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CHAPTER 331 WHAT CAN YOU DO WHEN I AM BULLYING YOU WITH MY POWER

Hathaway finished her dinner and left. This time, she went back to the Taylor's under the guise of taking some of her clothes for herself, but in fact, she also took away her residence booklet and planned to get a marriage certificate secretly with Leon.

Of course, Hathaway didn't approve of girls hiding their marriage from their parents as she did, nor did she did advocate her behavior.

After all, marriage was a matter of life-long happiness for every girl, so it was the right thing to ask their experienced parents for advice on this matter, but she was now in a special situation.

She was convinced enough of Leon's love for her and planned to get a license secretly to make him happier. Besides, she believed that Carl would accept Leon later.

Leon had dinner with Nick, who brought the delicious food prepared by Mrs. Jackson from home. She was very distressed to hear about Leon's injury. After all, Nick and Leon had been friends for many years, so Mrs. Jackson and her husband treated Leon as their godson. Now that Adeline had passed away, Mrs. Jackson was even more concerned about Leon.

During the dinner, when Nick heard Leon say that he was going to get a marriage license with Hathaway tomorrow, he was shocked and almost spat out his soup, "Is that true?"

Nick couldn't believe it. Leon and Hathaway had been in trouble lately, but they even braved all these to get a marriage license.

Leon replied indifferently, "Can I joke about this?"

Upon hearing this, Nick lost his appetite, put down his dishes, and grumbled indignantly, "You broke up once, but are you going to be a legal couple before us in the end?"

Nick was very depressed. From the beginning to now, he and Ashley had a smooth relationship without the sabotage of their love rivals and the opposition of their parents. He even attended Paul's birthday banquet as Ashley's boyfriend. On the contrary, Leon and Hathaway had encountered obstacles one after another. At first, Adeline was against them being together, and now Carl was doing the same. During this period, they also went through a breakup, Adeline's death, and the recent injury to Leon.

In this case, Leon and Hathaway were about to get a marriage license, so he had no reason for not being able to get a license with Ashley.

However, the truth was that he not only failed to get a license, but he was now in a state of separation. Nick was so annoyed that he wanted to get Ashley back for a marriage license!

Leon looked at Nick's depressed face and couldn't help but laugh, "Hurry up and get a marriage license, too. Good luck."

Nick glared at him sullenly and then grabbed his chopsticks to eat.

The fact that Leon and Hathaway were going to get a license was a big blow to him, so he thought that he must talk to Ashley about it when he went home later.

When Hathaway went back to Leon's place, Nick had left. Before she could say anything, Leon's mobile phone rang first.

Leon took a look at the caller ID and then waved at Hathaway.

Hathaway walked over and found that it was a familiar number from Andrew, and a strong disgust crossed her eyes.

What did Andrew want? Did he think Was he wasn't repulsive enough?

With his arm around Hathaway's waist, Leon went to sit down on the sofa and then pressed the speakerphone so that she could hear the call.

Once the phone was connected, Andrew's angry voice came from the other end, "Leon, you're so despicable! You suddenly announced your acquisition of the Taylor Group. This is a hostile takeover and vicious competition!"

Leon had earlier ordered the company to do an acquisition evaluation. Today, after coming back and reading the evaluation report in the email, he directly ordered his men to officially start the project of acquiring the Taylor Group. Andrew had probably been working hard all day to deal with this matter and might not have time to call him to complain until now.

Leon laughed mockingly, "President Taylor, you just scolded me for being despicable, but I have a question, do you think I am a kind-hearted man?"

Then he chuckled and added, "I've always been very despicable."

"Of course, I'm still not as despicable as President Taylor." Leon's words were sarcastic to Andrew.

Leon didn't mean to smear himself but told the truth. How could he not be despicable in the business circle? How could he have a long-lasting foothold in this circle without any despicable means? Even if he didn't take the initiative to do bad things to others, others would harm him, so he naturally became despicable as time passed.

On one side, Hathaway frowned in disgust. How could Andrew have the nerve to question Leon about his acquisition of the Taylor Group? When it came to be despicable, who could compare to Andrew?

Every time Hathaway thought of what Andrew asked Shawn to do to her, she felt disgusting.

On the other end of the phone, Andrew didn't admit what he had done. Instead, he pretended not to know and questioned Leon, "What do you mean?"

Hearing this, Leon said in a cold tone, "President Taylor, stop acting now. Do you dare say that you had nothing to do with Shawn's affair?"

"What proof do you have that I had something to do with it?" Andrew asked Leon rhetorically again.

However, he didn't confront Leon's query for the first time. If he hadn't done it, he could have said frankly that it had nothing to do with him. But instead of doing so, Andrew changed the subject and asked Leon if he had any evidence.

This indirectly betrayed his guilt.

Leon sneered, "I don't need any evidence and just conclude it inside."

Andrew roared, "Leon, you are bullying me with your power. Do you think that you can unreasonably make a hostile acquisition of the Taylor Group just because the Davis Group had stronger financial resources?"

Leon smiled lightly and arrogantly, "President Taylor, I am taking advantage of my power to bully you, but what can you do to me?"

After hearing this, Andrew fell into silence, while Leon and Hathaway could hear his suppressed breathing through the handset. It seemed that he was on the verge of rage.

In those years, the Taylor Group under the control of Paul was on par with the Davis Group controlled by Merlin in South City. But later, Leon took over the Davis Group early and elevated it several notches with his strength, far ahead of the Taylor Group and other companies that were previously on a par with the Davis Group.

Besides, the Taylor Group had been in a state of infighting all these years. From Tom to Andrew, they had been making trouble so that the Taylor Group didn't get many favorable projects and missed many opportunities in vain. This led to the Taylor Group not being able to develop.

So now the Taylor Group could be easily dealt with by Leon.

At this moment, Andrew was probably very annoyed at why he had been against Kenny for so many years, which had hindered the development of the Taylor Group and also put him in the passive position of having to receive blows.

CHAPTER 332 I HAVE NEVER WAVED IN MY DETERMINATION TO MARRY HER.

Andrew didn't expect Leon to directly acquire the Taylor Group and was ready to fight with him for a long time.

So Andrew was taken aback when the Davis Group announced its sudden acquisition of the Taylor Group today.

After Andrew was silent for a while, Leon said, "President Taylor, I'll hang up if there's nothing else."

Andrew calmed down and smiled sinisterly, "You want to acquire the Taylor Group and keep it for your own, but do you know how important the Taylor Group is to Hathaway?"

Andrew unwisely asked this question, which just gave Leon another opportunity to humiliate him, "I naturally know how important the Taylor Group is to Hathaway. That's why I want to buy it back even more because I will take it as a betrothal gift to marry her. President Taylor, are you satisfied with my answer?"

Andrew tried to stir up the relationship between Leon and Hathaway with the Taylor Group, but he didn't know that he would finally give the Taylor Group to Hathaway.

