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Chapter 1071 | [Serenity & Zachary]

“Our lady is someone who can’t stand to see the Hunt sisters doing whatever they want.”

Jessica blinked. It was someone that the Hunt sisters had offended?

What did that person want her for?

She did not have the ability to suppress and retaliate against the Hunt sisters.

“You’ll know once you come with us, Ms. Yates.”

Jessica said, “I don’t even know who you are. Who knows what you’ll do to me if I follow you? You’re still wearing masks, so I can’t see what you look like. However, I’ll go with you if you take off your masks and let me take a photo to send to my husband.

“That way, you guys won’t get away with it if anything happens to me.”

“Our apologies, Ms. Yates, but we can’t take off our masks. If you don’t come with us, our lady will come over to invite you personally. You won’t like it if that happens. Our lady has a bad temper.”

“Save your breath and just knock her out,” the other man said impatiently.

When Jessica heard this, she immediately turned around and tried to run. However, just after taking two steps, she felt pain in the back of her neck and lost consciousness. She did not even have the opportunity to cry for help.

The man who knocked Jessica out tossed her into the black sedan, got into the car with his companion, and drove off.

Their car had no license plate.

However, after driving some distance away, they stopped at the side of the road, reattached the license plate they removed, and continued driving.

Jessica was knocked unconscious but soon woke up.

She immediately pounded the car door and demanded to be let out.

The man in the passenger seat turned his head to warn her, “You’d better behave, Ms. Yates. You’ll die a miserable death if you make us angry.”

“W-What do you want with me?” she asked in a trembling voice.

Her trembling hands reached for her phone. Fortunately, it was still with her.

“Don’t think about calling the police or asking anyone for help. We can end your life at any time. Like I said, our lady just wants to see you. If you’re obedient and follow us to see her, I assure you that you’ll return to the Brown residence in one piece.

“Otherwise, we can kill off your whole family, both the Brown and the Yates families!”

That threat frightened Jessica, and she did not dare call the police or Hank. She said with a pale face, "I'll go with you."

When the man saw that she was afraid, he turned his head back with satisfaction and said, "You just had to learn it the hard way."

Jessica was silent.

The two men took her to an unfinished building on the outskirts, where weeds were overgrown, and rubbish littered the ground. All kinds of stench were mixed together, making her want to vomit.

Jessica really threw up.

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One of the men waited for her to finish throwing up and handed her a mask.

Jessica hurriedly put on the mask, but she could still smell the stench through it. She quickly used her hand to cover her mouth and nose, then followed the two men into the incomplete building.

It was only after entering the building and away from the garbage dumps did she lower her hand from her mouth and nose. She looked around to survey the surrounding environment. There was no one living nearby. No one would find out even if she met with misfortune here and her body decomposed.

That thought caused another shudder to run down her spine.

She did not know who these men were. Since it was the Hunt sisters who offended them, they should find the Hunt sisters instead. Why did they come to her?

She was also enemies with the Hunt sisters.

"Don't be afraid, Ms. Yates. I told them to bring you here because I wanted to talk to you about a deal. Let's work together to get back at Mrs. York."

An unfamiliar woman's voice sounded from a room on the first floor, but her figure could not be seen.

Jessica did not dare walk into the room because the two men who brought her here were still staring at her.

She was slightly relieved upon hearing those words. It seemed like the other woman was targeting Serenity.

"How should I address you, miss? What kind of deal are you talking about? I'm just a housewife who doesn't have a job. My maiden family and my husband's family don't have social status, so I'm afraid I can't help you."

The woman chuckled. "There's no need to be modest, Ms. Yates. I did my homework before deciding to work with you. You have a problem with Mrs. York too, right? It so happens that I also have a grudge against her. Since we both have a common enemy, why not work together?"

Jessica calmed her mind and asked, "What do you want me to do? Serenity is the eldest missus of the York family now. Her man isn't someone easy to mess with. My legs grow weak at the sight of him, and I don't even dare talk to him. Asking me to do something to Serenity is the same as asking me to die."

