

## Madam Winters's Fight For Her Children Chapter 986-990

### Chapter 986

"Please don't rush." Jake raised his hand and gestured at the rest to calm down. The noisy crowd instantly fell silent.

"Winters Corporation is investing in Cloud City, but the exact project is still under discussion. Once the initial preparation is ready, Winters Corporation will hold a press conference. Please be patient."

After working with Duke for a long time, Jake had begun to emanate a similar imposing manner.

As soon as he spoke, he managed to suppress the crowd.

The reporters obediently kept their cameras and microphones away. Jake walked down the stairs and approached Kendry. "Are you Mr. Kendry Willis?" Kendry was flattered. "Yes, I am." "Mr. Willis wanted to meet you yesterday, but he didn't have the time. Mr. Willis, please follow me," Jake said respectfully.

When the crowd on the site heard Jake's words, they subconsciously went into an uproar. "I heard that the Willis family offended Winters Corporation from Sea City. Looks like it's true."

"The CEO of Willis Corporation is already in jail. It's the Coo's turn now."

"The Willis family is a big family in Cloud City too, but even they are insignificant and low before the assistant of Winters Corporation."

"Winters Corporation is a big corporation that ranks first globally. The Willis family is nothing." "The Willis family is doomed." "The one who holds the power in Cloud City will change." The surrounding people's words made Kendry's face unknowingly turn pale.

He turned around and said in a deep voice, "The two of you should go back first. I'll go inside." "Dad, you're not going to be locked up too, are you?" Ruth was so anxious that she almost cried. "Let's go back now. Just forget it."

Uncle Clarence was already in jail. If her father suffered the same fate, the Willis family would

truly be doomed. "Why are you crying?" Kendry said sternly. "Learn from Adeena. Look how calm she is." "She's not your biological daughter, so why would she be anxious?" Ruth sniffled. "Dad, I'm going inside with you!" Right as Kendry was about to turn her down, Adeena said, "Let's go inside together."

She looked at Jake. "Mr. Wilson, you wouldn't mind serving two more glasses of drinks,

right?"

Her voice immediately snapped Jake out of his daze. "Of... Of course, I don't mind. Please come inside."

Jake then led the three of them to the presidential suite. "Please wait for a moment."

After he spoke, he served them three cups of coffee before he turned around and left.

“Mr. Wilson was quite nice.” Ruth took a sip of the coffee. “These are the finest hand-ground coffee beans! If Winters Corporation really wanted to deal with the Willis family, they wouldn’t have served us such good coffee, right?” she said, feeling somewhat surprised.

Adeena nodded indifferently. “It doesn’t look like they want to cause trouble.”

Kendry did not drink the coffee. “Either way, it won’t be anything good. Just talk less later,” he said in a low and deep voice. The three of them waited in the suite for about ten minutes before someone gently knocked on the door.

Kendry immediately got up, and Ruth, as well as Adeena, followed suit. The three of them looked at the door in unison.

Jake pushed the room door open and respectfully stood to the side. A tall and straight man then walked out from behind him.

The man was dressed in a black suit. His sharp eyes, high nose, and thin lips beneath his short, black hair gave off an intimidating aura.

Meanwhile, a dull, soft light shone on his golden cuffs under the chandelier.

It made the man look elegant and noble.

Adeena was stunned.

Why did she find this man incredibly familiar?

Although she always read the financial news, she was sure that she had never seen this man’s picture on the news.

Lub-dub!

Lub-dub!

Ruth felt her heart pound strongly.

Oh, God!

This man was freaking handsome!

She had initially thought that the CEO of Winters Corporation was an old man with a big belly, but he was actually so good-looking! He was like a prince from a fairy tale, and she could not take her eyes off him as a result. “Mr. Winters!” Kendry immediately stepped forward.

He had looked into Winters Corporation last night, so he knew that the company’s CEO was a young thirty-year-old man. He had found the young man to be very imposing upon seeing his picture. It was

not until he met Duke in person that he realized Duke was imposing and completely cold. Kendry plucked up courage and introduced himself. "Hi, Mr. Winters. I'm the COO of Willis Corporation. I'm Kendry Willis." Duke reached out to gently shake hands with him. He glanced at Kendry and proceeded to look at Adeena. At that instant, his extremely cold eyes were slowly filled with tenderness. Ruth nearly ran out of breath.

This man was actually looking at her!

The only correct decision she had ever made in her life was to follow her father there! Ruth's hands trembled as she walked over. "Hi, Mr. Winters. I'm Ruth Willis, the daughter of the Willis family."

