now? -You tell me, Cristian's gaze finally returned to her, but he was still so indifferent. The two looked at each other for a while, then Serena opened her mouth and said, "If you have nothing to say, I'll leave. Then he pushed the hug that stopped in front of her to leave. But he dodged her push and grabbed her wrist to pull her forward. -What are you going to do? Let me go," he shouted, -Let me go! Cristian. "But what is going on around here?" thought the workers, fearful, -Why did that woman shout his lordship's name? Did the two of them know each other?"

Then the manager felt more fear at the thought that he would be fired because he had spoken ill of that woman, whom his lordship already knew. He had to follow in her footsteps to explain. -Your lordship, please, I owe you an explanation! -Christian, did you come here for me? Well, I'm not interested in your answer now, I'm asking you to let me go. We have already canceled the contract, if you have any doubts, talk directly to my lawyer," Serena shouted. Chapter 445: His wife With great fury, Cristian grabbed her hands and pushed her to the wall. Seeing him, the workers were shocked and wide-eyed, and they all dared not approach. It seemed that besides knowing his lordship, Serena had a very delicate relationship with him. Then the rest of the workers peeked out of the office because of the noise, and they were all shocked by what they saw. -What happened? Who is that woman? Why is her gentleman...? -The two seem to have a delicate relationship.... Is her lord in love with her? -How is that possible?

Don't tell me that a man as unapproachable and hostile as his lordship would be in love with her?
Serena, commented on by many and controlled by him, felt very humiliated at this moment, her face
red, and looked at him with furious eyes.
-What do you want? Does humiliating me in front of everyone make you happy?
Cristian did not notice the others until he heard this word. He grabbed it because he was very angry
with her.
Then he looked around and shouted, "Go away!
Like a cold, drizzling wind, his shout went through the whole corner. The others, standing or leaning
out, were startled at the indifference of his tone. Immediately they all disappeared.
In the hallway silence was immediately restored, with no one else.
Breathing lightly, Serena looked at Cristian, who was so close to her.
-It's all right now," Cristian said, with a charming gaze fixed on her, "Do you want me to talk to your

Although the others had already disappeared, they all witnessed this humiliation. She replied angrily, "If my lawyer doesn't deserve your visit, let your assistant talk to him, okay?

lawyer? Well, he doesn't deserve my visit.

I'm busy and I don't have time to chat with you.
Then Serena tried hard to free herself from the restraints, but her strength was so weak that Cristian
easily shifted his position to control her with one hand, and with the other he held her chin.
-Why are you here?
-Let me go!" she cried, feeling so much pain.
-Do you want to check the surveillance tapes? Without answering her, Cristian let go of the hand that
had grabbed her arms, then pulled her straight in.
Serena followed him.
As the two of them moved, the others reappeared.
Cristian was indeed unapproachable and unfriendly to everyone, for when he entered the guard room
with her, the workers, to their dismay, immediately stood up.
-Your lordship.
Serena did not want to pay attention to him earlier, but apparently, he allowed her to review the videos.
-You allow me to watch the videos?" she asked, thinking that if the answer was yes, she would be able



However, she was interrupted by a sound: "What are you thinking, don't you want to check them out? Serena immediately regained consciousness.

"Okay, let him do what he wants. I'll finish the videos first." Thinking about it, she began to review the videos very carefully, regardless of whether Cristian took her hand or not.

When she reviewed the videos, Cristian looked at her carefully.

"She is different now than she was before." Cristian thought, "although she is more unapproachable now, she is also more mature and charming. Also, she is very well preserved, you can't see any sign of old age in her."

-Stop," Serena said, "step back a bit, please."

With Cristian's indifferent gaze on them, the workers did so without any hesitation.

Serena looked carefully and finally spotted the suspicious person, "It must be him." Without any hesitation, Cristian ordered, "Search the whole corner for him. I want him before twelve o'clock at night.

-But, Mr. Cristian, this has nothing to do with you," Serena replied.