"I'm not telling you to go after Serenity directly. You can start with Sonny."

"Sonny?"

Jessica suddenly thought of Hank and Liberty's son. Her heart trembled as she asked, "You... want me to kill Sonny?"

After Hank and Liberty divorced, the Brown family's attention to Sonny continued to grow. Olivia repeatedly called Sonny the only one who could continue the Brown family line, saying that he was precious to the family. In fact, she was just mocking Jessica for not getting pregnant despite being with Hank for so long.

Jessica hated it and was thankful that she helped Liberty by persuading Hank to give up custody of Sonny. Otherwise, she would die of anger if she saw the Brown family spoiling Sonny all day.

However, no matter how upset Jessica was at how well the Brown family treated Sonny, she never thought about harming the child before.

"I didn't tell you to kill him. Listen and I'll tell you my plan. Don't you in-laws want to take Sonny back from Liberty? What you have to do is convince your husband and mother-in-law to take Sonny back to your family, 1

"Then, you and Hank can take Sonny out to a crowded place like a zoo or an amusement park. It's easy for children to get lost there. I'll arrange for someone to take Sonny away. That way, it'll just seem like you lost him by accident. No one will suspect that you deliberately harmed him."

"You want to kidnap Sonny? If you want to get back at Serenity, then go after her. Why would you kidnap Sonny? He's an innocent child who doesn't know anything. If your men are rough and end up killing him..."

"Wouldn't that be better? Without Sonny, the son you give birth to in the future will be the only one carrying on the Brown family line, and all the assets of the Brown family will belong to your son. Although you don't have many assets now, as long as you agree to cooperate with me, I'll arrange for your husband to join a large company outside the city as a manager. He'll have an annual salary of more than a million.

"As long as your husband does a good job for a decade or two, your family will have a fortune left for your son to inherit. There'll be no need to share the inheritance with Sonny. How great is that?"

Jessica was pale. Who was the woman in that room and how could she treat human life so flippantly? Was she from the underworld?

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"Sonny... Sonny is still a child. Besides, his custody was given to Liberty. Hank only needs to pay three thousand a month for child support, which will end when Sonny turns eighteen. Hank won't need to pay if Sonny wants to buy a house or car in the future. He has no way of fighting for the family assets."

“People’s hearts change. The only way you’ll be sure that he won’t compete with your son for the family fortune is if he’s dead.”

“But I don’t have a son... I don’t even have a daughter.”

“Can’t you give birth to one?”

Jessica choked.

The other party laughed. “It seems that you’re just slightly morally reprehensible, but you still have humanity in you. I just told you about my plan. I didn’t say anything about killing Sonny.”

“I want to use Sonny to lure Serenity over. She has a good relationship with her nephew, so I believe she’ll be willing to come and see me alone.”

What she wanted was for Serenity to meet her alone.

Jessica sighed in relief.

She only had the ability to steal another woman’s husband, not the ruthlessness to kill someone’s son.

“Can you guarantee that you won’t touch a hair on Sonny’s head after you take him away?”

“Sure, under the condition that he doesn’t cry or struggle. After all, he’s just bait. The person I want to take revenge on is Serenity.”

Jessica thought in her heart, ‘How did Serenity offend such a ruthless woman?’

‘Does this woman also adore Zachary? Maybe she wants to get revenge and kill Serenity because of jealousy after finding out that they’re married? Does she want to replace Serenity?’

“How about it? Are you willing to cooperate with me, Ms. Yates?”

Jessica asked carefully, “Can I refuse?”

“You can, but you’ll have to bear the consequences... Ms. Yates, do you know what a woman’s greatest fear is?”

Jessica’s already pale face turned ashen.

“If you cooperate with me, the only person suffering would be Serenity.”

