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Benjamin held Jasper close while gently placing a hand on his head in a protective stance. He acted coldly toward Danna. "No one is allowed to harm a child of the Graham family. Don't you dare to come close to Gavin anymore!" "Benjamin, I am Gavin's mom, and he's my beloved child. Why would I ever hurt him? He was the one that..." Her eyes met Benjamin's cold gaze. She did not dare to place the blame on Jasper and immediately started to beg for mercy, "I did not do it on purpose. All I wanted was to give him a hug... I never thought of hurting him." "Are you taking me for a fool, Ms. Adams?" Benjamin scoffed. Danna opened her mouth in shock. Her eyes grew red-rimmed as she shook her head. "No. Don't you know that I have never taken you for a fool..." "Get lost!" Benjamin chased her out and glanced at Edwin before carrying Jasper to his study. "Please take your leave, Ms. Adams!" Edwin remained polite despite being fueled with anger. Danna watched as Benjamin left along with Jasper. She felt hurt at the realization that he was kicking her out for real. "Please leave, Ms. Adams. Have you not caused enough harm by hurting Gavin? I don't care if you don't treasure him, but as a mother, you should never bully him," Edwin heartlessly urged.

With the fact that Danna planned to marry Benjamin by leveraging on the fact that Gavin was their son, Edwin was shocked to see her be so cruel toward Gavin. He felt that Danna was way more ruthless than any stepmother in the world would be toward her son. *Gavin is still young, and yet he has to endure cruel treatment from his mother. He doesn't even utter a single word about it. No wonder he has a gloomy personality and shuts himself out.* Danna gritted her teeth furiously and left. "I'll come to see Gavin next time!" *You're the b\*stard that made Benjamin scold me. I'll get my revenge!* "Ms. Adams, I suggest that you stop coming over. Gavin is not pleased to meet you either. Stop pestering him!"

It was true that Gavin felt uncomfortable whenever she was present. She glared at him in return. "Are you not afraid that I might tell Benjamin about your attitude toward me, Edwin?" *Even if I were wrong, Gavin is my son. You're in no position to judge me!* "Go ahead and snitch on me, Ms. Adams." Edwin was well-aware that Danna was enraged and snorted secretly in his heart. *She must be putting up an act. How could she be the one that gave birth to Gavin? It's so pitiful that he has her as his mother. I hope that he now knows her true nature after this incident.* Danna was pissed and had no idea how to deal with Edwin. He was a senior and had served Benjamin for a long time. All she could do was say things out of spite to relieve herself.

There was nothing she could complain about in front of Benjamin as it would all be pointless. She had no other choice but to leave since she did not wish to make Benjamin hate her more. Benjamin entered his study while carrying Jasper. Then, he grabbed the first aid kit. An irritated look was visible on his face as he checked if Jasper had any wounds. Jasper looked briefly at him. He took a deep breath as he was slightly frightened by Benjamin, who remained silent throughout the process. Benjamin had a look at Jasper and noticed that the latter was crying.

Tears flowed non-stop out of his swollen red eyes. Benjamin felt his heart ache at how distressed the child appeared. "Stop crying. You're a big boy!" Jasper bit the corner of his mouth frustratingly. "I'm hurt! Why does she hate me? Other children's mommy could not bear to hurt their child, but mommy tried to pinch me with all her might. Is she even my mommy?" Benjamin was stunned. They previously underwent a DNA test to prove that Gavin was no doubt their child. He gulped and took a quick glimpse at Jasper before proceeding to close the first aid kit. He softened his tone and spoke. "You can stop seeing your mommy if you don't like her!" Benjamin was confident that his son would grow up properly even if his mother was not around.

Danna had gone too far this time. Hope lit up in Jasper's eyes as he asked pitifully, "Really? Don't you love her? Are you still going to marry her, then? She told me that you would, Daddy!" Benjamin frowned. "You don't have to worry about it! It's never going to happen." Jasper was stunned by his reply. *What does he mean? Does this mean that Daddy does not love Mommy? Or is he not going to marry her?* "I feel that she is not my mommy. She hated me since I was young. Whenever you all were not around, she would try to pinch me in places that would not be easily visible when she was displeased."

