

BOOT CAMP 2161

### **Chapter 2161: The Call Came**

Madam Li naturally knew that her phone was vibrating. Hearing this, she glared at her daughter. How dare she interrupt her? Did she want to be criticized?

Madam Li, who still wanted to settle the matter at hand, took out her phone from her bag and said to Commander Xia, who looked so serious that the atmosphere was oppressive, "Old Xia, calm down first. I've interacted with Ye Ying a few times. I know that she's not someone who speaks casually.

"Besides, there's no smoke without fire. If that military school student is really innocent, how could gossip about her spread? Old Du, Old Xia, while the two of them are around, why don't you ask them about the situation first?"

She looked at the caller ID and frowned slightly. It was the company assistant. What company matter could be so urgent at this time?

She did not answer the call immediately. Instead, she pressed the reject button and continued to smile at Commander Xia. "The military academy is the cradle to nurture the next generation of officers and troop leaders. There can't be any mistakes. If someone makes a claim, then ask, investigate, clarify, and see what exactly is going on."

Commander Xia's private phone also rang. It was obvious who was calling at this time. He nodded slightly at Madam Li, who was talking to him, and said calmly, "You guys go ahead. I'll take a private call."

It was a call from Xia Jinyuan asking what time he could come to the hospital to visit him.

"Your wife has something going on now. I'll deal with it before we both go over!" Commander Xia turned around and said with a slightly cold expression, "You can come over yourself as well."

Ye Jian was the daughter-in-law of the Xia family and his daughter-in-law. How could he let someone talk nonsense in front of him?

Xia Jinyuan got up from the bed when he heard the first sentence. His handsome face was cold as he said, "Where is it? I'm coming over now."

Before the exact location was reported, he had already finished undressing. By the time the location was reported, he had already changed into the light green shirt that the troops had issued.

It took less than two minutes for him to strip, change, and get ready to go.

Commander Xia had just taken a few steps away when Madam Li's phone rang again. Her expression turned cold.

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When she hung up, it meant that it was not convenient for her to answer the phone right now. Why was her assistant, who had always understood her, so impatient today?

Commander Zhong, who wanted to leave but had no choice, smiled and said, "Madam, you should answer the phone first. It's probably an emergency."

"Answer it. I have something to say to Commander Zhong as well." Staff Officer Du, who had nothing to do, helped his wife out of the situation. He gestured to Commander Zhong and walked a few steps away to talk.

Madam Li finally picked up on the seventh call. The company's assistant was relieved.

"Chairwoman Li, there's a very tricky matter on my end. Let's not talk over the phone. I'll report it to you in person." The anxious assistant had a rather high professional quality. No matter how anxious he was, his speech was still quite steady.

It was naturally inconvenient to talk over the phone. Madam Li looked at the phone and said calmly, "Come and report to me. I'm at 49 People's South Road now. How long will it take for you to come over?"

Her smile made it impossible to tell what she'd heard. She took it as a report of some small work matter.

The assistant knew that she was angry when he heard her voice, but what could he do? He smiled bitterly and replied seriously, "Okay, I'll be right there."

### **Chapter 2162: Infuriated**

Madam Li nodded and ended the call in less than a minute. Seeing that Commander Xia was still talking, she signaled Du Jiayi with her eyes and said in a low voice, "Du Jiayi, I don't know what happened between you girls. Even if there's something going on, you have to hold it in for the time being. Don't speak rashly! Let Yingying speak for herself."

She had to settle Ye Ying's matter first. Otherwise, Xia Xinhui would laugh at her!

He had praised Ye Ying for being sensible, obedient, and kind in front of Xia Xinhui. In the end, her good daughter jumped out to undermine Ye Ying. Was this appropriate?

Fortunately, although Xia Xinhui was inflexible, he had always been very gentlemanly. As the commander-in-chief, he could not directly make things difficult for a new recruit.

Fortunately, he had such an identity. Even if he was really angry, he had to suppress it in order not to lose the bearing of a commander-in-chief.

Du Jiayi didn't take Madam Li's words to heart. Her gaze shifted slightly before she took her mother's arm and said in a spoiled manner, "Mom, we really do have a conflict between us. You and Dad can talk to the commander-in-chief first. I'll talk to Yingying."

