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Chapter 41 She Deserves It

The stati disagreed with his proposal. Secing that, the young man had no choice but to give up and d said, “Why don’t you call the police and take me away? My uncle will pick me up.”

The staff was even more embarrassed, she thought, what if the police scared other customers?”

“Let me pav.”

Ar that moment, a voice came from the side.

The boy was glad to hear that someone would belp him. He said, “Thank you!”

“You are welcome. It’s not a big deal.”

Anava took out her card. The staff asked in a low voice, “Madam, are you sure you want to pay f or him?”

She was a little worried that Anaya was cheated.

“Yes, here you are.”

The staff hesitated and swiped the card.

The young man borrowed a pen and paper from the staff and smiled at Anaya. He had two dimpl es. “Miss, leave a phone number. I’ll return the money to you.”

Anava nodded and left her phone number.

The young man folded the paper a few times and put it neatly in his pocket. He said, “Miss, can you lend me 16 dollars for the taxi?”

The staff thought, he looks like a liar.

What's worse, he is still an arrogant liar.

Anaya took out a piece of cash and told him to be careful on the road. After that, she left with Aracely.

After getting into the car, Aracely asked her, "Do you know that boy?"

Anaya said lightly, "He is the young master of McKlein Inc., Yarden."

Aracely did not have a job, but she had heard of McKlein Inc.

It was a well-known luxury brand abroad and was very popular in the socialite circle.

Last time, Aracely traveled abroad with her friends. She also went to a new product launch conference. Several new models were directly sold off on the day of launch, which showed how popular they were.

Anaya once told Aracely that she wanted to take the agency of McKlein Inc. in America.

"Did you deliberately come to the pet shop today to meet this young master?"

"It is just a coincidence."

Although Anaya had memories of her past life, she did not know everything.

he here for sightseeing with the

is not here for

"Then why?"

to find

wishes, she hoped to find the jewel necklace that her husband had given her. She hoped that the necklace would be

last century. The Simpson family searched for more than a year. They got the news that the necklace was sold to a rich

10 America

necklace will be auctioned off at an auction

key to achieving the agent

won the necklace tomorrow night, I will win the agency

time before eating dinner at

Anaya pulled her back. “Stay at

thought, Aracely will meet that scumbag in a few

on Aracely and not let her have

“Well, Joshua hurt you. Have you transferred

you give me a chance

eyes at Anaya. Her voice was so charming. She said, “Why don’t

goosebumps all over her

thought, well. I’m

returned to Anaya’s residence together. Aracely went to park the car and Anaya

at the entrance of the apartment, a tall and straight man stood against the light, as if

at a glance. She hesitated for a moment and walked

deliberately keep a distance from Hearst, but today, she stopped six feet away from

had sensed Hearst’s special concern for her. This concern had surpassed ordinary friends and made her

here to

the hospital. You can go

looked at
felt a sense of
so much about her, but she did not seem
atmosphere, the man suddenly stepped forward and
herbs enveloped Anaya. She heard a
know if it was hers or
thought, why does he hug me all of a
was a mess. A
in the wind. “Are you crazy? You are standing in the
afraid of
her over to help her
She was overthinking
little hot. She hurriedly pushed
not hold her tightly.
up
eyes stared at her. Hearst was
Anaya quickly looked away.
were not many people who were more
Many women
misunderstand that Hearst is the money boy of Paradise Nightclub. It is an
Neither of them spoke, and the air was quiet and ambiguous.

“Anaya!”

The appearance of Aracely broke the silence between them.

Aracely glanced at Hearst, “Who is he?”

Anaya briefly introduced, “He is Hearst, Mr. Helms.”

Hearst nodded at Aracely. “Hello.”

Aracely met his gaze and was fascinated by Hearst. she moved closer to Anaya’s ear and whispered, “Is this your new target?”

“Joshua and I only divorced less than half a month ago.”

“So what? Joshua brought Lexie around to show off before he divorced you. You’re already divorced. Is it strange to find a new boyfriend?”

Anaya was speechless.

She said helplessly, “You go up first. I want to talk to him.”

Aracely nodded. Before leaving, she whispered in her ear, “I’ll wait for you at your house. If you want to take him home, send me a text in advance. I’ll take a taxi back.”

They had a good relationship and knew each other’s door passwords, allowing them to enter and exit freely.

Anaya was speechless.

After Aracely left, Anaya looked at Hearst and asked the question again, “Mr. Helms, why are you so good to me?”

She had just ended a failed marriage and did not want to be ambiguous with anyone.

Anaya wanted to make everything clear.

This time, Hearst did not remain silent. “You should know.”

Anaya stared at him for a long time. “Mr. Helms, I am a divorced woman.”

“I know.”

“Then do you know why my ex-husband divorced me?”

Hearst didn’t reply. Anaya continued, “I stabbed my ex-husband’s sweetheart. She stayed in the hospital for nearly half a month and only left today.”

The white light fell from the top of her. The light cast shadows on her face. She said, “I am a vicious woman. Do you like me? Aren’t you afraid that I will kill you someday?”

“It’s impossible for you to hurt people.” His tone was very light, but he was very certain. “Even so, she must have provoked you first.”

“She deserves it.”

It was the first time Anaya had heard this gentleman’s subordinate use such rude words to assert others.

Hearst would attack others to protect Anaya.

Just like last night, if Anaya had not stopped him, Hearst would have killed the man who cut her shoulder.

Her feelings were mixed. Anaya said, “We’ve only met a few times. You don’t understand me at all. You don’t have to trust me.”

“I understand,” Hearst said in a light voice.

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Chapter 42 The Auction

Anaya didn’t take it seriously.

As he only met her several times, he didn’t know her so much.

“Thank you for trusting me, but I am sorry that I am not ready yet to start a new relationship in the near future. You

should not waste your time on me.”

All she had about love were painful memories.

she was not confident to fall in love with anyone at the moment.

It was an instinct to avoid something that would hurt her. Anaya even wouldn't throw herself into any situation that was just possible to make that happen.

"It is only in the near future, right?"

Anaya suddenly felt that she understood the man.

He was polite and reserved, but decisive and strong. As the superior, he wouldn't give concessions all the time.

"Hearst," she called his name directly, "I'm serious," she said, with a more serious tone.

He stared at her deeply and seriously, "Me too."

Anaya couldn't tell from his tone whether he did mean it or not.

If he did, how could he fall in love with her in such a short time?

If he didn't, he was really annoying to kids about this matter.

Whether he did mean it or not, she did not want to deal with him anymore.

"Mr. Helms, I would forget all that happened tonight. Please do not mention it again."

She still owed him and if she didn't make it clear, it would be hard to tackle the relationship between them.

They had known each other before long. Even if he really liked her, it was all about her appearance.

As long as she didn't respond to him, everything would be over when he was tired of her.

After a gaze, he turned around and left, without saying anything else.

When Anaya returned home, Aracely was squatting on the ground and playing with the dog. As soon as she saw her, she got up and asked her questions about Hearst.

