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“Enrico Radbury, you listen to me carefully. Even if you’re taking this opportunity for some personal gains, open your eyes and look at the god damn situation. The Radbury Group is now at a loss. You can’t possibly gain from this!” “But brother, I didn’t know you’re fighting with the Newton family. I haven’t been home for so long. We had good business relations with the Newton’s, didn’t we? I remember you fancy Miss. Newton too, don’t you?” D Enrico was acting as if he didn’t know anything and feigned innocence. Even if he did not come back for Ava’s funeral, he should have learned about what Selina had done from the news. If he was playing dumb this time, he must have other intentions.

“What’s the use of your head if it’s just hollow?” With that, Damien hung up the phone. What a brat... It seemed like it was time to stop him from messing around. “Dempsey, go and find out where Enrico is right now. No matter where he is, restrict his movements of going in and out of that place right away.”

In Avarnia.

After the phone call with his brother Damien, Enrico felt a chill down his spine. Although it was warm where he was, he felt cold after talking to his brother. “Thank God I’m smart enough to hide here first. Otherwise, he would have killed me already.”

Enrico tightened his coat and whistled. He was at the beach.

This town wasn’t a tourist attraction. There were not many people on this beautiful beach. Enrico was leisurely fishing on a rock when he spotted a woman wearing a floral dress. She was walking alone on the beach with her legs in the shallow seawater. The woman looked as if she was pregnant. She had a big belly, but her figure was not plump. She was slightly thin for a pregnant woman.

To be honest, even her back looked attractive. Thinking he would be a fool not to hit her up, Enrico put down his fishing rod and whistled.

The woman turned around. The moment he saw her, he nearly fell from the rock.

“Sis-in-law?”

He exclaimed aloud.

Wasn’t Ava Nagel dead?

The Radbury Family even held a funeral for her. Although he didn’t go back to the country, the news of her death was legit! What was going on? Enrico looked as if he had seen a ghost and he hopped down from the reef. Oh god, could it be that his sister-in-law came to teach him a lesson for his brother because of what he did? Ava noticed that the young man not far away was catcalling her, but she didn’t hear what he shouted, so she took two steps forward. In a small town in a country like this, it was not easy to meet people of the same race. However, when she approached, the man retreated step by step. His eyes were full of shock. “Don’t come over! Are... are you alive?” “Of course I’m alive. Who are you? Why are you acting like that?” “You don’t recognize me? Then you... you’re not here to teach me a lesson? Ava, I was the one who treated you the best when I was at home!” Enrico was so frightened that he was on the verge of fainting. However, when he turned around, he saw Ava’s shadow on the sand.

A shadow... she had a shadow! That meant she wasn’t a ghost then? “Sis-in-law? Ava?”

Is it really you? You are alive?" Enrico heaved a great sigh of relief. He could literally feel the back of his shirt soaked with cold sweat. Ava was on guard. "Sis-in-law? You're calling me your sis-in-law?" "I'm Enrico Radbury! Don't you recognize me? ..." He was feeling weirded out until he saw Selden Oakley walking towards them. Enrico didn't know Selden. He felt suspicious when Ava ran towards Selden. "Didn't you say you were going to buy ice cream? What took you so long?" "The shop owner said that the ice cream was sold out." Selden held Ava's hands and turned to look at Enrico. He faintly felt that this person in front of him seemed rather familiar, but he couldn't remember who this person was. However, meeting someone of the same race as him in this foreign country made Selden feel more cautious.

"Who is he?" Selden asked Ava in a low voice. "I don't know him either. He kept calling me sis-in-law. He must have mistaken me for someone else."

Hearing the word 'sis-in-law', Selden suddenly froze.

Sis-in-law?

The second son of the Radbury Family was the only one who ever called Ava sis-in-law. Only then did Selden take a closer look at Enrico's face. Sure enough, he looked a little similar to Damien.

Could it be...

Selden intuitively shielded Ava behind him.

As for Enrico, he continued walking towards them. "Hello, I am Enrico Radbury." He extended his hand towards Selden.

It was him indeed.

Selden took a deep breath and held Ava tighter. "Who told you to come here?" "Me? Who told me to come here? What are you talking about?" Enrico was very confused. This woman was obviously Ava Nagel, but the way she looked at him was as if she didn't know him at all. It was obvious that she couldn't recognize him.

Could it be that he mistook her for someone else?

"Ava, go have a rest there. I need to talk to Mr. Radbury here." Selden said to Ava in a low voice.

She saw that he was looking very serious, but she didn't know what had happened. Who was the young man who had suddenly appeared in front of them? When Enrico saw Selden's expression, he quickly realized what was going on. After Ava was sent away by Selden, Enrico immediately smiled and said, "I think I didn't mistake her for someone else. She is Ava Nagel, isn't she?" "Yes." "Then why can't she remember me? What did you do to her?" Selden said coldly, "If you are ordered to come and take her away by Damien, there's no point asking me so many questions." "Hey! You can't keep associating me with my elder brother just because I'm a Radbury. To put it bluntly, this is a matter between the two of you. It has nothing to do with me."

Selden was surprised by his words. He never expected that the second son of the Radbury Family would say something like that with a cheeky grin. Enrico suddenly took two steps forward and laughed in a low voice. "Although I have been abroad for many years, I am still a good person who's willing to help. So, do you need a hand?" "You're willing to help me?" "Of course, but there's no free lunch in this world," Enrico winked slyly. "I will help you with this lie, while you help me get a plane ticket." "What ticket?" Selden became more and more on guard. "I have done something wrong and provoked Damien. Now I'll have to fly under the radar somewhere. Since it was so easy for you to

fly Ava here without anyone noticing, I figured it must be easy for you to get me a ticket, right?" Enrico felt lucky. He didn't expect to meet someone who could help him get away from his brother here.

Selden hesitated for a moment before he nodded and agreed.

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On the other side, Ava was sitting by the beach under the shade. She didn't know what Selden and Enrico were talking about. They were so secretive that Selden even asked her to rest aside as they talked. She felt a sense of familiarity when she met that guy, but still couldn't recall who he was. They finally finished chatting. Enrico and Selden walked towards her together. "Selden, what is going on?" she asked in a hurry. Before Selden could reply, Enrico wrapped his arms around Selden's shoulders like an old friend. He smiled and told Ava, "Sis-in-law, I didn't know that you got into an accident and lost your memories! I'm sorry for being rude just now." "Who are you? Why are you calling me your sister-in-law?"

"I am an old friend of Selden, we're like brothers. We have known each other for many years and since you are married to him, you are naturally my sister-in-law." Selden's old friend?

Ava was a little suspicious. Just now when Selden first saw Enrico, he looked wary. That was not how one should react when they saw an old friend. However, Selden nodded, "That's right, we're indeed old friends. It's just that we haven't seen each other for a long time."

