Chapter 611: Mom, when are you taking me home?
Hearing this, Serena stopped and did not dare to move.
-Christian asked as she did not answer.
Serena bit her lower lip in embarrassment and said softly, "I don't feel very comfortable on your back,
and"
Cristian smiled helplessly, "You don't want to walk or be carried, so I'll carry you?
-Then I'll be on your back.
He thought no more about it, Cristian was very strong, and it was easy for him to carry her, so he didn't
bother to talk about it.
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Thinking about it, Serena ignored him.
It was almost dark, and when pedestrians passed by them, they always looked at them with envious
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eyes.
eyes.
At first Serena felt a little uncomfortable, but gradually she no longer cared about the gaze of others.
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With this in mind, Serena leaned comfortably on Cristian's back and let him carry her.

Soon they reached the residence, perhaps through an illusion, Serena felt that Cristian seemed to walk

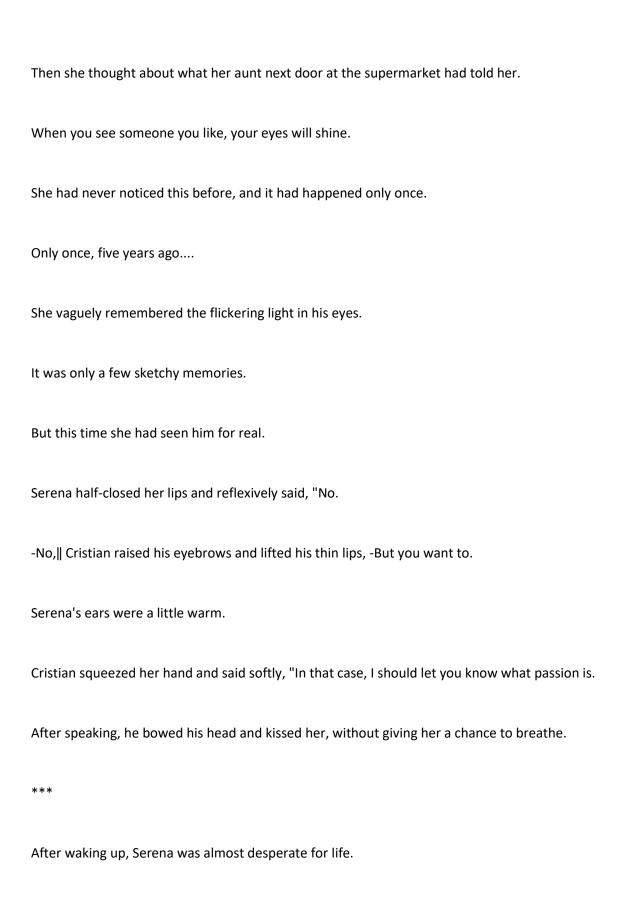
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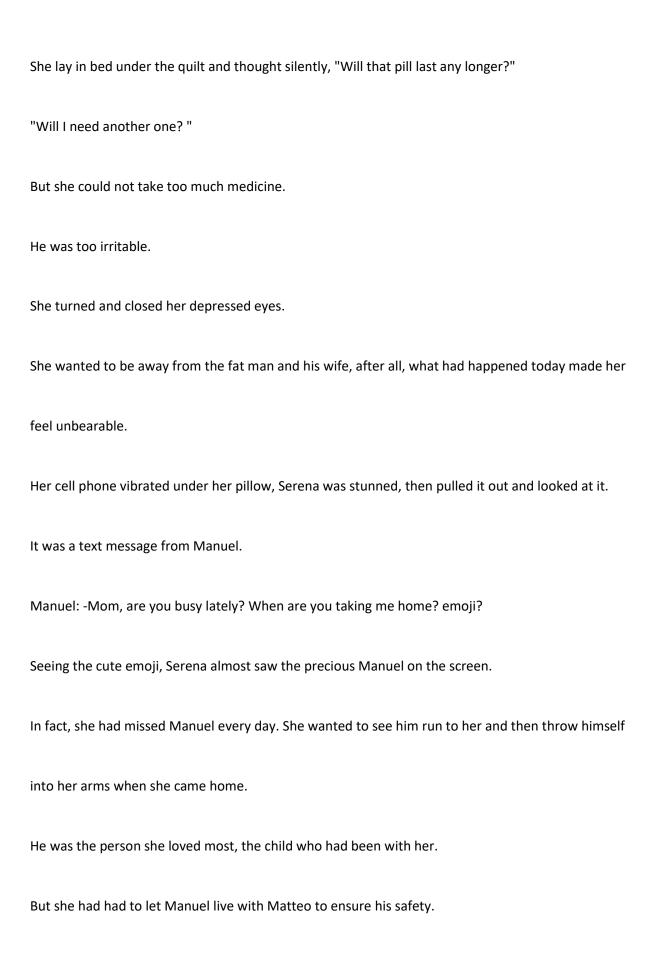
much more slowly with each step.
Time passed, and Cristian walked forward as well, and their surroundings gradually became silent, only
the sound of the wind blowing the leaves accompanied them both.
It was getting dark and everything around them seemed to be quiet and beautiful.
Serena could only hear Cristian's breathing, and hers, very clearly.
-Today∥ said Cristian suddenly in a low voice in the night.
-What?" asked Serena suspiciously.
The man was silent for a while before saying, -Nothing.
Silence again, Cristian led her to the elevator and then set her down.
After reaching the 18th floor, Serena unconsciously followed Cristian to the door and then fell silent.
After a while, when Cristian entered the password and opened the door, Serena suddenly realized and
looked at him with surprise.
-How do you know the password?
Cristian took her hand through the door and said calmly, -I've seen you enter the password many times.

In fact, he had accidentally looked at it once, but that had been enough for this man with a super	
memory!	
The door closed, Serena was still stunned. After coming to her senses, she said angrily, "Didn't you	
turn around when I entered the password? How many times did you hear me do that? You treat me like	
a child"	
After Cristian went through the door, he immediately put the bag on the cabinet next to him, then turned	
and grabbed Serena's hands and pulled her up, pushing her against the cold door.	
This sudden movement made Serena wince, -What are you doing?	
Cristian leaned forward slightly, his voice hoarse as a slow cello.	
-Did you tell the neighboring aunt today that we divorced for frigidity?	
Her face changed dramatically. Earlier she had worried that the aunt next door had told Cristian. On the	
way back, she still thought that the aunt next door could only be open with her. After all, this was a	
woman's issue.	
But had she also talked to Cristian?	

However, she had never said that she and Cristian had divorced because of her frigidity. This was all the imagination of the neighboring aunt. Thinking about this, Serena moved her lips, -When... -When... -When... -Cristian interrupted her with a kiss. Cristian interrupted her with a kiss. Serena's eyes unconsciously widened, her pupils narrowed, and she unconsciously resisted with her hands. Cristian squeezed her hand tightly and leaned forward, kissing harder. Just when Serena felt he might take her breath away, Cristian suddenly shook his head and touched her cold forehead and gasped, "I haven't satisfied you these days, is that why you are talking this nonsense? Serena finally had a chance to breathe, frowned and said. -No. -Or, are you protesting my lack of passion? Before she could speak again, Cristian pinched her chin with several fingers, causing her to lift her head to look him in the eye.

