

Triplets on SM 251

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Molly and Benjamin both exhaled a sigh of relief as they exited the ward after dealing with the patient's situation.

Benjamin looked at Molly, who was still frowning, patted her on the shoulder, and joked, "Postoperative complications are not uncommon. As doctors, don't we all have this psychological preparation? Is the well-known Dr. Joye scared now?" Molly said, shaking her head, "That is not the case. This patient's case is unique. I'm considering additional treatment options."

When Molly and Benjamin entered the operating room, they witnessed the patient's family's emotions. She was unconcerned about getting in trouble. Because of the patient's condition, most of the patient's family members are emotional. Molly understands the fragility of every life as a doctor. As a result, when treating patients, she will work harder and want to save as many lives as possible. "This patient is in a unique situation and requires constant attention to his condition. This is not something I would share with others. I'd like to keep an eye on him. You are welcome to join me. You come during the day, and I come at night. Only the two of us can handle any emergency in the situation."

Molly also knew she would never be able to care for the patient alone for 24 hours, so she proposed to Benjamin.

"What about your children at home if we take turns watching the patient?" Benjamin asked. Benjamin did not agree right away. He understood how difficult it was for Molly to care for her children independently. He did not want to bother Molly too much, but there did not seem to be any other option. "It's okay. I have my grandpa at home to look after them," Molly said with a smile.

Molly was no longer alone. Nonetheless, Benjamin did not refuse. He knew Molly was a responsible person who would be accountable for her work and her patients. He could never refuse, so he could only share the work with her as much as he could.

"Okay, but you must come during the day, and I will work the night shift. So you can accompany the kids home at night." As Benjamin suggested.

"All right," Molly said.

The arrangements had been made, and Molly had to call home to inform her family about it.

Molly was on the phone with Grandpa Dave about this, and the triplets were by his side. Everyone could hear her when he turned on the loudspeaker. "Mommy, don't overwork yourself!" "Mommy, your health comes first. You must first take care of yourself before you can care for the patients."

"We'll be fine at home. Mommy, just come home early when you're finished!"

The triplets were used to Molly being too busy at work to return home. They know that Molly has been working extremely hard, so they have been obedient and let Molly worry less about them.

The triplets were well-behaved and studied and played at home; they did not look for Molly.

When Sean arrived at noon for lunch, the triplets washed their hands and sat down to eat. He did not see Molly anywhere in the house.

“Where is your mother?” Sean inquired, perplexed.

“Mommy is working at the hospital.” While eating, Alex responded to Sean. Seeing that Sean had no idea what had happened, Alex explained, “That’s mommy. She is always very dutiful to her patients. When we were abroad, mommy sometimes got busy abroad and didn’t come home for a week.”

Sean and Grandpa Dave felt sorry for Molly and the triplets after Alex said that.

Sean could not help but wonder, “When your mommy’s busy, who usually looks after you three?”

“Mommy’s aide, Aunt Caitlyn, or our godmother will look after us,” Claudia replied.

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The pets have not seen their godmother in a long time and missed her terribly

Grandpa Dave was taken aback when he learned, “You three have a godmother?”

Grandpa Dave had never heard Molly mention it to him before.

Grandpa Dave reflected on Molly’s difficulties in the past few years abroad. He decided, ‘If I have the opportunity to meet their godmother, I would like to show her my gratitude.’

“We do, indeed.” The triplets quickly nodded. “Our godmother lives in another country. Her name is Noelle Stone, and she is a fantastic doctor. She has been of great help to mommy.” ‘When they talked about Noelle, the triplets were overjoyed. It appears that they adore their godmother.’ Sean pondered.

Sean’s mouth corners raised slightly. He listened to the triplets’ chit-chats and learned more about Molly’s social life and past.

‘During those years abroad, Molly was a wonderful person.’ Sean pondered. Something had filled his heart with joy.

Sean intended to play two rounds of chess with Grandpa Dave after lunch. Tony dashed over and told Sean to go back and answer the phone because he was needed in the company to handle some urgent business.

“Don’t worry about it. Priority should be given to your company’s affairs. We can always play it whenever we want.” said Grandpa Dave. He saw Tony’s concern and urged Sean to return immediately

“Okay, then. Bring the kids and yourself over to my house for dinner tonight. I’ll have the chef prepare a meal for us since Ms. May isn’t here.” Sean stated.

