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Raine too, seemed to have realized it as she looked at Snow and indicated that she understood her meaning with her eyes. Snow then put her hand down as Raine whispered, "Snow, if the misunderstanding between Stanley and Nicole has been resolved, doesn't that mean..."

'All of their plans were all for nothing?'

"What's that damn Norah doing? Why can't she control her brothers?" Norah was badmouthing about Nicole to them the whole day long back then, and they thought Nicole had no standing in the family.

And now everything was clear, with Stanley and the others stating their position, both Snow and Raine can no longer do as they please anymore.

After all, trying to act against Nicole meant making enemies out of the five Riddle brothers. All of them were popular figures in both the high school and university departments. If Snow and Raine were not careful, they might get harassed by their fans until they might not be able to come to school out of shame.

Snow then sighed. "Let's just set out plans aside for a moment and wait for this storm to pass first."

Raine could only nod. Just as the two were getting up to leave, the people around them recognized the sisters as they crowded over. They asked with both curiosity and disbelief, "Snow, is Nicole really your sister?" The smile on Snow's face froze. When she thought of Nicole, that country bumpkin, being mentioned in the same sentence as her, she felt uncomfortable. Yet she still withstood that as she answered. "She's just a cousin."

Implicitly, that meant that she and Nicole were not close.

Raine nodded as well, yet those people still continued to question them. "Since you are family, then why is there news about Nicole bullying you? Why is she bullying you? We really want to know."

Snow found it difficult to maintain her facade, and upon seeing that, Raine quickly interjected, "Shouldn't you guys be asking Nicole why is she bullying my sister? Nicole's from the countryside and is totally uncouth! Why aren't you lot looking for her instead of troubling us here?"

The group felt that she had a point and stopped asking.

Snow took the opportunity to say to the group surrounding her and Raine, "Everyone, we still have something to attend to and will take our leave first."

After that, she ignored the crowd as she pulled Raine away and left.

With her back facing the crowd, Snow's expression was livid.

'That Nicole was nothing but a mutt from the countryside!' 'How can she be compared to me!'

Thinking of how Harvey had treated her, Snow was so angry she squeezed Raine's hand hard.

Raine felt pain as Snow's grip got tighter. She immediately said, "Snow, my hand hurts!"

Only then did Snow realize it as she turned around gently. She placed Raine's hand on her palm and massaged it. She then said, "I got lost in my thoughts just now, sorry."

How're things going between you and Gary?"

Raine shook her wrist, and when she heard Snow mentioning Gary, her dissatisfaction in her was about to overflow.

"I'm not sure what he is busy with every day. He has not been taking my call, and that day when I went to his class to look for him, he only asked me a question about Nicole before leaving. I couldn't even stop him for a second!"

As she said that, a look of hatred flashed past Raine's eyes.

'It was all because of Nicole!'

Snow could tell from Raine's expression that her little sister's relationship was not going well with Gary. She comfortingly patted Raine's hand as they got into the car sent from the Riddle family, and soon they were heading out of school.

Just at this moment, Raine noticed a familiar-looking luxury car. However, they had sped past it. After she rubbed her eyes, the car was already out of her sight. 'Am I seeing things?' The logo on the car belonged to the same car that Mr. Rogers Sr. had sat when he came to the Riddle family manor to look for someone!

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'What was the Rogers family car doing in the Royal Creek Institute?' Raine turned around, and just as she was about to tell Snow about her discovery, she suddenly saw the thing her sister was fiddling with. Her eyes were immediately drawn to it! It was an extremely brilliant pink diamond, nearly three centimeters in diameter! Raine had already forgotten about the car logo as she leaned close to Snow and wanted to get a better look at the diamond. Snow, however, frowned as she put the diamond away. Raine watched enviously as the diamond was put into an ordinary black box by her elder sister. She looked up at Snow as she said in a pleading tone, "What is that, Snow? Can you let me have another look?"

Snow, however, ignored her request as she said flatly, "It's a gift from Harvey." 'Sure enough!' The Riddle family would not give Snow such a good diamond, and even the necklace Karen had given Snow only had point eight of a diamond. It was totally incomparable to the diamond just now!

'How can a grain of rice compete with the sun and moon?'

'And also, Snow's boyfriend was, after all, Harvey Ellison.'

Thinking of this, Raine was even more envious. Gary, too can produce such a gift, but he had never given her anything, and she knew he did not recognize her at all.