Cristian was a little embarrassed by what she was saying, and in front of everyone.

But he was not angry. He smiled and grabbed her body, "Nothing to do with me, don't you know that
not just anyone can come in here?
-You brought me here, I didn't ask for it.
Then Serena took out her phone to photograph the suspicious person and stood up to leaveAre you
going out? He stopped her.
-Mr. Cristian, thank you for the videos and I forgive you for the humiliation you left me.
I hope it won't happen again," Serena said.
In the end, she refused Cristian's hand and left immediately.
Thinking that he was not following her, she turned her head and found that Cristian was behind her.
-Don't follow me.
-I will not admit your cancellation of the contract.
Chapter 446: I have plenty of time to entertain you.
"You don't allow contract cancellation?" thought Serena.
For a while not knowing what to say to him, Serena smiled, "You don't allow annulment, and what does
that have to do with me?"
-It has nothing to do with you? I am your client, and I don't allow annulment, so it has nothing to do with

you," Cristian said, his eyes were very sad.

-Mr. Cristian, I know that I personally canceled the contract, and according to the rules, if I pay the fee specified in the contract, we no longer have any relationship. I hope you understand.

Cristian said nothing, just looked at her firmly.

Then he opened his mouth, "Why do you want to break our relationship? If you canceled it, I can make a new contract with you." -You.

- "There are several designers in your company, aren't there?", Cristian felt triumphant as he said it.

He didn't think he had said it, because he thought he was at least a decent person. Serena wanted to say something, but in the end she could think of nothing. Cristian approached her, "You want to do that again, huh?

-What do you want?" she looked at him, discouraged. Despite the high heels she was wearing, the man in front of her was taller than she was. When he answered her, she had to raise her head and feel his arrogance.

-What am I doing?" smiled Cristian, his eyes even more charming, but his face became sad. He said in

a very low voice, -Don't you know what I mean? Although there was a lot of noise around them, Serena heard his words very clearly, and she was impressed. She took a step back and said firmly, "Mr. Cristian, you are a married man. If you keep this up, your wife will be angry, and besides, aren't you cheating on her? Cristian did not answer, and Serena continued, "So, five years have turned you into a bastard, a scoundrel who doesn't care about anyone? Seeing her so desperate, Cristian realized that the woman knew nothing. -Who told you I was married," Cristian said in an indifferent tone. "Thinking about it, Serena replied, -Don't you remember that it was you who told me? -So you are jealous," Cristian smiled. Serena did not care whether he was married or not. She controlled her anger and said, "Mr. Cristian, I'm really in a hurry, I don't want to waste any more time here. -Well," Cristian replied, with their embraces intertwined, "I have plenty of time to entertain myself with

you, when you finish what is urgent, we will talk."

Without paying any more attention to him, Serena headed toward Mario's car. Now Cristian was not chasing him. Seeing Serena approaching, Mario asked her from a distance, "Miss Serena, are you okay?" She shook her head and said, "Don't worry, let's go to the company." When she got into the car, Mario looked at her with great concern. On the other side, Cristian called Luca, "Go investigate why Serena is with the Giordano family." Luca was uncomfortable with his call, thinking, "How did she find out everything if I haven't explained it to her yet?" He did not have time to answer anything and Cristian had already hung up. Again he felt desperate, but Luca still had to do something. * When Serena returned to the company, everyone already knew about the evening dress. At this point, Maria was anxiously waiting for her.

Seeing her coming, Maria ran up to her, "You're back at last!"

He looked at her and nodded, then entered the office, followed by Maria nervously.

