

"I've tested the machine, but you could be right. Do you mind telling me whose hair those were?"

Shaun was extremely puzzled.

Meanwhile, Kingsley was gloating over the doctor's situation. He was more than happy to find out that someone was in the same shoes as him.

"How dare you report it to me when you can't even guarantee that the result is correct?" Benjamin shouted in rage and hung up right away, leaving Shaun frustrated.

Why do I get a feeling that he doesn't want to accept the result? Whose DNA test is it anyway?

"Daddy, let's do another test at a different hospital. This time, keep an eye on it until the result is out," Gavin suggested to Benjamin.

Benjamin could not bring himself to break Gavin's heart after looking at him in the eye, so he eventually agreed.

With that, Gavin's eyes lit up.

Benjamin was rather speechless.

"Why did you expose your mommy?" he suddenly asked.

Gavin snorted in response, saying, "She's not my mommy. She bullied Jas-" He paused for a while and continued, "W-Why can't I expose her?"

Gavin touched his nose, silently hoping that Benjamin didn't notice his slip of the tongue.

He did not mind Danna mistreating him, but he could not stand watching Jasper getting bullied.

Suddenly, Benjamin's eyes flickered as he stared at Gavin's wrist.

There was no mole on his wrist.

He looked at Gavin's face, observing it carefully. His heart then skipped a beat.

This kid looks slightly different from this morning. He's definitely Gavin. If so, who was the one who had breakfast with me this morning?

"Daddy, do you still like her? I don't like her. I hate her!"

Anger stirred in Gavin's eyes like a dancing flame.

His hatred for Danna took over him, and he did not realize what Benjamin had noticed about him.

This kid restrains himself even when he gets angry, unlike the kid in the morning. That one was so irritable.

Benjamin was sure that he had seen a mole on the boy's wrist that morning. The mole could not possibly have disappeared within a few hours.

As he remembered how Gavin firmly denied Danna being his biological mom, a thought flashed through his mind.

Benjamin was sure that the kid he saw in the morning and the kid in front of him were two different people.

"Boss, how about doing another DNA test at a different hospital?"

Seeing the determined look on Gavin's face, Kingsley also thought that Benjamin should do another test.

"Do another test with Danna and Gavin's DNA samples. Keep it discreet. Let's see what the result says this

time.”

Whether or not Arissa was Gavin's biological mom, it would be good news as long as Danna was unrelated to Gavin.

“Daddy, Mommy came to look for me. She must be my mom!” Gavin said to Benjamin.

“Did she tell you that?” Benjamin immediately noticed how Gavin started calling Arissa his mom.

Gavin glanced at him and whispered, “No, she didn't say anything.”

Benjamin thought about the boy's strange behavior and how Arissa had checked the surveillance cameras when she visited his house. Then, he turned to look at Gavin again and snorted inwardly.

“Start the car!” he ordered. Immediately, the driver did as told.

Confused, Gavin looked at Benjamin with his head tilted.

“Daddy, where are we going?”

“We're going to have a meal with your Mommy!”

His words took Gavin by a pleasant surprise. Though he wanted to go, he said, “But I still have class!”

Benjamin glanced over the campus and saw a few kids peeking at them from a corner, and he narrowed his eyes.

Gavin quickly blocked his sight and asked, “Daddy, which Mommy are you bringing me to?”

Benjamin questioned in response, “How many Mommies do you have?”

Kingsley chortled.

“One, and that's Arissa York!” Gavin replied firmly.

Benjamin patted his head. “The butler told me that you made new friends. Do you want to invite them?”

At the thought of Arissa's daughter, Benjamin's heart stirred again.

That child is as old as Gavin. If Arissa is really Gavin's biological mom, does this mean they're triplets?

At present, Benjamin was overwhelmed. Yesterday, he could only look at the child from afar. Hence, he wasn't able to see clearly.

Gavin said excitedly, "She's asleep. Maybe next time!"

Benjamin took a quick glimpse at him.

"You look really happy, Gavin."

Gavin glanced at his father and obediently sat down. "I am!"

