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So here's what happened, the little dude got his butt whooped **and** spanked by his dad.

Next thing you know, hy splashed **mud** onto her dad and he ain't even mad

So that little dude startd bawling and wanting a new dad

"They're probably **just** jealous that you got a tall, handsome, and gentle **dad**, right?" Ro salynn brutally spilled the beans.

Wayne stood in front of her, laughing.

Rosalynn took the chatty hvy to the tent to change clothes

Getting a cold while camping ain't no fun.

While changing, hy's **still** humming a tune.

This was the first time **Rosalynn** had seen Ivy so happy

"Do you like daddy?" she askd softly.

Ivy paused, then asked her, "Mommy, do you like daddy?"

"I'm **asking** you" Rosalynn gave hy another smack on her butt.

"I do!" Ivy responded without hesitation, then asked again, 'Does mommy like daddy?"

Rosalynn lowered her head. "I used to really like him, and he was my favorite"

"What about now?" Ivy immediately asked.

"Now, my favorites are Cory and Ivy Rosalynn tried to change the subject

But little Ivy was sharp

"That doesn't count!"

'But...I don't know." Rosalynn answered honestly

"How can mommy not know?" Ivy was confused

Since she was old enough to comprehend, she had possessed the ability to discern her preferences and dislikes

It's complicated, Ivy. When you grow up a bit more, you'll understand Rosalynn didn't w ant to continue this subject, 'Alright, how about helping mommy prepare dinner?" "**Yeah**! "

Ivy obediently nodded her head.

Then the mother-daughter duo left the tent

Cory and Wayne were back too, they sat on outdoor folding chairs looking at the photos Cory just took

Seeing Rosalynn and Ivy come out, Wayne and Cory said something then walk over "It' s time to prepare dinner, right? I'll handle the food"

Due to the limited conditions on the mountain, preparing food can be slow

By the time the family of four startsd eating in front of the viewing platform, it was alread y dusk

The sky was incredibly beautiful.

Ivy suddenly asked Rosalynn for her phone.

Raising her phone high, she captured the breathtaking sunset on video while narrating. "Uncle Calvin, Mom and Dad brought me camping and I want to show you the absolutel y stunning sunset we're experiencing at the campsite!" The smile on Rosalynn's face gradually disappeared.

Wayne subconsciously looked **at** her, then reached **over**, gently patting her hand, as if t o soothe her

After hy finished recording the sunset, **her** mood isn't as good as before.

Uncle Calvin still hadn't responded to her message

This was the longest time Ivy had **been away** from Calvin since she was born.

"Sweetie Rosalynn smiled at lvy,

"Guess what else is hidden in the small fridge daddy brought?"

Ivy looked up at Rosalynn,

she asked excitedly. "I can't guess"

"Why don't you go check it out yourself." Rosalynn pointd to the small fridge next to the m.

Ivy obediently walked over, opend the fridge and saw a box of ice cream sitting on top.That's a big box of ice cream!" Ivy excitedly took it out

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Actually, it's just the size of **a** normal ice cream, but the ones by had since she was little were those tiny ones

She took it with an enormous surprise

"Mummy, can i

117 by asked

Her bad mood from before was gone

"Daddy brought the ice cream over, we cant exactly take it back, can we?" Rosalynn loo ked at Wayne, "But for Daddy's sneaky ice cream smuggling, we should punish him!"

"How do we punish him?" Ivy instinctively moved closer to Wayne, showing an intent **to** protect her father, "**He's** an adult, Mummy can't hit his palm."

One time by made a big mistake

Rosalynn smacked her palm, and it hurt like hell

Then the seriously and firmly said to Rosalynn, "Mum, hit Daddy's butt! -

Rosalynn was somewhat awkward

Before she could speak,

Wayne immediately said, "I think that's fair"

"Punish him by not letting him eat ice cream, we three will eat it! Rosalynn quickly replie d.

She quickly started feeding Ivy

While Rosalynn was momentarily preoccupied, Ivy held her small bowl and ate earnestly. Taking advantage of **the** moment, she tugged at Wayne's pants, seeking **his** 

attention

Wayne leaned over "What's up?"

Ivy whispered to him, "Don't worry, I'll sneak some for you."

Wayne smiled

He thought no one in the world could possibly be happier than him.

"What are you two conspiring again? Rosalynn **asked**.

At this rate, it won't be long before Ivy and Wayne's bond surpasses Ivy and hers!

