

Concubine 271

Chapter 271 They Forgot to Let Go of Their Hands

In the background, a group of dancers were dancing to a familiar, upbeat music. The camera stopped on a sign with the words “Tedian Organic Milk” written on it for three seconds.

The lady who was holding the sign was very beautiful.

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A large number of comments instantly flooded the screen.

The first live broadcast of “Hello, Sunday” had officially begun!

As it was live, the director and crew could see the audience’s reaction immediately.

The director was still the same person from last time, whose surname was Liang.

Even though he had seen it all, Director Liang couldn’t help but feel nervous today.

It was mainly because of today’s guest...

As expected, the best quality came from competition!

The more intense the competition, the more surprises he received!

[“I like those who are not on time!!”]

[“I’m here to see Ms. Nan!”]

[“Su Ji, I love you!!”]

[“I’m here to see Kai!”]

[“Ms. Nan and Master Lu are finally on the same stage again for their third anniversary! Legend of Wutian, yyds!”]

[“I just want to know if they managed to get Nicha Sonpashan to appear today!!!”]

The male host looked young and handsome, but he was actually very experienced. He already had 20 years of interview experience.

He had never been defeated!

Except for the interview with Su Ji and Pei Huai last time...

But today, he was very confident!

There was a flower arch in the center of the stage, and pink and white balloons were next to it. It felt like a wedding.

In a while, the three pairs of on-screen couples that the audience was looking forward to would appear from the arch holding hands.

[“Let’s go!”]

The host faced the camera and gestured at the arch. With an enthusiastic voice, he began to introduce the first couple.

The woman who exuded a sense of refinement was Ms. Nan.

Ms. Nan was none other than Sonya’s best friend, the female lead of Legend of Wutian, Nan Miaomiao.

The man beside her was well-dressed, elegant and gentle. One look and one could tell that he was the favorite male lead of ancient dramas.

He was the famous movie star who played the male lead in The Legend of Wutian, Lu Shang.

When they appeared, Nan Miaomiao held Lu Shang’s hand and walked a few steps forward. Then, with a light turn, she was in Lu Shang’s arms.

The staff members below the stage were envious. Nan Miaomiao smiled a little embarrassedly and left Lu Shang’s arms. The two of them greeted the audience.

[“I’m crying when I see the Wu Tiam couple!”]

[“Three years of my youth! And three years later, I’m still single!”]

The two guests came to the host’s side, and the second couple to appear was the couple from The Blazing Sun.

Kou Tang and Wang Xingkai.

The two of them came out in their green military uniforms.

They were a handsome man and a beautiful woman in their early thirties, but they remained youthful. What made the audience most excited was that this pair was already married in real life!

From the screen to reality, their love had come true!

Nothing was more swoon-worthy than this!

[“I couldn’t tell that Tangtang is already a mother! She’s just a young girl!”]

[“Look at the way Kai looks at her! Ahhhhhhhh!”]

[“I can watch them forever!”]

The second pair of guests also returned to their seats. Next, the host introduced the last couple!

At this moment, Nan Miaomiao also looked over.

Everyone thought that she was touched by the fact that the intern who waited for her the entire day. But in fact, she agreed to come because she knew that Su Ji would come. She even helped the intern convince Lu Shang to come with her.

Her bestie had suffered because of Su Ji. She wanted to meet this little demon!

All the cameras were focused on the arch again.

After a few seconds, Su Ji appeared in a casual outfit. Her nude-colored long pants made her legs look 1.8 meters long!

All the cameras focused on Su Ji first, then moved to her hand that was being held.

It was a very good-looking hand that was bony. It was fair, and the exquisite crystal cuffs on the shirt revealed the identity of the owner.

In the end, the camera moved to Pei Huai's face, and the screen exploded!

["Ah ah ah ah! What did I say?! What did I say! They actually managed to get CEO Pei to come!"]

["Fuck- Please don't ban me!"]

["Sonpashan and Bai Yueguang are finally holding hands! My life is complete!!!"]

["I will sell my kidneys for the hand that was holding Su Ji's hand!"]

["Go away, we're only here to see CEO Pei!"]

["I don't know if I should say this, but CEO Pei is only here because of Su Ji!"]

["Please, CEO Pei is the CEO of Tedian Organic Milk, does he need Su Ji to be here?"]

The fans were typing non-stop that they didn't pay attention to the people on the stage.

Pei Huai's palm was burning as he held Su Ji's hand tightly, completely abusing his position.

He hadn't held hands with his girlfriend in a long time.

Nan Miaomiao's gaze also fell on their tightly clasped hands.

She looked disdainful.

It seemed that CEO Pei really liked her. No wonder she became popular so quickly.

In Nan Miaomiao's eyes, Su Ji was now a seductress who was spoiled and arrogant!

Director Liang saw the number of viewers increasing and felt that his heart was about to jump out of his throat.

The assistant's voice trembled with excitement, "Director Liang, the traffic is going crazy! He's definitely broken the record!"

Director Liang nodded. He was going to buy a big villa during the New Year's holiday!

He spoke to the host through the headset, "don't rush into the main topic. The fans are very excited now. Let's introduce the three couples!"

The host made a subtle gesture to indicate that he got it. His ability to control the scene was very strong. He gathered the three groups of guests and introduced their work in a few sentences.

The atmosphere was very lively.

Nan Miaomiao was quite close to Kou Tang and the others, and had been reminiscing with them.

Su Ji and Pei Huai stood at the side and did not make small talk with the others.

Nan Miaomiao deliberately gave Su Ji the cold shoulder, but she did not know that at this moment, the audience's attention was still on Su Ji.