Gazing at him, Benjamin turned sullen.

Gavin's mood had dramatically changed. Evidently, he is different from before. He used to be so quiet, but now he has turned into a cheerful kid.

Witnessing the interaction between both of them, Kingsley was amused.

"Boss, do you have absolutely no memory about the incident? Are you sure it's Danna?" asked Kingsley.

Benjamin's lashes battered as he tried to recall the past. The fragrance from that night was etched deep inside his memory.

Since then, he had never sensed it from Danna. On the contrary, the fragrance appeared on Arissa instead.

Furthermore, the child... All of these aren't coincidences. Was it actually Arissa? Did she do it on purpose or did someone frame her? Besides, how did the child end up with Danna?

At that moment, numerous guesses popped into Benjamin's mind. He then took out his phone and dialed Ethen's number.

Meanwhile, Ethen was having a meal with Arissa and the others. The group was chattering away when Ethen's phone began ringing.

When he saw Benjamin's incoming call, he excused himself and arrived at a quiet corner in the room to answer the call.

Ethen respectfully greeted, "Mr. Graham!"

"Head to the hospital and investigate the surveillance cameras. Check if Danna or anyone she knows appeared last night!" Benjamin ordered.

Gavin took a glance at Benjamin. *Daddy does believe me, right? This isn't the right time for Daddy to meet Zachary and the others. Or else, I would've directly led him to them. This way, Daddy will know everything I said is true. There's no need for verification if that's the case!*

"Right now?"

Ethen peeked at the other side of the room. The dinner party was just about to begin.

"Now!"

Witnessing Benjamin's assertive attitude, Kingsley shook his head as a smile appeared on his face. *Seems like Ethen is going to miss the party this time.*

Ethen was rendered speechless by Benjamin's outrageous demand, but nonetheless, he was helpless as work was always his top priority.

Does this mean that Mr. Graham didn't trust the result?

He then turned to cast a glance at Arissa. *Wouldn't it be great if Ms. York is Gavin's biological mother?*

"Ms. York, Mr. Graham has some work for me to do. I need to leave now."

Noticing his anxiety, Arissa asked, "Why don't you leave after eating?"

"It's an urgent matter!"

After apologizing to everyone, Ethen abruptly left the room.

"Ms. York, let us start!"

"Fortunately, Mr. Graham didn't appoint us for the job. Otherwise, the food would be wasted!"

"Don't get too excited. We should eat and end this as soon as possible since we might be called into work at any time."

"That's right. Let's dig in!"

Arissa found the employees' complaints rather funny. With a smile on her face, she queried, "Are you often called back at the last minute?"

"Not often, but it happens."

Soon, they began gossiping about their respective departments while enjoying their scrumptious meal.

"Danna is such an inhumane person. How could she treat a child like that? Not to mention, that child is Mr. Graham's son."

"Although he's Mr. Graham's son, Mr. Graham doesn't care much about the child. Otherwise, he would've married Danna."

The gossips at the table next to Arissa's intensified.

Squinting, she turned and saw the employees all gathered up, looking at something.

"This video is verified to be true, but the ignorant fans denied it and continued to support Danna. I'm totally speechless."

"The fans might not be real. They probably hired some ghostwriters as part of their publicity scheme."

"That's true. This is very common in the entertainment industry. Regardless, Danna is the first person accused of such things!"

Arissa took out her phone and logged into Twitter. The trending headline caught her eye almost immediately.

There were photos of Gavin's injuries from the mistreatment, along with the video. At that moment, anger and hatred poured through her.

*Danna Adams! That wicked b*tch!*

"Ms. York! Ms. York?"

One of Arissa's colleagues called her name after noticing her odd expression.

Coming back to her senses, Arissa put on an apologetic smile.

"Are you okay, Ms. York?"

"I'm fine. Excuse me. I need to go to the restroom. Do proceed and order anything you like!" replied Arissa.

After saying that, she stood up and left the room. Then, she dialed Gavin's number on her way to the restroom.

Once Arissa's caller ID appeared on Gavin's phone, he was flustered in joy.

