

# Mistaking A Magnate For A Male Escort

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### Chapter 2333 The Finale 2

It was now a week before Zachary and Charlotte's wedding... As a means of forcing Francesca to show up, Danrique locked all her assets and jewelry in his office safe and waited for her to walk into the trap.

Francesca soon stormed into the president's office with a few eagles. He was sitting on his black leather chair in a cocky manner, twirling the pen in his hand as he stared at her coldly through narrowed eyes. "Rogue..."

A familiar voice suddenly rang out from the stereo as Francesca was about to speak. "I, Francesca Felch, swear to repay Rogue for saving my life. If I can't repay him, I'll devote myself to him. If I go back on my words, let me die a horrible death!"

As soon as the recording finished, there was a sudden crack of thunder outside, causing her to shudder in fright, and her courage fled her instantly.

"Do you still remember this, you d\*mned woman? You swore on it yourself!" Danrique stood up and slowly approached her. "If you don't, then let me remind you..."

Francesca thought back to the day he made her swear on the mountain and the time she sent the children to his company half a year ago before running away from him.

But none of these matter now. What matters is that I must get my money back now!

"Cut the cr\*p, Danrique. Give me back my money."

Francesca swept a gaze over the office and quickly fixed her eyes on the safe nearby, which had a photo taped to it.

In the photograph, Danrique had his head tilted with a stoic expression, whereas Francesca was wearing a red wig and leaning toward him.

Although their lips were pressed together, it did not look like they were kissing.

They had kissed by accident, and the moment was inadvertently photographed, so they looked somewhat stunned. However, it was the only intimate photo of them.

Francesca couldn't remember when it was secretly taken, but seeing how close they were in that photo reminded her of the beautiful times from the past.

She hesitated for a split second, debating whether or not to stay, but very quickly, her determination returned.

I mustn't forget the torment I had experienced back then, and I mustn't forget the deaths of Ms. Layla and Mr. Lincoln. This place and this life have traumatized me. I don't want history to repeat itself.

"Very well. Go get it yourself if you can."

Danrique sat on the sofa and sipped his coffee elegantly, seemingly unmoved.

I'd like to see how she's going to open the safe to take away her money and how she will bring her things out of here...

Francesca shot him a glare before striding to the safe. No matter how hard she fiddled with the lock, she could not open it. Growing anxious, she picked up the gun and fired a few shots at the lock but to no avail.

She was so angry that she turned her head and yelled at Danrique, "B\*stard, open it for me."

The latter ignored her and continued sipping his coffee as if he had not heard a thing.

"Danrique..." Francesca pointed the gun at him directly. "I told you to open it. Do you hear me?"

Everything she had experienced over the past two years had made her more impudent and hotheaded. As a result, her temper was now more ferocious than it had ever been. Of course, she was also more formidable than before.

"Shoot me if you dare." Danrique remained unfazed and did not even look at her.

"You..." Gritting her teeth, Francesca bellowed, "You think I won't kill you? I was the one who saved your life, so I can also take it from you!"

“Go ahead and shoot!” Danrique arched his brow and stared at her. “Let’s see how you will explain this to the kids.”

“You...”

Francesca was rendered speechless. That’s true. After half a year of interaction, this b\*stard has gradually won over the children. Although they weren’t as friendly with him as with Zachary, they would still call him Daddy non-stop every day. I really can’t kill him. Otherwise, the children will hate me...

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Francesca whistled while facing the outside. Soon, a few male eagles flew in aggressively to attack Danrique. Danrique’s brows snapped together, and his eyes glinted coldly. Surprisingly, those eagles stopped and hovered before him, not daring to move closer.

Francesca was stunned. What’s going on? She knew Danrique had been taming animals and could even summon some of them. However, as his summoning skill was acquired and developed, it couldn’t be compared to hers.

Therefore, she couldn’t believe he could stop her command. “Leave!” The few male eagles flew away in a panic after hearing Danrique’s bellow.

Francesca regained her senses from her momentary daze and shouted for the eagles to return, but they ignored her command and soared away.

Livid but at a loss for countermeasures, she could only threaten him forcefully, “Unlock the safe immediately. Otherwise, I’ll bomb your building.”

“Go ahead, then. Hurry up and do it.” Danrique was unfazed. “This building is your daughters’ asset, and it’s worth over ten billion. If you aren’t afraid of upsetting your daughters, you may destroy this building as you please.”

She was stumped.

Francesca was beside herself with rage. Since when has he become so persuasive?

