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front of the lift door with a menacing smile. He mumbled to himself, "We don't need Furies for such a menial task like killing Nathan. My men can handle it."

From a concealed area, far away, Juno and his men observed the situation as well.

Soon, the lift descended from the twentyeighth floor to the ground floor.

Ding! The lift door opened.

Neville laughed delightedly. "Haha! Guys, you've already killed Nathan, right? Drag his corpse out..."

Before he finished his sentence, he paused, as the delighted smile on his face froze.

In immense shock, he saw Nathan standing coldly in the lift, while his men were all sprawled out across the floor.

What?

Although a dozen men charged into the lift,

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Nathan had knocked them all out cold.

Neville widened his eyes and his jaw fell.

When Juno and his men observed this scene from afar, they gasped simultaneously.

Chills ran down their spines. Oh my God! I can't believe how strong Nathan is. It's a good thing that I didn't fight him back then.

Nathan strode out of the lift, his black leather shoes tapping on the floor as he walked.

He walked towards Neville, looked at his strange expression, and smiled. Pointing at the white handkerchief inside the left breast pocket of Neville's suit, he announced calmly, "My shoes have bloodstains on them. Can I borrow your handkerchief to wipe them away?"

Neville's eyes glinted and a hostile look flashed across his eyes. With a smile, he complied, "Of course, of course..."

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As he spoke, he pretended to whip out his handkerchief. However, a sharp dagger slid from his sleeve secretly. Grabbing the dagger, he aimed to stab it in Nathan's direction, all while yelling, "Die!"

Nathan lifted his hand and punched Neville's face.

The bones in Neville's jaw shattered, leaving a deep indent on his face. With blood spurting out of his mouth, he collapsed to the ground.

Narrowing his eyes, Nathan lifted his leg and wiped the blood on his shoes on Neville's suit. Then, he walked out of the lobby slowly, while Juno and the rest stood there in astonishment.

When Nathan exited the hotel, there were a few black SUVs waiting for him at the entrance. Colin opened the back door of the SUV car, which was waiting at the front, for him.

When Nathan was about to get into the car, he suddenly sensed a powerful

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murderous aura engulfing him.

Pausing, Nathan looked in the direction where the murderous aura came from.

He saw a lean middle-aged man with a huge birthmark on his left cheek standing on the streets, staring at him coldly as if he were a butcher observing a soon-to-be-slaughtered cow.

Naturally, the man with the birthmark was Furies.

When their eyes met, a surprised look appeared in both their eyes.

The corners of Furies' lips curved up into a smile. Like a hunter who had spotted a powerful prey, he became fired up and proclaimed, "Haha! I'd expected this to be a simple task, but I'd never expected the target to be an expert. How interesting!"



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Juno and his men hid in the lobby and peered out secretly through the French windows.

They saw Nathan standing across a man with a birthmark. When they saw that the man was Furies, they could not help but exclaim, "Oh my God! It's Furies!"

"I can't believe that the Chamber of Commerce of the West would dispatch someone as powerful as Furies to kill Nathan."

"Yeah! It's like killing an ant with a canon! This is such a waste of resources."

"It's obvious that Mr. Harvey and the rest do not want to spare Nathan at all. They're determined to kill him, allowing him to join his father in hell."

Juno squinted at Nathan, who was standing on the streets outside the hotel. He smiled coldly and muttered, "Nathan is too young. It's time for him to pay the price for his recklessness."

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Colin and the Elite Eight glanced at Furies, who was standing nearby.

Colin was about to send two of the Elite Eight to fight Furies, when Nathan assured calmly, "This man is a top assassin. I'll handle him myself."

Furies revealed a slight smile. Whipping out two daggers, he cracked his neck and stated calmly, "Please brandish your weapons."

Weapons?

Nathan glanced at Colin and the Elite Eight. One of the Elite Eight passed a combat knife over to him.

Nathan took the knife, glanced at Furies, and responded indifferently, "I'll only use one knife. If you can block my blows, you'll manage to survive."

When Furies heard him, fury flashed across his narrow eyes.

He was the top hit-man, the notorious

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Furies. He had killed almost ten thousand people in the past... A true, living Hades.

However, Nathan had dared to act so arrogantly in front of him, declaring that he would only use one knife. He even thought that Furies would be unable to block a single blow. Naturally, Furies was infuriated.

He affirmed coldly, "Don't worry. I won't kill you with a single blow. I'll torture you and give you a slow death."

Nathan replied calmly, "I'm doing you a favor by using a knife."

After speaking, Nathan unsheathed the knife quickly.

Holding the combat knife, the atmosphere around him turned chilly.

A flash of shock appeared in Furies' eyes.

As quick as lightning, Nathan slashed the knife in his direction.

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Furies' eyes widened, as the shock in this eyes turned into fear.