“How kind of you. I’ll see you later then.” Grandpa Dave agreed to his offer.

The two families’ relationship was already very close, and they shared meals regularly.

Tony quickly pushed Sean out of the house after saying goodbye to Grandpa Dave.

However, the situation at the company was critical. Tony's phone rang before Sean arrived home. Tony did not dare to postpone the matter and handed Sean his cellphone. "We're going to the company right now," Sean said.

Tony called the company after getting into the car and informed the senior executives that they were coming now. They all froze in fear.

A virus recently infected the Anderson Corporation's system.

Sean pays close attention to network security, so the company's work has been flawless. The IT Department's employees are all professionals. Now that this matter has suddenly appeared, it is reasonable to assume that the other party has come prepared.

Sean entered the company and found several senior key personnel waiting for him in the conference room. When they saw Sean, they all thought their pillar of strength had arrived. Everyone calmed down and reported on the current situation promptly.

"If this virus is not eradicated within three hours, Mr. Anderson, the company's information will be leaked," one of the executives warned. If it weren't for this, they wouldn't be in such a rush to contact Sean. Since the company's confidential information is involved, none of them would be able to shoulder the burden if things were not handled properly. "What exactly happened?" While asking Tony to get him a computer, Sean asked the Head of the IT Department.

"This attack, Mr. Anderson, is not a typical one. We gave it our all. The opposing party is far too cunning. Initially, a shaky attack on the firewall drew our attention. When we decided to track the other party, we discovered it had already established a perimeter. We didn't have time to react. The entire company's system was paralyzed in less than a minute." The Head of the IT Department described what had occurred and informed Sean of his suspicions, saying, "This must be the work of at least a world-class hacker."

Sean's face isn't looking good. He was confident that the IT Department was correct. Because he had already gone into battle and learned about the virus that person had put on.

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Molly had been working late and had not yet returned home, so the triplets did their homework diligently. Alex took his computer and activated the VPN to access the extranet to learn about the latest industry developments. Alex had not been online in a while, and a lot had happened on the Internet. There are numerous requests on the bounty website. Alex was sluggishly scrolling through the online posts to see what was new.

Suddenly, Alex's attention was drawn to a bounty. The reward for attacking the Anderson Corporation was 100 million dollars.

"Oh no, the Anderson Corporation is going to be attacked!" Alex stood up straight, and his face became solemn.

"What's the matter? Who will attack the Anderson Corporation?" Ben set down his pencil and approached Alex. Even though computers are beyond Ben's comprehension, he can understand what it says.

“Will daddy get into any trouble?” Claudia inquired, concerned.

“The bounty has already been taken.” Alex expressed his sadness. He would be fine if he did not know Anderson Corporation’s president was his father. But now that he knew, he would never stand by and watch.

Alex tracked down the bounty’s specific information and ran a background check on the person who took it.

Turns out, it was Violetta, a world-class hacker!

“It’s Violetta!” Alex was taken aback. He was also a hacker; no one in the hacker community had ever heard of Violetta. Violetta was ranked at least among the top ten in the world.

“What is the current state of affairs at the Anderson Corporation?” Ben inquired solemnly, his gaze fixed on the screen.

They were worried about Sean after learning it was Violetta, and they did not know if the Anderson Corporation could withstand its attack.

“Let me look,” Alex could not see any updates to the bounty list, so he devised a method to hack into the Anderson Corporation’s system.

Alex was too late. Anderson Corporation’s system had already taken a hit. “Oh no, Violetta had done something to the Anderson Corporation’s system,” Alex grumbled as he stopped tapping his fingers on the keyboard.

On the other hand, Sean tracked down the bounty offered by the foreign hackers on the Internet as soon as he got the computer.

Violetta was well-known to Sean.

Aside from those who can be found on the hacker rankings due to their exceptional skills, some were known for stepping on famous predecessors. Some rely on their own strength to establish a name in this circle.

Violetta was the latter. This person once created a virus system in another country and replaced it with a normal operating system, paralyzing the entire country’s network

Although only a small country was attacked then, the network data involved was massive. Even if it was a small country, it affected the surrounding countries and those who communicated with small countries. The destruction spread like wildfire. The loss was so significant that the incident victims placed a bounty on Violetta. Still, the bounty was later removed for no apparent reason.

