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Chapter 551 Mr. Ellison looked at Ms. Thompson and Mr. Kennedy with a cold look of disappointment. "What else do you have to say?" he asked. Ms. Thompson could not find her voice for a moment. Finally, she quibbled and said, "Trust me, we are close friends in private. That was why he gave me the things." Mr. Ellison did not want to listen to her chicanery, so he looked away from them and at Nicole in the back row. "What do you think should be done?"

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Ms. Thompson and Mr. Kennedy looked at Nicole with expectant and flattering eyes, hoping she would put in a good word for them. But when Nicole spoke, she completely tore apart their last fantasies. "After the bet is over, they should be fired," Nicole said. Mr. Ellison had heard about it clearly over the phone when Ms. Thompson and Nicole made the bet. So he nodded. "Okay." Ms. Thompson and Mr. Kennedy's faces turned pale in an instant. When they first came in anger, they had never expected things would come to such an end. They were still the ones who were deciding the fate of Nicole a while ago, but in the blink of an eye, things took a one eighty and became such an ending. Ms. Thompson shouted indignantly, "Nicole was apparently cheating! Why are you harboring her, Mr. Ellison? Are you all colluding to frame us?" Mr. Kennedy heard her hysterical response and quickly kept a distance away from her in fright. 'Only fools will dare to offend Mr. Ellison. As much as I hate Nicole, Mr. Ellison is not just the head of the Royal Creek Institute but also the de facto person-in-charge of the Ellison family.' His face collapsed at the thought of this. Instead of getting angry, Mr. Ellison smiled and turned to look at Declan. "Professor Hancock has come to see Nicole in person, yet you two accuse her of cheating?"

'While a person of his caliber goes so far as to put down his ego to come meet a student at the Royal Creek Institute, the two teachers accuse the student of cheating and even want to kick her out of the Royal Creek Institute. How ridiculous!"

There was no change in Declan's expression. He walked slowly up to Nicole and said with appreciation, "You are Nicole?"

Nicole looked at him and nodded with the adoration as shown by others for Declan. Instead, she was unenthused.

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Chapter 553 Norah could not believe that she had even lost to Nicole in the monthly exam. 'Will Nicole only be happy after taking everything from me?' Thinking of this, she lunged over angrily, wanting to hit Nicole. Nicole grabbed her outstretched hand, then flung her aside and said without emotion, "Norah, you'd better wake up." Norah did not know what Nicole was saying at first, but when she saw the people behind Nicole, she froze.

"Mr. Ellison, Professor Hancock!"

Norah had met Declan before. She did not register for the Math Olympiad competition because she wanted to concentrate on the monthly exam, but she had seen Declan from a distance when she represented the Royal Creek Institute in many academic exchanges.

In fact, her goal was to become a student of Declan and learn from him. She did not expect to meet Declan here.

Thinking that Declan had seen what she had just done, Norah suddenly did not know what to do. "Professor Hancock, it was not what you saw. I've always been first in the grade. But this time, it was stolen from me, and that was why I was so angry."

Declan looked at her with a serious face. For him, a person's character is always more important than grades, and Norah had put the cart before the horse. He did not want to talk to her, nor did he want to hear her explanation. Declan looked at Nicole, walked over, and put a note in Nicole's hand.

"I'll go first. This is my contact number. Contact me."

He was pleased and smiled when Nicole nodded. He looked a little cute like that at his age. Then, without looking at Norah, he waved goodbye at Mr. Ellison and left.

Declan had always been a sort of lone wolf. Norah was well aware of Declan's eccentric temper, but she just could understand why he gave his contact information to Nicole.

Norah looked at Nicole in disbelief, her expression freezing in an instant. Mr. Ellison walked over to Nicole and gave Norah a warning look, then said to Nicole, "You deal with it first, and then come to my office. "Come to my office after you've dealt with this."

