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Kelsey started stammering but suddenly yelled, "Are you trying to scare me? Let me tell you, Philip, I won't be frightened so easily! If you have the ability, try and lay a finger on me! When my dad arrives, let's see what you can do then!"

Yes, Philip must be trying to scare him!

He must not let himself be oppressed!

Philip grinned and shook his head helplessly. "I really wonder if the branch family is raising a bunch of pigs? Why do you want to provoke me again and again? Could it be that the lessons learned earlier weren't enough? The things that happened to Canon Clarke, Great-uncle Gerard, and the people of that lineage, aren't they enough to make you self aware?"

Kelsey's heart trembled at the mention of Great-uncle Gerard and the people of that lineage. That particular lineage of the branch family was expelled from the Clarke family. The head of the lineage was also removed from all positions and directly exiled!

"I'm the direct descendant of the branch Clarke family! How can that lineage be compared to mine?!"

Kelsey spoke obstinately, but there was some trepidation in his eyes.

However...

Smack!

Philip waved his hand to land another slap, causing a buzzing sound in Kelsey' s ears with that hit!

"You... How dare you hit me?" Kelsey roared in anger.

Smack!

Philip slapped him again and said coldly, "If you dare to be rude to me again, I'll hit you again!"

"F*ck you, Philip! I'm going to kill you!" Kelsey was really furious now!

In all his life, he had never been smacked in the face like this!

However...

Smack!

The response he got was another slap from Philip!

This slap was so forceful that it directly knocked two teeth out of Kelsey's mouth. Instantly, his mouth was filled with blood.

"I already told you, as someone from the branch family who's in the same generation, what should you do when you meet the heir of the main family?" Philip's voice grew colder as he reprimanded.

At this moment, Kelsey was completely robbed of his flippant attitude. He clutched his face and stared at Philip with resentment.

Seeing Philip raise his hand, he quickly stepped back and said fiercely, "Do you want me to lower my head? Impossible! Unless you beat me to death, I'll never yield!"

"So, you have a backbone. I'll satisfy your request, then."

Philip smiled, waved his hand, and said to Victor Bell, "Beat him to death!"

Immediately after, Victor's men pulled out their anti-riot batons one after another. Such a scene was terrifying!

Seeing this scene, Kelsey panicked. He hesitated for a long while before saying, "You... How dare you?! Philip, if you do this, you'll suffer retaliation from the branch family! My dad is the Chieftain of the branch family!"

"Are you going to lower your head?" Philip did not care about that and just bellowed.

Kelsey was so frightened by this roar that he was at a loss.

Seeing the group of people approaching him, Kelsey became terrified. He quickly bowed his head to Philip as he said, "Cousin, I was wrong. Don't hit me!"

Wimp!

Philip chuckled. For someone who was so zealous and even willing to die just a second ago, Kelsey had conceded in the blink of an eye.

"Didn't you say that you wouldn't bow down unless you were beaten to death? Why did you have such a sudden change in attitude?" Philip asked with a laugh.

Kelsey immediately replied, "Cousin, you misunderstood. I was just... a little confused just now. You're my cousin. How can you allow outsiders to beat me to death?"

Philip chuckled and said, "Oh, Kelsey, why don't you kneel and beg me? Didn't you say you represent the branch family? Didn't the branch family want me to apologize to you? Now, I want you to apologize to me. What do you think?"

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Kneel and apologize?

Kelsey's face was flushed and looked unpleasant. He said after a long while, "Cousin, can you not do this? I'm your younger cousin, after all, and a bloodline of the Clarke family. I represent the branch Clarke family. If you do this, isn't it the same as shaming me?"

Kelsey had lost his previous arrogance. He looked around and seemed embarrassed.

However, Philip said coldly, "Do you know how to be ashamed now? Do you think shaming the main Clarke family isn't the same?"

After saying that, Philip looked at Kelsey indifferently. The atmosphere gradually went silent.

Kelsey's chest burned with anger. He clenched his fists bitterly and hesitated for a long time before he spat out a sentence, "Philip, do you really want to take things this far?"

Hehe.

Philip shrugged as he chuckled and said, "If I don't do this, maybe I'll end up being the one who has to apologize, no?"

