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Chapter 261

Perhaps some people were destined for misfortune.

When Cordy was young, she lost her mother, and her father remarried.

The stepdaughter he gained from the new marriage was always working against her, and everyone in the house also helped with said stepdaughter's schemes.

When Cordy grew up, she had excellent grades and outstanding capabilities.

But the stepdaughter framed her, making Cordy give birth out of wedlock which caused a lot of trouble and led her into novel.e.book gaining a notorious reputation in the city.

Due to that, Cordy was dropped out of a prestigious university and kicked out of her home by her father.

She was forced to wander the streets of a foreign country and struggled to survive with the skin of her teeth.

Cordy once thought she had met a man who truly loved her, and she gave him everything she had; only for him to cheat on her behind her back with her stepsister.

Later, she thought she had finally found true love and mustered up the courage to give life another chance...

Only to find that everything was just a scam once more.

Despite everything that had happened, she still tried her best to live on.

It hadn't been an easy journey to be born in this cruel world, so she wanted to live well.

She didn't want to disappoint her late mother's wish, who had told her, "Even if I leave, you'll have to carry my love for you and live.Be happy."

Every time she felt overwhelmed by life, Cordy would always remember her late mother's words.She would then grit her teeth and pull through whatever situation she was in.

Cordy's tears slid down her eyes continuously, without stopping.She would get through this too.

It was just another experience, the same tragedy back when she had been eighteen.

This was just...another time that fate would trample on her.

Perhaps it had happened so many times, so she was numb to it.

Bang! The door suddenly burst open.

had been eagerly exploring Cordy's body, was

pulled him off Cordy and shoved him to the ground before kicking

from the pain, but countless blows landed on him before he could do anything else.He couldn't even beg for mercy with how ruthless the blows rained down on him.He was going to die! He could feel his blood

called out, pulling John

die at this

face was filled with rage, and it looked as if he wouldn't calm down until someone

your hands with blood," Randy said insistently as he tried to move his frenzied boss with

understood the man's

the forces he had in

immediately retrieved the surveillance videos in that area. novel.e.book He found that Cordy had passed out shortly after exiting the station and that Kyle

journey, they

the villa as fast as

Randy sat in the vehicle's passenger seat, he was already drafting his will in his

roads and arriving at the villa, John brutally kicked

terrible state.His eyes had an indescribable fury that

that someone would

the latter couldn't move and lay in the puddle of his

John continued, Kyle really would

anger, their country was still a society with rules

he would pay

boss to accompany that sad excuse of

Kyle wasn't worth it.

Kyle was now in

was sure he would have a miserable

no

listen to Randy's advice and shoved

back his rage, and would only calm down

Randy was shocked.

had never lost control, not in such a frightening

she won't hold out any longer!

idea coming to him almost instantly.He needed the right solution to

back to

put on hold instantly at the mention

around to

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After the doctor finished speaking, he didn't get a reply from John for a long while.

After a while, he couldn't help but call out cautiously again, "Mr. Levine?"

"So, there's no other way?"

John's voice was tight, and it held a slight tremble.

"Yes," the doctor replied.

"Okay. I got it."

John hung up the phone abruptly. He was going to lose his mind.

John kept taking deep breaths to keep his sanity so he could focus on driving. He finally arrived at North Garden's underground car park; after parking, he took off his seatbelt and left the car. The moment he left, Cordy became visibly upset.

Outside, John took a few seconds to forcefully calm himself before opening the passenger side door to bring Cordy out. He quickly brought her to the elevator and pressed the button for her floor.

During this time, Cordy shifted around restlessly in his arms. Her dainty hands had already ripped a few buttons on his white shirt, revealing firm muscles.

When the elevator arrived on the floor, John rushed out and rang the doorbell. He couldn't punch in the security code with Cordy in his arms.

