

THE BREAKING POINT OF LOVE

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That night, Celeste stayed in the hospital and barely slept, only managing a little over an hour at dawn.

When she woke up and had just splashed some water on her face, Trevor and Jordyn arrived.

Trevor said, "Jo wanted to come see you."

After that, he walked past her into the ward, set the food container on the small round table by the balcony, and glanced at Betty lying inside with a ventilator. "She's still not awake?"

Celeste shook her head.

Trevor didn't ask further. And since Jordyn still had to go to school, the two of them left shortly after.

That evening, after school, they came again.

Celeste didn't expect them to show up this often-while Jordyn coming made sense, Trevor coming along every time was... unexpected.

Watching Jordyn cling to her, looking up with those trusting, dependent eyes, Celeste could feel clearly how attached Jordyn was to her, and how much she cared about her great-grandmother.

She understood Jordyn's feelings, but still...

She turned to Trevor and said, "Jo is still young. It's not good for her to keep coming to the hospital. You should pay attention to that."

Trevor replied, "Alright."

That night, Adeline took the shift staying with Betty. Celeste returned to the hospital the next morning.

When she arrived, she had barely stepped out of the car when she spotted Linda, Lilian, and Erin.

They all looked surprised to see her.

However, Celeste pretended not to notice them, picked up her food container, and headed straight upstairs.

By the time she got to the ward, Yulia, Quinella and their team had just finished reviewing the latest test results.

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discussing them,

she returned to the room-only

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Trevor and

Jordyn had shown up again.

Trevor set down a fruit basket and said, "I didn't get the chance to thank them personally after asking for their help a couple of days ago, so came to thank Dr. Landry and her team."

Hearing that, Celeste asked Jordyn to stay in the ward with Adeline and took Trevor to find Dr. Landry.

But they didn't even make it far, as right in the corridor, they ran into Yulia and the other doctors.

Trevor walked up politely. "I heard Madam Klein's condition has stabilized a lot. Thank you for all your hard work."

"We were just doing what we were asked to do," Yullia replied. She seemed familiar with Trevor.

After a glance at Celeste, her gaze returned to him, and she smiled.

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"You invited a

once—that's rare. In all these years, this is the first time you've made sucka big move move. So You and Ms Rodriguez are...?"

Trevor said, "We're married."

The others seemed to also know Trevor. They were clearly aware of some things about his situation.

Still, hearing him say that, Yullia wasn't the only one who froze for a second. Celeste's eyebrows furrowed slightly.

But given the situation, she couldn't interrupt.

After the brief shock, Yullia asked, "When did you two get married? I never heard you mention it."

"Many years ago. Let me treat everyone to a meal another day," Trevor said.

After chatting a little longer, Trevor and Celeste personally walked them to the elevator.

None of them noticed that not far away, Linda, Lilian, and Erin had witnessed everything—

including the entire conversation between Trevor and the doctors.

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From the conversation earlier, it was clear that the one hospitalized was Betty.

And the few highly renowned doctors in the country had all been invited by Trevor to treat her.

Hearing that not only did Trevor bring in specialist doctors for Betty, but he also publicly claimed that he and Celeste were married, both Linda and Lilian's expressions changed instantly.

Watching Trevor and the others leave, Linda panicked and couldn't help blurting out, "W-What's going on? Why would Trev-"

Ruby was anxious too, but she reacted quickly. "Think about what they said just now. It's obvious that the old lady from the Rodriguez family is seriously ill this time.

"Furthermore, didn't she have a good relationship with Trevor's grandmother? With such a serious matter happening to her, how could Mrs. Fleming Senior possibly sit back and do nothing?"

In other words, even if Trevor stepped in to help the Rodriguez family, it must've been because of Martha. It had nothing to do with Celeste.

"As for them being married..." Ruby curled her lip. "They aren't divorced yet. It's not wrong for Trevor to say that. And besides, those doctors are all big figures. As a junior, how could Trevor lie in front of them?"

Hearing this, Linda suddenly understood.

She had been genuinely anxious just now, which was why she didn't think it through.

As for Lilian and Erin, they had already figured out that if Trevor was helping the Rodriguez family, it had to be due to Martha.

Lilian's expression had already returned to normal.

They still had other things to do, so they left shortly after.

But after returning home, Linda and the others still told Wynn about running into Trevor at the hospital.

Wynn paused for a moment after hearing it, but said nothing.

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On the other side, after sending Yullia and her team off, Trevor and Celeste returned upstairs.

By then, Betty had already woken up.

Seeing Adeline, Celeste, and Jordyn, her eyes softened.

When she saw Trevor, her smile faded slightly, though her face wasn't cold.

Celeste didn't intend to tell Betty that Trevor was the one who brought the doctors. She sat by the bed and

spoke to her for a while. But Betty

had just woken had little

energy, so she soon fell asleep

again.

Celeste planned to stay and continue caring for her

grandmother. So, she told Adeline to go home and rest. As for Jordyn,

Celeste also hoped she would be taken home for now.

