

Charismatic Lucas Gray Chapter 452-460– Who Are You Here For?

“Ah!”

“What’s going on?”

“Who are these people? Ah!!!”

“Quick, hide! It’s too scary!”

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The guests in the ballroom were so frightened that they shrieked in horror and began hiding and retreating.

As the hosts of the wedding, the Turners were shocked out of their wits by the sudden change, so much so that they began trembling.

Soon, ten-odd men clad in black and holding iron rods stood neatly in two uniform rows at the entrance after smashing all the glass windows. Another two men in black carrying a roll of thick, superior-grade carpet laid the carpet across the ground, which was now covered in glass pieces, in between the two rows of people.

One end of the carpet extended to the door of a Rolls Royce parked outside the hotel, and the other end was placed inside the hotel.

All the guests looked at the black Rolls Royce at the entrance, feeling terrified and aghast. Anyone in the right mind would be able to tell that the person in the car was definitely a big shot.

The door of the Rolls Royce opened, and a white-haired old man with a domineering aura stepped out of it.

Stepping on the thick cashmere carpet, he slowly made his way into the hotel ballroom. He looked around domineeringly, exuding a mighty aura. There were more than ten stern-faced men in black behind him, and they appeared so aloof and austere that many of the guests in the ballroom instantly broke out in cold sweat.

“It’s the helmsman of the Parker family, Damon Parker!”

After getting a clear glimpse of the old man’s face, many people shrieked in fright uncontrollably.

The people of LA were no strangers to the helmsman of the Parkers, one of the two giants of the city.

But they never expected to see Damon here at Dylan Turner’s wedding. Moreover... he was making an appearance in such a peculiar manner!

Many people’s hearts pound wildly. As soon as Damon arrived, he made his subordinates smash the glass windows of the hotel. He didn’t seem to be here to attend the wedding, but rather, he seemed to have hostile intentions.

The Turners had all turned deathly pale. Apart from Gretchen, who had once seen Damon from afar when she tagged along with Justin, it was the Turners’ first time to see Damon in the flesh.

They should have felt honored and overjoyed at first, but they were truly frightened by the men’s act of smashing the glass windows. They remained still on the spot, not daring to move at all.

After recovering from the initial shock, Justin immediately greeted him and said with a smile on his face, “Mr. Parker, welcome! Please come in...”

“Get lost!” Before Justin could finish his polite greeting, a man in black standing beside Damon raised his hand and slapped Justin hard on his face!

These men in black were not ordinary people but expert bodyguards that Damon hired, each of whom was extremely strong. The slap made Justin stumble backward immediately and almost fall onto the ground. Immediately afterward, half of his face turned numb and began swelling.

This time, even the most daft ones would know that Damon had come with hostile intentions, though they didn’t know who his target was.

All of a sudden, everyone in the ballroom felt that they were in danger.

As the hosts of the wedding, the Turners were horrified. Their legs went limp, and they almost fell onto the ground.

The Turners were just an ordinary family.

But the person in front of them was the helmsman of one of the top two families of LA.

It could be said that if the helmsman of the Parkers was out to make trouble for the Turners, he could easily exterminate them in public, and no one would dare to defend the Turners!

Thus, the Turners were utterly terrified!

But even after racking their brains, they couldn’t figure out how and when they had ever offended a top family like the Parkers!

The others were no better, and they were all dead silent, not daring to make a single sound. They tried their best to huddle up in a corner to make their presence as inconspicuous as possible.

After receiving the slap, Justin didn't dare to speak again and merely stood in the corner, his face as pale as a sheet.

Damon walked to the middle of the ballroom, sat down on a chair domineeringly, and said slowly, "Lucas Gray is here, right? Get him to come out immediately!"

Only then did everyone figure out that Damon had brought his subordinates with him with such pageantry for the sake of targeting Lucas.

The Turners immediately heaved a sigh of relief. Within those few short seconds just now, they felt their backs drenched in cold sweat.

But a wave of anger soon surged in their hearts.

If not for this bastard Lucas provoking Damon, the latter wouldn't have shown up with his subordinates to scare them and ruin the wedding that they had so painstakingly planned!

Alex was furious because the wedding of his only son was now ruined due to Lucas. He was full of resentment toward Lucas!

His hatred overrode his fear, and Alex immediately stood out to point at Lucas, who was sitting in a corner. He shouted, "Lucas Gray, you good-for-nothing, get your ass out here. How dare you offend the esteemed helmsman of the Parker family? You must be tired of living! Hurry up and kneel down to Mr. Parker to apologize to him!"

All of a sudden, everyone turned to look in the direction Alex was pointing in, only to see Lucas.

Damon looked over with a sharp gaze in his turbid eyes and a bloodthirsty smile on his face.

“Hubby, what should we do?” Cheyenne tugged on Lucas’s coat nervously.

Damon had brought so many subordinates with him, and he was clearly here to deal with Lucas. She was extremely worried.

Although she knew that Lucas was proficient in martial arts, she thought that no matter how good he was, there was no way he would be able to beat more than ten bodyguards armed with iron rods, especially since he was weaponless and outnumbered!

Lucas patted the back of Cheyenne’s hand and said comfortingly, “It’s okay. I told you yesterday. I don’t take the Parkers seriously at all. If the Parkers want to continue standing against me, the only fate they will suffer is to follow in the footsteps of the Brookes and be destroyed overnight!”

Since no one dared to speak, the ballroom was extremely quiet, and everyone heard what Lucas said.

In an instant, a look of disbelief appeared on everyone’s face.

Who exactly is this Lucas Gray? How dare he disrespect and undermine the Parkers? wondered the guests who didn’t know who Lucas was.

Damn it! I heard Lucas Gray is just a live-in husband. How dare he speak about the Parkers so arrogantly? He even had the audacity to say that he would destroy the

Parkers. Is he out of his mind, or does he have a death wish? thought everyone who knew Lucas's identity.

Crap! Damn it! How dare that good-for-nothing say that! If he wants to die, he can go do so himself! Don't drag us down with him! This bastard is outrageous! We must kill this fool!!! thought almost all the Turners.

Damon's face turned gloomy. This young man has repeatedly disregarded the Parkers. Seems that I must let him understand where he stands!

Lucas met Damon's murderous gaze fearlessly and suddenly said with a smile, "Mr. Parker, you just apologized to me yesterday and made your grandson kneel in front of me to beg for my forgiveness. Yet you've now barged into this place with so many people. What exactly do you mean by this?"

As soon as Lucas said this, a look of astonishment appeared on everyone's faces.

Charismatic Lucas Gray Chapter 453 – Confrontation Between Big Bosses

Everyone looked at Lucas in disbelief and then at the gloomy Damon.

They couldn't believe what Lucas said at all. How could the helmsman of the Parker family have apologized to him while the scion knelt down in front of him and begged for forgiveness?

He must be out of his mind, right?

