Big Shot 2091

Chapter 2091: Why Is He Interfering in Someone Else's Relationship?

Mo Yesi smiled. "I'm afraid they can't afford it."

"Oh right, Lu Rao, why didn't you bring your wife along? Didn't you say you wanted to bring her out to meet us?"

Lu Rao waved the teacup. "She's having a gathering with her colleagues tonight. I'll treat you guys to a meal another day."

"Lu Rao's wife?" Yan Shaoqing was talking to Qiao Mianmian, but his ears didn't miss the conversation between Mo Yesi and Lu Rao. He turned around and smiled. "Heh, I've already seen her. Second Bro, let me tell you, Lu Rao is so lucky. His wife is so beautiful.

"She has a special temperament. It's that kind of... feeling of a well-bred young lady from ancient times. And she's so gentle and talented. No wonder Lu Rao got married so quickly. If he didn't get his hands on such an outstanding wife sooner, he probably wouldn't have had the chance.

"Second Bro, you and Sis-in-law got married too.

"I understand now that I've met a good wife. I have to do it immediately. I have to learn from you."

Lu Rao glared at him. "You've finally come to your senses? What were you doing? It's too late."

It was fine if Lu Rao didn't say anything, but the moment he did, he stabbed Yan Shaoqing in the heart.

Yan Shaoqing's expression changed.

A few seconds later, he snorted. "It's not too late to realize it now. When I meet a beauty who makes me fall in love at first sight, I can take her down immediately."

Lu Rao wanted to say something.

But in the end, he didn't say anything.

Forget it.

Why was he getting involved in someone else's relationship?

Anyway, Yan Shaoqing had already messed things up. It was probably impossible to salvage the situation. There was no need for him to add salt to his wounds.

He knew Yan Shaoqing well.

This person usually looked like a playboy, like his feelings were like a game.

But this time, he was really sincere.

He was just playing around, but in the end, he played with his heart and the person he liked.

Everyone knew that he regretted it now.

He just didn't want to admit it.

Hence, such people often suffered because of their pride.

"President Lu is married?" Qiao Mianmian looked at Lu Rao in shock.

When she knew Lu Rao, he was still single.

Seeing that Lu Rao came alone today, she didn't expect him to be married.

"Mm." Lu Rao smiled at her. "I told Ah Si, he didn't tell you?"

Qiao Mianmian shook her head and smiled. "Congratulations, President Lu. When will I be able to eat your wedding cake?"

"The wedding will be held next month. Sis-in-law and Ah Si must come to support us."

"Of course." Qiao Mianmian turned to look at Mo Yesi. "Why didn't you tell me that President Lu is married?"

Mo Yesi looked at her calmly. "Why should I tell you?"

Qiao Mianmian was speechless.

"You'll know when he sends the invitation," Mo Yesi said.

"…"

"Oh right, Sis-in-law.. When is your wedding with Second Bro going to be held?" Yan Shaoqing's voice came through. "You've already made it public, right? Is there a need to continue keeping the marriage secret?"

Chapter 2092: Give Me Some Face

"We're preparing for our wedding, too." Mo Yesi paused for a while before saying, "But it'll be later, probably next year. You don't have to rush, I'll definitely send you an invitation."

Yan Shaoqing kept quiet.

At this moment, he felt like he'd suffered 10,000 points of damage.

Was he here to be tortured?

In the past, he was only abused by one person.

Now, even Lu Rao was torturing him.

Were they even his buddies?

Didn't they know that he was still traumatized?

His good buddy said they would leave together, but why was he the only single person left now?

The place that Yan Shaoqing recommended naturally had delicious food.

Qiao Mianmian liked spicy food, but tonight's meal was mainly light.

But Qiao Mianmian ate a lot tonight.

Halfway through the meal, someone knocked on the door.

Qiao Mianmian thought it was a waiter. After a while, the door opened and a person entered.

The moment Gong Zeli entered the private room, the relaxed and harmonious atmosphere seemed to freeze.

Everyone in the room was shocked to see him.

Only Yan Shaoqing's expression didn't change.

