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"My... my name?" Estella stared at her name on the property ownership certificate in a daze, and her tears instantly rolled down her cheeks. Seeing that, Willow who ridiculed Estella just now-felt a burning pain on her face. Actually, her son-in-law only bought a small house of 80 square meters located in the cheapest zone

-D Zone. On the contrary, Estella's son-in-law bought a 130 square meters big house located in the best zone-A Zone. Besides, he directly gave it to Estella! As there was a world of difference between her and Estella, Willow was too ashamed to stay. Before Estella came to her senses, Willow quickly fled with her head down. "Mom..." "Estella!" As soon as Willow left, Yahir and Serena ran over breathlessly. Since Yahir had lived with Estella for many years, he knew very well that every time they fought, she would come here to ease her mood. And just as expected, he and Serena found her here. However, Estella was too immersed in her name on the property ownership certificate, so she did not respond to Yahir and Serena. "Joseph?" Seeing Joseph and Chloe beside Estella, Serena got more confused. After that, she hurried to Estella with Yahir. Although Yahir also saw Joseph and Chloe, he was not in the mood to talk to

-who was still bewildered—and apologized, "Estella, you did nothing wrong. It's all my fault. I'm so sorry. If you're still mad, just hit me. Sorry for my impulsiveness. Sorry..." In fact, the moment Estella ran out of the house, crying, Yahir had regretted his actions and went after her. She was right. Although she didn't contribute much these years, she still deserved credit for her efforts. After all, she accompanied him through the tough times and raised two beautiful daughters for him. Therefore, once he overcame his anger, he quickly came over to apologize to her. Even so, she still ignored him, while tears still flowing down from her eyes. After a long time, she looked up at Joseph, feeling complicated. "Joseph, you... you..." (This novel will be daily updated at)At the moment, she still hadn't overcome the surprise. Never could she imagine that Joseph actually bought her a house. Before this, she would give him a long face every time they met. Even this morning, she scolded him and took away the car he bought for Paige. Despite all of that, he still treated her nicely. Hence, she couldn't get her mind straight for a while... With a smile, Joseph nodded to Estella. "Mom, you don't have to say anything.

Instead, I would like to thank you for the toys you bought for Chloe last night. She likes them. This house is my gift for you. You can move in tonight if you want. Now, all that's left for you to do is to visit the real estate office with your ID card to amend all the related information. I have spoken to them about this..." "Hm? House? What house?" Confused, Yahir looked at Joseph and then at Estella, only to find that Estella had a property ownership certificate in her hand. Just now he was so panic that he did not notice it. The next moment, Yahir opened his mouth wide and pointed at the property ownership certificate. In disbelief, he stared at Estella and asked, "This house is... is

Looking at him, Estella nodded affirmatively. "Yes, it's a 130 square meters house located in A Zone with three rooms and two halls. Joseph bought it, and he, he put in under my name..." "What? This..." Yahir instantly turned to look at Joseph, and his eyes were out on stalks. For a while, he was unable to utter a word. Smilingly, Joseph nodded at Yahir. "You heard it right, Dad. All that's left is for you to complete the procedures with Mom..." "No, no, no... I... You, this house, this... this..." Yahir stuttered. For his whole life, he had worked hard to fulfill Estella's wish, but it was impossible. Nevertheless, Joseph bought the house without any hesitation! Moreover, it was a 130 square meters house with three bedrooms and two halls located in the best spot in Paragon Villa! At this moment, even after double confirming with Estella and Joseph, Yahir still found it hard to believe. Seeing Yahir's reaction, Joseph had no choice but to continue nodding and explained, "It's true. I have cleared the payment, so there is no house loan. You and Mom can also move in at any time..." "This... This must've cost you a fortune..." Yahir was still perplexed. He wouldn't even dare to imagine the price for a large house in A Zone. It could be at least a few million or more! Upon hearing Yahir's words, Joseph chuckled without saying anything. On the other hand, Serena looked at Joseph with great gratitude as tears welled up in her eyes. She remembered when she called him this afternoon, she mentioned that Estella liked the house in Paragon Villa and often quarreled (This novel will be daily updated at) with Yahir because of this. Then, the next thing she knew was that Joseph had bought the house... The more she thought, the more thankful she felt... Suddenly, Paige's anxious cry came from a distance. "Dad! Mom! Are you all right?" An hour ago, Serena called Paige. Therefore, Paige quickly left the company to find Estella. After all, to her, work was far less important than her family. Upon spotting Yahir and Estella in a daze, she felt that something was off. Besides, Joseph and

