

I'm A Quadrillionaire

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The three people in the room were stunned after David finished speaking.

Even Clinton did not expect David to say that. It was clear that David intended to offend Silva by doing this.

Silva looked at David with serpent-like eyes. Anyone who knew him could tell that he was angry.

"Zimmerman, it's not that I'm disrespecting you, but you yourself heard how unbothered he is and how he's disrespecting me."

"What? Didn't you want to apologize to me?" David asked, feigning ignorance.

"Apologize to you? Do you think you are qualified for that? David, don't think that you can do whatever you want just because the Quinn family couldn't do anything to you after you killed Zachary. Let me tell you, the Quinn family is still miles away from the elite circle in Somerland," Silva said with disdain.

"Are you saying your family is very powerful?"

"You'll know whether we're powerful soon enough. Zimmerman, I have to go now because I still have something I need to take care of. Don't worry, I'll do what I promised, but after the appointment, I hope you won't interfere anymore," Silva said before standing up and leaving.

Silva surely could not do anything to David with Clinton around today. If not, he would not mind teaching David a lesson.

David had only showed the strength of a mid-Tiger Ranker.

However, he was young and was about ten years younger than Clinton and the others. He was definitely a genius for being able to become a mid-Tiger Ranker at this age.

'He's leaving just like that? How boring.'

David thought Silva would do something to him.

Sure enough, there were still differences between these elite rich children and people like Zachary.

At the very least, they were much more scheming and sophisticated than Zachary.

Silva had no idea that Clinton's presence was the thing that allowed him to escape for now, otherwise, if he dared to take action, David would have crippled him even if he did not kill him.

"Dave, please also give me some face and don't get into a conflict with Silva for now," Clinton said.

The purpose of him getting the two men here was to clear up their misunderstanding, lest they fight. No matter who won or lost, it would weaken the strength of the people on his side.

Unexpectedly, the two ended up parting ways on bad terms.

In this case, he did not want to worry about it anymore. It would be fine as long as nothing happened to the two of them within the next three months.

"Clinton, don't worry. I will not attack unless someone is offending me. As long as they don't provoke me first, I will not take the initiative to take action," David said meaningfully.

"That's great. If you need my help in Springfield, just tell me. I am still pretty respected in Springfield."

After this, David and Clinton talked about some irrelevant topics.

Meanwhile, Goldie showed a huge interest in David.

This was what women were like. They were very curious creatures, the more mysterious something was,

the more they wanted to learn about it.

If she could look up David easily, she would not be interested in him. However, right now, they could not find any information on David at all. The more mysterious he was, the more he aroused her curiosity. She indirectly tried to ask about David's background and identity. However, David's answers were impervious. After chatting for a very long time, she could not get any information out of him.

After leaving Rubik's Club, David's initial plan was to drop by South River Province to visit Aunt Sally and Aunt Diana. After that, he would go attend the reunion.

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However, right now, the plan had changed. The class reunion might be postponed for some time. The break had just started and some classmates had not come back just, so it was tentatively set for a month later.

This was decided by his classmates in the group chat yesterday.

Since it was still early, David planned to take Julia to Dark Cape before this since this was the most important thing currently on his list.

It would be fine if he could not make it to the reunion when the time came. He would get more opportunities to meet them in the future. The safety of the Dark Cape was the most important matter for now.

He would only relax about exposing his identity and being attacked by Falconia only when Dark Cape started using the magnetic field and was completely safe.

After making his plans, David flew back to Capital City on the same day. This time, he did not notify Celia. Instead, he just immediately Julia to Dark Cape the next day.

Their first stop was Lou City, the closest provincial city to Dark Cape.

David and Julia flew directly from Capital City to Lou City where they rested for a day. Then, they took the helicopter from the local military base to Dark Cape the next day.

A few hours later, they arrived in Dark Cape's airspace before landing.

Although this was a military aircraft, it appeared like a civilian aircraft as it had been deliberately disguised.

otherwise, it would be discovered by Falconia's spies and there would be unnecessary trouble.

As the transportation hub of the two empires, there were a lot of businesspeople passing by the Dark Cape every day. It was also a small but prosperous city, and many helicopters traveled back and forth around it. Hence, David and Julia were inconspicuous.

When the Bloodthirsty Mercenaries were in control, the taxes imposed on the people here were so high that most of the money they made went to Bloodthirsty Mercenaries.