Gong Zeli was also surprised to see Qiao Mianmian and Mo Yesi.

Obviously, he didn't know that they would be here too.

He stood at the door for a moment and then turned to leave.

"Zeli." Yan Shaoqing stood up and called him.

Gong Zeli stopped in his tracks.

Yan Shaoqing pushed his chair away and quickly walked to his side. He patted him on the shoulder. "What are you doing? Come and sit down."

Gong Zeli pursed his lips and turned to look at him.

"Why didn't you tell me the others would be here?"

He didn't say who, but Yan Shaoqing knew who he was referring to.

Yan Shaoqing's eyes flickered and he lowered his voice. "Zeli, just take it as giving me face and sit down. Don't leave for now."

Gong Zeli kept quiet.

Yan Shaoqing sighed again. "Zeli, I just feel that we've been brothers for so many years. I really don't want to see you and Ah Si go on like this. Are we really unable to go back?

"Zeli, sit down. No matter what, let's finish this meal first."

Gong Zeli stood at the door for a few seconds and then turned around.

Yan Shaoqing heaved a sigh of relief and put an arm around his shoulders. He then led him to the dining table.

"Ahem, well..." Yan Shaoqing glanced at Mo Yesi's darkened expression and felt a little uneasy. He pursed his lips and said, "Fourth Bro and I haven't seen each other in a long time, so I called him along today.

"Speaking of which, we haven't been together for a long time."

Mo Yesi and Gong Zeli kept quiet.

The atmosphere was a little awkward.

Even Yan Shaoqing didn't know what to say to liven up the atmosphere.

The dinner tonight was mainly to repair Mo Yesi and Gong Zeli's relationship.

Chapter 2093: Using Qiao Mianmian to Make Him Stay

They had known each other for so many years.

Yan Shaoqing didn't want Mo Yesi and Gong Zeli to break up.

He felt that things weren't that serious.

He wanted to work things out.

"Yes, we haven't gathered together in a long time." At this moment, Lu Rao came out to smooth things over. "Ah Si has always been very busy, and Zeli has been very busy recently. It's rare that everyone is here. Zeli, sit down quickly. You haven't eaten, right? Let's order a few more dishes for you?"

Lu Rao naturally hoped that Gong Zeli and Mo Yesi could return to their past relationship.

They had known each other for a long time.

Like Yan Shaoqing, Lu Rao didn't want their relationship to change.

But he didn't know that Yan Shaoqing would call Gong Zeli and Mo Yesi over.

Hence, he was shocked when Gong Zeli entered the private room.

But he quickly realized what Yan Shaoqing was trying to do.

Yan Shaoqing dragged a chair out. "Zeli, don't just stand there. Sit down."

Gong Zeli pursed his lips and sat down.

The atmosphere in the room became strange.

A group of people surrounded a huge table, but no one spoke.

It was strangely quiet.

Qiao Mianmian felt a little uncomfortable when she saw Gong Zeli.

She didn't know that he would be here tonight.

She looked at Mo Yesi's reaction. It seemed he also didn't know.

If she'd known, she wouldn't have come.

But she could understand Yan Shaoqing's actions.

Both of them were brothers. Now that things had turned out this way, he definitely wanted to be a peacemaker and get his two buddies back together.

But...

Neither Mo Yesi nor Gong Zeli seemed to have such thoughts.

This seemed like Yan Shaoqing's wishful thinking.

Just as Qiao Mianmian thought of this, she heard a "bam". Then, she clenched her fists and stood up.

She turned around in surprise and looked at the man beside her.

Mo Yesi held her hand and got up. "Enjoy your meal. Mianmian and I have something on, I'll take her back first.

"Baby, let's go."

With that, he held her hand and was about to leave.

Yan Shaoqing was stunned for a few seconds before he quickly stood up to stop him. "Second Bro, wait. Don't go!"

How could Yan Shaoqing let Mo Yesi leave just like that?

If that was the case, wouldn't the stage he prepared tonight be in vain?

He quickly chased after him. "Second Bro, don't leave like that."

