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"I didn't mean to blame you for not being a responsible father. All I ever wanted was for Justin to be happy. I gave you three months to be with Justin, because I wanted our kid to feel that his longed-for fatherly love was as warm as he had imagined. He had never showed me how much he yearned for you, but I felt a longing in his heart, and I sent him to live with you."

Daisy's heart broke whenever her son behaved intelligently, sensibly, and thoughtfully in front of her. Her son was still little, but had learned to be mature. He had also learned to support his mother, and stayed with her throughout the lonely times. Without him, she couldn't imagine how she could get through those days. He was her rock.

"To tell the truth, at the start, I thought you might not accept him, so when I brought him to you, I also brought the marriage certificate. And once I was finally face-to-face with you, I was struck speechless. Fortunately, I managed to get some words out. But if you had paid attention, you would have seen that I was averting my eyes. I didn't dare to meet your gaze from beginning to end -- I was afraid that I might end up in a situation even worse than before. I couldn't bear that."

As she talked, she occasionally stopped to wipe the tears on her face. A bitter smile graced her lips the whole time. It was hard to tell whether she was self-deprecating or lost in her own memories.

"After that, I was in training. Luckily it was rigorous enough to make me forget about you in the moment. The intense and exhausting training consumed me physically and mentally. I had no spare time to care if you two were okay. But I firmly believed that you would be kind to him, as I believed that I was a good judge of character."

That was true. She had always enjoyed training and working out, because when immersed in her own world, she would temporarily forget about him. It was only when she forgot about him that her heart wouldn't ache for him.

"Later, the evaluation of my performance was completed. I knew there was no chance of a promotion, as I didn't have any high-ranking officials as my relatives. So I felt wronged and ill-judged. I had to call our son to talk with him. Because, in my heart, he was the one closest to my heart, not you."

Her heart sank once more as she looked through her teary eyes at his still sleepy face. Sadness enveloped her, leaving her with no way out. She sniffed, and her cold voice sounded again, as she continued her story. The first time I got your phone call, it made me feel so unreal. So much so that every muscle in my body stiffened because of it. I wondered if this meant that you cared a little bit about me, after all. But when I listened with delight, what you said shattered all my hopes once again."

At the time, she thought that his phone call might be proof for his care for her. But her illusion was shattered by his words, into thousands of shreds that could never be collected into a whole again.

"Six years later, I woke up in your arms again. I was panicked, but also thrilled. Every midnight, I would dream about being held by you, leaning against your chest. But when the dream came true, I hesitated. So when you proposed that we should give each other a chance, I hesitated, but finally agreed. My desire of getting close to you was so strong, that at last, reason succumbed. Are you glad to hear that? Yeah, I've always loved you, very much."

Daisy raised her hand, and caressed Edward's cheek. But when her finger was blocked by the re-breather, she shuddered as anxiety filled her heart.

"Oh, and Jessica. She was so special to you. Whenever I saw you out with her, I was so scared, that I couldn't convince myself to be completely open to you, lest that I was a mere prey in your eyes, not the woman you loved, and every fit of temper would drive me away from you. So I deliberately hid my real feelings from you, not wanting you to realize that in fact, I have already fallen for you, because of your noble temperament and handsome appearance. Even though I love you, I still wanted to keep a little bit of self-respect, because I didn't want to appear so submissive in front of you."

Jessica, the beautiful woman, had always been a huge obstacle that Daisy could not overcome. Of all Edward's ex-girlfriends, Daisy had a special sensitivity to Jessica in particular. She had envied her for so many times, as she read the reports about their love affairs in the newspaper, in magazines, and even in the news. Every time, her heart ached like it was trampled countless times, in jealousy of Edward's tenderness for Jessica. How could she even come close to that?

Maybe you don't know, but Jessica sent me a picture of you hugging her. Although I ostensibly refused to believe her when I confronted her, my heart began to waver. Since then, I've always had a distrust for you, especially after seeing what you did in the office, my heart was once again broken by you -- however hard you tried to mend it, it would never be cured."