As Anaya did not want to talk, Aracely stopped inquiring.

Binge on dramas for the whole night, Anaya and Aracely got up late the next morning. Anaya went to work before she could have breakfast.

At night, before leaving for the auction, Anaya said to Aracely, "Stay at home. Don't go out, understand?"

Aracely met that jerk at a private concert. As long as Aracely did not go out at night, she should not meet him again,

Aracely was watching Tv, lying on the sofa. "All right. I will guard your golden house. Just go."

was a traffic jam on the way. When Anaya arrived at the premise, the auction was the first invited.

she went straight over to

"Ms. Dutt."

to her. She turned to him and

what

rows in front of Anaya. "Is Ms. Dutt

"Yes. Are you?"

am with a

woman by his

the slender

artist

reputation

difference was that Martin was more

after a brief talk. Anaya

She turned her head.

she found Joshua was looking back at

her gaze, he

Anaya, Lexie

Such an awful woman!

flipped through the manual that was handed out by the auction

bid on was far behind on the list. It might take

Only when there was a piece of jade came up,

a history of over 100 years and it could calm people's

in the hospital had told her that Adams was not in a good condition because he

liked collecting jade antiques, so it was a good idea to acquire them for him as a

bid had started at 30 thousand dollars, and now it rose to

of the same kind was auctioned overseas at 500 thousand dollars. Anaya thought it might be

was within Anaya's

thousand." She

wanted to get the item

thousand."

Joshua frowned.

of the money, but

He somehow was uncomfortable.

“You like collecting jade?”

Lexie saw that he was annoyed and added, “It won’t

this, she didn’t mean

chauvinist like Joshua wouldn’t have

have paid for this at the end of the day. Then all she had to do

also recognized it was Lexie. She glanced at

“231 thousand dollars.”

“250 thousand dollars.”

“251 thousand dollars.”

would only increase it by i thousand. It was like she would not give up

the way to 501

raise her paddle

The price of the jade almost equaled its real value. If it went any higher, it would be a premium.

It would be not worth it.

Seeing that she did not raise the paddle, Lexie was secretly pleased.

It seemed that the Dutt Family was no longer strong. Anaya actually did not even dare to contend a piece of jade with

her.

“501 thousand dollars. Is there any bid higher than this?” the auctioneer said as he hammered down.

No one spoke.

Most of the people present were senior collectors. They had an estimated value for the price of the items. The price of this piece of jade had already reached its maximum value. If they continued to increase the price, they would either be fools or have no place to spend it since they had too much money.

“501 thousand dollars for once!”

“501 thousand dollars for twice!”

Martin had been looking at his screen the entire time. When he received a message, he slowly raised his paddle and said, “1 million dollars.”

It said that “bid as he wants“, so he doubled it.

It was not a big deal for them.

Anaya reminded Martin in a low voice, “Mr. Scabright, this piece of jade is not worth this price. If anyone else raises their paddle, you had better not follow him.”

Martin gave a mischievous smile. “It’s fine. My friend is rich enough.”

Anaya was speechless.

It turned out that he was bidding for his friend. No wonder he was so generous,

Anaya thought she would definitely cut off herself from him if she was Martin’s friend.

The bid was a waste of money.

Joshua turned around and saw them talking happily. He pursed his thin lips and then raised his paddle, “1.1 million dollars.”

“1.3 million dollars.”

“1.4 million dollars.”

“2.5 million dollars.”

Joshua frowned more.

Martin bid very quickly. Without any logic, he just bid as he wanted.

If it wasn't the Seabright Family that was famous in Boston, he would think that Martin came to mess the auction up deliberately.

Anaya didn't deserve it, did she?

Joshua thought his ex-wife was amazing. How could she get related to Hearst, Timothy, and Martin

Joshua clenched the paddle in his hand, his fingertips turning pale for he was so angry.

He could not give way to Martin!

He was about to raise his paddle again when Lexie held his hand.

She thought that Joshua was bidding for her. She was delighted and pretended to be reserved. "Joshua, actually, I don't really want the jade. You don't have to spend such a big amount of money for me. It's the thought that counts ..."

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Chapter 43 Win a Beauty's Favor

Joshua remained silent.

He wanted to get this jade, not because of Lexie.

He suddenly felt a sense of guilt and stopped bidding.

In the end, Martin got the jade at the price of 2.5 million dollars.

"Mr. Seabright is really generous." Anaya clicked her tongue.

She hoped that Martin's friend would not kill him for bidding so high.

"My friend wants to win a beauty's favor. I'm just a middleman." Martin shrugged.

"What beauty is worthy of such a valuable gift?" Anaya asked curiously.

Martin smiled without a word.

After a long time, it finally came to the necklace that Anaya wanted to bid for.

“Next is No.6352. This is a sapphire necklace. It is said to be a gift from a royal family member of the last century for his lover...”

The auctioneer vividly told a sad and beautiful love story. If Anaya did not know the origin of the necklace, she might have been moved.

After briefly introducing the background of the necklace, the auctioneer said, “The starting price is 16 thousand dollars, please give your bid!”

This necklace was not famous or collectible, so it was difficult to raise the price. Most people just watched, and the bid was not high.

“17 thousand dollars.”

“25 thousand dollars.”

“29 thousand dollars.”

“40 thousand dollars.”

In the end, the bid stopped at 40 thousand dollars since few people wanted it.

Seeing that no one else was bidding, Anaya unhurriedly called out her bid. “50 thousand dollars.”

Lexie wanted to bid as well, but in the end, she didn’t make a move.

did so for the second time, it was very likely that Joshua would

the end, Anaya got

backstage to pay. She got the wrapped necklace and was

said earlier that you would

to give the jade directly to Anaya, so Martin

thought about it. Last time in the parking lot, Martin helped her. She seemed to have offhandedly said

dinner to

expect that Martin

but said, "Then I'll

let his female companion leave first, while he followed the staff

"You are quite popular."

strange voice came from behind Anaya.

behind her, staring at her coldly. "You've hooked up with so many men after half

a smile and said in a charming voice, "Because

darkened in

She is tough

am simply asking for trouble by talking

away and Lexie hurriedly followed

was

knew Martin and they had even had an appointment

this case, Martin probably bade for the jade

Martin for

has already divorced Joshua, so why does she still keep

she passed by Anaya, she intentionally sprained her

Anaya down and

Anaya grabbed her firmly with both hands and did not

Lexie could react, Anaya pushed
when she was pushed by Anaya, so
road.

in the air, trying to grab something to stabilize

but not only did she not stabilize herself, she even fell

front, only to hear Lexie screaming behind him, followed by the sound of heavy objects
falling to the ground and

He turned back.

green plant onto the side. Lexie sat on the ground awkwardly. Her white gauze dress
was covered in dirt and

people in the corridor heard the noise

reacted quickly. He immediately took off his

no matter how quick he was, someone still

she

But with so many people watching, she could only hold it back.

she shrank into Joshua's arms and cried, "Anaya, why did you suddenly push me..."