Raine looked on admiringly at Snow, "Snow, can you teach me once we get back how did you get Harvey to treat you so well?"

'I, too, want Gary to treat me like that!'

Snow glanced at her little sister and did not tell her that Harvey was being very ambiguous toward her as well. She simply just smiled proudly and nodded. "Just look, with this diamond alone, Raine thinks that Harvey is treating me very well.' 'How can he abandon me?'

Snow managed to persuade herself. After arriving at the Riddle family manor, she immediately went to her room and took out the diamond to store it properly as she

prepared to take it to a jewelry store to process it when she had time. Back in school, in Class A of the eleventh grade, Norah was about to go crazy. She had not returned home for the past two days and did not know that Mr. Riddle Sr. had already permitted everyone at home to proclaim Nicole's identity. She then heard her elder brothers suddenly announcing their relationship with Nicole, and they were all protecting her!

Where does that put her, the original little sister, now?

Sure enough, after class and during break time, someone came over to ask Norah. "Norah... Stanley and Samuel said that Nicole was their little sister. How about you then? Is Nicole your little sister too?"

Everyone did not expect another daughter to appear in the Riddle family, so the only thing they could think of was Nicole was most likely Norah's little sister..."

"Ugh... yes. She was kidnapped and sold when she was young, and we only recently found her in the countryside and brought her back." Norah said, omitting the fact that she was the fake daughter instead.

"Is that so? From the countryside, huh? No wonder she is so uncouth." A disdainful look immediately appeared on the faces of the surrounding students when they heard that. Norah immediately pretended to explain. "Sorry, I didn't make it clear to you all because I didn't want to get implicated alongside her. After all, you've seen it for yourselves. The moment she came here, she caused a lot of havoc..."

When they heard this, everyone stood on Norah's side.

"We understand."

"If I'd to be ashamed if I had a little sister like that."

"Yeah... she's just so... uncouth."

Someone said angrily, but before the person could finish the sentence, another voice interjected. "Lower your voice! Now that the Riddle brothers have already put out a statement, you want to go and apologize to Nicole?"

Now, no one dared to talk ill about Nicole, so they simply just returned to their seats. When Norah saw the people that would bitch about Nicole with her, not daring to say anything more about Nicole, she was furious!

'Nicole, if you think you can turn things around just like that...'

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### Chapter 303 'Dream on!

'As long as I'm a daughter of the Riddle family!'

No one knew what Norah was thinking.

After school, Nicole went to the café, as usual, to provide tutoring to Austin and the others.

Upon going through their homework, she gave them a somewhat satisfied nod.

"Your revision is going great. It looks like you guys weren't stupid, just that you weren't studying." After tutoring them for the past dozen days, Nicole found out that they were all smart students but were simply just too playful.

After receiving a rare compliment, a clear look of joy appeared on the faces of Austin and the others. Austin patted his chest as he guffawed.

"Well, because of who my boss is!"

Everyone, too, joined in the laughter. A smile too appeared in Nicole's eyes as she looked at her watch and said, "I should be going."

It was time to go back to look after Mr. Riddle Sr. taking his medicine, so it was better for her to head home to supervise that.

Austin and the others nodded as they packed their things up. The few people said their goodbyes outside the café as Nicole then slowly walked toward the school gate.

She had something in her mind, but it was not reflected on her face at all.

She had already sent out a message, yet there was still no news about the silver fragment.

Nicole had reached the school gate by then and ignored the weird glances coming her way.

'It seems like everyone looking at me is acting somewhat strangely today.'

Nicole pondered about this with a blank expression. She did not know that Stanley and the others had kicked up a storm in school. Yet, just as she got to the school gate, she saw two bodyguards in black suits and sunglasses standing there. Nicole then frowned.

At that moment, the muscular man in a black suit spoke. "Miss Nicole Riddle, right? Our master wishes to see you, so come with us!" Nicole then took a peek at the car behind them and immediately understood what was going on.

'The Rogers family, huh.' She gently frowned as a tinge of irritability colored her voice. "Not going."

They have never met such an uncooperative before. They had gotten orders from Christo Rogers and drove to the Royal Creek institute with his personal vehicle to pick Nicole up. They thought that she would have gotten into the car with trepidation, but who knew she would straight up refuse! Remembering Mr. Rogers Sr.'s orders, they gritted their teeth. "Sorry about this!"