He chased up to him. "Second Bro, what are you in a hurry to leave? We haven't even finished eating, Sis-in-law isn't full yet, why are you leaving already? I even ordered some desserts for Sis-in-law, they'll be ready soon.

"You can leave after she finishes eating it."

Yan Shaoqing knew that Mo Yesi cared about Qiao Mianmian, so he wanted her to stay.

Mo Yesi ignored him and turned to Qiao Mianmian. "Do you want dessert?"

"I..." Qiao Mianmian didn't know how to respond.

At this point, Yan Shaoqing was practically begging her.

Qiao Mianmian hesitated for a while before looking up at Mo Yesi. "I think... it's better to eat before leaving. That dessert looks really good, I want to try it."

Chapter 2094: He Was Already Possessed

"That's right, that's right." Yan Shaoqing immediately added, "That dessert is very good. Sis-in-law, you mustn't miss it! Second Bro, Sis-in-law said that she'll leave after eating it. Wait a while more."

Yan Shaoqing pulled Mo Yesi back.

Gong Zeli didn't move, but he didn't look too good.

Yan Shaoqing pulled them back and looked at the two of them sitting there silently. He hesitated for a while and sighed. "Second Bro, Fourth Bro, I'm sure you know why I set up this meal today.

"We've been brothers for so many years, can we talk about it openly? If there's a problem, solve it. No matter what, we've been brothers for so many years, there's no need to end up like this.

"We're good brothers, not enemies. Do you know how f*cking awful it feels to be stuck in the middle like this!"

Yan Shaoqing had thought about it, too.

Instead of beating around the bush and stammering, it was better to be direct.

Lu Rao kept quiet for a while before saying, "That's right, let's talk it out. We've known each other for so many years, it's really hard for everyone to be in this state. Is it really so serious that it has to be like this? Is there no way to salvage it?"

"Fourth Bro, Second Bro, say something." Yan Shaoqing was getting anxious. "Second Bro, I know Fourth Bro is in the wrong, but he..."

Yan Shaoqing pursed his lips when he saw Qiao Mianmian.

"Second Bro, Fourth Bro is in the wrong, but I don't think he's totally in the wrong. Can't you... give him a chance to change?"

"Fourth Bro." Yan Shaoqing shot Gong Zeli a look. "Hurry and tell Second Bro. Tell him you know your mistake. You won't do that again."

Seeing how indifferent Gong Zeli was, Yan Shaoqing panicked.

What was Fourth Bro thinking!

The two parties didn't react at all. He was the only one anxious.

"Shaoqing, that's enough." Gong Zeli turned to look at Mo Yesi and said coldly, "There are some things you don't understand. You shouldn't have gotten involved. My relationship with Mo Yesi is over, and we can't go back to the past.

"This meal you set up today is meaningless.

"If you called me here just for this, then you're wasting your time."

Change?

Gong Zeli smiled self-mockingly.

How was he going to change it?

Someone was already living in his heart. He couldn't make that person disappear just because he wanted to.

Just like when he entered the private room and found her here, he couldn't help but look at her.

Even though he knew that he shouldn't be staring at her.

Even if he knew that he should control his feelings.

But there were some things that he couldn't control.

Even though he knew that this wasn't the right time, he still couldn't help but look in her direction.

In his heart, that devil had become a powerful enemy he couldn't defeat.

Because he knew his feelings, Gong Zeli knew very well that he and Mo Yesi could never go back to their previous relationship.

Unless he didn't care about Qiao Mianmian anymore.

Chapter 2095: She Was Like a Sinner

Yan Shaoqing was stunned. "Fourth Bro, you..."

Gong Zeli stood up.

He looked down at Mo Yesi. "I apologize to you and Mianmian for what my mom did. Mo Yesi, I don't want to be enemies with you. Even if our relationship can't return to how it was in the past, I don't want us to become enemies.

"So, I won't take the initiative to be your enemy. But if you insist on targeting the Gong Corporation, I, Gong Zeli, have nothing to fear. Also, as we're brothers, I'll give you one last reminder.

"Watch out for the Shen family."