Both of them said the same thing, so she did not pry any further. Enrico and Selden put their arms around each other and really looked like they were best friends. However, Selden looked a little awkward. "Since you two haven't seen each other a long time, why don't you come to our house for dinner tonight? Selden will cook!" Ava said to Enrico nicely. Selden was still hesitating when Enrico quickly agreed, "Alright! Thanks for the invite then!" That night, the three of them had a big meal at home. Enrico literally took the house as his own. He nearly finished all the wine in the cellar. He was really good at drinking. At this point, he was still sober when Selden was already drunk. Selden had a lot on his mind, so he got drunk very quickly. "Ah, not a drinker, is he? He's drunk already!" Enrico laughed at him and poked Selden, whose forehead was already on the table. Ava was somewhat at a loss. In the past six months, this was the first time that she saw him drunk so much! It was a good thing that Selden's alcohol tolerance was not bad. He only fell asleep after he got drunk and didn't do anything crazy. Enrico helped him into the bedroom and asked curiously, "Sis-in-law, why are you guys sleeping in separate rooms?" "I'm pregnant, so it's more convenient for me this way," She smiled awkwardly.

But in fact, this was just an excuse. Ever since she lost her memories, she could still feel that something was quite wrong. Every time Selden went near her, she would feel repulsive. Fortunately, Enrico did not continue asking anything. He just laughed and said, "It seems I might have to crash here for the night." "Wait here. I'll get you some pillows and covers." Ava was about to leave when Enrico stopped her. "Sis-in-law, I have something to ask you." "Yeah?" "You... you really don't remember anything about

the past at all?" "As I said before, I had an accident and my cranial nerves were damaged." Enrico was still a little hesitant. "Then, other than Selden, you don't remember anyone else? For example, your family, your..." She shook her head. She once asked Selden about her family. Selden told her that she had already fallen out with her father and stepmother. So, she did not think about going back to her family. "So, you plan to live here with Selden and never go back?" "I don't know. Selden said that the climate here is good and it's good for me as I recuperate. He said we'll talk about the future next time." Enrico's gaze flickered a little. Nobody knew what he was thinking. Ava suddenly remembered something and asked him with a smile, "By the way, you haven't told us yet. Why are you here in this town? From what I know, this is not a tourist attraction. You are not here to travel, are you?" "Me?" He chuckled, "I'm running away." "Running away?" "Sis-in-law, you probably don't remember that I have an absolutely irreconcilable elder brother. He must be hunting me down all over the world now." ... Ava was stunned. Just now when she heard Selden call him the second son of Radbury Family, she thought that he must come from a well-off family. But he couldn't be from a filthy rich family like in the dramas, right? "No matter what, he's your brother. He wouldn't really kill you, would he?" Enrico let out a faint sigh. "My brother... Forget it, let's not talk about him."

The next day.

Ava thought Selden might feel horrible after he drank so much last time so she decided to make soup for him. However, he went out early in the morning and left her a text message to inform her of it. In the living room, Enrico was still lying on the sofa and stretched lazily. "Selden must have gone out to get a ticket for me. He's really helpful, or he just doesn't want me to stay any longer here," Enrico joked. "What a pity, I even made a soup for him."

Ava looked at the soup in the kitchen and sighed. "Too bad for him. Can I have some instead? I drank a lot too yesterday."

"Sure." Ava didn't want to waste the whole pot of soup. So, she gave Enrico a huge bowl of it. He took the bowl and drank a big mouthful. He scrunched up his face the next second. "Sis... What's in this soup?" Ava took a small sip and tasted it. She almost spat it out. It was really bad. She accidentally poured the vinegar instead of soya sauce into the soup and now it tasted very

sour. "Now I understand why Selden doesn't want you to cook," Enrico said, trying not to laugh. "Anyway, you mentioned something about a plane ticket. What's that about?"

"As I said yesterday, my brother is trying to find me. If I buy a ticket myself, he would be able to track me down."

She asked, "What on earth did you do? Don't tell me you committed a huge crime."

"Um, it's not really a crime. It's more like I created a huge trouble for him." Enrico had always been a talkative person. He started rambling on and on about his relationship with his brother, and of course he made it sound dramatic. According to him, his brother Damien Radbury was similar to the head of a mafia. In order to control the wealth of the family, he had been bullying Enrico, the second son of the family all the time.

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"Why is your brother so petty?" Ava felt bad for Enrico after hearing what he said. "I've already gotten used to it after so many years. I just didn't expect him to still be chasing me around even when I'm in another country." Enrico smiled bitterly. He looked no different from a little boy who forced a smile after suffering all sorts of bullies at home. Selden had told Ava about her life before she lost her memory. Ava used to be bullied by her own stepsister at home as well, so now she could empathize with Enrico after hearing all that from him. "Damien Radbury... He's such a powerful businessman and yet still couldn't let his brother off the hook. He doesn't deserve to have everything." Ava said. Enrico smiled and said, "Well, he doesn't have everything though." "What does this mean?"

"For a man who could get whatever he wanted ever since he was young, my brother couldn't have the one thing he wants the most. Sometimes, I feel bad for him too." Ava didn't think too much about what Enrico meant when he said that about Damien. She had a pleasant talk with Enrico and felt that he was a very kind younger brother who didn't have a lot of grudges for this elder brother.

"You're really nice," She said sincerely. "Oh trust me, I'm not." Enrico chuckled. Right at this time, Selden reached home. He heard the laughter of Enrico and Ava talking happily in the room and he was immediately taken aback. "What are you guys talking about?" Selden walked into the living room. Ava immediately turned around and welcomed him back. As for Enrico, he was still lazily leaning on the sofa with a casual smile on his face. "We were talking about my bad brother." Selden's expression instantly changed. It turned out that they were actually talking about Damien Radbury! He dragged Enrico to the corner of the balcony and said coldly, "Enrico, you promised me that you wouldn't say a single word about this!" "Don't worry. I said nothing to her. This isn't something that would benefit me anyway." Enrico grinned and snatched the ticket from Selden's hand. He glanced at the words printed on the ticket and smirked. He then kissed the ticket, "Thanks for this!"

"Since you got your hands on it, leave now! And never come back!" "Don't worry. I'm not willing to come back too!" Enrico still had his carefree smile on his face. Since he had gotten the ticket, he didn't want to stay any longer too. After saying goodbye to Ava, he left. Ava saw that Selden's face was still cold and asked, "What's wrong?" "Did he tell you something?" "No, we were just chatting casually. What's wrong with you, Selden? After seeing Enrico yesterday, you seemed to be in a bad mood." He was relieved that Ava didn't ask him anything much. It seemed that Enrico really did not reveal anything.

In the afternoon of the same day at the Avarnia Airport.

