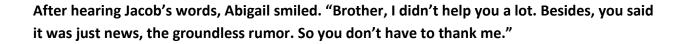
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"I know, but you did a lot," Jacob said.

Hearing this, Abigail paused and then continued, "As a member of the Swifts, I have the responsibility to protect my family." Hearing her words, Jacob kept silent for a long time.

"Well, brother, I will hang up. I still have work to do."

"Okay."

Abigail sat there, sighed, and went back to work.

She never ate her words. Once Liam kept his promise, she would definitely win the contract with Alexia.

Although they promised them the contract, it still depended on the final design.

Thinking of this, Abigail took a deep breath and prepared to work hard.

Without a psychological burden, Abigail worked especially smoothly.

At least now she didn't have to worry that Liam would know the truth at any time. Thinking of this, Abigail was in a good mood. Finally, everything was settled. By the time she got off work in the afternoon, Abigail just packed up and left. When Liam went out, he wanted to ask her to have dinner with him. But he couldn't find her. In the evening, Abigail had just finished her meal and was drawing the design in the living room. While looking at the computer for reference, her cell phone rang. Seeing that it was from Liam, Abigail ignored it and continued to work on the design. But soon, her phone rang again. Abigail could only pick it up. "Hello?" Liam was just about to hang up because he always heard, "I'm sorry that the number you dialed was turned off." "Abigail, is your phone used to vent your anger?" As soon as she answered the phone, Liam roared at her. Abigail couldn't help but take the phone away until there was no sound. She pressed it to her ear and said, "Sorry, I just turned it on."

"Don't you know that as an employee of the Powerline Group, you have to be on standby 24 hours a day?" Liam asked word by word. The most annoying thing to him was that when he was looking for her but her phone couldn't get through.

"Is there a rule?" After hearing Liam's words, Abigail asked unconcernedly.

"Of course!" "Why don't I know it?"

"Because you haven't memorized the Powerline Group's regulations. Abigail, you'd better turn on your phone 24 hours a day.

Otherwise, if anything serious happens, you'll be called to account." Liam threatened.

Abigail listened and mumbled something that Liam couldn't hear. After that, she took the phone and said, "I see. Mr. Jones, what do you want to tell me now?"

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I..." For a moment, Liam didn't know what to say.

He was holding his cell phone, hesitating whether to call. He didn't expect that the phone was switched off, so he called again impatiently. "Is there anything urgent?" Abigail asked again on the phone.

"Of course," Liam said.

"What's the matter?" Abigail spoke on the phone.

"Abigail, you're not hiding from me, are you?" Liam suddenly asked.

| Abigail was sitting on the carpet, drawing a design while talking to Liam on the phone. However, she suddenly froze and stopped drawing when she heard his words. |
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| "Why should I hide from you?" After a pause, Abigail continued to draw, but she was not as serious as before. |
| "Why? I think you know it very well." "I don't know. Mr. Jones, please tell me." Abigail said. |
| The best way to talk to Liam was to pretend to be deaf or not understand. |
| Sometimes it was not necessarily a good thing to know too well. |
| Abigail seemed to hear the sound of grinding teeth from the phone shortly after she said that. If it were a face-to-face talk, he would have strangled her. |
| "Abigail, you're afraid of falling in love with me, so you're avoiding me, right?" Liam asked. |
| 'What the f*ck? Liam, why are you so confident?' |
| But Abigail didn't dare to speak it out. |
| "Mr. Jones, if you're really that charming, I'll fall in love with you even at home." |
| "What does that mean?" Liam asked with a frown. |
| "Sir, I mean that literally." Abigail did not explain much and even deliberately used respectful words just in case Liam was picky. |