Anaya looked down at her and said calmly, "It's been so long, but you are still bad at acting."

In her previous life, Lexie had used this clumsy trick countless times.

Anaya knew what Lexie was thinking at only one glance.

In her previous life, Anaya was stupid and had never been on guard. She had been humiliated by Lexie several times.

Now, she would not allow Lexie to hurt her anymore!

“Anaya, what do you mean by this...” Lexie seemed to feel wronged.

“You know what I mean.” Anaya’s voice was as cold as ice, “If I don’t make trouble for you first, don’t piss me off, okay?”

Lexie was frightened by her eyes. She shrank back and tightly grabbed Joshua’s sleeve.

When does Anaya become so imposing?

In the past, Anaya was just a silly girl running behind Joshua, but after she returned to the country, she seemed to have changed into another person, making people feel intimidated.

Lexie thought that she had to think of other ways to deal with Anaya in the future.

Seeing Lexie’s pitiful look, Joshua stood up and glared at Anaya. “You pushed Lexie, and now you’re still threatening her. Do you really think that you can do whatever you want just because you got Prudential Group’s investment?”

Anaya said in a carefree manner, “I’m just giving her a taste of her own medicine. Mr. Maltz, what you’re saying sounds like I’ve done something unforgivable.”

“Are you saying that Lexie wanted to harm you first?”

“That’s what I mean. If you don’t believe me, you can look at the surveillance footage...” Halfway through her words, Anaya thought of something. She put on a mocking smile. “Oh, my poor memory! I forgot that you said that you would not suspect Ms. Dunbar. Even if the evidence is in front of you, you are still blind.”

Joshua gritted his teeth, his face slightly twisted in anger, like a furious lion.

He was angry at both Anaya’s sarcastic words and what she had done to Lexie.

“Apologize to Lexie! For what you have done to her before!”

“Get away.”

Anaya didn’t want to argue with him and was about to leave. Joshua grabbed her shoulder and wanted to stop her.

He happened to catch Anaya's wound with great strength.

She had already touched her unhealed wound just now when she pushed Lexie.

Now that Joshua grabbed it, the wound directly split open. Anaya gasped in pain and reflexively shrank.

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Chapter 144 Coming Back for Her

Anaya wore a thin beige coat so that no one could see the gauze. Anaya felt that blood was beginning to seep through the bandages, though not the coat yet. But later, people might see blood soaking through her coat.

Hearing her gasp, Joshua remembered that Anaya had injured her shoulder. Joshua quickly let go of her and asked with concern, "Did I touch your wound? Sorry, I'll take you to the hospital..."

"It's none of your business."

Joshua paused.

Anaya said without looking at him, "You were still blaming me just now. And now you pretend to be nice to me. You probably want it to be even more painful in your heart."

Joshua opened his mouth and was about to defend himself.

But Anaya left, preventing him from doing that.

Joshua felt so depressed but couldn't give full vent to his feelings.

Lexie got up, walked to Joshua, pulled him on his sleeve, and murmured, "Joshua, I'm so sorry for causing trouble to you and Anaya..."

Joshua tried to suppress his emotions and comforted Lexie softly, "You don't have to apologize. It was Anaya who should apologize to you."

However, Joshua didn't say that he would ask Anaya to pay for it. It was just a small comfort that meant nothing to Lexie.

Lexie gritted her teeth.

In the past, Joshua would definitely ask whoever had wronged her to pay for it at all costs. But this time, clearly, Joshua was going to let Anaya get away with it.

Lexie could feel that Anaya was getting more and more important in Joshua's heart.

This was a piece of bad news for Lexie.

Lexie had thought that she would sooner or later become Joshua's wife, so she hadn't urged Joshua to marry her.

But now, Lexie realized that she might have been too conceited.

So far, all Lexie could count on was Joshua's love for her which might disappear someday, and the fact that she had saved him.

Once Joshua fell in love with Anaya, Lexie could do nothing about it but see Joshua marrying Anaya again.

Lexie must do something to get married to Joshua as soon as possible.

Only when she became Joshua's wife could she be at ease.

Anaya walked to the gate and Martin was already waiting there.

"Why did it take you so long to..." Martin asked with a serious expression when he saw the dried blood on Anaya's coat, "Are you hurt?"

Anaya was hurt when she was with him. Martin was afraid of what Hearst might do to him if Hearst knew it. Hearst

must be so mad at Martin.

There was sweat on Anaya's forehead, but she said as calmly as usual, "It's an old injury with dehiscence. Shall we

delay the meal?"

"I'll take you to the hospital."

Anaya did not refuse.

not drive with a

Anaya to

treat her wound,

was probably busy now. Martin waited for a while until Hearst picked up the

“What’s the matter?”

a wound dehiscence just

“Beep, beep...”

could finish his words, Hearst hung up

about to call back, he heard Anaya’s phone ring from the

Martin was speechless.

much

phone and took a look. It was

a scam

over and over again. The doctor was a little annoyed and said, “How about you answer the call? If you like,

whether to laugh

was

a man asking calmly in a low

words that she was about to say, “Yeah,

quickly understood.

Hearst admitted directly, "Yes."

suddenly remembered that Martin had bid for the

Hearst as

it was a

man would fall in love with them after meeting them several times and spend a lot of money to please them. But Anaya knew that she was

are you using

a business trip in

"Hiss..."

from Anaya's shoulder interrupted

of the line also seemed to have gasped, "Does it

see it. She tried

"No."

and asked suddenly, "Are

"Yes."

"Got it."

quickly hung up

Anaya was confused.

Hearst

Martin drove

room and it

entered the guest room and found that Aracely was not

beat as she quickly dialed
went through, Anaya asked anxiously,
has fallen asleep,”
was relieved when she recognized it was
Aracely was home.

asked, “What’s wrong? Why are you

Aracely was gone... I can rest assured now since she was already asleep. Winston,
“OK.”

and looked at Aracely who was so drunk that lay

Winston’s Adam’s apple moved. He closed his eyes.

All he needed to do was to clean up the vomit
on her body. He must not do anything else.

Absolutely not.

She was his little princess and he was her knight. He had guarded her for eight years.

And he would always do.

Anaya quickly washed up, changed into a sleeping dress, and went to bed.

The doorbell rang at one in the morning

Anaya was in so much pain that she couldn’t sleep. When she heard it, she got up and
opened the door.

The man outside looked a little tired in the cold wind.

Just as she was about to say something, Sammo, that was sleeping in the living room, s
eemed to have heard something. It got up from the cushion and rushed over. It circled a
round then happily, barking,

Anaya squatted down and rubbed the dog's head, gesturing for it to quiet down. Samnmo understood and quieted down. It put its front paw on her shoulder and threw itself into her arms.

"Aren't you abroad?" she asked as she picked up the dog with all her might and looked at the man.

"I'm back," Hearst said in a low voice,

He said it casually as if he lived downstairs and it was so effortless for him to come to her place.

