

Timeless Love 101

CHAPTER 101 HE LIKED HER

The meal only lasted for a total of half an hour, and Adeline left first when the ordered dishes were not even finished, using the excuse that she was full.

Then the one who left was the old Davis, who glared at Leon and Hathaway when he got up and lectured them, "Since you're pregnant, you should pay attention to your diet. How can you eat so much spicy food?!"

Hathaway leaned close to Leon when ordering, whispering that she wanted to eat spicy food.

At first, Leon also thought that it was not good for a pregnant woman to eat too much spicy food, but when he saw her pleading eyes, he was somehow swayed and ordered two spicy dishes for her, thinking that it would help her to relieve her craving. But when the dishes were served, she only ate those two among all the food on the table...

So now she was being reprimanded by the old Davis. Hathaway respectfully accepted the old Davis's reprimand, "I know grandpa, thank you for caring about me."

"Who cares about you? No shame!" the old Davis was so angry at her words that he glared at her in a bad way and left in a huff.

Hathaway was so happy. The old Davis' character was really fiery. His anger could be turned on so easily.

Everyone in their family probably looked like this. They couldn't afford to joke around a bit.

Merlin didn't linger too long before leaving, and they returned to the private room after sending Merlin off, as Hathaway clearly looked like she wasn't full enough.

Hathaway was indeed not full. Probably because of her pregnancy, she was particularly able to eat recently.

Leon didn't have much of an appetite. He just sat there watching Hathaway continue to eat.

"I'm sorry..." he said to Hathaway this way after a moment of staring.

Although the atmosphere at her house last night wasn't that pleasant either, at least it wasn't like this.

Hathaway smiled indifferently, "There's nothing to be sorry about. It's not like I'm going to marry them or live with them anyway. It doesn't matter if they like me or not."

Hathaway's words stopped here. In fact, she subconsciously wanted to say that it didn't matter whether his family liked her or not, as long as he liked her. But Hathaway was quite embarrassed to saying so. If

he didn't like her, then wouldn't she be making a fool of herself again?

She didn't expect that Leon would instead gently respond, "Mm."

Hathaway was very surprised to raise her eyes to look at him. It felt like this word "mmm" of his was to answer those words in her subconscious.

She said: it doesn't matter whether they like her or not, it's enough that he likes her.

He said: hmm.

So, he liked her?

The two of them looked at each other like that. Hathaway's eyes were surprised, while Leon's were deep and distant. Eventually, Hathaway lowered her eyes to continue eating with a red face, while Leon took out a cigarette and lit one, but after taking a puff and thinking that she was pregnant, he pressed out again.

After Hathaway finished eating, the two of them left. And after getting into the car, Leon said, "Have you packed your luggage?"

Hathaway was frustrated, "Didn't you say last night that I would move your place in a few days? So I haven't packed yet."

Leon looked at her and gave her command in a low voice, "Move over there today. There's no need to pack your luggage, just buy whatever you need now."

"No!" Hathaway refused in a hurry, "I'd better go back and simply pack. I have a lot of things that are necessary."

He was really wasting money. Buying everything needed now was such a waste, and all her clothes were designed and made by herself in the first place. She still wanted to keep wearing them.

In fact, Hathaway did not want to move to Leon's place so soon. She did not want to leave Paul and the others.

They were her family that she had lived with for over twenty years, and the thought of leaving them made her feel bad.

However, she also knew that for the current her, living with Leon to cultivate more affection would help them to get along harmoniously after marriage. And now that she was together with Leon, she could bind Leon more firmly, making the marriage stuff more smoothly.

Leon then said again, "Then I'll give you an afternoon to clean up. I'll pick you up in the evening."

Hathaway, "..."

Very disgruntled, she muttered in a small voice in protest, "I really don't understand what you're in such a hurry for! There's nothing you can do if I move in with you, is there?"

Hathaway subconsciously thought that Leon was so desperate to get her into his place for some indescribable reason!

"Who says I can't do anything?" The man said when his gaze ambivalently fell on her fair hands. Hathaway remembered a certain previous experience and immediately wanted to jump out of the car.

Angrily glared at him, then looked away and stopped talking.

He was too shameless!

The corner of Leon's lips curled up with a shallow smile, not saying anything else but kept driving her home.

Leon left after dropping off Hathaway. He still had important matters to deal with.

As soon as Hathaway returned home, Ashley greeted her and asked her, "How was it?"

They all knew about her going to lunch with Leon's family and how unhappy Adeline was with her, so they were worried about whether she would be able to handle it.

Hathaway smiled and patted Ashley's shoulder to reassure her, "Ash, was your sister could be easily bullied from she was a child?"

Ashley knew her temperament, but after all, today she was facing an elder, so she was very uneasy about Hathaway.

Hathaway could only continue to say again, "Just say that Leon will marry me anyway, the others can do whatever they like."

Kenny on the couch looked at her, and they didn't say anything.

Because they all heard from Hathaway's words that the Davis family still did not agree to this marriage. Paul got up and left with a very bad face, leaving the three siblings in the living room.

Hathaway sighed softly, "It's really not as bad as you Cynthians think. I didn't take any knock either. I have such a mentality that people can't normally beat me down."

Hathaway really felt nothing about the lunch today.

She had never been the kind of person who couldn't think straight and loved to get into corners, nor was she the kind of person who was so fragile that she couldn't stand a little blow, and Adeline's cold face couldn't hurt her at all.

Just like what she herself said to Leon, as long as Leon was willing to marry, it would be fine.

Kenny frowned and said, "If you don't want to marry him, then don't marry."

Hathaway laughed, "I do. Why not? The more they don't like me, the more I want to marry Leon. We'll see who's angry at last."

Ashley was helpless, "Hathee, marriage is not a matter of pique."

Hathaway threw herself into the sofa, "Okay, okay, you Cynthiays don't worry about me. Leaving aside those bad things, Leon is actually quite good. He has a pretty face, a strong fit body, and wealth. I can be considered a winner in life if I can own him."

Hathaway was really too optimistic, and instead, she was making Kenny and Ashley unable to say anything else.

CHAPTER 102 WEDDING ANNOUNCEMEN

Anyway, Leon said that he would only pick her up in the evening, so Hathaway did not rush to pack her luggage but took a nap first.

When she woke up, she found out that Leon had announced that they were getting married, which simply created a huge stir in the afternoon city.

The wedding news was made public through the Davis Group's public relations department, and it was very simple: Mr. Leon and Miss Hathaway will be getting married in the near future.

But it was enough to cause a huge uproar that the most prestigious and nobleman in South City was getting married to the most notorious woman in South City. Everyone was shocked and surprised, but at the same time, rumors started to spread, and naturally, these rumors were also about Hathaway, saying how unworthy she was of Leon.

Hathaway happily flipped through the comments until Ashley knocked on the door.

Ashley came over frowningly. And when she saw Hathaway flipping through the comments with a happy face, she couldn't help but sigh, "You can even laugh out loud?"

Hathaway put away her phone and smiled at Ashley, "Sis, I'm already experienced, okay?"

The time when she had just returned to China and made her reputation stink herself, Ashley was in a coma in the hospital, so she didn't know about the vitriolic attack before. Now Hathaway was all calm. The reason she was looking through the comments was to see how vicious the people hiding behind their keyboards could be and how snarky their mouths were.

Ashley was really too heartbroken for her, but now in this situation, Ashley was helpless. No one could control what other people's mouths said, so she had no choice but to apologize to Hathaway again and again, "Hathee, I'm sorry. I'm really I'm sorry. It's all our fault..."