The airport's dimension was small since the population of the town was quite little. There were limited flights every day. Enrico took the ticket that Selden gave him and boarded the plane in a carefree mood. Since he was wearing sunglasses and headphones, he did not notice that Damien passed by him just less than a few meters away. Similarly, Damien did not catch sight of him either. After more than ten hours of the long-distance flight, he finally arrived. Damien and his men were exhausted at this point. "The two of you stay here to keep an eye. The rest of you will follow the plan." Damien ordered. Enrico was a sneaky one. He knew Damien would get mad after finding out that he was in a business engagement with their competitor, so he came

here to hide.

Damien was furious this time and even came here himself to find him. When he first heard of this, he had inactivated Enrico's cards and forbade the usage of his passport. However, Damien would never expect to pass by his own brother at the airport. "Sir, you can take a good rest in the hotel first. We will inform you if there's any update." One of his men said.

Damien didn't have the time to rest at all.

For the past six months, he had been forcing himself to stay busy all the time. All this while, he did not show any signs of fatigue. He was afraid that once he had the time, he would start missing her like crazy again.

At the town's market.

It was a sparsely populated town and it was also one of the most crowded places. The market would open once in the morning and evening respectively. Selden would come here every evening to buy food that Ava loved and make her soup. After sending off Enrico just now, he felt more relieved. He had a bad feeling. Perhaps it was time for them to go to a new place. It wasn't safe staying here for too long.

Just as he was lost in his thoughts, a figure that he was familiar with walked up to him. Selden was stunned. Why was Damien Radbury here?

He hurriedly turned around and tried to hide, but he was too late.

Damien had already spotted him. In this foreign place, it was easy to spot someone he knew. What was more, both of them were tall and muscular. "Selden, so you were here at this place for the past 6 months." Damien was as cold as he used to be. He sounded distant. He was leading his men through the streets searching for Enrico, but he didn't expect to bump into Selden. Selden started to panic. He was barely keeping his calm. "I thought you would come sooner or later, but I didn't expect you to come so soon." He wondered to himself. Even if it was Enrico who informed Damien about his whereabouts with Ava, the flight to Avarnia was very long. In fact, Damien was here after such a short period. So, it couldn't be Enrico. However, Damien didn't seem to be here for Ava. He just said, "Seems like it's fate to meet you here. Too bad for Kelly though. She's been looking for you." "Huh?" Selden was stunned. He didn't expect Damien to not mention anything about Ava at all. Damien didn't notice anything strange and he continued, "Kelly has been looking for you, don't you know?" Kelly Hensley... it was a name he hadn't heard for a long time. He once thought that as long as he hid somewhere, he could cut off his connections with these people. "What are you actually doing here, Damien?" Selden suppressed his anger.

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At this time, one of Damien's men rushed towards him. "Sir, we looked for the hotel where Enrico had stayed before, and it said that he had checked out two days ago."

"What?" Damien frowned.

"You're here for Enrico?" Selden asked.

"Huh? Have you seen him?" From Damien's expressions and words, it seemed that he didn't know Selden and Enrico had in fact met.

Was he really here just for Enrico?

The heavy feeling in Selden's heart diminished a little. "No, I don't even know your brother," Selden responded. Damien didn't want to waste any more time, and he left with his men to search for his brother. As for Selden, he walked home in the opposite direction. His footsteps became heavier until he finally came to his senses. He must not let Damien know of Ava's presence here

He quickened his pace and hurried home.

At the door, Ava was pacing around the courtyard with her hands on her waist. When she saw that Selden was back, she asked, "Didn't you say you were going to buy food? Why did you come back empty-handed?" Selden was afraid that Damien would appear at some point, so he hurriedly dragged her into the house. "Ava, don't go out of the house for the next few days, okay?" Upon looking at his nervous look, Ava felt weirded out, "What's wrong, Selden?"

"Ava, let's move away from here." "Huh? Why?" She became more confused. "Although life in this town is pleasant, there are no excellent hospitals nearby. You are about to give birth soon. I feel that this isn't a suitable place for that." Selden had already made up an excuse before he reached home. He knew what he had to say. However, Ava did not suspect anything. She caressed her belly and said with a smile, "Okay, then that's up to you. You're the doctor!"

To Ava, there was no difference no matter where they stayed. Anyway, she didn't remember anything or anyone. So she didn't really mind. "Okay, then we'll leave in a few days," Selden said. "Where are we going? How about we go back home?" "You want to go back?"

"I never thought of it at first. But after meeting Enrico and having a talk with him, I feel like I should go back there and have a look around. Maybe I could remember something!" Selden's gaze wavered. "Well, if that's what you want, sure! But you are pregnant now and it's best to not be on a long flight. Let's plan this after you give birth." "Selden, you're acting really strange." "What makes you say that?" Because of his guilty conscience, he did not dare to look directly into Ava's eyes. "If my body is not suitable for a long-distance flight, then I'm not suitable to move now. You're clearly looking for an excuse. Why don't you want me to go back?" Selden went silent for a few seconds. Then he immediately thought of a reason. "Do you still remember what I told you about your family?"

"Of course I do."

"Your father is very biased, and your stepmother still blames you for causing the death of your stepsister indirectly. I'm afraid that you will get hurt after returning home."

On the other side, Damien searched hard for Enrico, but to no avail.

If he had already checked out from the hotel days ago, then he probably had left this place already. However, Damien had already issued a blockade order. With his identity, Enrico couldn't be able to get a ticket or train ticket. How did he manage to escape? "Go to the information counter and check for me carefully. Enrico might have used other people's identification." He said to his subordinate. That night, Damien rested at the hotel that Enrico had stayed in before. The hotel room had already been cleaned up with nothing left in it. Damien stood on the balcony while overlooking the night view by the sea. The waves were pitch-black and turbulent. Only a lighthouse could be seen on the surface of the sea in the distance. He had stared at the sea countless times. It was where Ava disappeared from. Half a year had passed, and he no longer had any hopes

of finding her again. Even though he had to move on with his life, he would rather live in the memories of the past forever. There was nothing for him to look forward to. "Ava Nagel..." He whispered her name in a very low voice as he didn't want anyone to hear him.

His secretary, who was back at the office, emailed him some documents to be handled. Although he was out to catch Enrico, he still had to settle those works himself. Damien walked back into the room and turned on the laptop that was on the table. In the mailbox was a document that required his signature. It was about a brand ambassador associated with the company. Before that, the ambassador of this brand was Kelly Hensley. But after Ava's accident, he wouldn't let her endorse their brand anymore.

The new ambassador was a popular young celebrity. She had been gaining more popularity in recent years and was one of Kelly's competitors. After Ava's accident, rumors had been spreading about how Kelly somehow offended the head of the Radbury Group, but nobody knew what happened exactly. No matter what, it did tremendous damage to Kelly's career.

In the past six months, her screen time had reduced by a lot.