Chloe were also here. Thinking about that, she became more worried. "Dad! Mom! Are you all right? What is with your expression? What happened?" she nervously ran to Yahir and Estella and asked while catching her breath. Feeling awkward, Estella dared not look at Paige. Following that, Yahir looked at Paige with a complicated expression and stuttered, "Paige, Joseph... he... he..." But just before he could finish his words, Paige interrupted him anxiously and questioned Joseph. "Joseph, did you quarrel with them because of the car again? (This novel will be daily updated at) If you're unwilling to give them, then take it back!" Due to anxiousness, Paige got mad at Joseph. "Uh..." Stunned, Joseph was at a loss for words for a while. When Yahir saw that Paige was about to scold Joseph again, he quickly explained, "House! It's about the house! The house in Paragon Villa! Don't get him wrong. He bought a house for your Mom. So, don't scold him. Don't..." "W... What? Joseph bought a house in Paragon Villa for Mom?" Paige was surprised like Yahir from moments ago. Although she didn't know much about cars, she had some understanding about housing. The house in Paragon Villa? It must've costed a fortune. As her jaw dropped, she looked at Estella—who was holding the property ownership certificate—in confusion. Feeling ashamed, Estella could feel a burning pain on her face. Nonetheless, facing Paige's inquiry, she forced herself to nod and clarified, "Well, Joseph just bought it. As for what happened this morning, I was wrong. I'm sorry, Paige..." Upon finishing, she quickly added, "You can take back the car later. Joseph bought it for you, after all... Sorry for what I did this morning. I became impulsive after hearing Lily's words..." This time, she kept mentioning Joseph by his name using a polite tone. In fact, it was merely because she was astounded by his generosity. When Joseph heard Estella talking about the car, he smiled, "Mom, I told you it's because I didn't think it through. Also, Chloe and I just bought

another same car this morning. So, you can have the one you drove away. When you have time, you may go to the motor vehicle administration agency and change the owner's

information..." "Oh..." Everyone was stunned except the innocent Chloe and Serena—who knew part of Joseph's status. At that moment, Chloe thought that her father looked dashing, while Serena thought that her brother-in-law was awesome. While everyone was shocked or stupefied, Joseph smiled faintly. Since he and Paige had solved their grudges last night and got together, he thought he could push forward his plans, including next month's grand wedding. In addition, after today, he felt that Estella would no longer oppose him and Paige, so there was no need to delay the wedding... The following atmosphere was strange. Estella was too embarrassed to take a look at the house. However, Yahir proposed to go in and have a look. Thus, the whole family went in. All the way, Estella only stole a few glances while keeping her head low. She didn't dare to look at Joseph. After viewing the house, everyone followed Estella to the real estate office to transfer utilities to her name. Once all the official documents, receipts, and house keys were in Estella's hands, she finally believed that she owned a house in Paragon Villa. At night, they had their dinner at a restaurant next to Paragon Villa. During the meal, Estella was very awkward. Not only did her eyes averted Joseph, but she also dared not speak in front of him. Only when everyone was about to disperse after dinner, she nervously stopped Joseph. (This novel will be daily updated at)Bowling her head, she said apologetically, "Joseph... I... I am sorry. I was mean to you before. Please... Please don't take it to heart. You are a nice man, and I am relieved that you will be Paige's husband. Please forgive me for what I did last time..."