- -You have something to tell me," Serena asked. -Yes, | replied Maria, with a pale face. -The dress Arianna drew, I did not tear it. Serena took off her jacket and looked at her, "When did I say you ripped it?" - "You believe me, you believe me," Maria replied, with her mouth open, "How can you believe me? If I treated you badly..." Serena walked over to the table and showed her the pictures she had just taken, "Explain it to me," she said. Then Maria turned angrily and said, "They were the ones who accused me of breaking Arianna's picture out of pure jealousy. But I actually found out only recently. Although I am not kind, no, I will never be able to commit this kind of crime. Besides, a girl as fragile as I am, how could I have the strength to do it," she replied even more furiously, as she felt so aggrieved that she began to cry.
- -I confess that I felt a lot of injustice when they chose your design. I don't think our design is bad, why is your design worthy of being displayed in the hall? I was very angry, but I would never have committed such a crime even if I had wanted to.

Hearing his words, Serena understood more or less. He raised his head and fixed his gaze on her, "You mean you really want to do it? Crying even harder, he replied, -Yes, I felt a lot of injustice and I wanted so much to break his design, but I didn't do it at all. I didn't ruin his work. And I don't accept slander. Serena took a deep breath, "Did I ever say you ruined her design? She stopped crying at his words, "What do you mean, you mean you don't suspect me? -Why should I suspect you," Serena said, "Go away now. I have something else to do." If she continued to cry, it would affect his mind and thinking.// Maria looked at her for a long time and replied, "I thought you would suspect me like everyone else. But you..." -Yes, we'll stop here. Have Anna come, if you don't mind. - "All right," he replied immediately and left the office. Then Anna came in and asked, "What happened? That Mary, crying, with her eyes swollen, didn't something bother you? Chapter 447: We called the police.

-Serena looked at her and waved her hand. Anna approached her, -What's wrong?
-Look at this pictureSerena pointed to the screen.
Anna looked up following Serena's gesture and her gaze fell on the photo:
"Disguised like this, who can recognize him?"
-That man had joined our company last night.
Anna's eyes immediately widened, did you find him?
-Yes, I saw him in two pictures. He was very skillful at dodging the video surveillance, but he still left
some clues. Judging from his steps and actions, he had been well planned and studied for a long time,
he should be particularly familiar with this area.
Hearing this, Anna also understood something of his words.
-If he ambushed here for a long time, this person must have a grudge against us.
Hearing this, Serena could not help but smile slightly, -If there was no grudge, how could he enter the
house without taking anything, he just destroyed everything, according to the current situation, the
scope should be reduced.
-Well, why don't we call the police and arrest this person immediately? I carefully prepared that scene

and now everything is messed up, which irritates me a lot.

Ignoring her words, Serena asked with an indifferent face, -Think about it, what kind of man would want to rip this dress off?

Anna answered without much thought, "Who could it be? Either the one who resents the person who will wear the dress, or the person who designed it.

-Serena looked at Anna and waited for her answer.

Anna was stunned for a moment and then blinked, "Are you kidding? Both scenarios are possible, oh, and if you have to guess which one is more likely, I think both are valid."

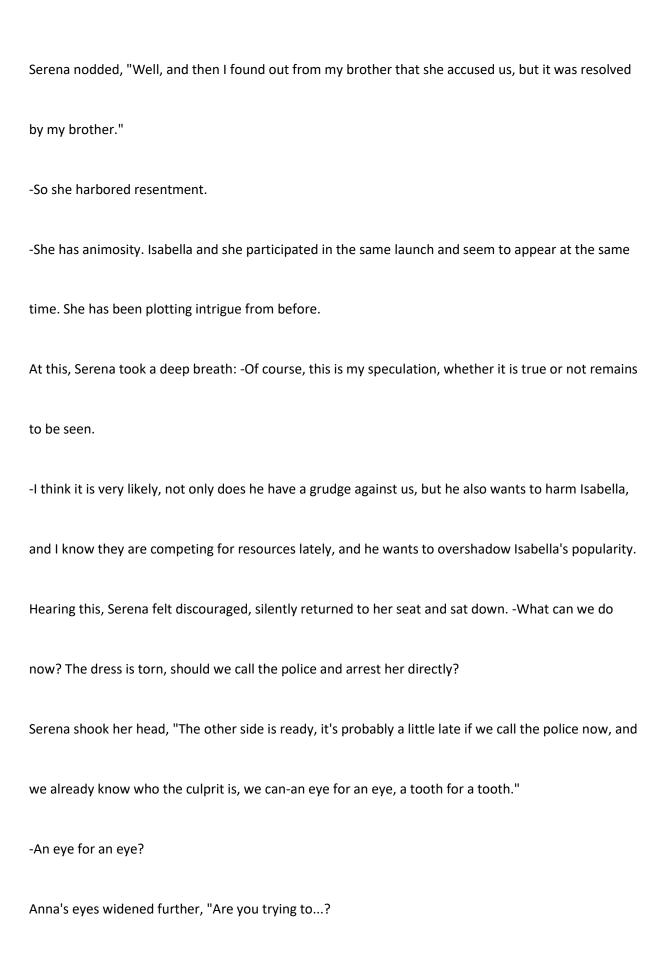
-We have to analyze it according to the circumstances. The designer is Arianna Vailati, and according to her previous results, we don't know who her enemy is. But this person was raised in detail, and it took time to organize it, so it definitely took time to establish it in advance when Arianna took this project, so we could narrow it down to those who work in the company, including me.