"What?" Andrew said incredulously.

He didn't believe what he heard. To be honest, he couldn't believe that Leon would be so affectionate towards Hathaway that he gave the Taylor Group to her as a betrothal gift and marry her.

He had gone to great lengths to break them up before, but unexpectedly they were talking about getting married again so soon...

However, he didn't give up and warned Leon, "Leon, I advise you to take back your decision. If I let out the news that Hathaway once had a secret crush on her cousin, do you think she will be discredited again?"

Exasperated by Andrew's shamelessness, Hathaway jumped up and intended to curse at him on the other end of the phone, but Leon stopped her.

He held her hand and gently stroked the back of her hand with his thumb to give her the surest comfort. Then he slowly replied to Andrew, "I didn't even waver in my determination to marry her when she was at her most notorious, so what do I care if the news that she once had a crush on her cousin is broken out now?"

Before Andrew could say anything, Leon sneered, "President Taylor, after so many times I've seen the way you love someone. Over and over again, you have pushed her into the limelight and put her in the most embarrassing situation to hurt, suppress, and humiliate her. Your love is twisted."

"President Taylor, instead of wasting time with me, you should hurry up and gather some partners to

help you fight my acquisition. Although it is a hostile acquisition, there are many ways to counter it, aren't there? Good luck." After saying this, Leon hung up the phone and didn't give Andrew any chance to disgust them.

"He's so bad! Scum!" Hathaway was furious and scolded Andrew fiercely.

Even now, Andrew had threatened them with her secret crush on him. It seemed he had no bottom line at all.

Hathaway was not afraid of his threat. Even if it was exposed, it was no big deal. When the time came, she could respond "who hadn't fallen in love with a few bad men at a young age?" What was more, she didn't love Andrew but merely admired him for a moment.

Leon got up with some difficulty and reached out to hug her gently, "You've got nothing to be angry about. He has no bottom line, has he?"

When he completely acquired the Taylor Group, Andrew would lose his prestige. Without the Taylor Group as his backbone, he would be nothing. Although he and Tom had accumulated a lot of wealth for themselves over the years, it was only enough for them to live a carefree life. If Andrew wanted to regain a foothold in South City, he couldn't do it because the Davis Group, as well as the family companies of Albert and Nick, would not hesitate to deal a devastating blow to him. In other words, he would not be able to turn his life around in South City.

Unless Andrew and his family left South City and went abroad, then they might be able to survive because Leon and the others were too far away to do anything to them.

"I am so blind!" Hathaway calmed down a little in Leon's arms and couldn't help but despise herself at the thought of her previous crush on Andrew.

"We seem to have to do something to distract you from being angry." Leon leaned over and whispered in her ear, "Or why don't you help me take a shower?"

Hathaway, "..."

Leon's wound couldn't touch water, but he could stand up by himself and didn't need Hathaway to wipe his body. Frankly speaking, he could go to the bathroom and dodged the wound to wash, however, he still needed Hathaway's help.

Hathaway looked at his evil smile and didn't want to talk to him.

Leon leaned over and pestered her, "We're going to get a marriage license tomorrow, so I want to clean myself."

Upon hearing this, Hathaway couldn't help but laugh, "What logic is it?"

"Getting a license is such an important event, so I naturally want to be clean and fresh all over." With that, Leon put his arm around Hathaway and went walked towards the bathroom, "You should wash with me too."

Hathaway didn't want to do so, but she followed him into the bathroom, turned on the shower, and intended to help him wash first. As a result, she was soaked to the skin by Leon and had to wash with him. As for the washing process, it was hard to describe.

When they each wiped themselves clean and came out, Hathaway's face was red and her legs were too sore to stand.

She swore that she would never take a shower with Leon again. Fortunately, he had a wound, but if not, she had no idea what she would be like.

How could she have imagined that he would do that to her? When she reacted, she had no time to stop him and could only be passively controlled by him.

After returning to the bedroom, Hathaway pulled the summer quilt to cover herself and didn't want to talk to Leon.

Leon leaned over and whispered in her ear, "Are you angry?"

Hearing this, Hathaway turned her back to him awkwardly and continued to keep silent.

As soon as she closed her eyes, she thought of the image of them doing intimate things in the bathroom just now. It was the first time she had felt pleasure in that way, and her face reddened with embarrassment.

"Hathaway, I want to make you happy..." Leon whispered in her ear, and Hathaway felt a blush again.

She turned around, pulled the quilt over his head, and said through clenched teeth, "Shut up and go to sleep."

Leon pulled the quilt off his head and smiled, "Don't be embarrassed. Didn't you also help me—"

Hathaway reached out to cover his mouth and interrupted all his evil words, while Leon had to compromise, "Okay, I'm wrong. I'll shut up."

Only then did Hathaway let go of him and raised her hand to turn off the bedside lamp. In an instant, the bedroom darkened and hid their expressions.

It was Hathaway's shyness and Leon's smile.

CHAPTER 333 A COMPLETELY DIFFERENT TREATMENT.

After returning home from Leon's place, Nick immediately called Ashley, who had just finished her shower in the hotel and was ready to sleep. Her scenes would soon be over, and she would be almost ready to return the day after tomorrow. Originally, she had few shots and only played a distant first love.

However, considering that it was her first time on camera, Ashley thought it would not go smoothly and take a long time to shoot, but to her surprise, she did so well that her scenes would be done soon.

Ashley wanted to tell Nick the good news, as it was many days earlier than her original schedule.

Jasmine, who accompanied Ashley throughout the shoot, also didn't expect her shooting to go so smoothly, as if she was like a different person on camera and not Ashley that Jasmine usually came into contact with. Her eyes were in play and her spirits were high. Besides, she was perfect at every detail the director asked for.

Perhaps because Ashley's gentle image was deeply rooted among the people, no one would find her suitable for acting with such a character.

Jasmine had no confidence in Ashley's acting skills and was only struck by her determination.

However, after watching Ashley shooting a few scenes, Jasmine changed her impression of her. Perhaps because Ashley had lived for others and suppressed herself for so long over the years, her light and energy were unstoppable once she unleashed.

Jasmine had seen Ashley's acting skills and thought that she could consider planning some important roles for Ashley later on. Originally she was worried that Ashley needed to hone her acting skills and wanted her to improve from a small role.

With a smile, Ashley picked up Nick's video call and was in a happy mood to surprise him.

However, Nick drew a long face and looked at her piteously, so Ashley had to ask him with concern, "What's wrong? Are you too tired from work?"

"No." Nick denied Ashley's words, and she said helplessly, "Why are you drawing a long face?"

Ashley thought she hadn't provoked Nick during her absence from him these days. In the morning and evening, they made video calls and had a good relationship. Even he was in a good mood this morning, but what happened to him now?

Nick grunted, "When I had dinner with Leon tonight, he told me that he was going to get a marriage license with Hathaway tomorrow."

Ashley was surprised, "Are they going to get a license tomorrow?"