At that moment, she really wanted to convince herself to trust him. After all, what she saw was not necessarily truth. But when she remembered the picture she had received, in her heart, bitter doubt grew. Though she had promised him that whatever happened, she would stand beside him and listen to his explanation, when this happened, she suddenly found, that she couldn't be so rational -- she couldn't stay and listen and believe in him. She couldn't reasonably judge which version of the story was the truth,

Jessica's, Edward's, or hers, thus she escaped, and went to the military exercises without bidding him goodbye.

I had never imagined that you would ever see the huge stack of newspapers that I stored in my room in the army base. It wasn't just a stack of newspapers, but also a record of all the feelings I had for you over the years, and what I felt about every piece of news about you. In a moment I felt bare and naked before you, and could never hide from you again, as you've seen through me, both body and soul.

As I was panicked and scared, out of my expectation, you responded with an 'I love you". At the time, tears trickled down my cheeks. Hearing your words, I felt that I was the happiest woman in the world. The deepest spot in my heart was melted.

Daisy narrated with a sweet smile. The smile on her face was so bright, as if happiness were really in front of her, as it she reached out and could pluck it like a ripe apple from a tree.

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"However, good things never last. When the military exercise was over, Jessica came to me. It seemed as if she had arranged someone to spy on me and had learned about my every movement, because as soon as I got my phone back, I received her phone call. In the call, she arrogantly declared a war on me. What a coincidence. Why does every happy moment have to end with sorrow?"

Daisy had always thought that since Edward had loved Jessica so much, she must be both excellent in appearance and nature. However, since she started to deal with Jessica, she suddenly found out the woman was a mere brainless beauty, vulgar and thoroughly miserable. How could Edward keep Jessica around for so many years? At the time, she thought, perhaps Edward had a fetish for such women, or perhaps he was such a kind soul that he couldn't bear to abandon her because she had spent so many years accompanying him.

"Then I got my heart broken. She said she was pregnant, and you were the father. Do you know what I felt when I heard that? Do you have any idea that I was wounded deep in my soul? Although I was trying to be calm, and tried to stand in sharp opposition to her, not yielding an inch, in fact, I was horrified and scared. I was scared by her words again, and started to doubt you all over. It wasn't until you told me you'd had a

vasectomy that I was a little bit reassured, but I didn't fully believe what you said, and I took the whole thing with a grain of salt."

Daisy stopped, and flashed a bitter smile. She had never wanted to show her inner world to him. There were so many things she would never have mentioned to him had it not been for this accident, and she certainly wouldn't spend so much time doing it. But what did she have now but time?

"When you rushed forward and took the bullet for me, my mind was blank. It all happened so fast. When you lost consciousness and fell from my arms, my heart stopped beating. I couldn't think or do anything. I was overwhelmed by the feeling that your love for me was so deep that it could cost your life." It never occurred to Daisy that one day a man would be so desperate to ward off a deadly bullet for her with his body, let alone her only love in her life. She was shocked, but she did not feel a sliver of joy. If he had to risk his life to prove his love for her, she would rather not have his love. She'd rather him be healthy and not love her, instead of lie in coma in front of her.

"Oh, you have met Hawkeye. Perhaps you've only noticed the paint on his face. But tell you something, under all that paint, he's really handsome. What's more, his pecs are firm, and those washboard abs! Better than you, I'm afraid to say. You should understand here! If you don't wake up, well, everything will be beyond your control. Because there are so many handsome guys like him in the Falcon, all hand-picked by General Gu and me. If you don't believe me, just look in the mirror. You can see your wife loves you because of your handsome face. And that's also the only standard by which she chooses her soldiers."

Daisy threatened him fondly. Then she sighed. After all this, she could feel her lips cracking in thirst, but he did not respond to her at all. He was still lying so still. What did he think he was? Sleeping beauty? But she wasn't the princess charming, and couldn't wake him up with a kiss.

Edward, I promise you, if you wake up, I will be nicer to you. I will call you dear, honey, baby as you have been longing for. If you want to hear it, you need to wake up quickly, otherwise the promise will be voided."

