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Jack had poured endless effort into this song, hoping it would further solidify Soul's position on the Billboard Hot 100.

But now, Jack deeply understood Luca's passion and pursuit of music.

Although Luca had enrolled in the School of Finance at his parents' insistence, his heart had always harbored a dream of music.

He longed to roam the world with a guitar on his back and to carve out a place for himself in the music industry.

Participating in the Youth Vocal Showcase and achieving excellent results was the first step in realizing that dream.

Success would earn his parents' recognition and allow him to pursue his musical path with confidence. Failure, however, might force him to abandon his musical aspirations and focus solely on finance.

Understanding this, Jack decided to give Luca his song.

"I'm giving you this song, but please keep it a secret. Don't tell anyone I wrote it," Jack said earnestly.

Luca, though puzzled by Jack's request, nodded in agreement.

Bella initially wanted to say something but ultimately chose silence, quietly observing the unfolding event.

Jack handed the song to Luca, took the guitar Luca had brought, and said, "Go over the lyrics and familiarize yourself with it while I sing it a few times for you. That way, it'll be easier to learn."

"Got it!" Luca nodded firmly.

Bella, standing nearby, silently observed.

She remembered Jack once joked about being tone-deaf. Yet, seeing him so serious now, she wondered if he could really sing. Would it feel as stunning and moving as the time he played the guitar in her dorm?

Jack gently plucked the guitar strings, tuning it for accuracy, before beginning his performance.

The birds outside are singing bright,

A melody of summer light.

The echoes of a gentle breeze,

Whispering through the rustling trees.

To avoid being associated with Soul, Jack deliberately altered his vocal tone. Even so, his singing was deeply captivating, like a sunset painting the horizon, stirring the soul.

Jack's voice resonated in this quiet corner, soft yet rhythmic.

Although they weren't in a professional recording studio, Jack seemed to be riding a beautiful flow. His singing carried an inexplicable power, profoundly moving anyone who heard it.

The song was another campus-themed ballad, a piece Jack had planned to release online.

Given his growing musical prowess, he believed this composition would resonate even more deeply than "Time", one of his earlier works.

To be honest, while Luca appreciated Jack's gesture of offering him a song, he didn't have high expectations for its quality.

He only hoped it would be good enough to get him through the competition and avoid elimination.

However, Jack's performance completely stunned him. What kind of divine song was this?

The melody was heavenly! The song deserved to become a classic, a widely celebrated ballad.

At that moment, both Luca and Bella couldn't help but wonder why Jack wasn't pursuing a music career. Why did he claim he couldn't sing when, in reality, his talent surpassed their wildest imaginations?

Luca felt he paled in comparison as a vocalist.

Both Bella and Luca listened intently, entirely captivated by the musical tapestry Jack wove for them.

Jack's song seemed to possess a magical quality, drawing them in and compelling them to hold their breath, unwilling to interrupt.

Since they were tucked away in a secluded corner, free from distractions, Jack

played the song in its entirety. Once he finished, he turned to Luca and asked, "What do you think?"