smiled at her while holding Chloe in his arms. "Mom, don't be. Since I am an orphan, you will be my mother from now on. Chloe likes you very much too. Besides, what happened in the past was also because of my mistake, so I should be the one apologizing. From today onward, let's live happily as a family..." Actually, there was a hurtful reason why he referred to himself as an orphan. Ever since his family drove him out six years ago, he swore he would never have any relation with them again. Upon hearing what Joseph said, Estella vibrated and nodded in agreement. Then, she took Chloe from Joseph's arms and left happily. "Chloe, do you want me to drive you home? I can drive, and my driving skills are great... Estella suggested to Chloe. After nodding cutely, Chloe responded, "Okay, Grandma. Let's go home!" Meanwhile, Yahir looked at Joseph with a complex expression and nodded apologetically, to which Joseph responded politely. Following that, Yahir got in the car while Serena shot Joseph a look of admiration. Knowing that Paige wanted to talk to Joseph, Serena also got in Estella's car. When there was only Paige and Joseph left, Paige uttered with a mixed feeling, "Umm... About this afternoon, I'm sorry. I have no idea you..." Joseph interrupted her, "It's okay. As long as you don't blame me, I will be fine. I've bought a house for Mom, but I haven't bought ours..." Immediately, Paige shook her head. "Don't worry about that. I... I'm already grateful for what you did for me..." After she finished, a trace of doubt arose in her eyes. Facing Joseph, she opened her mouth, but when the words were on the tip of her tongue, she didn't know what to

say.

Naturally, Joseph understood what she wanted to ask, so he smiled, threw the new car key to her, and said, "I know what you want to ask. You want to know where I got all this money and how I got to know Lara and Brian last night, am I right?" To that, Paige nodded but quickly explained, "It... It's okay. You don't have to tell me. I won't ask anymore. As long as you are good to me, I will be glad enough. I know you have your secrets, but you don't have to tell me about it." At this moment, she was a bundle of nerves. Hearing that, Joseph shook his head and chuckled, "There is no such thing as secrets. Five years ago, when you met me, didn't I tell you that I was betrayed, and my company closed down? Well, the company did close down, but there was a piece of land left. I believe you know how expensive the lands in Usmaït have become in five years. Mine was in the suburbs, but I managed to sell it for more than 10 million dollars. So don't worry, when you are free, we will choose a better house with Chloe. I still have enough to afford one. Trust me. If you stay with me, I promise I won't let you and Chloe suffer again in this life..." With glimmering eyes, Paige gazed at Joseph. At this moment, her heart was once again moved by him, and a rich sense of happiness rose in her heart. After a period of silence, she felt that the atmosphere was getting more and more awkward. She could even feel his breath getting closer to her. Instantly, her heart raced, and she quickly uttered, "I'll... I'll drive the car here. (This novel will be daily updated at)" Then, she blushed, lowered her head, and ran away. However, she immediately regretted her actions, so her face became redder... While looking at Paige, who was walking to the parking space, he picked up his phone and called Alpha I. "Inform Dennis and Ernie to hold the grand wedding in advance. Instead of waiting till next month, we will hold it in three days... After finishing speaking, Joseph hung up the phone. As he stared at Paige's back, the love in his eyes intensified, and he muttered inwardly, "Paige, since you have promised me, how can I let you wait for any longer?" In fact, there was another reason, which was Lily and the others. Although he and Paige were only back for a few days, those brainless and snobbish people kept looking for trouble with them. His patience had reached the limit, so he decided to hold the wedding in three days. After giving Paige a sensational wedding, he believed that no one would dare to compete with her in the future.

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Joseph and Paige went home to rest. When Paige was driving, Joseph was sitting next to her, causing her heart to race. Especially without the presence of Chloe, her heartbeat was even faster, as if she had just fallen in love. Sure enough, everything that Joseph had done for her today deeply moved her. At this moment, even though she was driving, she would occasionally glance at him from the corner of her eye. When she saw his sharp side profile, her face became redder. After they got home, Paige coaxed Chloe to sleep and avoided having too much interaction with Joseph. During bedtime, Chloe slept happily in between Paige and Joseph while Paige couldn't sleep. From time to time, she would secretly catch a glimpse of Joseph. The more she looked at him, the more she felt that he was charming... For a night, the two of them did not speak. However, in the meantime, Joseph's decision had once again caused a stir in Olpen. A huge one. Joseph had decided to bring forward the wedding date to three days later.