How is that possible?

But when they saw Damon's furious expression, some of them couldn't help but begin to suspect something.

Could what that fellow named Lucas Gray said actually be true?

Damon was incomparably annoyed when he failed to gain the upper hand. Instead, to his anger, he was mocked by Lucas.

If it wasn't because he had already sent people to investigate Lucas's background, Damon might have really been fooled again by his composure and sharp tongue into thinking that he was really the scion of a prestigious family.

“Hmph, don't think you're that eloquent! Let me ask you. Do you have anything to do with the death of my grandson Tristan?” Damon stared straight into Lucas's eyes.

The people around him were instantly even more shocked.

Many of them knew about Tristan's fatal accident last night and had lamented about it for a while.

It turned out that the reason Damon Parker brought so many people here to confront and question Lucas Gray is because he's related to Tristan's death.

If this is true, Lucas Gray is too daring!

The Parkers will definitely kill him!

At this moment, Flynn stood up and asked in a cold voice, "Mr. Parker, do you have any evidence to back your suspicion?"

Damon narrowed his eyes and looked at Flynn.

Damon had been staring at Lucas and focusing all his attention on him just now, and only now did he notice that Flynn, the general manager of the Solar Corporation, was actually present and right next to Lucas.

Regardless of whether or not he was friends with Lucas, Flynn indeed interfered in the affairs of the Parkers by speaking up now.

Damon said coldly with a warning gaze, "This is a matter between the Parkers and Lucas Gray. It's better for outsiders not to intervene."

Flynn insisted, "Sorry, Mr. Gray's business is my business. If you intend to make things difficult for Mr. Gray, I will definitely not stand by and watch."

Damon threatened, "Mr. Davis, you are the general manager of the Solar Corporation, and the Parkers have always stayed in our own lane. The Parkers have been avoiding you out of courtesy, not fear. Besides, you are only the general manager of the Solar Corporation, not the owner. If your boss finds out that you've

offended the Parkers and stood against us for an outsider, you'll probably lose your position as the general manager, huh? I advise you to think clearly before you speak!"

Flynn sneered. "In that case, I might as well make it clear to you, Mr. Parker. Anyone who wants to harm Mr. Gray is my enemy! Although I am only the general manager of the Solar Corporation, my boss doesn't take you people seriously!"

"In short, as long as you dare to harm Mr. Gray, I will remove the Parkers from LA immediately! If you don't believe me, you can try!"

Damon flew into a rage, and he was so furious that his beard curled up.

He didn't expect Flynn would actually defend Lucas so vehemently, so much so that he didn't mind becoming enemies with the Parkers!

If someone else had said those words in front of him, he would think that they were boasting.

But Flynn, as the general manager of the Solar Corporation, did have the right to say so!

The hostile tension between the two immediately shocked the people around them.

One was the helmsman of one of the two top families in LA and had an extremely high status in the hearts of the people of this city for many years.

The other one was a new hotshot who had risen to power in LA in the last two months and was currently in control of the largest enterprise in the city. Both of them were not to be offended.

But these two prestigious and powerful men were having a hostile confrontation in front of so many guests.

In particular, the core of their conflict was Lucas, whom they were all treating with disdain.

The puzzling thing was that Flynn was firm in his decision to stand on Lucas's side and even said that Lucas's business was his business. He even said anyone who stood against Lucas would be his enemy.

It was simply too bizarre!

Everyone wondered just how Flynn was related to Lucas.

The Turners didn't dare to believe it at all.

According to what Karen had said earlier, Flynn had only spoken to Lucas because of Charlotte, so their relationship shouldn't be as close as it now seemed.

Normally, the Turners would definitely be overjoyed to hear such words from Flynn and even wished for him and Lucas to become closer. But Flynn and Lucas were now going against Damon, the helmsman of the Parkers, making them feel really complicated.

If the Parkers held a grudge against the Turners, what should they do?

Besides, it was Dylan's wedding today, but now, the atmosphere had been ruined.

Damon was enraged by Flynn's insistent defense. "Flynn Davis, you're not qualified to remove Parkers from LA! I must take Lucas Gray away today. Let's see what you can do to the Parkers!"

Damon stopped issuing threats and said to the bodyguards behind him, “Grab that kid. If he resists, break his legs!”

Four tall, black-clothed bodyguards immediately walked toward Lucas.

“Mr. Parker, I’ve already warned you. Don’t regret it later!” Flynn’s face turned sullen as he directly grabbed his phone without saying another word and issued an order.

The short text consisted of only two words: [Take action!]

Everyone couldn’t help looking at Lucas as the bodyguards approached, only to see that Lucas was still sitting leisurely in his seat as if he didn’t see the aggressive bodyguards coming toward him.

Some people began to worry, while some gloated.

It seemed that Lucas was in trouble!

Nikki’s eyes were full of excitement and hatred. The thought that Lucas would soon be killed by the Parkers and Cheyenne would soon become a widow made her so excited that she could hardly contain herself!

Flynn naturally wouldn’t leave Lucas alone. He raised his hand and waved it. Several bodyguards immediately darted out from behind him to protect Lucas and confront Damon.

Damon narrowed his eyes. He had brought more people with him, and there were nearly twenty of them, so he didn’t have to be afraid of the people Flynn had brought. He was about to fall out with Flynn and instruct his men to take down Flynn’s bodyguards before taking Lucas away. But his phone suddenly rang at this moment.

Damon frowned but answered when he saw the caller ID.

But a few seconds later, his expression changed dramatically as he stood up abruptly and shouted, “How is that possible? Repeat yourself!”

Charismatic Lucas Gray Chapter 454 – Just An Appetizer

The person on the other end of the phone spoke again with fear and anxiousness. Damon rebuked with a gloomy expression, “There must be a mistake! The Parkers’ business empire is so large. How could the bank suddenly freeze our funds? Go find out the reason. I want to know the results within ten minutes!”

Damon directly hung up, and countless eavesdropping people immediately turned around, pretending to be confused and dumbfounded.

But deep down, they were terrified.

The Parkers were one of the largest families in LA, and they had billions in assets. Why did the bank suddenly freeze their funds?

They all thought that there had to be something strange about the matter. Not only was Damon furious and puzzled, but they were extremely curious too.

Right after Damon hung up, he received another call before he could even put his phone back inside his pocket.

He picked it up with exasperation written all over his face. But soon, his face turned several times more sullen.

“What did you say? Buzzlight Corp., Joy Co., and the Trident Group are going to terminate their contracts with us?! All at the same time? What is the reason? Did they state the reason clearly? What a bunch of good-for-nothings. Although they’re refusing to speak, can’t you go check it out yourself? Go find out immediately!”

After ending the call, Damon looked even more enraged and hostile as he slammed his phone against the table.

Petrified, no one dared to say a single word, but they couldn't hide the shock on their faces at all.

