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When the image on the screen disappeared, Kayden was stunned for a long time before coming back to his senses. He never expected Jasper's attitude to be s o harsh and determined. After coming back to his senses, Kayden flew into a rage. He had never been so mistreated his entire life! He grabbed the keyboard in front of the screen and smashed it on the computer screen. After a loud crash, the screen was smashed into pieces. Kayden was panting

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as he stood in front of the computer like a

mad bull.

"Jasper, you intolerable bully!"

The more Kayden thought about this, the

angrier he became. His face was tense as hi

e went straight upstairs to the office of

Half-the-Harbor Langdon.

After a few minutes, Kayden retold the

entire process to Half-the-Harbor.

Langdon.

When he was done, Kayden gritted his

teeth and said, "Dad, Jasper never wanted

to promise us anything from the

beginning. He just wanted to watch us die.

You were wrong!"

After listening to his son, Half-the

Harbor Langdon's face was calm.

Half-the-Harbor Langdon closed his eyes

slightly and thought for a moment. Then,

he asked, "Do you think Jasper is the one

who set this trap?"

Kayden was taken aback for a moment.

Then, he immediately shook his head and

said, "Impossible, Jasper is now the

number one enemy of the United States,

and they want Jasper to die more than

anyone else in the world. So how would.

they work with Jasper to set this trap?

"What's more, the most terrible thing for

us now is the insurance contract of the

small and medium-sized banks, and this

was issued to us by the United States. It is

impossible for Jasper to command the United States,

"Therefore, I think this is just a

coincidence."

After listening to what Kayden said, Half the-Harbor Langdon remained calm and did not make a statement.

He pondered for a moment before sighing suddenly. "Since that can't be done, we have to find another way." "Dad, what other ways are there?" Kayden asked. Half-the-Harbor Langdon stood up, walked to the french window with his hands behind his back, and looked out at the crowded and bustling Wall Street financial street at his feet. After that, he said slowly, "Maybe this is really not where we should be. We were too impatient, and should have waited at least another 10, or even 20, years. It's really too early now. "And now, we have to pay for our impatience..." Kayden's body tightened as he watched his father who seemed to be getting older with every passing second. He hurriedly walked to Half-the-Harbor Langdon and said in a low voice, "Dad, I have an idea..." Half-the-Harbor Langdon glanced at him sideways. Kayden gritted his teeth and said, "The

subprime market has been continuously shorted. Those credit products are now worthless, and we are also burdened with loans from small and medium-sized banks. To put it bluntly, Layman is now insolvent.

"We spent tens of billions of dollars, but what we bought was a lot of debt. If we persist, the debt will only increase.

"I believe the situation will continue to deteriorate, and once more small and medium-sized banks file for bankruptcy, the insurance claims alone will be enough to drain us to our very last drop of blood. I t is better to cut our losses quickly...

... and file for bankruptcy!"

Half-the-Harbor Langdon had a blank expression on his face. It was as if he was not at all surprised by Kayden's proposal. As soon as he heard that, he only asked one

question, "But if this is the case, we will become the laughingstock of the world and we will never be able to gain anymore ground."

"Dad, it's you who said that as a businessman, you only need to pay attention to the interests. Everything else i s irrelevant."

Kayden eagerly said, "Even if we become the butt of their jokes, so what? As long as there are other projects in the future, will the other party not work with us because we failed in the acquisition of Layman even though they stand to benefit? That would be impossible.

"Hence, we should just file for bankruptcy. At most, we'll bear the loss of tens of billions of dollars."

When Kayden said this, despite looking very free and easy on the outside, but his heart was actually bleeding.

These were tens of billions of dollars and

they meant that most of their hard work

was wasted in this merger.

They had worked hard for their entire

lives and now, they were losing

everything in one business deal.

Ordinary people simply could not bear

such a huge blow.

Yet, Half-the-Harbor Langdon laughed.

He nodded, patted Kayden's shoulder

with his hand, and said, "Yes, you are a lot more mature now. "You should handle this matter. In addition to this, you should contact the Atticus family again. Tell them we are interested in cooperating with them. Fongroup is willing to have a cross ownership with them, and if they're interested in our industry in Harbor City, we can sell it to them at a low price." Kayden was surprised and asked, "The Atticus family? Fabian Atticus?" "Not just the Atticus family, but also the W. Langdons. Wallace and Kennedy

Langdon are our potential partners." Half -the-Harbor Langdon said.

