

## **Virginity 721**

Chapter 721: This is her best chance to return to the Ferrari family.

Alice also believed that she herself was the best person for Cristian.

The Ferrari family was very rich, and using her social position, Alice had found out and learned that

Cristian and his brother Leonardo were actually on bad terms with each other. She also knew

something about the Ferrari family that others did not know.

Therefore, she believed that she herself was better suited for Cristian.

Thus, when her intrigue was revealed by Cristian, Alice had directly grabbed his arm saying,

"Compared to Serena, I am more suitable for you. If you go back to the Ferrari family, isn't it to usurp rights? I can help you! If you are with me, I and the whole Giordano family will help you. At that point, you will have the whole Ferrari family. As for that guy, Leonardo, I can help you get rid of him too.

Alice definitely believed that work and power were more important for men.

Compared to Serena, that woman who was pregnant with someone else's baby, Cristian would have chosen Alice without a doubt!

But Alice was wrong. After her words, Cristian unexpectedly pushed her with a cold smile. She took a step back, fell on the cold floor and stared at him incredibly.

-Why? Don't you want to get everything from the Ferrari family? Don't you want revenge?

Cristian's gaze on her was like looking at a dead woman, without any nerve or emotion. Cristian said, -

Hey, do you overestimate yourself or underestimate me? I'll take the Ferrari family. But I don't care

about women's aid or the small power of your Giordano family.

"Crazy!"

"You're crazy!" she thought.

Although Alice thought so and realized that she had been rejected and that Cristian did not appreciate

her help, she could not let go of her fascination for him.

He was so cold, determined, and direct.

Knowing that he was not interested in Alice, but she was still blindly in love with him.

That was why she had always worried about Cristian, no matter how he treated her. But when she had

done nothing else, it turned out that her identity as the lady of the Giordano family was false.

Very soon, she was kicked out of the Giordano family, lost her title of lady of the Giordano family, and

had to wander.

Because she had pretended to be the daughter of the Giordano family, Matteo Giordano said he would not take her to the police because of the relationship between her and Serena from before. But he could not take everything the Giordano family had given her.

Alice lost everything and had nowhere to go. In the end, she could only go back to her gambler father's house.

Sure enough, when Alice had entered, she had been beaten by her father. Not only had he beaten her to the point of serious injury, but she didn't even have the money to go to the hospital.

After that, she dared not stay at home and had nowhere to go. She could only go out to work. Having gotten into the habit of being the mistress of the Giordano family, she had found that she could not do many things. And because she was repulsed by dirt and tiredness, she was always fired or left work in a short time.

And later, she earned nothing. Moreover, her father's debtors found her and took her to the bar....

Her past was really terrible. Remembering that time, Alice suffered too much.

Alice thought that because of Serena, she had fallen from above into the abyss after one night. Serena must have been jealous because she had succeeded in seducing Cristian. Therefore, he took revenge

on her, took away her title and had her abused.

Thinking about this, everything was painful.

Now seeing that Serena had lost Cristian, Alice felt very happy. This was the consequence of hurting

her.

But it was a pity that Cristian....

Alice touched the handsome face of the man in the picture and smiled sweetly.

-It would be nice if the person who was next to you had been me then, it wouldn't be like this today.

\*\*\*

After hearing this news, Leonardo, putting his signature in pen, suddenly held out his fingers and said, -

What are you saying, did something happen to Cristian?

Very cleverly, the waiter nodded his head and replied, -Mr. Leonardo, I asked people to find out. They

say that the sea area where Cristian's accident happened is too dangerous and so far he has not been

found. Because on the first day a big storm came at night, if it were not for the fact that the survivors

could be rescued that day, everyone who was found the next day would be dead. So, I think maybe

Cristian is already....

Leonardo did not let the waiter finish his words, stood up and grabbed his collar.

-And how is Serena Giordano? Is she well?

The waiter whose neck he had grabbed winced and said, -Mr. Leonardo....

-Tell me. The accident happened to Cristian. What about Serena? Were they on the same flight? How

is Serena now?

Shit.

At that moment, with a sense of horror, Leonardo's face became very terrible, as if he had just come

out of a cold lake or hell.

-Mr. Leonardo, calm down! He doesn't let me breathe.

-Tell me!

-Serena is all right! -While he was being strangled very intensely, he could only say something

important.

In fact, when she heard him say that Serena was fine, Leonardo hesitated and loosened his grip a little.

-Is she all right?

-Yes, her flight was another.

Leonardo reached up and released his collar. The waiter took a few steps back to steady himself on his feet.

He whispered, "Don't worry, Mr. Leonardo. Only Cristian took that plane. I think he's dead now.

Was he already dead?

For Leonardo, Cristian's death was nothing. What was necessary was Serena's safety, and the others were not so important.

-Mr. Leonardo, once Cristian dies, the Ferrari group will not be the same as before. Since the leader is gone, the old men on the board will go back to look for Mr. Leonardo.

But Leonardo half-closed his lips and pulled out his cell phone to call Serena.

Even if Serena was fine now, one day she would learn of Cristian's death. If she learned that an accident had happened to Cristian, Leonardo was not sure she would do anything extreme.

Now Leonardo was very worried about her.

He had called her, but was told that her cell phone had been turned off.

-Why was her cell phone turned off? -While Leonardo was about to reconsider with a frown, the boy approached him again and said, -Mr. Leonardo, are you listening to what I just said?

Hearing this, frowning, Leonardo looked at him with disgust.

-Ah, Mr. Leonardo, I mean that once Cristian dies, you will have a better chance of rejoining the Ferrari group.

-This is a priority,|| Leonardo said in a low voice.

For him, the most important thing now was Serena's safety.

But his cell phone was disconnected. He could only say, "Now send someone to find out what happened to Serena, where she went after Cristian's accident, and how she is now.

-Mr. Leonardo?

The waiter's eyes widened in surprise and he said. Now, if you don't devote yourself to the Ferrari group, next?

-Do as you are told," Leonardo said with detected anger.

Chapter 722: God knows.

Leonardo was so terrifying that the waiter dared not refuse him and, stunned, could only nod.

-Yeah, well, I'll find out right away. It's just on the side of the Ferrari group....

Immediately, Leonardo's gaze turned cold and he said, -If he is really already dead, getting the Ferrari group will be very easy for me. There is no need to worry about getting these days.

He was right. If Cristian was already dead, who would compete with Leonardo? Not even the company, at that time he would have taken his wife and child.

-He was right, Mr. Leonardo. Once you die, the Ferrari group will be yours. No need to hurry these days.

Leonardo's gaze turned serious and he said, -Then why don't you still rush to find out about Serena?

-Yes, I'll try now.

After the waiter left, Leonardo looked at the contract he was about to sign and narrowed his eyes. Then he took the contract, looked at it for a while and suddenly closed his lips.

