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Paylon was scared out of her wits.

**She** was **genuinely** afraid that this **bunch** would lay hands on her if they didn't **get** the many

Peyton **leaned** against the door for a brief rest, and then

called Grant

After two rings, as usual, Grant hung up

In tears, Peyton left a heartfelt voicemail for Grant, pleading "Honey, my family was here just now Could you please give them the money first? The **17** million I gave you **last** tim e. You didn't spend it all, did you?"

A moment later

Grant replied

"Thanks to your daughter, all 17 million was used to plug financial holes."

"I know your family was there. Didn't I tell them to go find Paige?"

Peyton freaked out

and left another voicemail. "You can't just shove

all the blame onto Paige. When she was introducing so many clients to you and making you tons of money a few years ago, you didn't say anything like this. Moreover, we had to protect Kelsey Sharp's family. We hurt Paige's feelings, and that's why she chose to cut ties with us. But I know Paige She wouldn't go to these partners and ask them to sev

er ties with you as well. Have you ever considered that maybe you just didnt do a good j ob in the first place? So, without **Paige**, you can't carry on!"

This voicemail

infuriated Grant

He called her straight away

Peyton quickly picked up. "Honey

"You bitch, you can't even discipline your own daughter. Now that she's screwed over the Sutton family, you're blaming me? Before Peyton could speak, Cant y elled, "How well do you know your daughter? Wasn't it she who had me beaten half to d eath just to avenge you?"

Peyton was stunned

What are you talking about? When did Paige ever beat you?"

"Don't **play** dumb. You bumped your own head, didn't you? You went to Logan Sutton a nd even Paige to tattle on me, and that very night I was beaten half to death by some th ugs. If it wasn't **Paige** who did this, was it my own son?"

"I didn't go to her Peyton quickly said, "It was Logan Logan must have told her! Honey, how are you now? How badly are you hurt? Where are you? TII go take care of you right now!

"No need!" Grant disdainfully said,

A sensitive nerve in Peyton was suddenly hit hard.

'Do you not need me? Then who do you need? That woman?"

She thought that Grant might explain a thing or two.

But who knew

"Yes! It's stress-

free being with her. I'm happy, and she's obedient to whatever I want **to do**. She's not like you like a starfish in bed, no passion at all!"

Peytons hand uncontrollably trembled.

Immense fear and helplessness enveloped her

Trembling she said,

"Honey don't be like this. I can charge..."

"Alright, stop wasting time with me. You should go raise the money for your family." Grant impatiently said.

All my money has been given to you. Where else could I get money? Peyton cried out "Grant, I've given you so much over these years. You can't treat me like this!"

"You're out of money but don't you still have the house? Grant sneered,

"If you don't want them to ask Paige for money sell the house."

Peyton was stunned.

The house was originally bought by Paige for her retirement

She had now given all her money to Grant. If she sold the house, with him now **cheatin g** and not coming home....

What would become of her in her old age?

She felt incredibly angry. "Grant, you're so despicable"

**Just** then, before Grant could speak,

Peyton heard **a** voice calling out, "Honey, is the hot water ready? Hurry up and help me with

bath!"

"Alright. I'm coming right away!"

Grant didn't say anything

more and hung up.

**Peyton** slumped on the floor.

Her mind was haunted by that woman's sultry voice.

What were they doing in the morning?

Why were they taking a bathi

Grant was her husband?

Who the hell did that wretched woman think she was?!

Peyton was about to lose her mind.

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After Cory was admitted to the hospital,

He was immediately scheduled for a series of tests

The main purpose was to venly if Cory could proceed with the transplant right away.

**The** results showed all the indicators were suitable.

Now,

all they could do was wait. Wait for the bone marrow collection, wait for the bone marrow transplant, and wait through the long period of observation

This would approximately take a month.

On the day before the transplant,

Hilaria Jared rushed back in a hurry

Upon hearing that Granny Hilaria was returning, Ivy was over the moon,

insisting on going to the airport with her dad to pick up Hilaria.

by was on pins and needles when they arrived at the airport.

As soon as Hilaria and her entourage appeared pushing their luggage, Ivy dashed over

"My little darling Hilaria opened her arms and embraced lvy.

'Did you grow taller? And you look so much healthier!"

Ivy nodded, "I did grow taller!"

As she said this, her gaze wandered over the people Hilaria had brought with her.

