The corners of Guo Yuanjia's mouth twitched wildly. He was yelling internally, and he didn't know what to say any more.

Tonight's engagement party had become a joke.*Sigh*.

"Lin Wenjing, it's you? It actually is you?!"

At that moment, a furious voice roared. Huang Wenhua was standing by one side, his eyes spitting fire. He glared at Lin Wenjing, and that glare resembled a beast that wanted to tear at his flesh, gnaw on his bones and bathe in his blood!

Because of his emotion that were running rampant, he was being very aggressive. His whole body shook in anger and his expression looked malevolent.

He didn't even look half as handsome as he was before. He had become a devil, striking fear in the hearts of many in the room.

As for Lin Wenjing, how could he possibly be afraid of Huang Wenhua? He laughed and said, "That's right, it's me. Huang Wenhua, you're pretty damn strong-willed. You didn't die, even after all that?"

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Crunch! Crunch!

Huang Wenhua ground his teeth together, making an ear-splitting noise as he clenched his fists. He looked like a crazy dog, ready to pounce and bite him at any moment.

Seeing this, Guo Yuanjia was also stunned. So Lin Wenjing was also Huang Wenhua's rival? This was ridiculous!

Huang Dongqiang held onto Huang Wenhua to prevent him from falling over. He glared at Lin Wenjing with a face full of hostility and murderous intent. "So you're Lin Wenjing, the one who beat my son to this state?"

Lin Wenjing made a surprised face and said, "Hey, mister, please don"t go around spreading rumors like that. I'm a law-abiding citizen and wouldn't do something so illegal. Watch out, I might report you for defamation."

Huang Dongqiang glared at Lin Wenjing fiercely. Then, he looked toward Guo Yuanjia. He was so angry he found the situation a bit comical. "Guo Yuanjia, you're pretty clever, huh? I have never done anything to you, yet you embarrass me today like this?"

Guo Yuanjia immediately panicked and quickly shook his head anxiously before replying, "Huang Dongqiang, this is all a misunderstanding. I did not have that intention

at all. Everything that happened today was my daughter's own doing, I didn't know anything!"

Would Huang Dongqiang still believe Guo Yuanjia at this time? To put it another way, was this even a matter of believing? Things had already been put into motion and the Huang family had already suffered great humiliation. The two families had already become enemies –unless the Guo family could give them a proper explanation.

Standing in the crowd, Situ Nan was smiling so widely that his face was crooked. Lin Wenjing was really an idiot! How was he this stupid? To appear at tonight's engagement party as Guo Lingfeng's boyfriend? That was just an invitation to be killed!

This wasn't just an offense to the Huang family. Even the Guo family would not let Lin Wenjing go.

Hahaha...

"Sigh!"

Guo Yuanjia already sensed that this situation was irreversible. He sighed heavily.

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Tonight's problem had completely gone over his head. No matter how much he schemed,

plotted, or tried to predict things, he would have never expected things to go in this direction.

However, it had already happened. No matter how much he regretted it, there was no way he could save the situation. Besides, he would only have one daughter, Guo Lingfeng, for the rest of his life. How was he supposed to blame everything on her? He could not do it. In the end, all he could do was sigh heavily and accept defeat.

He waved his hand and said to Huang Dongqiang, "Huang Dongqiang, things have already been set in motion. Since my daughter already has a boyfriend, let's just end tonight's engagement party now."

Huang Dongqiang's expression was ugly. Guo Yuanjia not giving him an explanation meant he was ready to make an enemy of him.

How could someone like him accept such a fate? However, he couldn't change what had already taken place. If he flew into another temper, then he would be the fool who lost control.

A big shot like him was rather intelligent, too. In an instant, he thought of a solution.

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So, he chuckled and displayed a relaxed

expression. As he stared at Guo Yuanjia knowingly, he said, "Guo Yuanjia, you really do love your daughter, huh? I'll remember what happened tonight!"

This sentence let everyone in the room know that Huang Dongqiang was ready to become enemies with the Guo family.

Nobody had expected an extravagant engagement party to be suddenly reduced to this. From today onward, it would become the butt of everyone's jokes.

However, was this situation going to end just like that?

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That didn't seem like the case.

Huang Wenhua held onto his father who was ready to leave the place; his face stretched into a meaningful smile. "Uncle Guo, you seem very satisfied with Lin Wenjing. So you know who he is? I can't help but respect your generosity!"

When Guo Yuanjia heard this, he frowned. Then, with a plain smile, he said, "Huang Wenhua, stop beating around the bush. If you have something to say, say it. Don't be weird."

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"Hahaha." When Huang Wenhua saw Guo Yuanjia acting this way, he immediately

understood that Guo Yuanjia did not know who Lin Wenjing was at all. That made things much more interesting.

The smile on his face became even more sinister and meaningful as he answered, "Ah, it seems like I've misunderstood. Uncle Guo, don't you know about this live-in son-in-law's identity?"

When Guo Lingfeng heard this, her expression faltered. She started to feel guilty and quickly stood up and retorted, "Huang Wenhua, just leave if you want. Why are you talking so much?"

Huang Wenhua said, "Guo Lingfeng, what's wrong? Are you feeling less confident? It looks like you really didn't tell your dad about Lin Wenjing's identity. Why? Were you nervous about it?"

Apart from Guo Yuanjia and the others, the attendees of the party were even more entertained and were deeply engrossed in the gossip. They could tell that this boyfriend of Guo Lingfeng was someone to be ashamed of!

With this, tonight's events became even more interesting.

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Situ Nan who was still standing among the

crowd had become even more thrilled. His happiness grew with their suffering.

Right at that moment, he saw Master Grim and a bunch of his underlings come through the door. At once, he became even more ecstatic and quickly went over to greet them. "Master Grim, you came!"

Master Grim's status was rather well-known. His appearance caused a small commotion and many people looked at him with respect. The 'silver-spoon kids' next to Situ Nan were even more deferential to him.

This was Master Grim, Hua City's underground emperor! Apart from being rich, he was also powerful. Who knew how many lackeys he had under his belt? With one command, countless people would be ready to die for him. What awe-inspiring might!

"Yes." Master Grim nodded. He seemed extremely cold and arrogant in front of Situ Nan.

After that, Master Grim's gaze flitted to Lin Wenjing who was standing on the stage. His eyes flashed with respect and fear.

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Everyone knew that he was Hua City's underground emperor. However, no one knew

that he was merely one of Lin Wenjing's subordinates.



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Guo Lingfeng's face turned pale. She really hated Huang Wenhua's guts. How could someone be so hateful? He was already about to leave, yet he still wanted to step all over her.

Of course she knew Lin Wenjing's identity. He was the Chu family's live-in son-in-law and was rather infamous in Hua City. If her family found out about that, they would blow their top off and her father would not have mercy on her. How could she not panic?

However, now she could only grit her teeth and pretend to be unbothered. "You're crazy. What do I have to be ashamed of? Lin Wenjing is my boyfriend. He didn't kill anyone, nor did he commit arson or any other crimes. As for you, you had better get out of here, now. Why are you still here? To embarrass yourself further?"

Guo Lingfeng was harsh with her words. This made everyone in the Huang family glare at her with hate and anger.

Guo Yuanjia was not an idiot. At that point, how could he still not be able to tell that his daughter was definitely guilty about something? That further supported the issue that Lin Wenjing's identity was questionable.

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At that moment, his emotions became even more complicated. Anger, regret, panic,

bitterness, and depression...

Luckily, he didn't lose his composure. He knew that at this point, he definitely couldn't expose Lin Wenjing's identity!

That was why he stood up to try and make amends and said, "Haha, Huang Wenhua, I know this is all my fault so I'll make it up to you. After this, I'll introduce another partner to you. We should just end things here for today. Let's leave."

As he spoke, he glanced meaningfully at the many Guo family members, indicating for them to leave, too. They couldn't stay behind and continue to embarrass themselves further.

However, with how things were, would Huang Wenhua willingly let them leave just like that? He hadn't even exposed Lin Wenjing's true identity yet.

"Haha, there's no rush. Uncle Guo, I've always respected you and I'm worried that you'll get cheated! This Lin Wenjing is actually very wellknown in Hua City. Many people know him!" Huang Wenhua purposely raised his voice so that it could be heard by everyone there.

When Guo Yuanjia heard this, he felt even more bitter. At the same time, he also accepted that

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he wouldn't be able to escape today.

Huang Wenhua was dead-set on getting his revenge. Even if he ran away now, everyone was bound to find out about this situation afterward, then the Guo family would still suffer great humiliation.