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Even such a useless third young master of the branch family like Kelsey Clarke could represent them to fight against Philip. It was enough to show that the chieftain behind the branch family was plotting something big!

The chieftain of the branch family did not put the heir of the main Clarke family in his eyes at all! He sent his third son over and even wanted Philip to apologize to him.

Ridiculous!

In that case, Philip wanted to see what the branch family was trying to prove!

Kelsey clenched his fists and glared viciously at Philip.

After a long while, he forced out a sentence, "Fine! Remember this. I, Kelsey Clarke, will never let you off for this!"

After saying such harsh remarks, Kelsey suddenly bent over and muttered under Philip's completely disdainful eyes. "I'm sorry, Cousin, I was wrong!"

He said the meanest words and made the most wretched apology!

"What did you say? I can't hear you. Speak louder." Philip smiled.

This annoyed Kelsey. "You!"

However, there was nothing he could do. It was because all of Master Bell's people were surrounding him.

Did he dare to move? Of course not!

Thus, with no other choice, Kelsey said loudly again, "Cousin, I'm sorry, I was wrong!"

Hearing this, Philip shouted coldly, "Get lost!"

Kelsey immediately ran out with his guards and got into the car.

He rolled down the car window, pointed at Philip angrily, and warned, "Philip, don't be too complacent. I'll be back! Tomorrow, you'll have to kneel and apologize to me!" When Master Bell heard this, he immediately motioned to several men and rushed forward.

Seeing that the situation was unfavorable, Kelsey quickly urged the driver to drive and fled from the scene.

After they left, Philip's face gradually turned grim. Victor hurried to his side and said, "Young Master Clarke, should I send more people over tomorrow to keep watch?"

Philip nodded before saying, "Bring me to where Levi is."

"Sure," Victor replied. He personally drove the car and sent Philip to the hotel where Levi and Connor were being detained.

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At the same time, Connor and the other two were conspiring in the hotel suite.

Although they were put under house arrest by Philip, they still had their strength as the branch Clarke family. Connor could still access the news and movements outside.

Every day, countless people walked in and out of this hotel. Sending a message was not that difficult.

Connor stood in front of the large French window with a cane, looking at the streets outside. His eyes darkened angrily as he said, "Philip has returned safely from Cloudside."

Hearing this news, Levi exclaimed angrily on the side and exchanged a glance with Allen. He was full of disappointment.

"Grandpa, didn't the Gentleman Court take action this time?" Levi raised his eyebrows, puzzled.

Allen also asked, "Brother, didn't the Gentleman Court promise you that..."

Connor turned around and waved his hand, motioning for them not to speak. He made a gesture of pointing to his ears and said softly, "The walls might have ears."

Allen and Levi nodded. They lowered their voices and asked, "What the hell is going on? With such a thorough set up, Philip still managed to come out of Cloudside alive?"

Connor sighed and said, "Don't forget who's stationed in Cloudside, Reed Williams. Moreover, do you think Roger Clarke will sit back and do nothing? This time, it was Roger who personally gave a warning to the Gentleman Court before the lord stopped. The death of Chester Ludwig means nothing. It has no impact on the overall situation."

Connor actually felt a little helpless now. A golden opportunity like this had been overturned by Philip.

Levi quickly asked, "Grandpa, what should we do next?"

Allen also got a little anxious and said, "We've been detained for many days now and don't know what's going on in Arcadia Island."

Connor smiled and said, "Don't worry. The chieftain has already sent some people over to Uppercreek. We'll get out soon. This time, as long as we get out, the little brat Philip will definitely suffer for his actions!" Connor knocked the cane in his hand heavily on the ground.

"Father sent some people? Who?" Levi got excited and his face was full of joy.

"Your third brother, Kelsey," Connor said.

When Levi heard that name, he was startled at first before asking doubtfully, "Can he handle this? Even the three of us have been detained by Philip. I'm afraid Kelsey won't be able to suppress Philip."

Hehe. Connor chuckled and said, "Do you really think that your father sent Kelsey over to bring us out?"

Levi did not understand, so he leaned over and said, "I don't get it."

Connor took a sip of warm tea with a faint chill in the corners of his eyes and said, "This time, your father let Kelsey represent him as the chieftain of the branch family. On the surface, it's to demand our release, but in fact, it's to test Philip and the main family. If Philip can't handle the pressure and releases us because of his apprehension toward the branch family, then everyone will be at peace. In that case, we can make a fuss when we return and give Philip a small punishment."