"That's enough." He suddenly pulled her into his embrace, held her chin, and leaned closer to her seductively. "Aside from the things inside the safe, even all the Lindberg family's riches can be yours if you behave obediently and come home."

"Get lost!" She pushed him angrily, but his strong arms held her in place. She couldn't break free no matter how hard she struggled.

"You're already a mom, so why are you still so hot-tempered? You should consider the children even if you don't care about me. Do you want them to lose either their daddy or mommy?"

He began tackling her soft spots.

"I gave birth to them, so why would they lose their mommy?" Her anger intensified. "I won't be dead even after you're gone."

"Everyone will die sooner or later, but just because you know you'll ultimately expire doesn't mean you shouldn't enjoy life."

She was taken aback after listening to his casual response.

He seems to have a point. That's right. Perhaps I won't live for long or die before him. Still, I can't start avoiding the problems now simply because I'll pass away in the end.

"I was afraid of bringing you home because Lindberg Corporation was unstable. However, things are different now because I have acquired the ability to protect you and the kids."

Danrique grasped her chin and made her look him in the eyes.

"I promise an incident like that will never happen again. I'll not restrict you anymore as well. You can continue to work as a doctor if you wish, or I can keep you company as you travel around the world if that's what you wish, as long as you come home."

Danrique seldom spoke in such a romantic manner. Francesca wasn't used to that treatment as he wasn't acting like his usual self.

She had to admit that his speech resonated with her heart's sentiments.

Still, the lesson she learned previously made too huge an impact on her, rendering her unable to move past it.

Amidst her ponderation, the door to the conference room was suddenly pushed open. Sean led the three kids into the room. At the sight of the couple's intimate interaction, he hastily turned around.

"Mr. Lindberg, I've brought the children here."

"Daddy, Mommy!"

The kids jogged over unsteadily, climbed up the sofa, and lay on Danrique and Francesca like three little kittens. They wrapped their chubby arms around their parents' necks and acted coy.

"Mommy, I missed you so much. Why don't you follow us home?" Alpha said.

"That's right, Mommy. Come back with us. Daddy and I missed you very much, too," Beta chimed in.

Gamma uttered, "I miss you too. All of us do."

"Alpha, Beta, Gamma, I'm here to bring you home with me." Francesca hugged her children while chiding Danrique, "Hurry up and open the safe for me. I want to bring my assets and kids back home with me."

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"Okay. Let's go home." Danrique stretched out his arms at his children. "Girls, come here." "Daddy!" The girls threw themselves into his arms affectionately.

Francesca was dumbfounded by the scene. Danrique has never spent time with the girls. He even scared them with horror stories at the Nacht residence previously. Their relationship should be very distant, so why have they suddenly become so close now?

“Good girls. Let’s bring your mommy back with us, okay?” As he held the kids in his embrace, his tall figure contrasted with their short stature, creating a very adorable and heart-warming scene.

“Okay!” the girls answered in unison. “Awesome!” He lifted them in his arms and strode right out.

“Hey, what are you doing, Danrique? Give me back my children. Hey!” Francesca hastily chased after him. “Girls, hurry up and come to me.”

“Mommy, let’s go back together. Mdm. Norah prepared a lot of delicious food and is waiting for us at home. Daddy has been yearning for your return every day.”

“That’s right, Mommy. Come home with us. Daddy bought a lot of pretty jewelry for you.”

“Let’s go, Mommy!”

The girls showed no inclination to break free from Danrique. They even waved their little hands at Francesca, gesturing for the latter to join them.

The three pairs of petite arms were like baited hooks, prompting Francesca to trail them.

“Danrique, give me back my children.” She stomped in exasperation but had no choice but to follow the kids.

With that, he successfully lured her into the car. Sean swiftly closed the car door from the outside. Francesca was left with no way to escape as the girls clambered over her.

Danrique curled his lips into a smirk as he took in the way the kids were keeping their mother occupied. Zachary’s plan is indeed incredible!

The couple was at an impasse, and Francesca wouldn’t follow Danrique back to Xendale no matter what. At that time, he was also at his wits’ end.

Afterward, Zachary came up with the idea of asking Danrique to bring the kids back to Xendale first before creating false rumors to draw Francesca to Xendale.

Sure enough, when she saw the news about Danrique looking for a girlfriend, she immediately rushed over in vexation.

To put it in Francesca's own words, she couldn't care less about Danrique's search for a female companion. Her concern was the type of woman who would become her kids' stepmother.

What if her children became victims of domestic abuse?