Serena wanted to deny it, but the moment she looked into his eyes, she noticed a special light.





In fact, the Giordano family was her best support.
With a smile, Serena turned and replied to Manuel.
-I've missed you a lot lately, but I haven't finished my work yet, so you have to wait a while.
God knows she wished she could have taken Manuel home right away.
Chapter 612: I can treat him as if he were my own son.
-Mom, you rarely come with me when I go back to the country, I'm a little sad,∥ Serena thought for a
moment.
Manuel was right.
After returning home, as soon as something happened, especially if Cristian appeared at her side,
Serena would send Manuel elsewhere to prevent them from meeting.
In fact, they were always separated.
Serena sighed and continued writing.
-I'm sorry, Manuel, it's my fault, this time I'll take care of everything and take you home.
-Really?
-Sure.



-Why are you so nervous?	
Serena took a quick breath without answering.	
-What do you think I'm going to do?" Cristian looked at her seriously and asked, -You already have a	
son, but I've never seen him. You also hid his shoes and locked the door. Are you afraid, are you afraid	
I won't like him?	
Serena didn't know what to say, because Manuel and Cristian looked exactly alike, she was afraid	
Cristian had other ideas, that's why she didn't let them meet.	
But, of course, she couldn't tell him.	
He bit his lower lip without answering.	
But Cristian thought she was hiding the child on purpose.	
Thinking about this, he laughed at himself.	
-Are you afraid I won't like him? Since it is your ex-husband's child, you are worried, scared, aren't	
you?	
Serena avoided his gaze and felt the slight vibration of the cell phone behind her, pretended not to	

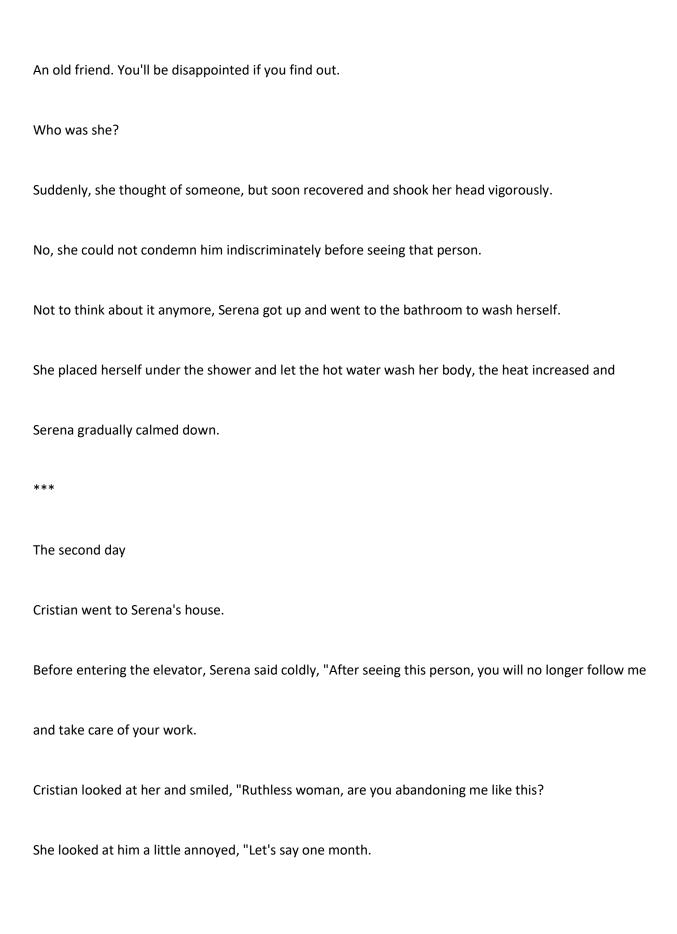
notice anything and continued to lean in to hide the cell phone.
The man put his large hand on her waist and said softly, "Stupid, why do you always think I am
mischievous? I accepted this child five years ago.
Hearing this, Serena could not help but look at him again.
-To me, he is not as important as you. Although I know he is your ex-husband's son, but -he is also
your son, if you agree, I will treat him as if he is my son.
Serena was surprised.
She had imagined a thousand thoughts of Cristian, but she had never thought of this. Cristian had
never seen Manuel until now, so she had always believed that Manuel was her ex-husband's son.
But even though she already knew that Manuel was her ex-husband's son, he still wanted to live with
her.
This Cristian
-I am not forcing you.
Seeing her hesitate, Cristian knew she needed time to reflect, and calmly said, "I will give you time to
reflect."

Give her time to reflect?
Serena suddenly realized something: "If you give me time to reflect, you must also give me space."
Cristian stared at her, "Do you want to push me away?"
-If you are by my side every day, how can I consider it?
After a moment's reflection, Cristian's lips twitched slightly, "Okay, then I'll give you time to think about
it. You want space, don't you? How many days?
A few days would not be enough.
Serena frowned.
-You want more, Cristian arched his eyebrows, -How much time do you want?"
-A month,∥ Serena said without hesitation.
The man blinked, the woman really dared to make a condition of one month, with this, wouldn't he be
crazy?
Thinking about it, Cristian flatly refused, -No. No?
-Why? You asked me how much time I need and I said one month.

-Cristian narrowed his eyes, suddenly lowered his head and approached her, their noses were facing
each other, "I haven't had sex for five years, and now I'm having sex with you, but you want to live
alone for a month? Do you want to kill me?"
He said the last sentence in her ear, and, blowing deliberately, Serena shuddered.
This man really looked like a thug.
She turned her face to avoid his thin, warm lipsI don't want to say anything else, however, if you don't
agree, don't make me think about it anymore.
-Are you threatening me?
-Yes.
-Well," Cristian half-closed his lips and smiled, -I can give you my life, what else can't I accept?"
Serena took a deep breath and said nothing.
After a while, Cristian stood up, Serena also regained her freedom. She pulled out her cell phone
behind her and looked at it. He had not received a message from Manuel, so he had not answered
again.
She turned her head and looked at Cristian, who was adjusting his collar at the side of the bed. "Did

Chapter 613: You will be disappointed.
He had made it very clear. Serena was still skeptical before, but now she was sure, she looked at him
with narrowed eyes.
-You found it, but you won't tell me?
Cristian looked at her calmly, -To know too much is not a good thing.
-As the protagonist, I have the right to know.
-So what? What can be done after knowing? Confrontation or revenge?
These words silenced Serena. The two looked at each other for a long time and suddenly Serena
laughed angrily.
-So it's for my sake? Because knowing too much is not good, so you choose to hide it instead of telling
me the truth?
-Serena.
-Am I right?
Cristian was afraid of her, sighed and leaned down, do you really need to know? Even if the problem
has been solved?

Serena clenched her fists and nodded resolutely, -I have a right to know. Of course she had to know who had done it. She did not want to be frightened repeatedly for no reason without even knowing who the culprit was. Through her steady eyes and stubborn face, Cristian knew that if she didn't say anything, he would definitely investigate. After thinking about it for a while, he gave her a suggestion. -You really know this person. -Doesn't that make sense, or did it hurt me? Cristian, -...an old friend of yours. -... -old friend? Serena remembered her old friends. She didn't have many, and in the end she couldn't think of anyone who would hurt her so cruelly. -Cristian smiled helplessly, reached out and touched her hair, -You'll be disappointed if you know, that's why I didn't tell you. -If you can't think of who she is but want to know, I'll take you to see her tomorrow. After Cristian left, Serena sat alone in the room, thinking about what she had said.