Ashley had always been the most reputable debutante in South City before, and she had always been strict with herself when she growing up. Before that night she hadn't had the slightest hint of behavior that tarnished her reputation, so she had never been attacked so viciously. At first, when she saw those comments to Hathaway, Ashley couldn't even breathe.

It was fortunate that she had been much more open-minded rebirthing from death. If it had been her in the past, she would have been extremely miserable.

Now looking at Hathaway's appearance, Ashley admired Hathaway's, strong heart.

Hathaway was indifferent, "No gains without pains. Those people are scolding me like this purely because they are jealous that I stole their prince charming."

Ashley burst into laughter, because of her little sister's optimism and confidence.

Ashley then said, "You said last time that Barry's senior is an agent. I want you to contact her for me. I'd like to meet with her in the next few days to talk about my business."

Now that Ashley has recovered and was out of the hospital, it's time to think about her own future.

"Good." Hathaway agreed quickly, but then she asked Ashley, "What are you going to reply to Dr. Jackson?"

Hathaway remembered the last time she talked in front of Nick about Ashley's plan to enter the entertainment industry, and Nick looked dissatisfied.

Mentioning Nick, Ashley got a headache immediately, "I don't know what to do. Anyway, this time I don't want to give up the things I like anymore. If he really wants to be with me, then he needs to support me. If not, then just don't be together."

Hathaway also agreed with Ashley, "That's right. You had already suppressed yourself for your family for so many years before. If he doesn't understand you, there's nothing worthy to miss of him."

"I'm planning to talk to Nick after I'm done talking to Barry's senior. If he accepts that I want to make a go of it, we'll just make out for a while." Ashley spoke these words as if she had made a great effort.

Like Hathaway, she had never been in a relationship with anyone before Charles.

And at first, when she was with Charles, it was also because both parents felt that they were suitable to be together, so they met a few times and announced their engagement. After the engagement, she did go on normal dates with Charles, but she didn't have any happiness in her heart because she didn't have many feelings for her. So the relationship with Charles wasn't really any love at all in her heart.

So now she was actually a bit shy when she said the words about dating.

But Ashley now felt that if she didn't, she really wouldn't be able to handle Nick.

She temporarily agreed to go out with Nick now. And maybe after a few days of dating, Nick thought they were not suitable at all and broke up with her.

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The Davis Group.

Leon was attacked by the board of directors after he informed the PR department of his marriage announcement, saying things like how unbearable Hathaway was and how she didn't deserve to be his wife, as well as how the firm's stock would plummet and his reputation would be tarnished if he was with Hathaway.

Leon sat in the first place facing a bunch of protests from the board of directors without saying a word, and only after they had finished speaking one by one with righteous indignation did he opened his mouth in a nonchalant manner, "First of all, I want to emphasize that the Davis Group has come this far because of my ability and not my marriage."

The whole group of people on the board of directors, choked by his sentence, were unable to speak.

Leon, on the other hand, continued to speak coldly, "In addition, as the president of the Davis Group, if my personal marriage has to go through your approval, then I think it is better to find another one to take the place."

Leon directly got up and left after saying this, leaving the board of directors sitting there staring at each other. Each of them was very angry, but there was nothing they could do about it.

Leon's vigor was too strong. So far none of them dared to directly confront him.

Moreover, what Leon said just now was too frightening. If they continued to oppose him marrying Hathaway, what if he really put his foot down and quit being the president of Davis Group?

They all knew that there was no one to take over the management of the company now. The Davis

family was a single inheritance from the old Davis. He was the only son in his generation, and it's all the same when it came to Merlin's generation. Otherwise, in the beginning, the old Davis would not still have to push Merlin to take over the company when he already knew that Merlin was not interested in managing at all. And Merlin and Adeline had only one son Leon.

If Leon left now, the Davis Group would have collapsed.

Even if someone took over the company, they all agreed that no one could be better by Leon.

Therefore, after weighing the pros and cons, they decided that they would rather compromise and let Leon marry Hathaway than watch the company collapse. And if Hathaway's reputation affected the company in the future, they would have a reason to question and accuse Leon.

Of course, there were also people who made a direct phone call to the old Davis, thinking that he could take care of it, but the old Davis was on the other end of the line saying in a bad mood, "If I could make Leon obey me, would the situation be the same as now?"

The crowd was completely deflated. Even the old Davis couldn't even manage it, what could they do to Leon?

There's even less to hope for from Merlin, who has been in retirement for years.

CHAPTER 103 TASTE OF HOME

When Leon went to pick up Hathaway in the evening, he was stayed by Paul for dinner. Since in the afternoon, Leon frankly and voluntarily disclosed his marriage to Hathaway, Paul was finally able to be satisfied with him for once.

Although Hathaway had been attacked by a wave of gossips after making it public, this at least represented Leon's attitude. If Leon had kept it hidden and waited for the media to capture it before having to admit it publicly, it would have seemed too insincere.

Now that he had taken the initiative to make it public before the outside world was aware of everything, it meant that he was willing to take it all on.

As a father, Paul felt that Leon was more responsible this time, so he took the initiative to keep him for dinner.

Leon did not refuse. In fact, he was quite willing to have dinner at Taylor's. It was a very different atmosphere from his home, which was very cheerful and warm, relaxing and enjoyable.

This was what "home" should look like in Leon's heart.

A family should love each other, instead of treating each other like frosty air.

The family atmosphere of the Taylor family was indeed completely different from the Davis family. Except for the first few years when Mrs. Taylor passed away when everyone was sad and heavy, the atmosphere at the dinner table was harmonious and happy most of the time, whether it was when Mrs. Taylor was alive or now.

Paul and Mrs. Taylor were very close to each other. They had been respecting and caring for each other for decades. That's why Hathaway didn't understand the way Merlin and Adeline were getting along with each other that day.

If Paul and Mrs. Taylor were not on good terms, he wouldn't have adopted Hathaway out of fear of losing Mrs. Taylor back then.

The second time Leon ate at Taylor's house, he felt much more at ease, and Paul, Kenny, and Ashley also felt the same.

As usual, Hathaway ate more spicy food for dinner, and Leon tried to dissuade her at first, "You've already eaten a lot of spicy food for lunch, so eat less in the evening."

However, Hathaway bit her lip with her rice bowl and pleaded with him, "But I want. I want to eat very, very badly..."

Facing her beautiful eyes, Leon did not want to stop her at all anymore. She could eat if she wanted.

Kenny laughed and teased Leon, "Mr. Davis, you are too unprincipled to indulge her like this. You can't just let her eat as much as she wants. There is a limit to everything. It's not good to eat too much."

"A few spicy meals once in a while is not a problem, isn't it?" After knowing she particularly loved to eat spicy food, Leon then consulted Nick. Nick was speechless over there, "I am a brain doctor, not a nutrition gynecologist okay?"

However, Nick still helped him to consult with the obstetrics and gynecology doctor on the diet of pregnant women, and according to the doctor, during pregnancy, hormonal changes in the body would lead to changes in food preferences. Preference to eat spicy food was no problem but never overdid it.

Leon thought that she only eat a little more tonight and this lunch, and there would be no harm.

If she moved to live with him, it would not be too late for him to take measures if she continued to be like this. So he would allow her now.

Before Leon could say anything else, Hathaway dissatisfiedly protested at Kenny, "Bro, indulge is not the right word to use. He didn't indulge me, ok? You haven't seen him when he teasing me. Luckily my heart is strong enough."

