The Deadly 48

Chapter 48 The Owner of Dawnspire Heights.
Sure enough, the card reader beeped, and a robotic voice came through.
"Wee home, the esteemed owner of Dawnspire Heights Estates, Vi One"
The security guard broke into a cold sweat.
The owner of Vi One!!
He couldn"t believe it. Wasn"t it said that top-tier big shots were living humble lives these days?
Here was someone who owned one of the most exclusive vis around, yet drove up in a modest Land Rover worth only a few hundred thousand! Since the Dawnspire Heights Estates waspleted all those years ago, the owner of Vi One had never made an appearance.
Rumor had it that the owner was some mysterious big shot, practically a legend around Harmonfield.
And today, this elusive figure had shown up right in front of this very guard.

He realized how close he''de to saying something wrong just moments ago, and the thought made him break out in another cold sweat.
He took a second to calm himself, then rushed over to the car, respectfully handing the leopard-print ess card back to Robin with both hands.
"My apologies, sir. Sorry to keep you waiting. Here''s your ess card."
Vera, witnessing the whole scene, was even more shocked.
Dawnspire Heights Estates-and not just anywhere, but Area One!
This was the most exclusive neighborhood in all of Harmonfield, a ce reserved for only the wealthiest and most powerful people. Area One contained only five vis, and at the very top was Vi One, famously known as "Dawnspire
Peak
The identity of Vi One''s owner had been shrouded in mystery, with people across Harmonfield. specting about it for years. And yet, Robin was that owner?

How could that bet
Wasn"t he the guy who"d been cast aside by Alice, left homeless after she broke off their engagement?
This was the same man Harmonfield"s elite had gossiped about and ridiculed.
So how could he possibly live in a ce like this?
But there it was, right in front of her. Reality didn''t lie.
Robin hadn''t been joking, his home truly was in the Dawnspire Heights Estates.
"What"s with that look? Robin noticed Vera"s astonished expression and smirked.
Vera gave an awkward smile, feeling a bit embarrassed. "So your home really is here."
"When have I ever lied to you?" Robin chuckled softly, giving her a once-over, noting her disheveled
appearance.

"Are you sure you want to go in with ine looking like that?"
Vera froze. "Wait, are you saying I should just turn around and go home?
"You"d really want me to head back alone at 3 a.m., out here in the middle of nowhere, driving your car? Can"t believe you"d even suggest that." "Alright then!" Robin nodded. "Staying here works.
"But let me be clear upfront-don"t get any funny ideas about me. I"m not that kind of person"
"Huh?" Vera looked at Robin,pletely thrown off by his serious tone.
This was blowing her mind. You''ve got to be kidding me.I teas the one worried you''d be getting funny ideas about
me!
Robin drove the Land Rover up to Vi One at Dawnspire Heights Estates.
He pulled out the leopard-print ess card to open the vi''s front gate.

As soon as they entered, the vi's personal Al greeted him, "Wee, Master Robin. Identity verified.
"Wee to Vi One of Dawnspire Heights Estates, Master."
By now, Vera was fully convinced-Robin really was the owner of Vi One.
She was still processing this whirlwind of thoughts when the Al spoke up again, "Master, please be cautious of the woman by your side. She seems to have significant intentions toward you. Threat level: B." Both Robin and Vera froze.
They nced from the card reader"s camera to each other.
Without thinking, Vera blurted out, "Wait, it can even tell that?!"
Robin stared at her in shock. "So, have you been harboring ulterior motives since you picked me upst night?"
Vera, annoyed, gave him a swift kick. "You actually believe that nonsense?
"It probably just picked up on my increased heart rate from that insane race earlier. That"s all.

"Oh, please. Like a stunner like me would be after you. Keep dreaming!"
"Fine, I guess that makes sense. Robin shrugged and started wilkan wowed the still going s outburst.
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Once they were inside the living room. Robin poised to a few roots on the fire fine
"I"m not too familiar with theyout here yet, so you"ll have to check for yourse
"You can stay on the first floor-pick any room you the
for
He nced at her, then added. "Although, I doubt there are any spare does here the yout
Vera looked down at her tattered clothes. "Ugh, with your full of holes the thin. Row am I supposeti go anywhere tomorrow?

