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Chapter 1680

“President Costner, didn’t you ask your subordinate to take Madam Costner and Suzie’s hairback to Neah Bay for DNA testing?”

Titus’ assistant, Warren, rushed over. “The test report is already out. Please have a look at it.”

Titus took the phone from him to look at the report, which indicated that Suzie and Sheryl were not related. Given that the DNA grand parentage test was performed between them, the percentage surely would not reach 99%. However, after the medical staff in the Costners’ top hospital analyzed Suzie and Sheryl’s DNA samples based on genetics and biology, they discovered that the two of them shared 50% of their DNA.

As such, Suzie must be Sheryl’s granddaughter.

If Suzie was Jeffery’s biological granddaughter, Sheryl would just be Suzie’s grandaunt. The

DNA between Suzie and Sheryl would be practically identical.

Warren said furiously, “We’ve been tricked by Rebecca. Apparently, the hair that Young Master Costner used for the paternity test before belonged to Catherine. I asked someone to check the hotel

that Rebecca stayed in when she just arrived in Neah Bay. The hotel staff claimed that he got the hair from her comb when he cleaned Rebecca’s room, so they didn’t actually get the hair from her head.”

“It wasn’t Matthew’s fault. Who would’ve expected that?” Titus

narrowed his grim eyes. What a schemer Rebecca was.

“President Costner, should I let Madam know about this matter...” Warren asked in hesitation.

“Will she believe you?” Titus snorted. “She doesn’t trust me at all now. She might think that I’m making it up. She has been under the impression that I’m trying to kill her so that I can marry Catherine.”

“Alas, Madam is really...” Warren sighed. “I wonder how long it’ll take her to recover.” “I heard it’ll take approximately half a year for her to fully recover.” Titus rubbed his forehead. “I think the doctors here aren’t as good as the ones we have. I’m planning to bring her back to Neah Bay.”

“That’s good. By keeping Madam by your side here, you’re creating a time bomb for yourself. If she learns that Rebecca has passed, things will be troublesome,” Warren said, “By the way, I found out that Jeffery and Sally’s names have always been on Rebecca’s birth certificate. According to the law in Australia, Jeffery can inherit the shares that Rebecca owned since she has passed. Jeffery and Sally have arrived in Canberra, and Hill Corporation will be holding a general meeting tomorrow. I’m guessing they’re going to announce Jeffery as the new chairman.”

A look of disgust washed over Titus’ face. “He can’t even handle a renovation company properly. How dare he think of being the chairman of the best company in Australia? Dream on!”

“Exactly. It’s as if any Tom, Dick, and Harry can be the chairman. At the end of the day, he’s spending Madam’s money. Indeed, Jeffery’s family is extremely shameless. If our people were here, I would’ve had them deal with Jeffery and Sally long ago,” Warren said indignantly.

At the mention of this matter, Titus furrowed his eyebrows deeply.

In fact, he had long since asked his subordinates from Neah Bay to come over. Nevertheless, they were stuck processing their visa in the embassy. Hence, they could not board the plane.

After some investigation, Titus discovered that the Meads’ relatives were in charge of the embassy. It meant that they were the ones causing trouble for his subordinates.

“Has there been any progress after I personally gave Nathan a call?” Titus asked coldly.

“Prime Minister Snow has just started to take over the local matters and assigned Gavin to take charge of the foreign affairs. It’s all Gavin’s people in the embassy. Prime Minister Snow has criticized Gavin, but Gavin insists that our people are suspicious, so he’s not allowing them to enter Australia.”

“Well done, Gavin.” Titus began to laugh grimly. “I never thought that I would one day be controlled by the buffoons. I might not be able to tackle Wesley in this country, but my people are all overseas. Go contact those people out there and ask them to stop all of Wesley’s international business deals at all costs. Also, since the Meads have been behaving quite haughtily abroad, don’t let them come back as well.”