Ashley knew what had happened to Hathaway and Leon in the past few days and had been worried about them. Later, after she heard that they were safe, she felt relieved, but she also knew that Leon was recovering from his injury. Besides, Hathaway's biological father, Carl, seemed to have rejected Leon, so Ashley didn't expect Hathaway to make such a decision.

Nick frowned and continued in a jealous tone, "Ashley, they just reconciled a few days ago and are now getting a license, but what about us? After being in a relationship for so long, you haven't even met my parents. If I hadn't deliberately let my mother come to my house last time, you would have avoided meeting my family all the time!"

Under Nick's righteous accusation, Ashley regained her composure and knew why he was unhappy at the same time.

Nick wanted to get a marriage license with her before and now heard that Leon and Hathaway had decided to get a license, which irritated him even more.

Ashley coughed lightly and retorted in a whisper, "Why did you say we've been in love for so long? We haven't been together for long, have we?"

It had only been a few months since they had officially established their love relationship, so it would be too hasty to talk about getting married now.

From the moment Nick took the initiative to confess that he was the man she slept with that night, he made it clear that he wanted to marry her, but she didn't have much desire for marriage. Therefore, they would get into arguments at the mention of marriage almost every time.

This was also the case this time.

When Nick didn't hear her coax him and reflect on herself, and she even said they hadn't been together for long to rebuff his attempts to get a license, he got annoyed on the spot, "Ashley, you keep avoiding the topic of marriage. Do you have no confidence in me or yourself? Or do you not love me at all?"

Nick's tone was harsh and it seemed that he was now the most annoyed since Ashley had been with him for so long.

However, Ashley was also a bit annoyed. When she first agreed to be with him, she had made it clear to him that she had no intention of getting married at the present stage and wanted to focus on her career. At that time, he had acquiesced to her decision, but after they got together, they would always get into arguments because she resisted getting married.

Ashley could understand Nick's desire to get married and his true love for her, so she suppressed her anger and talked to him calmly, "Nick, there are a lot of people getting marriage licenses every day in the world. You can't blame me just because someone else got married, can you?"

Hathaway was about to get a marriage license with Leon, which was their business. It was not appropriate for Nick to try to force her to agree to marry him because of this.

After that, Ashley didn't wait for Nick to say anything and continued, "When I first got together with you, I made it very clear about marriage, and you accepted it at that time. If you don't think you can accept it now, I'll give you time to rethink."

On the other end of the phone, Nick said angrily, "What do you mean by that? Do you want to break up with me?"

Ashley calmly replied, "No, I don't want to do that."

Ashley's words eased Nick's mood a little, but the next moment he heard her say, "I just feel a little tired of us arguing over this again and again."

"Let's calm down for a while." After saying this, Ashley hung up the phone, leaving Nick sulking on the other end.

It sounded like she wanted to break up. She said that she was tired of them arguing all the time and should reconsider their relationship, but he didn't need to reconsider because the only person he wanted was her.

He didn't know what was wrong with him. After meeting her, he never wanted to look at another woman.

He threw his phone onto the bed distractedly, turned to get a change of clothes, and then headed to the bathroom.

The warm water from the shower cleared his mind. Nick realized with chagrin that he was a little anxious and confronted her with a bad tone and attitude.

Because he had heard that Leon and Hathaway were going to get a license, he complained about her under jealousy and anxiety.

But in fact, was this her fault?

As Ashley said, she had told him her attitude to marriage from the beginning. Besides, it was his willingness to be with her, to choose to accept her attitude, and to deepen his love for her step by step.

However, the one who was now pushing her ... was still him.

CHAPTER 334 THEY WORRY ABOUT EACH OTHER BUT ARGUE.

After coming out of the shower, Nick calmed down.

He realized that tonight's argument was all his fault and immediately picked up his phone to call Ashley. He was ready to apologize to her, ask for her forgiveness, and promise not to rush her into marriage again.

However, Ashley didn't answer the phone, and the person who did was Jasmine.

Jasmine said to Nick, "Ashley has gone to bed. She is tired after a long day of filming. I think she is in a good mood, so don't worry about her and have an early rest."

"Thank you..." Nick couldn't say anything more to Jasmine and helplessly hung up the phone for the time being after thanking her.

How could he not know that Ashley was awake? She just did not want to answer his call.

But since she was angry with him and didn't want to talk to him, why did she ask Jasmine to appease him?

Jasmine hung up the phone and handed the phone back to Ashley beside her. Ashley was indeed awake and did not want to talk to Nick, and even her eyes were red as if she had just cried.

Jasmine sighed helplessly, "Now that you're worried that he won't sleep well because of your quarrel, why didn't you talk to him yourself?"

The moment Ashley hung up the phone with Nick, tears moistened her eyes. Jasmine shared a room with Ashley, so she knew at a glance that they had quarreled.

She asked the reason, and Ashley replied that Nick had been urged her to get married, but she had no intention of doing so and was enjoying her state of working in love. Although Nick said she could still do what she wanted after marriage, how could she not take care of her family by then?

Jasmine was divorced because of a bad man's betrayal, so she was most desperate and fearful of marriage. However, Jasmine didn't instill negative energy about marriage to Ashley because of what happened to her and warmly reassured Ashley, "He can't wait to marry you just because he loves you and wanted to spend his life with you."

Ashley pursed her lips with red eyes and fell into silence. She didn't expect herself to cry.

Normally, a woman of her age who had encountered a scum like Charles should not be so vulnerable as to shed tears for a man, but she involuntarily burst into tears after her quarrel with Nick.

Inexplicably, she felt aggrieved and sad.

When she learned that Charles had an affair with another woman, she hadn't even cried so sadly. At that time, she was only angry at being betrayed but not heartbroken.

But now, she felt sad and couldn't bear it after a small argument with Nick.

Perhaps as the saying went, "When someone loves and cherishes you, you have pride of place."

Nick was so good to her in daily life that she gradually became like a pampered girl.

When Nick called her just now, she didn't want to answer the phone but asked Jasmine to appease him because she was concerned about him after all.

She didn't want Nick to have a bad sleep because of this and even affect his work the next day. As a doctor, he had to bear a lot of pressure every day, and Ashley did not want him to have any accidents when he is doing surgery or treating a patient.

She knew the importance of Nick's job, so she had asked Jasmine to appease him first.

At this point, when faced with Jasmine's question, Ashley took her phone and whispered, "I don't want to talk to him now."

Jasmine laughed, "You don't want him to know you've been crying, do you?"

Then she continued, "If you cry duly in front of your beloved man, he will love you more."

She was too strong and refused to be soft all the time, which would only make men feel more like you were omnipotent and then refused to give you even a little bit of care and affection.

Upon hearing this, Ashley chuckled and asked her, "Will my part be finished tomorrow?"

Jasmine nodded, "Yes, it will be done if everything goes well. I'm going to book a flight for the day after tomorrow and go back with you."

