

stained face in his breast—"I will tell you now—perhaps I shall never feel so brave again!—do not look at me—let me hide my face!—I want to get it over in a hurry! Do you remember?"—(sinking my voice into an indistinct and struggling whisper)—"that night that you asked me about—about Brimley Wood?"

"Yes, I remember."

Already his tone has changed. His arms seem to be slackening their close hold of me.

"Do not loose me!" cry I, passionately; "hold me tight, or I can never tell you—how could you expect me? Well, that night—you know as well as I do—I lied."

"You did?"

How hard and quick he is breathing! I am glad I cannot see his face.

"I was there. I did cry; she did see me—"

I stop abruptly, choked by tears, by shame, by apprehension.

"Go on!" (spoken with panting shortness).

"He met me there," I say tremulously. "I do not know whether he did it on purpose or not, and said dreadful things;—he said" (speaking with a reluctant hurry)—"that he loved me, and that I loved him, and that I hated you, and it was all so horrible, and so different from what I had planned, that I cried—of course I fought not, but I did—I roared."

There does not seem to be anything ludicrous in this mode of expression, neither, apparently does there to him.

"Well?"

"I do not think there is anything more!" say I, slowly and timidly raising my eyes, to judge of the effect of my confession, "only that I was so deadly, deadly ashamed; that I made up my mind I would never tell anybody, and I did not."

"And is that all?" he cries, with an intense and breathless anxiety in eyes and voice, "are you sure that is all?"

"All!" repeat I, opening my eyes wide in astonishment; "do not you think it is enough?"

"Are you sure?" he cries, taking my face in his hands, and narrowly, searchingly regarding it—"child! child!—to day let us have nothing—nothing but truth—are you sure that you did not a little regret that it must be so—that you did not feel it a little hard to be forever tied to my gray hairs—my eight-and-forty years?"

"Hush!" cry I, snatching away my hands, and putting them over my ears. "I will not listen to you!—what do I care for your forty-eight years?—if you were a hundred—two hundred—what is it to me?—what do I care—I love you!—I love you!—I love you—Oh my darling, how stupid you have been not to see it all along!"

And so it comes to pass that by Barbara's, grave we kiss again with tears. And now we are happy—stilly, only happy, though I, perhaps, am never quite so blithely gay as before the grave yawned for my Barbara: and we walk along hand-in-hand down the steps and up the hills of life, with our eyes fixed as far as the weakness of our human sight will let us, on the one dead, yet good God, whom through the veil of his great deeds we dimly discern. Only I wish that Roger were not nine-and-twenty years older than I!

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