Although those companies were not owned by any top families, they were definitely powerful. Besides, they seemed to have cooperated with the Parkers for numerous years.

But they actually asked to terminate their cooperation with the Parkers at the same time. There had to be something fishy about it!

Sitting in the corner, Lucas seemed to realize something after hearing the names of the companies.

More than half a month ago, when Flynn had just integrated the numerous companies and assets left behind by the Brookes, he had asked Lucas for funds to acquire some of the local businesses and enterprises in LA.

On the surface, Flynn was only the general manager of the Solar Corporation. But in fact, he had bought several companies in private, though they weren't under the name of the Solar Corporation. So the relationship between these companies and Lucas and Flynn couldn't be investigated easily.

Buzzlight Corporation, Joy Co., and the Trident Group were a few of the companies they had acquired.

Even Lucas had to admit that these secret arrangements would definitely lead to unexpected results if used well.

He also had to admit that Flynn was indeed a good manager and skilled at strategizing and planning. He was indeed capable of taking on a tremendous responsibility.

Lucas smiled in satisfaction.

On the other side, Damon's wrinkled face was incredibly dark.

He pondered for a moment before raising his head to stare at Flynn. "Were you the one who did it?"

Flynn had just threatened him and warned him not to lay a finger on Lucas, or he would immediately destroy the Parkers. He then sent his bodyguards to deal with Lucas, but right afterward, he received two pieces of bad news.

Damon wasn't a fool. He could guess right away that this must have something to do with Flynn!

Flynn didn't hide anything and simply nodded to admit to it. "Yes. I just said that if you must stand against Mr. Gray and make him your enemy, I won't mind getting the Parkers removed from LA."

With flames in his eyes, Damon roared furiously, "Okay, you really have the guts to make us your enemy! But do you think you can destroy the Parkers with something of this level? You're really naive!"

Flynn chuckled. "Of this level? Of course not. What just happened are merely appetizers! Since you think they're too trivial, let's add a few more main dishes!"

Then he immediately picked up his phone and called someone. "Take it up a notch!"

Damon's eyelids immediately twitched a few times.

Does Flynn Davis really have more powerful plans?

No, I don't believe it!

“Hmph, you're just boasting. Let's see what tricks you can come up with!” Damon said sternly.

But he had a vague feeling of uneasiness in his heart. He waved his hand, and his personal secretary behind him immediately walked forward and bent down.

Damon whispered a few instructions in his ear. The middle-aged secretary nodded solemnly before turning around to leave the ballroom.

Flynn didn't stop him and merely looked at everything coldly. He then turned around and said to Lucas with a smile, “Mr. Gray, just stay here and watch the show with peace of mind! As long as I'm around, no one can do anything to you.”

Lucas glanced at Damon's gloomy expression and smiled. “Thank you very much then!”

Cheyenne was sitting beside Lucas, and when she saw how calm both Lucas and Flynn were, she gradually felt relieved.

Now, it seemed that the Parkers really couldn't do anything to Lucas.

Seeing the two of them completely disregarding him and chatting merrily, Damon became even more enraged.

A glint of hostility flashed in his eyes, and he looked at his bodyguards to hint them to take Lucas away immediately.

Even if Flynn had any powerful tricks up his sleeve, he wouldn't dare to do anything to the Parkers as long as Lucas's life was in his hands.

Unfortunately, things didn't develop in the direction Damon hoped, and his plan didn't work out.

Flynn's bodyguards were no less skilled than the ones he brought. So even if both parties got into a brawl, neither side would stand to gain any advantage.

At this moment, Damon's phone rang again.

The phone rang incessantly, and Damon hesitated for a while before answering.

Although he had already mentally prepared himself, the news he heard made his face turn pale again.

This time, he didn't say anything, so there was no way for others to tell what the caller actually said. But everyone could guess from Damon's expression that it definitely wasn't good news.

In fact, it was probably even more serious than the freezing of the Parkers' assets and the sudden contract terminations initiated by several major companies.

What exactly happened? Many of them were desperate to find out.

Flynn smiled faintly and glibed, "Mr. Parker, I wonder if you're satisfied with the sumptuous course you've just been served? If it's not enough for you, I have several more prepared. Let's see how long you can last."

Damon's face was exceptionally dismal. In the past decade or so, no one had ever been able to force the Parkers to such an extent!

"Flynn Davis, don't think I'm afraid of you! I know you want to protect this punk Lucas Gray. But let me tell you. This punk has offended not just me but also the Bensons from San Francisco!"

Damon threatened, “He not only bullied my grandson last night but also bullied the precious son of the helmsman of the Bensons! This punk is dead meat today!”

Flynn said coldly with a straight face, “So what if it’s the Bensons? I told you long ago that no one can touch Mr. Gray, not even Matthew Benson!”

“Hah, how haughty! I’ll see who dares to be so arrogant in front of me, Matthew Benson!” At this moment, a voice full of anger sounded from the entrance of the ballroom.

Charismatic Lucas Gray Chapter 455 – Each Expressing Their Own Stand

With this voice, a middle-aged man in his fifties strode in with an imposing gait.

A few domineering bodyguards were following behind him.

Based on what he said just now, even those who had never met the middle-aged man were now clear about his identity.

“Matthew Benson? The helmsman of the Benson family?!”

“My god! Mr. Benson is really here! I once saw him from afar, and he’s indeed Matthew Benson!”

“Now, it seems that the helmsman of the Bensons is on the Parkers’ side. In that case, the Solar Corporation, Mr. Davis, and that punk Lucas Gray are going to be in trouble!”

“That’s for sure. The Bensons are a big family from San Francisco. Even if Flynn Davis is in charge of the Solar Corporation, it won’t be enough for him to rival the Bensons! As long as the Bensons are willing, the Solar Corporation might even have a change of ownership!”

“Tsk, tsk, that punk Lucas Gray deserves it. He only has himself to blame for messing with giants like the Parkers and the Bensons!”

“I’m afraid that Mr. Davis will be unlucky too! It’s all his fault for running his mouth and saying such absurd things just now, only to be overheard by Mr. Benson.”

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After a brief moment of shock, the crowd started to discuss among themselves quietly, and out of fear for Matthew's powerful status and authority, no one dared to speak loudly.

The helmsman of the Bensons of San Francisco had a far superior status to that of the Parkers of LA. To them, a figure like him was completely legendary!

Before Damon and Flynn appeared, the person with the highest status in the ballroom was Justin, the scion of the Herons, who were just a second-tier family in LA.

Most of the other guests were relatives of the Turners, and they were ordinary small business owners. They had never seen such a formidable scene before.

Justin stood beside the Turners, all riled up and excited. Could the big shot Dad told me about be Matthew Benson?

There was no doubt that among everyone present, Matthew had the highest status and could absolutely be considered a big shot!

He immediately wanted to go forward. But as soon as he moved his feet, he immediately remembered the slap Damon had given him and thus stopped in his tracks.