He might as well stay to counter all of Huang Wenhua's tricks and cut his losses.

Now, he really regretted organizing tonight's engagement dinner. If he had known about this, he would have delayed it until after he had met Lin Wenjing. Now, he couldn't just stop things halfway and it was impossible to escape!

Now he was just praying that Lin Wenjing was not some kind of felon. If he were a felon, then the Guo family's reputation would be ruined.

"Haha, is that so?" Guo Yuanjia turned back and smiled at Huang Wenhua again. Then, he turned to Lin Wenjing and asked, "Young man, when did you start meeting my daughter? Why didn't you come visit me first?"

He was frantically signalling Lin Wenjing to be alert and not admit to anything no matter what Huang Wenhua said. That way, he could save some of the Guo family's reputation.

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How could Lin Wenjing not catch on? He smiled lightly and replied, "Uncle, I've known Guo Lingfeng for quite awhile. Recently, I've been really busy managing my company, so I didn't have time to come and visit you, uncle. I'm sorry for that. I hope you can forgive me."

"So you own a company?" Guo Yuanjia felt slightly better about the whole thing. Since Lin Wenjing owned a company, that meant he was a boss. Putting his salary aside, at least his identity was still reputable. "What kind of company do you own?"

Lin Wenjing was just about to speak when Huang Wenhua suddenly burst out with laughter. "Haha, really Uncle Guo? Why are you so gullible? What kind of trash company do you think he has? He couldn't even find a job for the past few years and has been freeloading off of the Chu family this whole time while doing chores for them. He has a horrible reputation in Hua City and is like a rat that everyone hates and wants to kill. However, in front of you, he suddenly changed so much and became rich?"

"What?" Guo Yuanjia's frown deepened. He thought he could afford to relax a little bit but now he was anxious once again. How much of a piece of trash did one have to be in order to fail at finding a job? Besides, he had a horrible reputation in Hua City. That piece of

information was already enough to anger him.

"Guo Lingfeng, who exactly is this friend of yours? Did you get cheated by him?!"

Guo Yuanjia's reaction was indeed exceptionally fast. He immediately changed Lin Wenjing's title to Guo Lingfeng's 'friend', and not her 'boyfriend'.

Guo Lingfeng bit her lip and lowered her head. She didn't dare look at Guo Yuanjia directly because Lin Wenjing's identity was rather hard to explain.

She wasn't embarrassed of Lin Wenjing. But in this situation, she also didn't dare to face Guo Yuanjia's wrath.

When Huang Wenhua saw this, the smile on his face became even brighter. His bad mood had turned around and he was feeling jubilant and rather smug.

Now, he was really looking forward to Guo Yuanjia's reaction when he discovered Lin Wenjing's identity. When that happened, the Guo family's reputation would be truly ruined! Even Guo Lingfeng would be worth less than a penny.

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To him, this was his revenge.

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When Guo Yuanjia saw that his daughter was staying silent, he immediately understood what exactly was going on. Right away, he glared at Lin Wenjing and his expression turned icy. Rudely, he demanded, "Who exactly are you? Why do you want to get to know my daughter?!"

Lin Wenjing sighed; he felt really helpless. Why was it that wherever he went, something bad would happen; or someone would come and start a fight with him?

Was his life destined to never be peaceful?

"Uncle Guo, is my identity that important?" Lin Wenjing asked.

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Guo Yuanjia could not understand Lin Wenjing's words in his current mental state. To him, this was an admission of guilt that he was hiding something!

Immediately, his anger flared and his mood worsened.

"So, you really aren't anyone decent. You had better properly explain to me why exactly you want to be so close to my daughter when we get back!" Guo Yuanjia started to disassociate himself from him.

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At that moment, Guo Lingfeng, who had been

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keeping her head down, suddenly looked up and retorted, "Dad, you don't need to be so fierce. Lin Wenjing is right. Is his identity so important? I like him, and he takes care of me. Isn't that enough? Do we really have to pay so much attention to families and whatnot? Do I really have to marry a rich person to find true love?"

Next, she directed her words to Huang Wenhua. "Huang Wenhua, I know what you're trying to do. You just want your revenge and you want to humiliate me, right? You don't have to play your little tricks anymore. I'll say it myself. Yes, Lin Wenjing's identity is a sensitive topic, as he was once the Chu family's live-in son-in-law. His reputation in Hua City isn't the best, so what? He's the one I like!"

In that instant, her words caused a huge commotion. Guo Yuanjia's mind was blown and he immediately had an epiphany!

The Chu family's live-in son-in-law...

He remembered something with a jolt. That was why he found Lin Wenjing's name to be so familiar when he first heard it!

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In that instant, he felt horrible. His heart felt as if it were being crushed, and it felt terrible.

"The live-in son-in-law of the Chu family?"

When the Guo family members heard this, they felt as if they were going to go crazy. Especially the elders; they were so angry they were practically shaking. Some of the elderly who took their reputation very seriously almost collapsed and needed the help of the youngsters beside them to keep upright. They muttered, "Bad luck, bad luck for our family..."

That was understandable, seeing as the Guo family was a well-known family in Hua City. Even though they weren't as invincible as the Lin family, they still had quite the reputation. Unbelievably, Guo Yuanjia's only daughter had actually started dating the live-in son-in-law of the Chu family? Moreover, she caused such a commotion at her own engagement party with the Huang family, so now, their reputation was about to be ruined forever.

The crowd started becoming noisier as they discussed this unexpected situation.

"Damn! I'm not hearing things, am I? This Lin Wenjing is actually the live-in son-in-law of the Chu family?!"

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"The Chu family? Is there a big family named Chu in Hua City?"

"Big family? Haha, they're just a small family who owns a lighting fixture company. They probably have a net worth of thirty, maybe forty million combined. That isn't the worst part. The worst part is that this live-in son-in-law of the Chu family is well-known in Hua City for being a complete loser. I heard that he just lazes around at home and uses his wife's money. What, now he suddenly changed and is some desirable rich man in the Guo family? Hahaha..."

"So that's what's going on? Ridiculous. The Guo family's reputation is about to be completely ruined. As the head of the family, Guo Yuanjia's only daughter managed to find this piece of trash to become her boyfriend? She even rejected the marriage between them and the Huang family. How ridiculous, haha."

"Isn't that so? Look at the reaction of those Guo family members. All of them are practically boiling with anger!"

"Tonight's engagement party wasn't for nothing. Drama after drama, how interesting! I wonder what other twists they'll be after this?"

"Twist? It's already the finale. Guo Lingfeng has already admitted to it, so what other twists could there possibly be?"

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All of these people were dissing them heavily

and their words became more cruel by the second. When they reached the Guo family members' ears, they felt even more mortified. Their faces were burning with embarrassment and they wished a crack would open up on the floor so that they could crawl in and hide.

As for the Huang family, they were completely relaxed and were smiling with glee.

The Guo family canceled the engagement and embarrassed them. But now, they had gotten their revenge. After tonight, the Huang family would walk out unscathed. However, the Guo family's reputation would be completely ruined, hahaha...

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Huang Wenhua's face was twisted with laughter. He was staring at Lin Wenjing with eyes full of mockery and was not even trying to hide his glee.

Lin Wenjing had remained silent throughout all this. Expressionless, he stood there like a block of wood as if he had been shocked silly. Frankly, many people thought he was in shock. For a useless son-in-law who couldn't even find a job and just stayed at home, wasn't it understandable that he'd be dumbstruck in this kind of situation?

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"Is this funny to you?"

At that moment, Lin Wenjing finally spoke up. Standing straight, he looked at Huang Wenhua nonchalantly and didn't look the least bit intimidated. There weren't any traces of panic or guilt on his face, giving the impression of miraculous strength.

Lin Wenjing didn't speak loudly, but his voice traveled across the whole room. Everyone quietened at this and stared at Lin Wenjing, excited for what he would say next.

Huang Wenhua's smile stiffened. He especially hated Lin Wenjing's calm face. What was he putting on an act for, f*cker!

"Lin Wenjing, I can't help but respect your thick skin. How thick must it be for you to remain so calm even at this point?" Huang Wenhua's smile returned and turned teasing. "Are you still going to struggle and find some sort of identity to hide your true self as a live-in son-in-law of the Chu family?"

After that, he said toward Guo Lingfeng, "Guo Lingfeng, sometimes, I really don't understand you. You knew that Lin Wenjing was a live-in son-in-law of the Chu family and is just a piece of trash. Yet, you still wanted to date him. Your attitude when it comes to looking for true love really is admirable. Even the reputation of your family pales in comparison."