Kenny smiled and followed her words, "That shouldn't be called a strong heart, it should be called a thick skin."

Hathaway, "..."

What's happening now? She was his sister, okay? Why did he speak for Leon now?

Ashley was amused by the two of them bickering with each other, and the corner of Leon's lips also raised up to form a rare smile.

The feeling of such a family sitting together joking and laughing was really fascinating. If possible, in the future he hoped they could have two children. Wasn't it lively when there were more people?

After dinner, Leon took one of Hathaway's suitcases. Hathaway left with Leon and officially lived with Leon.

After Leon announced that he was going to marry Hathaway, the Wilson family and Tom Taylor's family were all in chaos.

Bella couldn't stop crying at home, and no matter how much her father and mother tried to console her, it was useless. So they had to call Jason back.

Jason was also furious to death. He was so busy every day and had to deal with his sister's messy affairs. He did not understand how Bella could be so stubborn for a man who did not love her. Wasn't it just a man? Was it meaningful?

Jason, who had returned home with anger, kicked Bella's room door as soon as he arrived home. Bella was startled by him, raising her swollen red eyes to look at him like that.

Jason stood in front of her with his hands on his waist, unable to stop yelling loudly, "I asked you to wait patiently, and you think that I caused you to lose your chance. Well, in that case then I'll just leave you alone. You can fight for yourself!"

"How did Hathaway get Leon into her hands, you also learn from Hathaway!"

"Hathaway got her way with beauty and her body, so you go with that too. I'll see if you can shoot it!"

Bella was once again burst into tears by Jason's words. She just couldn't be as open as Hathaway. That's why she had been playing the role of a virtuous woman.

How many women could be as shameless as Hathaway? But men sometimes just liked bad women like her.

Jason took a deep breath and said to Bella, "Bella, I'm advising you one last time today. If you can't have

it, don't force it. Your identity and your own conditions are enough to find other good men."

Bella looked down and didn't speak, but there was no desire to give up in her expression.

Jason felt tired and turned to their parents and said, "From now on, don't look for me for her matters. I am devoted to her good, but there is nothing I can do if she insists on being stubborn. Let her mind herself."

Jason turned around and left the house after saying this. He was annoyed at his sister's stubbornness but also annoyed that Leon actually withstood the pressure to marry Hathaway.

He thought the pressure from Adeline, the old Davis, and the Davis Group's Board of Directors was enough to make him back down, but now the fact had exceeded his expectations, and it wasn't good for a man to feel out of control.

Tom's house was even more chaotic. Abby grumpily almost broke the entire living room of the house, making Tom angry because several of the vases were antiques from his collection.

"Why? That shameless little slut Hathaway. How does she deserve to marry Leon?!" Abby was really mad.

Abby hadn't been so unhappy and angry when Leon was with Bella. If it was really Bella, then Abby wasn't going to compete with her anymore. But now that Hathaway was marrying Leon instead, how could Abby not be angry?

CHAPTER 104 NOT EVEN A KISS

Abby didn't know why she had been hating Hathaway since she was a child. She and Hathaway had been at odds with each other since they were young, and Hathaway was the winner all the time. Just because Abby lost every time, she was not resigned to the result. If Abby could have a taste of victory once in a while, she might not pester Hathaway like this now.

Abby went to look for Barbara again after venting her anger in the living room, "Mom, what should we do? That little bitch Hathaway is rally marrying Leon!"

Barbara herself was also frazzled. Ashley's case against her was about to go to trial in a few days, and although she had found the best lawyer in all of South City to defend herself then, she had absolutely no idea if Ashley actually held her deadly evidence in her hands or not, and she didn't know if they had found that truck driver or not.

Barbara was also shocked at Leon's announcement of his marriage to Hathaway. Since Hathaway's reputation was so rotten, she didn't understand at all how Leon would marry her.

She had a son herself. If Andrew were to marry such a notorious woman, she would fight to the death

against it.

Thinking of herself as a mother, Barbara suddenly had an idea in her mind.

She would not agree to Andrew marrying such a woman, so also as a mother, Adeline naturally would not agree. If Adeline found out that Hathaway had once immorally crushed on her cousin, she would be even more likely to tear Hathaway and her son apart, and then she would strongly oppose the marriage. In that case, Barbara did not believe that Leon would still be happy, nor did she believe that Hathaway would be happy.

Now she didn't know what would happen to her in the future. Even if it was the worst possible outcome, then she had to give her daughter a chance to vent her anger before she went to jail.

Thinking of this, she was busy comforting Abby, "Alright, alright. Calm down, I've thought of a good idea. I assure you that Hathaway won't be able to marry into the Davis family."

Abby hurriedly asked, "What idea?"

Barbara then leaned close to her daughter and whispered her plans. Abby was so excited that she almost jumped up after hearing this, urging Barbara urgently, "Mom, call Leon's mother now."

Barbara took the phone next to her own to dial Adeline's phone. They were acquaintances actually, since the last time Abby met with Leon for a blind date.

After the phone was connected, Barbara first congratulated Adeline hypocritically, "Adeline, congratulations, your family will have a wedding soon. Although it's not our Abby who has the fortune, as Hathaway's aunt, I'm also very happy for her."

Adeline sighed at that end, "You're being sarcastic, aren't you? Do you think I don't know what your niece's reputation is like?"

Barbara smiled, and then said in a long-winded manner, "Adeline, we have also been friends for many years. Although our Abby is not destined for Leon, I still truly wish him to find a good woman. As for Hathaway, I really can't appreciate her. And besides those stories of hers, there is something else I want to tell you."

Adeline asked immediately upon hearing, "What is it?"

Barbara deliberately prevaricated, "It's really a family scandal for our family. Hathaway has been unruly since she was a child. Back then when she was seventeen or eighteen, she even had a crush on Andrew..."

"What?" Adeline simply took a harsh breath.

Barbara continuously incited the fire, "Hey, this matter is really a family scandal of us Taylor family. Cousin likes cousin, you see... Oh my, it's hard to tell you this now..."

"At that time, she wrote down her secret love for Andrew in her diary, and Abby saw it. If it wasn't for today to show you how shameless Hathaway really is, I was going to rot these humiliating things in my stomach." Barbara cried again when she said this, "Do you know Adeline? My Andrew, because of being seduced by her, still has no interest in other women. His heart is all over her."

"Is she trying to cause my son to stay single for the rest of his life?" Barbara cried and accused Hathaway, "Adeline, Hathaway has already harmed my Andrew, and I don't want Leon to suffer as well. How could she like your son? It's obvious that she's chasing after his wealth and power!"

After Barbara's accusation of Hathaway, Abby on the side covered her mouth with a proud smile while secretly giving Barbara a compliment, while Barbara gave her daughter a look of great accomplishment.

Adeline was silent for a long time, and only after half a moment did she say with a trembling voice, "Barbara, thank you. Thank you for telling me this."

Then again, not knowing whether she was speaking to Barbara or to herself, she gritted her teeth and said, "I will never let her marry into our Davis family, absolutely not!"

Adeline hung up the phone after saying so. Barbara took a look at the phone then breathed a sigh of relief and looked at her daughter Abby and said, "From her voice on the other end, I can say she was about to die of anger. Now you can rest assured. With Adeline blocking the way, that little bitch Hathaway will definitely not get her way."

Abby nodded her head, "Great!"

Then she flattered Barbara, "Mom, experience counts. You are simply invincible."

