

My Eye 211

Chapter 211 The Battered-Body Trick

"Anyway, I will never allow them to further use the money that my late mother had saved up. Otherwise, it would be shameful to meet her in the netherworld." Aron said coldly.

Simon furrowed his eyebrows. "Aron, it was I who failed you and your mother. However, so much time has already passed. You should have treated Wendy with more kindness as she has been with us for so many years. Anyway, we are one family bound to mutual trust and love."

Every word Simon uttered was in favor of Wendy and Yvonne. After all, Simon had his affection for the two of them because they have been together for a long time.

Simon had prepared a big sum of money for them to live comfortably for the rest of their lives. As for Aron, he intended to let him run the dying family company.

"One family? My grandparents are my family. I will be in trouble unless they find out what they have to be warned. It is well advised that you prepare this sum of money as soon as possible, otherwise, we will properly settle it in court." Aron said with contempt.

"I was going to take a walk, but now I have lost any desire to do so. Goodbye." Aron hurried away, paying no attention to Simon's pleading.

Simon stared at Aron's receding figure, with a growing sense of bewilderment about his son's character, which was quite different from when he was little.

Aron used to be timid, easily cowed and introverted, keeping his distance from Simon, who favored Yvonne more. This was why Yvonne grew up spoiled.

However, at that moment, with pride and confidence, Aron was no longer that child.

hand, "By no means should you

Simon replied with a sarcastic laugh.

Wendy dared not make eye contact: "That's a serious accusation you are making right now. I have devoted myself to running this company and this

"I listened to every advice of yours, only for this company to get stuck in this dire situation it is in now. Moreover, our daughter has turned into a

as she was sure that he would lose his mind if he found out. But little did she expect that Aron would divulge this to

Yvonne would lose her baby. Nobody wanted that to happen." Wendy tried to explain it with Simon in a whom should I put blame? On you?" Simon challenged Wendy, "Enough with you fantasies of running this company. I

answer back but bit her tongue. "Ok,

a good mood. She returned to her room and rested in bed. As long as no one was contending with her for the family estate, she was happy. When Wendy came over, Yvonne was lying in bed eating snacks. She asked with

have snacks in such a good mood?" Wendy sighed, "Your Dad is waiting for you downstairs for an explanation of

expressed

not talk to your father this way." Wendy sighed, fully aware of

be left with nothing. We need to come up with a plan...." Wendy suggested. "First and foremost, you had better prove yourself

than the actual danger!" Yvonne was worried but she tried to

"Now your Dad is shaking with anger. So you had better not provoke him anymore. Aron is his only son and out of guilt he intends to

Chapter 212 Suicide Farce

"Oh my. You are such a silly girl, aren't you? Why did you have to take things too hard?" Simon Gu said, fear written all over his face. He immediately sent Yvonne to the hospital upon picking her up from the bed. A huge sense of relief washed over him when the nurses started to lead her to the emergency room.

At the end of the day, Yvonne Gu was still a part of the family despite everything she had done. As her father, he was responsible for the well-being of his daughter. It disturbed him that she could go as far as committing suicide just because of their misunderstanding. What's worse, he didn't even have a chance to say a word.

"Look at what you've done. If it weren't for you, this wouldn't have happened! How can you do this?! If something bad happened to Yvonne, I'll make sure you'll regret what you did," Wendy exclaimed, pointing her fingers towards Simon. "Are you even aware of what you did? You slapped her in the face! I could never do that! Yvonne is my daughter and she is very special to me. How can you accuse me of such a thing?! You will definitely regret all of this if something bad happens to her."

"Enough!" he yelled, extremely upset. He didn't think he had the strength to hear any more painful words coming from Wendy. "If you have really taken good care of her, how can this happen? If she was in really good hands, she wouldn't even think about doing such a thing! This is entirely your fault!"

He yelled even more loudly. "Don't pass the blame on me! You're the one who's been hounding us ever since you've had a son!" Wendy said, trying to sound reasonable.

"That's not fair. You're not making any sense!" Simon Gu was about to argue further when a nurse interrupted them. "Why are you guys fighting in here? This is a hospital. People don't go here to scream at each other. Can't you see you're disturbing our patients? Better go home if you don't have the decency to act like civilized people."