Nevertheless, Francesca wasn't a fool. She realized Danrique might be deliberately provoking her using that method, so she didn't confront him directly. Instead, she seized that opportunity to sneak into the Lindberg residence to bring her children away.

Unfortunately, he had established tight security measures around his residence, so she couldn't even slip inside the house or catch sight of the kids. Not only that, Danrique even kidnapped Anthony, extracted all her assets, and locked them inside his safe to tempt her into showing up at his office.

Subsequently, Danrique planned to lure her back home with their children.

Of course, that was provided that he had to put forth his best effort to mingle with his kids, winning the girls' trust and affection in advance.

Not only that, but he also had to tirelessly teach and persuade them to work together to coax Francesca into going home with them. The hard work he had poured into this plan was greater than any project he accomplished or any scheme he concocted to target his enemies.

Finally, his effort was starting to pay off.

I did it!

At that moment, Danrique genuinely felt grateful to Zachary, and that was also the first time he was impressed by another person in his life.

The Lindberg and Nacht families had been rivals for a long time. Danrique and Zachary couldn't see eye to eye either, and both even attempted to kill one another at one point. Yet, Danrique became Zachary's family member afterward, so the latter had no choice but to yield and take the initiative to make nice with Danrique for Charlotte's sake. Nevertheless, Danrique never took Zachary seriously.

That had been the case until Zachary helped him win back his wife.

Only then did Danrique sincerely feel thankful to and admire Zachary.

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In Zachary, Danrique saw what it was like to have a high EQ. All along, he thought having a high EQ meant pleasing others and being empathetic. Hence, he scorned it, never seeing the need to have a high EQ.

It was then he belatedly discovered the advantages of having a high EQ. With it, one could accomplish things that could not be done with money, power, and status—for example, having a high EQ could improve and maintain one's relationship with one's family.

In fact, Zachary once mentioned how a person needed to put in the effort to take care of a family. Regardless of one's social status and capability, one's family should take priority over any other matter.

Although it was a well-known value in life, Danrique only thoroughly understood it then.

Only when his family was harmonious and happy would he have the mental capacity to deal with other things in life.

Perhaps that was what a fulfilling life was all about.

While he was looking forward to reaching home, Francesca was figuring out ways to escape. Truth be told, she had the chance to escape. With her capability, escaping on her own was child's play. However, bringing the children with her was a totally different story.

Making a compromise was her only choice unless she could harden her heart to abandon them.

Being coaxed into going home, Francesca knew she had fallen for Danrique and the triplets' trick. Yet, it was a trap she willingly stepped into.

No matter what, I can't deny I was moved by the fact that Danrique had gotten the kids' approvals in such a short period of time. That wasn't something I expected. Although I'm still feeling uneasy, I ought to forget all my concerns now that I see how much the kids like Danrique... Indeed, they need both their parents. I don't have the right to deny them



the paternal love they deserve. If I keep being obstinate, I'm going to hurt the kids. For their sake, I have no choice but to give in.

That was what she told herself, at least.

When Danrique pushed her onto the bed, she warned ferociously, "I'm warning you, Danrique. I only came back for the children's sake. You better not think that I'm still in love with you. What are you doing? Why are you taking off my clothes? Hey..."

While the room was filled with passionate intimacy, the three children were wobbling down the stairs. Behaving like a grown-up, Alpha exclaimed, "Daddy and Mommy are like kids! They always make others worry about them!"

"I agree! I agree! Especially Mommy..."

"No matter what, at least Mommy is finally home now. From now on, we'll get to drink the snake soup she makes!"

"We haven't had that in a long while. Even hearing about it makes me hungry!"

"Is dinner ready, Mdm. Norah?" the triplets yelled as they were walking down the stairs.

"Yes! I'll ask the others to serve the dishes in the dining room. Be good, kids. Don't run, okay? I'm coming to get you all..." Norah rushed up the stairs to carry the three children.

Before she could get to them, however, the kids went back up the stairs, knocked on the door, and yelled, "Daddy! Mommy! Let's have dinner!"

"Daddy! Mommy! Dinner is ready!"

"Daddy! Mommy!"

"Hey! Hey! Hey!" Norah quickly stopped them and said, "Be a dear and stop it, girls. Your daddy and mommy are busy. I'll bring you down for dinner."

Alpha tilted her head and asked curiously, "What are they busy with?"

"Well..." Norah was at a loss for words.

"They're busy making younger siblings for you girls!" Sean suddenly piped up. "Would you like that?"