\*They actually want to get physical?'

Nicole raised her eyebrows, and a chilly glint appeared in her eyes as she quietly watched the two before her without moving.

At this moment, a faint voice came behind her. "I'll send you back."

Nicole turned around and saw Jared walking toward her with a smile on his face as he straight up ignored the two men there. A smile, too, appeared in Nicole's eyes.

The two bodyguards walked over with a solemn look on their faces. As members of the Rogers family, how could they not know Jared? 'But why was he here?'

Recalling Mr. Rogers Sr.'s orders, one of the men gritted his teeth and walked forward as he bowed respectfully at Jared. "Mr. Jared, Mr. Rogers Sr. has a need for her. Please do not make this difficult for us..."

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Jared did not even deign to look at the two as his eyes were affixed to Nicole. Nicole, too, looked at him as she ignored the two men behind her and walked toward him.

When Jared saw her movements, the smile on his face deepened.

How could the two men just watch as Nicole leave like that? They stepped forward and wanted to grab Nicole by her hand, yet Nicole seemed to have eyes at the back of her head as she deftly avoided that with a shake of her shoulder.

As he watched the two men's movement, a cold glint appeared in Jared's eyes. Seeing that they were still coming forward, he tossed the car key in his hand at the two, hitting the first under the ribs before rebounding to the second, hitting the person in his waist. Although he may look like he did not use much strength, the two fell to the ground in pain.

Nicole watched his movements, and a look of appreciation appeared in her eyes. 'Using your opponent's strength against himself. That's the greatest attainment in martial arts.'

Jared walked to the two of them as he bent over gently to pick up the car key, his voice flat. "My hands slipped." The two were squirming in pain and froze the moment they heard Jared's words. Immediately after, they rolled even more in a frenzy. Yet, what could they do when their livers were already so painful from the anger? Jared ignored them as he walked toward Nicole. His entire person looked extremely carefree. Nicole, too heard what Jared said as her eyes squinted a little, revealing a misty glint within them.

He did not say much as he blinked at Nicole. "Get in the car." Immediately after, he got into the driver's seat as Nicole got into opened the door of the co driver seat and got in. Jared looked at her smooth movements as he smiled. He quickly started the car as Nicole's somewhat cold yet alluring voice came from the side. "Thank you. Nice throw there."

The two paid no attention to the screams of the two bodyguards behind them. Jared gave Nicole a glance, and there was an almost imperceptible gentleness in his voice. "Sit tight."

He slowly stepped on the accelerator, yet the car launched like an arrow and very quickly left the Rogers family car behind.

Looking at the speed from a single step of the accelerator, one could tell that this black car was

many times better than those sports cars worth tens of millions.

The bodyguards looked at the black car and clutched their ribs as they quickly got back into their car and drove back to the Rogers family manor.

With Shawn's help, Mr. Rogers Sr. slowly sat down. He got a little anxious waiting, and his temper turned grumpy, so much so that his attitude toward Shawn was nothing but impatience.

"Enough, you don't have to accompany me anymore. See if they have brought her here or not.

Shawn could see his anxiety and did not say much as he let go and said, "Dad, calm down. They should be back soon."

understand how Dad is feeling now, right?"

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Shawn nodded as he looked down. Mr. Rogers Sr. did not notice the faint mockery in his eyes and thought that he did not mind his rough language earlier. Thus he liked this son even more in his heart.

He got Shawn to sit on the sofa beside him as he looked on anxiously in the direction of the main door.

Just as Mr. Rogers Sr. wanted to get up to go to the door, the main door of the manor was opened as the two men he sent hurriedly walked in.

Mr. Rogers Sr. looked over with some agitation, yet when he saw no one behind them, his entire expression turned icy.

“Give me a good reason. Why didn’t you two bring Nicole back?” The two bodyguards looked at his terrifying expression, and even the muscular-looking man’s voice trembled as he spoke. “We wanted to bring Miss Riddle over, but we ran into Mr. Johnston.” ‘Mr. Johnston?’ ‘Which Mr. Johnston?’ The bodyguard said cautiously, “The very person you told us that we cannot afford to offend.”

Mr. Rogers Sr.’s expression immediately changed. He recalled Jared had left with Nicole during his birthday banquet. He had already started being suspicious about their relationship since then.

He did not expect Jared was still being ambiguous with Nicole.