Nathan's strike was so powerful that Furies felt the weight of mountains crushing on him. Even Nathan's aura was so intimidating, that he could barely breathe.

In the midst of his panic, he did not manage to dodge. He raised his daggers quickly to block Nathan's vicious strike.

Clang!

Nathan's combat knife collided with Furies' daggers.

Crack!

The daggers immediately split themselves into halves.

As if he had been struck by lightning, Furies' body shuddered, as he froze on the spot.

After landing a harsh blow, Nathan placed

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his knife back into its sheath and left.

A member of the Elite Eight rushed forward and took Nathan's combat knife, while Colin opened the black SUV's back door.

After Nathan boarded the car, Colin and the Elite Eight followed him. The few black SUVs soon disappeared around the corner.

Furies was left clutching the two broken daggers, standing alone on the street.

Juno and his men exited the hotel sneakily and walked closer, carefully, trying to observe Furies' condition.

Staring at Furies, who was standing nearby, Juno shouted tentatively, "Furies, are you okay? Shall I give Mr. Harvey a call and inform him of what'd happened?"

Immediately after he spoke, everyone noticed a bloody gash that had stretched from Furies' forehead to his chin.

The gash was right in the middle of Furies'

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face!

They widened their eyes simultaneously and gasped.

Not only did Nathan's strike break, through Furies' weapon, rather, it was also so powerful that it had slashed through his skull.

At that moment, Furies' corpse toppled onto the floor.

Juno screamed, "Quick! Inform Mr. Harvey now!"





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At the Johnstone City airport, Penny, Kylie, and a few members of Cross Group's senior management were waiting for Nathan to pick them up.

Wearing a business suit, Penny looked smartly-dressed.

In addition to her slender figure and beautiful facial features, she appeared as if she were as elegant and pretty as a white swan.

The tourists that had passed by could not help but stare at her. Shocked by Penny's beauty and dignified aura, they also wondered if she was a celebrity.

At that moment, a young man wearing a white suit walked out of the airport with a few subordinates.

When he saw Penny, he could not help but widen his eyes. In awe, he exclaimed, "Oh my God! I can't believe that such a pretty lady exists."

This man in the white suit was none other

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than Edmund Harvey, the eldest son of the Harvey Family.

His father was Fletcher Harvey. Born in a powerful family, he never faced any resistance in the West and always picked on others. The people of the West gave him a nickname... The Prince.

In other words, if Fletcher Harvey were the King of the West, Edmund Harvey would be the Prince of the West, who could do anything that he had wanted.

Penny, Kylie and the rest did not notice Edmund and his men.

Smiling, Kylie reassured Penny, "Don't worry, Penny. Nathan is probably on his way to pick us up. Maybe he wants to be more romantic, surprising you with a bouquet. That could be why he's a little late."

Penny stroked her hair and stated, "He's not so romantic."

When Edmund's subordinates saw him

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staring excitedly at Penny, who was standing nearby, they giggled and whispered, "Young Master Harvey, have you taken a liking to that woman?"

"This is a piece of cake, Young Master Harvey. Let's head back first and send someone over, to capture her."

Indeed, Edmund had done many similar things in the past.

Once, he tried to court a beautiful woman during a party but had failed. Instantly, he sent someone over to capture her.
Someone had called the police, but they did not dare to intervene either.

In the West, he could get any woman whom he had wanted.

However, the corners of his lips curved upwards. "No. If I take her away forcefully, it'll remove the fun."

"This woman appreciates romance. Order nine-hundred and ninety-nine roses for me instantly. I want to confess my love to her

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immediately."

When Edmund's subordinates heard him, they were stunned for a while before replying, "Yes, sir!"

Penny and the rest were standing at the entrance of the airport, waiting for Nathan to arrive.

However, a group of employees from a florist shop appeared in front of them. They were all holding bouquets of beautiful roses.

Penny and the others looked on in shock, as the employees placed the roses in front of Penny, forming a huge heart shape.

Immediately afterward, Edmund, who was wearing a white suit, walked towards Penny proudly. He bowed slightly and announced with a smile, "Nice to meet you, pretty lady. I'm Edmund Harvey from the Harvey Family of the West."

There were a lot of people surrounding them. When they heard what Edmund had

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said, they could not help but exclaim, "Oh my God! He's actually the wealthiest young master of the West! He's the eldest son of the Harvey Family, Edmund Harvey."

"Wow! He is the Prince of the West, Young Master Harvey. He is also the only inheritor of the Harvey Family's assets which are worth trillions."

"Is Young Master Harvey confessing to this woman? Oh my! She's so lucky to be courted by him!"

"Yeah! She's going to experience a life of riches now."

When Edmund heard their exclamations, the corners of his lips curved upwards, revealing a proud smile.

It was not like he had a choice. After all, he was so famous and powerful in the West. Often being noticed by many, this was simply a regular occurrence in his life.