"But they know that we are in financial difficulty now and that we can't go back to Harbor City. I'm afraid they will lower the price a lot and we will definitely suffer a loss if we cooperate with them at this time."

Half-the-Harbor Langdon replied earnestly after hearing what Kayden said, "This loss right now is not a loss. We must look forward to the long-term plan and focus on long-term benefits.

"At the moment, we have suffered such a big loss in our acquisition of Layman, and we urgently need the help of powerful allies Coincidentally, they are our best allies because we now have a common enemy that is Jasper.

"Since Jasper's power is growing stronger, and he is slowly getting the entire Harbor City on his side, do you think Wallace and the Atticus family will sit idly by and let that happen? I am afraid that they are more anxious than anyone else. In exchange, we can introduce our project in the United Kingdom to them

and then get them to work with us.

"There is money to be made and we have a common enemy, so there's no reason for them not to agree. If the three companies unite, we will still have some power in Harbor City and it will not be the end for us."

Kayden nodded slowly as he listened to Half-the-Harbor Langdon's explanation and said, "Okay, I understand... I will do it now."

At this moment, in Nauritus City in Somerland.

Jasper was looking at the rapidly falling subprime market.

"Although the crash was terrible, it still lacks something."

Jasper narrowed his eyes slightly.

The collapse of a market required more than just the absolute crushing by the short side.

What it needed even more was some symbolic event which would completely crush all the confidence and last drops of dignity of the market.

For example, in his previous life, the complete collapse of the subprime was crowned by bankruptcy of Layman.

After that, the subprime market did not recover for a full decade.

Currently, Layman had the Half-the Harbor Langdon father and son calling in help from thousands of miles away. The salvation with more emphasis on courtesy and comradeship would inevitably help them survive for a while.

However, Jasper believed that that day would not come too late.

He knew very well that the United States government had set this huge trap for the father and son to kill them.

The bomb would explode sooner or later.

Therefore, Jasper refused without thinking about Kayden's conditions.

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Jasper was not stupid.

Right now, it could be said that the J.

Langdon father and son had betrayed the

entire Somerland.

There was no possibility of them coming

back and continuing to develop their

industries in Somerland in the future.

If the father and son were dragged down by Layman, their industries in the mainland would be expected to be repossessed slowly, and then, those industries would inevitably be sold at a low price.

That would be the perfect time for Jasper t

o harvest.

Hence, after rejecting Kayden, instead of

agreeing to release Layman's position,

Jasper increased his short-selling efforts.

The direct impact of this was that the

subprime market of the United States

turned into a landslide. Huge waves kept

surging while the market value dropped

again and again.

Almost all investors in the United States

were numb to this.

Until... a piece of news broke out.

"Mr. Laine, Layman Investment Bank has

just filed for bankruptcy protection."

The news from Jake made Jasper stand up

suddenly.

"Bankruptcy? Layman?"

Jasper immediately looked at the trading

situation of the subprime market and sure

enough... The sky had collapsed.

Layman Investment Bank was one of the

four largest investment banks in the

world. Although it was always the last one

on the list, it was still one of the four

largest investment banks in the world.

Its existence was of great significance in

and of itself.

The most important thing was that in the

subprime market, Layman Investment

Bank, as the largest long position holder, independently supported the transaction volume on most parts of the subprime market.

So, even though Layman was sold to Half

the Harbor Langdon and his son from Somerland some time ago and some

people from the United States were dissatisfied with this, there was no

extreme reaction.

The success of this merger and

acquisition had even brought a small. I wave of favorable market conditions in the financial market.

However, the merger had only been completed less than half a month ago before the father and son from Somerland had filed for bankruptcy.

What did this mean?

If you compared the United States to a big family, then Layman would be its fourth daughter with a reputation for being famous. Eventually, this daughter was ruined by a boorish guy named Jasper Laine.

So, the United States brought in Half-the Harbor Langdon and his son to take over. It was initially a good thing, which was why Half-the-Harbor Langdon and his son happily took over. However, within half a month, they filed for a divorce and sent the dead body of the daughter back to

her biological family.

It would be unusual if the United States did not fly into a rage.

The subprime market was even more heated.

Jasper did not expect the historical inertia to still exist and still be so powerful.

He was just wondering when Layman would go bankrupt when Half-the Harbor Langdon and his son made such a decisive decision.