There were a total of three couples. The other two couples automatically let go of their hands when they walked to the host, but only Su Ji and Pei Huai were still holding hands!

Pei Huai didn't want to let go, while Su Ji had already gotten used to it and had forgotten about it.

["Look! Why are they still holding hands?"]

["They let go, Su Ji is scratching her nose!"]

["After scratching her nose...they held hands again?? What is going on? Why is it so natural for them???"]

Chapter 272 CEO Pei's Double Kill

The experienced cameraman immediately focused the camera on their tightly clasped hands.

The host also noticed it and smiled as he changed the topic, "it seems like the couple from The Billions Stars has the best relationship. Are you still holding hands? Aren't you sweating?"

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The staff at the scene laughed, and only Nan Miaomiao looked over with a dark face.

["I can't even f * cking smile!! Su Ji! Let go of that man and let me do it!"]

["Su Ji! I'm not done with you!"]

["I'm a fan of the couple!!!"]

When Su Ji heard the host's words, she finally reacted and let go of his hand immediately. She moved half a meter away from him.

Pei Huai glanced at her without a word.

["She must have forgotten about it just now!"]

["Look at her reaction speed. Su Ji is a woman with the strongest sense of boundary!"]

["She held CEO Pei's hand for so long, and she's disgusted by it??"]

["That's enough, you're the one who asked her to let go. And you're complaining when she does??"]

Lu Shang whispered to Nan Miaomiao, "why do I feel like they are a real couple? It can't be, right?"

Nan Miaomiao glared at him, "don't talk nonsense."

Lu Shang was a month younger than Nan Miaomiao. In addition, the female was stronger than the male in the movie. It had been three years since the filming had ended, and Lu Shang was still quite afraid of Nan Miaomiao.

He did not want to participate in the program today, but with one word from Nan Miaomiao, he agreed.

On the other hand, Kou Tang felt that Su Ji was quite an interesting person. She was also pretty, so she grinned and leaned over to take a look.

The host saw that it was almost time and waved the card in his hand, “alright, don’t be too friendly. You are competing with each other...”

Su Ji’s eyes lit up for the first time when she heard the word “compete”.

Pei Huai understood the moment he saw her eyes.

This woman wanted to win!

Competitive women came from the Shang Dynasty. Su Ji was a devil concubine who wanted to win in everything.

Regardless of the reward, Su Ji wanted to win as long as it was a competition.

Even if she was playing chess with an old man on the street, she wouldn’t go home without winning.

The host first explained the rules of the competition, which was divided into several segments. However, the winner of each segment would not affect the popularity score. It still depended on the audience’s votes.

Whoever performed outstandingly in the game would definitely have a higher vote count, so they all still needed to win.

The host raised his hand in the air. “Next up, the couples will diss each other before the competition begins!”

[“It’s started!”]

First, it was Legend of Wu Tian against The Blazing Sun.

Each team sent a representative.

Lu Shang took the initiative to step forward. He looked at the other team and smiled elegantly, “it’s okay if we lose. After all, we haven’t been on the same stage for three years. But if Xingkai and Tang Tang lost...I already thought of tomorrow’s headline, #real couple losing to an onscreen couple#.”

Upon hearing this, the host made an exaggerated expression of opening his mouth.

The atmosphere was tense.

[“F * ck! CEO Shang is so ruthless!”]

[“Are they going all out?”]

[“A real couple losing to an on-screen couple! Ruthless!”]

The pressure was shifted to The Blazing Sun.

Kou Tang stammered and laughed, but couldn’t think of any words to reply.

[“I’m dying of laughter! Little sweetheart Tang Tang doesn’t even know how to refute.”]

At this moment, Wang Xingkai stood in front of her. He raised his eyebrows and smiled. “Legend of Wutian has only been around for three years? I thought it’d be at least ten years. I’m sorry, I’m just tired of watching the rerun.”

The host: “!!”

[“Fight! Fight! Fight!”]

[“Kai’s move to protect Tang Tang just now was so cool!!!”]

[“I’m sorry. I’ve been looking at the corner. Why is CEO Pei whispering to Su Ji?!”]

[“Do you even need to ask? Of course it’s the CEO giving a lecture to his subordinate!”]

In reality, while the other two teams were dissing each other, Pei Huai had been negotiating with Su Ji, “hold hands for a while more.”

Su Ji replied, “no, there are cameras.”

“They’re not filming us now.”

“That won’t do either.”

“Wait until it’s over?”

“We’ll talk after we win the competition.”

Pei Huai thought for two seconds. “Deal.”

The two of them had just finished the discussion when the main camera turned to them. It was their turn.

Lu Shang was about to step forward when Nan Miaomiao stopped him, “Nianlang, let me do it this time.”

The chat exploded again.

Nianlang was her pet name for the emperor in Legend of Wutian.

[“Oh my God!!”]

[“I’m going to kowtow to the Wutian couple until the end of time!!!”]

Lu Shang also smiled and nodded affectionately.

Nan Miaomiao looked at Su Ji provocatively. “Isn’t today about on-screen couples? But as far as I know, the two of you only worked together in one episode. How can you be considered an on-screen couple in such a short time?”

[“Well said! Ms. Nan!!”]

[“Not only did they only act in one episode, they weren’t even together, okay? I’ve been meaning to ask this too!”]

Su Ji crossed her arms and gave Pei Huai a look.

She wanted him to do it.

Pei Huai stepped forward.

[“Why do I feel like CEO Pei obeys Su Ji?”]

[“Brainless couple fans, stop!”]

Pei Huai replied with an idiom.

Nan Miaomiao was stunned when she heard that.

