

## Chapter 406 An Old Friend

"Please don't tell anyone else about it, Collen," Sabrina said.

Sabrina didn't want others to know about her amnesia because she wouldn't be able to tell the difference between someone who genuinely knew her in the past and someone who was just taking advantage of the situation.

She had only told Collen the truth because she believed that Blayze wouldn't hurt her and Collen was Blayze's friend.

Collen understood the reason for Sabrina's request and agreed readily, "Don't worry. I won't tell anyone. If anyone tells you they knew you from your time here and wonders why you don't remember them, just tell them that it has been several years and you've forgotten about it."

"Okay."

The subject of the conversation was changed a while later as Collen started introducing Sabrina to Philade again. He told her about the museum, the city hall, and the shopping malls in Philade.

When they arrived at the hotel Sabrina had booked, Sabrina spoke with the receptionist for a while. After collecting the room card from the receptionist, she took the suitcase from Collen. "Collen, I've got the card to my room. It's so late. You should go home."

"It won't take long. I'll go upstairs with you."

Then, Collen escorted Sabrina to her room. After making sure she was settled, Collen told Sabrina to lock her door at night.

"It's late. You should go home. I'll call you tomorrow if anything happens."

"Okay, I'm leaving now. I'll talk to you tomorrow. Then, I will take you around. You can buy all the things you need then."

"Okay, thank you."

"You don't have to see me off," Collen said when Sabrina started to follow him out of the room.

Nevertheless, Sabrina stayed by the door until Collen entered the elevator, then she closed the door. For a moment, she leaned against it and heaved a sigh. Valiantly, Sabrina shook herself out of the exhaustion that threatened to overwhelm her and started to unpack her suitcase.

When she was done, she ordered dinner through the hotel's landline and placed it on the table by the window. While eating, she made a video call to Bettie.

Her life in Philade was about to begin.

After such a long journey, Sabrina was exhausted. She managed to wash up after dinner and then fell asleep almost immediately.

At eight o'clock in the morning of the next day, Sabrina woke up. After having breakfast in the hotel, she called Collen.

A short while later, Collen picked Sabrina up and drove her to the shopping mall in Philade.

The memorial tablets stood at the Tenth Street and Arch Street. As soon as Sabrina got out of the car, she saw it.

When Collen parked the car, Sabrina scanned the area. The buildings seemed to weather a lot throughout the years.

There were only a few restaurants in this place at the beginning. Gradually, all sorts of stores were opened as people gathered here for food. Then, a shopping mall began to take shape.

Various restaurants were around. Supermarkets and shopping malls could be seen everywhere, granting the need for some daily necessities.

After getting along with Collen for a while, Sabrina found that Collen was more hospitable and talkative than Blayze. Everywhere they went, he would impart some useful information that could ease her life in Philade. For example, he pointed out a shop where it was more affordable to buy soy sauce and seasonings. He even told her which supermarket had more daily necessities.

At noon, Collen invited Sabrina to have lunch at a hotpot restaurant.

After lunch, Collen drove Sabrina to the West University District for a tour.

They stopped at the entrance of a university. Collen pointed at it and said, "This is the university you studied a few years ago."

Sabrina gazed out of the window and studied the university.

Unlike those universities she had seen before, this one was more casual and it integrated with the surrounding communities. Distinct-styled buildings abound on the campus, and the walls and green plants matched each other.

But their tour didn't end there. Collen took Sabrina to several famous attraction spots in Philade such as the City Hall, the Independence Hall, the Liberty Bell Center, and the museums.

They chose a restaurant near Sabrina's hotel for dinner.

By now, Collen and Sabrina were as familiar as old friends, and they chatted while eating.

Just then, a sharp, female voice thundered, "Adonis!"

Sabrina thought the woman, whoever she was, was calling someone else.

But Collen put his knife and fork down and looked toward the direction of the person that just yelled.

Curious, Sabrina followed his gaze. She saw a young woman walking toward them.

It was only then that Sabrina realized Adonis might be Collen's alias.

The woman had deep blue eyes and her face was as delicate as that of a doll. She leveled a deep scowl on Collen and pointed at Sabrina. "Who is she?"

Judging by the tone, Sabrina suspected this woman had a close relationship with Collen.

Collen smiled and answered, "Don't get it the wrong way, Bella. She is a friend of Alex. She came to Philade just yesterday. Alex asked me to show her around and take care of her."

From that statement, Sabrina guessed Alex was Blayze's alias.

Collen moved to a different seat and gestured at the one he just vacated for Bella to sit down. "Let me make an introduction. This is Bella, my girlfriend, and this is Alex's friend...."

Halfway through the introduction, Collen looked at Sabrina and asked, "How do you prefer her to call you?"

Sabrina smiled at Bella and greeted, "Hello, it's nice to meet you. You can call me Fay. I just arrived in Philade yesterday. Adonis was asked to help me settle in. To express my gratitude, I decided to treat him to dinner."

Bella suspiciously stared at Sabrina for a few seconds. Then, she asked, "You're Alex's friend?"

"Yes." Sabrina nodded.

Seeing that Bella was not making any attempt to sit, Collen pulled Bella's sleeve and asked, "Sit down?"

Bella finally sat next to Collen, but the whole time, she was still staring at Sabrina intently.

Sabrina asked, "Bella, do you want me to order steak for you?"

Instead of answering the question, Bella announced, "You look like someone I knew."

Noticing that Bella had stopped being hostile to her, Sabrina smiled. "Really? Is she also from my hometown?"

"Yeah. Several years ago, she was an exchange student here. She only stayed at the school here for a year and then returned home. We lost contact after that." Bella's lips turned down. "She knows Alex, too."

However, knowing Blayze was not a means to confirm anyone's identity.

As the previous president of the International Association, Blayze was famous in Philade. He was familiar with Philade and could help people solve their problems. Therefore, oceans of people knew him.

Back then, Sabrina had gone to a shopping mall to have dinner on that fateful night. Then, a restaurant owner added her to a Facebook group. Blayze happened to be a member of that group, and that was how Sabrina knew Blayze. When they finally met, she told him about it during one of their conversations.

However, due to her amnesia, Sabrina had forgotten about it.

Despite the odd feeling of familiarity Bella's words invoked, Sabrina didn't think that she was the person Bella was talking about.

Each year, various students studied at her university, including exchange students, undergraduates, graduate students and doctoral students. Among all these people, it was unlikely she was the very one Bella was talking about.

In addition, chances were that the person Bella mentioned looked like her. It didn't mean she was the one Bella mentioned.

Moreover, Bella might have just said so to start a conversation with Sabrina. This was probably just her way of breaking the ice.

However, at Bella's words, Collen raised his eyebrows. "That's quite a coincidence. Fay once studied here as an exchange

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student and returned home after a year."

Bella stared at Sabrina in surprise. "When did you come here?"

"About five years ago."

"That was when she came too. What college were you from?"

"Business school."

"She was too..." Bella trailed off, staring at Sabrina in astonishment.

Seeing the stunned expression on Bella's face, Collen swallowed the steak in his mouth and asked, "Did you two really know each other before?"