Damien quickly signed the document and sent the mail back. After hesitating for a moment, he dialed the secretary's number again. "Do you have Kelly Hensley's phone number?" "Yes, I do."

Although Dempsey was surprised that Damien would ask for their former ambassador's number, she sent the contact right away without asking further. He dialed the number on his mobile phone and said, "Miss Hensley, I'm Damien Radbury." "Mr. Radbury? What can I do for you?" "I'm in Avarnia and I saw Selden today."

Although he and Ava had been separated forever from each other, he felt that there was no need for him to stop a couple from being together. Perhaps this was also what Ava wanted to see.

Looking at the sea and countless stars in the distance, he smiled lightly.

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The next day.

Damien still didn't find any trace of Enrico in town.

He figured that he most probably must have gotten out of here.

"Book a flight. We will leave in the afternoon later." He ordered.

"Then how about Mr. Enrico?"

"He can hide all he wants in a foreign country for all his life if he can!" Damien snorted coldly.

When he was about to leave the town, he thought about seeing Selden again.

Ever since Selden suddenly went abroad half a year ago, they didn't keep in touch at all. It was strange that he didn't like Selden at first, but after Ava left the world, he stopped hating this guy so much.

But it was a pity that he was in a hurry yesterday at the market. Damien didn't have time

to ask Selden about his residence.

He thought to himself that Selden seemed to be here to buy groceries yesterday, so he must live not far away from here. A man like Selden would most likely live in a luxurious neighborhood even if he was in a small town.

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Therefore, Damien inquired about the most expensive houses in the town and went straight to it. As expected, he found a double-story villa with an 'Oakley' tag beside the gate. As soon as he rang the doorbell, he heard the voices of two people from inside. There was a little garden in front of Selden's house. Damien couldn't hear their voices clearly, but he saw two figures. There were a man and a woman who seemed to be pregnant. Damien was stunned. The woman... Selden, who was in the room heard the doorbell and came out immediately. When he saw Damien standing outside the door, his expression instantly changed. "Stay in the room and don't come out." He whispered to Ava.

Ava had always been obedient. She sat down in the chair as instructed and she watched him head out.

"How did you find this place?" Selden was on the alert and asked coldly. "Who is the person in your house?" Damien vaguely felt that the figure was somewhat familiar, but he couldn't figure out who that was. "This is my private life. You don't need to worry about it." Selden said coldly. Seeing that Selden's hostility towards himself was so strong, Damien chuckled. "Of course I don't care about your private life. I just thought that you wouldn't be able to move on, just like me. I didn't expect you to have a new lover so soon." "Why did you come here, Damien?" "I will be leaving in the afternoon, and I think I won't have any chance to meet you anymore, so I came to say goodbye to you." Selden was stunned for a moment. As far as he could remember, Damien was not the type of guy who would be so friendly towards other people. He didn't expect that he would have such a big change in just half a year. "Are you really going to leave?" He asked, still on alert. "Well yeah, it's just that I didn't expect you to have a new girlfriend. It seems that I've caused you some trouble."

Damien frowned. If he had known that Selden had moved on so quickly, he wouldn't have called Kelly.

However, Selden didn't seem to appreciate this farewell at all. His expression gave him out that he wanted Damien to leave as soon as possible. Damien knowingly said, "Goodbye." Then he turned around and left. After a few steps, he turned back and handed him the thing that he was carrying. "What is this?" "This is just a small gift for you. It's been a long time since we last met."

Selden took it with his heart full of doubts and found that it was a box of cake from the market.

That was strange. When did Damien become so sociable to even visit him with a gift? Selden didn't return to his house until he made sure Damien left. At this time, Ava was standing by the window. She was staring outside in a daze. "Ava, what's wrong?"

Selden noticed that Ava looked troubled when he got back into the house.

"Selden, who is that man just now?"

"He is... one of my friends."

"Did I know him before?"

He quickly shook his head. "No! Of course, you don't know him. He and I are not that close either." Ava's gaze was still fixed on the window, although Damien had already gone far at this point. She had been standing by the window and peeking out, but she wasn't able to see Damien's face clearly. All she could see was the side of his face and his voice. "But, it's so strange. I feel like I've seen him somewhere, just like...in many of my dreams." "That's impossible!" Selden immediately said loudly. "Selden?"

"It's impossible that you know him or even remember him! Ava, you're mine! Only mine!"

Selden held her tightly in his arms as if he was terrified that she might leave him.

"Ava, don't look at him. You are all mine..."

One day later. Selden changed their plans after Damien unexpectedly turned up here. He wanted to move away as soon as possible.

"Ava, don't worry. If you still want to live by the sea when we reach Eazeland, I will buy a house with a sea view." He said softly to her.

"Seaview... Selden, I didn't know you are so wealthy!" "Well, I have to take care of you and raise the baby, of course, I have to be rich." She giggled, but she still looked like she had a lot on her mind. Yesterday, the man who appeared at the door...

Although she didn't even see Damien's face, she had been thinking a lot about him. Selden immediately decided the place that they were going to move to. Although he also asked Ava for opinions, she had always listened to whatever he said and didn't really have any place in mind. However, since she was pregnant, moving to a new city was a tough job. Selden didn't allow her to pack or move anything, and he did everything himself. Although there was not much stuff, it was a long process to pack everything. So, Selden worked from morning to night. Fortunately, Damien had already left. He did not notice Ava nor did he find anything unusual. B When Selden had finally done packing up all the things, he called for a taxi. He was carrying his suitcase to the car when a clear and melodious female voice sounded from behind him. "Selden, you're really here!" He turned his head and saw the person standing behind him. It was Kelly Hensley! After not seeing her for half a year, she looked much thinner. Although her face was still as stunning as before, there was a trace of coldness in her eyes.

"Kelly, why are you." "Damien told me he met you here. But he must not have expected to see you and the love of his life here." Kelly laughed coldly. She was also laughing at herself for being so foolish. After Damien told her about Selden, she immediately booked a flight and left the filming studio halfway just to come and see him. She was brimming with joy when she found him. She could finally see him again! However, she didn't expect that Ava was by his side! Ava was alive! She wasn't dead! "When did you arrive?" Selden asked her.

"I've been standing here for a long time, but you only focused on packing your luggage and talking to Ava. You didn't even look at me at all."

"..."

He subconsciously looked into the house. Ava had just entered the yard at this time.

She did not know that there was an unexpected visitor outside.

And of course, Kelly had already seen everything. "Selden, you b*stard!" She cursed.

She was a lot calmer than expected, but it wasn't because she wasn't mad. Part of her had already accepted the fact that this relationship was hopeless. "Kelly, can you please

not tell anyone about this?" "Why should I help you when you are here having the time of your life with someone else's wife?!" "It's not like that! Ava... She doesn't remember anything about the past after the accident." After hearing Selden's words, Kelly finally understood it.