Because she didn’t understand at all!

She turned to look at Lu Shang. Lu Shang scratched his head in embarrassment as he did not understand either.

Su Ji sneered. Obviously, she understood.

The host had a master’s degree in Chinese. He explained excitedly to everyone, “what CEO Pei meant was that although some people had known each other for a long time, it was like they had just met. Some people just got to know each other, but it’s like they’ve known each other for a long time!”

When Nan Miaomiao heard this, her expression changed immediately.

The audience finally react.

[“F * ck! As expected, his IQ is 188. He can insult people without using dirty words!”]

[“Some don’t even understand when they are being insulted!”]

[“The ancient couple doesn’t understand the ancient language, hahahaha!”]

[“What a hater!”]

[CEO Pei is awesome! So what if he only appeared in one episode? To be selected to participate in this show after only appearing in one episode shows how good he is!”]

Pei Huai was silent for a few seconds. “I’m sorry to ask, but you were in The Legend of Wutian?”

Nan Miaomiao replied, “yes.”

“I see,” Pei Huai nodded slightly. “I’ve never seen it before.”

[“...”]

[“...”]

[“F*ck! A double kill!”]

After saying this, Pei Huai returned to Su Ji’s side.

Nan Miaomiao’s face completely collapsed.

The host was so excited that he almost ate his microphone.

The chat was filled with “CEO Pei is on a murder spree!”

Chapter 273 I Have to Believe it Now!

Nan Miaomiao was considered famous all over the country due to her character in “Legend of Tianwu”, and everyone had seen it.

She thought that the little vixen would reveal her true form after a few hits, but she didn’t expect her to be so difficult to deal with.

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She was obviously so angry that she forgot to control her expression in front of the camera.

[“Ms. Nan is angry.”]

[“Has CEO Pei gone overboard?”]

[“Why didn’t Su Ji and the others get angry when she mentioned ‘The Billions Stars’ just now?”]

[“But Ms. Nan is telling the truth!”]

[“So CEO Pei isn’t? Why must everyone watch Legend of Tianwu?”]

[“I don’t think CEO Pei likes watching TV. It’s very likely that he’s really never watched it before. He’s too busy, hahahaha.”]

Nan Miaomiao stood, her chest heaving up and down. In the end, Lu Shang was the one who pulled her back.

When Wang Xingkai saw this, he immediately covered. He half-jokingly expressed that he did not dare to say harsh words about CEO Pei and asked the host to skip them.

[“Hahahahahaha, Mr. Kai is going to be in trouble later!”]

[“Mr. Kai, turn around and look at her resentful eyes!”]

[“Actually, he was right to admit defeat. I bet two packs of spicy strips that CEO Pei has never watched it!”]

The host didn’t make things difficult for her and announced the start of the first competition.

“Dear guests, please turn around!”

Just now, when the three teams were making threatening remarks, the staff had already set up the game station.

At this moment, the ground was covered with anti-slip mats, a few fake bushes, and cover posts similar to that in Counter Strike. There was a large reservoir on the left, middle, and right, and six gun holsters and water guns at the side.

In order to catch the audience's attention, it had to be an extremely exciting and interactive event, a water gun battle!

The host announced the rules.

This time, Nan Miaomiao's eyes were clearly burning with fire.

Originally, she had only participated in this show today for fun and to see Su Ji.

However, after the last segment, Nan Miaomiao was burning with a desire to win.

After listening to the rules of the game, Pei Huai and Su Ji were silent for a second at the same time. When they saw the water gun, their first reaction was their trip to the adult theater in Country T.

However, they quickly came back to their senses and followed the host's instruction to put on the gun holster.

Two people were required to put on the gun holster.

"Blazing Sun":

["Oh! Mr. Kai even touched her head after helping her put on the gun holster!"]

["Touching the head is against the rules!!"]

["As expected of a real couple!"]

"Legend of Wutian":

["Mr. Lu is so gentle and elegant when he is helping Ms. Nan. Help me!!!"]

["Ms. Nan can't reach Mr. Lu's back, and has to tiptoe. This height difference is so cute!!"]

["So sweet!"]

Meanwhile, at "The Billion Stars" ...

["What?"]

["So efficient!"]

["They are both real men!!!"]

["CEO Pei and Ms. Su are so cool! Their movements are so swift and clean that I'm dazzled!"]

They really wanted to win while other people showed off their love!

They put on the holster and loaded the gun at the fastest speed.

["A shirt with a gun holster. CEO Pei is embodying Nicha Sonpashan!!!"]

["Ms. Su is too cool!"]

However, when the game started, they finally realized what it meant to be cool.

Su Ji and Pei Huai were in the middle, surrounded by enemies on both sides.

“You go left, I go right?” Su Ji asked.

Pei Huai smiled, “you can tell left from right?”

Su Ji was silent for a second before she launched an attack.

The competition was based on the number of times a person was hit by a water gun. After the game started, Su Ji and Pei Huai’s cooperation was seamless. They guarded each other’s backs, moved quickly, and remained calm in the face of danger.

The scoreboard showed “Blazing Sun”, “Legend of Wutian,” and “The Billion Stars” in order.

The match had only been going on for ten minutes.

The score quickly rose from 0:0:0 to 0:3:17 to 0:6:39.

[“Those two are simply terrifying!!!”]

[“I didn’t expect CEO Pei to be so good at shooting!!”]

[“I seriously suspect that Su Ji really beat up the foreigner in the first episode!!”]

[“She’s so handsome, my God!”]

[“Both of you are my husbands.”]

“Blazing Sun” had already given up after failing to score for so long. However, they were in a good mood and just played for fun.