“By the way, I have people surveilling all the members of the Yates family. If you don’t do what I ask after agreeing to work with me, I’m afraid misfortune might befall your family.”

“Don’t think of this as merely an intimidation. I’m a woman of my word.”

Jessica paused. “Can you give me some time to think about it?”

“No!

“Do you agree or not?”

Jessica saw seven to eight burly men wearing black masks and sunglasses coming out from other rooms. Her legs shook as she said in an unsteady voice, “I-I’ll do it.”

“I knew you were a smart woman, Ms. Yates. The Hunt sisters are also your enemies.”

Jessica did not dare say anything.

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“Achoo!”

Serenity sneezed.

The man beside her immediately asked with concern, “Did you catch a cold?”

“No, I’m fine. I just sneezed because my nose felt itchy. No need to fuss about it.”

Zachary reached over to embrace her, letting her lean in his arms. He said softly, “Don’t go back to the store after lunch break. Rest for the day.”

After Liberty treated everyone to a meal, those who had to work went back to work. Liberty took Duncan’s car and went back to the rental place with her son to rest.

She was running a breakfast diner, so it was fine for her to close in the afternoon.

Serenity leaned on Zachary’s firm chest. She felt a sense of security as he held her, and all the nerves in her body relaxed. She yawned and closed her eyes, muttering, “I still have to go back to the bookstore in the afternoon to continue discussing the investment.

“There’s also another banquet tomorrow night. This is the consequence of my asking Aunt Audrey for help. I have no choice but to go through with it.”

Serenity felt that she was getting busier after becoming the missus of the York family.

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However, being busy for a period of time in exchange for peace of mind for the rest of her life was worth it.

“It’s been hard on you, Seren.”

Zachary kissed her forehead, distressed at how much she was going through because of him.

“I asked for it. If I learn well, it’ll serve me for the rest of my life.”

Serenity yawned again.

She got up early in the morning, so she was sleepy now.

“You have to go back to the office in the afternoon too. Your time is much more valuable than ours.”

He lost more by sacrificing half his day for her sister’s sake.

How would he be willing to make such a sacrifice if he did not love her deeply?

Serenity looked at Zachary and reached out to touch his handsome face. Her eyes were filled with emotion. “Babe, how did I manage to marry you? Don’t worry, since you’ve entrusted me with your life, I’ll never let you down. I’ll treat you well for the rest of your life.

“My sister is always nagging me to treat you better. It’s as if she’s afraid that I’ll abuse you. Sometimes, even I feel jealous. It’s like my sister treats you better than me.”

Zachary held her hand touching his face and said seriously, “My dash cam recorded everything you said. If you go back on your word and treat me badly in the future, I’ll take the recording and tattle to Liberty about you not keeping your word.”

Serenity was speechless.

If Zachary went to her sister to tell on her, her sister would definitely discipline her.

She quickly assured him, “I won’t let you down. Zachary, you won’t snitch on me, right?”

“I don’t like to snitch, but if I suffer a grievance, I need someone to do me justice. I think Liberty can fulfill that role.”

Serenity was speechless.

‘Zachary, so these are your true colors!’

She could not imagine the scene of Zachary and her having a little spat, then Zachary going to Liberty to cry about it.

“Honey, will you let me suffer grievances?”

“No, absolutely not. I don’t care if anyone else does as long as that person isn’t my husband. I love my Mr. York the most. Zachary, my love for you is like the Nile River. Its waters flow endlessly.”

“Pfft—”

The driver, as well as Jim sitting in the passenger seat, could not help but laugh.

The missus’s will to live was quite strong.

Only then did Serenity remember that they were sitting in Zachary’s Rolls Royce with the driver and Super Jim in the car with them.

Super Jim was the nickname that Serenity gave him. He could do everything, so she called him so.

“I’m sleepy, Zachary. I’ll take a nap.”

Serenity simply threw herself into her husband’s arms and pretended to sleep.