Jasper honestly had no idea if Danna had always acted that way. He was just making things up to make Benjamin believe him. Benjamin's face turned solemn as he asked with a deep voice, "Why did you not tell me about this before?" Jasper glimpsed at him and pouted. "I did not dare to do so because she threatened me!" He lowered his head and shivered as he explained. His sorrowful look made Benjamin's heart clench in pain. Benjamin gently ruffled the boy's hair and promised, "From now on, I won't let anyone bully you!" He felt guilty that his beloved child was almost hurt, not just by anyone but Danna. Jasper buried himself in Benjamin's arms and sniffed. "Are you still going to be in a relationship with her, Daddy?"

A glint appeared in Benjamin's eyes as he had no clue how to answer his question. "Well, would you like me to be with her?" Jasper shook his head. "No!" Benjamin paused for a second after hearing Jasper answer with determination. He lowered his gaze onto Jasper's head. *I thought that he would want us to remain together.* "Do you feel pain anywhere?" He held Jasper and continued to check if Jasper had suffered any wounds. "Here!"

Jasper patted his left chest to show Benjamin that he was physically fine but felt emotionally hurt by Danna's actions. Benjamin rarely witnessed his son crying. *Ever since Gavin learned how to walk and speak, I've never seen him cry in such a manner. It breaks my heart.* He gently patted Jasper's head and comforted him, "Everything will be all right." Benjamin frowned as his expression darkened.

*How could his own mother be so rough toward him? I would never try to hurt him.* Benjamin was very protective of his son. Even if Danna was someone who held an important place in his heart and was Gavin's mother, he could not help but feel agitated. Jasper felt that something was off with Benjamin and asked with caution, "Daddy, is she really my mommy? Could my mommy be someone else?" Upon hearing that, Benjamin knitted his brows. He looked at Jasper's hopeful eyes and cheekily squeezed his cheeks. "She is your mommy. You're overthinking."

"Hmph! For all I know, she might have adopted me. Don't you think that I look nothing like Mommy, Daddy?" Jasper said in disappointment. A shiver ran down Benjamin's spine. Then, he observed Jasper's facial features. The child was roughly seventy to eighty percent similar to Benjamin in terms of looks, but he indeed had no resemblance to Danna. Usually, children took after their parents' looks. He was unable to convince Jasper since Jasper looked nothing like Danna.

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"Hey, Daddy. What if Mommy wanted to marry you, so she took someone else's child to claim as hers?" Jasper added while Benjamin remained confused. Benjamin rubbed Jasper's head. He was amazed by the child's imagination. When Benjamin woke up years ago, Danna was already by his side. He was furious at her schemes. She then left him just to return with a child, claiming he was theirs through a DNA test. There was a blurry memory that never left his mind. It was a memory where there was another woman with a gentler voice, and she wore a unique perfume. He cut his train of thoughts.

*If Danna really adopted a child and the child is mine by coincidence, then who exactly is that woman?* It was not as if Benjamin never suspected so. However, it was scientifically proven that Gavin was indeed Danna and his child. *Could she have altered the results of the DNA test?* "Daddy, I don't want her as my mommy. I want another mommy!" Jasper held on to Benjamin and nuzzled against him. Gavin had never acted childish around Benjamin, hence Benjamin's heart melted at this sight. Benjamin patted Jasper's head and said, "Don't say such silly things!" Even though Benjamin had his doubts, there was no way he could discuss them with his son without having solid proof.

He wanted to prevent his son from unnecessarily hating Danna even more. Jasper pouted. It seemed that Benjamin had yet to fully trust him. *I have to obtain concrete evidence to persuade Daddy.* "Daddy, if she really isn't my mommy, would you be with my biological mommy instead?" Benjamin never thought of such a scenario. If Danna was not Gavin's mother, how would Gavin's true mother be together with Benjamin if he had never even seen her face? Meanwhile, Arissa brought her four kids out for a meal and went shopping to let them familiarize themselves with their surroundings. "Jasper, what kind of hat do you prefer?" Gavin was not used to other people calling him Jasper, so it took him a while before he responded. Zachary lightly tapped Gavin since Arissa was puzzled by his lack of response.