In fact, Wang Xingkai’s skills were not bad, but his wife was too weak, and she was already covered in water.

Wang Xingkai didn’t bother to shoot. He just smiled and held her in his arms.

Although the two of them had lost the competition, they had gained popularity.

It could be considered a blessing in disguise.

However, in this way, the match point fell on the other two teams.

Su Ji was like a sniper. When she shot, her arms were straight, her body was straight, and she did not even blink. She could definitely hit the bull’s eye in a shooting competition.

She was used to using a bow and arrow, so it was not a problem for her to use a water gun.

What surprised her was Pei Huai’s reaction time.

Out of the ten points that their team had gotten in the beginning, Pei Huai had gotten seven points. Later, seeing that the situation was clear, Pei Huai stepped down and helped Su Ji reload.

He wanted to let her have some fun.

[“Su Ji is definitely a werewolf!”]

[“What a great team!!”]

[“Excuse me, aren’t they the best couple?”]

[Pei Huai’s fan: “This is just the chemistry between a superior and his subordinate! Please don’t over-interpret it!!”]

After Su Ji scored three points in a row, Nan Miaomiao and Lu Shang were forced to retreat and recover while panting.

Nan Miaomiao glanced at the scoreboard and saw that her team’s score had fallen by so much, and she was a little flustered and exasperated.

She pouted and looked at Lu Shang. “Useless!”

Lu Shang smiled bitterly. “I’ve played this game on another show before. I won 4:0. It’s not that I’m useless, it’s that they’re too good.”

“I don’t believe it!” Nan Miaomiao pursed her lips.

The few points they had were all from hitting Kou Tang and Wang Xingkai. Su Ji and Pei Huai had been dry up until now, not even hit once.

No!

This definitely couldn’t happen!

She took a deep breath and came out from behind the cover.

In the end, she was shot by Su Ji again in less than 10 seconds.

“Ah..”. Nan Miaomiao bent over and covered her eyes.

The host said, “Miaomiao, are you okay...”

Su Ji also put down her water gun and prepared to go forward to take a look at the situation.

But at this moment, Nan Miaomiao suddenly straightened her body, a smug look on her face. She raised the water gun and pointed it at Su Ji’s face.

At this moment, a man’s cold aura quickly approached her. Su Ji’s arm was pulled and she fell into a strong embrace.

Pei Huai took the bullet for her.

In an instant, time seemed to have stopped, and the chat was silent for a few seconds.

Unexpectedly, in the end, the fan who didn’t want to ship Su Ji and Pei Huai sent the first message.

[“I don’t want to believe it, but I have to now!”]

Chapter 274 I Don’t Care If It’s a Boy or a Girl As Long As It’s Yours

[“I’m going to kowtow to them!”]

[“I’m going to kowtow until the show ends!!”]

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["I definitely won't believe CEO Pei has double standards! CEO Pei must be so good to everyone!"]

["He's giving me major boyfriend vibes!"]

["CEO Pei! I want to be <heart emoji> <heart emoji> friends with you!"]

Su Ji steadied herself in his arms and looked at Nan Miaomiao. She had not been on guard since it was just a game, but she had almost fallen into her trap.

Nan Miaomiao was shocked when she realized that she had hit CEO Pei. However, it was too late for her to stop, "I'm sorry. I thought..."

["What did you think? You thought you'd hit Su Ji?"]

["Ms. Nan has no enmity with Su Ji. Can you stop trolling?"]

["You can't deny that she just pretended to be injured to attack her Su Ji!"]

["So what? All's fair in war. It's only interesting this way!"]

["Ms. Nan, the God of games!"]

Nan Miaomiao had used all her strength when she fired the water gun, and all the water in the bag had been sprayed out.

The match was over, and Nan Miaomiao lost.

Director Liang got someone to pass a towel to the host. The host took it and quickly handed it to CEO Pei.

Kou Tang's and Wang Xingkai's makeup were all ruined, and the makeup artist took the opportunity to touch up their makeup on stage.

It was the same for Nan Miaomiao and Lu Shang.

The host asked Pei Huai nervously, "CEO Pei, do you need help?"

Pei Huai said no, "I don't have makeup on. I'll be fine once it's dry."

["F * ck??? This man is actually bare-faced???"]

At this moment, a close-up shot followed.

["CEO Pei's shirt is wet!!! I'm losing my mind!"]

["So seductive, CEO Pei!"]

["Why is he so elegant even when he's being splashed by a water gun?"]

["There are water droplets on his eyelashes!! His beauty is amazing!!!"]

["Quickly send him away!!!"]

While the guests were resting, they didn't have the mic on, so the audience couldn't hear what everyone was saying. Su Ji looked at Pei Huai's wet face for a while and suddenly smiled, "you're quite handsome."

Pei Huai replied, "as long as you like it."

Recalling how Pei Huai had taken the shot for her, Su Ji touched the tip of her nose, "it was just a water gun. Why did you block it for me?"

"The weather and the water are cold."

Su Ji didn't know how to reply.

The first round of competitions had ended, and the number of people watching the live stream had tripled!

Dong Xiyao, one of the three interns in the audience, was shocked.

The physical game was over. The next game was a mental game.

Nan Miaomiao had become more restrained and did not dare to be too brazen after she accidentally splashed water on CEO Pei.

However, in a non-physical game, she had no way to cheat even if she wanted to.

Su Ji and Pei Huai together had the strongest brains. Whether it was memory, reaction time, or logical thinking, they could defeat the other two teams in seconds.

The second round was without a doubt a win for them.

At this time, the show had been going on for almost two hours.

The last round, a test of chemistry!