"Mommy's calling!"

Upon hearing that, Benjamin's eyes lit up. He turned around to see the little boy excitedly holding up the phone and noticed the caller ID that was flashing on the screen.

Gavin hurriedly picked up the phone and shouted in excitement, "Mommy!"

Arissa teared up as soon as she heard his voice. She turned around to wipe her eyes that were brimming with tears.

She tried her best to conceal her emotions to prevent Gavin from noticing anything unusual.

"Sweetheart! What are you up to now? Is Mommy bothering you while you're in the middle of something?"

Arissa was worried that Gavin might see the news online and feel miserable.

"I'm at school, Mommy!"

Both Benjamin and Kingsley gazed surprisingly at Gavin, realizing the latter was lying.

Kingsley was amused. *Who knew that even Gavin could lie.*

"You didn't bother me, Mommy. What are you doing right now?"

Arissa's heart was melted by the little boy's adorable tone.

"Mommy is having dinner with some colleagues. Have you eaten yet, Gav?"

"Yes I have!" answered Gavin enthusiastically.

Arissa let out a chuckle before asking, "Gav, did you surf the web today?"

Gavin questioned innocently, "Anything wrong, Mommy?"

Kingsley was deeply astonished, yet impressed at the same time.

This kid can become such a gentle cutie when talking to his mother. Typically, he would put on a serious face and behave aloof whenever he's around us, just like Boss.

"Don't worry. Mommy's just asking. Remember not to play on your phone if possible, Gav. There are a lot of inappropriate things on the internet. Besides, your eyes could be harmed too!" advised Arissa.

Gavin blinked and obediently replied, "Okay, Mommy. I won't play on my phone."

"You're such a good boy!" she praised.

In the meantime, Benjamin could vaguely hear Arissa's soft-spoken and comforting voice from the speaker, which was utterly different from the way she spoke to him. A strange feeling rose within him.

"Gav, you go rest now. Mommy needs to return to the dinner party. We'll talk very soon, okay?"

Arissa didn't want to be absent from the dinner for too long. After all, she intended to buy her colleagues dinner to build a good relationship with them.

Gavin nodded. Shortly, he realized that Arissa couldn't see it. Hence, he said, "Okay! Bye-bye, Mommy!"

Arissa's grinned and finally put down the phone after he ended the call.

Then, she entered the restroom and fixed her makeup. After calming herself down, she returned to her seat at

the dinner table.

When Arissa entered the room, everybody urged her to try the dishes that were newly served.

Soon, she began eating and chatting with them.

The people from the IT department were down-to-earth.

None of them were into alcohol, so they mainly ate and talked throughout the dinner. Arissa was able to blend in, and she had a great time.

Inside the car, Kingsley gave Gavin a thumbs up.

"Wow! You learned how to lie, Gavin!"

He would never believe that Gavin would lie if it weren't witnessing himself. *He's a natural at lying. How dumbfounding!*

Gavin looked at him and spoke indifferently. "I wanted to give Mommy a surprise."

Kingsley suppressed his urge to burst into laughter.

As for Benjamin, he took a glance at Gavin and remained silent.

Meanwhile, Danna and her mother, Vivian Shaw, arrived at the Graham residence at Yaleview.

However, they didn't get to meet Gavin because Edwin stopped them at the door, forbidding them from entering.

Vivian fumed, "Edwin, what do you mean by this? Danna is Gavin's biological mother. How could you stop her from meeting her own son? This is absurd!"

Her irritation flared.

Soon, she began shouting toward the house, "Gavin! Gavin! Granny is here! Mommy is here too!"

Edwin peered coldly at them. "Do not disturb Gavin from resting. It was Mr. Graham who forbade you from meeting Gavin. Please leave now."

Edwin deliberately hid the truth that Gavin went to school, so they wouldn't attempt to find him there.

"Benjamin would never do that! This is ridiculous! Furthermore, he has no right to do so. Gavin is Danna's son! This is the fact! How dare you stop us from entering the premises. You are just a butler. Who are you to stop us?" expostulated Vivian with a forceful tone.

