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Chapter 986: He Will Die!

Justin reached out to touch Xander's head, but when his hand was about to touch his head, Xander suddenly pulled away.

Justin's hand landed on nothing.

Xander said softly, "Daddy Trueman said that not just anyone can touch my head."

His eyes were a little red.

Justin squatted down to look Xander in the eyes. He turned his son to face him and he said, "Xander, it's not your fault."

"It's my fault! Daddy Trueman only got hurt because he was trying to save me!"

"That wasn't Daddy Trueman but Caleb." Justin didn't know how to explain it to his son. He said, "Trueman is a bad guy who has been using you all this time. The one who saved you is Uncle Caleb."

"I don't care. They are the same person!" Xander shook his head stubbornly. "I know Daddy has schizophrenia. No matter which personality of his is nice to me, they are the same person to me. I don't want him to die!"

He didn't want him to die.

Neither did Justin want anything to happen to Caleb. Otherwise, he would owe him a huge favor!

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And Xander would remember him for life!

All the bad things he had previously done would be gone with his death.

And Nora would also feel guilty for the rest of her life.

It seemed that Caleb had done too much for her!

Thus, he didn't want him to die either!

The look in Justin's eyes turned solemn, and he looked at Xander intently. He said, "Don't worry, he won't die! You have to believe in your mom's medical skills!"

Those words seemed to give Xander strength.

Xander finally relaxed.

Another two hours passed.

Even though it was already three in the morning, Justin didn't tell Xander to go to bed or anything like that.

At six o'clock in the morning.

The sky was starting to light up.

At last, Nora came out of the operating room.

She looked exhausted. The moment she came out, Xander stood up abruptly.

The little boy looked at her hesitantly, wanting to ask something yet also too scared to do it.

"He'll live."

Nora's two-worded reply put Xander at ease immediately.

The next moment, a nurse wheeled Caleb, whose head was bandaged with gauze, out of the operating room on a gurney to the ward for observation.

Xander followed behind the nurse and entered the ward.

Justin walked over to Nora, and the two went to the ward together.

Caleb's injury was very serious—after all, he had been struck by a huge rock...
Although he was out of danger, he was still admitted to the intensive care
unit.

Xander stood outside the glass door of the intensive care unit and looked inside.

Nora walked over and stroked his hair. "Get some sleep."

"But Daddy Trueman..."

"I'll be watching over him here. Trust me, he won't die."

Xander looked at Nora for a long while before he finally nodded and said, "Okay."

Lawrence and Sean took him to a nearby hotel to rest.

Justin and Nora stayed outside the ward.

For a while, neither of them spoke, mainly because they didn't know what to say at a time like this. Neither of them felt any joy at beating Trueman and obtaining the V16.

In the middle of the night, the equipment in the intensive care unit suddenly started to beep.

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Nora stood up abruptly and rushed into the ward.

But after a while, she suddenly staggered out of the ward...

"What's wrong?" Justin was shocked at her behavior.

Was Caleb dying?

As soon as the thought formed in his mind, Nora said, "His time is up."

"What time?"

"The time for him to take the V16. If the V16 is not administered to him right away, he will die."

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Chapter 987: Old Maddy

Immediately after Nora spoke, a group of people suddenly walked over.

There were two bodyguards with another person in the middle.

The bodyguards were both members of the Assassin Alliance while the person they had brought with them turned out to be someone familiar!

The person's face was full of burn scars—it was Old Maddy who had run away without telling her the truth back then!

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Nora still remembered what Old Maddy had said back then. If they couldn't get the support of King from the Imperial League, they would never be able to defeat the mysterious organization...

Thinking about it again, Old Maddy must have already known at that time that the Imperial League was the one backing up the mysterious organization, right?

Therefore, Old Maddy hadn't believed that she could get King's support at all, so he had escaped with the truth to avoid provoking her into becoming enemies with the mysterious organization.

Nora hadn't stayed idle after Old Maddy's escape. She had gone straight to Karl to help find him. Once found, they were to bring him to her immediately.

Old Maddy stood in front of Nora and let out a small sigh. He said, "Ms. Nora."

Nora was not in a good mood. Her mind was preoccupied with thoughts of Caleb's condition, so she only nodded and said, "I finally found you. I'd like to inform you that King..."

But before she could finish, Old Maddy interrupted her. "I know."

A smiling Old Maddy looked at her and said, "I told you, I will naturally appear when the time comes. And now, I'm here."

Nora: "..."