In any case, she did not feel embarrassed. The embarrassed one was someone else.

Zachary held her with a smile in his eyes. “Sleep. I’ll carry you upstairs when we reach home and wake you up to go back to the store at three in the afternoon.”

Serenity hummed.

She really was sleepy.

She soon fell asleep in Zachary’s arms.

Zachary was sleepy too.

Serenity got up early, since they slept in the same bed, how could he continue sleeping when she was already awake?

He embraced his wife, leaned back in the car seat, and also closed his eyes.

He thought of taking a short nap till they got home.

Thus, he surrendered himself to the sandman.

The sandman easily put them to sleep.

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Serenity returned to the bookstore at 2:50 pm.

Zachary personally sent her to the store.

"I have a social function tonight," Zachary said somberly when Serenity got out of the car.

Serenity looked at him and instinctively asked, "What time will you leave the office? Don't drink too much, and definitely don't drink on an empty stomach. It'll hurt your tummy."

"I took medicine for three days. My stomach will be fine."

Serenity said, "Even if your stomach is fine, you still have to take care of it. I'll send you some food before you leave work. Eat a little before going, but still, don't drink too much. It's best if you can forgo drinking altogether."

"Okay, I'll listen to you. I'll wait for you to send food to me before leaving."

Zachary's dark eyes burned as he looked at Serenity.

Serenity instantly understood what he wanted and turned back to kiss his face. Then, she pinched his cheek. Just as Zachary was about to strike, she slipped out of the car swiftly so he could not catch her.

Zachary wanted to say something to her, but she did not hear.

Anyway, she agreed to let him do whatever he wanted after two more days.

Serenity smiled and went into the bookstore.

Elisa and Jasmine were both in the store. One was holding a novel and reading it, and the other was fiddling with Serenity's half-weaved craft.

They looked at her at the same time when they saw her come in with a smile.

Elisa spoke first. "Jasmine, have you noticed that Seren is getting prettier and prettier? Her smile is getting sweeter as well. It's as bright as the morning sun."

Jasmine closed the novel she had not finished reading. Elisa and Serenity both did not understand why she loved reading novels so much.

"With love as nourishment, she's naturally becoming more beautiful."

Serenity laughed and retorted, "That's the pot calling the kettle black."

Josh and Jasmine had eventually become a couple as they got along in their daily life. They were an incredibly relaxed and sweet couple since they did not have to go through the twists and turns that Serenity and Zachary had.

Josh was well-tempered, and Jasmine was not pretentious, so they got along well. Josh's EQ was also much higher than his two friends, and he was someone romantic. Jasmine could not resist his romancing and raised her hands in surrender very quickly.

The two ladies looked at Elisa in unison. Elisa was the only one among them who was still single.

"Don't look at me. I'm not in the mood to date now. I want to learn to be a strong woman like my mom when she was young."

Elisa grinned and touched her face, saying confidently, "I'm beautiful even without the nourishment of love."

"That's true. You're always beautiful. You were born beautiful. I love how forthright you are."

Serenity walked to the cashier's desk. Elisa gave up her seat and asked, "Is your online store still open?"

"Of course. I'm a person who can never have too much money. As long as there's money to be made and I can cope with the workload, I'll continue the online store."

She sat down and continued to work on her craft while saying, "Elisa, have you finished the plan? Tell us about it. We're both rookies, so we need you to take the lead."

"Seren, you can hire people to help you with handicrafts. That way, you can continue the operation of your online shop while freeing up time to do other things. You'll earn less money, but you'll earn money all the same," Elisa suggested.

Serenity said, "I recently contacted several classmates who were in the same major as I was. They're mostly housewives now and have no income. They also tried opening an online store but failed to keep it running. They said they'll give me an answer tomorrow."

She had more important things to do, so she could not focus entirely on the online store as she did before.