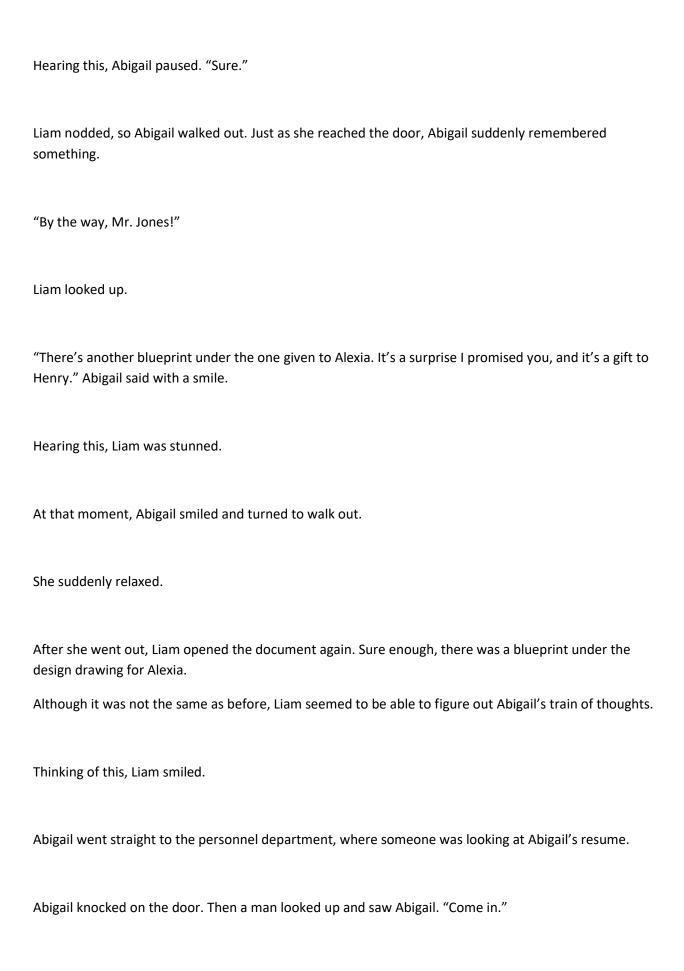
| "Abigail, you'd better make it clear," Liam said angrily. |
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| "Mr. Jones, I've made myself clear. I don't have to hide from you. If you're so charming, why should I hide from you?" "Because you're afraid of falling in love with me and feel pain." Liam was very sure. |
| "Since I know that falling in love with you is painful, why should I do that?" Abigail asked. |
| Liam could say nothing. |
| He should have thought of it. This woman was very eloquent. She was definitely not comparable to ordinary people. |
| "Mr. Jones, you also said that you would only let me go home willingly, so I believe that you will never force me, right?" Liam couldn't say anything. |
| "Well, it's late, Mr. Jones. I'm going to bed. I'll see you tomorrow." After that, Abigail hung up the phone before Liam could say anything. |
| Then, Abigail threw her phone directly on the table. |
| 'Liam must be crazy!" |
| 'Otherwise, how could he call and say something so inexplicable?" |
| Fortunately, Liam was still a trustworthy gentleman. |
| But Abigail could imagine how horrible Liam's face was after she hung up the phone. |