However, they had no choice but to pay as the two empires had no jurisdiction over this place.

Bloodthirsty Mercenaries made the rules here and their captain was a maniac.

They would often capture people who resisted. After they were captured, they would never come back. Alter Red Flame Mercenaries got rid of Bloodthirsty Mercenaries, they eliminated the tax and fees, which delighted the people doing business here as they would previously need to pay a lot in les every year.

Most of the people doing business in the Dark Cape were citizens from the two empires, and there were very few indigenous peoples in Dark Cape.

After David and Julia got out of the helicopter, the helicopter took off.

The pilot was from the Lou City Military Department. He had received an order from his superiors to send two people to Dark Cape.

Although he was a little curious about the identities of the two, as a soldier, he would not freely run his mouth and would not ask about things that did not concern him.

He did not say a word to David and Julia in the few hours he was piloting the helicopter. This was the awareness he had as a soldier.

After they got out of the helicopter, David brought Julia to the castle in the center of Dark Cape.

They had changed their outfits and no one could tell what they originally looked like.

When they arrived at the entrance of the castle, David called Killer to come to get them.

After they got into the castle, David returned to how he normally looked like. The ones who were stationed at the castle were all members of Red Flame Mercenaries that were more reliable. Hence, David was not worried that he would be exposed.

Besides, once Julia was successful, it would be fine even if his identity was exposed.

without the threat of the large-scale lethal weapons from Falconia, David was fearless. Moreover, he had somerland backing him up.

Next, Julia started to immerse herself into her work and put together all kinds of equipment,

These were all shipped here via various channels before she and David arrived.

Meanwhile, David asked Killer to summon the core team of Red Flame for a meeting

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Inside the center of the castle in Dark Cape, David asked Killer to summon the higher-ups of Red Flames Mercenaries for a meeting

Soon, they arrived one after another.

The first deputy captain, Killer.

The second deputy captain, Paul.

The third deputy captain, Tulip.

There was also a thin and weak-looking young man. David remembered that he should be someone from Bloodthirsty Mercenaries.

Why was he here?

David shot a questioning look at Killer.

When Killer saw it, he stood up and said, "Captain, he is the former adviser of Bloodthirsty Mercenaries. His name is Rory Hudson and he is a native of Dark Cape. I've looked into his past and he didn't kill anyone while he was in the Bloodthirsty Mercenaries. Basically, he would only help the Bloodthirsty Mercenaries with internal affairs. A lot of his ideas are beneficial for our development, and he has a good reputation in Dark Cape, so I decided to keep him."

"Rory Hudson greets you, Captain." The thin man stepped forward and bowed to David.

David looked at the man carefully. He did not seem to be very old and looked like he was either 27 or 28 years old. He was a little thin and he did not have much strength. He should be in the second or third class, which was slightly stronger than ordinary people.

"Are you a Dark Cape native?" David asked.

"Yes, Captain," Rory replied

"Since you used to be the adviser to Bloodthirsty Mercenaries, you should have studied Dark Cape carefully before this. Tell me, what is the current situation in Dark Cape?"

"Captain, I believe that although the current situation of Dark Cape seems good, it is still based on the balance between the two empires. Once the balance between the two empires starts to even slightly

tilt, Dark Cape will be destroyed.”

“Oh? Please be specific”

“Dark Cape is located between the two empires, and it is the only place without magnetic interference, so it is a very important strategic point. Neither of the two empires will allow the other to obtain it, so that’s how it became occupied by the former Bloodthirsty Mercenaries and the current Red Flame.

“But once the balance between the two empires is broken, Dark Cape will be in a precarious situation. Dark Cape is just a small boat in front of the two empires and it may be swallowed by the big waves at any time. No matter which side Dark Cape is inclined toward, it will only end up being destroyed.”

“So, how should this be resolved?” David asked again.

“If you want to solve the problem, first, no matter which force occupies Dark Cape, there must be top-class combat power to deter all parties. Tyrant’s strength as a peak Dragon Ranker was not enough, and they would at least need to have strength equivalent to yours, Captain

“Secondly, Dark Cape must find a way to pull the surrounding magnetic field over so that the two empires cannot use large-scale lethal weapons on Dark Cape. Both of these conditions are indispensable. The rest is to strengthen Red Flame and arm Dark Cape.”

After Rory spoke briefly, he stopped talking.