Seeing that Madam Li was about to lecture her again, Du Jiayi quickly said, "Don't worry, I know my limits. You guys chat first. I'll talk to Yingying at the side."

“What limits do you have?” Madam Li wasn’t convinced. Jiayi was a little strange today. She knew her daughter well. She knew that no matter how much Du Jiayi hated someone, she wouldn’t embarrass them in person.

Ye Ying was the only one thus far who could make her daughter personally embarrass her.

Then, Madam Li said, “If you continue to make things difficult for Yingying, you’ll make things difficult for me as well. Do you hear me?” If she made things difficult for Ye Ying again, she would be the one who would lose face!

Du Jiayi, who was angry, did not hear the deeper meaning in Madam Li’s words. Instead, she felt that her mother was defending an outsider she did not like.

Ha! Her mother, who was so powerful that even demons and ghosts did not dare to provoke her, still thought that Ye Ying was obedient. In order to not let Ye Ying continue to lie to her family, she had to expose her true colors!

Du Jiayi, whose eyes were cold, pretended to be sad and sighed. “Mom, how could I make things difficult for Yingying? It’s good enough that Yingying doesn’t make things difficult for me.”

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Du Jiayi knew what Ye Ying was thinking, so she said it on purpose.

She was jealous of Ye Jian and didn’t have the ability to deal with Ye Jian. She actually thought of pushing Du Jiayi out. Ha, did she really think that she didn’t know what she was thinking?

‘Ye Ying, Ye Ying, do you think I’m a fool?!’

Ye Ying didn’t know that Du Jiayi had seen through her thoughts.

She wanted to build a good relationship with Du Jiayi first. Then, she would say more bad things about Ye Jian so that Du Jiayi would hate Ye Jian. At that time, she would add fuel to the fire and treat Du Jiayi as a knife in her hand. She could stab Ye Jian wherever she wanted.

Unfortunately, although she had a high IQ, she was still not as smart as Du Jiayi, who could strike others down without batting an eyelid since she was in her teens.

Ye Ying wanted to use Du Jiayi as a weapon. Du Jiayi pretended not to know anything, but in fact, she had seen through everything and remembered all of it in her heart.

Madam Li, who knew her daughter well, had a solemn look in her eyes. Then, she sighed and said, “Jiayi, Yingying has her own difficulties. As someone older than her, you should take more responsibility. Alright, you guys can go to the side and talk.”

Although Madam Li nodded, Du Jiayi was still angry.

### **Chapter 2163: Such A Creature**

‘You’re actually protecting such a creature?’

'When her true colors are exposed later, let's see where you can hide your face!'

Du Jiayi, who was so angry that her face was ashen, felt better when she saw Ye Ying trembling.

'How dare you use me as a weapon? Ye Ying, Ye Ying, you're really courting death!

'Since you have such guts, I'll play with you!'

Did Ye Ying think it would end so easily? No, no. How could Du Jiayi allow herself to miss a big show when both cousins were so obnoxious?!

One was hypocritical while the other loved to show off. They shouldn't let Du Jiayi be disappointed with their performance later.

Ye Ying, who was almost scared out of her wits by Commander Xia, kept her head lowered. She didn't notice Du Jiayi approaching her until a hand suddenly came over her shoulder. She jolted up and saw Du Jiayi's enlarged face looking at her gently.

She heard her whisper to her, "Let's go, Yingying. Let's talk at the side. Let my parents talk to the commander-in-chief first."

Ye Ying was about to leave when she heard this. Earlier, she even thought that the other party wanted to harm her. She quickly wiped the tears off her face and nodded frantically.

The more afraid she was, the happier Du Jiayi felt.

After taking a few steps, she stopped and said slowly, "Yingying, don't be nervous. Just tell us everything you know. We're not nervous, nor are we afraid of anything. I've already spoken up for you, so why are you still hiding it? You might as well report it to my father in front of the commander-in-chief!"