Saying this, Anna reached out her hand to touch Serena's forehead.

-Are you okay?



Anna approached her and reached out her hand to hold Serena's shoulders, "I don't want to hear
another long speech from you, just tell me who is the culprit."
Looking at the impatient Anna, Serena could not refrain from touching her head with her index finger
and:
"Why don't you use your brain to think?
-You call me stupid indirectly, growled Anna and turned her back directly.
-Remember who we visited when we were in South City?
Anna was deep in her contemplation, thinking for a long time and suddenly remembered something,
she was immediately stunned, -I know, Francesca Tanzi!
When Francesca's name came out of Anna's mouth, Serena was still a little confused, because she
only remembered that person, but had forgotten her name.
-Do you still remember her?
-Is that her? I remember her, because she was the one who asked us to design her dress, but she is
too arrogant and has no quality or manners, so we terminated the contract with her.



-However, before we do that, we have to confirm it. The matter is your responsibility.
-I? Anna pointed her finger at herself, "Really?"
-Serena patted her on the back, "Come on, Anna, gather some evidence and then we'll attack it."
-I am gathering evidence, and what are you doing?
-Am I with Isabella, or do you want to stigmatize us?
Speaking of Isabella, the office door was opened, only to see a head peek out and look into the office.
-Is there anyone here?
Isabella asked, looking around.
Anna and Serena did not answer at all.
The officer pressed Isabella's head down with a knowing smile.
-I'm sorry.
-Isabella pushed her agent's hand away and opened the door directly to Serena.
-Aaaaaah my heart!
Serena shouted, "Sit down!"



-I see the image of the dress is already torn, even unrecognizable, can it be redone? Goddess, I love you so much, will you really give me that torn dress to wear?

At the end of her words, Isabella seemed to be on the verge of tears, and even spoke, "But if you are really willing to remodel it properly, even as rags, am I willing to wear it?

His pitiful expression looked like that of a kitten.

The officer looked up and pretended not to know anything.

-It's a joke, I checked that dress and it's more than 60 percent torn, it would be harder to remodel than to redesign. So. you are so lucky, come with me.

As soon as Isabella heard her, she immediately followed her like a rabbit and headed out. He was silent for a moment and hurried after her.

Isabella's changing personality was known to the agent, but Paul had never seen Isabella adore a person so much, at first Paul was a little surprised that she was not just a designer, right? Later, he went to check Serena's profile and background, and learned that she had received heavy awards, as long as she was willing, she could definitely cause a boom in her field.