His words resembled a knife which pierced into all of the Guo family members' hearts. This made them hate Lin Wenjing and Guo Lingfeng even more.

Huang Dongqiang and the others started to add oil to the fire, taking advantage of this chance to diss the Guo family.

Guo Lingfeng lowered her head. All her life, she had been sheltered like a flower in a nursery and her emotional strength wasn't the best. How could she possibly handle this sort of pressure? Immediately, tears started to flow down her face uncontrollably.

Suddenly, a big warm hand clasped her icy cold fingers and with it came warm words of reassurance. "Don't cry. I said that I would help you out tonight, and I won't eat my words. With me here, your family will not be humiliated."

When she heard Lin Wenjing's voice, Guo Lingfeng's heart jolted. She quickly raised her head and was heartened when she saw Lin Wenjing's gentle yet assertive face.

"Okay..." Guo Lingfeng nodded lightly. She knew Lin Wenjing was just consoling her. She no longer held any hope toward him but she still felt warm inside.

Huang Wenhua scoffed in disdain. He thought Lin Wenjing was struggling for his life, trying to grab at anything to stay afloat. He folded his arms over his chest and looked at Lin Wenjing coldly, waiting to see what other tricks Lin Wenjing had up his sleeves.

Lin Wenjing held Guo Lingfeng's hand and they both faced Guo Yuanjia together whose face was lined with worry. Then, he said politely, "Uncle Guo, you asked me just now what company I own. I didn't have a chance to answer you just now, but now, I can tell you."

Guo Yuanjia humphed coldly; he wasn't being courteous to Lin Wenjing at all. In his heart, he had already put Lin Wenjing on his blacklist.

Offstage, Situ Nan stood up with a wine glass in his hand, lazily tasting his red wine. The corners of his mouth lifted in a playful smile, waiting to see how Lin Wenjing would embarrass himself.

By his side, Master Grim was watching with a calm gaze. However, at a closer look, you could see the fire in his eyes. At that moment, he beheld the Second Young Master from the old days.*He has finally returned,* he thought.

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Han Kunpeng slowly walked to somewhere close to Lin Wenjing. The moment Lin Wenjing needed anything, he would come out at that

very second.

There was one other person—Wang Yunqian. He had reached not long ago and had wanted to go up and greet Lin Wenjing when he saw him. However, he was stopped by one glance from him. Now, he was staring at Lin Wenjing too, waiting for his next command.

Everyone had become silent. They were all looking at Lin Wenjing with ridicule in their eyes, yet there was an air of expectancy. They were waiting to see what Lin Wenjing could come up with. Of course, most of them were waiting to see what other jokes would take place that night as they did not believe that Lin Wenjing could come up with any more excuses.

Lin Wenjing didn't care about what these people were thinking or what they thought of him. He just looked directly at Guo Yuanjia and smiled as he said, "Not too long ago, I bought Purple Jade Studios for 2.5 billion. I believe that you have also heard about this. Now, I am the chairman of Purple Jade Studios."

Chairman of Purple Jade Studios. These five words brought with them a tremendous shock.

Before the engagement party had started, the attendees of the engagement party had been discussing the chairman of Purple Jade Studios the most. What background he had, what he looked like, or if he was coming. The chairman of Purple Jade Studios was the most mysterious person in all of Hua City right now.

However, Lin Wenjing was calling himself the chairman of Purple Jade Studios? Wasn't he just making jokes at this point?

That was why, after a brief period of silence, everyone in the room started cracking up. Apart from Han Kunpeng and Wang Yunqian, everyone else started laughing wildly.

"Hahahaha! Did I hear him wrongly? Did he just say he is the chairman of Purple Jade Studios?"

"I'm really going to die laughing! What a weirdo! Hahaha, he could pretend to be anyone, but he chose to pretend to impersonate the chairman of Purple Jade Studios? Did he really think that he could pretend to be the chairman of Purple Jade Studios just because he's so mysterious? He should look in the mirror and reflect on himself!"

"Hearing him say this really reminds me of that one phrase, 'Fact is stranger than fiction'. Even a useless live-in son-in-law who can't even find a job actually dared to pretend to be the chairman of a listed company whose net worth is a couple billion? He might as well have called himself God!"

"Now, the Guo family's reputation is absolutely done for."

Now, Lin Wenjing had become a complete joke; a clown. No one believed that he was the chairman of Purple Jade Studios.

To be fair, the chairman of Purple Jade Studios had a net worth of quite^K a few billion. As for Lin Wenjing, he was just a live-in son-in-law of a small family like the Chu family. Moreover. he wasn't even a skilled person. The two of them could not be more different than a dragon and an ant. Only a fool would believe that Lin Wenjing was the chairman of Purple Jade Studios.

Guo Yuanjia was stunned when he heard this. The chairman of Purple Jade Studios was no ordinary man! He had tried to invite the chairman of Purple Jade Studios before, only to be rejected. The Guo family was rather well-off in Hua City, but when it came to resources, he could never compete with the chairman of

Purple Jade Studios. Now, Purple Jade Studios was still rising and people in the industry had estimated that after a month, their market value would hit ten billion!

Ten billion, what a dream.

Now, the young man standing in front of him was calling himself the chairman of Purple Jade Studios? He wasn't happy. On the contrary, his expression became even darker and he felt as though he had been violated. Lin Wenjing was way too cocky, wild and arrogant!

Guo Lingfeng was also taken aback. She covered her face with her hands and yelled inwardly. She was starting to regret inviting Lin Wenjing over.

As for Huang Wenhua, after a short moment of surprise, he scoffed. He looked at Lin Wenjing's solemn manner and started chortling. In the end, he lost control and roared in laughter. "HAHAHAHA!"

He was laughing so hard he started to tear up. His originally shabby mood had brightened up considerably. Lin Wenjing really was a source of happiness in his life. *He actually dares to impersonate the chairman of Purple Jade Studios?* He had never seen someone so stupid before!

Huang Dongqiang and the others laughed as well and looked at Lin Wenjing with scorn. They had already signed him off as a lunatic, because only lunatics would say such a thing.

Offstage, Situ Nan also spewed with laughter, spitting out the wine in his mouth. He was absolutely overjoyed.

"Is this funny to you?" Next to him, Master Grim did not laugh. He just glanced at Situ Nan icily.

"Er..." Master Grim's aura was overwhelming, and it made Situ Nan's smile immediately vanish, causing him to choke like a duck that was choked mid-quack. It was hilarious. He didn't understand what Master Grim's meant, but he still didn't dare to continue laughing.

Master Grim looked at Lin Wenjing once more.Second Young Master, what exactly are you trying to do? Is this your way of announcing the king's return? Or are you simply being impulsive?

"Is it that hilarious?" Lin Wenjing asked Huang Wenhua the same question while watching his exaggerated laughter.

Huang Wenhua wiped at his tears. He had already laughed until his tears were dry and couldn't even stand straight, needing the help of Ü

someone beside him to keep upright. "Yes, it's hilarious. How could it not be? Lin Wenjing, you really refreshed my understanding of how stupid one can truly be. Sometimes, I really want to open your brain up and see what's in that skull of yours. Could it all just be manure? Haha."

Lin Wenjing laughed too. "Huang Wenhua, I'm warning you. Don't be so cocky with your words. There are many things that you don't know about, but that doesn't mean they don't exist. If not, you'll regret it in the future."

Huang Wenhua stopped smiling and said disdainfully, "Lin Wenjing, I'm not looking down on you. But how can a pfece of trash like you dare to impersonate the chairman of Purple Jade Studios, someone who has a net worth of a few billion? I'll give you some advice. Quickly kneel down and apologize, then slap yourself twenty or thirty times and beg for the chairman of Purple Jade Studio's forgiveness. If not, when this reaches his ears, you'll die without even knowing how you die. At that time, you'll even implicate the Guo family as well."

Realizing how this would be an issue, Guo Yuanjia immediately yelled at Lin Wenjing, "*sshole! Slap yourself and apologize, now! The chairman of Purple Jade Studios isn't someone you can cross!"

Lin Wenjing sighed in resignation. He looked at Guo Lingfeng and asked, "Do you believe that I'm the chairman of Purple Jade Studios?"

Guo Lingfeng panicked. Her mind was muddled and she didn't know how to answer.

Her reaction was all that Lin Wenjing needed.

"Why don't you all believe me?" Lin Wenjing's gaze swept across the crowd, looking helpless.