In order to see Ye Ying and Ye Jian suffer, Du Jiayi patiently baited Ye Ying. "The commander-in-chief has already summoned Ye Jian. Look, once the commander-in-chief finds out that Ye Jian cheated to get into the military school, he'll definitely be furious. Ye Jian will be severely punished. Don't you want to see her heavily punished?"

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Of course, Ye Ying wanted to. This was something she dreamed of, but she didn't dare! She didn't dare!

Because everything she said was fake. Fake! She only wanted to make Du Jiayi hate Ye Jian first, then use Du Jiayi to get rid of Ye Jian!

Only when Du Jiayi hated Ye Jian could Staff Officer Du and Madam Li help their daughter make things difficult for Ye Jian!

That was what she was thinking!

Now it was all messed up. Everything was all messed up!

Ye Jian was definitely not the unlucky one. She was the unlucky one.

Ye Ying, who was a little farther away from Commander Xia, clenched her fists tightly. She couldn't panic. She had to calm down!

Right now, she still had to get Du Jiayi to step in. Only with Du Jiayi stepping in could she obtain Madam Li's support. With Madam Li's support, everything would be easier!

Ye Ying, who was a mess, couldn't calm down at all. The method she thought of in her panic was also the stupidest method.

She knew that Du Jiayi was harming her, but she still placed her hopes on someone who wanted to harm her. Without Ye Zhifan by her side, Ye Ying was extremely stupid.

Ye Ying raised her teary eyes and said softly, "But, but... what should I say? Sister Jiayi, you have to help me."

Didn't she speak very well before? Why couldn't she do it now?

Heh, she really didn't know how to seize a chance and was a coward!

The disdain in Du Jiayi's eyes almost could not be concealed. She quickly turned her head to the side to adjust her expression before sighing. "If you really don't dare to say it, fine, I'll say it. You... I don't even understand what's going on in your mind. Don't tell me that you really have some hardships?"

#### **Chapter 2164: Play With Each Other**

Du Jiayi, who could frame her good friend without batting an eyelid when she was only in her teens, was the best at deceiving people. She wanted to deceive Ye Ying, so she even pretended to be very sincere and considerate.

"Or are you afraid of being threatened if you say it? Don't worry, my father and Commander Xia are both here. Look, Commander Zhong of the capital city's political regiment is also here. What's there to be afraid of?"

Du Jiayi had lured Ye Ying into it, so how could Ye Ying still put up a fight?

She bit her lower lip and said uneasily, "It's not that I don't dare to, but... Ye Jian has done too many things. I... I... I don't know where to start. Also... When I saw Commander Xia, I became very nervous. My mind became a mess, and I didn't know what to say."

Hearing this, Du Jiayi was already laughing in her heart. What nervousness? She was clearly afraid!

How silly!

One could cheat to get into military school?

Why didn't Ye Ying just say she was hopelessly stupid?

Who would believe her? Who?

The National Science University was a comprehensive university directly under the Military Commission. She dared say that Ye Jian relied on cheating to get into the military school? Hahaha, even Du Jiayi, whose father was an officer in the General Staff Department, wouldn't dare to say such words!

How dare the daughter of the director of the small city construction bureau say such a thing?!

Ignorance!

"Yingying, you're not nervous. You're actually afraid, right? With my parents around, what are you afraid of?" Du Jiayi tempted her slowly. At the same time, she deliberately went along with Ye Ying's words. "Look at you, you're being so fickle-minded. My mother said that you're obedient and gentle. I think you're too obedient and gentle. Why are you making yourself aggrieved by hiding everything in your heart? Don't be nervous. I'll support you."

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That was what Ye Ying wanted!

Ye Ying felt like she had seen the light at the end of the tunnel once more. Her eyes lit up. "Jiayi, as long as you tell Madam Li and Staff Officer Du that you hate Ye Jian too, everything will work out. You'll support me in whatever I say, right? We'll persuade Staff Officer Du to investigate Ye Jian together.

"...This is the only way... Sis Jiayi... This is the only way to make Ye Jian leave the military school and make her forget about wearing the military uniform for the rest of her life."

Du Jiayi's eyes widened. 'Hahaha, what did she hear?'

Heavens!

Did she hear a big joke? This stupid girl just cracked a stupid joke?