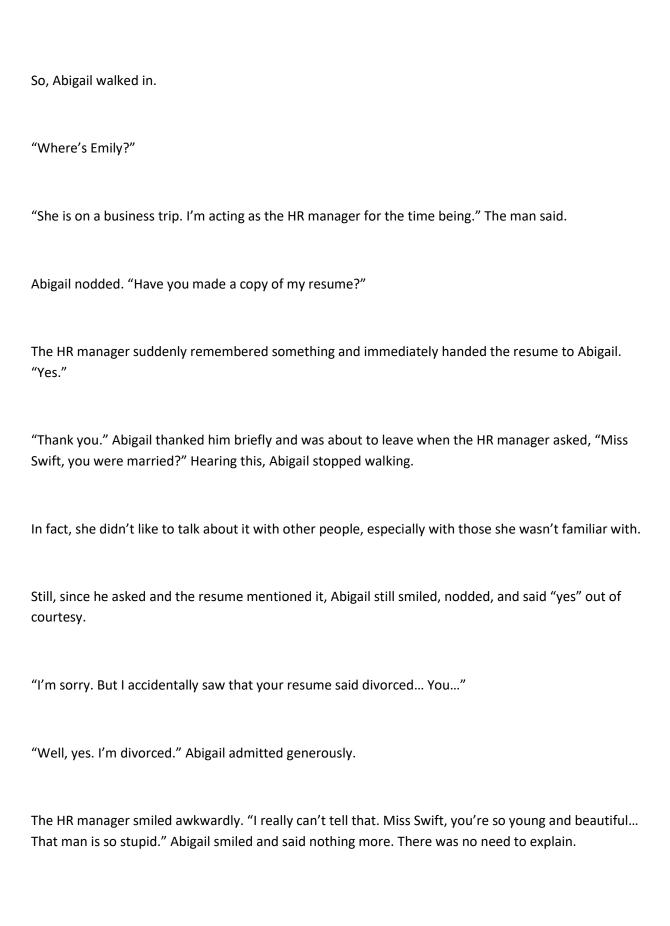
| He must have wanted to rush over and kill her! |
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| But let it go. She couldn't see it anyway. After thinking about it, Abigail stood up and went to take a bath. |
| 'It's better to go to bed early at night!" |
| Sure enough, Liam, who had been hung up, was holding his cell phone angrily. |
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| 'How dared Abigail hang up my call!' |
| 'Did she know how a rare chance it was? Many girls couldn't even get a chance to make a phone call with me!" If she were by his side now, he would let her regret it! |
| At the same time. Abigail, who was taking a bath, seemed to feel his condemnation and trembled somehow. |
| The next day. |
| Abigail arrived at the company early. |
| Then she went to attend a meeting which lasted from 9: 00 to 11: 00. |
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| It turned out that after hanging up the phone, Abigail worked hard to draw the blueprint. Knowing she was conscientious, Liam didn't say the harsh words he intended to say. |
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| After receiving the design, Liam opened it and checked. Abigail was standing aside, waiting for Liam's evaluation. |
| "What do you think?" Liam asked as he went over the blueprint. |
| "With reference to many works of the group, I designed this. I think it should be fine." |
| "OK, I'll have someone give it to her," Liam said. |
| Hearing this, Abigail was a little stunned. She thought that Liam would criticize. She didn't expect such an easy pass. |
| "That's all?" Abigail frowned and questioned. |
| "Anything else?" Liam looked at her and asked. |
| Abigail paused and smiled. "Nothing." |
| "I absolutely believe in Alexia's taste, and more so in my design group." Although Liam used the word "group", he, in fact, praised Abigail. |
| Because Abigail did complete the work alone. |
| Abigail smiled. "In that case, I'll go out first." |

| "Go to the personnel department and get your paper resume." |
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| "Why?" Abigail heard that Liam had someone print a copy of her resume, but she didn't ask why that time. |
| "Alexia wants your paper resume. I think she wants to invite you to join the Insight Design." Liam said. |
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| Abigail was a little surprised. |
| But on second thought, she said, "Mr. Jones, aren't you afraid that I'll jump ship?" |
| "If you can't even resist the temptation, you'll jump ship sooner or later. What's the use of keeping you?" Liam said. |
| He never doubted his employees. |
| And Abigail admired that. |
| Abigail smiled. "Okay, I got it." |
| "Alexia is leaving the day after tomorrow. There's a farewell party. She wants you to attend. You may come with me." Liam suddenly spoke again. |





| Just as Abigail was about to leave, the HR manager suddenly said, "Actually, I was also divorced" |
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| Abigail felt weird to hear that. |
| She didn't understand what he meant by that. |
| Abigail smiled. "Really?" |
| "Yes." The HR manager nodded. |
| The HR manager thought Abigail would say something, but she just directly close the topic. "Excuse me. I'm going to run some errands." |
| The HR manager paused and nodded. "Okay, bye." |
| Abigail nodded. "Bye." As she spoke, she went straight out. |
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| And the HR manager stood there, looking at Abigail's back as if he had secretly made a decision |
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| Abigail was relieved when she came out of the personnel department. |
| For some reason, she felt as if the man meant something else. |
| She hoped it was just her overthinking. She took her resume and walked away. |
| At noon, Abigail had just made an appointment to eat with her colleague when the personnel manager came over. |
| "Hi, Miss Swift!" |
| Hearing the voice, Abigail looked up. When she saw him, she was a little stunned, but she smiled politely. |
| "Manager Lee, what's the matter?" Abigail looked at him and asked. |
| He actually looked about thirty years old. He was tall, thin, and very ordinary. Abigail didn't have much of an impression of him, except today when she got her resume from the personnel department. |
| "I have something to tell you. Can I treat you to lunch?" The HR manager said. |
| Abigail was stunned, not expecting him to say that bluntly. |
| Jane stood aside and looked at them, unable to help but laugh. |

