

## **CEOs Baby 1741**

### Chapter 1741: Nox's Love For Babies

In the small car, Bella said excitedly, "Mom, my teacher said today that many people will be participating in the sports day and that there will be many programs. I'm really looking forward to it."

"Yes," Shelly replied.

In fact, she was wondering whether she should invite Nox and was a little conflicted.

"Mom, you and Uncle will be there, right?" Bella suddenly asked.

Shelly looked at Bella for a while before saying, "I will definitely be there." As for Nox, she turned to look at Nox, who was driving, but she did not say anything.

On the contrary, it was Nox who overheard their conversation and interrupted. "Bella, why do you need me to be there?"

"It's our school's sports day. The teacher said I should invite my mom and dad to participate. But since I don't have a father, I've asked the teacher if I can invite you to join us." Bella's clear, childlike voice was filled with anticipation.

At that moment, Shelly was a little nervous because she did not know if Nox would agree. After all, Nox probably did not like to participate in those kinds of activities and might find it a hassle.

"Alright, I will be there." Nox agreed immediately.

Even Shelly was shocked.

Shelly had to confirm it with him again. "Nox, it's next Tuesday. Are you working?"

"When have I ever been punctual for work?" Nox chuckled.

He did not react to how reluctant Shelly sounded. He was so tolerant of Shelly that he felt that he had lost all his principles.

“There's an entire afternoon of activity.”

“Alright.”

“There will be physical activities throughout the sports day, and parents are required to accompany their children throughout the entire process. Especially for younger kids like Bella, parents are required to participate in every event.” “Are you doubting my health?” Nox asked.

“No.” Shelly quickly denied it. “I'm just afraid that you'll find it a hassle.” “Shelly.” Nox was driving with a serious expression.

Shelly was startled when Nox suddenly called out to her so seriously.

“To me, I'm living with you as a family, and since Bella is your daughter, she's naturally mine too. At least, while we are together, she is. Thus, Bella's matters are my matters. You don't need to feel bad about it.”

Shelly pursed her lips and thought she was a little too petty. However, she was somewhat moved by Nox's words.

She nodded and said, “Alright, I'll remind you next Tuesday.”

“Sure.” Nox nodded.

He may look calm, but what no one noticed was that he was slowly letting out a breath of relief from how nervous he was just now. Only God knew that he was afraid that Shelly would reject him.

What he actually wanted was to create the best memories they could with each other in the limited time. At least after they broke up, Shelly would occasionally think of him and not think that he was a bad person.

In the ward, Jeanne left shortly after Nox, and Finn sent Gary and Ruby away as well. He knew they would be tired after taking care of the babies all day, which they were, and so they left. Other than the nanny and the nurse, only the family of four was left in the room.

At that moment, Finn pulled the round curtain over again, and Monica thought Finn was going to wipe her body again. After all, she knew Finn was a bit of a clean freak, and he must be disgusted that she had not showered yet.

However, Finn did not go to the bathroom to take out a basin and a towel.

Instead, he walked straight to her and began to take off her hospital gown.

“What are you doing?” Monica defended her innocence.

“What can I do?” Finn asked. “In that case, why did you take off my clothes?”

“You'll know once you take it off.”

“Finn, are you a pervert?” Monica could not help but suspect.

Finn was speechless, but he did not stop what he was doing. Immediately, Monica's entire face turned red. 'F\*ck. Finn's a beast!'

After a while, Finn said, “We can get the babies to help you.”

'What?'

Finn could not be bothered to explain to Monica what he was doing anymore. He even wondered how such a silly person could revive the Cardellini Enterprise back then.

He first went to the bathroom to wipe her with a clean towel before carrying

the baby brother in. Monica was still confused when she saw Finn placing the baby on her chest and then guiding the baby to start sucking.

Only then did Monica's eyes widen. It turned out that Finn was so careful just now because he was confirming if she was lactating yet.

Damn it.. She was overthinking again!

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The ward was very quiet. It was as if they were quietly waiting for a miracle to happen. Monica did not even dare to breathe as she stared blankly at Finn carrying the baby and placing it in front of her chest.

After a while, the sound of a baby crying suddenly rang out. "Wah..."

Monica was shocked. "Why is he crying?"

"Obviously because he didn't get to eat anything," Finn explained.

"That means I don't have it yet."

"I just checked. You do have it, but it's stuck."

"In that case, what should we do?" Monica was at a loss.

"Let him suck on it for a while more." Finn, on the other hand, was calmer.

It was as if he knew everything, and he knew her body structure better than she did, which Monica felt a little guilty. Finn must have put in some effort during her pregnancy. As for her, all she did was eat and slept all day, so she did not know anything now.

“Wah...” The baby started crying again.

He was probably really hungry because he was crying a little sadly.

“He's crying again.” Monica could not bear to see him cry.

She did not know how she could have made such a small, cute person cry so sadly.

“It's fine.” Finn was determined.

“Do you not like the brother?” Monica frowned and scrutinized him.