She was still thinking about pushing her out to be a tool. And she was so naive to think that she would definitely help Ye Ying.

Ye Ying's incredulous words made Du Jiayi secretly laugh until her stomach hurt.

'It's kind of fun, though, isn't it?'

Du Jiayi didn't show it on her face. She frowned and pretended to consider Ye Ying's suggestion under her hopeful gaze.

Then, she finally nodded her head as though she had just made a tough decision. "Alright, I'll cooperate with you. I don't like your cousin either." This was the only truth she told Ye Ying.

The two of them were still discussing when Staff Officer Du, who had asked Commander Zhong to leave first, said to Commander Xia, "This isn't a big deal. Forget it, Old Xia. Take that military school student away first. We're done here."

"Old Xia, you're the commander-in-chief. You can't make things difficult for a new recruit." Madam Li also wanted to end it as soon as possible. She had been standing here in the cold wind until her head

hurt. "Look, the elder cousin doesn't even acknowledge her younger cousin. It can be seen that her temperament is also bad. As I said just now, there's no smoke without fire. I believe that the military student you like has a slightly improper character. She still has to be properly educated."

### **Chapter 2165: Digging Your Own Grave**

If not for this sentence, Commander Xia would probably have just waved his hand and let this matter pass. However, with this sentence, Commander Xia's eyes that were filled with military might immediately turned cold. "As a soldier, if she can't even restrain her own words and actions, is she still worthy of being a soldier?"

"Go, ask Ye Jian to come over and confront her!" This was directed at the guard.

Let Ye Jian come over and confront her?

Ye Ying heard the commander's deep voice, and her pupils constricted. She suddenly raised her head and glared at Ye Jian, who was still a distance away.

'I can't let her come here. I absolutely can't let her come here!'

She couldn't let her confront her. That b\*tch Ye Jian would definitely tell him everything that happened during the college entrance examination. She would definitely tell him everything!

Watching the guard leave, Ye Ying really wanted to run over and stop him, but she didn't dare. She didn't dare... What should she do?!

Things were not supposed to turn out like this at all. It did not go as she had expected!

What was she going to do?!

'Dad, come and save me...'

She didn't want Ye Jian to come over!

'Yes, yes, yes! The only one who can help me is Du Jiayi. There's only her!'

Ye Ying grabbed Du Jiayi's sleeve tightly. With tears in her eyes, she begged, "Jiayi, help me. Please, help me!"

Madam Li was displeased when she heard that they were going to confront each other.

Did Xia Xinhui not give her and Old Du any face?

'Good. The two would confront each other, then!'

When she was in the Southern Province, she had asked around about Ye Ying.

"Jiayi, bring Yingying over." The unhappy Madam Li raised her voice, scaring Ye Ying so much that her vision turned black. After all, she did not want to face the confrontation.

'No, no, no!'

She would not go there!

How could Ye Ying go over? Ye Ying, who knew what she had done, did not dare to confront Ye Jian. That was why she wanted to use Du Jiayi to deal with Ye Jian.

In contrast, Ye Jian seemed much calmer. From a distance, she could vaguely sense that Commander Xia was a little unhappy. After the guard came over, Ye Jian asked in a low voice, "What happened? Commander Xia doesn't look too happy."

"Something unpleasant happened. Some people suspect that you didn't get into the military school with your strength," the guard spoke quickly. He had seen Ye Jian in the military compound and knew that this military school student was the fiancée of Commander Xia's son.

Commander Xia was equally satisfied with her. He even joked with the guards and said that if they did not train well in the future, his future daughter-in-law would make these male soldiers blush in shame.

She didn't get into military school with her own strength? Did Ye Ying say that?

If only Staff Officer Du had been there, she wouldn't have had the nerve to mention it.

Besides, Commander Xia was also there. Ye Ying even saw Ye Jian sitting side by side with Commander Xia earlier. With Ye Ying's personality, she wouldn't have the guts to do that.

In that case, it was very likely that Ye Ying wanted to use Du Jiayi as a weapon. In the end, she was used by Du Jiayi.

The problem was a little serious. However, it was not for her, Ye Jian, but for Ye Ying.