She just seemed to maintain a minor tone, and when she had set up her company, although her name
was Shelly, she had deliberately not announced her achievements.
-Do you want to go out to the car?
After entering the elevator, Isabella asked. Serena nodded, "Yes, I'm going back to my house."
-Isabella froze and then asked, "Where is your house?"
Paul exhaled and then said, "Designer Shelly's original name is Serena, the last name Giordano is not
very common in North City, so that wouldn't be what we're thinking about, would it?
At the end of her sentence, Paolo's mouth tightened, apparently a little embarrassed.
-Serena looked at Paul with a confused look.
Wasn't the surname Giordano very common in the northern city? She knew nothing about it. Paul
coughed slightly before calling out a name, "If Miss Shelly recognizes Matteo Giordano," Serena
nodded her head.
Serena nodded her headYes.
Paul immediately opened his eyes and was about to ask another question, but was surprised by

Serena's next words.

-He is my brother.
Paolo was taken aback.
Serena smiled and said softly, -But my brother is in the company at the moment, so you won't meet him
when you go, don't worry."
Isabella nodded as if she did not understand anything.
In her heart there was a huge wave that was breaking out.
It seemed that not only was the goddess excellent, her family was also perfect. She was from the
Giordano family ah!
In the northern city, the Ferrari family was so powerful that they controlled almost half the city, and the
Giordano family controlled the other half. The head of the Giordano Group, Matteo Giordano was on
the cover of several financial magazines, even his personal introduction interview was on the front
page.
Earlier Isabella had also read this person's report and had thought that the person called Matteo
Giordano spoke little, was quiet and unpredictable, but there was a more indifferent person was

Cristian Ferrari, head of the Ferrari Group.

It was said that he was not even willing to give interviews.

For a moment Isabella thought to herself: were all business leaders so indifferent? Later she realized she had been naïve, because the bosses she met again were either big-headed or pot-bellied, not very talkative, not indifferent, and also horny. Except for a few righteous ones, the other people were good and bad mixed together.

The Giordano family

Serena took Isabella inside to the upper floor.

It was the first time she had brought a stranger into the Giordano family, but in Serena's heart, Anna did not consider herself a stranger because Serena had unconsciously treated her as her own family member

-Isabella was very popular and made a lot of money, almost rich, but after coming to the Giordano family, she realized that poverty had limited her imagination.

The life of the rich, you can't imagine!

The design of the house did not look like the kind of wealth heaped with luxury, but the kind of nobility

and refinement that permeated from inside to outside, from top to bottom, from left to right.
Just like a person, if he or she grew up in a good living environment, receiving all kinds of training with
higher education, then the aura of that person radiates from within.
The Giordano family was like that, and Isabella felt at that moment that the decoration of their house
was like that of the rich family
Yes!
Exactly!
Pushing open the bedroom door, Serena turned to look at Isabella, "Come inside with me!"
As soon as Paul heard this , he coughed slightly, "Then I won't go into the girls' room, I'll wait here. Let
me know when Isabella has finished. I want to walk among the stalls.
Serena looked at Paolo, then gestured to the servant beside her, "Take Mr. Paolo downstairs to rest for
a while, and serve him well."
-Yes, miss.
Soon Paul left accompanied by the servant.

Isabella entered the room following Serena.

This was not Serena's room, but a showroom that Matteo Giordano had built for Serena.

Who would have thought that behind the tightly closed door was another world?

After entering, Isabella was almost stunned by the sight before her. Looking wide-eyed at the dazzling

works of design, for Serena was her goddess, she recognized almost at first glance that the works here

were all Serena's, and every past work of hers.

Entering this place once again, Serena also felt a little moved. The existence of this room was

something Chiara had once told Serena by mistake.

Because after Serena had become a designer, her brother had bought all the pieces designed by her

sister and collected them in the house.

As for Serena's production, most of them had only one or two pieces, and apart from individual

requests, they were all here.

Most of them had appeared in public places, but were never seen in figure again after being auctioned

off at a high price.

Chapter 449: The future is very important.

-Many, my God.

Isabella Aiello's eyes opened wide, staring in disbelief at everything in front of her.

-This, these are...your works, why are there so many of them?