In fact, after the Johnston family drew a distance away from the Riddle family, the Riddle family had never announced to the outside world that they had arranged a marriage between two babies. Even Mr. Riddle Sr. dared not mention this, so that was why when Nicole wanted out of the arrangement, Jared simply just went along. After all, the two families were too far apart now.

Therefore, very few people in the outside world knew that the two had a marriage arrangement. Mr. Rogers Sr. squinted his pair of darkened eyes. He slowly made his way to the two bodyguards with a strange look on his face. The two were so afraid they dared not move and could only let Mr. Rogers Sr. look at them as if he was picking goods.

After circling around them twice, he stood before them as he suddenly let out a faint smile. Just as the two breathed a sigh of relief, each of them was met with a slap across the face.

Shawn stood aside with lowered gaze as he watched Mr. Rogers Sr. venting his temper as he took up his walking stick and hit the two hard at the bend of their knees, The solid pear wood walking stick was no joke. With just the two hits, the legs of both of them went weak as they almost fell onto the ground. Mr. Rogers Sr. panted in exhaustion as he cursed at them. “Useless! The two of you, useless!”

When Shawn saw them still standing there, he frowned a little as he hissed. “Why are the two of you still standing there?”

When they heard Shawn’s voice, it was as if they were receiving some sort of salvation. They could not care less about their swollen faces or their weak legs as they quickly scurried out.

Shawn quickly walked to Mr. Rogers Sr.’s side as he gently patted the latter on the back, helping him to calm down. Mr. Rogers Sr. grabbed Shawn’s hand as he let out a long sigh. His voice was finally filled with the powerlessness and vicissitudes of an old man.

“Shawn, tell me, why is it so difficult for a person to want to live?” A glint appeared in

Shawn's eyes as he let out a faint smile and said somewhat impassively, "Dad, you'll definitely live a long life." This was both ambiguous yet sincere at the same time. Mr. Rogers Sr. ignored Shawn's avoidance of his question. He knew his body very well. He had already finished the medicine Nicole had given him, and he actually felt that he was getting weaker by the day as if something was slicing at his heart. He had already seen many doctors, at home and abroad, and Nicole may very well be his last hope. Nicole may very likely hold clues to that mysterious overseas doctor with her. The reason he was so obsessed with her was that he wanted to get those clues from her. Yet now, as he looked at his two hands, Mr. Rogers Sr. felt an unprecedented sense of frustration.

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Mr. Rogers Sr. walked someone tiredly toward his room. Shawn wanted to follow but was stopped by Mr. Rogers Sr.

"I want some quiet time by myself." When he heard this, Shawn immediately stopped. As he looked at Mr. Rogers Sr.'s figure gradually disappearing into the dim corridor, Shane turned to look at the dusk outside the manor as a cold smile appeared on his face.

The time is nigh. The old man could be really old, and he is extremely fearful. He had done everything in his power to extend his life.

So much so that he could not even see through Christopher's tricks. But that Nicole... Shawn had never seen such a person who didn't give the Rogers family any face. However, she was still someone of high birth, so she might have some level of conceit to her.

When Shawn thought of this, he snorted as he took the skin-colored gloves off his hand and tossed them into the dustbin with disgust.

The old man's will has already been changed. He only needed to entertain him with this faux filial piety for a while longer than he could see him off. Jared sent Nicole back to the Riddle family manner, and before getting off, he gently grabbed her wrist.

"Are you heading back after this?"

Nicole had no idea that the person who almost tracked down her IP, the person that she had been so on guard against, was before her. She paused for a moment and then nodded.

She had no plans to stay the night at the Riddle manor.

Oddly enough, when a person grabbed her wrist, she would smack the person silly by conditioned reflex, yet when Jared grabbed her wrist, she showed no signs of struggle at all. Even Nicole herself felt a little incredulous. Jared's lips curled upwards as he heard that. His face, while basking in the twilight, had an irresistible charm to it.

"I'll pick you up later then?" Nicole paused for a moment as she turned and looked at Jared with puzzlement on her face. "Aren't you busy?" Jared's smile paused as he slowly let her go and started to doubt himself.

'Am I not handsome enough?'

'Why is Nicole always so resistant to me.'

Nicole looked at his expression with a smile in her eyes. She grabbed Jared's hand and His eyes immediately lit up as he looked firmly at her. As if he saw through the shallow facade in her eyes, a half-smile gradually appeared on his face. "You did that on purpose?"