Zoe yanked the door open almost immediately in a rough manner, the worry on her face obvious. Her eyes were red when she saw Cordy in her cousin's arms. novel.e.book She had been in the house waiting, frightened out of her mind as time passed. She kept calling John, who didn't answer, and she knew the man must have gone out to save Cordy. She also knew she could trust him with his abilities, but that didn't stop her from fretting when she didn't receive news or any updates.

The suffocating feeling in her heart finally loosened when she saw Cordy with her own eyes and in John's arms.

However, when Zoe took a closer look at Cordy, she panicked once more.

Zoe had never seen Cordy in this state. Her impression of Cordy was that the woman was always majestic and noble.

Cordy was above the common people, and she looked like a goddess in any formal dress.

On top of that, she always had a pure and beautiful face.

Zoe never thought Cordy could look so seductive and alluring...to the point she could feel a nosebleed coming.

John was all sweaty and

right? It was obvious

In conclusion...

really had been set

the hell was so sinister and despicable to commit such a repulsive act?! Before Zoe could say anything, John hurriedly pushed past her and into Cordy's bedroom, and placed

to leave, but Cordy reached out to hook her arms around his neck She

my god! Zoe was stunned speechless at the

she could watch? Could she really watch this happen before her for free? Oh

beautiful! Zoe suddenly felt that it was a pity

"Get out!"

his

Zoe

turned around to leave, but she suddenly remembered something and hurriedly said, "Don't forget to be gentle when

by John's

he been holding back? It looked like his eyes were filled with blood! novel.e.book Those who didn't know probably would think that John was the one who had been drugged instead! Well, Zoe didn't

was in that state? Closing the door behind her, Zoe gave the matter a quick ponder before

give them enough space to do what they needed to do, right?

his arms again and carried her to the bathroom, where he quickly turned on the shower and drenched

sudden temperature change made

was October now, and the nights were

and it looked like she had regained

heart ached at the

when you

doe eyes, looking just like

him the same look when he refused her. It had been impossible for him to reject such a look, and so he

died in
entire blame didn't rest on
had lost control
how disgusted Cordy would be tomorrow when she returned to her
time he indulged in it, Cordy had hated his
time, it was possible that she would
deceived by the look before
could easily become hostile at the
John tensed up at the

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Of course not! Those only happened to people who were chosen and lucky. How could the same happen to Cordy? Her luck had always been dreadfully abysmal. She moved slightly, but the man beside her stayed asleep.

He was in a deep sleep, the same as he had been back then.

Cordy finally couldn't resist and lifted the covers to see who the man buried under the covers was.

The last time it happened, she had been young; fleeing had been the only thought on her mind.

Now, there was almost nothing that could happen that she couldn't accept.

She had a dim recollection of what happened last night.

Kyle had taken her to the villa where he cheated on her with Noel.

He forced her to swallow an aphrodisiac pill, and her body reacted to the drug.

In her despair, she recalled hearing a loud bang before the pressure above her disappeared.

for her to get up and see what had happened. Immediately after, someone picked her up; everything else was a blur. She even wondered if

she would've brushed the entire

she never expected anyone to rescue her at

good look at

It was John.

her, and she didn't know what they

if someone had trampled all over

feel like this

it was like jumping from one
the bed, and just as her feet touched the ground, a hand shot out to pull
Cordy pursed her lips.

been soundly asleep just a moment ago! The
"Cordy..."

he was still in a sleepy daze, but was forcing himself
"You've woken up..."

the bed.He looked powerless
of me,"

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Once John dozed off, he slept deeply through the night.He didn't realize when Cordy woke up and
slipped away.

In fact, history had repeated itself.

Last night, he helped Cordy wash her body after she fell asleep.He was afraid she would catch a cold.

Once he was done and had taken a shower, he suddenly felt wide awake.His mind was filled with
thoughts on explaining the state they were in come morning. novel.e.book By the time he fell asleep,
the sun had already started to rise.