She knew that up to this matter, this man had been very persistent, and had protested many times against what she called him. But every time, he would give in to her as long as she was being nice. As long as she begged softly, he would never have the heart to force her to do anything she didn't like. But now the magic didn't work, she had been begging him so hard, so long, but he didn't even move so much as an eyelash.

Time passed by second after second, Daisy was still tirelessly talking to Edward. Her love for Edward even moved the present medical staff. In order not to disturb her, they didn't make a sound when they changed the IV bottle and checked Edward's vital signs quietly. Fortunately, although he didn't wake up, Edward's physical condition didn't get worse.

Tom, how is Edward? Where is Daisy?" At the same time, Cynthia and Jonathan, along with Mrs. Wu arrived at the hospital. They asked as they spotted Tom and ran to him. They looked around for Daisy, but didn't see her.

He's okay for now, but he's still in coma. Daisy is in the ICU. She's talking to Edward. Are you all here visiting him?" Tom and Luke stayed in the corridor the whole time. They didn't even leave when they needed to nap, but sat there on the bench and slept.

Not just him, we're here for you and Daisy and Luke, too. I've prepared some food for you two and Daisy. Ask her to come out here, and have some food. If she doesn't eat anything, how can she take care of Edward? I'm afraid there will be many things for her to do."

Cynthia frowned slightly. When Daisy fought with the mobsters last night, she was almost consumed. Now the pressure was even worse. She was worried that Daisy would fall ill before Edward woke up.

Yes, that's true. I'll call her out here." Tom agreed with Cynthia. He had a look at his watch and walked to the ICU. But when he saw the scene inside, he turned and walked out.

What happened? Where's Daisy?" Cynthia asked anxiously. He came back alone.

Oh, she is sleeping. Perhaps she is too tired. Let's not wake her up now." As Tom entered, he saw Daisy sleeping at Edward's bedside, her hand holding Edward's. The scene was so peaceful and beautiful, only the tear stains on her face indicated that she had just wept.

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"Tom, Luke, eat something. Go to sleep after you finish your meal. We'll stay here to keep an eye on Edward." Although Cynthia knew that Tom was the best person to take care of her son, still she couldn't bear to see him so exhausted. She felt he would be able to help Edward better once he had well rested.

Mom, I am fine. It's Tom who needs to sleep after the several-hour-long surgery." Jonathan had once threatened Luke that he would fire him if he didn't change his way to address Cynthia and him, so Luke did as Jonathan had asked.

You both go. You can't stay here. We have to take care of Edward in turns. If we don't rest, we won't have the energy. I know I can't persuade Daisy to rest, as she doesn't want to leave Edward at all. She is asleep now. Don't wake her up. She needs a good rest. She won't sleep again if she wakes up." Cynthia looked feeble, but she managed things efficiently.

Jonathan kept silent. He looked at the drawn curtain. With a frown on his face, he was lost in deep thoughts. He was sure Edward was rescued again. Why else would the curtain be suddenly drawn, and why would Tom ask Daisy to go in to speak with Edward? However, he didn't ask about it lest Cynthia might be worried. He hoped Edward was out of danger now.

Okay. I will take a rest in my office. Let me know if something unexpected happens." Tom realized that as a doctor, he had to be clearheaded, so he accepted Cynthia's offer. After having some food from the food box in Mrs. Wu's hand, he headed for his office.

Mom, I have to do some work. I have to leave now. I don't have time to eat." Paul Du was still hung over the crocodile pool. Luke wondered whether Paul had admitted his guilt after two days and one night. It was quite possible that Paul had passed out due to was quite possible that Paul had passed out due to fear.

Okay. Go. Be careful." After Edward was hurt, Cynthia became more cautious, so she urged Luke to be careful.

Okay. I'll be right back." Luke grinned as he saw Jonathan stare at the ICU. It was obvious that Jonathan was concerned about Edward. Otherwise, he wouldn't fix his gaze on the ICU. He used to fix his eyes on Cynthia only, but he acted differently now.