Nicole looked at him, his eyes gleaming bright like clear lake water in autumn. It may look cold, but her lips subconsciously formed a shallow arc.

That was exclusive only for him. Jared looked back at her in the eyes, and as he saw himself in her clear, bright eyes, his mood inexplicably became much better.

"Go in then. I'll wait for you." Nicole nodded, and just as she opened the door, she found out that three big mushrooms had sprouted by the Riddle manor's main gate.

Both Samuel and Spencer were looking at Nicole somewhat begrudgingly while Stanley massaged his chin. His eyes were deep as he looked at Jared. He had already walked close earlier, and if she still did not come down, he was prepared to knock on the car window.

Jared's car was so heavily tinted that they could not see what was going on inside the car at all! Stanley's gaze toward Jared was somewhat unfriendly, yet when he turned to Nicole, it became very mellow. "Nicole, what took you so long?" They had planned to come back home to pay Mr. Riddle Sr. a visit after school, yet no one expected Nicole to be so late.

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Nicole looked at her brothers expressionlessly and closed the car door, blocking their view of Jared, then walked ahead into the mansion.

"I'm sorry for being late. I bumped into someone on my way here."

Questions filled Samuel's head, and he could not help asking, "Was Jared the one who sent you back?"

Nicole nodded. She glanced casually at Samuel and froze, then strode toward him.

"Who did this?" she said with an unconcealable, bitter voice.

Samuel's black eyes were conspicuous, and it was apparent that he had been punched. When Nicole got angry, she looked intimidating. Samuel was transfixed for a second before he realized she was asking about his face. Samuel looked at his two brothers bitterly before courageously pointing at them. "It was them.

Nicole followed his finger with a strange look on her face. "It was they who hit you?"

Samuel was pointing at none other than Stanley and Spencer, nodding his head vigorously. He knew what Nicole was capable of; she was the martial art champion in the country, more than capable of fixing Harvey. "Yes, it was for Stanley that I was hit.

Avenge me, Nicole." "For Stanley?" Nicole looked at Stanley suspiciously. "What the hell was going on?" Stanley sighed and told her exactly what had happened. Nicole listened and was surprised because Harvey had an argument with her brothers because of her. She looked at her three brothers, who were beaten black and blue, and felt sorry for them.

Her brothers did not know what she was doing, which was entirely normal. So she



thought Harvey should not be so nosy. But after knowing that her brothers had finally gone to the radio station to clarify the matter, her voice became soft. "In fact, I don't really care what they say, but I really thank you all." For the first time in her life, there were so many people standing up for her. No wonder when she returned to school and so many eyes looking at her, but none of them were hostile like before. Looking gratefully at her brothers, Nicole stepped forward and gave each of them a gentle hug. "Thank you for everything," she said.

Samuel was the last person whom Nicole held. He was transfixed, not even knowing where to put his hands. His sister felt like a soft, warm cloud gently fell into his arms. He did not dare to touch her for fear that his uncouthness would break his sister. If Nicole had known about what Samuel thought, she would have burst into laughter. She was the one who tried to be as gentle as possible, afraid that she would break him and the others.

Spencer looked at Samuel's reaction and mocked him, saying, "What's wrong with you? You look almost like a cripple. So much for a sports talent."

As Nicole let go of Samuel, he then said angrily to the others, "I was just afraid to break my little sister." Indeed. He was fearful of her breaking her because he thought she was fragile.

Everyone could not help but laugh as they all shared the same thought. Seeing them laughing at him, Samuel became anxious. "What are you all laughing at? Aren't you all also siscons?"

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Smiles faded from their faces as they all were embarrassed upon hearing what Samuel said. There was no denying that after Nicole returned to the family, they all became siscons, through and through. They had never treated Norah like this before. They could not help it. A biological sister was a biological sister-it was different.

Spencer hesitated for a moment and said, "We have gotten back our long-lost sister; of course, we will pamper her." He looked up at Nicole with light in his eyes and continued. "I'm proud to be a siscon."

Samuel shared his emotions and quickly nodded. "Me too!"

Unlike others, Stanley's reaction was nothing over the top, but he still fully understood this feeling. He walked over and put his arm around Stanley and Spencer's shoulders. "Okay, we're all the same."