He trusted David to understand what he was saying. From David’s abolition of taxes within Dark Cape to the splurge on state-of-the-art weapons, David was definitely a man who would achieve great things. He wanted to raise these opinions to Tyrant before, but Tyrant was not strong enough to deter all parties, so he gave up that thought.

Even if he spoke his mind and Tyrant did as he was told, anyone with David’s strength would be able to obliterate the Bloodthirsty Mercenaries.

Thus, those two conditions were incontestable, Dark Cape would not be sacrificed either one of them was not implemented.

“Rory, it’s good that you can think about this. I will leave the development of Dark Cape to you. The three of them will cooperate with you and I believe you also want to protect your hometown, right?”

“Yes, Captain!” Rory replied happily.

Although he had been onboarded by the three deputy captains of Red Flame, everything was still uncertain without the captain around.

It was because he knew that Silver Face was the real master of Red Flame.

Now that he had finally been affirmed by the captain, he was naturally over the moon.

Moreover, Red Flame Mercenaries were much more humane than Bloodthirsty Mercenaries.

They only killed people who deserved to be killed, unlike Bloodthirsty Mercenaries who operated with the belief of ‘my way or the highway’. Furthermore, Tyrant was a complete lunatic.

Red Flame also exempted Dark Cape from taxes, which would have been an astronomical

Which mercenary group did not want to occupy Dark Cape for the sky high taxation?

He was a little bit confused about the real intention of Red Flame occupying Dark Cape

“This time I am here to tell you that Dark Cape will be the future base of Red Flame. We must make this place into an entity that is not afraid of any forces, including the two empires,

“So Killer, you must hurry up and buy those various weapons and equipment I asked you to.”

“Roger that, Captain,” Killer replied respectfully.

“The equipment that was shipped here two days ago can pull the magnetic fields over to conceal Dark Cape after it is assembled, I have also hired technicians to come over. It won’t take long before Dark Cape can stop fearing any large missile attack. Coupled with my demonstrated strength, we have met the

two conditions Rory mentioned. After this, I will leave the rest of the developments for you all.”

“Really?” The three deputy captains asked at the same time.

“Of course, I wouldn’t joke about this.”

“That’s great!”

The cores present were very excited.

Dark Cape was about to be a place that was not afraid of any forces, and they would be much more at ease living here,

“For anyone who has relatives and friends, you can ask them to move to Dark Cape. This place is very big and there are still many places that have not been developed. I want to turn it into an independent country,”

“Yes, Captain!”

For the next period, David watched over Julia in Dark Cape

The pulling of the magnetic field was not as simple as David made it sound. It was not a done deal even after the device was assembled, as they would still need to run a lot of experiments.

Thus, the progress was very slow.

Half a month passed quickly.

However, Julia was still not done,

basically, she would work more than ten hours a day,

David would let her rest when necessary, so there was no reason for worry.

In the past half a month, Dark Cape had bought a lot of weapons.

They even bought eight submarines and one aircraft carrier from the Chaos Land black market.

In addition, Pearl had gradually started executing her plan abroad while the East League Capitals in the country was developing steadily.

David’s lavish point had a booming increase.

It had risen from 1200 points half a month ago to more than 3600 points now. It was getting closer and closer to 10000 now.

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Time passed day by day.

David’s lavish points were basically increasing by more than 100 points every day on average.

At this rate, it would not take long for David to improve his physique and reach the next realm.

When that happened, he would be truly fearless.

Another ten days or so passed and David’s lavish point had reached 5000 points.

On this day, everyone in Dark Cape was suddenly unable to make calls with their phones.

All wireless communications were interrupted.

Only landlines could be used.

However, it only took a few minutes before it recovered.

Everyone was not too bothered.

Meanwhile, in the central castle of Dark Cape, several core members of Red Flame Mercenaries cheered happily

The experiment of pulling the magnetic fields finally succeeded.

In the future, Dark Cape would no longer have to be afraid of remote-controlled missile attacks. As soon as it was detected by the radar, the pulling of the magnetic field would be immediately activated and the missile would lose its direction or even misfire.

This was great news for Dark Cape.

Only David, who had the entire country of Somerland backing him, could achieve this goal so quickly. Otherwise, it would probably only be possible after they waited for this technology to become popular. At present, there were only a few big countries in the world that could manipulate the magnetic field to this level.

Julia worked more than ten hours a day for more than 20 days and she had lost a lot of weight.