Mo Yesi looked with narrowed eyes.

Gong Zeli met his gaze and smiled. "Of course, it's up to you to believe me."

He ignored everyone else and left the room.

"Zeli..." Yan Shaoqing wanted to chase after him, but Gong Zeli had already left the room.

Lu Rao held him back. "Shaoqing, forget it. Don't chase after him."

They were all adults.

They had already said everything they needed to say.

If it was still useless, then there was really no need to do anything.

Yan Shaoqing understood this, too.

Hence, he didn't chase after Gong Zeli anymore.

This wasn't what he wanted to see.

He sat back down in disappointment. The thought of the four of them suddenly becoming like this made his heart feel empty.

Why did it become like this?

Would their relationship never return to how it was in the past?

"Shaoqing, don't bother about this anymore." Lu Rao patted him on the shoulder and said, "Ah Si and Zeli aren't children anymore. They know what they're doing. Zeli just said that there are some things we don't know. In that case, respect their choice."

Yan Shaoqing opened his mouth, but he didn't know what to say.

"Alright, I won't bother about this anymore." After a while, he rubbed his forehead. "Take it that I'm being nosy this time."

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"Mo Yesi, did I bring you a lot of trouble?"

After leaving the restaurant, Qiao Mianmian looked at the silent man beside her and felt bad.

She knew that a large part of the reason Mo Yesi and Gong Zeli ended up like this was because of her.

Otherwise, things wouldn't have gotten to this point.

They had been brothers for so many years, but they broke up because of her.

Even if this wasn't her intention, she didn't want to see this.

But it did have a lot to do with her.

She felt like ... a sinner.

"Don't think like this." Mo Yesi looked away from the window and reached out to pull her into his arms. "Who said you brought me a lot of trouble? I only know that meeting you was the luckiest thing I've ever experienced.

"If this is trouble, I hope this trouble can follow me for the rest of my life."

"But I really feel like I've caused you a lot of trouble." Qiao Mianmian pursed her lips. "If it wasn't for me, your relationship with Gong Zeli wouldn't have turned out like this. I was the one who caused you to lose your friendship.

"Your relationship can't go back to how it was before?"

Chapter 2096: I Can't Forgive Him

"Actually, Madam Gong did it, it has nothing to do with him. I think..."

"Mianmian, the person who decides if this relationship can go back to how it was before isn't me. It's him." Mo Yesi interrupted her softly. He looked into her puzzled eyes and kept quiet for a few seconds before continuing. "If he can't give up some things, we can't go back to how we were before.

"So, he's the one who chose this relationship.

"What he doesn't want to give up is also my bottom line. He touched my bottom line, I can't forgive him."

Qiao Mianmian fell silent.

She knew what Mo Yesi was referring to.

Mo Yesi was a possessive man, and he was also a domineering man in terms of relationships.

He would never allow his brother to have feelings for his wife.

"Alright, don't bother about this anymore." Mo Yesi rubbed her head and said gently, "You don't have to blame yourself for this. I've said it before, this isn't just about you. There are other factors.

"Moreover, even without you, my relationship with Gong Zeli would have become like this sooner or later."

"Why?" Qiao Mianmian asked curiously.

"In the past, because of Shen Rou, he and I had already fallen out a few times. So, even without you, we would still have fought because of Shen Rou. Sooner or later, it would break out. Now, it's just bringing the time forward."

When he mentioned Shen Rou, Qiao Mianmian suddenly recalled Gong Zeli's reminder in the private room.

She asked worriedly, "Gong Zeli told you to be careful of the Shen family. Does he know something? Is the Shen family doing something bad to the Mo Corporation?"

Mo Yesi kept quiet for a while and narrowed his eyes. "Mm, the Shen Corporation does have some tricks up their sleeves, but it won't affect the Mo Corporation much."

"So, the Shen Corporation really did something?" Qiao Mianmian looked at Mo Yesi's nonchalant expression and got worried again. "Don't treat this as a trivial matter. If the Shen Corporation really wants to take revenge on the Mo Corporation, you have to be careful."