They were not the only ones; he found that Sean and Steve's attitude had also changed to becoming much gentler with Nicole. Feeling the love of her brothers, there was an indescribable emotion in her eyes. Nicole could feel their love and concern for her. It was a warm feeling that she had never experienced before.

She looked at Samuel and others with affection. "Thank you so much. It's good to have you all. "They may not fight as well as she did, but they were genuine and willing to do whatever for her. It felt so good to have a family.

They all finally calmed down and walked into the house together. Nicole first went straight to Mr. Riddle Sr.'s room. As she opened the door, she saw Daniel by the bed.

Daniel did not leave last night. He and Gloria had been staying at the mansion the entire night. Meanwhile, Damien was probably still at work and had not returned. There was a look of surprise in Daniel's eyes when he saw Nicole. "You're here." Nicole nodded. She asked Daniel to help Mr. Riddle Sr. to sit up and then fed the other half of the pill to Mr. Riddle Sr. and picked up a glass of water on the bedside table so he could swallow the pill with water. Daniel watched on. When he saw his daughter doing all this like she had been doing it for the thousandth time, he asked curiously, "Did you study medicine before?" Nicole continued what she was doing while saying in a calm voice, "I was interested in medicine. So I taught myself." Daniel nodded knowingly, with a sense of relief in his eyes. Mr. Riddle Sr., who had said nothing so far, looked at Nicole with some surprise but was soon relieved. Daniel used to like medicine. If not because of his health, he would have probably become a doctor in San Joto. Mr. Riddle Sr. regretted the thought of this. For good measure, Nicole used a small needle and injected a drug into the vein on the inside of Mr. Riddle Sr.'s elbow before gently laying him flat on the bed. As she turned around to leave, Daniel called out anxiously, "You're leaving just like this?" At first, Mr. Riddle Sr. could not let his ego down to look at Nicole. But when he heard Nicole was leaving, there was no time for him to think. He spun his head around to look at her as if he could not bear to see her go. Nicole was unruffled and waved at Daniel. "I'm going to see my mother." Thinking of the soup that Gloria sent to her at noon today, Daniel just looked a little not too happy, but her mother was so anxious. She had never enjoyed such meticulous care from her adoptive mother last time. Daniel nodded in acknowledgment. As Nicole turned around to leave, Mr. Riddle Sr. became desperate. He said to Daniel, "You leave the room first. I have something to talk to Nicole about in private."

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Daniel was surprised by Mr. Riddle Sr.'s request, but he quickly nodded in agreement and called out, "Wait a minute, Nicole. Your grandpa wants to have a few words with you." Nicole was stopped in her tracks upon hearing that. Daniel left the room, leaving plenty of room for the two of them. Mr. Riddle Sr. looked at Nicole from behind and sighed softly. "Come over, Nicole," he said with no hesitation. Nicole turned her head and looked at Mr. Riddle Sr. with clear, cold eyes. She knew that Mr. Riddle Sr. was semi-conscious during the operation. So he probably knew that she was the one who had operated on him. "Grandpa, you should take a good rest." She was not a person who likes to take credit for everything, so she did not want Mr. Riddle Sr.'s thanking her. "Am I embarrassing you now?" Mr. Riddle Sr. pretended to be angry. Nicole had no choice but to go up to him. "I've never felt that way, Grandpa. Even though you still don't

know me well, we are always a family.” This was the reason she saved Mr. Riddle Sr. Knowing that she was so sensible, Mr. Riddle Sr. suddenly felt ashamed of himself. He nodded his head gently and said, “You’re truly Daniel’s lovely daughter and my precious granddaughter.” Earlier, when he saw Nicole was self-motivated, he started to change his mind about her and supported her in taking part in the competition. Now it seemed that he was right.

Getting complimented by Mr. Riddle Sr., Nicole’s expression softened. “It is my honor for Grandpa to admit that I’m your granddaughter.” Before coming back, she was not expecting Mr. Riddle Sr. to have accepted her so quickly.

Mr. Riddle Sr looked at Nicole. Instead of asking if she was the one who cured him, he looked her in the eyes and said slowly and clearly, “Please convey my gratitude to the surgeon who operated on me. I, Benjamin, will never forget that.”

Nicole looked at Mr. Riddle Sr. and knew that he was helping her hide her identity. She appeared nonchalant, but the light in her eyes was extremely bright. She looked back and nodded at Mr. Riddle Sr., whose usually stony countenance had gradually softened. “I will,” she said.