Abigail didn't know, but they all knew that the manager had been caring about Abigail for a long time. It seemed that he really mustered up the courage to invite Abigail out for lunch today. Abigail paused for a moment and then said, "I'm sorry, Manager Lee, I've made an appointment with Jane. We have something to talk about. We can talk about it at the company." Abigail said with a smile, which meant that she declined him. Manager Lee stood there and thought, "Forget it. I'll tell you when you're available another day!" "Okay." Abigail nodded. "See you." Manager Lee smiled, then turned and walked away. As soon as he left, Abigail couldn't wait to pull Jane away. After arriving at the restaurant, Jane couldn't help but laugh. "Abigail, is Manager Lee chasing you?" Hearing Jane's words, Abigail frowned. "No, you're thinking too much." "I'm not. It's just that you don't know. He's been paying attention to you since you entered the company." "Really?" Abigail asked and pretended to be composed. Jane nodded and said, "But there are a lot of people in the company who care about you." Hearing this, Abigail smiled. "You're exaggerating."

| "I'm serious. You're so capable and beautiful. A lot of people want to chase you, but I didn't expect that Manager Lee would say he wanted to talk to you today. Everyone knows his intention." Jane laughed. |
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| Hearing Jane's words, Abigail smiled. "How come I don't know?" |
| "You're so concentrated on your work that you don't have time to think about it," Jane said. |
| After Abigail entered the company, all the big cases fell on her shoulders. She could tell that Abigail was really busy. |
| Hearing this, Abigail raised her eyebrows. |
| That was true. |
| Fortunately, the Ratio Group's contract was finally handed over to Jane. |
| "But Manager Lee has been married and divorced. I don't know how brave he is to chase you." Jane suddenly said. |
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| 'If Liam heard this, his face would definitely contort in rage.' |
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| "Forget him. You're so hot, girl. I can be gay for you. Really. That man actually divorced you. He's so tasteless." Jane couldn't help but say. |
| After hearing Jane's words, Abigail looked up at her and was stunned. |
| Looking at Abigail's eyes, Jane was also a little stunned, then suddenly realized what she had said and quickly added, "Wait, I mean, if I were a man, I would definitely like you too. I'm making an analogy" |
| Hearing this, Abigail was stunned for a while, and the two of them couldn't help laughing. |
| "Well, I'm super straight, Jane," Abigail said. |
| Jane laughed, too. "If I confess to you now, will you leave immediately?" |
| "Definitely!" Abigail said without hesitation. |
| Then the two of them laughed. |
| "Okay, seriously, did Manager Lee say something to you today?" Jane looked at her curiously and asked. |
| Abigail thought for a moment and then said, "He said he is divorced too." |
| "It seems that he wants to pursue you." |

| Abigail raised her eyebrows and said nothing. |
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| "What do you think?" Jane asked. |
| "What?" |
| "What if he confesses to you? Don't you have any ideas?" Jane looked at her and asked. |
| "He hasn't confessed to me yet. Why should I think about it now?" Abigail said. She would never waste her time on such a thing. |
| Hearing what Abigail said, Jane was speechless. |
| "If he really confesses to you then, what should you do?" Jane said. |
| Abigail replied unhurriedly, "I will just run away." |
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| "By the way, not many people in the company know about your divorce, right?" Jane asked as she ate. |
| "Only Emily, Manager Lee, and you know," Abigail answered. |
| Emily was the former HR manager, so she knew it as soon as Abigail worked in the company. And then, Manager Lee got the news today. And now, she told Jane about it. |