Barbara was very proudly standing there with her arms folded, "Of course. If I didn't have these means, how could I have your father in the first place?"

Only, when Barbara thought of those scenic times back then, she thought of her own future.

What if, what if she really had to go to jail?

No! She would never go in there!

She had always been foolproof after all these years. It was not possible that the truck driver was caught by Albert Feyrer. It couldn't have been so unlucky this time.

When Leon received the phone call from Merlin, he was in bed with Hathaway. After they came back, they each took a shower. As soon as Hathaway entered the bedroom, Leon held her in his arms while

leaning in to kiss her with his cool lips after the bath. Hathaway felt inexplicably her heartbeat was accelerating. She protested while avoiding him and laughing out loud, "Didn't you say that you didn't think about doing that stuff?"

Leon pressed her squirming body and asked her with narrowed eyes, "Did I say what I was going to do?"

Joey snorted, "So what are you doing now?"

Leon raised his eyebrows and accused with dissatisfaction, "I can't even kiss you?"

Hathaway looked at the man's handsome face and voluntarily compromised, "Okay, okay, you can..."

Of course, kissing was okay, but wasn't she afraid of losing control with kissing?

And just as her words fell, Leon once again embraced her and gave her a lingering, hot and wet kiss.

CHAPTER 105 HATHEE

Leon calmed his breathing for a while before he finally picked up the call from Merlin.

Merlin said indifferently on the phone, "Your mother is not feeling well again, the ambulance has just come to take her away. You should go to the hospital."

Merlin's posture was just as indifferent as the last time Adeline was hospitalized, or say, it was the same as the time before last time when Adeline had surgery. He was only responsible for calling the ambulance for Adeline and informing Leon, and then Adeline's life or death had nothing to do with him.

He never cared about Adeline, nor did he ever have a visit to the hospital.

The first two times Leon had endured it, however, this time Leon chose to explode after his silence, "That's your woman, why is it always my business?"

In the past, it was just fine, but now that he was also about to start a family. Supporting his parents was certainly his responsibility, but he couldn't always stay by Adeline's side every time.

Moreover, what Adeline wanted most in her heart was actually still Merlin's visits and care.

However, Merlin was far more ruthless than what Leon had imagined, "She was never my woman in my heart, so I won't take care of her, and likewise, I don't need her if I have any health problems in the future. Also, the reason she was hospitalized was that she received a phone call and got extremely angry. It was about Hathaway's matter."

Leon pursed his lips and tensed his jaw at this end, and he chose to hang up the phone heavily after a moment.

He was completely desperate about this matter of his parents repairing their relationship.

For an instant, he suddenly had this thought in his heart: they should get divorced. Once they relieved each other, it would relieve himself.

He grew up in such a repressive family atmosphere for many years, and it's so lucky that he did not grow into emotional problems and an unhealthy mentality.

This was also the reason why he was easily attracted to Hathaway, because there were so much sunshine and splendor in her that could shine into his dark and damp heart, making his life bright and shining.

Hathaway could tell that Leon did not look well, and hurriedly got up from the bed to ask him, "What's wrong?"

Leon restrained those heavy and dark emotions in his eyes and looked at her to explain, "My mother is not feeling well and she is in the hospital now. I need to go see her."

Hathaway's first reaction was that Adeline must have been angry by the fact that they were going to get married, so she rather Cynthiailtly urged him, "Then you should go quickly."

When Leon looked at Hathaway's reaction and remembered that Merlin said that Adeline was in the hospital again because he was angry with Hathaway, he felt unusually irritated in his heart.

Raising his hand and pulling the blanket to cover her, his voice gentled as he spoke, "It's late. You sleep first."

Merlin could never care about Adeline, but he could not.

However, after Leon left, Hathaway was not at all sleepy.

How was she able to sleep? She was even a little apprehensive. What if, what if there was really something wrong with Adeline because of their marriage? What would they do then?

When Leon arrived at the hospital, Adeline had already been rescued and sent back to the ward. Leon went to the doctor to ask about Adeline's specific condition.

The doctor said that Adeline had fainted because of her anger, but her health had deteriorated because of the surgery a few years ago, and she really couldn't bear such ups and downs.

Leon went to Adeline's hospital room with a heavy look after hearing this. Adeline's face was very unpleasant. Once she saw Leon, she moved her eyes and didn't look at him, and said resolutely, "I will never agree to you marrying Hathaway, unless I die!"

Leon, who originally wanted to take a step forward, froze in place like that, and a trace of hurt crossed the bottom of his dark eyes.

But after all, Leon was a thoughtful person, and then immediately restrained all his emotions. He walked forward and calmly asked Adeline, "Who has said anything in front of you?"

Before this, although Adeline also did not agree with him marrying Hathaway, but far from being as decisive and ruthless as she was now. Now that Adeline has been angered into the hospital, it must be that someone was provoking something behind the scenes again.

Adeline still kept her eyes away from Leon, "I will never allow an immoral woman who secretly loves her cousin marry into our Davis family!"

As soon as Adeline said this, Leon knew everything.

The ones who knew about Hathaway's affair were naturally Andrew's family.

Although Andrew had snatched Hathaway from him, he had never taken the initiative to expose the fact that Hathaway used to have a crush on him, and the ones who had been making a big deal out of it were Abby and Barbara.

A hint of a cold smile crossed Leon's eyes. Barbara was already hard to protect herself this time. He didn't expect she was still so good at rocking the boat.

Puckering his lips and looking at Adeline who didn't even want to see him, Leon tried his best to slow down his tone, "Mom, I don't want to explain anything more about this matter between Hathee and Andrew, but I only want you to be clear about one thing, I'm not an impulsive and irrational person, so my marriage is also the result of my careful consideration."

"It's the result of your deep consideration?" Adeline turned her head violently in anger and couldn't stop yelling at him, "I think it's the result of your lust!"

Hathee?

He had just called that Hathaway Hathee? How could he call her so intimately? What was it if he wasn't dizzy?

As for Adeline's rebuke, Leon's face was no better.

He originally thought that Adeline should at least believe in him to some extent. Has this son of her ever done anything out of the ordinary in the past thirty-two years without thinking about it? She had always felt that the decision he had made was the right one. Why didn't she believe him this time?

Adeline saw that Leon's face was not good, and also restrained some of her anger. To be honest, she was quite afraid of this son getting angry.

So instead, she roared, "Then tell me, what do you see in her?"

Leon replied bluntly and frankly, "I can't describe exactly what's good about her."

You didn't know how to tell some people's goodness, but they just couldn't be replaced by anyone.

"You-" Adeline was so angry by his attitude that she could not say anything, then just angrily once again looked away, "You go away. I still say the same thing. I will never agree!"

Leon took a deep look at Adeline, "You rest well."

He turned around and left without mercy after saying that.

Leon's belly was full of anger, not only because of Barbara and the others' provocation, but also because of Adeline's stubbornness, or one could say selfishness.

Adeline had clearly caused herself and Merlin each to be unhappy due to a forced relationship, and indirectly caused him, the child, to be unhappy, so why was she still so stubborn now?

CHAPTER 106 COAXING HIM

After Leon left, Adeline stared furiously at the door that was ruthlessly closed, and finally leaned against the bed and sobbed and cried.

She was sick and admitted to the hospital, while her husband didn't even show up, and her son was indifferent to the extreme. So how could she not cry out under such a miserable situation?

However, who could she blame when she was in such a situation?