Bigwigs like them usually had eccentric tempers, so he reckoned that he should... wait and observe the situation before deciding what to do next!

Upon seeing Matthew's sudden appearance, Flynn had a trace of surprise on his face. But he didn't seem nervous at all.

If he was alone, he would probably have scruples about the imposing power of the Bensons.

But Lucas was now sitting right next to him.

Flynn was naturally well aware of how powerful Lucas was.

Even the scions of the top families like the Coles and the Kingstons meant nothing to him, let alone the Bensons.

Even the eight top families of DC had never been taken seriously by Lucas.

Although Lucas might not be powerful enough to destroy one of them yet, dealing with the Bensons would be a piece of cake for him.

Of course, this was Lucas's individual power, and Flynn's trump cards were probably insufficient for him to deal with the Bensons.

So Flynn remained seated while various ideas ran through his mind.

Damon immediately walked over and welcomed Matthew to the seat he was just at. "Mr. Benson, if Flynn Davis hadn't suddenly appeared and jeopardized our plans, I would have already nabbed that punk Lucas Gray and brought him back for you to vent your anger on him!"

Matthew glanced at Flynn, only to discover that he wasn't looking at him at all. He wondered if Flynn was scared or too ignorant to realize how powerful he was.

As for Lucas...

He shifted his gaze to look at Lucas, but he found that Lucas was still smiling without showing any panic or fear.

As soon as he saw the expression on Lucas's face, anger surged in his heart.

Last night in the Lion Restaurant, Lucas had also managed to fool him with this composed expression and an inexplicably superior aura!

According to the information the Parkers had obtained from their investigation, Lucas was just a live-in son-in-law from a small family and didn't have any other powerful background. The thought of getting fooled by this young man, who had even broken his precious son's arm in front of him, made the anger within him explode like a volcano.

Damon sat down on a chair beside Matthew, sneered, and looked at Flynn with a provocative gaze. "Mr. Davis, weren't you very imposing earlier? You said that you want to get the Parkers removed from LA and even issued lots of threats to me and caused my family to be in chaos. Why are you sitting there quietly now?"

"Oh, right, you even said that if the helmsman of the Bensons was here, he wouldn't be able to lay a finger on Lucas Gray. Now that the helmsman of the Bensons is right in front of you, you can try! You're just the general manager of the Solar Corporation. You're taking yourself too seriously!"

Now that he had a backer, Damon was much more confident, and he kept mocking Flynn.

Flynn's actions just now had truly angered him.

Of course, under the disturbances, the Parkers were inevitably affected.

But as long as the Bensons were on his side, these problems could be resolved easily!

Moreover, if the Parkers could get the support of the Bensons, they might surpass the Owens in the future!

The Parkers would become the absolute overlord of LA and be able to control the economy of the city and hold the power to decide the life and death of many families!

In order to achieve this goal, he had to try his best to get close to Matthew and pull him over to his side!

At this moment, Justin saw the situation in front of him and realized that the two bigwigs detested Lucas greatly. So he immediately stood out and pointed at Lucas righteously before cursing, “Lucas Gray, trust you to have the cheek to remain sitting! Didn’t you hear what Mr. Parker and Mr. Benson said? You’ve done something wrong and offended them, so you’d better get your ass over here and apologize to them! Do you hear me?!”

Justin was hollering at Lucas and acting like he was teaching his grandchild a lesson.

After seeing Justin’s words and actions, Alex, who was beside him, immediately reacted and roared at Lucas, “It’s all your fault, you punk! If I had known, I would have driven you out immediately! We already threw you out yesterday, and yet you still have the cheek to come here today. You’re really thick-skinned! What are you waiting for? Hurry up and get over here to kowtow to Mr. Parker and Mr. Benson in apology!”

Although he was following behind Justin, he also expressed his stand in front of the two big shots and drew a clear line between him and Lucas, lest they vented their anger on the Turners instead.

Thus, he scolded Lucas in an extremely callous manner.

Cheyenne’s eyes immediately reddened.

Charismatic Lucas Gray Chapter 456 – Murderer

If not for the fact that the Turners were considered his relatives, Lucas wouldn't have bothered to lower himself and attend this wedding, where he was subjected to the gossipy and snide comments of the people here. But Alex made Lucas out to be such a terrible and shameless man, as if Lucas had insisted on attending Dylan's wedding!

This wasn't the case at all!

Cheyenne stood up and was about to say something when Eddie, next to Alex, interjected, "Alex is right. If we had known this would happen, we would have just kicked you out and prevented you from embarrassing the Turners here! Karen, look at this good-for-nothing son-in-law you picked. Apart from constantly causing trouble for us, what else can he do? A loser like him should have been kicked out of your family a long time ago!"

Eddie had resentment written all over his face.

He had learned from Robert and Sam yesterday afternoon that the box of tea leaves Lucas had given to him wasn't any inferior tea but a top-grade tea that could be auctioned for millions. He was incredibly chagrined, so he had silently made up his mind that he had to try to ease the tension and strain in his relationship with Lucas today. He at least also had to find out how much money Lucas had and whether or not Lucas would give him another gift worth a few million dollars.

So when he saw Gretchen in a conflict with Lucas and Charlotte at the entrance of the hotel earlier, he had merely rebuked Gretchen without reprimanding Charlotte for being disrespectful to her elders. He had also saved Lucas from a scolding then.

But he never expected that Lucas would be such a troublemaker and end up causing two big wigs to show up here today to settle scores with him, completely ruining his precious grandson's wedding.

He absolutely hated Lucas to the core and detested him much more than before!

Besides, by doing so, Eddie was trying his best to paint a good image of the Turners in front of the helmsmen of the Parkers and the Bensons.

As long as these two big shots were willing to give the Turners a hand, it would be a godsend opportunity to them. They would be able to break away from the identity of a farmer family and rise to become the subject of envy!

Eddie didn't expect much. He would be satisfied as long as the Turners could become a top-tier family in LA. A second-tier one would be fine with him too.

Eddie immersed himself in his fantasies gleefully.

Karen had always been afraid of getting berated by Eddie. So as soon as she heard his rebuke, she immediately felt that it was all Lucas's fault. She immediately rushed toward him and raised her hand to slap his face.

"You damn good-for-nothing! I've wanted you to divorce my daughter for a long time, but you've been shamelessly staying in our place and refusing to leave. Great, now you've created trouble for me. Why didn't you die out there before? Hurry up and get lost. Get on your knees to apologize to Mr. Parker and Mr. Benson!"

Smack!

Of course, Karen's slap didn't land on Lucas's face, as one of Flynn's bodyguards stopped her.

Karen was about to lose her temper. But when she saw the tall and burly bodyguard and felt the excruciating pain coming from her wrist being squeezed, she didn't dare to say a single word.

Bullying the weak and fearing the strong had always been Karen's style.