Violetta’s name has become well-known on a global scale as a result of that incident.

Sean knew that the other party did not come in peace. ‘Who else will be able to put up a bounty on the Andersons?’ he thought. ‘It has to be one of our foes!’ On the other hand, the Andersons were a large multinational group, and a small pawn could not take action against the Andersons.

Sean asked everyone in the conference room to leave, leaving only him and Tony. Tony was also obviously anxious as he went back and forth several times in the exact location.

“Do you think it was the Stephen Group, boss?” Tony came to a sudden halt and inquired speculatively. Tony could not think of anyone else besides the Stephen Group as a nemesis capable of taking on the Andersons.

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The Stephen Group, based in North America, was a well-known investment company. With the continuous expansion of Anderson Corporation’s business over the years, they have also entered the market there. There will undoubtedly be competition for interests, and the Stephens are hostile to outsiders like the Andersons.

The two companies have had several run-ins. Fortunately for the Andersons, they have Sean as a trump card.

Sean’s strategy, tactics, and extremely accurate investment vision have resulted in repeated losses for the Stephen Group.

It was no surprise that Tony suspected it was the Stephens who had done such heinous things to the Anderson Corporation.

“Whether true or not, the company’s crisis must be resolved immediately,” Sean stated. His calm demeanor made it impossible to tell whether he was happy or angry.

Tony sat down to avoid disturbing Sean, who was about to get busy. The opposing party posted a bounty on the hacker’s website. Sean followed suit and posted a bounty on the hacker’s website. The bounty reward was five times that of the other party. 500 million dollars as a reward for anyone who could remove Violetta’s virus from their system. Alex was unaware of the Anderson Corporation’s current situation, so he checked the website for the latest news updates.

When Sean’s bounty appeared, Alex grabbed it as soon as he saw it.

“Daddy posted a bounty,” Alex explained. But he was conflicted. Alex was pleased that he could assist Sean, but he was also concerned about the situation at Anderson’s Corporation. It can’t be that bad, or daddy wouldn’t have put up a bounty.’ Alex pondered

Alex contacted Sean right away, and they added each other on WhatsApp.

Alex’s codename on the hacker’s website was Queen, and he used the same name as his WhatsApp alias.

Sean’s WhatsApp profile has a completely black avatar with the alias SA.

Alex recognized Sean as soon as he added him to his contact list. This straightforward style is entirely daddy!

Alex’s request was approved. He let go of his excitement and sent a message to Sean directly.

(I have already read the information you sent me. Violetta's virus was challenging. Three hours is insufficient if I'm doing it alone. Violetta will undoubtedly be watchful. I require the assistance of another computer expert to act in silence. This virus can be eliminated using a two-pronged approach.) Alex texted.

(All right, what do you want me to do? I'll take your lead.) Sean responded immediately.

Knowing that the person on the opposite side of WhatsApp Was Sen. Alex was thrilled to see his reply 'I knew daddy was an IT expert not long ago, but I never imagined I'd be able to work with him so soon! [I will begin coding a new system while you wait for my instructions.] Alex texted.

"Aww! I wished I could work with daddy!" After seeing Alex respond to Sean, Ben said and hammered the sofa enviously. Ben could not help but be jealous of Alex's happiness. Nothing could be done because Ben was not computer literate.

Alex cheerfully began his work on removing Violetta's virus From the information sent to him by Sean, Alex was able to deduce the structure of the virus.

"The opposing party is clearly expecting to win this cyberattack and intends to hit the Anderson Corporation hard in one fell swoop. Alex pondered. Violetta had come prepared, which worried Alex. He was afraid Violetta would notice something was wrong while he was busy removing the virus.

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This was not the first time such a cyberattack occurred. Many similar commercial systems have been attacked in the past; some wanted to deal a blow to their opponents, while others wanted to steal confidential documents. The person who planted the virus will set up an alarm system. If someone tries to remove the virus, it will set off a remote alarm, alerting the person who installed it and allowing them to attack again. Anyone who has worked in the same industry for a while will be aware of such attacks. Alex extracted a process from the system he had previously written. A completely new system was created in less than ten minutes. He then forwarded the newly upgraded system to Sean. (Install the system I sent you in place of the current one. The system will be operational in a minute. I'll launch a cyberattack on Violetta's system to remove the virus. You are my eyes on the alarm. If there is any movement, silence it immediately!) Alex typed. (All right.) Sean responded. Alex was watching the countdown as the preparations were completed. As soon as the timer went off, Alex immediately started and attacked Violetta's program. His fingers moved so quickly on the keyboard that he could not tell which key they had landed on. After that, a series of garbled codes flashed on the screen. The only sound in the silent room was tapping on the keyboard.