Take your time. We will take good care of Edward. Go ahead with your business." Luke never looked out for himself. Instead, he was always attentive to Edward's needs and wellbeing. Cynthia regretted this. She felt she shouldn't have imposed such a heavy burden on him.

The corridor grew quiet after Luke left. Cynthia was worried as she couldn't see what was going on in the ICU. She had a worried expression on her face.

Don't worry. He'll continue to fight me. He won't die. Do you think your son is a coward?" Jonathan pulled Cynthia into his arms. His stiff expression turned mild in front of Cynthia.

Honey, please be nice to him. You are his dad, not enemy." Cynthia pleaded. Several decades had passed, but Jonathan was still as handsome as before. Cynthia couldn't understand why Jonathan and Edward didn't make peace. Their hostile relation annoyed her.

Are you criticizing me for Edward?" Jonathan frowned and squinted at Cynthia. He knew that if he tried to be nice to Edward, Cynthia would be insatiable, and she would focus on Edward only. He couldn't bear to be ignored by Cynthia.

No, I treat both of you equally. I love you both, so I won't prefer either one of you over the other. I can't bear to see you hurting each other." Cynthia told Jonathan what she thought while looking him in the eye determinedly.

I know. I'm sorry I made such a scene." Jonathan closed his eyes sadly. He shouldn't have made a fuss about this matter again.

"Honey, thank you for sincerely accepting Edward. We owe this to him. He didn't get to enjoy parental love throughout his childhood." Cynthia sneered at herself. She was the one to be blamed for all this. Jonathan didn't like Edward because he thought Edward was a burden. Cynthia was filled with regret for being unable to handle this matter appropriately.

As I said, he is also my son." Both Daisy and Cynthia had thanked Jonathan for Edward. Jonathan didn't like accepting their gratitude. It made him feel like they belonged to the same family, while he was an outsider.

Mrs. Wu wiped away her tears. Jonathan finally admitted Edward was his son. He had never cared for Edward over the years. Those who didn't know them well assumed Edward wasn't his son. What a happy ending. However, Edward wasn't out of danger yet.

Mrs. Wu, you can go back. Daisy doesn't have time to eat breakfast. Why don't you make something nice for her?" Cynthia thought of Mrs. Wu and turned to her.

Okay. No problem. I'll prepare her favorite dishes." Mrs. Wu's tears turned into smiles. She liked Daisy's warmth and tenderness. Although Daisy looked cold, she didn't put on airs or make things difficult for the servants. After Cynthia sent away all the others, the corridor became very quiet. She knew the medical staff were taking care of Edward in the ICU, but she still felt uneasy. Her eyebrows knitted in a frown. What Jonathan said didn't ease her anguish.

On the top floor of the FX International Group, Rain saw a delicate silhouette when he walked out of the elevator. He slowed down for a few seconds. But soon he picked his pace again and walked to his office with an enchanting smile. The woman stopped him.

Miss Lin, what's the matter?" Rain raised his eyebrow and flaunted a charming look. Even Jessica was besotted with him at this moment.

You are purchasing the stock of the Lin Group, right?" Jessica looked at Rain with fierce eyes. She knew Edward wouldn't treat her with such ruthlessness. Rain must be behind this.

"Yes. So what?" Rain made a face, grinning wickedly.

Why do you do that? Edward would disapprove if he knows about it." Jessica heard from the shareholders that Rain went to discuss business with them. Otherwise, she wouldn't know that Rain was behind all this.

Miss Lin, how naive can you get? I'm a busy man. Why would I bother to purchase the stock of your small company if Edward didn't give the orders?" Rain always gave a hard time to those whom he didn't like. Jessica was at the top of his list.

Rain, don't be so arrogant. You're just a low-status employee at the FX International Group. You have nothing to show off." Jessica bit her lip. Her face twisted with anger.

I admit that I am an insignificant man, and you are a noblewoman. So why are you getting off your high horse to talk with me?" Rain's smile became more charming. Those who knew him well knew that he was just like Edward in some way. The more intoxicating his smile was, the more furious he was.