-Christian, did it happen because God knows?

Then, he directly tore the contract in two parts in all irony.

Cristian died on the day he was supposed to be married-what good news!

But at the thought of Serena, Leonardo frowned.



He did not know how Serena was now: was she sad?

\*\*\*

These days Serena had stayed in the hospital to recuperate. After getting wet in the rain, she had not improved but had a fever, although she was now awake.

At first, despite the fever, she was conscious and her body temperature varied a lot.

Until the evening, she had started to have a high fever and had not improved. Then she had lost consciousness and become comatose. But before she fainted, she had grasped Matteo Giordano's hand with effort and murmured, "Cristian. We have to find him. Nothing will happen to him. It won't happen to Cristian..."

He kept mumbling and did nothing but talk about Cristian. As a man, Matteo also felt some pain in the hand he was holding.

When the doctor was treating Serena, he saw the pinch in Matteo's hand. He was surprised and emitted a grunt.

-The girl is in a coma, why is she still struggling so much?

Matteo looked at her hand with a forced laugh. She was like that. For Cristian, she might as well have

lost her life.

-Doctor, how is my sister?

The doctor sighed, adjusted the glasses on his nose and quietly explained, -Frankly, your sister's situation is very difficult right now. If the fever doesn't go down like this again, it will be very dangerous.

And you know she is already pregnant. And we have to prescribe the medicine very carefully. That's why I suggest using the physical method to cool her down before the fever comes down. And as for the other things, we put them aside until the fever goes down.

The physical cooling method?

Curving his thin lips, Matthew thought it was a bit dangerous because Serena was already very weak, even though it was the only suitable treatment for her.

However, other than that, there was no longer any solution.

Considering this, he could only nod.

Next to her, Chiara Gatti said, "I am good. When my son had a fever and they didn't dare to prescribe medicine, I did the same thing to bring the fever down. Vice President Matteo, you have been with her

for a long time now. Take a rest and let me take care of her.

The doctor next to him also bowed his head and said, "You are right. It is better that you stay with her because you know how to take care of her.

-I agree, Vice President Matthew. Rest," Chiara persuaded him.

Matteo tightened his lips, cast a worried look at Serena, who was in a stupor, and finally nodded his head without speaking. When he stood up, Serena was still holding his hand with effort.

Seeing this, Clare went to help her.

Finally, Matteo's hand was saved. The hand that had been grabbed was replaced by Chiara's. Clare smiled and said, "Then give it to me.

Matteo looked at her with his lips and nodded, -Okay, thank you.

Then he left the hospital room.

It could be said that these days Matteo was very exhausted. For him, life had not been as hard as it was now, although when he had first met Serena, he had had to fly in and out of the country and keep working.

At least then he was happy, that's why everything was so meaningful and Matteo was full of energy.

But the insomnia of these days was very bitter.

Even though Cristian had not yet become his brother-in-law, Matteo felt pity and sorrow at the thought that the North City man who ran the Ferrari Group would probably disappear from the world.

Matteo continued to frown. And suddenly someone came to inform him of something.

-Vice President Matteo, a person outside says he knows Serena and needs to come in.

Did he know Serena?

Matteo thought for a while and said, -Take me there.

Matteo had been directed by the person. A familiar female voice was heard when she had not yet been approached.

-I really do. I know Serena. I came from country X and arrived today. It took me a long time to find the hospital here. I am a good friend of hers. Since there have been problems in her marriage, I'm staying

to sort out other things. Don't stop me and let me in.

This voice...

Matteo stopped. Wasn't it Anna Galli?

Matteo had forgotten her because a lot of houses had happened these days.

Thinking of this, Matteo hurried and appeared before the people.

-Matteo, this girl says.....

Seeing Matteo, Anna's eyes lit up. Anna wanted to call him instinctively, but did not know what to call him. She did not want to call him sir, so she withdrew the title and waved her hand enthusiastically.

-Let her in,|| Matteo looked at her calmly. He had noticed that this girl was worried at first. But at the sight of her, her eyes had immediately lit up and she had waved her hand enthusiastically.

This scene Matteo had watched her all....

Honestly, she looked like a pet seeing her master, wagging her tail madly showing her loyalty and joy.

After being released, Anna quickly ran to Matteo.

-God. - She had stopped the word in time and asked, -How is Serena, has Cristian been found?

Hearing this, Matteo frowned, pinched his forehead and shook his head.

Anna looked disappointed all at once and said, "No? Cristian still hasn't been found? And Serena...

-She has a fever.

Matthew answered her slowly and his voice sounded a bit tired: -Now Serena is not so well, and

Cristian has not been found either. And have the problems in Country X been solved?

Anna nodded dully and said, -Yes, everything has been solved. But I can't calm down the media. When

I came here, I had found out, and I know the news has spread around the country. Now almost

everyone in the North City knows about it.

Matthew's gaze deepened, and there was no telling what he was thinking.

Chapter 723: Something was wrong.

After a while, he looked up again and said in a cold tone.

-Thank you for these days.

Anna was astonished and said, shaking her head, -You're welcome. But I want to see Serena, may I?

Prince Charming was important, but a good friend was more important.

Anna had always cared more about Serena.

-Let's go.

When Anna was brought to Serena's hospital ward, Chiara was taking care of her. Seeing Anna arrive,

Chiara eased her tension a little and said, -Anna, have you solved all the problems in Country X?

-Yes, I have finished them. I heard that Serena has a fever?

When the two spoke to each other, they lowered their voices a lot because they were afraid of waking up Serena. Chiara nodded her head in the affirmative.

-Yes, she has a serious fever. But since she is pregnant and not any medicine can be prescribed, the doctor recommended physical cooling treatment.

Hearing this, Anna cried out in surprise, -Really, she is pregnant?

Clare looked at her with narrowed eyes as if she understood something.

-According to her words, she had heard that Serena was pregnant? Had she? Did she know she was pregnant? -About that, Chiara could not help but frown gratefully.

If Serena knew that she was still walking around after being pregnant, that would be a bad thing.

-This is just my guess because I had a little talk with Serena earlier. We were not sure if she was pregnant, and Serena also thought that after the wedding she would go to the hospital to be checked in case she was pregnant. She didn't think that.

The two remained tacitly silent and did not continue talking.

After dozens of seconds, Anna reached for the towel in Clare's hand and said in a soft voice, "Let me do it. Before, when Serena was sick, I always took care of her. I also know some of her habits.

Of course, Clare observed everything that favored Serena. Very soon she passed the towel to Anna.

And from then on, Anna would take care of Serena.

Serena still had a high fever. It was not clear whether the fever was troubling her. From time to time,

Serena would utter a few words. But listening to them, it was clear that she was unconscious.

Anna could only take care of her by gently comforting her.

During this time, Matthew and the doctor had come a few times.