Ben and Claudia sat next to Alex, watching as he worked with Sean to remove the virus.

Violetta, predictably, set up an alarm system for the virus. There were traces of alarms being activated as soon as Alex's system interacted with the virus's firewall.

Alex simply saw the moment the red light lit up on the screen, and the red light vanished in an instant.

"The alarm had been intercepted and silenced successfully. Alex smiled from the corner of his mouth. 'I knew it; daddy made it!'

Sean was not idle either. He immediately silenced the alarm and did not allow it to go off. At the same time, multiple firewalls were set up to protect Alex and himself, and he then collaborated with Alex to launch an attack.

Sean and Alex were simultaneously attacked and aided. They successfully removed the virus in less than a half-hour without alarming Violetta.

Sean was surprised to see the virus had been successfully removed. 'I didn't expect it to be so fast,' he thought. This hacker I worked with had to be a pro.'

(Please provide me with your bank account number, and I will transfer your reward.) Alex typed.

The crisis at Anderson Corporation was resolved, and he also met with an expert. Sean's mood gradually improved.

Alex gave Sean his bank account number without hesitation. 'Since daddy is paying, I'll just keep it. I can buy mommy a mansion and a luxury car... Taking the pay was, of course, to keep daddy from becoming suspicious. As the saying goes, there is

no such thing as a free lunch. Daddy would question my motives if I didn't take his money.' Alex thought.

(This is the system I designed. Consider it a present. Although the system you're using is adequate, it's not powerful enough. Not only does my system have multiple intercepts, but it also has a loop. The attacker's IP address will be tracked if the system is attacked again. Until the attack ends, the system will begin to counterattack, preventing the attacker from exploiting it.) Alex typed.

Even in the international market, few people can build this system, and even fewer can afford

Sean was touched by the other party's generosity. He accepted the gift and immediately replaced it with Anderson Corporation's current system. 'I could be wrong, but this hacker, Queen, appeared to be purposefully assisting Anderson Corporation.' Sean pondered.

This kind of speculation inspired Sean to hire Queen as his employee. Alex noticed his message as soon as it was sent.

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Alex was more than surprised to hear that. His capability was recognized by his daddy. Alex, who was always a calm person, could not help but feel excited too.

However, he kept his composure.

Queen: "That's a very kind offer, but it's not very convenient for me to go to work physically. However, you can always contact me whenever you need help in the future."

Alex resisted himself and sent the text.

Sean gave up recruiting Queen after his offer was rejected.

In the hospital —

Molly was working all day. She had no idea the crisis that had happened in the Anderson Cooperation was resolved.

It was already close to sunset. She was sorting out her patients' files, and the cup of water on her desk was no longer warm.

Benjamin pushed the door open with some files in his hand. Molly lifted her head and stood up after seeing him.

Molly opened the drawer and put the files inside. Then, she watered the plants on her desk with a cup of water before getting ready to leave.

They were already used to changing shifts with each other like this in these few days. It felt both familiar and strange to Benjamin.

"I'm sorry for being a little late today. I'll treat you to a meal as compensation." He tried to create a conversation with Molly. He wanted to be close with Molly again by communicating verbally.

"Sure." Molly paused for a moment when she pulled the door open and responded without turning back. The white blind was shut, leaving Benjamin on the other side as she disappeared from his sight.

She walked into the corridor. She wanted to pay Brycen a visit before leaving.

The door was not closed, so the person in the ward saw her right away as soon as she stepped before the door.

"Molly, you're here." Brycen was surprised as he greeted her. "Yeah. I'm here to check on your progress." Molly walked into the ward. She figured that Brycen was in very good condition after seeing how well he looked.

Brycen was just discussing with Russell what they should eat for dinner. Surprisingly, Molly came to visit him, so he took the opportunity and asked, "Molly, it's getting late. I bet you haven't eaten yet, right? Why don't you stay and eat with us?"