"Miss Swift? What a coincidence!" Manager Lee looked at Abigail and laughed. Abigail was standing opposite him. When she heard what he said, she smiled. "Yes." "Do you live near here?" Manager Lee asked. Abigail nodded, unwilling to reveal too much information, but Manager Lee insisted, "You have bought so many things. I'll take you back. I drove here." Abigail smiled. "Thank you. I'm good. I live close." Hearing this, Manager Lee felt awkward. "Then I'm leaving now." With that, Abigail pushed the cart and was about to leave. Manager Lee suddenly remembered something. "Miss Swift..." She looked back. "Yes?" "Miss Swift, actually... I really like you. What do you think of me?" Manager Lee suddenly said. Hearing this, Abigail paused. In fact, Abigail understood what he meant. She smiled. "You are capable in work. You can definitely get promoted in the future." "I mean... About me..." Manager Lee continued, "What do you think of me to be your boyfriend?" Abigail was a little depressed. Was it because he didn't understand, or because she didn't say clearly? "Manager Lee, are you sure?" Abigail suddenly looked at him and asked. Not expecting Abigail to be so straightforward, Manager Lee was embarrassed but nodded.

| "I'm sorry. We aren't made for each other. You're not my cup of tea, and I don't want to start a relationship now." Looking at him, Abigail said her thoughts firmly. |
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| Manager Lee did not expect that Abigail would refuse him so directly. |
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| "Manager Lee, I'll go check out. Bye." With that, Abigail pushed the cart away. |
| Manager Lee stood there, blushing and embarrassed. |
| Looking at Abigail's back, he frowned. |
| Abigail would reject him directly if she didn't like a person. She didn't want to give him any hope. It was better to tell him beforehand. |
| It was just because he didn't understand Abigail's hint, Abigail had no choice but to tell him directly. |
| After picking out everything she needed, Abigail went to check out and left. |
| She didn't meet Manager Lee again when she went out. Abigail didn't think much about it and went back home. |
| However, no one expected that the next day, everyone in the company knew that Abigail had divorced. |
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| When Abigail entered the company, she saw a lot of people talking behind her back. She frowned and went straight upstairs to the Design Department. |
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| "Well, I didn't expect her to get divorced." |
| "Yes, she is not showing at all." |
| "Do you think that Mr. Jones knows she has married? Mr. Jones valued her so much that she took over so many big cases as soon as she entered the company. He must have had an affair with her." |
| "Do you think Mr. Jones will like her if he knows the truth?" A colleague asked. |
| "Of course, he won't." |
| "Yeah, how is that possible?" |
| As soon as Abigail stepped out of the elevator, she heard three women gossiping about her there. |
| They immediately dispersed when they saw Abigail. |
| Now, Abigail finally figured out what was going on. |
| 'I indeed have divorced, so what? Is there anything wrong? Am I really living in the 21st century? Why women should be blamed for this? It's always men's fault, okay?' |
| Abigail did not say anything and went straight to her desk. |

| After a while, Jane came over from the side and walked over directly when she saw Abigail. |
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| "Abigail." |
| When she saw Jane, Abigail smiled, "You're here." |
| Jane nodded and looked at her, "Did you say anything to Manager Lee?" Hearing this, Abigail frowned, looked at her, and asked, "What's wrong?" |
| "I didn't expect him to buzz everywhere that you have divorced. Anyway, especially he said a lot of bad words. Now it is spreading in the whole company." |
| Hearing this, Abigail was slightly stunned. |
| 'Exactly, man's fault." |
| Abigail nodded, "Okay, I got it." |
| "Did you offend him?" Jane asked. |
| So, Abigail told Jane that she met Manager Lee in the supermarket yesterday. |
| When Jane heard this and commented, "Asshole! Even if he is rejected, he couldn't do this. What a narrow-minded man!" Abigail smiled and said nothing. |
| "You don't know how terribly he had said. The whole company is talking about it now." Jane was upset for Abigail. |