Penny was shocked. "So, you're Mr. Harvey. We don't know each other, right?

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Edmund proclaimed with a smile, "We hadn't known each other in the past. However, fate brought us together at the airport. From now on, we'll get to know each other."

"Pretty lady, from the moment I'd met you, I'd fallen in love with you."

"Be my girlfriend!"

Penny waved her hands hurriedly, in refusal. "I'm sorry, but I'm already married. You'd found the wrong person. Please leave now."

She's married?

A young bride!

No wonder she appears so attractive.

Edmund smirked. "I don't care."

What?

Penny and the rest were stunned.

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She felt shocked and furious. What kind of man is he? How dare he confess his love so brazenly, despite knowing that I'm married? He'd even said that he doesn't care. How shameless!

Edmund surmised with an ambiguous smile, "I'm not bragging, but there are no women in the West whom I cannot conquer. Pretty lady, do you agree to be my girlfriend?"

Penny was prepared to burst into a rage when four black SUVs zoomed towards Edmund.



His subordinates rushed forward and pushed him aside, barely avoiding a car accident.

However, the roses which Edmund had laid on the ground were now crushed pathetically, by the four SUVs.

Edmund was stunned. How dare someone try to drive a car into him, crushing the roses that he had lain, upon the ground?

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Then, Nathan alighted the car. Without even casting a glance at Edmund, he called out to Penny with a smile, "Honey, I'm slightly late because there was a traffic jam on the way here. Get in!"

Penny nodded. "Okay!"

Then, Penny and the rest got into the car.

The four SUVs sped away swiftly.

Edmund only regained his senses after a while. His expression turned vicious instantly. "D*** it! Find out who the woman and the b***** are. I'll definitely refuse to spare them."

His subordinates responded quickly, "Yes, Young Master Harvey."

Nathan had already booked a presidential suite in Paradise Hotel.

However, he had decided to arrange for Penny and the rest to reside in another hotel. Chapter 873 There Are No Women In The West Whom I...

After all, things kept happening, here at the Paradise Hotel. It was simply unsuitable for them to stay there with him.

When they arrived at the hotel, Nathan, Penny, Kylie, and the senior management of Cross Group walked into the lobby. On the other hand, Colin and the Elite Eight did not follow them, soon disappearing.

Nathan did not like to be surrounded by people. Hence, Colin and the other guards had tried not to reveal themselves in public. Instead, they protected Nathan in secret.

Once Nathan, Penny, and the rest entered the hotel lobby, a man with greasy slicked hair and black glasses walked up towards them. He exclaimed in surprise, "Hey! Aren't you Penny Smith, my cousin?"

When Penny saw him, she was taken aback for a while. It took her a few seconds to recognize him. Surprised, she asked, "Are you Edric Carman, the distant cousin who'd lived in our family that year?"

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Checking Penny out, Edric mused with a chuckle, "That's right. You've finally recognized me."

Penny did not expect to see a distant relative here. She had been out of contact with him, for over ten years!

She asked curiously, "Do you work here?"

Edric pointed at the work badge pinned on his suit. The words 'General Manager', was written on it.

Penny exclaimed in surprise, "So you're the general manager of Johnstone City's International Grand Hotel!"

Edric gave her a humble smile. "Haha! I'm simply trying to earn a living. What are you doing here?"

Penny grinned and explained, "We're here on a business trip."

Edric nodded. "You're probably a small manager or salesperson in a company, right? I too, have worked in such jobs



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before."

"Despite working my butt off, I'd barely earned anything!"

"Then, I changed my job, deciding to enter the hotel industry. Now, I'm the general manager of a hotel worth two billion, earning at least a million a month."



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Kylie and the other employees of Cross Group could tell that Edric was indirectly bragging.

They exchanged glances and thought to themselves, This man probably isn't aware that Penny is the CEO and the secondlargest shareholder of Cross Group.

Penny's net worth was already exceeding twenty billion!

Yet, Edric had dared to flaunt his achievements before President Smith.

However, Penny remained unbothered. Smiling, she pulled Nathan over and introduced him to Edric, "Edric, this is my husband, Nathan Cross."

"Nathan, this is a distant relative of mine, who is also my cousin."

Nathan stretched his hand out to Edric with a smile. "Nice to meet you."

When Edric heard that Penny was married and that Nathan was her husband, his

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delighted expression froze, upon his face.

He glanced at Nathan in surprise. "So... He's your husband! What's his job?"

Penny explained, "He's just returned from the army..."

Before Penny could finish her sentence, Edric interrupted her disdainfully, "So, he's just a poor soldier!"

Edric refused to shake Nathan's hand, but Nathan was rather unbothered about it. However, when Edric mocked him, saying that he was a poor soldier, he could not help but frown.

When Edric noticed Nathan's slight change in expression, he remained unbothered.