When the Shen family was in trouble, the Mo family didn't help. The Shen family must have held a grudge.

It wasn't impossible to retaliate against the Mo Corporation now.

Although there was a huge gap between the two families, Qiao Mianmian still felt that he couldn't let his guard down.

"Don't worry." Mo Yesi combed her hair with his fingers. "I got someone to keep an eye on the Shen Corporation. I'll know immediately if they do anything."

Qiao Mianmian was relieved.

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They were halfway to Lu Shan Courtyard when Qiao Mianmian's cell phone rang. It was Father Qiao.

Seeing who was calling, Qiao Mianmian was stunned for a while before pressing a button.

She kept quiet for a few seconds before saying, "Dad."

Father Qiao was silent for a while before saying, "Mianmian, are you busy these few days? If not, come back for dinner the day after tomorrow.

"Of course. If you have something on, then forget it."

"Alright, Dad. I'll be back for dinner." Qiao Mianmian knew that it was Father Qiao's birthday the day after tomorrow.. In fact, even if Father Qiao didn't call, she would still have gone back to celebrate his birthday.

Chapter 2097: I'll Try My Best to Treat Him Well

Even if she had already acknowledged her biological parents, she had lived with Father Qiao for almost 20 years.

Her feelings for Father Qiao were actually deeper than for her biological parents.

Because of Qiao Anxin, they hadn't contacted each other for a long time.

Qiao Mianmian had mixed feelings after receiving this call.

She didn't know if Father Qiao was calling her because of Qiao Anxin.

She didn't know what she would do if Father Qiao begged her on Qiao Anxin's behalf again.

"Mm. Come back early the day after tomorrow. Your parents won't mind, right?"

Qiao Mianmian kept quiet.

She suddenly felt sad.

Father Qiao's cautious question caused her heartache.

"Dad," she called softly again, suppressing the bitterness in her eyes. She said softly, "You're my family too, the closest person to me. If it wasn't for your upbringing, I wouldn't be who I am now.

"In my heart, your position will never change."

Father Qiao kept quiet for a while before saying hoarsely, "Mm, then you, come back early the day after tomorrow. I'll get Aunt Lin to prepare your favorite dishes. Oh right, bring Mo Yesi back with you. You're already married, but you didn't bring him home to have a meal with us. Since you're my daughter, he's my son-in-law. Come back the day after tomorrow."

"Mm, I'll tell him."

After a while, Qiao Mianmian hung up.

She hesitated for a while before saying to Mo Yesi, "Dad's birthday is the day after tomorrow. He just called to ask me to go back for dinner on that day. Do you... have time?"

There were too many scandals in the Qiao family.

Qiao Mianmian was embarrassed by what Lin Huizhen and Qiao Anxin had done.

She had a terrible family.

She didn't even like it herself, let alone others.

She felt that even if Mo Yesi didn't want to go, she could understand.

But Mo Yesi didn't hesitate. "Alright."

Qiao Mianmian was stunned that he agreed so quickly. "Are you willing to go?"

"If you want to go back, we'll go back," Mo Yesi said.

His attitude towards the Qiao family was built on her.

He would value the people she valued.

Otherwise, he would only dislike them even more.

"Mm, I want to go back and take a look." Qiao Mianmian thought for a while and said, "Dad isn't in good health, I haven't seen him in a long time."

"Then let's go back."

Qiao Mianmian looked at him and blinked. "I thought you wouldn't want to return to the Qiao family with me."

"Baby, do you want to hear the truth?" Mo Yesi smiled and stroked her hair.

"Mm."

"To be honest, I really don't like your adoptive father and your stepmother and stepsister. Because they didn't take good care of you. When it comes to being parents, they failed.

"You said that your adoptive father treated you well, but I think he's still biased. If it wasn't for his favoritism, you wouldn't have had such a difficult time in the past few years. Based on my temper, I might never have interacted with them in my life.

"But I know you have feelings for your adoptive father. He has indeed raised you. So, I'll try my best to treat him well. Even if I don't like him very much, if it's someone you care about, I'll try to respect them."