Subsequently, Mr. Ellison also walked out. Before he left, he looked bitterly at Ms. Thompson and Mr. Kennedy. "You two have twenty minutes to pack up and leave the Royal Creek Institute."

Norah was wide-eyed, looking at her teacher with a pale face. She suspected it must be Nicole who was behind all this. "Mr. Ellison, please don't listen to Nicole; she lies. She is a mischief maker."

Mr. Ellison looked at her, unperturbed. "If I remember correctly, you and Nicole are family. So

how could you do this to your own family? Norah, you better reflect on yourself."

Then he nodded at Nicole and left the teaching building.

Filled with hatred, Norah looked at Nicole, wondering what Nicole had done to Mr. Ellison and Declan, who were so adamant to defend Nicole. She gritted her teeth and said, "How did you get first place, Nicole? Did you cheat?"

'I even gave up on the Math Olympiad competition, but I still lost to Nicole!' Norah went crazy at the thought of this.

At this time, a familiar voice came from behind her. "Norah, Nicole achieved the results on her own merit. Even Professor Hancock came to ask her to become his student. So you don't have to guestion it."

Norah looked back in disbelief, not expecting it would be Mr. Kennedy, her class teacher, who was speaking. He was looking down, but what he said could be heard clearly. Norah may not believe what others say, but there was little room for Norah to question what her teacher said.

She again looked at Nicole in disbelief. "She? Why did she deserve to become Mr. Hancock's student? She's just a piece of crap from the countryside!"

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Chapter 554 She was not the only one who thought so; in fact, many others also thought the same. The facts were laid bare before their eyes, and they had no choice but to admit it-Nicole had gotten first place in the Math Olympiad competition and monthly exam.

Nicole looked at Norah expressionlessly, and then the corner of her lips curled up in a mocking smile.

"Norah, what are you if I'm a piece of crap when you couldn't even beat me on the exam?" With that, she ignored Norah and turned to look at Ms. Thompson and Mr. Kennedy behind her.

"Shall we?" she said, raising an eyebrow. 'It's time to make good on your promise, isn't it?'

Ms. Thompson suddenly exploded, glaring at Nicole, and shouted, "I know someone in my family; Mr. Wyance will help me. Dream on if you want me to apologize to trash like them and kick me out of the Royal Creek Institute. You shall see who will get the last laugh!" She pulled out her phone and made a call triumphantly. "Hello, Marie, can you ask Mr. Wyance to do me a favor?"

But the next second, her face collapsed as Marie told her that Sebastian had kicked her out of the house. 'When did this happen? How come I didn't know about it?'

This was her last resort, and she did not expect that her last hope would be shattered. Ms. Thompson held the phone to her ear and said something desperate, but all she heard was a beast-like shrill from the other end of the phone. She hung up the phone with a trepidation. When she looked up again, her eyes were filled with fear. She now knew very well that she could no longer do anything about it.

At first, Mr. Kennedy was looking hopefully at her, but when he saw her expression, he fell into despair. He knew very well that Sebastian would not give him a damn.

Otherwise, he would not have bribed Ms. Thompson in the first place. So the two could only follow Nicole out. After all, things were obvious, and they had no choice but to concede.

Mr. Kennedy stood in the broadcast studio, whispering into the microphone, admitting that he was not as good as Ms. Emerson was. His head was, and so no one could see his expression.

Nicole could not care less. She then brought Ms. Thompson in front of Austin and watched her apologize before letting the two go. Austin and others were surprised by Ms. Thompson's apology. But they all let out a knowing smile when they saw Ms. Thompson and Mr. Kennedy followed Nicole with their heads bowed. Compared to Ms. Thompson's apology, they felt even happier that they had made it to the top twenty and that Nicole would be their boss. The smile on their faces got even broader at the thought of this

Nicole looked at them with a smile, and she said slowly, "Since I've become your boss, I will be

responsible for you all. I will be away for a while. When I get back, I want to see you all and Zeke waiting for me at four thirty in the morning every day on the sports field." Austin and all others nodded. They said nothing, even though none of them knew who Zeke was. "Boss, where are you going? When will you be back?" Sammey asked. The smile on Nicole's face faded, and she looked at them with a sigh. "Mecrounia. I will come back after settling the matter there." She was not too sure exactly how long it would take this time, so she had to take care of these things in advance.