On his way home, Leon received a call from Bella. Leon originally didn't want to pay attention to Bella, but at this moment, he just wanted to make enemies with the whole world. So he picked up Bella's call with a sneer on his lips, and he could already Cynthiaess what Bella was calling her about.

Sure enough, he heard Bella asking him in a concerned tone on the other end, "Leon, I heard that your mom is not well and has gone into the hospital. How is she doing now?"

Leon snorted, "You knew it as soon as my mother got into the hospital. Did you pay off the doctors or nurses?"

Leon's words could be said to be sarcastic to the extreme because his anger was so on top that Bella was right in his crosshairs. It couldn't be said that Leon was being sarcastic. He was telling the truth, but just directly revealing Bella's thought and leaving no face to her.

Bella was so embarrassed that tears were about to fall from her eyes. She had known Leon for quite some time, but before that, he had never spoken to her in such an unpleasant tone.

Leon didn't bother to pay attention to what emotions Bella was in and said in a very impatient tone, "If you care about my mother's health, just call her directly, so that you can know her health condition more directly. If you don't truly care about her, then you don't need to make any phone calls."

Leon hung up the phone after saying so, then threw the phone onto the dashboard in front of him and stepped on the accelerator to drive all the way towards home.

He didn't want to put up with anyone right now, and anyone shouldn't mess with him.

When Leon went back, Hathaway was still awake. She couldn't sleep at all. So after Leon left, to keep her head above water, she took out the drawing of the ring she had designed to make the final changes. She was so satisfied with her modification that she decided to go to the jewelry store and hire someone to start making it.

After hearing the sound of opening the door, Hathaway quickly hid the drawings, got out of bed, and went out. In the meantime, when Leon saw her coming out, he frowned and asked, "Why are you still awake?"

"Can't sleep." Hathaway could tell that Leon was not in a good mood, even though Leon had tried his best to calm himself down before entering the door.

Leon looked at her without saying anything and turned to go to the liquor cabinet to pour himself a glass of wine. Hathaway followed and sat at the bar with him and asked, "How is your mother?"

Leon didn't directly reply to her question, but said after taking a sip of wine, "Barbara and Abby told her about that shitty thing between you and Andrew."

Hathaway wanted to protest. What was the shitty thing between her and Andrew? There was nothing between her and Andrew, okay? It was all Barbara and Abby who exaggerated their own words, okay? They had to say that she was secretly in love with Andrew.

However, because Leon was not in a good mood now, and the problem with Adeline, Hathaway had no choice but to keep quiet.

After a moment, Hathaway tentatively opened her mouth, "Leon, if, if your mother is really firmly against us being together, otherwise we should separate-"

"Bang-", Hathaway's words had just reached here when she saw Leon place the wine glass heavily on the bar in front of him, which scared Hathaway a lot.

Leon's black eyes looked like they were about to spit fire, and he gritted his teeth to glare at her and said, "Don't let me hear such words again in the future!"

And then he left her alone. Hathaway spread her hands helplessly.

She was doing it for his own good, wasn't she? After all, Adeline was his own mother. He couldn't afford to piss Adeline off for another woman like her. Now that Adeline was in the hospital, and nobody knew what would happen if the stalemate continued.

And if something really happened to Adeline, even if they were together, how could they be truly happy?

Hathaway sat at the bar by himself for a while, and when she just wanted to go to the bedroom, she saw Leon had changed into his pajamas and came out towards the bedroom beside.

Hathaway stopped him and asked in confusion, "Why do you sleep here?"

Leon looked at her coolly, "You don't know why I'm sleeping here?"

Hathaway blinked very innocently, "I don't know."

Leon bit his teeth as if he was angry at her for being so slow and insensible, "Because I'm angry, I don't want to see you."

Hathaway, "..."

As for that? Just because she just told him to separate otherwise, he's mad enough to separate from her?

And was there anyone more disgraced than her who was separated on the first day she moved in?

Before Hathaway could react to what was said, Leon had already entered the bedroom and closed the door heavily.

Hathaway took a big deep breath, only then did she resist the urge to kick the door in front of her, and turned around to enter the master bedroom.

She didn't care. It's just a cold war, wasn't it? She was not afraid of him.

She hadn't wanted to move in with him anyway, so let's just pretend she was still sleeping in her own home.

However, after tossing and turning on the bed for a while, she eventually sat up and took out the drawing of the ring she had just designed from her bag with a face full of annoyance.

Okay, okay, it was true that she had just spoken badly. She'd better go and coax him.

Taking the drawing with her, she got out of bed and went to the next bedroom, knocking on the door first, but no one answered.

Hathaway was a little depressed. He wouldn't fall asleep so quickly, would he?

Just when she wanted to turn around and leave, she heard Leon inside asking, "What?"

Hathaway pushed open the bedroom door and peeked halfway in, and saw Leon half leaning on the head of the bed, his hands resting on the back of his head and closing his eyes, making people not knowing what he was thinking about.

The man's outline was deep, cold, and indifferent, and it was immediately obvious that he was unhappy.

Hathaway softly volunteered to say, "Emm, I have something to show you."

Only then did Leon open his eyes, but his face still didn't ease up much. Hathaway instantly raised the drawing in her hand at him.

"Come in." Leon took a glance at the drawing in her hand before he spoke to let her in.

The first thing Hathaway did when she entered the room was to climb onto the bed and nestle her entire self in Leon's arms. Leon was unhappy, "Didn't you want to show me something? What's the physical stuff and the touching for?"

Hathaway rolled her eyes. Who touched him on purpose? She's just leaning into his arms.

Did he think he was serious himself?

Why didn't he say something when he was doing whatever he wanted to her?

CHAPTER 107 LIKE

Although she was complaining in her mind secretly, she did not forget the purpose of coming over, very sincerely looking at the man in front of her and softly playing the woman, "I'm sorry. I shouldn't have said those words. Don't be angry..."

One of Hathaway's greatest strengths was her flexibility, especially in front of Leon.

Once she realized that she was wrong, she would quickly admit her mistakes and come to coax him. Before that, she never knew that she had such potential to coax men.

Hey, this was all developed by Leon.

What else could she do? He's so unhappy, and she couldn't just ignore him.

And for a man like Leon, Hathaway's soft and pampering way was very useful.

As soon as she was pampered, the anger in his heart dissipated without a trace like a deflated balloon.

It was just that on the surface, it was impossible for Leon to show that he was instantly not angry. He just coolly glanced at her and said, "Is it in your eyes that any relationship can start easily and end easily?"

Hathaway was busy shaking her head in denial, "No, I'm not. I just don't want you to be in a difficult situation between me and your mother."

In her heart, the beginning of a relationship was a very important thing, and if she could, she wanted to go on with her husband for a lifetime, just like Paul did with the deceased Mrs. Taylor.

There was only one person to spend the rest of her life with, and only one person to love for the rest of her life.

If it weren't for the sudden change in the Taylor family, the relationship she had in mind would have been that the two of them should fall in love day by day. They should date until they felt ready to get married, and then have a few children and live a hot, uneventful, yet warm and simple life, just like the environment she had lived in since childhood.

Siblings loved each other, and parents respected and loved each other.

In fact, everything between her and Leon was also very fast for her. From the time they first met until now was not long. Using flash marriage and pregnancy to describe it was not an exaggeration at all.

Facing such a marriage without any emotional foundation and starting from interests, she was actually panicking deep down in her heart as well. But she only showed her openness on purpose in order to reassure the people around her who cared about her.