"Mommy is calling you!" Gavin came back to his senses with a blush on his face. "What did you say, Mommy?" Arissa noticed that he wasn't paying attention and squeezed his cheeks while pointing at the store. "Which hat do you like?" Gavin looked at the hats available and replied, "I like the black one!" Arissa froze. *Doesn't he like green?* "Are you sure?" Gavin had no idea why she was asking him such a question. "Yes!" he answered while nodding. Arissa was shocked and teased him, "Are you going for a change of style? Didn't you like green?" Gavin was stunned to hear that because Jasper never mentioned that he liked green. Zachary laughed as he noticed that Gavin was confused. He was

worried that Arissa could see through their lie. "Mommy, he wants to look cool!" Gavin glimpsed at Zachary and remained speechless.

*What do you mean? It's just my favorite color.* Oliver rubbed his chin as he felt that Jasper was acting weirdly. "Wasn't green your favorite color? When did that change?" Gavin glanced at him and smirked in return. "Am I not allowed to have a change in style?" "I want to change my style too!" Jesse exclaimed smilingly. "Mommy, can I have the pink one?" Arissa was amused by Jesse's request. She requested the storekeeper for two hats, one black, and one pink. Jesse instantly tried out the hat and showed it to the others. "How do I look?" "It's perfect!" Gavin supported Jesse. His gaze remained on Jesse as the hat made the latter seem even more feminine. "Here, try the hat." Arissa squatted and helped Gavin wear his hat.

He looked fantastic in the black hat, making his features stand out even more. She sighed as none of her children looked like her. She was confident that they looked like their father, but she did not know who their father was, nor did she know where to find him. Even if she did, she did not have the courage to seek their biological father out as she was worried that he would be an improper person. She would prefer to never know about their father if that were the case. Oliver adjusted Gavin's hat by turning it around. "Now, you look cooler!" Gavin looked at them and turned to the mirror. He agreed with Oliver's statement. "Mommy, I want this hat!" "Sure!" Arissa adored him and caressed his face.

"Thank you, Mommy!" Gavin's face flushed with excitement because it was his first ever present from his mother. Arissa smiled at him and paid for the hats before continuing their shopping trip. She bought whatever they needed. Before heading home, they shopped for groceries for their dinner. "Mommy, rest! We'll handle dinner!" Zachary told Arissa as soon as they reached home. Arissa was touched. "You all should rest too. I'll make dinner in a moment!" "We're not tired at all!" Zachary called his siblings, and they carried the groceries into the kitchen before keeping them neatly. It was the first time Gavin did such chores. Thus, he found it interesting. However, he kept misplacing the groceries, causing Zachary and Oliver to be pissed.

Jesse lightly tugged the corner of Gavin's shirt. "Jasper, let's prepare the vegetables. Leave the rest to them!" Jesse sat on a chair and started to prepare the vegetables. Gavin was amazed by how skilled Jesse was and asked out of curiosity, "You're so good at it! I don't know how to do it as properly as you!" Jesse felt puzzled. "Jasper, you're doing a better job than me. Are you trying to make me happy?" Gavin quickly added, "Hehe. I am!" He learned how to prepare the vegetables after observing how Jesse did it. Zachary and Oliver started to cook the dishes after storing the groceries.

Gavin stood aside and watched in amusement. Zachary noticed that Gavin was in awe and smirked. "From now on, we have to help Mommy with these chores! Whenever Mommy is not at home, we have to prepare our own meals!" *They're incredible!* Gavin was amazed. "That's right! Mommy works very hard, so we have to help her!" Jesse agreed. "Would you like to sweep the floor, or should I do it instead?"