However, he silently told himself he would not oversleep as he had back then.He couldn't let Cordy slip
through his fingers again, and he would explain everything clearly.

Luckily, he did manage to wake up just as she was about to leave.

Though she was looking at him in a disdainful manner.

"I..."

John started to explain.

said, "Just forget about last night.What happened, happened.I'm already used to

"Last night, we-"

hate you more than

again, turning back to look at John.The

John sat up, the covers fell off his

lingering scratches and bloodied marks on his body were hideous to look at...Especially his

teeth marks,

suddenly remembered what John had said before; that if she had stayed back then, she would have seen the wounds and bruises he had been

turned out, he hadn't

I blame you for what happened last night, it would be ungrateful of me since what could've happened instead would have been worse. I was an idiot when dealing with Kyle, and it was his fault that last night happened. Compared to what could've happened... Well, I rather it not have been Kyle. You saved me, and

she struggled to suppress her emotions. She clearly held a lot of hatred for him, but she was doing her best to accept

to talk about anything that happened last night, nor do I want to

"So... You should leave."

firmly with no hesitation. His eyes were determined, and

lips hard. Her

right do you have to dislike me

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Only God knew what John had to go through last night.

Cordy had teased him mercilessly, but he couldn't do anything.

Never mind that he couldn't do anything, he couldn't even leave until the drug effects wore off.

The entire night, he was worried she would hurt him or violate him, so he did his best to protect himself.

If a person hadn't experienced it for themselves, he or she couldn't imagine the experience John had gone through.

After getting through such a tough night, he woke up in the morning just for her to accuse him and wrong him so badly.

Even a saint would get angry from this.

Cordy was stunned by John's words. She couldn't believe him. Her entire body ached, and it felt exactly the same as she had experienced back then.

How could she believe that he hadn't touched her? Plus, the marks on his body... It only added evidence to the fact that they must have slept together.

"If you don't trust me, you can go to the hospital and get a checkup. You don't have any condoms in your house, novel.e.book and you were in such a rush last night, so I wouldn't have any time to get any either," John said, clearly seeing the disbelief in Cordy's eyes.

didn't

who looked at the scene before them would say they

early on that explaining this would be

Cordy bit her lip.

John...

he had been the man who slept with her when she was eighteen, she could still tell

he had hidden the truth from her, he had not denied it either. He simply had

conviction, there was no reason for Cordy to doubt him. She

off and thought of him in

was because she didn't want to hurt herself deeper, and two... She didn't want to see John in a good light. She would rather keep her heart

why you're sore and bruised all over, it's because you didn't get

and you did this in retaliation." Cordy pursed her

words, and she didn't want to

think too deeply about it, she

Cordy had turned silent. His voice was softer and much gentler now. He couldn't stand to see her suffering or

leave now that you're awake," Cordy said instead, not answering

also no longer sounded angry. His words finally got through

suffered so much for her sake last night, yet she didn't even offer him a word

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Cordy wasn't angry at John's words.

Looking at the disaster on John's body, she could also tell how out of control she had been last night. Her face felt like it was on fire, and even her ears were hot.

"Wait a bit. I'll head out and buy some clothes for you," Cordy said as she got up from the bed.

"Consider it payback for last night." John felt like he had gone through life and death last night.

Yet, this woman was telling him she'd just buy a set of clothes as compensation? Well, that was fine. He was content that Cordy didn't hate him. He was even getting some clothes out of it; that meant he had hit the jackpot.

Cordy went to another room to change, but Zoe tumbled in as soon as she opened the door.

The former was startled, and John hastily wrapped the covers tighter around his body to avoid exposing anything.

"Zoe?"

Cordy exclaimed while holding onto Zoe, who was about to fall flat on her face. Zoe had a hard time steadying herself. She tried to explain, novel.e.book "I-I wasn't eavesdropping! I was just gonna knock on the door to call you guys up. It's already four in the evening, you know? You guys did some extreme workout last night, huh? Aren't you guys hungry?"