Warren reminded under his breath, “But... Young Master Costner is with them. What if...”

“Don’t worry. They’ll keep Matthew alive as a means of protecting themselves. At most, they’ll chop off a few of Matthew’s fingers and send them to me.” Titus was emotionless. “It’s just a few fingers. Anyway, it was Matthew who started it.

How stupid of him to get caught. It serves him right.” Warren

was speechless.

All he could do was sympathize with Matthew silently.

“By the way, we’ll be attending Hill Corporation’s general meeting tomorrow to have a look. Rebecca spent Sheryl’s money on the company, yet the Jones family is planning on occupying it. They should dream on!” Titus’ dark eyes were full of annoyance.

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“Uncle Titus... Okay... I’m relieved to know that you’ll be around.”

In front of the French window, Catherine hung up the call with a smile.

In truth, she was not confident about the general meeting tomorrow. Now that Titus had said that

he would show up, Catherine felt as though the weight in her mind had finally become much lighter.

“Get out... I don't need you to teach me...”

“Fine. I'll get out. Given your attitude, I won't even come again even if you beg tomorrow.”

All of a sudden, a commotion rang out in the corridor outside.

Frowning, Catherine walked toward the door and opened it, only to see the teacher that she hired stomp out the door in a fit of fury.

There were a few books scattered on the floor of the corridor on the second floor.

Shaun stood beside the books. As soon as he saw the teacher leave, he glowered sideways at her with his dark eyes that carried traces of grievance and rage.

He then entered the study and even swung the door shut heavily.

“You rascal, open the door! How could you treat your teacher that way? Are you learning for our sake? It's for your own good. Do you want to be illiterate forever? Even Suzie and Lucas know more than you.” Shaun's attitude made Brennan's blood boil.

“No, I just don't want to learn. Since nobody likes me, I don't mind being illiterate forever.” Shaun's sulky voice rang out from the study.

“Nobody dislikes you. It's precisely because we like you that we're making you learn. We hope that you'll turn into a better person.” Brennan's head hurt. A 50-year-old man like him had no experience nurturing children, yet he had to try to be a loving father to Shaun who was being extremely rebellious.

“Cathy dislikes me. I don't want to learn. I don't need you guys to like me. I just want her to like me,” Shaun said in a self-righteous manner from inside the study.

An embarrassed look washed over Brennan's face. “Who said she dislikes you? It's just that she's not

teaching you. She's not a teacher, and what's more, she's not good at teaching.

Also, she has her own life. What gives you the right to force her to accompany you all the time? If you continue acting unreasonably, she might really dislike you.”

The study grew silent all of a sudden.

Shaun did not speak. However, he refused to open the door no matter how Brennan persuaded him.

“Uncle Brennan, you may go downstairs and rest. Let me deal with him.” Catherine had no choice but to walk up to him.

“Catherine, don’t let him act as he pleases. After all, he’s a man. He can figure out certain things himself.” Brennan let out a sigh. “We don’t wish for him to become your burden.”

“I’ll talk to him.” Catherine felt as though something was weighing on her heart and it made her upset. “Perhaps I was too impatient.”

Brennan shook his head helplessly before he turned to head downstairs.

“Shaun, please open the door.” Catherine knocked on the door gently. “If you don’t open it, I’m going to move out.”

The study remained quiet, and Catherine pretended to walk down the stairs.

Just then, the door of the study was opened forcefully. Shaun rushed out and stared anxiously at her with reddened eyes. “You can’t leave. If you leave, I won’t want to stay here anymore.”

“This is your house,” Catherine whispered, “This isn’t my house.”

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Catherine had been staying here all because of Shaun.

Without a second thought, Shaun answered, “ Wherever you go, I’ll follow.”

Catherine asked, “... Why ?”

“Why ?” Shaun scratched the back of his head in a daze. With a pout, he replied, “ I don’t know. I just don’t want to leave you.”