Oliver asked Gavin. Gavin knew how to sweep the floor, so he answered, "I'll do it!" "Sure. I'll mop the floor then!" Oliver split the chores among themselves.

Arissa walked over and was delighted to hear the heartwarming conversation between her children. She felt that any kind of pain and suffering was worth it if it was for the sake of her children. "Kids, go and play. Leave the rest to me!" She told her children to leave and proceeded to cook the meals.

Gavin did not leave. Instead, he stood in the kitchen, watching her cook. Arissa looked at him and noticed that his expression was filled with curiosity. She felt that something was off. "Are you hungry, Jasper? You can have some bread in the meantime, but make sure not to eat too much since we're going to have dinner soon!"

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"Mommy, I want to watch you cook!" Gavin said softly, looking at her in eager anticipation. Arissa smiled at him in return and said with a gentle voice, "Sure. Sit down aside and don't stick close to me. Watch out for any oil splatters." "Okay!" Gavin was over the moon. He pulled a chair over and sat down obediently. "Why did you suddenly want to watch me cook?" Arissa asked. "I want to accompany Mommy!" Gavin replied while his eyes were glued onto her. Arissa was moved by his reply and smiled brightly. Gavin did not get to watch for long before Oliver called him, "Jasper, are you trying to slack off? You said that you would sweep the floor! Come out here and start sweeping!" Gavin was startled.

*Oops, I forgot about that.* "Mommy, I'm leaving for a moment!" Gavin uttered. Arissa turned around and acknowledged him with a smile. Gavin ran out and hurriedly started to sweep the floor. On the other hand, Oliver washed the mop and mopped the floor. Meanwhile, Zachary tidied the rooms along with Jesse. The four children worked together and busied themselves with chores. Arissa was pleased to see them so obedient at such a young age. Without their help to do some of the chores, she would have been overwhelmed. Half an hour later, the four children lounged on the sofa watching animations. Oliver was browsing through the many channels available. Suddenly, a news title caught Jesse's attention.

The child tugged Oliver's shirt with excitement upon seeing someone that had a similar appearance to them. "Go back to the previous channel!" Oliver changed back the channel, but it was too late. Jesse was upset. "Why is it gone?" "What's the matter, Jesse?" Zachary turned his head and asked. "I think I saw Daddy just now!" Jesse looked at him in eagerness. *That person looks exactly like my brothers.* Zachary was dumbstruck. Gavin also looked at Jesse. *It is common for Daddy to appear on television programs, but he usually hates to do so.*

*Why did I not notice him even though I was watching the television too?* Jesse tried to convince them. "The person was tall and looked handsome. Just like Oliver! It must be our daddy!" Oliver scratched the back of his head and frowned. "Why did I not see it?" "Daddy was standing at the back!" Jesse described. There was no doubt that the person Jesse saw was Benjamin. It was an opening ceremony. The camera happened to catch him in their footage for a second. It was a mere second, and the media did not talk about him directly. "You don't even know who it is,

and you're already claiming him as your daddy!" Oliver poked Jesse's head. Jesse dodged him belatedly. "Don't you want to know?" "I do, but there are billions of people out there. Besides, the news didn't mention the event's location!" Oliver pursed his lips.

They didn't even know if their father was dead or alive. Zachary and Gavin stared at each other, debating if they should tell the others the truth. "That's enough. Change the channel already. Don't you want to watch television?" Zachary chimed in. Oliver immediately changed the channel, and Jesse hugged a cushion happily. The latter's favorite animation was on television. "It's starting! It's starting!" Arissa heard Jesse's joy from the kitchen and peeked at them. She saw the four siblings watching television together and continued checking if the soup was ready. Zachary fished out his phone and found Benjamin's phone number through Gavin's phone. He then sent Benjamin a message.