“No, I do,” Finn denied.

“Then, why aren't you doing anything when he's crying?”

“This is a process he should go through.” Finn said frankly, “If he wants milk, he'll have to work hard for it.”

“How old is he?”

“Once a person is born, they must learn to work hard. There are things that he has to work hard for at every stage of life. For example, when he's born, he has to work hard to help his mother give birth naturally. Or when he's feeding himself, he has to rely on himself to suck on his mother's breasts to get milk. When he's older, he has to learn to speak, walk, and learn. It's all part of the evolutionary history of mankind, and no one can go against it.”

Monica felt that she had been brainwashed by Finn's reasonable answer.

Just like that, the older brother cried as he sucked on his mother's breasts. Although Monica could not stand it anymore, Finn refused to give in. Hence, she could only cheer on the brother.

After some time, the brother had quieted down for a long time. Then, when Monica heard him swallowing, she looked at Finn in surprise.

Finn's lips curled into a smile as he patted the brother's head. "Good job!"

Monica could feel the pride she had for her son. Suddenly, she believed that... Finn would be a very competent and great father in the future.

After the older brother had drunk some milk, Finn carried him away. However, the moment he carried the older brother away, the latter immediately started crying.

"What are you doing?" Monica was unhappy.

He was perfectly fine. Why did Finn have to carry him away?

"We still need some help here." With that, he carried the brother to the other side of Monica's breast.

Another sucking on it for a while, the brother started crying again.

"Mrs. Rose," Finn called out from behind the curtain.

"Mr. Jones."

"Can you bring the sister here?"

"Alright." The nanny quickly agreed.

The next second, the nanny carried the sister in and placed her right in front of Monica's breast.

"Can you teach Monica how to hold a child when she's feeding the babies?" Finn reminded the nanny.

"Alright." The nanny nodded.

Then, she began to carefully teach Monica how to hold the babies while feeding them milk. Monica finally held the baby firmly after learning from the nanny for a while.

As soon as the younger sister latched on, she swallowed it in big mouthfuls while her brother was still working hard on the other side.

Monica looked at her brother's flushed face and looked at Finn. "Finn, you lied to me."

"Hmm?" Finn held the brother earnestly and encouraged him.

"Why does the older brother have to go through the history of human evolution, but the younger sister doesn't?"

The younger sister was clearly enjoying the fruits of her brother's labor.

"Because she has a brother," Finn said matter-of-factly.

However, Monica did not understand the logic.

"Isn't the older brother born to protect his younger sister?"

Fortunately, the older brother eventually managed to suck the milk out with all his strength and began to drink in big mouthfuls.

As the two babies ate together, Monica felt like a super cow, waiting to be slaughtered. A woman who had given birth to a child had no image and privacy at all! She was simply a tool for feeding!

Finally, the two babies were done. However, it was obvious that the milk production was not enough, so the nanny carried them away and fed the two babies some milk powder..

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Meanwhile, Finn helped Monica wash up and then stayed by her side.

Monica was actually a little unhappy as she lay on the bed. Although she was very happy and content to have two babies, when she thought about how she would be living like a cow without an image for a long time, she felt a little hopeless.

“Finn,” Monica called out to him.

She just wanted to complain to him about how difficult it was being a woman. However, he did not respond to her calling him. As such, she turned her head to see that Finn had fallen asleep on the bed. His hand was still holding hers tightly, but at that moment, he was already snoring softly.

In her memory, Finn never snored. Did that mean he was very tired( Moreover, Monica felt that Finn had fallen asleep in just two seconds. After thinking it through carefully, she realized that Finn had been busy since she gave birth to the babies.

He was afraid that she would be ignored, so he tried to stay by her side. He was also afraid that her parents would be too tired, so he always told them to go home first. Then, at night, he would help the nanny to take care of the baby.

The thought of it all warmed her heart. Her getting oversensitive just now, thinking that women were just tools for feeding and all, was just her whining. It was true that when it came to giving birth, a woman's body would suffer a lot, but a man who loved her could completely make up for everything her body suffered.

With that, she could not help but step forward and kiss Finn's cheek. It was very soft as she was afraid of waking him up. However, Finn was probably really sleepy because he was not awakened by Monica at all and was sleeping very soundly.

Monica shifted her body so that Finn's head could rest on her shoulder. She wanted to become Finn's support for a second.

A few days later, Monica was allowed to go home to recover, and Gary and Ruby moved in. The others, however, spent less time there unless Monica was bored and forced Jeanne to spend some time with her. Since Nox had also been busy with work for the past few days, he rarely went over.

By the time he stretched, it was 9 p.m. at night. The bankruptcy of the Sullivan Group had proved to be a troublesome issue for him because the AI technology products that were supposed to go international could only be handled by him, and just thinking about tired him out. Hence, he picked up his coat and got off work.

Sitting in the car, he stared blankly at the night scene outside the window. He had been working overtime until 9 p.m. or 10 p.m. for the past few days, yet Shelly had not asked him about it, and he did not know how to feel about that.