After Hathaway finished speaking, Leon didn't say anything. The two of them were staring at each other from a very close distance, and finally, it was Hathaway who first looked away and lowered her head to unfold the drawing in her hands. Leon teased her mockingly, "It's not some kind of pornographic drawing again, is it?"

Hathaway, "..."

When had she ever drawn that kind of picture, and was it really okay for him to tease a pregnant woman like that?

Glaring at him angrily, she handed him the drawing in her hand and said through gritted teeth, "Mr. Davis, please open your big, charming eyes and take a good look. What is this?"

Leon was almost burst into laughter at her "charming big eyes", but he still managed to hold back, raising his eyebrows and deliberately asking her, "So, what's this?"

Of course, Leon could tell at a glance that it was the wedding ring, but he still wanted to hear her say it herself.

He wanted to hear her say that she had designed their wedding ring. Words like that would make him feel more comfortable.

Hathaway felt that Leon was truly childish, but she also thought that she had coaxed him to this point, it was not far from this last step. So she said with a smile like that, "This is the wedding ring I designed for us, do you like it?"

Hathaway thought that Leon was going to say something mean to pick on her again, but instead, he opened his mouth, simply and directly threw two words at her, "I do."

Hathaway was slightly surprised, then Leon reached over and grabbed her waist and pressed her into his embrace, kissing her hard.

While Hathaway was being kissed in a confused state, she realized that she had always thought that she herself was quite unreasonable, but she didn't expect that Leon was even eviler.

Someone's breathing was obviously heavy again after the kiss, and after raising his hand to turn off the bedside lamp, Leon hugged Hathaway and ordered, "Sleep."

So the two of them left the spacious and comfortable and luxurious master bedroom aside and slept in the Cynthiaest bedroom for the night.

The next morning when Hathaway woke up, a delicious breakfast was waiting for her. Hathaway washed up and sat down at the dining table, exaggeratedly praising him with her hands on the chin, "Wow, Mr. Davis, the breakfast you prepared is too delicious."

Leon calmly took a sip of coffee, "If you say it's delicious, then eat it all."

Hathaway, "..."

Why did she feel that Leon was so good at scheming?

Leon took a look at her choked expression and snorted in his heart.

He wanted her to understand that words should not be spoken nonsensically, especially words that

provoked people.

If she said it, she had to be responsible.

The two were still eating breakfast when Hathaway received a voice message from Barry, saying that he had arrived downstairs at Leon's house.

In the meantime, Leon on the other side said, "If it's inconvenient for you to drive, I'll give you a driver and don't let Barry pick you up and drop you off in the future."

Hathaway was very puzzled, "Why?"

She felt that if Barry picked her up and drove her to and from work, she was very relieved. Not only the safety issue, but the atmosphere of getting along with Barry was also very comforting as well. After all, he was her trusted subordinate and friend.

Leon said frankly without any rhetoric, "Because I hate him."

Hathaway, "..."

She coughed softly and explained in a small voice, "I've explained to you that I have nothing to do with him. He likes Jasmine."

Leon's tone was non-negotiable, "That doesn't work either."

Hathaway glared at him in a bad way and grinned with a smile, "Mr. Davis, you are jealous, aren't you?"

He was really so jealous, wasn't he? Even she had told him that Barry liked Jasmine, he was still behaving like this.

Leon stared at her seriously, "From now on, it's not allowed to speak satirically, and don't call me Mr. Davis anymore."

Hathaway was really going to pound the table in protest now, "Leon Davis!"

Leon looked at her without changing his expression, "Have a comment?"

Hathaway was indignant, "Of course I have. You are being so strict. Are you still letting people live or not?"

Leon put down the cutlery in his hands and asked her back one by one, "Do you think that being sarcastic is the way to get along between husband and wife? Or do you think Mr. Davis is a normal way to address a husband?"

Hathaway, "..."

She admitted that he made sense, but wasn't she doing this to increase the vitality between them? He was already so boring, and if she wasn't more interesting, it was only a matter of time before they became the same as his parents.

So she still stuck to her point, "Flirty fun! Do you understand the word "fun"? How boring is it for two people to get along in a serious way?"

"Oh?" Leon raised his eyebrows, "Then you try it in a serious way and see if it's interesting."

Hathaway, "..."

She knew it. Leon was always digging a hole for her when he spoke.

CHAPTER 108 HONEY

"What are you doing?" Leon was urging Hathaway seriously, "Let's start with changing the name you call me."

Hathaway was speechless and only had to laugh at this kind of behavior. She wasn't unaware of Leon's intention to deliberately make things difficult for her. In that case, then let's fight it out, so she simply went along with what he said, "What do you want me to call you?"

Leon replied, "Think for yourself."

Hathaway tilted her head with one hand on her chin as if she was seriously thinking, and after a while, she softly and tenderly said, "Leo?"

Leon instantly recalled the last time when he had dinner with Bella, she deliberately sent voice messages like a prank and called his name over and over again. The girl's voice was soft and beautiful, and at this time she also deliberately threw winks at him. He suddenly felt his throat was a little tight and dry.

Hathaway saw that he didn't speak, so she smiled again and changed another one, "Honey?"

Leon stared at her without speaking, while Hathaway continued to change, "Little Leon?"

Leon, "..."

Just as he was about to open her mouth to interrupt her so that she could call him by his reCynthialar name, Leon, he heard her suddenly scream, "Ah!"

"I've thought of a name that would suit you." Hathaway said with a lively expression, "Old Leo!"

Hathaway looked at Leon's blackened face and buried herself on the dining table, laughing.

In fact, it was quite good that he was so boring. Just a casual teasing could make him angry, and then she would quickly give him comfort. This kind of life was quite interesting. It was better than being indifferent as a stranger.

Leon sat opposite, looking at the girl who laughed until tears came out of her eyes. Although he was wordless, he didn't think it was no good like this.

After breakfast, the two of them left for work. Leon drove himself, while Hathaway still took Barry's car and left.

Hathaway was going downstairs with Leon, and Barry was busy greeting Leon respectfully after seeing him, "Good morning, Mr. Davis."

Leon looked at Barry and nodded slightly and turned around to get into his car.

After sitting in the car and watching Barry drive away with Hathaway, Leon eventually canceled the plan of giving her a new driver in his mind.

He knew the feeling of comfort and security of using one's own henchman, just as he used Warren. It's just that, that assistant of hers, Barry, how long could she use him?

As soon as Hathaway arrived at her office, she saw Andrew waiting there with a gloomy face.

Hathaway knew why Andrew had come to see her. It was because of her marriage to Leon. But Hathaway really didn't want to see Andrew at all. Didn't he think his whole family had harmed her not enough?

Only this time, before Hathaway said anything, Andrew himself took the initiative to speak, "You don't have to look so disCynthiasted. I know you hate me and my family right now."

Hathaway snorted in her heart, thinking that it's fine if he knew what he was doing. He'd better not bother her in the future.

Andrew looked at her indifferent pretty face and spoke in a cold tone, "I just came here today to tell you that you will regret this decision of yours."

Andrew's words carried an unprecedented determination and a desperate fierceness.

Hathaway's heart panicked uncontrollably, but on the surface, she tried her best not to show her panic. Instead, she suppressed all those bad emotions and looked back to Andrew's eyes with calm and fearless eyes.

Aside from the fact that she had once had such a hint of admiration for Andrew, what else did their

family have to against her?