It turned out that Ava had lost her memories.

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No wonder Selden spoke to Ava in such a gentle and loving tone. He was never like that to anyone else.

"I see. So you deceived her meanly? Selden, you're just lying to yourself at this point!"

"Even if I am, so what? What does this have to do with you?" Kelly scoffed. Yeah, was it any of her business? No! Their relationship ended a long time ago. It was she who couldn't really let go and move on. But how could he do this? "Do you know what I've gone through in the past six months? I thought I killed Ava! I couldn't sleep every night and kept praying. I thought I did you wrong and have been wanting to compensate you..." She took a few steps closer and grabbed him by the collar. "But now, you're telling me everything is fake? You lied to me and everyone else! Selden Oakley, you're such a f*cking jerk!"

She raised her hand high and slapped him in the face.

He didn't dodge it, and the slap landed hard on his face., Kelly didn't feel relieved at all, and a second slap came after. Upon hearing the commotion outside, Ava finally came out to have a look. As soon as she came out, she saw Selden grabbed by an unfamiliar and beautiful woman, and he was slapped twice. "Stop it!"

Ava quickly went over and tried to pull both of them apart. Kelly's eyes fell on her big belly. Then she staggered a step back. Seeing that she was staring at her, Ava covered her belly with her hands out of instinct. She looked up at Selden. At this point, there were fingerprints on his cheeks. But he didn't seem to be angry. He just held Ava's waist and said to her softly, "I have something to deal with. Go back in and wait for me, okay?" "What the hell is going on?"

Ava was confused.

In the past few days, people that she didn't know appeared one after another. And these people seemed to share secrets with Selden. It was a something that she couldn't figure out no matter how hard she tried. "Ava, listen to me. Go back and have a rest. After I handle everything here with Ms. Hensley, we will leave immediately, okay?" His voice was still gentle. Kelly let out a scoff, "Selden, you're still trying to cover it up at this point? Wait, are you planning to shut me up?" "Quiet!"

"Why should I? It was my fault in the past, and I admit that. But now, do you think what you are doing is glorious? Selden, how have I never noticed how cunning you are?" Ava did not understand their conversation at all. She saw that Kelly was being aggressive and she could only say, "Miss, I don't know what happened between you and my husband, but maybe there is a misunderstanding..." "Husband? You mean this man is your husband?"

Ava was stunned. "Is there a problem?"

Kelly widened her eyes and looked at Selden. After a while, she spat out, "Shame on

you!” She was so angry that she wanted to turn around and leave, but she immediately turned back and pulled Ava’s wrist after taking a few steps. Her grip was strong, and it hurt, but Ava couldn’t get out of it. “Ava Nagel, since you don’t remember anything, I’ll tell you about it.” “Shut the f*ck up!” Selden yelled. But of course Kelly wouldn’t. “Ava, the man you think is your husband is in fact my ex-boyfriend.” Ava looked at the two of them in front of her in disbelief. “Selden, is that true?” Selden’s face darkened, and he didn’t say a word. Kelly continued, “I know you remember nothing. You can’t be blamed for this, but Selden lied to you. You’re not his wife.” HEID

“What?”

“What did she mean by that?” Ava stared in disbelief with wide eyes. From the lines of their conversations, she became more confused

“Ava, don’t listen to her crap!” Selden shouted. “Huh? Am I talking nonsense or are you hiding the truth for selfish reasons? Selden, you’re disgusting!” After saying this, Kelly finally loosened Ava’s wrist. She then turned around and left. She was happy when she came and thought that she could finally see the person she loved. Even when she left, she had her head held high without looking like a loser. A man like Selden, who would lie all the way just for his own selfish reasons, didn’t deserve her love at all.

She was young and beautiful, and she was the most popular female star in the country! At the door of the house, Ava’s knees were weak and she nearly fell. Selden quickly held her up, but she pushed his arm away. “Selden, tell me the truth. What’s going on? The lady just now.” “Her name is Kelly Hensley, she’s my ex... ex-girlfriend.” “Ex-girlfriend? Then why did she say...that I’m not your wife?”

Selden avoided her intense gaze. He could say that Kelly was jealous and didn’t want to see him being happy with a new partner. However, once he lied, he would have to make up more lies to cover up everything. He suddenly felt helpless. Ava took a few steps back. From his eyes, she saw guilt and avoidance. “So, what she said is true then. You’re hiding something from me.” Ava’s voice suddenly became cold. “What did you not tell me?”

“Ava, I lied to you, but my feelings for you are real. I just want to have a more suitable reason to be with you. You lost your memory. I am afraid that you would overthink, so I...” “I don’t want to listen to any of your excuses. I want you to tell me the truth.” Ava laughed bitterly. In the past six months, her mind had been blank and memories did not come back to her. Therefore, no matter what Selden told her, she believed it all and never doubted him. This time when she really thought about it, there were so many flaws in what he told her! He took her to a foreign country that no one knew about. When he talked to her about the past, he always avoided the important details. In fact... The same man had been appearing in her dreams every night! All of this had hints that could be traced back to her memories. “So you have lied to me all this time!”

“Then tell me, who is my husband if you’re not?” He didn’t respond. She then turned around and left. Although she had already packed up her suitcase for moving, this time she had to leave completely. She no longer wanted to believe in anybody else. Selden quickly chased after her. “Ava, where are you going?” “Where I go has nothing to do with you. You liar!” She shook off his hand.

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Selden grabbed her shoulder and spoke in a deep and painful voice. "Even if I lied about us being married, none of our feelings were fake! We have known each other since we were teenagers and for so many years, we are the closest people to each other. It is all real!"

"I won't believe a single word out of your mouth anymore!" Enduring the sharp pain in her lower abdomen, Ava pushed him away forcefully. However, the fluctuation of her emotions was too great. Before she could go any further, she blacked out and fell down. When she woke up again, everything in front of her was white.

Selden had sent her to the hospital.

She tried to sit up, but her belly was hurting. This child was kicking around in her belly.

"Ava, don't move." Selden saw that she had woken up, and he quickly held her.

However, she pushed him away stiffly. Selden's hand froze in the air. After a long while, he put it down with embarrassment. Ava glared coldly into his eyes. It happened in the blink of an eye. The person whom she trusted with all her heart and the only person she knew in the world turned out to be the biggest liar. But now, the liar was showing concern. He must be trying to gain her trust again. Ava let out a bitter laugh. It seemed that she was extremely disappointed in him. "Selden, there's one thing I've never told you."

"What is it?" "In the past six months, I have been dreaming about the same thing and I just had the same dream moments ago." There was a faint smile at the corner of her lips. This time, she had recalled an extremely beautiful scene in her dream.