Jordyn was reluctant to leave. Celeste looked at her and said, "When your Granny

gets better, I will accompany you again."

Jordyn reluctantly nodded. "Okay..."

Celeste didn't say much to Trevor. He soon took Jordyn away.

The next day, Trevor went on a business trip. Since Celeste was busy, Jordyn went out shopping with Wynn.

Seeing Wynn heading out, Linda followed them.

When she saw Jordyn, Linda couldn't help rolling her eyes.

She truly didn't like the girl.

But in front of Jordyn, she never dared say anything.

After lunch, they wandered around a nearby mall.

Linda loved jewelry. When they passed by a jewelry store, she couldn't resist going

in.

Wynn had just come out to walk around casually. Seeing that Linda wanted to shop, she didn't object and simply held Jordyn's hand as they followed.

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Linda looked around and spotted a certain diamond ring. She couldn't help saying "Wynn, this diamond ring is gorgeous. And the diamond is quite big-"

The longer Linda looked at the ring, the more she liked it. But seeing how Wynn's expression remained completely calm, she immediately understood that Wynn clearly didn't think much of it.

And of course she didn't. Ever since Wynn had met Trevor, everything she'd received had been the best.

Not to mention, when Trevor had prepared to propose to her, he had spent a fortune on a top-grade diamond. Compared to that diamond, the one on this ring was...

Just as Linda was thinking about that, the sales associate, noticing that both Wynn and Linda were dressed in branded clothing and obviously wealthy, quickly stepped forward enthusiastically.

"If you're interested in diamond rings, we actually have even finer pieces over here. Please, this way."

Wynn truly had no interest in any of the jewelry in this store.

She had no intention of looking further.

But while she wasn't interested, Linda was, and that alone made Wynn willing to linger.

This shop did carry jewelry in the million-plus range.

Among the pieces the associate brought out, one diamond necklace instantly caught Linda's eye. She stared at it, unable to look away, and asked with shining eyes, "How many carats is the diamond on this necklace?"

Seeing that she really might buy it, the associate beamed. "You have excellent taste, miss. The diamond on this necklace is the largest, finest, and most beautiful stone in our entire collection. It weighs—"

Before she could finish, Jordyn—who had shown zero interest in jewelry so far— stood on tiptoe to peek. Hearing the associate's words, she frowned in confusion and looked up at Wynn.

"This is already the biggest one in the whole store? But it looks really small."

The associate's smile froze slightly. She assumed the child simply didn't understand diamonds.

And frankly, that was what both Linda and Wynn thought as well.

The associate began to laugh awkwardly and was about to explain when Jordyn continued, "The diamond Daddy bought for Mommy on her birthday—that one was really big. I couldn't even hold it with one hand."

The moment she finished, the associate blinked in shock.

She didn't think the child was lying, but she strongly suspected that the "diamond" the father bought probably fake.

After all, if a child couldn't hold it with one hand—just how big would that be? And how expensive?

Even though the three of them looked wealthy, that still sounded too exaggerated.

But Wynn and Linda froze for entirely different reasons.

Wynn's heart jolted sharply. An awful possibility struck her instantly.

She stood there, rooted to the spot, her mind going completely blank for a moment.

Linda, however, refused to believe that Trevor would buy Celeste such a huge diamond.

She assumed Jordyn was making things up. So, she scoffed and said, "Your dad bought your

mom a

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She wanted to say "impossible."

But remembering how much Trevor cared for Jordyn, she didn't dare say it outright.

At that moment, Wynn finally snapped back to reality.

She quickly stepped in, trying to cut off the conversation. "Jo, I need to use the

restroom. Do you want to go with me?"

"Wynn, you can go ahead. I don't want to go."

Jordyn, having heard the mockery in Linda's tone, looked displeased.

"What do you mean by that? Daddy handed it to me himself when we gave Mommy her birthday present saw it many times! It was really big But it wasn't like the one here the one Daddy gave Mommy was red, not white."

At those words, even Linda finally understood.

But she was stunned. "W-What did you just say?"

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Jordyn thought Linda genuinely hadn't heard clearly.

She huffed, lifted her little chin, and repeated herself proudly. "I said that last month, for my mom's birthday, my dad gave her a very big diamond. But that diamond was red, not like this one!"

Linda was even more stunned. "H-How is that possible!"

She suddenly turned to Wynn, blurting out,

"Wynn, what she means is-"

But Wynn looked unexpectedly calm. "Enough. Don't dwell on it."

Then she softened her tone toward Jordyn. "Since you don't like this place, Jo, let's go somewhere else."

Seeing that Wynn seemed to be taking her side, Jordyn happily nodded. "Okay!"

Holding Jordyn's hand, Wynn paused before leaving and glanced back at Linda. "Don't spread this around at home."

With that, she led the little girl out of the jewelry shop.

Linda didn't expect Wynn to remain this composed. She was even more confused as she had no idea what Wynn meant.

In her mind, Wynn was sharp. There was no way she hadn't realized that the diamond Jordyn mentioned was the same one they had all assumed Trevor bought for his proposal.