Where is Edward? I have to talk to him. I don't want to argue with you." Chin up, Jessica spoke with a condescending attitude. There was contempt in her eyes.

Sorry, Edward is away. I'm in charge of the FX International Group in his absence. If there is nothing else, I'll request you to just fuck off." Rain cast a cold look at Jessica, much different from the enchanting look he was wearing moments ago.

What if I don't? Don't you forget who I am? You're not fitted to talk to me." Born with a silver spoon in her mouth, Jessica acted as if she was naturally better than other people. Except for company bosses, all the employees were inferior in her eyes, and they were not qualified to talk to such a woman of quality and stature as her. She was so arrogant that she even despised Daisy and Luke.

Anna, ask security to drive this crazy woman out.

She is not allowed to step into the FX International Group again. Anyone who lets her come in will get fired." Rain gave the order coldly, making everyone shudder.

Rain, how dare you!" Grinding her teeth, Jessica became purple with rage. Her lips were trembling.

I dare to do everything. Don't think you are special. In my eyes, you're like a prostitute in a bar. When you see me next time, I advise you to change your path. I don't want to see you again."

Rain said harshly. He was annoyed because Edward was hurt, and Jessica brought annoyance to him in the early morning, so now he bulged with anger.

Why are you standing still? Didn't you hear me?" Rain was always cordial with his subordinates, and he never acted all high and mighty, but Jessica's humiliation irritated him.

Mr. Xia, I've called the security. They're on their way." Anna never disobeyed Rain. All the employees of the FX International Group knew that Rain represented Edward, and his orders were as important as Edward's.

You can't afford to drive me out. I'm pregnant with Edward's baby. If I lose the baby, he will make you suffer bitterly. Rain, I hope you know the consequence of your actions!"

Jessica sneered, smugly looking at Rain's angry face. She became much more arrogant.

Ha-ha! Jessica, I didn't expect that you are such a shameless woman. I don't believe you're pregnant with Edward's baby. Neither he would sleep with you, nor would he get you pregnant. You can cheat others, but you can't fool me. Now I know how evil you are."

Rain wagged a disapproving finger and mocked Jessica unmercifully. He put Jessica to shame just like what Jessica had done to him. He was not as cruel as Edward and Belinda, but his bitchy words still silenced Jessica.

Chapter 428: Chapter 428: How Dare You Insult Me Like This (part one)

"Nonsense! Of course he is my baby's father. Who else could it be? The whole city knows bloody well Edward is the only man I've ever slept with!"

Luke had handed her the test results, but she didn't believed them for a single second. Edward didn't want to hurt Daisy and so he had forged the report to fool that stupid woman, who was too thick to see the truth. But it didn't mean that she, Jessica, would play their ridiculous game.

Tsk-tsk! Miss Lin, I think you of all people should know who the father is. Or have you slept with too many men that even you can't be sure, so you make Edward the perfect scapegoat?"

Rain sneered. If it was true that she hadn't slept with anyone except Edward, how could she get pregnant? She must think they were real idiots.

You..." Enraged, Jessica raised her hand and swung it at Rain's face. Never in her life had she been so vilely treated and Rain was the first one who dared throw insults in her face.

So are you getting angry because you feel guilty and ashamed? Trying to lash out at me?" Rain caught hold of her wrist firmly. Had she really thought about it before she acted? She couldn't expect him to stand there to take the slap, could she?

Let go of me! How dare you insult me like this?" Stung by his harsh words, Jessica felt the heat rise in her, her whole body trembling like a leaf in the wind.

Miss Lin, the only reason I show you any respect is because your father was my business partner for many years and I feel it a professional courtesy. But it doesn't mean you can do whatever you want."

Rain flung her hand away roughly, and a hint of disgust crossed his eyes. His pretty face was hard and tight, darkened with icy cruelty.

Don't take yourself too seriously. I don't need your revolting courtesy. It's an utter disgrace just to stand here with you."

