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The doctor did say that her mother was fine after all. And it would be much convenient for her to take care of Mindy when they were back home, so Mary finally agreed to leave the hospital.

As soon as the mother and daughter got home, they began to run around, busy with the affairs regarding York. They sought out his friends, hoping that they could help him get through this crisis for the sake of their previous friendship.

But the reality was cruel. Among York's friends, some capable and powerful people were aware that he had offended someone. There were not many people in J City who could easily make Liu Group go bankrupt and put York into jail. They didn't dare to provoke such a person, or else they might earn the same fate.

There were those who would tell Mindy, 'We have no choice. After all, everyone has their own family and has their own responsibilities. We dare not interfere in this matter, we can't bear the consequences. We don't want to get in trouble like York.'

Some others hid themselves from Mary and Mindy, as if they were the plague, not even allowing the mother and daughter past their gates.

Some even added insult to injury. When York was in prison, only Mary and her mother were left, so they wanted to get the Liu villa, which was the family's only remaining property. They forced the Lius to sign and transfer the house over to them.

Before York had been put into jail, the Liu Group was in full swing. These people were all fawning on their family. Even if it was not a big deal, they would personally come to ask if they needed help. In the business field, they had often talked about their friendship with

York, and York had taken care of them.

The Liu family didn't expect that when something happened and they truly needed help, these so-called friends would not only stand by, but also add insult to injury. It was true that the world was fickle.

It was really easy to add icing to the cake and difficult to get timely help.

Although the villa of the Liu family was not a top-grade mansion, it was still renowned in J City. As the rumors went, it had been a gift from a foreign business tycoon to York in return for his assistance. However, no one knew exactly what it was that had happened between York and the foreign business tycoon.

The villa was in a prime location and covered a large area. Even ordinary powerful people couldn't buy such a large land in this spot; the land here was simply priceless. The ownership of such a villa was not only a symbol of noble identity, but also an indication of status and power.

Those who wanted to get their hands on this villa were after nothing more than proving their financial resources and status, and satisfying their ego and vanity.

What they didn't know was that the deed of the villa was not under York's name at all, but his daughter's. Mary herself was unaware of this fact.

When Mary was a child, her parents had told her that this villa was their home. It had witnessed their happy life. They had told her that no matter what happened in the future, this villa must not be sold. They had to protect this family together.

And so, Mary and her mother never gave up the villa. Even though people kept pointing out the benefits of putting it on the market, they were never tempted.

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