Unless... Trevor had purchased another diamond on top of that?

And telling her not to tell the family...?

Though Linda was full of questions, her trust in Wynn was absolute. Even if she didn't understand anything, she still obediently followed her out of the store, dazed.

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Over the next few days, Celeste kept running back and forth between the hospital and the company.

During this time, although Jordyn did not personally visit the hospital, she called Celeste every day to ask about Betty's condition.

Under the expert care of Yulia and the other specialists, Betty's health gradually improved.

Only at this point did Martha finally learn that Betty had been gravely ill.

Once she received the news, she immediately rushed to the hospital.

Trevor and Jordyn came with her.

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Martha sat at the bedsi

Betty's hand, her eyes almost turning red. "Why didn't you telkme something serious happened? You two really"

Betty moved her fingers slightly in response. "We didn't want you to worry."

Martha sighed and glanced at Trevor, but in the end said nothing.

There was no denying it-Betty's rapid improvement was largely due to the doctors Trevor invited. Even though the elders of the Rodriguez family disliked him, he had, undeniably helped them this time

Even Ivan felt grateful.

After a pause, he politely said to Trevor, "Thank you for your help this time, Mr. Fleming. I wonder if you have time tater totoin us for a meal?"

He was merely being courteous. Given Trevor's obvious disdain for the Rodriguez family, he fully expected him to decline.

And everyone else present-except Jordyn-thought the same.

However, to their surprise, Trevor chuckled softly. "Of course, Mr. Rodriguez." His answer stunned not only Celeste and the others, but even Betty paused. Martha also froze for a moment. But she quickly brushed it off, assuming Trevor only agreed because of her. The others shared the same assumption. Meanwhile, Jordyn was delighted and immediately tugged Celeste out the door.

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Celeste and Jordyn rode in Trevor's car. But after getting in, Celeste only spoke to Martha and Jordyn. She didn't say a single word to Trevor. Likewise, Trevor said nothing to her. Martha noticed and sighed quietly once again. Although Ivan disliked Trevor, he genuinely wanted to thank him, so he booked one of Baumont's most renowned and expensive restaurants. This was a place Trevor frequented. When the manager saw him walk in, he immediately came forward. "Mr. Fleming, welcome. Would you like to go to your usual private room?" Trevor looked toward Ivan and replied to the manager, "Today, Mr. Rodriguez is the host-" Understanding what Trevor meant, Ivan followed up politely. "If Mr. Fleming doesn't mind, then we'll use your usual room. Please lead the way."

Their group headed upstairs, unaware that not far from the entrance, members of the Lockets and the Shaws had just arrived.

They froze almost instantly upon seeing Trevor, Celeste, and the rest of the Rodriguez family walking together.

Watching them go upstairs, Ruby muttered, "A few days ago, Trevor personally invited doctors to treat that old lady from the Rodriguez family, and now he's out having dinner with all of them? Why is he suddenly so close to them lately?"

Linda frowned, irritated. "Exactly."

She remembered Jordyn saying that the red diamond-originally believed to be for Wynn's proposal-had actually been given to Celeste as a birthday gift.

Wynn had told her not to mention it to the family, so she'd kept quiet.

At first, she couldn't understand why Wynn seemed so calm about it. But after thinking it through, she decided maybe Trevor and Celeste had some sort of agreement. It didn't necessarily mean anything emotionally.

Besides, tens of billions sounded like a lot, but compared to Trevor's net worth, it hardly meant anything.

Anyway, Trevor was wholeheartedly focused on Wynn now. Even if he gave Celeste some money, it didn't really matter.

Thinking that way, she could understand Wynn's composure.

But the thought of Celeste casually receiving such an extravagant gift still made her uncomfortable.

And now, seeing Trevor seemingly getting along with the Rodriguez family?

She felt even worse.

Wynn, watching the direction they left in, said nothing.

Lilian and Erin also remained calm.

Lennox commented lightly, "Martha is there too. It's probably something she arranged. Nothing worth fussing about."

Hearing that, Linda felt better. "True."

At that moment, the restaurant staff

Mr. Fleming has already

them, "Ms. Locket, Mrs.

gone

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upstairs"

Wynn replied evenly, "Open another private room for us."

"Of course."

Meanwhile, in the other private room-

After everyone sat down, Celeste sat between Jordyn and Martha. Trevor sat between Jordyn and Ivan.

Once they were seated, Ivan politely handed the menu to Trevor, inviting him to order.

They weren't close, and he assumed Trevor wouldn't want much conversation with the Rodriguez family.

There were too many taboos

between them,

nearly any topic

might be awkward. And he honestly

didn't know what to talk about.

Martha understood this too.

She smiled, intending to help ease the atmosphere by chatting with Ivan and Adeline.

But before she could speak, et

menu back to Ivan..

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come here often. Order whatever you like no need to worry about me."

After taking a sip of tea, he unexpectedly took the initiative to start a conversation.

"I heard the Rodriguez Corporation has been talking to Winchester Group lately. Are you considering a collaboration?"