What kind of person was Du Jiayi? She was a ruthless person who didn't even blink when she tricked her good friend. Ye Ying actually dared to use her as a tool. For a moment, Ye Jian sympathized with Ye Ying, who was not afraid of death.

Ye Ying... was really digging her own grave!

### **Chapter 2166: How Impressive**

Ye Jian walked over step by step. Ye Ying was so shocked and afraid that her calves were cramping. Her face was pale, and she wanted to escape. She really wanted to escape from the scene.

Du Jiayi, who could tell that Ye Ying wanted to escape, smiled and hugged her shoulders tightly. "Let's go over. You have me and my parents. You can say whatever you want!"

When the two of them approached, Madam Li pulled Du Jiayi and stood between them. It was not difficult to tell that she was still protecting Ye Ying.

Seeing this, Du Jiayi gritted her teeth in anger.

Du Jiayi raised her chin when she saw Ye Jian walking over. She quickly composed herself and revealed the arrogance she had when she first met Ye Jian.



Ye Jian, who was much closer to Commander Xia, not only felt that he was unhappy but also saw his serious expression.

It was her fault that her affairs had worried the commander-in-chief.

The closer Ye Jian got, the paler Ye Ying's face became. In the end, her lips blended in with the rest of her face.

"Look at her. She's so standoffish. She looks more like a soldier than a male soldier. Yingying, it's normal for you not to like her. I don't like her either. Wouldn't it be good if we kicked her out of military school and out of the army today?"

While Madam Li was watching Ye Jian, Du Jiayi took a step back and stood silently beside Ye Ying. She spoke slowly and softly, drawing out Ye Ying's deepest jealousy toward Ye Jian.

That was right! If she could chase Ye Jian out of the military school and the army today, it would definitely be a good ending!

Ye Ying's eyes turned crazy. She wanted to expose Ye Jian's true colors. She had to!

Ye Jian, who didn't even look at Ye Ying, walked over and stood at attention. She saluted. Before she could speak, Commander Xia spoke first. The commander-in-chief was very powerful. When he spoke, Ye Ying shivered and suddenly came back to her senses.

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It was to Staff Officer Du that he said, "Old Du, since the father of this recruit is the daughter of your eldest son's savior, it's not convenient for me to say more about her.

"This military cadet from the National Science University was last year's top scorer and the top overall physical fitness cadet last semester. She's been performing extremely well during her time in school. The military school would praise her profusely when they mention her. When Little Ye was in junior high school, she even represented our country in the Science Olympiad in Australia and won the individual gold medal.

"An outstanding military school student is being framed by a soldier. This matter can't be looked past casually. As a soldier, we have to be responsible for our words. If you have any questions now, ask Ye Jian and then ask this recruit!"

She was the top science scholar, had won a gold medal in the Science Olympiad when she was in junior high school, and ranked first in overall physical fitness last semester... Just these three things were enough to make people raise their eyebrows.

At this moment, Ye Ying was most afraid of two things. Firstly, it was confronting Ye Jian. Secondly, it was Ye Jian explaining the past.

Either way, she would be the one to suffer in the end.

She couldn't let Staff Officer Du question Ye Jian personally. Ye Jian would definitely tell him everything about the past... Ye Ying looked at Du Jiayi for help.

Du Jiayi ignored her. 'Idiot! Do you really think I'll help you?'

Madam Li had already started to size Ye Jian up carefully. Her three achievements were indeed very impressive!

### **Chapter 2167: How Reluctant**

She was not bad-looking either. Her eyes were as clear as the moon. What was even rarer was the expression in her eyes. There was a sense of trust that made people believe her at a glance.

There was no need to mention her temperament. She had the valiant aura of a female soldier and the determination of a male soldier. She appeared like a pine tree standing at the top of a mountain, accompanied by a green moon.

This female soldier was quite powerful!

However, her gaze was too clear and there was a hint of coldness between her brows. She did not look gentle and obedient. Madam Li did not like that about her.

After sizing up Ye Jian, Madam Li looked at Ye Ying beside her and lowered her head. Although she was a little anxious because of Jiayi, she didn't kick up a fuss with her... She was definitely more obedient and likable.