In fact, that wedding involved more than a hundred cities and more than a thousand couples. Moreover, the couples and service personnel alone would amount to a few thousand people, not to include the couples' friends and relatives. When the time came, there would be more than ten thousand people, or maybe a hundred thousand,(This novel will be daily updtaed at) or even more. As it was such a grand occasion, citizens—who had time in their hands on that day-would probably come and spectate the event too... Therefore, after Joseph gave the order, Dennis and Ernie immediately rushed to the headquarters from home. The same went to hundreds of executives from Gempoint Group and Mysticorps Group-who just got off work and hadn't even arrived home. As Joseph issued a death order to Alpha 1, Alpha 1 gave even more strict orders to Dennis and Ernie. With that, Dennis and Ernie—the top leaders in Oplen-ended up giving the most demanding commands to their executives. They not only ordered the executives to come back for an emergency meeting on that very night, but all hundreds of executives and ten thousand over employees also had to work overtime to prepare for the upcoming wedding. Even so, everyone would have ten times the bonuses." And this night, both Dennis and Ernie—who rushed back to the conference room

-were about to go nuts. Three days! There were only three days left! "I don't care what ways you use! I want all of you to stay up all night and speed up the preparations! Also, we will double the budget! So no matter what, do your best to complete everything in three days. From now on, every department will report one progress in every hour. I will be staying here for the next three days! Hurry up!

Hurry up! Get the ball rolling!" Dennis instructed his executives as soon as he arrived at the conference room. Half an hour later, Ernie—who looked ferocious and anxious-rushed into Gempoint Group with a bright machete, followed by hundreds of his executives. Of course, he did not come to fight but to discuss the wedding. From time to time, employees from both companies would have to discuss important details, and face to-face communication was always the fastest. After greeting Dennis breathlessly, Ernie jumped on the meeting table and chopped off a large piece of it. With murderous intent, he roared to the executives, "If Mr. Drake gives you ten times the bonus as an encouragement, then I'll give you ten machetes instead! I'll put them here tonight. I don't care who you are and what background you have, but from now on, if anyone of you loses your momentum, I'll chop you up! Don't forget what made me who I am today!!!" Boom! With Ernie's words and his murderous look, all executives were scared. Sure enough, everyone knew what was behind Ernie's achievement. Although Dennis had some dirty means too, he was nothing compared with Ernie. At this moment, under the combination of interests and fear, employees of both

companies began to work frantically. In three days, the grand wedding that involved one thousand over couples—which had never happened since Frogua was founded—would take place in Oplen. However, because it was the largest event in the history of Oplen, there were too many works and sub-sect projects-tens of thousands of participants, the decorations of the venue, lights, color theme, carpet, flowers, media, food, accommodation, etc. It was countless. Besides, the total expenditure for hundreds of thousands of people on that day would be huge beyond imagination. After all, it would require a generous number of suppliers and materials. After Ernie finished his words breathlessly, (This novel will be daily updtaed at)Dennis also jumped on the table and began to work with Ernie to coordinate their executives. Once they exchanged glances, Dennis

uttered seriously, "Mr. Green, since the wedding is brought forward, we must do it well for Mr. Dawson, or else it will be hard for us to face him in the future... As for our past conflicts, I shall apologize to you. Hopefully, we can go through this together! We can't let Mr. Dawson down!" Solemnly, Ernie nodded and replied, "Don't be, Mr. Drake. I am the one who kept finding your fault in the past. So, I should apologize too. From now on, you will be fully in charge, and I will give you my full cooperation. Feel free to dispatch thousands of my men at any time!" When Dennis heard this, he was greatly relieved. "Cool, I am glad to hear that..." At midnight, after hundreds of executives planned for three hours, they went out. With that, the entire Oplen was bustling with people. The executives of both

companies barged into every suppliers' house and threw them a briefcase of money. "Call your workers now and proceed with the production. Quick!" Meanwhile, at Olpen's church-which was already under construction-people from different areas delivered countless headlights here and fixed all of them within minutes. Instantly, the area near the church was as bright as day.