Gavin's eyes widened. He asked softly, "What are you doing?" "Keep quiet!" Zachary shot Gavin a look and glanced toward Oliver and Jesse. Gavin silently looked at him in return and noticed that Zachary was sending a message as Arissa to request working with Benjamin. Gavin pulled Zachary's sleeve and whispered into Zachary's ear, "You could have just asked me to recommend Mommy!" Zachary was doubtful. "Can Mommy join the company without his approval?" Gavin frowned and decided to discuss it with Ethen. Benjamin soon received a message through his private number. He was confused as he opened the message. The message read: *My name is Arissa York. I regrettably had to leave earlier according to the wishes of your fiancée.*

*Mr. Graham, if you have yet to find a suitable candidate, please consider giving me a chance. I am confident that I can handle the company's job well!* He narrowed his eyes as he read the message. *How did this woman get my private number? Hmph, does she have other motives? Is she coming back to Graham Group because she hit a snag elsewhere? If she really wanted to join Graham Group, she shouldn't have left without leaving any explanation.* He texted back: *No way!* Zachary read Benjamin's reply and became furious. *How dare he reject Mommy without giving it any thought.* He typed another message and sent it in a blink of an eye: *You will regret this!* Benjamin's expression turned dark after seeing the reply. *I've never regretted anything in my whole life.* Gavin also saw Benjamin's text and sighed.

*Why doesn't Daddy want to give Mommy a chance? She's extremely talented!* Zachary rushed to his room, and Gavin followed him. Oliver did not understand why they were in such a hurry. He followed them into the room and saw Zachary turning on his laptop. "What are you doing?" "Shh. I'm going to teach someone a lesson!" Zachary pressed his lips together. Gavin could guess what his plans were. Zachary could hack someone within seconds just by obtaining their address. His superb hacking skills still amazed Gavin. Oliver settled down behind Zachary and asked Gavin, "Who is Zachary dealing with?" Gavin replied, "I'll answer that later!" Zachary cut off the electric supply at Benjamin's mansion.

It was evening, and the mansion needed electricity to light up the area. It turned dark at the mansion, so Edwin swiftly headed downstairs to check the electric switches just to find out that they were fine. Therefore, he called a repairman to fix the issue. Benjamin frowned as he exited his study. "What's going on?" "The electrical circuit might be broken. We'll repair it as soon as possible!" Edwin had

no clue what the problem was. Benjamin was worried that Jasper would be afraid of the dark, so he rushed upstairs to Jasper's room.

It was at this moment that the computer in his study was hacked. Benjamin saw that Jasper was fast asleep and headed back downstairs. Then, he noticed that someone had messed with his computer. The keys were not working at all. With this, he realized that the blackout was not due to pure coincidence. "Hehe!" Suddenly, there was a burst of creepy laughter from the computer. "You can never catch me!"

On the screen, a few chicks were running around, mocking him. It made Benjamin think of Arissa. *Haha. She has a few tricks up her sleeve. Is she doing this out of spite because I rejected her?* Anger surged within him as his face turned icy cold. Now, he wanted to get to know Arissa better. He took out his phone and dialed her number, but no one picked up.

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Chapter 19 Come To My Office Tomorrow, You More than Anything in the World "Sweethearts, it's time to eat. Stop playing on the computer and go wash your hands!" Arissa cooked the dishes, came over, and ordered the children to wash their hands, unaware that someone had ill intentions toward her. "Mommy, we're coming!" Hastily, they turned off the computer, and Zachary looked at Gavin. "Why did he call me? He didn't suspect us, did he?" asked Zachary. The boy then hastily removed the SIM card, so as not to be tracked down by Benjamin. He didn't expect Benjamin to be so perceptive and grew too careless. *He won't blame it on Mommy, will he?* "That's highly possible!" Gavin had not expected Zachary to go ahead and hack Benjamin's computer. He thought the latter had only hacked into the electrical circuit system. *I had just texted Daddy before hacking into his computer. He's definitely going to be suspicious.* "What are you guys talking about? Can you tell me?" Oliver looked at the two, frustration evident on his face. They had been talking without letting him in on their conversation. "Sweethearts, come out!" shouted Arissa again. Zachary patted his restless younger brother on the shoulder. "I'll tell you about it after dinner. Let us go outside. Mommy's rushing us!" "Let's go eat first!" Gavin followed behind and walked out of the room.