Simon and Wendy were rendered speechless. They stood aside as the nurse passed, too embarrassed by the scene they had caused. They realized how ridiculous it was to fight while Yvonne was still in the emergency room, hovering between life and death.

Wendy couldn't help but silently cry. She felt extremely ashamed after being reprimanded in such a way that she couldn't do anything but bitterly wipe away her tears. Meanwhile, Simon was still anxious about Yvonne's current condition. But seeing Wendy cry flooded him with guilt. "There's no need to cry. I'm sure Yvonne will be fine," he said as he patted her lightly on the back, trying to offer some comfort.

don't want something bad to happen to her. I don't think I could

no need to cry," he said in response, trying to offer

trust his own words but he had no choice but to hope for the best. After waiting for an hour and a half, the operating room finally opened. "Doc, what happened? How's our daughter?" they asked

psychiatrist would be very beneficial. I highly suggest that you monitor her condition closely," the doctor explained to both

me out of here!" Yvonne shouted at the distance, knowing full well that

Wendy said, approaching Yvonne's bedside table. "You silly

don't have any more to say to you. Let me just end my life," Yvonne cried out, not wanting to see her mother. "Why can't you just let me die? Can't you see that I don't want to be saved? Death is my only reprieve

talking about such nonsense?!" Wendy exclaimed, frowning. "Your Dad and I love you

She immediately calmed down upon seeing Wendy bring her father

your daughter," Wendy said, shoving Simon in

trying to complete his sentence but finding it hard to do so. Staring at her pale face, he knew he needed to say something.

Have I ever treated

to find the right words to say. "It may be true that you've never treated me badly ever since I was a child. But everything changed when my brother returned. First, you handed over the company. And you know what's worse? You even slapped me in the

your brother. I did that out of shock when I discovered that you got pregnant without even getting married," he said, trying to explain. Up until now, he still couldn't

Chapter 213 Confrontation

"Why are you asking such a question, Dad?" she asked, a frown visible on her face. Yvonne and Wendy stared at each other, both of them feeling embarrassed.

"It's just a hunch. I may have been abroad with your mother during this time but I know that you've been living together with Charles. You two might have a close relationship but if he's proven to be the

father of the child, we have to seek justice for you, " Simon said. He was not willing to let Yvonne escape from the marriage. But he couldn't seem to think of other ways to make a difference. As Yvonne was his only daughter, he wanted what's best for her. He hoped she'd end up having a happy married life. And he believed that Charles was undoubtedly the ideal partner for Yvonne.

"I initially didn't want to let Autumn get married but now that it's all said and done, we can't do anything about it. It's not like we can change what already happened. But if you are able to prove that Charles is the biological father of your child, I will do everything to make sure that you will get all of the support you need, "

Simon said, facing Yvonne.

Hearing this made Yvonne and Wendy extremely happy. They badly wanted Simon to get involved. Though Charles has nothing to do with the baby, getting Simon's favor would definitely make it easier to get what they want.

Clearly anxious about the current situation, Wendy started to continue talking despite her hesitation. "Simon, just like what I've talked about earlier- Let's talk about it later." Wendy said.

"But why?! I know that Autumn is now married to Charles and you may be delighted to accept it. But don't forget that you have two daughters. You need to treat them equally, " he said. "Yvonne had to abort the baby because of Charles! How can she get married to someone after what happened!?"

"Dad, it's not true..."

"Of course I felt upset when she told me about it. Who wouldn't? Can you imagine how much suffering she must have gone through?!" Wendy exclaimed.

"Yvonne didn't want to tell Charles about it for fear of getting shamed! He didn't know the baby at all. Yvonne was just overwhelmed by guilt!" she continued.