Each couple was sitting back to back. The host would ask a question, and they would write the answer on the question board within a limited time, then show the answer at the same time.

In the same amount of time, those who answered more questions correctly would win.

The first question was directed to the men, "state your partner's favorite fruit!"

Team 1 (Blazing Sun): "Peach", "Peach".

Team 2 (Legend of Wutian): "Grapes", "Cherry tomatoes".

Team 3 (The Billion Stars): "Lychee", "Lychee".

Nan Miaomiao wrote "Cherry tomatoes". She knew that she would definitely not win this round, so she might as well come up with a strange answer to attract the audience's attention.

["The couple from Blazing Sun is indeed a true couple!"]

["Tangtang loves to eat peaches!!"]

["Cherry tomatoes? Hahaha, is this considered a fruit? So cute!"]

[“How does CEO Pei know that Su Ji likes lychees? Even I don’t know!”]

[“Su Ji must be eating lychees on set every day, hahahaha...”]

“Second question, state your favorite season!”

A minute later, the answers were revealed.

“Spring”, “Spring”.

“Winter”, “Autumn”.

“Winter”, “Winter”.

[“...”]

[“CEO Pei and Su Ji like the same season?”]

[“There are only four seasons in a year, it’s not surprising that they like the same one. Doesn’t Lu Shang also like Winter?”]

“The third question, ...”

There were a few questions after that. The Billions Stars and Blazing Sun tied, and they answered every question correctly.

[“I’m completely stunned!”]

[“Isn’t it a little too obvious that the couple from The Billion Stars knew the questions in advance?”]

[“Why can’t it be that they really do have chemistry?”]

[“If they can reach that level of chemistry, they should be sent directly to the bridal chamber, okay??”]

[“As CEO Pei’s fan, I feel terrible watching this episode!!”]

There was only one question left, and the winner would be decided after this.

“If you have a baby in the future, or another baby, what gender do you want the baby to be?”

The couple from the Blazing Sun both wrote “girl”.

Wang Xingkai was very sweet, “we both hope to give our son a little sister...”

Kou Tang blushed shyly.

[“I wish you all the best!”]

[“So sweet!”]

Looking at the couple from The Billions Stars.

Pei Huai wrote “girl”.

Su Ji wrote “boy”.

When she saw Pei Huais answer, she immediately clicked her tongue.

The last question was wrong, and Blazing Sun won.

[“Hahaha, you scared me to death. If this is the same again, something’s really wrong!”]

[“Forget it. It’s already very impressive that they have so much chemistry. After all, Wang Xingkai and Kou Tang are a real couple.”]

The host smiled.

Su Ji wanted a boy because of Pan Lian. She felt that having a daughter was too much of a worry.

If in the future, her daughter did not go home or go to class to chase after a celebrity, she might not be able to control herself and kill...the celebrity!

The host then asked Pei Huai why he wanted a daughter.

Pei Huai glanced at Su Ji. His answer was clear, “a daughter will look like her mother. She will be very cute.”

Host: “O! M! G!”

He couldn’t even stand it as a man!

[“Whoever becomes CEO Pei’s wife in the future will be really happy!”]

[“Please give me a chance. There are a lot of women in my family. My mom said that I’ll definitely have a daughter in the future! CEO Pei, I can do it!”]

Su Ji was not in a good mood after losing the round. Pei Huai mouthed something to her.

[“What is it? What did CEO Pei mouthed just now???”]

[“CEO Pei is treating us like outsiders! Why did you mouth it?”]

[“CEO Pei: ‘you did well today. I’ll add a chicken leg to your meal when we get back.’”]

[“CEO Pei: ‘I wish you success in giving birth to a son in the future.’”]

[“CEO Pei: ‘Woman, you’ve successfully attracted my attention.’”]

All sorts of speculations emerged, but no one knew what Pei Huai was really saying.

“I don’t care if it’s a boy or a girl as long as it’s yours.”

Chapter 275 Nan Miaomiao KO-ed!

The couple from The Billion Stars won two out of the three competitions.

Su Ji won.

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A small loss in the last match was nothing.

When the camera panned to her, she was fiddling with her hair.

Her eyes were bright, but her actions were very casual and not smug.

However, this was not the final victory.

Before the online voting for the most popular on-screen couple started, the host gave them one last chance to call for votes.

“Our special guests will become the characters in the movie. Imagine what your characters would do when they met again. Then, you have to perform it in front of the camera.”

The camera cut to the couple of Legend of Wu Tian.

At the end of the drama, the story continued until the empress passed away. At that time, it was 10 years since the emperor passed. The empress, who was old, sat in front of the makeup mirror and looked at herself weakly. She said the classic line, “Nianlang, I really want you to draw my eyebrows again.”

At this moment, Nan Miaomiao was holding a prop. In the close-up shot, she said to Lu Shang, “Nianlang, can you draw my eyebrows again?”

The chat was filled with tears!

At this moment, Lu Shang’s eyes were full of subtle emotions when he looked at her. His eyes were red and he did not say a word, but soon, his affectionate eyes were filled with tears.

He choked.

Su Ji crossed her arms and watched seriously from the side.

Regardless of who the person was, she had to learn from his acting skills.

When it ended, the two of them calmed down.

Next, Kou Tang asked Wang Xingkai to carry her again.

That scene was regarded as iconic in that series.

Wang Xingkai had a bad boy look.

He agreed, but when he was carrying Kou Tang, he pretended that he couldn’t move, which made Kou Tang punch him angrily, “walk faster.”

Wang Xingkai laughed, “you seem to have gained weight.”

The chat was then filled with laughter.