Dark Cape.

Inside the lab of Central Castle.

The few core members of the Red Flames Mercenaries had left the lab and they were summoning the middle-tier members of Red Flame to tell them the news.

“Miss Stefani, thank you,” David thanked her sincerely.

From now on, he did not have to deliberately conceal his identity. Even if it was exposed, it would not matter.

Falconia was similar in strength to Somerland. Without the threat of long-range missiles, he would not be scared as long as they did not dispatch any guardians.

if Falconia dispatched the guardians, Somerland would naturally not stand idly by.

The top-level combat power of both sides was under the surveillance of the other party, and once someone made a move, they would soon be discovered by the other side.

Thus, the two empires would not act rashly.

This was especially true in the current situation where everything was unknown. As the magnetic field continued to expand, guardians would be the absolute force to control the world.

Neither empire could afford to lose out.

“David, you don’t have to be so courteous with me. You’re also one of us in Somerland. Plus, you even saved me last time,” Julia said in exhaustion.

She had been in a high-stress working environment for more than twenty days and it had indeed been hard on her. After all, she was just an ordinary person.

“Miss Stefani, go rest first. You’ve been working for so many days so you should rest well. We’ll only go back when you have recovered enough,” David said.

“Okay. However, you should stop calling me Miss Stefani. Just call me Jules.”

“Um... I don’t think that’s appropriate,” David said with hesitation.

Jules sounded too intimate, and David was not used to this.

“What’s inappropriate about this? My friends all call me that, or are you telling me that you don’t see me as your friend?” Julia asked.

“No way! You’ve helped me so much, how could I not see you as my friend? Just come to me if you need anything in the future. As long as it’s within my power, I will not say no.”

“You said this yourself. I’ll go back to rest now. Right, since we’re friends, what should you call me?”

Julia asked mischievously.

“M-Miss Jules?”

“Him?” Julia looked at David and made a questioning sound.

“Jules, go back to rest now.”

“That’s more like it.”

After Julia said that, she left with a smile.

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David stayed in the lab alone.

He was looking at the device in front of him. At this moment, the safety index of Dark Cape had

increased exponentially.

David glanced at the system panel.

His lavish points had reached 5200 points.

If he obtained 4800 more points, he could continue to improve his physique.

Once his physique improved, he would also enter the next realm, which was the legendary guardian realm.

At that time, he should not be so powerless that he could not fight Mason, right?

David turned and left the lab before entering the hall.

The three deputy captains, Rory, and more than a dozen Red Flame middle-rank members were partying in the hall. They were popping champagne in celebration.

David went to the main seat and sat down.

The people below him all stopped at once.

“Killer,” David called out.

“Yes, Captain.”

“We must strengthen the defense of the lab. Send our most reliable people to guard it. From today onward, Dark Cape will be free from the constraints of the two empires.”

“Yes, Captain,” Killer replied loudly.

At this moment, he was also very excited.

He made a lot of friends during his time in the Chaos Land, which exceeded ten years.

At the same time, he also witnessed their deaths firsthand.

His greatest wish in this life was to avenge his parents and then find a place to settle down with his brothers in death who had been following him this entire time

Both wishes had now been fulfilled,

Dark Cape was no longer afraid of Falconia’s threat. Plus, his men could also get married and have children here while living a good life.

“Everyone present is an elite of Red Flame. In the future, Red Flame will grow step by step and you will also become the core of Red Flame. Although you don’t need to go out to perform tasks and you will have a stable life, I hope you will not waste your martial arts. In the future, martial arts will gradually prosper, so I hope you can continue to work hard and lead us to greater glories.”

“Yes, Captain. We will definitely live up to your expectations!”

A dozen people answered together.

“Alright, go have fun!”

Two days later.

David left Dark Cape secretly with Julia.

After one day, David and Julia returned to Capital City.

After sending Julia back, David called Celia and told her to wait at home because he would be arriving in a bit.

Celia’s family members were all at home today and they did not go anywhere. It was because David informed Celia in advance that he would come to Capital City today.

Thus, the family of three was at home waiting for David.

Mindy and Jon had been keeping an eye on East League Capitals ever since they learned that David was the boss behind it.

The more they learned about the East League Capitals, the more shocked they were.

The number of companies that East League Capitals would invest in every day was growing like crazy.