Her classmates who learned to weave crafts together with her did not succeed in starting an online business. However, it was not because they lacked skill. She was simply luckier than them and had Zachary, his brothers, as well as Elisa to recommend her crafts to others.

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That was why business on her online store improved.

"I finished the plan and just discussed it with Jasmine.

Have a look." Elisa took out the plan she spent the night making from her bag and handed it to Serenity to read.

"I'm also a rookie, but there are three of us.

Three heads are better than one.

Let's work hard and make money together.

"Stop that for now, Seren.

Don't work while you're reading, or you might hurt your hand again." Elisa took Serenity to the hospital the last time the latter hurt her hand.

Her legs had gone weak when she saw the blood.

The fearless Ms. Stone was afraid of blood.

"That time was an accident." 1 Serenity did not admit that she was injured because of Zachary, but she still stopped weaving the craft and took the plan made by Elisa.

She read it carefully and discussed it with her two friends from time to time.

"I haven't shown this plan to Clive yet.

I figured we have to experience it ourselves.

We can't rely on others for everything." "I think the proposal is well done," Jasmine praised.

Serenity said, "Experience is something we accumulate little by little.

I also talked to my husband before.

He told me to go for it boldly since he'll be there to support me.

"I don't want him to support me.

I want to succeed and show him my achievements." Elisa laughed.

"I'm counting on you two to succeed.

You both have powerful backers." Serenity and Jasmine refuted her at the same time, and the three burst into laughter.

Jasmine pointed to Wiltspoon School and said ambitiously, "There are many schools in Wiltspoon.

Anywhere that has canteens or cafeterias are business opportunities for us.

It just depends on whether we have the ability to seize it." Jasmine and Serenity also went through a lot before opening a bookstore here.

Serenity said dreamily, "I hope that one day, we'll become the queens of vegetables." There were a large number of deserted fields in Wiltspoon.

After testing the waters, they would contract a large amount of land so the farmers would earn some income and the fields would not go to waste.

Ring, ring, ring...

Jasmine's phone rang.

She took out her phone and answered it when she saw that it was Josh calling.

“Get ready, babe.

I’ll pick you up after work.

Let’s have dinner together.” Josh’s gentle and intoxicating voice sounded from the phone.

The two friends wiggled their eyebrows at her.

Jasmine reached out to pinch Serenity lightly and answered Josh with a laugh, “ Sure, come anytime you want.

I can leave whenever.” Serenity’s banquet was tomorrow night, so she could keep watch over the shop tonight.

Zachary had a social event too, and Serenity would feel bored if she went home, so she might as well just stay in the store.

“T miss you so much.

I really want to turn the hour hand on the clock so I can leave work sooner.” Josh was much smoother at sweet -talking than Zachary.

Jasmine made a loud kissy noise at the receiver so that Josh could hear it clearly on the other end.

“YI wait for you at the store.

Hurry up and finish your work.

Love ya.” 1 Josh was over the moon.

“TI’ll finish my work as fast as I can.” When the call ended, Jasmine said to her two friends, “Men also need to be cajoled.” Serenity and Elisa thought, ‘We learned something new today!’

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Serenity thought about Zachary and herself. It seemed like she rarely coaxed him.

When she saw how easily Josh became elated when Jasmine coaxed him, she thought, ‘I’ll buy Zachary a gift when I bring dinner to him later. I’m sure it’ll make him happy.’

“Jasmine, what are we eating tonight?” Serenity asked.

Jasmine said, “Liberty treated us to lunch earlier, so I didn’t buy any groceries. What do you want to eat? I’ll buy it now.”

“You have dinner plans, and I have to send dinner to my husband too. His stomach is unwell, but he has a dinner party. I’m worried his stomach will hurt more if he drinks on an empty stomach. You guys chat. I’ll buy some food and come back.”

Jasmine and Elisa hummed.

After Serenity left, Elisa said enviously, "I envy Seren. It's not easy for Zachary and her to become an ordinary couple. Zachary is arrogant, but Seren can make him break his character for her."