A poor soldier was nothing to him!

Shooting Penny a pitiful look, he chided condescendingly, "Penny, you could've married anyone else, other than him. Why have you married a poor soldier like him?"

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"People like him can only work as a security guard at most, earning a maximum of a few thousand, a month."

"What's the use of having such a meager income? It's not even enough to pay for my Mercedes' monthly gas fees."

"A poor man like him doesn't deserve you!"

appearing embarrassed, Penny tried to defend Nathan.

However, Nathan stared at Edric with a cold smirk. "So what if I'm a soldier? So what if I'm poor? In your opinion, who else would deserve Penny?"

When Edric heard that, he straightened his back and exclaimed, "Me, of course!"

While Edric spoke, he turned around to gaze at Penny. He mused affectionately, "Penny, do you remember that when I stayed with the Smith Family while I was younger, our parents had said that you would marry me, once we were of age?"

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Penny felt increasingly embarrassed and she murmured hastily, "Edric, our parents were merely joking around. It's not to be taken seriously."

Edric retorted, "I'd take it seriously!"

"Although I'm already over the age of thirty, I'm still single. In all honesty, I'd been working hard to save my money, in order to marry you."

"I have tens of millions in my savings and I own several luxury cars. Now, I'm even the general manager of the hotel, with a monthly income of a million."



"As long as you agree to marry me, you'll lead a carefree life. You wouldn't have to work so hard, to earn a living anymore."

Nathan scoffed coldly, as he planned to teach Edric a lesson.

However, Penny tugged at Nathan hurriedly and explained to Edric, "I'm sorry, but I'm already married. I love my husband a lot. No matter what happens, I'll never

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part with him."

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"Don't place your hopes on me. Go and look for your soulmate!"

"Go ahead with your work, Edric. We're leaving!"

Pulling Nathan along, Penny and the rest walked towards the restaurant on the second floor, leaving Edric behind, who was frozen on the spot, with a gloomy and indignant expression.

Upon reaching the restaurant, they sat down in a suite, ordered some food and drinks, and waited for the waiters to serve their food.

Only then did Kylie say to Penny, "Penny, your so-called cousin doesn't look like a good man."

"After gaining some achievements, he kept bragging about them. He's a complete upstart."

"What's more shameless, is that he wants



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to marry you, even though you'd mentioned that you were already married! If I were you, I'd have humiliated him on the spot."



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Penny smiled bitterly. "Forget it. He's a very distant relative whom I had fallen out of contact with, for over ten years. I'll simply ignore him."

Kylie chuckled and stated, "Actually, I could tell that if you hadn't managed to drag us away in time, Nathan would have probably beaten him up."

Everyone glanced at Nathan, who smiled and proclaimed, "How is that possible? I'm a gentleman. I wouldn't have hit him."

Kylie rolled her eyes and thought, Judging from your status, you probably wouldn't hit him personally. However, you might've instructed Colin and the others, to beat him up.

Penny thought that it would be enough, to merely evade Edric.

However, she did not expect Edric to knock on the door, entering the suite after the food was served.

Holding a bottle of Romanee-Conti red

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wine, he strode in with a smile. "Haha! So, you're in this suite. I've been looking for you for quite a while now."

"Since we haven't seen each other in ages, you wouldn't mind if I'd joined in your meal, right? Don't worry. The bill is on me!"

As Edric was her relative and it was rude to reject someone's good intentions, Penny had no choice but to say, "If it's alright for you, you can sit down and eat with us!"

Edric sat down delightedly beside Nathan. Looking at the mediocre white wine and beer on the table, he scoffed and mockingly uttered to Nathan, "Buddy, I'm not trying to criticize you, but aren't you doing too poorly in life? You aren't even willing to order a bottle of good wine!"

"Penny, this is a bottle of Romanee-Conti red wine that'd cost ten thousand. I'd brought it over here, specifically for you to taste."

As Edric spoke, he uncorked the bottle of red wine and poured everyone a glass of

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wine, all except Nathan.

In his opinion, as he was the one treating them to a meal, giving them red wine, Nathan did not deserve to drink his wine.

Furthermore, he wanted to embarrass Nathan in front of Penny.

The more embarrassed Nathan had felt, the more unique Edric would seem to the rest. This would increase his chances of stealing Penny's heart.

Raising his wine glass, Edric toasted Penny and the rest. He announced with a smile, "Everyone, have a taste of it."

"This red wine costs ten thousand a bottle. Drinking red wine can certainly boost the ladies' beauty."

When Penny, Kylie, and the rest saw that Edric had not poured any wine for Nathan, they refused to raise their glasses, as it was a huge disrespect to Nathan.

At that moment, the atmosphere grew

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slightly awkward.

The corners of Nathan's lips curved upwards into a cold smirk. "Haha! It's true that drinking red wine can boost one's beauty. However, that might not be the case for fake wine."