Molly was going to reject him, but it seemed like the person on the bed could predict what was going to say as he continued speaking, "I'll tell Russell to order some takeout, The food will be here very soon."

Brycen turned over to rush Russell after he said that. "Chop-chop!"

"Alright, I'm on it," Russell responded as he ran out of the door,

"Russell's going to buy some food for you too. Just stay here for dinner. You've got to be tired after working all day. You should reward yourself." "Fine." Molly had no choice but to give in as she sat down. She found it very hard to reject how friendly Brycen was to her. Russell made his way back very soon. Molly was surprised by how well he did his job. She helped him to prepare the food, and they started



eating together. After some time, the door was opened. Molly saw Lara standing there, and she immediately lost her appetite.

She put down her utensils and wiped her mouth with a serviette.

The May family was still turning people's stomachs as ever. "Hey, isn't this the ungrateful wretch? She's too bold to be eating. I'm surprised that she's not afraid of getting choked on after all the terrible things she's done." Lara got mad after seeing Molly there unexpectedly when she went to visit her son, as she said sarcastically.

Also, Molly reminded her of when she warned herself in front of Sean.

Lara got furious. She even got mad at Brycen as she scolded, "The May family is almost done for! Brycen, how could you still have the mood to eat with her? Have you lost your conscience too?"

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She shifted her gaze between Molly and Bryce. The longer she looked at them, the madder she got.

The May family was already in bad shape. The Anderson Cooperation terminated the partnership with them because of Molly, and things became worse for them. They had a very serious problem with their funding, and they were forced to sell some of their properties to bridge the financial gaps. They managed to muddle through it, but it hit them hard, nonetheless.

Molly felt like throwing her utensils at Lara's face to knock some sense into her after hearing how she insulted herself and scolded Brycen for no reason.

She already told Lara that the May Group would only be doomed because of what she did.' Brycen only asked me to eat because he was being nice. What does that have to do with the May Group?'

'Is Lara expecting a sick person to jump out of his hospital bed and put the May Group out of its misery?'

Molly spoke coldly, "You asked for this, didn't you? Why should I be nice to you after you raised your hand against my child? You weren't even bothered to apologize, yet you have the nerve to criticize me. You're the only reason why the May Group is going down." Lara's heart hurt after hearing what Molly said as her temple twitched. This wretch is driving me crazy!'

She put her hand on her chest while panting as she glowered at Molly.

Molly ignored her completely and walked out of the ward. Russell cleaned the table and threw the food away after Molly left. 'What a waste. We just started eating' Brycen's face darkened as Lara messed his dinner up. Getting scolded was the last thing he cared about at that time. He could not bear it despite how good his temper was.

Not to mention the fact that his temper was not very good.

Brycen looked at Lara coldly. "Mom, it was clearly your fault. You hit the kid and said that they're illegitimate children. Molly wasn't even there. What did she do wrong? Can't you understand she was just being protective of her children as a mother yourself? Besides, all Molly asked for was just an apology from you. After all, the company is only in trouble because you can't give up your condescending ego!"

His eyes were filled with disappointment as he was done speaking,

Molly just went off at Lara, and now Brycen is scolding her. The look on her face turned awful as she felt mistreated. She started crying.

"I heed the best I could to raise all of you, but none of you were ever on my side!" She could not stop crying. She looked exactly like a lonely hag on the news, as if Brycen had done terrible things to her.

Brycen had no choice but to make her feel better, "Mom, stop crying." However, Lara's cry was louder than his voice, and Russell was still yet to return.

At that moment, Lara was overwhelmed by her own sadness. She failed to catch her breath while crying, and she passed out.

"Mom, could you stop messing around?" Brycen's eye twitched. He was speechless.

'What is she trying to do now?'

There was no way he could play along with Lara even if he wanted to since he could not get out of bed.

He only noticed something was wrong when he saw how Lara stayed in the same position after a few seconds. He tried to sit up, but his legs were still immovable.

Russell came back, and he saw Lara, who was lying on the floor as soon as he stepped into the ward. He was shocked. "What's happened?"

"Call the doctor now. She passed out from crying." Brycen took a deep breath before ordering Russell. He was a little worried as Lara was still his mother, after all.

Russell turned around and went out hastily again to look for a doctor.

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Molly was not unhappy too after she left the ward with pursed lips.

Perhaps she and the May family were just not meant to be together.