[“Wang Xingkai, the ideal man!!”]

[“He’s still so mischievous even though he’s married. I can’t resist this kind of man-child!!!”]

Finally, it was Su Ji’s turn.

They had only worked together for one episode, and all the netizens could only think of the scene where they said goodbye at the airport.

At this moment, the two of them were replaying that scene again.

If Gu Shen had not been there, and if Nicha Sonpashan was given another chance to send her off...

What would he do?

The light shone on the two who were standing opposite each other. Su Ji mouthed, "act well. I want to win."

Pei Huai indicated that he understood.

But he had a mysterious smile.

After a few seconds of silence, he said in a deep voice, "I definitely won't be as reserved as last time."

After he finished speaking, he didn't give anyone any time to react. He held Su Ji's waist with one hand, and their bodies were really close together. He lifted her up and leaned forward at the same time.

["F * ck! F * ck! F * ck!"]

["Calm down, it's all an act!"]

["This is the real Nicha Sonpashan! This is more like it!!!!"]

["Don't say anything! I'm going to have a heart attack!"]

["No, CEO Pei isn't really going to kiss Su Ji, is he???"]

When Su Ji's lips were a centimeter away from his, she gave him a look that said, "do you want to die?"

Pei Huai mouthed, "don't you want to win?"

Su Ji: "If you dare to kiss me, you're dead."

Pei Huai maintained this flirtatious position for more than ten seconds. Smoke rose from the top of everyone's heads and their blood boiled.

Director Liang: "Kiss her! Kiss her!"

Even if he accidentally kissed her, this episode's ratings would go through the roof.

The assistant was also extremely excited. "CEO Pei is really working so hard to promote this series!"

Dong Xi crossed her arms again and prayed with starry eyes. She was ashamed that she shipped Bai Yueguang and Gu Shen!

Bai Yueguang and Nicha were the OTP!

After keeping everyone in suspense, Pei Huai loosened his grip and straightened up, "I was just joking."

Su Ji heaved a sigh of relief.

The audience didn't know whether to sigh in relief or feel regret!

After calming down and remembering that he was CEO Pei, how could he really kiss her?

However, they didn't know that Pei Huai almost couldn't hold it in just now.

If not for Su Ji's sharp eyes..

["Hahahaha, it seems like Su Ji isn't getting into character!"]

["My dream has come true!!!"]

["After seeing this scene, my life goal has been fulfilled!!!!"]

After the last votes were in, the number of votes for "The Billions Stars" reached the top of the bar.

The result was clear.

Colorful ribbons fell from the ceiling and the live broadcast came to a successful end.

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It was getting late, but the staff backstage was still very excited.

Who wouldn't be?

There was nothing more exciting than shipping an onscreen couple.

Nan Miaomiao changed her clothes and came out of the dressing room. The makeup on her face was still exquisite.

It just so happened that the room next door was Su Ji's dressing room. Unlike Nan Miaomiao, Su Ji had removed all her makeup and had changed back into a T-shirt and jeans. She had a lychee candy in her mouth.

She ran her fingers through her hair and looked like a high school student.

She was just too beautiful.

"Do we know each other?"

Nan Miaomiao wanted to walk away, but Su Ji stopped her.

She wanted to know why she was glaring at her the whole night.

Nan Miaomiao sneered. She was indeed a demoness. She had already won, and she still wanted to show off.

She did not answer Su Ji's question but changed the subject.

She turned around and leaned against the wall. She reached out to admire her newly done manicure and smiled casually. "Su Ji, you're quite capable. How did you manage to win CEO Pei's heart?"

Su Ji narrowed her eyes.

Nan Miaomiao said, "please teach me. I have been single for a long time."

She said in an unfriendly tone.

Su Ji felt that Nan Miaomiao must have made a mistake.

The mistake of not knowing that she had killed someone with a knife.

She took a step forward, and Nan Miaomiao stiffened.

Su Ji was taller than her, and at this moment, she was slightly leaning forward, giving off an overwhelming sense of oppression.

She crushed the candy in her mouth and smiled. "I didn't pursue him."

Nan Miaomiao: "..."

"He was the one who pursued me," Su Ji replied.

Nan Miaomiao: "..."

A few seconds later, Su Ji added, "he loves me to death."

Nan Miaomiao bit her lip, "CEO Pei isn't around. Of course, you can say whatever you want."

The next second, the dressing room door behind Su Ji opened again, and Pei Huai walked out.

Su Ji's body stiffened slightly, but she did not show it on her face. Nan Miaomiao was so overwhelmed by her that she still did not dare to breathe.

Su Ji thought that she was too reckless by saying that.

Then, they heard Pei Huai chuckling, "she's right. I do love her to death."

Chapter 276 Not Just At This Moment

Nan Miaomiao was pressed against the wall and forced to watch their public display of affection. What a tragic death.

She could only watch helplessly as the two of them left together.

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No wonder her best friend had suffered because of Su Ji. It seemed that she was not as easy to deal with as she had imagined.

Or rather, she could not deal with her in CEO Pei's presence...

The more she watched Su Ji's success, the more she felt that her best friend was really too pitiful!

Director Liang called Dong Xiyu over for a long chat, but not the other two interns.

When Dong Xiyu came out of his office, there was a smile on her shy little face, the kind that was adorned by a sense of accomplishment.

She ran to Su Ji's dressing room as soon as she came out, but when she realized that she had just left, she quickly went to the parking lot in the backyard.

After Pei Huai got into the car, she finally caught up to Su Ji, who was getting into the passenger seat.

"Su Ji!" She was panting, one hand on her knee, and the other on Su Ji's sleeve, "thank you so much for today!"