Until the rest of the night, Serena's fever finally began to subside. Gradually, her breathing also calmed down. Anna stood around the bed, remembering the news she had seen earlier.

It was about the people who had been rescued on the first day, who still had signs of life. And those who had been taken to the hospital had been saved.

However, just like that, the lives that had floated out to sea after a stormy night were gone.

The next day, when the rescue team had swung into action, all that had been rescued were dead bodies.

But Matthew said Cristian had not been found, which meant Cristian was not among the survivors. But



where was his body?

Cristian and Serena had struggled to be together. My God, why had he separated them like that?

At this thought, Anna could not stop crying with red eyes.

-Cristian, come back! Come back!

When Anna almost cried out from crying, Serena, who was lying quietly, spoke a word, but said it very

softly. Anna could only lie down to listen to her.

After hearing that what Serena said was Cristian's name, Anna began to cry more.

-Don't worry, Serena. I'm sure Cristian doesn't want to see you sad alone. He will come back for sure.

\*\*\*

The next day, after breakfast, Serena woke up.

Having had a fever, she still had some side effects. When she woke up, she found that her limbs were

soft. In addition, all her muscles ached, she was dizzy, and she struggled to sit up.

-Serena, you woke up. I support you.

Anna approached her cordially, supported her and sat on the edge of the bed.

Matteo and Chiara also came when they heard that Serena had recovered.

Supported by Anna, Serena faintly looked up, smiled at Anna and said, "You're back.

Anna was stunned, nodded her head and said, "Yes, I'm back.

-Good.

Her voice was muffled. There was no sound of joy or sadness. It was just very hoarse, as if she had

wandered for a long time in the desert without drinking water.

Serena reached for Anna's hand and looked at Matthew.

-Brother, is there any news about Cristian?

The three were silent.

When they woke up, Serena asked about Cristian. At that moment, none of them knew how to answer

her.

It was Anna who suddenly reacted and said with a laugh, "Serena, you just woke up. Surely you don't

feel uncomfortable. Apart from that, you have been in a coma for so long. I think you are hungry now,

do you want to eat rice soup? I have prepared several for you, do you want the savory or the sweet

one?

Her cheerful tone and the speed of her speech showed how much Anna wanted to skip this topic.

Listening to her, Clare also reacted and said, "Okay. She is still very weak because she just woke up.

Eat something first and put the other things aside.

Serena said nothing.

She looked at the three people in front of her.

Their faces were wicked and there was also seriousness around their eyes. They had obviously said

this was to take care of her. If she now investigated the problem further, she would disappoint them.

Considering this, Serena could only nod her head softly and answer yes.

Anna's eyes lit up and she asked, "So, do you want sweet or savory?"

She replied, "I can have both.

-Well, I'll serve them to you.

Anna immediately got up and immediately brought Serena a sweet rice soup. She sat in front of her

with a warm smile and said, "Come, this was your favorite rice soup when you were in Country X. I just

tasted it. This store makes it very authentic.

Anna poured some by the spoonful and served it to Serena.

A sweet smell emanated from the rice soup in the air and the atmosphere was full of warmth. Serena

should have liked the rice soup, but she had felt no sweet taste when she had eaten it.

What she felt was pure bitterness.

But she had continued to eat slowly. Anna poured the rice soup and Serena drank it.

Serena was so calm and obedient that she made the others feel a little scared.

Slowly, Anna began to be afraid and to feel that something was wrong. Serena was too calm and had

not refused the rice soup he served her.

She felt that this was not the reaction she was supposed to have.

How was it possible that if Serena had just asked something about Cristian, she had obeyed when

Anna had made her eat the rice soup?

When Anna sensed that something was wrong and the speed of serving the rice soup was slowing

down, Serena finally reacted.

As if feeling uncomfortable, with a pale face, suddenly Serena bent over with her hands on her

stomach, bowed her head and vomited up all the rice soup she had eaten.

Chapter 724: You must keep your promise.

-Ah!" shouting, Anna panicked and stood up to support Serena, "Serena, are you okay?

The sudden reaction overwhelmed everyone. Serena vomited so much that her face became dejected and she could not straighten up. Her forehead was covered with cold sweat.

It was obvious that she was very sick.

Seeing this, Chiara, who was standing to one side, went to call the doctor without saying anything.

-I'm sorry, Serena, did I serve your food too quickly? I'm sorry, I never thought that you had just woken up and I should have served you the food more slowly," after helping Serena up, Anna burst into tears.

Panting, Serena was propped up on a very weak pillow, and one could tell she was breathing heavily.

Anna could only give her a gentle pat on the back and said, -A thousand apologies, can I get you a glass of water?

-Let her rest a bit," looking at the scene, Matthew frowned and asked people to clean up the mess.

Soon Chiara also brought the doctor. It could be said that everything was chaotic in the hospital room.

Serena looked at the people in front of her.

Anna's eye sockets were so red it was frightening. Her tears resembled soybeans and she felt very embarrassed and uncomfortable.

Matthew, who was standing to one side, also looked a little pale. His chin was covered by more beard

and he looked much worse than before.

Concerned, Chiara put things aside. The doctor approached Serena to examine her and said

something serious.

Serena felt as if she had a ringing in her ears. After vomiting, she felt tired and so weak that she lay

back down on the bed and said in a low voice, "I want to rest alone for a while.

No one answered.

Anna gasped and asked, "Will you be all right if you stay alone?"

Matteo looked at Serena seriously, was silent for a while and said, 'Let her rest.'

When he finished his words, Matteo walked directly out of the hospital room.

With some uncertainty, Anna cast a glance at Clare and she responded with a nod. The two walked out

together and closed the door.

After leaving, Anna suddenly became worried.

-Why? Serena is not well now. If she stays inside alone...

-Anna patiently explained, -Serena is an adult now. She will understand when it's no longer time to be capricious.

-But you see how terrible the thought is for her.

-Because the shock has been so great, Serena needs time. She cannot accept Cristian's death, so she will try as much as possible to talk to herself. This is more difficult than getting her to accept that Cristian is already dead, you know? But in the meantime it was not going to be easy.

There was no other remedy. Sometimes life is so complicated.

Wasn't it like that? For example, if we are deceived, we console ourselves by saying that it happened to alleviate some disaster or to learn a lesson. Because this consolation was more acceptable than the truth despite its cruelty.

Perhaps people would spend their lives comforting and lying to each other over and over again.

Leaning against the door, Anna had not insisted on speaking further. She looked at Serena and wished Serena would come to her senses soon.

Serena had slept for a long time. When she had woken up, she was bewildered. Again, Anna had prepared her hot rice soup. But she had only managed to get her to eat less than a bowl . Each time

Serena took a bite, Anna watched her action very carefully.

Serena said, "I'm fine. What happened this morning was an accident. It won't happen again.