"Mr. Winter, are you having dinner at the same place?" the driver asked respectfully.

"Yes." Nox nodded.

The driver quickly parked the car by the roadside. "Mr. Winter, we're here." "Alright," Nox said before he walked into the restaurant.

It was not an expensive restaurant, but the food was good. He found it randomly one night when he was hungry and thought he could make do with a meal. However, the taste exceeded his expectations in the end, and he had been coming back almost every night.

The boss recognized Nox. "Is it the same as yesterday?" "Yes." Nox nodded.

With that, the boss turned around to make his order.

The owner was the only one operating the restaurant, and the dishes he made were all ordinary home-cooked dishes. Considering not many visited the restaurant, he probably did not earn much, and it might be just a hobby of his.

Nox waited for a while before the dishes were served on the table. The boss would not disturb the customers' meals, so after the dishes were served, he would go back and clean up the kitchen, which was an open kitchen.

Nox suddenly felt a little down today, probably because he was too tired. Hence, he said to the boss, "Do you have wine?"

"I brew my own orange wine."

"I'll have a glass," Nox said bluntly.

"Coming right up." The boss agreed.

Soon, he handed Nox a glass of wine.

"Will you have a drink with me?" Nox asked. The boss thought for a moment before saying, "Okay."

Then, he sat opposite Nox.

"I usually see you alone. Are you not married yet?" The boss changed the topic

"Don't you recognize me?" Nox looked at the boss. The boss sized him up and shook his head. "Are you a celebrity?"

Nox smiled. "It's fine if you don't know me."

The boss also smiled in agreement.

Nox took a sip of wine and sighed. "If I'm married, do you think I can visit you every day?"

"You don't look too bad. Have you not had enough fun yet and refuse to settle down?"

"The person I like doesn't feel the same about me."

"It's hard to imagine how high the requirements of a girl who doesn't feel the same about you must be."  
The boss shook his head..

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Nox once thought that as long as he took a fancy to someone, he would definitely be able to capture their hearts. However, only now did he realize that there was always someone who looked down on him.

Nox did not say too much about himself either. After all, he just wanted someone to accompany him sometimes, and at that thought, he suddenly found himself a little miserable.

He used to have a lot of women and friends by his side, but now, it seemed like he was the only one left. It was not that he did not treat Edward and Finn as friends anymore, but because they were all married and busy so he knew not to disturb them often. That was why he was alone.

Nox finished the glass of wine, ate a bowl of stew, paid for it, and left. It was really late, and he did not want to waste any more time. Although Shelly never waited for him, it would affect her sleep every time he went back late. He even told the driver to drive faster.

When they reached home, Nox opened the door carefully as usual, afraid of making too much noise. Unexpectedly, Shelly was still sitting on the couch, watching TV in the living room.

Shelly kept to an excellent schedule, which was basically the same as Bella's, and that was why she would never stay up late. 10 p.m. at night was considered late for her, so it was rare that she was awake tonight.

Of course, Nox did not dare to have high expectations. Perhaps Shelly had stayed up late because she was watching a television drama.

As he walked into the house calmly, Shelly turned to look at him. "You're finally back. Have you been busy with work recently?" "Are you waiting for me?" Nox asked with uncertainty.

"Yes."

"Why are you waiting for me?" Nox's heart was beating faster.

He did not expect Shelly to stay up for him.

"Tomorrow is Bella's parent-child sports day. You said last week that you would join Bella for it," Shelly said bluntly.

Nox's smile disappeared without a trace.

"Bella has been talking about you going with her all night. Can you see if you can make it? If you can't, I'll go with Bella tomorrow." Shelly was very considerate as she did not want to make things difficult for Nox.

However, in Nox's eyes, it was a form of politeness, and he thought he was treated that way because she did not see him as family.

He said, "I'll go. I promised Bella, and I won't go back on my word."

"Are you sure? You seem very busy recently." Shelly tried to confirm it with him again.

She did not want to hold Nox back from his work.

"Sure," Nox replied.

Seeing that Nox was determined to join them tomorrow, Shelly said, "Okay, it starts at 2 p.m. tomorrow."

"Yes, I'll go to the company in the morning to delegate some work. Then, I'll meet you at the kindergarten at 2 p.m. sharp."

"Alright." Shelly nodded. "It's getting late. You should rest early." "I'm not sleepy yet, so I'll watch some TV for a while."

"Sure," Shelly replied before getting up and leaving the sofa.

It seemed she would only listen to whatever he said but would never ask him to do anything. What he wanted the most right now was for Shelly to act coquettishly in front of him and say how afraid she was of sleeping alone. However, he would probably never witness such a scene in his life.

The moment Nox sat down on the sofa, Shelly stopped in her tracks. "By the way, have you had dinner Nox?"

"I have."

Upon hearing that, Shelly returned to her room.

Actually, she had been saving some food for Nox every night and putting it in the fridge. If Nox had not eaten dinner, he would see it when he opened the fridge.