Nicole looked at Austin and squinted.

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Chapter 556 Mr. Ellison snapped back from his thoughts when he heard Harvey's voice. He looked a little sad, but his expression quickly returned to being as solemn as usual. "It doesn't matter." At this point, he turned to look at Harvey. "I sure will let you lead the entire Ellison family in the future. You will be the one who decides the course of cooperation with the Holder family." Harvey was startled, not expecting his grandpa to make such a promise to him. He felt he could finally breathe a sigh of relief.

Lloyd followed Nicole to walk out of the building. He seemed to have something to say, but was hesitating to say. He just followed her quietly. Nicole's feelings for Lloyd were a complicated one. In her eyes, Lloyd was just one of her patients. They had once been on a mission together, during which Lloyd was seriously injured. Apart from physical injuries, the most terrible thing was that he also suffered from psychological trauma. He had fear of the dark, as if a physiological reflex, almost to the point of extremes. Nicole cured him using an extreme method of therapy, but that also left behind a side effect that she thought as insignificant. She

left, hoping that Lloyd would be better off. She looked back at the person behind her.

"Can I help you?" she asked.

Lloyd looked at Nicole with surprise on his handsome face, as he did not expect her to talk to him. It took him a lot of time and effort to find her, and he was not going to let her get out of his sight again. 'It turns out that she is Nicole, who has saved me twice.'

"Where are you going?" he asked.

Nicole frowned at his question. She did not think their relationship had reached the point where he could ask about her itinerary. "It's none of your business," she said coldly. Lloyd was confused by her reply. He reached out to grab Nicole's hand, but as she had done at the banquet the other day, she easily avoided his hand.

"Nicole, I just want to know more about you," he said.

His voice was pleasant, and because of the gentle tone, it was hard to detect the hint of pleading undertone.

But Nicole was acutely aware of it. She looked at Lloyd with a dilemmatic look in her eyes." Why on earth do you care so much about me? Just because I saved you?" Lloyd looked with emotions at her beautiful face. He gently closed his tender eyes, and when he opened them again, they were as calm as the sea with no emotion in them.

"You don't know how important you are to me," he said. 'Had she known about it, she wouldn't have left me so quietly.' But Nicole could not understand what he was saying, just looking him in the eyes helplessly. "Vitas, don't be stubborn. We just went on a mission together; we didn't know each other much at all," she said.

Lloyd frowned instantly before he let out a smile with the look of a stranger and a little stubbornness in his eyes.

"Hello, Nicole, since we don't know each other well, let's reacquaint ourselves. My Hustuaburgian name is Lloyd." Nicole was speechless and did not know what to say anymore. In the CEO's office of the JJ Johnston Group, Jared was enjoying coffee when his mobile phone rang. He glanced at it and his face turned serious when he saw it was a strange number. But he picked it up, anyway.

As soon as he answered, an urgent voice came from the other end of the phone.

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Claus looked at Gary, who was a little surprised, and the look on his face was even more surprised than Gary's. "Don't you like Nicole? Don't you even know how badass Nicole's skills are?" He learned from Jared that Nicole had helped Rowan and others solve a problem that an entire bunch of top hackers could not solve, and Gary did not

know about it. He looked at Gary and studied him with a meaningful smile. "It seems like you don't like Nicole enough."

Gary clenched his fists and looked at Claus with frosty eyes. "I don't like Nicole."

He picked up what he had in his hand and was about to get up and walk outside. Claus looked at the shirt on the seat signed with Nicole's name and spread his hands helplessly. "You don't like Nicole? So what's the matter with Nicole's autograph here? Kid, don't lie to yourself. Girls won't like you."