Even if it did, Serena would not let people worried about her see it.

-Really? I'm afraid your stomach isn't quite right yet. If you feel uncomfortable, don't forget to tell me.

-Yes.

So when Serena almost ate a bowl of rice soup, Anna took it back and said she would let her eat more

when Serena almost recovered. And when Serena said she wanted to see Matthew, Anna's eyes

widened.

-Your brother...

-I just want to ask him if he found Cristian nearby. Anna, you don't have to stop me like that.

Considering that Serena's voice sounded calm, Anna calmed down a bit and went to call Matteo.

After arriving, Matteo said directly.

-Cristian has not yet been found. But our staff is increasing and looking for him. Serena, so far they

haven't found Cristian yet, do you understand what I'm saying?



Serena nodded her head. She seemed to understand, but she still had some doubts.

After a while, she said with a sad smile, "Brother, I know you want to tell me that it would be better if

Cristian is not found. That means his chances of survival might be better, right?

As Serena said this, Matteo could only nod his head.

-I know. Not being found is better than being found dead and carrying his corpse in front of me. That

way, there is always hope. I also know that nothing happened to Cristian, as many people survived. If

there are some who got lucky among the survivors, I think Cristian is also included among them. Isn't

that right, brother?

As she said the last words, Serena raised her head and looked at Matteo, wanting to get his consent.

Matteo did not know what to say and could only nod obediently.

After a moment, Matteo pulled Serena closer to him. He touched her head and said softly, "Serena, I'm

glad you think so. You already know you are pregnant.

Serena was amazed, looked at her belly and said, "Maybe.

-I had already found out, but I wasn't sure. I wanted Cristian to go with me to the hospital to be checked

in case I was pregnant after the wedding. If I was really pregnant, then the pregnancy would be my

wedding gift to him.

Speaking of this, a smile appeared, warm like a spring breeze, "If Cristian knew I was pregnant, he would be very happy. Brother, do you think Cristian will come back sooner when I spread this news?"

Matthew replied, "Yes, he will come back sooner.

-Well, I will be here waiting for him. As for the news of my pregnancy, will you broadcast it for me?

-Don't worry," Matteo looked at his sister with a firm gaze, "If Cristian still exists in the world, I will bring him to you. I am sure I will bring him back to you safely.

Of course, Matthew had not said, if Cristian did not exist in the world, what could he do.

-Brother, I will remember. You will have to keep your promise.

"Cristian, you must also keep the promise, the one you made to me, that you would surprise me."

"I believe you. Nothing will have happened to you. I am waiting for your surprise. " she thought.

In the following days, Serena stayed in the hospital to recover. At first, Matteo visited her every day. But because he had many things to settle in the country, Matteo had to take time to return home. After returning to the country, Matteo found a more complicated matter.

It was Manuel Giordano.

On the day she was married, because Serena knew there was media at the wedding, she did not want

Manuel to be disturbed by those immoral media and had not allowed him to attend her wedding.

Chapter 725: Look at me, will you?

Therefore Manuel had been left in the country. Lately this affair had been much broadcast everywhere

and it was not known whether Manuel knew about it.

Matthew could only hope that Manuel had not known.

Therefore, like his uncle, when Manuel played with him, Matteo would lie to him and say that his

parents were going to spend their honeymoon after the wedding and that they could only return after a

while.

After conceiving this idea, Matteo thought it was not feasible.

Because Matteo was not at all sure that Cristian would come back.

It would have been fine if he came back, but if not, how could he explain this lie to Manuel? When

Manuel would learn the truth, sadness would be inevitable.

Looking at the innocent Manuel standing in front of him, Matthew made a decision.

It would be better for him to tell him the truth, which would spare Manuel sadness when he learned it in

the future. If Cristian came back alive, it would also be a surprise.

With this in mind, Matteo squatted down in front of Manuel, touched his head and said softly, "Manuel,  
I

want to tell you something.

With his head bowed, Manuel asked, -What?

-Come with me to the studio. I will tell you everything.

\*\*\*

Off, Serena was sitting on the bed watching the sunlight outside the window.

-Serena, Manuel is crying and says he has to make a video call with you. Won't you listen to him? -

Sitting on the edge of the bed, Anna asked Serena, looking at her with her cell phone in her hand.

Hearing her words, Serena froze. Then, she turned around and ignored Anna.

Serena half-closed her pale lips and looked a little disappointed.

She had promised Manuel that she would find him a father, but now he had lost his father. Before her

father's return, she was ashamed to talk to him.

Serena was afraid that, seeing him, she would cry before she spoke.

And Anna said to her, "Serena, don't be so cruel. Manuel is very sad and he thought he had found his father. Now, if you don't listen to him, he will die from crying.

As Anna spoke, her eye sockets turned red, "Serena, please. Talk to him. A few words are enough.

Today, during the video call, Manuel was crying very hard. This is the first time I've seen him cry like this. And he knows that he had never cried before.

Listening to his words, with trembling lips, Serena began to let herself be convinced: how could she bear Manuel's crying?

But what would she have told him if she had seen him now?

Would she tell him that his father had had an accident and would hurt him again?

Serena shook her head and said, "No, leave that for later. I'm really not in a good mood now.

-Serena! -Anna did not resign herself and continued to call her name.

Anna's words annoyed her and Serena said directly in a cold tone, "Get out of here. I want to be alone for a while.

Anna did not move, but calmed down. Serena thought she had already obeyed her words.

However, after about a minute, the cry of a baby appeared in the quiet hospital room.

-Mom! Mom!

The familiar voice startled Serena, and she looked incredibly toward the source of the sound.

Sure enough, she saw Manuel reaching for his cell phone in the video call, in which he was crying very loudly and calling Serena.

These tears and crying pierced her heart like a sharp knife. Serena looked at Manuel with wide eyes and suddenly pulled away with tears about to flow.

-Mom, look at me, okay? Mom, I want to talk to you.

-Turn off the video call," Serena ordered Anna in a quiet voice.

Anna had not heard her and continued to hold the camera toward her, as if determined to fight her.

-Wake up, Serena! That is not someone else on the screen, but your biological son. Aren't you in pain treating him like this? He only wants to talk to you!

-Take him away. This is the last time I will tell you," although Serena's voice became calmer, her anger was palpable.

Anna became angry and said directly to Manuel, "Manuel, did you hear that? Your bad mom doesn't

want to talk to you now. Even if I want to help you, I can't. Okay, don't cry anymore. You will cry in vain

if no one comforts you. Listen to me, dry your tears and do your homework, okay?

Manuel shook his head with effort with red eyes and said, -No, I want to talk to my mother.

Although he was very intelligent, now seeing that his mother did not listen to him, Manuel felt very bad

as if he had been abandoned.

Because of this, Manuel would not stop crying, which made Serena sad and upset. And Serena

scolded him, "Why are you crying? I'm not crying, and why are you crying?"