Anaya clearly remembered that it was less than four hours since he called her.

From Canberra to Boston, the fastest flight took at least three hours, not including the time spent waiting in the departure area.

And from the nearest airport to her house, it took at least half an hour.

Was Hearst just about to return to America when he called her, or...

Did he come back just for her?

Seeing Anaya lost in thoughts, Hearst lowered his voice and asked, "Did I bother you?"

Hearst knew that visiting her at this time might disturb her rest.

But he came.

Hearst couldn't rest assured without checking how she was personally.

"No, I haven't fallen asleep." Anaya drew back from her thoughts. The expression on her face was inscrutable.

"Does it hurt?"

"A little bit," Anaya did not act tough this time.

"Who was the one that injured you?"

Anaya could feel Hearst's anger.

She suddenly recalled the night when Hearst raised his knife ferociously.

she raised her head and looked at him. The expression on Hearst's face was as calm as usual as if it was just an innocent question.

Somehow, Anaya lied, "I went to the auction tonight. It was crowded and I accidentally bumped into someone."

It was an obvious lie.

Bumping into someone would not hurt one's shoulder.

Chapter 45 She Is Wary of Him

Hearst did not ask any further questions. He took out a small glass bottle from his suit pocket. "It's the gift I brought from Australia."

The glass bottle filled with colorful candies was held in Hearst's palm. It looked petite and delicate.

If Hearst gave Anaya something else, she might not accept it.

She would only accept the candy.

First, it was cheap. Taking this gift would not bring her a psychological burden. Second, Anaya did like sweets, and it was difficult for her to resist the temptation of sweets.

She took the glass bottle and asked, "Can I have a taste?"

Hearst's thin lips curved into a faint smile. "If the candy doesn't taste good, you won't accept it?"

Anaya did not expect that Hearst would tease her. "I just want to taste it."

As she spoke, she poured out candy and put it into her mouth.

It was sweet and had a faint, indescribable fragrance.

Anaya guessed that it should be made of unique raw materials in Australia.

In short, it was delicious.

“Thank you for your gift.”

She was very satisfied.

” I still have some candies here. You can ask me for them after you finish this bottle.”

“Alright...”

Anaya agreed, then paused.

He thought, why don‘t he give more in one go?

Is he putting bait?

Anaya was suspicious, but Hearst seemed honest without any other thoughts.

She thought her concern was misplaced.

“Do you want to come in and take a seat?” Anaya asked as she turned to the door.

Anaya still needed to be polite when Hearst came to see her from so far away in the middle of the night.

“No, have a good rest.”

“Okay, good night.”

Hearst went downstairs, and Jayden opened the car door respectfully. “Mr. Helms, do you want to investigate what happened at the auction?”

“No need.”

Anaya lied to him because she didn‘t want him to interfere.

wary of him

what she did not want him

believed she would handle

solve it,

by the

“Donuts!”

cry and got up. As she had slept for the entire night, her long

the table said lightly, “Go wash up and

to the bedroom?” Aracely looked

that you might not have sobered up from the alcohol yet, and your parents would be worried
you.”

on the bed like a child who had made a mistake. She looked away guiltily. “You ...

Tarleton family was strict, and it was taboo

for this reason, she had always longed for the outside world,

and went to watch an underground concert with

The excitement spread in the small space. She felt novel and excited and then

more drinks with the people from the band. And she

that she was wearing

help me change

was

was about to scold

don’t I have any impression

in a deep voice, “Hurry up

“Okay.”

sat down on the edge of the

a faint smile. His eyes were gentle and

“Where did you

subconsciously straightened her body. “I just

“Male or female?”

little excited. “Winston, I met my Mr.

eyes flashed and he pretended to be calm as he asked, “What kind

and guitar player of the

band. The first time I saw him, I had a feeling of falling in love! Not only is he handsome, but his voice is also nice, and he is loyal to his friends.

man last night with her fingers as

spent one

the merits that she had

made people blind, and she was

wiped the food scrap off the corner of

face to enjoy his service, her mouth still constantly talking

finished speaking, Winston said, “People there are not as simple as you

this, Aracely remembered that the guitar player of the underground rock band was probably a

she just counted a bunch of the merits of

were in the past, she would have been

was unusually

to the concert last night. Aren’t you

He threw the tissue into the trash can with his eyes lowered. It

was easy to have personal emotions to discipline her in

involved in

was afraid that if he got involved, he would not be

the evening, when Anaya returned home, she opened

into the kitchen, and Aracely was pouring the food into the trash can, trying

“Didn’t I warn you not to go into the kitchen?” Anaya smiled evilly.

Aracely’s hand trembled, and the plate almost fell into the trash can. “Anaya, don’t smile in that way. I’m afraid...”

“What made you have the courage to enter my kitchen after burning your kitchen twice? Huh?”

“Winston cooked for me at noon today. I took a look and felt that I could cook for you. I wanted to cook for you...”

However, it was only her imagination.

Anaya ignored her explanation and pulled her out of the kitchen.

It took Anaya an hour to clean up the kitchen, and another hour to cook the dishes. Anyway, it took a long time before

they had meals,

As Aracely ate, she thought of her encounter last night. “Anaya, I have something to tell you...”

She suddenly paused in the middle of her sentence.

Last night, Anaya repeatedly urged her to stay at the house. If Anaya knew that Aracely went out last night, what would happen?

Aracely did not speak for a long time. Anaya looked up at her and asked, “What do you want to tell me?”

“Well... I emptied the bowels today and blocked your toilet, but it has been cleared.”

Anaya was speechless.

“If you think this topic could come up while we are eating, I will allow you to eat in the bathroom in the future.”

Aracely shut her mouth.

she thought, Anaya had a bad temper.

She got mad at me.

In the next few days, Anaya asked Aracely to live in her house and only let her go home after the dangerous period.

When it was Saturday, Anaya went to the gym in the morning and went to the hospital to accompany Adams in the afternoon.

When Yarden called, she was giving Adams a leg massage.

“Hello, are you free tonight? I’ll treat you to a meal and return the money I owe you last time.”

“Okay, see you tonight.”

The two of them set the time and place to meet and hung up.

Adams asked, “Who asked you out?”

“A little kid.”

Although Yarden was almost an adult, he was just a cute younger brother to Anaya.

Anaya put down her phone and continued to massage Adams. “I just went to ask the doctor. You should take good care of yourself. You can leave the hospital in half a month at most. You must take your medicine on time. Don’t think too much. Leave the work to me...”

“Hey, you are more and more like your grandmother. She used to nag me all day.”

“Grandpa, do you hate me now?”

“How could that be? I would like you to nag me every day.”

“Then when you are discharged from the hospital, I will accompany you back to the old house and talk to you every day.”

Adams laughed happily, “Alright.”

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Chapter 46 Stealing

At night, Anaya went to the restaurant as she had promised Yarden.

The two met in the parking lot,

Yarden didn't wear too many accessories today. He wore a simple white T-shirt and jeans, looking very youthful.