"What? Again?" Beta frowned. With frustration written all over her face, she asked, "Don't we have enough kids in our family? Why would they want to have more?"

"Exactly! With Robbie, Jamie, and Ellie around, we already have six children in our household. If they were to have more children, we could start a kindergarten!"

"Oh? That sounds good. When the time comes, let's open up a kindergarten here..."

"Yes. I think Uncle Zachary and Aunt Charlotte are going to have babies again soon."

"Adults are troublesome. We always have to worry about them."

"That's right!"

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Norah could not help but chuckle when she heard their conversation. Sean was amused too. The way kids perceive things is so cute!

Norah then asked a few maids to bring the triplets to have dinner downstairs. When she was instructing one of them to invite Charlotte, someone rushed in from outside and reported, "Ms. Lindberg is on her way back to H City. She left for the airport a few moments ago and told me to relay the message."

"Oh?" Norah turned to look at Sean. "Got it. I'll report it to Mr. Lindberg later." He smiled and continued, "She's been away for a long time, so I reckon Mr. Nacht was urging her to go back. In fact, it's a little rushed for her to head back today when their wedding's tomorrow."

"What? Ms. Lindberg and Mr. Nacht are getting married tomorrow?" she asked curiously, "Ms. Lindberg is going, isn't he?"

"Of course, he's going. However, we have to wait for the both of them to wake up," Sean answered with a smile. "Mdm. Norah, could you please take care of the kids? I need to make some arrangements. Once Mr. Lindberg and Ms. Felch wake up, we'll head straight to the airport."

"Sure. Don't worry. Leave the kids to me."

The moment Norah arrived downstairs, the triplets gathered around her and asked, "Mdm. Norah, did Mr. Sean say someone's having a wedding? Whose wedding is it? Is it Daddy and Mommy's?"

"It's your Aunt Charlotte and Uncle Zachary's wedding," Norah explained.

"Didn't Aunt Charlotte and Uncle Zachary have their wedding already?" Beta asked in bafflement. "We wore nice dresses and even took photos with them."

"Yeah! Robbie, Jamie, and Ellie were there too. We even sat on Uncle Zachary's shoulders..." Gamma uttered while eating her mashed potato.

"That was a pre-wedding photoshoot, not a wedding," Sean explained with a smile. "However, I think they were supposed to have held two marriage ceremonies before this. It's just that both weddings had to be canceled because an accident happened each time. This time around, it'll surely go on smoothly!"

It was after he spoke that he realized the triplets had directed their attention to their dinner. Children their age only knew how to ask questions; they simply did not have the patience to listen to the answers.

With a smile on his face, Sean shook his head and left to make the necessary arrangements.

Strangely enough, the weather, which had been gloomy and snowy, became sunny on that day.

Finally, the sun was out, and the snow was melting. Although it was still a bit chilly, it felt comfortable to feel the sunlight on his body.

Sean heaved a sigh and exclaimed, "Finally! After a storm comes a calm!"

"That's right! The calm is going to last this time around." Gordon felt the same way. "After the many incidents we've gone through, things have finally calmed down. Now that the Lindberg family and the Nacht family are living in harmony with each other, no one can shake us, nor would anyone dare to provoke us. That includes the new president!"

"Of course." Sean smiled. "Didn't you see? Ever since the Lindberg family and the Nacht family reconciled, many people came to express their goodwill."

"Before this, one family alone was able to conquer the world. Now that both families are united, we're invincible!" Gordon was thrilled. "Speaking of which, all merits belong to Ms. Lindberg!"

"That's right. Ms. Lindberg resolved the tension between the families and even brought such a huge amount of money to help Ms. Lindberg weather the storm!" Sean was making the arrangements on his phone and talking at the same time. "Therefore, we need to get ourselves ready to attend their wedding at H City!"

"What about Mr. Lindberg and Ms. Felch's wedding?" Gordon inquired curiously. "I thought they would have the wedding at the same time."

"There's not enough time, and I think Mr. Lindberg should have other plans," Sean answered. "Ms. Felch and Mr. Lindberg prefer peace and quiet. Perhaps a simple and low-key wedding would suit them better."

"You have a point..." Gordon nodded. "I'll get the private jet ready."

"Okay."

While they were busying away, Charlotte had already boarded the private jet bound for H City.

The moment she sat down, she received a video call from Zachary. "Have you boarded the plane?" he asked.

"Yes." Charlotte turned the camera to the outside and said, "The sun is out in Xendale today!"