"Mr. Willis, Ms. Willis, please leave the room." Duke pinched his fingers indifferently. "I'd like to talk to... this Ms. Willis." He stared at Adeena's face without fear.

If a gaze could be physical, Adeena would have felt this man touch her face. Ruth was stunned, but she soon became enraged.

Adeena was a real sl\*t! She even managed to attract the attention of Winters Corporation's CEO.

"Mr. Winters, she's just the Willis family's foster daughter. You can talk to me if there's anything to discuss," said Ruth, unwilling to leave. "Get out," Duke replied coldly.

"Mr. Willis, Ms. Willis, please leave for a moment." Jake walked over and respectfully invited the two of them out. After that, he gently closed the room door.

Only two people were left in the room now.

Adeena remained calm as she asked, "Mr. Winters, what would you like to discuss with me?"

Her voice was smooth like a wind chime that struck Duke's heart from his eardrums.

The familiar voice had been lingering in his dreams thousands of times, and he finally heard it clearly in person. Even though the maternity test result was not out, he was certain that this was Addy whom he had been painstakingly searching for four years! He wanted to hold her in his arms. He wanted to touch her face gently.

He wanted to kiss her lips deeply. He wanted to hug her at all costs and tell her that he had missed her over the past four years.

But he could not! Before he understood Addy's condition, he could not make any rash decisions. Therefore, he used such a roundabout method to attract Addy to come and see him. "I heard that you're a pretty skilled hacker, Ms. Willis." Duke sat down on the couch. "Winters Corporation is currently facing a problem. I hope you can lend us a hand." Adeena nodded with a straight face. "Sure. Please take me to the computer room so that I can have a look, Mr. Winters."

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Duke started walking and slowly moved closer to Adeena. He only stopped walking when he was one step away from her. Then, he bent down slightly and took a gentle whiff. "Ms Willis, what perfume are you wearing?" Adeena frowned and quickly took a step back.

She noticed that Mr. Winters was weirdly gazing at her.

She found him familiar, but that did not mean he could be so frivolous with her.

She was wearing high heels, and one of them suddenly tilted. In the next second, she felt the man's strong arm around her waist.

Just as she was about to move out of his arms and walk away, Duke raised his hand and snapped his fingers.

The snap buzzed in her ears, and her mind suddenly went blank. Caught off guard, she soon fainted

"Addy "I've finally found you."

Duke held her limp body in his arms. He buried his face in her neck and took a deep breath.

This was his Addy

Her scent was exactly the same as it was four years ago. He breathed in her scent lightly and gave her a deep kiss, starting slowly from her neck to her lips. He kissed her nonstop.

"What the f\*ck?!"

"This isn't appropriate for a boy to see! "I didn't see anything!" The door to the suite's internal room was suddenly opened, and a blond teen walked out

When the teen saw the situation, he immediately covered his eyes. He turned around and tried to close the door.

"Come here."

Duke stopped kissing Adina and instructed him indifferently.

"Mr. Winters, please carry on. I really didn't see anything. I'll come back after you and Ms. Daugherty are done..."

Duke pulled Adina's collar up. After he made sure that certain parts were not exposed, he finally said, "Pete, come and take a look at her."

Pete was the psychiatrist who had been on good terms with Adina four years ago, and he was skilled in hypnosis.

Pete only walked over after he returned to his room and got his tools. He stared at the woman on the couch. "She really is Ms. Daugherty, but her face looks slightly different from four years ago. She must

have undergone cosmetic surgery to remove her scars. Mr. Winters, I'll wake her up with hypnosis first." He then sat on the couch across from her. When he shook the sand hammer in his hand, a soft rattling sound echoed in the room.

"Ms. Daugherty, please open your eyes. This is the hometown where you grew up."

He tried a few times, but the woman lying on the couch continued to close her eyes. Duke pursed his lips. "She's called Adeena Willis now. People in Cloud City call her Ms. Willis."

"Ms. Willis, you're the Willis family's foster daughter. Have you thought of finding your biological parents?" She heard Pete's alluring yet hypnotic voice repeatedly, and the woman on the couch finally opened her eyes. Her indifferent eyes were full of confusion. She was clearly hypnotized. "Ms. Willis, do you still remember the first scene you saw after you woke up?" A pocket watch swung back and forth in front of the woman. A few mirrors had been placed in front of her, so the pocket watch was split into five images. It was a dazzling sight. "I woke up in the hospital with no memory of my past. I have a new name now. I'm Adeena Willis."