Then, the smile on her face gradually disappeared

"Where's Uncle Calvin? Ivy looked at Hilaria, her brow furrowed.

Hilana was taken aback.

Seeing this, Wayne took Ivy from Hilaria's arms.

"Uncle Calvin's mission is not over yet, so he couldn't come with Granny Hilaria this time. Wayne explained.

But Ivy was still peering at the end of the corridor.

as if she suspected that this was a prank

Uncle Calvin must be hiding somewhere, ready to surprise her when she least expected it

But...

One second two seconds, three seconds...

No one appeared

Ivy's eyes visibly reddened.

She turned her head and buried it in Wayne's neck. "Ivy is tired, I want to go home."

Wayne and Hilaria exchanged glances.

They understood each other without a word.

On the way back,

Ivy didn't utter **a** word!

Ivy might be young, but she wasn't naive.

Calvin had been missing for so long

It was impossible for lvy, so sensitive a girl, not to notice that something was off.

They first went home to drop off their luggage,

and then went to the hospital together.

Until

Ivy had to say goodbye to her brother

She had been holding in her emotions all day,

and they finally broke down the moment she was told she had to part with her brother.

"Cory, you won't disappear like Uncle Calvin, will you?" She looked at Cory and sobbed, "You can't. It'll break Ivy's heart, and I'll be scare d. You won't do that, right?"

Nobody expected

lvy to break down all of a sudden.

**Cory swiftly** embraced **his** younger sister, reassuring her, "No, don't be afraid, **lvy.** In j ust a few days, Mom will bring you to visit me."

**Cory had** to comfort hy for quite a **while** before she finally calmed down

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**But out** of **concem**, Cory asked Rosalynn to go home and accompany her sister that night

**On** their way home.

**Ivy did** nothing but cry in Rosalynn's arms.

Hilaria lelt heartbroken seeing this

**She** deeply regretted taking Calvin away back then.

If he **had** stayed with hy they wouldn't have ended up in this mess.

When **they** got home,

by clung to Rosalynn like a koala

"Granny..." Rosalynn looked at Hilaria

"You take good care of by

Rosalynn nodded

and then camed lvy upstairs

After a bath.

Ivy finally spoke. Mommy, can I sleep in your room tonight?"

"Of course Rosalynn agreed immediately.

A moment later.

the two of them lay together

Ivy curled up in Rosalynn's arms, listening to her tell stories.

Suddenly, Ivy asked, "Mommy, will Uncle Calvin came back?"

Rosalynn had already heard about what happened at the airport from Wayne

She put down the book

and hugged Ivy, 'Mommy doesn't know!

Ivy's eyes began to redden, "So, something really happened to Uncle Calvin, didn't it?"

She had seen **Laura** secretly crying over a photo of Uncle Calvin,

Whenever she texted Uncle Calvin and her mom found out, Rosalynn always looked **up** set

Rosalynn lowered her head and said, "Some bad guys were trying to hurt Granny Hilaria, and Uncle Calvin disappeared while trying to save her"

My's tears started to flow again.

"He's just missing, not **dead**, right? She asked with **a** choked voice.

Rosalynn nodded, "Dadly, Mammy, Granny Hilaria, and Mike, we're all still looking for him!"

Ivy buried her head in Rosalynn's arms, hugging her tightly.

Rosalynn gently stroked her **back**, Tm sorry, Ivy. We hope you can forgive us. We lied to you because we didn't want you to be sad."

Ivy nodded

She could understand why her parents hadn't told her

"Never lie to me again!" Ivy sobbed.

"I know, sweetie Rosalynn kissed Ivy's forehead, "And don't worry about your brother. The best doctor is performing his surgery!"

"Okay""

Ivy nodded

Then she hugged Rosalynn again

When she felt insecure, being close to her mom made all her fears disappear.

Ivy cried herself to sleep.

Rosalynn looked at her swollen, red eyes, feeling a pang in her heart.

She kissed her face several times

before she fell asleep holding her

**Downstairs** 

Hilaria hadn't been sleeping well since Calvin left.

Seeing Ivy so upset today made her feel even worse.

Restless and unable **to** fall asleep, she made up her mind to head to the kitchen for **a m ug** of water and take a pill to help her relax. As she made her way towards the

kitchen....

**She** saw a family photo in the display window

In the photo, Calvin was standing behind Ivy, smiling a little stupidly

Hilania's wrinkled hand trembled as she touched **his cheek**, 'Son, come home soon. Ivy misses you, and so do 1..."