However, the expression on Ye Ying's face... Madam Li's eyes turned cold.

If she still did not understand what was going on, she would have lived decades in vain.

However, she had just praised Ye Ying and even made the two cousins confront each other. She couldn't turn around and criticize Ye Ying now. That would be slapping her own face.

Then, she smiled and said, "You both are truly from the same family. No wonder you're both slender and beautiful. It turns out that you're cousins. Ye Ying, your cousin got into military school, and now, she's in the capital city's political regiment. It's time to put away your insecurities as the younger relative, do you understand?"

It was indeed a big deal to suspect that a military school student had cheated her way into the military school. However, it could also be said to be the jealousy of a younger relative.

Madam Li, who didn't want things to worsen, warned Ye Ying with a smile. At the same time, she protected Ye Ying.

Ye Ying did not answer immediately. She thought of what Du Jiayi had said and was too tempted. She wanted to tell the commander-in-chief loudly that Ye Jian was not capable at all. She wanted to say... She wanted to say...

The words were already on the tip of her tongue, but because of Madam Li's gaze, her heart turned cold. No, no, Madam Li was already angry. If she didn't go along with her wishes, she would be in trouble.

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With a look of hurt, she nodded. "I'll remember your words," she said in a choked voice. "I won't... I won't dare to do it again."

It was 'I won't dare to do it again' and not 'I won't do it again'. The difference in meaning was huge. It was obvious how unwilling Ye Ying was to answer that.

Madam Li's expression turned cold. Before she could say anything, Du Jiayi said with a faint smile, "You don't dare? It seems that there's really something wrong here. The reason why you don't dare is that you're being threatened, right? Ye Ying, you were talking nicely to me just now. Now, you're coming up with another excuse. Are you kidding me?"

"Shut up!" This time, even Staff Officer Du's face darkened. He looked sternly at his aggressive daughter today and said in a low voice, "What are you messing around for?!"

Du Jiayi smiled sweetly. "Dad, I'm really not messing around. Yesterday, Ye Ying said that there were many problems with her cousin. She even asked me to bring it up to you first. I—"

Ye Ying interrupted her with a trembling voice, "Sister Jiayi, please stop. I know I was wrong."

"Jiayi, mind your image!" Madam Li turned her head. This time, her warning tone was much deeper than before. It contained obvious anger. "You need evidence for everything. If there's no evidence, what's the use of just talking?"

Madam Li's protection of Ye Ying was seen by Du Jiayi, making her even angrier.

Her mother was still protecting her! If she didn't tear off Ye Ying's fake face on the spot, her surname wouldn't be Du!

However, if she forced Ye Ying out again, she would anger her mother. It was not worth it to anger her mother for Ye Ying.

Alright, since she couldn't force Ye Ying out, she would talk to Ye Jian.

### **Chapter 2168: Lies**

Du Jiayi, who was approaching step by step, looked at Ye Jian. "Ye Jian, aren't you going to say anything? Are your results really fake as your sister said?"

"How can it be fake!" the frowning Staff Officer Du yelled. "Du Jiayi, I order you to leave now. Do you hear me?!"

"Dad, why are you shouting at me? I didn't make the claim. Ye Ying said it herself." Du Jiayi was unhappy and retorted in a small voice. She felt wronged too.

“Du Jiayi, I’m very disappointed in your behavior today.” Staff Officer Du still couldn’t bear to scold his daughter. He smiled at Ye Jian. “You’re Little Ye from the National Science University, right? Not bad, not bad. Your three achievements are quite impressive.

“You don’t have to explain. I believe you. That’s all nonsense. I won’t believe it, so don’t be affected. When you stood in front of me just now, you made me feel the aura a soldier should have—cold and mighty. Just based on the aura you have, I believe you.”

Ye Jian replied calmly, “Thank you for your trust, Chief. I have a clear conscience. If anyone doesn’t believe me, I welcome being investigated any time.”

“Just now, the commander-in-chief said that as a soldier, we should be responsible for our words. Chief, may I know who accused me of cheating in the college entrance examination?”

“No one said anything. It was a misunderstanding.” Like his wife, Madam Li, Staff Officer Du wanted to make peace and didn’t want to say more.