Serena pushed him away and stood beside him angrily.
Cristian was very happy when he had kissed her. He did not feel angry with her at all and considered
her just shy.
However, in a month, she and her son would be living with Cristian, and then the boy would also be her
son.
After getting into the car, Serena stretched her neck, then leaned back in the back seat and closed her
eyes.
At a red light, Cristian stopped the car and looked at her.
She fell asleep with a steady breath, Cristian unconsciously reached out his hand and gently stroked
her cheek with his thumb.
After the meeting, at first the two had not fared very well, but now she had fallen asleep relaxed, how
nice!
In this way, they would soon be together again.
Cristian looked tenderly at her red lips and sighed quietly.



-Serena turned her head and stopped arguing with him, looked out of the car: -Are we there yet? Are
we going to see that person?
-Cristian nodded, got out of the car and opened the door for herLet's go, this is the restaurant.
When Serena got out of the car, Cristian reached out his hand to protect her head, she was a little
moved and felt that he had really changed a lot.
In the past, although Cristian had helped her a lot, he was a reticent person, and when she had asked
him if he would treat her well, he had proudly denied it.
And now
Cristian handed over the car key to the person who would park it and then accompanied Serena to the
restaurant.
They sat at a well-lit table, Serena frowned, -What do you want, are we here to see the person or to
eat?
Cristian looked at her, -Don't worry, we can also see the person while we eat, okay?
Chapter 614: You are my only woman. Serena wanted to roll her eyes, but she didn't want to be annoying, so she gave up.

In the end, she said nothing.

After a while, the waitress approached with the menu and stared at Cristian.

-The girl nervously placed the menu in front of Cristian, looking at him with a blush on her face.

Serena, who was sitting opposite, ignored her completely, raised her head and looked at the girl

without any particular reaction.

Cristian placed the menu in front of Serena and asked in a low voice, "What do you want to eat?

The girl discovered that there was someone in front of Cristian. She was surprised and then looked at

Serena. This sudden look made Serena's mouth twist in embarrassment and then she said, "I'm not

interested."

Seeing that she was not interested, Cristian asked no more questions, ordered two steaks and red

wine, and then handed the menu to the waitress.

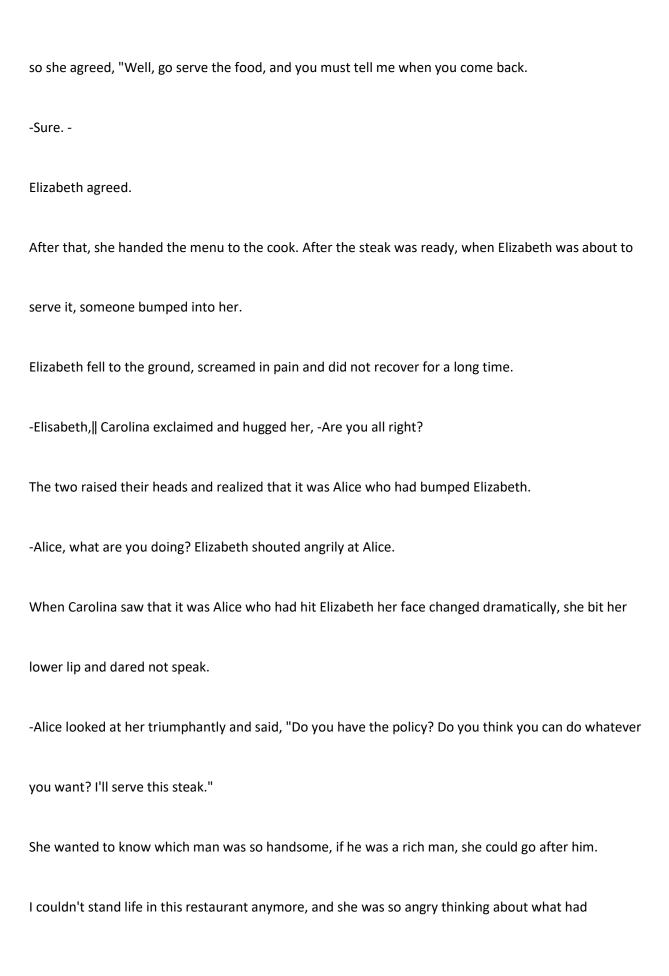
After taking the menu, the waitress looked silently at Cristian and then happily returned.

Serena looked at her back and then at the quiet Cristian on the opposite side, and deliberately said,

"You are always so handsome."

Hearing this, Cristian paused and then arched his eyebrows as if he was thinking about something.

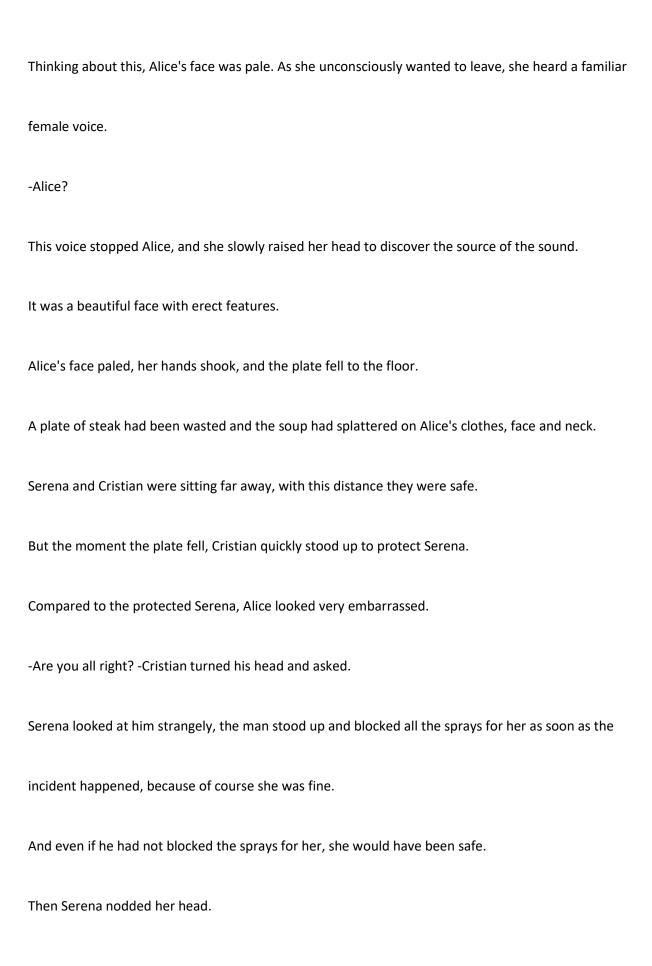
-Are you jealous?
She ignored him, Serena looked away and did not speak, Cristian could not help but lean forward and
whispered, -Don't worry, you are my only woman."
Hearing this, Serena frowned at him, but the man was smiling.
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-Listen, there is a very handsome man over there. I am already intoxicated in his eyes. I have never
seen such a handsome man even on television.
The girl's name was Carolina Locatelli, and when she had arrived in the kitchen with the menu, she had
started gossiping with her colleagues.
Elisabetta looked at her incredulously, "Is he so handsome? Why are you so drunk?
Carolina nodded, "Really! He is not an ordinary handsome guy, but very attractive, with a hormonal
aura in every gesture."
-You have wronged me, so will I be serving food soon?
Carolina looked at Elizabeth, who was blushing. They were good friends. Carolina was like a little girl,