When Oliver heard this, he twitched his lips. *They have a secret, and they're even hiding it from me! Hmph!* He also hurriedly ran out of the room. The three of them washed their hands and went to the dining room, where Jesse had already taken a seat and was drinking the soup. "You guys are so slow! I've almost finished a bowl!" Jesse smiled. Gavin sat down next to her and caressed her head, "Then drink more if you like it, and we will drink less!" Jesse smiled, looked at him, then turned to focus on eating. Gavin stared at Jesse for a while. *He really smiles like a girl.* Worried about hurting the child, Gavin hid that thought in his heart and did not tell anyone. "Hurry up and eat!" Arissa served the soup to the children.

She also served herself a bowl, sat down, and began to eat. Meanwhile, at the Graham residence. Benjamin narrowed his eyes. He checked his computer and found that no files on the computer had been touched. Hacking his computer seemed to be just a way to show displeasure. *Surprisingly, this number couldn't track her position. Is she really cautious, or is the person who hacked my computer not her? The timing was too much of a coincidence though. This woman has some nerve, doesn't she? How dare she try me? Isn't she afraid that I'll pursue the matter?* Without conclusive evidence, he could not determine that the person who had just hacked the computer was definitely Arissa, but she was the prime suspect.

Just then, Ethen came over to report Benjamin's schedule. As he approached the latter, his eyes met the man's intense glare, and it frightened him. "Mr. Graham?" He sized up Benjamin and gingerly greeted him. *Did I do something to offend him?* Benjamin sneered in response. "Did you give my private number to someone else?" Ethen widened his eyes and hastily shook his head. "No, I didn't!" *I don't have the guts to give someone else your private number. I still have to live.* He continued, "What's wrong?" *Is a woman causing him trouble?* Benjamin's gaze was cold and stern as he looked at Ethen. "You didn't give Arissa either?" "No, I didn't give her your contact number, not even your business card!

"I swear to God!" Ethen raised his hand and swore. Benjamin frowned. *He didn't give Arissa my number, so how would she have my number?* "Mr. Graham, did she call you?" asked Ethen softly. Benjamin gave him a sharp look and asked in a low voice, "Do you know where she is now?" Ethen froze for a while, not understanding his intention. "Mr. Graham, may I ask why you're looking for her?" "Doesn't she want to work at Graham Group? Tell her to come to my office tomorrow!" He would like to see this woman, to find out what kind of person she was.

If she really hacked into his computer, he would get his revenge. No one could play him and still be safe. Ethen was surprised and patted his thigh. "I'm going to inform her now!" Benjamin's cold gaze pierced him instantly. Ethen controlled his expression and moved aside to call Arissa. Arissa received a call from Ethen informing her that she was to go to Graham Group tomorrow for another interview. She was stunned, as she had originally intended to resubmit her resume after dinner. "Mr. Frank, are you sure it was Mr. Graham who told me to go there?" She didn't want to be humiliated again like she had been that morning. "Affirmative. He just asked me to inform you to come back. I'm really sorry about what happened today.

It was all a misunderstanding." Then, he continued, "Don't worry about it, Ms. York. Mr. Graham loves people who have talent, and you can tell him directly what you need. You're free tomorrow, aren't you?" "Yes!" Arissa thought for a moment and decided to head over there. "I'll be there on time!" *I have to see him this time, even if that woman tries to stop me. If I fail the interview again, I'll have no choice but to accept the outcome. Graham Group's salary and benefits are among the best in the industry. It would be a waste if I just gave up like that.* "We will be waiting for you!"

replied Ethen with a smile. Without further ado, he hung up the phone and relayed to Benjamin, "Ms. York will be in the office tomorrow." Benjamin was not surprised. He suddenly asked, "You have seen this woman. What do you think of



her?" "She is a beautiful and very intellectual person. It's a pleasure to see her!" Ethen replied with a flattering expression on his face. *Man, she's a beauty. If we work together in the future, my mood can be much better during work. I'll be close to her when we work together, and maybe I'll have a chance to pursue her.* Benjamin stared at him coldly and snorted.