Serena's voice was very serious. She looked at Manuel as if Manuel had done something wrong.

Manuel was surprised by her rebuke. Then, crying, she closed her mouth and said affectionately, -I

miss you. Mom, can I come to your house?

-No,|| Serena rejected him mercilessly, -If you hear me, stay home. I will come back after I find your

father."

Manuel shouted loudly, "You are lying to me. Uncle told me he had an accident and probably won't be

back.

What Manuel said shocked Serena. She looked at Manuel in the video call with wide eyes.

-Who allowed you to say this nonsense? Don't you listen to what I say? Your father has disappeared and will come back!

Manuel replied, -Good, I will go with you to wait for him. Before you never left me and always did things together with me. This time we will be together again, okay?

Her voice was full of pleading, which could not be denied by anyone who saw her. But Serena was distressed. She also hated herself, how could she let her son see her like this?

Thinking about this, Serena said in a cold voice: -I can't. I am alone now and that is enough. You must not come here, do you understand?

Manuel closed his mouth and said, -But I want to come with you, mother, will you let me? I will be obedient and I will not make you angry, do you agree?

Manuel began to be capricious. He begged Serena again and again, which was heartbreaking.

There, with cell phone in hand, Anna wanted to cry and told Serena, "Leave him. He is not a stranger, but your baby after ten months of pregnancy.

Chapter 726: Serena You have gone too far!

Of course, Serena knew it was the baby she had given birth to, so she did not want him to suffer with



her.

She would have liked to have Manuel with her immediately if she could; she was so alone now and needed warmth.

But what would happen after taking Manuel?

Let this child witness his mother's emotional breakdown every day?

That would be too selfish.

At the thought, Serena closed her eyes and shook her head.

-Anna, turn off the video call and don't let him call back.

-Serena!

-Turn it off! -Serena's voice rose in pitch and she looked up, staring at Manuel on the video, gritting her teeth, -Manuel listen, mom forbids you to call back, you have to study hard and when mom finds your dad, she will come for you then.

Manuel kept looking at her with tears in his eyes.

-I don't want to, I want to go with you now, I don't want dad, I just want mom.

Anna continued to hold her cell phone and the sound of her baby's cries continued to surround her.

Serena stood up with a grimace, turned off the video and tucked Anna's phone under her pillow as she did so.

-Serena? You've gone too far! He is your son.

-So, is that why you told him to call me? Anna, you know the state I'm in, what do you want me to tell him?

Serena's eyes looked at Anna a little hollowed, Anna breathed: -I don't want you to tell him anything, he knows, Manuel is very upset, you are his mother.... He wants to see you, and he wants to talk to you, he misses you, what's wrong with that?

-There would be no problem, but I'm in a bad state and I don't want to see anybody.

She didn't want to transmit all the negative energy to Manuel, although it was cruel that she didn't talk to him, but what could she have said if she had talked to him? If Manuel had found out about that incident, the boy would surely have brought it up, and how could she have explained it to him then?

-Will you stay like that if Cristian doesn't come back? Manuel is just a child, he doesn't understand you like adults, do you understand him?

Serena did not want to talk to her anymore and, annoyed, looked away from her face and said coldly, -I know, you go out.

-Serena... -Anna, still undaunted, said Serena's name and sat on the edge of the bed, not wanting to leave.

-Well, I want you to leave me alone.

Seeing that Anna was still sitting on the edge of the bed, refusing to leave, Serena had no choice but to lie down and cover herself with the sheets so as not to be disturbed further by Anna.

Anna had to gather her things and get up to leave the room.

Chiara looked at her with a surprised look, -What's wrong? I thought I heard you two arguing.

-Don't talk about it, it makes me angry to talk about it.

Chiara was curious, -Why did you get angry at this juncture? I would be interested to know.

-I told her that Manuel is just a five- or six-year-old boy who misses his mother and wants to tell her something, that's normal, right? But what about Serena, she actually told Manuel not to call her anymore, it was heartbreaking for me to see that, the boy was crying a lot and she didn't even care.

Chiara smiled helplessly and patted Anna's shoulder, gently explaining, "You've never been a mother, so you don't know what it's like to be one."

-I know Serena is bitter inside, but Manuel is so small, why can't he say a few words in disguise?

-Have you ever thought that maybe Serena doesn't want to deceive him? If Serena has no means to deceive her son, then when she talks to him, what do you think they would talk about, what would Manuel ask?

At those words, Anna froze; she did not seem to have thought about it.

-Didn't think about it at all? -Chiara smiled, her expression light, and continued, -It's just that you're too young to think about many things on both sides. Of course, I know Manuel wants to see his mother right now, and that's no excuse, but think about how bad these things Serena has been going through lately have made her feel, it will take time for her to get back to her old self. How can she tell Manuel that something might have happened to her father? Saying too much would be like throwing salt on her own wounds, you know what I mean.

Anna managed to stifle these words, thinking for a long time without coming up with anything to answer, and her lips twisted as she looked at Clare in a tangled way.

After a short time she said, -What am I supposed to do? I just made the video call with her and thought

Serena didn't want to worry about her son.

-No matter, aren't you good friends and sisters? The matter is clear in Serena's mind, only she is not in

the mood to comfort you now, or explain it in detail, wait until this bout of grief is over and in talking

about this matter, you will both be relieved.

Anna stared at Clare in front of her, and for the first time she found the woman in front of her very

attractive. She had already heard that Chiara loved Matteo, but in the end this woman had not gotten

her heart, and then she had married someone else.

In Matthew's presence, Clare did not seem the least bit embarrassed, as if she had never liked the

man.

Such an exceptional woman had failed to capture Matteo's attention, so what about Anna?

-What's the matter? She looked at his face as if she still had doubts.

Anna hesitated to ask Clare how she felt at that moment and, meanwhile, whether she had confessed

her feelings to Matthew.

But people were already married and had children now, so it was very insensitive of her to ask such questions now, wasn't it?

Thinking about it, Anna shook her head: -Nothing.

The girl had not hidden her emotions and had shown everything on her face. Although she herself had said it was nothing, there was something wrong with that expression at first glance.

Clare was much older than Anna and looked at her as if she were her sister, so she smiled helplessly at that moment and invited Anna to sit in a nearby chair.

-If you have something to say, say it, don't keep it to yourself. I am older than you and have experienced many things. If you have any doubts, you can ask me, I can't give you very good answers, but there is no harm in helping you relieve yourself.

Clare was like an older sister who knew what Anna would do, her voice was warm and Clare gave

Anna a feeling of closeness.

Chapter 727: Found Person

The two seemed to grow a little closer.

Anna looked doubtfully at Chiara, who had a smile on her face and the look of a loving older sister.

-If you have any questions, ask me.