So, the bodyguards hadn't found Old Maddy at all? Rather, Old Maddy had allowed himself to be caught on his own initiative?

Old Maddy looked at Justin. He said, "I'd been looking for clues about King all this time, and I finally found out that you're King. If I had known, I wouldn't have had to run away in the first place... I could have just told you two the truth."

Nora gave him a wry smile. "We know the truth now."

But when Old Maddy heard her, he looked into the ward. After a moment's hesitation, he said, "No, there may still be something that you don't know yet."

"What?"

Old Maddy sighed. "I don't know if I should say it, because telling you will only give you more trouble."

"Say it." Nora looked at him. "Actually, if you had told us the truth from the beginning, we might have been able to avoid all the detours we took after that."

The old man nodded in agreement, and then said, "It's about Trueman Yale."

Nora was taken aback.

Old Maddy sighed. "I was crazy back then, but after I regained my senses, I started investigating the events back then. I knew about you giving birth to triplets back then."

He said slowly, "I also saw with my own eyes Henry Smith taking your baby and handing him to the bodyguard to get rid of..."

Old Maddy clenched his jaw. "At that time, when the first baby was abandoned, they were going to drown him. I rushed forward to save him, but

Henry got someone to stop me. Later, someone came forward and single-handedly saved the baby."

Nora thought of what Caleb had once said, and it took her slightly by surprise. "Who was it?"

"It was Trueman."

Old Maddy paused for a while and then went on. "Or maybe Caleb Gray. I didn't know who he was at the time and he had shown up alone. A few bodyguards stopped us. When he rushed over, he was stabbed trying to save Xander. The stab he took from the back almost struck his heart and killed him on the spot. To be honest, he could have dodged the attack, but if he did, Xander would have fallen into the water..."

Nora stood frozen hearing those words.

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Chapter 988: Someone Has To Be The Villain

Old Maddy looked at Justin again. "At that time, he became seriously injured trying to save Xander. He wanted to save Pete too, but he simply couldn't walk or move anymore, so he called Mr. Hunt... To be honest, be it Xander or Pete, it didn't matter even if they had died back then because having one

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child alive was enough. You can say that it's all thanks to Caleb that both of them survived..."

Old Maddy lowered his head. "I didn't know that he was Trueman at that time; I thought he was just a young man with a crush on Ms. Nora. It was only after I recovered my memory that I realized that he used to hang around Ms. Nora in the past."

Nora was a little stunned. "Really?"

Old Maddy nodded. "I was under orders to protect you at that time, so I had been observing you the whole time. The young Ms. Nora was round and chubby. He often came over to play with you and also occasionally gave you food..."

Nora had fallen ill and started to gain weight when she was five years old.

She vaguely remembered that she did meet a little boy when she was eight or nine years old...

The little boy, who was about twelve or thirteen years old, had stood outside the villa and mocked her for being a little fatty.

But occasionally, when her stepmother didn't cook for her, he would give her something to eat... He had liked teasing her.

However, he had stopped visiting her after a while...

So, she and Caleb had already met in the past?

And...

Caleb didn't only save Xander this time; he had already saved Xander and Pete once back then!

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One could say that without Caleb, the two children would have been killed by Henry long ago!

Nora stared blankly ahead.

There was only one V16 left now. To be honest, after hearing what Old Maddy said, she was now even more at a loss as to what to do.

However, she had always been hard-hearted.

And people were selfish.

Though Caleb had helped her a lot, Xander was her son. The degree of her closeness with them was of utmost importance at this moment. Besides, she had never been the traditional definition of a "good person".

She wasn't capable of abandoning her son to save Caleb.

She looked up at Justin, but saw the man frowning in silence.

Nora understood what he was thinking.

Justin couldn't make the decision for them.

Because Caleb had helped her and saved both Xander and Pete's lives. If Justin made the decision, Xander might hate him for the rest of his life, and their relationship as father and son would never ever be a harmonious one.

But someone had to be the villain here.

Nora took a deep breath. "I'll make the decision."

She looked at Justin intently and said, "The V16 is to be given to Xander."

Justin frowned. "Even if he hates you in the future?"

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"Yes," Nora nodded and said, "Even if he hates me, he would still be alive. I don't mind."

Lawrence stood at the side.

He had immediately returned after he and Sean sent Xander back, in case his boss needed him.

After hearing what Nora said, Lawrence couldn't help but sigh.

Sean had said that their boss would not be able to make the decision because he was afraid that Nora and Xander would hate him.