Thus, although the Turners didn't dare to make a direct move against Lucas, they all hurled insults at him.

All of them were blaming Lucas for causing trouble for the Turners by offending big shots that they absolutely couldn't afford to offend. One by one, they all wanted to bring Lucas to Matthew and Damon with their own hands and make him get on his knees to apologize.

Cheyenne looked at her relatives and turned pale as she heard their callous and hurtful remarks.

Deep down, she was extremely disappointed with these so-called relatives.

Charlotte's delicate face was tensed up sullenly with anger written all over it as she clenched her fists.

She gritted her teeth with all her might while bearing in mind the faces of these people in front of her humiliating Lucas. What bullshit relatives? They're all a bunch of garbage!

At this moment, Nikki, who had been cowering in the crowd and hadn't spoken for a long time, suddenly squeezed through the crowd to step forward and say something to Damon loudly.

Her words immediately made all the people in the ballroom look at her with great astonishment.

She said, “Mr. Parker, I know who killed your grandson!”

Damon’s gaze immediately darted over like the blade as he stared at Nikki. “What did you say?”

Justin’s heart skipped, and he hurriedly chided, “Nikki, you shut up!”

He never expected that his daughter, who had always been well-behaved, understanding, and presentable, would suddenly speak up at this juncture about the very issue that the helmsman of the Parkers was most concerned about.

Nikki wasn’t even at Caldo Mountain when Tristan and his scion friends had gathered for a race last night, so how could she know who the real murderer was?

Moreover, as far as he knew, even the Parkers hadn’t been able to find any evidence at the scene of the car crash, so how could Nikki know? The only possibility was that she was just making a wild guess!

It would be fine if she made the right guess. But if she was wrong, Damon, whose grandson was the victim, definitely wouldn’t spare her.

She might even get the Herons involved too!

Nikki is so reckless, and she’s acting presumptuously without discussing this with me beforehand. She really needs to be disciplined properly!

Damon narrowed his eyes.

He remembered meeting Nikki at the Lion Restaurant last night and knew that she had a deep hatred for Lucas. According to Kenneth’s account last night, she had sowed discord and tried to create trouble several times last night, which caused him

to suffer in Lucas's hands. She had even caused Tyron to offend Lucas, who ended up breaking his arm.

Thus, Matthew flew into a rage and wanted to let his bodyguards toy with her.

In the end, she only managed to escape from the fate of getting violated and married by his bodyguards all because of Lucas.

Yet Damon saw extreme resentment for Lucas in her eyes, and she seemed to hate Lucas even more now than she did last night, which Damon found interesting.

This woman is indeed a vicious and shameless b*tch!

But it doesn't matter. As long as she resents Lucas, she can be considered to be on my side, so I might as well use her to my benefit.

"If you're intending to tell me that my grandson's death is related to Lucas Gray, you can save it," Damon deliberately said coldly.

In fact, even though they hadn't found any solid evidence to prove that Lucas had murdered Tristan, they were certain that he was the culprit and needed that conjecture to pin the crime on Lucas.

Otherwise, it would be too embarrassing if the esteemed Parker family couldn't even find out who the murderer of their descendant was.

No one actually cared if Lucas was really the murderer or not.

Even if he was wrongly accused, they could just kill the real murderer when they found him. That would be enough to avenge Tristan!

So Damon was a little curious as to what Nikki had to say now.

Nikki pointed at Lucas and said loudly in a righteous manner, “The person who killed Tristan is none other than Lucas Gray! I witnessed it with my own eyes!”

Charismatic Lucas Gray Chapter 457 – Getting Credit

Everyone was extremely shocked by Nikki's accusation.

Although they had somewhat guessed that Tristan's death might be related to Lucas as early as when Damon brought his people over to confront him, the impact was still different now that someone had directly testified against him.

Everyone looked at Lucas, who was sitting in the corner.

How dare Lucas kill a direct descendant of the Parkers? He's really brazen!

Everyone's eyes were full of wariness and disgust, as if Lucas was a maniacal murderer.

Anger was written all over Cheyenne's face as she yelled at Nikki furiously, "Nikki Heron! Don't spout nonsense and make false accusations!"

She looked at Nikki, her cousin, and was utterly disappointed in her.

Last night, Nikki had targeted her several times and even tried to harm her. But when Matthew threw Nikki to those two bodyguards, Cheyenne had begged Lucas to help Nikki. Despite the grudges between them, the two of them had decided to save Nikki at the risk of offending Matthew again.

Yet Nikki not only didn't thank them, but she even came forward to accuse Lucas of murder. It was simply an ungrateful act of harming her savior!

Besides, Cheyenne believed that Lucas definitely hadn't killed Tristan, and she knew that Nikki must have lied about having witnessed Lucas committing murder!

Lucas glanced at Nikki indifferently.

As soon as Nikki met Lucas's indifferent gaze, she immediately lowered her head, not daring to look him in the eye again. Although she hated Lucas, she was also afraid of him for some reason, especially after seeing Lucas break Tyron's arm expressionlessly last night.

Damon also noticed that Nikki was slightly fearful of Lucas, but this was just what he wanted.

He just needed someone to stand up against Lucas and identify him as the murderer. He didn't really care if Nikki was telling the truth or not.

"Girl, what is your name?" Damon suddenly asked Nikki kindly.

Nikki was flattered, and a hint of joy appeared on her face as she hurriedly said, "Mr. Parker, my name is Nikki Heron! My grandfather is Robert Heron, the chairman of the Heron Corp. Do you have an impression of him?"

She cleverly only mentioned her grandfather without saying a word about her father, who was standing right here, because Justin had accidentally incurred the wrath of the furious Damon when he came in, which cost him a hard slap on his face. Now, his face was still red and swollen, and it really wasn't appropriate to bring him up now.

Damon, of course, couldn't remember the name of an old man of a second-tier family, but Heron Corp. was considered a good enterprise in LA, so he vaguely remembered having heard of it.

He smiled. "Okay, you don't have to worry. You have given me important information, and I will not mistreat you. From today onward, Heron Corp. will be a

business partner of the Parkers. After today's matter is over, I will arrange for someone to go to the Herons to discuss the cooperation matters."

Nikki was immediately over the moon and thanked him repeatedly. "Thank you, Mr. Parker! The Herons won't let you down!"

She had just boldly come forward to accuse Lucas in order to do the Parkers a favor and suck up to them in hopes that they could help the Herons.

Now, she had achieved her purpose!

She had been hanging out with the scions of major notable families of LA for a while now just to find an opportunity to hook up with one of them.

For example, she had tried to get closer to Kenneth and had even gone out of her way to give her cousin Cheyenne to him as a bargaining chip just to gain his support for the Herons.

But now that Damon had given her his promise, her plan would proceed more smoothly!

Justin stood at the side, and after hearing Damon's assurance, euphoria appeared on his face.