happened a few days ago.	
-How can you do this? They are Rubi's customers. Even if I can't serve the food, you won't get a shift,"	
Elizabeth said angrily.	
-Alice approached her with the plate, and suddenly kicked Elizabeth. Elizabeth screamed in pain and	
covered her leg, "What are you doing?"	
-Now you know who has the last word," Alice smiled sullenly, "I kicked you and no one helped you, do	
you know who has the last word? Do you have doubts about which customers I want to serve?"	
Elizabeth's eyes were red with anger. She wanted to argue with Alice, but Carolina stopped her.	
-No, Elizabeth!	
-Elisabeth shouted angrily, "Why can you treat me like this, why?"	
-Alice raised her chin triumphantly, "Well, go to the manager and tell him to kick me, let's see if you can	
continue working here."	
After speaking, Alice turned triumphantly and walked away with the plate.	
Elizabeth wanted to run away like she was crazy, but Carolina stopped her.	

-No, Elizabeth, you will lose your job. It is not easy for us to have one. If you lose it, how can we pay
the rent?
-Let me, although it's not easy to have a job, can you treat me like this? I have to discuss with you.
However, Carolina continued to stop Elizabeth, and her colleagues also sighed.
-Forget it, it is useless to argue with her. You know she has the director as her arm, and they only let
you complain. In fact, it won't do you any good.
-It's true, and she works for you, you should be happy. You can look at that handsome guy without
serving dishes, you just have to find an excuse to clear the table.
-Yes, Elizabeth, they are right, calm down.
After Elizabeth was bumped and kicked, she was furious and her colleagues' words failed to calm her
down.
She bit her lower lip, "I will take revenge on her, and when she is no longer superior, I will let her know
how good I am."
Alice smiled triumphantly and walked charmingly with the plate.
Although they all wore business suits, she had hers on, a short skirt with a low neckline, black

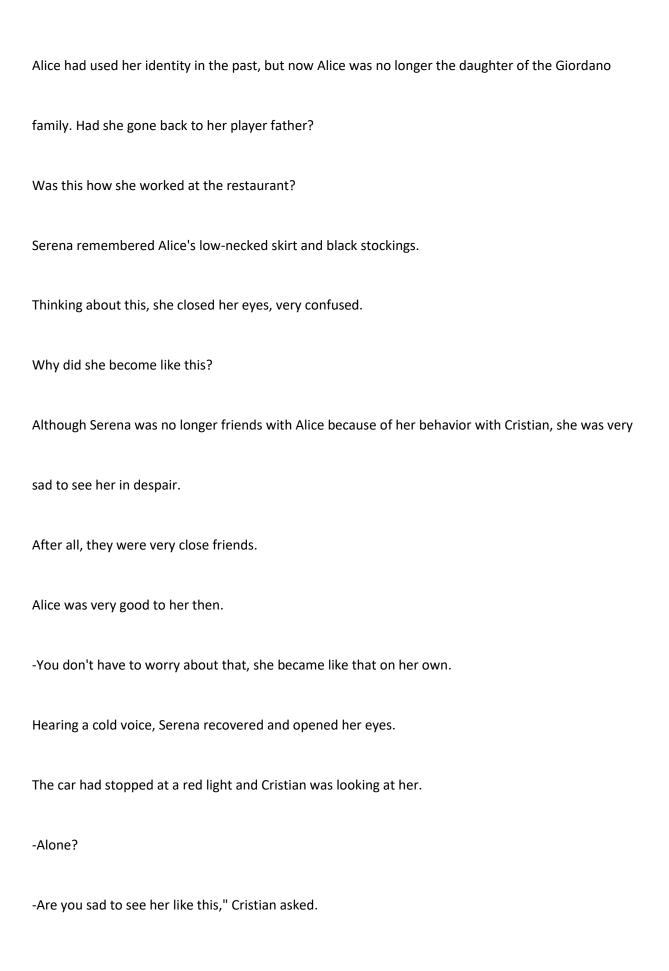
stockings and high heels, very enticing.
She wanted to behave herself when she saw the handsome man.
Soon Alice reached table 8. She stared at the tall, straight figure of the man and could not help but
squint.
A somewhat familiar figure - should she have known this man?
Of course Alice, who only had beauty in her eyes, did not even notice that there was a woman in front
of Cristian.
Chapter 615: Will you forgive her?
After approaching, Alice finally saw the man's profile, but his sharp eyes and distinctive features were
already very clear.
Then Alice winced and almost dropped her plate.
How could it be Cristian?
Was he the handsome man Elizabeth and Carolina said he was? But they had met only a few days
ago, so why was he here again?
Did he not want her to continue working here?

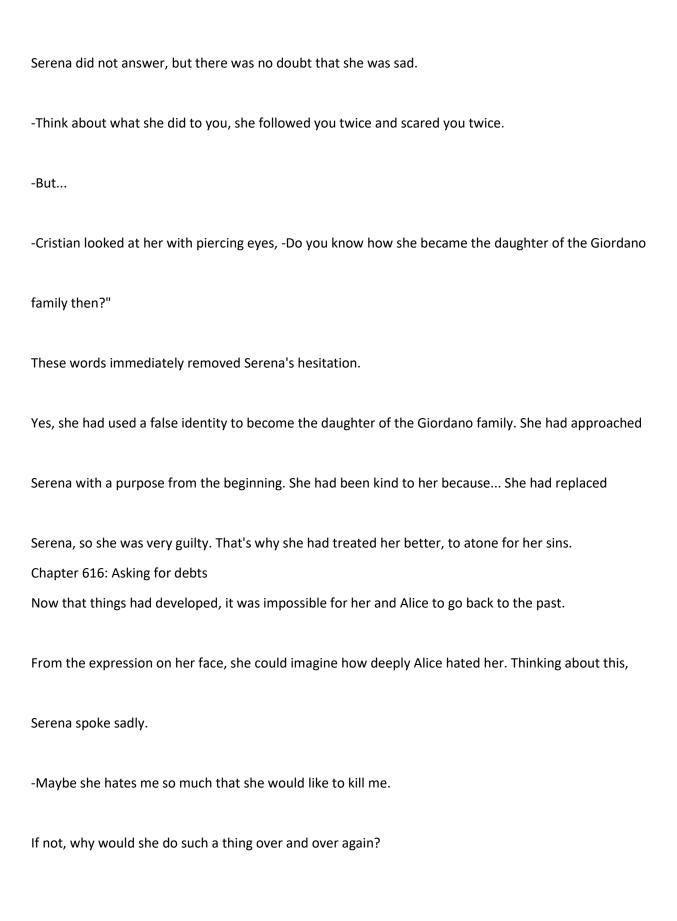


Seeing this, Alice felt sad. Five years ago, she was the honorable Miss Giordano, and Serena was just
an unfortunate daughter of the Gallo family. She had witnessed how desolate Serena was.
But everything had changed in the past five years.
Alice had fallen into total disgrace.
Alice hated her, but she dared not see her.
Because she really did not want others to know about her current situation.
Thinking of this, Alice turned around and tried to leave.
Seeing this, Serena stood up and stopped her.
-Alice, was it you who made threats about the package and the food?
Since Cristian had told her last night that she would be disappointed when she found out who this
person was, a face had appeared in Serena's mind, but she did not want to make a mistake before
meeting the person.
After seeing Alice, she realized that this face was exactly the same one she had in her mind yesterday.
Alice.