Tonight, Shelly was just confirming with Nox whether he had been having dinner every night because she was worried that Nox would not even think of opening the fridge. However, she had obviously worried too much. After all, Nox would never starve himself.

The next day, Nox went to the company first. The pile of work that he had arranged yesterday was supposed to be done in one day, but now, it was condensed into half a day. Therefore, Nox worked non-stop the entire morning. After hosting one meeting, another group of people came over to start the second meeting.

He was in meetings the entire morning. When they finally ended at 1 p.m., he returned to his office and left the company without even taking a sip of water.

His assistant followed him, and seeing his hurried footsteps, he quickly said, "President Winter, you haven't had lunch yet.. Do you want me to go to the canteen to get you some food before you leave? Or do you want me to order takeout for you?"

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"No need." Nox refused.

"Not eating is good for your stomach," the assistant advised.

"I'll grab a quick bite later." Nox, however, did not seem to care. He instructed his assistant, "You must supervise the progress of the work arranged during today's meeting. It must be completed. Time is tight, and we have no time to lose."

'Yes."

"I'll leave it to you. I'll head off now."

"Goodbye, President Winter."

Nox quickly got into the car and said to the driver, "Green Vine Kindergarten."

"Alri?ht." The driver quickly agreed.

"How long will it take to get there from here?"

"If there's no traffic, half an hour should be sufficient."

Nox looked at the time. "On the way, can you find a place where I can grab something on the go? I haven't had lunch."

He could feel that his stomach was already reacting. The main reason was that he did not have breakfast that morning, so he was starving.

"Alright," the driver said respectfully.

The car stopped at a bakery, and the driver went down to buy a few pastries and a packet of juice for Nox.

Nox took it and ate two bites. Ever since he was young, he hated pastries the most. However, he endured it and ate two more mouthfuls, barely filling his stomach, before putting the remaining big bag of bread in the car and looking down at the time. Afraid of being late, Nox asked, "How much longer?"

It was already 1:30 p.m.

"Mr. Nox, there's some traffic in front, and it should take us more than 10 minutes to get through it. We should expect to arrive around 2 p.m."

"Can you hurry up?" Nox was a little anxious.

The event would start at 2 p.m.

"I'll go another way," the driver quickly said when he saw that Nox was in a hurry.

"Anyway, we have to get there before 1:50 p.m."

"Yes." The driver quickly turned the steering wheel and drove to another road to bypass the traffic.

The bypass was much further away, so the driver was a little fast. To seize an extra two seconds, the driver sped past the traffic light when it was about to turn red, not noticing a motorcycle driving toward him from the left.

By the time he realized, it was too late to stop. Hence, he made a sharp U-turn, turned the car around, and slammed it into the guardrail beside him.

“Clang!”

The guardrail was damaged by the car, and the front of the car was crushed.

Fortunately, the driver stopped and avoided the collision with the motorcycle. However, his head was bleeding from hitting the steering wheel, and his vision was blurry.

At that moment, the first thing he asked was, “Mr. Nox, are you okay?”

Nox had also hit the car seat in front of him, and his thigh was hurting.

However, he endured it. “I’m fine. How are you?” “I’m a little dizzy. I don’t think I can drive.”

“I’ll call an ambulance for you.”

“What will you do? Aren’t you in a hurry?” the driver asked, blaming himself. “I’ll drive myself there. You should wait here for the ambulance to pick you up.” “But...” The driver felt even more guilty.

Without pressing on the matter further, Nox gritted his teeth and opened the car door. When his right leg touched the ground, it hurt a little. However, he endured it and opened the driver’s door to help the driver out of the car.

“Wait here for the ambulance.”

“Mr. Winter, do you want to take a new taxi? The car was just hit. Shouldn't we get it checked out?”

“No need. It shouldn't be an issue.”

The driver wanted to say something else, but Nox had gotten into the driver's seat. Then, he started the car, briefly confirmed the car's performance, and stepped on the accelerator.

The driver watched as Nox left. He had no idea what was so big that Nox would rush over without a care for his life.

Nox drove to Green Vine Kindergarten as fast as he could. When he arrived, he

was still ten minutes late. It was 2:10 p.m.

He parked the car and even forgot to lock the door before he got out of the car. He ran straight to the entrance of the kindergarten, but the gate to the kindergarten was closed, and there was no one at the empty gate. He could vaguely hear the lively voices in the kindergarten.

Nox stood at the door, looking a little lonely. When he left in the morning, Shelly agreed to wait for him at the door. However, since he was late, Shelly did not wait for him, and it seemed like that had always been the case. He did not know how to cherish her in the past, and now that he was in love with Shelly, she did not want him anymore.

Nox smiled sadly and turned around, prepared to leave. Just as he had taken two steps, he heard a familiar child's voice. “Uncle Nox.”

Nox thought he had misheard and did not dare to turn around.

“Uncle Nox, are you finally here?”