But in this instant, for the first time, Lawrence found himself admiring a woman and a mother from the bottom of his heart.

As expected, mothers were the ones who could make the greatest sacrifice.

Despite having to endure a lifetime of guilt and her son's hatred in the future, Ms. Smith could still bring herself to make the decision... Compared to this, his boss' dilemma suddenly didn't seem as serious as hers anymore.

But Lawrence also understood that once Nora made this decision, she would have to live in guilt forever for the rest of her life. She would never be able to find peace.

She would owe someone a life for the rest of her own.

Would Ms. Smith, who felt that way, still spend her days happily with his boss?

Lawrence even thought of all the stories where people took their own lives along with the person who died because they owed their life to them...

Since they couldn't save their life, they would die with them...

Ms. Smith wasn't such an extreme person, was she?

Lawrence, who had a bad feeling about it, suddenly became worried for his boss.

But when he turned his head and looked over, he saw that...

Chapter 989: Mommy and Daddy's Wedding!!

It was extremely difficult for Nora to make this decision.

For the sake of her son, she was going to let down the man who had saved her whole family.

For the rest of her life, she would have to live owing someone else a life...

But so what?

If she could save her son, she would give up even her own life without any hesitation, let alone Caleb's!

But immediately after Nora made the difficult decision, the man in front of her suddenly sighed.

Nora looked at Justin. For the first time, she felt a little like she couldn't breathe.

What did he mean by that?

Did he not support her decision?

While she was wondering, the door of the ward was pushed open again, and the nurse came out. "Dr. Smith, the patient is in shock! We are attempting

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resuscitation, but the cause of the patient's condition is unknown. We noticed that he has cancer, so that may be it, but we don't know what exactly is going on. Dr. Smith!"

Beep, beep...

Along with the nurse's voice, the sound of the patient's heart beating again came from the ward. However, it was awfully weak, as though it would disappear the next second.

Nora clenched her fists. If she didn't administer the V16 to Caleb right away, he would die.

She turned her head abruptly to look at the ward. "I... will send him off."

This was her punishment to herself.

Witnessing the death of her son's savior... This scene would keep replaying in her mind in the future, making her heart hurt and filling her with shame and guilt.

Nora, you are such a cold-blooded person.

She dissed herself inwardly. But as soon as she took a step forward, a strong and warm hand suddenly held her wrist.

She turned around to see Justin placing the V16 in her hands.

On the man's handsome face, the beauty mark at the corner of his eye shimmered especially brightly. His voice was low and strong like the cello, which helped her find her bearings amid her turmoil and confusion. He said, "Give it to him."

The four words stunned Nora.

She looked at Justin in astonishment.

The two of them stood where they were.

Nora was wearing a white surgical gown and gloves. Her dark hair was coiled into a bun with a pencil, revealing her delicate and exquisite face. Her almond-shaped eyes were slightly widened at the moment.

The man was clad fully in black, and his black silk shirt shone a little under the light. His expression was calm, and his eyes were bright and piercing.

They looked at each other, both silent for a long while.

Beep...

The heartbeat in the ward was becoming slower and slower... Every beat seemed like it might be the last.

It was hard to tell just how much time had passed until Nora clasped her fingers on the V16 that Justin had handed her. Then, she turned and entered the operating room.

At the side, Lawrence rushed over suddenly and exclaimed, "Boss, you, you... How can you make such a decision? What about Xander?!"

Justin didn't say anything.

Lawrence shouted furiously, "I know you have three children, and you have the least amount of affection for Xander, but he's your son! You can't..."

By this point, Lawrence's voice was already all choked up.

In the past, Lawrence had disliked Xander and thought of the boy as a little devil.

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After all, he had dark and sinister thoughts and loved playing tricks on the bodyguards and nannies the most. His behavior was also vicious and ruthless...

But when they came to pick them up this time, Lawrence had slowly come to understand Xander's personality.

The child was clearly pure and kind. All the bad things he'd done in the past were because he had been led astray...

In particular, Xander had stayed by Caleb's bed. Even when he was extremely sleepy, he had refused to go back to sleep. In the end, Nora had to order him to go back...

The child was very loyal and faithful!

Lawrence had started to become fond of him.

Yet!

Was the child he had just started to become fond of going to die soon?!

How could his boss make such a decision?

But he didn't dare to say too much either. He could only stare at the intensive care unit angrily.

Through the glass window, he saw Nora opening the V16 gene serum bottle. She drew out all the liquid in the syringe... Then, she looked at the needle.