-Chiara.

-What?

-You have been Matteo's secretary for so many years, do you know why Matteo has always been single? -After saying this, Anna also lowered her head a little embarrassed.

Chiara only knew that she had doubts, but she had no idea that she would ask such questions. After a moment, Chiara noticed that the girl's face was flushed.

-You, with Matteo?

Anna did not expect her to be so direct and looked up abruptly, blushing at Chiara, -lo....

-Well,|| Clare took the initiative to interrupt her and spoke lightly. I don't need to say this to know that, indeed, there have been many people who have liked Matteo over the years, but Matteo's heart has always been with his sister in the early years, probably because his parents died early and he has always been alone, so even after finding Serena, I think he still longs for family more than anything else.

-Is that right?

-Yes,|| Clare smiled and nodded, -People, once something becomes a habit, it's hard to change it, not to mention that Matthew doesn't need that aspect of relationships, so he doesn't need to change his habits and his current state at all. As someone who has been through this, I advise you to forget it.

-Forget him? -Anna was a bit puzzled, not expecting Clare to be so direct, to simply tell her to forget about it ....

-Yes, feelings simply do not exist for him, and you would only add sadness if you liked him.

Anna was speechless.

It seemed that way, but she was not discouraged and always felt that there was hope for her if she tried.

-From the look on your face, were you rejected by him?

-You, how do you know?

-This is the way he clearly rejected me before, too.

Anna was speechless.

-At that time, I was afraid to show him my heart, I liked him only in silence, I knew it would be difficult for him to change his habits, so I would silently follow him in everything, trying to make him get used to



having me close, and the day I left, he would feel that he was missing something. At that point, I would succeed.

Hearing this, Anna could not help but stare in amazement before giving Chiara a thumbs-up.

-You are so smart, why didn't I come up with this kind of solution?

Chiara was a little speechless when she saw the young woman in front of her looking at her admiringly.

-And again, what is the point of me being smart? What she doesn't want won't change, even if it's a

habit. Look, I am married now, with children, and he is still single, but I am still by his side as his

secretary. Now, you can understand that, right?

-So why did you stay with him as his secretary?

-It's a bit cruel when you get to this point. After he told me in no uncertain terms that he didn't have that

thought about me, he also asked me if I would hold a grudge against him for that and if I wasn't going

to continue working for the company. At the time I didn't even think he would ask me, so what could I

do? If I had left him, wouldn't it have looked like I was really angry and resented him for it? So I had to

keep being like this.

-Shit, I thought he was a particularly relaxed guy, I didn't expect....

Chiara stood up and patted him on the back, "Anyway, you make your plans, I have things to do, so I'm not going to chat with you anymore."

After Clare left, Anna remained alone in her chair, keeping her mind in thought for a long moment.

\*\*\*

As the days passed, Serena remained alone in the room, recovering, eating and drinking normally, but not wanting to see anyone else.

Manuel had cried several times for his mother, but to no avail.

In addition, Matteo had come several times to convince Serena, but she finally told him to leave the room with a cold face. Matteo, the titular head of the Giordano Group, had left the room with a grimace,

shaking his head helplessly.

The phone rang suddenly, and Matteo looked at the caller before answering it.

-What is it? -His tone was muffled.

-Matteo, we have news of what you ordered!

Matteo froze; what had he ordered them to do? Quickly, his brow furrowed, -You mean?

-We found him!!!!

Matteo's breathing almost stopped as he pulled the phone away to look at the caller ID, fearing he had misheard the call.

Once the call was confirmed, Matthew coughed slightly and then asked, -What did you find?

-Uh," the other party was a little taken aback by his question, "Weren't you the one who told us to look for someone? Could it be that it was our mistake?"

-No.

Matthew closed his eyes and took a few deep breaths to calm his agitated mind. After a few seconds his mood had finally calmed down, and when he opened his eyes again, there was clarity and calm beneath them.

He curled his lips and then said in a cold voice, "Did you find the man?"

-Yes.

-Give me the address and I'll come right away.

Matthew said as he started to take the car keys out of his pocket, an unconscious movement, knowing that he was only coming to see Serena and had the driver take him as soon as he got off the plane, without driving.

So his movements stopped for a moment, -Forget it, just send the location to my phone and I will go with you to the address.

-Ok, I'll send you the location right away.

After hanging up the phone, Matteo put it away and walked out of the hospital.

He did not notice that his footsteps were a little anxious, only in his mind he was thinking that if those people found Cristian, then his sister would be spared further torture.

-Matteo!

Matteo's footsteps stopped and he turned to see Anna running quickly toward him and then stopped in front of him.

-Did I just hear that the person has been found? Have you found Cristian? Can I go with you?

Chapter 728: Seriously injured?

Matthew frowned and looked at the Anna in front of him, not realizing that he had just played her the conversation on his cell phone....

-You're not with Serena?

Anna froze and bit her lower lip.

-Serena has Chiara with her now, and I'm more interested in whether the man they found is Cristian.

-Right now all I know is that the person has been found, but we still don't know if he is alive or dead, so there is not much to tell.

-Don't worry," Anna hastily raised her hands in a sign of promise, "I'll never say anything stupid, I just want to get confirmation."

-Let's go,|| Matthew stepped forward and spoke in a cold voice.

Hearing this, Anna catapulted into the car behind Matteo, and she didn't know if it was nerves or what, but her head actually hit the door with a thud.

The sound was quite loud, and Anna took a knock, taking two steps back and sitting on her butt on the cold floor.

Matthew turned just in time to see the scene, then scowled at her, but still nothing moved.

Anna felt so embarrassed that she quickly got up from the floor, wiped the dust off her palms, then

stood up and got back into the car as if nothing had happened.

-I was thinking about something, that's why....

He did not say these last words because he noticed that Matthew's face was cold and his eyes were not warm either.

-Sit down and be quiet.

Anna no longer dared to speak, not even to raise her breath, but silently squared her face and looked straight ahead.

This matter was important to Matthew and important to her; it was not to be done this way.

Suddenly, she felt a little annoyed.

Once the car started up, so did the silence inside.

Anna kept wondering what the caller had said to Matthew just before, and what had happened to him now.

She really wanted to see Cristian soon, if she could see him safe and sound, then Serena would no longer be so depressed.

"God, you have to keep Cristian safe, Serena's health is so precarious and now she is pregnant, she

can't afford this kind of torment." Anna kept her hands clasped over her heart and continued to pray.

She did not know how long the car went on, but finally it stopped and Anna peeked her head out as

Matthew spoke coldly.

-Get out.

Anna shivered with fear and hurried to open the car door.

This time she moved carefully, taking care not to hit the door, and only after her feet were safely on the ground did she let out a breath.

Guarding the door was a man who was looking this way; when he saw Matteo, he rushed toward him.

