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“What should we do, then?” Simon Zimmer frowned.

“What about it?” Autumn Reyes’s face was cold. “Of course, we’re doing it according to the plan!”

“Felix, have you invited that man here?” Amelia said. “It’s all on you tonight. You must do a good job!”

Initially, Felix had quite a bit of fear towards Harvey.

However, after knowing how Harvey had gotten his money, anger filled his heart.

It was simply embarrassing for a big shot like him to be intimidated by a live-in son-in-law!

Felix said coldly, “Mother, Amelia, don’t worry.”

“Leave the rest to me!”

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“Since that live-in son-in-law likes pretending so much, I’ll take him to a high-end occasion!”

“I’ve already asked that man to come. I’ve arranged everything!”

“I can guarantee that after today, he’ll never show up in front of us again!”

Amelia gritted her teeth and added, “That’s not enough! I want him to kneel and grovel! Remember to take a video for me!”

The two families did have dinner together today due to their unpleasant relationship.

Harvey gave no thought about it. He took Mandy for dinner at the western restaurant downstairs in Half Moon Bay Hotel.

Since they came down relatively late, the rooms had all been reserved. Only the hall was left.

Nonetheless, Harvey and Mandy didn’t mind as

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they were a married couple.

Both of them ordered their favorite dishes and ate comfortably.

Harvey was also in a good mood. He felt that he had not spent a good time with Mandy in a long time.

After coming to Buckwood, the two of them had less time together.

Thus, he cherished this rare and precious opportunity.

“Sister Mandy? What a coincidence!”

At that moment, a familiar voice rang out.

Two men in suits approached them, and one of them was Felix.

Felix looked complacent.

He smiled at Mandy and said, “Come, Sister Mandy. Let me introduce you. This is Stanley Robbins from the Robbins family in Buckwood. He’s the

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descendant of the Robbins family, and is currently discussing a project with me.”

Stanley, who was standing next to Felix, was a greasy and corpulent person, but he pretended to be gentle.

There was a trace of voraciousness that could not be concealed in his eyes when he looked at Mandy.

However, Felix coughed, motioning him to look at Harvey.

Stanley's gaze then fell on Harvey.

A trace of contempt flashed across his eyes.

In his opinion, Harvey was a poor man.

To actually take his woman for a meal at the hall, what could such a person achieve?

Thinking of this, Stanley smiled and reached out his hand. “Let me introduce myself. I'm the branch manager of Buckwood Bank, Stanley Robbins. I can see just with one glance that this lady is no ordinary

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person. If you need an investment or any loans in the future, you can come to me.”

Felix added, “Sister Mandy, you’re so lucky! Manager Robbins rarely greets people so proactively!”

“It hasn’t been long since Zimmer Enterprise was established in Buckwood. There should be times when funds are needed.”

“You should be honored to get to know Manager Robbins today!”

Harvey watched the scene with great interest.

Did Felix deliberately bring Stanley over to discourage him?

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Mandy was calm. “Manager Robbins, right?”

“Thank you for your kindness. But our company has no financial problems for the time being. We’ll definitely come to you when we need it.”

Despite saying so, she didn’t even glance at Stanley Robbins.

She was not stupid. She could see the greed in his eyes.

Felix Howard actually brought him and introduced such a person to her. He was obviously trying to get in between her and Harvey, and that infuriated her.

However, Felix didn’t catch on Mandy’s anger. He smiled and said, “Sister Mandy, Manager Robbins is young and promising. He’s extremely talented, too. Many wealthy women in Buckwood

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would like to meet him, but they never had the chance!”

“It’s an honor for you to meet Manager Robbins tonight. How about you have a drink with him? Just do me this favor!”

Mandy’s face was cold. “I’m having dinner with my husband now. I’m afraid I don’t have the time.”

“If there’s nothing else, both of you please go ahead.”

To speak to such an extent, it was clear that Mandy was shooing the two away.

Felix’s complexion worsened. He then said coldly, “Mandy. Since you’re speaking like that, does that mean you’re not going to give me any face?”

Stanley smiled. “Manager Howard. Since she doesn’t want to get to know me, then forget it.”

“However, the collaboration between us will be cancelled.”

“Don’t, don’t, don’t! I’ll try to persuade her!”

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Felix's face darkened.

He quickly walked to Mandy and whispered. "Mandy! Whether you like it or not, you'll have to drink with him tonight. He fancies you!"

"If I can't get the project from him, you can forget about having a better life in Sky Corporation in the future. I'll come after you!"

Harvey, who was on the side, barked out a laugh. "Felix, you're just Sky Corporation's department manager."

"There are many people like you in the company. You could be fired tomorrow!"

"Using your position to threaten my wife, are you out of your mind?"

Harvey's words stunned Felix.

He regained his bearings a second later and sneered, "Harvey, who do you think you are?"

"Did you know that I was personally recruited from

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overseas by the personnel manager?”

“Even Miss Xavier thinks highly of me!”

“How can someone like me be fired?!”

“My position in Sky Corporation is strong and stable!”

Harvey smiled, but didn't say anything. He then let out a tiny sigh.

Sky Corporation was formed by integrating many enterprises.

In the previous three years, these companies had been a little uncontrollable. It was inevitable that people like Felix would be in Sky Corporation.

Yvonne Xavier lacked energy recently and had no time to deal with personnel matters herself. Several people had taken advantage of this fact.

It seemed that it was necessary for Harvey to do a huge turnover in Sky Corporation.

Felix's expression changed after seeing Harvey

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sighing. He shot Harvey a taunting grin. “Harvey, are you going to tell me you’re Prince York?”

“I heard that you’ve said this on many occasions!”

“You know what? You’re so courageous! Aren’t you afraid that Prince York will kill you when he knows about it?”

“You better stop dreaming. Although you have the same surname, you have nothing to do with Sky Corporation!”

Harvey took a sip of tea and smiled indifferently. “It’s not for you to determine whether I have anything to do with Sky Corporation.”

“Besides, I’m betting you’ll only be able to work in Sky Corporation for just a few more days.”

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Felix sneered at Harvey's words. He disdained talking to people like Harvey.

He flashed Mandy a severe gaze and said, "Sister Mandy, just listen to my honest words!"

"Your live-in husband is destined to accomplish nothing!"

"If I were you, I'd kick him out of the house! Only then, you could start over!"

"I'm saying this for your own good. Everyone else is making fun of you!"

Felix feigned a worried look, as though he was truly thinking for Mandy.

Stanley Robbins, who by his side, laughed. "Yes, Miss Zimmer. You are so good, and you have a

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successful career. You're young and beautiful. How can such a man be worthy of you?"

"You should consider other truly excellent men. Not only can they take care of you, but they can also boost your career!"

Stanley puffed his chest after saying this. His meaning was very simple. He was indicating that the truly outstanding man was him.

These two people came here well prepared, and their presence here was not a coincidence at all.

Mandy looked both cold and sorrowful. "It's not up to an outsider like you to worry about my affairs."

"Moreover, I think Harvey is excellent."

"We ate our meal very happily. Please stop disturbing us!"

Felix suddenly laughed and said, "Mandy, you've got to pull yourself together!"

"He's excellent?"

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“He can’t pay for the meal tonight, can he? Do you know how much a meal here costs? It’s at least three thousand dollars!”

“He acted tough this afternoon by spending the compensation money other people gave to Xynthia. Do you think that he has the money?”

“I’m telling you. A poor guy is a poor guy. No fowl could become a phoenix!”

“How we eat and how we pay,” Mandy began angrily, “has nothing to do with you as an outsider!”

“Please leave!”

Felix’s face changed slightly and Stanley’s complexion worsened.

Harvey cut in with an indifferent expression, “Are you deaf or dumb? Don’t you understand what my wife is saying?”

“She told you to scram!”

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“You, great!”

Seeing how Harvey was speaking so straightforwardly, Felix couldn't stay any longer, no matter how shameless he was.

Now, he could only turn around and leave.

Stanley glanced at Mandy with an odd look before following Felix.

When the two of them reached outside the western restaurant, Stanley sneered, “Felix, it seems that Harvey doesn't give you any face!”

Felix replied coldly, “At first I thought he knew his place, so I didn't have to use any means against him. Now it seems we should follow the original plan and teach him a lesson.”

After dinner, Harvey and Mandy were about to go for a walk on the beach.

Suddenly, Harvey received a strange call. It turned

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out to be from Felix.

“Harvey, I’m sorry about earlier. It was all my fault.”

Harvey was mystified. Felix was apologizing politely with his own mouth!

“Amelia and Mother have taught me a lesson after I went back, saying that we’re relatives and that I should show you some respect and help you...”

“After some reflection, I realized my mistake!”

“Thus, I have decided to take you to a high-end private party held in Half Moon Bay tonight. The party guests are all big shots from Sky Corporation!”

“You should get to know them and see if you have a chance to acquire some connections. Maybe you can find a job or something. You can’t continue living off your woman all the time, right?”

Harvey thought of something, and a smile appeared on his face. “Well, where’s the place? I’ll go right

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“What’s going on? Mandy Zimmer looked puzzled. She wondered why Felix would suddenly invite Harvey somewhere.

“He asked me to go to a party with him and meet some people from Sky Corporation. I’ll go and see. Maybe it’ll be helpful to your future development.” Harvey said nonchalantly.

“Then you should go and come back quickly.”

Mandy was a little worried, but she had no reason to refuse Harvey since he wanted to go and get to know more people.

Half an hour later.

In a private club on the beach of Half Moon Bay.

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More than a dozen so-called senior executives of Sky Corporation were gathered here.

Many of these people were the Yorks' former department managers.

When Harvey created the hundred billion group in the past, they were already working there.

Later, due to the internal strife among the Yorks, Harvey's die-hard loyalists dispersed and went away.

However, these people did not leave. Instead, they immediately joined Quinton York and others. They even provided information and secrets they were in the know instantly.

They had allowed Quinton and his ilk to successfully take over the hundred billion group that Harvey built from the ground up.

When Harvey returned and retook the Yorks' assets that originally belonged to him, these people quickly joined Sky Corporation in just a short time.

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Many of them even went as far as meeting directly with Yvonne Xavier, begging for her to allow them to keep their previous positions.

To put it simply, they were all turncoats.

Harvey hadn't personally appointed any of them yet, so their previous positions were still vacant.

They came to misunderstand the situation. They all thought that they would return to their respective positions after three days.

So what if the Yorks and Prince York are fighting against each other?

In the end, they would be the ones taking advantage of the conflict.

However, they were not Harvey's confidants in the past. Naturally, they did not know his identity.

"Manager Howard, can we really let loose in your party?"

"Everyone's been very nervous recently. We all

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need some excitement!”

“You can play, but don’t go too far. You understand, right? This is a critical moment!”

Several of these so-called executives smiled as they held glasses of alcohol.

Their conceited minds assumed they would still be in high positions after Sky Corporation had finished integrating all of its assets.

Otherwise, they would not be here tonight.

As for Felix, not only was he a returnee, but he also managed to be a department manager at a young age. In their opinion, Felix had enough eligibility to associate with them.

If not, they wouldn’t have attended the private club.

“No problem. Since I invited everyone here, please relax and enjoy!”

“After the ceremony three days later, everyone will be in high positions. When that happens, none of

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you will have any more time to indulge yourselves.”

Felix said with a smile.

“Alright. Since Manager Howard has said such nice words, then everything tonight will go according to your plans!”

“We’ll show you our best act tonight, Manager Howard!”

They burst into laughter.

In truth, they were all very excited when they heard Felix’s request.

These days, they were bored out of their minds. The recent affairs between Prince York and the Yorks had been giving them sleepless nights.

Now, they had a chance to relax and have some fun. They certainly wouldn’t refuse.

As for how the person would suffer because of their so-called happiness, it had nothing to do with them.

After all, they were the elites. What did it matter if

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they played around with a person of a lower class?

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“He’s here!”

Felix suddenly exclaimed, grinning all over.

Harvey was walking past the entrance of the private club with his hands folded behind his back. He was calm and indifferent.

A powerful, indescribable surrounded him as he strode over.

The sensation was momentary, but it still puzzled the executives present.

“Felix...is this the loser you were talking about?”

One of them, who was a little uncertain, asked hesitantly.

He found this man somewhat familiar, but he couldn’t remember where he had seen such a

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person.

In truth, back then they were all nobodies. They never had the chance to meet Harvey in person.

However, they might have seen Harvey's figure from a distance during some occasions. So, they had a small impression of him.

Nonetheless, it was just a tiny amount.

Felix grinned. "Yes, it's him! Do as you please."

He then stepped forward to greet Harvey. "Harvey! Come, let me introduce you to everyone."

"This is Harvey York, the live-in son-in-law of the Zimmer family and Mandy Zimmer's useless husband. Everyone here should have heard of him!"

"Do me a favor. If you have any good projects in Sky Corporation in the future, please remember to introduce him!"

Although Felix's words sounded quite nice, he directly pointed out Harvey's identity at the same

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time. Apparently, never intended to let Harvey get to know more people.

Basically, he brought Harvey over to be ridiculed.

Indeed, all of the executives present burst into laughter at the next moment.

Felix pretended that he did not see the mocking smirks on their faces. Still smiling faintly, he continued, "Come, Harvey. Let me introduce you."

"This is the personnel manager of Sky Corporation, Rosanne Barr."

"This is the business manager of Sky Corporation, Brody Jenner."

"This is..."

Felix introduced them to Harvey one by one. All of them currently wore arrogant expressions.

They felt Harvey did not deserve to know them.

Harvey studied them with great interest.

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After Felix had finished introducing all of them, Harvey said, "Felix, are you sure these people are the senior executives of Sky Corporation?"

"You weren't fooled by them, right?"

When Harvey said that, the executives glared at him.

Felix glanced briefly at them before smiling and replying, "Why do you ask that?"

Harvey said indifferently, "If I remember correctly, I haven't appointed these positions yet, right?"

"This..."

Everyone was stunned. They never expected Harvey would actually say such a thing.

Harvey continued, his voice soft and faint, "The positions of Sky Corporation's senior executives are reserved for only truly capable people."

"Even Yvonne wouldn't dare appoint anyone without my approval, especially when I haven't

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decided on the candidates.”

“If you’re going to deceive others in the name of a Sky Corporation senior executive, aren’t you afraid that I’ll hold you accountable?”

Everyone’s faces dulled at Harvey’s words.

They knew Harvey was right. They had not been officially appointed yet.

However, they all felt that they would definitely regain their former positions with their status, identity, and qualifications.

Nonetheless, this live-in son-in-law could actually tell their situation clearly. It made them rather unhinged.

“Pfft,” At this moment, Felix laughed. “There you go again, Harvey! Are you going to tell everyone that you’re Prince York again?”

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The executives regained their bearings when they heard Felix's words.

All of them burst into laughter, clutching their stomachs. They had never met anyone who could brag to such an extent before.

Rosanne Barr was the first to crack a smile. "Do you know who Prince York is? He's the number one person in South Light right now!"

"Even the first-in-command in South Light must be respectful in front of him!"

"How could a man like him become a live-in son-in-law?!"

"How could he appear here, of all places?!"

"Can you please stop being so funny?"

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Brody Jenner also taunted Harvey. “During our time in the hundred-billion group, we have already been working under York Enterprise. Later when the Famous Four of the Yorks took over, we were also in high positions. So now, Prince York has to take us seriously too!”

“Do you think that knowledgeable and experienced people like us would be fooled by you?”

“Nowadays, even trash dares to pretend to be a CEO?”

“Our Prince York is too low-key. He never shows up in public and never reveals his photos. That’s why such shameless people have the guts to pretend to be him!”

“I think people like you should be thrown behind bars for a few days to calm down!”

“Why do we have to make it difficult for the inspector? He should be sent to a mental hospital instead. That’s the most suitable place!”

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They guffawed at their own words.

Brody even took out his mobile phone and said with a smirk, “Harvey, I happen to know the director of a mental hospital. Would you like me to help you reserve a bed? I guarantee that you can get the lowest discount!”

Everyone was ridiculing Harvey.

Harvey sighed.

It was his fault. Because he did not address the personnel matter sooner, these clowns were allowed to come out and mess around.

Rosanne picked up a chopstick and pointed it at Harvey’s chin to provoke him. Laughing, she said, “Tsk, tsk, tsk! This live-in son-in-law is quite handsome. No wonder he could live off his woman!”

“Well, I have a few clients who are rich old women. The thing they need most is a handsome young man to entertain them!”

“I’ll introduce you to them and let them be your

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economic pillar. This is also helping you with your work, right? How about it?”

Rosanne’s words made the crowd roar with another round of laughter.

That was right. A handsome young man like him should serve rich old women.

Harvey smiled. “I don’t need it for the time being, but I think the gentlemen around you might need your offer in a few days.”

“Why don’t you give them this opportunity instead?”

Rosanne spat coldly, “Harvey, stop being insolent. I ’m telling you...no matter what, you have to obey me and go today!”

Harvey was indifferent. “What if I refuse?”

“If you refuse, then I’ll bankrupt your wife’s company!”

“Don’t forget, the Zimmers you’re sucking up to

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now is just a family business under Sky Corporation!”

“If we want such a small business to go bankrupt, it’ll take only a matter of minutes!”

“In short, it’s not just you. Your wife is also included. No, the entire Zimmer family is under our control! If we want you dead, we can kill you in minutes. You got that?” ①

Again, they laughed.

This was a symbol of their power.

They had used similar methods in the past and insulted countless people.

Rosanne pointed rudely at Harvey and added coldly, “Honestly, Felix allowed you to come tonight so that you realize how trash you are!”

“To elites like us, you’re nothing more but a toy!” ①

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Felix Howard reached out his hand and patted Harvey on the shoulders. Smirking, he said, "Trash, do you understand now?"

"Not only you, but Mandy Zimmer and the entire Zimmer family's lives are in our hands!"

"That's right, Harvey. You must listen to us. You have to do whatever we want you to!"

"If you don't, then from this second onward, there's no place for you and Mandy in Buckwood!"

Brody Jenner guffawed arrogantly.

They hadn't encountered such a fun toy in a long time.

Others would either let them continue being bullies, or kneel and beg for mercy.

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Too few would choose to resist like Harvey. It excited them tremendously.

“So, does this mean that you’re threatening me?”

Right now, Harvey wanted to laugh.

Originally, he never paid any attention to these nobodies.

He didn’t want to care, even if they were turncoats. Such people were everywhere.

However, the main problem was that these people actually threatened him tonight.

Harvey felt a little helpless.

He had seen many idiots, but this was the first time he had seen people so stupid to this extent.

“We’re not threatening you. We’re teaching you a lesson to let you understand how society works!”

“You have to understand, the Zimmers will go bankrupt with just a word from us! Mandy Zimmer

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will have nothing left!”

“And you! You can’t even live off your woman!”

Rosanne had a determined expression, as if she was a queen who could decide the life and death of others.

“Let’s change the terms. I refuse to be a pretty boy.”

Harvey said indifferently. He wanted to see what other tricks could these people play.

Rosanne stepped forward and studied Harvey for a while. She suddenly smiled and said, “Interesting. You have guts for not being a pretty boy.”

“Then let’s change the game. As long as you can make us happy, we can also let Mandy go.”

As she finished speaking, Rosanne casually picked up a glass of red wine from the table and walked to a higher place. She then poured the red wine directly on Harvey’s head.

“Well, how interesting! My, don’t you look more

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handsome like this?”

Rosanne cackled loudly.

The others emulated her when they saw that. They all picked up their wine glasses and spilled the contents all over Harvey.

In less than a minute, Harvey's body was entirely soaked, red wine dripping all over.

However, Harvey's expression remained unchanged.

He was once captured by the enemy on the battlefield. The insult he suffered back then was a hundred times worse, but he was able to take it lightly.

Why should he get angry when facing a few clowns?

That, and Harvey understood it was useless to beat these people now.

The best way was to make them lose everything they were proud of...

Letting them live in regret and fear for the rest of

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their lives.

This was the best punishment for them.

With this thought in mind, Harvey did not bother to give them a second glance. Instead, he just turned and left.

He would wait to settle up all accounts in three days.

Brody felt that something was still missing. When he saw that Harvey was leaving, he shouted, “Trash, who said that you could go?! Get over here and lick my shoes until they’re clean!”

His peers burst into laughter at that. Each of them raised their feet, demanding Harvey to lick the soles of their shoes.

Harvey did not respond, his face icy.

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Seeing how Harvey was behaving, Brody yelled again, "Trash, didn't you hear me?"

"Or are you a moron who can't understand people?"

"Manager Jenner, forget it. Letting him lick the soles of your shoes isn't exciting enough. I think it's better to let him kneel and bark like a dog!"

Rosanne cut in, grinning. The words coming from her beautiful mouth were vicious.

"Harvey, I'll do Manager Howard a favor. As long as you kneel and bark like a dog, I promise you that I'll never give Mandy and the entire Zimmer family a hard time in the future. How about it?"

Everyone's eyes lit up at Rosanne's words.

This was much more fun than letting Harvey lick

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the soles of their shoes.

At the moment, everyone took out their phones, wanting to record the video.

“Hurry up! Hurry up and go down on your knees!”

“Since you’re a lower-class person, it’s normal for you to bark in front of us like a dog!”

“Many wanted to be our lackeys, but we didn’t care for them!”

“Harvey, you should be honored!”

Harvey frowned. These people were incredibly repulsive, to the extent that it surpassed his imagination.

He could only say that these were indeed the watchdogs raised by Quinton York and his ilk.

In the eyes of Rosanne and her peers, Harvey seemed to have some doubts and was hesitating.

Once again, they roared with derisive laughter.

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“Kneel! Don’t you still want to let Mandy live a good life?”

“This is a rare opportunity. As long as you learn to bark like a dog, we’ll be your backer in the future!”

“Harvey, you better be more realistic. If Manager Howard hadn’t brought you here, you wouldn’t even have the chance to bark in front of us!”

Rosanne grabbed a wine bottle fiercely and smashed it in front of Harvey. She screamed, “Hurry up and kneel! Don’t you understand human language?”

Right now, Roxanne was ecstatic. She was having the time of her life.

The more Harvey resisted, the more excited she would feel, especially when she finally trampled Harvey under her feet.

After all, she and her peers considered themselves elites.

The truth was, in the past three years, they were

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but mere dogs that were easy for Quinton York and the Yorks to use as pleased.

They would treat people of lower standing with the same attitude Quinton and Yorks showed toward them.

Harvey inhaled sharply. At the sight of their disgusting faces, he snarled coldly, "Seeing the contributions that you've made to the hundred-billion group in the past, I'll give you a chance. As long as you kneel and admit your mistake, I might let you stay alive."

Harvey's severe glare startled Rosanne and the others for a brief while. A second later, they laughed.

Rosanne clutched her stomach, saying, "Manager Howard, this trash is really funny! How could he still say such a thing in this situation? Seems he's lost his mind after we humiliated him too much..."

"Okay, that's it for tonight. He's such a fun toy, we'll play with him again after the ceremony in a few

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days.”

“Next time, you have to make him more obedient.
Hahaha!”

Rosanne laughed, extremely pleased.

She changed her mind. This trash was so fun! It would be a pity for him to die now.

Where would they find another wonderful toy to play with when they wanted to celebrate a few days later?

Brody and the others exchanged glances. Then they all nodded and said, “You’re right, Manager Jenner. He’s such an excellent toy. We’ll have to play with him for a few more rounds!”

“Hahahaha...!”

One of them took out two stacks of money from a briefcase and threw them in front of Harvey. He then sneered, “Remember to settle the bill later. As for the balance, keep it and take it as charity!”

“Hahahaha...!”

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Everyone was delighted. They looked at Felix with admiration.

Manager Howard really knows how to play. His future was limitless!

Soon, they walked out with their hands slung over each other's shoulders.

Only Felix was left in the room. He stared at Harvey condescendingly, his eyes full of arrogance.

Harvey surveyed the scene of him. He then raised his head and glanced at Felix, his expression unchanging.

“Bringing a group of people to insult me, is this your purpose tonight?”

Felix lit a cigarette and replied with a smile, “Of

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course not, what's the use of insulting you?"

"I just want to tell you that you're trash through tangible actions. You're not worthy of Mandy at all."

"Not only your existence is useless to her, but it might also kill her."

"So, Harvey, I'm giving you another chance."

"Divorce Mandy Zimmer tomorrow. Leave Buckwood and start a new life in a place where no one knows you."

As he talked, Felix took out a bank card and threw it at Harvey's face.

"There's one hundred and fifty thousand dollars in it. Consider it my final gesture of kindness to you as your relative."

"What if I say no?"

Harvey replied indifferently.

"No?" Felix laughed. "You saw those people just

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now!”

“Indeed, they’re not Sky Corporation executives right now. But if nothing goes wrong in the next three days, then they’ll definitely get those positions!”

“After Sky Corporation finishes integrating the Yorks’ assets, it’ll become the most powerful company in South Light.”

“With the exception of a few first-class families that can barely contend with them, everyone else could only bow down to Sky Corporation!”

“So you can imagine the statues of those people in the future. They’d be even further above me!”

“Unless you’re willing to be their toy and their dog ...”

“If you offend them, you might end up badly.”

“Not just you, but Mandy as well.”

“Even if you don’t care about yourself, you should

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think about Mandy, no?”

Harvey said coldly, “You don’t have to worry about these things.”

“I’ll make their lives a living hell!”

Harvey turned and left, his face indifferent.

In the private club, only Felix was left. He lamented, “A loser...can’t he just properly act like one?”

“I’m giving you a chance. Since you don’t know how to cherish it, then it isn’t my fault!”

A wicked smile appeared on Felix’s face as soon as he finished his words.

He turned on his phone, clicked the send button, and uploaded the video that he had just recorded to the family group.

At the same time, he called Autumn Reyes and said with a smile, “Mother, the thing is settled. Unless Harvey has skin thicker than a brick wall, he’ll

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probably pack up and leave by tomorrow!”

“Okay! You’ve done a great job!”

On the other side of the phone, Autumn was excited.

“I’ve watched that video. That kind of trash should be treated like this. Still, it’s a pity he never kneeled or barked. It’s sad that I couldn’t see such a wonderful scene!”

Felix smiled and said, “Mother, if you want to see it, you still have a chance. I’ll take you to watch it when the time comes.”

“Watching on the spot is the best, rather than just watching a recording. It’s more fun and comfortable!”

“That makes sense! Hahaha!”

Both of them laughed happily.

Outside the private club, a tall man emerged from the shadows.

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“Chief instructor! Damn these wretched people!”

The man who arrived was Ray Hart, and this private club was also his. Thus, he knew about the whole incident. The only thing was, he didn't dare going in without Harvey's order.

“No. Go to Buckwood tonight and find Yvonne. I'll send a message to her about some personnel adjustments in the company. You will assist her in that matter.”

Harvey replied indifferently.

He initially did not plan to deal with matters like this so soon. Instead, he wanted to wait until all of the company assets were properly integrated before proceeding.

However, what happened tonight made him

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quicken his pace.

“Yes!”

Ray did not dare to disobey Harvey's order. Harvey was famous for his tough-minded professionalism. All he could do was to carry out Harvey's order in full force.

While Harvey was being humiliated...

In Buckwood, in the Zimmer mansion.

At this moment, the entire Zimmer mansion was brightly lit. Loud voices filled the place.

Many senior executives of Buckwood, most hailing from second-class and third-class families, were present.

There was no other reason for their presence.

They were here because of the news that had spread among the upper-class circles of Buckwood.

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Prince York of Sky Corporation would propose to his woman at the asset consolidation ceremony.

His woman was from the Zimmer family!

Prince York! Everyone in South Light knew him.

He was insanely powerful and extremely wealthy.

He was the true ruler of South Light!

Was the Zimmer family marrying their daughter to Prince York?

She was destined to wed a famous man!

Right now, these so-called high-class people who had come to make connections for their own personal benefits were green with envy.

If their family's daughter could marry Prince York, then their reputation would have risen.

Senior Zimmer looked at the crowd below from his iron throne, feeling relieved at the moment.

“Quinn! From now on, the Zimmer family would

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stand firm in Buckwood!”

“Wait until you marry Prince York three days later. The Zimmers will be one step closer to becoming a first-class family!”

“Don’t think that those who come to fawn on us now are only second and third-class families. After you and Prince York are officially married, those first-class families surely won’t underestimate us!”

Quinn Zimmer was wearing a dress and sitting next to Senior Zimmer, looking as if she was a proud princess. “Grandfather, don’t worry! With me here, there will be a day for the Zimmers to be successful!”

“Well, well, well! Quinn, I knew you were the most filial one in our family. Grandfather’s love for you is not in vain.”

Senior Zimmer was pleased. Was it possible for him with such age to reach the pinnacle of life again because of a granddaughter?

“However, Grandfather...we can’t have too many

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people attending the ceremony. Only ten people at most. I don't know if you have already figured out the people who will be going?" Quinn suddenly said, rolling her eyes.

Senior Zimmer replied, "Not yet. Do you have any suggestions?"

Quinn giggled. "I have no suggestion, but I want to let Mandy and her family attend."

"Huh?" Senior Zimmer was appalled.

Didn't Quinn hate Mandy the most? Why would Quinn ask him to let Mandy come together with her family?

Quinn said arrogantly, "I heard that when the truly major family goes out, they'd usually bring a few servants along."

"The Zimmers don't have any servants yet. But isn't Mandy a capable person? I think she and her family could become my temporary servants on that day. They should be quite good at serving

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dishes and drinks, not to mention cleaning!”

“After all, Mandy is very capable. She’ll surely do her best at everything!”

Senior Zimmer did not hesitate at all. “Okay, whatever you say!”

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Mandy was waiting for Harvey at the entrance. When he returned, she quickly handed him a big towel. Her face was full of concern.

Felix had spread the footage of Harvey being humiliated to the Yates family's group chat. All of them were busy upvoting the video, too.

Grandma Yates even praised Felix highly for it. She found his actions incredibly exceptional.

Mandy wanted Felix to remove the video as soon as it was sent, but the Yates' family members all lashed out at her for it.

They also said that the filth of a man had lost all dignity for the Yates family. If Mandy still saw herself as a granddaughter of the Yates family, she should just kick him out of her family.

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At her so-called family's attitude, Mandy boiled with anger.

She quickly realized that the so-called gathering between their two families was just a set-up from the very beginning.

One party wanted Harvey to be kicked out of the family.

The other wanted to force her to kick him out.

"Harvey, I know you're willing to be humiliated because of me."

"The hoax Felix set up was disingenuous. They aren't going to stop there!"

Mandy was anxious and she kept blaming herself.

Harvey wiped his hair, smiling. "Don't worry, dear. I'm fine."

"And these people actually call themselves Sky Corporation's higher ups! We'll see if that's

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actually true in three days!” ①

“I’ll make sure to be there when that happens! I’d like to see how they can still be the so-called higher ups if I’m still around!”

Mandy thought that Harvey was planning to expose their immoral acts.

She then added worriedly, “An arm can never wrestle a leg. In situations like this, they have strength in numbers. What you say won’t matter at all.”

“We’ll see about that,” Harvey said calmly. “It’ll be a good show when the time comes.”

“Well, I’ll come with you!”

Before, Mandy didn’t plan to attend the asset integration ceremony before.

However, she decided to go with Harvey as she was worried that he would do something rash.

Harvey was worried that he could not find a reason

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to take Mandy to the asset integration ceremony. Now that she asked to go with him, he immediately nodded and replied, "Sure! Let's go together!"

"Mmm, there are three days left. I'll think of a way to get an invitation."

Mandy said, exhaling.

"No need. Didn't you say that you have a quota before? Just come with me then," Harvey York said, still smiling.

"For now, let's head back to Buckwood."

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The turn of events was unexpected.

Three days later, Senior Zimmer called Mandy Zimmer and her family to come over early in the morning.

Mandy's entire family was perplexed.

They had been in Half Moon Bay for the past few

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days, so they did not know what happened within the Zimmers while they were absent.

When they reached the Zimmer Household and heard rumors of Prince York proposing to Quinn Zimmer at the asset integration ceremony, Mandy's head spun to no end.

She wanted to make a successful career for herself in the Zimmer family.

Mandy knew her family would no longer would no longer have any more authority within the Zimmers if Quinn actually married Prince York.

Quinn would definitely coerce Prince York into giving Zack the position of CEO through pillow talk.

After all, Quinn and Zack were on the same side.

At that moment, the Zimmers that were all dressed in gold and silver. When Mandy and her family arrived, all of the Zimmers shifted their gaze at them.

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Quinn narrowed her eyes as she looked at Mandy, and then broke into a smile.

“Oh, Mandy! Perfect timing! Come, try the formal outfits that I prepared for you all and see if they fit.”

As she talked, a servant pushed out a clothes stand.

Mandy and her family subconsciously shifted their gaze toward the servant.

The next second, utter disdain was written all over their faces.

The outfits Quinn referred to were indeed formal, but for butlers and maids.

Quinn actually brought out the outfits meant for servants for Mandy and Mandy's family. What was she plotting?

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Noticing Mandy's changing expression, Quinn said calmly, "Oh, Mandy. I heard that when big families go out, they need a few dedicated servants to come with them. If they don't, they'd be disgracing the entire family!"

"From now on, the Zimmers will be stepping into the threshold of a first-rated family."

"That's why some things need to be given careful attention!"

"The servants of this family are too low quality, so I can only ask for your family's help!" Quinn Zimmer exclaimed proudly.

Mandy had yet to utter a word when Lilian Yates, boiling with anger, spoke up.

"Quinn, we're your elders! But you're telling us to be your servants at your engagement ceremony?"

"Heh! So you do know that it's my engagement ceremony? You should know that I'll be Prince York's wife from now on; the wife of the top man in all of

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South Light!”

“I’ll be the biggest backbone of the Zimmer family in the future. Soon, it won’t be just you and your family, even Senior Zimmer has to do what I ask of him!”

While Senior Zimmer did become quite upset at Quinn’s pompous declaration, he still forced out a smile.

“That’s right. Quinn will be in charge of what the Zimmers do in the future!”

“Simon, take care of your daughter-in-law! Hurry and wear these clothes! People are coming to fetch the relatives soon!”

Simon Zimmer was a powerless man. He knew he would have no chance to make a living in Buckwood if he and his family wore servants’ outfits in public.

Right then, Simon exclaimed furiously, “Father! Before, I would do anything you asked of me. But I’m not doing this!”

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“We are Zimmers too! We’re not servants!”

“Also, Mandy’s the CEO of the Zimmers’ company!”

“For us to wear servants’ outfits for no reason, are you trying to make fools out of us?!”

Listening to his words, Quinn giggled and sneered, “Right, I almost forgot! Mandy’s actually our CEO!”

“How prestigious and domineering! You should enjoy it while it lasts, because your time as CEO is almost up!” Quinn said, laughing.

Lilian shuddered, almost kneeling for mercy.

“Quinn, we’re relatives! How can you do this to us?! When Mandy was the CEO, she never did anything to hurt you!”

“People must have conscience!”

Mandy Zimmer’s face lost all color, but she still said, “Mom, don’t beg her! We can just leave the Zimmers once and for all. It’s not as if we can’t

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survive in Buckwood anymore when we leave them!”

Quinn and Zack’s eyes lit up at Mandy’s words.

Zack immediately rose, saying, “Mandy, we won’t force you and your family to wear the gifts to the engagement ceremony if you don’t want to. Don’t say we didn’t give you a choice!”

“But...”

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“Since you’re the one who suggested leaving the Zimmers, you have to do as you said!”

“Come, bring in the contract!”

At Zack’s order, a contract that was already prepared was handed over.

The contents of the contract were simple. Mandy Zimmer and her family had to leave the Zimmers once and for all, taking nothing with them.

From that day onward, forty-nine percent of the stocks and assets owned by the Zimmers in the company had anything to do with Mandy Zimmer and her family.

Mandy must also relieve herself from the position of CEO.

When she finished reading the contract, Mandy’s

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face turned as white as a sheet of paper.

Simon Zimmer's body started to sway uncontrollably.

Lilian fell to the ground, paralyzed from anger.

“Zack, Quinn! You ungrateful wretches!”

“You've been preparing! You did this intentionally!”

Zack replied coldly, “So what if it's intentional? Today, I'll give your family two choices!”

“Number one: sign the contract!”

“Number two: wear the servant outfits and behave as one at the engagement ceremony!”

Quinn Zimmer smiled wordlessly, agreeing to his statement.

Senior Zimmer said icily, “Hurry up already! The big day is almost here! Don't ruin the bride-to-be's mood during the engagement ceremony!”

Simon and Lilian locked gazes of sorrow.

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How could they possibly continue to enjoy wealth and glory after leaving the Zimmers?

True, they had the Yates family as their backbone.

But if they leave the Zimmers, they'd be the same as beggars! Would the Yates family still accept them as family?

The answer would definitely be no!

Lilian knew in her heart that Grandma Yates would never accept her family if Mandy wasn't the CEO.

Yet right now, Mandy was on the verge of losing her position. Hoping for the Yateses to still support them would be nothing but a mere daydream!

Lilian's gaze shifted towards the servant attire, looking as though she was considering wearing them.

She would rather withstand the shame than be a beggar.

After a long silence, Harvey opened his mouth.

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“So after we sign the contract, the Zimmers will be unrelated to us?”

“Yes!”

“Alright then!”

Harvey didn't give Mandy a chance to stop him and immediately signed the contract. Then he slammed it in front of Senior Zimmer.

“I was worried that I couldn't find a reason for my wife to leave the Zimmers once and for all.”

“I must thank you all for fulfilling my wishes.”

“If it weren't for you idiots dragging her down, her achievements would be immaculate!”

When Harvey signed the contract, the Zimmers all wore wide smiles.

But right after they heard what he said, they pointed and cursed at him.

“Harvey! You filth of a live-in son-in-law! You eat

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and drink from the Zimmer's family! How dare you talk to us that way?!"