Catherine did not know whether to laugh or cry. Should she feel happy or sad about it? “Shaun, let’s have a talk.” She walked up to him again.

When Shaun gazed at her pretty face, he felt aggrieved. He snorted and turned around to enter the study.

Catherine closed the door.

Her eyes swept over the messy floor of the study. He must have thrown a tantrum during the lesson.

Shaun gritted his teeth. As he fought back his tears, he suddenly stretched out his hands to hug her. “ Cathy, I know it was my fault. I shouldn’t have called you a pervert last night. Are you still mad about it? I promise that I won’t make such a remark about you anymore. Please don’t leave me.”

Pulled into his arms so abruptly, Catherine was startled.

Only when his hot tears fell on her neck did she start regretting it.

She had forgotten that he only had the mental capacity of a two-year-old despite his sturdy figure, ability to play basketball, and other brilliant skills.

No matter how unhappy and lost she was, she should not have placed the burden on him.

“ Shaunny, I’m not mad about what happened last night. I’m just... afraid that you’ll slowly grow up

and leave me,” Catherine said gently, “When you woke up, you called me ‘Aunt’ at

first glance. As I told you earlier, I don't want to be your aunt. I want to be your lover, woman, and girlfriend."

"No problem. You can be my lover and girlfriend."

Shaun tightened his arms around her sulkily.

"But do you know what it means for me to be your lover and girlfriend?" Catherine asked as she pushed him away softly.

Shaun's dark gaze instantly became confused.

Catherine looked at him and smiled. "Look, you don't even know things like this because you know too little. Shaunny, I hired teachers to teach you vocabulary and English because I hope that you'll grow up as soon as possible. Then, you'll be able to earn money, protect me, and take care of me.

That's when you can talk about love and relationships."

Shaun was bewildered, but he was aware of his own ignorance. Indeed, he knew too little. Maybe he... should really buckle down and study hard.

"Shaunny... As I said, this is your house and not mine. If it weren't for you, I wouldn't be staying here. Do you understand?" Catherine lifted her head and cupped his face. "Do you know what the outside world is like?"

"... I don't." Shaun admitted candidly, feeling a little discouraged. "Am I very useless?"

"Not at all. I used to be like you long ago, but now I know that there are vast grasslands, azure oceans, towering snow mountains, bustling cities, and all kinds of delicious food out there. There's also intrigue between people, but you don't know all these. We don't have any topics in common, and I can't be talking about cartoons and toys with you all the time. I want you to learn so that you're aware of more things. That way, we'll have more topics to talk about and you can help me when someone bullies me. We can also enjoy the view of the sea, go horse riding, and ski together."

Catherine looked into his eyes seriously. "I love you, and that's why I hope you'll grow up. I'm making you learn and hired teachers to teach you so that you can be on an equal

footing with me as soon as possible. Because... to me, you're different from Suzie and Lucas."

Deep down, Shaun was shocked. He might not have been to those places, but he could not resist the intense longing he felt to visit those places with her.

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"But... How am I different from Suzie and Lucas?"

"Didn't you realize that Suzie and Lucas are a lot shorter than you? Shaunny, they're actually three years old. You say you're two years old, but why are you a lot taller than them and even taller than me?"

Catherine sighed and told him the truth, "The reason why I didn't ask you to attend preschool is that the place doesn't suit you. School isn't a place where you should go either. In truth, you're 33 years old. You're six to seven years older than me. "

Shaun was stunned, looking completely lost.

"Because something happened to you..." Catherine pointed at her head. "Something's wrong here, so you think that you're only two years old. I'll show you what a two-year-old kid actually looks like next time."

Shaun, who had been under the impression that he was two years old, felt speechless. No, he

did not want to know as he refused to accept the fact.

"Cathy, am I really... that old?" A look of dejection washed over his face.

“No, you’re not.” Catherine caressed his distinct features. “You’re good-looking. You’re at the age where men are most charming. If you study more and learn how to make money, you’ll be even more charming.”