As for the company the Taylor's Group, if they wanted to take it away, then just took it. Anyway, now she and the other families didn't take it that seriously as before now, especially Paul, who had instructed her several times that if Andrew wanted to do something, just let him do it and achieve his goal.

Since Kenny was put into jail, Ashley got into a car accident, and she was now trapped in this situation, Paul has completely changed his notion of pursuing worldly success and also put down a lot of things.

Andrew didn't say anything else, he just took a deep look at her and then turned around and left. Hathaway then entered her office and quietly calmed herself down.

The news of Leon's marriage to Hathaway shocked the entire city, and it didn't take long for the news to reach Cynthia, who was far away in Hong Kong.

Cynthia watched the online news and burst into tears on the spot.

Zoe shook her head and then took a tissue and handed it to Cynthia, as she cried and choked, "Why Leon? Why it has to be Davis? There are so many talented young people in South City. How did she get together with Leon?"

"I was thinking that she was going to get married later, and I would go to her wedding and watch her get married happily, but what do you want me to do now?"

"Why? Why? Why?"

Cynthia kept crying so sadly and kept asking why.

The picture of the woman crying until her eyes were red and swollen made Zoe look also very distressed. As a good friend of Cynthia for many years, Zoe was aware of Cynthia's past, so naturally, she also knew why Cynthia was so sad now. However, Zoe now didn't know how she should persuade Cynthia either.

After returning from South City, Cynthia started preparing for the opening of a new studio in South City, and even made the decision to make Zoe responsible for the management of the studio in Hong Kong, because she had a family and children there, and Hong Kong was her home and a place she couldn't leave. On the other hand, Cynthia was alone, and she decided to settle down in South City to accompany Hathaway after identifying her as her child and make up to Hathaway for the maternal love of 24 years.

But now Hathaway and Leon were getting married...

Zoe sighed in her heart, what kind of fate it was!

After crying for a while, Cynthia slowly calmed down and recovered from her complicated and sad

emotions.

"Adeline won't agree to her son marrying her!" The calmed Cynthia cherished her senses and recovered, and took another look at the picture of Leon on the computer screen, and then said to Zoe with certainty.

The man was truly handsome and charming. If he was not the son of Merlin and Adeline, Cynthia felt that she would have blessed Hathaway to marry such a man.

Cynthia couldn't know Adeline any better. Not to mention that Hathaway had a bad reputation before, even if Hathaway had a good reputation, Adeline wouldn't agree to Leon and Hathaway being together just because of Hathaway's face.

When people who knew her saw Hathaway, they would see the resemblance between Hathaway and her at first sight.

Even if Adeline didn't know that Hathaway was the child she abandoned back then, Adeline wouldn't accept Hathaway because of that face.

Otherwise, if Hathaway became Adeline's daughter-in-law, Adeline would only have nightmares every night if she saw Hathaway's face often.

CHAPTER 109 THERE WILL BE LOVE BETWEEN US.

Zoe frowned her brows, "But if Adeline didn't agree, how could their marriage news be made public?"

This was something that Cynthia also wondered. And Zoe added, "Could it be that this Leon, withstanding the pressure from his family, insisted on marrying her?"

Cynthia shook her head very firmly, "Impossible. Even if he gets past Adeline, his grandfather won't allow him."

The influence of the old Davis on Cynthia was even deeper. She could never forget the harshness of the old Davis's words as well as the coldness of his face in dislike for the rest of her life.

Cynthia then said mockingly to herself, "Besides, how could he insist like that?"

Zoe knew what these taunts in Cynthia's tone were for. Leon's father, Merlin, hadn't held out and chosen to compromise and give up, and Cynthia was taunting that Leon would inherit this from Merlin.

Now this situation was a bit tricky, and Zoe didn't know what to do for a while, so she had no choice but to ask Cynthia, "What are you going to do?"

Cynthia sighed, "I don't know what to do. I want to give her a call, but I'm in no position to persuade her to break up with Leon, not to mention she's pregnant now..."

If Hathaway wasn't pregnant, things wouldn't have been so difficult. But with the child, the relationship between the two of them would not be that simple.

Particularly for the current Cynthia, because of incomparable remorse for having cruelly discarded Hathaway, she somehow had a soft heart for the child, so it was more impossible to say anything to persuade Hathaway to leave Leon. It was better for the young child to have his or her real parents by his or her side.

"Zoe, help me buy another ticket to South City. I don't feel comfortable and I want to go see her personally." Cynthia said this like she was determined after a moment, "You know, that Adeline is not a person easy to be messed with. She was able to treat me in that way. I was afraid that she would target Hathaway, I-"

When she said this, she became red-eyed again, "I can't stand the thought of Hathee getting hurt. If Adeline really dared to do anything to her, I would definitely fight her to the death!"

Cynthia was always a gentle person, but at this moment, a trace of determination and fierceness crossed her eyes as well.

When she was hurt by Adeline like that, which ruined her innocence and happiness in her life, she chose to endure it, but now she couldn't endure Adeline hurting Hathaway even a hair.

This was the so-called "a mother was strong for her children".

The fact that she chose to leave in the first place wasn't because she was too weak and kind and too easily bullied, it was also the result of disheartened despair.

The despair towards Merlin, and the fear of another man.

Even though that man always looked smiling and spoiled in front of her, she shuddered at the thought of that man's identity.

Zoe nodded, "Okay, I'll go buy it for you right away."

Then she asked Cynthia again, "Do you need me to go with you?"

Cynthia shook her head, "No need. I'm going to deal with mainly personal matters. You stay here and handle work matters."

Cynthia thought of this and then said, "If you're feeling tired, call Henry back to help you. He's been outside for several years. It's time for him to come back and help us."

Henry was Zoe's son, and also Cynthia's godson.

Zoe was having a headache, "Forget about him. The last time I called him, I hadn't even managed to open my mouth to tell him to come back, and he told me weakly that he had broken up and was going to heal himself for a while and wouldn't come back."

A hint of helplessness also crossed Cynthia's face, "Kids at their age are just emotional all day long, and only after experiencing it do they know that love isn't a meal and doesn't matter that much."

Cynthia eventually called Hathaway, for she was still worried about Hathaway.

Hathaway was overjoyed to receive the call from Cynthia, and before Cynthia could say anything, she asked with concern on this end, "Ms. Nelson, how are you doing? I'm so happy to receive your call."

Hathaway really didn't expect Cynthia to call her. After all, in her heart, Cynthia was still a high and mighty goddess of the industry.

Cynthia was originally worried about Hathaway, but at this time her heart was slightly relieved when hearing her energetic voice, "I'm fine. I heard the news that you're getting married to Leon Davis, is it true?"

She was hoping to hear Hathaway say something that it wasn't true, yet also knew that since the Davis Group had made the announcement, it was eighty percent true.

"It's true." Leon had announced their wedding news, so Hathaway took the opportunity to explain what she had hidden from Cynthia last time, "I didn't tell you last time when you asked me about the father of my child because at that time I didn't know if it would work out between us..."

Cynthia asked her again, "So... do you love him? You really want to marry him and have children with him? Do you love him?"

If she could, Cynthia cherished the hope that Hathaway would marry love.

Hathaway was silent on that end, then confessed to Cynthia, "Actually, we didn't start with love. When the Taylor Group was in trouble, I had to find a man I could rely on to help me..."

Hathaway didn't know why she was willing to tell her secret with Cynthia, but talking about this, she laughed again in a light tone, "But I'm sure there will be love between us in the future. After all, I'm so beautiful. It's too bad that he won't fall in love with me. And of course, I'll fall in love with him. He's also handsome and charming, isn't he?"