"They decided to cut their losses quickly. How interesting."

Jasper murmured.

"Mr. Laine, what are we going to do now?"

"Nothing. Everything has come crashing down and they're left with nothing. We shall just watch them crash and burn."

What kind of a grand occasion was a financial market crash?

This scene that ordinary people might never have the opportunity to see in their

lifetime was presented to financial practitioners all around the world today.

It was a real earth-shattering event.

Layman's fall squashed the last bit struggle in the United States subprime market. There was no need for Jasper to continue shorting because all funds began fleeing frantically.

Before this, there were still funds who fantasized that the United States government would continue to rescue the market. Some even imagined that Wall Street capital such as Layman would fight against Jasper's JW Foundation and Layman would launch a complete counter -attack, allowing those who persisted to become rich overnight.

However, as the core, Layman had now declared bankruptcy, which meant that the subprime market was abandoned by the United States government.

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Even the most optimistic person had to admit that the subprime market was finished.

Moreover, this was just the storm caused by Layman's bankruptcy in the subprime

market, with the bigger one storm laying within the outside world.

Layman, one of the world's top investment banks, had countless businesses all over the world.

Once such a global investment bank filed for bankruptcy, it would have a certain impact on the international financial situation.

In the eyes of the media, the bankruptcy of Layman Investment Bank could be attributed to Jasper alone.

"A Somerlander, a man from Somerland who appeared on the cover of Time Magazine, personally overthrew the Layman Empire and also made the people of the United States understand that they are not the only ones who know how to play in the game of modern finance.

"Layman has filed for bankruptcy. This century-old company has gone through ups and downs over the course of its life, and it finally collapsed in the subprime mortgage crisis.

"After analyzing the essence of this subprime mortgage crisis from the depth of Layman's bankruptcy, every country and economic organization in the world needs to take away lessons and experiences it has painstakingly revealed to us.

"The climax of the subprime mortgage crisis has arrived. Layman has fallen, and who will fall next?"

Wishing for the whole world to be in chaos, the news media used all kinds of eye-catching tactics to headline their news, but no matter which media it was, their key contents all pointed to the same things.

Layman was finished, so what would

happen next?

However, the market quickly answered

this question.

Layman Investment Bank filed for bankruptcy and a total of 23 small and medium-sized banks in the United States Federation declared bankruptcy at the same time.

Almost all of these small and medium -

sized banks had obtained insurance contracts from Layman Investment Bank.

The bankruptcy process of a company was very troublesome, let alone for a large financial business investment bank such a s Layman Investment Bank.

Once it entered the bankruptcy process, it would immediately liquidate its assets. After the assets were liquidated, the debts and assets would be separated and the court with jurisdiction would appoint the company's bankruptcy liquidation executor.

Anyway, even if the company went bankrupt, some of the previous debts had to be paid off.

Hence, these small and medium-sized banks began to go bankrupt all at once to meet the requirements to apply for compensation from Layman.

However, the biggest problem was that these small and medium-sized banks had formed a chain of bankruptcy. What would the people think when they saw this?

The bank went f*cking bankrupt. What

about the money I put in the bank?

With that, distrust of the bank began to

raise a tremendous stink across the

United States. People started lining up at

the bank's door to take out their savings.

Banks relied on deposits from depositors t

o make investments to make profits. Once

this trend was formed, everyone would

want to withdraw their money and the

bank would run out of money. What else

could they do then?

No one thought that Layman's

bankruptcy would have such a big impact.

It directly caused all banks in the United

States to fall under huge pressure

involving savings, deposits, and

withdrawals.

The Federal Reserve finally could not sit Still on this matter.

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The first decision made by the Federal Reserve was to increase interest on savings and then to reduce the proportion of deposit reserves that commercial banks needed to pay to the central bank.

In order to ensure the security of savings, all banks would need to pay an amount the central bank based on the amount of savings they owned. This money was used to ensure that they could at least deal with large-scale withdrawals by customers.

The first of the two methods of the central bank was to reduce the proportion of savings customers withdrew. After all, with the interest rate increasing, holding money in the bank could generate more interest.

The second measure was to relieve the pressure on the bank.

However, at this time, the continued collapse of the subprime market caused the chain problem of overdue personal credit to escalate.

On the one hand, the bank had to face the customers who deposited their savings with them withdrawing money from the bank. On the other hand, all the money lent by the bank could not be recovered after the due date.