Then, a famous interior designer in Oplen rushed to the church overnight and began decorating. At the same time, groups of wedding crews, musicians, dancers, and so on also hurried here. Having not much time to rehearse, they sped up their preparation. In addition, the screening process for 1314 couples also began. From Oplen to other hundred cities of the central region, all the news media were also reporting about the grand wedding being held in advance... At that moment, countless people throughout Oplen were called out from their sleep and returned to their positions. The Police Department also mobilized all the police to ensure the safety of the venue. Following that, all kinds of construction machinery hurried to the wedding site. Various designers and their assistants also started to adorn the wedding site and the whole city. While everyone was busy, Serena was lying on her bed, watching soap dramas. Just as she was preparing to sleep, hundreds of news popped up on her phone screen. "Oh my God!" She jumped up from the bed. Reading the news articles, she ran to the window and opened the curtains. With that, she noticed that lights had filled the quiet city. "Oh my, what is Joseph planning to do?" She swallowed her saliva in shock and subconsciously looked toward the direction of Joseph's room. On the other side, a smile appeared on Joseph's face as he kept his eyes shut. Listening to those noises outside, he naturally knew that most of the people in Oplen wouldn't be able to sleep tonight. Well, this was the speed he wanted. He didn't want to fight with those snobbish people from the Mooney family any longer. Besides, Oplen was too small. How could he let his wife and daughter stay here for long? Hence, he had made up his mind. A few days after the wedding, he would take Paige and Chloe to a broader place-Usmait. In the morning, Joseph sent Paige downstairs as usual. As Paige didn't sleep well last night, she yawned a few times. Seeing that, Joseph said with some pity, "If you are too tired, you should take a day off. You didn't rest for the past few days." Paige smiled at Joseph and responded, "It's okay. I haven't been working for a long time. So, I have a lot to catch up on. Also, I still haven't completed one of the three conditions Grandpa set for me..."

With a frown, Joseph asked, "Didn't your grandfather appoint you as the channel director? It's an official one at that." Smilingly, Paige nodded, "Well, indeed, but I want to give Grandpa's conditions a shot. Don't worry, I will try my best..." After a moment of silence, Joseph asked, "What is the third condition then?"

company has failed to negotiate for years..." Upon hearing that, Joseph nodded and continued to ask, "Alright, which one do you want to complete then?" For a while, Paige pondered before she muttered casually, "Aceshire Group has rapidly developed these years, but in the end, it still has too little foundation as we could only cooperate with some small enterprises. Grandpa has always wanted to cooperate with Gempoint Group and Mysticorps Group. Lily also keeps visiting Gempoint Group for the last few days. Since Rory's father has a good relationship with Tobias Drake-Gempoint Group's vice president and also Dennis Drake's younger brother-it seems that Lily is bound to win this time. She is upset that I won over her these days.(This novel will be daily updaed at)" After saying that, she paused before she smiled at Joseph, "Don't worry. I'll go to Gempoint Group and see if I can secure this collaboration. I studied their information yesterday, and I want to have a try. During yesterday's meeting, Grandpa also mentioned that whoever secures the partnership with Gempoint Group or Mysticorps Group, that person will become the Vice President. Even if Lily has connections, she might fail. But if I fail this time, I'll have another try in Mysticorps Group." "Okay, do your best. I believe you can do it. Chloe and I will also be counting on you to feed us in the future, hehe..." Joseph slightly narrowed his eyes and jested. "Alright, I shall head to work then. You... Take care..." Paige blushed and murmured bashfully. After Paige left, Joseph laughed meaningfully, "Hehe, Gempoint Group and Mysticorps Group? She just took up the job yesterday, and yet Leonard asks her to discuss the collaboration. What's more, he even lured her with the vice president's position and let Lily compete with her. Is he suspecting something?" Joseph uttered to himself. At this time, Serena came over from behind with Chloe in her arms and asked, "Joseph, do you mean Grandpa suspects it was you who secretly helped Paige?" Joseph nodded and then shook his head. "I'm not sure, but he has been in charge of the company for so many years, and he is astute. So, it wouldn't be weird if he has some doubts..." Furrowing her brows, Serena concerned, "Are you going to help Paige again this time? If you are, won't Grandpa be more suspicious of you?"

