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The phone rang for a long while but nobody picked up, making Vivian extremely nervous again. Come on, pick up!

"This is the Morrisons. Who is this?" Somebody finally picked up the call.

"Lily, it's me. Is Ben home?" Vivian immediately asked for Benedict when she realized that it was one of the servants who had picked up.

"Mr. Morrison has gone on a business trip to Beskary. What's the matter, Ms. Morrison? Do you need me to give him a call?" Lily answered respectfully.

"He's out of the country!" Vivian felt helpless. There is nobody else I know who can help in the country. What should I do?

At the moment, Finnick had already reached their hotel. He quickly consoled her when he heard her phone conversation. "Vivian, did you forget about me? I will get someone to take care of things at the hospital, don't you worry."

A sense of relief washed over her when she heard his words. "Thank you, Finnick."

After placing Vivian down on the sofa in the hotel's lobby, Finnick instructed, "I will get Noah to book our flight back. Wait for me here. I will get our passports and join you as soon as I can."

"Okay. Hurry on." Vivian wished she could go back right this instance.

Finnick gave her a reassuring pat on her shoulder and quickly entered the elevator.

He came back down after a short while, picked Vivian up and headed out of the hotel. "Noah is waiting for us at the airport. Let's hurry."

Vivian was worried sick on the way to the airport. She wouldn't be able to take it if anything were to happen to Rachel even though she sided with Evelyn and broke her heart. After all, she was the one who brought her up.

Feeling how frightened Vivian was, Finnick reached out to hold her hand. Don't worry, Vivian. Nothing will happen with me around."

Vivian felt thankful for Finnick. His presence made her feel safe and she trusts him with all her heart, just like how they used to be.

She burned with anxiety on the way to the airport and boarded the first flight out. Finnick wanted Vivian to rest on the plane since he was worried about her injured leg. He gave her reassurance that everything will be alright with him around.

However, Vivian couldn't really get proper rest because she was so worried about Rachel's condition. The plane finally landed after what seemed like a long anxious wait.

Vivian immediately got Finnick to send her to the hospital the moment the plane touched down. She was finally able to breathe a sigh of relief when they reached Rachel's ward.

At that moment, Rachel was lying on the bed unconscious. She had lost a few pounds and there was a bluish tint on her skin. Tears welled up in Vivian's eyes when she saw the poor condition Rachel was in. How did all this happen?

Afraid that her cries would wake Rachel, Vivian covered her mouth as she sobbed and limped out of the ward with Finnick right behind.

The moment they left the ward, Vivian couldn't hold her tears back any longer, threw herself into Finnick's arms, and sobbed her heart out.

Finnick gently caressed her back and consoled, "It'll be okay. Rachel can undergo surgery now that we're back. I will get her the best specialist. She will be fine. Don't cry."

Vivian nodded fiercely. She felt like Finnick was her pillar of strength at the moment. She couldn't imagine what she would do without him.

Finnick wrapped his arms tightly around Vivian and allowed her to cry her heart out. He figured that was the only way for her to release all her pent-up emotions.

"Vivian?" Vivian suddenly heard someone calling out to her as she was sobbing into Finnick's chest.

She quickly rubbed her eyes, raised her head, and saw that it was Hunter. He was staring at her in shock from the end of the corridor.

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Vivian broke away from Finnick, feeling shy. She never expected to meet a friend here.

"Hunter, how is your injury? Are you healed?"

"Almost. The doctor suggested that I stay here for a few days." Hunter asked in an anxious tone, "But why are you here? What happened?"

He heard a woman crying on his way to the washroom, turned to see who it was out of curiosity, and saw a familiar figure. Isn't that Finnick? What is he doing here?

He couldn't help but walked over to take a closer look. Hunter soon realized that it was Vivian crying in Finnick's arms.

"It's Rachel. She has leukemia and is having a relapse right now. It's bad. I..." Tears streamed down her face once again at the mention of her mother.

Finnick's heart ached for her as he reached out to wipe her tears away. He placed an arm around her and consoled, "It'll be okay, I'm here, she'll be fine. The doctor said she has a high chance of survival if she undergoes surgery immediately. Don't scare yourself. Don't cry."

"Hmm." Vivian nodded as she wiped her tears away. "You're right. She will be fine. I mustn't break down, I still have to take care of her."

Hunter clenched his fists tightly when he saw how deeply in love they were with one another.

He had just been hospitalized for a short amount of time. What in the world happened? How did they get so close? Has Vivian decided to get back together with Finnick?

Although he was burning with jealousy at the sight before him, Hunter's heart couldn't help but ached when he saw her red swollen eyes.

"Vivian, calm down. Ms. Rachel will be fine. Do you need my help? I will do everything in my power to help you."

Vivian felt grateful toward Hunter. However, Finnick spoke up before she could even say anything. "We appreciate your kind offer, Mr. Yates, but we have everything under control now."