"You say Mandy's capable?! Without the Zimmers as a platform for her, she might have to sell her own body to feed you!"

"If today isn't the day of the engagement ceremony, we'd definitely beat you up!"

Quinn waved her hand under the crowd's turbulent emotions, stopping everyone.

She then smiled and replied, "Harvey. Since you represented your family and signed the contract, I won't fuss about it!"

"You don't have to go to the ceremony either."

"When you leave the Zimmers, you're no better than beggars! None of you have the right to attend a ceremony as grand as this!"

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“Right! For old times’ sake, I’ll take a few pictures for you to expand your chances.”

Harvey York replied coldly, “Pictures of you being servants?”

Quinn’s eyes twitched. She paused, and then hissed icily, “You think I’d care about some nonsense from a homeless dog?”

Harvey couldn’t care less about these people. He picked up a copy of the contract and turned toward Mandy.

“Dear, let’s go.”

After Mandy and her family exited the Zimmer Household, Lilian grabbed Harvey York’s collar and shouted at him.

“Harvey! What right do you have to sign the

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contract in our place?!”

“Do you feel better if everyone begs for food like you?!”

Harvey York comforted her, “Rest assured. With Mandy around, you can still enjoy wealth and glory.”

Simon Zimmer exhaled sharply.

“Harvey, can you not be so naive? We relied on the Zimmers for Mandy to succeed!”

“What can we still rely on now that we’ve left the Zimmers and Mandy’s lost her position of CEO?”

Harvey York replied with a laugh, “Dad, you’re being one-sided here.”

“It’s actually a good thing for us to leave the Zimmers.”

“You forget. Uncle’s family all suggested Mandy to start her own business, too.”

Simon was speechless after listening to Harvey.

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Harvey did not know that his cheap uncle's other request was to kick him out of the family.

But now that everyone had stooped this low, Simon Zimmer did not care to talk about this anymore.

He could not ridicule Harvey York when they were in the same boat.

"Mom, Dad. Mandy's position was decided by the Sky Corporation. I don't think the Zimmers' word means anything."

"Let's attend the asset integration ceremony today as well. Maybe if we meet Prince York, Mandy can keep her position."

Simon was speechless.

"You're talking about meeting Prince York? Can we even get in?"

Harvey York continued to smile. "Dad, don't forget. For now, Mandy's still the CEO for now. We definitely have the right to attend."

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“Alright! Let’s go then!”

Simon Zimmer would give it everything he had.

Their situation was already bad enough. How much worse could it even get?

“Come on, then. Let’s take the car.”

Harvey took Mandy and the others to the entrance of a small residence.

At that moment, there was a row full of private Lexuses parked in front of the residence. Though it was extremely discreet, it was still quite distracting.

As Harvey headed to one of the cars, Mandy called him.

“Harvey, our car’s over here! Where are you going?”

“Get in, there’s a lot of people attending today. We might not get any parking if we’re too slow.” Simon Zimmer hollered.

The family of three then got in their car.

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Harvey was speechless.

He had arranged these private cars to pick Mandy up, but he didn't expect things to turn out this way.

Unable to decide whether he wanted to go with Mandy's family or not, he ultimately chose to give Ray Hart a call.

"We'll drive our own car. Let the squad go ahead for now."

Ray Hart was already helping with Sky Corporation's affairs. He was sitting in the front most car, dressed in a black suit.

Ray Hart told his subordinates, "Turn around, head back!"

At the same time, Quinn Zimmer and the other Zimmers were proudly walking toward the private cars.

This attracted the attention of a lot of wealthy families in the residence.

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The Zimmers were all glowing full of happiness, waving to others as they strutted down the road.

“Hey, have you heard? Prince York from the Sky Corporation is about to propose to Quinn of the Zimmers at the ceremony!”

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“From today onward, the Zimmers will enter the threshold of a first-rated family!”

“Everyone, please come by the Zimmers’ for drinks tonight...!”

The wealthy were cunning. When they heard this, they burst into loud congratulations. They even brought their entire families to congratulate Quinn and the rest of the Zimmers.

Everyone was busy admiring them.

They all knew about Prince York’s proposal.

They were filled with jealousy and admiration as they looked at Quinn, the undoubted protagonist of the show.

This was the equivalent of achieving the highest

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rank with the least work and effortlessly reaching the top!

Under these circumstances, the scene was extremely crowded as if they were celebrities going out of their homes.

Yet, just as the Zimmers neared the Lexuses.

All of the cars turned around and left.

“What happened?!”

“Tell them to stop!”

“Didn’t they see their bride isn’t even in the car yet?!”

The Zimmers were all shocked beyond belief. After a brief moment, they snapped out of shock and frantically tried to stop the cars from leaving.

However, the drivers were all hand-picked by Ray Hart. They were as cold as ice and would only follow his orders.

They ignored the Zimmers, who were fumbling

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around frantically.

The sight was extremely awkward.

The Zimmers had marched out with such flourish, and Quinn herself was ready to flaunt her prestige.

What's happening?

Amid this crisis, Zame came up with a bright idea and exclaimed, "How unlucky! It's all because of Mandy! I can't believe she and her family came at a time where they would disrupt us!"

"We agreed to get in the cars on eight thirty! Now, it's past five minutes already!"

"According to Buckwood's rules, we can't ride in the private cars past the agreed time!"

"Looks like we have to drive on our own!"

The Zimmers all agreed in unison.

Other people who listened in on them were puzzled.

'Does Buckwood really have rules like this?'

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They had attended quite a few weddings, but not a lot of people knew about such details.

For those who knew the truth, they didn't have the inclination to expose the Zimmers' lie.

Right now, the Zimmers were in the limelight. Therefore, what they say must be it.

If anyone were to offend the Zimmers, they'd only be looking for trouble.

After that, the Zimmers all got into their separate cars.

There were quite a few luxurious cars like BMWs and Audis left around, but the impression they gave was weaker than the squad of Lexuses.

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Meanwhile, Mandy and her family were driving as quick as lightning on the road. Finally, they arrived at the venue of the engagement ceremony, the Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard. ①

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The place belonged to the Yorks.

Now that the Yorks' assets had all been integrated, the place's ownership would naturally fall into the hands of Sky Corporation.

Of course, today's ceremony was special.

For one, it would announce that Sky Corporation would officially integrate all of the Yorks' assets as theirs.

Secondly, Prince York would propose to his beloved woman.

These two things could change not just Buckwood, but South Light's entire power dynamic.

That was why people were rapturously gathering outside the Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard.

Safe to say, the entire upper social circle of Buckwood were present.

Right when Mandy and her family parked the car

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near the entrance of the parking lot, they saw a few security guards walking toward them, scaring them senseless.

The security guard leading the other guards saluted respectfully and handed them an invitation.

“Mr. Zimmer, here’s the invitation for the whole family. Please keep it safe.”

Simon and his family were shocked beyond belief.

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Originally, they wanted to use Mandy Zimmer's identity to enter the ceremony.

Yet as soon as they had gotten out of the car, someone handed them an invitation card?

What was going on?

Mandy looked at Harvey, perplexed. "You didn't plan this, did you?"

Harvey York frowned. He did not ask for anyone to hand them an invitation.

But he simply shook his head and said, "It wasn't me. Besides, we wouldn't need one to enter anyway."

Simon and Lilian looked at Harvey with exhilaration before, but at what he said, they

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exhaled sharply.

‘Of course!’

‘Just say that it wasn’t you and stop spouting nonsense!’

“Heh, of course it wasn’t this filth.”

A burst of laughter echoed at that moment.

A chubby man with big ears got out of a Mercedes Benz and walked towards the family.

Seeing him, Mandy frowned instantly.

He wasn’t just anyone. He was the man that Felix Howard introduced to her before, Stanley Robbins from the Robbins family.

“This is...”

Lilian Yates’ eyes lit up after knowing that the man got out of the Mercedes Benz.

She was a materialistic person who adored physical goods. When she saw Stanley Robbins, her eyes

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brightened. She thought that only a man like him was fit for her daughter.

Stanley Robbins did his best to show his respectable side, and smiled.

“This must be Aunty Yates!”

“Let me introduce myself. I am Stanley Robbins from the Robbins family, a first-rated family in Buckwood. I’m currently working as a branch manager in Buckwood Bank.”

“So you’re Stanley!”

Lilian's face was filled with admiration.

‘He’s too outstanding!’

Stanley Robbins continued to talk.

“I just received news that Uncle and Aunty wanted to attend the ceremony, but didn’t have an invitation.”

“That’s why I’ve gotten three spots from the

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Robbins by myself!”

He had got the news from Felix, who then forwarded to him at first notice.

Lilian was overjoyed.

“Oh, Stanley! You’re so capable!”

“Mandy, come over here and thank Manager Robbins!”

Simon sized up Stanley Robbins, then said, “What a fine young man! He will have infinite possibilities in the future!” ①

In his eyes, Stanley Robbins was to have a bright future if he could be a branch manager of Buckwood Bank this young while also being in a first-rated family in Buckwood.

But Mandy was slightly discontent.

She frowned. “Father, mother, we cannot accept a gift this expensive!”

“We’re not familiar with him and his family! How

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can we possibly accept something like this?!”

Mandy knew what Stanley was planning to do.

If she accepted the invitation, she wouldn't know how to face Harvey York later.

Lilian glared at Mandy, ready to scold her daughter.

“You silly girl! How can you say something so foolish?”

“Don't forget, we already broke all connections with the Zimmers. We don't have anybody to rely on anymore!”

“We're only here to grab an opportunity.”

“Since Stanley's so sincere, we should bring the invitation with us. Even Quinn would have to think twice before messing with us!”

“Besides, it'd be better if Stanley becomes a part of our family!”

The more Lilian looked at Stanley, the happier she

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became; to the point of hugging and kissing him.

Stanley Robbins heard what Lilian said and replied with a righteous face, “Uncle, Aunty. Don’t you worry!” 5

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“From today onward, your family’s problems are my family’s problems!”

“The Robbins family may be just a first-rated family, but even the top rated families would have to think twice before crossing us!”

“Now, let us attend this grand ceremony!”

“But...there’s only three spots in the invitation. I’m afraid the beggar might not have the right to be inside.”

Stanley pointed at Harvey York, then hugged his own arms as if he had won a battle.

Lilian said coldly, “He’s just some filth. He acted on his own, signing the paper and dragging the whole family down with him!”

“We should let people like him rot all by himself!

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No need to bat him an eye!”

“Mandy! Let’s go, we should head inside!”

Simon and Lilian looked like they were ready to ditch Harvey.

The sight made Mandy frown even more deeply.

“Father, mother. You can go if you want to. I’m not going, I’m staying with Harvey.”

Stanley then smiled and said, “Mrs. Zimmer, I know that you have the heart of a saint. You won’t leave that man behind.”

“How about this? I can arrange for him to go in as well, but he might have to use the route that servants use!”

Mandy’s frown deepened more and more. It seemed she was on the verge of throwing a fit of rage.

Lilian hurriedly interjected, “Oh, Stanley, why don’t we head in first? Let Mandy relax and figure it out herself.”

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Lilian knew her daughter's personality well. She could imagine what would happen if they kept forcing her to enter.

Stanley realized this, and quickly put on another smile.

"Alright, let's head in for now. Mandy, just give me a call if you regret your decision."

He handed over a name card as he spoke. Then, he turned around and left without even batting Harvey an eye.

Naturally, to him, Harvey wasn't even a threat.

Not only was Stanley himself extremely capable, he was also supported by the Yates family.

After weighing their circumstances, Simon and Lilian knew full well on what to decide.

When Stanley had his way with Mandy's parents, what good would do for her even if she was stubborn about their being together?

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Excitement coloured Stanley's face.

An incredibly enchanting woman would soon become his in a short while. He was ecstatic!

Just then, Simon and Lilian were about to leave with Stanley.

Harvey watched them. Having kept silent throughout all this time, he opened his mouth to speak.

"Mom, dad. Remember to call me when you get into trouble. I'll take care of it for you."

Stanley couldn't be bothered about Harvey, but he let out a scornful breath and chuckled at Harvey's words.

"Are you an idiot? What kind of trouble would they get themselves into when I'm here?"

"Even if that were the case, what good would it do for them to call you? Stir up more trouble?"

Simon shot Harvey a disdainful glare. "Stanley, just

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ignore him! He can't do anything except boasting up a storm!"

Lilian rolled her eyes and joined Simon.

"Stanley, just ignore people who are irrelevant. Tell me more about your Robbins family instead. After all, we might just be families-in-law in the future!"

The three laughed in unison and walked away. ①

Harvey and Mandy remained rooted on their spot, exchanging glances at each other.

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Some moments later, Mandy murmured in a disappointed tone, "Let's just go home."

She didn't expect Harvey would still talk big after things had gotten to this point. He wasn't grounded to reality at all.

Initially Mandy pitied him, but now she only felt disappointment.

How was it that her live-in husband was incapable of anything except boasting?

Harvey, however, looked at the Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard behind him and said, "We can't leave yet. Mom and dad will need us later."

Mandy cupped her face and let out a huge sigh.

"Harvey...where did you get all your confidence

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from?”

“What are you planning now? Are you going to ask for help from Ms. Xavier again?”

“You do realize you can't ask her for favors all the time, right?”

“And have you ever thought about me when you go looking for another woman the moment you get into trouble?” ①

“Don't you think I'll be ashamed?”

“Oh, whatever! Fine, let's wait here since you said that Father and Mother would be in trouble soon.”

On the other side, at the entrance of the Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard.

Stanley Robbins said, chuckling, “Uncle, Aunty. You might not know about the Robbins family that well since you just came to Buckwood not long ago.”

“Let me explain to you. The Robbins specialize in finance as well as banking businesses not just in

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Buckwood, but also South Light.”

“For example, around fifty percent of the banks in Buckwood are controlled by the Robbins.”

“While I’m not the next heir of the family, my status isn’t low either. I’m the branch manager of the Buckwood Bank, after all!”

“Uncle, Aunty. If you need a loan for a house or a business, just say the word. I’ll make sure to give the best bang for your buck.”

Simon and Lilian’s eyes shone brighter than ever.

Sure, Stanley might look rather unsightly.

But his background, identity, and status trumps the likes of a live-in son-in-law like Harvey! ①

The Yates family was supporting him as well. If they had a son-in-law like him, their family would never get taken advantage of.

On the day they got kicked out of the Zimmer family, Simon and Lilian desperately hoped that

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they could find another backing. ①

The Stanley Robbins standing in front of them seemed like the best choice.

He was also a smart person. He was quickly able to tell that Simon and Lilian were moved by him.

He chuckled again, "I don't want to hide this from both of you."

"I saw Mandy when I was meeting with Felix in Half Moon Bay a few days ago. I've been keeping an eye on her ever since that moment! I swear that I'll marry her and give her whatever I can!"

"It's a shame that Mandy doesn't seem to like me ..."

"Looks like it'll be hard for me to be your son-in-law!"

Lilian Yates immediately comforted him, "Stanley, rest assured. We'll support you!"

"Mandy was too naive before. She doesn't know

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who treats her nicely and who treats her badly! That's why she makes so many mistakes!"

"We'll let her think about it properly. She'll definitely think the matter through."

Lilian expected that Mandy would have a different view of Harvey after what had happened in Half Moon Bay.

What good could a man who was poured in red wine do for her? 2

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If Mandy would just compare Stanley to Harvey, she could easily come to a decision.

Simon then said, "Actually, we've been thinking of kicking Harvey out of our family!"

"It's been three whole years since they're married. Their marriage has always lacked substance!"

"For a long time, all sorts of mishaps stopped them from divorcing! It's such a shame."

"But this time, I won't let it go that easily!"

Stanley was at ease after hearing this.

His reasons for wanting to marry Mandy wasn't just because of her good looks. He also wanted to be acquainted with the Yateses.

It was true that in terms of power, the Yates family

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might be the weakest out of Buckwood's five first-rated families.

However, the fact remained that they were a family of government officials.

For Stanley, his rank in the eyes of the other Robbins would surely rise if he could become a grandson-in-law of the Yates family.

This was the prime reason behind his determination.

As the three were busy laughing and gossiping, they soon arrived at the entrance of the Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard.

The place was already crowded.

While many wanted to attend the ceremony, less than one in a hundred was eligible for an invitation.

The mass media was also broadcasting live outside the Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard.

After all, this was a huge gathering for Buckwood's

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elites.

Those who had the privilege to attend were major figures.

Simon and Lilian followed closely behind Stanley. They studied their surroundings as they walked, basking in the admiring gaze of the crowd around them.

A few guards were posted at the entrance.

They were soldiers of Sword Camp, but right now they were dressed in casual suits.

Despite that, their aura as Kings of Arms could not be hidden.

Their presence prevented anyone from daring to start a ruckus.

They were highly-disciplined, and checked the invitations of the guests with utmost seriousness.

Soon, it was Stanley's turn.

He casually handed over his invitation, about to

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enter the ceremony.

However, the guard frowned and blocked Stanley with a hand.

“Sir, there seems to be a problem with your invitation. You’re not allowed to enter.”

Stanley was bewildered.

“Impossible! Do you know who I am? I’m Stanley Robbins from the Robbins family! The invitation came from my family, so how could it be fake?!”

The guard coldly replied, “I’m not going to say this twice.”

Stanley’s expression changed. He was not going to give up that easily.

If he was not allowed in, it was only a small matter of not being able to please Simon and Lilian.

The important thing was that he would lose all his dignity!

The dignity of his entire family!

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A lot of people were watching after all.

The mass media was broadcasting this scene live as well.

If he could not get in, the Robbins family would lose face!

Stanley Robbins then exclaimed loudly, “You people better open your eyes, how can a person like me use a fake invitation?! You must have made a mistake somewhere!”

“If a great figure like me can’t get in because of your mistakes, can you handle the consequences?”

The guards laughed coldly.

The staff were all rich heirs from the major families of Country H, and were also the iron-blooded Kings of Arms carrying great achievements.

They disdained the people that would employ trickery and deception the most.

The guard waved a hand. Immediately, several

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soldiers in black suits strode over.

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The three were completely surrounded.

One of the guards placed a hand on the hilt of the sword hanging on his waist, as if he was facing an enemy.

“Since you dare fake an invitation, I will assume you have ulterior motives. You’ll be sent to the authorities later!”

Feeling the murderous intent emanating from the guards, Stanley and the others could barely control their bowels. It looked as though these men were close to unsheathing their blades.

Stanley, who was born with a silver spoon, had never faced a scenario like this.

He immediately gave in.

“It’s my fault, it’s my fault! We’ll leave

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immediately!”

The guard could only laugh humorlessly.

“Leave? This is the site of Prince York’s engagement ceremony! Obviously, the security here is of the highest level!”

“You handed over a fake invitation and caused a huge ruckus. Now you’re trying to escape? I have to question your actual goal!”

“Let me be frank. All of us here are soldiers from the Sword Camp. Lieutenant Colonel Ethan sent us here to assist with the security, saying that armed militants from overseas would come and make a scene!”

“Right now, we have the right to treat you as one of them.”

Just as he finished speaking, he began to unsheathe his sword.

This was an important ceremony for the Head Coach. Anyone who started trouble was provoking

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the Head Coach along and the entire Sword Camp!

Stanley now knew that the staff all came from Sword Camp.

They were all preparing to take out their blades.

Fearful, Stanley could no longer control his bowels.

He could not care about anybody else any longer.

He pointed at Simon and Lilian, then loudly exclaimed: "I didn't fabricate the invitation! They gave it to me! I didn't know it was fake either!"

Simon and Lilian were dumbfounded.

As soon as Stanley had gotten himself into trouble, he turned them into scapegoats!

Where was the faithful and dutiful appearance that was prepared to serve them till death before?

Lilian trembled in fear.

"Stanley Robbins, I've misjudged you! How dare you frame us?!"

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Simon yelled, "The most important thing about a man is that we should always stay grounded! Stop showing off if you can't get an invitation!"

"Why are you dragging us down with you?!"

But Stanley coldly laughed, "Have you two forgotten? You two are the ones who got the invitation! You even said that you'll let your daughter marry me, that's why I reluctantly attended the ceremony with you!"

"But I never expected your invitation was actually fake!"

"Why are you trying to drag me with you if you wanted to die?!"

Stanley flashed them a face full of righteousness.

Someone from the crowd recognized him and said, "Isn't that Branch Manager Robbins? He's a branch manager of an esteemed bank! He doesn't need to embarrass himself with a fake invitation."

"Right, right, right! He's a man with a high status.

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There's no way he'd do something like this!"

"That man and woman, on the other hand... They look like the type to use people just to climb up the social ladder! What if they are just waiting for a chance to use Stanley Robbins as a backing, but ended up stubbing their toes in the process?"

"Branch Manager Robbins is so lucky! If it weren't for the staff exposing them, he'd be fooled!"

"..."

Listening to the gossip bubbling around him, Stanley announced proudly, "Did you hear that? Everyone knows you two are trying to trick me!"

"You only have yourselves to blame for being exposed!"

"Please, Army Masters, sirs! This matter has nothing to do with me. Take them instead!"

Stanley's shameless declaration almost drove Lilian into passing out. **B**

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Lilian Yates pointed wordlessly at Stanley, unable to say anything.

Simon was hyperventilating, all too clear about the severity of the situation.

Anyone who dared to use a fake invitation at a ceremony hosted by Prince York was seeking death!

“Enough, stop fighting!”

The staff were scowling.

“If you can’t tell us where you got the fake invitation, then we’ll put you behind bars!”

“I... I... I...!”

Lilian was unable to muster a coherent reply.

Simon looked as if he ate a bitter gourd.

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Never in their wildest dreams did they anticipate something like this would happen. They hadn't prepared any excuses to get out of this mess.

They had no clue how to explain their situation.

The staff member was already quite impatient. Everything that happened at the Head Coach's ceremony was his responsibility, after all!

He wanted to deal with the problems as swiftly as possible.

At this moment, a thought crossed over Stanley's mind. He glanced at Simon and Lilian.

"Uncle, Aunt. I know both of you are decent people, I'm sure you two would never do something like this!"

"Who was the one that gave you the invitation?"

"Wasn't it that filthy live-in son-in-law?!"

"I heard he's always up to no good, and he knows

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nothing aside from being a kept husband. I also know you wanted to kick him out of the family.”

“He must have fabricated a fake invitation to harm the two of you as revenge!”

“Hurry up and call Harvey! Make him confess here!”

Stanley immediately decided to shift all the blame on Harvey.

On one hand, Harvey would be his scapegoat.

On the other hand, he could easily have Mandy if Harvey went to jail.

He had no second thought about this. In fact, the idea almost made him laugh out loud.

‘I’m so witty!’

Simon and Lilian hesitated.

Their hesitation was not due to mercy. The thought that Harvey shouldn’t take the blame for them never crossed their minds.

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To them, Harvey should!

But what if Harvey got cold feet when they called him?

Stanley understood the worry on their faces, and grinned.

“Uncle, Aunty. Don’t tell him that something’s wrong. Just say that something good happened!”

Simon and Lilian’s eyes lit up.

‘Right, Stanley’s so smart! How did we not think of this?’

They immediately called Harvey. Simon exclaimed grandly, “Harvey! They said they could give us another spot here at the entrance! Come quick, I’ll take you to your seat!”

Simon hung up the call swiftly after. His hatred toward Stanley was gone instantly. ①

It was true that Stanley had acted shamelessly, but

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he could use this opportunity to throw Harvey into jail.

Mandy would then marry Stanley, and he and Lilian could enjoy the wealth and glory that would come.

Because of this, Simon and Lilian were willing to forget about Stanley's actions.

For Stanley, he didn't expect Simon and Lilian could be shameless to this extent.

The three locked gazes of mutual understanding.

On the other side, Harvey hung up his phone. "Mandy, let's go look for your parents."

Mandy was puzzled. "Why did they ask for us?"

"They said that there's another spot for us. Let's go take a look."

Harvey smiled. He knew better than anyone that Simon wouldn't be this kind-hearted.

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Mandy was delighted. She never expected her parents could actually be fair and reasonable. They actually helped Harvey get another spot for the ceremony!

Soon, the two arrived at the entrance.

Harvey wore a faint smile.

On the other hand, Mandy could not hide the happiness between her eyebrows.

For her, having her parents accepting Harvey, even for just a tiny bit, was a cause for joy.

When Harvey and Mandy arrived, Simon and Lilian breathed huge sighs of relief.

They were afraid that the filth would never come. If that happened, they wouldn't know who they could

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pin the blame on.

Simon glanced at Stanley.

He then pointed at Harvey and yelled, "He's the one who made that fake invitation! Take him and put him in jail!"

Mandy heard her father and froze instantly.

She quickly understood everything.

Stanley's so-called invitation was fabricated, and the guards had quickly found out.

Simon called Harvey over to trick him into taking the blame.

Mandy's head turned as heavy as a rock.

'How could they do this?'

'They were tricked by Stanley, and then decided to make Harvey their scapegoat?'

'Are they actually trying to kill him?'

However, Harvey remained calm at the sight.

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He approached Simon and Lilian, gazing deeply into their eyes. Then, he laughed.

“Even though you two didn’t have good intentions, I did say you can call me when you get into trouble. I can fix everything for you.”

“Would you still like to go in? I can get you two inside.”

Simon and Lilian were dumbfounded.

‘Is this live-in son-in-law an idiot?’

‘He’s not even scared! He’s even boasting up a storm?’

Stanley watched the turn of events and roared with laughter.

“Did you all see that?! He was the one that fabricated the invitation!”

“He even said that he’ll take them inside the ceremony!”

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Mandy snapped back to her senses. Immediately, she cut off Stanley.

“Security guard, sir! I can prove that the fake invitation came from Stanley Robbins. It has nothing to do with us!”

Stanley Robbins’s laugh turned icy.

“Mandy, don’t be so naive. Your father of a husband is still boasting up a storm over there! Do you really think these armed men would believe you?”

“I’m different! Not only am I from a first-rated family, the Robbins family, I’m also the branch manager of Buckwood Bank! My words are never false!”

Mandy was trembling with anger. She had never seen anyone so shameless!

Not only did he refuse to admit to his mistakes, he was full of twisted righteousness.

Harvey comforted Mandy. “It’ll be fine, let’s just

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head inside.”

Harvey’s words made Stanley laugh even harder. “Army Masters, sirs, you all heard him! He couldn’t care less about Sky Corporation’s grand ceremony!”

“Does he think anyone can get in?”

“If you won’t catch the man who fabricated the invitation now, when else are you going to do it?”

The guard who had conducted the inspections marched over to Harvey with a stern expression.

Stanley looked at the sight with pride.

Meanwhile, Mandy and her family’s face lost all color.

They all knew...they were finished!

Stirring trouble at Prince York’s grand ceremony was equivalent to seeking death!

However, the guard’s actions in the next second shocked everyone.

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All of the staff there automatically saluted. After that, they put their hands down and chorused respectfully, “Mr. York, Mrs. Zimmer. We apologize for startling both of you because of this sudden problem!”

“Please, come in.”

Harvey nodded, then glanced at Simon and Lilian.

“Those two are my uncle and aunt. Let them in as well.” ①

The guard nodded and waved. The rest of the staff who surrounded Simon and Lilian immediately backed off.

The guard then said to the two, “It was a misunderstanding before. I’m terribly sorry.”

“Please, come in!”

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‘What?!’

The jaws of the watching crowd fell as their mouths opened wide. They were unable to close their mouths.

The whole scene felt like a dream.

Stanley had to give himself a slap across his face to ensure that he was not hallucinating.

The sight in front of him was truly astonishing.

The staff members were soldiers of the Sword Camp, after all!

They were the Kings of Arms with hundreds of victories under their belts. Everyone’s eyes were all directed toward the sky, and ordinary people couldn’t even look at them in the eyes.

Yet right now, they were all so respectful towards a live-in son-in-law!

They didn’t even ask for an invitation and let him in

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so nonchalantly!

Where this this live-in son-in-law come from?

How did he have such terrifying power?

Gasps were heard everywhere.

The reporters who were in charge of broadcasting were so terrified that they forgot to turn on their apparatus, missing such a legendary sight.

Harvey did not bat the others an eye and smiled.

“Mandy, mom, dad. Let’s head inside.” 2

The family all headed into the Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard, still dumbfounded.

After Harvey and his family entered, the guard in charge of the investigation pointed at Stanley Robbins and announced harshly, “Take this pig away! Treat him as an armed militant from overseas for the time being!”

Naturally, fabricating a fake invitation on such a grand event was a big offence. They had to take a

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deeper look into the situation. 1

Stanley was so scared that he collapsed to the ground.

“Please, Army Masters! I’m innocent!”

“I have a high status, I...!”

Slap!

Before Stanley could finish his sentence, a staff member immediately walked up toward him and slapped him across his face with a sword sheath, abruptly cutting Stanley off.

Whoever dared to use a fake invitation on the head coach’s important event would definitely be treated as spies of the armed militant from overseas.

Whether they were or not was just an afterthought.

They could not release the man at any cost. Safety came first.

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Meanwhile...

Mandy and her family entered the Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard.

Even if this was not their first time, the family still felt as if they were in a fairytale.

Here, there were major figures present.

Mandy was utterly confused. She realized that Harvey York did not even try to boast about anything in front of her.

She asked, perplexed, "Harvey, what is going on here?"

"Right! Harvey, why are the people out there being so respectful toward you?!"

"They didn't even need to check your invitation. Do you actually have some sort of hidden identity?"

Naturally, Simon and Lilian were exhilarated.

Even a man like Stanley Robbins wasn't able to

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acquire an invitation.

But Harvey was able to bring the entire family in nonchalantly. He didn't even need to have an invitation.

Maybe their live-in son-in-law was a nobility, after all?

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Harvey calmly said, "The mystery will soon be exposed."

He was ready to propose to Mandy officially, after all. Simon and Lilian would be able to guess his identity then.

To him, exposing his identity of Prince York did not mean anything.

Harvey went silent, leaving Simon and Lilian Yates even more confused.

But the two have an excessive love for vanity. They would do anything to get closer to powerful people.

Even if they did not know what kind of nobility Harvey was, they automatically began to kiss up to him.

"Oh, Harvey! We were just foolish before! Please be

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the bigger person here. Don't lower yourself to our same level!"

"I really didn't think that bastard Stanley actually did something this heinous! If it weren't for you, we'd be in big trouble!"

"I only trust you, my dear son-in-law! Stanley who? Get out of here!"

Harvey York smiled.

He knew his parents-in-law's personality. He would be a fool to believe their spiel.

It was safe to say that his father and mother-in-law was the very definition of obeying a master who benefited them.

"There's still around half an hour before the ceremony begins. You can go have a look around. I've something to attend to, I'll come back to accompany you soon." Harvey said.

He was extremely busy today.

Besides proposing to Mandy, he had to host the

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asset integration ceremony.

In the meeting room of the Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard, the higher ups of Sky Corporation and York Enterprise before gathered in wait. ①

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In a meeting room at Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard.

The higher ups were gathered together.

But as Sky Corporation was only recently established, there weren't many of them present.

Around eighty percent of the higher ups consisted of people from York Enterprise.

Quite a few people here were working for Harvey before, but after he was gone, they turned to Quinton York for support.

Now, they planned to return to Prince York and continue enjoying endless wealth and glory.

Truly, they were shameless people who go

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wherever the wind blows.

Rosanne Barr and Brody Jenner were leading the group.

Rosanne Barr was glaring at Yvonne Xavier sitting on the second seat. She had on a wide smile, but her heart was full of jealousy. ①

‘Yvonne, don’t think that you can stay the secretary for long! From now on, that seat belongs to me!’ Rosanne muttered to herself in her heart.

She wanted to use this chance to impress the legendary Prince York.

If there was a need, she would give him her own body as well.

In her eyes, Yvonne Xavier did not have any capabilities at all.

She was just a good looking piece of flesh.

For Rosanne to give everything to have the legendary Prince York was a trivial task.

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The other higher ups from York Enterprise before were all silently waiting. On the outside, they look like decent people.

But they carried out heinous businesses in secret, and were the same people who had ridiculed Harvey York three days prior.

Today, they were like dogs obediently waiting for their master.

Today was their fateful judgement day.

If Prince York chose them, they would be able to keep enjoying endless wealth and glory.

Otherwise, their lives would be a living hell!

The doors of the meeting room opened at that moment. The higher ups present trembled in their boots.

Soon after, a tall young man walked into the room. 1

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The higher ups all stood up and gave a stern salute while paying attention to the man walking in the room.

‘This must be the legendary Prince York.’

Rosanne’s eyes lit up slightly after seeing the young man.

She did not think that Prince York would be this young.

A man that had never seen the outside world would be the best target.

If she was willing to show off some of her charm and have this man completely for herself, Sky Corporation would be hers!

When that happens, she would be the queen of Sky

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Corporation!

Rosanne fluttered her eyelashes to the point where she was about to tear up. Her eyes glanced at the young man seductively, again and again.

A shame that Ray did not even bat an eye at her. He scanned the room diligently, showing the aura of a man from Sword Camp who was trained to kill. The higher ups present dared not utter a single word.

“Everybody sit down!”

“Let me introduce myself. I’m Ray Hart. You should’ve heard of me before!”

“From today onward, York Enterprise and Silva Corporation, along with anything under the Yorks before, will all be restructured into Sky Corporation!”

“And I, Ray Hart, will be the vice CEO of Sky Corporation!”

Everyone came back to their senses after listening to his introduction.

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'So he's not Prince York?'

'Then why should we be scared of him?'

Rosanne was the first to raise her hand.

"Sir Ray, are there any changes in personnel for Sky Corporation?"

"How about veteran workers like us? Do we still retain our original positions?"

"Need I remind you, Sir Ray? We're all too familiar with the ins and outs of York Enterprise."

"With our help, it'd be no trouble at all to assimilate York Enterprise into Sky Corporation!"

Everyone nodded at hearing Rosanne's speech.

It was a straightforward principle.

In front of a young man like Ray, she only needed to temper force with mercy.

Give him respect while adding more pressure for

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him.

If not, how could she retain the benefits of these people?

Ray stared at Rosanne, deep in thought, and then smiled.

“You must be Manager Barr. Am I to understand that you are threatening me?”

“I wouldn’t dare! It was just a friendly reminder.”

Rosanne shot him another flirtatious look.

“We would gladly offer our hearts and souls for you if you need it. I can guarantee that everything in Sky Corporation will go smoothly!”

Ray replied with a faint smile, “I appreciate your sincerity, Manager Barr. But there’s no rush, let’s wait here for a while.”

Someone asked, “Sir Ray, what are we waiting for? Is there someone with a higher status than you coming?”

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Ray nodded.

“Of course, didn't I tell you? I'm the first vice CEO. Ms. Xavier and I will most likely work together to handle things in Sky Corporation.”

“But the CEO will surely show up on an occasion like this today.”

Brody Jenner was perplexed.

“Sir Ray, is your CEO the legendary Prince York?”

Ray chuckled.

“Who else?”

“He's actually coming!”

Everyone gasped, their expressions all froze over.

‘Prince York, the top man in all of South Light!’

They actually had the right to meet with a major figure like him! The whole thing felt like a dream.

Rosanne immediately pulled back her allure.

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She should be seducing Prince York, not Ray Hart!

‘He has no right!’

Without any hesitation, she demanded swiftly, “Sir Ray, when is Prince York arriving?”

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“He’ll be here soon.”

As Ray Hart spoke, sounds of footsteps could be heard outside the door, followed by someone pushing the meeting room’s door open.

Countless eyes all placed upon Harvey York.

“It’s you, the live-in son-in-law? Why are you here?”

In the midst of the crowd, Felix Howard was the first to react as he pointed at Harvey while speaking up furiously.

Didn’t the live-in son-in-law know there were certain places which he shouldn’t be there?

His sudden appearance wouldn’t be any help if someone discovered their cousin relationship. He

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wouldn't be able to hide it himself for sure by then.

“It's the toy from that day?”

Rosanne Barr and the others were surprised as well.

Almost instantly, she regained her composure and jutted her finger at the security guard before yelling, “What kind of security guard are you for letting in any kind of trash? How did you even allow him to enter our higher-ups' meeting room here?”

“Kick him out of here at once so that Prince York's mood won't get affected later on!”

“Today's event is so important. How can we allow such a piece of trash to ruin the atmosphere?”

Those higher-ups who were at the Half Moon Bay before this all stood up and scolded furiously.

They're not afraid of being exposed to what they did. Instead, they were just scared that this piece of trash would be rude to the legendary Prince York.

However, what happened after this immediately

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made them dumbfounded, as they would've never believed it.

Under everyone's eyes, Harvey sat down at the only vacant space at the meeting table nonchalantly as ever!

Yvonne Xavier was sitting on his left while Ray was on his right.

Yvonne and Ray instantly stood up with their hands on their side, with respectful expressions on their faces.

Especially Ray, with excitement in his eyes, he spoke up, "You're here."

Harvey didn't bat his eyes as he laid back on the chair and said, "Ray, you tell them what am I here for."

Ray raised his chin slightly up and turned around to face the higher-ups at the scene as he announced coldly, "Our CEO is, of course, here to conduct the meeting."

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“What?!”

At that moment, everyone felt nothing but astonished.

Everyone’s brains stopped working for that moment, not knowing what to react at all.

Was Harvey the CEO?

Did that mean that he’s the legendary Prince York as well?!

Roxanne’s face instantly turned as pale as sheets. She felt as if she couldn’t breathe anymore.

Her originally flushed face became so pallid that it looked like a zombie.

Felix’s hand, which was in mid-air, froze there. The glint in his eyes was gone as his throat made strange guttural sounds, but he couldn’t speak at all.

The next thing he knew, his knees turned jelly all of

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a sudden, before he fell to his knees on the ground.

He could not believe that the live-in son-in-law whom he looked down on was Prince York from the legend!