"Mom!"

Danna tugged on Vivian's sleeve, urging her to stop. Then, she turned to Edwin and apologized, "Edwin, my mother is too anxious. Do forgive her. We only wanted to take a look at Gavin, just for a little while."

Danna looked down as she choked back her tears. "What I did was wrong. I came here to apologize. Please let me see him, Edwin!"

When she looked up again, her eyes were brimming with tears, looking extremely pitiful.

Edwin would have believed her if he didn't witness her cruelty in the past.

He uttered coldly, "Ms. Adams, Gavin is reluctant to meet you as he was deeply hurt. You should stay away from him for the time being if you really do care about him."

Vivian interjected, "Nonsense! Gavin would never treat his mother like that! Undoubtedly, all of you have been discrediting Danna in front of him. Otherwise, Gavin would have forgiven her ages ago! It must be your own intention to forbid them from seeing each other!"

She paused for a moment and added, "Fine! If we can't go in, tell Gavin to come outside. Danna only wants to see her child. It's unlawful to stop her from doing so. Call Gavin and get him to come outside right now!"

Edwin was annoyed by her arrogance and scoffed inwardly. *This isn't the Adams residence. Who does she think she is?*

Danna continued begging, "Edwin, could you do us a favor by asking Gavin to come outside? I just want to see him and talk for a little while. Then, I will leave at once."

However, Edwin was unmoved. "Go away. What you are doing is in vain. Mr. Graham would be indignant if he finds out that you came here to bother Gavin."

After giving them the last warning, he turned around and headed inside.

There were several bodyguards guarding the entrance, preventing the mother and daughter duo from entering.

Vivian was breathless with anger. "Let us in! You have no right to stop Danna from meeting her own child! We will not leave unless we see Gavin!"

On the other hand, a glint of resentment flashed across Danna's eyes as she stared at Edwin's figure that was retreating into the Graham residence.

I will make them pay for everything they have done!

"Going in seems impossible! What should we do, Danna? Why don't you give Gavin a call?"

Vivian was pissed and desperate. *If Danna can't make up with Gavin, she'll be ruined. Not to mention, the impact on our family business will be grave!*

"Mom, Gavin isn't answering!"

Danna gritted her teeth, fighting the chaos of her rage. She dragged Vivian back into the car as she didn't want anyone to witness the embarrassment.

"Seems like Benjamin is truly angered this time. How could you pinch Gavin so carelessly-"

Danna's rage intensified when her mother began lecturing her.

"It's all because of that brat! He used to stay silent even if I pinched him. He has been against me since the day I came back. I didn't expect him to cry that day. The next time I see him, I will-"

Vivian cut in, "Be careful! Don't mess up again! We can't rely on Benjamin anymore. The only way is for you to maintain a good relationship with Gavin. No children will resent their mothers for a lifetime. As long as you please him and become closer, Benjamin's attitude toward us will naturally change too!"

Danna listened attentively to Vivian's advice. Still, she was smoking with anger inside.

"I tried to treat him well, but he always behaved coldly toward me. I have never even seen him smile before!"

Vivian sighed and uttered, "I told you to spend more time with him, but you refused to do so-"

Enraged, Danna spouted, "I never liked him since day one!"

"Calm down, now. Regardless of whether you like him or not, you must hide your emotions and act as if you care for him. It is important for him to think that you love him even if it's all fake! Someday, Gavin will surely forgive you and accept you as his mother. If the conflict persists, you will lose both Gavin and Benjamin! By then, our family will be doomed."

Just then, Danna received a phone call from her manager, Jean Palmer.

"Danna, Kingsley hired a bunch of ghostwriters to discredit you. We can't contain the situation any longer. Do you have any plans to deal with Benjamin?"

"Why are you bothering me with every single issue? I paid all of you to do the work for me, so do I have to teach you about public relations? There is only one way to fight back. Get behind Kingsley's scandals and spread it out! Direct the focus of the netizens toward him!"