At first, Shaun was quite shocked and disappointed. However, now that Catherine was praising him for being charming, he was inwardly delighted. “Mm. I must study hard and learn to make money. I want to look after you and support you.”

“Mm. When the teacher comes in the afternoon, are you going to throw a tantrum again?” Catherine asked in a soft tone.

Shaun shook his head obediently. “I’ll listen to you.”

“Good. Let’s go downstairs and have lunch.” A gentle smile spread across Catherine’s face.

After they came downstairs, Lea and Brennan were astonished to see how obedient Shaun suddenly was.

“Catherine, you seem to be the only one who can control him.” When Shaun went to drink some water, Lea took the opportunity to grab Catherine.

“Aunty Lea, I’ve let Shaun know about his actual age,” Catherine said frankly. Lea

was taken aback. “Did he accept it? Was he triggered?”

“We can’t possibly keep hiding it from him. What’s more, he’s not exactly a fool. As time passes, he’ll notice that he’s different too.” Catherine shrugged weakly. “In fact, his mental state is much better than we initially imagined. We can’t treat him like how we treat Suzie and Lucas.”

“You’re really something. I’m not a good mother. I’m inexperienced in handling this kind of situation.” Lea was thoroughly embarrassed.

Lea had never taken care of Shaun back then as she always left him to the sitter. Hence, she was really unsure of his thoughts.

Catherine was speechless. Despite having given birth to two children, Lea still lacked experience in this area. Shaun's biological parents... She took pity on Shaun and Liam, who grew up relying on their In the afternoon, the English teacher came.

Shaun did not kick up a fuss. He sat in the study and paid attention to the lesson. At the sight of this scene, everyone was gratified.

When the English teacher went downstairs after teaching for two hours, she said to Catherine, “He has excellent memory. Perhaps he still has some English knowledge in his head. He could grasp the meaning instantly after I read out a text to him just once. It’s unbelievable! I’m done teaching him high school-level English, so he can learn college-level English tomorrow.”

Catherine was at a loss for words. How impressive!

After dinner, she got a university professor who taught financial management to come over.

When the professor left, he said contentedly, “With his pace, I can probably teach him everything in a week.”

“That’s wonderful. Thank you, professor.” Catherine saw the professor off.

When she returned to the room, she heard Shaun showing off to Suzie and Lucas. “Those things are too easy. Both of you are... too childish. I mastered addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division in two minutes... Please don’t tell others that you both know me. You both bring shame to me.”

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It did not really matter to Suzie since she had thick skin.

Unlike Suzie, Lucas pulled a long face. Catherine wondered if he was going to throw the textbook to Shaun’s face the next minute.

“Enough. How can you mock Lucas and Suzie?” Catherine rolled her eyes at Shaun. “You already learned those things back then. The lessons just brought back your memories, which explains why you’re learning faster than other people.”

“Exactly. There’s nothing to brag about.” Suzie rolled her eyes. “What a shameless old man. You actually feel proud when comparing yourself to us three-year-olds. I wonder who addressed us as ‘Elder Sister’ and ‘Brother’ yesterday. Shame on you.”

“You...” Shaun’s face was flushed with anger. “I’m not a shameless old man.”

“You’re a shameless old man.” Suzie grimaced. Infuriated, Shaun nearly burst into tears. However, he fought back his tears at the thought of his actual age. At the sight of the scene, Lucas curved his lips.

“You guys are going too far. The three of you are banding up to bully me.” Shaun puffed out his cheeks. He appeared aggrieved while trying to contain his feelings.

“Ugh. Fine, fine. I’m not going to argue with you anymore.” Suzie became soft-hearted. She turned around to read a picture book.

When Suzie and Lucas were asleep at night, Shaun secretly approached Catherine and whispered in her ear with a throaty voice, “I love you.”