Cheating was pure nonsense! When he went back, he had to reprimand his daughter!

Ye Jian glanced at Ye Ying, who was pale and had tears in her eyes. She said, “Chief, you’d better look into it. I’ll accept any investigation.

“As for this recruit beside you, I’m indeed not her cousin. If I were, I wouldn’t have escaped from her house all those years ago. And no one around me believes anything she says because everyone knows she lies.”

Ye Ying, who was already indignant, flew into a rage when she heard this. “Ye Jian, you’re the one who lies!” When facing Ye Jian, she was always quick to lose her rationality. She didn’t even notice Madam Li’s expression turning dark. She shouted, “Your father is my father’s brother, and my mother is your mother’s biological sister. Why aren’t we cousins?”

“That’s not right. Aren’t your father and mother getting divorced this morning? And your mother personally told me that my mother isn’t her sister either. You also said those words yourself that I’m not your sister. Why are you afraid to say them in front of the two chiefs today?”

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Madam Li did not listen to anything else. She only heard the word ‘divorce’.

Chief Ye was divorcing his wife? This morning? Why didn’t she know about it?!

At this moment, a middle-aged man in a suit and a black coat strode over. When he saw Madam Li, he was overjoyed and ran over.

“Ye Ying, your parents divorced this morning? What happened?!” Madam Li, who felt that she had been deceived, turned cold. “Don’t tell me you didn’t know about this!”

“I’m sorry to interrupt, Chairwoman Li, but I have something very urgent to report to you.” The assistant risked being scolded to interrupt. He really couldn’t wait another second.

As he spoke, he glanced at Ye Ying.

Ye Ying, who was at a loss after being questioned by Madam Li, heaved a sigh of relief when she saw this. She would now have time to think about how to answer Madam Li.

### **Chapter 2169: Abuse (1)**

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Madam Li’s expression turned cold because of her assistant’s rashness, but she did not flare up on the spot.

Her assistant had never been so rash. Other than that time when her eldest son was almost stabbed, her assistant had never been so rash.

Madam Li’s heart skipped a beat. Could something have happened to her son again?

“What happened? Tell me!” she snapped.

The assistant looked at Ye Ying again and said softly, “Chairwoman Li, it’s more convenient to talk at the side.”

Staff Officer Du was also surprised by Ye Jian’s news. Director Ye had divorced his wife?

How was that possible?!

He had even talked about how his wife had not accompanied him to the capital city because of her health the night before. Why did he suddenly get a divorce? He did not know about it, nor did his wife.

Knowing his wife’s temper, he quickly said, “Chenglan, we’re talking about army matters now. It’s not convenient for you to listen in. Go with He Lin to deal with the company’s matters first.”

“Okay.” Madam Li nodded. When her gaze landed on Ye Ying, it was a little cold. “Ye Ying, you’ll return to the team a little later. I have something to ask you.”

Ye Ying, whose chest was heaving, suppressed her panic. She tried her best to appear calm and nodded obediently. “Okay. You should go handle things first. I’ll wait for you.”

She feared that Madam Li would say something else, so she added nervously, “You don’t know this but Ye Jian loved to frame me since she was young. She always pushed me out whenever she did something wrong. If you think about it, what else is there that she doesn’t dare to do?”

In order to make Madam Li believe her, Ye Ying didn’t know that her words had made Commander Xia have a bad impression of her. She was full of nonsense and looked even more immoral. He should have stopped her from joining the army!

Very well! She had put on her military uniform to report to the military today but she would be kicked out of the troops tonight!

Turning his head, Commander-in-Chief Xia whispered instructions to the guard beside him.

“You really don’t know about this matter?” Madam Li asked again with sharp eyes. “Ye Ying, I want to hear the truth.”

Ye Ying shook her head firmly and replied gently as usual, “Madam, I dare not lie to you. I really don’t know anything.” As she spoke, her tears came out again. “You know me. How could I lie to you? I’ll call my mother now. I’ll call her now.”

After staring at her for a long time, Madam Li’s expression finally eased a little. She nodded. “Alright, I’ll believe you for once. Call and ask what’s going on now!”