Ashley thought for a moment and said, "If it is done early tomorrow, I want to go back in the afternoon or evening."

Jasmine certainly understood why Ashley was eager to go back and smiled, "I had scheduled to go back the day after tomorrow so that we would not be so rush and tired. Now that you seem bent on going back to appease Nick, let's rush back."

Ashley was a little embarrassed by Jasmine's words but nodded gently.

She would rush back tomorrow, so Nick should be happy, right?

She didn't know why they had to quarrel. After the quarrel, Nick called her to apologize, while she was anxious to go back to appease him.

Frankly speaking, as long as they didn't mention marriage, they got along well in every way. Whether it was physical or mental communication, they clicked with each other.

When Ashley used to be with Charles, they had little in common, and even dating was perfunctory for her. but it was different with Nick. They chatted happily, and Ashley often was fascinated by Nick's talk and substance.

Whether it was a man or a woman, it was not enough to have a glorious appearance but to have a rich inner world to be more attractive.

Nick, who had been with her for a long time, was such a man to Ashley. He was graceful and tasteful. A man like Charles who only had a handsome appearance couldn't compare with him.

Nick was a famous doctor at Medical University and a straight-A student, so how could he not have substance?

While Ashley quarreled with Nick, Hathaway and Leon had a good night's sleep and got along well.

The next morning, Hathaway was awakened early by Leon, or to be precise, by his kiss.

How could she continue to sleep when he kissed her on the lips, face, and earlobes?

With great difficulty, she opened her eyes to see that it wasn't daybreak yet and could not help but protest in annoyance, "What are you doing?"

The man said lazily against her ear, "I can't sleep now. At the thought of getting a license today, I'm awake with excitement."

Hathaway was so sleepy that she rolled over and wanted to go back to sleep, "I can't. I'm sleepy and need to sleep some more."

Besides, if she didn't sleep well, wouldn't she have dark circles under her eyes when she went to take her wedding photos later?

She didn't want that because she was always keeping a beautiful image wherever and whenever she was.

Seeing his, Leon didn't disturb her anymore and got up gently, leaving Hathaway alone in the quiet and tranquil bedroom so that she could sleep for a while longer.

CHAPTER 335 MATCHING OUTFITS

At around 8:30 a.m., Hathaway woke up naturally.

She was refreshed after a good night's sleep. When she walked out of the bedroom in her robe, she smelled the fragrance coming from the kitchen. With a frown, she rushed into the kitchen on her slippers and saw Leon frying eggs with one hand.

The casserole next to him was also gurgling, with the fragrant and soft rice porridge simmering inside.

Looking at Leon standing there cooking with one hand, Hathaway didn't know what to say for a moment.

He was injured these days, so she did most of these things. Of course, she didn't cook all three meals a day. Leon felt distressed for her and would ask someone to buy food from the restaurant and bring it to them.

Hathaway was angry at him for cooking in the kitchen despite his injuries and also touched by his thoughtfulness and love for her, so she walked over to stand beside him and teased him sullenly, "President Davis, you are broken in body but firm in spirit."

Leon was amused by her words, turned to look at her, and then went on cooking, "I couldn't sleep anyway, so I just got up and did something."

From the moment he woke up, he was too excited to sleep. First, he went to the study to deal with the work he had put aside for the past few days and then came to the kitchen to cook breakfast after looking at the time.

Since he was going to get a marriage license with Hathaway today, this was a red-letter day, and he should do something different today, so he thought of making breakfast. Although the injury on his shoulder was recovering, it should not be a problem for him to make it slowly.

Hathaway wanted to take the spatula from him and make it herself, but Leon didn't agree, "Wash and dress up quickly. We'll leave after breakfast."

Fortunately, the Civil Affairs Bureau was not yet open, otherwise, he would have been there long ago and did not want to delay for a second.

Hearing this, Hathaway helplessly went to wash up.

Leon looked nervous and expectant, while Hathaway felt calm.

Maybe it was because she didn't have any objection to marrying Leon. Since she felt that she was marrying the right man willing to do so, she was so calm.

After breakfast, they went to the dressing room and chose their clothes. Leon was still dressed in his

usual simple outfit, a white shirt with black trousers. However, Hathaway thought he was elegant, handsome, noble, and charming.

Some people relied on their shirts to set them off, but some people set off their shirts.

It was obvious that Leon was the latter. According to her observation of Leon for such a long time, she found that he was not attentive to his dressing, but it did not affect his handsomeness because he was good-looking and had a good temperament.

After stood by admiring Leon for a while, Hathaway sighed and turned to pick out her clothes.

With Leon standing next to her, Hathaway felt that she was inferior to him whatever she wore, so she had no idea which clothes she should choose.

Because Leon wanted to get a marriage certificate soon, he was a bit anxious to see Hathaway at a loss for choosing clothes and asked her patiently, "What's wrong?"

Hathaway spread her hands, "I don't know what to wear and feel like I don't look good in anything."

Most girls would struggle with dressing before going out. At first, they didn't know what to wear, but after a while of picking, they got tired of the existing clothes in their wardrobe, especially for important occasions and with such an excellent man around.

Leon didn't understand Hathaway's words, "I think you look good in anything."

During the time he had been with her, Leon had seen her in all kinds of images. Whether she was in a professional outfit with high heels, or a casual outfit with a t-shirt and shorts, or an enchanting party outfit, or a lazy home outfit, he thought she looked good, so he didn't understand why she would say she didn't look good in anything.

Hathaway burst into laughter, "Why are you so sweet now? You weren't like this before and always made fun of me."

Hathaway remembered how he had reacted coldly and unfeelingly when she deliberately wore a sexy dress with an exposed waist and threw herself into his arms at their first meet.

Thinking of their first meeting, Hathaway walked over to snuggle up to him, lazily fiddled with his shirt collar, and asked him, "Do you remember how you taunted me when we first met?"

Leon denied it, "No, I don't remember."

This was a choice question, so he would not answer it.

When they first met, he knew how cold he was towards her.

Hathaway narrowed her eyes and recalled with a smile, "I don't remember exactly what you said, but I still have an impression of the general meaning. You seemed to say then that I was pretty but you weren't interested in me."

Hathaway suddenly mentioned the past not to reproach him and just made a comment out of personal feeling.

Today they were going to get their license, and she thought it was good to recall their past.

However, this topic was a torment to Leon. Despite this, he still joked to ease his situation and chuckled with one arm around Hathaway, "Now it seems like a slap in the face."

At that time, he had coldly told her that he wasn't interested in her, but now he was so passionate about her that he couldn't live without her and even urged her to get a marriage license.

Hathaway laughed happily in his arms and teased him, "I can't believe you know 'a slap in the face'. What a rare thing!"

Leon looked at Hathaway's brilliant smiling face and couldn't resist leaving over to kiss her lips, "I can't help it. I've been desperately trying to learn buzzwords to have something in common with you."