When Huang Wenhua saw him still acting this way, he was instantly annoyed. Even now, Lin Wenjiang was still being pretentious. He immediately stepped forward and glared at Lin Wenjing. "If you actually are the chairman of Purple Jade Studios, then I'll kneel down right now and apologize to you! But if you aren't the chairman, you kneel down and apologize to me! Do you dare to take this bet?"

"Kneel down and apologize?" Lin Wenjing frowned slightly.

"What, are you scared?" Huang Wenhua thought Lin Wenjing was nervous.

Lin Wenjing smiled. "No. I just want to give you some face."

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"There's no need for that. If you really are the

chairman of Purple Jade Studios, then you will not let me run off scot free for what I've said and done here tonight, so kneeling down and apologizing to you won't be a big deal, anyway. As for you, if you aren't the chairman of Purple Jade Studios, then I'm sorry, but you're about to become my lifelong enemy! I'll make you wish you were dead, but I won't let you die just like that!" When Huang Wenhua said that last sentence, his face was full of venom and murderous hatred. His hatred filled him to the brim and everyone felt a chill run down their spines as they felt his emotions boil over.

Guo Lingfeng became nervous too. She held onto Lin Wenjing's hand as her heart started to beat faster. TK

At that moment, Lin Wenjing became the center of attention once more. This time, everyone thought he was done for. As the live-in son-inlaw of the Chu family, he had no power nor status. Offending Huang Wenhua meant that he was officially dead.

At that moment, Lin Wenjing finally spoke. He curled his finger at Wang Yunqian who was already waiting in anticipation offstage. Lin Wenjing said lightly, "Wang Yunqian, come up here and tell Huang Wenhua who I am."

Wang Yunqian had already been waiting for ages. He had nearly run on stage several times so that he could announce the identity of the chairman of Purple Jade Studios, but without Lin Wenjing's command, he could only sit and wait. It was already extremely difficult for him to hold it in.

He was an impulsive man. As he watched the chairman get dissed by a piece of trash like Huang Wenhua, he felt horrible as if it were himself that was getting dissed.

Unknowingly, he had become Lin Wenjing's loyal follower. He was an observant person and he knew that Lin Wenjing was a capable man with good values. He was lucky to be working under a boss like him and was confident that he would be living a good life under him. That was why he joined him so sincerely. Now that he had finally gotten Lin Wenjing's permission, how could he still hold back? Straight away, he walked out with big steps.

Wang Yunqian was a rather well-known man. As the General Manager of Purple Jade Studios, he had countless people looking up to him and he only needed to answer to one person. Many people buttered him up and respected him. Even Huang Dongqiang and Guo Yuanjia held him with high regard.

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His appearance managed to attract everyone's attention.

At the same time, Han Kunpeng was agitated. Thus, he made his own decision to follow Wang Yunqian onstage.

Huang Wenhua's gaze landed on Wang Yunqian and Han Kunpeng. When he saw the expressions on their faces, he suddenly got a bad feeling and his heart felt like it had been wrenched.

Guo Yuanjia and the others also looked a little dazed as they stared at Wang Yunqian and Han Kunpeng walking up together, their brains overloaded. T^{K}

As for Situ Nan who was off stage, his eyes had bulged in shock.

Wang Yunqian and Han Kunpeng glanced at each other before quickly walking out of the crowd and onto the stage. They walked briskly toward Lin Wenjing and greeted him respectfully, "Chairman!"

Silence.

The huge hall had grown so silent it was eerie. This sudden silence was more complete than before and lasted for much longer. All that

echoed in these people's minds was that scene of Wang Yunqian and Han Kunpeng calling him 'Chairman!'. This one word bounced around in the crowd's ears.

Lin Wenjing nodded lightly and said, "Tell them who I am."

Wang Yunqian straightened his back and returned to his originally prideful manner. Standing next to Huang Dongqiang and Guo Yuanjia, his aura didn't lessen by one bit. He coughed twice before announcing loudly, "All of you have always wanted to know who the chairman of our Purple Jade Studios is. There are probably a few amongst you who have also tried to extend an invitation to our chairman but was ultimately declined. Now, I'll tell you all that this man next to me is the chairman of Purple Jade Studios himself!"

After this, the room stayed silent for three seconds before a deafening clamor broke out. It was as if everyone there had suddenly exploded with shock.

Phrases such as "Damn!", "F*ck!", and "Oh my God!" were not missed.

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That was right. To them, Lin Wenjing's identity was astounding. The effect it brought with him was no less than a bomb exploding!

Immediately, Huang Wenhua's eyes went round. His scalp went numb with fear and he started to shiver; even his hands and feet started to freeze.

Lin Wenjing was actually the mysterious chairman of Purple Jade Studios? This... f*ck... why did Huang Wenhua feel as though he was dreaming?

Still offstage, Situ Nan wasn't too well off, either. He was stupefied. The wine glass in his hand dropped and shattered on the ground.

This situation was a bombshell to him. More importantly, it was horrible news!

The chairman of Purple Jade Studios was someone he certainly could not anger.

Suddenly, he understood many things. Why he had been rejected by the chairman of Purple Jade Studios the first time he invited him out for a meal after he returned from overseas, and why the partnership between Teng Fei Company and Purple Jade Studios that had been going on for so long had suddenly been broken. That was all because of Lin Wenjing!

But why was this happening? Wasn't Lin Wenjing just the Chu family's live-in son-in-law? He had done his research very thoroughly, but **U**

how did Lin Wenjing suddenly become the almighty chairman of Purple Jade Studios?

He couldn't understand. He felt so overwhelmed that he wanted to throw up.

He wasn't the only one with questions. Almost everybody here was thinking the same thing.

Huang Wenhua's legs were numb as he stumbled backwards; the people next to him couldn't catch him in time so he fell down with a thump. He kept mumbling to himself, "Impossible, that's impossible..."

As for Guo Yuanjia, his eyes went round as if he had just seen a ghost. He stared at Lin Wenjing in disbelief. Despite his usual calmness, he was overwhelmed by this situation and his mind had gone blank, unable to react at all.

This wasn't because he couldn't handle stress. It was because the more he thought about it, the more he realized how absurd this was. How could a big-shot like him with a net worth of almost a few billion actually allow himself to become the live-in son-in-law of the Chu family? This made absolutely no sense. It was impossible!

At that moment, he had even considered the idea that Wang Yunqian had conspired with him

to act out this big show. However, the idea didn't even last for a second before he shook it away. First off, he knew Wang Yunqian. Knowing his personality and status, he would never do something like that! Besides, the respect in Wang Yunqian's eyes just now was not faked.

Besides him, there was still Han Kunpeng.

That was why, within just a short amount of time, he had accepted that Lin Wenjing was the chairman of Purple Jade Studios. However, this truth was very hard for him to digest.

Guo Lingfeng was feeling the least shock. She had only been stunned for a moment before she came back to her senses. Lin Wenjing had already made his mark in her heart, so even if Lin Wenjing was the chairman of Purple Jade Studios, that wasn't too out of the ordinary for her.

Of course, believing him was one thing, her emotions were another matter altogether. Lin Wenjing being the chairman of Purple Jade Studios was rather exciting to her and her face flushed red in response. It was the first time she had felt such intense emotions as she had never felt this way before, and she had a strong urge to leap into Lin Wenjing's embrace...

Luckily, she controlled herself.

Lin Wenjing stepped forward. He stood on stage and looked at everyone there. Now, no one dared to look down on him even if he was wearing a cheap suit; there was only reverence and respect.

"I am indeed the chairman of Purple Jade Studios, and I don't care whether you believe me or not," Lin Wenjing said with a calm tone, but it was filled with strength. "Guo Lingfeng is my good friend. After tonight, if any of you dare to insult Guo Lingfeng and say anything bad about her, don't let me hear about it. If I do, don't blame me for taking action."

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Many people were annoyed at his declaration as it seemed too cocky. So what if he was the chairman of Purple Jade Studios? No matter how rich he was, he was just a businessman like the rest of them. Was he purposely trying to make an enemy of them?

That was why a lot of people were disgruntled, but they didn't show it.

Even Wang Yunqian thought the chairman was exaggerating.

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Situ Nan immediately scoffed disdainfully. It wasn't loud, but it reached Lin Wenjing's ears.
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"Huh! So what if you're the chairman of Purple Jade Studios? Can you really make an enemy out of everyone here? What a joke."

Instantly, Lin Wenjing heard his words and looked over. He smirked and said, "Situ Nan, if you hadn't spoken, I would have forgotten about you. Joker, help me slap him twice."

"Yes, Mister Lin!"