His voice was pleasant to hear. However, since it was in the middle of the night, Catherine felt her heart skipping a beat.

She looked back and caught sight of his exquisite face, moonlight reflecting in his dark eyes. There seemed to be a glint in his gaze that she could not resist.

“I learned this today,” Shaun said to her bashfully. “Thanks. I love it.” Catherine

turned around and buried her face into his arms.

He might not know the real meaning of the phrase, but she found it rather sweet anyway.

Whether he would fall for someone else later, that would be in the future. At this

point, she did not want to overthink things.

In addition, given that she had made him fall for her the first time, she believed that she would be able to do it again considering her great charisma.

The next day.

After Shaun woke up, Catherine made him change into a black suit. After he

put it on, Catherine looked him up and down.

His physique and aura were still the same. Nevertheless, his childlike eyes... In

the end, she chose a pair of black-rimmed glasses for him.

The minute he put on the glasses, Catherine was mesmerized by his handsome and elegant appearance.

She had seen a lot of men who looked old-fashioned and dull in black-rimmed glasses. However, Shaun was worlds apart from them. With the black-rimmed glasses on his handsome face, he looked so elegant and respectable that it was as though he had transformed into a different person. He was just like those handsome young gentlemen one would find in comic books.

He was too... f*cking handsome.

He was so handsome that one would be tempted to throw themselves at him.

“Cathy, why are you staring at me this way?” Her stare made Shaun uneasy. “From your gaze... you look like a cat that has caught a fish.”

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Catherine was speechless. Was it that obvious? She

had indeed thought of eating him up, though.

“No. I just think that you look very handsome in this attire,” Catherine put on a front and replied solemnly.

“Really?” Shaun scratched the back of his head bashfully and chuckled. “Is it because you were dazzled by my handsome looks just now?”

Catherine was sullen that Shaun had seen through her. His IQ had improved so much within a day.

Sure enough, taking lessons could make a difference. He had become so different after gaining knowledge from the lessons.

“Not really. I’ve met many other handsome men. My heart doesn’t melt so easily.” A casual look washed over Catherine’s face.

Shaun pouted. “Who? Who’s more handsome than me?”

“People like Doctor Jewell and Rodney are also quite handsome but in different ways,” Catherine said as she grinned, “You need to accept that you’re not the only handsome person in the world.”

Shaun tsked inwardly, thinking to himself that he would not accept it. He was

the most handsome person.

The most handsome person in the world!

After he got changed, Catherine handed him a phone. “This is the phone that you were using

before this.”

Shaun used his fingerprint to unlock the phone, only to see a selfie of Catherine and himself on the screen. They were seen putting their faces next to each other and smiling sweetly.

He was stunned for a moment before he found it strange.

When Catherine was driving to Hill Corporation, Shaun sat on the passenger seat, exploring the phone curiously.

When he was playing games and watching cartoons previously, he had longed to have his own phone.

Now that he had one, he did not know if he was elated.

After seriously going through the apps on his phone, he could not find any of his favorite games. The apps on this phone were mostly related to finance and budgeting.

He clicked open a budgeting folder, only to see a page regarding stocks.

The finance professor had explained stocks to him yesterday. After researching those stocks, Shaun clicked open his account. Although he could not recall his password, he was able to reset his password using his identity document and phone. He realized that there was a considerable amount of money in his account.

It turned out that he used to be so rich.

He thought that he had easily earned money over the years, so he randomly bought some stocks.

20 minutes later, the car stopped at a junction. As Catherine was waiting for the traffic light to turn green, she glanced at the passenger seat. "What are you doing?"

"I'm buying stocks."

"... Do you have money to buy stocks?" As far as Catherine remembered, none of the Hillshads offered him any money.

"I have money in my phone," Shaun responded honestly.

Catherine's eyes narrowed, and she had a sinking feeling. "How much money do you have there?"

"I think there are a few hundred million dollars."