After saying that, he urged, "Can we go now?"

Hathaway spread her hands, "I want to go quickly, but I still don't know what to wear."

Although Leon had just complimented her that she looked good in anything, she was now having trouble choosing which clothes to wear.

Leon had no choice but to go over and help her choose.

He picked up one of her white shirts with his slender fingers and smiled, "Since you don't know what to wear, just wear the same as me."

Hathaway smiled and took the shirt, "A matching outfit?"

When choosing clothes, Hathaway had also considered this white shirt, but she didn't feel much about it at that time. Now, why did she suddenly feel so in love with this white shirt after being picked out by Leon?

CHAPTER 336 THEY ARE FINALLY A LEGAL COUPLE.

Women were emotional indeed.

After falling in love, even when men picked out a piece of clothing for them, they would be wild with joy. At this moment, Hathaway ecstatically changed into her white shirt

She changed it in front of Leon.

She didn't ask Leon to go out, nor did she turn her back to avoid Leon's eyes.

Hathaway's fair and slender figure made Leon feel the fire of desire. To be honest, they had done the most intimate things many times and also enjoyed her body many times, but now he was still uncontrollably seduced and couldn't do anything to her.

After taking a deep breath, Leon turned around and dropped a word, "Get dressed and come out."

With that, he stepped outside the dressing room, and Hathaway's smug laughter came behind, which made Leon even more annoyed.

She did it on purpose. If he had not been injured now, how would she have had the chance to be so arrogant?

The main reason why Hathaway did this was to punish him for what he had done to her in the bathroom last night. He made her so embarrassed and annoyed last night, so she certainly got back at him because she was a vindictive woman.

She wore a white shirt of the same style as Leon's and chose a pair of black suit trousers. In this way, she and Leon wore matching outfits.

Leon had never worn matching outfits until now, so Hathaway simply wore them with him.

As soon as Hathaway dressed herself up and went out the door, Leon held her hand and walked quickly towards the elevator with an eager look on his face.

Hathaway said helplessly, "If you weren't injured, would you be carrying me now?"

Did he have to be so anxious? She was by his side and wouldn't run away.

Leon didn't want to admit his anxiety, reached out to press the elevator button, and then said calmly, "Warren made an appointment for us. It's not good to be late."

Hathaway glanced at him and said, "You say it, but you don't mean it."

Because Hathaway didn't want to go public with their relationship now, she couldn't let more people know about their marriage certificate. Besides, Leon had previously instructed Warren to make arrangements for them in advance. When they arrived at the Civil Affairs Bureau, someone was there to receive them, and all the formalities went smoothly. Ten minutes later, they became a legal couple.

It wasn't until Hathaway held the red marriage certificate that she had a different feeling.

She was married to Leon.

They were married.

From now on, she was no longer alone and would have to advance and retreat with the man in front of her.

After looking down at the marriage certificate for a while, Hathaway raised her head and met Leon's deep and hot eyes.

Before she could say anything, Leon said with guilt, "I'm sorry."

The staff finished the formalities for them and then left first, so they were the only ones left in the office now.

Hathaway looked at Leon in amusement, "Shouldn't you say 'the rest of the life please enlighten'? Why did you say sorry?"

How could a man say sorry to his wife as soon as they got a marriage license? Hathaway had no idea why Leon said that, so was there a generation gap after they got a license?

Leon stepped forward and gently held her hand, "I just rushed you to marry me without a proposal, ceremony, and even diamond ring, so I felt sorry for you."

The moment he got the marriage certificate, Leon remembered that he hadn't given Hathaway any of this and only pressed her to get a certificate.

Ever since she proposed to get a license when they returned to South City, he had thought of nothing but getting a license.

She was so beautiful and deserved the best, but now she had married him in a low key and secret way.

Hathaway thought that Leon said sorry to her for something bad. After hearing his explanation, she laughed, "It doesn't matter without these. I don't care about that."

Hathaway didn't want Leon to feel any more pressure, so she took the initiative to put his arm around her neck and whispered to him, "Your affection for me is heavy enough to offset those gorgeous forms."

She looked beautiful and vixenish, but she was far less flamboyant than she looked.

She had never cared about formality, nor did she like to be high profile and ostentatious. Moreover, love

and marriage were her private business, so it was enough for her to know happiness and joy.

Leon wrapped one arm around her waist and lowered his head to kiss her vigorously.

Although she didn't care about it, he was going to make up for it later.

Now it wasn't the right time. He was injured, and Carl didn't approve of them being together, so it would be impossible for him to get her now if he did something openly.

After the kiss, Leon embraced Hathaway and whispered, "The rest of the life please enlighten, Mrs. Davis."

Hathaway was blanked out by his kiss. Now hearing him call her "Mrs. Davis" in a low voice, these words were like an aphrodisiac so that she turned into a ravenous wolf in an instant and put her arm around his neck to kiss his lips again. Then they fell into another deep kiss.

When they ended the kiss, their eyes were tinged with suppressed lust.

However, since they were now in someone else's office, they could only stop here.

Leon clasped Hathaway's waist with chagrin, "So are we going to waste our 'wedding night' tonight?"

Hathaway was amused by his words "wedding night" and poked him in the chest, "What else do you want?"

After saying that, she instantly thought of the scene last night and hurriedly pushed him away with a blush.

Leon pretended not to see her blush. Then they each straightened their clothes and left hand in hand. When they got into the car, Warren's call reached Leon's cell phone. Warren knew about their marriage certificate, so he gave them his best blessing at the first time, "President Davis, congratulations!"

"Thank you." Leon thanked Warren while looking at Hathaway who was in charge of driving in her seat. On the other end of the phone, Warren made an invitation, "President Davis, Vivian heard that you got your license today, so she wants to invite you to dinner at our house tonight to celebrate for you."

Since they knew that Leon and Hathaway couldn't receive blessings from others for getting their license secretly, Warren and Vivian thoughtfully wanted to give them a celebration as insiders.

Leon turned to ask Hathaway, "Warren and Vivian are inviting us to dinner tonight."

Hathaway nodded happily, "That's great. I'd love that."

After consulting her, Leon replied to Warren, "We'll go to your house tonight. Thank you in advance."

Leon didn't expect Warren and Vivian to be so thoughtful and was quite touched for a moment.

CHAPTER 337 MRS. DAVIS

After leaving the Civil Affairs Bureau, Leon and Hathaway bought some things and then went to the cemetery to burn incense and worship Adeline.

Hathaway finished it and stood quietly by Leon's side. Looking at Leon's sad face, Hathaway had mixed feelings.

After going through so many things, no matter how many people took a dim view of their relationship or opposed them being together, she and Leon eventually became a legal couple.

To be honest, she hadn't expected this outcome.

Before Kenny and Ashley's accident, Hathaway never thought that she would get married at such an early age of twenty-four because she had been in no hurry about her love and marriage.