Her phone rang. She wanted to decline to call, but she picked it up after seeing Sean's name. "Are you still in the hospital? Do you want me to pick you up? I'm going to pass by the hospital."

Sean's flat voice was like a dose of tranquilizer that calmed her irritated mood down.

"Sure."

She hung up right after she said that. Very soon after, a car appeared in front of her.

She looked at the man beside her after getting in as she asked, "Why would you be here?" 'He'd always work at home, no?'

"I had something to do around here." Tony could not help but rant to himself after he heard what Sean said. "Had something to do around here? You purposely told me to send you here..." Sean squinted.

"What's wrong?" His voice became deeper. His concern for Molly was imperceptible. He felt that she was not very happy. Molly did not feel like talking about it, so she said, "Nothing." Sean stopped asking

further. He thought to himself before asking softly, "The May family?" 'Only people from the May family could possibly make her unhappy.' Molly did not say anything, nor she did deny it. After that, she asked subconsciously, "How is the May family doing now?" 'Is it like what Lara said? Is the May Group really going down?'

Sean had no plan to hide anything from her. He looked away and said, "They're fine. The May family is not in trouble anymore. Nathan is not that useless. You don't have to be worried."

Nathan did so many things for the May Group previously, and he kind of built a reputation for himself in Northfolk. It was proven that he was a competent businessman, and a little problem like that was not enough to bring him down.

"Okay," Molly said and stopped talking. 'I'm glad that the May family is fine now. At least grandpa can stop worrying now.'" Sean dropped her in front of Molly's house. The triplets ran out of the house when they saw her and found out that she had come back with Sean. "Mommy! Uncle!" The triplets greeted them happily. The triplets were delighted to see Molly and Sean together. Molly approached the triplets after she saw how joyful and energetic they were before asking,

"You guys look so happy. Did something good happen?" All Molly's unhappiness went away immediately after she saw her adorable kids. Tony helped Sean to sit in the wheelchair before pushing him toward them slowly.

Ben spoke first, "We earned some money today! We're planning to treat mommy and uncle to a meal today!" He turned to his brother with a smile on his face after he said that. "Right? Alex?"

'This is a good opportunity for us to get mommy and daddy together. Please don't let me down!'

Alex understood it. He smiled and nodded without saying anything since Ben had said everything he could say. Besides, he already had an interaction with Sean today. He could not let Sean notice anything fishy. He had to be cautious since talking would only increase his chance of giving himself away.

Molly smiled. 'They must've taken a job and got paid after that.' They used to do this very frequently, so she would not ask them too much since they made money with their own hard work

Besides, the triplets would buy her a lot of things and bring her to eat nice food whenever they got paid. She had not even had the time to feel touched.

Molly smiled and said, "Sure."

That was one way to acknowledge their competency.

However, Sean was a little puzzled. They're only so young. How could they make money?! He asked curiously, "Where did you get the money from?"

The triplets chuckled and said secretively, "We can't tell you that."

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How could they tell Sean that he was the one who paid them? Sean smiled subtly and stopped asking any further after seeing how adorable they were.

So, the two people who just came back went out with the triplets again. They found a restaurant with decent online reviews and had a wonderful meal together. After eating, they went for a stroll on the street to digest better while Tony pushed Sean in his wheelchair behind them. The triplets would approach him to talk to him from time to time because they did not want him to be bored. They looked exactly like a family.

After that, they reached a skate park. A lot of young people gathered there to play skateboard.

A few of them were very skillful, and the entire park of skateboarders cheered for them. The place felt very lively. Ben stared at them, and he looked like he wanted to give it a go as he asked Molly, "Mommy, I want to try it too!"

Molly nodded immediately. "Sure. Just be careful."

'It's a good thing that he can find out about what he likes to do.' Alex got very excited after Molly gave him the green light as he ran to the park. Ben went there and said hello to the skateboarders before asking them if he could try playing with their skateboards. He even made a promise that he would not break them.

The skateboarders got very fond of him after seeing how adorable and handsome he was. He was also very polite, so they borrowed him a skateboard after he asked.

Ben thanked them before taking the skateboard from them. He observed how the skateboarders moved, and he found out that it would not be difficult if he mastered balancing and the right way to apply force. 'It'll be easier for me to pull the harder moves off after I master the fundamental skills of this.'