Under the bright incandescent lights in the ward, the pillow reflected an icy sheen. She pushed the needle slightly to ensure that all the air inside was pushed out. Then, she suddenly looked behind her.

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Through the glass door, she and Justin looked at each other.
Justin nodded.
Nora understood at once. She lowered her eyes and injected the V16 straight into Caleb's arm without hesitation!!
Caleb's heartbeat returned to normal.
Justin ordered one of his best bodyguards to stand guard over him, in case he turned into Trueman and escaped after he woke up.
The V16 was indeed powerful.
Even though Caleb had suffered grievous injuries to his head, after he was injected with the V16, his physical fitness became stronger and stronger, and his recovery speed was twice as fast as that of ordinary people. He indeed showed signs of longevity.
After ensuring that he was out of danger, Nora and Justin returned to the hotel.
The two entered the room at the same time.
Little Xander was lying on the bed. He was so small that one couldn't even see any depression on the soft mattress. It was as if there was no one on it at all
Justin looked at Nora and suddenly asked, "How long does Xander have left?"

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"One month."

Nora replied. She looked at Justin. "We've given the V16 to Caleb. What is Xander going to do?"

Justin contemplated for a moment, but before he could speak, Xander's voice suddenly reached them. "Mommy, I don't mind."

His words took Nora aback for a moment. Then, she turned to look at him.

Xander said, "Daddy saved me several times. I owe him a lot of lives. That's why I had decided to give him the gene serum long ago. This is my choice."

Rubbing his eyes, he sat up from the bed. Then, he looked at Nora with a smile and said, "I still have a month to live! When I was in the basement, I wanted to see the sea and the desert... But actually, what I really want to see is something else."

Nora's eyes were a little red. She walked over to the bed and sat down. Then, she picked up Xander and put him on her lap.

Five-year-olds were still very small.

Xander was not quite used to such intimacy.

He smiled and said, "I wanna see Mommy and Daddy's wedding! You know what? Pete and Cherry really racked their brains to get you guys together. They told me that the two of them were the first to discover each other's identities and that they first found each other in a hotel in California. But at that time, they were afraid that the two of you wouldn't like each other and the two children might even end up separated from their respective parents, so they chose to hide the truth from you two..."

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Back then, Cherry and Pete had really racked their brains and done everything they could to bring the two of them together.

They had even hidden their identities...

Time seemed to return to the very beginning when Nora returned to the United States with Cherry...

"I've achieved what they couldn't. I'm a pretty good big brother, right?!"

Although Xander was sleepy, he looked very smug. He said, "This alone should be enough to make the two of them willingly acknowledge me as the eldest."

...

Nora listened to Xander's tender voice. The boy had finally become more cheerful and wasn't so gloomy anymore.

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Chapter 990

Chapter 990: Two More Things

"Why...? Why did you inject me with the V16?!"

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In the van on its way home, Caleb, who had regained consciousness, couldn't help but glare at Justin. "I didn't want to live. Besides, I'm already thirty, whereas Xander is only five! Why did you give me the V16?!"

Xander was seated next to him, his short legs dangling off the seat as he kept his head down.

Nora looked ahead.

Justin ignored him.

The furious Caleb grabbed Justin's collar. "I've heard the specifics of what happened. Nora had decided to give the V16 to Xander! You were the one who stopped her! Why? Is it really only because you don't want them to feel guilty? But he's your son! Justin, is your heart made of stone? Or do you share the same mindset as that old geezer and feel that you can just father more children? Do you think that you already have enough children, so it doesn't matter even if you abandon one?"

He clenched his fists agitatedly, his eyes filled with bloodthirst as he stared at Justin.

Justin, whose head was lowered, reached over and pried off Caleb's fingers clutching his clothes one by one. He looked at Xander and asked, "Xander, do you regret it?"

Xander shook his head. "No, I don't."

Justin pointed at him and said to Caleb, "Did you see that? Now, that's my son! This is his choice! Rather than living in guilt and suffering for the rest of his life, it is better that he goes with a blast instead!"

Caleb stared at him in astonishment. Only after a while did he spit out contemptuously, "You... Your heart must be made of stone!"

Xander took his hand. "Daddy Trueman, don't blame Daddy. I am a man. If I was in the hospital at that time, I would have made the same choice as Daddy too. That's what a real man should do!"

He raised his chin slightly.

Caleb looked at him. After a while, he finally heaved a sigh and touched his hair. "You're only five. You're no man..."