As if he was playing the role of a teacher, Claus sat down in front of Gary and started to explain the facts of life to him.

At last, after admiring enough of Gary's fed-up face, he added by saying, "So, you won't be able to get hold of a girl like Nicole who is beautiful, powerful, and smart."

Just as Claus got up and wanted to leave, Gary mumbled behind him, saying, "So, is Nicole Lucifer?"

Nicole's seemingly untraceable background, the school's tampered surveillance footage, the obvious autograph, and the Sthat Nicole subconsciously wrote, and Claus's mockery-as if everything was pointing to the ultimate fact.

Claus turned to wink at Gary. "Take a guess."

Then he slowly returned to the bar counter and continued playing with coffee cups. Gary was left sitting there thinking to himself. A moment later, he got up and walked outside, not forgetting to take the shirt with him.

Claus looked on and wiped the cold sweat from his face as Gary went. 'I almost accidentally divulged Nicole's identity. Boss will kill me if he finds out.'

On the other side, Nicole did not know what to do as Lloyd kept following her. He followed her all the way and said nothing, as if he just wanted to look at her. "What exactly do you want?" Nicole asked. As Lloyd followed her so openly with everyone recognizing him as the movie star, it became an annoyance for her.

Lloyd could tell the distantness in her voice, and he looked at Nicole with a faint sense of innocence in his eyes. "I didn't do anything." Then, his eyes lit up with a gentle look of cunningness. "But if you will, tell me where you're going, will you?" There seemed to be no

compulsion.

Nicole looked at him with a hint of inquiry in her eyes. Somehow, she felt Lloyd was very similar to Harvey in some ways. He had the same paranoia, endless desire to control,

but in some aspects, he was much gentler, like a boiled frog in warm water, silent and suffocating,

Lloyd knew the limit. Nicole looked at him.

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Chapter 559 "I'm going to Mecrounia, and not sure when I will be back" Lloyd quickly sensed Nicole's impatience with him. He smiled gently and asked nothing more, well-disposed, and gentlemanly, just like on the silver screen.

"Okay, Nicole," he replied, his voice pleasant, with a very peaceful yet alienated tone. He was standing at a safe distance, causing no discomfort to Nicole. "I wish you the best of luck."

Nicole looked at him and nodded, knowing that what she had just felt was not an illusion." Thank you."

Lloyd looked on with a thoughtful look on his face as Nicole went without looking back. He did not follow her again, but just stood where he was, quietly watching her leave. He gave out a vibe that felt difficult to guess and unfathomable.

Many girls around him recognized him, but they did not dare to approach him because of his icy expression. But there was one girl plucking up enough courage to step out and look at Lloyd with admiration.

"Are you Lloyd?" the girl asked. Lloyd nodded. His frosty expression vanished from his face as he looked at the girl with a gentle smile. "I am. Is there anything that I can help you with?" When the girl saw he was so friendly, she quickly took out a booklet from her bag and handed it to Lloyd. "Can I get your autograph?"

Nicole had been staying in the Riddle Mansion recently to take care of Mr. Riddle Sr.

As she arrived back at the mansion, she saw luxury cars parked up in front of the house. She stopped in her tracks. But when she remembered that Mr. Riddle Sr. had mentioned about the party yesterday, she let out a sigh. 'I hate parties.'

But Carl was still inside. Nicole had no choice but to walk in. She saw that Mr. Riddle Sr. was chatting with someone.

Without expression on her face, Nicole turned in a direction. As she was about to go upstairs, an insidious voice came from behind her. "Since you're back, why don't you help entertain the guests, Nicole?"

Nicole stopped and looked down the stairs. When she saw it was Chloe, who was dressed to the nines, a look of mockery appeared in her eyes. 'Chloe is nowhere to be

seen on normal days, but will surely come home as long as there is a party with celebrities as invited guests at home.' Thinking of this, Nicole did not bother to respond. Just then, she heard Mr. Riddle Sr.'s jubilant voice. "You're back, Nicole. Come and meet Mr. Wynn."

