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Tom was taken aback to find himself being extorted by Arthur instead of Liam. Anger simmered inside his heart.

The Six-Light Nectar held immense value, with the Astron family having fewer than two hundred drops in their possession.

Arthur's mere words coerced Tom into relinquishing one-twentieth of their stock. The idea tore at his heart.

However, Caden's presence loomed large, preventing Tom from confronting Arthur openly. Instead, he masked his frustration, reluctantly conceding to Arthur's demands.

Caden watched as Tom agreed and then turned to Liam with a serious expression. "Liam, what are your thoughts on this?"

Liam had no objections; this was an unexpected windfall anyway. He gave a swift nod to confirm his agreement.

Observing Liam's affirmative gesture, Caden signaled for Tom to deliver the promised items to Liam and motioned for him to depart.

Just before Tom left, Caden issued a stern warning. "If you ever threaten the younger members of the Human Clan again, there will be consequences. Tom, it's crucial that you guide your family well at the front line!"

Tom brushed away the sweat beading on his brow and responded earnestly, "Absolutely, sir. I'll keep that in mind."

At last, Tom pieced together Liam's true identity.

Seeing Caden's unwavering protection of Liam, everything suddenly made sense to him.

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His foolish son had provoked none other than the most celebrated genius in the history of the Rosefinch Galaxy and possibly all of the Human Clan!

Tom's heart sank with regret as he silently cursed his late son, Jason, "You reckless idiot! Out of everyone you could have angered, it had to be Liam, the most revered genius!"

Before, Tom had hoped to forge a positive connection with the genius everyone was talking about. But now, he had not only failed but also turned Liam into his adversary.

Tom rushed out of the secret realm of Feathered Gold with his people, practically fleeing to safety.

As the crisis abated, Liam's shoulders sagged in relief.

Turning to Caden and Arthur, Liam bowed deeply, expressing his gratitude. "I owe you my life. If it weren't for your timely intervention, Tom would have succeeded in ending my life."

Arthur let out a laugh, jesting, "Had I known you were the renowned genius, Liam, I might've stayed out of it. After all, the Lord of Rosefinch himself would come to protect you!"

Liam knew Arthur was joking and chuckled in return. "Mr. Vaughn, your noble and just character would never allow you to overlook my predicament."

Arthur burst into laughter.

Caden gazed at Liam, his expression serious, and spoke with conviction. "Liam, today, you faced a challenge. Remember, in the Cosmic realm, when you confront an enemy, your strike must be final and absolute. Ensure there's no room for retaliation. That's the only way to neutralize future threats permanently."

Liam grasped Caden's meaning: his hesitation to kill Jason had consequences, allowing Jason to alert his family, which had led to the pursuit.



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Liam gave a slight nod as a response. In fact, he understood this well.

But before, he had been interrupted by the sudden appearance of the Dark Mist King. If it hadn't been for that, Jason wouldn't have found the opportunity to inform Tom.