"When Mr. York came over in the past, he was like an ice sculpture. The students become timid whenever he helps us man the register or look after the store."

Elisa laughed. "That's normal. He's still the same now. He just puts on a different face in front of Seren. In the future, I need to find a man who's willing to make exceptions for me in the future. I'll hold onto his heart and not let him have a chance to slip away."

"You're a great person, Elisa. I'm sure you'll find a man who's willing to do that for you. Maybe that man is already beside you, and you just haven't noticed it yet. Be sure to open the door when love comes knocking."

Elisa said confidently, "I also think I won't be worse off than Seren. I can also marry a man who loves me."

She gave up on Zachary, but it did not mean that she gave up happiness. Instead, she was given a new lease of life. She would be able to obtain happiness that belonged solely to her.

She was just waiting for love to knock on her door.

Serenity soon came back from buying groceries. When she returned, she went into the kitchen to start cooking, intending to send a meal made with love to her darling before rush hour and come back quickly to watch the store so that her best friend could go on her date without worry.

When Zachary and her relationship was just warming up, Jasmine often stayed alone in the store. Now that Zachary and her feelings were stable, it was time to let Jasmine go on a date with Josh.

"The fastest way to a man's heart is through his stomach," Elisa teased Serenity as she leaned against the doorway of the small kitchen

"Zachary's picky stomach has been conquered by you."

Serenity smiled and glanced at her. "Then, you'd better learn from me so that you can conquer a certain man's stomach in the future."

"I'll pass. I'm waiting for him to conquer my stomach instead."

"Yep, that's the Elisa I know."

Elisa asked, "Seren, when you two spend time together, are you also the one taking care of him? Are you the one who buys groceries and cooks meals?"

"No, it's mostly Zachary cooking at home. Nana said that Zachary isn't a good cook, so she told me to give him the chance to practice more. That way, I'll be well fed as his skills improve."

Elisa laughed loudly. "Old Mrs. York is really Zachary's nana. She's a very smart woman. She's like an overgrown child, but she's very respectable. She's much better than my grandma. When my grandma was alive, she constantly tormented my mom and nitpicked her, giving her all sorts of difficulties."

"Everyone in the York family is great."

Elisa agreed with Serenity's statement.

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"We're also relieved after hearing that it's Zachary taking care of you at home. I was really worried that you'd be too timid and take care of all the household chores, then end up living like how Liberty was in the past."

Serenity paused her movement before continuing, "I learned from my sister's experience. I won't live a life like hers."

"It's good to stay aware at all times. I've seen many people who lose sight of themselves when they're in love."

Elisa's phone rang as soon as she finished. It was from the only friend she had before she met Serenity. She answered the call and said, "Seren, my best friend just broke up. I'm going to go see her."

"Okay. Drive slowly."

"I'll arrange for someone to go to your hometown to talk to the village chief about contracting the fields tomorrow. I'll also help find out what those relatives of yours are up to these days."

"Sure."

Jasmine and Serenity let Elisa take the lead for the investment project. With Elisa's background, she grew up in a much better environment than Serenity and Jasmine did, so she was best suited to lead the way.

"I'll ask my best friend out to have coffee with you guys another day so you can get to know each other. She's in a bad mood after breaking up, so she needs to make cheerful friends like you and Jasmine."

Elisa's best friend was also a lady from a wealthy family, but she kept a low profile so no one knew who she was. Elisa felt that her best friend could definitely become friends with Serenity and the others.

"Sure. Go accompany your bestie. Breaking up is no big deal. There are plenty of good men in the world."

"She's been dating her boyfriend for several years and was already discussing marriage. It's normal for her to feel sad after breaking up. I'll go now, Seren. I have to see Cece."

Elisa was worried about her best friend and quickly left the bookstore.