Serena smiled and whispered, -My brother collected them and most are already on the market. Some have been bought and some have only been seen once, then kept here. -Wow, my goddess, your brother treats you very well, || Isabella could not help but cover her mouth, and she did not expect a cold-looking man to be so affectionate.

What happened? She was a little moved-wow.

-Let's go,|| Serena led her inside, -I designed this skirt with intentionality, but it's still not on the market since it was made. No one has seen it before. Today I'll take it as an excuse and give it to you.

Isabella looked at the skirt that shone like stars, and was so moved that she almost cried. -Goddess, you are so kind. I did not expect to be able to wear the precious work you designed at the hand of my life, I should have saved the galaxy in my previous life! Goddess, I invite you to the press conference, let's go together!

Serena thought for a moment and nodded, "Okay."

Then she changed her words and said, "Can I bring another person?" -Yes, the goddess can take whoever she wants. Isabella stared at the skirt and had only starlight in her eyes. Serena also looked at the skirt. It was probably fate. When she had designed this dress, she had thought it was very beautiful. Because it was different from her previous design, she had kept it for safekeeping. She had not expected it-she had given it to Isabella today. Isabella's name and life were like shining stars. Perhaps there was destiny in this! Isabella put the skirt in her bag, but did not take it with her, leaving it with Serena instead, saying she would dress her at home on the day of the press conference. Of course, Serena agreed. After her departure, she returned to the company. When she returned to the company, she was almost out of work, packed her bags, and as she was about to leave, the lawyer came in.

-I'm sorry, Miss Serena, I'm afraid the things you entrusted to me will not be realized," the lawyer said

bluntly after entering, "The Ferrari Group is not willing to change the decision. MoreoverI think it's
better for Miss Serena to settle the matter herself."
Listening, Serena paused and then said, "If I can resolve it myself, why do I hire a lawyer?"
This was true. The lawyer's face changed a lot and he could not speak for a long time.
Finally, he put the file down on the desk and spoke.
-I can't handle this case anyway. Miss Serena, you should hire someone more professional.
- "Attorney Grassi," Serena looked at him with an indifferent expression, "Before you took this case,
you already knew that person's name. But you still signed a contract with me. Are you going to break
the contract now?"
-What about my breach of contract? Wouldn't it be worse if I lost my job because of a contract?"
Lawyer Grassi put a card directly on the table, "Besides, you also broke the contract with them, can't I
do that? I just have to pay the compensation."
Serena,
She looked at the paper on the table and arched her eyebrows, -Three times the indemnity?

-Lawyer Grassi nodded, looking at the credit card, and felt bitter in his heart. Fortunately, the lawyer's
fee this time was not high. So he could still pay three times the compensation. Although it was a pity
about the money, compared to his future, the money was nothing.
-That's it. I'll leave first.
Before Serena answered, he had already left.
After waiting for him to leave, Serena took the credit card and looked at it.
So this made him a fortune by accident?
Even if he didn't want to earn this money, ma what else could he do now? Serena put the credit card
away and then left the company.
The next day.
-The lawyer called me and told me that he had already paid the compensation and would not accept
this contract again, she said. This is unfortunate. Why is it Cristian Ferrari, the lawyer does not even
care about professional discipline?
Serena put down the pen in her hand when she heard the words, -Don't blame him, I can only blame
Cristian for being too smart. Also. Even if this time the matter is settled, I'm afraid there will be another

time.

After speaking, Serena opened her purse, took out her credit card and put it on the table. -This is the fee paid by lawyer Grassi. You can transfer it to the company's account as public funds.

Anna held out her hand and took it, -Did he really pay the money? Three times, it is estimated in hundreds of thousands. My God, he is so rich for a lawyer, doesn't he feel sorry for the money?