Hathaway's words made Cynthia want to cry and laugh at the same time.

She suddenly hated herself so much for not appearing when Hathaway was in the most difficult time. She could have given all her wealth to Hathaway so that Hathaway and the Taylor Group could get

through the difficult times together, and Hathaway wouldn't have to put herself in this situation back then.

Hathaway's comment about she was as beautiful as a flower and Leon would definitely fall in love with her, made Cynthia break into a smile again.

Cynthia had to admit that Hathaway's character was really too good. She was taught by Paul and his wife to be confident, cheerful, and sunny.

There was never a haze in her heart because she had always grown up in a caring and warm environment full of love.

Hathaway was a little worried as Cynthia remained silent at this end, "Ms. Nelson, is everything ok?"

Then she expectantly and cautiously invited, "May I invite you to my wedding?"

As a matter of fact, Hathaway was not qualified to invite Cynthia. After all, they didn't know each other that well, but Hathaway had involuntarily issued such an invitation, and in fact, Hathaway was a little apprehensive after she said it.

"Hathaway-" faced with Hathaway's warm invitation, Cynthia couldn't say anything for a moment.

She didn't know where to start either.

She didn't know how to open her mouth to tell Hathaway about her identity, let alone how to talk about her past grudges with Leon's parents.

"I'm going to South City in a few days, let's meet and talk then." In the end, she could only respond like this for the time being.

CHAPTER 110 DISPLAY OF AFFECTION

After ending the call with Hathaway, Cynthia sat in her chair and slowly closed her eyes.

She hated Adeline to the bone and would never forgive her in her life.

But now, her daughter was together with Adeline's son. It was hard for her to say how much she felt. However, no matter how uncomfortable she was, she could only silently endure this because from the tone of Hathaway's voice on the phone just now, she did not have the slightest bit of resentment about marrying Leon.

On the contrary, there was a little bit of rejoicing.

This forced Cynthia to rethink about it. After knowing Hathaway's identity, her heart simply melted and she itched to give her the best of everything in the world. So if Hathaway was really happy marrying

Leon, she would not oppose it anymore.

As long as Hathaway was happy, it didn't matter how she felt about it.

In the afternoon, when Hathaway got off work, she received a phone call from Leon. Before that, since she was the one who took the initiative to approach Leon, Leon had hardly ever called her, except for the two times when he was away on business. So when Hathaway received the call from Leon, she really felt it quite amazing and wonderful.

Leon simply said on the other end of the phone, "I'll come over to pick you up tonight and go out for dinner together."

Hathaway was a bit hesitant because ever since Leon announced their wedding news yesterday afternoon, the two of them had become the focus of media attention. There were many reporters gathered outside the Taylor Group, and they were already there when Barry picked her up from the company in the morning. She believed that things would be the same at the Davis Group, and it was impossible that Leon did not know. So wouldn't it be a bit high-profile for him to pick her up for dinner when the two of them were getting so much attention now?

Especially since it would still be tracked by reporters, Hathaway felt that Leon should quite dislike this kind of attention. Before, when he was in South City, although he was in the limelight, he was extremely low-key.

Leon saw that she didn't respond so he asked again, "What's wrong?"

Hathaway then said directly, "What about those reporters out there?"

Leon didn't care at all about those reporters, "They can follow if they want. It's not like it's something shameful for us to eat together."

Since Leon had such an attitude, Hathaway naturally didn't have any opinion. Of course, she was willing to display her affection in a high profile. She was just afraid that Leon didn't like it. As a result, she happily agreed to it.

At six o'clock in the evening, Leon's car appeared under the Taylor Group's office building. The reporters who were waiting there thought that they were mistaken, knowing that in their past perception, Leon hated this kind of tidbits, and was even more of a low-key and restrained person. Except for some business activities, in the ordinary day, he was hardly ever seen in any disagreeable place.

But now, his car was parked downstairs in the Taylor Group's building, clearly waiting for Hathaway, the woman he had just announced his intention to marry yesterday.

A bunch of reporters came back to their senses and swarmed Leon's car, wanting to shoot Leon or even interview him, but the windows didn't lower and they couldn't shoot anything. About a few minutes

later, Hathaway came out of the Taylor Group, wearing white high-waisted wide-legged pants and a hazy blue striped shirt, which was bright and professional.

The reporters couldn't find any entry point to Leon, so they all rushed towards Hathaway, but Hathaway was tightly protected by Barry, and just walked all the way into Leon's car without any obstacles. The reporters didn't get any information at all. They were not content with the fact and were once jammed around the cars of Leon, making it unable to move forward.

Leon's car window finally rolled down. The reporters just wanted to ask what to do, Leon rudely said two words to them with a cold face, "Get out."

The reporters stiffened and looked at each other. No one dared to go forward to continue to surround his car. Because Leon's aura was just too powerful, and his eyes were intimidating enough, so no one dared to challenge Leon's authority.

At last, Leon successfully drove Hathaway out of the Taylor Group. Leon was already annoyed with those media reporters who were everywhere and had their fingers in every pie. And this time they touched his bottom line again and even tried to stop his car, so he had nothing to be polite to them. He was already merciful when he told them to get out.

Hathaway let out a sigh of relief and looked back at the journalists who had been dumped, "Your eyes are really something. No one is catching up now."

Leon turned his head to look at her and asked, "Did they just hit you?"

She was pregnant, and he was worried that the rude reporters had just hurt her.

"No." Joey denied with a big grin, "Barry's keeping me close to him-"

After saying that, Hathaway realized that it didn't seem right. But the situation was like that. Barry could only protect her like that and make the way clear for her, right?

Leon was angry and focused on driving to ignore her.

Barry, Barry. Sooner or later, he would have to find a reason to resign Barry. Telling her something about Barry might be the best choice, and then without Barry resigning, she wouldn't be able to afford to hire him herself.

Hathaway looked at the route Leon drove and curiously asked Leon, "Where are we going to eat?"

Leon faintly answered, "Warren's house."

Hathaway was surprised, "Special Assistant Thomas's house?"

Leon said in a bad tone, "Didn't you say you liked his wife's cooking?"

Hathaway gave an embarrassed cough. The last time when Leon was on a business trip, she deliberately called Warren in order to piss Leon off, and she praised Warren's wife's culinary skills in various ways. But she didn't expect that he would really take her to taste Warren's wife's cooking today. It seemed that he did hear all the contents of that phone call last time.

However, thinking of Leon taking her to eat at Warren's house, Hathaway felt quite comfortable in her heart. She could tell that Warren and Leon had a good relationship. Apart from their work relationship, they should be good friends in private. And now that Leon took her to meet his friends, it meant that he at least did not reject this marriage which only existed because of the children.

Warren's home was located in one of the upscale apartments in South City. As Leon's special assistant, he naturally had the financial means to buy the apartment there. As soon as the two of them parked their car downstairs in Warren's home, Hathaway held her cell phone and said to Leon, "These reporters are really speedy. The news about our high-profile display of affection has been published."

"Leon personally picked her up from work", "She smiled a sweet face"... Hathaway raised her hand and touched her face. When did she smile in a sweet face? She remembered she was clearly keeping a straight face with no expression.

Leon relieved the safety belt and replied to her, "Pregnant women should look less at their phones."

Hathaway snorted. What was he talking about? She was obviously talking to him about the news of the two of them, but he was asking her in a serious manner not to play with her phone.

Did this count as a generation gap?