They were close friends five years ago.
Alice wanted to leave, because she did not want to be laughed at for her embarrassment, but Serena's
words made her stop. She did not turn around; she stood like this.
-Why?" Serena turned to look at her and asked the puzzled question.
Not knowing what she had done wrong, Alice suddenly changed and even tried to commit suicide in
front of her.
These words angered Alice, who suddenly turned and looked at Serena.
-Mrs. Serena, what do you want, to laugh at me and embarrass me in this restaurant?" Alice looked at
Cristian, and then gave Serena a fierce look.
-You have someone to support you and you want to embarrass me? Well, impossible.
Then Alice straightened her back, staring at Serena with hatred.
Hate overflowed from her eyes, Serena couldn't believe it, her lips twitching, but she couldn't say
anything.
-You hurt me.
Now she was so brazen. Serena thought for a moment, and turned her head to look at Cristian, -I want

to talk to her alone.
Cristian wanted to refuse, and Alice shouted, -I don't want to talk to you alone, you are the daughter of
the Giordano family, we have nothing to talk about. Please leave, we don't welcome you in our
restaurant."
After speaking, Alice turned and walked away, leaving Serena behind.
Serena's face changed slightly, biting her lower lip and trying to follow her.
Cristian grabbed her wrist, "No"
-But
-You are only here to find out who this person is, do you want to tell him about the old days?
Serena remained silent, slowly lowered her eyes, and then Cristian led her out of the restaurant.
After getting into the car, she was dazed and had even forgotten to put on her seatbelt.
Cristian bent down to help her put on the seat belt.
Serena was thinking.
She had not expected to meet Alice like this again.





When he saw her, the hatred in her eyes almost overflowed.
Serena still regretted the idea that the two had gotten along so well as sisters, but now they were back
like this.
She closed her eyes and said nothing.
Suddenly she heard Cristian say something.
-I will protect you.
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Cristian kept his promise. In the following days, as he had said he would give her time and space to
think, he did not come looking for her again, nor did he bother to stay with her.
At first Serena was afraid of his sudden arrival, so she never dared to see Manuel. After two days of
secret observation, she found out that Cristian had not returned to see her, so she went to see Manue
as soon as possible.
When Manuel saw her, he almost ran and jumped into her arms.
Serena bent down and hugged Manuel tightly; she missed him.
-I will die thinking of you,∥ Serena stroked his head and sighed.

Manuel murmured, -I think of you often, too.

After speaking, Manuel stood up on tiptoe and kissed Serena's face, "Mom, a kiss!

He pointed to his cheek and gestured to Serena in return.

Serena smiled, her expression too soft, bent her head and kissed Manuel's face as a gift. Seeing that

Manuel was still sulky, she kissed him again on the other side of his cheek. Then she asked softly, "Are

you satisfied?"

-Hey, | Manuel turned a little proudly, -We did it. Mom you didn't come to see me for a long time and

you didn't text me. I thought you were going to leave your son."

These serious remarks made Serena laugh, and then she reached out and pinched Manuel's nose and

said helplessly, "What are you thinking, how could I have done that?"

-Hey, you always say you can't do this kind of thing, but you haven't paid attention to me for a long

time. After speaking, Manuel held Serena's arm with both hands and spoke mischievously, "Mom, you

promised me that after you took me home this time, you wouldn't throw me out again.

-Serena nodded her head, "Yes, I promise.

-Then this time you must keep your promises. If you reject me again, I will ignore you forever.
-Of course, I definitely won't send you away again.
-Mom swears.
Manuel held out his hand, and Serena had to. After the deal was done, a sly flicker shone in Manuel's
glass-bead-like eyes.
As long as he could stay with his mother, meeting his father would be just around the corner.
As much as he wanted to meet his father, he knew that Mom was unwilling, so he could not let his
father know about his appearance and life experience without Mom's consent.
But if he went back to live with Mom, it would be different.
If Father had arrived, she would have met him by chance and known what he looked like.
Then it would be none of his business, after all, if it happened accidentally.
At that point, Mom and Dad could have been together.
Thinking about this, Manuel's heart was happy.
Then he began to make various small calculations after the two were together. Father had not fulfilled
his responsibility to take care of him for the past five years. When the time came to acknowledge Dad,



Not to mention the fact that she wanted to live independently, the main thing was that Cristian often disturbed her now. If she moved out, would Cristian show up directly at the Giordano family's doorstep? If Cristian had confronted Matteo, another tough fight would have surely broken out. -No, Anna, Manuel and I can take care of ourselves. Besides, I also want to live my own life, and I cannot have my brother support me forever. Hearing this, Matteo could not help but sigh and took a step forward and looked deeply at her. -But Serena, I am willing to take care of you all the time. Serena raised her eyes to look at Matteo, and it was shocking to see that his eyes were fixed on her as if he were the only person in the world. If Matteo had not been her brother, she would have almost thought she liked him. After all, how could a brother do everything for his sister?

In any case, it did not seem to be true.

But ... thinking about her previous experience, she thought it was normal.

He had lost his father already in childhood, his sister had disappeared, and shortly thereafter he had lost his mother. The departure of his relatives was always a hard blow to Matthew.

He had been alone for a long time without even feeling the affection between relatives, so he wanted to take care of her all the time and depend on her all his life.

Serena felt that this feeling was understandable.

But at the same time, this kind of emotion made people unfree.

Later, after he found Serena, she was his only remaining relative.

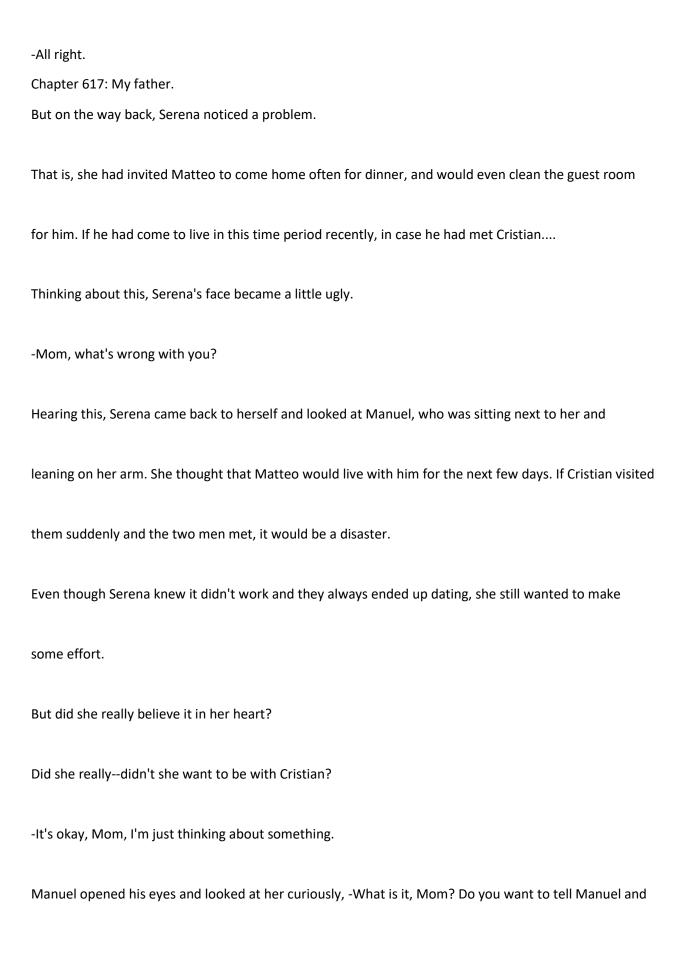
Fortunately, Matthew's desire to control her was not particularly strong, and he was willing to allow her to start a business independently, run it independently, and accept that she would move and live elsewhere.