To be able to cooperate with the esteemed Parkers was simply a great blessing for the Herons!

Soon, the Herons would be able to rise with their help and become a first-tier family in LA!

Justin was so exhilarated that he couldn't wait to praise his precious daughter!

Before today, he still somewhat disliked his only daughter, Nikki, because she wasn't a boy and thus couldn't inherit the family business. Moreover, she wasn't pretty enough to be married to a big family, nor could she bring him more benefits.

But his daughter had now managed to get Damon to offer them a chance to cooperate just with a single sentence. He felt that she was really capable!

The others were looking at Nikki with envy. With just one sentence of hers, she was given such a great benefit by Damon, who didn't ask any further details nor verify the authenticity of her words.

If they had known, they would have rushed to step forward to accuse Lucas of being the murderer before Nikki did!

Ugh, what a failure!

Sitting next to Damon, Matthew acted like he was watching a show.

Of course, he had long been able to tell that Nikki wasn't simple-minded, and he knew that she was probably just doing this on purpose to please the Parkers.

But he wouldn't expose anything. After all, identifying Lucas as the murderer was not in conflict with his desire to kill Lucas and avenge his son, Tyron.

"Hah, Flynn Davis, now that the evidence is conclusive, what are you waiting for? Hurry up and get out of the way and hand over Lucas Gray to me," Damon said aggressively.

When Flynn saw that the two big shots had calmly reached a unanimous goal and that there were a few more people who wanted Lucas dead, his face was extremely sullen.

Since he had just said that he would protect Lucas and prevent anyone from harming him, he naturally wouldn't sit around and wait.

He pulled out his phone and made a call. "I want all of the Parkers' businesses to go bust in half an hour!"

Damon flew into a rage and roared, "Flynn Davis! Didn't you hear what I just said? Now that things have come to this point, and it's an established fact that Lucas Gray killed my grandson Tristan, are you still going to go against the Parkers and the Bensons?"

Flynn didn't waver at all. "I just said that as long as I am here, no one is allowed to harm Mr. Gray!"

He turned his head and glanced at Nikki with contempt. He then continued, "What facts? Is this woman's one-sided claim considered evidence? Mr. Parker, you have lived for so many years, so you should have a clear idea of the difference between testimony and slander, right?"

"Everyone can tell that you are displeased with Mr. Gray, so you made an issue of a baseless remark and tried to make Mr. Gray a murderer! If I said that I saw your grandson getting killed by a Benson, would you also confront the Bensons and hold them accountable?!"

"You!" Damon was so enraged that his face was beet red and his beard shook.

Flynn was almost insinuating that he was bullying the weak and deliberately framing Lucas.

Charismatic Lucas Gray Chapter 458 – Replaced With An Annoying Face

Lucas remained silent and relaxed in his chair, as if he was an outsider that wasn't involved at all.

He wanted to see how far Flynn could go.

Flynn also understood that Lucas was letting him handle the situation as he wished. Besides, Lucas was sitting right behind him anyway. Even if he couldn't deal with it, Lucas would have his back, so there was nothing he had to worry about.

Matthew narrowed his eyes.

It was the first time in recent years that he came to LA, and it was the first time he met Flynn, the new hotshot who had just risen to power in LA. But Flynn's behavior took him by surprise.

Although he didn't know what kind of relationship there was between Flynn and Lucas, he wouldn't let Lucas off simply because he had broken the arm of his precious son!

"Flynn Davis, you'd better stop what you're doing. I'm afraid you won't be able to bear the consequences of offending the Parkers and the Bensons for the sake of a penniless punk without a powerful background! I doubt you'd be so foolish as to lose your life for an outsider, right?" Matthew's tone was extremely threatening.

It was clear what he meant: if Flynn insisted on taking Lucas's side, he would kill Flynn.

Given the power and methods that the Bensons had employed in the past, it would be a piece of cake for them to get someone killed.

Flynn thought about it for a second before looking up with a sneer. He gibed, “Mr. Benson, you seem to think that the Bensons are invincible, don’t you? Well, I’m sorry, but I don’t like to be threatened. Since you insist on getting involved, all of the Bensons’ businesses in LA will also cease to exist starting today!”

Then he took out his phone again and made another call. “Get rid of all of Matthew Benson’s businesses in LA!”

Flynn was directly falling out with the Bensons!

Everyone was dumbfounded and couldn’t believe their ears. It’s the Bensons of San Francisco! Is Flynn Davis out of his mind? Even if the Solar Corporation can be considered the largest enterprise in LA now, it’s only a mega company. The Bensons are definitely more powerful and richer than the Solar Corporation!

Furthermore, the Bensons had a wide network of connections with the giants of LA and the support of the Coles.

In their opinion, Flynn was undoubtedly overestimating his own strength and courting death by confronting people who were more powerful than him!

“Flynn Davis must really be out of his mind, right? Just now, he said that he wants to destroy all the businesses owned by the Parkers. And now, he’s saying that he wants to eradicate all the Bensons’ businesses in LA! Who does he think he is? He’s just the general manager of the Solar Corporation!”

“In my opinion, Flynn Davis is just being complacent because he’s been doing well in LA lately and turned the Solar Corporation into the biggest company in LA.”

“Yes! I think he’s too conceited to remember how treacherous society is! It’s the esteemed Parker and Benson families we’re talking about. How dare he say such things to the two helmsmen?”

“I heard that punk Lucas Gray is just the penniless live-in husband of Eddie Turner’s granddaughter and doesn’t have a powerful background. Flynn Davis is being too stupid by offending these two giants for the sake of someone like that!”

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Everyone started whispering among themselves and even criticized Flynn, undermining him and making him out to be a worthless person. They were certain that he had to be crazy.

Only Lucas remained sitting with a faint smile as he gave Flynn a look of approval.

Perhaps in the eyes of others, Flynn’s actions were indeed very irrational and possibly even crazy. But Lucas knew that Flynn wasn’t acting recklessly, but rather, it was because he knew that he had Lucas’s support.

Taking advantage of the situation, being resourceful, and employing powerful means to deal with an enemy whose strength was significantly superior was an excellent quality of an outstanding person.

In Lucas’s opinion, if Flynn was still helpless against the Parkers and Bensons even with his support, there was no way he would be able to survive in dangerous situations when he went to deal with the Huttons in DC in the future. He wouldn’t be able to complete the tasks Lucas assigned to him either.

Flynn’s counterattack and his immediate order to have the Bensons’ businesses in LA eradicated angered Matthew, who had always been praised and highly regarded in LA.

He didn’t expect that someone who was just the mere general manager, not the chairman, of a corporation in LA would be so defiant toward him. Not only was he not intimidated by his threats, but he even made a move against the Bensons.

Who gave him the audacity to do that? With a cold and bloodthirsty gaze in his eyes, Matthew said with a smile, “Oh, you’re very gutsy, aren’t you? I’ll see how you can make the Bensons vanish from LA!”