Jessica staggered back a step and glared at this impassive man in front of her, her eyes blazing with anger. He was always a nobody to her and she never really honored him with a glance, but at that moment she couldn't help feeling a cold fear in her heart, although she had managed to put a bold face on.

That would be convenient for everyone. But do you really think you have any grace left in you?" Something flickered in Rain's eyes, then his lips curved to an elegant arc and his face broke into a wicked smile.

"Even on my worst day, we'll never be in the same league. How ridiculous to hear a bastard son talking about grace! You should never forget who you are and where you stand." Jessica gave him a triumphant smile. Did he truly believe he could hide his little secrets in the dark forever? Any private detective could easily dig into his past and bring his family tree to light. Indeed, he had the blood of a noble family, but his identity had never been admitted publicly. So he was just a bastard son with nothing to inherit and in no position to defy her.

In that case, let's save some time for both of us. Security! What are you waiting for? See her out." Rain had never tried to hide his identity and neither did he feel shame about it. He earned what he had and couldn't care less about what anyone else thought of him. There had been a time he felt frustrated and depressed, but he had learned to let it go. He hoped Jessica would be able to hold her head high several days after this, when anyone with a job would have more dignity than her.

Please, Miss Lin. Don't make this difficult." The security guards didn't dare to anger Jessica. Like any other normal men, they had a soft spot for beautiful women, not to mention this woman who had been their boss's lover for a long time. Yet they had to obey Mr. Xia's order to walk her out.

Out of my way! You plebs, don't you dare touch me! You're making a mistake, Rain, you will regret it. I will make you pay for this." Furiously, Jessica turned to leave, her teeth gritted and her eyes gleaming with malice.

You're right. Someone is going to pay the price. Let's just wait and see." Rain smiled blithely. He never liked this woman. She could threaten him all she wanted and he didn't bother to pay her any attention.

Mr. Xia, is it true Mr. Mu won't be in the office for awhile?" Anna asked as soon as Jessica took her leave, thinking about what Rain said to Jessica.

Has Aaron arrived yet? Get him and meet me at my office." Rain ignored her question and glanced over the room. All workers who had been waiting for his answer lowered their heads quickly and pretended to work.

He's here, I'll get him." Anna felt a vague sense of unease about his words, though she didn't know why.

Rain nodded briefly, and then strode toward his office with a mocking smile on his lips. Jessica flattered herself too much to think she was special to Edward. Edward was a walking pheromone; he attracted women like honey attracted bees. He was just using Jessica to get rid of those women. This was the only reason Edward kept her at his side for so long.

Tired, Rain sank into his chair, frowning. He had a pretty large workload already before taking over Edward's work. He was praying he would not work himself to death before Edward returned to work from the hospital. His musings were ended by a crisp rap on his door. The door opened, Anna and Aaron came in. Anna, of course, was the one who knocked. Aaron had Rain's character and in his opinion the door was only a tool to lock things away.

Make it quick. I have too much going on right now." Impatiently Aaron rolled his eyes at Rain, wondering what Rain was up to and why Rain summoned him all of a sudden.

Edward was seriously wounded yesterday, and he still in critical condition, Rain said in a calm tone, not caring how his words would surprise them.

Damn it Rain! That's not funny! For a moment Aarom didn't seemed to understand what Rain was saying. Rain's face betrayed no hint of a smile. Maybe he wasn't joking. But just a while ago, Aaron had received the bill from the auction, showing Edward had spent tons of money last night. How could he get hurt suddenly?

Chapter 429: Chapter 429: How Dare You Insult Me Like This (part two)

"What should we do now?" Compared with Aaron, Anna took the news better. Just not long ago Rain had mentioned in his conversation with Jessica that he would be in charge of FX International Group. She had guessed that maybe Mr. Mu was going to take a holiday and travel with Daisy. But she never thought this would happen.

"We have to keep the news under control. Make sure the media won't get wind of it. If anyone asks, Edward is on a business trip abroad." Rain ignored Aaron's words and gave his command decisively. He believed that their stock wouldn't take too much damage, but it was likely someone would want to exploit the opportunity and reap some benefit. He would like to err on the side of caution.