"I dreamed that I was a student back in high school. I was at the basketball court and when a ball was flying towards me, a boy protected me from it. I can only see his silhouette and I couldn't recall his face no matter what." Selden's face had already turned pale at this point. "I remember you showed me photos of us when we were in high school. The school uniform I wore was the same as the one in my dream. So, it's not a dream, right?" "Yeah, it's not." He answered truthfully. "Then do you know... who is the person in my dream?" "Yes."

How could he not know?

At that time, it was love at first sight for Ava when Damien blocked the ball for her. However, on that day, she actually wanted to cheer for Selden on the court. There were things that just weren't meant to be! Ava raised her head and asked, "It wasn't you, right?" "Ava, that's all in the past. Don't think about it anymore, please?" "Perhaps it was a long time ago for you, but for me, this is definitely the most important thing that I have forgotten in all my memories. Who is that person?"

Selden was silent. At this moment, Kelly suddenly came in, "That person is the father of the child in your belly. That man is your husband." "Why are you still here?" Selden stepped forward and stood between Kelly and Ava. Kelly said, "I haven't exposed your true cunning intention yet, how could I leave?" "What on earth do you want?" Kelly walked past Selden and stopped beside Ava. "Miss. Nagel, I know you don't remember me. But now, I'm going to tell you the truth."

"Right, tell me then." Ava said. "Selden is indeed my ex-boyfriend, and he loves you sincerely. Too bad you never loved him and only saw him as a close friend. Your husband is another man. I'll take you to see him now, okay?"

“Where is he?”

“He should have gone back. But I have already informed his secretary. I’m sure he’s rushing like hell to meet you now since you are alive.”

Kelly glared at Selden with gritted teeth as she said this.

However, Ava was a little hesitant.

Even if she knew Selden lied to her, she didn’t know if she could trust this woman who popped out of nowhere.

She didn’t remember anything. She just knew she couldn’t trust anyone. “Miss. Nagel, can we leave now?” Kelly asked her again. Selden immediately stopped her, “Ava’s condition now is not stable. She can’t simply move around.” “I’m not staying here either.” Ava said.

Regardless of who was trustworthy, she did not want to stay in the hospital any longer. “Miss. Hensley, could you please book a flight back home for me?” Selden still wanted to stop her, but Ava said, “Selden, I don’t blame you for your selfishness, but I must get my own memories back. Let me go, please.”

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The taxi sped along the way from the hospital to the airport. Kelly made a phone call and booked a ticket at the last minute. Although Selden wanted to stop her, he had no reason to do it. “He’s been following us.” Kelly turned her head and saw a car behind her. Clearly, it was Selden.

Ava sat in the back seat of the taxi and quietly looked out of the window without saying a word. This was a highway by the sea. Right beside them was the vast ocean. She remembered that Selden told her she lost her memory because of an accident, where she had fallen into the sea. Perhaps it was for this reason that she was having trauma at the view of the sea. However, Selden had previously said that the seaside weather could help her nurse her health, so she did not object. Thinking about it this way, ever since she lost her memory, she had always been doing whatever Selden wanted her to do. She had never had the slightest opinion. “What kind of person is my husband?” Ava asked Kelly. “You’ll know when we get back.” “I don’t remember the past. Tell me about it.” Kelly thought for a moment and told her, “Mr. Radbury is a serious person. He is extremely handsome, but he always has a straight face and his eyes are always as dark and profound. I don’t know him well enough to know what kind of person he is.” “Well, he sounds like an unfriendly person.” “Yeah, so I could never figure out why you would fall for him. Once, I thought you are not happy with your marriage and thought you had a complicated relationship with Selden.” After Kelly finished speaking, she suddenly realized that it was inappropriate to say that, so she quickly covered her mouth. Ava did not mind and just asked, “Selden and you...” “I’m done with him! We broke up a long time ago.” Kelly suddenly smiled. It was obvious that her smile was fake. She was forcing herself to stay strong. “I’m sorry. It seems that you and he ended up like this all because of me.” Ava was apologetic. Kelly quickly shook her head. “That’s not true! Miss. Nagel, I have to apologize to you. Something happened to you half a year ago, and it has something to do with me. I was obsessed at that time...”

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Before she could finish explaining, the taxi stopped short. The two of them were so focused on talking that they were not on guard at all. Their bodies jerked forward aggressively. This road was built along the coast. Although it had double intermediaries, it was not very wide. An off-road vehicle rushed out diagonally and was about to hit the taxi. The driver quickly braked but when he made a turn, he went in the opposite direction and directly crashed through the guardrail on one side!

Outside the guardrail was a rising tide.

“Ava!”

Selden who was following the taxi stopped at once. He watched as the taxi fell into the sea.

Soon, the car sank down quickly. Selden did not care about anything else and quickly followed suit. He then jumped into the sea. The taxi driver was good at swimming. He managed to unbuckle his seat belt and swam out of the driver’s seat. Without any hesitation, he opened the door for Ava and Kelly. However, neither of them knew how to swim. Selden was not good at swimming either. When he swam over with great effort, he only saw Kelly flopping on the surface of the sea. He quickly grabbed Kelly’s arm. When he was going to look for Ava, he accidentally choked on seawater. His eyes were painful and blurry. Out of the corner of his eye, he saw a man got off a vehicle and jumped in instantly. Kelly, who didn’t know how to swim at all, held onto whatever she could and she wouldn’t let go.

“Stop moving! If you move again, both of us will die!” Selden shouted.

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The taxi driver caught them in time. Finally, he was able to drag them to the shore. Kelly gasped and ignored the seawater that she swallowed as she continued hitting Selden, “Are you crazy? You can’t even swim properly, so how would you save anyone!” Due to her shock, her face was filled with a mixture of tears and seawater. “I wasn’t trying to save you,” Selden said coldly. He then walked towards the sea.

Ava...she was nowhere to be found at this point...

He staggered and fell to the ground. Kelly put her arms around his legs and refused to let him go back. “Let go of me!” “No! You’re going to die!” Earlier when they were in the sea, she knew Selden’s poor swimming skill. If it weren’t for the driver, both of them would be dead by now.

But he was still being stubborn! “Ava is still in the sea! Let me go!” Selden kicked her away and dived into the sea again. However, the rising tide had already drowned the taxi. In the vast ocean, how could Ava be found so easily?

Once again, he was pushed to the shallow area by the waves. Because he choked on too much water, he had already lost his strength. The fishermen nearby noticed that there was an accident and they had gone out to the sea to help out. Unfortunately, the tide was really dangerous, so it was not easy to look for someone at this time. In the end, they couldn’t find her. Gradually, the sky had completely darkened. The tides finally receded. On the beach, there were only bits of seashells left. Ava had once again disappeared in the sea. It was the same as half a year ago.

At that time, Selden was lucky to find her. What about this time?

“Ava! Ava Nagel! Come back! Please...”