"Secret!" Ivy happily ate her food.

The family of four slowly ate until it was dark

Wayne lit **a few** small lights that were hung during the day.

Around the campsite, there were sounds of insects **and** frogs, creating **a** serene atmosp here.

Ivy was in a good mood

She talked about many interesting things she experienced on the island, and also about Cory's impressive feats.

"Mummy, did you tell him about that?" Ivy looked up **and** asked Rosalynn.

"What?" Rosalynn was very confused

"About the time when brother and Ivy saw Mummy in the belly!"

Rosalynn was taken aback, then shook her head, "No, I didn't."

Wayne quickly noticed Rosalynn's reaction,

Then looked at Ivy. "You two saw Mummy in the belly?"

"Yup!" Ivy was especially certain.

"That place was all white, and Ivy suddenly couldn't feel Mummy." Ivy looked at Wayne, speaking **very** seriously, "Before, Ivy could hear Mummy's heartbeat every day!"

## Wayne was stunned

He suddenly thought of the time when Rosalynn was kidnapped and was nearly strangled.

He instinctively looked at Rosalynn.

Rosalynn was eating quietly with her head down, not looking at him.

"I was **a** little worried, but luckily brother led me to find Mummy, then I could feel Mumm y's heartbeat again!"

"So that's what happened." Wayne gently stroked lvy's head, "**Cory** and you are both a mazing!"

"Brother is the best" Ivy declared with immense pride 'He has **always** been there to prot ect me, taking care of me right from the start!"

As **she** spoke, she snuggled up to Cory like a little kitten, "I will never leave brother for my whole life!"

"Should we go see the fireflies now?" Cory looked up at Rosalynn as if asking for help

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Rosalynn checked the time

We can go now

Cory quickly nudged Ivy. "Sister lets go see the fireflies"

by was thrilled.

She willingly put on her little jacket to prevent mosquito bites

As Rosalynn was helping Cory and by put on their jackets. Wayne was cleaning up the mess

To make sure his wife had enough to eat, he didn't put away the kitchenware

Ivy who had put on her jacket first, ran over quickly

Wayne wa

He used to be an

inking about what by and Cory had just talked about

Rosalynn's plane crashed, and he started going to church to pray

he prayed for was for God to give him back the woman he loved

So when by mentioned it, he didn't find it absurd at all

What's up with you" by looked up at Wayne. "Are you upset?

Wayne shook his head, then squatted down to hug hvy, patting her on the back, and wh ispered, "Ivy, daddy is so grateful to you and your brother You saved mom, and you

saved me

Wayne couldn't imagine

If he had found Rosalynn that day, and she hadn't survived, what would he have done?

Afterwards, he wouldn't have known that she **was** already carrying their baby

He probably would have lost his mind completely

How would he ever lead the happy life he's living now?

"I don't understand by looked a bit lost

"It's alright" Wayne reassured her, releasing her from his embrace His eyes twinkled wit h warmth as he spoke gently, it simply means that Daddy loves Mommy **and** you guys v ery deeply"

For some reason, hy's eyes welled up with tears, then she hugged Wayne.

"What are you two doing?"

Rosalynn came out holding Cory's hand and saw this from a distance.

by stuffed.

After letting go of Wayne, she looked at Rosalynn, and replied with a quivery voice. "Daddy said, he loves you very mu ch."

"I got it, let's go! Rosalynn didn't directly respond to ly's words

She turned around holding Cory's hand and walked away

by ran over and took Rosalynn's other hand, then looked up at Rosalynn "Mommy, dadd y said he loves you a lot!"

1 heard it, look, fireflies" Indeed, Rosalynn had spotted a firefly.

She was also grateful to the firefly

by's attention was immediately drawn away

Brother there's more over there!"

low down!" Cory let go of Rosalynn's hand and followed.

Wayne

behind them only **a** few steps away.

Rosalynn turned around her eyes full of warning

Wayne humed up

"Could you not teach by some weird stuff? Rosalynn scolded in a low voice

Is it weird to love you" Wayne asked

You

No nã

#### "Wayne

Rosalynn frowned "Anyway you just can't say it!"

l'm gonna say do

Who knew just as Rosalynn finished speaking

Wayne suddenly planted a kiss on her lips

Rosalynn was speechless

Tm hat just gonna say it, he gonna say it every day" Wayne said with a smile

"Well, you can sleep in the guest room till you're old then!"