There was also a strong middle-aged man behind him, and Anaya recognized him as the representative of McKlein Inc. to America, Kim.

Yarden introduced Kim and Anaya to each other. Kim politely shook hands with Anaya. “Yarden is always reckless. He doesn't even know that his wallet and phone fell into the taxi. Thank you for helping him out.”

Anaya learned from his tone that Kim should not be a representative of McKlein Inc, today, but came here as a relative of Yarden.

“It was nothing.”

The three of them went upstairs and entered the restaurant.

Kim had reserved a seat in advance. The waiter led the two to the window and passed by the center of the restaurant. A woman stood up and blocked their way.

“Ms. Dutt, long time no see.”

Anaya raised her eyebrows when she saw Daisy.

She did not expect that this woman would take the initiative to talk to her, especially after what happened last time.

“Long time no see” Anaya stopped in her tracks.

Daisy didn’t let go of the grudge in her heart. She glared at Anaya and then looked at Kim and Yarden beside Anaya,

As if thinking of something, Daisy sneered and said, “Ms. Dutt, are you on a date with this gentleman? How long have you and Mr. Maltz been divorced? Last time, you dated Mr. Parkhurst, and this time, you found a man with a son. You are really not picky.”

Yarden stood in front of Anaya and smiled. He then said to Daisy, “Madam, my mom told me that one’s tongue will rot if he or she talks nonsense. Please be careful.”

“Is this how you address me?” Daisy was furious and raised her voice and continued, “At most, I’m six years older than you!”

“Really? You have so many wrinkles on your face. I thought you were going to be 40. I’m really sorry.”

Yarden apologized, but there was no apology on his face at all.

“Brat, what nonsense are you talking about!”

that she wanted to give Yarden a slap, but before her hand could fall,

smiled lightly, but there was only coldness in her eyes. “Ms. Raney, don’t be rude in a public

lost her balance and bumped into the table behind her. The

table quickly stood up and supported Daisy. “Are

man and felt

seemed to be the young master of a

Raney, who

continue to make a scene, instantly became weak, and she looked

“Is that so?”

voice rose slightly. There was obviously another meaning in

was a

with girls and never focused on his career and family. She definitely couldn't live with him for the

it was not easy

that Daisy

she had stopped

knew that her relationship with that man

to do with her. As long as Daisy

Raney, we could barely be considered acquaintances to

at Anaya, but did not

Yarden sat down by the

menu was also filled

few dishes and closed

her a thumbs-up. "Anaya, you are amazing just now! You look cool. You are more impressive than the last time when

addressed her

natural affinity. Anaya did not feel disgusted. She smiled and said,

laughed and turned to look at Kim. "Kim, that woman just wanted to bully Anaya. Why didn't you say

as he poured the two of them a glass

fierce Yarden was in a fight, but he

suffered a loss in anyone's hands for more than ten

him was

got up and went to the

saw Anaya leave, she excused herself and walked to the blind spot of Kim and Yarden

the gentleman over there that the lady who came with him fell in the

to take a look”

Daisy again and again, and Daisy

waiter was a little embarrassed. “You just stayed in your seat

her phone and said, “I’ll transfer you

The waiter hesitated for a moment and nodded. He walked to Kim’s table and repeated Daisy’s words.

When Kim heard the waiter’s words, he did not doubt it and quickly walked toward the bathroom.

Yarden was also a little worried and followed.

Daisy walked to the dining table of the two people and quickly took away their things. Then, she pretended that nothing had happened and returned to her seat. She asked her companion to leave together.

When

Anaya came out of the bathroom, she happened to bump into the two people who had come to look for her at the door. “You ... are forming a group to go to the bathroom?”

Kim frowned. “Just now, a waiter said that you fell. He asked me to come over and take a look.”

“Who? A man or a woman?”

“Male.”

Kim had been too anxious to notice just now, and only then did he realize that he had been tricked.

How did a male attendant know that Anaya had fallen in the lady's room?

When the three of them returned to the dining table, their items were all gone.

Anaya narrowed her eyes. "It looks like someone is playing a trick."

She glanced at Daisy's position.

She had already left.

It was self-evident who did this.

Anaya did not hesitate and immediately contacted the manager of the restaurant to let him check the surveillance.

Sure enough, their things were taken by Daisy.

Kim said, "Let's go find the lady in the video now."

"This matter started because of me. I will solve it. Mr. Simpson, you and Yarden go back first. I will bring back all your things."

Kim was about to agree when Yarden said, "We will go with you."

There was
a photo of him and his grandmother in his wallet, which was printed by his grandmother.
It was of great importance to him.

He had to take it back

Yarden pretended to be calm. However, he was still a young man who had yet to reach adulthood. He didn't hide his emotions very well. Anaya guessed that there must be something valuable in his bag. She nodded and took out her phone to call the police.

Since Daisy like to be a thief, she would leave a significant mark on her life experiences!

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Chapter 47 Anaya Gets Smelly

Daisy was worried that her husband would see there was someone with her, so she didn't ask him to send her to her door. She got out of the car, and it took her more than ten minutes to walk to her home.

She walked to the door of her villa and saw Todd sending two hot women out.

He gave each of them a kiss before letting them get in the car.

"Todd! Didn't I tell you not to bring women home? Did you forget about it?" Daisy was furious at once.

Todd turned his head to look at her, picked his ear, and said in a sloppy manner, "This is my home. Why can't I bring them back? You changed all the servants in the villa to men, what was I supposed to do if I didn't bring women back? Was I supposed to live with you, you shrew?"

"Shameless bastard!" Daisy walked over and raised her hand,

Todd was a man after all. Even if his body was consumed by alcohol and women, he was still much stronger than Daisy. He raised his hand and pushed her to the ground.

He cursed, "Now you say I'm shameless? Don't you always know what kind of man I am? When you married me, you should have expected this kind of life after marriage. You and I married because of business interests. Since you married me for the money of my family, you should behave yourself. Don't be like a shrew all day. I feel annoyed just looking at you!"

Daisy glared at him, wishing she could cut Todd into a thousand pieces.

When she found her next husband, she must settle a debt with Todd!

She held back her anger and picked up what was on the ground.

Todd noticed that the bag on the ground was not hers. "You bought a new one?"

Daisy shouted irritably, "Yes! Can't I buy a bag?"

Todd was very unhappy. Just as he was about to say something, he suddenly heard the siren approaching.

He panicked

He thought, were the two prostitutes caught?

He grabbed Daisy and was about to enter when several police cars stopped at the door of their villa.

When Daisy saw Anaya get out of the police car, her body froze.

She just took Anaya's bag, and this bitch, Anaya, actually called the police!

She suddenly remembered that Anaya's bag was still on her shoulder, so she quickly took off the bag and threw it on the ground on the side, as if it were a hot potato.