Selden was dragged out of the sea by the fishermen. In order to prevent him from

jumping into the sea again, they tied him to the coconut tree by the shore. "Let go of me! Kelly, untie the rope!" He shouted. His wrist turned red from the friction with the rope. He couldn't get away no matter what! "Even if you hate me, I won't let you die for nothing," said Kelly. Selden groaned and roared aggressively, but no matter how hard he tried, he couldn't get out of the rope. Ava fell into the sea right in front of his eyes, and yet he couldn't do a single thing. The fishermen called the professional rescue team. Afterward, more than a dozen rescue boats came to help. It seemed like the scene at the jetty six months ago. Could he find her again this time, just like how he did half a year ago? "Please, let go of me, let me go and look for her..." Selden kept shouting.

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As for Kelly, she rushed to the beach and anxiously looked at the situation of the rescue.

After a long time, there was still no news. The sky finally darkened, making it even more difficult for the rescue team to search. It was nearly impossible at this point. Kelly staggered back to Selden's side. Finally, she untied the ropes with trembling hands. "What is it? Say something!" Selden held her shoulder tightly as his fingers were close to digging into her skin.

"The men in the rescue team...said that... there's no hope in finding her..." She sobbed with tears all over her face.

"That's bullsh*t!"

Selden immediately stood up and ran to the beach, but he stumbled and fell on the sand on his way. Kelly hugged his leg and wouldn't let him go no matter how hard he tried.

"It's no use. You won't be able to find her even if you jump into the sea... She's already..." Screams of despair echoed around the beach as Selden stared at the sea in disbelief. He suddenly burst into laughter. "Selden, don't be rash. I beg you, please don't..." Kelly cried and crawled to his side. "Get the f*ck out of my way!" He pushed her away and tried to walk to the sea.

"It was because you saved me that you didn't have time to save Ava. Then you should kill me! Use my life in exchange for hers!" "If that was possible, I would do it in a heartbeat."

She stared at him in a daze.

Although his words were hurtful, it was not the first time he said it.

But no matter how many times she heard it, she still couldn't help feeling hurt. "Selden Oakley... You b*stard!"

By the time Damien reached the area where the accident happened, it was already morning the next day.

He was too late.

Although he had rushed here in desperation after receiving the news, he still didn't make it in time.

Losing her once was painful enough. God had given him one more chance to protect her, yet he still failed. It was the fate that he must suffer.

"You're lying to me, aren't you?" Damien suddenly let out a cold laugh upon looking down at Selden who was lying on the shore.

Selden raised his head and stared at him. "Yes, I lied to you, that's true. But I wish I could lie to you this time."

When Damien's fist landed on Selden's face, he didn't even try to avoid it. Instead, he just let the force hit him as he rolled on the sand. Damien's hands clenched into fists and landed punches on Selden one after another.

Damien used to be calm and poised. The last time he had gone mad was at her funeral. But this time, he received news of her death for the second time.

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"Stop! You are going to kill him." Kelly wanted to stop Damien, but she was knocked down to the ground abruptly. Damien's punches finally stopped. Selden was in a mess, but he still had no expression on his face. The rescue team was finally able to drag the taxi up, but there was no sign of Ava. He stared at the surging waves of the sea and let out a sneer. "All of you are lying to me!"

They were all liars! Selden had lied to him half a year ago. This time, he must be playing the same game too! He had not even seen Ava yet. How could she die? At dawn, the foreign rescue team found the corpse of a female body on the beach a few kilometers away. Damien, as if he had gone mad, sped to the place. The female corpse had been soaked in water for too long, and her entire body was swollen. Compared to the agile figure in his memory, she was far different from Ava. He did not dare to take even a single step closer to her. He was afraid that he would recognize her corpse. The local rescue team members who retrieved the woman's body spoke in their country's accent that Damien didn't hear a word of. "Ava Nagel, you're lying to me."

He muttered as he reached out to remove the white cloth covering the female corpse's face.

It was not her.

This woman was a local woman here. Even though her face had been disfigured, he was still able to tell that this was not Ava. He stumbled and sat down on the beach. There was water gushing out of his eyes. This was probably the first time he had shed tears in front of others.

But thank God it was not her.

"She's not dead, she's definitely alive." He would rather never find her ever again than to know that she was dead.

On the highway, a car was speeding.

The driver was soaked in water, and his eyes were dark. He looked at the woman in the backseat from time to time.

The woman's body was also soaked. She was half-awake and moaning painfully occasionally "No..." She was murmuring something. The pain made her curl up and tremble.

Enrico wasn't familiar with the roads around here and he was lost at a junction. He stopped the car and turned to look at the woman in the backseat. Should he just leave her here alone?

He punched the steering wheel with force. He was definitely out of his mind that he jumped down to save this woman. When did he become so warm-hearted? However, if he threw her to the side of the road when she was in this state, she would die. But Damien's men were searching for him all over the world. If he were to go to the hospital

at this time, he might run into them... "Ava, you really gave me a big problem this time." He smiled bitterly. On that day, Enrico had already arrived at the airport. However, he had never expected that Damien would reach so quickly. There were only two boarding gates at the small airport and Damien had guards standing by. It was almost time for the plane to take off but he couldn't board the plane. He could only watch as his opportunity slipped by in front of his eyes. Damien had put up his mind to catch Enrico no matter what. This made it hard for Enrico to run. Later, Damien didn't find his whereabouts, so he returned to the country. He wanted to take the opportunity to escape quickly, but he didn't expect that he would run into a car accident on the way to the airport. This must be fate. He never expected to even see her in an accident. "No, I beg you..." she murmured. Enrico pulled the car to the side of the road and got out. He then opened the door to the backseat of the car. Just when he was about to drag this troublesome woman out of the car, his eyes stopped on her huge abdomen. Ava tightly held her stomach while she was still half unconscious as if she was suffering from pain.

The baby in her... It was Damien's child!

If he had her, that would mean he got his hands on Damien's possession, right? What was more, this woman had lost her memory. It would be really easy to manipulate her. With that thought in his mind, Enrico closed the door again and returned to the driver's seat. He checked out the nearest hospital address and sped away. In the backseat of the car, Ava's groans were getting louder. Her painful moans were also becoming frequent.

She was having birth contractions at this point.

While she tossed and turned in pain, she seemed to see a vision in front of her. She was in an exquisite mansion. There stood a man with his back to her. He said coldly, "A woman like you don't deserve to be my wife." She was extremely disappointed. She turned around and wanted to leave, but she was rebuked even more heavily.

"Didn't you marry me because I'm wealthy? If you walk away now, you won't get anything." "That's not true... It's not what you think..." Ava desperately tried to defend herself, but she could not say a word. That man used the most insulting words to mock her, but she could only endure being humiliated. She looked up and wanted to see the man's face, but she could only see his back. It seemed that what he showed her all the while was just his back and nothing more.