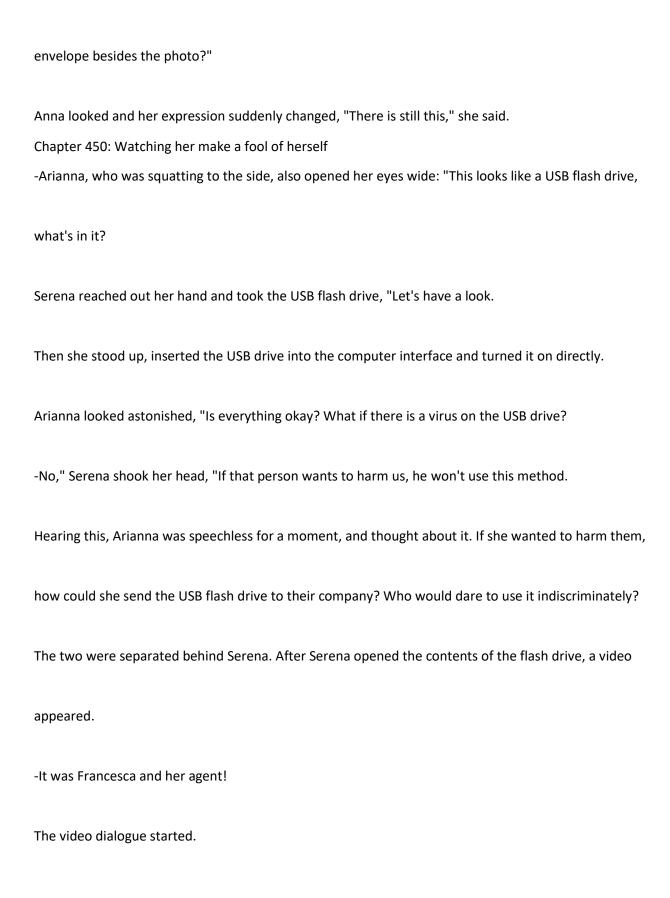
Hearing this, Serena could not help but smile, "For him, the future is much more important than this."

If he had done his duty better, Serena would not have considered it a breach of contract nor would she have asked him to pay for the breach of contract. But ... lawyer Grassi shuddered too quickly and made no effort. Before discussing the contract, Serena had asked Anna to explain to him as clearly as possible that this contract would be very complicated, so the lawyers should make it as simple as possible and bring it when they were sure.

Lawyer Grassi had agreed, but withdrawn immediately.

-You make hundreds of thousands without doing anything. So-what do you plan to do with the contract? If the Ferrari group is unwilling to terminate the contract, will you have to hire Cristian?

-Leave him aside for now," Serena sighed, "No, Cristian should not bother me these days."
-Well, we have no choice. There are more important things right now. By the way, I couldn't get what
you asked for. You might have to waitOkay.
The two were talking, but the office door suddenly opened.
It was Arianna Vailati, she looked at the two and then entered with an envelope.
-Is there a problem?
-I just walked in, someone gave me an envelope saying I should give it to you.
After talking, Arianna put it in front of Serena.
-Anna hurried to open it impatiently.
The envelope was very large and thick, because Anna's movements were quite urgent, the photos
inside fell out and scattered on the floor.
Everyone was surprised and squatted down to look at them.
-Well, this is not Francesca Tanzi," Anna stared at the person in the photo, "It's very strange, who sent
this envelope? Why did she send it?"
Serena held out her hand, took the photo and, after looking at it for a while, said, "Look what's in the



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-Francesca, I think you'd better forget about this, it's not very good. You're a popular star. If this leaks out, you would be ruined if there are bad comments about you at that time.

Francesca's agent tried to convince her.

However, it was obvious that Francesca did not take his words seriously, and she only said with disdain, "What does it matter? Everyone knows that I am a popular star. I usually play the positive roles. Even if they say it, others won't believe it. People will only see it as a means of retaliation against me."

Saying this, Francesca looked at the person in front of her, "Handle this. You have to find a good time to fulfill it properly and you cannot show any imperfection. If you can't, then you have to find reasons to take full responsibility. In short, you cannot allow the thing to involve me. Once the thing is done, you will get a lot of benefits.