However, there was no place she could hide the bag at the door. Though she threw the bag on the ground, others could still see it.

the latest product of the Sandy's. Don't you think it's a pity to

it on the ground? Or, because it's not yours, you

and bumbled to lie, "That

did you bring the

so I

"I bought the bag on the ground. It

said that the bag was not yours. Why do you say that it is

was not yours anyway! How could

didn't bother to argue with her anymore. Anaya turned on
restaurant

see if the

waiter and asked the waiter to

Daisy immediately went over to take Anaya's and Kim's

and she reached

were always throwing a tantrum at me, just because I

be so

shameless to admit that you fool around with prostitutes every day? Don't you find those multiple standards you set ridiculous? To tell you the truth, I cheated on you

nerve

and

the policeman who was standing at

were pulled, they were still scolding each other and exposing

harshly, and they

about the farce. She picked up the bag on the ground, opened it, and

gaze fell on Daisy. "Where

don't know,"

20 thousand dollars. If I sue you, do

Anaya's eyes and shivered. Daisy said reluctantly, "I threw it into the garbage room near the

it away. Who knew that the thing was actually

got into the car and let

sat in the car and heard all the content of the conversation between

he opened the car door and, regardless of how smelly the garbage room was,

out of

really

thought, he doesn't look like a poor kid. Why did he go to

won't go

the flashlight on her phone and went in

that she followed in, his dirty face wrinkled into a lump.

people will find it quicker. Moreover, it was my responsibility that your

away.”

Yarden was stunned for a few seconds, and then he revealed a bright smile while saying, “Anaya, you look even more badass now than you were talking back at them in the restaurant!”

Finally, Anaya found Yarden’s wallet under a bag of kitchen garbage.

They came out of the pile of trash. Their bodies were dirty and smelly. The people waiting outside could not help but take two steps back.

Yarden took the bag and showed a disliked face to Anaya. “Anaya, you stink.”

Anaya slapped the back of his head. “Just check your wallet.”

Yarden opened the wallet, and the photo was left intact.

He held his dirty wallet tightly and nodded heavily. “It’s still there.”

Fortunately, it was still there.

Kim rushed over after finishing his records. He wanted to give Yarden a hug, but when he saw how filthy Yarden was, he subconsciously took a step back.

Yarden said, “Seriously? You stepped back when you saw me?”

Kim said seriously, “Yes.”

Yarden said, “Am I your nephew for real?”

Before leaving, Yarden added Anaya on Line. “Let’s hang out together in the future.”

Anaya joked, “Sure, if you are not afraid of hitting the skids together with me.”

After Yarden and Kim left, Anaya went to the side of the road to take a taxi.

A black Bentley stopped in front of her.

The car window rolled down, and the man in the back seat looked at her calmly. "Do you want to take a ride?"

"Why are you here?" Anaya did not expect to meet Hearst so late in the night.

"Passing by," he said in a cold voice,

Samuel, who was in the driver's seat, rolled his eyes. "That's not true. You came here on purpose!"

But he only said this in his heart.

Samuel had just come out of the confinement room, and he did not want to go back there again.

Hearst said, "Get in the car."

Anaya refused, "I'm filthy. Forget it. I'll just take a taxi."

"What kind of taxi driver is willing to take you?"

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Chapter 48 He Will Restrain Himself

Anaya didn't know what to say.

She thought, probably not.

The stench from her body could be smelled from 15 inches away.

she hesitated and opened the door to get in.

She sat at the edge, trying to keep her distance from Hearst as much as possible so as not to let him be troubled by the

sinell

"I will pay you for washing the car."

“No need.”

Anaya didn't insist.

She knew that Hearst was always standing by his words.

If he did not want it, she would not force him.

Hearst had helped her a lot, and she did not like to owe people, so she had to find a way to repay him.

Otherwise, the more she owed, the more she wouldn't be able to repay.

She was thinking about how to return the favor when she caught a glimpse of Hearst's fair and slender hand reaching toward her.

Startled, she reflexively stood up and hit her head against the roof of the car, making a loud noise.

She grunted and returned to her seat.

Hearst frowned. “So you don't want me to touch you?”

Anaya rubbed her head and said in a muffled voice, “My body is dirty.”

Although she also did not want to be touched, she dodged mainly because she didn't want to dirty his hands.

This was the first time she had appeared outside in such a dirty and smelly manner. Originally, she did not feel anything, but when she sat next to Hearst, she felt a sense of inferiority.

Perhaps it was because Hearst was born with the capital to make others feel ashamed of their inferiority, but any bit of filth by his side was like a stain to him.

Hearst stretched his furrowed brows and extended his hand towards her again.

Anaya wanted to dodge, but he pulled her back. “Don't move.”

He took the tape from her head and said, “It's hard to deal with it alone.”

“Thank you.”

silence again. Anaya turned to look at the scenery

the car made a

She was thrown to the

of

straight and said, "I'm

finish, another

could even sit properly,

a laugh and said, "The bend around here is sharp. I just got my driver's license, good. Sit tight."

Of course,

relatively smooth,

car and looked at Hearst's dirty clothes with a complicated expression. "I'm

but ended up

fine. You go

lot before, but I have never thanked you... Is there anything you want? I will do my best to

in the car and did not say anything. His dark eyes reflected a strange light as he stared at Anaya. He was calm on the surface, but there seemed to be a bit

this question. "Just pretend I didn't ask

and went upstairs,

completely

"Hearst, how

in the future. She doesn't like it," Hearst said, wiping the alcohol

tell that Anaya did not want to have too

want to

would restrain himself before she

doesn't like you,

"Haven't you stayed in the solitary

"It's my bad."

his hands and looked out

respected any of

he would not allow

Villa, Martin waited for him at the

he pinched his nose, "Damn, didn't you hang out with a beauty? Why are

news from Samuel

did not believe it. After all, Hearst was famous for his obsession

crawled and rolled around in a dirty environment.

obsession with cleanliness.

he was kicked out

Martin no longer dared to

than taking pleasure in

that Hearst

was an unlucky

teasing and turned to look at Jayden.

been done according to your

nodded. "Go back and

Martin sighed.

With Hearst's progress, who knows when he would be able to get Anaya's heart?

The next morning, all the major media in Boston reported the results of last night's elimination act of pornography and illegal publications.

The police followed Todd's line and destroyed several criminal dens in a row.

Daisy stole. Todd paid for sex with a prostitute, and smuggled drugs.

In addition to that, there were several crimes. It was enough to send the two to prison and spend the rest of their lives in prison.

When this news came out, it became another topic in the circle of the rich and the powerful.

Lexie saw the news and gave Joshua a look. "Joshua, do you still remember Daisy? She used to be in the same high school as us."

In school, Daisy liked a boy, but that boy liked Anaya.

At that time, it was Lexie who told Daisy that the boy liked Anaya,

Lexie originally thought that Daisy would be able to make Anaya suffer a little, but she did not expect that not only Daisy failed to make Anaya suffer any substantial loss, but now Lexie had even entered the police station due to a character problem.

What an idiot!