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At a large dock, a giant cruise ship was slowly pulling up.

# After her four month voyage

around the globe, starting from the H City the ship finally made it back to the port

The tourists **had a** blast, all of them laughing and joking as they disembarked

**When** all the passengers were off, **the** first mate approached the captain, "What do we do with the **guy** downstairs?" "What else can we **do** but hand him over to the police the captain scratched his head.

The story goes back over a month ago

**They** were on their way back when a floating wodden plank was spotted by the crew me mbers who were fishing

Ocean currents would bring all kinds of stuff to the area, but no one ever expected to fin d a man lying on driftwood.

They **were** far away from land, **so** seeing someone drifting was quite a shocker.

Fortuitously, the sea was fairly tranquil that night. One of the crew members, who happened to be a skilled swimmer, wasted no time to plunge into the water, swiftly Swimming towards the man in distress.

"He's alive!"

The crew was over the moon.

The first mate and captain were notified, and they hauled him aboard

Once on board, they realized the man was severely injured. Some of his wounds looked rotten from being soaked in seawater for too long.

Thankfully, the ship had a medical team and the necessary equipment for his treatment.

The medical team quickly treated his wounds

Originally, they planned to hand him over to the police at the nearest port.

But then

He started to talk during a fever.

Everyone thought he was a foreigner.

But he said in their native language, 'Home...home."

"He's from the H Country! exclaimed the crew member who saved him.

Seeing the state he was in, the captain remarked, "He's probably a victim of some viole nt attack. If we let him go and he falls into danger again, then what?"

Having spent years at sea, the captain knew all about piracy and the corrupt local police

"No way!" the crew members cried

Being away from home for so long, they knew how precious home was.

They assumed he was a sailor too, given his build and the fact that he was found in international waters.

"Let's bring him back to our country, the first mate suggested, "It's the safest place for him"

The captain paused, "Don't get your hopes up. He's badly injured and might not make it. Also, we are on a ship full of snobby rich people. We can't let them fin d out about him, or we'll all be in trouble!"

The captain then left

As he ascended to the deck, the first **mate** added, "He's **a** lucky guy! Look over there."

Following the first mate's gaze, the captain saw a great white shark now swimming near the **plank**.

Had they found the man any later, he would've been **shark** bait.

During the month he spent on the ship, the man encountered numerous perilous situations that brought him close to death. Miraculously, he managed to survive each of

these encounters

The kind hearted crew members would buy medicine in cines using their own money wh erever the ship docked.

Now, the man's injuries had healed.

He had an amazing recovery rate.

But **he** was still unconscious

After cleaning the cabins, the crew took the still unconscious man to the local police stat ion

The police were surprised and immediately sent him to the hospital.

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Ivy, who had a chat with Rosalynn, parked up the next day

The soft decoration designers had finished all the module work

**Since Wayne** was at the hospital with Rosalynn accompanying Cory Ivy, Hilaria, and P aige went to check.

## Before leaving,

**Ivy** carefully **wrapped** the painting for the designer's wife, **tied a** beautiful bow, and wrot e a blessing cand

**The designer** didn't know Hilania came with Ivy, so he was taken aback.

Before he could say anything. Hilaria said. "Let's skip the farmalities, I'm not into that."

"Alright! The designer nodded.

At this point, by walked up to the designer with her painting: 'Sir, this is for your wife,

"My God!" The designer covered his mouth, "Honey you really painted it?"

"Yes!" by **nodded**.

The designer quickly took the painting, looking very happy. When the designer left, he w as totally absorbed in the painting Ivy gave to his wife. Ivy's paintings, not only good in c olor application, but also contained lots of touching emotions.

He looked at Ivy, bending over, gently said, 'Ivy, thank you."

My didn't quite understand why he was suddenly thanking her.

"Why thank me? **She** would definitely ask if she didn't understand.

The designer smiled and said, "Because every time I see your painting. I feel so happy and touched!"

Ivy remembered this for a long time.

After the designer team left, Paige finished taking pictures for the day, praising Ivy's design talent while sending the photos to Rosalynn.

Ivy didn't have much interest in interior design, even if it **was** her own creation. Once Pa ige finished taking pictures, she couldn't wait to take Hilaria and Paige to her happy

manor

**They** first went to see the kitten, which was now as round **as** a little ball.

After eating the canned food by gave, the kitten jumped onto the hanging basket for a n ap and wouldn't come down to play

The servant who took care of the kittens explained, "When it's hot, cats get a bit lazy."