"This kind of high-end vi district should have some shops nearby that sell does it?"
Robin frowned. I have no idea. Let''s deal with that in the morning
dotter,
"But what am I supposed to do now? I can"t exactly shower and then just around naked in bed cat
She eyed him suspiciously. I'm worried you might start getting ideas
"Stop right there!" Robin cut her off, his tone firm. That''s not happening"
He nced at her and shook his head. "You"re seriously such
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Then, he sent a quick message to Daphne, making sure to sap a photo that included Ver
"There. Someone will be here with two outfits for you in half an hour?
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"Oh, thanks," Vera replied absentmindedly, her eyespletely drawn to the vi"s shinnerice
This was what true wealth looked like
The decor and amenities alone were worth billions
Just the interior must have cost over a billion, and the entire vi had to be worth at least four balio Four billion!
Even if her familybined all their assets three times over, they still couldn''t afford a pice the thi
"Take a look around if you want. I"m gonna wash up and get some sleep Robin didn"t pay any attention to Vera"s stunned expression as he headed upstairs.
Vera, still reeling from the sheer luxury around her, watched him go. feeling a mix of awe and pity
Alice, you really were blind, she thought
This man you called a low-level nobody? The fiance you dumped, saying he wasn''t on your level?

You said he"d never measure up to Zachary, that he was just some muscle-bound thag?
You had a diamond of a man right in front of you, and you not only rejected him you mocked him and broke of the 3.5
engagement!
Alice, you''re an absolute fool.
Now, Vera finally understood why Shirley respected every word Robin said without hesitation.
Even Rygar''s changes-it all made sense now.
It was because of Robin!
And you know what? You were right about one thing, Alice.
You and Robin aren"t on the same level.

Even if the Millers struggled and built their fortune for generations, you still wouldn'te close to what Robin has.
Vera marveled at the splendor around her, imagining what would happen if Alice ever saw Robin living here, in the legendary Vi One of Dawnspire Heights Estates.
How would she feel then?
Robin took a few more steps before he noticed Vera staring at his back, clearly lost in thought
"What are you looking at? Don"t worry, the clothes are on their way.
"In a bit, they"ll leave them in the storage locker outside the door. You can just grab them from there."
Seeing
Robin''s casual attitude, Vera suddenly felt a bit self-conscious, looking away awkwardly.
Robin noticed her strange expression and frowned slightly. "Don"t overthink things. I have no interest in you like that."

Vera was instantly stunned.
She was a bona fide beauty, with a perfect figure and face!
And this guy just casually told her he wasn''t interested at all?!
That was a serious blow to her pride!
But then again, after spending a whole day with this guy, Vera had to admit-this blunt straightforward. attitude was just how he was
Fine, I let it slide. He is the owner of Vi One at Dawnspire Heights Estates, after all, she thought.
"Mind if I take a look around the vi?" she asked, her eyes shining as she nced around at the luxurious décor and furnishings. There was no way anyone wouldn"t be curious about the legendary Vi One at Dawnspire Heights.
She felt like it would be a waste not to explore a ce like this, especially since she'd been lucky enough to end up here.
Robin seemed puzzled by her question. "It''s just a house What''s there to see?"

Just a house? Are you kidding me?!" Vera couldn''t help but blurt out.	
This was a vi worth three or four billion!	
The mythical Vi One at Dawnspire Heights Estates that everyone in Harmonfield revered!	
And he was acting like it was nothing special?	
Robin shook his head as he watched her stunned expression. "Alright, if you"re not tired, go ahead and explore to your heart"s content.	
As soon as Robin went upstairs, Vera started opening doors, peeking into every room with a mix of amazement and envy.	
She felt like she"d wasted thest 20 years of her life-not knowing such luxury existed.	
Even though she came from the Silvas, a near-elite family, and had always thought they were pretty wealthy for Harmonfield, her world looked like a shantytownpared to this ce. Dawnspire Heights Estates was on apletely differem level.	
While she was still marveling at the opulence and wealth on disy inside Vi One, she heard the doorbell ring-	