Joshua, who was driving, casually glanced at the news. His eyes were calm, and his tone was very light. "I don't remember."

His gaze fell on the building outside the window. "Is your new home in this place?"

Lexie had been staying in the hotel for more than half a month after returning to the country. Yesterday, she finally found a house. After moving all her things, she invited Joshua over to have a look at her new house.

"Yes, on the 12th floor of Building B."

Joshua parked the car and followed Lexie upstairs.

There was a middle-aged woman sitting on the sofa in the living room. He frowned slightly but was soon concealed. The woman was Lexie's mother, Danica Dunbar.

"Mrs. Dunbar, long time no see." He sat down opposite Danica.

With a smile on her face, Danica chatted with Joshua for a while and then got to the point. "Joshua, since you have recovered your relationship with Lexie, why don't you get engaged first? If it could be settled early, the elders of the two families could be at ease."

Joshua took a sip of coffee and said, "I've been with Lexie for only half a month. It's too early to get engaged. I don't have that intention for the time being."

"You've been dating Lexie for a few years. Even if you get married immediately, it won't be considered a rash decision, right? Because of you, she suffered a lot abroad. You have to take responsibility for her, right?"

Joshua was a little annoyed by Danica's nonsense. He said impatiently, "Back then, she chose to study abroad. No one forced her to do so."

"Then... then she wouldn't come back this year because your ex-wife caused her to be blacklisted..." Danica said.

"Anaya did that. It has nothing to do with me. Anaya and I just divorced not long ago. It is not suitable for us to get engaged. We can talk about it later," Joshua said, his face completely turned gloomy.

Danica finally sensed the displeasure in Joshua's tone. She shut up.

Lexie, who had been hiding in the kitchen, came out and pretended not to know what happened in the living room.

"Joshua, I made a few dishes. Help me serve them and prepare to eat."

It was silent during the meal. No matter what Lexie said, Joshua had a cold face from beginning to end.

After the meal, Lexie sent Joshua out.

She held Joshua's hand and said weakly, "Joshua, I'm sorry, I didn't expect my mother to tell you about this. She told me earlier that she just came to see you today..."

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Chapter 49 A Taxi Driver

Joshua gazed at her, trying to see if she was telling the truth.

He always felt that Lexie had deliberately called Danica over to warn him.

Lexie's eyes turned tearful. "Joshua, don't you believe me?"

le

.

Lexie looked sincere as if Joshua's words really hurt her.

As she spoke, her tears fell.

Joshua hesitated for a while, but still pulled her into his arms and comforted her in a low voice. "It's my fault. I had a hard time at work recently, so I misunderstand you. I'm sorry."

He actually suspected her just now.

This was crazy.

This was the woman who had saved him and given him a new life.

He had an obligation to protect her for a lifetime.

This was an oath that he made five years ago, and he could not infringe on it.

The police contacted Anaya to update the records. Anaya's shoulder injury had not recovered yet. She could not drive, so she took a taxi.

Daisy and Todd were still jailed in the police station for the time being. Anaya heard the couple scolding each other from afar. The content of the scolding was nasty. No matter how the police on duty scolded them, they didn't stop quarreling.

The policewoman who led Anaya in sighed, "Both of them are arrogant. It can be considered lucky that they became a couple. Fortunately, they will be transferred in the afternoon..."

Anaya noticed the helplessness of the policewoman's words. Presumably, everyone in the police station had been tortured by this couple.

Anaya asked, "How are they going to be sentenced?"

"I don't know yet. We are waiting for the court's decision. I guess that they won't be able to be released from prison."

"Daisy has only stolen two bags ... Is the punishment for stealing so severe?"

The policewoman asked curiously, "Don't you read the news?"

"No, I haven't read the news today."

The policewoman patiently said, "Last night, a piece of news was released. Many construction problems exist in the Toyar Construction Company's project. The workers of the company use inferior materials during the building process... Do you know about the Toyar Construction Company? It's the company of Daisy's family."

Anaya nodded in agreement.

The policewoman continued, "According to news reports, most of the members of the board of directors in the Toyar Construction Company came from the underworld. A few years ago, a case of burying corpses in the playground was also related to the directors of Toyar Construction Company. In addition, several construction accidents had happened before in the Toyar Construction Company's projects, but the company had covered them up with the

money.

started an investigation overnight. Now all the higher-ups of Toyar Construction Company are basically detained. Daisy works in her own company, and she must

been beset with a crisis overnight.

did not expect that so many things would happen in one night

that someone deliberately did it since much bad news about Toyar Construction Comp any

provoked powerful rivals. Its unscrupulousness had led

police station, Anaya took a taxi

the

made Anaya's

in a car accident. There were no obvious aftereffects, but she was

asked the driver,

a

driver hurriedly got out of the car to check the situation, and Anaya also got out

and did not hit the car in

out of

"Are you alright?"

was clear and pleasant, and

head and saw Hearst walking

stopped in front of her and looked at her up and down. When he

apologetically, "I'm really sorry.

"It's fine."

to apologize, but his

birth?

hung up the phone. He said

Anaya and asked, "Miss, can you please help me drive the car to the bank on
for a moment and nodded.

thanked Anava. He gave the key to her and told her the contact information.

a taxi

he afraid that Ms. Dutt will run

Anaya, "Can you

had forgotten that her injuries had yet to be recovered.

"I'll go with you."

"No need."

experience a

was quiet for a

"Alright."

took the rubbing alcohol and

curiously, "What

"Hearst has

can

car door and got into the car. He said coldly,

lost for

did Hearst

the driver called and said that he would be there in a few minutes. Hearst and Anaya sat in

of
them was Karen Birken. She noticed Anaya and pulled the person beside her. "Lexie, look at the person

looked in the direction Karen pointed. She found that

who had

Lexie thought, do they have actually been in contact all along?

"It seems to be her."

Karen smiled, "The taxi driver next to her is quite handsome. Could he be her gigolo? Anaya chooses a taxi driver. She got a worse taste for men."

Karen was Lexie's friend, and their relationship had always been very good when they were still high school students.

They were still in contact now.

Karen clearly remembered the story of Anaya, Joshua, and Lexie.

Lexie softly reprimanded. There is no distinction between occupations. As long as they love each other, these class contradictions can be solved."

Lexie actually knew that Hearst wasn't a driver. After all, the car he drove last time at the entrance of the bar was not cheap

However, Karen had misunderstood. Lexie did not explain, and she was happy that Karen looked down on Anaya.

Karen snorted, obviously disagreeing with Lexie's point of view. "Lexie, you're too simple. How can a rich girl fall in love with a poor guy? The poor should be honest and start a romance with the poor. They don't have a chance to climb the social ladder. Only Anaya just cares about others' appearance."

Falling in love with Joshua, Lexie could be considered a person who climbed the social ladder.

when she heard Karen's words, she felt that Karen was insinuating. But when Lexie looked at Karen's expression

carefully, she found that Karen was just scolding the man beside Anaya.

Lexie pretended to be a noble lady and said lightly, "Don't talk about this. Let's go to have dinner."