Therefore, the United States banking industry was in utter chaos.

Soon, the subprime mortgage crisis finally began to cross the border. It crossed from the financial world to the banking industry.

These two closely related and interdependent industries finally realized just how intimately interdependent they were.

With the large-scale shrinkage of real estate combined with overdue personal credit, the banking industry of the United States ushered in the cold winter.

And the initiator of all this, standing at the command center of Nauritus City at this moment, had already begun the next step of the plan.

"Secretly build positions in high-tech companies United States, such as Apple, Weresoft, Qualcomm, General, Amazon, and Oracle."

Jasper gave orders to Jake and the team.

They had been in this financial war for so long and the difficulty of the process was beyond words, but now, Jasper had finally reached the harvest time he thought was appropriate.

"Affected by the subprime mortgage crisis, the entire United States stock market has fallen into a downturn, with negative trends over the past 20 consecutive trading days. Most of these companies stocks are now at historically low values. This is the best time for us to enter the market."

Jasper took a deep breath and said with a serious expression, "The people of the United States had been ahead of us over the past few decades, and even centuries. Now, we finally have an opportunity to devour the accumulation of technology in the United States over the next 20 years. These companies are the real future."

Jake was excited. As he was about to

speak, the team's intelligence collector

reported an update.

"The United States Securities Regulatory

Commission announced the extension of a

n index futures settlement cycle. The

futures settlement originally scheduled

for tomorrow will be postponed to the end

of this month."

Jake was taken aback when he heard the

words. Then, he yelled.

"Do those scoundrels from the United

States not want to keep their last trace of

dignity? Are they really that shameless?

"Back when Soros gathered harbor

stocks, the Harbor City government never

thought about adjusting the stock index

settlement cycle even when they were in

such a difficult period. If those guys from

the United States could defeat them, they

would be allowed to take anything they

wanted, but now these punks from the

United States are doing this?"

The so-called stock index settlement cycle were actually the same concept as futures.

Futures trading was cyclical, and usually

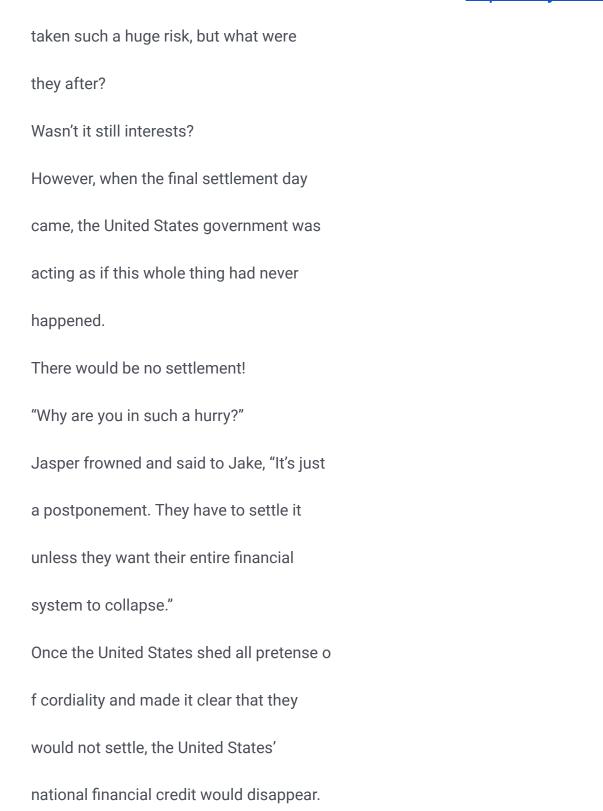
monthly. For example, delivery orders in

July were usually paid in September.

When the time came, either you took the money or the goods away. When JW Foundation invested in the subprime market of the United States for short trading, what they actually did was short the index of the subprime market... Now that the subprime market had plummeted, Jasper had won. According to traditional reasoning, he could now withdraw cash from the subprime market and take away the profits according to the amount and quantity he had shorted in this settlement cycle. This was a profit of hundreds of billions of US Dollars. It was also profit that all of Somerland

capital was looking forward to.

Everyone had paid so much effort and



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When others came to their gaming table t

o play, they would take both principal and

interest once the player lost. However,

when the players won, they would flip the

table over and refuse to admit defeat.