-Matteo, you have finally arrived, we have been waiting for you for a long time.

Matteo frowned and said coldly, -Where is everyone?

The man looked at Anna behind Matteo, quickly withdrew his eyes and said softly, -I'm inside, come with me.

Matthew followed him and Anna followed in his footsteps, like a crawling worm.

-When we found him, his whole body was covered with wounds, even his face.

At these words, Matthew's steps faltered.

The reason he had not informed Serena earlier after receiving the news was that he was worried that these people had found the wrong person, or that what they would find was a dead body, and thus would sadden Serena for nothing.

Instead, it was better for him, as the older brother, to come and see what was going on and then think of a countermeasure. Before arriving, Matthew had been silent, but he was actually thinking that if what he found was really a dead body, then he would make a quick decision and get rid of it by hiding it from Serena.

On the other hand, he was going to play it cool and be an evil man for his sister's sake.

Hearing this from the man leading the way, Matthew was relieved that the other man had told all, which meant that at least they had saved his life.

As for the bruises on his face?

-Too bad?

-Yes, it is too bad. He fell on a barren hill not far from here, and when he fell, he probably caught on a tree branch or injured himself on a sharp rock.



-You are doing very well," Matthew nodded and cast a grateful glance at the other man.

-Thanks for the compliment, it was my idea at the time, he was bleeding a lot and then I happened to know of a small clinic around here, so I had the man brought in on the spur of the moment.

-Ok," Matteo replied again.

Anna, who was following him, had difficulty listening. According to what this man said, would Cristian's face be particularly injured?

Would there be no scars left afterwards?

Anna forgot what Matthew had told her not to say before he arrived and asked, "How bad is his wound? What did the doctor say? Will it leave a scar or something?"

The question had been really precise, and the man, who a moment earlier had been somewhat pleased with himself, was dejected after hearing Anna's words.

-The doctor came to examine him, and the wound on his face was so severe that he said it would eventually leave a scar.

-What? -Anna exclaimed, -How could this happen?

Serena will be heartbroken when she finds out.

Her surprised cry drew a look from the man and a certain displeasure in response to his words.

-This cannot be helped, it is hard enough to bring him back to life when he is so badly injured, it is unrealistic to expect him not to be scarred or something.

-But a scar shouldn't be on his face,|| Anna still felt heartbroken for Serena; the wounds on her body could be covered with clothes, how could she hide the ones on her face?

The more Anna thought about it, the sadder she felt for the couple.

Without realizing it, she lowered her head, not knowing that the person in front of her had stopped, so her head collided with him without warning.

Bang!

Anna's forehead ached and she took two abrupt steps backward, looking up to see Matthew staring at her coldly.

She closed her lips, her expression displeased.

-What are you doing?

Anna shook her head and raised her hand, rightly, to cover her forehead injured by the impact.

-I'm sorry.

Matteo withdrew his gaze.

-Matteo, the wounded man is inside, the hospital gave instructions not to let too many people in, so I

won't accompany you inside, I'll stand guard outside.

-Okay.

Matthew nodded, looked up and walked through the door.

Chapter 729: Are you trying to say it's not Cristian?

Of course Anna followed him.

The room was quiet, and on the bed lay a man with his entire body bandaged, even his face, with only

two eyes left.

This appearance had made it impossible to recognize who he was.

Matthew stared at the bed for a moment, turned helplessly to Anna, who was behind him, and said

coldly, "Go get me someone here.

-What is it?

Anna sensed that something was wrong: -Didn't the doctor tell you that not too many people should

come in and disturb him?

-I'm here to confirm his identity, how do you do it if he's in this condition,|| she pointed to the ball on the hospital bed.

-Didn't he tell you that his whole body is injured? Even that he is wrapped up like a ball is normal.

Matthew stared at her.

-Now are you contradicting me?

-No, how dare I? I will call someone immediately.

So Anna went out.

After listening to her elaboration, the man outside scratched his ears with a pained expression, and after a moment said, -Shall I ask the doctor to come and remove all the gauze from her body?

At these words, Anna could not help but stare at him.

-Are you crazy? The doctor had a hard time wrapping him like that, and you convinced the doctor to remove the gauze from his body, either you are crazy or the doctor is crazy, otherwise how could the doctor accept such an unreasonable request from you!

-But there is no way to identify people if the gauze is not removed. But...

This man was a little hesitant.

-But what?" Matthew's gaze turned to him.

This guy hesitated for a while before saying, "Even if they remove the gauze, you probably won't recognize the wounds on his body and those wounds on his face that are already bleeding, and you may not be able to bear it in your heart.

Matthew's forehead wrinkled more.

It seemed that this was a really serious wound, in which case the gauze could not be removed indiscriminately, otherwise it would cause the wound to deteriorate, and what if he lost his life?

What would he have told his sister then?

Thinking about it, Matthew could only open his mouth again: -Did the doctor already say when the gauze will be removed?

-I guess it will take a few days to get it off.

-Ok, I understand, you can come out now.

The young man nodded, then turned and went outside.

When he was outside, Matteo's eyes fell on Anna's face, -Things are still shaky, don't talk nonsense in front of Serena.

Anna was quick to nod, "Don't worry, even if you don't give me instructions, I know what to say and what not to say. With Cristian hurt like this, it's best not to let Serena know we found him.

-Now that you know, you don't need to bother me to remind you.

Anna made a small pout of disappointment.

-I'm not stupid, how can I not understand these things?

-What did you say?

Because she had said it almost silently, Matthew had not heard her clearly.

-Nothing,|| Anna shook her head.

Saying this and bowing her head in great frustration.

It seemed that after Matteo's rejection, she had become increasingly wimpy in front of her.

And the way he was treating her was becoming more and more indifferent.

How sad, it seemed that all this effort had been in vain, he had not approached her at all.

Instead, he seemed to be moving farther and farther away.

As she thought, Anna looked at the person lying in the hospital bed.

Was he really that badly injured? She peered from the toe to the top, and then realized that the other man's face was familiar to her, despite being wrapped in gauze.

Anna winced for a moment and looked at the man with some disbelief.

"Why did she feel he was completely different from Cristian?"

Normally, when she saw Cristian, Anna was like a mouse seeing a cat, not because she was too shy, but because Cristian's aura was too powerful and cold.

But the man lying in the hospital bed at that moment did not give Anna that feeling, was it because of the gauze wrap? Was the gauze enveloping him with that aura?

Anna was still deep in thought when she heard a cold voice.

-Go away.

-Anna turned to find Matthew already walking toward the living room door and froze.

-Now?

-What else, do you want to stay?

Anna shook her head reflexively.

As she walked toward the ward door, Anna could not help but look back at the person in the hospital bed, reaching out to rest her chin.

"So strange, what this person feels gives me a very familiar feeling, not at all the kind of feeling

Cristian.... It's all too familiar."