The outside world's valuation of East League Capitals was also changing every day. Now, it was approaching a market value of two trillion.

Beautylish was also getting bigger with the help of East League Capitals.

In less than a month, their market value had doubled. They had now opened hundreds of stores and they had also begun to expand to cities around Capital City.

David was no longer the poor boy that Mindy looked down on.

He seemed to have become the extremely eligible bachelor that would be served carefully by both Mindy and her husband,

After finding out that David was coming, the two of them did not even go to work. They waited at home but did not dare to ask their daughter to urge David to arrive sooner.

This was the difference in treatment brought about by the change in status.

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"Celia, have you heard David mention someone named Pearl?" Mindy asked.

She had been following the updates on East League Capitals and she had noticed this woman early on.

She had also looked closely at Pearl's profile.

Mindy found that she was just someone who came out of a poor rural area and she had relied on a powerful person like David to transform into a businesswoman worth tens of billions of dollars.

Moreover, this only took a few months.

She was now the general manager of East League Capitals, the second most powerful person in the trillion-dollar company East League Capitals, after David himself.

Mindy was very concerned about the women around David, for fear that someone better than his daughter would steal David away.

Where else could she find such a handsome, rich, and good-natured son-in-law?

One could only come across such things serendipitously.

"No, what's wrong?" Celia asked curiously.

"Oh, you, why don't you care about this kind of thing? Pearl is the general manager of East League Capitals, so she is in constant contact with David. Plus, she's pretty good-looking. Aren't you worried that she will steal David away from you?" Mindy said, feeling resentful toward Celia for not meeting her expectations.

"Gosh, Mom, David is so excellent. Isn't it normal to have a few women around him? Besides, he will tell me when he feels ready to, and if I ask him when he doesn't want to tell me, I'll only get a bad reaction from him. What good will that be? Besides, I trust him," Celia said.

"You dummy, why are you so..."

Mindy was interrupted by Jon before she could finish speaking. "Enough, you're already so grown and yet your vision is still not as broad as our daughter. Do you think David is the kind of man you can get just because you want him? The tighter you hold onto him, the more you will push him to another woman. I will tell you responsibly, as a man, Celia's temperament is definitely a great advantage."

"I'm just worried about her, okay? David went away for an entire month. Who knows what he's up to?"

"Your worries are superfluous. Let's not intervene in the children's affairs, otherwise, it will be counterproductive. Just let them handle it themselves."

"Jon, you said this yourself. If your daughter..."

Mindy was talking when the door was pushed open.

As soon as David entered the door, he saw three pairs of eyes staring at him.

'What's going on?'

David was a little confused.

He felt as if he had been caught in the act.

He had been to Celia's house many times before. Therefore, he would just push the door to go directly inside. If the door could be opened, he would call Celia and ask her to open the door.

"Mr. and Mrs. Young, you're here too," David said after he came back to his senses.

"Oh, we have nothing going on today, so we are all resting at home. David, stop standing, come in and sit down," Mindy said politely.

David walked into the living room and sat next to Celia.

Celia smiled at David.

Her request was simple, as long as she could see David, she was happy.

Although David was away for nearly a month, they talked every day.

It was just that she had not seen David for almost a month, so she wanted to see him badly.

"David, have you had lunch yet?" Mindy asked.

In the past, Mindy would not have cared about whether David had eaten or not.

"Mrs. Young, I've eaten," David replied.

He was a little uncomfortable with Mindy's enthusiasm.

Although he knew that this was brought about by his own change in identity, Mindy's change was too drastic and it made him a little uncomfortable. He much preferred Jon's attitude toward him.

Before discovering David's identity, Jon did not deliberately belittle David, and after knowing his identity, Jon also did not deliberately flatter him.

Everyone got along as usual, and this was fine.

"David, you haven't come over for almost a month. Have you been busy recently?" Mindy could not help but ask.

"Mrs. Young, I've been out of the country for a while," David replied.

Going to Dark Cape was indeed going abroad, so David was not lying.

'Abroad?'

Mindy was shocked.

It was because she had been observing the movements of East League Capitals and she was also paying close attention to Pearl.

Therefore, she knew that more than 20 days ago, Pearl, the general manager of East League Capitals, led a team to go abroad for development.

David also left Capital City at that time.

'So did they travel abroad together?'

Mindy would not believe it if other people told her that David and Pearl had nothing going on.