Chapter 2098: Just Give Me More Benefits

"Mo Yesi..." Qiao Mianmian looked at him with reddened eyes.

She wanted to cry.

Why was her husband so nice?

She was touched to tears every time.

"You're so good to me." Qiao Mianmian rubbed her eyes and wrapped her arms around his neck. "Hubby, thank you." "Baby, you're my wife. Who else should I be good to?

"This is what I should do. If you think your husband is good, just give me more benefits."

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"Young Master, where are we going now?"

In the driver's seat.

The chauffeur saw Gong Zeli's dark expression and asked nervously.

Young Master Gong didn't usually have a good temper.

Everyone in the Gong family was afraid of him.

Now that he was sitting in the car with a cold expression and staying quiet for almost half an hour, his aura was so cold that the chauffeur didn't even dare to breathe.

He was afraid that Gong Zeli would be upset.

The chauffeur asked, but Gong Zeli didn't respond at all. He was still looking out of the window with a gloomy expression.

He was seated like a statue.

The driver didn't dare to speak anymore.

Gong Zeli didn't say anything, so he could only wait in the car.

But he remembered that Young Master Gong was still fine when he arrived.

But after leaving the clubhouse, it became like this.

He had no idea what was going on.

Who was so daring to make Young Master Gong so angry?

The chauffeur didn't dare to rush him anymore and waited quietly in the car.

After a while.

His cell phone rang.

The ringtone pulled Gong Zeli back from his thoughts.

His eyes slowly returned to normal.

He retracted his gaze and took out his cell phone. He waited for it to ring a few more times before picking it up.

"Hello, Mom."

"Zeli, where are you now?"

It was Madam Gong.

Gong Zeli looked out of the window and rubbed his temple. He said tiredly, "I'm doing something outside. What's the matter?"

"Zeli, I suddenly feel a little dizzy and uncomfortable. Can you come home immediately?"

Gong Zeli's expression changed slightly when he heard that, but he quickly returned to normal. "Then, call a doctor or get the butler to send you to the hospital. I'm not a doctor, so it's useless for me to come back now."

"But Mom is very anxious now and wants to see you immediately." Madam Gong seemed really uncomfortable and sounded a little weak. "The doctor has come to see me and wants me to rest more. But I still feel uncomfortable. Zeli, Mom misses you very much now. Can you come home?

"Are you still angry with Mom about what happened previously? Mom already knows her mistake. Mom won't do that again.

"Are you going to be angry with me for the rest of your life?"

Chapter 2099: Our Gong Family Doesn't Lack These

As Madam Gong spoke, her voice choked. "Ever since that time, you haven't come home to see me. Are you only coming home when I die?"

"Mom, what nonsense are you talking about?" Gong Zeli frowned.

"I'm not talking nonsense." Madam Gong choked. "Every time I ask you to come home, you find an excuse to say that you don't have time to come back. I know you're still angry with me, you must still blame me.

"What do you want Mom to do to make you forgive me?

"Do you want me to apologize to Qiao Mianmian personally?

"If this is the only way you'll forgive Mom, then Mom will apologize to her. But no matter what, don't ignore Mom like this."

Gong Zeli kept quiet.

"Zeli..." Madam Gong started crying again. "Mom really misses you. Can you come home?"

Gong Zeli pursed his lips. After a while, he said, "I'll be back soon."

He hung up.

Gong Zeli sat in the car for a while before instructing the chauffeur. "Go back to the Gong Residence."

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An hour later.

At the Gong Residence.

"Young Master, you're back."

When Gong Zeli got out of the car, the housemaids greeted him.

Gong Zeli asked as he walked into the living room, "How's Madam now?"

The housemaid blinked and replied respectfully, "Madam was resting just now, but a guest came to visit her. She's accompanying the guest now."

"Guest?" Gong Zeli stopped in his tracks and turned around. "What guest?"

"This..." The housemaid hesitated.

Gong Zeli frowned when he saw the maid's reaction.

At this moment, the Gong family's butler walked out of the living room.

Seeing Gong Zeli, the butler immediately went forward and bowed respectfully. "Young Master."