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After Rosalynn concluded her words, she walked purposefully towards the children, with Wayne sporting a wide grin as he trailed closely behind her. Just as Rosalynn caught u p with

hy, who was playfully darting about Wayne's voice echoed from behind in a playful shou t

"Babe, love ya'

Rosalynn was totally speechless

"Hahaha, daddy loves you" by aggled cheerfully

"Dont learn from him!" Rosalynn warned.

"Why?" try lifted her chin, "When hy has a sweetheart in the future, fl also tell him out lo ud, I love ya!"

"Is that hy

At that moment the family of the kid they had been crabbing with in the afternoon came out to watch the fireflies, bumping into Ivy's family.

"Bobby" hy sprinted towards him

Soon the families bumped into each other in the dark

"Hello everyone, this is hy's mom, this is lvy's brother, lvy and her brother were born at t he same time!" by enthusiastically introduced her family to the **new** frends

"vy s mom is so beautiful, like a movie star, and your husband is quite handsome, no wo nder **your** kids are so adorable!" laughed Bobby's mom, "When we were crabbing this afternoon, I seriously thought about swapping kids with your husb and!" Bobby was chubby with tiny eyes, looking extremely adorable.

"As long as Ivy hasn't been a bother Rosalynn said gently

Not at all, she's like a little angel," another mom chimed in, joining the conversation, "She generously shared all the candles we gave her with the other kids." Then, Everyon e headed to the valley that had the most fireflies.

Maybe it wasn't the **peak** season for fireflies yet, so there weren't many in the valley.

But that didn't put a damper on the kids' spints

As they went off to play, the adults sat down for a chat.

These parents were all high quality, surprisingly not chitchatting about their kids.

After exchanging their professions, they started discussing topics related to their jobs.

Coincidentally. Rosalynn was familiar with all these professions

Though she didn't talk much, she always offered timely advice when someone brought up a problem.

As a result, the consensus among everyone was that engaging in conversation with Rosalynn and her husband **was** an enjoyable and enriching experience.

Cory rarely played with kids his age, **but** he had a blast tonight.

Two kids were interested in math, and hearing from Ivy that Cory was a math whiz, they were curious to see how **good** Cory really was, so they started quizzing him.

Turns out, the problems they posed were a piece of cake for Cory.

Then, the two kids were totally wowed by Cory.

They brought out all the problems they were recently stuck on.

Cory had excellent logical thinking.

He could explain even the most complicated problems in a **way** that was easy for them t o understand.

Time flew **and** it was almost midnight

hy was too sleepy and dozed off in Rosalynn's arms.

So, Rosalynn's family said their goodbyes and prepared to leave

The kids who had been doing math problems were still crying.

"I still have questions! Why did time fly so fast!"

\*Cory can you come to our tent tonight and **help** us with math problems?

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This really caught the adults off guard, especially the parents of these two kids,

Their kids are great at math, so great that they were selected for the gifted class

They just asked, and the boy is two years younger than their children

'Hannah, don't be silly, he's two years younger than **you**, you should call him little brol T he mother quickly said

Can little bro come to our tent tonight? Hannah choked

He seemed really annous

"No." Cory replied succinctly before proceeding to jot down a series of numbers on Han nah's tablet "This is my WhatsApp account. You can reach out to me if you have any m ath problems However, please note that I'm quite busy at the moment, so you might have to wait for a month'

After saying these. Cory went to Rosalynn "Mom, let's go."

"Say goodnight to everyone Rosalynn gently reminded.

"Goodnight everyone "

Well go ahead, the kids are tired.

Several families watched the family of four leave

Then Hannah's mother immediately asked her Is that little bro really that good?"

"Of course Hannah said excitedly.

"He solved the problem that our teacher couldn't, and quickly came up with **a** great appr oach! We learned **a** lot tonight!"

Another girl, Sarah, also nodded.

'Hannah, give me his Whatsapp account too, I've been trying to solve that problem on the blackboard for half **a year**, I need to ask Mr. Cory

The parents of these two children got to know each other because of their children.

Hannah and Sarah are the best students in the class.

They are usually very proud, and it's shocking to their parents that they both gave such high praise.

"We might have really met some big shots this time, that little girl's EQ is so high that it makes us adults feel inferior" A parent sighed. "And she's really sensitive to colors, I he ard her describing the color of water with her dad this afternoon, and she was spot on. I asked her dad, and he said she paints, so she's very sensitive to color, but with such hi gh color sensitivity, she must be great at painting!"