Of course, Serena also knew that he was the one who spoiled her.

Because she was his favorite sister.

Thinking about this, Serena sighed slightly and whispered: -Brother, I still want to live alone, but ... I will often bring Manuel to visit you in the future. And if you have time in the future, you can come to my side. We will eat together. There are many rooms, so you can live together if you want....

Matteo finally showed a relieved smile.





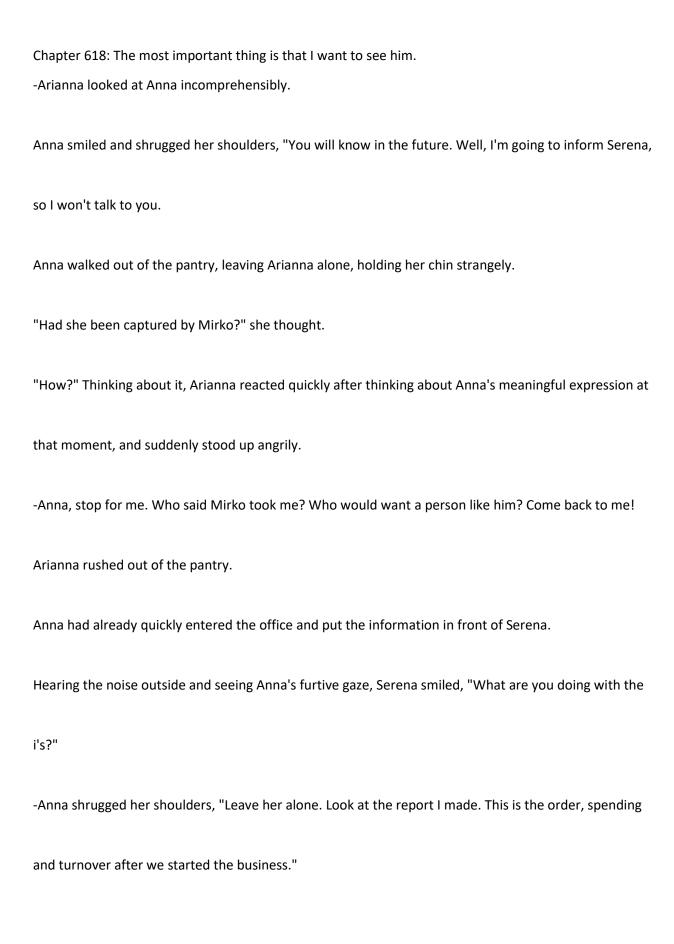
In the last sentence, she had asked carefully, as if probing.
After listening, Manuel could not help but blink and then whispered: -Mom, do you want to find a daddy
for Manuel?
Serena nodded, -Yes, haven't you looked for him?
-But" Manuel reached out his little hand and pushed her hard, -Manuel, he just wants to find his
daddy."
Hearing this, Serena was silent for a few seconds and understood what Manuel had said.
She thought for a while and bit her lower lip.
-If he was your real father, what would you think?
Manuel's eyes suddenly lit up, -Really? Mother, are you really willing to find my father for me?
He got excited and hugged Serena's hand tightly, "Mom, when are we going to find dad?"
This child
Was he so excited to hear that?
So Serena thought again, maybe it really was a happy thing to be able to find his biological father in the
eyes of a child.

-Don't worry, take it easy, if there's a chance, I'll show you.
-Oh, thank you, mom.
Serena hugged Manuel and suddenly felt that the knot in her heart seemed to melt away.
If it was possible, she hoped that she herself and Manuel could be happy.
Thinking of this, Serena smiled deeply.
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After bringing Manuel home, Serena lived a life in which she went out early and came home late,
running the business during the day, sending Manuel to school, picking him up from school in the
evening, and both of them coming home.
Life seemed to be very quiet, but Cristian had become quiet and was no longer showing up.
Serena felt strange, but she did not know that Cristian was no longer in the country until Arianna told
her that he had been on a business trip abroad these days.
At the thought that he had not even sent her a message, Serena felt empty in her heart, as if she was
missing a part of him.

She had brought Manuel back and was finally convinced. However, as a result had he really gone
abroad without a word?
-So do you know how long before he comes back? Serena still couldn't help but ask.
Arianna wrinkled her nose, -How should I know? I was about to submit the project, and suddenly I
heard that he was out of the country, so I didn't have to go looking for him these days.
-Okay, I understand," Serena nodded, indicating that it was clear.
Arianna looked at her, "Serena, you look a little disappointed."
She touched her face, was it that obvious?
Had she really shown disappointment?
Thinking about it, she said reluctantly, "Go do your work first."
-Well, then.
After Arianna went out, she met Anna who was about to enter. She hurried to take Anna to the nearest
pantry to tell her this business.
-Why are you throwing me out? I still have work to report to Serena. Get out of my way.
-Anna, Serena got lost a moment ago.