After Serenity prepared a loving dinner for Zachary, she packed it in an insulated lunch box and said to Jasmine, "I'll send the food over to him and come back to watch the shop. It's not after work hours yet, so your boyfriend shouldn't be here yet."

"No problem. Go ahead, I'll watch the store."

Jasmine agreed easily.

A few minutes later, Serenity drove away from Wiltspoon School. As there was no time to buy other gifts, she thought of simply getting a bouquet of flowers for Zachary. Then, she thought of the flower store owned by Camryn.

The flower store was downtown. She would be able to reach Camryn's flower store if she took a minor detour.

Thus, that was what she did.

After driving less than ten minutes, she reached downtown and slowed down to find Spring Blossoms. It was not hard to find. Camryn's flower shop was right by the street, so it was easy to spot.

Serenity slowly parked the car in front of the flower store. Just as she was about to get out of the car, someone honked at her from behind.

She did not violate any traffic laws by parking there, so she did not take the honking to heart and opened the door to get out of the car.

The person who honked at her also got out of the car and yelled at her. "Didn't you hear me honk? I want to park there, so hurry up and move your car away... It's you?"

The person who kept honking at Serenity was Carrie, Camryn's half-sister. She had a conflict with Serenity when they first met.

"Move your car. I want to park there!"

Carrie was still extremely arrogant after recognizing Serenity. In her eyes, Serenity was just a country bumpkin.

As her mother said, a country bumpkin would always remain a country bumpkin. Serenity would never be able to join the upper crust. It would be time for her to cry after her novelty ran out and Mr. York got tired of her.

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"Do you own this parking space? Is your car the only one that can park here?"

Serenity also had a problem with Carrie, so she did not budge an inch.

She did not have a good impression of Carrie at all.

Carrie choked and said loudly, "This is the front of Camryn's store. I'm her sister, so I naturally should be able to park here."

"Oh, so you're also fully aware that Ms. Camryn is your sister? What did you do to your sister on the night of the Dowling family's banquet?"

Carrie was spoiled by her parents and was used to bullying Camryn for fun. She said righteously, "That mole rat is just for me to make fun of!"

Serenity really wanted to teach her a lesson.

How could there be a sister like that?

No, she should say that it was Mr. and Mrs. Newman who did not educate their daughter well.

Camryn was not born blind. She became blind because of a serious illness she contracted when she was sixteen. However, Mrs. Newman was cruel and did not care about her, and Mr. Newman was so busy with work that he rarely went home. Camryn got so sick that she almost lost her life. It was only when a relative visited the family and saw Camryn sick that she hurriedly sent Camryn to the hospital.

The doctors took more than ten hours to perform emergency care on her, which saved her life. However, she paid the price with her eyes. Even though her eyes looked like a normal person's, she could no longer see.

Serenity and Zachary guessed that Camryn was just pretending to be blind, or she was blind before but recovered her sight without letting anyone know. However, they did not have proof.

No matter what, Serenity was full of sympathy toward her future sister-in-law.

Grandma May said that as the eldest missus of the York family, she had to protect her younger sisters-in-law. That was her responsibility as the eldest, and the responsibility of the wife of the next family head.

"I'm warning you, bumpkin. If you don't give up your parking space, don't blame me for crashing your stupid car."

Carrie's eyes were full of disgust when she saw Serenity driving a national MPV worth only a hundred thousand. How could the missus of the York family not even have a proper car? She must not be liked by her in-laws.

What was the York family? A man of Zachary York's status should be matched with ladies like Carrie. A country bumpkin like Serenity was not even worthy of holding Zachary's shoes.

Mrs. Newman hated Serenity because the latter made a fool of her precious daughter during the Dowling family banquet. She was annoyed that Serenity meddled and helped Camryn, so she ran her mouth about Serenity to Carrie, saying that Serenity followed Mrs. Stone to the banquet that night because she was not acknowledged by the Yorks.

The ladies of the York family could not be bothered with Serenity and were not willing to let her socialize with their friends and help introduce her to high society. Thus, Serenity had no choice but to follow Mrs. Stone to the banquet.