The senior assistant who was waiting at the side secretly gave Ye Ying a look that seemed to say ‘you’re on your own’ and respectfully followed Madam Li a few meters away.

As soon as Madam Li turned around, the frightened Ye Ying closed her eyes and raised her hand to her chest to calm herself down.

Fortunately, the assistant had appeared in time. Otherwise, she really wouldn’t have known how to answer.

She knew that her luck would not be bad. She was so nervous that she did not know what to do.

After taking a few deep breaths, Ye Ying’s heart finally calmed down.

Du Jiayi, who was ‘shocked’ by the sudden good news, saw that Ye Ying hadn’t made a call. She said coldly, “Ye Ying, why aren’t you calling to ask? Is what your sister said true?”

Ye Ying, whose eyes were still closed, suddenly heard her voice. She opened her eyes in shock and reached into her pocket. She felt around... and remembered that she had handed her phone to the army.

## **Chapter 2170: Ugly (2)**

“Use mine,” Du Jiayi said coldly while handing over the phone. “I’ll watch you dial it.”

She really hoped that Ye Ying’s parents were divorcing. That way, she would never have to see Ye Ying’s fake and pretentious face at home again!

Madam Li wouldn’t choose a girl from a divorced family as her daughter-in-law.

Ye Ying, who was in a passive position, could only take the phone and call Sun Dongqing’s number. However, it was not Sun Dongqing’s current phone number. It was her old phone number. Hence, the call couldn’t get through.

Ye Ying was crying, but her mind was racing.

Should she come up with an excuse that the divorce was brought about by Dad’s mistakes? Or should it be her mom’s mistake?

No, no. Such excuses would make her parents look ugly.

'The husband and wife had a falling out?

'Eh?

'That's a good excuse!'

At that time, she could explain that her parents' relationship had already broken down long ago, but in order for her to grow up healthily, they had been delaying the divorce procedures.

She could also say that now that her parents had seen Madam Li taking good care of her, they felt that it was time to reveal the matter. Hence, they flew back to the Southern Province without telling her and settled the divorce procedures.

She didn't know that her parents were divorced. If Ye Jian hadn't said it, she wouldn't have known that her parents were divorced!

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She couldn't make the call now. She still had to say that Ye Jian was jealous of her in front of Staff Officer Du and Commander Xia. She wanted to make Ye Jian miserable!

Thinking that she could embarrass Ye Jian again, Ye Ying couldn't help but smile. Nothing could stump her. 'Ye Jian, do you think this is enough to make things difficult for me?

'Bah, dream on!'

Delighted, Ye Ying lowered her head and dialed the phone number again and again. However, she did not see that Madam Li's expression had changed drastically when she heard the assistant's first sentence.

"Do you know what you're saying, He Lin?" Madam Li snapped.

"Chairwoman Li, how could I not know?" The senior assistant, He Lin, smiled bitterly. He was taller than Madam Li, and in order to show his respect, he bent his back slightly. "I've seen the contents. Miss Ye's private life is very messy. As a middle-aged man, I'm too embarrassed to say what I've seen.

"If you watch it, you'll only be angrier."

Madam Li didn't expect Ye Ying to be such a person. However, He Lin was loyal to her and had worked for her for 16 years. She believed that He Lin wouldn't lie to her.

Hands clenching her black handbag, Madam Li asked, "How exactly is her private life messy?"

She could accept it if she only had one boyfriend.

"This..." He Lin was still a little embarrassed. When Madam Li glanced at him coldly, he lowered his head and said something.

“Men and women were pressed against each other. There were two beside Miss Ye Ying. From the bar to the car... She stayed out at night and got a hotel room... There were many used condoms on the floor.”

Even after just picking out a few scenes from the videotape, Madam Li was already fuming with anger.

There was a fire burning in her chest. It burned until her usually dignified face was almost distorted.

Bearing the brunt of Madam Li’s anger, He Lin bent his back lower and said in a soft voice, “No one else in the company knows except you and me. But...”

Knowing that she was furious, he could not help but speak more carefully. “But since someone sent it, I’m afraid...”

If someone wanted to see the Li family embarrass themselves, they would release the contents of the videotape.

That was why he was anxious.