Broddy Jenner was totally stunned. The corner of his eyes twitched uncontrollably. He wanted to say something but couldn't speak a word at all.

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Everyone in the scene had different expressions on their faces.

But there's no exception to anyone that they're all utterly shocked by Harvey's actual status.

Definitely, no one who would've thought this live-in son-in-law who's kind of famous in Buckwood, was actually the CEO of Sky Corporation, and Prince York from the legend!

At that moment, Roxanne finally realized why Harvey said all those words at the Half Moon Bay Private Club.

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And the reason why Mandy got to receive investments from the Sky Corp all the time.

With Prince York's status being revealed now, every question and doubts were instantly answered.

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There were rumors going around about how Mandy Zimmer was Prince York's underground lover.

A lot of people even saw it as the biggest joke ever.

But at this moment, everyone understood immediately.

Mandy was definitely not just some underground lover!

She's the woman whom Prince York married in a just and honorable manner!

And the proposing ceremony that was going to happen later today was all prepared for no one but her!

This woman must be extremely blessed and lucky!

Right then, Roxanne Barr's face was twisted, full of

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disdain and jealousy.

Why?! Why did it have to be that girl! Why couldn't it be herself?!

Harvey simply crossed his leg over the meeting table as his eyes scanned through Roxanne and the rest of them, who couldn't hide their shock, only did he chuckled. "Everyone, good to see you again."

Recalling how they insulted Harvey three days ago and what kind of things they told him, some of those few higher-ups struggling to remain calm and composed even fainted right away.

The smell of piss could even be smelled from some of them. They obviously were too scared that they peed their pants.

In the end, Roxanne shivered uncontrollably as her throat convulsed before spitting out a mouthful of blood.

It could be said that those who insulted Harvey three days ago couldn't accept what's happening

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before them at all.

Without doing anything other than Harvey sitting on the seat, those people would be already terrified to death.

Meanwhile, the rest of them were all curious.

They didn't know what happened between Harvey and those people.

Only Ray Hart knew everything clear and well. At this moment, he set his eyes on Roxanne and the rest with nothing but coldness.

Admiring their buffoonery, Harvey carelessly flipped through the document file by his side and said, "Roxanne Barr, tell me what should be done for what happened three days ago."

Hearing Harvey's words, Roxanne, who's a spineless one herself, fell to the ground on her knees instantly with a 'bang!'.

The next thing they knew, those including the ones who fainted were all woken up by others, then knelt

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in a row before Harvey and knocked their head onto the ground non-stop.

At times like this, they wouldn't even care if their foreheads bled profusely.

“Prince York, CEO York, please forgive us!”

“We did something gravely wrong! We're really at fault!”

“If only you can forgive us, no matter what you want us to do, we'll accept it!”

“Yes! Only if you speak up, we'll even go eat shit if you want us to!”

Now how could those people even have any ego and pride left?

All they could feel now was only regret, full of regret!

Why did they offend Harvey like they had nothing better to do?

It's all because of Felix Howard, that jerk!

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If it wasn't because of him, how could everyone have gone over to Harvey and offend him?

At that moment, everyone was glaring hard at Felix, wishing they could choke him to death.

Felix's face was as pale as sheets, but he knew that he's finished. Not only did he offend Prince York, and also those villains as well.

After this, he would struggle with every step at Sky Corporation or even in the whole of Buckwood city.

His great dreams of becoming a tycoon or starting a business would never come true in his entire life after revealing Prince York's true identity.

At this moment, Felix felt that everything that's happening was all a terrible joke.

He himself became a joke, and that was the same with the Yates family behind him.

If Grandma Yates knew about this, that the person she wanted to kick out of the house was none other

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than the first man of South Lights, Prince York, how would she think of all of this?

Looking at everyone's buffoonery, Harvey said simply, "Ray, if they don't know how to settle it, you should go ahead and help them then!"

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After waiting for Harvey York to leave, Ray set his razor-like eyes onto Roxanne Barr and the rest of them.

Roxanne, Felix Howard, Brody Jenner, and the rest all lowered their heads, dared not to speak at all. They couldn't even breathe properly.

Ray landed his sight on Roxanne and asked casually, "Which hand was it?"

Although Ray didn't say anything, Roxanne instantly knew what he was talking about. At that moment, she could only reach her trembling right hand out and said with a shaky voice, "This hand."

"Seeing how you're a woman, ten slaps will do," Ray announced.

"Smack!"

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Roxanne didn't dare to defend herself at all or blabber any more nonsense as she gave herself a big slap.

The slap was so strong that her cheek instantly turned swollen and all red.

Because Roxanne knew very well if she didn't satisfy Ray well enough, she would have an even worse ending for herself.

Ray didn't bother to look at Roxanne anymore as he turned to Brody and the rest and said, "You all are men. You wouldn't want to be like a woman, do you?"

Brody was the first who let out a bitter laugh as he stood up trembling and answered, "Don't you worry, boss Ray, I know what to do!"

As he ended his sentence, he picked up a pen from the table and struck it hard right at his palm, but he gritted his teeth in fear of letting out any voice.

The others followed his action. No matter how

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terrified they were, they could only grab the pen on the table.

Ray turned his back to them and left a final command.

“From now onwards, confiscate every penny of their ill-gotten wealth, and donate all to orphanages!”

“At the same time, make an announcement throughout South Light, if anyone dares to employ them, they would be Sky Corporation’s enemy!”

With Ray’s last command, Roxanne and the rest paled and had looks of despair.

All of them lived a luxurious life every day. How would they be able to accept the fact that they would lose everything?

Now with Ray’s order, they would probably have no other choices but to be beggars to beg for food on the streets from now on.

Plus, those years, they had been bullying men and

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women and did tons of misdeeds. They had no idea how many people wanted to eat them alive.

Once they lost their status and power, they should be afraid that those who got bullied before would come and take revenge.

At that moment, even being beggars seemed like a wild wish to them.

On the other hand, Harvey went to the dressing room to change into a well-fitted pair of suit before arranging what would happen when he proposed for marriage later on.

For today, even the asset consolidation ceremony of the Sky Corp could be delayed, while the proposal should be forward before the ceremony.

That's because he wanted to bring Mandy Zimmer along to witness how the Sky Corp would be the ceiling of the South Lights.

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Just as when Harvey was making preparations, Mandy and the family were in the hall.

“Yo, Mandy Zimmer, how did you and your family even enter?”

A voice reeking of nothing but disdain could be heard. A few people looked forward and saw none other than Quinn, Zack, and Senior Zimmer with the family.

Lilian Yates replied coldly, “Has anyone set the rule that only you all can enter and not us?”

“Plus, we don’t have any sort of relationship with you, Zimmers anymore, right? Why should you even be bothered by it?”

Zack snickered, “I think you few people just sneaked in here, didn’t you? Do you even know what kind of event is this today?”

“If I go to the security and report you, people, it’s certain that you all wouldn’t even be able to rest in peace!”

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Senior Zimmer spoke up suddenly, “We were family once anyway. Let’s at least leave them an alternative.” ②

“Make them kneel before us and apologize, then we’ll forget about it.”

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Hearing that, Quinn sniggered sweetly and said, “Grandpa is teaching the right thing, we should always be kind to everyone, you all heard what grandpa said, kneel with your heads on the floor!”

Mandy Zimmer replied coldly, “We entered the door through the proper channel. Why should we kneel down for you?”

Quinn sneered with a ‘pfft’ and said, “Okay then, even if you did enter with the proper channel, but didn’t you all forget? I am the mistress of this place. Now I order you to kneel before us with your heads on the floor!”

“If you don’t, I’ll make your lives hard after Prince York proposes to me!”

With that, Simon Zimmer and Lilian Yates were full

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of worry.

Although Harvey York might have some status, how would he be even compared to Prince York?

Prince York was the legend of the South Light. He would only have to move his lips if he wanted to make someone suffer!

And based on Quinn's personality, she really would do such a thing.

Right at that moment, a few servants walked over and asked respectfully, "Are you the Zimmers? The proposing ceremony will commence shortly, can you please come to the center of the hall?"

Those waiters didn't even know that Mandy had no relations with the Zimmer family anymore at all. They automatically invited all of the original Zimmers to go over.

Senior Zimmer spoke up excitedly, "I'm the chief of the Zimmer family, so does that mean Prince York is really proposing to the daughter of the

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Zimmers?”

The waiter smiled and said, “How can this be unreal? I heard that Prince York is preparing backstage as we speak. The time has almost come. All of you should quickly make a move.”

As he spoke, this waiter brought the entourage over to the center.

Quinn chuckled lightly as she spouted proudly at Mandy, “Now I’ll be waiting for my prince to propose to me. After the ceremony ends, I’ll play with you patiently by then!”

“Yes! The ceremony is more important now!”

“After you become the mistress here, you can do anything to this family!”

Zack and the rest agreed in unison. At this moment, the most crucial thing was Prince York’s proposal.

Not long after, the Zimmers were ushered by the waiters to the center of the hall. Even Mandy and her family were invited.

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Seeing this, Quinn didn't say anything, more like this what exactly she wanted.

She wanted Mandy to witness with her own eyes the scene of Prince York proposing to herself by then.

Looking at how Quinn was standing right at the center of the hall as proud as a peacock, Simon and Lilian were trembling with fear, wishing they could kneel and beg for forgiveness.

But just when they prepared to kneel, the lights in the hall all dimmed down, followed by a voice.

“Silence, please!”

Everyone immediately turned quiet and focused their eyes on the stage.

The one who emceed this event was none other than Ray Hart.

Apparently, everything was already well-prepared behind him.

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At that moment, Ray exuded an aura only a soldier from the Sword's Army would have. Even if he was only standing there, the audience was so pressured that they couldn't catch their breath.

He scanned the audience with his stern and cold eyes as he announced, "I'll introduce myself. I'm the first vice-CEO of Sky Corporation, and now I'm here to make two important announcements!

"First, our very own CEO, Prince York, will be proposing to his lover here!

"Second, Sky Corporation will be conducting a total asset consolidation today!

"Now, let us begin with the first event!"

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“So then, let us deliver our utmost genuine blessings to Prince York and his woman!”

With that, thunderous applause erupted in the hall without stopping. Everyone was all excited, waiting to see the real faces of that couple.

To be fancied by Prince York and be his woman was definitely as lucky and straightforward as your ancestral grave emitting smoke.

There were rumors previously about how it would be the daughter of the Zimmer family. Most of the people didn't believe it.

Now everyone was waiting to see who would be the heroine today!

Right then, Ray clapped once, accompanied by eighteen workers in white suits strode out from the

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backstage.

These workers were all soldiers from the Sword's Army camp, plus every one of them were from respective distinguished families of the great Country H. Thus, they had such noble and dominant air that it was astonishing.

Even though they weren't in army suits, they're still standing strong and handsome there.

This made everyone couldn't help but start to imagine how marvelous and shocking would Prince York be like when the workers already looked that way.

These workers all had gift boxes in their hands, respectively.

Although they're not opened, the gift boxes already seemed so bejeweled.

It would be hard to imagine how high the value of the gifts in those boxes would be!

In Ray's lead, these eighteen workers slowly walked

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towards where the Zimmer family was.

Right at this exact moment, Quinn stood the most front before all the other Zimmers as she was already tearing up with excitement.

Meanwhile, Mandy and the family were standing at the side with dark looks on their faces. ❶

Although she wasn't a woman who's money-obsessed and opulent, Mandy seemed to be down, but what kind of woman wouldn't wish for their loved ones to grant them a grand wedding?

Plus, Prince York's proposal seemed like it signaled a total end for Mandy and the family.

Because seeing how narrow-minded Quinn was, she would never allow Mandy and her family to live well.

Just when Mandy nearly stumbled, suddenly, someone reached out an arm to hold her in place as he whispered, "Don't be scared."

It's Harvey!

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It was unknown when he came back here.

Without knowing why, with Harvey by her side, Mandy suddenly wasn't afraid anymore.

No matter how complex the challenges would be coming at them, the worst would be the two of them facing those challenges together, wouldn't it?

At that moment, Ray already reached the center of the hall. He respectfully lowered his head and bowed ninety-degree down.

“Sister-in-law, please accept Prince York's proposal!”

Quinn was trembling so hard at that time. She felt like she would be the happiest woman in the world ever.

She walked forward, trembling as she sobbed hard. “I... I do!”

No one expected that Ray would raise his head abruptly after hearing that. With a hateful look, he

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kicked Quinn away till she fell over onto the floor.

“Scram!”

“What... What...”

“You, you, you...”

“You dare to kick me?!”

Quinn was dumbfounded. She couldn't understand the situation at all. What was happening?

She was, after all, the Prince York's woman. How could Ray dare to kick her away to the floor!

And the others were all stunned as well, not knowing what to do.

Including the Zimmers, their original looks of glee and excitement all froze on their faces.

Could it be that the woman whom Prince York fancied was not Quinn Zimmer at all?

This, this, this...

At that moment, the Zimmers' minds were as if

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glued together.

Ray showed a look of disgust as he said coldly, “
With that look of yours – someone who looks like a
dominatrix, you actually think our dear Prince York
would propose to you? What are you even dreaming
about?”

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“Hum...”

At this moment, Quinn Zimmer felt that her brain was going to blow up.

She was not the woman that Prince York had a crush on originally.

She was in a daze at that moment. Her eyes unconsciously fell on Mandy Zimmer, and her body could not help but tremble in the next moment.

Mandy?!

Could it be that Mandy was the one that Prince York was about to propose to?

If that was the case, she might as well die!

At this moment, Quinn just wanted to die, hitting her head to the ground. Unfortunately, she could

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not muster the courage to do so.

Mandy was confused at the moment. She could not wrap her head around what had happened.

Meanwhile, Ray Hart stepped forward and walked in front of Mandy. He bowed again, ninety degrees, and said respectfully, “Sister-in-law, please accept Prince York’s proposal!

“These are some gifts that Prince York prepared for you today!

“A villa at the foot of Silver Nimbus Mountain!

“A Rolls-Royce Phantom!

“Cash amounting to one hundred and thirty-four million dollars!

“And eighty-eight pieces of gems!”

Mandy was rendered speechless.

As Ray spoke, there was a sensation in the crowd each time he finished his sentences.

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Those were not betrothal gifts. It was merely some small gifts on the day of the proposal.

If those gifts were to fall into the hands of any family, they could instantly become a first-class family!

Suffice to say, Prince York was indeed the number one in South Light!

As expected from Prince York, who was able to build the hundred-billion group three years ago!

Mandy finally came to her senses. She was in a daze, pointing to herself, and said, "Sir Ray, are you saying Prince York is proposing to me?!"

Ray said firmly, "Yes, Sister-in-law. As long as you nod your head, you will be the mistress of Sky Corporation from now on!"

"This..."

Mandy was petrified on the spot. She could not accept this sudden turn of events at all.

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“This, this, this, this...”

Simon Zimmer was so excited that he could not speak eloquently. He seemed to want to say something, but he was speaking incoherently.

He almost kneeled to Quinn the first second, but then, he found out that his daughter was the main one the next second. Those sudden ups and downs were probably why he was like that.

This was the greatest excitement in the world.

As for Lilian Yates, she felt pretty emotional and burst into tears, as if she was the person that was being proposed to.

She even excitedly said at that moment, “I do. I do!”

However, no one paid attention to her at this moment. Everyone was focusing on Mandy.

Nonetheless, Mandy’s body stiffened, and she did not make any movements.

Prince York of South Light, the Chief Instructor of

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the Sword Camp who could remain emotionless while facing millions of coalition forces from the five great countries, or even when the Nordic Valkyrie confessed her love to him in front of thousands of knights or facing the temptation of being the first in line in the succession of the Empire of the Sun that Never Sets. All those achievements, yet Harvey was so nervous at this moment that his palms were a little sweaty. ①

In truth, Ray was also very nervous. He was afraid that Mandy would decline.

Yvonne Xavier, who was standing further away, was also very nervous. However, she did not know why he was so nervous. She was kind of lost at this moment.

The guests were also extremely nervous. Everyone was thinking about how they could fawn over Mandy and her family.

A genuine phoenix had emerged from the Zimmer family!

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Just when everyone's eyes were gleaming with anticipation, Mandy suddenly whispered, "I have never met Prince York. Why did he suddenly propose to me?!"

Ray said solemnly, "Prince York was framed three years ago and ended up living on the streets Niumhi. You have offered him kindness back then. From that moment onward, Prince York vowed to give Sister-in-law a bright future!"

Mandy frowned slightly. She was kind-hearted and had done a lot of good deeds. She could not remember such a person at all.

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Moreover, Mandy Zimmer would have never guessed that the person that Ray Hart mentioned was standing just next to her at this moment, waiting for her answer.

She took a deep breath and seemed to have made up her mind.

Mandy smiled slightly at the next moment and said, "Sir Ray, I truly appreciate Prince York's gesture!

"However, please go back and inform him that I'm not suitable for him. So, I refuse."

Bang...

It was as if thunder had struck the ground.

The whole crowd was stunned.

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Everyone had petrified expressions on their faces. They were in total disbelief.

How many young girls would want to get married to a famous and rich man nowadays?

How many girls would want to marry into a wealthy family and live in luxury?

However, Mandy refused.

This was impossible!

Many women present there had distorted faces. They could not wait to replace Mandy's place at that moment.

Ray was also stunned with her answer. He unconsciously glanced at Harvey and then quickly asked, "Sister-in-law, may I know why you refuse?!"

Mandy smiled. "I don't know Prince York, and we don't love each other!

"Moreover, Prince York is grateful to me. He doesn't

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t love me. This isn't what I want!

"Furthermore, there's a massive gap between the two of us. We're from totally different worlds. So, we're not suited for each other!

"Most importantly, I already have a husband and have been married for three years!"

Mandy glanced gently at Harvey as she spoke.

Just when Ray wanted to disclose the biggest secret in the past three years, but at the next moment, Harvey slightly shook his head and stopped him. 2

Although he did not know why Harvey suddenly changed his mind, Ray could only say, "Well, if that's the case, we'll respect your choice, Miss Zimmer!" 2

"However, no matter what, you're always a special guest of Sky Corporation!"

Ray waved his hand while speaking, and the staff all backed away.

Ray walked back to the stage. He then took a deep

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breath and said, "Everyone, please sit down and enjoy your meal. I'll go backstage and get prepared. Let's proceed to the second phase."

All the guests sat down.

The people from the Zimmer family pulled Quinn Zimmer up, who was in a terrible state and wanted to sit down.

"Who are you? No seats are prepared for you here!

"Hurry up and get out!"

Those staff members were all sergeants from the Sword Camp. At this moment, Quinn, the foolish woman, became furious.

Some staff members held their collars and dumped those shameless people out one by one.

The people from the Zimmer family exchanged glances in the cold wind.

They never thought that the person being proposed was actually Mandy, not Quinn, who they had

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imagined.

Quinn and the Zimmer family's behavior in this ceremony would undoubtedly become the biggest joke in Buckwood.

At the banquet, Harvey sat next to Mandy. He was curious and said, "Mandy, that's the legendary Prince York. You will become successful as long as you marry him!"

"I think there is no woman in this world who could refuse his marriage proposal. Even many excellent women proposed to him in front of thousands of knights. Why would you refuse him?"

Mandy thought for a while and said thoughtfully, "First of all, I already have a husband,

"Secondly, I'm just an ordinary person. I'm not worthy of a big shot like Prince York.

"Most importantly, I don't want to marry someone I don't like." 14

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“Even if it means living on the lap of luxury, it’s not what I really want.”

Harvey York slightly smiled and muttered in a voice only he could hear, “In that case, then I’m going to make a woman out of you and let you become a big shot.

“In this way, identity would not become a hindrance between you and me.

“Moreover, I believe that the relationship between the two of us will get better and better...”

At this moment, Lilian Yates and Simon Zimmer finally came to their senses.

Both of them were in a state of bewilderment just now.

After all, they had just experienced the biggest ups

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and downs of their lives today. It was already quite good that they were able to come around now.

Meanwhile, Lilian glared at Mandy and shouted in a low voice, “Mandy, how can you be so silly?!”

“This is an opportunity that many people can’t ask for!

“However, you’ve wasted it when it came before your eyes!”

Speaking of this, Lilian kept her hand over her chest. There was nothing she could do. She was genuinely distressed!

For a moment, Lilian thought her status could be higher than Grandma Yates!

Simon also had an expression as if he was about to vomit blood. “Mandy, are you trying to kill us by making us so mad?

“Think about it. How can you have a good life living with this useless b*stard?!”

“Now go and find Sir Ray. Maybe it’s still not too

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late!

“I think Prince York would certainly be a good son-in-law!

“Our family has been kicked out of the Zimmer family. If we miss this opportunity, we have no chance to live prosperous and wealthy!”

Mandy said thoughtfully, “Father, Mother, trust me. I can also let you live a life of luxury!”

“Oh no!” Simon kept his hand over his chest.

“You’re really trying to kill us, aren’t you?!”

At this moment, Simon and Lilian were outraged.

Especially Lilian, she could not wait to take Mandy’s place and marry Prince York herself.

Unfortunately, Prince York surely did not want her.

Harvey smiled and said, “Father, Mother, don’t worry. With me, I’ll certainly establish our family into a really wealthy family.

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“Even becoming one of the top ten families of the great Country H!”

Simon rolled his eyes and said, “Give me a break. Just by yourself?”

“Even the capable Prince York could only build an ordinary top-tier family. And here you are, saying that you’ll turn us into one of the top ten families of the great Country H?”

“Are you still dreaming? Do you think you can compare to Prince York?”

“Don’t forget, you don’t even have a job now. To put it bluntly, you’re sponging off your wife!”

“You’re just a kept man. And now, you’re a man of character?”

Lilian also snorted coldly, “Only now I understand why we’re able to enter this ceremony. It’s all because of Mandy! ①

“How dare you take credit for that? Harvey! You are

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already so useless! You're such a hypocrite too!

"It's also the same case for Half Moon Bay. The person who wanted to give Mandy a handbag back then, isn't it Sir Ray who came here today?"

"He's Prince York subordinate. Hence, the reason why he appeared in the duty-free shopping mall is also because of Prince York!"

"Hey, Harvey, can't you learn a thing or two from Prince York?"

"Also, I'm warning you. If Mandy agrees to Prince York's marriage proposal, you'd better divorce her right this moment!"

The enraged couple did not feel like eating after speaking.

Initially, there's still the second asset integration ceremony coming next. However, Simon and Lilian did not want to see it at all. 1

This was because they would remember that their daughter almost became the mistress of Sky

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Corporation when they watched this scene.

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With such development, they could not stand observing the ceremony now!

Otherwise, it would surely drive them crazy!

Seeing Simon Zimmer and Lilian Yates insisted on leaving, Mandy had no choice but to leave together with them. ①

Although Harvey still had something to do, he could only stand up at the moment and followed them to the gate of Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard.

Unexpectedly, as Mandy and her family walked out, the people from the Zimmer family, who had been thrown out earlier, suddenly walked over from the side of the road.

“What do you want to do? Our family has nothing to do with the Zimmer family anymore!”

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Mandy thought that Senior Zimmer and the others were coming for her and her family. She immediately stood in front of both Simon and Lilian protectively. Senior Zimmer then clarified.

“Mandy, it was Grandfather who was wrong before! I had been deceived by this foolish woman, Quinn Zimmer!” Senior Zimmer was trying to force a smile as he said those words.

“I’m going to teach her a lesson!”

Grandfather waved his hand after he finished his words even before Mandy could react to the situation.

Then, Sean Zimmer and Zack Zimmer walked over while holding Quinn up, who had a face as pale as sheets.

Senior Zimmer went at her pretty hard. He gave her a big backhanded slap in the face, knocking out some of Quinn’s teeth.

Then he continued to speak timidly, “Mandy, see,

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Grandfather has taken it out on her for you!

“If you still feel dissatisfied, you can do it yourself. As long as you don’t beat her to death, I’ll handle this matter for you!”

Mandy had a complicated look on her face.

She sighed, seeing the weak Quinn and she said, “We’re still a family after all. Just let her go.”

Harvey did not say anything while watching this scene.

Initially, this matter couldn’t end like this based on his character.

However, since Mandy had already spoken her mind, he did not say much.

Seeing that Mandy had dropped that matter, Senior Zimmer took out the agreement that Harvey had signed before and tore it directly in front of Mandy. He then smiled. “Mandy, look, you’re still a member of the Zimmer family. You’re still the CEO of Zimmer Enterprise!”

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“Yes, yes! Who else could be the CEO other than you?!”

“We’ll surely establish the Zimmer family into a top-tier family under your leadership in the future!”

Zack and the Zimmer family bowed to Mandy at this moment.

They had no other choice. Since Quinn was not Prince York’s woman, then the Zimmer family could not live without Mandy. ❶

Mandy was already very disappointed with the Zimmer family. However, it’s hard for Mandy to see past that.

This was because she knew the situation of the Zimmer family all too well.

If she let those people continue to mess around, the Zimmer family was likely to end up bankrupt.

Senior Zimmer quickly followed up when he saw Mandy being a little hesitant. He then pointed at

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Harvey and said, "Mandy! Since you're going back to becoming the CEO, then just listen to Grandfather!

"Quickly drive out this useless b*stard!

"You're the woman being proposed by Prince York!

"As long as you go back now and tell Prince York that you're willing to marry him!

"From today onward, you'll be the woman with the highest status in South Light!"

Senior Zimmer looked excited.

"Yes, yes, yes, Mandy. Hurry up and go. We'll help you hold this trash and make sure he doesn't dare to spout any more nonsense!"

"This trash isn't worthy of you. I just need to give him one thousand and five hundred dollars to send him away!"

Simon and Lilian watched this scene without saying a word. Obviously, this was also what they hoped

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for.

Although they did resent the Zimmer family for their previous actions...

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However, if Senior Zimmer's behavior could let Mandy Zimmer do the right thing, they certainly had no objection.

Mandy, who was hesitating a little initially, had a change in her expression at this moment. She said slowly after a while, "Grandfather, are you insinuating that the condition for returning to the Zimmer family is to divorce Harvey and then marry Prince York?"

Senior Zimmer smiled and said, "Mandy, don't talk nonsense. Grandfather is doing this for your sake!"

Mandy's expression instantly became extremely cold. She then said coldly, "Senior Zimmer, I'm sorry, I can't agree to your conditions. ①

"Since we have signed the agreement, then we have

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nothing to do with the Zimmer family anymore!”

Mandy no longer looked at Senior Zimmer after finished speaking. She then just turned and left.

She was so disappointed at this moment. She finally saw the truth.

The Zimmer family did not care about the affection between each other. All they cared about was their own interests.

If Prince York proposed to Quinn today, would Senior Zimmer even behave like this?

He definitely would not!

Not only would he not, but he would also trample her family to death together with the Zimmer family!

It was not worth staying in such a big family!

“This...”

Simon Zimmer and Lilian Yates exchanged glances

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and could not say anything.

Mandy was furious now. It was useless for them to say anything at that moment.

However, Simon glared at Harvey fiercely at this moment. He then exclaimed, "I'll have to knock some sense back into Mandy. Don't you dare to follow us. Otherwise, I will break your legs!"

Harvey smiled. He did not intend to follow them back anyway.

At this moment, he turned around and was about to walk into Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard.

Crack...

At this moment, there's something thrown behind him, and a stone hit Harvey's back.

It was Senior Zimmer who smashed the stone. He pointed at Harvey at this moment and was very angry.

"It's all because of you, trash! Otherwise! Mandy

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won't leave the Zimmer family!

“The Zimmer family would have been able to become successful and rise once again!

“It's all because of you, trash! It's all because of you!”

Apparently, even if things had come to this point, Senior Zimmer still did not reflect on what he and the Zimmer family had done wrong.

In Senior Zimmer's eyes, the one who did wrong was the live-in son-in-law, Harvey.

Without this live-in son-in-law, the Zimmer family would probably be able to get whatever they wanted.

Harvey reached out his hands and patted his clothes. He was not angry at all. He just said casually, “Senior Zimmer, if you have the time to get angry here, why don't you quickly return home and check on your assets?

“Including the villa that you're living in now. It

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seems that it's also a betrothal gift that Prince York prepared for Mandy.

“Don't you think that Prince York will send someone to get it back?”

Harvey left without looking back after speaking.

Senior Zimmer and the entire Zimmer family were all shocked when they heard this.

Their faces turned dark as night the next moment.

They certainly had forgotten about it if Harvey did not remind them.

The villa where the Zimmer family lived now was the betrothal gift.

In addition, some of the betrothal gifts had been sold by the Zimmer family, and most of the cash from the sale was used up by the Zimmer family.

If Prince York sent someone to retrieve these betrothal gifts now, what would they do?

Senior Zimmer shivered. The Zimmer family did

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not have much money now!

Although they still had some shares in Sky Corporation, could you cover the deficit even if those shares were sold?

The faces of other members of the Zimmer family also turned pale at that moment.

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Many of them had already started buying real estate in Buckwood. Thus, many of them had touched the betrothal gifts in private.

Now, asking them to spit it out again meant killing them!

“Grandfather, what can we do? We haven’t completely gone bankrupt yet, right?! I don’t want to go beg for food on the streets!”

Zack Zimmer had lost his usual arrogance at that moment.

And he was already on the verge of collapsing.

“We’d better go and make amends to her. The only way now is to ask for Mandy’s forgiveness and make her change her mind!

“Otherwise, the Zimmer family will be finished for

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real!”

By the time Harvey returned to Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard, the second phase of today’s ceremony was ready to commence.

The first phase was to propose to Mandy Zimmer, and the second phase was the asset integration ceremony.

The reporters of major media had arrived at that moment. They were all quietly waiting for this event.

This was even more shocking than the rejection of Prince York’s marriage proposal earlier.

Harvey did not go onto the stage as planned.

He initially intended to bring Mandy up the stage together, telling her that she would be the happiest woman in the world.

However, since Mandy had already rejected Prince York’s marriage proposal, there was no point for him to come forward on the stage.

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Hence, Harvey gave Ray Hart all the authority to control the ceremony from there onward.

Ray did not say anything when he saw Harvey's arrival. He just walked onto the stage on his own.

At this moment, Harvey found out that many mysterious people attended this ceremony.

Those people were probably sent by the first-class families in Buckwood.

Although they said they came to witness Prince York's proposal, in truth, they actually wanted to find out the true identity of Prince York. ①

Unfortunately, they were doomed to fail that day.

Time was up. Ray, who was on the rostrum, clapped his hands. Then, two former big shots of South Light walked up the stage with a pale face.

One of them was Manager York, who was once in charge of York Corporation under the Yorks. The other was Joel Flynn, who was in charge of Silva

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Corporation on behalf of Quinton York.

At this moment, those two people's faces were dark as night, but they did not say anything.

Shawn Bell and his wife had also been here since the beginning to witness this ceremony.

Ray took out the two contracts and handed them to Joel and Manager York. He then announced, "Everyone, the preliminary work regarding the entire York Corporation and Silva Corporation's assets being wholly owned by Sky Corporation have all completed!

"Only the official signing of contract is required today. From then on, these three corporations have merged into one, and it would be known as Sky Corporation to the public!"

There was a burst of applause at the scene.

Joel and Manager York had to sign their names on the contract showered by all those applauses.

The reporters in the audience could not wait any

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longer that moment and asked, “Excuse me, Sir Ray, there are rumors outside stating that Sky Corporation was founded by Prince York! And this time, Sky Corporation has integrated both York Corporation and Silva Corporation, which is equivalent to taking over the entire Yorks!”

“Does this mean that Prince York is the head of the family from now on?”

“Yes! Quinton York and the Famous Four of the Yorks haven’t come out for a long time. Is it possible that they’re all in trouble?”

“What happened between Prince York and the Yorks? I wonder if Sir Ray could satisfy our curiosity?”

Apparently, those reporters were also curious about what had happened.

Ray smiled and replied, “Indeed, our CEO is Prince York, but...” 3

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“It’s just that Prince York is Prince York, and the Yorks are the Yorks. I hope everyone won’t equate Prince York as the Yorks in the future!”

This sentence was confusing.

On the one hand, it was to indicate that Sky Corporation was indeed founded by Prince York.

On the other, it was also to indicate that Prince York had nothing to do with the Yorks.

However, Sky Corporation annexed the Yorks again. What did this mean?

Ray Hart did not answer directly. Instead, he let the reporters guess for themselves, making each of those reporters be rendered speechless.

Nonetheless, they finally reached a consensus that

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Prince York was very great!

Soon, the reporters' question-and-answer session was over.

Here comes the most important session, and that was the reestablishment of Sky Corporation.

Today's ceremony could only be considered over when the new company plaque was hung up.

However, there was a sudden riot in the hall as Ray held up the plaque.

A group of people in black suits who came out of nowhere were all wearing masks, holding steel pipes, watermelon knives, and other weapons. The formation was quite scary.

The man who took the lead sneered at that moment, "Sky Corporation wanting to hang the plaque and be re-established? Without us setting it up, don't even think about it!

"Smash all the things! Don't leave anything untouched!"

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Along with this man's violent bellow, the few hundred people around were all aggressively wanting to make a move.

The guests present were all terrified. How could there be such a thing?

Apparently, those people living on the streets came here for only one purpose, which was to disrupt the establishment ceremony of Sky Corporation!

Doing so could let Sky Corporation, which had just merged its assets, be disgraced and the so-called Prince York would be ashamed from now on.

At this moment, those few hundred people rushed in and started playing with the weapons in their hands. They were in very close proximity with the crowd.

Meanwhile, a dozen staff members came out. Those staff members were speechless when they watched this scene.

At this time, the leading staff said coldly, "What's

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the matter? Who let these people come in and make trouble?!”

A staff member shrugged his shoulders and said, “Lieutenant Colonel Ethan has already given out orders to take them out all at once. So, we’re waiting for all of them to come in, lest there’s any fish that slip through the net.”

The leading staff said coldly, “You talk big. I’ll give you ten people today. Settle them in three minutes!”

“One minute is more than enough!”

The staff member chuckled and waved his hand the next moment. Then, there were ten more people who rushed out together with him like crazed wombats.

“Hiya!”

“Oh my gosh!”

“Ah...”

All kinds of screams could be heard, and they lasted

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only forty to fifty seconds at most. Those people who were wearing suits and holding the steel pipes all slumped on the ground.

Some held their faces, some clutched onto their stomachs, and some held their thighs.

The people in the hall who were looking at this scene were in shock.

They only saw the staff rushing out without even seeing their movements. All those guys who wanted to make trouble instantly slumped to the ground.

Those people lying on the ground at this moment were scared.

They knew that they met a master today, and they had failed.

Everyone regained their composure. Ray, who was on the stage, smiled and said, "Today, the security personnel hired by Sky Corporation is still a little slow. According to the plan, they should have gotten rid of the troublemaker within ten seconds."

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“Here, I apologize to everyone present!”

“As for these people, just let them lie on their stomachs. This is a huge gift. It means that Sky Corporation will be the top in South Light from now on!”

Ray Hart spoke casually, but his tone was incredibly proud.

The faces of those lying on the ground were as pale as ghosts.

Not only did they did not avail, but they also became a foil to Sky Corporation.

In the end, they could only watch as Sky Corporation hang up the plaque at the end of the ceremony.

Ray called the police station straight away, and all

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those people were taken away.

They dared to make trouble at the important ceremony of Prince York's Sky Corporation. They were probably going to spend the rest of their lives in prison regardless of their identities.

After today's highlight ended, this meant that Sky Corporation had become the top group of South Light from now onward.

This was the fact regardless of whether others accepting it or not.

In a villa by the sea, the waves were crashing onto the sand.

This place was Stephen York's temporary foothold.

Eric Cloude, James Surrey, Callum Robbins, and Grandma Yates all gathered together.

Eric said solemnly, "Young Master Stephen, this matter doesn't make sense!"

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“I didn’t turn to any big bosses from the streets for help this time to be more secure. Moreover, I specially recruited a strong security company to settle this matter. Normally, no trouble would befall these people!”

Callum also frowned and said, “We have paid a big price this time. They are in the police station now. If they rat us out, it would certainly be troublesome!”

Grandma Yates said indifferently, “You can rest assured. The Yates family has already used our connections with the police station. Those that they could let go, they would let them go. Those that they couldn’t, they wouldn’t talk any nonsense.”

Eric and the others sighed in relief after hearing this.

They were still a little afraid of Prince York. If Prince York had something on them, it would surely torment them.

However, the Yates family had already dealt with

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those loose ends. Hence, they were a little relieved.

At this moment, Stephen, who was quiet initially, suddenly smiled and spoke, “Old Yates, I have a question, but I don’t know whether I should ask you or not.”

Grandma Yates frowned and said, “If you have anything to say, just do so, Young Master Stephen. I’ll tell you anything.”

Stephen smiled and said, “I heard that Prince York proposed to a woman in this ceremony, and that woman happens to be the granddaughter of the Yates family. Am I right?”

“Since the Yates family has such a son-in-law, won’t you tell him anything beforehand?”

Eric, Callum, and James’ gazes instantly fell on Grandma Yates after hearing Stephen’s words. They were a little skeptical toward Grandma Yates.

As the saying goes, “All the hustle and bustle in the world is only for money and interest.”

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If they stood in her shoes, if their granddaughter could marry Prince York, they would undoubtedly betray the others without hesitation.

However, Grandma Yates said indifferently, “Stop kidding, Young Master Stephen. The Yates family doesn’t have such luck!

“The unfilial girl has already rejected Prince York on the spot!”

Stephen slightly nodded when he heard those words. Then, he slowly stood up and said, “If that’s the case, I’m not worried about you.

“However, it’s just a test of time. Please contemplate about what we should do next.

“A lion doesn’t stint its strength in wrestling with a rabbit. Moreover, the other party isn’t just a rabbit!”

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“I hope that I will receive good news the next time you come!”

Stephen York turned and left after speaking.