Hearing this, Joseph chuckled gleefully, "Well, it doesn't matter. The wedding will be held in three days anyway. Haha.." "Help me look after Chloe. I'll personally meet Dennis and Ernie. I have some other matters to discuss with them too..." Then, Joseph left after saying goodbye to Chloe.

Even if Leonard doubted Joseph, so what? Joseph did not intend to hide his identity for long. Before that, he only did it to ease Paige's sorrow and change Estella and Yahir's impression of him. Nevertheless, after he bought a house for Estella, she and Yahir no longer held any grudges against him. (This novel will be daily updaed at)In this case, why should he continue to conceal himself? To let that group of contemptible fools run amok in front of him? What a joke.

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At ten o'clock in the morning, Joseph and Alpha I arrived at Gempoint Group's entrance. Then, Joseph entered the lobby with Alpha 1 following behind. On

their way, they saw Lily—who dressed scantily—holding Rory’s arm and talking to him excitedly. At that time, Lily and Rory were opposite them, heading toward the main entrance. “Thank you very much, hubby. Otherwise, Paige would suppress me all the time. Seriously, I have no idea why is that silly woman so lucky these days. Grandpa even appointed her as the channel director and demoted me just a few days after she returned. After having this contract you got for me, I’m sure she will have nothing to win against me. And even if she gets Mysticorps Group’s contract, she will still be a level lower than me..” as Lily spoke, she kissed Rory’s cheek. Feeling satisfied, Rory nodded. “Of course. My family has been supplying Gempoint Group for many years, after all.(This novel will be daily updaed at) I’m sure you saw the news last night. The mysterious and overbearing president will hold his grand wedding in three days. Because of this, the executives of Gempoint Group and Mysticorps Group are now hustling. What’s more, they hadn’t rested since last night. So, even if Paige wants to go to Mysticorps Group, I’m afraid no one will entertain her, let alone letting her entering the building...”. In agreement, Lily nodded. “Pfft! I know! Indeed, you’re still the best. By the way, what about our wedding? Since the grand wedding is held ahead of schedule, do you think we can get a spot?” Upon hearing that, Rory frowned and responded, “Well, actually, I’m unprepared for this. But fret not, I’ve applied on their official website. And because the wedding will be held in our city, there will be more spots here. So, we should be able to get one. I really want to participate in this. This is a grand occasion that costs billions, after all...” Lily nodded and responded, “Well, me too. I promise you, if you can grab a place, you can do whatever you want to me for a few days. I will obey you...(This novel will be daily updaed at)” As she spoke, her face turned crimson, which evoked Rory’s desire, and he fiercely eyeballed her slender legs. Just then, at the sight of Joseph, he immediately narrowed his eyes. Because of Lily, he had no good impression of Joseph. Therefore, he pulled Lily and blocked Joseph. “What are you doing here, Joseph Dawson? Oh, are you here to help Paige secure the cooperation with Gempoint Group? Haha, I’m afraid you’re going to be disappointed...” After halting his footsteps, Joseph stared at Rory and sneered, “Oh? Do you mean you have gotten the contract?”