Master Grim who had seemed so respectable and grand among all the others suddenly spoke up and bowed respectfully toward Lin Wenjing who was standing on stage. Then, he turned around and raised his hand before he slapped Situ Nan's face twice, so strong that he sent Situ Nan flying into the crowd.

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Chapter 181 I Didn't Disappoint You Tonight, Did I?

Master Grim was another enigmatic being in Hua City. Everybody knew his nickname was Master Grim but nobody knew his real name. He was the Underground Emperor of Hua City and had countless henchmen and was also involved in many businesses. In Hua City, he was a man that could not be touched.

This was why Hua City had a saying, It's better to offend the Lin family than offend Master Grim!

Although the Lin family was so powerful that everybody feared them, they had a bottom line and would only settle things legally.

However, Master Grim ₩as different. Not only was he powerful, he had many devious tricks up his sleeve and his methods were always unexpected and ruthless. In addition, Master Grim's background was also very mysterious. Other than Hua City, his power and control had also spread to other surrounding cities, making him an extremely terrifying figure.

Even the wealthy in Hua City wouldn't dare offend Master Grim.

Take what just happened for an example. The chairman of Purple Jade Studios was definitely wealthier than them, but his wealth had not reached the level where he was untouchable.

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The worst thing that could happen to them was that they would lose some business, but at least they wouldn't die.

But it would be different if they offended Master Grim, for it would cost them their life.

Now, the mighty Master Grim had actually respectfully called Lin Wenjing as Mr. Lin and he had obeyed his orders to beat up someone...

They were not stupid so they quickly realized the horrifying part of what just happened!

Master Grim was Lin Wenjing's subordinate!

After the two slaps on the face, Situ Nan felt like a layer of his skin was about to be torn off. It wasn't as simple as a burning pain; it felt like he had a concussion. His head was throbbing in pain as if he was suffering a lack of oxygen.

But what made him even more terrified was that the almighty Master Grim was Lin Wenjing's subordinate!

He felt like he was going to go crazy.How could this be? Isn't Lin Wenjing the useless live-in sonin-law in the Chu family? Isn't he Chu Ling's useless husband that didn't even dare touch Chu Ling even after four years of marriage? Why did he suddenly become so powerful? Not only is he the chairman of Purple Jade Studios, h

e is also Master Grim's Master?

Was this still the world he knew? Did something happen to it?!

Wang Yunqian who had suspected Lin Wenjing just now was proven wrong at that moment.*The chairman wasn't being rash or naive, he really did have the power and capability! Even a mighty big shot like Master Grim had to call the chairman Mr. Lin. His respectful attitude...* Wang Yunqian didn't dare continue his trail of thought and his scalp tingled in excitement. At first he thought that Lin Wenjing's identity as the chairman of Purple Jade Studios was already impressive enough, but now Lin Wenjing had an even more shocking identity!

Han Kunpeng was also stunned. As a man who dabbled in both the bright side and dark side of the world, he knew better than anyone how powerful Master Grim was. In comparison to Master Grim, his status was much lower and he wouldn't even dare talk to him. But, even Master Grim was the chairman's subordinate. This was too f*cking unbelievable!

Many people felt the same shock. Among them was Guo Yuanjia and Guo Yuanfeng.

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Guo Yuanfeng felt his hair stand on end as he trembled. He had offended Lin Wenjing and

said a lot of bad things about him before!

If Lin Wenjing really wanted to take revenge, he would be dead!

Of course, for people like Huang Wenhua, they weren't shocked-they were terrified to the bone and even their souls were shaking!

His identity as the chairman of Purple Jade Studios is already horrifying enough, now he is also Master Grim's master...

Gulp!

Huang Dongqiang swallowed a mouthful of saliva and his face turned pale, as he trembled in fear. He didn't dare to continue thinking about it for he was afraid that he might go crazy!

The Huang family was not a small family in Hua City. They had a big business so even if they had offended the chairman of Purple Jade Studios, they could still take it. However, the punishment of offending Master Grim's master was death.

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To tell the truth, Huang Dongqiang was someone that had been through all kinds of things. He had fought through every single challenge he had faced over the years. However, right now he had zero confidence and was in complete despair.

He kept on mumbling, "We're doomed, we're doomed..."

After Master Grim finished beating up Situ Nan, he walked over to Lin Wenjing and stood next to Lin Wenjing before respectfully calling him Mr. Lin. His attitude was even more respectful than Wang Yunqian and Han Kunpeng.

Anyone who saw this would tremble in fear.

Next, Master Grim's gaze swept through the hall and, with a cold and superior voice, he said, "I work under Mr. Lin. Any body who dares to make an enemy of Mr. Lin is an enemy of mine. Think twice or face the consequences."

These words were like an icy blizzard that enveloped all who were present, making them feel cold to the bone as they trembled in fear.

Lin Wenjing turned his eyes away from the hall and looked at Huang Wenhua before saying, "Huang Wenhua, it's time for you to fulfill your promise."

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Suddenly, everybody's gaze turned toward Huang Wenhua.

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What happened tonight was completely out of Huang Wenhua's expectations. At that moment, he felt a pressure he had never felt before in his entire life. Fear, regret, incomprehension, humiliation and the unwillingness to accept reality–a multitude of emotions rose inside him. As his body was already weak, he choked before spitting out a mouthful of blood as he couldn't take it anymore.

His face was as white as a sheet.

Even so, nobody dared to help him, not even the members of the Huang family. Lin Wenjing's power was so threatening that nobody dared to offend him.

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Which was why even though they were Huang Wenhua's blood relatives, they couldn't help but back up a few steps to maintain a distance with Huang Wenhua. They were afraid that they might get in trouble.

When Huang Dongqiang saw this, the expression on his face changed before it turned sallow in the end as if he had grown decades older in a few seconds.

In the end, he squatted down and helped Huang Wenhua up before saying in a soft voice, "Wenhua, we have lost. You have to fulfill your promise."

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After Huang Wenhua heard what Huang Dongqiang said, he shuddered. Tears streamed down his face before he started laughing. He giggled and slobbered as he shouted, "It's fake. It can't be real. Ha ha ha. Everything is fake..."

He had gone crazy.

When Lin Wenjing saw what Huang Wenhua had become, he naturally didn't want to bother with him anymore. He could tell that not only had Huang Wenhua gone crazy, and he looked like he was going to die soon.

Soon, the Huang family all left. Before they left, many members of the Huang family came forward and bowed to apologize to Lin Wenjing, trying to dissociate themselves from Huang Wenhua in fear that they might be targeted.

Nobody expected that the engagement party would end this way. It couldn't even be described with simple twists and turns anymore.

As for Situ Nan, he ran away. He was now guiltridden and afraid because he realized that he had done something terrible. He didn't dare to continue staying in Hua City, and he immediately bought a flight ticket overseas to hide right after he got home from the party.

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Soon, all the guests left with a heart full of shock and awe.

Only Lin Wenjing, Master Grim, Wang Yunqian, Han Kunpeng and members of the Guo family were left.

Lin Wenjing smiled at Guo Lingfeng and said, "How about that? I didn't disappoint you tonight, did I? I helped you get rid of Huang Wenhua."

Guo Lingfeng strongly nodded her head and gazed deeply at Lin Wenjing before saying, "Thank you, Lin Wenjing."

Lin Wenjing waved his hand and said, "Don't mention it, we are friends after all. It's getting late, go talk to your family. I'll be leaving now."

With that, he turned around and left. From the beginning till the end, he didn't even spare a glance to the members of the Guo family.



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It was not that he was trying to be arrogant, but he did have a temper. He saw how the Guo family had treated him just now, and the fact that he didn't make things difficult for the Guo family was already a kind gesture for Guo Lingfeng's sake.

"Wait!" Guo Lingfeng hurriedly stopped Lin Wenjing.

"Do you need anything else?" Lin Wenjing asked.

Guo Lingfeng blushed under his stare. Meekly, she said, "You did me a big favor but you haven't even eaten yet. Stay and eat with us."

Guo Yuanjia immediately walked over and said fervently, "Yes, Wenjing. We are really grateful for your help tonight. Stay and have dinner with us."

He behaved as if he was Lin Wenjing's father-inlaw. The glee and excitement was apparent in his eyes. *Are you kidding? This man in front him is the chairman of Purple Jade Studios who is extremely wealthy and protected by Master Grim. He is also very young and therefore has a bright future ahead of him! If he really became the Guo family's son-in-law, the Guo family's power would skyrocket!*

Lin Wenjing could clearly see through Guo Yuanjia's thoughts. He gave a hollow laugh before he replied, "It's okay, I won't stay for dinner. I'm not hungry."