"Such a high evaluation!" "Mr. Graham, that's because you haven't seen her yet! When you see her tomorrow, you'll know what I'm talking about!" Ethen patted his chest in affirmation. Suddenly remembering something, he asked, "Mr. Graham, why have you suddenly changed your mind?" Benjamin's face immediately darkened. "My computer had been hacked!" Ethen was stunned to hear that. *Who would so dare to hack Grim Reaper's computer? That person must be tired of living.* "You suspect that Ms. York hacked your computer?" The man was quick on the uptake.

Benjamin handed his phone over to show the relevant text messages, and Ethen was shocked after reading them. "No way. That's not her number!" *I don't believe she'd do something like that. We are all adults, and no one is going to be stupid enough to provoke Mr. Graham like that.* He showed Benjamin her phone number to prove her innocence. "Mr. Graham, look, a different number!" Benjamin frowned deeply. *It's not her.*

*Who is it then?* He looked at Ethen, and Ethen immediately understood what he meant. "I'll check it immediately!" He tried to locate the IP address but was unsuccessful. However, he did find the registration information. "Mr. Graham, the owner of this number is Zachary York!" *Zachary York? His last name is York too!* The tip of Benjamin's tongue topped the inside of his cheek, and his eyes deepened as he pondered.

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Zachary was eating his meal, and his eyes flashed when he heard the alarm on his phone.

"Mommy, I'll leave for a second!"

With that, he left his chair and ran to his phone.

When he saw someone checking his data, he narrowed his eyes, used his hacking technique, and attacked directly.

In the blink of an eye, all the information about him was erased.

"Sweetheart, what's going on?" Arissa turned around and looked at her son. She wondered what he was doing, not coming to dinner.

"Mommy, give me a second!" After making sure the other party could not find any information on him, he then only walked over to Arissa.

When she saw Zachary being mysterious, she laughed. "What are you doing?"

"Nothing. A friend was looking for me to play a game, and I replied him!" replied Zachary calmly.

Gavin looked at Zachary and immediately knew something was wrong.

Arissa also looked at him and smiled. Without questioning him any further, she gave each of the four children chicken wings before giving herself one.

"Hurry up and eat! Eat up before you play!"

"Mommy, your cooking is so delicious!" Gavin ate happily. He liked the food very much.

Arissa was in high spirits from her son's praises. With a loving smile, she said, "Eat more if it's good!"

Seeing the children enjoying their food, she put on a satisfied expression.

Meanwhile, over at Yaleview, Ethen saw that the information screen was suddenly blank. He furrowed his brows, searched again, and found that the information had become garbled.

*What's going on? D\*mn! This person has some skills.*

It ended up a fruitless search, and his phone was dead too. Ethen was astonished and reported to Benjamin.

"Mr. Graham, this person's techniques are definitely better than mine. The information I just found out is all messed up."

Benjamin narrowed his eyes and was even more puzzled. *Who is this person? What is he trying to do?*

"Keep tracking that guy!"

"Yes!" Ethen did not dare to be sloppy.

"Daddy..."

Suddenly, a soft voice sounded from the doorway, and Benjamin's cold, stern face softened as he stood up and walked out.

Jasper stood outside the study, rubbing his eyes. He had just woken, and his sleepy look was too adorable.

Ethen liked Jasper a lot. He waved and greeted him, "Jasper!"

Jasper lifted his head and looked at him. His little face showed a smile. "Mr. Frank!"

Ethen smiled dotingly at him.

Benjamin lifted Jasper up and touched his face. "Do you still want to sleep?"

"I don't want to sleep. I'm hungry!" Jasper glanced at Benjamin and answered languidly.