Karen nodded. Before she left, she secretly took a photo and sent it to Joshua.

Lexie and Anaya did not have a good relationship. As Lexie's friend, Karen naturally did not have a good impression of Anaya. As long as she had the chance to stain Anaya's name, she would not miss it.

As soon as the two left, the driver rushed to Anaya and thanked them before driving away.

Anaya was about to leave, but before she could say goodbye, Hearst said, "Let's eat together. I have booked a restaurant."

Anaya was about to refuse when she heard Hearst add, "heard that Cosette Restaurant recently has a few new dishes. They are delicious."

Hearing the words "Cosette Restaurant," Anaya didn't refuse him.

Cosette Restaurant was a traditional restaurant. There were only twenty tables available every day. It was difficult to book a seat there. It was said that there was not a single table available in the next three months.

Anaya loved the dishes of that restaurant the most. In her previous life, she had also ordered dishes. However, Joshua always stood her up. In the end, she did not go there.

Now that Hearst mentioned it, Anaya really missed the dishes of Cosette Restaurant.

She hesitated for a moment and said, "Let's go fifty-fifty."

"Okay."

Ten minutes later, they arrived at their destination.

The waiter handed over the menu. Hearst ordered a few dishes, and they were all dishes that Anaya loved to eat.

She could not help but look at him a few more times. She had a strange feeling in her heart. "What a coincidence. I also want to order these dishes..."

She had noticed before that their tastes were almost the same.

Hearst was expressionless. "Maybe it's because we have similar tastes."

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Chapter 50 Cosette Restaurant

when the food was served on the table, Anaya's hand was accidentally stained with soup. She was just about to look for tissues when an open packet of tissues was pushed into her hand,

She looked at Hearst who pushed the paper over. He was eating nonchalantly, with his every move full of elegance.

11 she was an innocent little girl, she would probably want to go home with him immediately and do everything for

him.

Perhaps it was because she had been staring at him for so long. Hearst looked up and smiled faintly, "Is there something on my face?"

"No." Anaya did not show any embarrassment when she had been caught watching him. She withdrew her gaze lightly.

She just simply appreciated him, so she was not ashamed of it.

It was not easy to have a meal in Cosette Restaurant, so Anaya took out her phone to take a photo and posted it on Twitter.

The words she posted were: "The only thing you can't put down in this life is forks and knives."

When she was in university, she often traveled with Aracely, so she created an account to record her life. It attracted a lot of followers.

She got a lot of attention for her wedding a year ago, with over a million followers on Twitter at that time.

After marrying Joshua, she was busy with all kinds of family affairs every day and had not updated her

Twitter for more than half a year. Therefore, she lost most of her followers, and only a few fans insisted on sending her messages and caring about her recent situation.

After her tweet was just posted, a few comments quickly appeared in the comments section.

“It’s been 208 days. You finally updated again. My youth is flashing back!”

“As expected, you’ll become active after the divorce.”

“I checked and found these are dishes from Cosette Restaurant. The price of this restaurant is very high... You are still so rich. Please treat me to dinner!”

“Didn’t anyone notice the opposite person who was photographed with a hand? Judging from the shape and length, it’s most likely a man’s hand...”

“Thank you for the reminder! What a nice hand! I want to lick the screen...”

“Is this the story of a wealthy woman and her sweet lover? How exciting!”

“Tell me that’s not her ex-husband’s hand.”

“Impossible. The Maltz Group has an event today. Joshua is still being interviewed on the spot.”

“Joshua, your ex-wife is having a big meal with a strange man. Are you angry?”

“Wow, some comments are so provoking...”

Anaya got offline after posting, not paying attention to the comments in the comments section.

On the other side, Alex broke out in cold sweat when he saw Anaya’s tweet.

Joshua’s Twitter was for work, and it was mostly managed by Alex.

was waiting outside and handling

he could decide whether to tell Joshua about

came out with people surrounded,

the car, Joshua saw that there was a message

Anaya and Hearst's

it before

his courage and said, "Mr. Maltz, I have a message about

out of the window

kept telling him about

he still

have to tell me about

"Yes," Alex answered.

a long time, the car was almost back to

in the car was finally broken. "What message did you just want to tell

didn't know

just pretending

appeared to be having dinner with a man,"

it?" Joshua asked. His face clouded

he already

half hours ago, and Anaya was having dinner with someone. Who else could it be other than

Alex hesitated for

coldly, "No need! Why should I care who she eats

Alex was speechless again.

why are

decided to
works for Joshua. He should
and were about to stop
there was a thunderclap in the sky, startling all
shocked. She wanted to ask Hearst to take shelter from
to the entrance of Cosette Restaurant, but the rain came
her messy hair and complained, "Why
"Is your wound okay..."
Anaya, and
only wearing a white chiffon shirt today, which was tightly attached
suddenly turned red, and he quickly looked
and did not notice Hearst's
a wet suit jacket fell
with a breeze, causing Anaya to shiver with cold. "Why do you give me
ahead and said gently, "Your clothes are wet
Her face turned red as
atmosphere was somewhat awkward
took
was not a teenage girl. She
hard to get a taxi on a rainy day, and she had to wait for a while before
minutes away.

the taxi was coming, Hearst brought her

The coffee shop was over 30 inches to the right of the supermarket.

His shirt, which had been dry, was now wet.

Anaya put away her phone, took the coffee, and held it tightly.

It was very warm

“Thank you,” she said softly.

After drinking the coffee, the taxi arrived.

When Anaya and Hearst got in the car, a black Maybach stopped behind the taxi.

The taxi started and the Maybach followed.

Joshua drove the car with no expression on his face. He stared closely at the taxi in front.

He finally lost his mind and came over.

He wanted to see if Anaya was going to take the man home.

Although...

it was not the first time that Hearst was alone with Anaya.

Joshua received a call from Lexie at the intersection before arriving at Anaya's apartment.

“Joshua, where are you now?”

Joshua paused, parked the car by the roadside, and lied subconsciously, “I'm at home.”

“Why do I feel like I heard a car honk?”

“My mom is watching TV. What's the matter?” Joshua changed the topic.

**There's a high school reunion this weekend. Do you want to attend?” Lexie asked.

“Okay,” Joshua answered.

“Alright, then we’ll go together. I’ll tell the monitor so he can count up the numbers.”

“Okay.”

“Then I won’t bother you. Bye.”

“Goodbye.”

After hanging up, Joshua stopped following the taxi.

He lowered the window and lit a cigarette.

When he had just divorced, he stubbornly thought that Anaya was just throwing a tantrum at him and that she would come back sooner or later to beg him for remarrying, and then he would turn her down hard.

But after the divorce, Anaya had never taken the initiative to contact him except for talking about work. She was surrounded by different men and lived happily.

He, on the other hand, was watching her every move...

At the thought of this,
he tightened his grip on the steering wheel and then quickly loosened it.

He put out his cigarette, turned around, and went back to the house.