"Ah..."

She finally woke up from the nightmare because of the heart-wrenching pain in her stomach. She found herself being carried into the operating room of a hospital. Around her, there were blinding lights. Some nurses held her hand tightly while reminding her to put forth her strength.

However, she had no strength at all.

It seemed that all her strength in this life had long been exhausted in the endless wait for that man.

But, had she got him in the end?

Her mind was in a mess and she couldn't remember anything.

"Ah..."

She grasped the railing on the bedside tightly. She felt as if her lower body was about to be torn apart but she could not exert any strength at all. She was probably going to die.

It seemed that in her memory, she had already died once, so this time she didn't panic. Instead, she felt like it was a relief.

Ava wasn't sure if those who were leaving this world would see lights on their way to the afterworld. But she knew it was so bright that she couldn't open her eyes. She continued to walk in the direction of the light. Then, she heard a cry of a baby. The baby's cry in her ear grew louder and louder until she had no choice but to open her eyes to search for the source of the sound. The man in front of her was holding a small baby in his arms. Seeing that she finally woke up, he quickly stood in front of her.

"Thank God, I thought you were going to die," the man said. The light in the room was too bright. She squinted her eyes for a long time before her visions cleared up.

This was probably a small hospital. The space was very narrow and even the railing of the bed that she was lying on was rusty. Her body was in so much pain that it seemed like it was on the verge of breaking. She made a slight movement and her stomach hurt like hell.

The man told her, "I'm sorry, I'm in a special situation now. I can't send you to a regular hospital. You fell into the sea again and were about to give birth just now. You nearly lost your life!"

Ava turned her head and looked at the man in front of her. She was still in a trance, "You're... Enrico Radbury?"

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"Yes." "Did you save me?" He nodded and quickly held the baby in his arms in front of her. "This is the child you gave birth to after suffering for such a long time." Ava looked at the baby with her head tilted. The baby was crying. She remembered that when she was passed out; it was the baby's cry that pulled her back. Even if she did not remember anything and the person whom she trusted most had lied to her...At least she still had someone. She still had this child. She was going to burst into tears. Enrico quickly said, "It's a boy and he looks like you." She smiled with tears in her eyes. He was such an adorable baby. He was red all over and his eyes were half-closed. It wasn't possible to determine who the baby looked like. The pain in her body was not relieved by the arrival of the newborn. She only spoke a few words with Enrico and she already felt exhausted. Enrico asked her, "Your current condition is not very good and the medical facilities in this small hospital are limited. I should contact Selden and bring you to a bigger hospital." She quickly stopped him. "No." "Huh?" Enrico was taken aback. "Don't... don't contact Selden." When Enrico saw the strange expression on her face, he guessed that something must have happened between the both of them. While she was passed out, she was muttering to herself. His heart jolted as he asked, "Did you recall something?" "... I don't know. No matter what, I don't want to see Selden now. In fact, I don't want to see anyone." Enrico could only give up when he saw how determined her attitude was. "So, what are you going to do next? I'm wanted by all over the world now and I can't take good care of you," he said. "I don't want to go anywhere." Under her gentle patting, the child gradually stopped crying. He seemed to have fallen asleep. She gazed at this little face, and her heart was full of sorrow. It turned out that Selden was not the father of this child. Then who was his father? She recalled the

pieces of memories that flashed in her mind when she fell into the sea. It seemed that she had a bad marriage in the past. The person with his back facing her...Who was he? "Enrico, since you knew me in the past, can you tell me what really happened?"

By the sea.

It had been almost a week since Ava fell into the ocean.

Damien stood at the edge of the road where she fell off from. He had been standing like this for the past few days like a statue.

It seemed that fate was not willing to give him a chance. He used to be so mean to her, yet she still clung to him and never left. But now, she didn't even leave him any hope.

"Damien, aren't you going to give up yet?" Selden asked. After the accident, the local government urgently repaired the guardrails along the coast and the workers worked day and night to strengthen them." Damien was the only one standing in this place, and no one dared to approach him. "You said that she lost her memory and doesn't remember me?" Damien suddenly raised his head and asked Selden who was behind him. Selden's face was as pale as a paper. "What's the point of asking that at this moment?" "Tell me truthfully. This time you are also hiding her from me, right?" "I only lied to you once." Selden smiled bitterly. ph If he had known that this would be the outcome, he would rather Ava never looked at him ever again instead of lying to her. He always thought that time could change everything. It turned out that lying always had its consequences. After a long time of searching, the rescue team almost gave up. There were people who drowned every year. And it was always nearly impossible to differentiate the bodies.

In fact, her body must have had already sunk to the deepest part of the sea by this time. However, Damien was not willing to give up. He transferred more professional rescue personnel from the country and surrounded the beach. Every time he fished a corpse out of the sea, he would run over to identify it as if he had gone mad. In the past seven days, the rescue team had managed to pull up five corpses. Some of the corpses had long since rotted away while some had already been reduced to a pile of bones. O Every one of these bodies was extremely terrifying. As for Ava, she didn't even appear in his dreams once! The weather at the beach turned from sunny to windy. Sometimes it became stormy out of a sudden. It was unpredictable. Damien often stood by the seashore alone for a whole day. Time seemed to stop here. He often felt that she seemed to have never left him. When he opened his eyes, he could see her standing not far away from him with a bright smile.

However, the people around him kept repeating the same words to him, "Mr. Radbury, you should pull yourself together." Even his parents came to talk some sense into him. "You've been here all day, Damien. There are so many women in the world, why do you have to cling to one? Can't you live without Ava?"

Karen cried her eyes out but she couldn't persuade Damien at all. There were so many people in the world... But after Ava left, he felt as if his life was meaningless. Daryl hit Damien's back with his cane. He couldn't bear to see his son being so depressed. "How long has it been since Enrico last returned home? Now even you aren't willing to go home. Is our family going to fall apart?" No matter what, his parents' words didn't move him at all. Everyone thought Ava was dead since months ago. He wasn't even so depressed that time and could even go to work. But this time, it was a huge blow to him. Of course, Karen and Daryl didn't know that Damien was so focused on the business

previously because he wanted to avenge Ava and take action on the Newton Family. Right now, the Newton family was already considered irrelevant in the business world. Yet, Damien didn't know what else to do. Nearly half a month later, Dempsey informed Damien, "The Newton Group used the batch of goods they got from Enrico and solved the problem on the capital chain. I'm afraid that they will turn against us next." Damien still didn't have any reaction, and he remained silent. At this point, he had no regard for these and didn't bother to care. Dempsey continued, "If we were to lose this battle, the Newtons might find a way to get their hands into the jail. Then Selina Newton..." His gaze finally wavered and his eyes turned sharp. "They must be dreaming." For all of those who had hurt Ava, he would teach them a lesson one by one.