She had also been in the business world for many years, so she knew some of the unspoken rules about this.

The men she knew who had successful careers would have one or even several families outside.

If they did not have a relationship with each other, why would Pearl be directly appointed by David as the general manager of East League Capitals when she was just a recent fresh graduate?

She even grew to have a net worth of more than 10 billion in just a few months. Pearl did not qualify for that in any way.

Mindy quickly asked again, "Abroad? On your own?"

David could not stand Mindy's character of digging into everything, but he still replied, "I went abroad to handle some things with a friend."

David definitely would not want to have anything to do with Mindy if Celia was not likable. Celia was the best and most likable girl David had ever seen, and she was the complete opposite of her mother, Mindy.

It did not matter what the topic was. If David told her, she would listen, and if David did not tell her, she would not ask.

Furthermore, she had never been petty. After all these years, David had never seen Celia getting angry. A woman with this type of personality was definitely someone that every man would like.

Celia was not only good in character, but she was also pure and lovely in appearance. Could an ordinary woman make the second son of the Chasez family fall head over heels over her?

Mindy wanted to continue asking him questions, but Jon was one step ahead of her, "David, you should stay for dinner later. Mrs. Young and I will go buy some food, you and Celia can have a chat with each other in the meantime."

After Jon finished speaking, he dragged Mindy away. "Buy food? Don't we have..."

"Just come with me, stop talking," Jon said.

If he did not stop Mindy, he did not know what kind of problems would arise.

David's status was different now.

Besides, Celia and David were not married yet!

Mindy was not yet his mother-in-law, so it would be better to not scare him away.

After that, the two of them left the villa coyly.

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After Mindy and Jon left, Celia said apologetically, "David, don't mind them. My mother is like that, she is just very curious."

"Silly girl, what's there to be angry about? Mrs. Young is just concerned about me," David said with a smile.

He still had no idea what was on Mindy's mind. He thought it was because he had not come here in a long time and Mindy thought that there was some conflict between himself and Celia, and that was why she was asking so many questions.

Frankly, no one could get angry with a woman like Celia.

"David, how long are you going to stay in Capital city this time?" Celia asked.

"Um... A day or two."

"So short?" Celia asked, feeling a little lonely.

She thought that David could spend more time here and accompany her to go around. She did not expect David to leave so soon.

"I have no choice. The class reunion is coming soon, and I have to go back early since I promised to go. Plus, I have to go back to see Aunt Sally and Aunt Diana as well. But I'm going to talk to your parents later to see if they can let you come with me."

"Really?" Celia asked in surprise.

"Of course, I don't think they will refuse."

"As long as you're the one asking, they will definitely not refuse," Celia said excitedly.

She knew her mother so well. Right now, Mindy was eager to marry her off to David right away.

Of course, she would not refuse David's request.

"That's good. When we go back, I'll introduce you to my aunts and the rest of the family."

"Okay," Celia responded with a blush.

'David said that he grew up with his Aunt Sally and Aunt Diana, right?

'Is he going to take me to see the elders?

'I'm so happy!

But I'm so nervous!

Celia thought as her heart raced.

Outside the villa.

"Jon, what are you pulling me out for? I hadn't finished asking about him yet," Mindy said, shaking Jon's hand away.

"Honey, please, stop questioning him. Celia and David aren't married yet. You might scare David away if you keep doing this," Jon said.

"How am I scaring him? Even if they're not married, he's still Celia's boyfriend, right? What's wrong with me asking him questions?" Mindy asked disapprovingly.

"What information can you get from that? You can't get anything!"

"Why not? Do you know Pearl, the general manager of East League Capitals, went abroad more than 20 days ago? David also went abroad at that time, so they must have gone together. He said it's to handle some matters? I think they went abroad to travel together!"

"Are you sure?" Jon asked.

"Of course I am! You didn't pay attention but I've been keeping a close eye on the movement of East League Capitals every day. More than 20 days ago, East League Capitals announced that their general manager Pearl Warner had brought a team to develop abroad."

"If that's the case, they might have gone together," Jon thought about it and replied. "What do you mean 'might'? They definitely went together!" Mindy said angrily.

"So what if you asked? They're there for work. Do you want Celia to break up with David over such a small thing?"

"I..." Mindy did not know what to say to Jon at that moment.

"You should close one eye if you don't have evidence in case you make things awkward for everyone," Jon urged.