Gong Zeli looked away from the housemaid and walked into the living room. "I heard there's a guest?"

"Yes." The butler followed behind him and smiled. "Madam is accompanying the guest in the hall, so she asked me to come out and fetch Young Master."

Gong Zeli didn't ask further and quickly walked into the living room.

He heard laughter and a familiar voice.

He stopped in his tracks and his expression darkened.

The butler quickly said, "Madam, Young Master is back."

"Zeli, you're back."

At this moment, Madam Gong, who was chatting with her guest, looked up. When she saw that her son had finally come home, she immediately stood up.

Madam Gong hadn't seen Gong Zeli for a while, so the joy on her face wasn't fake.

Gong Zeli looked at her and then at the other two people sitting on the sofa.

He said expressionlessly, "Didn't you say you were feeling unwell?"

Madam Gong was stunned and followed his gaze. She quickly explained, "Your Aunt Shen and Rourou are here to visit me. Look, these are the supplements they bought for me."

Madam Gong picked up a gift box on the coffee table. "This bird's nest and ginseng are top-notch and extremely rare. Your Aunt Shen said that this is for nourishing the body and especially sent it to me."

"Our Gong family doesn't lack these, right?" Gong Zeli said without giving her any face. "You can eat these anytime you want."

Madam Gong and Shen Rou's expressions changed.

Chapter 2100: We're Going to Be a Family Soon

"What are you talking about?" Madam Gong was anxious and angry. "No matter what it is, it's someone else's kindness. It's the rarest of intentions. Even if Aunt Shen and Rourou came empty-handed, Mom would be happy too."

"It's fine, it's fine." Madam Shen's expression returned to normal. She smiled and tried to smooth things over. "Zeli is right. These are indeed common things. But families like ours have eaten all the good things, and this is the best. These daily meals are pretty good.

"Actually, bird's nest is secondary. This ginseng is the rarest thing. It's many years old, and it's especially nourishing. Our family only got two of them. I heard that Sister Gong was unwell, so I brought one over."

Just as Madam Gong was about to thank her, Gong Zeli spoke first. "Since ginseng is such a rare and good thing, why didn't you bring two of them? My mom has been recuperating recently, how can one be enough?"

"Zeli!" Madam Gong was furious.

Madam Shen wasn't any better.

No matter how patient she was, she couldn't take it anymore.

Especially when Gong Zeli was deliberately targeting her.

But when she thought of their purpose in coming to the Gong family today, even if Madam Shen was unhappy, she suppressed her anger.

"It's fine, it's fine." She was furious, but she put on a magnanimous expression. "Zeli is right. I didn't consider it well. When I return, I'll get someone to send another ginseng over."

"Sister Shen, ignore him." Madam Gong looked embarrassed. "I'm already very happy that Sister Shen came to see me. Nothing else is important."

"Zeli, you haven't greeted your Aunt Shen and Rourou."

Madam Gong was also full of anger, but she suppressed it when she thought of her purpose in coming over today.

Gong Zeli walked over slowly.

With a nonchalant expression, he glanced at Shen Rou sitting beside Madam Shen and said, "Didn't we just greet each other? Our Gong and Shen families are old acquaintances, there's no need to be so polite."

Madam Gong's face turned green. "Zeli, you..."

"It's alright, it's alright." Madam Shen smiled and said, "Zeli is right. Our families aren't outsiders anymore, there's no need to be so polite. Moreover, we're going to be a family soon, there's no need to be so polite."

Gong Zeli's smile froze.

His eyes narrowed. "Aunt Shen, what do you mean?"

Madam Shen was about to speak when Madam Gong walked to Gong Zeli.

She tugged at his arm. "Zeli, sit down first."

Gong Zeli didn't move.

He turned around and said expressionlessly, "Mom, what did Aunt Shen mean by that? Our Gong and Shen families are about to become a family?"

"Zeli, your Aunt Shen ... "

"Mom, you just have to tell me what it means for the Gong and Shen families to become a family soon." Gong Zeli's tone was forceful.

Madam Gong was speechless.

"This... this..."