Fake wine!

A flustered look appeared on Edric's face. He glared at Nathan furiously and shouted, "What nonsense are you spouting?"

Nathan smiled and knowingly said, "You know what I'm talking about. For the bottle of red wine, which had supposedly cost ten thousand, only the casing is real. The wine inside has been changed countless times. It cannot be any faker than this."

Edric did not expect to meet someone who was knowledgeable about wine. Even though he had not poured any wine for Nathan, Nathan could instantly derive that it was fake.

Edric's initial embarrassment morphed into



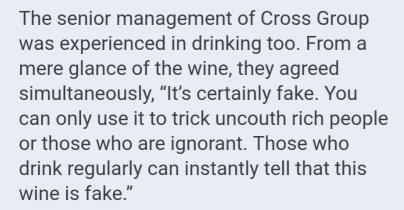
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fury as he insisted, "You're spouting nonsense! Have you drunk such expensive red wine? Who are you to say that it's fake?"

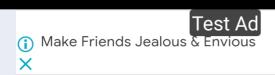
Kylie uttered instantly, "I think that the wine is fake too. The color looks off!"

Penny spoke as well, "Although I haven't read much about wine, I still possess some basic knowledge about it."

"Not only does the wine's color look strange, rather, its aroma is also weird. My husband is right. It is definitely fake."



Nathan looked at Edric with an ambiguous smile. "General Manager Carman, isn't it too stingy for you to serve everyone fake



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wine?"

Sweating profusely, Edric's face flushed red. He stuttered embarrassedly, unable to say anything in response.



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Edric blushed as sweat dripped down from his forehead, making him appear extremely pathetic.

When Penny saw that Edric had been taught a lesson, she tried to patch the situation up. "Haha! I'm sure that Edric wasn't aware that the wine was fake.
Otherwise, he'd definitely refused to have it served to us."

Almost immediately, Edric nodded profusely. "Yeah! The hotel's procurement department must have made a mistake, allowing these counterfeit wines to enter our hotel."

"I'll definitely deal with this matter seriously!"

After speaking, he summoned the waiters quickly to bring the fake wine away, changing it to a regular Merlot wine.

Penny, Nathan, Kylie, and the rest exchanged glances, revealing meaningful smiles.



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All the expensive red wines in the hotel were probably fake. Edric must have known about this.

Otherwise, after bringing this bottle of fake wine away, he could have replaced it with a bottle of real Romanee-Conti.

Since Edric did not dare to ask the waiter to serve them a bottle of Romanee-Conti, it proved that the bottles of red wine in the hotel were all fake.

After discovering that Edric had tried to trick everyone with fake wine, Penny and the rest looked down upon him even more.

Edric poured everyone a glass of wine again, including Nathan.

He was slightly fearful, already. Although he resented Nathan, he did not dare to disrespect him so evidently.

Naturally, he knew that the fake wine incident had completely marred Penny's impression of him.

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He thought of how to salvage the situation, in an attempt to re-establish a charismatic image for Penny. Otherwise, he would have had zero chances of obtaining Penny's beauty for himself.

Just as he was toasting to everyone, trying to think of a way to restore his reputation, the door was suddenly kicked open with a huge bang.

Immediately, eight imposing men in suits strode into the room. The leading man had a goatee.

He narrowed his eyes and announced coldly, "We're here to take Ms. Smith away. Please leave with us."

Penny was taken aback, "Who are you? I don't know any of you! Why should I leave with you?"

Initially, Edric was perplexed over how to rebuild a charismatic image in Penny's mind.

He did not expect that a bunch of foolish

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men would barge into his hotel, troubling Penny. This was the perfect chance for him to show his abilities!

Hence, he stood up instantly and walked over to the group of men. Narrowing his eyes, he warned loudly, "I'm Edric Carman, the general manager of this hotel. Others would call me Mr. Carman out of respect. I'm warning you not to harass my cousin. Get lost immediately!"

"Otherwise, I'll tell the guards to chase you away!"

As the general manager of Johnstone City's International Grand Hotel, he was used to hosting VIPs. He thought that he was a slightly influential figure in Johnstone City, and even the hooligans would have to pay a slight form of respect to him.

Furthermore, this was his turf, and he had the security guards backing him up.

Hence, he thought that after hearing his intimidating words, the bearded man and

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the rest would escape in fear.

Contrary to Edric's expectations, immediately after he spoke, the bearded man raised his arm, slapping his face swiftly.

The slap had caused his cheek to become swollen. His lips cracked and started to bleed.

After slapping Edric, the bearded man pointed at his nose and scolded him, "Who are you? Get lost! Otherwise, I'll beat you up."



Infuriated, Edric whipped out his walkietalkie and yelled, "Calling all the security guards in the hotel! Gather at suite number eight, in the second-floor restaurant!"