The person looked greedy for money and nodded with a smile, "Of course. We do this kind of business, we are not allowed to betray the employer.

At the sound of Francesca's lips, he smiled, "Well, if you do a good job, I'll give you more money."

I can't wait to see the end, if that designer's job is destroyed, and Isabella won't have a skirt to wear to the press conference, so she can only find a generic replacement. As for her face of failure, thinking about it, I feel very happy.

After she spoke, she let out a laugh, with the slightly mad laughter that was incompatible with her innocent appearance.

The officer stood back with a helpless look on his face. The artist decided to do so, and she had no choice but to look at that person in front of her, -Follow it perfectly, don't leave any marks. As she said, if you get caught, all the responsibility will be yours, understand? -No problem!

The video ended, and Serena was filled with anger.

-Damn, I know this Francesca is not a good person. We shouldn't have accepted her request in the beginning. What popular star? How many people will she have fooled with her innocent face? She has no acting skills, only with her figure can she succeed in the entertainment field, she has to do many unpleasant things, right?

When a person is angry, he often speaks unscrupulously.

For example, Anna, although it was an assumption, her words were already very nasty. Serena knew that the entertainment field was a big trap, and in this field there were no simple people.

-Who sent us this flash drive?

Serena suddenly looked at Arianna.

Arianna was stunned for a moment, then scratched her head with her hand, -I-I don't know who it is. He was just a very ordinary-looking man. He gave me this thing, saying it was very important and that I must give it to you.

Having said that, he tried to remember, -I remember his expression was very serious at that time. I thought a lot had happened in the last two days and I didn't hesitate to take it directly. Then that person should be gone, and I don't know if I can reach him now.

-It's not necessary to find him," Serena said, "After so long, it would not be possible to track him down.

This video helped us. Now we know who the culprit is.

-Anna looked at Serena and said, "You analyzed with me yesterday, but this video only gave us conclusive evidence."

Arianna's eyes widened, "Right? You're so smart," Arianna's eyes widened, "Aren't you?
Hearing this, Serena smiled faintly, "Not long after I returned to Italy, I realized how many friends I
have. I'm not smart, but I narrowed it down.
-Well, no wonder you were so calm yesterday, then Maria Antoniolán, has she been unfairly blamed?
-Yes, perhaps everyone still suspects her. I hope we colleagues will get along.
-I know what you mean, don't worry. I will explain it to everyone when I return.
-Well, as for Francesca as the culprit, don't talk about it for now.
-I'm so angry," Anna said enthusiastically, "This Francesca, I ignored her before, it's because I didn't
want to listen to her. She also played this kind of joke on me. If we didn't already have a solution,
wouldn't we be in trouble this time? I have to teach her a lesson!
Anna clenched the joints of her palms and quickly left.
Arianna also left.
After they left, Serena bent down and pulled out the flash drive, looking at it thoughtfully.
Was this a coincidence?

When she had gone to see the surveillance video yesterday, Cristian was there to help her.

Today, an anonymous person had sent her the evidence directly, which had already solved many problems for her. If she had had to handle these things herself, it would have been a big problem. But now ... the high-definition video was in her hands. Whose dialogue or face it was, she could see very clearly.

All of this ... Was it Cristian?

If meeting him again was just to humiliate her, why had he bothered to do these things to help her?

But ... apart from Cristian, Serena could think of no one else.

Forget about him.

Serena closed her eyes and thought that she owed Cristian another favor.

Tomorrow would be the press conference. She hoped everything would go well. After this was over,

she would resolve the issue between her and Cristian.

There was to be an ending between them.

She wanted to ask him clearly what had happened!

Time passed quickly and soon a day had passed. The day of the press conference had arrived.

Serena brought Arianna and Anna to the scene, because Isabella had specially invited her, so there were special seats for them.

Anna did not want to come at first, because she was not interested in such things. But ... this time she had wanted to follow her to come here. Because she wanted to see Francesca make a fool of herself at the press conference.