So, Ben started skateboarding with what he had analyzed. His physical coordination was very good. Even though he could not get the hang of it at the beginning, he started to get better and better after some time.

He was so good at it. He started mastering the skills as he skated. He even pulled a few moves off, looking cool and unrestrained.

Molly took out her phone and took a few pictures of him after seeing how proud he looked.

There were a few skateboarders of the same age as Ben playing with their skateboards at the side. They felt a little envious and surprised after seeing how quickly Ben learned to play.

They actually fell countless times to finally learn how to skate!

So, the boys went to Ben to challenge him. Ben pinched his nose, looking confident. He was not afraid at all! "Fine! Bring it on!"

All the bystanders started to gather around excitedly and watched them. Ben was very calm when the showdown started. Alex and Claudia's voices could be heard cheering for him too.

Ben got even more confident. He kept moving forward with his skateboard as he made a few moves. The sound of the rolling wheels could be clearly heard. He memorized all the skills in his head, and he executed them perfectly. He beat his opponents at last, and everybody cheered for his victory. Everybody started discussing with each other, "Whose kid is this? He's too adorable! So cute! "He looks

so young, but he's already so good at this!" "His parents must've put a lot of effort into training him. He's so young, yet his moves are so clean,"

"This kid is impressive. I could not even stand on a skateboard right, let alone make moves like that."

Ben had already returned the skateboard as the people were still talking. He thanked them again and went back to Molly.

A middle-aged man was following right behind him. His gaze brightened when he saw Molly and Sean. 'I should just cut to the chase since both of his parents are here!

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The man looked at Sean and said enthusiastically, "Sir, ma'am, nice to meet you." "I'm working for the skateboard association, and I think your son has a lot of potential. I was just wondering if you'd be interested in sending him to us for professional training. He might even make it to the world cup in the future.

"It's known to everybody that skateboarding was a new Olympic sport. This could be a chance for him to make our country proud." He was very sincere. He sounded very polite and gentle too. That was why Molly and Sean listened to him without interrupting him. Molly had no idea whether to explain her relationship with Sean first or to answer his question first.

Sean sounded very calm as he said, "Nice to meet you too. The kid is still young. It's better for him to make his own decisions. He might need some time for this, and we can't give you an answer now."

The man nodded. He understood what Sean was trying to say as he continued asking, "Can we exchange numbers then?" After that, he said solemnly, "Please consider this very seriously." Sean looked at Molly, and their eyes met. Molly nodded and gave the man her number as she gave up the idea of explaining her relationship with Sean. Tony looked puzzled and confused after they said goodbye to the man. "How did he get recruited by the people from the skateboarding association just by doing that? Besides, did he say something about making our country proud?" Claudia ran to Ben and gave him a compliment, "Bro, you're so impressive!" Molly had been inculcating such values in the triplets when they were still living abroad. All of them knew that making the country proud was the crowning glory of all!

They would think of their home country no matter where they were. Alex chimed in. "Yeah. Ben, you're so good."

Molly held their hands and kept walking casually. She was very glad that her kid's competency was acknowledged by other people, and she also felt very happy for Ben.

She reached out and touched Ben's head before saying to him seriously, "Ben, you've got to think this through. It's going to be very tough once you decide to join them. It's nothing like being at home, and you might even get hurt. Your coach will require you to make a lot of difficult moves, and he is going to criticize you if you fail to meet his expectations. There are going to be countless wounds and scars behind the crowning glory. You have to sacrifice a lot of things in order to achieve that."

Ben heard what she said and nodded before responding, "Mom, I'll think about it."

Some things were never as glamorous as they may appear to be. Molly taught him about that previously, so he could understand everything she said.

Molly patted his shoulder and held his hand. Then, she stopped talking.

Tony was impressed by what happened in front of him as he said, “Ms. May, is this how you’ve been educating your children?” It is rare to see how parents respect their children’s opinions these days, let alone allow them to make their own decisions.

Especially in a wealthy family, almost every child had to do what their elders told them to. They would usually have to learn Olympiad maths or attend interest classes that would make them look very elegant. They would only do that because everybody else from a wealthy family did too.

So, he was very amazed by how Molly educated her child. Molly smiled faintly. She turned around and looked at him before saying, “The kids have their own ideas and things they want to do too. They’re also an independent individual, so I respect their opinion.” That was also something she learned from her college when she was still working abroad.