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"But we can't leave him to continue behaving like this, right? The more you indulge men, the more out of line they become."

"Stop bringing this up. We have no evidence, so are we supposed to forbid them from interacting even if it is for work? David is the boss of East League Capitals and he took the general manager and employees to develop abroad. This is normal."

"But..."

"No buts, let's go. Go buy some food with me. We should give them some alone time."

After dinner at night, the family sat in the living room.

Eventually, Mindy managed to hold herself back and did not continue to question David.

"Mrs. Young, Mr. Young, I'm going back to South River Province tomorrow. I have a high school reunion in a few days and I want Celia to accompany me there. We're on break now and we have nothing much going on. Plus, she's also our high school friend," David said to Mindy and Jon.

"Okay, you can take Celia out to relax. We don't feel at ease if she goes alone but we will feel more relieved if she's with you. Since you're going there and it's break time, you two can do some traveling too," Mindy said.

She wanted badly for Celia to stay with David every day, and naturally, she would not refuse David's request.

“Thank you, Mom,” Celia said happily.

“I know you want to go with David. When a girl is of age, she must be married off anyway,” Mindy lamented.

“Mom, what are you talking about?” Celia said blushing.

“What? I’m talking about you and David, of course.”

Mindy then said to David, “David, you and Celia will start your fourth year in university soon. I think you two should get married after you two graduate from university. When you have a stable family, the man can then go out and start a career. Of course, although there is no need for you to temper yourself anymore, after marriage, a man will become more mature and stable. It will also be of great benefit to your future career development.”

“Mom, we’re still young. Why are you talking about marriage again?” Mindy glanced at Celia, but she ignored her and continued to look at David.

She thought to herself, “Silly girl, I am helping you. With your temperament, you will let David make all the decisions and won’t object. If I don’t do something, I don’t even know what will happen to you two. This is in case you end up empty-handed.”

David did not expect Mindy to suddenly ask such a question.

She was not doing things according to the proper course of events at all and she would speak whatever was on her mind.

However, David still replied, “Mrs. Young, we are all still young and we are still a year away from graduation! If Celia has no reservations at that time, I will agree to marry her.”

David would definitely not let Celia down. After he saved her back then, she kept sacrificing herself for him and even waited for him for so many years.

However, David was a little troubled when it came to Pearl.

He could sense Pearl’s feelings toward him, but what could he do now that he had Celia?

At this moment, David wished that he was born in ancient times. Not that he wanted to marry a lot of wives, but he did not want to let down both Celia and Pearl.

Back then, he had invested so much in Sarah, and now, these two women were doing the same for him. Sigh.

It was not good for a man to be too excellent.

At least, this was how David felt.

“Alright, it’s settled then. You’ll get married after graduation. It’s good to start a family earlier,” Mindy said happily.

If David could say that, it meant he really liked Celia. As for Pearl, she would back off if David and Celia got married.

Chapter 414

The next morning, David and Celia flew straight to River City in South River Province.

After getting off the plane, David took Celia back to South River International Residence.

Although he had not been back for a long time, housekeepers would come in to clean every week, so his house was still very clean.

On the way, David called the Golden Leaf Hotel to have them deliver lunch to South River International Residence.

He was too lazy to run around anymore, and since he had the power, he should just use it.

After entering South River International Residence, David said to Celia, “Celia, if you are tired, you should rest and I will call you when lunch arrives.”

"I'm not tired. David, is this where you live? It's so beautiful," Celia asked, looking around the house.

"Yeah, I used to live here. If you like it, we can stay here for the next few days. If you want to stay in a hotel, we can do that as well. There is an eight-star hotel here that belongs to me too."

"No, I don't want to stay in a hotel. I'm fine staying here," Celia said.

"Alright, we'll stay here. In the afternoon, I'll take you to see Aunt Sally and Aunt Diana. They are also staying in this area."

"Um... Um, David, do I need to buy some gifts for them?" Celia asked awkwardly.

She was still a little nervous about seeing David's elders.

"No, they don't lack anything at home. It's fine if you show up. Isn't this what you told me when I went to your house?" David said with a smile.

"That... That's different," Celia whispered.

"Alright, it's fine. Aunt Sally and Aunt Diana are very nice people. They don't care about these things. Would you like to take a bath and rest?"

"No, I'm not tired. I'll just look at the scenery here, you should go ahead first," Celia said as she walked toward the huge French window.