You're serious. How is Mr. Mu now?" Aaron realized how serious Rain was and soon knew this was not some joke. The fact that Edward did get hurt worried Aaron immediately.

"Of course I am serious. I'd have to have a pretty sick sense of humor to tell a lie like this. I can't do all the work. So everyone needs to stay sharp, especially you -- Edward's special assistant."

Rain rolled his eyes at Aaron. It was true that he liked to have fun, but he would never make jokes of someone's life. Life was too heavy a thing for him to make light of.

"Jeez! Can you just tell us how he is first?" Edward was the only one in the company Aaron would show any respect to. He had a very casual manner when he worked with other person, including Rain, the vice-president. They were all used to his bantering and joking. That was just how Aaron was.

"Do you have a problem with your ears? Didn't you hear what I just said? He is still in critical condition, " Rain raised his voice like Aaron did. This scene almost made Anna speechless. She couldn't help but twitch her mouth. What was the point of arguing about this? What they should do was to solve the problem they faced.

When can we visit him?" Aaron asked. Edward hired him right after his graduation. To Aaron, Edward was like family. Edward could be a little aggressive or manipulative occasionally, but he was a great boss, friendly and accessible, and never judged people by their positions.

Don't be too rash. Better to wait until he is out of critical condition. Now he is still in coma, our visit won't change that. At the moment, we'd better keep our minds on work." Rain was also anxious about Edward's condition. But he was no doctor, what he could do to support Edward was to make sure the company was running perfectly.

How could this happen? Luke is responsible for his protection. Edward has his bodyguards constantly protecting him, right?" Aaron tried to get a grip on himself, though he couldn't figure out why Edward was hurt under the protection of so many bodyguards. And he knew Luke wouldn't shirk his duties. How had this happened?

I don't know about that yet. Well, let's focus on work and just get everything done. You know what I asked you to do." In fact Rain did know some details, but he decided to simplify this matter. Something was safer kept hidden. Arms dealers seemed to live in different world, and it would be better for them to keep a safe distance.

Ok. I'm on it. I'll keep it quiet and contained." Aaron was certain that Rain was hiding something, but Rain must have a good reason for doing so, so Aaron just let it go. The most urgent priority, apparently, was to concentrate on their work.

"Anna, I need you to go over the agenda and delay all those unimportant matters." Rain had intended to delay purchasing Lin Group's stock. But since Jessica came here asking for a fight, she should be prepared for any possible outcome. He decided to make haste and buy her out as soon as he could. He hoped Miss Lin would enjoy the last days of her luxury life.

"Okay, I got it." Anna tightened her lips. Panic wouldn't do her any good. She had to calm down to get things done properly, especially when things were hard. She had to believe modern medicine would bring Edward back soon.

When both of them had gone, Rain sighed lightly. Daisy's question popped into his head, did he miss Annie? He missed her and he couldn't lie to himself.

During all these years, that lovely sweet girl always held a special place deep in his heart. When he finally met up with her again, he realized she had changed over the years, but still she was the one in his heart. Even so, at this moment he could only sit here, not sure how far away she was from him, wondering if he would ever see her again.

He rubbed his painfully throbbing forehead; he had not slept last night and stayed at hospital all the time before he could rush back home, took a quick shower and changed for work. But it was the situation troubled him rather than the fatigue.

He was surprised when he heard that Edward took a bullet for Daisy. Edward was such a proud man, it was hard to believe one day he would risk his life for a woman, but not very long ago it was also hard for Rain to imagine Edward could be so deeply in love with a woman.

Rain smiled when he thought of this. Edward was a man who didn't hesitate to act and never gave up on his goals. He was certain Edward would never hurt Daisy again after what she had been through all these years. It was certain that Edward would never love anyone else except Daisy all his life. This was Edward. He loved with all his heart and gave his all without reservation. When they were willing to die for each other, love was too weak a word to describe what they had.