Deep in his heart, he was very nervous. *I just came downstairs and heard that Benjamin was going to investigate Zachary. That's very strange. Why does Daddy want to check on him? Does he already know that Mommy gave birth to them?*

Benjamin met Jasper's eyes as he eyed him. He raised an eyebrow and carried him over to the dining room.

"Why are you staring at me like that?" he asked.

Jasper lowered his head and leaned against his shoulder. That action was like proof of

his shyness, and it made Benjamin feel his heart soften.

*He rarely does that. That's pretty cute.*

When they reached the dining room, Benjamin sat Jasper down on a chair, got a towel, and cleaned his face.

Then, he wiped his little hands.

Jasper stared at Benjamin and rejoiced in his heart. *Daddy is so good to me.*

Edwin served the soup to the father and son.

"Let's eat. Be careful. It's hot!" reminded Benjamin before digging in as well.

Jasper looked over to the study and whispered, "Won't Mr. Frank be eating with us?"

Benjamin frowned when he heard that. *This boy is pretty good to Ethen.* He glanced at Edwin and ordered, "Get Ethen over here!"

"Yes, Mr. Graham!" Whereupon, the butler went over and called Ethen.

Delighted to learn that he was invited to dinner, Ethen hurriedly came out of the study.

He said joyfully, "Mr. Graham, how do you know I haven't eaten yet?"

Benjamin gave the talkative assistant a cold look and said in a light voice, "It's my son who sent for you!"

Ethen's eyes lit up. He walked over, hugged Jasper, and chirped cheerfully, "Thank you, Jasper."

The delighted assistant then sat down next to Jasper and put some food on the child's plate. "Jasper, you slept for quite long, didn't you?"

"Well, someone scolded me. I felt terrible, so I slept more," answered Jasper piteously.

Ethen was shocked and angrily retorted, "Who scolded you? Tell me, and I'll teach that bully a lesson!"

Jasper pouted and glanced at him. *He treats me so well, and it's genuine kindness toward me, unlike that woman. She always mistreats me behind their back.*

"That woman!" Jasper huffed.

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Benjamin looked at his son. *He does not even call her Mommy.*

Ethen, not knowing who it was, looked at them. "What woman had the guts to scold you? Tell me, Jasper. I'll teach her some manners."

Benjamin glanced at Ethen before looking at Jasper. The sight of Jasper's sad expression made his heart clench.

Ethen noticed that as well. His eyes widened, and he asked again, "Who is that woman?"

Seeing Ethen's indignant look, Edwin glanced at Benjamin and reminded him, "It's Ms. Adams!"

Hearing that, Ethen's gaze moved from Jasper to Benjamin's face. He then gasped a little and swallowed his saliva.

Hearing the unexpected name, Ethen backed away a little and asked, "Why?" *She's so strict with him. We can't even bear to scold him.*

Despite being furious, Ethen did not dare to speak out of line as he noticed Benjamin's gloomy expression.

Jasper noticed the assistant's meekness and continued, "Mr. Frank, you think she's inconsiderate too, don't you? I know she doesn't like me. Maybe it's because I didn't help her that she pinched me."

Ethen's heart ached upon seeing Jasper's sad face. "What does she want you to help her with?"

Jasper looked at Benjamin. "To help ask Daddy to marry her quickly!"

Ethen despised her in his heart. *She is so shameless. She even uses a little kid like Jasper to achieve her goals! She is not worthy of Mr. Graham.*

However, he didn't dare to speak out these thoughts. Benjamin's face was clearly still frosty, so he sat back down in his seat.

"Eat first!" Benjamin tousled Jasper's head, sounding concerned.

Jasper realized his father had not promised not to marry Danna and kept silent. *Does Daddy like that woman that much? If Daddy stays with that woman, what will happen to*

*Mommy? What about us? After the marriage, Gavin will be even worse off at home. Daddy should never marry that woman.*

He then uttered, seemingly disappointed, "Okay..!"

Several adults on the scene felt sympathetic looking at his pained expression.

Benjamin's face grew grim, and there was anger in his eyes directed at Danna.