Rory scoffed and signaled Lily with his eyes. With that, Lily took out two contracts with Gempoint Group’s official seal from her bag and waved them in front of Joseph. “Haha, you didn’t expect this, did you? I’ve secured the cooperation between Aceshine Group and Gempoint Group. So, no matter how you plan to help Paige, you will never get it. Besides, everyone here is preparing for the grand wedding. Did you see hundreds of security guards at the door? Haha, you won’t be able to get in...” With disdain in his eyes, Joseph stared at the stuck-up Lily before looking at Rory and questioned, “Are you the one who got it for her?” Instantly, Rory bragged, “Of course. Even if you have some money, so what? Haha! This is Oplen. My family has cooperated with them for many years. So, do you think an outsider like you can compete with us?” Hearing this, Joseph nodded in agreement and derided, “You’re right, but I think having such a domineering fiancée may spell doom to your family. Who knows? Your family might go bankrupt today...” “Excuse me, are you cursing me? Who the heck do you think you are? Do you think you own Gempoint Group? And why should my family goes bankrupt because of your words?” Rory immediately flared up. At this time, before Joseph spoke, Alpha 1 reached out, pushed Rory aside, and scoffed, “Sorry to say this, but Mr. Dawson really owns Gempoint Group...” After Alpha 1 finished, Joseph ignored Rory and Lily before he walked toward Gempoint Group. Rory wanted to attack Alpha 1, but Lily stopped him. Looking at Joseph’s retreating figure, she smirked and mocked, “Chill, hubby. Gempoint

Group has heightened its security, and no one is allowed to enter. So, I'm sure Joseph won't make it in. Those security guards will kick him out and..." Nevertheless, before Lily could finish her words, all the guards outside bowed to Joseph. Following that, eight guards at the door opened the door respectfully for Joseph and Alpha 1 to walk in. "This is impossible! Didn't they prohibit outsiders from entering? How could he get in?" Lily was bewildered when she saw the security guards taking the initiative to open the door for Joseph. So was Rory. His mouth was wide open. In fact, both of them were brainless as they only saw Joseph went in. What they did not notice was the fear in the security guards' eyes when they saw Joseph! Yes, fear. Extreme fear. Sure enough, they didn't know Joseph, but they had met Alpha 1. These days, Alpha I often visited Gempoint Group. Every time he went in and out, Dennis would follow him respectfully. So did Ernie sometimes. Although these security guards had relatively low positions, they had their information sources. They were clear that behind Mr. Alpha 1, there was another terrifying existence that horrified the entire Oplen! Moreover, according to their

source, that terrifying existence's words were the cause behind the stir in Oplen last night and the change of the grand wedding's date! In addition, seeing how Alpha I was following behind Joseph, they could easily figure out Joseph's identity. Therefore, they were so nervous that their legs went weak, and they didn't dare to say a word. The next moment, Lily and Rory ran to these security guards and asked with great confusion, "Didn't you say that outsiders are not allowed to enter? Why could they enter? Huh?" As if he were looking at a fool, the head of the security team stared at Rory and Lily. "Who are you to question that? Both of you are from the Sheltons and the

want to question me with such a tone? Or, are you implying that I don't know how to do my job? Huh?" Because this security head also resigned from the military, he had a threatening aura. Upon feeling his aura, Rory and Lily blanched. They slightly opened their mouths but dared not to say a word. (This novel will be daily updated at) After all, the man in front of them was the head of Gempoint Group's security team—who was also an executive-level figure. Even the Sheltons and the Mooneys didn't dare to provoke him, not to mention Lily and Rory. Although their position was relatively low, no one had the guts to offend them. Seeing that Lily and Rory dared not speak, the security head snorted and bellowed, "Piss off!"

In the president's office on the top floor, Joseph was sitting in Dennis' chair, while Alpha I was standing straight behind him. Standing in front of Joseph were Dennis and Ernie, who were respectful and nervous. Staring at Dennis and Ernie—who had heavy dark eye circles—Joseph said, "Thanks for your hard work. I know my decision about the wedding was sudden, but I don't want to wait any longer. For the next two days, I will have to trouble you two. I hope the wedding will be a perfect one..." After hearing his words, Dennis and Ernie—who were originally wan immediately became energized. Trembling with agitation, they answered respectfully, "No problem, sir. It's not sudden at all. Please be rest assured. We will do our best and made this wedding a flourishing one!"