"I think we should stop talking about this until she gets fully recovered. All this talk must be quite annoying to Yvonne. Right, dear?" she said, smiling naughtily as she turned to embrace Yvonne.

to let it go even though he wanted to talk about it. "Alright, have a good rest now. But we need

"Thanks, Dad, "

with a smile.

after her. "Mom, you cannot imagine how painful it is to cut myself. I was so afraid, I thought I was gonna

so? We must be careful or else we might lose it, " Wendy said

paid off because we are able to gain back your father's trust!

you? Don't you know? Charles is not the father of my baby. He might not be able to understand because you told him a lie, " she sighed,

our plan.

to herself. "Do you want to give up
of course not!" Yvonne said,
will not let her bring me down. Charles will be mine eventually. She just has to wait
with a contemptuous
close to them now that they regard us as their enemy. This is
many acquaintances because of his connections. That would help us reach out to Charles, "
what we've said. It has proven to gain
that's important right now is for you to be able to take some rest,
asleep when the second day arrived. Casually smoking in the balcony, Wendy saw Aron
was not around. "You're so persistent, aren't you? Why can't you just completely disappear? You've
ruined our family! Leave us alone!" she exclaimed
words. I don't have time to talk to someone like
breakfast early in the morning with Joanna in mind. He wanted to be able to feed her while it's

Chapter 214 I Can't Help You

"I'm warning you. You'd better leave now. If you don't, I will call the police and make sure that you end up behind bars." Mike pushed her away. Never in his wildest imagination did he think that Becky would do something so horrible to Joanna, a kind soul who already treated her as part of the family.

"Grandpa, grandma. I know that I made a terrible mistake. I am begging for your forgiveness, " Becky pleaded. She was doing her best, but she knew that it was too late for them to forgive her. She could only hope and pray that Joanna could see her sincerity and trust her again. "Grandma, I really like Aron. As for that accident of that day... I was out of my mind. I never really meant to hurt you, " she explained.

"Enough with your lies! Stop acting like an innocent lamb. Keep it in that evil brain of yours, we will never, ever trust you or want to see you ever again, " Mike ignored her pleas. "Leave here now. You are no longer welcome here."

"Grandma, grandma..." Becky cried. "Please give me a chance. Please! Listen to me. I can explain everything."

"There is no need for that. You heard my grandfather." Aron said, walking towards Joanna. He even didn't give Becky a glance as he walked past her. "Don't waste your time here. If I were you, I wouldn't even have the face to come here. In case it isn't clear to you yet, the wedding is off. As for the engagement gifts... You can keep them. After all, you have taken care of my grandparents for four years. What you did was attempted murder. You tried to kill my grandmother! But now that she has regained consciousness, we will not press charges. You are now dead to us. If you ever come near my grandparents again, I won't be as kind and I will come at you."

'Whether it was for show or not, Becky have indeed looked after my grandparents well. Even so, I can't force myself to forgive her now.' Aron thought to himself.

"Aron, I..." Becky was at a loss, as if her world had collapsed. "Grandma, please help me. I really can't live without Aron. I am nothing without him." Becky turned to Joanna.

Joanna looked away saying nothing. Desperate, Becky went down on her knees before her. Joanna was the only one who could help her change Aron's mind. Aron must marry her.

face in Joanna's hand. As Joanna had just come

want you to leave now! Look around you. No one

didn't notice the bruise on her elbow and her makeup all messed up by her tears. She only knew that she

and pushed grandma into the wall by accident. Aron, our wedding preparations have been finalized and the invitations have been sent out. You can't cancel our wedding. I will suffer unbearable shame if you do so. Please don't abandon me. I promise that I will serve you and your grandparents very well after we get married.

matter whether she was a good person or a wretched person. Looking at Becky's pitiful, sad face, Aron thought of nothing but Isla's helpless

our wedding immediately. As sure as the sun and moon are in the sky, I will never show up at the wedding."

stopped him. "Aron, let me have

was surprised. "You don't have

him. "I have a few things that I need to

ward didn't sound like a good idea. "Just let your grandma speak to her alone. We

the ward, I don't think Becky would dare

lay hands on my grandmother again. I will not repeat my self twice." Aron warned, staring at Becky

Call out to us at any time, " he said in a gentle voice.

left the ward, Becky stood by the bed anxiously. Looking at

Chapter 215 Press Conference

"Grandma...." Becky held Joanna's hands, "Aron listens to you. You can surely talk him back into marrying me."

"Becky, I wanted to talk to you so I could apologize and acknowledge your efforts in caring for me and my husband. In return, I did treat you with the due love that befits a granddaughter-in-law. But with what happened..... It is quite another story...."

Becky slowly let go of her hands, losing almost all hope.