As the sound got closer, Nox turned around abruptly to see Bella running toward him with her short little legs. Behind Bella was Shelly, who did not call out to Bella, allowing Bella to charge madly toward him.

As Nox bent down and pulled Bella into his arms, Bella hugged Nox's neck. "Uncle Nox, Mom and I have been waiting for you for a long time. I knew you would come!"

Nox also hugged Bella tightly. He felt like he was needed, and it felt good. Then, he turned to look at Shelly, who was also walking toward him.

When she stood before him, he said, "I'm sorry I'm late.."

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Shelly looked at Nox, who was sweating profusely, and wondered whether he ran over. After all, the parking lot of the kindergarten was half a street away from the main gate.

She said, "It's alright. It's good that you're here. Bella has been waiting for you. The teacher had urged her to go in a few times, but Bella refused to leave. She said that since you promised her that you would come, you would be here."

Nox explained, "There was some traffic on the road. Let's go in."

"Let's go. "Shelly nodded.

The three of them walked into the kindergarten together. By then, the teacher had begun to line everyone up. Since they arrived a little late, they were at the back of the queue.

The principal of the kindergarten presented a speech first. However, it did not take long before the sports games began, and the classes started to gather and arrange themselves.

Bella's class teacher said, "The activities this time will include ball tossing, piggybacking, water balloon race, kangaroo jumping, ring tossing, and wheelbarrow. In the end, there's a school-wide parent relay race. For the first five activities, all parents of the students must participate. Then, according to the ranking points, the top three families will be given individual rewards.

"Of course, the families that do not get into the top three will also be given special rewards. As for the last relay race, our class requires five fathers and five mothers. Parents who are willing to sign up can raise their hands."

After the announcement, Bella was getting restless. She had been holding Nox's hand the entire time. It seemed like she could not bear to leave him because she was really happy that Nox was there to attend her sports day.

She said, "Uncle Nox, can you participate?"

Nox lowered his head. "Do you want me to participate?"

"Yes," Bella hurriedly replied in her tender voice.

Then, Nox raised his hand without hesitation. "I'll participate in the parents' relay race."

"Alright, Bella's father will be the first to participate." The teacher said, "Let's give him a round of applause."

The whole class clapped for Nox, and it made Nox feel a little embarrassed.

"Other parents, please don't be shy." The teacher continued to encourage the crowd.

Shelly was about to raise her hand when she heard the teacher say, "It's best to send only one parent in each family so that more families can participate." Hence, Shelly put her hand down.

While the teacher was tabulating the name list, the others got a little noisy waiting for the start of the games.

“Uncle Nox.” Bella looked at Nox and called out to him.

“Yes?” Nox smiled.

He was really patient with Bella, and Shelly saw it.

“Can I call you Daddy today?” Bella asked.

Nox's heart skipped a beat. When he heard Bella's request, he felt rather nervous. He turned to look at Shelly, obviously seeking Shelly's opinion. However, Shelly did not answer, so Nox did not dare to say yes.

Seeing that Nox did not say anything, Bella said in a childish voice, “The teacher said you were my father just now.”

Nox patted Bella's head, and when he looked at Bella's expectant eyes, he could not care less anymore. Even if Shelly did not like it, it would only be for half a day today.

Therefore, he said, “Okay.”

Bella, upon receiving a reply, became even more excited.

Her crisp voice was loud and clear as she said, “Daddy.”

It looked like she had been waiting for that moment for a long time. After all, every child would want parents of their own. As Nox stroked Bella's head, the two of them looked intimate, like they were really father and daughter.

Once everything was prepared, the sports games officially began. In the first activity, the child was supposed to throw the ball into the parent's basket. Whoever threw the most balls within the specified time would win. The participants would be a parent and a child.

When Shelly was about to go on stage, Bella said, “Daddy, I want you to do this with me.”

Shelly simply looked at him. This time, Nox did not ask for Shelly's approval and agreed immediately.

According to the arrangement, the two of them walked to the waiting area. Bella and Nox were put in the third group.

Nox was observing the situation of the two groups in front of him. Then, she squatted down and said to Bella, “When you throw the ball later, you must throw it hard. Just throw it at me, and I will think of a way to catch all the balls for you.”

“Alright.” Bella nodded.

Nox even did a demonstration for Bella, who observed very seriously.

Shelly was also beside them. For the first time, she felt that Nox was different from how she had imagined him..

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When he was serious, he was really serious.

Shelly looked away, and not long after, Nox and Bella went onstage. Nox gave Bella a determined look, and Bella hurriedly nodded, looking very confident.

As soon as the match began, Bella took the ball and threw it at Nox. Her aim was not at the basket, but Nox caught the ball according to the direction Bella threw it. It was as if they had both exchanged roles.

After all, although the distance between the two of them was not far, it was really difficult for a three-year-old child to throw the ball into the basket. Therefore, the parents of the other groups were wiped out, while Nox received every ball steadily. It even attracted the attention of the entire class.

Those who were not in the competition started counting for Nox and Bella. "15, 16, 17, 18..."