Pete continued to ask, "Is there anyone in your heart whom you have to see?" The woman's gaze had initially been blank, but coldness suddenly flashed in her eyes. Her pink lips trembled, and she softly said, "Baby... My baby..." Duke was shocked. He gestured with his hand, and Pete closed the watch. As a result, Adina closed her eyes and fainted again.

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"Mr. Winters, no one intentionally sealed her memories." Pete's gaze was serious as he said, "She must have encountered an accident, which caused her memory loss. In this situation, a few sessions of hypnosis would help her recall her past memories, but..."

He paused for a while. Duke pursed his lips and softly continued, "Her mood changes whenever people related to the past are mentioned. The effects of the biochip haven't been completely dispersed. If her memories are forcefully restored, it's very likely..."

It was likely that he and Addy would encounter the same dead end from four years ago.

He could not enter her world, and she could not come out, so the two of them parted in the end.

"Mr. Winters, since Ms. Daugherty has forgotten the past, just let it be. It'll be the same as starting a new relationship." Pete blinked. "Wasn't there a witch doctor who said that a full body blood exchange is needed to completely eliminate the chip's aftereffects? Surgery is too risky. If there's a mistake, she'll die on the operating table. Right now, she's lost her memories, and she isn't majorly affected by the biochip. It's a win-win situation."

Duke's gaze was profound. "Keep this secret for me first."

He could hold back from triggering Addy's memories, but the four kids...

He dared not guarantee it.

Pete nodded. He packed up his things and returned to his room.

Duke squatted down by the couch. He gently pushed Adina's messy hair away and slid his finger across her pink lips.

Last night, he had checked out the Willis family and Addy's life over the past three years.

Three years ago, Addy had suddenly shown up in the Willis family and become their foster daughter.

However, he failed to discover what had happened during the missing year in between. He would only understand Addy's condition once he had information on the missing year,

"Addy... "Addy..." He stroked her face as he called out to her again and again. "Addy. "Addy."

Someone seemed to be calling her. Adeena kept hearing the person's voice, but she seemed to be in the sea. The morning haze surrounded her and prevented her from identifying the direction of the voice.

She could vaguely see a tall figure in the fog, calling her name affectionately. He was not a member of the Willis family. Who was he? Who would keep addressing her as "Addy" with such affection?

Raging waves suddenly came crashing down on her. The cold seawater hit her lips and washed over them with great force.

Cold seawater surrounded Adeena's body from her back to her chest, but it suddenly became warm, and a strange feeling filled her body. She moved around, but that caused the seawater to envelop her more aggressively.

She moved her finger abruptly and instantly opened her eyes.

Right then, she saw a man leaning over her body. He was kissing her along her neck and going all the way down with his warm lips.

He kept touching her back and chest with his warm hand as well. Without any hesitation, Adeena pushed the man away with hostility. She raised her arm and smacked him.

Slap!

The sound of a loud slap promptly rang out.

Duke did not frown at all.

He cast a sight on the woman's unkempt clothes. There was a faint kiss mark on her neck because of him, and he had also pulled down her collar significantly.

These last four years, he had never slept with any woman. He had been abstinent for four years, so he could not stop once he started.

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Duke knew that he should not have been such a jerk, but his inner voice told him that she was his wife. No matter what he did, it would never be too much.

Therefore, he kissed her again when she was unconscious. However, the kiss lit up a fire in him, and he could no longer hold back. He wanted more and more.

"I'm sorry."

Duke took off his coat and threw it over.

Adeena kicked the coat to the floor before she reached up to button her collar. She flashed him a cold sneer. "I really didn't expect you to be such a person, Mr. Winters!"

Duke's aura immediately weakened. "I was too rude. I'm sorry."

His willingness to admit his mistakes kept Adeena's anger in her chest, and she did not manage to vent it out.

"Is this something that can merely be solved with an apology?" Adeena angrily asked in return.

There was a strange sensation on her lips. Even if she did not look in the mirror, she could guess that this man must have kissed her when she was unconscious.

Unconscious!

Adeena's expression became cold again. "What did you do to me? How did I fall asleep?"

"You have severe dark circles. I guess you didn't rest well last night. I just wanted you to sleep for a while." Duke's voice was soft and tender. Plus, his strong affection could not be diluted like an ink drop on drawing paper.

Adeena pursed her lips in dissatisfaction.