Joanna would have considered forgiving Becky despite her faking pregnancy and even pushing her into a coma. But Joanna could not overlook Becky shifting the blame onto Isla who almost got thrown into prison because of it. She could not possibly give Becky another chance now.

"Becky, I have to remind you. Even though Aron grew up under my love and care, he is now a grown man with his own thinking and disposition. Anyone, I am sure, would be furious at your treachery." Joanna let out a heavy sigh, "I had long assumed that Aron had a prejudice against you. Now, Aron should be able to choose whom to marry at his own discretion. He knows what kind of girl is right for him. My husband and I will no longer interfere with his decisions."

"It being the case, there is no point of my staying here!" Becky quickly changed her tone, dropping her act. With all possible hope lost, there was no need to talk to Joanna with respect. She let out a sinister smile, "Don't you know? I can't wait to see you dead. After your death, Aron will be mine forever."

Becky screamed out to Joanna. "You are as good as dead to me!"

Joanna remained well poised at Becky's sudden change of character, for there was no point of getting mad at her.

you to jail, much less marry you." Joanna continued, "Although Mike and I trusted you wholeheartedly, Aron kept searching for evidence to prove your faked pregnancy during his four years abroad. Now that he has them all, he has the power to deal with you and give you what

Aron had developed a lukewarm attitude towards her, and had refused to acknowledge

had we not learned of your evildoing. What a pity.... You are still an amateur. You should have been more careful

the realization of the loss of Joanna's trust

have done. But if you still have some sanity, you and Aron should discuss a way to call off the wedding. Besides that..... I really

eyes, paying no heed to what Becky

to withstand the growing sense of

But she realized that there was nothing she could do to reverse the situation. Helpless, hopeless and shamed, she walked out of the ward. Aron saw her step out so he went into the ward to find Joanna lying

if it's cold. About Becky, she needs to talk to you about something important. You had better talk it over your concern! I know how to deal with it." Aron nodded gently in obedience to Joanna. Aron, had indeed grown into a young man with confidence and assertiveness, no longer his previous self who easily bowed to others'

of the room and headed to the staircase, followed by Becky. Mike

a word. Aron used to keep himself away from smoking. However due to social pressure, he found it hard to

at Aron in shame, at a loss on how to start a conversation with him, putting up with his continuous smoking.

finally broke the

Chapter 216 The Encounter

"Then let's wait and see." Aron put out his cigarette and walked away. Left alone, Becky could not control herself any longer. She sank to the floor and gathered her arms to hug herself. The crushing defeat was too much to bear and she had no idea how to start over after this.

Becky left the hospital with puffy eyes, not knowing that Wendy had been following her. Wendy saw what just happened between Aron and Becky and she knew that she could use Becky for her next plan. She followed her secretly, just a few steps behind Becky. They should not be seen together. Wendy had a small opportunity to catch up with Becky when she got out of the hospital, but a familiar figure suddenly came out of nowhere. Stunned, she just froze where she was standing.

With Joanna's surgery done, Arthur was ready to leave the hospital. He came early in the morning to pay the Chief doctor a courtesy visit and wanted to leave quietly, but all the doctors who knew him came to see him off.

"Doctor Zhao, I do not know who to consult on complicated medical issues after you leave."

"Exactly, Doctor Zhao's leaving is so sudden, we still have a lot to learn from you."

"All right, ha ha." Arthur laughed. After Joanna's surgery, he still had his personal matters to handle. The whole family was going to move back to the city, so he had to look for a nice house. He had also, finally talked to Autumn. "If there's something you don't understand, just call me, and I will tell you all I know in a heartbeat." Arthur replied to the other doctors with a smile, "I will come back to visit some time, and maybe it would be your turn to give me checkups."

"You are healthy, and you will live a long life." A nurse said.

Arthur just smiled and continued, "I always think that people should accept the fact that they are getting older. I know that I'm old and I'm not going to run away from that. Now I would like to spend time with people my age. You may also visit me if you have time, I will definitely give you all a warm welcome."