Even the stupidest gambler in the world

would not play with such a country.

They would be digging their own grave if

they were isolated by the global financial

community. Hence, the United States would not do

this. No other country would do so either.

Hence, the United States' postponement

was just a disgusting move in Jasper's

eyes.

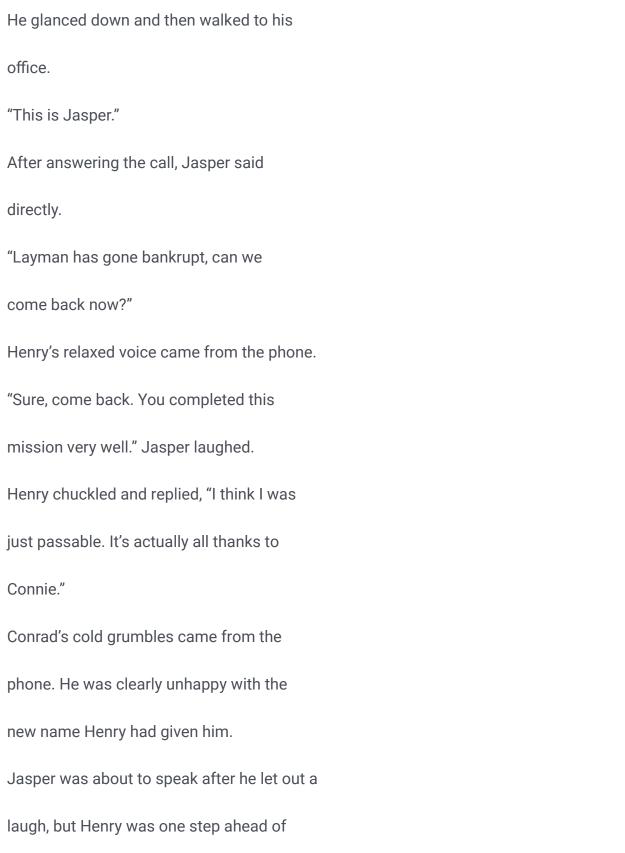
"Let them postpone it then. They can

postpone it once, but they can't postpone i

t a second time. We will proceed according

to our original plan for now."

When Jasper was talking, the phone rang.



him.

"Right, I got some news. Even though I

don't know how true it is, I feel it's better t

o tell you in advance."

Henry did not keep Jasper on tenterhooks.

He continued, "Do you remember that c*n

t Fabian? He's been staying low-key for s

o long, but today, one of my boys saw him

leaving Harbor City in a plane. He's

heading to the United States."

Jasper narrowed his eyes and said, "The

Atticus family has business abroad too, so

it's not strange for him to go to the United

States, no?"

Henry chuckled and said, "What's strange

is that he's taking the W. Langdons'

private jet and Kennedys' on board!

"Those two sons of b*tches are not good

people. Plus, there is another son of a b*

tch who's suffered a painful loss in the United States. Say, do you think those three sons of b*tches will get together and do something?"

Jasper was slightly stunned, and then his expression gradually turned solemn.

"What you said is possible."

"Right? I think so too."

Henry said, feeling pleased with himself, "I don't know much about your businesses,

but I'm familiar with gang fights!

"Those who are scared of my attacks will most likely gather together to seek warmth. They might just counterattack when they muster enough courage!

"So, do you think those three c*nts are doing exactly that right now? That's why I figured I should tell you in advance."

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"What you said is very important to me.

Back then, I always ignored the possibility

of the three families joining forces. Now

that they have really come together, I

have to guard myself against them.

Henry was even more proud when he

heard what Jasper said.

"Don't thank me too much. When you

have finally taken care of those idiots

named Fabian Atticus and Kayden

Langdon, don't forget to let me have a go a

t them."

"Okay, I won't forget that," Jasper agreed

happily.

After he hung up, Jasper glanced at the

United States subprime market and

stopped doing anything. Instead, he

started laying out his plans for the United

States high-tech giants with Jake.

Next, Jasper's focus would gradually shift

to the domestic financial market. What he

needed to do with the United States was to

maintain the pressure on the subprime

market and press on with the acquisition of stocks of those technology giants.

Since the subprime mortgage crisis had completely erupted, the storm it brought was enough to sweep the entire United States economy. Hence, it was inevitable that they would suffer heavy losses.