He had already developed the desire to kill Flynn.

He had already killed countless small fries with the audacity to confront him in the past, and one more wouldn’t matter!

The atmosphere in the ballroom was extremely somber.

The two big bosses were visibly displeased, so no one dared to incur their wrath at this moment.

Nikki, who had just impressed Damon, was also sensible enough to keep her mouth shut at this point.

But as the host of the wedding, the Turners were full of complicated emotions.

Eddie glared at Karen with a gloomy face and chided softly, “It’s all because of that son-in-law of yours! Dylan is my one and only precious grandson, and it’s his big day today. But now, you’ve ruined it all! Lucas has also offended those two bigwigs. If he implicates the Turners, I won’t care about the fact that you’re my daughter at all. I’ll surely sever ties with you and throw your family out!”

Alex rebuked resentfully, “If I had known this would happen, I wouldn’t have invited you! You’ve caused so much trouble and ruined our mood, as well as Dylan’s wedding! Karen, I’m telling you, if Dylan can’t get married today, and we end up upsetting Dylan’s wife and her family, I’ll make sure you compensate us with at least tens of thousands. Do you understand?”

Alex was extremely harsh and hostile, with no regard for the fact that Karen was his biological sister.

Karen opened her mouth, but she couldn't say a single word.

When Flynn came over to speak to Charlotte just twenty minutes ago, all the Turners and their relatives had been surrounding Karen and showering her with endless compliments. They had even urged her to put in a good word for them in front of Charlotte to get Flynn to help them, which had made Karen really smug.

But her happiness was short-lived. It had been less than twenty minutes since then, and everyone already began to turn their backs on her. They started pointing fingers at her, blaming her, and even threatened to sever ties with her.

She was really aggrieved too!

Karen naturally didn't dare to blame her parents, brother, and family. All she could do was glare at Lucas with resentment.

In short, this is all Lucas Gray's fault!

If not for him, I would still be enjoying the compliments of my relatives instead of standing here and suffering this infuriating mistreatment!

Suddenly, several cars pulled over at the entrance of the hotel, and a group of people in suits strode in quickly.

The crowd looked over in bewilderment. Who are these people walking in now?

Charismatic Lucas Gray Chapter 459 – Acquaintances Have Arrived

But before they could continue to speculate, the people that entered had already walked up to Damon and Matthew and began bowing to them one after another.

“Mr. Benson, Mr. Parker! I am Jude Morris of Culture M. I’m at your disposal!”

“I am Kurt Fowler, helmsman of the Fowler family in LA. I’m also at your disposal!”

“I’m Clyde Banks of Urban Apparel. I’m at your disposal!”

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The people standing in front of Damon and Matthew revealed their identities, and most importantly, they declared that they were at the disposal of Damon and Matthew.

There was a huge uproar in the ballroom.

These people in front of them were no small fries but bigwigs whose families were also considered top-tier in LA.

Although they weren’t as powerful as giants like the Parkers and Owens, they were far superior and more difficult to reach than ordinary people.

Now, they were all gathered here and had taken the initiative to show their allegiance to Damon and Matthew.

A trace of surprise appeared in Matthew’s eyes.

He had met many of these people in the private room of the Lion Restaurant yesterday.

But he was baffled as to why they suddenly gathered here to show their loyalty to him.

However, despite being surprised, Matthew didn't show it and instead felt rather satisfied.

With these people coming here to stand behind them, Flynn seemed even more insignificant.

At the side, Damon seemed very satisfied.

He had arranged for them to come here.

As soon as Flynn revealed his intentions to go against him, Damon had already tasked his secretary to find some people to come here and show their support for him. Now, he happened to have done Matthew a favor too.

With these people at his disposal, Damon was much more confident.

He raised his head and slowly said to Flynn, "You were really arrogant just now, weren't you? You said that you wanted to destroy the Parkers' businesses and make sure they disappear from LA. Try repeating yourself."

Before Flynn could reply, the group of people from the top families of LA began sneering and mocking him.

"I didn't hear that wrongly, did I? How dare Flynn Davis say something like that?! Do you think that we're all afraid of you just because we chose not to stoop low to your level?"

“You just don’t know any better! Do you think you can offend the Parkers and the Bensons?”

“You’re only in charge of the Solar Corporation. What else do you have? How dare you speak so shamelessly and claim that you want to deal with the Parkers and Bensons? It’s time you get a reality check and know where you stand!”

“Hah, you’re really bold, and you’ve got a huge appetite! As long as we’re around, I’m afraid the Solar Corporation will be the first to be destroyed! Forget about dealing with the Parkers and Bensons!”

All of them mocked Flynn.

Although they had wanted to build a good relationship with Flynn, and many of them had even somewhat regarded Flynn as someone who could be on equal footing as Matthew and Damon, they felt that Flynn was courting death now. Not only had he offended the Parkers, but he also offended the Bensons from San Francisco. So they had to immediately draw a clear line between themselves and him!

Furthermore, the reason they had rushed here was that they had received a notice from Damon to stand on his side to drive Flynn out of LA. Once they did so, they would naturally split the Solar Corporation among themselves!

Before arriving, they only knew that Flynn had offended Damon, so there were a few others who were too timid and gave excuses not to come. But now that they learned that the Bensons were also on their side, they felt that there was nothing to be afraid of!

Those who chose to chicken out would probably be full of regret after learning the truth!

Flynn's gaze turned solemn as he faced the group of people in front of him.

They were not ordinary people.

Among those standing against him now, there was the helmsman of the Parker family, one of the two top giants in LA, and the Bensons, a whale in San Francisco with the backing of the Coles, as well as the helmsmen of seven top families in LA.

Their power combined was definitely not to be underestimated!

But their common goal now was to grab Lucas, something that Flynn would never allow!

"Since you all want to interfere just as Mr. Parker does, you can all disappear from LA together with him," Flynn said with an indifferent expression, as if he was talking about a trivial matter.

But the crowd around him burst into commotion!

"What did he say? He said that he wanted these families to disappear from LA together?!"

"Oh my god! He's so arrogant! He's merely the general manager of the Solar Corporation. How can he possibly do that?"

"He must have lost his mind! A normal person would never say such things. I think we should send him to the mental hospital for a proper examination of his mental state."

"All these people in front of us are the heads of the top LA families! Flynn Davis must be dreaming. I bet the Solar Corporation will definitely be eradicated after tonight!"

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In their opinion, Flynn was no longer just being arrogant. He was being completely brainless!

If he had the ability to destroy so many top LA families in one day, shake the financial foundation of the Parkers, and get rid of the Bensons from LA, how could he still be just the general manager of merely one company?

If Flynn could fulfill just one of these things, they would kneel down and call him daddy, not to mention all three together!

Just as the crowd was bashing Flynn, two more people hurriedly walked in from outside.