"Don't worry, Doctor Zhao. We will surely come and see you." The doctors and nurses did not hide their affection and admiration for the good doctor.

petrified Wendy standing in the corner of the room. Though they had not seen each other for years, Arthur

familiar face. She wasn't sure if it was him after all these years, but when she saw Arthur frown, she knew it was

Wendy did not think herself guilty but she still felt responsible for Bowen. After all, he did die because of her.

him since

a long time, they met again. She wanted to leave but couldn't move

up to her and stand towering in front

when Arthur frowned some more. Immediately she realized that she addressed him incorrectly.

mouth open, Wendy could not refuse. She could only nod her head. She suggested a place, " I know there is a cafe nearby, shall we go there? But li can only stay for a short while,

Arthur nodded slightly. At the cafe, they ordered two cups of coffee. The usual feisty and aggressive Wendy was tame and submissive. Silence loomed over them for what seemed like

haven't seen each other for more than twenty years, have we?" Arthur finally spoke, then took a sip of

with Bowen - like a frightened little rabbit. Back then, she seemed harmless, both to humans and livestock, but

meekly to Arthur, " We have not met since I left home with Bowen, in which case..... it has been almost

family was moving abroad. She was so sure that they were going to abandon Bowen. With no promise of a comfortable life, she decided to leave him and went with Simon.

never dreamed that she would see

Chapter 217 Arrogant And Spoiled

"Rea..... really?" Wendy smiled awkwardly. She didn't know why, but she felt that life in Y City, which wasn't tranquil in the first place..... was about to become more complicated.

"Living abroad would be good, wouldn't it? Why did you come back?" Wendy smiled calmly, "I've also talked to my husband about leaving the children by themselves and moving overseas. It would be great to finally have our own life."

"Chinese people are very traditional, always wanting to go back home. Besides, I also want to see how Bowen's child is doing. After all, she is my flesh and blood." Replied Arthur.

"You mean....." Wendy keenly felt it, but she seemed to be missing something. "Do you mean you want to meet and acknowledge Autumn?"

Wendy couldn't hide her intense frown. This would be too much. She had been wanting Yvonne and Charles to get together. But if Autumn was recognized and acknowledged as a member of the Zhao family, she would have their support. It would be more difficult to destroy Autumn, not to mention, she already has Charles's full support.

But then again, wasn't she doing so many things for money? If Autumn returned to the Zhao family, she would have her own property from the Zhaos. Wendy would rather have Yvonne be that child. When that happened, she would have a life without worrying about anything.

'Taking into account the bad relationship between Autumn and I, if she returns to the Zhao family, Yvonne and I will be doomed.'

"Kind of." Arthur said calmly, "But it depends on what kind of person she is. After all, the Zhao family does not just freely let anyone in. What do you think?"

talking about her, but she acted like she knew nothing, playing cool but subtly tried to speak ill of Autumn. "Bowen died early, and I remarried, so she was brought up by Emily. She was a good girl. But when Autumn did something

by her words. But he already knew Autumn. Although she grew up with Emily, she was filial and mature. abused Autumn, simply by the way she spoke

but I..... also had my difficulties, so Autumn had a strange personality. After all, she is the only child of Bowen. If you do want her back, please

it lightly, Arthur laughed grimly. "OK, don't

Arthur already knew the truth. She calmly said to Arthur, "Mr. Zhao, if there's nothing else, I would like to go home.

into you. Maybe we will see each other

made her eyelids quiver. But she smiled calmly and acted like nothing happened, "If there's anything I can do,

for the check, Arthur said lightly, "Let me

still afford

walked out of the coffee shop, she almost fainted. Her legs were still

doom because of Arthur's

the French window, watching Wendy stumble

in, Yvonne frowned intensely and said, " Mom, you said you were going to buy some food for me.

Where is

Chapter 218 Shopping

"What's wrong, mom?" After Simon left, Yvonne came closer. Her mother has never acted weird like this before.

"Nothing." Wendy still didn't want to say anything. She was thinking whether she should talk to Autumn.

After going back and forth for a while, she decided to pay her a visit. She got rid of Yvonne by convincing her to take a good rest, then drove herself to where Autumn lived. As soon as she arrived, one of the servants blocked her at the entrance, not allowing her to come in.

"What is going on here? I'm Autumn's mother! Why don't you let me inside?"

Wendy asked angrily. It was unacceptable for her that it was Autumn calling the shots and having that kind of power.

"The young master has said that from now on, you no longer have any relationship with anyone in this house. I am under strict instructions to not allow you inside this property." Nancy, the house servant said indifferently to Wendy.