Levi frowned and asked, "What if this doesn't work?"

"Then..."

Connor deliberately drawled and sneered, "If Philip pays no heed to Kelsey and beats him up, he'd be disrespecting the chieftain and the branch family. In that case, do you think your father will just let it be? What would Roger do?"

After hearing this, Levi finally realized. A smug smile appeared at the corners of his mouth and he said, "Grandpa, I understand now!"

"It's good that you understood," Connor said with a smile.

For a while, the laughter of the three people in the suite was particularly gratifying.

It seemed that all the grievances from the past few days had been vented.

However, at that moment, the door of the suite was kicked open.

Philip suddenly appeared in the doorway with a cold smile on his face and said, "Oh, all three of you are here. You look quite happy. So, do you already know that Kelsey has come to save you?"

"I'm very sorry, though. He was beaten up and sent home by me."

Philip walked in with a subtle smile, totally unconcerned about the gazes of the three people in the suite.

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"Philip Clarke?"

Connor frowned and exclaimed in surprise.

Following that, he laughed coldly and asked, "What did you say? You beat up Kelsey?"

Philip swaggered in and said, "That's right."

Upon hearing this, Connor and Levi looked at each other. After that, all three people in the room laughed maliciously.

"Very well, Philip. You actually dared to hit Kelsey. You do realize that Kelsey is representing the chieftain of the branch family this time to make demands for our release, right? By hitting him, it's the same as hitting the chieftain!"

Connor sneered, his face full of uncontrollable joy. Whoever said Philip was intelligent? It looked like he was just a reckless young man.

He was still too immature and impulsive. He did not consider the consequences of his actions at all!

Levi also smirked and said mockingly, "Philip, you're too arrogant. Do you think the matter will be so simple after you beat up Kelsey? He represents my father! If you hit him, you're disrespecting my father! You're done for!"

The corners of Levi's eyes looked vicious. It had been a long time since he was so happy.

This Philip Clarke was really an idiot! How could a piece of trash like this inherit the Clarke family?

However, Philip just turned his head slightly and glanced at Levi lightly as though he was looking at an idiot. He said, "Levi, are you very happy?"

Levi's face darkened. He disliked the way Philip looked at him.

When they were young, Philip had always followed behind him like a lackey. At the time, Philip would do whatever Levi told him to do.

Since then, Levi had despised Philip from the bottom of his heart and thought that the young master of the main Clarke family was just a henchman at his beck and call.

However, he only felt that Philip was a dangerous man now when he looked at him!

How did this guy come to have such an overwhelming aura?

Levi gulped nervously as cold sweat seeped from his forehead. He said, "So what if I am? You're so arrogant and domineering. The branch family won't sit back and do nothing! Don't forget, even if you inherit the Clarke family, the branch family has the right to teach you the family rules! The law enforcement hall is being managed by the branch family just so we can punish domineering and arrogant juniors like you!"

Levi was right. After the main Clarke family selected the heir, the heir had to go through a one month assessment with the family rules as the standard. The assessment was given by the chieftain and the law enforcement hall!

This could also be regarded as a kind of restriction. After saying this, Levi found that Philip's face had darkened. He immediately felt happy.

It seemed that Philip was still apprehensive of the branch family.

Levi took a few steps forward, stood in front of Philip, and swaggered as he said, "Philip, I advise you to rein in your horses. What ability does a guy like you have to inherit the main Clarke family? What

ability do you have to lead the Clarke family to new glory? Your father is old and you've been away from the Clarke family for so many years. What do you know? Why don't you give up the title of heir and give the position to me instead? Don't worry, as long as I become the head of the Clarke

family, I'll definitely guarantee you, your wife, your children, and your descendants a lifetime of glory and prosperity. How about that?"

After hearing this, a faint sneer appeared at the comer of Philip's mouth. He raised his eyebrows, stared at Levi in front of him, and said, "You must be thinking with your *ss!"

Bam!

Philip swung his leg and kicked Levi on his knee. The latter staggered and knelt on the ground, hugging his knees while screaming.

The injuries on his body had not yet healed, but now his knee was injured. The pain was excruciating!