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Adeena nodded. "Thank you, Mr. Winters."

Duke turned around and opened the door of the wardrobe.

Adeena was stunned for a moment.

The whole wardrobe was filled with women's clothing.

The clothes in this wardrobe should be the clothes of the matriarch of this mansion, since it was in the master bedroom.

The matriarch had been missing for four years, yet everything of hers was still kept in the

room.

'This man must love his wife very much, so why does he want to court me, then...?'

Adeena pursed her lips and cast the strange thoughts out of her mind.

"The clothes here belonged to your wife, don't they? Mr. Winters, I'd rather not cause any trouble." Adeena smiled. "I'll go buy some clothes at the mall."

Duke understood what Adeena was thinking.

Even though these were clothes she had worn before, he had no idea how to explain it to her. "There are some new clothes in Harold's room. I'll bring one for you."

He turned around and went to the next room. He picked out a loose, casual dress and brought it over.

"Thank you," Adeena said softly.

"You'd better take a shower," Duke suggested, "The smell of the chicken soup is a little strong."

Adeena did not know what to say.

She sniffed herself, and indeed, the chicken soup aroma was overwhelming.

She walked into the bathroom and locked the door twice before she took off her clothes and showered.

She did not dare take too long, so she just rinsed herself down before she put on the clothes.

However...

Her calf suddenly started to cramp up at that moment.

This was a side effect left over from three years ago. Jada said that she had almost drowned in the sea, so her lungs got seriously infected, and she needed surgery in the end.

It took two surgeries for her body to recover, but her limbs were left with a serious side effect -frequent muscle cramps. This also caused her to give up swimming ever again.

Bang!

Adeena tried to use the wall to support herself, only to collapse on the floor.

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"Adee, what's wrong?!"

Duke rushed over and hammered on the door.

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"I-I'm fine."

Adeena did her best to give a calm answer, but Duke still heard the hitch in her voice.

He pursed his lips and said, "Wrap yourself in a towel, I'm coming in."

"No!" Adeena was so shocked that she quickly blocked the door. "I just have a bit of a cramp, I'll be fine in five minutes. Don't come in!"

She raised her hand up, but could not reach the bath towel hanging on the wall.

She was not wearing a single article of clothing. If this man came inside, she would be seen naked!

"You must've tripped and fallen," Duke said in a low voice, "The floor is cold, you can't sit there for so long. I'll come in and carry you out."

"No!"

Her words barely came out when Duke unlocked the bathroom door with his key.

Water vapor filled the bathroom, and Adeena's snow-white could be vaguely seen through it. Duke's gulped hard.

He shut his eyes. "I won't look."

He walked over, bent down, and picked the woman up.

Adeena wanted to struggle, but her calf was cramping up, and she could not do anything. Thus, she could only let the man carry her out of the bathroom and lay her on the bed carefully.

She quickly yanked the quilt up to cover her body.

Only then did Duke open his eyes. "Which leg is cramping? Stretch it out.

"What are you going to do?" Adeena observed him vigilantly.

"I'll give you a massage. Otherwise, you'll still be in pain when you walk." Without waiting for her to argue with him, Duke tugged her right leg out.

Adeena blurted out without thinking, "It's not the right leg."

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As soon as the words came out of her, her cheeks suddenly blushed.

When she said this, it seemed as though she had acceded to his massage.

"There's no need. It'll be fine after a while..."

Duke did not let her finish her sentence. He just took out her other leg in firm yet gentle movements.

His palms were very warm, and his fingertips had thin calluses. He gently rubbed her calf, and the spasms gradually dissipated.

"Do you often get cramps?" Duke asked softly as he rubbed her gently.

Adeena pulled her leg back and hid it under the quilt. She calmly said, "I've been having cramps from time to time for the past few years. It's not a big deal."

Duke's voice was a little somber, "How did you get this ailment?"

The person he sent to investigate the matter had done a thorough check, but he only found out about what happened to her over the past three years. There was a one-year gap that was completely missing.

Moreover, she seemed to only remember what happened over the past three years.

“This was a side effect left from a surgery I had,” Adeena said lightly, “Mr. Winters, may I trouble you to leave the room first? I’d like to get dressed.”

Duke’s eyes darkened.

‘Surgery...’

Why had he not found out that she had surgery three years ago?

He had checked all the hospitals in Cloud City, and there were no records of her surgery. Either she remembered it wrong, or the surgical record was erased by someone.

‘Why would they want to erase her surgical record?’

Duke’s eyes were deep, like back ink.

“Mr. Winters?” Adeena called softly.

Duke came out of his contemplation and casually said, “I’ll go retrieve your clothes from the bathroom first.”

He got up and brought the clothes over and placed them by the bed. Then, he pursed his lips and said, “After you have changed your clothes, I will take you to the hospital to get a physical examination.”

Adeena looked up at him. “There’s no need for that, it’s just an old sickness.”

“Let’s check it anyway, to put my mind at ease.

His voice was gentle, tender, and affectionate.

Adeena was stunned for a while.

She only came back to her senses after the man had turned around, walked out of the room, and closed the door.

She did not know how to feel about this.

She could feel that this man’s concern for her was not forced.

'But how long have we known each other for? Could people really fall in love so quickly?'

While thinking of this, Adeena was stupefied once more.

'Why does it feel like this man loves me?'

She must be under some sort of spell.

Adeena quickly put on her clothes, which fit her perfectly, as though it was tailor-made for her.

She put on her shoes, opened the door, and walked out of the bedroom.

From this angle, she could see the corner of the dining room. Duke was sitting at the dining table with the four children, and the housekeeper was attending to him.

The family of five created a heartwarming picture.

She felt an urge to rush over and join them...

Adeena pursed her lips and walked down the stairs slowly.

"Aunt Deena, you look so beautiful in that dress!" Harold's mouth must be covered in honey because sweet words kept pouring out. "This pink dress makes you look particularly radiant. You're even more beautiful than the female celebrities on TV. I have many more of these dresses in my room, you can take them all home with you!"

Adeena could not handle his gregariousness and laughed dryly, "No, no, this dress is fine..."