Wendy was white with fury. She took out her phone and dialed impatiently. When Autumn picked up, "Autumn! This is your mother! Where are you? I'm at the door. Come here this instant!"

Startled, Autumn held the phone to her ear. She had been shopping with Chris. She got anxious and confused when she received the call from Wendy. "Something wrong?"

Autumn didn't care much about Wendy, which made her face pale. When she thought about why she came to the house, she got more upset. She calmed herself and asked in a kind tone, "Where are you now?" I have something very important to say. Tell me where you are and I'll come over."

This was the first time for Autumn to hear Wendy talk to her in such a mild tone. She hesitated for a moment. She was just about to tell Wendy her location, when suddenly Chris grabbed the phone and roared at Wendy. "What kind of human being are you? Don't you have any shame left? My brother's money has already been transferred to your account. Why are you still bothering my sister-in-law? Such audacity you have!"

between me and your sister-in-law. Anyway, I am her mother. This has nothing to

her! Why can't I say something?" Chris sneered. "We are out shopping. If you want to

as she finished talking, she hung up the phone and give it back to Autumn, who was just staring at her with her mouth wide

her head on Autumn's shoulder as they walked side by side. "Hey, you are

Chris's 22nd birthday. So Autumn came out especially to buy clothes and gifts with her. It would be really inappropriate if she left Chris behind to do the shopping by herself.

one by one. One time, Chris fancied a bracelet, which was priced around tens of thousands of yuan. She was hesitant for a moment and decided to skip it.

paying for that? Is that for me, sister?" Chris frowned. "I just

bracelet in a box and

cannot give you something that's too

Charles's card, then she wouldn't have any objections. However, she knew that Autumn was spending her own money -- money that she may have been saving little by little. She

too generous of you..." Chris

it, then I am happy. This gift is from me and your

still not comfortable receiving the bracelet. She also wanted to give something to

like this one? It looks good on

coat from the shelf and showed it to

Just look for the ones you like for yourself." Autumn refused at once. She had already spent too much money today and she wouldn't allow herself to buy

Chapter 219 Your Family Background

It was Leila who spoke to her. From her appearance to even her aura everything seemed to have changed drastically from the way she used to be.

"Leila? So it is you! What a coincidence!" Autumn greeted her with a faint smile. 'Now that I meet her here, it is innocuous to greet her.' Autumn thought to herself.

"Ye, you have come here after such a long time. It feels like I have not seen you in forever, " replied Leila. Leila was a lovely and elegant woman earlier but now she had somehow transformed her usual style with an air of superiority as a sexy woman laced with strong perfume. Autumn was shocked about her change as she had not met her in a long time.

"How have you been doing recently? How is work treating you?" Autumn inquired politely as she thought that it was required of her to extend warm greetings to Leila, her former colleague.

Leila made all efforts to look like a million dollars simply because she was Charles's assistant. The role of playing second fiddle to him went straight to her head leading her to become highly conceited.

Leila always hoped to meet Mrs. Lu someday but as she was drowning in heaps of work in the past few days she did not even pause to think about it.

While bearing in mind that it was Autumn who introduced her in the company for this specific role, she remained kind and courteous to her. "I have to thank you Ye. If it weren't for you I wouldn't have gotten the opportunity to get this job in Shining Company and contribute in the capacity I have. And in a small bid to extend my gratitude, I would love to take you out for a meal, " Leila responded with a big warm smile.

"There is absolutely no need to thank me, Leila. Just work hard and prove your worth." Autumn said while maintaining her calm and dignified tone with a faint smile. She didn't want to waste any more of her time to exchange warm greetings with Leila, as Chris, who was accompanying her, was left waiting. Without thinking more, Autumn smiled and said in a bid to end their conversation. "What are you doing here Leila?"

"Oh there has been a lot of work piling up these days. Mr. Lu seems to handle the biggest load of work. It may even appear like he has lost his appetite over the increasing burden at work. I asked David about it and he told me that Mr. Lu likes to eat food from this particular restaurant. So I came here to buy some food for him. I was worried that he may develop some health problems if he maintains this poor diet, " replied Leila.

She was immensely worried but she also felt a

Autumn felt like Leila was trying to covet something that belonged to her. Charles was her husband then why should Leila develop such concern and care for his health?