Jasper intended to let JW Foundation come out from the dark and start planning its future. He would take advantage of this chaos and absorb as many of the technology giants that he could. These benefits would ultimately be safe in his pockets, and he was doing this for the development of JW in the next 20 years.

While Jasper and Jake were planning the future of the United States financial market, a private jet landed in New York i In the United States amidst a storm.

Kayden personally greeted them at the runway.

At this critical moment, only Kennedy, Fabian, and Sawyer had the power to make Kayden come out and greet them at the airport while risking getting swamped by reporters.

The group of people got off the plane and

met on the ground.

This group of people was divided

according to age. Kennedy and Sawyer

belonged to the same generation and

although Kayden and Fabian were in the

same generation, Kayden was much older

than Fabian.

"Mr. Kenney, Mr. Sawyer, hello."

Kayden smiled and greeted them politely.

In reality, according to their relationship,

Kayden and Half-the-Harbor Langdon

seldom participated in the grievances

between the old Harbor City giants, so

their positions seemed very different.

Especially after Kayden and Jasper's

cooperation, it would appear that Kayden

was closer to the Laws. Although Kayden

was not enemies with Fabian and Sawyer,

they were definitely not friends.

However, after things developed to this

point, i it was completely unnecessary to

mention this anymore. Everyone was

facing a common enemy, so there was

always a possibility of cooperation.

"Kayden's temperament and demeanor

could be said to be the best among the

younger generation of Harbor City,"

Sawyer said with a smile.

Kennedy also nodded. Indeed, Kayden's

excellence had been taken note of by all of

the top families in Harbor City. There had

always been a saying before this that any

family with an heir like Kayden would

have no problem flourishing for the next 3

o years.

However, the problem came with Jasper's

appearance.

Even the older generation had suffered a

crushing defeat by Jasper's hands. Hence,

no one dared to mention this saying

anymore.

When Kennedy thought of Jasper, he

gritted his teeth and an unpleasant

expression appeared on his face.

"Mr. Kennedy, do you have something on

your mind?" Kayden asked when he saw

that Kennedy looked slightly off-color.

"Who here doesn't have something on

their mind?" Kennedy replied.

As soon as he said this, Sawyer started to

look off-color too. He walked toward the

car and said, "Let's go. We came all the

way here, and we need to visit Half-the

Harbor Langdon first."

The two walked towards the car one after

another. Then, Kayden and Fabian

followed.

Although Kayden was regarded as the

host, his status was lower than Kennedy

and Sawyer. Hence, he was very humble.

He had been educated since young so

others would not nitpick on him

regarding this small detail.

"Did you enjoy getting educated by Jasper

that f*cker during this period? I heard

that you're even beaten up by Jasper's

lackey Henry when you were in Harbor

City?" Fabian and Kayden walked side by

side as Fabian sneered.

Kayden glanced at Fabian and replied, "It

seems that you are well informed."

"Hehe, who in Harbor City doesn't know

about this? Everyone says that Jasper is

the reason you are unable to go back to your home to Harbor City and the mainland. I wonder how many people are laughing at you and your father now that Layman has gone bankrupt."

Kayden stopped suddenly when he heard that. Then, he stood still and stared at Fabian.

Fabian frowned slightly. He was a little spooked by how Kayden was staring at him.

Although his self-esteem kept him from showing any timidness, his refusal to look

into Kayden's eyes exposed his weakness. The moment Fabian looked away, Kayden spoke.

"Everyone in the world is qualified to laugh at me, but you are the only one who has no right to stand here and do so. You couldn't even withstand three moves from Jasper, so who are you to make fun o f me?

"In the past, our grievances were just child's play, and I'll let it go. I don't plan to split hairs about anything, but from now on, if you still don't get your attitude in

check, it will undoubtedly affect the cooperative relationship between the three families. I don't think your father Sawyer would want to see this, right?

"I heard that your father's position as the head of the family was threatened because of you. If it weren't for the solid foundation of his business over so many years, I wonder if you two would still be the ones coming here on behalf of the Atticus family."

Kayden's words made Fabian's face gloomy.

Before Fabian could retort, an enthusiastic smile suddenly bloomed on Kayden's face. He said, "Mr. Fabian, it's getting late and it's very windy and rainy in New York today. It's really not suitable to stay out here, why don't we get into the car soon so that the two elders won't be kept waiting for too long?"