For him, the ideal result was that Prince York and the four first-class families were both weakened. Only then could he reap all the benefits.

Therefore, there was something that he could not point out to protect his interests.

The words that he had spoken this time were a reminder for them.

Callum took a deep breath and said after Stephen had left, “Everyone, although Young Master Stephen didn’t say anything, we couldn’t drag the matter on like this. We can’t just solely rely on the Yorks.”

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“So, have you found out anything about Prince York’s real identity?”

The other three chiefs shook their heads. “We have used many connections. However, we still couldn’t find out about it.”

Grandma Yates’ phone rang at this moment. She said in a deep voice after answering the call, “Just now, my son, Keith called and told me that although Prince York’s identity was yet to be found, for the time being, Ray’s background might be traceable!”

“You can start with Ray to uncover Prince York’s identity!”

James said casually, “Then, why not we start with Prince York’s secretary, Yvonne Xavier?”

Grandma Yates sneered, “Don’t you know that Yvonne is the granddaughter of the first-in-command of South Light?”

“Although I don’t know why she would work just as

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a secretary in Sky Corporation, who dare to take action against her?”

Callum thought for a while and said, “Old Yates, since we can determine Yvonne’s identity, we can actually start with her and see who is that powerful person that she serves.

“We also need to determine the relationship between Yvonne and that person. If there’s a romantic relationship between them, then we have to get lost as soon as possible. Since Old Xavier is there, we can’t win!”

“That’s not necessarily the case!” James snorted coldly. “We have the Leo family in Hong Kong supporting us. The Leo family had a huge influence all over the world. Chief Leo was once the richest man in the world!

“We don’t have to be afraid of Sheldon Xavier with Chief Leo protecting us!

“What’s more, didn’t that person already propose to the granddaughter of the Yates family?”

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“This only goes to show that he has nothing to do with Old Xavier’s granddaughter!”

Everyone present slightly nodded in agreement as soon as this statement came out.

Eric frowned and said, “Then what should we do next?”

Grandma Yates gave it a thought and said, “For the time being, don’t do anything just yet. Let the outstanding young people of their respective families approach Yvonne first.”

The faces of the three chiefs suddenly brightened after hearing Grandma Yates’ words.

Eric clapped his hands and said, “Old Yates is indeed from an aristocratic family. How could she even come up with such an idea?!”

“In truth, we don’t even have to guess what’s the relationship between Yvonne and Prince York!”

“However, there are many excellent men in our

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family. Let them sacrifice a little and bring Yvonne over to us. Then, Old Xavier will definitely be on our side!”

“Yes, yes, yes. Now that Sky Corporation has just been established and flinging up skyscrapers. Just let Prince York be arrogant. We can even send some generous gifts to flatter him!”

“It’s never too late for the kill after we’ve brought Yvonne to our side or after confirming his true identity!”

“As the saying goes, we have to strike while the iron is hot.”

Those chiefs were men with a great deal of experience.

They had decided what should be done next in just a short deliberation at that moment.

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At Sky Corporation.

Harvey York, who was in the CEO's office, frowned slightly.

Now that the three big corporations had been merged, there had been some difficulties with Sky Corporation's management.

Sky Corporation had no shortage of funds but had insufficient manpower.

Great talents were the hardest to find. Harvey could not handle too many things all by himself.

Thus, Harvey quickly gave Ray Hart and Yvonne Xavier a general guideline for employment.

'First, look for a group of veterans who had followed me three years ago. Of course, look for

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those who were loyal to me back then.’

‘Second, go and find some talented people to fill the vacancies for the executive positions.’

Ray was a little embarrassed at the moment and said, “CEO York, although I have experience in housekeeping, I can’t manage such a large corporation. In my opinion, how about letting Yvonne make decisions in the future?”

Yvonne smiled bitterly and said after hearing his words, “It’s not that I refuse to help the CEO, but my energy is limited. Our CEO is an absentee landlord. He leaves all the major and minor matters of the corporation to me. I have my hands full right now!”

Harvey smiled after listening to their complaints. “Our Sky Corporation has become a comprehensive group after integrating two large groups, including the assets from the York Corporation and Silva Corporation. It even spans several provinces. So, these things need to be dealt with slowly. We can’t

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rush it!

“Yvonne, you will continue to preside over the daily affairs for me, including personnel, investment, and finance...

“Ray, the Hart family is good at investing in shopping malls and hotels. Besides, this was originally the main business of the Silva family. You will be responsible for this...

“As for those industries in other provinces...”

Harvey rubbed his temples and continued, “Don’t meddle with the industries in Wolsing and Mordu at the moment. Just keep them as they are...”

“This is because the local businesses in Mordu and Wolsing are too strong, and various parties are intertwined. If they step in recklessly, it may cause a backlash to the industries in South Light!

“However, we can start from Gangnam. San Francisco and Golden Sands are both places where the Yorks have invested heavily in the past. I will

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have to go and deal with some matters there myself.”

Harvey settled some things that were initially headaches in just a few comments.

“CEO, if you go to Gangnam in person, does it mean that you will not return to South Light any time soon?”

Yvonne was feeling a little worried.

After all, Gangnam was not Sky Corporation’s territory. He might not be able to suppress the local tyrants when he went there.

Harvey thought about it for a while and said, “I’ll take some time to go there and won’t stay for too long. I will find a way to integrate the assets in San Francisco and Golden Sands and ultimately establish a new branch in Gangnam.

“Please help me choose a person who is capable and trustworthy. He’ll take over Gangnam’s affairs for me at that time.”

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Yvonne nodded and said, "I'll go and confirm the selection of personnel. Our family still has some connections in Gangnam. It should be possible to find one or two local people for that."

Harvey laughed and said, "Okay, I'll go and check it out when the time comes and do pick the best candidate."

Harvey's expression became serious after Yvonne had left. He said, "I'll go to Gangnam after the situation here is stable."

"Go and meet Tyson Woods. Tell him to keep an eye on the four first-class families and that he can make use of the relationship with Ethan Hunt whenever he sees fit."

"During my absence, please help to take care of Sky Corporation, my wife, and her family."

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“Of course!”

When no one was around, Ray Hart immediately gave a standard military salute.

Harvey York reached out his hand and gave a tap on Ray's shoulder, then turned around and left.

At home, Simon Zimmer and Lilian Yates were there.

It seemed like they were in the middle of a conversation but were quite displeased after causing a stir.

The atmosphere at home became thicker after they saw Harvey returned home.

Naturally, the family was most likely arguing about the situation of Prince York's proposal.

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Only Xynthia Zimmer was sitting in the corner speechless.

'Prince York is Brother-In-Law, Brother-In-Law is Prince York. How simple is that?!'

'Why can't I just say it?!'

Xynthia Zimmer ran over and intimately embraced Harvey York's arm after seeing him return home.

"Brother-In-Law, you're back! If you're any later, they're going to fight!"

"Xynthia, stay away from him!"

Simon Zimmer blew his beard and glared at him.

Lilian Yates immediately shifted her hatred toward Harvey York.

"Where did you go? If you don't know when to come home, then get away from the family!"

"If you do, perhaps we can still live a few days' worth of a wealthy life!"

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Harvey York did not mind at all. He would be dead from anger if he actually cared about the things that his parents-in-law said all those years.

He then walked toward Mandy Zimmer and reached out his hand to rub on her head.

“Mandy, don’t be too mad—your parents are only concerned for your well-being.”

She was boiling with anger; she rolled her eyes and exclaimed, “Are you planning to piss me off too?”

“Why would you say that they’re just concerned for my well-being when my parents asked me to marry Prince York?”

Harvey York felt helpless.

‘That’s right. It is for your own good after all.’

‘You’ll come back to me in the end whether you marry Prince York or me.’

After looking at Mandy Zimmer about to throw

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another fit, Harvey York swiftly changed the subject and said: “Mom, Dad, Mandy—I heard something good when I left the ceremony today. I’m sure you’ll be interested!”

Simon Zimmer and Lilian Yates did not want to bat him an eye before, but they could not hold in their urge to look at him.

Mandy Zimmer can’t help but ask: “What is it?”

Harvey York chuckled.

“Prince York’s proposing to Mandy; this means the gifts that got sent to the Zimmers before belong to her, including the villa, right?”

“Quinn had kept all the gifts like she owned them, and the Zimmers all had their hands on the gifts as well.”

“Now that Mandy has rejected Prince York’s proposal, the gifts would most likely be taken back.”

“When?” Simon Zimmer subconsciously asked.

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“I heard that it’s tomorrow,” Harvey York replied.

Simon Zimmer coldly chuckled after hearing this.

“Good, very good! We’ll go and enjoy the show tomorrow!”

“The Zimmers think that they’re so good—kicking our whole family out of the Zimmers and breaking all connections with us?!”

“Didn’t the old man always treat us like a bunch of money-losing goods?!”

“We’ll see tomorrow who’s the real money-losing goods!”

Lilian Yates snorted coldly.

“That’s right! We have to see with our own eyes!”

Naturally, it was a big blow to take for Simon Zimmer and Lilian Yates to get kicked out of the Zimmer family.

Even Mandy Zimmer was quite curious about the

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situation. So, naturally, she would follow.

“Are you coming?” Mandy Zimmer asked.

“Of course! I assume that Senior would welcome us whole-heartedly, but I don't think that Xynthia should go. Tomorrow's scene might not be suitable for children,” Harvey replied with a chuckle.

Ray Hart would attend the next day; when that day happens, the Zimmers would need to regurgitate the gifts back out.

A big spectacle like so would be more entertaining if seen with one's own eyes after all.

After all, Harvey York still remembered the words that Senior Zimmer said to him.

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On the next day, early morning.

Mandy Zimmer and her family drove her car to the Zimmer Villa.

All the Zimmers were gathered at the hall of the villa. All of them had received the news the day before.

Sky Corporation would be at their doorstep today; they were worried sick to the point where they could not even sleep.

“We’re finished! Sky Corporation wants our heads on pikes today!”

“Sigh, what blasphemous logic is this for us to return all of the gifts?! They were gifts! It’s already as good as ours if it’s gifted to us!”

“Right! We didn’t ask for it either. They were

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handed to us! How ungenerous of him to take them all back now!”

All the Zimmers knew why Sky Corporation came that day, but they all felt unwilling deep in their hearts.

The family would utterly be ruined if they tried to bring the gifts back after keeping them as their own.

Some of the gifts were already sold for a low price. They would have to pay ten times the initial selling price to retrieve those gifts back.

At that moment, Quinn Zimmer came in through the side door silently while her face was as swollen as a pig.

The people all coldly shouted at her when they all noticed her creeping in.

“It’s all Quinn’s fault! If she didn’t constantly say that the gifts are her own, we wouldn’t even be that reckless about this!”

“Yeah! She has no self-awareness at all. How would

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Prince York even be attracted to a vixen like her?”

“It’s fine if she’s only daydreaming, but she dragged us into the water with her too! I really want to choke her to death right now!”

Obviously, those people wanted Quinn Zimmer to be their scapegoat.

Her face had turned as dark as night after hearing the insults.

The people were still desperately licking her boots the day before.

But they could not wait to trample over her that day.

The Zimmers were to the point of shamelessly clinging onto situations that fit their needs.

At this moment, Mandy Zimmer and her family came over to the villa.

The Zimmers were exhilarated after seeing her arrival.

Senior Zimmer immediately jumped off his iron

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throne and walked swiftly toward Mandy after a long moment of silence.

“Mandy, why are you here? Did you think this through? Are you marrying Prince York?”

Senior Zimmer was terribly excited. He was worried sick to the point that he could not sleep the night before.

He could never think of a solution until now.

If she would marry Prince York, then that would fix all the problems right away.

“Patriarch Zimmer, we’re only here to see the show. We have no intention of interfering with the family’s business,” Harvey York said while smiling.

“A live-in son-in-law like you has no right to speak!”

Senior Zimmer was boiling with anger as soon as he saw Harvey York.

‘If it weren’t for this live-in son-in-law, the

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Zimmers would already be one of Buckwood's first-rated families!

In his eyes, Harvey was just an obstacle preventing the Zimmers from going toward the path of infinite wealth and glory.

Senior Zimmer's gaze shifted toward Mandy straight away and said, "Mandy, don't let this worthless sack of trash affect your decision!

"I know that you will just sit idly and watch the family slowly decay and go bankrupt. Will you sacrifice yourself for the family just this once?"

Senior Zimmer tried his best to convince her while forming tears in his eyes.

The other members of the family all had their turn speaking as well.

"That's right, Mandy. Without you, the Zimmers won't sustain!"

"The Zimmers worked really hard all these years to build this foundation, barely surviving in

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Buckwood, and you have a big part in this accomplishment. Would you rather just watch the Zimmers be ruined?”

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Mandy Zimmer was calm. She did not say a single word.

Even though it was a bit unbearable, she did not show her emotions.

But Lilian Yates still remembered the moment when she was kicked out of the Zimmers along with her family.

She then coldly chuckled and exclaimed, “Everyone, all of your skins are thicker than castle walls!

“Don’t you all remember the things that you said here yesterday?

“Need I remind you all?

“Only one day had passed, and you’ve already

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treated the things you said like farts in the wind.
How shameless!”

The Zimmers’ expressions all changed for the worse after being insulted.

The family felt unperturbed, forcing Mandy Zimmer and her family to sign the contract to break all ties previously, but they were immediately aggrieved.

Senior Zimmer finally let out a huge sigh and said, “Simon, Lilian. I beg of you!

“Be the bigger person here!

“Your hearts should be big enough to stomach the whole family!

“My eyes were blinded by other people before!

“Now I finally realize who’s the most important for the family!

“I swear that if your family comes back, everyone will support Mandy’s business!

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“Besides, don't you want to kick this filth out of the family for good and live the life of an upperclassman?”

“If you can be Prince York's parents-in-law, you would be able to do as you please in all of South Light!”

Simon Zimmer and Lilian Yates felt indifferent toward Senior Zimmer's speech in the beginning.

They knew of his character all too well, they would be utterly taken advantage of if they believed a single word he said.

But they had a change of heart by the words that he said after.

They were arguing about the situation back home. At that moment, the two were immediately swayed by Senior Zimmer's words.

“Whether I marry Prince York or not is not my parents' choice,” Mandy Zimmer responded coldly to that situation.

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She was a bit hesitant before, but she had lost all pity toward the family after seeing Senior Zimmer's attitude.

"Besides, it doesn't even concern you if I do marry Prince York!

"Let's not forget, I'm not a part of the Zimmers anymore!"

"Mandy, are you that adamant about never forgiving us? What kind of family causes such a big commotion between each other?! What do we have to do for you to come back?!"

Zack Zimmer chimed in at the right time.

"I'll even kneel just for you!"

He showed sincerity on the outside, but he did not even do as he said; he was just gesturing.

At the same time, Senior Zimmer furiously glared at Quinn Zimmer.

She then walked out with her face as swollen like a

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pig and said in a warbled voice, "Please, Mandy. Consider this a favor for me?"

"Grandfather said that he'd sell me off to Africa if you don't come back, I won't be able to come back forever. I don't want to live a life like that!

"Please, aren't we good sisters?!"

The weeping beauty, Quinn Zimmer, delivered her speech while pretending to make a helpless expression, but that had only thoroughly disgusted Mandy Zimmer even more.

Even she was perplexed. How did she not see through Quinn Zimmer's excellent acting skills after all this time?

Harvey then walked forward and smiled.

"Patriarch Zimmer, is there any use talking nonsense right now?"

"Let's talk business, shall we?"

"Are you living comfortably in this villa?"

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“You haven’t already spent all of Prince York’s gifts, have you?”

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“You...”

The Zimmers were boiling with anger after they got insulted by Harvey York.

Zack Zimmer pointed at him and exclaimed furiously, “So what if we spent all of it?! Can a live-in son-in-law like you even question our decisions?! Stop joking around!”

“You eat our food, drink our water, then you spout out nonsense like this. Have you no shame?”

Zack was acting as if he had nothing to lose. He couldn't get the money anyway, but a life was ready to be taken in front of him.

The Zimmers' Patriarch was Senior Zimmer as well. He could bear the problems if any were to arise.

He was not afraid in the slightest.

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“I hope your temper is just as bad in a bit.”

Harvey smiled.

“Tch, Harvey. Are you just here to watch me make a fool out of myself? Stop dreaming!

“Who do you think I am? I don’t bend over backward because of some meager pay. How can you possibly make a joke out of me?”

“Do you actually think I’m as filthy as you?!”

Senior Zimmer was pleased; it seemed like the most ambitious person was still Zack Zimmer.

The Zimmers were at their wits’ end, but he still had such high integrity.

At this moment, a row of Lexus SUVs was parked in front of the villa’s entrance. Ray Hart could be seen leading a group of people while they marched into the Zimmer Villa.

Ray Hart showed some hint of respect when he saw

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Harvey York from afar, then subconsciously bowed.

All the Zimmers were trembling in their boots when they saw Ray Hart.

They had all attended the ceremony the day before. They naturally knew who he was.

Ray Hart was actually bowing toward the direction of the Zimmers at that moment.

All the Zimmers stared at each other after being scared witless. They were all confused beyond belief.

Ray Hart, the first vice CEO of Sky Corporation, was only second to one man.

But he still respectfully bowed toward the direction of the Zimmers!

Maybe Mandy Zimmer regretted her decision the night before!

Or maybe Prince York had a revelation; if he could not marry Mandy Zimmer, he could just marry any other women in the Zimmer family.

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Along with this fantasy's thoughts, all the women at the scene immediately started to touch up their makeup.

Even though the possibility of this happening was one in a million, they were still hanging on to that sliver of hope.

That was because that would be their only way to rise to the top of the ranks.

“Sir Ray, may I ask what you're doing here...?”

Senior Zimmer walked in front after forcing himself to calm down.

Ray Hart's eyelids were dead shut when he calmly replied, “All of you should know who I am.

“Also, I am here to inform you that the gifts that we gave the Zimmers, the villa included, were gifted to you by the York family representing my house's prince.”

Senior Zimmer let out a faint smile.

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Ray Hart was not trying to be harsh at all while explaining the situation.

He then chuckled and replied, "Naturally, we understand that the gifts came from Prince York."

"Then, where are the gifts now?" Ray Hart asked.

Senior Zimmer's heart skipped a beat but still forced out a laugh and replied, "Of course they're still there. Just like the villa, we have been taking good care of it, but..."

"That's good then."

Ray Hart swiftly cut him off.

"I came here today for only one objective.

"I heard that the Zimmers had already broken all ties with Mrs. Mandy Zimmer and that the gifts were supposed to be for her.

"That's why Prince York asked me to retrieve the gifts back."

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Boom!

Even though everyone was prepared for this to happen, but the people that saw that sliver of hope before all had their minds blown.

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Ray Hart was so respectful in the beginning before as if he saw his master.

But his words came out so brutally honest.

Naturally, the Zimmers would never know that Ray was respectful because Harvey York was there.

If it weren't for him, how would he ever be this civilized and well-mannered?

Senior Zimmer forced a smile and said, "Sir Ray, please. You must be joking! In what world do gifts get taken back anyway?"

"Is it because Mandy rejected Prince York the day before that he wanted the gifts back?"

"If that's the case, give us three days, no no no. One day! In one day, we'll make her accept the

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proposal!”

“No need!” Ray replied coldly.

“The Prince said that his woman and his marriage are personal problems. Nobody is allowed to interfere!

“Because the Zimmers have already broken all ties with his woman, the gifts do not have anything to do with you anymore.

“And I came here to retrieve the gifts because Prince York willed me to.”

Senior Zimmer’s body wobbled. He was almost on the verge of passing out, and his face had lost all color.

He thought that Ray was only respectful. If he declared to let Mandy Zimmer marry Prince York, that would solve all problems in an instant.

He did not think that they didn’t care whether Mandy married Prince York or not.

As for retrieving the gifts, he thought that the

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problem lies within her having no more ties with the family anymore.

That was why the Zimmers did not have the right to take the gifts in the first place.

A minute ago, when Senior Zimmer saw Ray Hart's attitude, he still thought that the Zimmers might have another chance to rise again and that he could still be an upperclassman in Buckwood, maybe even the entire South Light.

But before his dream was even formed, Ray Hart had already popped his bubble.

Zack Zimmer walked forward while gritting his teeth at that moment.

He had to go because the people that spent the most gifts besides Quinn Zimmer were him and his father.

They had to come forward.

Zack Zimmer took a deep breath and said, "Sir Ray, there was never a saying of gifts being returned

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since ancient times.

“No matter the reason!

“If you want us to give the gifts back, at least give the Zimmers a proper statement!”

“A statement?”

Ray Hart chuckled, then showed a face full of disdain.

“Who are you to tell me that?”

“The Zimmers are nothing.

“Who do you think the Zimmers are?”

“You want me to give you a statement?”

“You’re not even worth my time!”

Zack Zimmer’s face turned as dark as night, he looked back at Senior Zimmer and decided the next moment.

Things had already escalated to his point, he had to

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give his all.

There was nothing left to lose.

Without a second thought, Zack struck a fighting pose.

Admittedly, Zack still had some tricks up his sleeves. He still had a few die-hards in the Zimmers even until this point.

Someone from the Zimmers coldly chuckled and exclaimed, "Then, who are you really, Ray? Do you even have the right to show off your strength in front of the Zimmers?!"

"Even if Mandy broke all ties with us, we've taken care of her for so long. What's she going to do, betray her previous carers?"

"You're just a dog that Prince York feeds! Would you dare to bite whoever you want?!"

"If you offend the Zimmers, are you not scared that someday Mandy might have it figured out and marry your Prince?"

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“When that happens, how is a mere dog like you going to face us, the Zimmers?!”

All the Zimmers’ feelings were surging violently as well. All of them were furiously shouting at Ray Hart in unison at that moment.

A spectacle like that would most likely scare off quite a few people.

It was a shame that they met Ray Hart that day.

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What kind of person was Ray Hart?

Ray Hart was Harvey York's personal bodyguard back then. He marched in front of millions of soldiers and horses of the five strongest countries.

Even when the opposition was wielding powerful firearms, he would not even blink.

How could a man like him even be scared by the Zimmers' way of intimidating people just by using powerful connections?

As Ray Hart straightened his body, a terrifying aura was seething out of his body.

He had restrained himself when he was in front of Harvey York.

But he could not control his temper at that

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moment. Even patriarchs of first-rated families could not compare themselves to a powerful aura such as this.

Harvey York nodded from the side.

Ray Hart was exceptional. He still had the mannerisms from long before when he was in the Sword Camp.

Ordinary people would indeed be overwhelmed seeing Ray Hart's mannerisms, but Harvey remained indifferent.

Any of Sword Camp's ordinary soldiers would be similar to him after all.

Ray Hart said calmly, "So, you're saying that you won't return the gifts to Prince York."

"Give us a reason that we'll be satisfied with; if not, we're not returning the gifts!"

Zack Zimmer was frightened, but he could only suppress his fright at that moment.

Ray Hart chuckled.

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“Interesting, it’s been years since anyone dared to disrespect Prince York like this.

“Since you need a reason to be satisfied, I’ll give it to you.”

In the middle of his speech, he brought out a stack of documents and casually threw them in front of the Zimmers.

All the Zimmers subconsciously picked up the documents and looked at them. All their faces changed one after another.

The documents were evidence of the Zimmers conspiring with each other in Zimmer Enterprise to defraud the company.

Even though they knew full well about this, they would all have to be put behind bars if the police found out about those affairs.

The Zimmers that were shouting at Ray Hart earlier were tilting their heads low at that very moment. Now, they could not even look at him straight in the

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eye.

They thoroughly understood the true meaning of being the top echelon of South Light.

A few years' worths of evidence were thoroughly gathered in a single night. Also, everything was compiled together perfectly.

Under those circumstances, the Zimmers would end up terribly if they kept opposing Ray Hart. Just horrible!

“How's that? Are you satisfied? Is this enough reason for you?” Ray Hart calmly asked.

Zack Zimmer's face had lost all color. Most of the evidence was of him and his father. If they were to be exposed, they would be behind bars for a long while.

And a wealthy child like Zack, whose life was served on a silver platter, could never fathom if he were to experience misery such as this.

But, how could they even return the gifts?

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The money was already split between the Zimmers back then, and a considerable amount of jewelry was sold off as well.

It was safe to say that other than the villa, the Zimmers could not return anything else.

After wiping off cold sweats on his forehead, Zack dared not to stand in front of Ray any longer. He did not even hesitate to call out to Senior Zimmer.

“Grandfather, Sir Ray’s request is reasonable—we should do as he said!”

Zack broke out a smile that was uglier than a cry at that moment.

Senior Zimmer’s face turned for the worse after hearing what Zack said.

The Zimmers had previously sold off almost all of their businesses in Niumhi to start anew in Buckwood.

Also, most of the gifts were already squandered.

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How could they possibly return the money now?

Senior Zimmer was helpless at that moment. He could only take a glance at the family and grit his teeth.

“Bring back everything that you took and spent before!

“Especially you!”

Senior Zimmer furiously glared at Quinn Zimmer; everyone silently agreed that the gifts were sent to her. She had already taken out almost half of it.

The others needed to please her even to get a small share of the gifts.

Of course, Zack Zimmer and his father had quite a significant share themselves.

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Quinn Zimmer started panicking at that moment.

“Grandfather, I spent all of the money. I sold off most of the things as well.”

Zack Zimmer was also gritting his teeth.

“Grandfather, you know we spend quite an amount daily. That money has already been long gone.

“There’s no way to get those things back beside the villa itself.”

The other people in the Zimmers had no other choice. They had to tell the truth.

Of course, they wouldn’t say where they spent the money.

What if they were forced to sell off the houses and cars that they bought?

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The Zimmers could fall, but they could not be bankrupt!

“You Zimmers had the nerve to do that after all!”
Ray Hart exclaimed calmly.

“But, some things can be spit back out.”

“I don't care if you sell off your other assets or your company's stocks to repay the debt, but I can guarantee that you'll live the rest of your lives behind bars if you miss even a single dollar.”

The Zimmers' hearts sank to the bottom.

There was no doubt about Ray Hart's power, even more so since he had the support of South Light's top man, Prince York himself!

If he wanted the Zimmers to go to jail, he could do so with a snap of his fingers.

So much evidence was already gathered. There was no need to search for more.

But the money, along with the other gifts, was

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worth millions. There was no way that the Zimmers could even find that amount of money anywhere!

“Give us a day. I’ll make sure that we’ll return the same amount!”

Senior Zimmer finally gave in and gave his word.

Everyone in the Zimmers had a part in spending the gifts. Nobody could push the blame onto anyone.

The only thing Senior Zimmer could do was delay time and see how the family could handle the situation.

“Fine, I can give you a day. I expect you to send the exact amount to Mandy’s house at the same time tomorrow.

“The gifts were meant for her, after all.”

Senior Zimmer’s eyes lit up as soon as he heard that as if he caught the last straw deep in water.

“Sir Ray, there’s no need to return the gifts if it was meant for Mandy!

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“This is the Zimmers’ internal affair. We can handle it on our own!”

But of course, Ray Hart did not have the intention to spare him.

“Number one: Mandy Zimmer has no ties with your family anymore!

“Number two: returning the gifts and giving them are two different matters!

“Number three: I’ll send someone to keep an eye on you. If someone were to deceive me, you know what’ll happen next!”

“But Mandy already rejected Prince York. Why are you still giving her the gifts?!”

Quinn Zimmer’s heart was unwilling at that moment.

She always thought that the gifts were meant for her, but they weren’t. They were intended for Mandy, and she still could not accept that fact.

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“My Prince has a lot of money. What’s wrong with sending some gifts for a woman that he loves? It’s not like you govern his every move anyway.”

Ray Hart glared at Quinn as if he was looking at a person with a mental health condition.

She was so mad to the point where she almost puked blood.

In her eyes, the gifts that were arguably more invaluable than her own life had turned into gifts for Mandy.

She could not hold in her anger at that moment.

“I don’t get it! Why would Prince York look up to a bastard like her?! She’s already married, a loose woman! How can she ever compete with me?!”

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Ray Hart's facial expression instantly turned as cold as ice.

'The Prince is right there. How dare this shameless woman call Mandy a loose woman?'

Ray Hart immediately walked up to Quinn Zimmer, grabbed her throat with his left hand, and then slapped her across her face with the other.

Ray Hart's slap was more severe compared to Senior Zimmer's the previous day.

The slap was enough to make a few teeth fly out of her mouth.

After throwing Quinn Zimmer to the ground, Ray Hart then said with disdain, "I feel like my hands are getting dirty just by touching you. How dare you still spout nonsense about Prince York?"

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“What are you even worth?”

“You’re nothing!”

Quinn was left in a daze.

She usually had a sharp tongue and was extremely arrogant, but she could not even utter a single word at this moment.

“If I don’t see the gifts sent to The Gardens Residence at the same time tomorrow, what you see before you right now will all show up in Buckwood Police Station.

“I guarantee you that the speed of the inspectors there will far surpass your imaginations!”

After he was done with his speech, Ray Hart swiftly left with his entourage.

Inside the Zimmer Villa, the ambiance was incredibly depressing.

“Sean, Zack. What are we going to do now?”

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Senior Zimmer felt as if he had shaved off a few dozen years from his life. He stumbled back to his iron throne and sat on it, barely catching his breath.

Zack and Sean Zimmer's eyes locked together. Their expressions were as grim as they could be.

They then glared at Quinn Zimmer, filled with vex.

If it weren't for this woman thinking that she was the woman that Prince York looked up to and took the gifts like her own in the first place, the other members from the Zimmer family would not have followed suit.

Zack and Sean Zimmer deeply regretted their decisions, but there was no use crying over spilt milk.

"Just let Mandy say that the gifts are already sent to her. How about that?!" exclaimed someone from the family.

Before Mandy Zimmer could even open her mouth, Lilian Yates immediately glared at her and refuted.

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“Impossible. Why should we say that we have the gifts if we don't have them in the first place?”

Lilian only cared about one thing.

And that was the gifts worth millions of dollars, the villa included!

“Lilian, are you just going to sit there and watch as the Zimmers burn to the ground?!”

“The Zimmers took you in for so many years. Can you not show just a little gratitude?!”

“That's right! You all should be helping now that the Zimmers are in trouble. It's just a lie. Even Harvey's good at that. Just ask him to teach you! What's so hard about that?”

“We all have a part in spending the money and selling the goods. Do you want the whole family to fall apart?!”

The Zimmer family was genuinely united at that moment. They had all forgotten how they treated

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Mandy Zimmer and her family before. 2

Those people were selfish. They desperately wanted to coerce Mandy Zimmer to tell a lie.

They hoped that they wouldn't need to take out everything they had saved up to pay for the debt.

Mandy Zimmer replied at that moment: "I have no opinions about this, but who will bear the responsibilities if Sir Ray finds out about this?"

"Obviously, I can't be the only one to shoulder it. Right?"

All the Zimmers turned dead silent.

She would definitely not shoulder the responsibilities for them. She was not born yesterday.

But they knew full well the consequences of lying to Ray Hart, and that was to be put behind bars for the rest of their lives...

Even Senior Zimmer was worried sick despite still

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wanting her to abet.

If he really went to prison at this age, would he still be alive before he was able to get out?

After enjoying a lifetime full of wealth and glory, who would be willing to die in a prison cell?

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Senior Zimmer finally said hesitantly, “Mandy, we said that you have no more ties with the family anymore; but even if we’re incredibly cold-hearted, I genuinely hope that you can help us this one last time!

“After this, the family will have no more quarrels with you whatsoever!”

Naturally, Senior Zimmer was trying to bait her gratitude.

Mandy Zimmer did not even want to bat them an eye, but she had gotten softer after seeing Senior Zimmer’s old and pitiful look.

“I can help you come up with an idea, but it’ll be up to you whether you want to execute it or not.”

“Good, pray tell!”

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Senior Zimmer's eyes lit up.

She then took a deep breath and replied coldly, "Didn't you all sell off the gifts and split the money, then used it to buy cars and houses?"

"Sell off everything that you bought and see how much you can all gather. We'll talk about the rest later!"

Quinn Zimmer was the first one to boil with anger as soon as she heard that suggestion.

"Mandy, what do you mean? Do you want us all to sleep on the streets from now on?!"

"You know better than I where you get your cars and houses from. They weren't yours in the first place. Isn't it normal to return what isn't yours?"

Mandy Zimmer reasoned calmly.

"I don't care. I'm not selling anything! I'd rather die with everyone else!" Quinn quickly replied with a sad face.

The Zimmers were all discontent after hearing what

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she said.

“Quinn, can you at least have common sense? You took at least half of the gifts. Isn't it normal for you to sell off your cars and houses?”

“You spent the most money. Of course, you should be the one spitting the money back out first!”

“If you want to die, go jump off a building or something! But even if you die, we'll sell off your property either way!”

Even though the Zimmers did not know if they could keep their property in the end, but no matter what, it would be the right move to force Quinn Zimmer to sell off her assets first.

Because she took the biggest slice of cake compared to everyone else.

“You don't get to hide away from this either, Zack. Didn't you buy a big flat not long ago? Sell it off and get the money back!”

“And you!”

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For a long while, the entire family had a dogfight. It was unremarkable and unsightly.

Harvey York saw the sight and walked out of the Zimmer Villa a moment after.

He did not care at all about what would happen to the Zimmers in the end.

People must always pay for whatever they did.

The patriarch of the Zimmers cut all ties with Mandy Zimmer on his own accord.

The things that were given to them because of Mandy Zimmer should naturally be returned.

This was the course of nature. Judgment was at hand.

At the entrance of the villa, Harvey York saw Mandy Zimmer walking out of the door.

“What’s wrong? Do you feel bad for them?”

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She shook her head.

“Not really. The Zimmers had only gotten this low because of their own wrongdoing anyway.

“Even without the gifts, the Zimmers would fall apart eventually.”

Naturally, she had already realized the underlying problem within the Zimmers.

But she was a part of the family. After all, there was no way that she could just leave them.

That was why she had been bitterly supporting the family despite her circumstances.

But now that the Zimmers had cut all ties with her, besides bearing grief and sympathy, it was impossible for her to do anything for the Zimmers after seeing them in this sorry state.

It was not because she was heartless but that the family had owed her too much.

Her heart had frozen over completely.

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“Do you think that they’ll gather the gifts in the end?” Harvey asked rhetorically.

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Mandy Zimmer thought about it for a while and shook her head.

She didn't know, and to be honest, she did not want to know.

Harvey York continued speaking.

“At this rate, they won't be able to gather the gifts. The Zimmers had been lavished with glory and wealth, living luxurious lives. Even if they managed to sell off all the properties, they won't be able to recoup the amount they spent.

“But there is still a way for them to settle their debt.

“For example, you can still give them a little bit of money to survive, but all forty-nine percent of the Zimmer Enterprise's stocks have to be transferred to you.”

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“This...”

She hesitated on that idea. This was the only stock left for the Zimmers after all those years. If she were to take that away, the Zimmers would perish entirely.

After seeing her being hesitant, Harvey then said, “I know that you’re unwilling, but you’re also giving them a path of survival.

“If not, how would the last of the stocks be of use after they sell off everything else?”

“If Ray Hart is willing, he has a hundred ways to make Zimmer Enterprise’s market value plummet. When that happens, these stocks aren’t money anymore. They will become additional debt.

“You’re actually helping them by doing this.

“And didn’t you always want to establish a wealthy family on your own? This is the best chance to do so!

“Forty-nine percent of the stocks are in your

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hands, along with the support of Sky Corporation; your business will skyrocket. When that happens, I'll be able to slack off more at home."

Mandy Zimmer could not help but roll her eyes after hearing Harvey York's words, but her feelings had gotten better as well.

After a while of pondering, she then replied, "If they can't gather the gifts by tomorrow, I'll make the offer. As for what they decide in the end, I won't force them."

Harvey smiled. He did not say another word.

Even though he was the one that arranged the affairs, her character was still too compassionate.

However, the Zimmers' end would only depend on how they decide their actions.

Quinn Zimmer furiously stomped out of the villa at this moment.

Her face was once again swollen, clearly beaten up by someone else.

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She seemed like she ran out of the place but could not help but shout at Harvey York as soon as she saw him.

“Harvey York! It’s all because of you, you worthless filth! If you were a bit more capable, no one would even ask for Mandy’s hand in marriage!

“I turned out like this because of you, Filth!”

Harvey was dumbfounded.

‘What kind of logic is this?’

‘Mandy got proposed to because I’m too much of a filth?’

‘That’s why Quinn didn’t get a chance marrying into a wealthy family?’

After a moment of being speechless, Harvey then chuckled and replied.

“Quinn, what’s the point of blaming others?”

Nobody said that Prince York wanted to propose to

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you, and nobody said that the gifts were yours to take either!”

Quinn Zimmer’s expressions were miserable beyond belief; he was right after all.

But she was under the impression that the most impressive woman in this generation of Zimmers was her all this time!

What right did Mandy Zimmer have to compete against her? Was it because she had a live-in son-in-law?

“Harvey, Mandy. Just you wait! We’re not finished here! I’ll definitely be married into a rich family!

“And Mandy can never compete against me because she married a worthless sack of trash like you!

“I hope the two of you will live happily ever after!”

It was a blessing of some sort, but Quinn Zimmer’s words and intent were filled with venom.

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Harvey York smiled faintly. He was indifferent about Quinn Zimmer's hatred toward him.

Quinn Zimmer's confidence came from her mediocre looks.

A shame that she was only a little good-looking. Her beauty could not be compared to Mandy's, which would topple buildings.

For wealthy people, a woman like Quinn Zimmer would at most be a toy for them.

She could only dream of marrying into a wealthy family at most.

In Hong Kong, the sea breeze from Victoria Harbor blew toward Taiping Mountaintop.

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The mountain that only wealthy people could stay in did not have any winds blowing over for many years.

The top villa in the Taiping Mountaintop was considered the peak of the mountain itself.