The more Bella threw, the more confident she became. Shelly was also touched to see Bella's eyes light up because Bella, who had always been an introvert, had never been as lively and cheerful as she was now.

When one minute was up, Nox and Bella naturally won. They even broke the kindergarten record. Just like that, the first activity was over.

The second activity was to piggybacking. It was to put the child on the parent's back, and the parent would run according to the prescribed path. Whoever completed the path in the shortest time would win.

Just as Shelly wanted to participate, Bella immediately said, "Uncle, good luck!"

"Alright." Nox agreed immediately.

As such, Shelly held her tongue.

When the match began. Nox told Bella to hold on to him firmly while he held her on his back with both hands. Bella obediently grabbed onto him.

Nox was a little slow at the start because he was afraid Bella would be frightened and wanted to make sure Bella felt safe. Therefore, he naturally held back a little.

Once he saw that Bella was fine with it, he said, "Bella, I'll speed up now!" "Alright." Bella seemed rather excited.

With a smile, Nox dashed forward in the next second, his speed shockingly fast. Not only was Bella not frightened, but she was also beyond excited.

She kept shouting, "Go, Daddy, go!"

Nox was the first to cross the finish line. Again, they won first place, and everyone cheered for them. After that, Bella was the one who asked Nox to participate in the water-balloon race, kangaroo jumping, ring tossing, and other activities.

Shelly suddenly felt like she was here to be a pretty face. Previously, when Bella was in other kindergartens, she had also participated in parent-child activities. She and Bella had always participated in them together, but now she had been ignored.

She watched the interaction between Nox and Bella. The smile on Bella's face showed her undisguised fondness for Nox. After all, Nox was talented in sports; he was first in all the activities.

In the past, she and Bella had always been ranked at the bottom. Every time she comforted Bella, she would tell Bella that the most important thing was that they participated. Although Bella did not cry, children would always hope that their parents could be better and be praised by more people.

“Mommy,” Bella suddenly called out to Shelly.

Shelly came back to her senses.

“Mommy, isn't Daddy amazing?” Bella's face was filled with excitement.

Shelly nodded. “Yes.”

Bella was smiling from ear to ear. She said, “My teacher said that the school-wide relay race is up next. We have to cheer for Daddy!”

“Alright.” Shelly nodded.

Seeing that Bella's face was covered in sweat, she took out a napkin and wiped it off for her.

Bella quickly said, “Mommy, Daddy's face is covered in sweat too. Why don't you wipe it off for him?”

Shelly was stunned.

“Daddy is going to compete in a while. What if Daddy's sweat blocks his eyes and he falls?” Bella voiced her worries.

It was obvious that she liked Nox.

Shelly glanced at Nox, who was watching the other people on the field while drinking water. He probably did not notice their conversation.

“Mommy.” When Bella did not get a reply, she called out to Shelly like a spoilt child.

Shelly could not refuse Bella's request. Hence, she thought about it for a moment before taking out another tissue and walking toward Nox.

Nox naturally saw Shelly, but before he could speak, he was stunned. He watched as Shelly wiped the sweat off his forehead with a tissue..

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She looked very serious, and it made him tense up instantly.

Shelly, on the other hand, was not as overwhelmed as Nox. She just thought that Nox was sweating a lot, and it seemed that a piece of tissue was not enough. After she was done with one tissue, she took another one to wipe off the sweat on his face. She figured he had worked hard today.

However, she felt there was something wrong with Nox's gaze after a while. The way he looked at her seemed to be filled with emotions, so her eyes flickered and met his gaze. The moment their eyes met, Nox instantly shifted his gaze.

To avoid awkwardness, he said, "I didn't expect a kindergarten sports game to be so tiring. I sweated a lot."

Shelly was also calming herself down, but her heart was still beating irregularly.

She quietly put her hand down and said, "It's almost time."

"Thank you."

"You're welcome."

The two of them were very distant and still a little awkward with each other. Fortunately, the teacher had the parents who were participating in the relay race prepare to walk to the field. With that, Nox followed the group and prepared to go over.

"Daddy," Bella suddenly called out to him.

Nox stopped in his tracks and looked at Bella.

Bella ran to his side with her short legs and tugged at the corner of his shirt.

"Daddy, bend down."

Although Nox was surprised, he still bent down.

Seeing that Nox had bent down, Bella quickly leaned over and kissed Nox on the cheek. "Daddy, you can do it!"

Bella's words warmed Nox's heart.

He patted Bella's head. "Alright, Daddy will get you first place."

"I love you, Daddy."

"I love you, too." Nox also kissed Bella on the cheek.

Then, he stood up to leave, but Bella pulled back again.

"Mommy hasn't cheered for you yet," Bella said to the nearby Shelly, who was stunned when she heard Bella.

"Mommy, come here," Bella called out to her anxiously.

Shelly walked over.

"Mommy, you need to cheer Daddy on too!" Bella said, "My teacher said that our parents worked the hardest in today's sports games, so we have to encourage them. Since Daddy has worked so hard, you have to encourage Daddy too. "

Shelly glanced at Nox, who also looked at Shelly. The two of them remained silent for a few seconds.