Su Ji replied, "no biggie, It's a win-win situation."

This industry was filled with favors. People helped each other in hopes that the favor could be returned in the future.

However, Su Ji did not care and was casual about it.

Dong Xiyu pursed her lips gratefully, "I didn't manage to find CEO Pei. Help me thank him!"

She was very well-behaved and didn't look into the car, so she didn't know that the person sitting in the driver's seat at the moment was Pei Huai.

Su Ji glanced at the car, "sure."

Dong Xiyu's face was flushed, "happy winter break!"

Su Ji liked nice girls. "You too."

After Su Ji got into the car, Dong Xiyu waved her off until she was out of sight.

Su Ji wound down the car window and popped another piece of candy into her mouth. She glanced at Pei Huai, "I didn't think much before saying that, don't take it to heart."

"Which one?" Pei Huai asked. Then, he realized that it should be the part where she told Nan Miaomiao that he loved her to death.

"I was serious," he said as he drove. At the same time, he wound up the window beside her a little.

"You love me to death?" Su Ji's tone was one of disbelief. "How long have we known each other?"

Pei Huai looked at the dark road. I'll answer you after I've figured it out.

"But it's definitely longer than you think."

When Su Ji heard this, she looked at him.

Although Pei Huai and Su Ji were now a couple and she said she could dump him anytime, he somehow managed to tie her down. Later, she promised that she would never leave him before he recovered, but he recovered in a few days.

After that, he had repeatedly asked her to marry him to test her reaction.

In the beginning, Su Ji was forced to be with him. Later on, she must have been quite satisfied with him, so she wanted to try it.

Pei Huai was good at reading people's minds, but he could not tell what Su Ji's opinion of him was at the moment.

He said, "Su Ji, if you stay with me, I will love you even more."

Su Ji looked at him and asked, "what if I don't?"

Pei Huai replied, "even so, I'll still be by your side."

The winter wind was cold, but it didn't feel like it.

Su Ji suddenly felt that he looked familiar.

To be precise, it was not his looks, but...that feeling was familiar.

She put her hands in her pockets and smiled, "we're still together at this moment."

"Not just at this moment."

The lychee-flavored candy had a rich sweetness in her mouth. It was a new product that came from Pei Huai's lychee manor.

He thought that this would make her gain a bit more weight.

When they were about to reach home, Pei Huai said, "free up your time in ten days."

"Why?"

"You'll know when the time comes."

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"Hello, Sunday" continued to trend for more than half a week.

On Thursday, Su Ji remembered that the crew required them to promote it on TikTok every week.

In the distance, Han Junlei could be heard scolding a few actors. Recently, after the team's lunch boxes had been upgraded, many of the actors had gained weight. Some of them had gained a lot of weight, and they did not look like their characters from the beginning.

Su Ji was still okay. At least she was at 90 pounds. However, she stopped gaining weight when she reached 90 pounds.

She retracted her gaze from the few people who were being scolded in the distance, took out her phone, and took a selfie, ready to post it on TikTok.

When she opened TikTok, she could still see snippets of her interaction with Pei Huai from the program that were posted by her fans.

They had already accumulated more than three million likes.

She had a normal look in her eyes, but her fans had edited it so that she looked like a girl in love.

["Bai Yueguang and Nicha's public display of affection."]

The comments section was filled with excitement.

[“They’re really a perfect match!”]

[“I really hope that it’s true, but CEO Pei doesn’t get close to women!!”]

[“I’ll say the same thing again. If CEO Pei likes Su Ji, I’ll be run naked on the commercial streets of A City!”]

Su Ji took another screenshot.

It was just a random screenshot. After all, her relationship with Pei Huai was really just a delaying tactic.

She didn’t intend to let others know, or else she would be a topic of gossip in the future.

But recently, she felt that she seemed to have changed her mind.

Maybe...this screenshot ...would be useful in the future.

She opened her TikTok account and posted a photo.

Soon, she received many replies.

However, this time, other than the usual “so beautiful!”, there were many other blessings.

[“New Year is coming! Happy New Year to my husband in advance!”]

[“I wish my wifey a prosperous life!”]

Only then did Su Ji remember that the people in the modern world placed great importance on New Year’s Day since they used the Gregorian birthdays.

In the blink of an eye, Su Ji had been in this world for half a year.

It was only a few days away from New Year’s Day, but the festive atmosphere had already started.

After a while, when she returned to her profile, she saw a private message that “.” sent her a few days ago.

It was just a news article and nothing else.

[“A beautiful photo of Nan Miaomiao and Sonya traveling to Country R! Are you envious of such a friendship?”]

“.” had also watched her performance.

Su Ji had no idea why she sent her this news article, but seeing the title, her doubts were immediately cleared.

It turned out that Nan Miaomiao and Sonya were best friends. No wonder she knew about her and Pei Huai.

And was hostile to her.

However, Su Ji didn't care. In the distance, Han Junlei called her over to rehearse the lines, while Xu Ni and Si Jingchuan were quarreling on the opposite side. Su Ji stood up and put away her phone, "coming!"

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The days passed quickly when she was busy. In the blink of an eye, it was ten days later, the day Pei Huai asked Su Ji to free up her schedule...

Chapter 277 A Romantic Surprise

It was a Wednesday, and Han Junlei seemed to have received some kind of order, so he did not arrange any scenes for Su Ji that day.

She had been quite busy recently, and there were no holidays for her.

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Fortunately, the herbs that she was cultivating don't grow in the winter, so there was one less thing to worry about.

On Wednesday, she didn't have to get up early to go to the set. However, Su Ji remembered that she had plans with Pei Huai. She woke up at 8 o'clock and sent Pei Huai a message.