Mr. Riddle Sr. looked thankful and emotional when he heard Nicole’s reply. Nicole quickly tried to calm him down. “You need a good rest now, Grandpa. Don’t get overly excited.” Mr. Riddle Sr. looked at her and let out a gentle smile. He patted Nicole’s hand and said softly, “I won’t question what you do from now on, as long as you work hard and don’t fall behind, understand?”

Nicole nodded in acknowledgment. She knew that as part of the Riddle family, grades were only the most basic requirement.

Mr. Riddle Sr. leaned over with a mysterious look and whispered to her, “If your grades improve on this monthly exam, I will buy you a gift.”

He thought Nicole would be thrilled. After all, the gift he gave out had always been expensive. Yet Nicole was nonchalant. She tucked the quilt over his body and said, “I don’t need any gifts. All you need to do is take care of yourself.”

Mr. Riddle Sr. looked at Nicole in front of him and was delighted that this granddaughter of his was really a girl of character.

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After Nicole had settled with Mr. Riddle Sr., she was going to see Gloria downstairs. Steve and Sean had also come to the mansion, sitting in the living room talking with each other, frowning as if they were discussing something tricky. When they saw Nicole come downstairs, they both tacitly stopped their discussion. “You’re here, too, Nicole!” Nicole nodded in response, her eyes staying thoughtfully on her two brothers. Sean and Steve had quickly changed their topic of conversation, but Nicole could hear them talking about how Sebastian Wyance changed his attitude all of a sudden. But Nicole did not know who that person was, nor did she give it a second thought. Sean did not want Nicole to get involved in these things, and Steve obviously thought the same thing. He smiled gently at Nicole and asked, “Where are you going?”

Nicole said nothing but looked over at the kitchen at the other end. Sean and Steve

followed her gaze, and their expression turned gentle when they saw Gloria was busy in the kitchen.

“Let’s go.”

Nicole looked at Sean and Steve impassively and asked casually, “Has something happened in the company?” Sean and Steve were both slightly stunned by her question. But it was Sean who first reacted, looking at Nicole with a solemn face.

“Nothing. You don’t have to worry about it.” Her voice was imperceptibly gentle. They just wanted their sister to live her life happily.

Nicole could hear the undertone of what Sean said and looked at them with growing, gentle eyes.

Sean had a cold personality, but he still cared about Nicole very much. “Yeah, don’t worry about that. Let’s have dinner,” he said with a smile.

“Yeah, don’t worry about it. Let’s have dinner,” Steve also said, smiling. Knowing that they were trying to keep her out of worries, Nicole walked toward the kitchen, saying nothing more. When Gloria saw Nicole, she fetched Nicole a bowl of soup. Steve and Sean saw that, and Steve sighed softly. “I hope this remains the same every day.” Sean said nothing, but his expression, which was warmer than usual, said it all. They stood quietly for a while before walking toward Mr. Riddle Sr.’s room. They did not know exactly what had changed Sebastian Wyance’s attitude, but they had to tell Mr. Riddle Sr. about it, which was the purpose of them here tonight. After they turned around and left, Nicole gently raised her eyes and looked thoughtfully in the direction they had gone. Gloria looked on affectionately as her beloved daughter drank the soup. “Slow down. The soup is hot,” she said gently.

Nicole looked at Gloria. “It’s okay. It’s not hot.” As she drank a spoonful, Gloria quickly took out a napkin and gently wiped the corners of Nicole’s mouth. “What have Sean and Steve been busy with lately?” Nicole asked expressionlessly.

Gloria’s face changed. She and Daniel were not involved in any matter of Riddle Corporation, but the tender was very crucial, and Mr. Riddle Sr. had still divulged some details to them. Knowing that Riddle Corporation had invested almost half of its fund into the tender, Gloria stopped what she was doing and nervously clasped the napkin in her hand. Nicole watched her expression and seemed to have understood something.

“Are things not looking up now?” she asked softly. Gloria looked at Nicole with surprise.

“Who told you this?”

Nicole looked nonchalant, and she bluntly said, “Just now, I heard Sean and Steve discussing it.”

“It’s about the tender. They have been well prepared for it, but there is news that McCarthy Corporation has moved into high gear these few days.” Gloria sighed softly and worriedly.