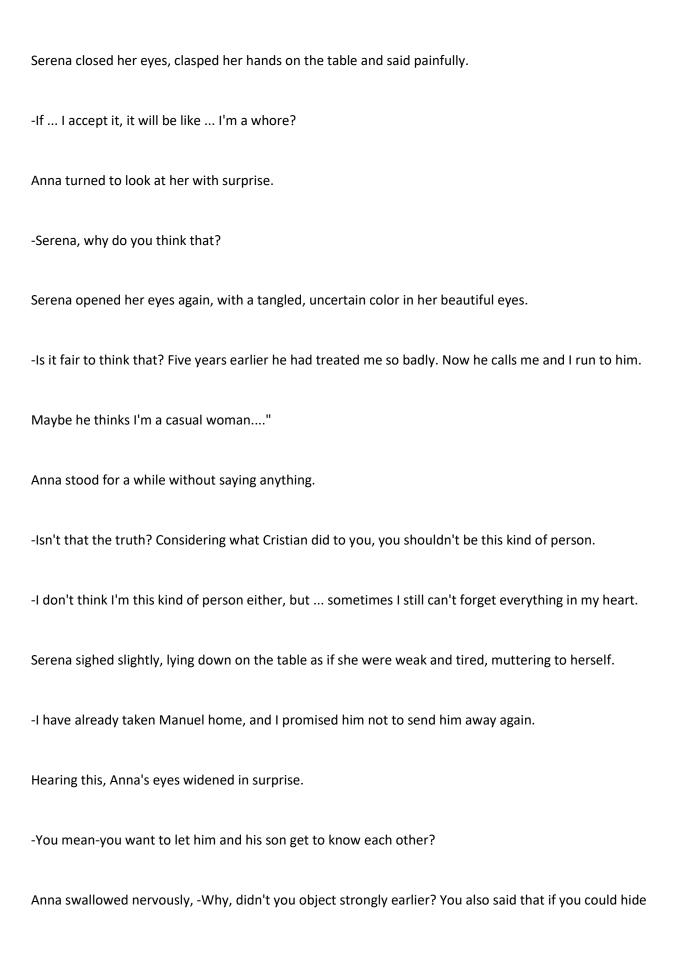






Hearing this, Serena took in the information.
In the past, Anna had taken care of these things for her.
Because Anna had worked in the finance department when she worked at the Ferrari Group, she was
also very sensitive to money figures and other things, so after starting the company, Serena had not
asked other people to spend the money, and Anna had taken care of the finances directly.
Serena trusts her very much. After reading it once, she smiled and said, "You did it very carefully. If you
think it's okay, you don't need to show it to me."
-Anna gave her a hard look, and then sat down beside her, "After checking it, I can feel comfortable.
Although we are good friends, the accounts must be clear. By the way, when I left just now, I heard
Arianna say that the director was away on a business trip?"
Hearing Cristian's name, Serena's smile faded a little.
She nodded.
-Yes.
-Anna leaned down and looked at her seriously, as if she wanted to see something on her face.
Serena was a little embarrassed at such a close distance that she touched her nose.

-I think Arianna has already told you everything with her big mouth, so why are you putting it in front of
me?
-Humph," Anna huffed vigorously, "I knew you wouldn't give up."
Serena didn't answer, only lowered her eyes, and she didn't have much emotion.
-So what? Even if I don't give up, who can guarantee that I won't repeat the same mistakes if I do it
again.
-I don't know if you will repeat the same mistakes. I only know if you miss it. How many five years are
there in your life? Unless you can never miss it by living a life alone.
Serena became bitter.
This would be impossible.
Although he had not appeared in front of her, she herself had not been able to help but go online to
look for news about him, but she had refused to admit it after being found out.
Not to mention that he visited her every day, doing those touching things and saying touching words to
her.



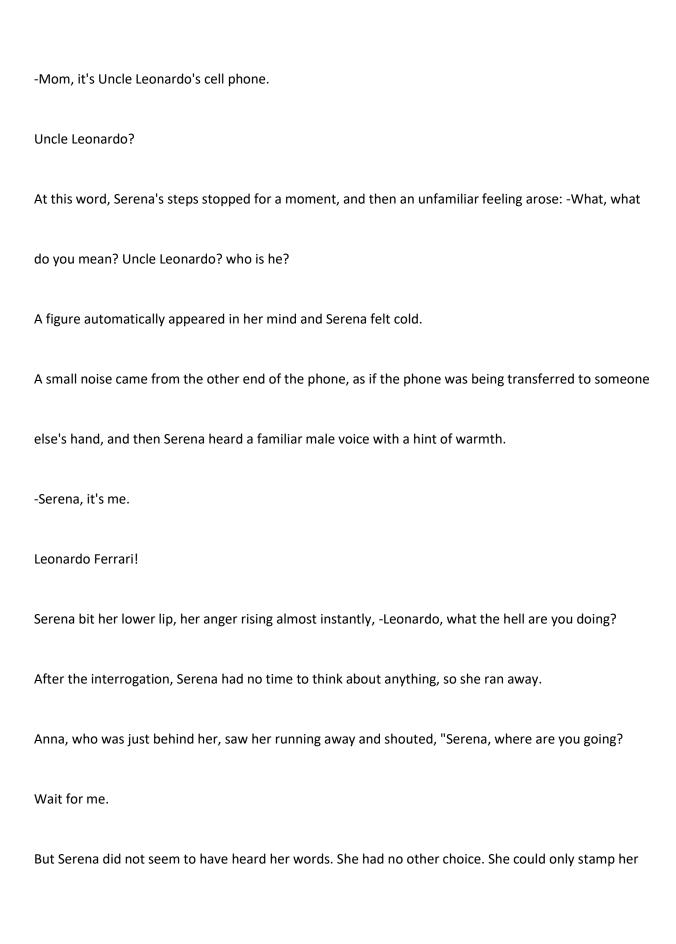
it for a while, you wanted to. Why are you suddenly changing your mind?
-Although I am Manuel's mother, I did not deprive him of the right to make decisions. Manuel is very
mature. Although he is still a child, he can understand how serious and difficult it is. It will be a harm if I
restrict him.
This was a true mother's thought.
Anna looked at Serena, who was lying on the table with listless eyes, and suddenly feeling very sorry
for her, leaned forward and hugged her shoulders.
-Serena, don't think too much. Just let everything go, okay? Don't deliberately protect Manuel and don't
deliberately reject Cristian. No matter what happens. I will still be by your side.
Serena raised her head, "Is it for me or for my brother?
Anna.
Suddenly she widened her eyes angrily.
-When did you become so mean? Of course it is for you, could it be possible for me to tell you that I
was trying to reach your brother? Then you would be disappointed in me, okay?

Having said that, Anna murmured again, "Even if it's really for your brother, you can't tell me anything,
don't you want me to be your sister-in-law?"
Serena smiled helplessly, "It depends on your ability, you stole kisses, but the other side remains
indifferent. And now that I have brought Manuel home, you don't even have a chance to approach him
easily."
Speaking of which, Anna wanted to cry but had no tears.
-What you said is really true, so why did you go to get Manuel so early, Anna grabbed Serena's arm
and shook it vigorously, -Ah, ah, give me a chance, please, Serena was a little stunned.
Serena was a little stunned, -I have no other choice. Manuel is my son, so I can't leave him with my
brother all the time. Sooner or later he will have to come home. If you really like my brother, you can
visit him even if you don't have the chance to get close to him easily.
-But what excuse will I find?
Serena smiled knowingly.
-The reason is not important, the important thing is that you want to see him.

Anna was completely stunned, and it took her a long time to wake up.