"D*** it! Someone had dared to hit me. I will never allow them to leave the hotel."

Before the security guards could arrive, a young man wearing a white suit entered the room, accompanied by a few of his men.



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He scoffed coldly and questioned, "Who's bold enough to halt my men from leaving the hotel?"



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The man in the white suit was none other than Edmund Harvey.

Edmund Harvey was the Young Master of the Harvey Family and had donned the nickname of Prince.

When Edric Carman saw Edmund Harvey, he trembled with fright and spoke in a shaky tone, "Young Master Harvey, why are you here?"

Edmund scanned the compartment with a half-smile. He sneered when he saw Nathan Cross and Penny Smith before he soon directed his gaze towards Edric. "You recognize me?"

Edric let out a flattering smile as he answered, "Of course I recognize you. You're the Young Master of the Harvey Family, also known as the Prince!"

Edmund nodded. "Who are you?"

Edric continued buttering him up and announced, "My name is Edric Carman. I am but a humble general manager of the



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Johnstone Hotel."

"You threatened my people earlier, didn't you?" Edmund questioned.

Edric's face instantly paled as he heard this. His voice quivered, "It's a misunderstanding, Young Master Harvey. I didn't know they were your people. I wouldn't dare do that to your people."

Edmund nodded yet again. "That's true. Who's she to you?"

Edmund pointed his index finger towards Penny. When Edric saw who he was pointing at, he hurriedly replied, "She's my cousin!"

Edmund smiled and announced, "I'm going to take your cousin out for some fun. I assume that you don't have any objections?"

Edric was taken aback when he heard Edmund. He immediately knew that this playboy was attracted to his cousin's beauty. ×

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He shook his head. "No objections at all. You can take her away and do as you please, Young Master Harvey."

Penny was furious when she heard this. "Edric! You!"

Edric lowered his head, choosing to avoid eye contact with Penny. The truth was that he had also coveted Penny. However, Master Harvey had already set his eyes on her. Edric simply could not compete against him.

Edmund stretched his hand out and patted Edric's face. He was pleased with his attitude, so he smiled vaguely and pronounced, "I see that you're smart enough to take a hint. Look at my leather shoes. They seem dirty. Now, what shall we do about that?"

"Let me help you wipe it off, Young Master Harvey!" Edric exclaimed as he knelt hastily.

Right as Edric knelt to the ground, Edmund lifted his leg and kicked his jaw.

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Edric fell heavily onto the ground, as blood splattered all over.

With a disdainful look on his face, Edmund sneered and stated, "How dare you interrupt my subordinates when they're under my orders to capture these people? If this happens again, you'll pay with your life."

Everyone at the scene had fear written all over their faces when they saw Edmund hurt Edric.

However, nobody dared to call the police. They were too afraid to step forward to halt Edmund's atrocities.

Edmund glanced at the beautiful Penny Smith, then turned his gaze toward Nathan Cross. His lips curled upwards into a sinister smile. "Hey, kid. Edric says that he doesn't mind me taking his cousin out for some fun. You wouldn't mind if I take your wife out, right?"

Nathan smiled slightly and raised his hand abruptly, before slapping Edmund right in

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the face.

The slap held so much force, that even one who had the strength of an entire tree would not be able to withstand it.

A loud smack echoed throughout the compartment.

Edmund felt as though his face was being blown away by a grenade. Blood and broken teeth spurted out of his mouth.

His entire body was flung into the air as he crashed directly into his men.

The crowd at the scene stared at Nathan, with their eyes wide open in disbelief.

This guy, Nathan, is one tough guy. He'd just outrightly slapped Young Master Harvey away!

"Young Master Harvey!"

"Young Master!"

"Prince, are you alright?"



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Beardie and his men panicked. They tried applying CPR to resuscitate Young Master Harvey.

If Young Master Harvey were to be slapped to death like this, Mr. Harvey would more than likely unleash his fury upon these men.

After trying to resuscitate him for a short moment, Edmund Harvey woke up. The first sentence that escaped his mouth was, "Is my head still here? I feel like my head's been slapped away by that guy..."





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Beardie and his men stared at Edmund, whose face was extremely swollen from the slap. A few of his teeth were also missing. The men held themselves together and cried out, "Young Master Harvey! You're still alive!"

Edmund fell into a trance momentarily before snapping back into reality.

When he turned to Nathan again, there was visible fear in his eyes. He put on a tough front and soon instructed his men, "What are you all standing around for? Kill this kid!"

"Yes, Young Master Harvey!" Beardie and his men responded instantly. They then turned to Nathan and got ready to pounce at him.

Upon this scene, Colin Dunne and the Elite Eight arrived, speedily.

Colin roared out, "Who dares to disrespect our Master? Take them down!"

"Kill them!" The Elite Eight growled in

unison.