Cordy blushed at Zoe's comment. Her world had felt like it was about to crumple when she had woken up, and she hadn't cared about hunger at all.

"You're finally awake, yeah? Then come on out and eat. I ordered some herbal soup. I promise, it'll help rejuvenate you both!" Zoe said with an energetic grin.

Cordy pursed her lips.

heading out for a

"Huh? Why?"

buy

as if she was asking Cordy just what in

had done

Just...

what Zoe

believe something that she herself found it hard to believe? Thus, Cordy said nothing and simply walked
watched Cordy's retreating

felt like Cordy was giving off a somewhat...enchanted aura

the next day, right? Zoe quickly rushed into the room and walked up to her cousin with a leer on
up with

looked even more excited than the ones who had

John said, wrapping the covers around himself

"No?"

Zoe parroted in disbelief.

you satisfy

head to toe with contempt in her eyes, despite the fact he was bundled

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"Do as I say, but not as I do, huh?"

Zoe complained, but she had toned down now after John's outburst.

Seriously? John had been a father since he was twenty-one!

"Get out," John ordered, not wanting to talk to her anymore.

Zoey reluctantly obeyed his words, as was her habit. She got up to leave, but suddenly stopped to say, "Aren't you afraid you'll suffocate to death with how tightly you wrapped yourself in that?"

John ignored her and pulled the covers even more tightly around him.

Zoe then remembered that Cordy had mentioned going out to buy John some clothes.

Could it be...

Was he wearing nothing underneath the covers? Wow! How intense had last night been? So he was trying to indicate that no one could take a peek at his body apart from Cordy? Not even his cousin? 'Oh, this virtuous man! May all the male compatriots in this world put up with you!' Zoe thought as she walked out of the bedroom in a huff, and closed the door behind her.

personality, he might kill her if she accidentally saw anything. She opted later, Cordy came home with a set of men's clothes and went straight to if it fits,"

khaki pants, and black underwear;

turned around hurriedly before exclaiming angrily, "Are you an exhibitionist?" Had this man no it as if it was an honor of some

me haven't you seen before, Miss Sachs?" John said with Cordy clenched her fist.

her lips, she moved to leave, but John called out to

Sachs. I'm not done changing. Zoe's outside. It'd be bad if she saw

knew it was bad, but he still chose to change here instead of going to the a while, John finally said, "I'm

had simply bought some clothes randomly when she went to the mall. She hadn't bothered thinking too much about it, and had let a store clerk match some clothes for her. She hadn't expected that even when dressed in a simple set of

spend a little more time when he

look bad?" John

because of the look on

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"Finally! Time for food!"

Zoe said excitedly as she walked up to them.

Cordy felt a little guilty. She knew Zoe had been waiting for them, and hadn't eaten all day because of that.

"Aren't you going to eat, John?" Zoe asked the man who was standing there without moving.

"You worked so hard last night, so you must be hungry. Look, you're even losing muscle mass because of hunger! Come on. I've ordered some soup for you."

Zoe was enthusiastic about it, but John simply stared at Cordy. Just then, his stomach let out a loud rumble.

"Zoe ordered it for you. You should eat before you leave," Cordy finally said.

John had been fighting down a smile, and the corner of his lips quirked up at her reply.

Zoe also had a cunning smile on her face at Cordy's words.

Somehow, Cordy felt like she had been set up by the two of them. The three sat down at the dining table and started to eat.

Zoe was livelier than the two, and started pointing out the dishes on the table.

"This is an herbal chicken soup I ordered for you, Cordy. It replenishes your energy and strengthens your kidneys. It also helps with dark circles under your eyes from staying up late at night. You'll be as good as new once you drink it, okay? And this is a special blend of herbal soup for you, John. It's for... Well, I don't need to tell you what it's for, right?"

with a

John was speechless.