"Okay, I'll go upstairs and take a shower. I'll come down right away, you sit here for a while."

David went upstairs.

Celia stood by the window and took a few deep breaths to ease her nervousness.

After more than ten minutes, David came down.

The two sat in the living room chatting for a while before the doorbell rang.

"That should be lunch. I'll open the door."

David walked to the entrance, opened the door, and found that it was Aunt Sally and the others.

"Dave, why didn't you tell us you came back?" Aunt Sally asked reproachfully.

"Yeah, it's been a long time since you came back. If it wasn't for the people in the hotel saying that they're delivering food to you, we wouldn't have known you were back," Aunt Diana also said.

"Aunt Sally, Aunt Diana, I just arrived. I was going to see you guys in the afternoon. Come in and have a seat."

After David said that, he invited Sally and the rest to come in.

Sally and Diana were not the only ones here, Uncle Alex, Uncle Yousef, Cousin Judy, Judy's husband Jude, Cousin Lily, and Cousin Jacey were all here.

The two families, aside from Lily and Jacey who were still at school, were all working in the Golden Leaf Hotel.

Plus, they held middle-ranking positions and above, so they did not need to do much to make a lot of money.

David purposely arranged this. Their annual salary was more than the salary of a general manager in the Golden Leaf Hotel.

David had changed the lives of the two families.

They had gained a foothold in a big city like River City. They were driving luxury cars and living in extravagant villas.

Furthermore, they had decent jobs that paid them an insanely high salary.

They felt very proud when they went back to Shu City together.

The two families would drive three luxury cars worth millions each to go back to Shu City, creating a dazzling view.

Aside from them, there had never been three luxury cars worth millions appearing at the same time in Shu City.

Chapter 415

Sally and Diana's families were also well-known in Shu City now. In their words, they were honoring their ancestors.

These were given to them by David.

What the two families did was just help David at his most difficult and pitiful time and took him in to stay with them.

From Sally and Diana's view, they were David's relatives and also David's elders, so they should help David as a matter of responsibility.

However, David gave them so much in return.

Of course, David had the same idea. Since they were family, he should help them if he had the ability to do so.

On the contrary, David's Uncle Bobby and Uncle Leslie, as well as his uncle, were at odds now because of the compensation from David's parents. To this day, David had not given them any benefits.

The two families still remembered the envious eyes of those people when they went back. They were begging Sally and Diana's family to help them find a way for them to also come to develop in River City.

However, Sally and Diana both refused.

They wanted them to work in David's company, but if David did not say anything about it, Sally and Diana had no right to say anything.

They knew David's temper.

When someone showed him a little bit of kindness, he would return it with everything he had.

However, these families owed David no favors at all.

Furthermore, the feud between Bobby and David was pretty bad, so of course, they would not agree.

When they were working in the hotel earlier that day, they heard from the hotel staff that the chairman was back and he had asked the hotel to prepare lunch.

Thus, Sally and Diana gathered their family members to come together to deliver the food to David.

After this, the group of eight entered the living room.

David greeted everyone one by one.

After that, he called to Celia, who was acting somewhat reserved by the window, "Celia, come here. Let me introduce to you my Aunt Sally and Aunt Diana."

At this time, the two families noticed that there was actually another person in the living room.

Celia nervously came over and stood beside David.

Sally and Diana looked at Celia's face with surprise.

This girl was so pretty.

They had worked in the Golden Leaf Hotel for so long and most of the people coming and going were elites, but they had never seen such a beautiful girl before.

'Atta boy, Dave. You found such a pretty girlfriend.'

David introduced them to each other.

Celia also greeted these people one by one.

"Celia, you are so beautiful," Lily said happily after putting the things in her hands on the table and grabbing Celia's hand.

"Lily, you're so beautiful too."

"Dave, why didn't you tell us that you brought your girlfriend along? I didn't prepare anything," Sally said.

According to their tradition, the elders of the family would need to give David's girlfriend a present when he brought her back.

"We didn't prepare anything either," Diana said.

"Aunt Sally, Aunt Diana, how was I to know that you'd suddenly show up? I was going to bring Celia to visit you guys in the afternoon," David smiled wryly.

"Well then, we'll find a time to have a gathering in the future. You haven't eaten, right? Come eat first."

After Sally said that, she put the lunch she was holding onto the table. The rest of them followed suit and also placed the food they were holding down.