To that, Joseph nodded. "Great. Remember I promised both of you a chance after you two settle this matter? Now, I will give it to you two in advance. After the wedding, I might have to stay in Oplen for a few more days. During that time, you

two should immediately transfer all your elite forces to Usmait." When Dennis and Ernie heard this, their eyes lit up. They had long been

dissatisfied with being local tyrants in such a small town. Besides, they always wanted to extend their power to Usmait. However, Usmait was the biggest economic city in Frogua. As there were numerous skillful, ambitious, and powerful people, it was hard for them to land a foothold even if they wanted to. Now that Joseph wanted them to go, this would be a great opportunity for them. After all, which man didn't have the ambition to dominate the world? Despite being successful in Oplen; they couldn't wait to take another step further... With excitement, Dennis asked, "Sir, do you mean you are going to Usmait after this?" Joseph nodded. "Yes, I'm going to meet some people to solve some grievances and troubles. Otherwise, I won't be content..." As he spoke, the scene of his best friend betraying him appeared in his mind. Six years ago, he was originally at the peak of his life. Not only could he make a name for himself in Usmait without the support of his family in Vowhye, but he was also a well-known genius in the business industry. To him, being the future top leader of the business industry was only a piece of cake. However, when his career was soaring with success, his best friend backstabbed him. With that, years of his painstaking efforts were gone. Moreover, he almost lost his life to his best friend. If he hadn't escaped to Oplen with his serious injury, (This novel will be daily updated at) if Paige hadn't saved him, he would have died long ago... That was because, never for once, he doubted his best friend. Now, nearly six years had passed, that best friend of his had become the top figure in Usmait's business industry. The real formidable man! However, now that he had returned, he would return what he suffered six years ago to that traitor over and over again! In fact, he was also doing this for Paige and Chloe. If that traitor hadn't poisoned him, which caused him to lose his consciousness from time to time, he wouldn't have impregnated Paige that night. Paige and Chloe also wouldn't have suffered for the past few years too... While several thoughts flashed in Joseph's mind, he emanated a monstrous intent. At once, Dennis and Ernie's clothes were drenched with cold sweat. Fortunately, Joseph soon recovered and quickly withdrew his murderous intent. Then, he uttered, "Oh, by the way, Dennis, Paige's grandfather wants to collaborate with Gempoint Group. On my way up just now, I heard a guy named Rory contacted one of your managers to help his fiancée get the contract. Please settle this for me..."

After saying that, he turned to Ernie and instructed, "Well, you should also make some arrangements. The third task Leonard gave Paige was to solve a problem that the Mooneys couldn't solve these years. Send someone to investigate his problems and solve all of them. One last thing, don't forget the old rules. Do everything in Paige's name..." Hearing that, Alpha 1 frowned. "Mr. Dawson, the Mooneys are pretentious, Leonard isn't a good man either. Do we really have to go to such lengths to help him? Mrs. Dawson will be leaving with you soon anyway..." Joseph chuckled indifferently and explained, "It doesn't matter. First, I'm not doing this to help Aceshine Group and Leonard, but to save face for Paige. Secondly, since I can make them rich for their whole lives, naturally, I can take them back at any time. Hehe..." He smiled meaningfully. As for what ending the Mooneys would have, it depended on their own choice. They could choose to soar into the sky or die. Anyhow, he had given them a chance, and it was more than once... Meanwhile, in Aceshine Group's meeting room, Leonard hung up Lily's call and puckered his brows deeply. That was because Lily told him that she had gotten the collaboration agreement from Gempoint Group... Of course, Leonard's intention to ask Lily and Paige to negotiate cooperation with

Gempoint Group and Mysticorps Group was only to test Joseph. "Isn't it Joseph who helped Paige? Or could it be that his strength is below the Shelton family's level? Or could it be that my conjecture is wrong..." Leonard's frown deepened. After contemplating for a while, he picked up his phone and called Paige, "Paige, come with Joseph this afternoon. We shall have a meal together..." At that moment, he planned to meet Joseph in person...