Guo Yuanjia quickly replied, "Wenjing, I am at fault for treating you that way just now. Please forgive me, I was too short-sighted to recognize your identity. As an apology, I will punish myself with three cups of wine."

As he was talking, he ordered someone to pour him wine.

Lin Wenjing laughed and said, "You don't have to punish yourself. I came here tonight purely to help a friend." TK

"Oh..." Guo Yuanjia held a wine glass and felt a little embarrassed, but in the end he still drank it anyway.

Lin Wenjing didn't even look at him. Instead, he continued to talk to Guo Lingfeng and said, "Well, it's getting late now. I still have some matters to deal with so I'm not going to stay. Rest well."

Guo Lingfeng still wanted to persuade him to stay but she was already rejected by Lin Wenjing. She had no choice but to give up and watch as Lin Wenjing disappeared from her Ì

sight. Feeling empty as if something was sucked out of her body, she sat on the chair and looked as if she was in a trance.

In the hall that could fit over one thousand guests, only about thirty members of the Guo family were left. It looked very empty and the atmosphere felt strange. The members of the Guo family that were there stayed silent as they were still shocked by what had just happened.

Everybody's gaze was focused on Guo Lingfeng. Guo Yuanjia had lost all the bluster that he had just now. He took a chair and sat down next to Guo Lingfeng before asking with a face full of anticipation, "Lingfeng, when did you get to know Lin Wenjing? Why didn't you tell me beforehand? If you had told me he was the chairman of Purple Jade Studios, I would have canceled the engagement."

Guo Lingfeng didn't say anything. Her hand was under her chin and she was in deep thought.

In the past, Guo Yuanjia would be furious if Guo Lingfeng dared to ignore him like this. However, now he didn't dare to get angry so he just sucked up to her and said, "Lingfeng, I know that I have misunderstood you and have wronged you. I apologize. Why don't you invite Lin Wenjing over to our house for a meal someday?"

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Guo Yuanjia had voiced out what every member of the Guo family was thinking. It would be great if such a successful young man became a son-in-law of the Guo family.

"Didn't you all hate me for being with him just now? Why the sudden change of mind?" Guo Lingfeng scoffed.

Guo Yuanfeng immediately stood up and said, "That was because we didn't know his identity just now. Lingfeng, you are also a little at fault for not telling us that you found someone so powerful to be your boyfriend."

Others also joined in to persuade Guo Lingfeng. They didn't even try to hide the flattery and blandishment in their tone.

Guo Lingfeng felt disgusted when she saw how the elders were acting. In a sarcastic tone, she said, "All of you better think carefully. He is the live-in son-in-law of the Chu family. Aren't you all scared that he might bring shame to the Guo family?"

Her words made everybody embarrassed. Guo Lingfeng really didn't give any face to her elders.

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Guo Yuanjia coughed and said, "Wait, how does somebody like him become a live-in son-in-law

of the Chu family?"

Everybody else had the same question.

Guo Lingfeng shook her head and said, "I don't know either."

Liu Yan held Guo Lingfeng's hand and softly asked, "My dear daughter, if he is the live-in son-in-law of the Chu family, why is he with you? Doesn't that mean that he is cheating on his wife?"

"He is already divorced."

When they heard this, Liu Yuan and Guo Yuanjia looked at each other and heaved a sigh of relief. But soon, Guo Lingfeng sighed and said faintly, "There is something that I lied about. Lin Wenjing and I are not in a relationship, we are just normal friends."

"What?!"

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Every single member of the Guo family gasped in shock.

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After Lin Wenjing and his subordinates came out of the hotel, they were immediately surrounded by a crowd. Most of them were

guests of the party just now. Even though they left the party early, they didn't leave immediately and instead waited outside the hotel. Even though it was piercing cold outside because of the snow, they still continued to wait to show Lin Wenjing their sincerity.

All of them instantly rushed over when they saw Lin Wenjing exit the hotel. They didn't care about their dignity as General Managers anymore. What mattered most right now was to make friends with Lin Wenjing.

This scene attracted a lot of attention from the people by the roadside. They were wondering what kind of big shot this person was that so many influential and powerful people were flattering him and passing him their name card.

There was a man in the crowd who stood on his toes as he looked around, his face filled with curiosity. This man was none other than Chu Zhe, and next to him was a young and beautiful girl that was holding his hand intimately.

Chu Zhe was a little depressed these days because he hadn't seen Lin Wenjing for several days. He had recognized Lin Wenjing as his brother-in-law and even deeply worshiped him.

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Ever since the first day of the school holiday when Lin Wenjing taught Qian Feng a lesson in

front of the school gates, Qian Feng didn't dare come near him even though many days had passed. He was famous because many people knew that he had a powerful brother-in-law and nobody dared to offend him again. Lately, there were always people flattering and praising him everyday. Especially the night before when he went to the karaoke bar, a bunch of people complimented him and greeted him respectfully. This feeling was awesome!

That aside, the beautiful lady next to him had practically thrown herself on him just because he had a powerful brother-in-law. In the old days, he would never have the chance to enjoy this kind of treatment. This was why he had decided that he was going to follow Lin Wenjing everywhere no matter what!

However, he didn't even see his brother-in-law in the past few days. He asked his parents and his sister but they didn't answer and this saddened him.

Right now, he was afraid that Lin Wenjing would leave the Chu family. If that happened, things would be back to square one. Frankly, now that he had a taste of what it was like to receive special treatment, he wouldn't be able accept it if he had to go back to the old days.

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"Chu Zhe, what does your brother-in-law do? He

is so great. Can you introduce me to him?" At that moment, the beautiful lady asked sweetly as she hugged Chu Zhe's arm intimately. She swayed as she hugged his arm and Chu Zhe almost had a nosebleed.

Chu Zhe immediately straightened his back and proudly said, "My brother-in-law is a big shot among the big shots! Do you know who is the chairman of Purple Jade Studios? He is my brother-in-law's best friend. Not long ago, my brother-in-law even invested 1 billion in my family's company and gave all the shares to my sister..."

The beautiful lady immediately widened her eyes and squealed, "Wow! 1 billion! Your brother-in-law is so awesome!"

"Of course," Chu Zhe smiled arrogantly.

The beautiful lady asked, "Chu Zhe, where is your brother-in-law? I really want to meet him!"

"Oh..." Feeling like he was in a pickle, Chu Zhe wanted to make an excuse. Just then, he suddenly straightened his neck. His eyes flashed as he shouted excitedly, "Wenjing! Wenjing!"

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Chu Zhe had shouted very loudly in excitement. His expression looked crazed as if he had just seen an angel. His reaction startled the people around him, including the beautiful lady next to him.

Chu Zhe really did see Lin Wenjing. He was right in front of him, surrounded by many VIPs who were all flattering him.

As they weren't far apart, Lin Wenjing heard him as his shout was rather loud. When he heard his voice, Lin Wenjing looked over and his eyes met Chu Zhe's. A mix of emotions passed through his eyes before he turned away and pretended not to see Chu Zhe.

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Technically, he was no longer Chu Zhe's brother-in-law because he and Chu Ling had already divorced.

So, he pretended he didn't notice Chu Zhe; he didn't want to disturb Chu Ling's life.

However, it was different for Chu Zhe. He knew that Lin Wenjing had seen him so why did he pretend not to?

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Frustrated, he hurriedly ran over to meet Lin Wenjing.

He already saw a lot of powerful and wealthy

men outside the hotel when he passed by this area a while ago and they looked like they were waiting for someone. It turned out they were waiting for his brother-in-law! This made him really excited because he knew that his brotherin-law was definitely very influential.

"Get back! This is not somewhere you can enter!"

No sooner had he pushed his way through the crowd than he was stopped by several stout bodyguards.

Chu Zhe shouted loudly, "All of you, get out of my way! I'm looking for my brother-in-law!" TK

"Who is your brother-in-law?" One of the bodyguards asked in a hushed voice.

Chu Zhe pointed at Lin Wenjing who was nearby and was currently surrounded by men of power. "That man is my brother-in-law. Let me tell you, my brother-in-law is a real big shot. See that? Even the most influential and powerful are following my brother-in-law. I urge you to quickly let me in or else you will all be in trouble if my brother-in-law finds out."

The bodyguards glanced at each other before they all laughed hysterically; they had thought that Chu Zhe had come to cause trouble. They

couldn't be bothered to deal with Chu Zhe so they quickly dismissed him and said, "Shoo, shoo. Where did this kid come from? Even our boss has to butter up to the man you are talking about. How can he be your brother-in-law? Hurry up and get lost. This is not somewhere for you to mess around and offending these people might get you killed."