Ivy didn't blame the kitten.

The kitten's life was its own. How the kitten lived and treated people who approached it was the kitten's freedom.

Next, Ivy went to the vegetable garden and orchard, More fruits and vegetables were rip e this **season**.

Hilaria, being older and not wanting to sunbathe, waited in the shade.

Paige and Ivy had a blast under the sun.

And the direct result of this was. Both of them got a bit sunburned when they got back.

Paige was pissed

The day after tomorrow was when she was supposed to visit Baillie's parents. She can't believe she got sunburned from picking fruits and vegetables!

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#### **Evening**

Paige had a face mask slathered all over her face and neck. Baillie was next to her, cracking up

"Don't worry, you still look gorgeous. This doesn't **put** a dent in your beauty, Baillie comforted

Paige glared at him, tears streaming down her face

Baillie burst into laughter.

"No more playing with hy! I can't believe I'm gonna see your parents like this."

"Chill out, my parents are cool"

Paige looked at him, 'To be honest, when we got married, I didn't really think it through Our backgrounds are worlds apart. I'm scared your mom might hand me a check and as k me to leave you"

Little did Paige know that her offhand remark would actually come true.

On Saturday Baillie and Paige were up and out early. They arrived at the Scott family's before eleven.

Paige had imagined Baillie's family to be filthy rich, but she had no idea their house would be this massive.

Baillie held Paige's hand as they walked in, giving her a tour. Paige saw a parking lot fill ed with luxury cars that rivaled a car show.

"Are we having a lot of guests today? Paige asked.

With all these cars parked here...

"No, just family Mum didn't want you to feel overwhelmed," Baillie replied

Paige was puzzled, "Then all these cars?"

Baillie glanced over, "They're my dad and brothers' collection. Guest cars don't park her e"

Paige was stunned Talk about living large!

Just as they crossed a threshold, Paige heard a voice. 'Paige!

She looked in the direction of the voice. A stunning woman was running towards her

She fecognized her from photos. It was none other than her mother–in–law, Baillie's mom, Kate

"Paige, you must be tired from the journey: Kate said, ignoring her tall son and taking P aige's hand, "We've prepared lots of your favorite foods at home!"

"Thank you Paige obediently replied.

Kate was absolutely thrilled

She took Paige's arm and led her **inside**, "My dear daughter—in—**law**, you're so much prettier in person than on video!"

"Video?" Paige was confused. Had Baillie shown her a video?

Kate was referring to a video that the butler had secretly recorded and shown her

She waved it off, "Doesn't matter' Has Baillie been good to you at home? Has he cooke d for you? Has he upset you? You mustn't spoil him. Men become rotten when they're p ampered!"

Paige glanced back at Baillie. This woman was nothing like she had imagined.

Baillie walked behind them, calm and collected

Kate noticed Paige looking back at Baillie, so she turned Paige's head back. "This is his home, he's not going to get lost"

After a while, they finally reached the living room.

A composed middle-aged man stood up. That man was Baillie's father, Blake.

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"You guys are here." Blake's voice was full of authority.

"H. Paige said obediently.

Blake **nodded** and **then walked over** to Palge with something from the table.

# A check! Such a huge amount!

"Dad..." **Paige** was a bit puzzled, "Baille and I are actually already married. You can take back the **check**, we won't divorce.'

Blake was taken aback "Divorce? What divorce? Who said anything about divorcing?"

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"Paige, this is a welcome gift from my dad." Baillie walked over and stood behind Paign, patting her head

Oh my god!! She really wanted to run away!!

"Don't worry, nobody in my house will **give** you a check to leave me." Boittle smiled **as** he took the check from her, glanced at the amount and seemed quite satisfied, "Thanks, Dad"

Paige quickly said. "Thank you!"

Blake nodded, wondering if he was being too senous? But for the first time meeting his daughter—in—law, he couldn't be as casual as Kate, right?

That was too casuall

After that, Paige went through a process of meeting relatives with a puzzled look. With e ach person she met, she would receive some valuable gifts. Finally she met **all** of Baillie 's relatives.

Baillie took Parge back to his room.

The door closed. Paige collapsed on the couch, exhausted.

"Tired?" Baillie sat next to her, squeezing her shoulder.