-What's all the fuss? Come on, let's go.

Matthew's inciting voice came a short distance away and Anna came back to reality, quickly following Matthew and then walking on behind him like a little tail.

The two walked like this for a while, but Anna could not resist asking, "Hey, I have a question for you.

-What's the problem?

Anna thought back to the figure she had just seen and still felt strange, so she relayed her thoughts to Matthew, who could not help but frown at what she said, -What?

-I didn't want to say anything else, I was just exposing my feelings, after all, the man was covered in gauze and unrecognizable, so....

Matthew's footsteps stopped suddenly, and Anna did not see him stop because she was thinking, so



she gave him another smack on the back.

Anna covered her nose and forehead with a painful slap and looked helplessly at the person in front of her.

-Why did you stop again?

Matthew turned and his deep gaze fell on her face.

-Did you have to go back?

-E?

-Go to the front.

His voice was not angry, but it conveyed a self-imposed authority that soon made Anna obey and walk obediently toward him.

The two continued on their way, only this time it was Anna who stepped forward; Matthew quickly followed her steps and caught up with her.

-What did what he had just said mean?

Anna was speechless. She had thought he didn't care at all.

-I didn't want to say anything else, she just thought it was strange.

-Are you trying to say that the man is not Cristian at all?

Anna's eyes widened and she paused briefly to shake her head vigorously.

-I didn't say that.

He wouldn't dare make a casual remark, just a suspicion.

Chapter 730: You don't drink water, you let it flow.

-Didn't you just say that? -Matteo raised an eyebrow and his gaze fixed on her face like a sharp blade.

Anna unconsciously took two steps back.

-I'm the one who said it, but didn't you suspect it yourself? You must have felt sick yourself, that's why

you let me call the young man. Honestly, with a body like that, who would recognize him? But I don't

think it's very likely that Cristian looks like that.

At these words, Matthew closed his thin lips and his gaze became a little distant.

It didn't seem quite right to him either, but the other man was wrapped in gauze and it was possible he

was mistaken in his thinking.

-Don't say anything to Serena for now, just go back and play it cool and confirm his identity later.

Anna nodded gravely.

-I will.

\*\*\*

Serena went to the bathroom and when she came out she discovered that Chiara was not in the room.

Occasional conversations came from the balcony and after listening to two or three sentences she could hear Chiara talking about work.

It was true that she had been very busy these past few days.

Serena chose a chair at random and sat down, staring at the window.

When Chiara returned from her phone call, she saw Serena sitting in a chair. It was winter now, but

Serena was wearing only a thin garment.

Chiara froze and quickly turned around, grabbed a jacket and put it on Serena's body.

-It's cold, be careful not to catch a cold, take care of yourself.

She held out her coat to Serena like an older sister and Serena looked at her.

Clare smiled slightly and reached out to pinch her face, saying softly, -You are still very young, don't think too much, the water you shouldn't drink, let it flow.

-The water you should not drink, let it flow?

Serena recited these words and her heart felt a little sad.

-This is the way I've been telling myself for the past five years that many things would be fine if I let

things be, but I didn't expect that after five years, my heart still hasn't changed at all, and many things

remain in their original and most initial form.

-Isn't that a good thing? Everything has changed over the years. It is strange that your relationship with

Cristian is still the same as when it started.

-But now we don't even know where this man is.

-This could be a test from the gods for you,|| Clare thought about it and decided it would be better to

talk to Serena in another way.

Sure enough, the word proof appealed to Serena, and she looked up with a slightly stunned

expression.

-Proof?!

-Yes, it is evidence. In fact, I don't know much about you, but I probably understand something. I envy

you, after all you can be with someone you like, even if it doesn't last that long but at least you had him, then it was worth your trip to earth in this life.

By the way, Serena thought back to when Chiara liked her brother.

Later, she had seen Chiara get married. And what had happened, to Serena was not very clear. Now, from her face and looks, it seemed that she was still in love with her brother....

-You... -involuntarily rummaging through the secret of her heart, Serena felt a little embarrassed, her emotions carried away for a moment, forgetting about Cristian in that moment.

Chiara smiled helplessly and sat down across from her, then took the teapot in front of her and poured herself a glass of hot water and handed it to Serena."

-Here, have some more water.

Serena made an astonished face when she finished the glass of water.

-Actually, you should ask why I like one person but married another.

Serena looked up and fixed her eyes on Chiara, she was really curious.

-In fact, this is very understandable. For example, even if I like him but he doesn't like me, I can't force him to be with me, can I? Even if I could force him to be with me, he still wouldn't like me, so what

would be the point? Besides, that I like him doesn't mean that I have to wait for him for the rest of my life, my parents wanted me to get married early, and I think the fact that I was able to hold out until that age was already the most sincere of my feelings for him.

Hearing this, Serena seemed to understand a little and nodded her head.

Chiara was about to say something else, but Serena said, "Chiara, you should stop.

To say these things out of Chiara's mouth was, no doubt, to tear again wounds that had already been aggravated to show others how deeply she had been hurt before.

It was unnecessary.

Clare froze, not really expecting to be interrupted, looking quite thoughtful.

-Actually, I still want to make it clear that I don't have the same feelings for your brother now as I did before, probably because I've been away for so long, so it doesn't seem so important to have gotten or not gotten or whatever.

Serena, of course, knew what he was trying to say in that statement, ostensibly to clarify but actually to persuade her.

At the thought of that, Serena inexplicably felt a little annoyed, so she nodded slightly, -I know, by the way, I heard you on the phone just now, is the company very busy?

-It's just a few little things, nothing wrong with that.

-If it was a minor matter, there would be no need to call you personally. It's tiring to drive my brother from place to place all day long, isn't it?

-This is my job, and as for Matteo, I don't think it matters how much I have to work as long as I can be with you.

-Chiara, after you come back this time, you should convince my brother not to come anymore. I don't want to make you run and suffer for me for my own personal reasons. If you and my brother are exhausted, nothing I can do will help you at that time.

-Well, I'm afraid I can't convince Matteo, so if you really don't want Matteo to come, then it's better to go and convince him personally.

-Knock, knock.

There was a knock on the living room door and they both turned their heads in unison, just in time to

see Anna silently push open the living room door and then poke her head in, looking like a thief.

When Anna entered, she met Serena's eyes and immediately recoiled, as if she had done something wrong.

-Anna? Where have you been? -Chiara stood up, "I tried to look for you a moment ago and saw no one.

Anna, who had been named, had to come in, smiled a little awkwardly at the two men and whispered, -I haven't been anywhere, I was just bored and went out for a casual walk.

She certainly wasn't going to say anything about going out with Matthew and then finding Cristian out and about.

Moreover, she was not even sure that the man was Cristian!

However, Serena noticed that there was something unusual about Anna's movements.

-What is strange about you?