Chu Zhe still wanted to explain himself but the bodyguards didn't give him a chance. They kicked him out impatiently and he didn't even get a chance to resist.

In the end, he was pushed so hard he fell to the floor. He clenched his teeth in pain and was furious. "All of you watchdogs be careful! Wait till I tell my brother-in-law! He will punish you all for this!"

The bodyguards ignored his shouts.

Many people around them watched in amusement.

The beautiful lady said, "Chu Zhe, is that really your brother-in-law?"

Chu Zhe stood up before replying, "Of course he is my brother-in-law! See? I told you that my brother-in-law is very powerful. Even big and wealthy bosses have to curry favour with him."

"But why did he ignore you?" The beautiful lady asked with some doubt.

Chu Zhe didn't know how to answer her question because even he didn't know why his brother-in-law ignored him. It didn't make sense! He knew his brother-in-law clearly saw him.

"My brother-in-law... Erm, there were too many people blocking him so he probably didn't notice me." Chu Zhe could only think of this excuse.

However, the people around him immediately laughed at his words. "How could you be so shameless? He is such^{TK} big shot, so how could he be a brother-in-law of a loser like you?

"I agree. If he really was his brother-in-law, why would the bodyguards stop him from entering? He is definitely here to create trouble."

"There are so many attention-seeking clowns these days."

Chu Zhe was tortured by these words. He tried hard to explain but nobody believed him. Even the beautiful lady that once worshiped him changed her view of him. Thinking that he was lying, her attitude toward him immediately turned cold. In the end, she gave an excuse and

ran away.

This agonized Chu Zhe and he felt aggrieved. He hurriedly ran back home as he wanted to ask his sister why his brother-in-law ignored him and why he did not come home for so many days. His intuition told him that something bad had happened so he went home as fast as he could. He had to know what had happened!

Lin Wenjing got on Master Grim's car and left the hotel. Wang Yunqian and Han Kunpeng followed behind.

He didn't expect Chu Zhe to be there today. He felt uncomfortable when he heard him call him his brother-in-law because he wasn't Chu Zhe's brother-in-law anymore.

Master Grim sat beside him and asked, "Second Young Master, are you planning to head back to the Chu family's home?"

Lin Wenjing leaned on the seat lazily and stared out the window as if in a trance. "No, I'm not going back."

"Oh, it's good that you're not going back. You cannot use your identity as a member of the Chu family anymore anyways." Master Grim nodded and personally peeled an orange for Lin

Wenjing. "Second Young Master, what plans do you have next?"

"I think I will pay the Lin family a short visit," Lin Wenjing said. He was still looking out the window but there was a terrifying glint in his eyes. "It's time to take back what's mine."

At that moment, Master Grim could feel a powerful aura radiating from Lin Wenjing. A look of excitement appeared on his face. *The* great Second Young Master has finally returned!

Lin Wenjing continued, "But before that, I need your help. I need you to train with me for a few days."

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Master Grim placed his right hand on his chest and saluted. "I am willing to serve you, Second Young Master!"

Chu Ling was feeling more and more uneasy lately and wasn't getting much sleep. Not only did she have trouble falling asleep, she often woke up in the middle of the night. As time passed, she felt like she had neurasthenia.

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She even made some rookie mistakes in a meeting in the office today.

She couldn't figure out why she was like this. Her life was obviously going great. She managed to become the chairman of Sheng Ke company and her status in the Chu family had risen so nobody dared to cross her anymore. She even got rid of Lin Wenjing, the person she always wanted to be free of. Why was she still upset and having insomnia?

It was another day of her dragging her tired body back home. She looked at all the food on the table but she had no appetite.

All she wanted to do was quickly finish her meal, shower and head to bed. She was exhausted.

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However, she was in the middle of her meal when the door opened and slammed into the wall. The sudden sound startled her.

"Chu Zhe! What are you doing! Are you trying to scare me to death?!" Liu Qiaozhen immediately scolded him angrily.

Chu Ling also frowned with disdain and admonished, "Chu Zhe, do you have a death wish?"

With his forehead drenched with sweat, Chu Zhe was panting heavily because he ran all the way back here. Chu Ling and Liu Qiaozhen were **U**

startled when they noticed the state he was in and hurriedly asked, "Son, what happened? Are you being chased?!"

Chu Ling also put down her chopsticks and walked over.

It took some time for Chu Zhe's breathing to go back to normal. "Wenjing, he..."

Hearing these words, Chu Ling's expression instantly changed!

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"What happened to your brother-in-law?" Chu Ling grabbed Chu Zhe's shoulder in a panic. Her grip was so strong her nails pinched Chu Zhe's flesh, hurting him so much he clenched his teeth.

"Sister, it hurts! It hurts!!"

Chu Ling quickly let go of Chu Zhe. She didn't know why she was so agitated and couldn't control herself. "Can you just hurry up and finish your sentence?"

There was a hint of anger in her tone.

Chu Zhe was so startled by her tone his neck shrunk like a turtle. Feeling wronged, he replied, "I ran all the way home and I haven't even caught my breath yet."

Liu Qiaoyan snapped, "Stop wasting our time! Quickly, tell us what happened. Did the useless Lin Wenjing create trouble again?!"

Chu Zhe swallowed his saliva and took a deep breath to steady his breathing. He then said, "Sister, I saw Wenjing. He is at the Hua City Grand Hotel... Sister, why wasn't he home these few days?"

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When Chu Ling heard what Chu Zhe said, her heart couldn't help but start pounding. She felt

suffocated and a mix of emotions passed over her face. Then she asked in a soft voice, "You really saw him?"

"Yes! I saw him with my own eyes! I'm sure of it!" Chu Zhe was delighted when he recalled how awesome Lin Wenjing looked just now. His heart wouldn't stop beating in excitement. That was his brother-in-law, his brother-in-law!

"What did he say to you?" To be honest, Chu Ling didn't want to ask this question because it made her look useless but in the end she couldn't help it.

Chu Zhe scratched his head and looked upset as he said, "I was going" to ask you. I'm sure he saw me but why did he ignore me?"

Liu Qiaozhen remarked, "Luckily he knows what shame is. He is too ashamed to see you! Your sister had already divorced that useless Lin Wenjing. Don't ever call him your brother-in-law if you see him in the future, understand?! It's best to steer clear when you see him or else he might shamelessly bother you."

"What? Divorced?!"

Chu Zhe jumped in surprise. He was stunned by this shocking news.

Liu Qiaozhen slapped his head and scolded, "Why did you have such a big reaction? It's just a divorce. It's a good thing now that that useless Lin Wenjing has stopped lazing around the house and wasting your sister's youth."

Chu Ling clenched her teeth and stayed silent. She didn't know how she felt about him anymore.

Chu Zhe recovered from his shock and wailed, "Why?! Why did you two get a divorce?! Wenjing is a big shot! Divorcing him is a huge loss for the Chu family! I'm going to faint!!"

His reaction was so exaggerated and over the top that he startled Liu[®]Qiaozhen and Chu Ling. Even Chu Zhenyao who was reading in the reading room walked out to ask what they were fighting about.

Liu Qiaozhen said, "Chu Zhe, is your brain fried? Lin Wenjing is so useless; how can he be a big shot?"

Chu Zhenyao knitted his eyebrows and asked, "Chu Zhe, what happened? Tell us everything."

Chu Zhe then told them everything that he just saw without hiding anything. After he finished, he was out of breath but still very excited. "All of you weren't there to see what just happened!

Dozens of influential and powerful men were waiting for him outside the Hua City Grand Hotel even though it was snowing! The way they looked at him was so respectful! In the end, he even got on a Rolls Royce and left. To conclude, Wenjing is a big shot!" he exclaimed.

After he finished talking, the other three people in the house were dumbfounded. Especially Liu Qiaozhen and Chu Zhenyao who were absolutely flabbergasted! They stared at each other in shock and dismay. They couldn't believe it!

After some time, Liu Qiaozhen said, "Son, I think you mistook that guy for your brother-in-law. What kind of a big shot can that useless Lin Wenjing be?"

Chu Zhenyao shared the same suspicion. Lin Wenjing had been a live-in son-in-law in the Chu family for four years. How could they not know about his background?

Chu Ling only shook her head before looking down. Her expression was very complicated.

Frankly, deep down she kind of believed what Chu Zhe had just said.

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However, the more she believed him, the more upset she felt.

