

## Apex Chapter 507

### Chapter 507 Master Geoffrey

Has Disappeared William's rebellion had come to an end. Even though it had caused quite a ruckus, this was only caused by someone's personal capabilities.

If it were Javier who had rebelled, he would have stirred up an entire sh\*tstorm.

However, Javier was not going to rebel, nor did he have a reason to, and it was because of this that William was the one who rebelled, and ultimately failed. After Javier ended his call with Zephiel, he heaved a long sigh. In truth, Javier understood that the old fox could have gotten out of the situation safely even if he had not gone there to save him.

After all, William was too weak to hold the old fox hostage.

However, Javier was not brave enough to take a risk because it would be very bad if William somehow ended up hurting the old fox.

In fact, Javier could vaguely sense that this was all a tactic the old fox had deliberately used.

William rebelled, Javier placed him under control, and Arthur went off to their enemies for support...

After all of these incidents, Javier could not help but feel that the old fox had genuinely gone to all kinds of lengths for the sake of appointing him as the next family leader,

In fact, someone even spread rumors, causing all the families to find out that there was a "power struggle" among the Kerseys. The rumor included how Javier had swiftly placed William, the rebel, under his control with an iron hand of justice, yet filled with kindness when handing out his judgment.

This immediately caused Javier's prestige to increase by leaps and bounds, informing everyone of the Kerseys' power. Most importantly, Javier had officially become the most likely candidate for the position of the next family leader in the eyes of all the other families.

As much as this was not Javier's intended end result, it was what it was.

Hence, Javier could not help but doubt that this was also a part of Zephiel's strategy to pave the perfect opportunity.

Javier was rendered speechless thanks to the old fox and could not shake the idea that he had somehow been tricked into the old fox's schemes.

Although this was not harmful to him or the people close to him, even bringing him endless benefits, he could not help but find it a little unsatisfying that he had fallen for someone's schemes.

Still, Javier helplessly shook his head and sighed. "You old fox..."

Meanwhile, the same exclamation came from Piers White.

Piers had come to the same judgment as Javier, thinking that Zephiel was the one who had deliberately instigated William into starting a rebellion. "Grandpa, are you saying that Zephiel deliberately pushed William into rebelling and then had

Javier eliminate him as a threat so that he could forcefully push up Javier's reputation?" Piers nodded, "That's not all. Apparently, Javier isn't interested in being the family leader. So, the biggest reason Zephiel came up with this fiasco was to pin Javier onto that position permanently.

"This current situation has even proved that this theory is true. Now that Arthur has disappeared and William has lost in the power struggle, the only people who are capable of becoming the next family leader are either Zephiel's second son or that son's grandson

"Since the only two candidates left are father and son, do you think the father will suddenly show up and fight his son into becoming the next family leader? So, Zephiel's only remaining candidate is Javier, and I'm sure you will be fighting as sworn enemies for the rest of your lives. In other words, what used to be the battle between Zephiel and myself is now going to be handed over to you two youngsters. "Remember this, Renly. The way to not lose your fight is to respect your enemy and think highly of them. In fact, you mustn't underestimate any single person. Even an ant can end up biting out a huge hole in your foundation!"

Renly nodded profusely at Piers' warning, gesturing that he understood. But a moment later, Renly worded out his curiosity. "Grandpa, Javier's father has gone missing for so many years, and now Arthur Kersey's gone missing as well... Do you think something off is going on here?" Naturally, what Renly was trying to ask was if Zephiel was pulling the strings behind everything Piers shook his head. "I'm not sure. Who could possibly know what the old fox is planning in his mind unless they are the intended victims? However, there is one thing for us to remember. We must be especially careful so that we don't allow him to take advantage of us with whatever tactic he's trying to use!"

Renly nodded. At that moment, their old butler suddenly ran toward them in a panicked frenzy, his face deathly pale.

The old butler had been serving Piers for tens of years now, so he should be as steady as a rock when faced with any situation. Hence, since he was so panicked, it proved that something important must have happened. Soon, the old butler said, "Master Geoffrey...He's...He's gone!"

In such a big family, all of Piers' family members were addressed as Masters.

Naturally, Geoffrey White was also known as a master since he was Piers' youngest son.

But to Renly, Geoffrey was his uncle. Renly's expression instantly changed when he looked at the old butler's panic-filled expression

Geoffrey was known as a genius who would only be born into the world once every 100 years. Geoffrey himself, however, was a vicious, cunning, and relentless man whose actions knew no boundaries.

Geoffrey had demonstrated he was a very intelligent man at a young age, so much that Piers had always seen him as the next family leader.

However, Geoffrey had proven he was especially vicious, like a viper who could not be tamed. He would bite anyone who dared enter his range, even if they were his biological brothers or even if she was one of Piers' wives.

They all would die without exception because he would kill everyone who dared stand in his way.

Later on, Piers realized how overly vicious Geoffrey was and ultimately detained him at his place, seeing how Geoffrey did not seem interested in mending his ways.

This move ended up lasting for 20 years, which could be seen by the fact that Renly had already been born at that moment.

In other words, Piers was not planning on allowing Geoffrey to be released back into the world ever again.

However, nobody could ever expect that the degenerate, who had been living on the island for more than 20 years being a drunkard and drowning himself in luxuries, had suddenly disappeared!

In fact, Piers had never believed that his most exceptional son, the youngest one, had become a degenerate, so he had been keeping an eye on the latter.

Even then, Geoffrey managed to slip past his fingertips. Now that the viper had returned into the fray, it was rather obvious what would happen. The gravity of the situation became even more terrifying because this viper was the most vicious and sneakiest of all.

“Grandpa, I’ll send out our men to find Uncle Geoffrey and bring him back.” Piers waved his hand.

“There’s no need for that. Since he’s been lying in wait for 20 years before escaping is proof enough that he must have planned this entire thing meticulously. We won’t be able to catch up to him even if we want to. In fact, he might have laid all kinds of traps should we try to find him, so let’s leave him be!

“Remind all of our family business associates to be wary of an attack and that they are to report back to us immediately should they find anything unusual.”

Renly left after receiving his instructions.

However, he was still worried about his uncle, the man who was once known to be a potential candidate for becoming the next family leader. ‘My position as the family leader isn’t confirmed yet, so if Geoffrey shows up right now to try and fight me for it, I...I must do everything I can to hold onto my power!’

Renly took out his cell phone and instructed his men to go after Geoffrey and have him arrested,

However, just half an hour after that, Renly received a reply from his men. “Master Renly, there are mines hidden under the seabed...” Geoffrey had even covered his escape route with mines just so that nobody could catch up to

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Someone had even tried to pursue Geoffrey through the mines but ended up being blasted away thunderously. This was when they realized that Geoffrey might not only have just covered his escape route with mines particularly, but the entire island! To think that Geoffrey could complete such a huge feat right under the Whites’ watchful eye...

‘Geoffrey’s been held under house arrest on this island the entire time, so how could he possibly have managed to do all this!?!’

However, so long as one was smart enough, they could figure out that Geoffrey had help from the outside, from someone extremely powerful!