The parent who spoke, his family does business in paints,

So he knows what he's talking about.

"Their parents are definitely not ordinary

either! Ivy's mom seems to know everything she doesn't talk much, but always hits the n ail on the head! And she doesn't offend people when she talks Everyone agreed.

"But Ivy's dad is only good-

looking, not as capable as his wife, Bobby's dad expressed, sounding dissatisfied. Bobb y, in the afternoon, mentioned wanting to switch dads, and he's still holding a grudge ab out it!

"Ivy's dad. I feel like I've seen him somewhere before, I think I've seen him somewhere?" A lawyer mom said thoughtfully.

Bobby's dad said. "Maybe he was a star before he **marned** ivy's mom, just not **a** famou s one?"

Bobby's mom kicked him. "Isn't it because your son wants to change dads? Why are yo u targeting that hottie?"

"Actually, their family booked the entire **viewing** platform, so we couldn't see the best sc enery, I'm kinda pissed off at them." Hannah's mom grumbled, "I hope **they** didn't notice that I didn't like them at first..."

"Mom, you're not senous, are you?" Hannah said in **surprise**, "If Cory ignores me, I **wo n't** love you anymore!"

"Naughty gir

The lawyer mom was still thinking about where she had seen hy's dad,

It definitely wasn't on TV

She seemed to remember that it should have been at a very important event...

On the other side.

Ivy, who **was** fast asleep, lay in Wayne's arms

Cory held Rosalynn's hand

He strongly **refused** to let Rosalynn hold him

"You seemed to enjoy talking with the kids. It's the first time Mommy has seen you willin gly share your contact information with someone," Rosalynn remarked softly

"They are very smart kids Cory answered honestly

Although they were not as smart **as** him

But Cory knew very well that he was an outlier, and Hannah and Sarah were already **ve ry** outstanding among children.

He felt no pressure communicating with them

They are even better than some adults.

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If you want to hang out with your pals later, just give a shout to your folks and we'll set it up for you Rosalynn was beaming from ear to ear, thrilled that Cory could finally have fr iends his own age around him

Absolutely, once we move into the new pad, you can invite your buddies over Wayne ch imed in

Cory had never done anything like this before

He gave a non-committal shake of his head. We'll see when the time comes

Who knows if they d even still be in touch a month from now?

Back at the campsite

Rosalynn and Wayne cleaned up Cory and by with wet wipes

Cory was out

in no time

Rosalynn stepped out of the tent dead beat

"We could do with more of these outings, Rosalynn suggested, plopping herself down n ext to Wayne

"Are you buttering me up? Wayne grinned.

Rosalynn shot him a look. "Yep, I'm buttering you up."

Wayne was over the moon, "Hungry for more grub? Want me to start a fire?

"Nope I'm wiped Rosalynn stretched out her shoulders

Wayne walked over and gave her a shoulder rub

Rosalynn cracked a smile. "Are we taking turns pampering each other now?"

"Absolutely" Wayne replied without skipping a beat. TII be your righthand man from now on. If I ever falter or miss something just let me know, and I'll take c are of it promptly

"Keep hy out of your shenanigans, Rosalynn said calmly

"I haven't done anything of the sort!" Wayne protested indignantly

President Silverman, you know what I'm talking about." Wayne's large palms worked m agic on her, making her feel utterly relaxed. She closed her eyes without thinking and h er voice softened considerably

"I havent got a clue," Wayne mimicked her tone

Rosalynn just shook her head, "Never mind."

After **a** while, they retreated back into the tent.

Rosalynn was already half-asleep thanks to Wayne's magic touch.

She was out like a light as soon as she hit the sack

Wayne, on the other hand, was wide awake,

He was on cloud nine today

Wherever he went, he used to be President Silverman.

But today, in the eyes of others, he was Rosalynn's hubby, hvy and Cory's dad.

And nothing else

Wayne was still snug next to Rosalynn

Being by her side seemed to melt all his worries away

He pulled her into his arms, planting a deep kiss on her.

"Goodnight, babe Love you"

After whispering these words, he fell fast asleep, holding Rosalynn tight

Elsewhere, in another tent, the lawyer mom who had been lying down suddenly **sat** bolt upright,

Tve got it!"

Her hubby was jerked awake, "What's the matter, honey?"

"Ivy's dad is Wayne, the CEO of Bane Corporation""