

## Chapter 1642 The Familiar Black Car

Seeing Laney's reaction, Garrett immediately put down the things in his hands and trotted over. "I persuaded my parents to go back. I'm keeping my promise to you," he explained nervously.

However, Laney's eyes were sharp. She caught sight of the things hidden in Garrett's bag. She pointed at the items and demanded coldly, "Then what are those?"

Garrett didn't bother hiding them anymore. "My parents said that it was useless to take the child's things back with them, so they left them here. If you don't like them, I'll throw them into the trash."

Seeing Garrett being so careful and nervous around her, Laney didn't ask him to throw the things away, neither did she agree to keep them. Instead, she silently returned to the child's room. Watching Laney's receding figure, Garrett

couldn't help but sigh helplessly.

Janet had heard about Laney and Garrett's love story from Brandon, and she knew that it was filled with twists and turns. She walked out of the kitchen and sighed. "Laney didn't ask you to throw the things away. This means that she respects your parents. You can try and coax her later. I'm sure she'll let you keep them. But it's best not to let your parents visit Laney and the child again. It will be troublesome, especially if you're not around."

Janet could feel that Laney didn't like Garrett's parents. It was impossible for Garrett not to notice.

Garrett felt lucky that he was the one who opened the door when his parents came. Otherwise, his mother might even snatch the child away on impulse.

"Thank you, Janet. I know what I must do," Garrett replied with a tired smile.

Janet observed Garrett silently. Perhaps, he had put in a lot of effort to make this relationship work. He must be hanging on for Laney and Anya's sake.

After the quick chat with Garrett, Janet returned to the child's room to play with Anya.

When Janet entered the room, Anya had already fallen asleep in Johanna's arms. Johanna carefully placed Anya in the crib and gestured for Janet to be quiet.

Johanna pulled Janet out and whispered, "It took me a long time to coax her to fall asleep."

Janet frowned and grumbled, "I haven't played with Anya yet. Why did you get her to sleep?"

"I saw Garrett and Laney talking seriously and thought it was better to let Anya sleep," Johanna replied. She heard Garrett and Laney quarreling even though she was in the child's room.

Janet hadn't thought about that. After hearing Johanna's words, she thought it made sense. As such, she informed Laney and Garrett that she would head home with Johanna soon.

Laney hoped for Janet to stay longer. "It's rare for you to come. At least have dinner before you leave."

Janet thought of an excuse. "I forgot that I have a family dinner today. Both Beal and Brandon

are waiting for us at home."

Laney couldn't insist on asking Janet to stay since she had her family matters.

When Janet and Johanna left Laney's house, Johanna turned to a limo parked by the roadside.

Noticing that Johanna was fixated on the car, Janet asked curiously, "Do you know the owner of the car? Want to go over and say hello?"

Johanna's face darkened as she came to her senses. She looked away and said indifferently, "No. I just think it must be luxurious to own a limo. Let's go home. Beal and Brandon are waiting for us at home for dinner."

With that, Johanna pulled Janet into the car and left.