The villa was able to overlook Hong Kong's entirety as if it had control over the families that reside within.

In reality, the Leo family did have the right to do so.

As one of the top four families in Hong Kong, the Leo family's power would be far beyond an ordinary man's imagination!

The people in Hong Kong knew that sixty percent of all the stocks belonged to the top four families.

And within the four top families, the Leo family occupied around twenty percent of the shares.

Aside from this, the Leo family had quite a lot of property in Country H, America, The Empire of the

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Sun that Never Sets, and many other countries.

Calling the Leo family the top family in Hong Kong was just an understatement.

But the heavily guarded top villa in Taiping Mountaintop had met with a disturbance that day.

A sage-like elderly man was requested to come outside from the most spacious room in the villa.

Alan Leo, the patriarch of the Leo family in Hong Kong.

The same man that founded Hong Kong on his own.

The man's fingers were trembling when he saw a silhouette of a person walking toward him.

“Bastard! How dare you show your face here?!”

“Father, it has been decades. I still can't believe you remember me after all this time. I'm so touched.”

Melissa Leo walked out slowly with her cane. Her demeanor was as majestic as a phoenix.

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“Come! Get this bastard out of here!” Alan Leo shouted furiously.

But it was dead silent everywhere.

All the Leo family’s bodyguards that were supposed to protect him at all cost were standing still with their hands on the side. They could not hide their admiration as their gazes landed on Melissa Leo.

She then said with an indifferent expression, “Now that I’m back, I am in control of everything that the Leos have. If you still know how to be a wise old man, you should be able to live your final days in happiness.”

“Tch! You’re not even fit to govern! Wait till my grandson comes back. He’ll make you as good as dead! He’s the only successor I would accept for the Leo family!” Alan Leo exclaimed.

“You mean, him?”

At that moment, Queenie York let out a terribly sweet smile while standing beside her and casually

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clapped her hands.

A man in his forties wearing a suit was requested to come forward.

His face was full of admiration, along with extreme fear when he was staring at Queenie York.

When he shifted his gaze toward Melissa Leo, he could only shiver in fear.

In the next moment, the sound of his knees impacting the floor could be heard.

“Chris...” Alan Leo cried out his name.

He entrusted all of his hopes and dreams to his eldest grandson, but he was kneeling in front of Melissa Leo as if he were her dog.

“This is the next successor of the Leo family? Is he even worthy?”

She let out a faint smile of ridicule.

“I told you, old man. The Leo family is mine. Since

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you wouldn't give it to me, I'll have to claim it myself today.”

“That's because only I am capable of leading the family toward Hong Kong's top.”

In the next moment, the others in the family all locked eyes. Someone came forward from the crowd and then bowed.

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“All hail the matriarch!”

Along with the sounds of cheering, the Leo family’s transfer of power was successful!

Melissa Leo had planned this for ten whole. She had the force akin to a rolling thunder when she returned to reclaim the Leo family’s authority.

At the top villa of Taiping Mountaintop.

Quinton York looked at his left palm, the freckles on his palm seemed like they changed.

He instinctively put down his palm when Melissa Leo walked up behind him.

“Having ambition is not a bad thing, but with only ambition and no planning—no method of achieving

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a decisive victory—that ambition will only burn you in the long run,” Melissa Leo looked at Victoria Harbor from afar as she spoke eloquently.

Quinton York was showing a hint of perplexity, then bowed soon after.

“Everything that I have right now was given to me by you. I would never dare to mention ambition in front of you.”

Melissa Leo smiled and calmly replied, “In your eyes, do you think that today’s efforts were successful?”

“Acquiring all authority of the Leos with force like a rolling thunder, it’s a natural success,” Quinton York answered respectfully.

“That’s right, we were able to take control even when the Leo family formulated plans against us. How would we lose control of a little town like Buckwood?”

It seemed like she chuckled bitterly after her speech.

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Quinton's expressions did not change, but cold sweats started to drip down his back.

He just did have any words to say at that moment.

Melissa Leo said calmly, "Tell Stephen that my patience is limited. If he doesn't finish all of his tasks in Buckwood when I'm done with my business in Hong Kong, I wouldn't mind losing another man from the four masters of the Yorks."

"Of course!"

Quinton nodded slightly.

"Grandma York, maybe I should just go on my own?"

"Whatever you prefer. The Leos' wealth and authority are under your control, but remember, don't test my patience!"

Melissa Leo then left after her speech.

After her silhouette was out of sight, Quinton York

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finally let out a sigh of relief after a long while of tensing his body.

He shifted his gaze toward Victoria Harbor soon after and said, "Come out."

An utterly beautiful silhouette came out of nowhere.

Queenie York leaned on the handrails on the roof and gave a faint smile.

"Quinton, do you really want to go back to Buckwood? According to the news that I've received, that man had successfully integrated all of the Yorks' assets.

"Aren't you falling right into his trap if you go back right now?"

Quinton let out another sigh.

"Do I have any other choice?"

"Grandma York had only failed twice in her entire lifetime; the first time was with the Leo family in Hong Kong, the second time was the York family in

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South Light.

“Now that she has regained control over the Leos, will she still sit and watch as the Yorks fall into Harvey’s hands once again?”

“But you might not be his opponent if you go now, even if you bring the Leos with you,” Queenie reasoned.

“Whatever happens, happens,” Quinton said calmly.

“Ever since Grandma York came into the family, the York family was already not named the Yorks.

“And since Harvey wanted to be Prince York, then some things are destined to happen.

“He could lead the Yorks to rise once again.

“Or he could lead the Yorks to ruins.

“He and I are just pawns, we don’t have a choice but to play into the actual players’ moves.”

Quinton turned around and left after his speech.

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Queenie smiled while looking at his silhouette.

Ambition.

She saw the same unyielding ambition in Quinton as well.

As a York himself, how would he be willing to dwell under the others?

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At Buckwood.

The next day, Senior Zimmer, Zack Zimmer, and Quinn Zimmer all showed up at The Gardens Residence.

All of them were holding property deeds, large amounts of jewelry, and lots of cash, among other possessions.

Those things were about to be handed over to Mandy Zimmer.

Just by looking at the sight filled Quinn with hatred.

All of this should be hers, but all of it would be Mandy's soon.

She was resentful!

On the other hand, Zack said sternly, "Grandfather,

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we sold off all property we had—but it was still not sufficient.”

Selling off cars and houses within a short time was only possible to be sold at low prices.

It was still not enough to gather the amount that they spent even with their savings and possessions.

Senior Zimmer looked like he had grown ten years older.

He let out a sigh.

“We still have to come here. We can only hope that Mandy helps us fabricate the truth for the sake of us being family before.

“If not, I’m afraid we won’t even have the capacity to beg for food on the streets!”

Quinn suddenly said, “Grandfather, why should we listen to what Ray Hart says?!”

“Right now, we can just take the money and the jewelry and leave Buckwood. Who can even stop us?!”

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“Even though we can’t take anyone else, the Zimmers will not fall if the three of us leave right now!

“We can search for a new place to rise once again with this money!”

Zack froze slightly after hearing Quinn’s argument, then also butted in on the conversation.

“Grandfather, this may be the best idea yet!

“Revenge is best served cold. We can leave now and we can come back for revenge when we’re filthy rich!”

‘These two are actually naive enough to think that they could just take the money and leave.

‘Have they not realized that the family’d been watched since yesterday?’

If the Zimmers did anything out of the ordinary, they would not be standing here at this moment.

Even if they were successful in taking the money

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and left, Senior Zimmer did not think they would have a good ending.

The two were even capable of selling out the other family members without hesitation, then getting themselves killed while on the run. How simple would that be?

One less person to split the money.

Despite Senior Zimmer not being too capable, he had quite a broad knowledge of the world's business side. He still had general knowledge.

He walked toward Quinn and gave a slap across her face.

Before Zack Zimmer could even react, he also gave a backhanded slap across his face.

“Zack, Quinn. I’m warning the both of you. Things have already escalated to this point. Stop thinking of nonsensical things!

“Today’s goal is clear, and that is to make sure Mandy helps us make up a story about the gifts. If

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not, then we shall go and beg for food on the streets!

“As for taking the money and leaving. Don’t even think about it!”

Zack and Quinn’s expressions were as dark as night when they heard Senior Zimmer’s speech.

They had already endured enough ridicule the previous day and then they needed to be respectful toward Mandy Zimmer today? They simply could not accept that fact.

But in front of the powerful Senior Zimmer, they would not dare to talk back.

“We’re sorry, Grandfather! It’s all our fault!”

Zack and Quinn had their heads tilted down, but their eyes could not conceal their hatred.

Senior Zimmer let out a sigh of relief after seeing those two give in.

“I know that I’ve made you go through a lot, but

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don't you forget, the Zimmers still have forty-nine percent of the company shares. We still have hope if we can survive today!"

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On the rooftop of Gardens Residence.

Simon Zimmer and Lilian Yates were already anxiously waiting in the hall.

It was as if the gifts actually belonged to them.

Soon after the doorbell rang, Lilian did not even lounge around and immediately rushed toward the door.

Just as if the gifts would suddenly fly away if she went any slower.

“Simon, Lilian...”

Senior Zimmer crossed his arms and came in the door warm-heartedly.

He had been a part of the Zimmers for most of his life. After all, Simon and Lilian were subconsciously

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scared of him because of it.

They both stopped their movements when they saw his figure.

“Simon, where’s Mandy?” Senior Zimmer asked calmly after seeing the two froze over.

Lilian came back to her senses after hearing his question. Her gaze then shifted toward the items that were in Quinn Zimmer and Zack Zimmer’s hands. Her eyes lit up soon after.

“Mandy went to the office. You can just hand me the things.”

Lilian did not even give the others time to speak up. She immediately reached her hand out to grab the items.

Zack and Quinn still could not bear to let go of the items. They held onto them tightly at that moment.

“What are you two doing?! The things are gifts for Mandy from Prince York himself!

“You should remember what Sir Ray said, right?”

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Lilian exclaimed while glaring at the two siblings.

Zack and Quinn Zimmer's faces were miserable as they could be, but still, they were unwilling to let go of the items.

"Come in, let me check if the numbers are correct, Sir Ray. They sent someone to hand us a gift list after all!

"If the numbers are incorrect, we won't acknowledge this gift!"

Lilian could not wait to set the items on the table and started to check on them.

The hearts of Senior Zimmer and the others skipped a beat after hearing what Lilian said. They did not expect that Ray Hart would actually send a gift list.

And the riches that they gathered now could not even compare to half of what it was previously.

Harvey York just woke up from the room at that moment.

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He nodded as a sort of greeting when he saw the three.

Senior Zimmer and the others felt like gritting their teeth after seeing him.

In their eyes, he was the one that caused the Zimmers to fall apart to this point!

Without Harvey, they could still be enjoying endless glory and riches.

Senior Zimmer glared at Zack.

He instantly understood, then stared at Harvey and said in a disdainful tone, "Looks like someone's a natural at being kept in!"

"His wife already went to work while he just woke up!"

"Why am I not this lucky?"

Harvey naturally knew that Zack was provoking him, but he was already immune to words like that.

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He then smiled and replied, “The first rule of being good at this is that you need to be good-looking. Somebody might actually want to keep you if you are.

“It’s a shame that some mandatory requirements are inherently there. I’m afraid that you’ll never get to experience being kept in.”

Zack was boiling with anger.

He had always considered himself handsome and sophisticated, but Harvey was implying otherwise.

Zack could not hold in his urge to smack his face in with a hammer after getting ridiculed by a live-in son-in-law!

“Harvey, I know that you’re shameless already, but your shamelessness sure has opened my eyes today!

“You’re not even capable of anything as a man. How dare you act high and mighty in front of me?” Zack said coldly.

“Alright then, if you’re that capable, don’t even try

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to beg for my mercy later. My wife said that I'd be in charge of today's affair.”

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Zack Zimmer's face had lost all color after hearing what Harvey York said.

On the other hand, Senior Zimmer's face had turned as dark as night.

They all knew that Mandy Zimmer was extremely generous. She always had a sharp tongue with a kind heart.

Pleading in front of her would usually work more or less to their advantage.

But Harvey was in charge of the situation in her place that day. What are they going to do?

“Lilian, is your house letting a live-in son-in-law be in charge now?”

Senior Zimmer cleared out his throat.

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Naturally, he wanted to provoke the relationship between Lilian Yates and Harvey York. That way, they could take advantage of the situation.

Lilian did not have the mood to scold Harvey even at that moment. She thoroughly checked the jewelry once, then looked at the money present. Her expressions then changed.

“Patriarch Zimmer, this isn’t the right amount now, is it?”

“Compared to the gift list that Sir Ray provided us, excluding the villa, you’re missing at least half of the expected money and jewelry!”

“No, I won’t acknowledge these gifts. You have to gather the rest of the gifts as well!” Lilian said with her arms akimbo.

In her eyes, those gifts belonged to her.

Whoever takes away even a little bit will definitely feel her wrath.

Senior Zimmer’s face had turned for the worse. He

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knew that she liked money, but he did not think it would be to this extent.

If it were before, he could still use his clout to pressure her.

But now that he had broken all ties with Lilian and her family, he did not think that he could use his clout for that purpose anymore.

Senior Zimmer was beginning to regret listening to Zack and Sean Zimmer in the first place about kicking out Simon Zimmer and his family.

It was safe to say that he asked for it.

After a long while, Senior Zimmer then took a deep breath and forced out a warm smile.

“Oh, Lilian! It’s not that we don’t want to. We already sold off everything that we could from Buckwood. Yet, it’s still not enough!

“Can you please let us go for the sake of us being family before?”

Senior Zimmer glared at Quinn and Zack after he

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was done speaking.

Zack immediately walked up to Lilian and held her hand.

“Aunty, even if we did you wrong and kicked your family out, we’re still related by blood!

“Are you okay with us begging for food on the streets?”

“Besides, if we were to be in that position, your family would be embarrassed too!”

Quinn started to weep beautifully.

“Uncle, please have mercy on us!

“We really can’t get any more money!”

Lilian looked at them with a face as cold as ice. She still remembered what had happened vividly. She would not give in that easily.

Simon, on the other hand, was getting a little compassionate.

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Even though they were kicked out of the family, Senior Zimmer was still his father.

But after looking at Lilian raging with anger, he would not dare to say anything at that moment.

At this moment, Harvey York suddenly said, “Actually, all of you don’t have to be like this.

“You can take away some of this money and jewelry as well.”

“No! I disagree!”

Lilian jumped in anger when she heard him say that.

“What right does a live-in son-in-law like you have to decide things like this?!”

Senior Zimmer and the others were pleasantly surprised as if the sun came up from the West.

The live-in son-in-law was actually speaking up for those people?

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Harvey spoke up calmly, "Mom, listen to the rest of my words first."

At his words, Lilian calmed herself slightly. "Fine. If you don't have a good reason, I won't let you rest easy!"

Senior Zimmer, Zack, and Quinn exchanged brief glances and saw the anxiety in each other's eyes.

All of them assumed that Harvey was plotting something in secret.

Harvey continued, "From what I know, there's still some of you who haven't sold off your properties yet."

"That's bullshit!" Zack was the first to argue, but in truth he had yet to sell one of the houses in his possession.

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Quinn's expression changed as well. She had hidden some jewellery for herself in secret.

The Zimmers were too used to their selfishness. How would it be possible for them to give up their valuables for the sake of the whole family?

For them to hand over a portion of their possessions was already good enough!

Only Senior Zimmer still had his eyebrows knitted together. He knew Harvey wouldn't be so kind.

"Listen to what I have to say."

"Even if you're all willing to sell off everything you have, you won't be able to make up for the betrothal gifts."

"So, I thought of something for you."

"What is that?" Senior Zimmer couldn't help blurting out.

"Your stocks, the 49% of the stocks the Zimmer

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family holds. I will represent Mandy to officially buy all of them with seventy-five million dollars. “

“That way, we can forget about the betrothal gift you all have already lost. You can also have these.”

Harvey grabbed a few bags of cash from the table top, containing around a few hundred thousand dollars, and threw to the ground.

His statement darkened Senior Zimmer's face a few shades deeper.

“Harvey! As a live-in son-in-law, how cruel can you be? Are you trying to destroy the Zimmer family as fast as possible?!”

Harvey shrugged, but didn't say anything more.

On the other hand, Lilian's eyes shone brightly as she exclaimed, “My good son-in-law, what a marvellous idea!”

“Hey, you old piece of trash! Did you hear that? Surrender the rest of your stocks that can barely repay your debts, then take this money and get

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out!”

“You’re being too much!” Senior Zimmer snarled. “Those stocks are the only property the Zimmers have left! How can we hand them over to you?”

“You don’t want to? Alright, then! Pay up the rest of the debts yourselves!”

Lilian threw the list of betrothal gifts to Senior Zimmer, looking as though she wanted nothing more than to end him completely.

Senior Zimmer shuddered as he scanned the contents of the list.

He knew what Harvey said was true. Even if the Zimmers sell everything they owned, it would be impossible for them to fully resolve the debt.

Now it seemed the only choice left for them was to surrender their stocks.

But once they did so, the Zimmer family would be completely gone.

In the end, Senior Zimmer was forced to give in.

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He understood full well that if this problem wasn't solved, then the Zimmers would be jailed and lose even the chance to beg for food.

Under this circumstance, he had no other choice.

After signing the equity transfer agreement, Senior Zimmer lifted his head to glare at Harvey. "Remember, we're not done with you!"

"Zack, Quinn! Let's get out of here!"

Senior Zimmer didn't even want the money on the floor.

If he continued to stay there, he'd be so agitated by Harvey to the point he would die.

Why did he allow Mandy to marry this man?!

Such an unfortunate turn of events!

Zack threw Harvey a dirty glower of resentment. "Harvey! Now that Mandy owns the stocks, she's part of society's elites!"

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“I hope to god that she won’t kick you out of the house!”

“You don’t even deserve to carry her shoes!”

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Even though the Zimmers were leaving, it was obvious that Zack refused to see Mandy and Harvey live well. He wanted to drive a wedge between the two of them.

Harvey couldn't be bothered, and simply shrugged in response. "Casting a stone between us is no use. If you really hate me that much, then I earnestly wait for the day you can return to take revenge upon me."

Zack clenched his teeth hard, trying to appear dignified. Ultimately, he failed and ended up grabbing all the money on the floor before scampering away under Harvey's aloof gaze.

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After returning to Zimmer Mansion, Senior Zimmer

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stared blankly at the now empty mansion.

After this day, he would have to leave this place. Right now, the Zimmer family could only be described as monkeys that were scattered when their tree fell.

Zack put away the money he had picked up carefully before throwing a meaningful gaze at Senior Zimmer, preparing to leave.

Quinn was the same.

All of a sudden, Senior Zimmer barked out, "Don't leave yet, you two! The last hope of the Zimmer family's eventual rise will depend on both of you!"

Zack turned around abruptly, excited. "What?!"

"Grandpa, do we actually have a backup plan?"

Quinn became excited as well. "Grandpa, is there another way out? As long as I can take revenge on Mandy, I'd do anything!"

Senior Zimmer inhaled deeply and said slowly, "

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This is the greatest secret of the Zimmer family, as well as our final trump card.”

“Have you two heard of the Jean family from Mordu?”

Zack and Quinn exchanged glances before shaking their heads in confusion.

Senior Zimmer let out a sigh. “It’s not your fault for not knowing. Our family’s level is too insignificant to deserve a chance to be acquainted with people from their level.”

Senior Zimmer’s eyes flickered as he recalled memories from the past. He continued slowly, “The Jean family of Mordu, one of the top ten families of the great Country H!”

“The Jean family has power and influence all over Mordu!”

“Even the so-called ceiling of the South Lights, the Yorks, can’t be compared to the Jean family.”

“The York family is a top family in South Light, but

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it isn't one of the top ten families of Country H."

Zack frowned and asked, "Grandpa, no matter how powerful is the Jean family of Mordu, what does that mean to us? It's not like we have a chance to connect with them, right?"

Senior Zimmer replied coldly, "Of course we can. Why else would I bring this up?"

Hearing that, Quinn turned gleeful. "Grandpa! Then you should make a call to someone from Mordu's Jean family and have them arrange for someone to crush Harvey and Mandy!"

Senior Zimmer grew enraged. "If it's that easy, would our family still remain as a second-class family for so many years in South Light?"

Taking in a deep breath, Senior Zimmer continued, "Us Zimmers from Niumhi is a branched-out family from the Jean family of Mordu from about a hundred years ago."

"But because our blood connection is too weak, we

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are not deserving of the family name of Jean. We could only use their servants' name, Zimmer!"

"Now, I want you two to bring along this keepsake and go to Mordu to find the Jean family."

"Even if you have to be servants or maids, you must stay with the Jeans!"

"Only by this will you be able to build connections and grab power!"

"Only with power can we make the Zimmer family great again!"

Zack and Quinn's facial expression changed drastically. Travelling to Mordu? Becoming servants?

After a long while, both of them clenched their teeth and exclaimed, "Grandpa, we're willing to do that!"

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At the Silver Nimbus Resort project construction site.

Staring at the construction site before her, Mandy was all worried and gloomy.

There were no other problems plaguing the resort project's construction site. Plus, with Old Niner and his people on watch, no thug would dare come and destroy the site.

Unfortunately, the project had to be stopped temporarily as an issue with the supply of raw materials had arisen out of the blue.

Mandy called her secretary, her eyebrows knitted together in frustration as she spoke. "Cash out thirty thousand dollars from the finance department and distribute a hundred and fifty

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dollars for every worker as reward. Have them rest for a few days and wait for my announcement to return to work.”

The secretary nodded, but she still asked in worry, “CEO Mandy, it’s almost winter now.”

“Winter is South Light brings the cold north wind. The worker’s efficiency will be reduced.”

“If we can’t finish constructing the whole framework before autumn ends, I’m afraid this project will end up unfinished and left incomplete.”

Mandy massaged the part between her eyebrows. “I know, but now we have an issue with the raw materials. We can’t rush even if we want to.”

“Please help me placate the workers and the construction team. I’ll try my best to solve this matter within a few days.”

“Alright, Ma’am.” The secretary didn’t say anything more and left.

When Mandy reached the Gardens Residence, Lilian

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had already left, taking along with her the jewellery and property ownership certificate.

Mandy didn't have the mood to care about such things.

She slumped on the sofa, all worn out.

Harvey walked over and passed her the stocks transfer agreement, smiling. "Congratulations, CEO Mandy. From now onwards you'll be holding 49% of the stocks in this company. Plus, since you're the CEO, every decision is for you to make. No one can cause you any trouble."

Mandy flipped through the agreement and answered tiredly, "Who says no one can give me anymore trouble?"

"Is it Sky Corporation?" Harvey was taken aback. With him around, who would dare interfere with Mandy's company?

Mandy shook her head. "No, Sky Corp and I share mutual benefits. Why on earth would they trouble

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me?”

“It’s mainly a problem with the raw material supplier I cooperated with. Well, it’s not that big of an issue. I’ll solve it in a few days.”

Hearing Mandy’s words, Harvey didn’t ask any more.

If Mandy wanted to be an actual rich and powerful woman, she had to be able to stand on her own feet in facing hardships.

How could Mandy grow if she needed his help in everything?

The next day, Harvey went to Sky Corporation early in the morning.

He had a lot of work to do after finishing up the asset integration matter. Right now, he wasn’t really free.

Mandy didn’t say much about his actions. Instead, she went to the Silver Nimbus Resort project site herself.

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The problem Mandy was facing now wasn't really anything major. It only concerned the project funds.

The raw material suppliers felt that as Mandy's company was able to obtain a project as big as the Silver Nimbus Resort, it would definitely rake in high profits in the near future.

Hence, they wanted to make a side profit out of this opportunity.

Now, the Silver Nimbus Resort project required a huge sum of funds, and Mandy's cash flow wasn't sufficient at the moment.

Once the suppliers raised the price of raw materials, it would mean increased costs.

Most worryingly, the steel, cement, brick, soil, as well as the rest of the raw materials necessary all stand in the same line. Increasing the price of one would mean raising up the price for other supplies as well. The whole thing was a source of distress for Mandy.



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Mandy stayed around the construction site for the whole afternoon. After that, she went to the city and made her way to the hotel where she and the suppliers promised to meet.

Reaching there, she saw that the private room was empty.

Mandy guessed that they were putting on an act, for reasons she couldn't know. She said nothing and instead ordered a pot of tea, and waited quietly in the room.

For four hours she waited, from noon until evening. Only by then did suppliers arrive. They came in as a group, referring to each other as brothers as they entered.

“CEO Mandy, please excuse us for being a little

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late.”

“These days, we’ve been very busy with our work. You too know that after the market price of raw materials rose, more people came to us for business. That’s why we’re not that free!”

“Yes! We have so little products, but so many companies demanded this and that from us! We don’t even know to whom we should distribute our products anymore. What a hassle!”

The moment they appeared, they flaunted their pride and arrogance.

The men were large and overweight. At one glance, they didn’t appear to be simple characters. In fact, they had scores of beautiful women tagging along. They were what people normally assumed to be successful men.

One of their phones rang. He answered the call impatiently, “Don’t talk about showing respect or whatnot!”

“With us, money is the only way of showing

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respect! Tell him if the price isn't raised, he won't receive even a little of our products!"

"Not just me, but also from other suppliers of the industry! None of us will supply him anything!"

"Mark my words!"

He ended his call furiously, and then turned to Mandy with a smile. "CEO Zimmer, please excuse me. Some people just don't know their place and see our companies like a supermarket where you can bargain prices. If they're not told off properly, they'll start thinking they're some big shots!"

"Ha ha ha...!"

The others laughed along with him.

Mandy's face instantly darkened.

These men were showing their severity in an attempt to dominate her.

Not only were they telling her that the prices must be raised, they also wouldn't distribute the

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materials to her otherwise!

What's more, even if she didn't buy from them, other suppliers from the same industry wouldn't offer her anything.

Mandy took a deep breath and tried to maintain her cool. She said slowly, "Gentlemen, this is not our first time cooperating. You can be straightforward with what you want to tell me. What's the point of yelling and scolding others?"

"Ha ha ha!"

Among the suppliers, Barry Waters was responsible for steel. He was the highest in terms of superiority and thus, held the most power.

Barry grinned at Mandy's words and replied, "CEO Zimmer is indeed proof that women are not inferior to men."

"Since you want us to be direct, we'll be straightforward."

"This time, the materials that your company needs

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from us have to be increased 50% of the original price. Keep in mind that we're referring to all of the materials."

Mandy frowned. "If that's the case, our project's construction costs will be raised at least twenty to thirty percent. We won't be able to afford your suggestion."

Barry snickered. "CEO Zimmer. Whether your project can afford it or not, what does that matter to us?"

"Nonetheless, we've said what we want today. If the price can be raised, we'll continue distributing the products tomorrow."

"If not, then we'll put a temporary stop to our cooperation."

Mandy's face darkened once more. "Mr. Barry, don't forget that we have both signed an agreement. If you don't supply the materials on time and affect our construction progress, you must compensate us!"

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“Ha ha ha! Are you going to file a lawsuit against us, CEO Zimmer?”

“I’m going to give you a piece of advice. Sure, employing a lawyer doesn’t cost a lot.”

“Still, civil disputes like this prioritize mediation. It’s rare for the case to be concluded quickly.”

“If we want, we can delay this case for as long as eight to ten years. While we don’t really care, can your company afford it?”

Barry Waters was incredibly satisfied with himself.

Obviously, he had thought of everything before arriving. His presence right now was solely to crush Mandy.

The other suppliers sneered and nodded along.

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After all, they'd all be sharing mutual benefits.

Of course they'd take this opportunity to make a huge profit as a group! No one was dumb enough to resist cold, hard cash!

Mandy inhaled deeply and replied, "Mr. Barry, when we Zimmers were looking for suppliers, you were the one who came to our doorstep and told us your factory was going bankrupt."

"You were the one who pleaded to offer us the best price for buying your products."

"I sent the money to you on time, never delaying or missing a single cent."

"Even if none of you have basic business morale, don't you think you should at least have some gratitude?"

"If it wasn't for me signing the agreement with all of you in the past, some of you would've been bankrupt already, no?"

Listening to Mandy's calm speech, one or two of

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the suppliers started feeling somewhat guilty.

It was them who sought Mandy.

But that was in the past! Now that they've made a lot of money, their greed intensified.

Barry replied to Mandy with a disdainful tone, "Gratitude? CEO Zimmer, I heard that you're someone who's been in the business world for a few years already."

"Don't you understand the most important thing in the business industry is money?"

"With money, anything can be done! With money, only there'll be gratitude!"

"Now, all the raw materials out there have a massive increase in price. Yet you still want us to supply you our products with the best price! Do you think we're stupid?"

"CEO Zimmer. You have Sky Corporation as your backing. The top one corporation of South Light! The amount of money they offer you should be

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unimaginable!”

“We’re not demanding much. We’re just asking for a tiny portion of it!”

“If you can’t even grant a small favour like this for us, what’s the point of further cooperation?”

“Does every one of you think like that?” Mandy grew a bit helpless.

“Yes, that’s what we think!”

“No money, no talk!”

“It’s not as if your company doesn’t have funds for this, anyway!”

“If you can’t complete the project, we’re not going to lose anything. At most, we’ll gain less money. What’s there to be afraid of?!”

Mandy sighed. At first, she thought they could discuss this matter nicely. Who would have expected that these people had formed a collusion?

They were firm in their decision and acted as

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though they would flip the table over any time.
There was absolutely no room for discussion.

Mandy was silent for a while. Then, she said, “Sirs, raising the price would be impossible. But I can offer you other benefits. I wonder if you all can accept that?”

“Other than money, we’re not interested in anything else.”

Barry answered without a care, but scanned Mandy’s body with a devilish leer.

His tone suddenly changed. “But if you’re willing to date me, we can negotiate.”

“Your husband is rumoured to be a piece of trash, anyway. He’s probably not very good in ‘that’ area, isn’t he?”

“How about I make a little sacrifice and help you?”

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At his words, Mandy's face grew cold. She was here to talk about collaboration. How could she accept this humiliation?

"Mr Waters, our company is honest and sincere in dealing with people. Please show us more respect. Collaboration is good for both of us. It won't be good for us to dismiss that chance, no?"

"I'll let it slide this time. Next time you insult me, you'll get a letter from my lawyer!"

"Letter? Insult?" Barry Waters grinned and sneered coldly. "CEO Zimmer, do you really think you're a decent woman?"

"I'm telling you. The matter today isn't over yet."

"Do you think we can't survive if we don't collaborate with your company? Let me tell you,

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many other companies are eager to collaborate with us!”

“Even our raw materials aren’t enough for all of them!”

“Waters.” Mandy hissed icily. “Aren’t you grateful for the assistance I gave you that day?!”

Barry chuckled and folded his arms.

“Why, CEO Zimmer, please forget the past. We’re both businessmen. All I care about is the profit!”

“If the Silver Nimbus Mountain Resort project is halted for a day, you’ll suffer significant losses, right?”

“Most importantly, if the project couldn’t be completed on time, how are you going to explain it to Sky Corporation?”

“In this case, this small amount of money is no big deal.”

Mandy frowned.

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In truth, if the price was raised only once, her company could still afford the purchase.

However, Mandy knew full well that in this business industry, once they compromised, the other party would certainly take another bite at the apple.

Who knows what would happen after she agreed to the fifty percent rise? It might become sixty percent, seventy percent in the future, or even doubled by tomorrow!

If the other party assumed they were holding your weak point, they would surely ask for more.

Seeing Mandy's vulnerable appearance, Barry grew aroused.

Mandy was an enchanting beauty, and it was said that even Prince York had once proposed to her.

However, rumors stated that she was an empty-headed woman. She gave up the chance of becoming a real phoenix for her live-in husband.

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It was believed that Prince York was furious about this matter. Otherwise, who would dare to hit on her?

Barry wanted to take advantage of this opportunity to taste Mandy. It wasn't only because Mandy was an enchanting beauty.

She was also the woman Prince York once liked. If he could become acquainted with Prince York, then he'd get himself a great bargain!

How wonderful it would be if he went out and bragged about it?

"CEO Zimmer, since you don't want to be in a relationship, let's be straightforward. We're all adults here."

Barry pointed with his finger and said with a half-smile, "Sleep with me for a night and I'll reduce the price by ten percent."

"If you accompany me for five nights, we won't add a cent!"

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“Look, you can make so much money by just spreading your legs. It’s not a terrible deal. You can even get an unprecedented experience. I’d say this is a bargain!”

But as Barry continued to grin, Mandy splashed hot tea directly on his face.

Her expression was ice. “Waters, what kind of person do you think I am?”

Barry stood upright, his eyes filled with fury.

The next moment, he grabbed Mandy by her hair and cursed, “Wretched woman! Who do you think you are?”

“You’re just a used cloth! How dare you act all innocent in front of me?”

Mandy struggled, “Waters, let go! If you keep doing this, I’ll call the police!”

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Barry Waters' head was filled with evil thoughts. He only had one thing in his mind.

He flashed Mandy a cruel grin. "CEO Zimmer, let's go to Buckwood Hotel tonight. Don't worry, I'm a member there. They'll give us a presidential suite. I'm sure you'll be satisfied!"

"Don't even think about it! If you don't let go, I'll call the police!"

Mandy struggled to take out her phone.

Barry sneered at her attempts, and slammed her to the ground.

"Woman. Do you think you're that capable? How dare you pretend to be a virgin?"

"I'm telling you. In the end, you'll beg me and

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climb into my bed!”

“No one in Buckwood can provide you any raw materials without my approval!”

Mandy grabbed her phone and replied solemnly, “Waters, don’t flatter yourself.”

“Nothing couldn’t be bought with money! Don’t regret it when that happens!”

Barry burst into laughter at Mandy’s words.

There was a reason why he was so rampant.

The one backing him was the big boss of the real estate industry of South Light, the first-class Surrey family.

With their support, he was easily the king of the raw material market in South Light. He could do whatever he wanted.

Whoever dared to sell the raw materials to Mandy behind his back under these circumstances was simply seeking death!

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However, Barry wouldn't reveal any of this.

He studied Mandy with a sneer. "CEO Zimmer, you can give a try."

"Just remember to come to me when you've got it all figured out."

"Really, it's not difficult. Either you give me the money, or you spread your legs!"

"I did allow you to choose."

Barry guffawed arrogantly.

Mandy was trembling with anger. She snarled coldly, "Don't regret your words, Waters! If I can make you successful, then I can trample you under my foot once more!"

"Come now. I used to respect you."

"But Sir Ray from Sky Corporation went to the Zimmers to take back the betrothal gifts yesterday. You're nothing without Prince York's backing!"

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“I’d like to see what gives a woman like you the right to trample me underfoot!”

“If that actually happens, I could supply you the raw materials even if at a loss!”

“Hahaha!”

Sarcasm was written all over Barry’s face.

If Mandy did not refuse Prince York, if Ray Hart did not bring people to take back the betrothal gifts...

He wouldn’t dare to embarrass Mandy.

In his opinion, Mandy had been abandoned by Sky Corporation and Prince York.

If he didn’t take advantage of this situation and tried to profit from it, then what?

Not doing so was equivalent to adding salt to your wound!

After Barry and the others left, Mandy regained her

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composure.

She was originally very capable. At this moment, she refused to give in. Instead, she went to search a lot of people and started contacting other raw materials suppliers in Buckwood.

However, her efforts brought disappointing ends.

No one wanted to cooperate with her.

Some suppliers politely said that they were out of stock. Some suppliers just hung up the phone.

Mandy didn't even have the chance to speak.

Apparently, Barry had truly taken control of the raw material market in Buckwood. No one would sell any goods to Mandy without his permission.

Although Mandy could go to other cities to find a solution, transportation was still a huge problem. If this happened, the construction of the Silver Nimbus Mountain Resort project would fall into indefinite hiatus.

For the first time in her stint as a company CEO,

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When she reached home, Mandy threw herself on the sofa. A gloomy cloud hung over her face and she refused to talk to anyone.

Xynthia Zimmer, who came home from school, was shocked to see her sister that way. Xynthia knew her sister too well. Based on Mandy's expression, she must have suffered a lot.

Xynthia quickly dialed Harvey.

She knew very well that her brother-in-law would never let anyone hurt her sister.

Half an hour after receiving the call, Harvey appeared.

After all, Mandy was his most precious treasure.

“Mandy, what happened today? Can you tell me?”

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Harvey gave Xynthia a look, motioning her to go upstairs. Then he walked to the sofa, holding a glass of milk in his hand.

Mandy took the glass of milk and drank it angrily. Thinking back to the grievance she had endured today, she wanted to cry.

That shameless Barry Waters even pulled her hair! Her roots still hurt.

“Barry Waters, that ungrateful man! He was about to go bankrupt back when the Silver Nimbus Mountain Resort project was newly established. I offered him kindness and helped him rise back up. I didn’t expect him to change his colors, and...even...”

Mandy grew angrier and angrier as she spoke. She was a woman, after all. There were some things she could not say.

But Harvey’s eyes instantly turned cold. “What else did he do to you?”

Mandy took a deep breath. She shook her head and

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said, "Forget about that, it's in the past. I don't want to talk about it any more!"

"Right now, I should find a way to solve the problem with the raw materials."

"Don't think too much." Harvey comforted her. "Just have a good rest tonight. Maybe the problem will be solved after you wake up tomorrow."

Mandy sighed. She knew that such a thing could never happen. She was so, so tired.

After finishing her glass of milk, she fell asleep on the sofa.

Harvey carried her back to the room. Then, he walked to the rooftop and called Tyson Woods.

Imperial City KTV was a fairly high-end KTV. It was all cocktails and glitter in there; a world of debauchery.

Barry was having the time of his life. He had

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acquired the right to manage the raw material market in Buckwood recently, so many construction companies had to let him have his way.