Paige shook her head, then looked at Baillie: 'Did you always **brag** about me in front of t hem? They all treat me so well. Everyone is so gentle

It was completely different from the relatives she had met before.

"Not really' Baillie leaned back on the couch, looking at Paige with a smile, "I don't communicate with my family much. They like you because you are good" "Do they know about my family and past?" Paige asked softly.

#### People

were like this, when they didn't have anything before, they were afraid of nothing, but w hen they suddenly had something good, they started to worry and had

#### concems

Even if she did something wrong when she was ten years old, she was worried that ther e would be retribution.

"Even though it was sudden. But once they knew I was married, they would definitely check out your background and your family Baillie said a bit helplessly. "As for your **pas** t, are you talking about your romance with Logan?"

"Yes."

Paige lowered her evelids and sighed.

Her relationship with Logan, in the **eyes** of the wealthy.. might be considered a scandal ?

Baillie suddenly laughed. "You don't need to worry about this at all. Which of the women in our family doesn't have some romantic **stories**? Did you know that before my mom married my dad, she **was** a famously beautiful student **at Cambridge**?"

## Chapter 998

"Got **plenty more** where that came from, **you game**? Baillie playfully tweaked Paige's h air

Paige **pondered**, "Is it really okay for us to gossip about the old folks like **this**?"

Baillie **glanced** at Paige, **suddenly leaned** in, pinned her to the couch, and passionatel y kissed her.

Paige had a hard time catching her breath.

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Baillie, after getting his fill, looked at **Paige**, whispering. 'Babe, you're so sweet, who wo uldn't adore **you?** 

# Paige was left

dazed by the kiss. She couldn't even recall what happened while she was chatting with Baillie just now

How **did he** suddenly figure out that she was being sweet? But she was not sweet at all..

Peyton always said she was naughty, and Logan always called her a rebel.

So they were fooling her, weren't they?! Because Baillie would never deceive her.

"Baillie, my lipstick's all smudged!" Paige gave him a playful smack.

Baillie chuckled and leaned in to gently peck her lips again, "To answer your previous question."

Previous question? Paige couldn't remember any of it.

Baillie said. "The old folks won't mind. They might even start boasting about their heroic deeds to you after **a while**."

"Alrighty then." Paige thought for a moment, 'Your folks are really adorable"

They were nothing like Wayne's kind of people.

"I need to swing by my dad's study later. Mom wants to take you shopping, up for it?"

"Sure" Paige nodded, 'Are you sure your mom won't hand me **a** check and ask me to le ave?"

Baillie burst into laughter. Paige joined him.

Not long after Paige freshened up her makeup and outfit, and joined Baillie for a meal in the dining room.

Everyone at the dining table was worried about Paige going hungry

Baillie's eldest brother's son, while eating, ran over to Paige and curiously gazed at her with big eyes.

Paige had experience with kids. She was hardly flustered.

She put down her cutlery, smiled and said, "Hello there, I'm the new girl."

As she spoke, the kids seemed a bit shy, and hurriedly ran back to their mom. Their antics had everyone in the dining room laughing.

After lunch, Paige gave the kids some small gifts.

Before Baillie could visit his dad's study, she was whisked away by the Scott family women for a shopping spree.

The ladies of the Scott family practically cleared out the entire mall.

They took a break in a coffee shop.

'Mom, you guys bought me way too much stuff Paige said.

Kate put down her coffee, "Honey, compared to how much you mean to us, this is nothing. With you and Baillie back together, we don't have to worry about him dissecting our entire family in a fit of rage."

About this...

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Paige **was** taken aback. How **could** someone as gentle as Baillie give people such unc anny ideas?

"How could it be? Baillie is so gentle, isn't he? Paige voiced her confusion.

Kate **shrugged**. "Yes, Baillie has **always** been kind and polite. But his personality seems to always play by the rules of the world, even if he doesn't really care about it" "R eally?" Paige could hardly believe this was the case with Baillie

"To be honest, I was quite down when I discovered this when he was five or six Kate sig hed.

"What about the dissection thing? Paige asked.

"Before Baillie went to college, he actually wanted to go into medicine." Baillie's sister—in–law said, "About this... I feel quite guilty"

"Medicine? Baillie had never mentioned it before.

"He has been interested in medicine since he was a child. He could dissect a frog according to a textbook when he was five or six." Kate nodded.