They lunged forward, like tigers on a hunt.

Sounds of screaming and carnage instantly filled the compartment as the smell of blood wafted through the air.

The battle was over as soon as it had started.

When Edmund finally made sense of the situation, his subordinates were already slumped onto the floor, in a pool of blood.

Edric and the rest of the hotel staff watched Colin and his men in shock, as they thought to themselves, who are these people, so bold as to touch the Harvey family's men?

Edmund was increasingly dumbfounded. He pointed at Colin and cursed, "Who the f*** are they?"

Another loud smack reverberated yet again. This time, it was Colin, who had slapped Edmund on the unharmed side of

his face. Now, Edmund had both sides of his face swollen.

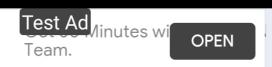
After Colin slapped Edmund, he placed his hand on Edmund's shoulder as he soon applied pressure upon it, causing Edmund to fall on his knees before Nathan and Penny. Colin then berated, "Are you f****** dumb? You'd tried hitting on Madam at the airport, but our Master had decided to spare you once. How dare you come looking for trouble yet again? It seems that we're going to have to teach you the hard way."

It was the first time in his entire life that Edmund had been beaten up so miserably.

He raised his bloated face. With his mouth full of blood, he lashed out stubbornly, "You guys are ballsy, treating me as such. My dad is the President of the West Chamber of Commerce, Fletcher Harvey. Just you wait. My dad is going to take revenge on all of you."

Colin smirked when he heard this, then raised his hand and planted continuous





slaps on Edmund's face, until it was covered in blood.

Only then did Colin continued reprimanding him. "The Harvey family is nothing. Doesn't your family have a very powerful subordinate called Furies?"

Furies!

Edmund lifted his head and spoke with a bloodied grin, "So you people are aware of who Furies is. Are you frightened by him? Furies is one of my dad's strongest subordinates. Don't worry. When I get back, I'll be sure to ask Furies to kill every single one of you..."

Colin sneered. "You want Furies to murder us? He's already been killed by our Master here. Are you planning on visiting him in the afterlife?"

What?

Furies has been killed by Nathan?

Nobody here but Edmund knew how

powerful Furies was.

To Edmund, Furies was a God of Death. If he wanted to kill someone, that person was doomed to die.

How was it possible for Furies to die at the hands of Nathan?

With his eyes widened, Edmund stared at Nathan incredulously.

Nathan's face was serene. He acted as if killing Furies was no different from killing mosquitoes and that the matter was not worth mentioning.

Nathan spoke indifferently, "So you are Fletcher Harvey's son. What a small world. The West Chamber of Commerce presided by your father has sought to seize my father's project, causing all of the funds in our Cross family's account to be transferred away. This also got my father killed. I've come to the West to settle this matter with your father."

Edmund Harvey was aghast.

Nathan had specifically come to the West to look for Edmund's father and the West Chamber of Commerce to take revenge. It was no wonder Nathan and his men did not budge, even when he had mentioned who his father was.

So, Nathan has come looking for my father. No wonder he didn't freak out.

Edric also looked at Nathan, horrified.

He had thought that Nathan was merely a poor boy who had been discharged from the army.

That was why he had continuously ridiculed and insulted Nathan. Who knew that Nathan was a big shot and had the guts to challenge the West Chamber of Commerce?

Now that he was looking at Nathan, his hands and feet were icy cold, as a chill ran down his spine.

Edric felt both regretful and frightened. He also wanted to cry but had no tears as he thought to himself, oh God, I've offended someone I shouldn't have!

Nathan watched Edmund grovel on the floor apathetically and murmured, "So you're Fletcher Harvey's son. That's perfect. Go back and tell Fletcher Harvey, Mark Zane, and Jeremiah Donne that I'll give them three days to kill themselves to atone for their sins. Also, have them return everything they'd taken from my father, including his projects and funds. The Harvey, Zane, and Dunne families will also announce their retirement. I'll let these three major families go if the conditions I'd listed are met."

Nathan's words made everyone at the scene gasp in bewilderment.

Even Penny and several senior executives of the Cross Group were startled.

Nathan wanted the Three Heroes of the West to kill themselves to atone for their sins. He also wanted the Harvey, Zane, and

Dunne families to retire. It was basically a foolish dreamer's wish.

This was because each of these requirements that Nathan had mentioned was almost impossible to achieve.

"What if we, three families, had refused?" Edmund retorted in anger.

"Then you, three families, will vanish from the face of the earth," Nathan replied calmly.

As he finished saying this, Nathan waved his hand and instructed Colin and the Elite Eight, "Return these amateurs to the Harvey family."

"Yes, Master!" Colin answered.

Edmund and his men were then swiftly taken away.

However, there was still a lot of blood at the scene

Nathan turned to Edric who was standing

in a corner and smiled. "Mr. Carman, please arrange for a new compartment and prepare another table of food for us. I assume there's no problem, right?"