He felt that his life had reached its pinnacle.

Just as he sang loudly, the door of the KTV room was kicked open.

Barry instantly shuddered when he saw Tyson Woods leading the group.

Men like Tyson stood on the grey line of Buckwood. Tyson knew people from both the government and the streets.

Tyson was the newly rising gangster in Buckwood. Few dared to provoke him.

“Brother Tyson, what an honor! What brings you here?”

The shock made Barry sober in an instant. He quickly bowed to Tyson.

Although Tyson only brought two subordinates

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with him, why would someone like him look for Barry?

“Beat him until this cigarette burns up.”

Tyson took out a cigar at random and slowly lit it with a lighter, biding his time.

Harvey did not explain anything in detail. But with how he had called in the middle of the night to settle a score with someone, would Tyson dare cut corners?

The next few moments, screams rang from the KTV room. Several other suppliers that were drinking with Barry were also beaten badly.

“Brother Tyson, are there any misunderstandings between us?! What did I do wrong? You have to tell me!”

Barry, who had acted extremely arrogantly in front of Mandy before, was now kneeling on the ground and kept groveling. He was truly frightened of being beaten to a pulp.

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Tyson did not speak. He just looked at the cigar in his hand, which was burned only halfway.

His two subordinates immediately understood his actions and proceeded to hit Barry even harder.

Tyson took a drag of the cigar, sighing. "Barry, you're nothing in my eyes."

"There's no misunderstanding between us."

"What have you done recently? Who have you offended? You should know better than me, right?"

"No! I didn't offend anyone!" Barry replied miserably. "I've always been a well-behaved businessman!"

"Really? Then I'll help you recall."

Tyson then stepped forward and kicked Barry in the

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face.

“Gggh!”

Barry's body flew and smashed into the wall of the room. The impact made him spit out a few broken teeth. Yet at the moment, he was wide awake with realization.

He remembered it!

He had offended Mandy recently!

But if Mandy could hire someone like Tyson Woods, why was she intimidated by him?

None of this made any sense!

“Brother Tyson, no, Sir Tyson! I'm sure it's a misunderstanding. You must have found the wrong person!”

Barry kept groveling. He was very, very afraid of being beaten again.

Tyson's subordinates didn't go as far as maiming

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him, but their beatings were still painful. For a person who had lived a pampered life, how could Barry bear such a treatment?

“So, you’re not Barry?” Tyson was suspicious. Could he have found the wrong man?

“Yes!”

“Don’t you specialize in producing raw materials?”

“Yes!”

“Then I’m right.” Tyson said indifferently. “Take him away, boys.”

“Brother Tyson, you can’t do this! I have a strong backing!”

Barry knew that if Tyson did take him away, he would end up badly. He had to speak up.

“Oh, you do.” Tyson was curious. “Tell me who it is. Maybe it’s someone familiar that I fail to recognize?”

“The Surrey family, the first-class family! The

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Surreys are behind me!” Barry grinned, nodding fervently. “I run errands for them. Brother Tyson, if you let me go today, we can be friends. I’ll treat you to a meal next time. Would you like me to introduce you to the Surrey family?”

Barry was a quick-witted man. He knew that Tyson, a man from the streets, would certainly want to be acquainted with major families like the Surreys.

Not only would this whitewash his reputation as a thug, his status on the streets would also rise.

But Tyson paid no heed to Barry’s offer. It was just the Surrey family. What good would it be for him to know them?

The man behind Tyson could scare people to death just by stating his identity!

“Take him away!”

Tyson’s subordinates grabbed Barry and dragged him out of the place.

Barry’s face was pale. He knew that it would only

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get worse if he resisted.

Soon, Barry was thrown into the basement of Tyson's residence.

Nonetheless, he dared not voice a single complaint.

He had already used his trump card, the Surrey family, but Tyson didn't care at all. This explained a lot.

Even with the Surrey family behind him, if he continued to mess with Tyson, he was certainly seeking death.

He still hadn't figured out that he ended up in this situation because of what he did to Mandy.

He had assumed Mandy couldn't possibly hire someone like Tyson Woods.

Even if she sold herself to Tyson, why would a big shot like him take action for a mere woman? Don't joke around!

"It seems that the raw material market I'm in

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charge of now has offended that big shot!”

“I wonder when I can see him.”

Barry was looking forward to how things would unfold from this point on.

People like him were good at cutting corners. For him, this could be a good opportunity to go after the big shots.

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At two o'clock in the morning, Harvey left the Gardens Residence and went to Tyson's residence.

Barry Waters was dragged out of the basement. His injuries weren't minor, but in Harvey's eyes, they were nothing serious.

Seeing that Barry was still able to stand up, Harvey's indifferent gaze fell on Tyson.

Tyson shuddered. He gave Barry no chance to speak.

He hurriedly threw a violent kick at Barry's stomach, sending the latter flying. Barry's whole body started to convulse when he slumped to the ground.

"Misunderstanding..."

"Brother Tyson, it's really a misunderstanding!"

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Barry murmured weakly.

Tyson did not dare to speak casually in front of Harvey. He stood with his hands pulled down, not saying a word.

Harvey stepped forward and slowly pressed his foot on Barry's face. With a cold hiss, he began, "What did you do to Mandy today?"

For a moment, Barry was dumbfounded. He never expected to hear Mandy's name!

He struggled to turn over, but couldn't. He could only mutter, "Who are you?"

"I'm her husband," Harvey said.

'Mandy's husband?'

'The live-in son-in-law, Harvey York?'

Realizing this, Barry became furious. "I thought it was someone powerful. Aren't you just some useless live-in jerkwad?! How dare you hit me?!"

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“Do you know who I am? Do you know who’s behind me?”

But Harvey replied indifferently, “You’re a cripple in my eyes.”

“I’m giving you one last chance. Let me ask you one last time, what have you done to Mandy?”

Barry was always a bully, but he was easily frightened. Still, how could he chicken out in front of a mere live-in son-in-law?

Despite the fact he was lying on the ground, he tried putting up a tough act. “Trash! I pulled her hair and forced her to sleep with me! What’s wrong with that?”

“You should be honored that I’m willing to play with your woman!”

“I should be thanked!”

The corner of Tyson’s eye, who was standing quietly at the side, twitched.

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How dare a nobody act so arrogant? How could this man have survived for so long?

Just as the saying goes, “Anyone who touches the forbidden upturned scale of a dragon will die.” Didn’t Barry know that?

Harvey’s eyes were ice cold.

This garbage not only assaulted Mandy, but he also demanded to sleep with her.

However, Harvey did not rush into anything.

Instead, he said coldly, “Did she offend you? What has she done? If I remember correctly, it was you who requested to supply goods for the Silver Nimbus Mountain Resort project.”

“If it wasn’t for her, you would have gone bankrupt.”

“Why are you doing this to her? Who instigated it?!”

If there was someone behind all these, Harvey wouldn’t mind making that person disappear.

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When Harvey stopped stepping on Barry, Barry assumed Harvey had grown cold feet. The thought made Barry even more arrogant. “Why do I need someone like you to tell me what to do?! Do you know who my backer is?! You can’t even imagine it!”

“The one behind me is the first-class family in Buckwood, the Surreys! They’ve put me in charge of the entire raw material market in Buckwood!”

“I’m the king of the raw material market!

“Your woman doesn’t know my identity. I just asked her to play with me! How dare she reject me? Who does she think she is?”

“I’m warning you. You’d better go back and tell her to give me what I want!”

“Otherwise, I promise that no one in the entirety of Buckwood will dare to supply her any goods!”

“By then, the Silver Nimbus Mountain Resort project will go bust. She’d go bankrupt, and you can’

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t even live off of her!”

Barry thought he had grasped Mandy’s weakness.

The success of the Silver Nimbus Mountain Resort project was in his hands. Harvey was just a useless fool. What could Harvey possibly do to him?

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Harvey stared at Barry Waters indifferently. After a while, he turned and left without doing anything.

Tyson Woods was dumbfounded. When did Harvey ever talk so nicely? He actually walked away just like that!

“Prince, this...”

Harvey said indifferently, “Let him go.”

“Why?” Tyson Woods was flabbergasted. “Didn’t he offend Sister-in-law?”

“Prince York, don’t worry. Just leave him to me. I’ll deal with him and finish the job.”

But Harvey said, “You’re still not smart enough even after following me for so long.”

“Can’t you see that this man is useless? What

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ability does he have to be in charge of the raw material market in Buckwood? Clearly, someone is behind him!”

“Isn’t it the Surrey family?” Tyson Woods asked.

Harvey shook his head. “It’s hard to tell exactly who.”

The four major first-class families; the Surreys, the Robbinses, the Yateses, and the Cloudes were definitely on the same side.

They had just suffered a loss in his hands recently. Because of Harvey, these first-class families wouldn’t make a move so easily.

None of the four family heads were fools. They wouldn’t do anything that could disgrace themselves.

However, Harvey wondered whether the person behind Barry was targeting him or Mandy.

In order to figure this out, he didn’t mind letting Barry live for a few more days.

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In the end, he'll finish off all his opponents at once.

Tyson frowned. "What should I do now?"

"Tell him it's a misunderstanding." Harvey said calmly. "Just let him go."

Half an hour later, Barry was thrown on a road on the outskirts of the city.

But he was not frightened as before. Instead, he hid in the shadows vigilantly for more than half an hour before making a call.

Underground, in the outskirts of Buckwood.

This place was the border of Buckwood and Peoga, a grey area.

None of the people here were ordinary folk.

Smoke and rancid smells filled the air.

Barry cautiously opened the door to a certain

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building and walked inside. He walked respectfully toward the innermost part.

“Young Master Wayne. Barry Waters is here.”

Everyone stopped when Barry arrived.

The initially noisy place suddenly turned quiet.

Everyone's hard gazes fell on Barry, making him subconsciously shudder.

He knew how low his status was in this place. He leaned forward, trembling as he approached a man in a wheelchair. Bowing, he greeted respectfully, “Young Master Wayne!”

Wayne York.

One of the Famous Four of the Yorks.

After Harvey took him down, his whereabouts were unknown. No one would have thought that he would dominate this grey area.

However, this was to be expected. When he was part

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of the Yorks, Wayne was mainly in charge of the streets.

Just as the saying goes, “A centipede would never topple over even when it dies.”

Yet, despite Wayne York having fallen, Barry’s status was incomparable to his.

To Wayne, Barry was a mere pawn.

“How are things going?”

Wayne’s face was wrapped in white gauze. Only one eye and one mouth could be seen.

He stared at Barry with his one eye, and spoke with a tone as cold as ice.

“Everything’s done according to your arrangement. Now, Tyson’s side should think that the Surrey family is behind me!”

“This is the truth, in a way. The Surrey family is indeed one of my backer’s backgrounds. They’d find a lot of evidence if they check.” ①

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“But my loyalty belongs only to Wayne York and the Yorks!”

Barry knelt on the ground, a fanatical expression coloring his face. 1

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“Good job. Did that trash show up?”

Wayne York said coldly.

His voice seemed to tremble when he said “trash”, but the people around him did not notice it.

Even if Wayne wanted to attack Harvey, he dared not let his subordinates know Harvey’s true identity.

Regardless of which of Harvey’s identity was exposed, the outcome would be terrifying.

“Are you talking about that useless moron? That live-in son-in-law, Harvey York?!”

“He did appear as you said, but he didn’t do anything to me. I think he even asked Tyson Woods to let me go.”

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“Just as you assumed, he’s likely the representative of some big shot.”

Wayne nodded. He stretched out his finger and tapped gently on the armrest of his wheelchair. After a while, he chuckled and said, “That man seems to be very considerate. If he hasn’t determined that the person behind you is a Surrey, he wouldn’t take any action.”

“In that case, send him a gift. Let him and the Surrey family fight against each other endlessly!”

“Yes!”

A group of men stood with their hands down, their faces stern.

Wayne York was indeed Young Master Wayne. Even if he was now disabled, he was still able to plan and win from thousands of miles away.

Soon after, a subordinate pushed Wayne’s wheelchair and they left.

A man clad in a white suit walked over. Scars riddled

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his face. He reached out his hand to pat Barry on the shoulder, saying, "Barry. Since Young Master Wayne has given us the task, let's work together."

Barry shivered as he looked at the man in front of him.

He was not a prominent figure on the streets of Buckwood, but he was the big boss of this grey area. He was Frank Costello.

"Whatever you say, Brother Frank."

Outside the grey area, a Lexus business car was parked on the side of the road.

The car door opened. A figure was sitting on the edge, seemingly admiring the beautiful scenery in front of him.

Unfortunately, this was the worst place in the world. There was no beautiful scenery here.

A few minutes later, someone pushed a wheelchair

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over.

Wayne stared solemnly at Stephen York.

Wayne waved his hand, motioning the person behind him to leave. He then turned his wheelchair and went to Stephen's side.

The twins exchanged glances.

Wayne sighed. "Stephen, I'm going to South Light again soon. I'll be bringing with me the power of the Leo family from Hong Kong."

"That man is sitting back and waiting for us in South Light. We should have stayed away."

Stephen said indifferently, "I understand what you mean. Are you saying we should quit and retire for good?"

Wayne's eyes were gloomy. "Why not? The money we made when we were part of the Yorks is enough for us to live overseas for ten lifetimes."

"The current Yorks has long ceased to exist. What's

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the point of us staying in South Light?”

Stephen laughed. “Wayne, we both know that man is countless times more terrifying than we could ever imagine.”

“It’s not that I didn’t do anything these days. I asked someone to go overseas to find out what he had done in the past three years.”

“The Chief Instructor of the Sword Camp? That’s just the tip of the iceberg!”

“If that man isn’t dead, going overseas to enjoy our lives until old age is nothing more than a pipe dream!”

“Even if we want to leave, do you think Grandma York, Quinton and Queenie will agree to it?”

Wayne frowned. “Can’t we just quit and go into seclusion?”

Stephen sighed again. “Human beings are the ones who make up society. As long as there are people, there will be trouble. How can you and I withdraw?”

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The next day, Mandy arrived at the construction site of the Silver Nimbus Mountain Resort early in the morning, as usual.

However, Mandy did not know what to feel when she looked at the empty construction site. Not only were there no construction workers, even the employees didn't come.

When Harvey said that everything would be solved today, she had secretly looked forward to it somewhat.

Nonetheless, the situation today was exactly the same as yesterday.

Thinking of this, Mandy smiled wryly to herself.

'Mandy, Mandy. What are you thinking?'

If Harvey was that capable, how could he remain a

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live-in son-in-law?

Sometimes, Mandy could not understand it either. How did Harvey do it? How could he bear the criticisms and insults by the Zimmers without batting an eye?

Just when Mandy sighed again, a van stopped quietly on the side of the road. Someone in the car was spying on Mandy with a telescope.

“Brother Frank, that’s Mandy Zimmer.”

“Go and bring her over. The other employees have yet to come to work. Things will be difficult to handle if there are many people.”

Frank said maliciously, a cigarette in his mouth.

A minivan stopped at the gate of the construction site. Mandy looked back curiously. Could it be the constructor?

However, Mandy instantly felt that something was wrong when she saw the people coming out of the minivan.

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They looked like roguish men. One glance told her they weren't good people, and that they were not Old Niner's subordinates.

Old Niner's people dared not look at him directly. How would they have the guts to whistle so casually while walking?

Mandy looked around, regretting that she came alone.

She tried to remain calm and said with a deep voice, "Who are you? Don't you know that this is a construction site? I'll call the security guards if you simply enter here at will!"

"Beauty, we've already checked for you. There's no security guard here, and it's not working hours yet!"

"Don't worry. We'll protect you!"

The leading gangster looked at Mandy with an evil leer.

"Who are you? Did Barry Waters send you to make

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trouble here?!”

Mandy asked herself if she had offended anyone recently.

The only one she had a conflict with was Barry.

However, Mandy could not figure out why Barry had to use this method.

He obviously had her cornered. Why would he call some street thugs to come after her?

“You’re very smart. CEO Waters said that whoever dares to reject him will regret it for a lifetime!”

“Now, you better not resist!”

The leading gangster immediately slapped Mandy in the face without a word. He then dragged the weakened Mandy into the minivan.

Soon after, Harvey received a call.

The moment he took the call, his expression turned cold.

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Tyson Woods, who was opposite him, could feel Harvey's murderous intent.

"It seems that things are a little more complicated than we thought," Harvey said. "Someone went to the construction and took my wife away just now."

Harvey's tone was light, but Tyson couldn't stop himself from shivering in fear.

Back when the Knights Templar of the Empire of the Sun that Never Sets provoked the Sword Camp, the Chief Instructor was said to have this exact expression.

Now, the Knights Templar had been removed completely from the top military rankings in the world.

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“Prince York, just leave it to me. I’ll deal with it.”

Tyson Woods said, rising.

Harvey nodded. It was not proper for him to intervene in the affairs of the streets. The safest way was to let Tyson deal with the matter.

Plus, Harvey was keenly aware that there seemed to be something wrong with everything.

It was as if someone couldn’t wait to see him start a war with the Surrey family.

After Tyson left, Harvey looked for Ray Hart.

With Ray’s current position in Buckwood, he could easily pinpoint the exact address of Barry Waters’ residence with a single call.

Ray drove Harvey to Barry’s residence.

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At this moment, Barry was home. A secretary with beautiful long legs was helping him wipe the wound on his face.

“CEO Waters, who did this to you? He’s so cruel!” The secretary said tenderly. “Tell me, I’ll slap him for you!”

Barry laughed and smacked on the secretary’s buttock with his hand. “Silly woman, you don’t know anything! This is what you call courage!”

“Although I’m beaten up, the benefits I’ll get after this are far beyond your imagination!”

“Far beyond my imagination?”

The secretary moved her hand to a certain position and massaged Barry. She was blushing as she spoke, “CEO Waters, you are now the king of the raw material market in Buckwood. What do you mean by the benefits that are far beyond my imagination?”

Barry, who was normally calm, grew enthusiastic at

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his secretary's prodding. He said complacently, "If the Surrey family is no longer, the real estate market in Buckwood will fall into my hands. Don't you think that's a benefit far beyond anyone's imagination?"

The secretary initially wanted to pretend to struggle, but her body softened at his words. "CEO Waters, when that happens, you can't forget me!"

"Of course. I'll give you two villas, one for living and one for viewing. Anything, as long as you're happy!"

Barry was delighted. As long as today's task succeeded and everything followed Wayne's plan, he would be one step closer to promotion.

In his excitement, his doorbell suddenly rang.

"Who is it?! Don't you know that I'm busy?"

Having been interrupted while he was high on happiness, he was infuriated.

A voice came from outside the door, "I'm Mandy

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Zimmer's husband. I'm here to give you a gift."

The moment Barry heard the words "Mandy Zimmer's husband", his eyes lit up immediately. He did not forget about last night, when that man dared to step on his face.

According to Wayne, there was someone behind Mandy.

Barry felt that whoever it was, it could never be Harvey.

This man was just a cuckold, a useless live-in fool.

Now, he was here to apologize to Barry so early in the morning. Was he going to offer his wife?

Barry pulled up his pants and opened the door with an impatient look. "What gift? Just let your wife send it to me. I..."

Before Barry could finish speaking, Harvey picked up a beer bottle in front of Barry's house and smashed it directly on Barry's forehead.

"Argh!"

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Barry screamed, beaten to a bloody pulp.

“Trash, you’re dead!”

“How dare you come here to beat me?!”

“I’ll make Mandy Zimmer’s life a living hell!”

“I, Barry Waters, am a man of my words!”

“Did you send someone to take my wife away?”

But Harvey was indifferent as always. There was no trace of anger in his face, yet his eyes were filled with extreme coldness.

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Barry naturally knew that according to the plan, Mandy should have fallen into Frank Costello's hands.

However, he held his head and sneered, "Trash! If your wife's going out to meet someone, it's none of my business. If she's being taken away, you should go and find her! Why are you looking for me?"

Barry's long-legged secretary also walked out. She shot Harvey a threatening glare. "Who are you? How dare you hurt CEO Waters! Don't you know he can call the police to drag you away with just a single call?"

"I'm not in a good mood today. I'm not going to talk nonsense with you."

"Let me ask again." Harvey's expression was cold. "

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Did you send someone to take away my wife, Mandy Zimmer?”

“Harvey, you have to show evidence for what you said! I’m a serious businessman. I’ll never do that kind of thing!”

“I’m telling you! Insult me again, and I’ll sue you for defamation!”

Barry cursed, pointing an accusatory finger at Harvey. He felt no guilt. In fact, he had forgotten to accuse Harvey of beating him up.

“Okay, I’ll take that. But if I found out that this has anything to do with you, I promise that you’ll be dead and gone.”

“You touched my wife. It isn’t over yet. I’ll settle accounts with you after I’ve dealt with the current affairs.”

After he spoke, Harvey turned and left.

Barry slammed the door shut, shocked and bewildered.

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“CEO Waters, who was that man? How could he do this?” The secretary went, all shaken up. “Hitting someone with a beer bottle, in fact!”

“He’s a psychopath. Just ignore him. Wait till I’ve gone up in society. When that happens, I’ll kill him!” Barry gritted his teeth, upset.

However, he was not stupid. He knew that this was not the time or place to act out. Just as the saying goes, “Lack of forbearance in small matters upsets great plans.”

If he blurted out any nonsense and ruined Wayne’s plan, he would end up badly.

With that being said, Barry wasn’t worried.

This live-in son-in-law was likely a representative of some big shot.

As far as Barry knew, they planned to let the big shot take action against the Surreys.

In this way, there would be a lose-lose situation

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and they could profit the most from it.

“The more impulsive they are, the faster I’ll move up. I hope that trash would go straight to the Surrey family!”

Barry was looking forward to it, so much that the wound on his forehead no longer stung.

At the grey area on the outskirts of Buckwood.

Mandy was taken to this place, and then someone left her at an unknown corner.

She did not make any unnecessary struggle. She knew that the other party certainly had a purpose in taking her here.

If she showed any signs of weakness, it would only please them.

Thus, she remained silent.

After a while, Frank walked in. He looked at Mandy

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while smoking a cigarette. He blew out a ring of smoke and said, "You're Zimmer Enterprise's...No, it should be the Silver Nimbus Enterprise..."

"Are you the CEO of Silver Nimbus Enterprise, Mandy Zimmer?"

Mandy frowned at this. The other party was really coming after her. They did not get the wrong person.

However, Mandy was not nervous. Instead, she took a deep breath, stared at the smiling Frank, and replied calmly, "Although I don't know who you are ..."

"Since you know that I'm the CEO of Silver Nimbus Enterprise, then you should understand that fifty-one percent of the company shares belong to Sky Corporation."

"It's alright if you offend me. But you should know what will happen if you do the same to Sky Corporation."

"You should let me go now. I can act as if nothing

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Mandy Zimmer's words incited laughter from the lackeys behind Frank Costello.

"Mandy, did you actually see yourself as a tasty dish? You dare to actually threaten Mr. Costello?"

"There's actually someone with this much courage these days? You have no idea what you're dealing with!"

"You haven't seen what Mr Costello is capable of! If you did, you'd be begging on your knees right now!"

"Mr Costello, you're being too generous to this lady. If it were me, I'd push her to the brink of death and keep her alive just barely!"

The lackeys all seemed more ruthless than the other. Naturally, they seemed experienced in situations like this.

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Frank waved his hand and walked up toward Mandy. He then lifted her chin up with his right hand, smiling.

“Young lady, I’ve never met anyone that would insult me like in years!”

“Are you complaining about your long life?”

“You should know about Prince York’s proposal a few days ago, right?”

Under these circumstances, Mandy had to bring out Prince York’s name.

“You’re trying to say you’re the woman Prince York proposed to?”

Frank flashed her a faint smile.

“That’s right,” Mandy exclaimed hesitantly. “Since you already know, then let me go already!”

“Ahahaha!”

Frank burst out laughing. Immediately after, he

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yanked Mandy's hair and sent her a slap across the face.

"You vixen! How dare you scare me with Prince York?! Do you really think I'd be scared by him?!"

"Do you actually think that a big shot like him would do something for a woman who rejected him?"

"How are you so good-looking but so dumb? If you kneel right now and call me brother or daddy, maybe I'll be softer and consider letting you go."

"You, threaten me? You really want to die!"

Mandy was in despair. She did not anticipate that Frank Costello would know about this beforehand.

People like him would never abide by laws.

Now that she had fallen into the hands of such people, her end would likely be a fate worse than death.

Just then, Frank's phone rang.

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He shot an automatic glance at the phone screen. A second later he instantly started to behave respectfully, despite being on the other side of the phone.

“Brother Tyson,” He said with a smile on his face. “Why are you calling me today?”

“Do you have orders for me?”

Frank was the boss of Buckwood’s grey area in the suburbs.

But his status was too low to be in the streets of Buckwood, even with Wayne York around.

How would he dare to stall any longer when Buckwood’s new upstart, Tyson Woods, called him?

That man could kill him with a snap of his fingers!

Tyson had already called quite a few other gang bosses. He couldn’t care less about Frank, and only called because he no longer had any other leads to follow.

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“Let me ask you,” Tyson inquired directly, not beating the bush. “Did your men abduct a woman from the construction site of Silver Nimbus Outer Courtyard?”

“This...”

Frank flinched.

“What’s the deal with this woman?”

Tyson let out a sigh of relief after hearing Frank’s words.

‘Found her!’

“Is she with you?! I’ll head over immediately!”

Tyson then swiftly hung up on his phone.

Frank was dumbfounded. He sized up Mandy for a short while, then gave Barry Waters a call.

“Barry, what’s the deal with this lady?”

“Why is Tyson Woods so adamant on finding her?”

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Barry Waters arrived soon after.

He and Frank locked eyes, their frowns apparent.

The new upstart of Buckwood, Tyson Woods, was not a man to be trifled with. Rumors said that there was a major figure supporting him from behind the scenes. Even gang bosses and their ancestors feared Tyson.

When a man like him was on his way to them, the two couldn't help but feel intimidated.

"Maybe we should ask Lord York for instructions," Barry said discreetly.

Frank's face was as dark as night. He knew how Wayne York would react. Wayne only cared about the outcome, never the process.

If Frank asked for Wayne York's help, it would be

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his death sentence.

Besides, Frank wasn't sure if Wayne York could face Tyson Woods.

While the two were still thinking of what to do next, Tyson Woods arrived moments later. Harvey was also beside him.

Frank noticed Harvey the second as Harvey came into Frank's sight.

'Where did this guy come from?'

'How dare he walk in front of Tyson Woods?'

'Maybe he's Tyson's new bodyguard?'

"Brother Tyson, do you have any new orders for me?"

Frank dared not ask more questions. He could only bow as he spoke.

Tyson threw Frank an icy-cold glare for a brief while, then shifted his gaze toward Barry, who had

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shrunk himself in a corner. "You best not do anything to my boss's wife. I'll cripple your legs if you even touch a single strand of her hair!"

'The boss's wife?!'

Frank shuddered slightly after hearing Tyson address Mandy in such a manner.

'Which big shot's woman is she to have Tyson Woods address her this way?'

The whole affair had nothing to do with Frank, but he had abducted her. If it weren't for Tyson's timely phone call, perhaps Frank would have already taken advantage of her.

As he thought of this, cold sweat started to drip down Frank's body.

'Thank God I haven't done anything stupid just yet! I'd be finished otherwise.'

He knew full well the capabilities of Tyson Woods. If Tyson wanted to make Frank and his men disappear, the whole process would be only a

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minute's work.

“Brother...Brother Tyson, the woman's in the basement. I didn't do anything to her.”

Frank didn't even think of Wayne York.

What good would having a strong backbone give him right now, anyway?

These days, Wayne York's status has already plummeted. Tyson Woods might not even pay his respects to Wayne.

Most importantly, if Frank revealed Wayne York's plans, Frank believed that his life would end up in a fate worse than death.

Tyson let out a sigh of relief. Knowing that nothing had happened to Harvey's wife, he was at ease.

“Get my wife out of here,” Harvey ordered. “Don't let her know that I'm here.”

Tyson nodded and did as his master asked as soon as possible.

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This whole affair was inappropriate for Mandy to have any knowledge of.

Frank's head felt heavier as he watched the scene before him.

He was smart and quickly took notice of how the man's identity was actually higher than Tyson.

Tyson was only working under this man.

"Does this have anything to do with him?"

Harvey's sight was now zeroed on Barry Waters.

Barry grew frightened when he saw Harvey.

He didn't anticipate that Harvey would simply address him by his full name.

"Tell me the truth, or I'll tear up your mouth right now!" Harvey snarled.

"I'll talk, I'll talk! He has a part in this! It was his idea to abduct that woman!"

Frank immediately sold out Barry.

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“Good.”

Harvey York’s frosty smile, colder than anything, appeared.

Looking at Harvey’s face, Frank couldn't help but hang his head low.

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Frank felt an unspeakable pressure from Harvey push him down, the sensation similar to when he was kneeling before Wayne York.

‘Who is this man? Why does this man have an aura stronger than Wayne York?’

“So tell me,” Harvey began coldly. “What is Barry Waters planning to do to my wife?”

Frank shivered, then proceeded to tell Harvey the truth.

“He said he wanted to see how Prince York’s woman tastes like.”

“And...and he said that the Surreys are supporting him behind the scenes, and that nobody would dare to touch him!”

Barry started to sweat profusely at Frank’s words.

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This was, in fact, a part of their plan.

Yet without knowing why, Barry subconsciously felt like he had done something wrong.

“Are you sure this was his own idea?” Tyson asked suddenly.

“Of course I’m sure, Brother Tyson! This man paid me a lot of money. If not, I wouldn’t help him with the courage of a lion!”

Harvey shot Frank a frosty glare.

“You should know what happens next if you lie in front of me.”

“I wouldn’t, I wouldn’t!”

Cold sweat drenched Frank’s entire back. He was terrified of being exposed.

“Which hand did you use to touch my wife?”

Harvey changed his subject.

Frank flinched. Before Harvey’s pressuring aura, he

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could only give in. He gave Harvey a reply and stretched out his right hand.

“It’s...this one.”

“What did you do?” Harvey York asked calmly.

“I-I slapped her face with it,” Frank stammered, shivering in his boots.

“Then from now on, prepare to be left-handed.”

Harvey’s tone was ice.

Tyson walked up to Frank with an equally cold expression, then slammed Frank with a brick.

Frank trembled harder. He opened his mouth to speak, shivering in fear.

“Since we’ve come to this point, there’s no need for the two of you to do it yourselves. I can do something this trivial for you.”

So saying, Frank grabbed the brick with his left hand, then furiously slammed it onto his right.

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“Ngh!”

A subtle grunt echoed along the sound of cracking bones.

The whole sight terrified Barry Waters completely and utterly.

Frank Costello was a gangster, and a powerful one at that.

But he actually sentenced himself to the punishment in front of Tyson and Harvey.

Tyson Woods was one thing. He was a gang lord, after all, and had power over people.

But Harvey York was just a live-in son-in-law! What right did he have to act this arrogantly?

Barry couldn't believe his eyes.

Even though Frank's body was shivering to no end, he could only continue to bash himself with the brick as neither Tyson nor Harvey was stopping

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him.

Slam! Slam! Slam!

The sound of the brick slamming his hand constantly filled the air. Soon after, Frank's hand was reduced into a pile of blood and flesh.

Barry almost passed out at the sight. He had never seen anything like it before.

When he thought of what would happen to him right after, his consciousness started to fade away.

"Are there other people who touched her?" Harvey asked again, just as calmly as before.

Frank forced out a smile. His face had lost all color. Subconsciously, he looked at his lackeys.

"Chop off their fingers," Harvey ordered. "I'm running out of time here."

"Of course!"

Frank would not dare to refuse Harvey. He

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struggled for a short while until he stood up, then approached his lackeys.

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Wails of horror echoed everywhere.

Barry's knees fell to the ground with a loud slam.
He was shivering to no end.

"I'll talk! I'll tell you everything!"

"The Surreys aren't the ones supporting us! They aren't powerful enough."

"The Yorks are behind all this. To be precise, it's Wayne York!"

"Him?"

Harvey chuckled.

He had been curious as to who dared targeting Mandy.

He never would've imagined it would be Wayne.

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“Looks like I was a little too soft last time,” Harvey York said calmly.

“Give him a call. Tell him that his life will be a living hell if he doesn’t show up in the next ten minutes.”

Barry nodded constantly. Trembling in his boots, he quickly made a phone call.

Before ten minutes had even passed, a wheelchair showed up at the scene.

Wayne York was covered fully with bandages as he sat on his wheelchair. Yet, his aura could not be compared to any ordinary person.

“Wayne,” Harvey began slowly, not deigning to turn his back and look at Wayne. “Do you remember what I said the last time?”

“I do.”

Wayne smiled bitterly.

When Melissa Leo retreated because of her failure,

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he went to beg forgiveness from Harvey at The Gardens Residence.

He still remembered the sight vividly. How could he ever forget?

“You should know that I don’t mind you plotting against me. But...she didn’t have anything to do with our little quarrel. Yet you still let other people pick on her. What do you think would fix this problem?”

Wayne’s expression was ice. He took out a firearm, then pulled the trigger with his left hand.

Bang!

A loud sound echoed in the air. Wayne’s hand snapped off, but he was emotionless.

Frank rejoiced at the sight. He dared not disobey Harvey. Thankfully, he had come to his senses and did exactly that. If not, he would’ve been reduced to a pile of flesh!

Harvey turned around and left.

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Barry thought that he had dodged a bullet.

But at that instant, Tyson kicked Barry to the ground.

“From tomorrow onward, you will make sure that the original amount of construction supplies for the Silver Nimbus Mountain Resort is reverted back to normal. If you miss even an ounce, I’ll destroy your legs.”

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Only Wayne was left, waiting for someone.

His expression was wretched as could be. He pushed his wheelchair toward Barry Waters with a face colder than ice.

But he did not utter a single word, and left immediately after.

His plans were all foiled because of Barry Waters. Now, he might really have to exile himself overseas.

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Mandy Zimmer had no idea what had taken place around her, despite being able to return home safely. She did not tell anyone about the whole mess.

Harvey himself did not utter a single word when he came back, acting as if he did not have anything to do with anything.

The next day, as Mandy was getting ready to go to her company early in the morning, a particular sight shocked her.

Barry Waters and a few other suppliers for the construction materials all kneeled in front of the door. They all had bags under their eyes. They had obviously been there for the whole night before.

Seeing Mandy appear, Barry opened his mouth to speak.

“CEO Zimmer! We were heartless and ungrateful before. We returned your kindness with cruelty. We don’t dare to do that ever again!”

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“From now on, the materials will be sent to the construction site as usual. The price is now thirty percent of what it used to be. You can pay us whenever you want. In fact, you don’t have to pay us if you don’t feel like it!”

Barry was cupping his face, looking completely different from his prideful self a few days ago.

Mandy was dumbfounded.

‘What is going on here?’

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When Mandy did not utter a single word, Barry assumed she was still boiling with anger. He then swiftly asked, his tone somewhat hesitant, "If you're still not content with all this, we can supply you all of the materials for free!"

"Please accept our little token of appreciation!"

Seeing Barry Waters' attitude, the other suppliers all followed suit. One after another, they grovelled.

They all knew full well what happened to Frank Costello because of this.

Even one of the four masters of the Yorks, Wayne York, had to decapitate his own arm.

If they didn't give in now, they'd only be asking for their deaths!

Mandy, for her part, thought that all of them had

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gone insane.

A few days ago, they were threatening her. Out of the blue, they came to her and kneeled before her.

Plus, they seemed like they wouldn't get back up if she didn't accept the materials.

At that moment, Harvey walked out, eating a bun.

Barry and his men shivered even harder when they saw Harvey. Cold sweat drenched their clothes.

“Mr. York, this is just a small gift. I hope you can convince Mrs. Zimmer to accept it.”

Barry was trembling in his boots. He had no idea what status Harvey possessed.

But he was definitely not the legendary live-in son-in-law everyone said he was!

Harvey replied, “Mandy, since they're so generous, just keep the materials. They're hard to find right now, and it'll affect the speed of work.”

Listening to Harvey's explanation, Mandy nodded.

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She then shot Harvey a perplexed look.

“Was it you yesterday?”

Harvey smiled, neither confirming nor denying Mandy’s words.

When he did not answer, Mandy grew suspicious.

“Maybe it’s Prince York.”

“It should be him. Sky Corporation has fifty-one percent of the shares for the Silver Nimbus Mountain Resort project, after all.”

“Aren’t they looking for death if they stopped Prince York’s very own project?” Harvey said, smiling.

“Should be.”

Mandy nodded, then shifted her gaze toward Barry and the others, a stern look coloring her face.

“You all may not have the basic decency of doing business, but I am different.”

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“Our contract ends here. I’ll pay back anything that I owe you as soon as possible.”

“We have no more ties with each other.”

After hearing Mandy’s words, Bary and the rest trembled.

If she made use of their supplies, they might have a chance for survival.

But if she were to reject them, they’d be finished.

The malefic being behind Mandy Zimmer was no generous and kind-hearted man.

The very next second, Barry smashed his head onto the ground, acting like he was garlic being grinded to the board. His head was bleeding all over, but he did not even feel anything. At this moment, he could only resort to begging bitterly.

“Mrs. Zimmer, you’re too kind!”

“You must use our supplies! And you must use

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them all freely!”

“If you don’t, we’ll grovel here until we die!”

Just then, Xynthia Zimmer made her appearance.

Seeing these men’s heads bleeding profusely on the ground, she was utterly baffled.

‘What did Brother-In-Law do to them?’

‘Why are these powerful-looking men grovelling like dogs without any courage to stand?’

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Mandy was too soft a person. Eventually, she acquiesced and nodded in agreement.

Barry and the others thanked her profusely and left soon after.

Soon, someone from the construction site called.

The materials were transported to the site, and the project that had been halted for a long while finally started up once again.