She knew exactly what she wanted. In this noisy society, she wanted a beautiful love that they could resist any temptation and lived together till old and grey. She wanted a loving and caring marriage like Paul and his wife.

But there was so much negative news in the society that she once had no hope for her request.

Plans always lagged behind changes!

With the accident of Kenny and Ashley, her fate also changed completely.

Initially, she had approached Leon only to use him to help her and the Taylor Group overcome the predicament, but she didn't expect them to be a couple.

Now she was satisfied with the outcome.

She was extremely satisfied.

She couldn't be more satisfied.

After standing with Leon for a while, Leon held her hand and turned around, "Let's go."

Hathaway said in surprise, "Don't you have anything to say to your mother?"

Leon faintly replied, "Yes, it's all in my heart."

Hathaway gave him a look and thought he would say it out loud.

However, she thought that he might not adapt to saying his mind openly with his character, so she didn't say anything more and turned to leave with him.

Leon said a few sincere words to Adeline secretly.

"Mum, I got my marriage license with Hathaway today.

From now on, she and I are a legal couple. Thank you for choosing to accept her at the end of your life. That is the cornerstone of our future happiness.

I know you have always felt like you owe me for not giving me the warmth of a family.

Now you can rest assured that I will be happy in the future."

Leon finally took a deep look at Adeline's photo on the tombstone. Today he and Hathaway got their marriage certificate and started a family of their own from now on.

The original family that Merlin and Adeline once gave him had become another part of his life, and he would no longer hold on to the unhappiness and shadows brought to him by it. With a grateful heart, he would run his new family with Hathaway.

As soon as they got home, Hathaway asked Leon to take off his shirt and check the wound on his shoulder, for fear that it might affect his wound because they were outside early in the morning.

Leon didn't want to be troublesome at first, so he perfunctorily told her, "I don't feel anything at all. I'm fine. Don't worry."

He knew his body best and had been quite careful during his outings. Now he didn't feel anything wrong.

But Hathaway was not at ease. Seeing that he didn't listen to her, she simply stepped forward to strip his shirt, while Leon just let her unbutton his shirt and enjoyed her rude treatment with an evil smile, "Why do I feel as if you can't wait to do something to me..."

Hathaway rolled her eyes at him and thought that he was full of these nasty things in his mind.

After unbuttoning Leon's shirt and removing it, Hathaway worriedly turned behind Leon to check his wound and was relieved to see that there was nothing wrong with it.

Leon's wound had slowly started to scab after a few days of recuperation, so it was curved and looked a bit hideous. Hathaway stretched out her fingertips to caress his wound gently and was deeply distressed.

Leon had joked earlier that he would keep this scar to be with her forever. If Leon did that, Hathaway felt that it worked.

If there was any problem between them in the future, she would be softhearted when he mentioned this scar.

Leon found her silent behind him and knew that she must be feeling distressed for him again.

He turned around to hold her hand and asked, "Do you want to get some rest?"

Hathaway sniffed and said, "I should be asking you that, right?"

He was injured, why did he ask her to have a rest?

Leon held her hand and proposed, "Why don't you take a nap with me?"

After saying that, Leon added with a light smile, "Okay? Mrs. Davis."

Just now at the Civil Affairs Bureau, Leon found that the title of Mrs. Davis was pleasing to her, so he now deliberately called her in this way to tease her.

Hathaway was certainly aware of his intentions and deliberately let go of his hand in disgust, "Don't call me that again. It sounds like I'm an old woman."

Leon hugged her from behind, "What do you think I should call you? Hathee? Hathaway?"

After Leon's shirt had just been taken off, it hadn't been put back on him. Now that he held Hathaway into his arms, her back pressed against his strong and broad chest. In the summer, the thin layer of fabric couldn't block anything, and Leon's heat made Hathaway a little dizzy.

After a light struggle, she tilted her head and told him, "You ... you just call me Hathaway."

Perhaps because the people around her had always called her Hathaway, she was used to it.

Leon kissed her cheeks and earlobes. Then he murmured against her ear, "I'll listen to you."

What Leon said touched Hathaway's heart.

She was dizzily turned around by him and then held into his arms for a strong kiss.

As Hathaway was limp from the kiss, she couldn't help but sigh secretly. He was in such a state now, yet he was always holding and kissing her. Wasn't he putting himself into a torment of lust?

And at the same time, Hathaway wailed inside that it was lucky he was now recovering from his wound.

If his wound was healed in a few days, she would be punished by him in bed.

Leon had to go to the study alone to smoke and calm himself down after making himself hot, while Hathaway watched him enter the study with her blurred eyes on the sofa and then grabbed a throw pillow to shield her face in shame.

She thought to herself, 'Today is their so-called wedding night, so should she find a way ... to release his desire at night?'

CHAPTER 338 HE FINALLY UNDERSTOOD LOVE.

In the evening Hathaway went with Leon to Warren's house for the banquet, Hathaway thoughtfully went to the mall to buy gifts for Warren's son, toys that boys love.

Vivian prepared a sumptuous table full of dinner and opened wine for the two to celebrate.

She even prepared a romantic and beautiful cake as a wedding gift for the two of them.

The sumptuous food and cake were all handmade by Vivian, and while Hathaway was touched by Vivian's hospitality, she couldn't help but praise Vivian's excellent cooking skills, "I think you can go to any restaurant outside and kick ass with your cooking skills, and your baking skills are comparable to those of high class pastry chefs."

Vivian smiled modestly, "I'm just a hobbyist, others are professionals, I can't compare with them, I can just cook for our own people."

Vivian is a woman who is completely at home with her husband and children, but she is not like many women who lose themselves or have no goals in life because they are at home with their children all day long.

She is now a famous food blogger on Weibo because of her positive attitude towards life and the gentle and firm positive energy of her words.

When she first found out that Vivian was a food blogger, she followed Vivian's Weibo account and her number of Weibo followers was around one million at that time.

Of course, in order to protect herself and her family, Vivian had never shown her face, but even so, she had a million followers.

In Warren's own words, don't look at Vivian, she seems to be doing nothing all day long, but if she really wants to participate in any activities, she is probably worth more than him, the special assistant of Lu's president.

Warren's words were an unstinting praise for Vivian, and Hathaway agreed with Warren's words.

Even if she didn't stay at home to raise her children and work in the workplace, she would still be successful in the workplace.

The four of us had a very enjoyable dinner, who could be unhappy with good food?

During the meal, Hathaway chose a few dishes that Leon ate a lot and specially asked Vivian for advice on the recipe.

At first, Leon didn't realize why she was doing this, but when he realized that she wanted to learn how to cook for him, he was surprised and touched by the fact that she was so attentive to him, so he raised his hand to hold her hand, which was holding the recipe on his mobile phone, and advised her in a warm voice, "No need to learn it deliberately."

Hathaway looked at him in confusion, "What's wrong?"

Hathaway felt that with a ready-made food teacher like Vivian in front of her, she had to take the time to learn.