Fabian, with a stiff complexion, realized that he had been completely crushed by Kayden. With a snort, he got into a car after lowering his head.

As he looked at Fabian's figure, Kayden's

eyes turned dark for a moment.

However, the darkness disappeared

immediately and was then replaced with a

gentle and noble smile. After that, he

bowed his head and got into the car.

The convoy started slowly and headed

towards the upper-class area on the

outskirts of New York.

At this moment, Sawyer and Kennedy

were sitting in the same car ahead.

Sawyer glanced at Kennedy and smiled. "I

t seems that our old opponent can't hold i

t anymore."

"He was scammed by the United States

out of tens of billions in just one business

deal. It was even in US Dollars. No one can

bear such a blow. Since he's still standing

tall, it means that Fongroup is really

powerful," Kennedy said.

Sawyer narrowed his eyes slightly and

said, "What do you think he will offer for

our cooperation?"

"It's nothing more than giving up some of the existing interests, but no matter what the conditions are, cooperating with him is our best option at the moment. Did you not notice that we've been isolated in Harbor City for some time?"

Kennedy's words made the corners of Sawyer's mouth twitch and he had a very expression.

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"They are going to go all the way to the end with Jasper without caring about the consequences. All of the families have shaken their own foundations while risking huge losses just to lift Jasper up. I think those old farts have all gone crazy!" Sawyer cursed in a low voice full of resentment.

Kennedy glanced at Sawyer and the corners of his mouth rose into a slight curve that was not easy to detect.

He knew why Sawyer was so angry,

It was because Sawyer lost his seat on the

committee during the Harbor City

Business Federation election.

The organization was established decades

ago and dated back to when Harbor City

was still under the jurisdiction of the

United Kingdom.

At that time, Harbor City copied the

United Kingdom's model. In order to

facilitate the management of the

increasingly prosperous Harbor City

business community, the United Kingdom

established this organization under the

Harbor City government.

This organization had been serving as a

committee member of Harbor City's top

family since its establishment. It could

even be regarded as a recognition of top

families by the Harbor City government.

Only by becoming a member of this

committee could one be qualified to call

themselves rich and powerful.

However, in this election, Sawyer lost the

committee seat that the Atticus family

had maintained for the last 50 years.

Although this was only a nominal

honorary seat, the more deeply rooted the

rich and famous were, the more they

needed this.

After all, Harbor City was not as good as

the mainland where there was vast land

and rich resources. Harbor City was too

small, and the economy was outrageously

developed. Therefore, the competition

among the rich was also very high. Thus, i

f you were low-key, you would soon be

forgotten.

The Atticus family's current situation was

not looking good, and at the same time,

they were being boycotted by Harbor City.

It would be very strange if they were still in a good mood.

Sawyer turned his head when he seemed to have noticed Kennedy's sarcasm. Then, he asked with a smile, "I haven't seen your father for a long time. I heard he's recuperating."

Kennedy was taken aback. He narrowed his eyes and said faintly, "My father is getting older, and he has been recuperating for more than a year and a half. If there's nothing urgent, we seldom disturb him."

Currently, the strongest asset in rich families like theirs might not be wealth or power. Instead, it was the presence of their old master, who may or may not still be alive.

As long as the old master was still around, the family would stand tall and nothing would happen.

Why were the Laws still at the height of their powers even though it felt as if they were slowly distancing themselves from the rest of the bigwigs in Harbor City?

It was because Old Master Law was still

around.

And even among all the old masters, Old

Master Law was still the absolute top.

As for Wallace, the old master of the W.

Langdons, he was indeed not in good

shape in recent years. The old master's condition plummeted in an instant when the W. Langdons were isolated. He was still lying in the hospital and had not come out until now.

Although the doctor said that there were n

o life-threatening conditions for the time being, everyone could feel that the old man's life was slowly depleting, and it was only a matter of time until he passed. Moreover, this kind of thing had to be kept secret in the family, but there was no airtight wall in the world. No matter how secret it was, it was still a fact that the old master had not shown his face for a long time, and it would eventually be noticed by y someone with ulterior motives like the

Atticus family.

"You're right. The old master is getting

older, so it's better not to disturb him with these annoying things," Sawyer said with a smile.

"By the way, I know a medical team and they are the world's top experts for treating heart failure. Would you like to introduce them to you?"

As soon as he said this, Kennedy's expression tightened, and then he turned his head to look at Sawyer coldly.