Mandy had her doubts, but she was finally at ease.

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At Sky Corporation.

Harvey York was in the CEO's chair, studying the two pictures in front of him.

The first picture was as clear as day, showing

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silhouettes of Wayne and Stephen York. They were at the beach, looking as though they were waiting for somebody.

On a closer look, Wayne York's left hand was already severed. The photo must have been taken the same day Wayne shot his arm off.

The second picture was a bit blurry. It looked like an airport, and there was a man that Harvey York did not recognize.

He stared at the pictures for a long while, then calmly asked, "You're saying that these pictures were on my table since this morning?"

"That's right."

Yvonne Xavier nodded.

"I asked someone to check the surveillance cameras, but the footage was somehow corrupted yesterday. Nothing was recorded."

Harvey smiled.

"Since somebody wanted to give this to me,

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naturally they'd have a way to break the cameras.”

“Who do you think is behind this?”

Yvonne thought long and hard about it, then replied, “No matter who it is, these three should still remind you to keep caution, CEO.”

“The twins Stephen and Wayne York are quite a hassle to deal with.”

“I didn't finish Wayne completely since Stephen wasn't there with him yesterday. If I did, I can't guarantee if Stephen would resort to something stupid.”

“But first, we should check who this person is.”

Yvonne nodded, and then left swiftly.

Harvey held the pictures, staring at them long and hard.

“This is the Hong Kong International Airport. Are the Leos arriving, then?”

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At Buckwood International Airport.

A luxurious private airplane was slowly landing.

Fully armed mercenaries were placed all around the area for protection.

The airport had been forcefully locked down as well.

To do something like this in an internationally renowned city like Buckwood, the person must be someone with immense status and power.

The upper social circle of Buckwood was exhilarated.

They had received news that a powerful figure from Hong Kong was about to arrive.

Hong Kong's status was much higher compared to that of Buckwood!

Only the most extraordinary of people could be accepted as Hong Kong's upper elites.

Rumors said that the person who would arrive soon was extremely rare to see in public.

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At the entrance of the private airport.

Stephen York, James Surrey, Callum Robbins, Eric Cloude and Grandma Yates arrived.

They carried not expressions of pride and determination, only unspeakable fear.

A tall man decked in an elegant suit, seemingly around his forties yet very young in appearance, walked past the entrance.

“Prince Leo!”

The people present all bowed down after seeing him.

This man hailed from one of the four top families in Hong Kong and was the Leos' current successor, a man with the title of Prince, Chris Leo.

Chris Leo strode forth majestically, his face ice-cold.

Today, he came here to represent the Leos as well as Melissa Leo.

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Stephen York walked up to him with a curt nod as greeting.

Chris Leo asked, “How are things progressing?” 1

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Stephen York smiled.

“Dear cousin, since you’re here already, why don’t you take it easy for a few days? Some things can’t be rushed.”

Chris Leo hesitated for a moment, then slowly replied, “Stephen, you know why I’m here.”

“If we fail, you and I both would be in deep trouble.”

“Of course.”

Stephen York smiled again.

“In that case, I’ll send someone to give the Xaviers an invitation.”

“Good.”

“I’ll arrange everything. You only need to show up.”

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Stephen York then chuckled.

Chris Leo did not utter another word, and discreetly left the airport amid the cluster of the crowd.

Though he was an extremely powerful figure, he also knew that if he failed his mission, he would not end up well.

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Emerald Lake, Buckwood.

The Xavier family's residence.

The Xaviers were not natives of Buckwood. They came from Wolsing.

After Sheldon Xavier became South Light's first-in-command, his family migrated here from Wolsing.

But Sheldon Xavier had always been a discreet man, which was why the Xaviers in South Light lived in obscurity.

The people who gathered at the peaceful Xavier

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Compound today all bore awful expressions on their faces.

Sheldon Xavier was frowning as he held a big red wedding invitation in his hand.

“This is the fifth time this month. This is Chris Leo from the Leo family!”

The Xaviers present all gasped in response.

Sheldon Xavier’s eldest son and Yvonne Xavier’s uncle, Adam Xavier, quietly said, “Sir, the first four people’s statuses aren’t that high. They have no right. We can just decline them.

“But Chris Leo is a prince. He’s the next successor for his family.”

“If we rejected him as well, we’d offend too many people.”

Sheldon Xavier fell into deep thought. After a long while, he finally said, “Right. In that case, let the young people meet with each other. As for whether they’d be fated to be together or not, it’d be up to

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them.”

For the past few days, the Xaviers from South Light received several wedding invitations.

There were still five first-rated families in all of South Light left. The Naiswells did not make a single move, but the other four had their patriarchs send wedding invitations to propose a beneficial marriage with the Xaviers.

Even the Leo family from Hong Kong was doing the same now.

The Xaviers were not high-profile people.

Even so, the family all felt quite proud.

No matter who Yvonne Xavier was to marry, it was important for the Xaviers to plant their roots firmly in South Light.

In the end, the Xaviers were outsiders. They didn't even need to spend ten years to establish the family name in South Light. If they did not have a strong backing, doing so would have been difficult.

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Even if Sheldon Xavier was to be the first-in-command of South Light, some things were not meant to be simply because of a strong position.

To stand firm, they would have to depend on their family's own capabilities.

This time, having several princes from big families proposing to Yvonne Xavier was a big opportunity for the Xaviers.

Sheldon Xavier knew about Harvey York, but he had already asked Harvey about the situation before.

Harvey and Yvonne did not have any relationships outside of work.

If not, it would be natural for Sheldon to take into consideration a capable grandson-in-law with an excellent background.

While the family was still gossiping, the doors of the Xavier Compound opened.

A silhouette wearing high heels walked in.

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The clear footsteps immediately drew everyone's attention.

A peerless beauty that could topple buildings was not enough to even describe Yvonne's beauty.

Even if everyone in the family had already seen her quite a few times, they still gasped at the sight of Yvonne Xavier in her exquisite make-up.

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Adam Xavier smiled when he saw Yvonne Xavier.

“Yvonne, just in time! Everyone was talking about you, too.”

“Finally, a young grown woman in the family!”

“This has been the fifth time that a handsome young man proposed to you!”

As he spoke, Adam took out a few photographs and set them on the tea table.

“Come, come, come. Take a look! This is the prince of the Leo family, Chris Leo. This is the prince of the Surrey family, Luke Surrey. Here’s the prince of the Robbins family, Oscar Robbins. This one here is the prince of the Cloude family, Declan Cloude. And this here is Prince Finn Yates...”

“All of them are handsome and capable young men.

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Whoever you pick, it'd be good for the family.”

However, Yvonne didn't even bat her eyes at the photos.

Instead she headed to Sheldon and said quietly, “Grandfather, you should know that I won't marry anyone.”

Sheldon sighed. “How can I not understand how you feel? It's just that, so many families came to propose. Even someone like me can't reject every single one of them.”

“We've already offended quite a few families. I may be the first-in-command in South Light, but our family may have a difficult time staying in South Light in the future.”

“That's why this time, you must not reject the proposal.”

“You have to pick someone out of these choices.”

“Or, you can bring one home yourself.”

Yvonne stared deeply into Sheldon's eyes, biting

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her lip.

“Right. I won’t let you down.”

“After half a month, I’ll invite these men here.”

Sheldon said. “If you can bring your man here before that time, I will acknowledge him.”

“No! Senior, this must not happen!”

The Xaviers stood up furiously.

“It’ll be fine if we offend a first-rated family like the Surreys, but we cannot defy the Leos from Hong Kong!”

“Even our main house in Wolsing might not be able to fight against the Leos!”

“That family is too powerful! If we displease them, our place in South Light will be gone!”

“Yvonne, you don’t have a choice! Either you marry Prince Leo...”

“Or you can pretend to pick a random man, and

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then marry Prince Leo!”

“You have no other choice!”

The Xaviers all began to shout at Yvonne, demanding her to do as they said.

In order to protect her family, she could not afford to displease Chris Leo. Her only choice was to marry him.

Chilling!

This was what Yvonne could only feel at that moment.

In these years, she had rarely shown up in the family. She was treated like a nobody. Yvonne, for her part, wasn't interested in gaining any authority among the Xaviers.

Her father had passed away early, but nobody would stand up for her.

She was already very discreet, and didn't show up in the family anymore.

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The Xaviers, on the other hand, had no intention to let her off the hook.

She had shown no worth to the family before, which was why the Xaviers had neglected her and acted as if she did not exist.

Now that her existence would give the Xaviers immense benefit, they began to force her into doing what they rightfully wanted. They wanted Yvonne to sell herself out for the sake of the whole family.

In Yvonne's eyes, none of her relationship with the other members of the Xavier family came close to the bond she shared with her grandfather, Sheldon.

It was at this moment when Yvonne's cousin, Ivan Xavier, swiftly walked up to her and sized her up condescendingly.

"Yvonne, I know you're working under Prince York as his secretary."

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“But so what?”

“Prince York doesn’t even look at you! You followed him for so many years, but you still haven’t made a name for yourself!”

“Things are different now. Since Prince Leo took pity and turned his attention to you, you should cherish this opportunity!”

“You should thank the heavens that he didn’t see you as some sort of vixen. How dare you still reject his proposal?!”

“Are you that shameless?!”

At Ivan’s words, the rest of the Xaviers nodded in approval.

They looked at Yvonne Xavier as if she was a gold

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mine.

If she agreed to marry Chris Leo, the benefits the Xaivers would enjoy would be far beyond anyone's imagination.

"Oh, Yvonne. It's not that I have anything against you, but women need to take care of themselves..."

"Let's talk about Prince York who never left your mind. Didn't he get rejected in front of a huge crowd while proposing to a stupid woman?"

"But even when he was rejected, he never did consider you."

"Yvonne. Even if you don't think anything of the family, think about yourself."

"A woman's youth and beauty has an expiration date!"

"Most importantly, if you miss this opportunity, it'll be impossible for you to meet another outstanding man such as Prince Leo!"

"Listen to me! You should resign from your job,

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dress up nicely, and accept Prince Leo's proposal at our family's evening party. This way, you'll be the happiest woman in the entire world."

Ivan's wife, Rita Lawson, quickly spoke up and tried hard to convince Yvonne, as if she was talking from experience.

Naturally, she and her husband were doing the good-cop bad cop routine. Their synergy was flawless.

The gaze of the entire family shifted toward Yvonne, waiting for the moment she would accept the proposal.

But Yvonne did not utter a single word, and her gaze was frosty.

Sheldon looked at his granddaughter's stubborn expression and sighed in his heart.

Some people in their family had support from the Xaviers in Wolsing.

The Xaviers in Wolsing were too powerful. Even if Sheldon Xavier was the first-in-command of South

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Light, he could not go head to head against them.

That was why he couldn't say anything.

Of course, he had another reason.

Sheldon Xavier had a speculation as to what Harvey York's true identity was. In his eyes, Harvey was dangerous.

Thus, he hoped that his dear granddaughter would leave Harvey as soon as possible.

After musing long and deep, Sheldon sighed out loud.

"Yvonne. It's not that I'm unwilling to give you a chance. Remember my words. You only have half a month."

"If the man you chose is willing to come with you, then whether he benefits you or otherwise...I'll acknowledge him."

"But if he does not have the courage to step into the Xavier Compound, you must break all ties with

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him!”

“No!”

Yvonne Xavier felt helpless, but she still remained stubborn about the matter.

“Yvonne, it’s an honor to be born in the Xavier family. However, that also means you must bear responsibility. Since you carry the Xavier name, then you must do everything and anything you can for the family!”

“If you can’t do as I say, then even if you went ahead and killed yourself, I’ll still marry your corpse to Prince Leo!”

Sheldon left right after that, unwilling to look at Yvonne’s expression.

The Xaviers, on the other hand, were exhilarated.

“Right, as it should! Even if you die, you’d have to marry Prince Leo!”

“This is your fate!”

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Buckwood High School.

Xynthia Zimmer's head was hung low as she made hurried steps, as if she was fleeing from something.

When she got to the entrance of the school, a few girls stood there, blocking her path.

“Why are you running, Xynthia? You're fast! You didn't hook up with an old man for money now, did you?”

“I couldn't tell! You usually seemed like an obedient little girl, and you wouldn't accept anyone's confession. To make money this way, I can't believe you're such a loose girl!”

“You can just tell us if you're short on cash. We can relieve you of your stress. There's no need to degrade yourself to this point!”

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These girls had a terrible relationship with Xynthia.

Xynthia never paid any attention to the boys in her class, especially after the KTV affair. Only her brother-in-law was in her mind. It was the reason why she rejected quite a few boys that could be considered exceptional.

Because of this, quite a few girls became terribly jealous of Xynthia.

If they had a chance, they wouldn't hesitate to kick Xynthia out of the school.

“When was I even short on cash? I own a house in The Gardens Residence! How could I be short on cash?”

“Even if I was, it has nothing to do with any of you. Please step aside!”

Xynthia wasn't in the mood to argue with these girls.

“Oh, Xynthia. I suggest you drop out of school

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obediently. Everyone knows that you're not from Buckwood, but instead from some backwater countryside!"

"How dare you boast about having a house at The Gardens Residence? Are you that shameless?!"

"Everyone, she might actually live there! She'd be fine with having an old man wait for her there, right?"

The girls all burst out laughing. In their eyes, this was their best chance of kicking Xynthia out of their school.

"Oh, Xynthia. Do you know why everyone keeps saying that you're in Buckwood to sell your body? It's because we let them see this!"

One of the girls took out her phone and showed Xynthia a video recording.

Xynthia could see herself sitting on the passenger's seat in a Rolls Royce from a distance.

The man in the driver's seat could not be seen

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clearly, but she remembered that she was recorded when she was going out with her brother-in-law.

This problem was impossible to solve.

A high school girl sat in a passenger's seat in a Rolls Royce, gossiping and laughing up a storm. If anybody else saw the recording, the consequences would be irreversible.

Another girl walked up toward Xynthia and pulled Xynthia's hair, giggling cruelly.

"Xynthia, you poor thing! We'll give you a chance."

"If you stay obedient, we'll delete the recording and help you explain the situation in class. How's that sound?"

"Fine! If you delete the recording, I'll do whatever you want. Tell me how much money you want!"

Xynthia assumed these girls were harassing her for money. She was still rather clueless about the nature of the whole situation.

"Hehehe! Do you think someone like me, Yelena

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Surrey, looks like a girl who's short on cash?"

This young girl had a face as lovely as a blooming flower. Though she looked beautiful, her personality was as poisonous as a scorpion.

Selena had reason to provoke Xynthia.

She hailed from the first-rated family, the Surreys.

The parents of the girls in her clique worked for the Surreys as well.

Right now, nobody dared to touch Mandy Zimmer's company because of Sky Corporation.

Hence, the Surreys decided to shift their target to Xynthia Zimmer.

Harvey York himself never saw this coming.

"How about this? Kneel in front of me and say you're a filthy tramp. Of course, we'll be recording the entire thing."

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Xynthia was not an idiot. She knew full well that once the recording spread, the rumors and slanders would never stop.

“We have nothing against each other. Why are you doing this to me?!”

Xynthia was perplexed.

“Don't you know that girls like you are no better than filthy street rats? Everyone should condemn you!”

“Since you have a rich old man supporting you, you're tarnishing the reputation the whole school! I'll punish you in place of the school authorities. What other reason do I need?”

Yelena Surrey shot Xynthia a look of disdain. She would not reveal her true intentions.

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However, it couldn't be denied that she was enjoying the whole thing.

Xynthia's face darkened. She had no one to help her, and she couldn't snatch the phone out of Selena's hands.

Agreeing to Yelena Surrey's conditions was the equivalent of having a new leverage against herself.

Once the recording was exposed, Xynthia would end up lonelier than before.

What should she do?

Xynthia subconsciously grabbed her own phone, thinking of calling a number she was all too familiar with.

But was this an appropriate time to let him come?

“What are you doing?!”

A familiar voice rang throughout the place.

Xynthia automatically raised her head, on the verge

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of tears.

“Who are you? What does this have to do with you?”

Yelena Surrey sized up the newcomer scornfully.

‘If he’s trying to save the princess, at least gauge your own capabilities first.’

In reality, Harvey drove a Porsche that day. The people around him were looking at him full of admiration.

However, Yelena was from the Surrey family. To her, a Porsche was no different than any other ordinary car. It never crossed her mind that Harvey might be a powerful figure.

“Xynthia, what happened?”

Harvey paid no attention to Yelena and hurriedly asked Xynthia about the situation.

“Brother-In-Law, she has a recording of me on her phone! She wants me to kneel and admit that I’m a dirty tramp if I want her to delete it.” Xynthia said

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at once, as if she had found hope to cling to.

Harvey froze over momentarily. Only he could tease his sister-in-law. What right did these girls have to ridicule her?

He turned around and gazed icily at Yelena.

“Give me the phone.”

“You’re Xynthia’s brother-in-law? The legendary live-in son-in-law?”

Yelena naturally knew some things. She sized up Harvey with utter disdain.

“What’s a kept man like you worth to me? What can you do if I don’t give you the phone?”

“Do you dare to touch me?”

“If you do, I’ll make you regret being born!”

Harvey’s expression was as cold as ice. Before Yelena could react, he stretched out his left hand and grabbed Yelena’s neck. He spat coldly, “I have

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no intention to throw hands against a little girl. Of course, if you can't be reasoned with, I wouldn't mind crippling you right here."

Yelena did not anticipate that this filthy live-in son-in-law dared to lay a finger on her.

He even did so in public! How reckless!

"You...! Let me go!" Yelena screamed, grinding her teeth. "Do you know who I am?!"

"You don't matter to me. What matters is that you provoked my sister-in-law."

So saying, Harvey dragged Yelena forward and snatched the phone away from her hand.

He deleted the recording in the phone nonchalantly, then snapped the phone in half with his other hand and promptly flung it in a nearby trash can.

He released Yelena from his hold, throwing her to the ground. Then, he then took Xynthia to the Porsche.

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Stars formed in Xynthia's eyes.

'Brother-In-Law is so handsome!'

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Harvey did not start the engine when he and Xynthia entered the car. Instead he frowned at her.

“Xynthia, tell me what’s going on. Why were the girls picking on you?”

His question made Xynthia feel wronged.

“Brother-In-Law, do you remember the KTV situation? I don’t really hang out with my classmates anymore after that.”

“But this Zane guy keeps chasing after me. He confessed to me publicly quite a few times already, but I rejected him every single time.”

“Yelena started to hate me because of that. I heard rumors saying she likes Zane.”

Harvey massaged his eyebrows, speechless after

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listening to everything.

It took him a while to recall who Zane Shaw was.

‘Isn’t he the kid that I bumped into when I was taking Xynthia home from KTV?’

‘And this Yelena kid...’

‘What is this?’

‘A soap opera between classmates?’

“How did something so simple escalate to this point?”

Harvey fell in deep thought. From what he saw Yelena did today, these highschoolers’ little drama did not have to go into such extremes.

Xynthia replied, gritting her teeth, “It’s Yelena! She keeps going on and on about how she’s from the first-rated family, the Surreys, and that I’m only fit to be her servant.”

“And yet, I dared to steal her man.”

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“So she doesn’t want to go to school, ever!”

“I heard that the board of directors at school also worked under the Surreys. She didn’t only force me to kneel, she wanted to kick me out of school!”

Listening to Xynthia, Harvey’s expression worsened.

If this was purely a matter due to petty jealousy between young girls, everything would just end here.

But Yelena was from the Surrey family.

She was ready to force Xynthia out of school because of this petty matter.

It would be easy for Harvey to find another school for Xynthia with just one word from him, but the other party was clearly harassing Mandy Zimmer. He could not bear to sit and watch as his sister-in-law got hurt.

Harvey said nothing. Instead, he immediately

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revved the engine and turned the car back into the school grounds.

The school usually did not allow outside cars to enter, which was why the security guard did not raise the barrier rod at the entrance gates.

Harvey didn't care and sped up. A loud bang could be heard when the barrier rod was knocked off.

The security guard stared as Harvey's Porsche entered the school premises.

"Who's that?! That guy doesn't even care about the school rules!"

"His car must've cost at least a few hundred thousand dollars! Isn't he upset that his car's all banged up now?"

"Didn't Xynthia Zimmer get in that car before? Is that the rumored wealthy old man?"

"Sigh! Even wealthy people would just barge into the school for no reason these days. Doesn't that man know who the board of directors of this school

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are?”

“We’ll have a great show to watch soon! Xynthia’s about to be expelled!”

“I heard that man snapped Lady Surrey’s phone, too!”

“How dare he still act so arrogant after provoking the Surreys? Xynthia’s finished, and that man’s no different!”

“Even Buckwood’s first-in-command needs to pay respects to the school’s board of directors! They’ll be good enough. There’s no need to call the Surreys here.”

“True. He’s only driving a Porsche, but he thinks that he can do whatever he wants! A man who’s never seen how the world really works needs to be punished accordingly!”

In the school meeting room.

The principal and a few board of directors were present, along with Xynthia’s class teacher and

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The class teacher wore a firm expression. She knew that although Xynthia was a transfer student, Xynthia was an extremely hardworking and diligent pupil. She whole-heartedly opposed the idea of expelling Xynthia.

“Principal! The situation was only a misunderstanding between the pupils. You mustn’t expel a good student because of something so minor!”

Listening to the class teacher’s exclamation, Zane Shaw’s mother stood up furiously.

“A misunderstanding? How could you call this a misunderstanding?!”

“Zane is an outstanding student! I raised him with my own sweat and tears!”

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“It’s an honor both for him and us to have Lady Surrey look up to him!”

“Even the parents can tell he’s fit for her!”

“But then this wretched little tramp, Xynthia Zimmer, wanted to take all of the Shaw family’s money to climb up the social hierarchy!”

“That’s why she wanted to destroy the two’s relationship!”

“Bad students like her should be expelled!”

Her logic was obviously skewed.

A petty affair between the students being escalated to this point was unreasonable.

Zane Shaw’s father, a middle-aged man with a pot belly, coughed loudly and said, “We usually don’t interfere with minor disputes between students. In fact, we’d never bring up this sort of thing to the principal.”

“But Xynthia Zmimmer was getting out of hand. It’

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s like she cast a spell on my son. I can't believe he stole a few thousand dollars from me just to buy her some presents!"

"Principal, teacher! This is by no means a small amount!"

"Zane had been raised with utmost discipline since he was a little boy. Why would he do something like this if he wasn't goaded into it by awful students?"

"That's why I think we should expel Xynthia Zimmer! We don't want one rotten apple spoiling the whole basket!"

Zane's father acted as though he was a sincere man earnestly trying to better the school's reputation.

Ultimately, his goal was the same as his wife, and that was to get Xynthia expelled.

This way, their son would have a chance to be with Yelena Surrey and climb the ranks of society.

The class teacher, Ms Yuna exhaled sharply.

She truly wanted to help Xynthia Zimmer.

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But Zane's parents were certain that their son's actions of stealing money was purely due to Xynthia's enabling.

A few thousand dollars was not a small amount. This problem could escalate to the point where it would affect the reputation of the school.

The school could not afford to ruin their reputation simply because of one bad student.

"You must give us a reasonable justification! If you don't expel Xynthia today, I'll spread the scandal all around!" Zane's mother exclaimed proudly, like the shameless woman she was. "When the school's reputation takes a hit, don't blame us!"

The principal and the few board of directors locked gazes. They did not know the ins and outs of the situation.

However, as the problem might affect the school's reputation, they had to make a decision.

Besides, expelling one student was an insignificant

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matter. There was no need to have the board of directors make such a small decision.

The principal no longer thought any further, having made his verdict.

“Right, then that’s decided. I’ll report the situation immediately.”

Zane’s mother was pleased, but she would not stop there. She pointed at Ms Yuna and yelled, “This class teacher had been protecting that little tramp all this time! She doesn’t seem like a good one as well!”

“I think the board of directors should thoroughly investigate her background.”

“Maybe she’s unclean too. She’s probably bought by an old man from God knows where!”

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The accusation of Zane's mother pushed the enchanting and alluring Miss Yuna into shivering with anger.

Because of her beautiful eyes and sensual body along, with her kind heart, there had been gossip everywhere about her.

But Miss Yuna was someone with good moral integrity. How could a woman like that be bought when she hadn't even fallen in love yet?

Miss Yuna could not hold in her anger anymore.

"Mrs. Shaw, please watch your language!"

"Stop spouting nonsense!"

"If you don't have any proof, I'll sue you for slander!"

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“Sue me? Do it, then!”

Zane’s mother was behaving incredibly shamelessly.

“If you weren’t a loose woman, then why are you protecting that tramp Xynthia Zimmer?”

“It’s all because of unclean teachers like you that students like my son would even have a chance to be born!”

“How dare you sue me? Have you no shame?!”

Miss Yuna was furious. She could pinpoint what mostly happened.

The whole thing was just jealousy between students, no harm done.

But Zane’s mother turned Xynthia Zimmer into a tramp with her accusations. Even Miss Yuna was dragged down in the mud because of this woman.

“Enough!”

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The principal frowned.

“Ms Yuna, let’s end it here. We’ve already made a decision!”

Miss Yuna was unhappy.

She wanted to help Xynthia, but she was just a teacher. Her authority was limited.

She was barely able to fend for herself.

“Stop being a teacher if you’ve grown a pair of dewy eyes! Can’t you just go away and be somebody’s mistress?”

“Since you shamelessly managed to become a teacher somehow, can’t you just take your pay and be content with it?”

“Stop butting in with other people’s affairs!”

“Can you do that?”

“I know a few of these directors. If we wanted to fire you, it’d be a simple task!”

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Zane's mother was stupidly prideful. She always thought that Miss Yuna was a little too beautiful for her own good.

Because of her jealousy, she was always displeased with Miss Yuna.

Now that she finally found an excuse to pressure Miss Yuna, why would she give up on that?

In just a blink of an eye, she had already thought of four or five heinous ways to end Miss Yuna's career.

Right when she was about to open her mouth again, a loud bang echoed as the doors of the meeting room were kicked open.

Harvey and Xynthia walked inside.

The principal and the others were shocked beyond belief.

They had lived a life of ease their whole lives, and had never encountered such a situation before.

Even Zane's parents were astonished. They already

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had a guilty conscience, so the sudden noise intimidated them.

“Bastard! Who allowed you to barge into the meeting room? Do you know what this place is?!”

Zane’s mother pointed a furious finger at Xynthia.

In response, Xynthia sent her a cold glare.

If it was any other occasion, she would be a bit terrified.

But now that her brother-in-law was present, she had nothing to fear.

She knew full well who her brother-in-law was.

He liked being discreet, but that did not mean he allowed anyone to be arrogant in front of him.

“Are you all talking about Xynthia being expelled?”

Harvey asked coldly.

“Who do you think you are, scum? You think you can just barge in here willy-nilly?”

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“Scram!”

“Security! Take him away!”

Mrs Shaw chided Harvey, pointing arrogantly at him. ①

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“Who’s the president here?!”

Harvey glared coldly at Zane’s vixen of a mother. He had seen too many women of her ilk, and could not be bothered by her kind.

“I am! Who are you to barge in the school’s meeting room like this?!”

The principal stood up and gowered at Harvey, full of discontent.

“Have you at least investigated the situation thoroughly before you decided to expel Xynthia?” Harvey York demanded icily.

“This situation only concerns the school staff. It has nothing to do with you!”

The principal barked back disdainfully.

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‘Where did this young man come from? How dare he question me? What a joke!’

“I’m a relative of hers. Of course it has something to do with me if she’s going to be expelled.”

“Whoever slanders her in front of me will perish.”

Harvey’s expression was as cold as the arctic. He did not appreciate a mere principal acting so pridefully in front of him.

“Kid!”

At this moment, Zane’s father stood. His body stank of seafood.

He threw Harvey a contemptuous glare and yelled, “Since you’re the little wretch’s relative, then I suggest you take her and scam. You don’t have the power to handle any of this!”

“If you don’t leave right now, I’ll get someone to drag you out of here! When that happens, I’m afraid you won’t look good!”

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Harvey turned around and looked back at the man.

“You’re the one who was adamant on Xynthia being expelled?”

“That’s right!”

Zane’s father chuckled coldly.

“How old is that awful girl, anyway?”

“She tried to seduce my son just because of money. He stole thousands of dollars from my business and used all that money to buy her gifts!”

“Now that you’re here, let me warn you. If you don’t pay us seventy-six thousand dollars by today, don’t even think of getting out of here!”

Harvey replied with a cold smile.

“How does your family’s lack of discipline have anything to do with Xynthia?”

“What does your son stealing money for harmful purposes have anything to do with Xynthia?”

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“I’m warning you. You need to give me a proper justification. If not, I can assure you that you’ll lose more than seventy-six thousand.”

At Harvey’s words, Zane’s father exhaled sharply and chuckled.

“A justification? I should be giving you a justification?”

“Let me remind you. You either pay up right now and apologize, then scram!”

“Or else, I’ll make the principal call the police to arrest you! When the inspectors come, you won’t even have a chance for regret!”

Harvey chuckled humorlessly.

“You’re threatening me with the police now? I’m terrified!”

“It looks like the principal believed every single word you said to expel Xynthia. You have a good relationship with the school, it seems? You’ve

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donated quite the amount of money to the school, no?”

“Tsk, tsk, tsk. I never expected a man who looks so empty-headed would have a bit of smarts in him.”

“Since you know about the relationship between the school and I, why don’t you pay up now?!”

Zane’s father burst out laughing. In the end, money is power.

He had given quite an impressive amount of sponsorship fees for his son’s school.

Under these circumstances, the principal would naturally side with him.

And yet, this wretched-looking man came out of nowhere and dared to fight against wealthy people in this manner?

Was he just looking for his own death?

Harvey glared coldly at him once more. Then, Harvey shifted his gaze toward the principal.

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“I’ll give you all a minute. You still have the opportunity to go back on your decision.”

“I’m impatient. When the time’s up, you won’t even have a chance to beg me anymore.”

Zane’s father guffawed.

“Are you an idiot? Hasn't the decision already been made? Do you really think that the principal will stand by you?”

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Of course, the headmaster didn't know who Harvey York was.

But he knew full well that not only did Zane Shaw make significant donations to the school. He was also closely acquainted with the chairman of the school.

Plus, the chairman was from the Surrey family, so the conclusion to how this matter would be settled was set early on. It would be impossible to change it.

At that moment, the headmaster spoke up coldly, "I don't care who you are, but today's result won't be changed in any way.

"Xynthia Zimmer is expelled out of our school, and regarding the issue of you trespassing the school, I have the power to seek legal responsibility from

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you!

“And you shall settle the financial problem yourself with Zane Shaw.”

Harvey's face turned cold as he scanned through the faces of other members of the school's board of directors. “So, do you all here think the same way as he does?”

“You punk, do you really think you can change our decision by trespassing our meeting room here?”

“You should go and ask if you still don't know who we are. No matter what kind of status you hold, you won't get to influence the outcome of this issue!”

“You better now compensate and apologize before getting your ass out of here! If not, I guarantee you all won't be able to study anywhere in Buckwood!”

Apparently, none of them was scared of Harvey at all.

In their eyes, this impulsive young man could only be a rich heir at most.

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How significant could a mere rich heir be on their minds?

They're the ones who held the real power.

Meanwhile, Xynthia became slightly panicked already.

After all, she's just a student, although she knew that her brother-in-law was incredible, the issue was she couldn't be sure if his power had any influence over the education system. She's afraid that she wouldn't be able to study at any school.

"Brother-in-law, let's forget about it and leave," Xynthia pleaded with a low voice.

"See that? At least this little b*tch knows what to do, get our ass out of here, and now my mood is good enough not to ask you to compensate us for the money!

"If you're still stubborn about this, I wouldn't make this as easy as simply compensating us with money!

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“I’ll ask someone to break your leg in half!”

Zane Shaw and his father were all arrogant.

Although they ran a seafood business, he really knew a few people from the dark side.

Breaking Harvey’s leg in half seemed to be a simple task to him.

Harvey chuckled, “You want to break my leg? This is interesting. If that’s so, I hope later you won’t kneel before me and beg.”

After that, he took out his phone.

Seeing Harvey’s action, the headmaster and the others couldn’t help but snicker loudly.

“Are you crazy? Are you thinking of calling someone for help now? Who can you call?”

“Young man, you’re too naïve. Do you know who the investors are behind our school?”

“Even if you file a police report, no one would care

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about this matter!”

“Don’t mind him; let him call. Seeing how he dares to threaten us, he must at least have some capabilities, right?”

“I enjoy the most when those who thought of themselves as capable enough will kneel and beg for forgiveness in front of me later!”

The headmaster and other school directors stood there coldly. They’re people who had ample experience dealing with people in real society.

Of course, they would know where the Surreys stand in Buckwood.

Plus, the Surreys were the ones investing in the school. How does it matter even if this good-for-nothing punk could find any good connections? Could it even beat the Surreys?

Zane, on the other hand, was confident and arrogant.

He knew early on that Xynthia and her family were

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probably people from Niumhi, outsiders, to be exact.

How could a mere outsider who might have a little bit of fortune create any sort of chaos in Buckwood?

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Just a short while after Harvey York ended the call, there's a commotion at the school gate.

“What is this today? Why is the school's chairman here as well? Did something big happen?”

“Is it about Xynthia Zimmer's matter?”

“How is that possible? How could Xynthia be capable enough even to trouble the chairman?”

However, not only the chairman's presence, the crucial part was when an Audi A6 slowly parked at the school gate.

“This is... Yaron Quick from Buckwood's ministry of education, he's the second-in-command of Buckwood's education system!”

“Oh my lord, how is the first-in-command, Tim

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Zepeda, here as well?”

“What is happening? What’s making both the big shots of the education system to be appearing here together?”

“Also, why are the chairman and the others all seem so panicked? What exactly happened?”

At this moment, the whole area around the school gate was in commotion, with everyone having looks of disbelief and awe.

Buckwood High School had always been reserved only for the children of people with power and wealth.

The investments from the Surreys even made Buckwood High School the most popular school in Buckwood.

An uncountable number of high officials and nobles sent their children to study in Buckwood High School. The headmaster and the school’s directors were acquainted with those people. Of course, they

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became arrogant with their noses sticking high up to the sky.

But now, the appearance of both the education system's first and second-in-command was simply a rare sight!

However, both of them had serious expressions on their faces. It seemed that something big had happened!

Right then, in the meeting room, everyone waited for nearly ten minutes already.

Zane Shaw's father was all impatient. "Little punk, what's up with your backup plan? Make him leave right now. If not, I'm leaving!"

"For goodness sake, why do you have to make things this complicated? Just take Xynthia and go, won't you?!"

The headmaster wasn't trying to be kind. He just didn't think Harvey could bring anyone with influence over.

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Meanwhile, Ms. Yuna walked over to Harvey's side and whispered, "Brother, why don't we just let this go? You can go back first while I think of something else. I won't let Xynthia be expelled from the school."

"Thank you so much," Harvey thanked her solemnly.

There were so many people here, yet only the class teacher, Ms. Yuna, helped Xynthia all along. He would remember this for sure.

After that, Harvey lifted his head and stared right at the headmaster. "Don't be too hasty. The men will be here very soon. You should gather yourselves now. If not, I'm worried that later your legs will turn to jelly and won't be able to stand properly."

Xynthia was the one who suffered the most amongst the people in the scene.

It's not that she didn't believe in Harvey's capability.

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It's just that she didn't want to make this small matter into a big issue. What if she really ended up with no place to study?

Because she knew full well that the school's board of directors, including the chairman who hadn't appeared, were VIPs in Buckwood's education world, money wouldn't be able to save them if people like them got offended.

"You little punk, or you should inform your friends not to come anymore. Tell them the one you offended is none other than me, then we'll see whether he dares to show up or not!" Zane's father spoke up icily with disdain.

Harvey raised his head, and promptly, footsteps could be heard outside of the meeting room.

Hearing this, Harvey answered casually, "There's no need for that. They're already here."

Zane's father straightened his body up and said, "Just about the right time! I'll take a look and see

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what kind of people they are!”

After that, his eyes set on the entrance, but the next moment he became astonished. “Chairman Surrey, what has made you come here in person?”

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The one who arrived here was Stevie Surrey, a collateral relative of the Surrey family and the chairman of Buckwood High School.

Upon seeing this man's arrival, Zane Shaw's father was confounded.

So this punk's backup plan was actually Stevie Surrey?

If that's the case, this matter would be slightly complicated!

Meanwhile, the headmaster and the other school's directors automatically stood up straight, with expressions of shock flashing across their faces.

The headmaster even chuckled, "So we're going to have a friendly fire amongst the people from the same family here..."

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But even before he could finish his sentence, the two persons who entered immediately had him astonished and so stunned that he couldn't utter a single word.

The first-in-command of Buckwood's Ministry of Education, Tim Zepeda!

The second-in-command of Buckwood's Ministry of Education, Yaron Quick!

If it's just Stevie Surrey, it wouldn't be much of a problem, as they're all from the same side.

But if one managed to have first and second-in-commands of the Buckwood's Ministry of Education here, it's definitely not something anyone would be able to do!

"Good day to both of our bosses here. Why are you ..." The headmaster spoke to them as he tried to calm himself down as he was walking up to them.

Who would've thought Tim ignored him right away and scanned across the room before walking to

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Harvey's side and asked respectfully, "May I ask if you're Mr. York?"

"It's me," Harvey York replied casually.

Hearing this, Tim immediately said humbly, "Rest assured, Mr. York. Just now, Sir Graham has left instruction that no matter what happened, we would sort the matter out fairly!"

The Sir Graham that Tim referred to was none other than Buckwood's government first-in-command, Yoel Graham.

Harvey called him and said he's facing minor trouble here at Buckwood High School so that Yoel could send someone over.

He didn't expect him to send over Buckwood's Ministry of Education's first and second-in-commands right here.