Is he really that good? Paige was surprised.

Kate blinked. Shouldn't all girls be a bit scared? But why did she look so surprised, even thinking that Baillie was so cool?

"Yes, he's very talented!"

"Why did he change his mind later? Paige asked with confusion.

From what she knew about Baillie, he wouldn't give up something he loved since childh ood that **easily**.

His sister-in-law sighed. "That year

when I just got married, I accidentally walked into a room. The room was filled with phot os of human anatomy And some jars seemed to contain human organs...I was scared to death. Baillie was in a smaller room, not sure what he had

just dissected. He came out when he heard the noise. I fainted **when** I saw him in a whit e coat stained with blood, with a grim expression."

Paige imagined the scene herself.

Yes, it was quite horrifying.

His sister-in-law took a sip of

water and continued, 'When I woke up, I was already in the hospital. The doctor said I h ad a threatened miscarriage due to excessive fright. I had to stay in the hospital for two months to ensure safety"

As she said this, she quickly explained as if afraid Paige would inisunderstand somethin g 'Actually, it wasn't Baillie's fault. It was me who intruded... I later found out that his older brother was very angry with him over this. He even **said** that everyone in the family was afraid of him, afraid that he would kill them all if he was not happy...

Paige frowned slightly

Later, Baillie cleared out everything at home and gave up on medicine. Kate's tone softe ned a lot, she said. "We're telling you all this because we're worned that you might hear some gossip when you interact with the family Baillie is indeed different from most peopl e. But I know you must be special to him."

"Why?" Paige asked, puzzled. She really couldn't figure out why the rich, smart, and handsome Baillie would be interested in her.

"To be honest, before you appeared we didn't believe that Baillie would have a girlfriend his sister—in—law **said**.

Paige was amused.

Kate continued.

'Baillie is different when he mentions you. Your presence seems to make him suddenly lively. In fact, your butler often secretly

films some of your interactions and sends them to me. I can't even recognize the person next to you is my son."

They spent over an hour at the coffee shop.

From Kate and her sister-in-

law, Paige learned about a completely unfamiliar side of Baillie. He never made friends because he didn't like trouble. He studied various medical fields from a young age, but c hose the more socially acceptable physics and business due to his family's fear

His closest family members were convinced he would never get married.

# Chapter 1000

**Yet he** suddenly **tied** the knot with Paige, a person **he'd** only met twice.

Paige **didn't** talk much just listened **to** the women of the Scott family chatting

**Although they** were going on about **how outrageous** Baillie'd done something, **Paige** can feel that whether it

was his mom or sister in law, they were all very forgiving and loving towards Baillie.

**They were genuinely happy** about Baillie getting hitched. Between the lines, they were expressing that she was Baillie's salvation. But in reality, it was Baillie who fell from the sky, chose her firmly, **and** was constantly saving her.

"Palge, arewe talking too much?"

Seeing Paige not talking much, the sister in law asked cautiously. **They** didn't want to sc are Baillie's cute wife away with their chatter!

**The** Scott family had a lot of relatives. There were many legends about Baillie in the Sc ott family, and some were quite outrageous.

**Kate** and her daughters—in–law

decided to let Paige know some of the exaggerated rumors about Baillie through casual chat from the start. They had already spoken very tactfully!

"No!" said Paige, "I'm happy you're willing to share the stories of Paillie that I don't know

Kate had this feeling from the beginning. No wonder Baillie chose her! She was unique!

Whether it was shopping or chatting, they were all having a **blast**.

When they got home, it was just dinner time. Blake and his son were both waiting in the living room.

Paige saw Baillie from a distance and smiled

When Baillie came over, she also ran to him: "Did you get along with them?"

Paige nodded with a smile, They're all very nice! They bought me so many things, almo st emptied the mall... I couldn't stop them!"

Baillie took her hand, talking to her as they walked to the dining room.

The others just stood there watching

"Your son's gazes are so sweet when he looks at her. And they're holding hands. When Baillie was in kindergarten, even I, his mother, couldn't get him to hold my hand." Kate, crossing her arms, nudged Blake, "What did you say before? His wife might be hired to prevent us from pushing him to marry?"

Blake had heard that Baillie was getting married. Because it was so sudden, he did hav e that thought.

At this time, Paige, who had walked away, noticed that everyone hadn't caught up and i mmediately looked back.

Kate immediately smiled kindly and said, "We're coming right up!"