Although there were various recipes on Vivian's Weibo for her to read, it was still more detailed to teach face to face.

Although she doesn't really love the kitchen space, she feels that cooking is an essential part of everyone's life, and if she has to cook sometimes, the more delicious it is, the better.

Leon's eyes were deep as he looked at her, "As long as you make it, I like it no matter what the taste is."

Leon said such fleshy words in front of Vivian and Warren, which made Hathaway a little embarrassed for a while.

Vivian at the side covered her face and teased them, "I feel like I'm full from eating you two's dog food, what am I going to do with this table of dishes?"

To Vivian, this was also the first time she had seen Leon say such sweet words of love, which simply blew her mind.

She knew that ever since Warren had given Leon a job as a special assistant, Vivian had opened up all kinds of gossip about Leon, Vivian was also a woman who also loved beautiful men and handsome men, but of course that kind of love was just appreciation, rather it was just more gossip.

However, every time she could not get any gossip from Warren, and every time Warren would reply to her heartily: Our Mr. Lu is not close to women, there is nothing you want to gossip about.

The fact that Leon has always been such an ascetic and high-cold image has made Vivian more and more curious, curious about whether a man like Leon, when he falls in love, will also be like an ordinary man

with a lot of love words and gentle pampering.

Now it seems that people who fall in love, whether they are men or women, no matter what their status, are all the same.

If Leon wasn't like this, then it wouldn't be love, would it?

Love, hardened Leon, a thousand-year-old iron tree, blossomed.

After being teased by Vivian Hathaway hurriedly pulled her hand out of Leon's palm and turned to smile, "Better hurry up and eat, we can't waste this table of food."

Since Leon wouldn't let her learn, then she wouldn't learn, as her cooking tasted pretty good anyway.

Vivian's second child is already more than four months old, and her belly is already starting to show a little.

After the meal, the two women inevitably talked about their pregnancy while sitting on the sofa, and the pregnancy inevitably led to the mention of the child Hathaway had lost.

Hathaway was only 24 years old, she was in the prime of her life and her body was in the best condition. If Leon recovered from her injuries, Vivian thought that Hathaway would get pregnant again soon.

Only after listening to Vivian's comforting words, Hathaway sounded rather casual, "Aiya, but I just want to work well now, let's talk about having a baby later."

Hathaway's words were overheard by Leon, who had just walked over, and Leon didn't have any other reaction.

Vivian laughed after her, "That's right, I heard that you have set up your own studio now, so naturally you should focus on work."

But Vivian added a sentence here, "But actually being pregnant and having a baby doesn't affect your work either, it depends on how you arrange this."

Vivian was about the same age as Warren, and a few years older than Leon. She naturally understood a man's desire for a child, especially when that person was Leon, and that was why she advised Hathaway.

After all, Hathaway was still young, but Leon was not.

Vivian sighed after saying these words, she felt that she was worrying too much about the two of them.

Hathaway agreed with Vivian and nodded thoughtfully, "It's true, the arrangement is reasonable, pregnancy and childbirth won't affect work, besides, there are my parents to help me with the child

anyway."

The company's main business is to provide a wide range of products and services to the public.

CHAPTER 339 THANK YOU FOR LOVING ME.

In fact, regarding the matter of having a baby, Hathaway said that she wanted to focus on work for the time being just to hide her innermost thoughts.

She didn't want to admit that she was afraid of this matter, didn't want to admit that the last miscarriage had cast a big, big shadow on her psyche.

Now that someone was talking about pregnancy and childbirth in front of her, the first instinctive reaction in Hathaway's mind was: if she got pregnant again, would something else happen like last time? Would she be unable to keep the baby in the end?

She even panicked that even if the pregnancy went well and the baby was born, who could guarantee that something bad would happen to the baby in the future.

Once this panic and fear spreads, it gets worse and worse, so she doesn't even dare to think about it on a regular basis.

Anyway, because of her last loss, Hathaway was a bit winded about having a baby.

However, she had never talked to anyone about it.

Everyone, including Cynthia Carl and even Leon, was only concerned about her physical recovery, but not about her mental recovery.

Hathaway didn't blame them, because she had always presented herself in front of everyone as a very spontaneous and open-minded person, and she had never been the kind of person who liked to take the bull by the horns, so no one would have thought that the miscarriage would be a hurdle that she couldn't get over, so no one cared too much about it.

In fact, Hathaway knew that it was bad for her to let the negative emotions of panic spread over the birth of her baby, but she couldn't help herself from thinking about those bad things.

Sometimes Hathaway even wondered if she should see a psychologist.

On the way back from Warren's house, Hathaway and Leon lamented the hospitality that Vivian had shown them and praised Vivian's excellence in taking care of all the family chores and both parents, she was really a very perfect and excellent woman.

Hathaway asked Leon with a smile after she had finished her emotion, "Is it true that all men like a

woman like Vivian who is gentle and virtuous and a good housekeeper?"

Leon pursed his lips and looked at her, his intuition told him that this was another question that would send him to his death.

But he didn't hesitate and answered her dryly, "No, I don't like this kind, I like you."

Hathaway couldn't stop laughing, "You don't have to have such a strong desire to live, I was just casually asking."

Leon silently turned his head to look at the night outside, don't look at her saying that she was just asking casually, but if he really answered casually, I'm afraid she wouldn't be asking casually.

Hathaway didn't say anything else when she saw that he didn't say anything, and focused on driving seriously.

But after a short while, Leon turned his head to her again and declared, "There are different kinds of carrots and cabbages, I think you are fine the way you are now, you don't have to deliberately study like anyone or envy anyone who is good, just be yourself."

Because she was Hathaway, the unique Hathaway, that's why he was so attracted to her, so pleased with her.

Hathaway didn't expect him to make his feelings clear again, she looked back at him with some surprise, then continued to stare at the road ahead and smiled softly, "Okay, okay I know, I've never been the kind of person to lose myself easily."

Hathaway sighed again and said quietly, "But I have to admit, I do lose myself a bit with you. But I do it willingly, who made me love you so much."

The few light traces at the corners of his eyes were the marks of the years that had left him, and the marks of his happiness.

When it was time to go to bed, Leon turned off the lights for a while before suddenly opening his mouth again, "Are you very reluctant to have children?"

Tonight when she talked to Vivian about it, he didn't say anything, but he could see a few moments of rejection that he was unfamiliar with under her long eyelashes.

A little uncomfortably, Hathaway turned around in his arms and turned her back to him now.

She didn't know how to talk to him about her panic about having a child, because she knew that Leon actually wanted a child...

The only thing is, before she could think of a reply, Leon again embraced her from behind her and opened his mouth softly, "I need you to give me a very clear answer, whether you want to have a baby or not I need to know, because it's about whether we should take contraception seriously."

"If you want to have a baby we'll go with the flow, if you don't want to have a baby then we have to take good contraception because I don't want to force you one bit, having a baby is a big thing between us and I want this time we can welcome this baby with all the preparation we can get."