Hadn't he suffered enough last

said as she served them a bowl

said as she

that lucky,"

food's different from yours. I ordered a low-fat meal. I'm an actress,

career of yours and come

Zoe refused flat

rather starve to death on the streets than have a boring routine

at her words, but Zoe pretended not to see it. Cordy tried to diffuse the atmosphere by changing the

did you go last

I need to be at the set for anyway, so there's no rush. I've asked my agent to put off any work for

health is

and worked all day yesterday. It's already so late today, so you better not go to work! I suggest you take the day off tomorrow too,

not small. It's just the right size," John

his comment, blushing to the tip

couldn't help

if Cordy were a man, you'd still love her, huh?" John choked on the mouthful of soup he

he nodded and said, "Well, that's not

had Zoe thinking that perhaps she had just lost her appetite for her

once you're done eating," Cordy told him. She didn't

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After dinner, Cordy and Zoe sat on the couch in the living room, eating fruit and drinking coffee as they watched TV.

As Zoe was in the entertainment industry, it was easy to make her laugh.

Simply watching a variety show was enough to get her rolling around in laughter.

Life seemed much happier when you were with someone who loved to laugh.

Cordy pulled out her phone to check her messages, as was her habit.

Even if she didn't go to work, she still had to deal with work.

While replying to her messages, she listened to Zoe's exaggerated laughter beside her.

Cordy didn't think it was noisy.

Rather, she found the sound comforting.

Once she was done dealing with work, Cordy browsed through the news.

when she saw what was on it, and

after the last joke on TV, and was about to get another

"What's wrong?" Zoe asked.

frown on Cordy's face, because that meant something bad was

last

her and immediately

Kyle set you up last

had always been different compared

"Yeah," Cordy replied.

thought he was just a pretentious *sshole, but he turned

Zoe cursed.

that, and focused on the news article. It didn't have many details,

of her and Kyle on a

was clear from the photos that she was fighting back, while Kyle was trying to

news article came

was that John was behind

would only get the maximum punishment if the public

down, she felt something was

wouldn't have hidden in the shadows and shown up at the last

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Just then, someone sent a message to Cordy's WhatsApp. She opened her app to find that it was John.

[Do you want to cover up the news?] The news and public opinion was clearly in their favor, but John was worried Cordy wouldn't be able to endure it.

[No need,] Cordy replied bluntly.

She didn't agree with Noel's cruel methods, but Cordy wasn't kind enough to pity the man who had wanted to hurt her. She would simply sit back and enjoy the show.

[Got it.] With that, Cordy exited the app.

She got up from the couch and stretched her still sore body before saying to Zoe, "I'm going to lie down for a while." Zoe was still reading the news on her phone, clearly worked up, but she nodded in response.

"I'm sure you're exhausted from last night. Go ahead and get some rest."

The younger woman didn't even look up at Cordy and her full attention was on her phone.

Cordy guessed that she was probably cursing out Kyle with the other people in the thread while also enjoying the drama.

actress, Cordy thought Zoe would've been

happy when he read the news that

Noel has become a victim. With this, I can justify not giving any financial help to Jessop Corp. I

mood, even though not
wanted Kyle to defile Cordy; they would've been labeled cheaters if they
taken a hit, which would be a good reason for Noel to break
birds with one stone, but she hadn't expected
happened through the miniature camera she had installed
John already have a fiancée? Why would he still go out of his way to rescue Cordy? When Noel saw John
rush in, she genuinely
right before her; it was evident John still
dare do much to Cordy. It would be easy for John to get revenge on Noel if he wanted to, so
the public fired up about this was not so that Kyle would get a
left is for me to appear in the media and announce my breakup with Kyle. Then we'll have no
connections to the Jessop family anymore," Noel
obedient look, she made it seem like such a cruel
making me look at you in a different
for his daughter in his eyes, and he continued, "I should've brought a talented child like you to work in
Sachs Enterprise a long time
suddenly called out from beside him, causing