"So... how much money have you spent on stocks?" Catherine shuddered and asked. Shaun

looked at his phone once again. "About 200 million dollars."

Catherine was at a loss for words.

Honk, honk.

The light had turned green, yet her car was not moving. She was so dumbfounded until the honks from the cars behind her prompted her to drive.

"Cathy, the cars behind us are urging us to move. You're blocking them," Shaun reminded out of the goodness of his heart.

Catherine promptly drove forward in a daze. As soon as she drove past the traffic light, she stopped the car at the roadside and flew into a fury.

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"Shaun Hill, will you feel uneasy if you don't anger me for one day?" Catherine completely lost her mind and roared. "You actually spent 200 million to buy stocks? Are you crazy? Do you know how hard it is to earn money? You're not who you used to be anymore. Do you think you're still the richest man in the country?"

She was utterly furious.

As far as she knew, Shaun invested most of his money in Hill Corporation's R&D projects.

After Hill Corporation was acquired, he was kicked out of his position as chairman and president, and all he did was sit at home and live off his pants.

Despite it all, he was still spending his money extravagantly.

Did he think money fell from the sky? If they could not get Hill Corporation back, they might have to rely on these savings to turn their fortunes around in the future, yet what did he do? He poured it all into the stock market.

Shaun froze at her roar. It was his first time seeing

Catherine's ferocity, and he was a little overwhelmed. "Is 200 million a lot?"

"Of course it is. It's an amount some people won't be able to earn their entire lives."

"Oh, but the stock has been rising since I bought it and the current amount in the portfolio is 250 million."

Shaun nonchalantly lifted his phone to show her.

Catherine was dumbfounded and quickly grabbed his phone. In just

a blink of an eye, 250 million became 253 million.

She tapped on one of the stocks he bought and saw the stock rise sharply in a diagonal line until it reached the daily limit.

'I... #@ #!!!'

She was speechless.

"I think it's easy to earn money," Shaun rubbed his nose and said in a low voice.

Catherine sneered. It was easy?

She suffered losses nine out of ten times when she bought stocks, but now he said it was easy.

It might be a fluke that one of the stocks he bought reached the daily limit, but it was not a coincidence that all five stocks he bought were soaring.

Catherine gave the man next to her a rather conflicted look. She had no idea that he was still a financial expert.

Goddammit, how many secrets did he have?

She took a deep breath and said sternly, "You can play with it occasionally, but I don't approve of you putting a lot of money into it. It's risky to speculate in stocks. Do you know how many have lost everything when they pour all of their money into stocks? Even if it rises today, it might fall tomorrow. You better sell those stocks as soon as the market reopens tomorrow morning."

"Okay," Shaun pretended to listen and nodded. However, he had a different opinion.

He felt that finance was something that needed to be understood. If he understood the data and graphs, he would be able to earn money.

However, he could not tell that to Cathy because he thought she was rather dumb in this regard.

had no idea what he thought of her. If she did, she would probably be furious.

She also took the opportunity to briefly tell Shaun about Hill Corporation's situation.

Shaun listened and was struck by a realization. "I used to be so stupid. I was so useless I couldn't even manage such a large company."

Catherine sweat dropped, not knowing how to go along with him.

When she arrived at the company, she noticed the first floor had been completely replaced with new faces.

The front desk and security guard at the door refused her entry.

“Sorry, but Hill Corporation isn’t a place where just anyone can enter.” The receptionist was quite arrogant. “That’s unless you have an appointment with our chairman.”

Catherine laughed in anger. She could not believe a day would come where Shaun and she would be humiliated at the entrance of Hill Corporation.

Just as she was about to get angry, Shaun who saw her being bullied from behind went forward with a dark expression. “Who does your chairman think she is? My last name is Hill and I’m a shareholder here, so I can enter as I please. How dare pieces of trash like you yell at us?”

He stood tall and he was one of the legendary figures in Hill Corporation, so the general public knew who he was.

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