Nicole turned around expressionlessly. She walked back into the living hall, looked at the thin

man sitting across from Mr. Riddle Sr., and said hello. "Nice to meet you, Mr. Wynn. I'm Nicole," she said.

At first, she just wanted to show her face and leave, not expecting that everyone was looking at her with surprise and jealousy in their eyes upon hearing her name.

'That's this woman!'

Mr. Wynn was also startled, looking at Nicole and said stutteringly, "H-Hello, Nicole. I-I've heard your name a long time ago. What a pleasure to meet you in person." Chloe saw Mr. Wynn's attitude and was exasperated. He did not show such enthusiasm when she greeted him earlier. Taylor looked at Nicole with disdain. 'These politicians are often reluctant to rub shoulders with businessmen. But this time, things are special; it's said that Sebastian, who is expected to become the governor, has also accepted the invitation and would attend this party.'

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Chapter 560 'How could they not come? Besides, they were humiliated in front of Sebastian recently and would certainly find a way to take revenge.'

Taylor proudly stepped aside, waiting for the people of the Riddle family to greet him.

But after a long wait, and people were swarming around Nicole to talk to her, no one bothered to come talking to him.

'They're all blind.'

Since Sebastian had not come, Taylor walked out angrily. Daniel was receiving guests when he saw Taylor walk out angrily. He asked Taylor in a whisper, "Where are you going? The party venue is in the opposite direction.

Taylor was pissed and pushed Daniel away. "The party has no class, and the host has a poor attitude; why should I stay any longer?" Hearing Taylor's unsparing criticism, Daniel was startled and could not immediately find a word to respond.

Taylor thought Daniel was rendered speechless by what he said. He sneered, looking at him with disdain in his eyes. "Look at you; probably you haven't met people like us

before. Go home and learn for a few more years. Don't embarrass yourself here." As good-tempered as Daniel was, he felt offended and pissed by Taylor's blatantly humiliating words. Just as he was about to speak, a gentle voice came from behind him.

"Sorry, I'm late."

Daniel saw Taylor's eyes widen in an instant; his arrogance vanished, and he now had a flattering look on his face. "We have been waiting for you, Mr. Wyance," Taylor said. 'What?' Sebastian has come?'

Daniel looked back and saw a personable man walking slowly toward him. The smile on the man's face was like a spring breeze, commanding yet friendly. Ignoring Taylor's flattery, Sebastian walked over to Daniel and held out his hand with a smile. "You must be Nicole's father. Nice to meet you."

Daniel shook hands with Sebastian and felt flattered. "Yes, I am. You know Nicole?"

Sebastian nodded gently. Taylor on the side was so surprised that his face turned pale. He never expected that Sebastian would be so nice to the Riddle. Thinking of what Sebastian had just said and looking at the back of the two of them who had such a friendly conversation, Taylor had cold sweat trickling down his forehead. 'How can this be? Didn't I just shoot myself in the foot with my attitude toward Daniel just now?'

Instead of leaving, he hurriedly turned back and tried to catch up with Sebastian, wanting to

explain himself. Just then, he spotted someone he knew in the crowd.

'Isn't that chubby guy beside Nicole Eric? Hasn't he spoken to Sebastian alone before? Yet he is with Nicole now. What has happened that I haven't yet known?'

Taylor stood where he was, feeling that he had missed a lot.

Suddenly, a hand tapped on his shoulder from behind. He turned his head around and found that it was Luke, whom he had not seen all this while.

'Didn't he lose the tender? I'm surprised he still has the mood to come to the Riddle family's party.'

Luke looked at the lively party with a deep sense of jealousy in his eyes, which only vanished until he saw Taylor. "Mr. Wyatt, do you know exactly why Mr. Wyance has selected the Riddle family?" Taylor thought about Luke's performance in the conference room earlier.