Right then, Yaron walked up to Harvey and bowed slightly. "Mr. York, if anyone dares to do anything wrongful under the supervision of Buckwood

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educational system, no matter what background he has or who supports him, we would ensure they won't be able to continue working in this field anymore!"

Hearing this, the headmaster and the other school directors didn't dare to utter a word at all.

Those two men's status was simply too high. Even Stevie didn't dare to show any arrogance at all, so what about them?

As expected, the chairman, Stevie, strode to Harvey's side and bowed. "Mr. York, if you have any commands, we will follow as you say!"

Harvey didn't bat him an eye and turned his gaze towards Zane's father and said, "I wonder if these few men dare to offend you?"

Zane's father was already shaken up at that moment.

It would be as easy as stomping on an ant for those few men to crush him already, so what about

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offending them?

At that moment, he was too terrified that he couldn't even speak.

Harvey didn't bother about Stevie as he sat down and crossed his legs over the office table.

Meanwhile, Yaron and Tim glared at Stevie sternly.

Although Stevie could almost guess what happened, he set his eyes onto the headmaster coldly and said, "Spill. What actually happened?"

The headmaster shivered. Seeing this, he already understood that he had to sort this issue fairly and professionally by stating the truth.

Maybe by being honest, he would at least be able to die in a better way. If he blurted out nonsense, he's afraid that he wouldn't even get buried anywhere if he died.

With that thought in mind, he immediately answered, "It was this parent who claimed that the student, Xynthia, lured his son and convinced him

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to steal money from the house, so we're going to kick Xynthia Zimmer out of the school!"

"So, did this really happen?" Stevie's icy gaze was on Zane's father, with a murderous expression written all over his face.

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Stevie Surrey's face was stern and cold. "What exactly happened? Be honest and spill everything!"

He had already heard of the start till the end of this matter, but what he had to do now was to do damage control so that it wouldn't relate to the Surreys.

Because now that the first and second-in-commands of the Buckwood's Ministry of Education were here, even if he's a collateral relative of the Surrey family, he would have to resign if he didn't sort this issue properly.

"It's... it's our fault!" Zane Shaw's father instantly fell to his knees.

He's a businessman, so he knew the best way to react according to those situations.

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With just a phone call, he's able to call over the first and second-in-commands of the Buckwood's Ministry of Education. If Zane's father still couldn't guess how strong the man's background must be, he'd be wasting his life working in the industry for so long.

"Xynthia didn't lure my son at all. It's my own son who fell for her, so he used up loads of money to chase after her, but she didn't accept his feelings. That's why he went around and tarnished her reputation!

"Before coming over today, I gave the headmaster and the few school directors some cigars so that they'll pin the blame on her and kick her out of the school!"

Zane's father quickly confessed everything and revealed what happened exactly, but he still didn't dare to talk anything about Yelena Surrey at all.

Although he couldn't offend the man right before him, he also couldn't afford to offend the Surreys as

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well!

In actual fact, everyone already knew well the truth behind this story.

But who would've thought that Xynthia had such strong connections?

Facing Stevie's icy expression, the headmaster quickly responded, "Chairman, sorry, we made a grave mistake in assessing the whole situation. Don't you worry, I'll make sure to clear Xynthia's name after investigating the matter properly!"

Stevie kicked the headmaster, who instantly fell to the ground. Only then, he walked up to Harvey and bowed. "Mr. York, do you think this would suffice?"

Harvey lifted his head to throw a glance at him with a cold expression.

It might seem as if Stevie was settling this matter fair and square, but in reality, this matter wasn't settled with a definite ending yet.

This incident might stay unsettled even after Stevie

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left.

Looking at how Harvey wasn't speaking at all, Stevie's heart sank to the bottom.

Because he understood that this young man before his eyes wasn't someone as simple as a rich heir.

He wouldn't be satisfied merely with a few of Stevie's comforting words.

At that moment, Tim Zepeda spoke up coldly, "In my opinion, there's no need to investigate further on this matter. It is crystal clear. Just settle this matter like you're supposed to, don't waste any more of Mr. York's time."

Hearing Buckwood's first-in-command of the education system, Tim Zepeda, saying this, Stevie's expression instantly darkened.

Meanwhile, the headmaster's face turned pale white in an instant.

Tim's hidden meaning was clear: they better don't try to drag this issue as long as possible.

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They had to get this over and done with today.

But the problem was, the news of Xynthia getting expelled from the school had already been spread around previously.

If they're to take back their decision now, it would be like a slap to the school's pride and honor.

And if they go an extra mile to clear Xynthia's name and even punish Zane Shaw, how could he even remain in his place as a headmaster?

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But noting Harvey York's attitude, the headmaster clearly knew that it's impossible to hush this matter and the people involved.

After all, Tim Zepeda was already here.

Plus, didn't they see how Tim didn't dare to sit down at all and just stood there since the start?

Smack!

Looking at how the headmaster was still hesitating, Buckwood's second-in-command of the education system, Yaron Quick, suddenly stepped up and swung his hand to give a slap across his face and spoke coldly, "Didn't you hear what Director Tim said? Don't waste Mr. York's time, or else your period as a headmaster will end very soon!"

"Yes, yes, yes!"

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The headmaster's back was dripping with cold sweat. At that moment, he didn't dare to look at Harvey and instead bowed before him and mindfully asked, "Or perhaps we can have Zane apologize to Xynthia?"

Hearing this, Harvey snickered briefly and was lazy to speak any further.

Yaron Quick saw this and went ahead to put a slap across the headmaster's face again and asked coldly, "So, this is the best solution you can think of?"

"Apologise? You think you can settle this matter with a mere apology?!"

The headmaster was already dazed from the slap. He didn't expect that his suggestion also wouldn't solve the issue at hand.

Right then, Tim stepped up and placed a meaningful stare onto Harvey before announcing coldly, "It's not that you can't apologize, but you

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have to do it right in front of every school teacher and student. And after this incident, if Zane Shaw still dares to trouble Xynthia Zimmer, kick him out of the school immediately!

“And also, if Xynthia got mistreated in any way in school after this incident, you can get ready to resign and get out of here!”

Both the bosses had said what they needed to say. How could the headmaster dare not to follow?

On the other hand, Zane's parents couldn't speak at all. How could they say anything before those bosses?

Although they had a bit of wealth and could look down at most people in Buckwood.

But the problem this time was, what they kicked was a metal board. This metal board was simply too hard, and it's so hard that they didn't even dare to face it.

Seeing this, Tim and Yaron exchanged a few glances

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before wiping off their cold sweat discretely.

They didn't know Harvey's true identity, but if he's capable of making Yoel Graham personally call them and instructed that they had to satisfy him no matter what, the level of this young man's status should be predictable already.

At this moment, they could only do what he wanted.

Harvey turned to look at Xynthia and asked, "Xynthia, what do you think about this method of ending the dispute?"

"I...I don't know..." It was the first time for Xynthia to witness a scene like this, so she couldn't be sure if this would do.

Harvey stood up and replied, "If you can't decide, then I'll decide for you.

"Now, ask every teacher and student to go to the school auditorium. We will make the whole school witness the apology.

"Also, the headmaster and school directors have to

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clearly report the process of how you received the bribe and settled the matter. If you leave out even one word, I'll make sure that all of you will disappear from this world!"

Although Harvey's tone sounded casual, the headmaster and a few of the school directors' faces turned ashen. If this matter were spread out, they really wouldn't be able to work in the education sector anymore.

Or it should be said that their working life would have ended right away already.

But the problem was this man had marked his words.

If they didn't adhere to those words, there's no need for him to do anything before Tim sets instructions to make them lose everything.

Feeling utterly helpless, the headmaster could only use the school's broadcasting system to ask all the students to gather in the auditorium.

Those teachers and students were already curious

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about the arrival of Tim Zepeda and the others, so the auditorium was instantly flooded with people; less than ten minutes after the announcement was made.

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All the teachers and students present were gossiping outside the auditorium.

“What’s this all about?”

“Maybe it’s to announce Xynthia Zimmer’s expulsion directly! After all, she dishonored our school!”

“Furthermore, her sugar daddy even drove into our school. She must have instigated it!”

“I heard that she’s gorgeous, but I didn’t expect her to be such a b*tch!”

Yelena Surrey and others were the first to come.

They went straight to the front row because they eagerly hoped that Xynthia would end up like this.

Yelena even asked someone to send her a new

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phone immediately. She planned to take a video of it and bring it home to enjoy it leisurely!

“Xynthia, this b*tch! Does she think that she could settle this matter just by finding a sugar daddy? Nonetheless, she doesn’t know that in this Buckwood High School, we, the Surreys, have the final say!”

“From the moment we made our move, she was destined to be doomed!”

“Isn’t that idiot very arrogant just now? He has even broken your phone, Young Lady, and drove a broken second-hand car to the school. Now, he should realize how reputable our school is.”

“We could just let the chairman deal with this trash. Why should we let the number one and number two figure in the education system come?”

“It’s also good that they come. This kind of upstart, he really thought that he’s the number one in the world with that small change! In truth, he’s nothing in front of the big families like us!”

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“I’m feeling curious. What is his feeling right now?!”

“Is it worth it for a b*tch like Xynthia?”

At this moment, Harvey and Xynthia walked to the stage.

Many of Yelena’s supporters had begun to ridicule them.

“Xynthia, you’re truly a disgrace to Buckwood High School. Hurry up and get lost already!”

Yelena sneered.

Her followers around her also echoed her statement. They were all pointing at Xynthia and cursed her, saying that she was shameless.

This was because Yelena’s identity was remarkable. She was almost like a princess at Buckwood High School. Hence, when she pointed at Xynthia and cursed, other people would also turn nasty and were emotionally driven by her actions.

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Xynthia was condemned in just a few moments after reaching the stage. Someone even said that she would have been drowned in a wicker basket if they were in the old days!

Xynthia's complexion was awful when she heard those cursing words.

She did not do anything wrong at all but was being scolded by those so-called classmates!

If it wasn't for her brother-in-law, who had come and clear her name, she might be forced to jump off the building by those people.

"Are you finished?" Harvey glanced below the stage indifferently.

"Of course not! If she can do such shameless things, why can't we say it?"

"I'm regretting it now. Why did I let her get into our school when she transferred here?!"

Yelena folded her arms and said with a mocking

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expression.

“And you. You broke my phone just now and strangled my neck. Just wait, if you can walk out safely from Buckwood High School today, I, Yelena Surrey, would change my surname into yours.”

Harvey laughed. He did not expect a little girl dared to threaten him. ①

He was not angry. Instead, he glanced at Yelena indifferently and said, “You don’t deserve it.”

He did spout nonsense. Yelena was indeed not worth bearing the surname York.

However, his calm attitude had made the little princess angry.

If it were not for her fear toward Harvey, she would have hit him already.

Meanwhile, Tim Zepeda and others went on the stage one after another.

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Tim Zepeda, the first-in-command of Buckwood's education system.

Yaron Quick, the second-in-command of Buckwood's education system.

Stevie Surrey, the chairman of Buckwood High School.

The listed school board directors and headmasters of Buckwood High School...

Lastly, Zane Shaw and his parents also came on stage.

Yelena Surrey and others still constantly sneered at Xynthia when those big shots appeared.

However, when they saw Zane and both his parents went up on the stage, dejected, they could not help

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feeling a little strange.

This was because Zane's mother was widely known as a sharp-tongued shrew.

Nonetheless, she seemed to be like a boneless tiger at that moment. Her face was ashen. It was as if she would collapse at any time if the wind blew.

If one looked closely, Tim and Yaron had a stern look on their faces. They seemed to be a little respectful toward Harvey while looking in his direction.

As for Stevie and the other Buckwood High School staff standing on stage, all their faces were extremely awful at this moment.

Harvey gave Zane's father a stern look.

This man who acted so arrogant just now felt that his leg instantly melted at this moment and kneeled.

After he had kneeled, his wife, who was a shrew, could only kneel reluctantly with a grimace on her

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face.

As for Zane, he was just being called here. Thus, he was a little overwhelmed at the moment.

He initially thought he was here to give evidence of Xynthia's guilt. However, the scene indicated otherwise.

At this moment, Zane could not help but ask, "Father, Mother, what are you doing? Why do you kneel in front of this b*tch? Have you forgotten what she did to me?"

"We are on stage. Many people are watching! Get up quickly!"

Zane was about to pull his father up while he was talking.

Offstage, many of Yelena's followers were making light of them.

"Zane, get your father up quickly. He must have been too tired!"

"Uncle, you have to stand upright in front of a big

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shot like Tim Zepeda. They will surely be on your side!”

“Yes, didn’t this b*tch instigate Zane to steal seventy-six thousand dollars?! We must make them compensate the money!”

“Headmaster, we must let the entire education community in Buckwood know about today’s matter and let Xynthia be hated and insulted by everyone!”

Zane seemed to have regained his confidence after hearing those words. He became arrogant and energetic. At this moment, he asked his father to stand up while supporting him.

The chairman, Stevie Surrey, the headmaster, and others were watching this scene. Their complexions were extremely awful. It was even worse than eating sh*t.

Although they did plan thoroughly, they did not expect that Zane would do this.

Tim and Yaron’s faces darkened.

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Some despicable things had just been said.

If it was according to the plan, Mr. York should have cooled down by now. Then, everyone would be fine and go back to their homes.

However, this brat, Zane, did this. It certainly caught them off guard.

Xynthia's face was also turned a little pale due to Zane's behavior.

She was not afraid of him. Instead, she felt nauseous when she saw him because she had been harassed by him a lot recently.

Harvey reached out his hand and caressed Xynthia's head. His indifferent gaze fell on Zane's father.

Zane's father seemed to sense the gaze from Harvey.

He dared not stand up. Instead, he held Zane and pressed him on the podium.

Then, he lifted his right hand and gave Zane a big

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slap in the face.

Slap...

It made a big thud. The crowd was shocked.

This...what was this?! 1

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This slap caught Zane Shaw off guard.

Zane's father had already given him more than a dozen slaps using both his hands before he could even speak.

He indeed hit Zane swift and hard enough. It could be said that he might not even be so ruthless while hitting his wife's toy boy.

After slapping Zane until he was about to faint, Zane's father kneeled on the ground and turned around. He then began to grovel in the direction where Harvey and Xynthia were standing.

"I'm sorry, Xynthia. We slandered and tarnish your reputation!

"You have never seduced my son. He got in over his head and coveted your beauty. So, he went to great

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lengths to harass you!

“The matter regarding the stolen money happened due to our family’s disciplinary issue. It’s all our fault!

“Today, in front of so many teachers and students, I sincerely apologize to you on behalf of our family. I hope that you can forgive us!”

All the teachers and students present could not let the words they just heard sink in.

Many people offstage began to rub their eyes after a while. They almost thought that they were seeing things!

Did Zane’s father just grovel at Xynthia and personally apologized? This, this...

This was out of the ordinary.

“What’s the situation? Isn’t Zane’s father a big boss in the seafood business and has a net worth of several million?! How could such a big shot kneel to Xynthia?!”

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“This doesn’t make sense! Is he acting?!”

“The development of this plot is too unexpected. Even a television series is not this interesting. What’s going on?!”

“Is it possible for Xynthia to have a more powerful benefactor? Otherwise, how could Zane’s father apologize to her with his status and wealth?”

Many people focused on Harvey after those remarks came out.

Although they did hear about the Porsche incident...

However, the Porsche was just hundreds of thousands of dollars.

In the eyes of those second generations of Buckwood High School, there was nothing remarkable about that incident at all.

They might be a little amazed if Harvey drove a McLaren or a Lamborghini.

But with a Porsche, they certainly would not.

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However, did this rich second generation that they despised help Xynthia make a comeback?

This, this, this...

This was beyond imagination!

“Let’s get things straight,” Harvey said casually. At this moment, he did not need to utter any more nonsense.

Zane’s father kept groveling at the moment and quickly straightened everything out with Harvey.

He did not dare to mention Yelena Surrey. Other than that, he had explained everything, including how they had framed Xynthia and how they had turned the public opinion against her.

Many people thought that Xynthia Zimmer was a b*tch who seduced Zane Shaw and encouraged him to steal the money.

Nonetheless, everyone knew how innocent she was, and how shameless Zane and his family were.

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It was utterly indecent to act like this just because one person failed to get his woman!

The headmaster waited as Zane's father finished talking about the matter, then he walked out and said solemnly, "Fellow teachers, students, we also hold responsibility for this matter!

"We only listened to one side of the story because Zane's father tempted us with some cigars and liquor. We had even prepared to expel Xynthia without sufficient investigation and evidence.

"I formally apologize to Xynthia on this matter. From now on, I will step down as the headmaster to show my sincerity!"

Apparently, although he was unwilling to do so in every possible way, resigning as the headmaster was already the best solution for him!

This has undoubtedly shocked many people. Was the headmaster being dragged down because of this incident?

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When the headmaster finished speaking, the school's board of directors also walked out, saying that they also hold a huge responsibility for this matter. They would resign today and no longer get involved in the education sector in Buckwood.

Apart from the chairman, the headmaster, and the board of directors of Buckwood High School all took the blame and also resigned because of this incident.

The crowd went wild at this moment!

Even some people who were clueless were aware of something at this moment.

If it was only the apology from Zane Shaw's family, it might be because the truth could not be concealed anymore.

However, even the headmaster and the school's

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board of directors had taken the blame and resigned; it seemed that things were not that easy!

Many people had already begun to speculate Harvey's identity at this moment.

Now, they finally understood the reason why Tim Zepeda was also present here. It was probably because of this young man.

Yelena Surrey, who was in the crowd, has an extremely awful expression.

She initially thought that Harvey was just an ordinary rich second generation. She never expected that there was more to it than that.

He was indeed quite capable of having Tim Zepeda and Yaron Quick backing him.

Nonetheless, in Yelena's mind, the Surrey family was still the most influential in Buckwood High School.

This was a forbidden terrain where even the tigers had to crouch, and the dragon had to coil!

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Yelena immediately dialed a phone number when she thought of this. “Father, there’s someone here who is supporting that little b*tch, Xynthia, and even invited Tim Zepeda and Yaron Quick, the number one and number two figure of the Buckwood education system.”

The person on the other end of the phone chuckled. “Taking care of Mandy Zimmer’s sister is the chief’s idea. I initially thought that it was just messing around, and it wouldn’t be as interesting.

“Now that someone wants to question our authority in Buckwood High School. Let’s have some fun with them.

“My dear daughter, just stall them. I’ll come soon!”

Yelena looked conceited when she hung up the phone.

At this moment, everything seemed to have settled down. Yelena suddenly walked up to the podium. She glanced at Stevie and said coldly, “Chairman!

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Are you sure what you just said is the truth?!”

“You kept saying that you would expel Xynthia half an hour ago. Now, you backpedal and say that it’s all your fault instead? Are you kidding me?”

“This is no ordinary place. This is Buckwood High School, the Surrey family’s Buckwood High School!”

“You’re deliberately humiliating the Surrey family by doing this!”

Although Yelena was relatively young and had been spoilt since childhood...

She was able to control the crowd the moment she spoke. After all, she came from a first-class family.

Stevie has initially been in the collateral line of the Surrey family. He immediately understood after observing Yelena’s attitude at that moment.

It seemed that the Surrey family would not let go of this matter that easily.

Even if it meant offending the mysterious Mr. York,

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even if it might offend Tim Zepeda and Yaron Quick.

However, he was also from the Surrey family!

Stevie sighed and said soon after, “Yelena, you’re still young and naïve...

“Someone has invited the number one and number two figure of the Buckwood education system here!

“With both of them here, of course, they could reverse the truth at will!”

“Is the truth essential at this moment?”

The crowd was in an uproar upon hearing Stevie’s words.

What did this mean?

Could it be that Zane and others were forced to admit their mistakes due to social pressure?

Could it that what they had said was not the whole truth?

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At this moment, everyone in the crowd looked at each other.

However, soon, Yelena Surrey's followers quickly reacted.

They all knew what they should do at the moment.

"Xynthia, you're shameless! How dare you to ask the first and second in command of the education system to back you up?!"

"You have done something wrong, and you don't even admit it. You even forced the esteemed headmaster to take the blame and resign!"

"Xynthia, you're the delinquent of Buckwood High School. How could we let people like you enroll in this school in the first place?!"

The teachers and students who were clueless just

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now were all pointing and cursing at Xynthia at that moment.

The homeroom teacher, Ms. Yuna, could not help but stand up and thundered, "Students, Xynthia is innocent. Zane and his family were the culprits!"

Slap...

Yelena suddenly walked to Ms. Yuna, raised her hand, and slapped her.

"B*tch! Shut up! Everyone knows that you taught this little girl!

"A young b*tch and an old b*tch! Both of you are shameless!

"Hit her!"

Many students threw their workbooks, erasers, and so on toward Ms. Yuna, following Yelena's order, which caused her to back away, looking terrified.

She had just graduated and had only been a teacher for a little less than two years. When did she ever

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witness such a scene?

It could only be said that she was still too naïve. She could never begin to imagine how powerful the Surrey family was in Buckwood High School.

Suddenly, Harvey walked forward and looked around the crowd indifferently.

Perhaps it was because his aura was too imposing. The students unconsciously stopped their movements at the moment and dared not continue.

“You’re Yelena, right? I’ll give you a chance. Apologize to Xynthia right now, and this matter will end here.”

Harvey said casually as if it was an order.

Tim Zepeda, whose expression had changed drastically, also quickly stepped forward when he heard Harvey’s words. He then shouted, “Yelena, hurry up and apologize. Don’t make this matter any harder than it is!

“Stevie, same to you. Don’t you wish that this

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incident would defuse?”

Tim was terrified at this moment.

Yoel Graham called him and gave him an absolute order, saying that he must solve this matter perfectly for Mr. York. Otherwise, he could go home and start farming.

It indicated that Mr. York's identity was definitely someone that Tim could not afford to provoke.

He initially thought that everything had settled since it had escalated this point.

However, he never thought that Stevie and Yelena would make such an act.

Tim could not wait to choke them to death at this moment.

Stevie looked indifferent and said slowly, “Tim, although you're the first in command of the education system, there are still other authorities in Buckwood!

“You don't have the final say around here!

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“You’re just the first-in-command in the education system. You aren’t a nobody, but neither are you a big shot!

“Anyone from the Surrey family could easily subdue you. Do you still want to get involved in matters under such situations?!”

Yelena sneered, “Stop talking nonsense with Tim. He would know how to write the word “death” when my father comes!”

Tim’s complexion became even worse after hearing Yelena and Stevie’s words.

He knew that Mr. York had a very high status. However, the identity of Yelena’s father was also intimidating enough.

Sir Surrey from the Surrey family was not someone that ordinary people could even afford to offend.

At this moment, even people like Tim broke out in a cold sweat.

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Soon, Tim Zepeda walked to Harvey. He then leaned forward and said, “Mr. York, Sir Surrey from the Surrey family is likely to come. What do you...”

Harvey glanced at him indifferently and responded, “Sir Surrey? Dawson Surrey?”

“Yes!

“Are you afraid of him?”

Tim’s complexion was awful, and his face darkened. However, he answered with a slight nod.

Dawson Surrey was one capable man from the Surrey family. Even the first-in-command of the Buckwood education system dared not to offend him.

“Then aren’t you afraid of me?” Harvey smiled.

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Tim's face darkened even more upon hearing this.

The man in front of him was just too composed.

Tim was not an ordinary person either. At this moment, after his facial expression changed for a while, he finally gritted his teeth and said in a deep voice, "Mr. York, I will surely abide by Sir Graham's order regardless of the situation today and stand by your side."

Harvey corrected him and said, "You're not standing on my side. You're just dealing with it justly."

"Yes, yes, yes. Dealing it without prejudice!"

Tim kept nodding in agreement.

"Then, Mr. York, what should we do now?"

"We shall wait." Harvey looked unnerved.

He initially had planned to go and crush the Surrey family after he had dealt with this matter.

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Since the Surrey family had come to approach him now, he should wait patiently then.

“Brother-in-law...”

Xynthia was feeling a little worried.

Harvey reached out his hand and caressed her head. He then said with a smile, “Don’t worry, since they want to suppress us using their power, then I shall teach you what true power and authority are today!”

Meanwhile, at Surrey Manor.

Dawson walked out of the gate with a cold expression.

“Uncle.”

At the gate, a young man in a white shirt suddenly stopped him.

“Prince.”

There was a strange glint in Dawson’s eyes as he

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gazed upon him. However, he still leaned slightly out of respect while he spoke.

Luke Surrey, although he was the third generation of the Surrey family and his standing was a little lower than Dawson...

He was Prince Surrey chosen by James Surrey. He was the designated heir of the Surrey family.

Even if he was dissatisfied with this Prince Surrey, he dared not to show it.

It seemed that Luke could not read what was going through Dawson's mind. He then said casually, "I've gotten the news. The other party even invited prominent figures like Tim Zepeda and Yaron Quick just for a little girl. This shows that the Zimmer family isn't as simple as we imagined!"

"The Zimmer family might even be inextricably linked to Prince York.

"Therefore, I must quickly solve everything during this trip."

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Dawson replied in a deep voice, "Don't worry, my prince. I already have it in mind. Since it's an order from the chief, I will definitely settle it as soon as possible.

"Moreover, I have sent someone to invite a few big shots to contain the people using their presence. If they're there, even Tim Zepeda has to bow down before us."

Luke Surrey nodded slightly and said, "If things could be resolved, then you'll certainly have a huge contribution to it.

"However, if things fail, remember, you acted all on your own accord. None of this has to do with the Surrey family."

Luke turned around and left after he finished speaking.

Dawson's expression constantly changed while looking at Luke's back.

He only sneered after Luke's figure disappeared, "

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Little brat, rising to power at a young age doesn't mean that you can act so conceited!

“Who will have the final say in the Surrey family after this incident? It still hasn't been decided yet!”

Dawson turned and left after he finished his words. An Audi A6 promptly stopped at the gate at the same time.

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The door of the Audi A6 opened. A figure in a Mandarin suit was sitting in the rear seat and looking at Dawson Surrey casually.

This person was Reign Jackson, the second-in-command of Buckwood!

Reign was the one in charge of the education system and the health system in Buckwood.

Simply put, he was Tim Zepeda's immediate superior.

At this moment, Dawson invited him to crush Tim to death.

Although Dawson was known as Sir Surrey, he would never act arrogant and overbearing in Reign Jackson's presence.

He bowed at this moment and said, "Sir Jackson,

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sorry for inviting you here out of the blue. This is mainly because there's a minor incident in Buckwood High School!

"Some people are counting on the support of Tim Zepeda, who was from the Buckwood education system and acted recklessly there as we speak!

"The main reason for inviting you this day is for a show!

"Actually, you don't need to show up at all. We could just mention your name to make Tim and others kneel and beg for mercy."

Dawson said respectfully, but Reign did not take it seriously.

Although Tim and the others had tremendous power in the Buckwood education system, they were nothing in front of Reign Jackson.

At this moment, he looked at Dawson and said, "I have come forward this time. You should know what my price is!"

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“Yes, yes, yes. We’ll surely support you in competing for the position of the first-in-command in Buckwood after this matter!”

“The Surrey family could still have a say in front of Elder Xavier and are close with the Yates family. If our chief comes forward, this matter would be in the bag!”

Dawson smiled and said at this moment.

Apparently, the price they had to pay for letting Reign Jackson, the second-in-command in Buckwood, come forward was to support him in competing for the top position in Buckwood.

However, this was not really a loss for the Surrey family.

This was because if Reign became the first-in-command in Buckwood, then he and the Surrey family would be even more inseparable.

Reign would also become one of the Surrey family’s most prominent connections.

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Thus, the Surrey family had no intention of rejecting Reign's request since the beginning.

“Good!”

Reign nodded slightly and said indifferently, “I have invited a few more people over to support you in this matter!”

Soon, an Audi A6 appeared at the gate of the Surrey family.

“This is the first-in-command of the Buckwood Police Station, Marvin Brown! Chief Inspector Brown is usually very low-key. Out of all the officials, only Sir Yoel and I can call on him...”

Reign introduced a man in casual clothes to Dawson at that moment.

Marvin looked reserved. But since he was here, it certainly meant that he would like to do a favor for the Surrey family.

After all, for them, being able to make use of such a

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small matter to gain favor from the Surrey family in exchange, what a bargain!

“This is the chief official in the city where Buckwood High School is located.

“This is the chief inspector of the police station where Buckwood High School is located.

“They are my people in the government.”

Reign spoke casually at this moment.

However, Dawson gasped with astonishment.

Reign certainly gave them a huge favor. Suffice it to say, almost half of Buckwood's government was here, thanks to him.

Moreover, the first-in-command of the district where Buckwood was located also came. This was the true local governor, a genuine and powerful big shot.

If those people got together, no one could contend their power in Buckwood.

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It was said that Xynthia Zimmer's benefactor was a rich second generation, and he was able to invite Tim Zepeda.

Regardless, Tim Zepeda was just incomparable to Reign Jackson.

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Reign Jackson only smiled and said after seeing everyone had arrived, “We’re running out of time here. Let’s go. I still need to go back and attend a meeting after settling this matter. I have to discuss whether who will be taking over the position of the first and second-in-command of the Buckwood education system!”

Although he had not met Tim Zepeda and others face to face, he had already decided to sack them.

“Yes, Sir Jackson, please!”

Dawson Surrey’s face was full of smiles. Soon, he drove his car out, and the group of people darted toward Buckwood High School.

At the school gate, many people gasped when they

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saw a line of Audi A6 coming in.

What the hell was going on?

“I heard that the second-in-command of Buckwood, Reign Jackson, and the chief inspector of Buckwood Police Station are here!”

“Sir Surrey is here too!”

“Oh my gosh! Indeed, you can provoke anyone at Buckwood High School, but not our princess, Yelena Surrey!”

“It’s terrifying! Although these people just bring along their drivers and secretaries, they represent the government!”

“Who dared to rouse them?”

At this time, many students in the auditorium of Buckwood High Scholl had also received the news.

Many of Yelena’s followers repeatedly sneered after

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knowing that Sir Surrey and Reign Jackson were here.

Did Xynthia think that she could turn things around by bringing Tim Zepeda, the first-in-command of the Buckwood education system, who was ordered by a rich second generation to support her?

Unfortunately, the Surrey family's power was beyond their imagination!

What did it mean by a frog living under the rock?

This was exactly it!

“Xynthia Zimmer is screwed today! Not only would she be expelled, but she might also drag her sugar daddy down the water with her!”

“Sigh, this rich second generation is also very unlucky. Why did he have to provoke our princess out of all the people? He is certainly seeking death!”

“But we also have to thank him. Otherwise, when can we get the chance to meet so many big shots?!”

The crowd burst into laughter after they finished

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their words.

Apparently, those people believed that Harvey and his group would undoubtedly die.

On the podium.

Harvey was standing with his hand behind his back and waited patiently.

Xynthia could not help getting a little worried, and said, "Brother-in-law, why don't we just forget about this?"

"The Surrey family is no weaker than the Yates family!"

Her statement was straightforward. Harvey could not afford to provoke the Yates family, let alone the Surrey family.

Harvey smiled and said, "Don't worry. It was just the Surrey family. I don't really care much about them."

Xynthia sighed upon hearing his response.

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Soon, there was a roar from the outside of the auditorium.

Then, the auditorium's door was pushed open, and Dawson was the first to walk in.

His goal today was apparent, and that was to completely resolve today's matter and regain the authority of the Surrey family in Buckwood High School.

He would undoubtedly crush anyone who dared to be in his way!

Tim and Yaron's expression slightly changed the moment they saw Dawson.

Tim's face darkened when he saw the people walking behind Dawson.

"The second-in-command of Buckwood, Reign Jackson...

"The chief inspector of Buckwood Police Station, Marvin Brown!

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“The top leader of Buckwood City...”

Both Tim and Yaron were frightened when they saw those influential figures.

Those people could easily create a storm with the slightest movement in the Buckwood government.

Even so, they actually came today!

Although Tim and Yaron were in charge of the Buckwood education system, they did not have a fighting chance against those people!

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At this moment, Tim Zepeda and Yaron Quick exchanged glances and saw the shock in their eyes.

Although they had always known that a first-class family like the Surrey family had tremendous power, they never expected that the Surrey family would invite so many big shots just for a trivial matter.

This was really indescribable.

Stevie Surrey and Yelena Surrey laughed when they saw the expressions on Tim and others' faces.

The headmaster and the school's board of directors who had just resigned also laughed.

Indeed!

Tim and Yaron, whose imposing manner was

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astonishing just now, were now all gone while facing Reign Jackson and the others at this moment.

It was as if a mouse is confronting a cat.

This was because Reign was Tim and Yaron's immediate superior.

They were nothing in front of Reign, regardless of how awesome they were in front of other people!

However, Harvey looked indifferent when he saw Reign and the others as if they were just some ordinary people from the streets.

Yelena and others' complexion worsened while watching this scene fold before them.

Especially when Xynthia was not scared to cry on the spot, Yelena was even more dissatisfied.

"Xynthia, it seems that you still cannot fathom the seriousness of this matter today!

"It's not just you. Your family won't be able to survive in Buckwood in the future because of you!"

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Yelena sneered repeatedly. Her pretty face was full of dejection.

Harvey nodded with a smile, with a meaningful look after seeing that Yelena and others were staring at him.

Stevie sneered, "Little princess, don't be angry. Let's see if this nobody could still laugh later on!"

"He still doesn't know what he's going to face now!"

"His backer, Tim Zepeda, is worthless in front of real power!"

Soon, Dawson Surrey and Reign Jackson came to the front.

Behind them, Marvin Brown walked over with a dozen inspectors in casual clothes.

The corners of Tim and Yaron's eyes twitched upon watching this scene.

Marvin's status was on par with Tim's. Both of

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them were leaders of their respective systems.

However, the chief inspector had genuine power. He had tens of thousands of inspectors ready at his beck and call, and all of them carried firearms with them.

Tim, the first-in-command of the education system, was incomparable to such a big shot.

Meanwhile, although the other party only brought a dozen inspectors, the other party could still take them down quickly!

Most importantly, their immediate superior, Reign, looked cold at the moment.

Tim could feel his eye fluttering.

If Reign got irate, it was just a matter of having a meeting to sack Tim.

Reign only sighed and said as he reached the stage's podium, "Sir Surrey, is it really relevant to invite these people just for the sake of a little conflict between the students?"

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Dawson laughed and said, "I'm sorry about that. But I have always done things meticulously to avoid any oversight!"

"Besides, those people invited by the other party, their status were quite high!"

A trace of sarcasm flashed through Reign's face.

Tim and Yaron's status were indeed not inferior in front of others.

However, those two people were just nothing in front of Reign.

"Forget it. Since we're here today, then we'll have to support Sir Surrey!"

Reign glanced at Marvin while talking.

Marvin waved his hand. The dozens of inspectors then scattered and walked to several corners of the stage. All of them were looking coldly toward the direction of Harvey and others.

Harvey only had four people with him. They would

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certainly be able to catch him alive as long as Marvin gave an order.

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At this moment, Reign Jackson stepped forward and said coldly, “Tim Zepeda, Yaron Quick, have you forgotten what I normally taught you?”

“How many times have I said that you shouldn’t act recklessly outside using your identity?!”

“Now, I’ll give you a chance. I won’t hold you accountable as long as you admit your mistake and leave here!”

“Otherwise, what are the consequences? You should know them better than me!”

Reign’s voice was indifferent, but it was equivalent to thunder striking on the ground, shaking the entire auditorium.

“Old Zepeda, we’re both colleagues. We’re just students in front of Sir Jackson.

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“You should have known what to choose at this time. I don’t have to teach you, right?”

Marvin said with a smile.

Apparently, in their opinion, they could surely make Tim and Yaron turn against each other with just one sentence.

Everyone was a member of the government. They were certainly aware of everyone’s ability and prowess.

In truth, Reign and Marvin felt that today’s matters were relatively uneventful.

Everything was settled as long as they showed up.

Now, all the matters that ensued were just trash talk.

Reign stood with his hands behind his back after saying this, with excellent tolerance.

He was counting in his heart. Tim and Yaron would

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prostrate themselves in less than three seconds.

However, at this moment, both the expressions on their faces were unpredictable.

Tim immediately took a deep breath and said, "Sir Jackson, it's not that we want to mess with you. It's just that we're entrusted by someone to set matters right here!

"We will handle everything justly today, and there's absolutely no favoritism.

"We hope that you could distinguish right and wrong with acuity, Sir Jackson."

Reign's face slowly darkened. He then said coldly at this moment, "Tim, are you saying that I'm here today trying to bend the law for personal gain and wantonly doing it?"

"No, I don't dare to say so!" Tim said humbly.

"No! You dare! You certainly dare! I'm very curious that you are supporting a nobody who came out of nowhere. Is he really worth all your hard work?"

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“Dealing with it impartially? Can you guys stop being so funny?!”

Reign’s expression was gloomy.

Tim and Yaron dared to denounce him face to face. They were certainly not showing any respect.

Tim took a deep breath and said, “Sir Jackson, please heed my advice!

“You shouldn’t intervene in today’s matter!

“As long as you just stand by and watch, I can guarantee that you won’t get involved with today’s matter at all!”

“Hahaha...”

Reign and Marvin were taken aback for a moment. They both laughed after a while.

Marvin even laughed until he was out of breath.

“Tim, are you out of your mind?!”

“Have you figured out the situation?”

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“You’re just a dog under Sir Jackson’s command. You have always been following his orders all along!”

“But today, you actually wanted to defy his orders and become his owner?”

“Pfft... Haha...”

The group of officials laughed unscrupulously.

In the government, the chain of seniority was obvious.

No subordinate had ever threatened their immediate superior.

Nonetheless, at this moment, Tim was actually warning Reign?

Marvin and others had been working in the government for so many years. This was the first time they had encountered such a funny situation.