| "You can shut their mouths, but you can't stop them from watching a good show." |
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| "I can't believe you can be so calm. If it were someone else, they would have come to him and argued with him." Jane said. |
| "Should I go slap him, scold him and display the show to the whole company?" Abigail asked. |
| Well, it seemed right. |
| "But I'm really sorry for you. " Jane said. |
| Abigail smiled, "Well, I'm good. Don't worry." Abigail said. |
| Jane nodded and went back to work. |
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| In a day, the news about Abigail's divorce spread crazily in the company. There were various rumors. For example, she was a shameless woman who wanted to seduce Liam to get promoted |
| Abigail didn't care until Abigail and Jane came back downstairs and saw Manager Lee talking to someone. |
| "Humph, I didn't expect her to pretend to be pure." |
| The sentence was all that Jane heard. |
| She didn't have to hear that much to know what Manager Lee was talking about. |

Jane stood side by side with Abigail. When she heard it, she couldn't help but say, "What are you talking about?"

Hearing Jane's words, Manager Lee and a few colleagues turned around. When they saw Abigail and Jane, Manager Lee's expression changed slightly.

Abigail stood there and looked at them expressionlessly.

"Manager Lee, don't you find it disgusting to make up rumors after you are refused?" Jane looked at him and said.

Manager Lee frowned. "What did you say?"

"Isn't that right? You confessed to Abigail and she rejected you. So you're lying here. Isn't that disgusting?" Jane asked.

"What nonsense are you talking about?" Manager Lee shouted at Jane angrily.

At this moment, Abigail looked at him. "Manager Lee, is what Jane said wrong?"

Abigail's sound attracted all people's attention.

"Manager Lee, when did you see me flirt with Mr. Jones? When did you see me make out with others? Please show me the evidence when you say these unrealistic things!" Abigail looked at him and said word by word.

"If you just think that I rejected you yesterday and lied about it, then I have nothing to say. Yes, I was divorced, so what? Is it strange to divorce now? Or is it that someone despises people who are divorced? What about you, Manager Lee?"

| At this moment, the people around him no longer looked at Abigail with contempt, but at Manager Lee. |
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| So that was the truth. |
| Abigail still stood there calmly. "It's okay that you slander me, but you said I seduced Mr. Jones. Manager Lee, sometimes it's better to think over before saying. Otherwise, you'll die miserably." |
| Manager Lee suddenly raised his eyes and looked at Abigail in disbelief, but he could not say a word. |
| Abigail said nothing more and turned to leave. Jane stood aside and was very happy to hear Abigail say those words. |
| This was the right way to deal with such a bastard. |
| After taking a few steps, Abigail suddenly remembered something and turned to look at Manager Lee. "Oh, right, Manager Lee, I |
| forgot to tell you that not accepting you is the best choice for me, because I do despise you." With that, Abigail turned around and left. |
| Among the whole sentence, this was the highlight. |
| Jane was very excited. |
| She just liked Abigail who would defend herself immediately and could beat others with her mouth. Abigail's words were like a loud slap on Manager Lee's face. |

| When he looked up, everyone looked at him with contempt. |
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| "What are you looking at?" Manager Lee shouted. |
| Then, everyone turned his gaze and left resentfully |
| Jane was overjoyed and followed Abigail. |
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| "Abigail, your words irritated Manager Lee so much. His face even gets purple." Jane said excitedly behind Abigail. |
| "Really?" Abigail raised her eyebrows when she heard this. "It only took 30% of my strength." |
| Hearing that, Jane could not help laughing. |
| No matter what happened to Abigail, she could keep calm. |
| There was a saying, "Being calm is to let go of the gossip." |
| Also, there was another saying, "Babbling is a loser, expressing succinctly is a winner." |





| Seeing that Liam didn't say a word, Bette said, "If there is nothing wrong, I will go out first." Liam asked, "Isn't Emily back yet?" |
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| "No, not yet!" |
| "Announce the employment of a new personnel manager." |
| "What?" Bette was stunned. |
| "Are you clear?" Liam asked. |
| "Yes." Bette nodded immediately. |
| "Tomorrow, I don't want to see such a gossipy person in the company." Liam looked at Bette and said word by word. |
| Bette nodded. "Sure!" |
| "You can go now." |
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