Hunter's eyes flashed with anger when he met Finnick's gaze. Is he staking his claim over Vivian? He's thinking too highly of himself. They're already divorced.

Finnick didn't shy away from Hunter's gaze as he tightened his arms around Vivian. Hunter wished he could pull them apart right this instance as he watched on with rage.

Just as a fight was about to break out between the two men, the doctor hurried over and said, "Who is Rachel William's family? She needs to undergo surgery now. Please get in touch with her bone marrow donor and get her to come over immediately to prepare for the surgery."

"OK. OK. I'll get her here at once." Vivian replied.

"Hurry up. Her condition is getting more severe as time passes. I will arrange for her surgery first while you get her bone marrow donor over. It's best if we can perform surgery on her this afternoon."

The doctor left in a hurry after telling her what to do.

She quickly called Evelyn's nanny on the phone and told her to bring Evelyn over to the hospital immediately to prepare for Rachel's surgery.

"Give me their address. I will get Noah to pick them up. It'll be faster that way," Finnick offered.

Vivian looked at Finnick gratefully and told him Evelyn's address. She then said to Evelyn's nanny, "Please get ready and wait for us. Someone will come to pick the both of you up in a short while."

"Finnick, thank you so much." Vivian thanked Finnick after he called Noah.

Finnick smiled affectionately as he caressed Vivian's head. "You're most welcome."

Hunter felt like an outsider seeing them together. He felt ticked off. Do I still have a chance with Vivian?

Noah soon arrived with Evelyn. She burned with jealousy when she saw the way Finnick was looking at Vivian.

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However, it was important for her to make a good impression on Finnick in order to earn his forgiveness since it wasn't every day she gets to meet him.

"Vivian, is my mother okay? How is she?" Evelyn pretended to care as she quickly walked over and held on to Vivian's hand.

Vivian wanted to pull away subconsciously. She knew that Evelyn was just putting on an act in front of Finnick after everything that had happened.

However, the thought of Evelyn being Rachel's bone marrow donor stopped her from doing so. She said patiently, "She's in critical condition now and needs to undergo surgery immediately. You should go get ready."

"OK. I'm ready whenever. As long as my mother recovers." Tears flowed down Evelyn's cheeks as she spoke. "She's my only family now. How can I not care about her? Nothing must happen to her."

She turned around to check out Finnick's reaction after saying those words, but Finnick didn't even spare her a glance.

She could only put up with it even though she felt disgruntled. After all, she had lost his trust. Evelyn figured she should focus on saving Rachel first in order to regain his trust before anything else.

Finnick instructed Noah to inform the doctor that Evelyn had arrived so that they could prepare for her bone marrow biopsy and perform surgery on Rachel.

Right before Evelyn was anesthetized, she pulled Vivian's hand and confessed pitifully in front of Finnick. "Vivian, what happened five years ago was all my fault. I shouldn't have

listened to Mark and help him kidnap you. I've realized my mistakes now. Will you forgive me?"

Vivian glanced at Finnick. She knew Evelyn wasn't apologizing to her, but to him. However, he didn't even look in their direction. It was as if he couldn't even hear them.

Vivian felt glad that Finnick was deliberately ignoring Evelyn. She will never forgive him if he had forgiven Evelyn for her wrongdoings.

Vivian pulled her hand away and turned to face Evelyn with a serious expression. "Let's not talk about it now. The most important thing at the moment is to save your mother. Everything else can wait."

Evelyn clenched her fists but maintained the anxious look on her face. "You're right. The most important matter at hand is to save my mother. But Vivian, before my biopsy, can you please forgive me for my wrongdoings? Or else I will feel really upset."

Evelyn was cursing Vivian in her head when she said that. This b**ch! She had agreed to save Rachel because she wanted Finnick to forgive her. How could Vivian not let her talk about it? Everything she had done had been in vain!

No, she must earn Vivian's forgiveness in front of Finnick today. That was the only way for her to gain Finnick's forgiveness so that she could move back into Norton Residence once again. She would never give up her status as the lady of the house that easily.

Vivian was at a loss of what to do next upon hearing those words. She couldn't talk herself into forgiving Evelyn, but it would also be cruel of her not to do so since Evelyn was about to undergo bone marrow biopsy.

Just as Vivian was contemplating what she should do next, Finnick finally spoke up. "We can talk about this later. You should cooperate with the doctor for the bone marrow biopsy first."

With that, Finnick signaled the doctor to push Evelyn into the operating theater. Evelyn didn't say anything anymore as she gazed at Finnick tearfully before she entered the operating theater.

Vivian shook her head and smiled bitterly. Her words and his words had completely different effects even though they mean the same thing.

“What is it?” Finnick asked out of concern when he saw Vivian’s strange expression.