Xander didn't speak anymore.

Caleb clenched his fists and looked at Nora. "Nora, what about you? Why did you let him convince you?"

Why?

Because the look in Justin's eyes at that time had told her to trust him!

Even though Justin still hadn't given her an explanation, Nora didn't say much. She merely turned her head and looked out the window.

If there was someone in this world whom she could trust unconditionally, it was undoubtedly Justin.

Before she knew it, after going through so much together, it was only at this moment that Nora realized that she was leaving herself this unguarded against him.

While she was thinking, Caleb said, "By saving me, you've also saved Trueman. He..."

"No."

Nora looked at him intently. "I will cure you of your schizophrenia and wipe him out completely!"

Her words made Caleb's eyes light up. "Can... can you really do it?"

Nora nodded. "But this needs time. It'll take a month at the earliest and half a year at the longest. Therefore, you'll have to go back to the States with me."

"Go back to the States?"

Caleb was stunned. "Are you guys going back to the States?"

But the path they were taking was clearly the way to Queenie's manor.

They were already back from the border.

Nora nodded. She looked at Xander with a tender glow in her eyes and said, "We've settled everything, so it's time for us to go home... to prepare for the wedding."

After realizing that the mysterious organization belonged to the Imperial League, Justin had cut off all of the mysterious organization's income sources.

In addition, the mysterious organization was ultimately still inferior to the Imperial League. By utilizing everything at his disposal, Justin had completely dissolved the mysterious organization.

The mysterious organization no longer existed.

The previous King who killed Nora's mother had long since died... Its new master, Trueman, was also right in front of them. Everything had ended.

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Nora would never take her anger at the previous King's deeds out on Justin, of course... One should only hold the perpetrator responsible for their misdeeds. The previous King's wicked deeds had already ended during his time.

She had also finally fulfilled her mother's last wishes and destroyed the mysterious organization, wiping the terrifying biological laboratory off the face of the world...

Therefore, there were only two things left for her to do now.

First, she had to cure Caleb of schizophrenia and get rid of his other personality that had committed all those evil deeds. That would count as her revenge.

Secondly, she had to fulfill Xander's wish.

As soon as Nora said what she did, the car fell silent.

Two days later, they finally arrived at Queenie's residence. When Cherry and Pete saw them, they rushed forward excitedly and gathered around Nora and Justin happily.

Cherry clung to Nora's leg and said sweetly, "Mommy, Xander said that you're marrying Daddy. Is it true? Our family of five won't ever have to separate again in the future, right?"

Pete also looked up at them, his eyes brimming with anticipation.

Nora ruffled the two children's hair and looked at Justin.

Justin bent over, picked up Cherry, and nodded as he said, "Uh-huh. Is your luggage all packed? We're going... back to the States!"

Iris was in the United States. Moreover, Nora and Justin's friends were also there. Therefore, they were holding the wedding in the States!

As for Queenie...

Nora looked at the suitcase behind her, as well as at Ian whose wheelchair was being pushed by a caretaker. With a wave, she said, "Let's go back!"

After they chartered a plane back to the United States, they went back to the Smiths' residence first.

Joel and Tanya, who had already heard the news, were standing outside the door with smiles on their faces as they waited for them. The group reunited and chatted away.

Mia had already hopped over to Pete. The two little ones seemed to have endless things to talk about.

The group, however, had no idea that a "coup" was currently taking place at the Hunts' residence.

Mrs. Hunt, whose hair had already turned white, was seated in the living room at the moment and watching the crowd there...

Everyone was questioning her.

"Why hasn't Ms. Smith come to work for so long?"

"As expected, women really can't do it after all? How can we support her when she doesn't even show up?"

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"Ma'am, Pete is still young, but Ms. Smith is so unreliable... Besides, as far as we know, she and Mr. Hunt are not legally married yet. In the eyes of the law, she doesn't even qualify to manage the company!"

"Yes, that's right. Therefore, we still recommend letting Raymond Hunt's family take over the company. Ma'am, you must look at the big picture! Of course, if Raymond Hunt's family can't do it, then let's get Herman back. He is Pete's grandfather and Mr. Hunt's father after all! He will never harm Pete!"

"All of us here are either too old or too young, yet Ms. Smith, the only one who can manage the company, isn't legally married to Mr. Hunt. Ma'am, for the sake of the Hunts, make the call to get Herman back first!"

In the midst of the heated discussion, a thrilled Fanny, the housekeeper, rushed into the living room!!