-I understand, the important thing is not the reason, but I want to see him, I want to chase him!
-Yes," Serena nodded.
-I understand, thank you, Serena!
Chapter 619: What do you want to do?
After Anna received Serena's answer, she was immediately full of confidence and resumed the fight.
She discovered for the first time that Serena still had this ability, so she said, -Serena, you are really
amazing. I think you can become a mentor of love.
Hearing this, Serena could only smile bitterly in her heart. Who served as her emotional mentor?
She could not even get her feelings in order.
As for what she had said to Anna a moment ago.
It had really gone beyond his own expectations.
He lowered his eyes and looked at the information on the desk, so he wanted to see Cristian now?
She seemed to want to.
So she had to obey her heart and call him?
During this time, he had always been the one to call her. Now he had gone abroad and had not called





feet.
Forget it. I would ask her what happened when she came home at night.
She was nowshe would go to the Ferrari group first. She wanted-to see him!
Serena ran to the parking lot, opened the door and sat down, then said to Leonardo.
-Tell me, what do you want to do? Where is Manuel now?
After a brief silence about it, Serena was panicked: -Leonardo? Speak."
Then the other side sighed.
-I am very concerned that you keep calling me Mr. Leonardo. I didn't expect the grandson to call my
name so soon. It's nothing I happened to be passing by the school and saw the little one standing at
the door, so I went to pick him up on the way.
- To pick him up? Serena narrowed her eyes.
-Mom, Uncle Leonardo and I are at the bakery near the ground floor of the residence.
Serena, -I understand. I'll be right back. You are not allowed to run. If you have anything to ask the
shopkeeper's aunt, the aunt and I are good friends, you know?
The last sentence was a hint, suggesting that if Leonardo did anything to Manuel, she would not let him

go.
With one last click, Serena hung up the phone directly and then turned the car around.
She had simply avoided rush hour at that time, and there were not many cars on the road, so Serena's
speed was very high, but it took her a while to wait for the light.
On the way back, Serena's whole heart hung uncomfortably, wishing she could go to Manuel in an
instant, and then hug him, away from Leonardo.
Leonardo Ferrari
She really could not have known this man any better.
The last time they had met at the supermarket, he had said only that he lived nearby and that if she
didn't believe it, she could look into it.
What had she checked?

If he had really appeared before her deliberately, then she should have prepared all the results that could be investigated. Even if she had investigated, the estimates found would only be superficial.

Therefore, she would not have spent this time to find out what Leonardo was doing now.

However, she did not expect that after he had made every effort to approach her, to come to a
cooperation with her company, she would even want to approach Manuel.
"What did it mean, what were the attempts?"
In this way, Serena thought all the way to the bakery door.
Without thinking about it, she took the key from the car, slammed the door and ran directly into the
store.
As she opened the glass door, Serena shouted directly, "Manuel!
-Mom, I'm here.
There were seats in the bakery. Serena looked at the source of the sound and saw Manuel sitting in a
position inside with a fruit cake in front of him. He waved his little hand toward her, cream at the corners
of his mouth.
At the sight of Manuel, Serena's heart stiffened and she rushed toward him.
-Are you here yet?
a soft voice rang out.

Only then did Serena remember that there was another person besides Manuel, Leonardo. At the sight of Leonardo, Serena's eyes filled with anger, almost unable to suppress her own rage, but in front of Manuel, she still suppressed it forcefully. She ignored Leonardo, but sat down in front of Manuel, took a handkerchief and gently wiped the cream stains on his mouth and smiled slightly. -Is the fruit cake delicious? Manuel nodded innocently, -It's delicious, Mom. -Good, Serena reached out and rubbed her head, whispering, -So when will you finish eating? -There are many more... Manuel pointed to the fruit cake in front of him. Serena saw that there was much more. She rolled her eyes and said quietly, "Take this fruit cake and eat it in the car first. Mom has a few words to say to this Uncle Leonardo, okay? -Manuel blinked and asked innocently, "What will Mom say? Serena lightly cupped his cheek, "It's about business cooperation work between Leonardo and me.

Even if Manuel stays here, he can't understand it, so.... first go back to the car and wait for mom, okay?

Manuel thought for a moment, then nodded. -All right, Mom, I will listen to you. After speaking, he stood up and bowed deeply to Leonardo: -Thank you, Uncle, for accompanying me today and inviting me to eat fruit cake, but now I will wait for my mother in the car. Chapter 620: A lesson Such a well-behaved and well-behaved child could command everyone's compassion and love, and Leonardo was no exception. However, when the boy's face resembled his half-brother, things changed. The gaze hidden under his glasses shone darkly, but it was fleeting, and Leonardo smiled slightly and reached out to touch his head affectionately. -You're welcome, Uncle and your mother are old acquaintances. There is no harm in buying you a cake. If you want, I'll invite you to the amusement park next time. -All right, thank you Uncle Leonardo, then I'll go first. He took his fruit cake and quickly left the store.

Serena was a little worried, stood up and watched him get into the car, and did not feel relieved until he

closed the door.
As she was about to turn back, Leonardo's voice came from behind her.
-In fact, there is no need to be so nervous. I told you a long time ago that I don't hold a grudge, neither
with you nor with the boy.
Serena,
She was surprised for a moment, then turned to look at Leonardo with cold eyes.
-So, Mr. Leonardo, do you remember? I said a long time ago that I don't want to be a victim of the fight
between you and Cristian.
Hearing this, Leonardo frowned slightly, his eyes really helpless.
-Why do you think of me in this way? It has been five years. If I had to fight with him, I would have done
it when he was in the Ferrari family, how could I have waited until now?
-So what do you mean now?" Serena scoffed, "I can believe that you were a coincidence last time at
the supermarket, but this time? You walked past the school on your way home from work and saw
Manuel, so you brought him here on purpose to eat fruitcake. You think he's just a child, no
precautions, so you want to buy him? -

Seeing that he was still getting ready to speak, Serena interrupted him. -Don't be so quick to explain. There may be coincidences, but it is impossible for them to be repeated. Even if you want to use me for your plans, you should converge your emotions and suppress your idea, instead of being able as now to appear in front of me anyway, to approach me. Leonardo's gaze deepened and stared at her. -What about him? Suddenly, a question stunned Serena. -He's even approaching you anyway, why don't you think he has bad intentions? And me, I only met you a few times, and someone from the company signed a contract with you. -Just because you still love him? Serena's eyes widened, "Don't talk nonsense." Leonardo took a step forward, and the soft aura around him became a little terrible: "Is it nonsense or don't you dare admit it? Because you still like him, so no matter what he does to get close to you, you'll only think of him as a stalker rather than a schemer like me, right?

-I
-I said I wouldn't hurt you, let alone that boy. Even if he is Cristian's son, in my opinion, he is only your
son.
-You
Leonardo took another step forward, "Even if I really wanted to get close to you, it's because I like you."
The sudden confession left Serena stunned.
Did he like her?
Five years later, still
-Then you left without saying a word. Did you ever think about my state of mind? Although you had no
affection for me then, we got along well. Not an older brother, but also a friend, right? -
Seeing her retreating step by step, Leonardo took another step forward. A man who has always been
soft now became a little stronger at this moment.
-He can, but I can't? If it's really important, I'm more qualified than him, right? After all, I hadn't hurt you
then.
Serena was speechless with Leonardo.

she had thought of a thousand reasons why he had approached her, but she had not expected it to be
this one, and this time she had confessed it directly.
-Because I like you, I want to be close to you, so even if I use some means. Serena, that's not too
much, is it?
After expressing these thoughts, Leonardo changed from what he had always been and looked at her
gently.
-Well, the time agreed upon with Manuel has arrived, and the boy is still waiting in the car. Don't let him
wait too long.
Serena was a little embarrassed, how could this Leonardo make her feela little sad?
-Go ahead, Leonardo gently grabbed her shoulder, then pushed her out of the bakery and said as she
walked, -I'm not your big brother anymore, so I have the same chance to chase you as Cristian. I didn't
have the chance five years ago, but now I want to fight for myself. Before you are with Cristian, I want

Serena simply let him push himself to the front of the car, and then opened the door for her.

to try. So don't... don't use other reasons to push me away.