I will definitely call you later." Her hips swayed as she turned around
assistant." Autumn nodded while

with astonishment and disapproval. "Autumn, how could you possibly be so negligent? How could face and she is very capable. Keeping that in mind, I introduced her to work at your

Chris kindly warned her but then broke into a smile as she continued, "But there is no need for you to worry about it much. My brother has changed quite a lot since you came into his life. No matter what any woman plans to do, my

hearing this assurance, Autumn blushed

time shopping in stores which displayed an array of the latest fashion. It was only until they received a call from Gary who asked them return for dinner did they realize they

the gate of Lu Family's residence, they didn't expect to be greeted by Wendy, who rushed over the whole day as she was determined

regretted their decision

her. With a worried frown she asked Wendy in her attempt

words, "I have to discuss an important matter with you. I sincerely request you not to avoid me. Could

There is absolutely no way she could waste more time with you!" Before Autumn could respond, Chris interrupted Wendy. She knew Wendy was a vicious woman and there was no way Chris would allow Autumn to have a conversation with her alone if Wendy did

my presence. And please don't waste our time and hurry it up! It's almost time for dinner and our family is expecting us to be home any

Chapter 220 Wendy's Reasons

"My family background?" Autumn turned pale with confusion as she somehow sensed the trouble Wendy was about to unfurl at this point, "What do you mean? What is the matter?"

"Okay, so the events unfolded in this manner....." Wendy hesitated to narrate the events as she pulled together and said, "Your Dad was from a wealthy family when I was dating him. As his family wasn't enthusiastic about his relationship with me, he decided to elope with me. Unfortunately, we had to part ways later because of our failed relationship."

"Just enough with your hypocrisy and story telling! You are nothing but a selfish and greedy woman by nature. I simply will not trust you again." Autumn interrupted and yelled out to Wendy, "Do not waste any more of our time and get right to the point!"

Wendy was overwhelmed by a growing sense of guilt and embarrassment at Autumn's contempt, "Autumn, I acknowledge my mistake by leaving you in dark all alone and helpless. As a result, your grudge and anger towards me is reasonable. But I..... do have my reasons."

"Really?" Autumn responded with a smirk. Autumn thought Wendy had exhausted all her conniving planning and tricks so now she was down to the last straw, making a fool of herself to beg for forgiveness.

"I can understand why it may be hard to believe me after all these years, but please do spare a minute to ponder about the fact that you are named after me and not your dad, Bowen." Autumn immediately plunged into a mode of retrospection as she was always baffled by her surname.

"What on earth are you trying to convey?" Autumn asked in a sharp tone.

"Autumn, the reason why I treated you the way I did and abandoned you all these years was just my attempt to keep you safe from the danger of Zhao Family, as your Dad had warned me to do so." Wendy forced a warm smile as she continued, "Only our alienation will help ensure that the Zhao Family will be out of your tracks. When I made you a substitute bride for Charles, it was only temporary. I intended to relieve you upon Yvonne's return, but little did I expect that you would fall in love with Charles. This..."

always lived in a

anger upon hearing Wendy's reasons.

keep you in the dark than see you unhappy upon learning the truth. But now the time has come that I must warn you of the possible danger as

bring trouble upon you.

which could change the dynamics of her relationship with Wendy, Autumn reacted with a frown as she still did not know if she should trust

my words." Wendy chuckled to herself on seeing Autumn's bewildered expression, which might mean that she was believing the plot. She took the

no matter what Zhao Family will say to you, I hope you will not place your blind

gently and caressed Autumn's hair, "I came here simply to warn you about this. Now I should take my leave, and it has been a long and hard

Wendy was about to leave, Autumn briskly moved to stop her. "Wait a minute, tell me why these

even to me." Wendy addressed Autumn calmly, "I only just found out about their abhorrence of our presence. I simply came to

at that moment, and somewhat moved by Wendy's expression. Autumn felt

the air: "She is not your biological grandmother. She was simply your dad's devoted maid. She still deserves all of your high regard, respect and

silence as she was exceptionally shocked.

to trouble you as I warned." Wendy smiled and continued, "Now let us put an end to this conversation. You better go back quickly to prevent yourself from