Mrs. Newman selectively did not tell her daughter about Tania defending Serenity.

"How dare you try to compete with me for parking space when you're driving such a useless car? I'm telling you, if you scratch my car, you won't be able to afford to pay for the repairs even if you sell your body. Do you know how much my car is worth? It costs several million!"

The Newman family was secretly rich with a fortune of more than a billion. They were ranked among the top in Wiltspoon.

Carrie was Mr. Newman's firstborn. Even though she was a girl, he still treasured her dearly. She got everything she asked for growing up, and he gave her a luxury car worth millions when she turned eighteen.

“First come, first serve. I came here, so I parked here first. Why should I give up my spot to you? If you crash my car, I’ll make sure you pay for a new one. I was just thinking about getting a new car anyway.”

“I won’t pay you a single penny even after I turn your car into scrap metal,” Carrie said loudly.

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“Carrie Newman!”

Camryn, who was manning the store inside, heard the argument at the entrance and slowly walked out with her white cane.

Serenity looked at her and saw that she was the same as that night. She wore large black sunglasses so that her eyes were hidden, and her stunning face was still as expressionless as that night.

“What are you screaming at?”

Camryn was totally familiar with her own territory. When she heard the sound of two people quarreling, she determined their positions and walked up to Serenity, asking warmly, “Are you Mrs. York?”

“What Mrs. York? That’s just a hillbilly. Don’t bother flattering her, mole rat. Just you wait. A country bumpkin like her will be chased out of the York family soon. I don’t believe that Mr. York actually likes a country bumpkin like her.

Carrie hated it when others called Serenity Mrs. York. She did not dare go after Zachary because of his cold nature, but she was ambitious and wanted to marry into the York family too.

There were nine young masters in the York family. Her mother picked out the one with the gentlest temperament out of nine, the seventh son. He was two to three years older than her, but her mother said that only a man a little older than her would dote on her and spoil her.

Carrie was capricious and bad-tempered, so she needed someone good-natured like him to indulge her.

She thought, ‘I’ll be marrying into the York family in the future. I’ll never accept a hick like Serenity as my sister-in-law.’

Therefore, she could not accept people calling Serenity Mrs. York.

“Shut your mouth!”

Camryn snapped coldly. Without waiting for Carrie’s reaction, she said to Serenity apologetically, “Mrs. York, she was spoiled rotten by my mother and doesn’t know what’s good for her. Please don’t take offense.”

“You damned mole rat. How dare you scold me? Don’t think that you can act like an older sister just because Daddy helped you this time and didn’t let me teach you a lesson. I’m telling you, they’re my parents, and they’re my family. What right do you have to lecture me?

“Do you think you could remain at home if not for the fact that I need a punching bag? My mom would’ve kicked you out long ago.”

Even if Camryn went home now, she lived in the nanny’s room.

Her uncle cum stepfather told her that it was inconvenient for her to go upstairs since she could not see, so he told her to stay in the nanny's room on the first floor. The nanny's room was split into two, with the larger half given to the housekeeper while the smaller half was given to her, the eldest daughter of the Newman family.

Serenity noticed Camryn's grip on her cane tightened at Carrie's words.

She wondered how much this girl suffered silently. There must be something she was unwilling to leave behind if she stuck around to endure it for so many years.

Carrie tried to slap Camryn as she yelled at the latter, but Serenity grabbed her wrist.

Serenity flung Carrie's hand away and said coldly, "Would you believe me if I said I'll rip your arm off?"

"Try me!"

Serenity sneered. "Sure! Ms. Carrie, my husband told me that it doesn't matter how many people I offend so long as it's not them offending me. He'll definitely seek justice for me."

It was quite cool having an overbearing and powerful husband. She could be even more arrogant when she met an arrogant person.

Serenity felt like she could do whatever she wanted.