Edric smiled at the imposing Nathan.

All of a sudden, he could not fathom what Nathan was capable of, but one thing was for sure... Nathan was powerful.

He must be a big shot to have come to the West, challenging Fletcher Harvey as such.

"We'll get right to it, brother-in-law," Edric replied in trepidation.

Soon, Nathan and the others were moved into a new room with a table of freshlymade food.

Nathan, Penny, Kylie, and several other executives of the Cross Group sat down and continued eating.

However, after everything that had happened, everyone sat still, with their own thoughts.

Penny could not help but murmur a question, "Nathan, have you found any clues regarding father, during the past two days in the West?"

Nathan replied, "It's basically confirmed that the Three Heroes of the West had murdered my father."

"I've already told Edmund to deliver the message to them. If they don't comply, I'm going to take official action against the three families."

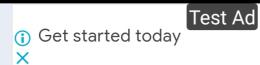
Penny felt extremely worried. "Nathan, is there anything I can do to help?"

Nathan whispered, "No need to worry, Penn. I can handle something this trivial."

How could Penny relax when she was this worried?

The Harvey family, inside a palace-like residence.

Fletcher Harvey's voice roared from inside the hall, "Edmund, who beat you up?"



Chapter 879 Kill Themselves As Atonement

The dying Edmund told his father about everything that had happened.

After listening to the entire story, Fletcher was furious. "D*** it. The Cross family's boy wants me to kill myself to atone for my sins? I will kill this son within three days."



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Fletcher was infuriated and wanted to send someone to take revenge on Nathan.

However, the other two elders of the West Chamber of Commerce, Mark Zane and Jeremiah Donne advised him against it.

Mark was the first one to speak, "Mr. Harvey, please calm down. If Nathan Cross really is coming for us, it must mean that he has the power to do so. We have to think about this in the long term."

Jeremiah Donne continued, "That's right. Nathan has challenged the West Chamber of Commerce in public."

"Both Harrison and Furies have met their demise at the hands of Nathan himself. It's fairly obvious that Nathan is stronger than we'd thought."

"That kid has already said that he wants us to commit suicide within three days and to return everything that we've taken from the Cross family. He also wants our families to retire before he's willing to let us go." Fletcher stated angrily, "He's really riding

on top of our heads. How are we supposed to tolerate this?"

Mark squinted his eyes and proclaimed, "Mr. Harvey, we're not tolerating him. We need to check out our opponent's strength before deciding what to do. As Sun Tzu once mentioned, 'If you know the enemy and know yourself, you need not fear the result of a hundred battles."

Jeremiah nodded in agreement, "That's right. This is called thinking before you act. We'll take Nathan Cross's life as soon as we decide to act."



As he listened to his companions, Fletcher also started to think that Nathan had something up his sleeve, so he became more cautious.

After all, these people were the ones who had been through hell and high water, just like him. They did not want to lose for the mere reason of being careless.

Fletcher furrowed his brows and asked, "Since we can't do anything about Nathan

yet, do you guys have any suggestions?"

Mark pondered for a while before replying, "We need to find a suitable person to uncover Nathan's background. This person should preferably be someone who's connected to the Cross family of Northania."

Fletcher nodded, then inquired, "Do you guys have anyone in mind?"

"The mayor of Johnstone City who had just retired, Keith Cross," Jeremiah spoke up. "He's quite close to us. As far as I know, he has some ties to the Cross family of Northania. In terms of the family tree, he should be Nathan Cross's grand-uncle. We can ask for Keith Cross's help to investigate Nathan Cross. Let's see where Nathan Cross's confidence originates from."

Fletcher nodded, "Okay. Both of you immediately notify Keith Cross about our plans to investigate Nathan Cross."

Mark and Jeremiah replied in unison, "Yes,

Mr. Harvey."

Nathan, Penny, and the rest of the group stayed in the Johnstone Hotel.

Penny instructed several executives of the Cross group to negotiate business. She left the task of recruiting agents from the West to a few of her subordinates, while she and Kylie were almost inseparable from Nathan.

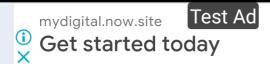
She knew that Nathan had come to avenge Zayn, but she was afraid that something bad was going to happen to him.



Although she could not help much, she could only follow him around to reassure herself.

She thought to herself, if something were to happen to Nathan, then I would rather die together with him.

In the evening, Nathan was deciding where to have dinner when suddenly, he received a phone call from an anonymous number. When he answered, a commanding old



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voice resounded from the phone, "You are Zayn Cross's son, Nathan Cross, right?"

"That's right. Who are you?" Nathan asked impassively.

The person on the phone spoke arrogantly, "My name is Keith Cross. According to the Cross family tree, you're supposed to call me grand-uncle."



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