

Chapter 526 Fabian Carter

Melissa could tell what Fabian was trying to say without even needing to ask. "You mean I look like Mrs. Carter's daughter?"

Fabian's eyes widened. "You know her? What relationship do you have with her?"

Melissa shook her head. "I don't know her, but Mr. Mercer Carter told me I look like his sister."

"You've met Mercer in person, then?"

Melissa nodded.

Fabian smiled. "That explains why he said that. He had the best relationship with my sister when she was living with us. He took care of her from childhood."

Melissa was surprised. That explained Mercer's excitement to see her. She smiled. "Why doesn't he know her whereabouts since they were on such good terms?"

A fog seemed to appear in Fabian's eyes. He turned away and took a few sips from his water on the table. "A long time ago, my sister ran away from home one day. Since then, we've had no idea where she might be."

Melissa asked, "You didn't look for her? Your family has so much influence and power. How are you not able to find her?"

Fabian smiled. "A lot of people know of the magnitude of my family's influence now, but no one really knows there was a period of time we suffered immensely. My sister ran away from home and this period was the worst in my family. Our family was being monitored during this period, so we were unable to utilize our resources to find her."

Fabian sighed. His mood seemed to have fallen.

Melissa tightened her fists. If he was saying the truth, what it meant was

that her mother, Susie, had an excellent relationship with her brothers. With Mercer's protection, it was impossible for Susie to be harassed. So what caused her to leave the Carter family and live in seclusion for such a long time?

While Melissa was still deep in thought, she heard Fabian burst into laughter. "It seems you're very interested in our family affairs."

"I'm just a bit curious about it, I guess."

Fabian placed his glass down and said, "Listen, you can't talk about this with any of the others though, especially the topic of my sister. You cannot bring it up near my mother."


Elin had informed Melissa over the past few days that she was not allowed to mention Susie when she was with Joyce. Anyone who mentioned the old lady's daughter in front of her would get punished. So this was no news to Melissa. However, it was still very weird to her.

"I believe Mrs. Carter is extremely kind to her daughter and cares about her a lot. So why does she get so offended over a mention of her daughter after all these years?"

"Extremely kind?" Fabian snorted in laughter. "It's not that way, at all."

Melissa was confused by his words. It was odd that there would be problems between a mother and daughter. Adding to that, if Joyce really had problems with her daughter, why had she been treating her memory so well? So many years had passed and she still kept her room cleaned and untouched? Joyce constantly ordered people to keep it intact and well taken care of. Couldn't she have only done so much because she missed her daughter?



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