Nox said, "Mommy has encouraged me. I will do my best."

"No, she didn't." Bella was rather angry.

Generally speaking, when Bella was angry, she was truly unhappy. Considering Bella was not a child who would easily throw tantrums, Shelly gritted her teeth and suddenly approached Nox. After all, today was Bella's sports day, and she could not make Bella unhappy. Hence, she went forward and planned to kiss Nox's cheek.

The two of them did not have a pure, innocent relationship. Even if they had a huge conflict between them, they would sleep together. Especially now that they were getting along peacefully, sleeping together was a normal thing. The only difference today was that they were in public. Fortunately, many families were doing the same thing, so no one was surprised.

As Shelly's lips moved closer, Nox was actually looking at Bella with his head lowered. However, when he felt that Shelly was close to him, he raised his head and turned his face slightly, causing Shelly's kiss, which was supposed to land on Nox's cheek, to land on his lips.

Shocked by the sudden turn of events, Shelly quickly pulled away while Nox could not help but lick his lips. It made Shelly so embarrassed that she blushed and did not look at him for another second.

"Mommy cneatea," Bella complamea.

Shelly frowned. Today, Bella seemed unusually lively.

"I kissed Daddy's face, but Mommy kissed Daddy's lips. Mommy cheated." Bella was still rather unhappy.

It was as if she had received unfair treatment.

"I want to kiss Daddy's lips too," Bella requested.

Nox smiled and comforted her. "Be good. I have to go on stage now. Wait for me to bring you back the trophy."

"Alright." Bella was, after all, a little kid. As such, she was easily distracted. Nox patted Bella's head and strode toward the group. The others were outside the arena, watching the ceremony.

Bella held Shelly's hand, excited and nervous. Her eyes were fixed on Nox, and she would occasionally call out, "Daddy, you can do it."

Shelly, on the other hand, seemed much calmer. In fact, she was in a daze and could not help but purse her lips..

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After so many intimate encounters with Nox, her heart was racing this time, and it did not stop.

“Ahh! It's starting!” Bella was so excited that she was jumping up and down.

Only then did Shelly come back to her senses. She glanced at Bella dancing with joy and then turned to look at the field, where the relay race had started. Everyone was cheering on as the most popular event of the sports games had finally begun.

Shelly, too, was a little nervous. Seeing the four teams on the field together, Shelly looked at Nox, who was the last one in line. Everyone knew the most important part of a relay race was the first and last runners, especially the last leg. Shelly did not know why, but she felt that she was being overly nervous.

After a while, it was finally time to pass the last baton. Nox's team was temporarily ranked second from the bottom, which meant that they were ranked third, and there was already quite a distance between him and the first place.

Nox was ready. He grabbed the last baton and dashed out like a cheetah. Before he could run far, he had surpassed the second place and was heading straight for the first place.

Everyone at the scene was boiling with excitement. However, the first place felt threatened and sped up. The second Nox ran up and was about to surpass the first place, the team at first place accidentally tripped Nox over.

Caught off guard, Nox fell to the ground and secretly cursed. There was already a wound on the inside of his right leg in the car accident today, and now, he felt like his legs were about to break from the fall.

Nox's fall shocked everyone present. They thought the team could catch up, but now it seemed like they had lost. Due to Nox's fall, the two teams behind them surpassed them, and more importantly, Nox did not get up from the ground quickly.

“Daddy, you can do it! Daddy, you can do it!” Far away, Bella's frantic cries sounded.

When Nox heard it, he gritted his teeth. However, because of his leg injury, he could not stand up quickly.

“Nox, come on! Come on!” From afar, he seemed to hear Shelly's anxious voice, and it sounded like she really wanted him to stand up.

Nox's eyes narrowed. At that moment, he quickly got up from the ground and ran as fast as he could. This time, his speed was even faster than when he started running, and his explosive power was stronger.

In the last ten meters, he surpassed third place, second place, and first place. Everyone cheered as they were shocked by Nox's astonishing speed.

After Nox crossed the finish line, he did not stop for a long distance. He kept running forward to adjust his breathing steadily before he slowly came to a stop. When he stopped, he placed his hands on his thighs, still panting slightly.

“Daddy.” Bella's cry rang out from behind him.

Nox straightened his back and turned around to see Shelly walking over with Bella. However, Bella hurriedly shook off Shelly's hand and charged at Nox, who bent down slightly.

The moment Bella got closer, she reached her hand out and said, “Daddy, pick me up.”

As Nox picked Bella up, the wound on his leg hurt a little, but he endured it.

“Dad, you're amazing. You're the most amazing dad in the world.” Bella praised Nox, her eyes beaming with happiness.

Nox felt an indescribable sense of pride. In fact, since he was young, he did not have a strong desire for victory.