Chu Zhe tried his best to defend himself. "It's true! Why would I lie to you? I was only 20 meters away from Wenjing and I saw everything clearly. I was curious why he ignored me. Turns out it was because of his divorce with Chu Ling. Woe is me! It is a great loss to our family to let such a great man like him go!"

When they saw how agitated and serious Chu Zhe was, Liu Qiaozhen and Chu Zhenyao were shocked and started to feel regret. Was Lin Wenjing really such a big shot?

As usual, Chu Ling couldn't sleep again tonight. Chu Zhe's words continuously replayed in her mind and she could vividly imagine what it looked like when Lin Wenjing was surrounded and praised by powerful people.

The next day, she saw messages in chat groups discussing the news that the chairman of Purple Jade Studios attended the Guo family and Huang family's engagement party. He even appeared as Guo Lingfeng's boyfriend and forced them to break off the engagement. He embarrassed the Huang family and Huang Wenhua even had a mental breakdown before going crazy in the end.

Chu Ling saw messages like these in no less than ten chat groups but oddly, nobody shared pictures or videos and nobody mentioned that Ì

the chairman of Purple Jade Studios was the live-in son-in-law of the Chu family.

Of course nobody mentioned it. Who would dare spread the news that the chairman of Purple Jade Studios was once the live-in son-inlaw of the Chu family? This was Lin Wenjing's dark past. Everybody that attended the party were smart people from the upper-class of society. Who would do something so stupid? If they did and Lin Wenjing heard about it, they couldn't even imagine what would happen to the person who offended him. Those who didn't attend the party wouldn't even think about doing so.

Which was why after a Whole day, Chu Ling still didn't know that the chairman of Purple Jade Studios was her ex-husband, the man she had hurt before.

When she saw these messages, she felt upset. The person that the chairman of Purple Jade Studios liked was Guo Lingfeng and not her. She had flattered herself.

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Sigh...

Lin Wenjing probably attended the party.

She regretted that she didn't attend the engagement party.

Another day had passed and something huge had happened in Hua City's business world. Purple Jade Studios had set up an advertising company and their registered capital was more than 50 million. They were going to compete with Teng Fei Company.

What was more, another person invested in the company and the investment totaled to over 1 billion. Hence, this advertising company instantly became famous.

Of course, this company was set up by Lin Wenjing himself. With the money and capability he possessed right now, the company would be as big as Teng Fei Company. In one year, they would be able to overtake Teng Fei Company.

A week passed. During this whole week, Lin Wenjing didn't do anything else other than receive special training from Master Grim. He wanted to get back all his strength that he had lost over the past few years through this special training. After this, he was going to return to the Lin family house and take back everything that rightfully belonged to him.

Meanwhile, at the Lin family home.

The temperature of the indoor swimming pool in the luxurious villa was as hot as summer even though it was freezing cold outside because of the heavy snow. The villa spanned more than 2,000 square meters and it was enclosed in a huge barrier with powerful heaters in eight directions that provided constant warmth.

This made it feel like summer indoors.

There were dozens of young ladies swimming in the pool and they looked especially seductive. It was a man's paradise.

There was a man lounging on a beach chair by the swimming pool. He had pale skin but it had a healthy shine; he had bouncy skin and his muscle lines were defined, even more defined than those men who were into fitness. What was more important was that these muscles were full of explosive power. This man was enjoying the attention of four beautiful women; two of them were giving him a massage and the other two were helping him put on sunscreen.

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He was none other than Lin Wenjing's half brother, Lin Zihao.

He held a tablet in his hands and there was a video playing. It was a recording of the Guo family and the Huang family's engagement party; currently playing was the scene of Lin Wenjing revealing his identity as the chairman of Purple Jade Studios, shocking everyone present.

The video quality was pretty bad and blurry but it was clear enough that you could discern that it was Lin Wenjing; his words could also be heard clearly.

Lin Zihao looked on with interest with a meaningful smile on his face. When he saw Master Grim step out and call Lin Wenjing as Mr. Lin, his eyes narrowed before he muttered, "Joker, is this your choice?"

"Do you think that Lin Wenjing is the one? Huh! I will let you know that you have made a mistake! Since you have chosen him, you will die with him!"

Halfway through the video, Lin Zihao crumpled up the tablet into a ball like it was paper with ease. The battery deformed and burned in his hand but he didn't care. This however startled the four beautiful ladies that were servicing him.

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"Lin Wenjing, oh, Lin Wenjing, you look so

mighty. You're flaunting and spending all the money that old man left you everywhere. Too bad days like these won't last long for you are destined to die in my hands. I will use my actions to show that old man that choosing you was the worst decision he had made in his life!"

After he finished his sentence, he stood up and with two to three leaps, he jumped onto the diving platform that was five meters away. Then he jumped and dived in perfect form, falling into the water without even a splash.

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Meanwhile at another villa, it didn't have an expensive barrier that created a warm summer environment like Lin Zihao. It was as icy cold as the weather outside with snow falling heavily from the sky.

There was a shirtless man and his body was emitting burning hot heat. Snowflakes quickly evaporated when they landed on his body.

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Naturally, this man was Lin Wenjing. He had

been training with Master Grim for a week.

The special training he received was more brutal than the world's strongest special force training. If it wasn't for his strong body, he wouldn't be able to endure it!

Moreover, such special training wouldn't be able to continue without huge financial support because the price of the chinese medicine he consumed everyday was insane. It was the only way for him to make up for the four years of cultivation he had missed.

Every single special training session was a great challenge for him and his will. Ordinary people wouldn't even be able to withstand more than ten minutes, let alone a week.

Thankfully, his hard work had paid off. After one week of special training, Lin Wenjing had improved tremendously; he could clearly feel that he was stronger. Not only had his strength increased exponentially, even his sight, hearing and smell had sharpened.

He could now clench his fists and easily blow up a tree that was 30cm in diameter .

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Heavy snow fell from the sky and there was only one color left between heaven and earth white.

On this thick layer of snow, two figures were leaping around and fighting fiercely.

Their footprints littered the snow around them. Every footprint they made was quickly covered up by the heavy snow but they continued to make fresh footprints.

Their movements were so fast that they completely exceeded the limits of what ordinary people could achieve. Luckily they were in the middle of nowhere and there were no strangers around. Otherwise, they would have been frightened and thought that they had met a ghost.

"I've lost."

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Finally, after around ten minutes, the two figures stopped with Lin Wenjing's five fingers around Master Grim's neck. Blood seeped through as his nails had pierced a layer of his skin. If Lin Wenjing used more force, Master Grim's neck would snap.

Lin Wenjing smiled and relaxed his right hand. "Joker, I'm back."

Master Grim gave a hearty smile and felt happy for Lin Wenjing. "Yes, Second Young Master, you're back. I believe that if you challenge Lin Zihao again, he wouldn't be a match for you."

"Thank you," Lin Wenjing said deeply as he looked at Joker with gratitude.

Master Grim's expression wavered but he quickly shook his head and replied to Lin Wenjing with his classic modest smile. "Second Young Master, this is what I'm supposed to do."

Lin Wenjing didn't continue with pleasantries. He had achieved his goal and it was time for him to leave.

"Let's have a drink before I leave," Lin Wenjing suggested.

Master Grim nodded and smiled as he said, "Sure." $$^{\rm TK}$$

Lin Wenjing left after a meal with Master Grim.

He was much stronger now. He was confident that he could defeat Lin Zihao the next time he met him.

Which was why it was time for him to head back to the Lin family home to retrieve what was his.

The next day, he received an invitation from Lin Hanhai to attend the Lin family meeting. I

Lin Wenjing immediately agreed.

However, Lin Wenjing was not in a hurry to attend. He went back to Purple Jade Studios and gave some orders and assignments, making sure that Purple Jade Studios would be able to run as usual for the next month even if he wasn't there before he left.

It was simpler for the newly founded advertising company. He had set up a new team and the way he found them was very simple; he had lured and hired several elite workers from Teng Fei Company with a large sum of money. Teng Fei Company took a big hit and had even less capital to compete with Lin Wenjing's advertising company.

After the chairman of Teng Fei Company found out that the chairman of Purple Jade Studios did it because his son had offended him, he really wanted to personally squeeze Situ Nan's neck!

After everything was settled, he left the next day and headed to the Lin family house.

This time, he went alone and didn't bring Master Grim with him.

Although the Lin family was a family in Hua City, their main quarters was nearer to Feng City. It was a two hour drive from where Lin Wenjing was at.

Lin Wenjing had driven there and when he reached his destination, he saw an acquaintance standing by the roadside hailing a car.

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