

# First Glance, Forever Love by Maria Xavier Chapter 11

## Chapter 11 Find the Murderer

Only then did **Drake remember that Erin was** twitching on the ground.

**He ordered the servants to move Erin downstairs while he prepared to take Laila to the hospital.**

“Hojicy! Don’t go! Take me with you!” Rosemary cried, “I watched Erin grow up. I can’t wait at home!”

**Drake looked at Laila’s pitiful and frightened look and said ruthlessly. “No! Go back to your room! Think of what you have done! Take her back to the bedroom. Without my permission, no one can let her out!”**

**“Yes!” “The servants took Rosemary away by force.**

Laila got into the ambulance with Drake.

“Dad, why don’t you let her go with us? She cares about my sister very much. She will be very worried if she’s left home alone.”

**However, Drake was** resolute. “I have made the decision.”

After he finished that sentence, he sighed. Looking at Laila, he said, “You silly, is the country life hard?”

“No... I’m doing very well.” Laila was telling the truth.

**She was indeed** living well abroad and was quite satisfied,

However, Drake didn’t believe her, thinking she was just trying to look tough in front of him. He sighed again and said, “You are such a naïve child. How could you survive in Washington when I’m free, I’ll teach you manners here.”

“Thank you, Dad!”

“We’re family. You don’t have to say thanks.”

Soon, they reached the nearest hospital.

**Erin was** directly sent into the emergency room because her heart stopped beating.

**Drake and Laila were anxiously** waiting outside of the emergency room.

of course, the most worried one was Drake. Both of his daughters were bargaining chips for his career, and they were both his own. So he was naturally anxious when bad things happened to Erin.

After a long time, the door to the emergency room opened and the doctor came out.

**“Doctor, how is my daughter?” asked Drake**

The doctor solemnly replied, “The patient is no longer in danger, but she still needs to stay in hospital for a few more days so we can check on her. The snake that bit her is extremely poisonous. If you haven’t delivered her in time, she would be dead already! By the way, how did she get bitten by a snake? The snake should not have appeared in Washington.”

Drake asked doubtfully. **“What do you mean? Our family lives in a manor located at the top of a mountain. It’s normal to see snakes in mountainous areas.”**

The doctor shook his head and said, “This kind of snake only lives in the south. It doesn’t live in Washington. It must be transported here from the south. Perhaps you can go back and check what exactly is going on.”

Drake’s face immediately sank. **“You mean someone did that on purpose?”**

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Drake clenched his fists tightly. **“Who wants to kill my daughter?”**

His gaze involuntarily fell on Laila, who was beside him. **Drake began doubting Laila**  
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It seemed Laila didn’t notice the doubt in Drake’s eyes. She said with indignation, “Whoever brought the snake to our house is a monster! He actually wants to kill Erin with a poisonous snake! Dad, you must find out what is going on. This is murder!”

**When Drake heard Laila say this, the suspicion in his heart disappeared.**

Drake thought, Laila is a country girl. She had just arrived in the capital. In no way is she behind all this! Besides, she is an honest girl. More than that, she bravely fought with the snake today. I should not have suspected her!

**“Let’s go home. I want to find out who brought this snake into our house!”**

"That's right. We must find out the truth! Today, the snake in our house bit Erin. One day, the snake behind all this **may hurt** you! That will be disastrous! Dad, you must find the murderer as soon as possible!" Laila said seriously.

**Drake agreed.**

Once he knew who had put the snake into the manor, he would show the person **no mercy!**

Drake

arranged for some people to **take care** of Erin in the hospital, while he brought Laila back to **the manor to investigate this matter.**

**In the manor.**

Although Rosemary was grounded, Drake didn't take away her phone, so she immediately **received news that Erin was** fine. After that, she relaxed a little.

But when **she heard that someone** maliciously let the snake in, she trembled with anger.

"Madam, Mr. Harmon is back!" A servant quietly reported to **Rosemary at the door.**

**Rosemary couldn't bear to stay in** the room any longer, yet the door was locked and only Drake had the key.

**Rosemary walked** around the room, **found a solid** object, broke the lock with it, and rushed out

When **Laila and Drake entered** the house, they saw Rosemary running down from upstairs.

**Rosemary** ran while saying, "Darling! It must be that bitch! She wanted to get Erin out of the picture, so she brought **the snake** from the countryside! She just came back from the south! Darling, you must seek justice for Erin!"

**Laila took two**

**steps backward and said** with a grievance, "Rosemary, you suspected me at the very beginning. You always thought I wanted to harm Erin. To prove my innocence, I even risked my life to save her! Yet this is still not enough for you! How could you slander me and say that I brought the snake here?"

**Rosemary pointed** at Laila's nose and scolded, "It must be you! It must be you! It's you! Stop pretending to be pitiful! Honey, lock her up and interrogate her!"

**“Enough!” Drake could not bear it anymore and said, “You have already slandered her once. Are you trying to do that again! I will investigate this matter and give you an explanation! Now, get the hell back to your room and never come out again! Watch her and don’t let her come out again!”**

**“Yes, Master.” The servants once again forced Rosemary to leave.**

**“Holicy, you have to believe me! You have to find out...”**

**Looking at the back of Rosemary, Lella was sure that the snake incident had nothing to do with Rosemary**

***If Rosemary also participated, she would not say those words to Drake.***

**Laila wondered, that’s great...**

**Erin has to pay the price for her stupidity and viciousness!**