He grew up with Edward and Finn, and as he was younger than them, he was a little inferior to them. Therefore, he was used to being in their shadows and had no desire to win. That was why he had the

urge to give up the second he fell, but Shelly's words of encouragement fueled his fighting spirit. He smiled at Bella. "Bella, you're the cutest daughter in the world."

"I love you, Daddy."

"I love you too, Bella." Nox kissed Bella's little face.

Bella also returned Nox the kiss. She thought about it for a while and decided to kiss Nox on the lips with a smack. She was very pleased with herself as well.

For a second, Nox was stunned. He could not believe how mischievous that little girl was, but he did not mind. On the contrary, Shelly did mind it, but she did not know why she felt that way. After all, Bella was only three years old and did not know anything at all, so it was not a big deal for Bella to kiss Nox.

At that moment, she watched as Nox carried Bella out of the field since other groups were still competing. While Shelly was staring at their backs, she noticed that Nox's right leg looked a little different when he walked.

Did he fall badly just now? She could not tell from the way he stood up and ran. Moreover, his speed was shocking fast.

Nox carried Bella and played outside the field for a while. At the end of the sports day, it was announced that Bella's class had gotten first place in the relay race, so Nox brought Bella to the stage to receive the award.

The duo also won first place in the sports games in class, and Bella was over the moon. Under the envious gazes of the entire class, she accepted a gold medal as a reward.. That was the first time Shelly had seen Bella so proud!

Chapter 1750: Shelly's Change of Heart Towards Nox

After the sports day ended, school was naturally over. Nox carried Bella and left the kindergarten.

“Bella, come down and walk on your own.” Shelly reminded Bella. However, Bella hugged Nox's neck, unwilling to do as Shelly said.

“Be good.” Shelly's tone became stern.

Bella pouted unhappily, but she still struggled to get on the ground. Seeing that, Nox placed Bella on the ground. His legs were also hurting. Otherwise, he would not want to upset Bella.

Although Bella got down, she did not leave Nox's side. She held Nox's hand and walked to the parking lot with him

As they walked toward Nox's car, Shelly frowned. The car had obviously been hit. The front of the car had a huge dent in it, and a lot of the paint had fallen off.

Knowing that Shelly could tell, Nox explained, “This is the only car we have. I've checked it. The front of the car may be a little dented, but nothing else is faulty. I'll get someone to repair it when we go back. We just have to make do with it for now.” “Did you get into a car accident?” Shelly asked Nox.

Nox said, “It was a small car accident.”

Shelly questioned, 'Was it really just a small car accident? Where is your driver? Doesn't the driver always pick us up?'

Nevertheless, Shelly held her tongue. Since Nox did not want to tell her anything, there was no need for her to ask. There were many things that they would choose to hide from each other.

In the end, Shelly got into Nox's car, with Nox sitting in the driver's seat while she and Bella sat in the backseat.

Just as they sat in, Bella noticed the pastries in the car and said excitedly, “Mommy, there's a lot of pastries here. I'm so hungry. Can I have some pastry?”

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Only then did Shelly see the pastries in the car.

Before she could say anything, Nox said, "Go ahead. I just bought it."

"Thank you, Daddy," Bella said politely.

Then, she quickly opened the pastry's packaging and ate it in big mouthfuls.

Shelly, on the other hand, stared at the pastries in a daze. Nox did not like pastry. As she had grown up with the Winters and lived under the same roof as Nox for a year, she knew all of NOX's preferences.

She remembered clearly that Nox would not eat pastry. Therefore, was it because he was in a hurry that he bought pastry? Seeing the remaining pastries, did that mean Nox did not eat much at all?

Shelly started to feel overwhelmed again. Deep down, she felt that Nox was not a person who would think about others, but everything Nox did now made her feel that he was really changing. She pursed her lips and remained silent, not showing anything.

The car soon arrived at their neighborhood. After they got out of the car together, Nox called the car mechanics while holding Bella's hand. Meanwhile, Shelly walked behind them. Perhaps the phone call had distracted Nox, but it was even more obvious that he was limping. After the call, they walked into the elevator.

Back home, Nox sat down on the sofa with Bella. It had been a long afternoon and a long time since he had exercised so much. Now that he had sat down, he did not feel like moving at all.

"Daddy, are you tired?" Bella asked.

"Will you allow me to be tired?" Nox looked at Bella and asked gently.

The innocence and cuteness of children could sometimes warm one's heart. Nox smiled. "In that case, I'll go back to my room and take a nap."

"Alright." Bella nodded obediently.

Nox stood up from the sofa and walked into the room. Firstly, he was really tired and needed a good rest. Secondly, his right leg was hurting a little, so he needed to go back to his room to check it out. When he got up and left, he took a first aid kit with him.

Shelly, who was busy in the kitchen, saw NOX's actions at a glance. She looked in his direction silently for a while. In the end, she put down what she was doing and walked to the bedroom.

In the room, Nox had just taken off his pants. Beneath his pants, he could see that his scarlet red knees were covered in blood. It was probably left behind when he fell while running, but it looked ferocious..