Lucas looked up a little with some interest in his eyes. The two who arrived were people he knew.

He reckoned that they must have shown up here out of nowhere because of Tristan's death last night.

But he didn't know what their attitudes would be like.

The two people who just entered were none other than the richest man in Orange County, Ethan Sawyer, and his daughter, Lena!

Ethan didn't see Lucas. He merely took a quick glance around the ballroom after entering. He then looked at Damon, who was sitting in the middle of the hall, and immediately walked over while pulling Lena along.

"Mr. Parker, I've specially brought my insensible daughter here today to apologize to you!" Then he bent forward to bow to Damon as a junior.

All of a sudden, the crowd got into an uproar again!

Charismatic Lucas Gray Chapter 460 – A Small Lesson

Ethan's status today was already quite high as the helmsman of one of the four top families in Orange County and the richest person in the county. He was very well known as well.

But he was really a junior in front of Damon, who was in his seventies and a friend of Ethan's father. Previously, they had agreed on the marriage alliance between Lena and Damon's grandson. So no matter what, Ethan could indeed be considered a junior of Damon.

As he was the richest man in Orange County, his words immediately made many people gasp in amazement.

“So this is Ethan Sawyer, the richest man in Orange County? He looks very young!”

“Why is the richest man in Orange County here too? He even said that he brought his daughter here to apologize to Mr. Parker. Did something happen?”

“I once heard that Tristan Parker was engaged to Ethan's daughter, and now that Tristan is dead, he's probably here to discuss the matter of their engagement. But why does he want to apologize? Could Tristan's death be related to his daughter?”

“Shh! Do you have a death wish? Don't spout nonsense like that! That's the richest man in Orange County. You're dead meat if he hears you!”

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All of a sudden, another enthusiastic discussion was sparked because of Ethan's arrival and his mention of making Lena apologize.

The Turners were almost numb from being overjoyed at the continuous arrival of such big shots.

During normal circumstances, they would definitely be over the moon to have so many bigwigs at Dylan's wedding.

But no one was considering the matters of the wedding now, as all their attention was drawn to Damon, Matthew, the group of helmsmen of the top LA families, Flynn, and Ethan.

The Turners had absolutely no say in front of so many big shots, let alone building some connections and getting acquainted with them.

Justin's eyes were also wide open.

These bigwigs were streaming in one after another, and at this point, he really couldn't tell which one of them was the big shot his father wanted him to please.

The dozen or so people in front of him were all of higher status than the Herons. And to him, they were all powerful figures, so he was really stuck in a dilemma!

After Ethan bent forward to apologize, he noticed that his daughter, who was standing beside him, was still keeping her back straight, which angered him.

Ethan poked Lena's head and urged, "You unfilial daughter! What are you waiting for? Hurry up and apologize to Mr. Parker! At the same time, tell him truthfully about everything you know regarding the incident yesterday!"

Lena remained standing stubbornly and refused to bow down and apologize. "I didn't do anything wrong. Why should I apologize?"

Noticing that Damon was frowning, Ethan gritted his teeth and slapped Lena's face!

Smack!

After giving her a tight and loud slap on the face, Ethan rebuked furiously, "How dare you talk back to me? I told you first thing this morning to come over and apologize to Mr. Parker and then explain to him who the young man with you at Caldo Mountain last night was! That person is the likely suspect of the murder. You'd better hurry up and speak up. You don't want the Sawyers to be accused of covering up for a murderer, do you?"

In fact, the Parkers must have gotten a clear investigation of who the person with Lena last night was. After all, Tristan was the only one who died, and there were at least twenty of his scion friends there too. They could easily find out who the man was by asking any of them.

But Ethan did this mainly to express his attitude to the Parkers and show that he was really unaware of the situation. He also wanted to show that Lena wasn't in an illicit relationship with that young man either.

Unfortunately, Lena refused to reveal the identity of the young man who was with her.

Ethan was angry and anxious, but there was nothing he could do.

While everyone's attention was focused on Ethan and Lena and trying to find out some insider information about the death of Tristan from them, Charlotte came over to Lucas and whispered, "Lucas, you should hurry up and leave while they're being distracted and focusing on the Sawyers! I went around checking, and I discovered that there is an inconspicuous storage room not far away. There's a window in that room you can definitely escape from!"

Only then did Lucas realize that Charlotte had disappeared for a short while just now to find an escape route for him.

There were so many powerful figures present, and they were all standing against Lucas in unison, while Lucas only had Flynn to protect him. They were clearly outnumbered and possibly outclassed!

Charlotte was afraid that they would really unite, stop Lucas from leaving, and take him away!

Lucas was naturally touched by Charlotte's behavior.

But he was not going to escape through the window of a storage room.

If he left, these people would definitely not spare his wife, Cheyenne, Charlotte, and Flynn. So there was no way he would escape on his own without them.

Besides, Lucas didn't need to escape at all because these people in front of him could do nothing to him.

"Hmph! You guys are actually thinking of escaping? With me here, you can't escape anywhere!" All of a sudden, a sharp voice sounded beside them.

Charlotte was startled when she saw Nikki standing beside them with a menacing expression on her already unattractive face, which was now twisted into a grimace of excitement and hatred.

Charlotte suddenly felt that her cousin, who was only a few months older than her, was just like a complete stranger. She was absolutely terrifying and just like a ghost!

Nikki deliberately yelled loudly, instantly attracting everyone's attention.

She felt she couldn't intervene when Damon was speaking, but she was worried that Lucas might take the opportunity to sneak away. So she had deliberately come over to guard them and prevent them from leaving.

It just so happened that she overheard Charlotte and Lucas's conversation!

"Nikki, you're such a villain!" Seeing the smug and conceited expression on Nikki's face, Charlotte boiled with fury and raised her hand to slap her face.

Smack!

Charlotte didn't hold back at all.

She didn't know the disgusting things that Nikki had done to Cheyenne and Lucas last night. But Nikki's act of exposing her plan to escape and standing on Damon's side was enough to make Charlotte feel repulsed by her, who had no concerns for her kin and was only interested in selfish benefits.

Nikki covered her swollen and painful cheek for a while before reacting and yelling, "Charlotte Carter, you b*tch! How dare you slap me?!"

She was so livid that she raised her hand and reached out to scratch Charlotte's face with her long nails! Ahhhh! This is infuriating!

She was determined to scratch Charlotte's charming face and see how she could still be a general manager!

But before she could reach Charlotte's face, her wrists were grabbed by a pair of iron clamp like hands.

As soon as Nikki raised her head, she was met with Lucas's icy cold eyes.

The next second, Nikki felt an immense blow to her stomach that sent her flying away!

Bang!

Nikki's body collided with a concrete pillar several meters away before falling heavily to the ground.

Amid everyone's shocked gazes, Lucas calmly moved his foot away and said coldly, "She should have been taught this lesson a long time ago!"