Finishing up, Danna hung up and tossed her phone onto the ground. Evidently, nothing was going in her favor.

Vivian picked up the phone and scolded, "Why did Kingsley intervene in our matter? He must be the one driving a wedge between you and Benjamin. Otherwise, Benjamin wouldn't become merciless toward us."

Shortly after, Jean called again. This time, Vivian was the one who picked up.

"Danna, we received a lawyer's letter from Wings Media Corporation, requesting payment of damages. I will forward the document to you later."

Vivian was stunned. "How much do we have to pay?"

"Approximately fifty percent of the total income, which is three billion!"

Finishing up, Jean ended the call.

At that moment, panic surged through Vivian. She could barely hold the phone anymore. "Danna, Jean informed that Wings Media Corporation demanded three billion for breach of contract!"

Soon, the companies that cooperated with Danna consecutively sent lawyer's letters to her, requesting compensation.

Although the Adams family was wealthy, they couldn't afford to pay all of them.

"Ahhh!"

Danna covered her head with her arms and fell into a frenzy.

Meanwhile, Benjamin and Gavin arrived at Drawbridge Dining.

Both of them held hands as they entered the restaurant. The good-looking pair became the center of attention.

"Wow! He is so hot!"

"The little guy looks so cool and handsome. I want to squeeze him in my arms! Oh my!"

"My God! How could someone be so stunning? Who are they?"

"Ah! I can't take another look! They are mesmerizing!"

Kingsley tailed behind Benjamin indifferently as he was already used to such a scene.

Regardless of where they were, Benjamin would always be in the limelight. As for Kingsley, he was simply a foil.

Even from a man's perspective, Benjamin was undoubtedly a charming and powerful man. He was born to be exceptional.

At present, Benjamin glanced across the restaurant. Gavin also examined the room, trying to find Arissa.

"How could someone give birth to such a striking child? I really want to give him a kiss!"

"After all, the father is incredibly stunning!"

"Is that Mr. Watts? It seems that he is with them. The man must be someone important!"

On the other hand, Arissa noticed the sudden commotion in the restaurant. As she looked toward the entrance, her eyes met with Benjamin's.

At that moment, her heart skipped a beat.

Is Benjamin here for lunch too?

She respectfully nodded to greet him. After all, he was her boss.

There were lots of greenery inside the restaurant. Therefore, Arissa couldn't see Gavin, whose figure was blocked.

She looked away as soon as she spotted Kingsley, who stood behind Benjamin.

The employees from the IT department also noticed their arrival. Apparently, they were slightly afraid of Benjamin, and all of them quickly lowered their heads after nodding respectfully at him.

Soon, they began muttering, "Why did Mr. Graham come here for lunch?"

"The pressure is no joke!"

"Didn't he call Mr. Frank back to the office for something important?"

On the contrary, Arissa was amused by their reactions.

However, her smile faded as soon as she sensed Benjamin walking toward her.

Despite the strong aura radiating from him, she proceeded to eat and pretended nothing had happened.

Suddenly, a cute and angelic voice rang, followed by the sound of approaching footsteps.

"Mommy!"

The meatball dropped from her fork and onto the plate.

Arissa quickly turned around. To her surprise, she saw Gavin running toward her.

"Sweethea-"

She subconsciously shouted out his pet name. Shortly after, Arissa realized it was inappropriate, so she restrained herself.

"Gavin!"

Gavin jumped into her arms and happily looked up at her. "What a coincidence, Mommy! Are you having lunch here too?"

Arissa's heart melted when she saw him again.

Noticing his words, she gently pinched his nose. "Did you forget what I said previously?"

Meanwhile, colleagues were dumbfounded by the scene. Gavin had paid Graham Group a couple of visits in the past. Hence, the employees were all familiar with him.

Isn't that Mr. Graham's son? Did he just address Ms. York as 'Mommy'? Oh my God!

Their eyes were bulging, overwhelmed by shock.

Gavin winked and grinned widely. "Ms. York!"

Upon hearing that, Arissa's colleagues breathed a sigh of relief in unison. *Ah! The kid was just joking around.*