The man's words came into Hathaway's ears in a calm and clear manner, ironing out the uneasiness and anxiety that had risen in her heart for a moment.

She could feel that Leon really did not want to force her one bit, did not want her to feel the slightest bit of psychological pressure, and his thoughtfulness and affection made her feel warm.

She turned around and snuggled into his arms, and opened her mouth with some difficulty, "I, I really don't want to for the time being..."

Leon reached out and embraced Hathaway as soon as her intention of not wanting to have a baby was revealed in her words, pressing his chin against her forehead and coaxing softly, "Then don't have a baby first."

In fact, Leon agreed so quickly because he also had the shadow of her losing the baby last time in his heart.

When he thinks of that incident now, his mind is filled with the image of her being sent to the hospital that day covered in blood, her pale face, and the tears she would not easily shed.

All those images gripped his heart so hard that every time he thought of them, he felt his chest ache and choked.

Sometimes he even thought that it would be better if they didn't have children for the rest of their lives, that nothing bad would happen if they didn't have children.

No one says that two people have to have children together, right? There are so many dinky couples.

He was with her because of the person she was, not so that she could give him children.

It is true that before he met her, he had the idea of getting married because he wanted to find a woman to have a child to inherit the Lu family. But after he met her, he only wanted pure love between them.

Hathaway did not expect Leon to agree to not have a child first so quickly, Hathaway had always thought that Leon was longing for a child in his heart.

She raised her hand and gently caressed his cheek, and her soft lips were close to his, murmuring,

"Thank you, thank you Leon..."

Thank him for loving her and loving her like this.

CHAPTER 340 A LONG-CHERISHED PLO

The two of them were already in love, and now their hearts were getting closer and closer because of that common heartbreak.

Hathaway originally thought that today was their so-called wedding night and wanted him to stop being so tormented, but before she could do anything else, he held her down.

Leon's voice was hoarse in the night, and it was his burning breath that stuttered in her ear, "I don't think this is enough."

Far from enough.

Not enough at all.

Such intense love was simply not quenched by superficial pleasure, and he needed to possess her fiercely to quench his thirst.

Hathaway's voice was slightly weak, her mind full of the wound on his shoulder, "Then what do you want?"

Leon didn't say anything, coming over and sucking her lips hard, then holding her waist and making her turn around.

He had an injury on one shoulder, so he propped himself up on the bed with his uninjured shoulder and slowly and slowly possessed her.

Several times Hathaway tried to open her mouth to care for his wound, only to have his long, slender fingers block her lips, so she just let her broken, unpleasant voice spill out from between his fingers.

This was a result that Hathaway did not expect, as she did not have any charming thoughts at all because of Leon's injury.

However, in fact, this was a long time in the making for Leon.

No one knew his injury better than he did, and he knew exactly what he could and could not do.

The time was already late when Nick returned home after a day's work. Originally, he could have left work normally without working the night shift, but the thought of returning home alone and the cold war with Ashley made him feel depressed, so he simply stayed at the hospital for a while, taking an

emergency patient and working on other tasks, and by the way, rejected a female doctor's confession.

Although he was the heir to the hospital, he actually preferred to be a real doctor, a doctor who could personally go to the operating table to save lives, otherwise he would not have been on the front line of the hospital and insisted on seeing outpatients and going to the operating table.

When his father was planning to retire, Nick strongly requested him to hire someone to help manage the hospital with a high salary, so that he could still focus all his energy on his medical skills and medical research, he did not want to be a manager at all.

Naturally, Ji's father did not want to hand over the management of his estate to someone else, so he simply managed it himself, as he had plenty of time after retiring from the operating table anyway.

The hospital staff, however, were aware of Ji's status and admired him for his choice to work on the frontline, not only for his excellent medical skills, but also for his understated and gentle manner.

With such an identity and a handsome appearance, Ji Han naturally attracted the affection of many women in the hospital, especially those highly educated elite female doctors from overseas, who made their feelings known to him, but Ji Han never paid any attention to them.

Those who secretly liked him, he just ignored.

Those who confessed to him openly, he rejected on the spot.

This was the case when he didn't have Ashley in the past, but after he got together with Ashley, he refused even more seriously and coldly.

He is the same as Leon, a person who has high requirements for his future half. If his heart is not really in love, he will not force himself to try to like or try to accept.

He doesn't care about business alliances, money is an extraneous thing, so why put profit above everything else.

On the way home Nick was calculating Ashley's schedule and his own work for the next few days, according to what Ashley had said before she would not be back from filming for a few more days, he could not wait that long, he wanted to take the time to go to the set to find her in person and ease the crisis they had before.

He couldn't stand this state of cold war between the two of them, she didn't answer his calls last night, he didn't call to disturb her during the day today when she was filming, and he called her in the afternoon, but the phone was switched off.

He was distracted throughout.

He was still in a depressed state until he entered the house, but when he opened the door he saw a room full of lights and a delicious meal neatly laid out on the dining table underneath them.

He froze in his tracks, the only people who could enter his flat were himself and ... Ashley, even his parents didn't have a key to his flat.

"Ashley?" He kicked off his shoes and rushed in.

Ashley, who was dressed in home clothes, came out of the kitchen and after seeing him rush in said indifferently, "Wash your hands and eat."

Compared to Nick's joy, Ashley's mood was much more subdued.

Nick didn't care about eating, he went up and took her into his arms, "Isn't there still a few days before the shooting is finished? How come you're back so early?"

He was inexplicably certain that she had deliberately come back early without telling him anything, in order to surprise him.

He was sure that she had come back early without telling him anything, in order to surprise him. And if she had made such an effort to surprise him, she must have cared for him in her heart.

When he thought of this, Nick felt that the depression he had felt all day had been cleared away, and he even went over to the woman in his arms and tried to kiss her.

Ashley pushed him, "You'd better take a shower first."

"I've already washed when I just came out of the hospital." After Nick said this, he picked up the woman in his arms and walked towards the bedroom.

The two of them were very forgetful when they were entangled together, each trying to make the other feel their affection in this way.

It was a bit frantic, but also extraordinarily enjoyable.

After it was over Ashley didn't even have the strength to get up, Nick took the woman's soft body in his arms and held it tightly, "Did you deliberately not contact me so you could surprise me?"

Ashley hummed and didn't answer his question, Nick bit her lips, "If you ignore me again, I'll probably fly to your set tomorrow."

Ashley was a little surprised that he was going to fly straight to the set to look for her, Ashley knew how busy he was so she hadn't thought he would be this crazy.

Nick buried himself into her neck and sighed quietly, "I'm sorry"

"I will never force you to get married again, and I don't want to argue with you again in the future."
Nick's voice was deep, "This feeling is too hard to bear..."

Being left cold by the woman you love as well as cold war, that taste is simply comparable to putting your heart on the line.