Why had she not been sleeping well? It was because Willis Corporation had been framed. None of the family's members could sleep in peace. The person who framed them was the man standing in front of her. She took a deep breath and softly said, "Mr. Winters, the wind power project under Willis Corporation passed government approval. The wastewater discharge in every quarter also meets environmental targets. Winters Corporation has created an accusation out of nothing! May I ask when the Willis family offended you?"

Duke seemed startled when he saw her like that.

It was like meeting Adina for the first time again.

Back then, she exuded the same indifference as she did now.

This time, she was lively. Her every move and smile made his heart flutter. She was no longer the Addy who would easily get angry and collapse. She had slowly become

the person she used to be. Duke had the urge to hold her in his arms again.

However, he suppressed the urge and slowly said, "You're just a foster daughter in the Willis family. Why would you stand up for them?"

"Mr. Winters, that's hilarious. I'm a Willis. The Willis family saved me and provided me with shelter. Why shouldn't I stand up for them?" Adeena sneered. "Mr. Winters, just tell me what it'll take to spare the Willis family." Duke smiled faintly. He suddenly enjoyed the moment. She was very sharp-tongued, and they could argue. She was still alive and standing right in front of him. They had a long future ahead. Thinking of that, Duke no longer felt the need to rush.

He sat on the couch in a relaxed manner and nonchalantly said, "Are you willing to pay any price to save the Willis family?"

Adeena pursed her pink lips. She suddenly realized something. Winters Corporation had not been attacked by a hacker. The whole thing was just to lure her there.

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She had been drugged as soon as she stepped in, and the man had touched her body. If she had not woken up, she would have been defiled.

"Mr. Winters, you have really strange tastes," Adeena said sarcastically. "You actually came up with such a chain of schemes for a woman like me."

"Ms. Willis, you might be overthinking this." Duke smiled indifferently. "You're not worth me rushing all the way from Sea City. But I do think you're fine, so I'm interested in you. If you're willing to be my secretary, perhaps I can consider sparing the Willis family." "

Adeena pinched her fingers. She had slapped this man hard just now, and she could still see the faint fingerprints on his cold face.

With his status, he could exact revenge on her mercilessly.

Yet, he did not. So, he should be interested in her. While he had asked her to be his secretary, her role would probably not be limited to that. Adeena pursed her lips. "I need to think about it." "Sure." Duke smiled nonchalantly. "I'll leave Cloud City tomorrow night. Please make your decision before I leave."

Adeena then turned around and left the room without even bidding goodbye.

Duke touched his thin lips.

The sweet taste of her lips was apparently still present.

'Addy, I'll get you to marry me again.'

As soon as Adeena went out, Kendry and Ruth approached her. "Deena, how did it go? What did Mr. Winters say?" Kendry looked anxious. "You... Deena... what's wrong with you?" He stared at Adeena's

messy makeup, slightly swollen lips, and the faint kiss marks on her neck He was a man, so he could imagine what had happened in the room at a glance. No wonder she only stepped out after an hour. "Deena, you didn't..." Ruth covered her lips. "Did you sleep with Mr. Winters?" Adeena glanced at her and indifferently said, "He drugged me." That was the price she paid for the Willis family, so she was not going to cover it up. She would slowly repay their kindness toward her, but she needed to let them know what she had sacrificed.

"Are you joking?" Ruth could not believe it. "Why would someone like Mr. Winters drug you?" During the hour she waited outside the room, she searched insanelly for information on Winters Corporation's CEO. The first news that popped up was about Mr. Winters' marriage to the most beautiful woman in Sea City, but a mistress came between them only a month after their wedding.

Therefore, news about their divorce kept coming up in her search results.

Four years ago, Adina Daugherty, who was Mdm. Winters, stopped showing up in public. Various rumors revealed that the Winters couple had gotten divorced, and Adina had gone overseas in anger. She never returned anymore.

Duke had four kids, but that did not stop countless women from wanting to marry him.

No woman would not fall for such a handsome man from a wealthy family.

Ruth's heart pounded quickly. She had love at first sight when she saw him.

She wore a mocking smile and said, "Deena, let's be honest. You actually like Mr. Winters, so you did everything in your power to seduce him to sleep with you, right?"

"Don't speculate about others." Adeena could not be bothered to explain things to Ruth. She turned around and looked at Kendry. "Dad, Mr. Winters says he'll spare the Willis family as long as I agree to a request." Kendry was happy, and he immediately asked, "What's the request?"