She fell asleep again after sending the message.

Pei Huai didn't reply to her message. At 10 o'clock, he saw the curtain next door being pulled open and she was finally awake. He then replied, "let's leave after breakfast. My car is at the usual spot."

At 11 o'clock, Pei Huai picked her up and drove all the way to the outskirts of town.

When they arrived, it was already past noon. She first saw more than a dozen cars parked on the side of the road, shining under the bright sun. It was quite spectacular. Then, she saw the film crew. Finally, she saw CEO Wang of the electric vehicle.

Su Ji turned to Pei Huai, "we're shooting an advertisement today?"

Pei Huai could see the disappointment in her eyes, but he nodded.

CEO Wang rubbed his hands and walked over. "Ms. Su, there's no hurry. We're just preparing. An advertisement is easier to film than a movie. Today, we'll just shoot a few driving scenes in a day and night setting.

As the spokesperson was Su Ji, CEO Wang came today.

Bill had finished shooting for the Xu Group and they recently entered the post-production stage.

Hence, they should also get to work. Su Ji got into work mode rather quickly and took the script from the director.

The filming crew knew about her relationship with Pei Huai and she was treated much better.

On the set of The Billion Stars, Han Junlei was the God while the director here had the lowest rank.

When the director first arrived, he was actually quite nervous. However, he soon realized that Su Ji was not pretentious or arrogant. She was very efficient in everything she did.

As long as he served her well, it would be easy to negotiate with CEO Pei.

Pei Huai opened a few lunchboxes and touched them to make sure they were warm, “eat while you read.”

It was time for lunch.

Su Ji glanced at him, “it’s obviously work, but you make it sound like a date. What if I don’t have time?”

Pei Huai chuckled, “then we’ll push the work back.”

Su Ji said, “you sound like an incapable ruler when you say that.”

Pei Huai pushed a large portion of meat in front of her and gave her the chopsticks, “if I was, you wouldn’t have to wait until now.”

He didn’t know why he said this, and Su Ji didn’t understand either.

However, she didn’t probe further. She noticed that Pei Xi wasn’t here today either. It seemed like Pei Huai was preparing to take over her manager’s job today.

Su Ji smiled. Being taken care of by him for a day was actually the same as going on a date.

After her hair and makeup were done in the afternoon, Su Ji was dressed in a tight suit. Her long hair hung down, her small face was very fair, and her facial features were exquisite. She looked especially cool.

CEO Wang and the director looked at each other and mouthed “oh”. However, before they said anything, they glanced at CEO Pei.

After checking the car, Su Ji sat in the driver’s seat, and Pei Huai sat in the front passenger seat.

Just as the director was about to get the crew to get ready, he suddenly stopped. After a few seconds of silence, he smiled and knocked on the window of the passenger seat.

“CEO Pei...we’re about to officially start shooting, are you...”

Pei Huai looked at him, “it’s dangerous to go up the mountain road. I need to sit in the car and watch over her.”

Su Ji remained silent, “...”

The director’s back was sweating, “but...you’ll be in the shot...”

Pei Huai said, “just photoshop me out later.”

“...”

That worked.

CEO Wang gave him a look and took him to the side. He lowered his voice and said, “just do it. Otherwise, if something happens to Ms. Su, will you be responsible?”

“Yes, yes,” the director agreed.

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The special training that Pei Huai had given Su Ji some time ago was not in vain. Su Ji did not look like a newbie at all when she drove. She looked like a professional.

The car drifted at the corner. The wind blew her hair to the corner of her mouth, but she blew it away without a sound.

On camera, it looked as though it was part of the script.

It was even more alluring in slow motion.

The director paused for a few moments. Every frame could be used in the poster.

The daytime scene of the shoot went very smoothly. During dinner, Pei Huai ordered food for Su Ji and everyone in the crew.

He also told the director not to worry about the evening scene, and that everyone could take their time to eat and rest.

The director took a look at the time. They only started shooting at three in the afternoon, and they could rest after two hours. Could he stay on with such a great crew?

By the time they started filming the evening scene, it was already close to 8pm.

It was harder to shoot at night, but if it was done well, the scene of driving under the night sky would be very beautiful.

Su Ji did not look at her phone, and she did not know how much time had passed. She felt like it had been three or four hours.

All the scenes requested by the director were completed.

Although it was a work day, Su Ji felt really comfortable. CEO Wang and the rest had never seen CEO Pei take care of someone before. Today was the first time they saw it. The entire crew had a smile on their faces the entire day as they followed the two of them.

The director had captured the scene he wanted and watched it repeatedly in front of the screen.

CEO Wang's gaze shifted to Pei Huai.

A moment later, as if he had received some kind of order, he called out to Su Ji very naturally, “Ms. Su, there's one last scene. We will call it a day after this scene!

Su Ji was very professional. She stopped yawning halfway and said, “sure, no problem.”

The last scene was shot at the top of the mountain, and Pei Huai drove her up.

The car went round and round along the mountain road. As they got closer and closer to the top of the mountain, the surroundings became quieter.

Su Ji didn't need to drive, so she looked out of the window leisurely.

Pei Huai was not driving slowly, as if he was in a hurry.

Finally, the car stopped at an empty spot on the top of the mountain.

Nothing could block their view from this position, and the winter night was simply too beautiful.

It really felt like they were very close to the stars. The dark blue sky was clear, and there was no fog today.

It was more beautiful than the starry ceiling in Pei Huai's car.

Seeing that Pei Huai was silent, Su Ji was in no hurry to get out of the car. She looked at the vast night sky in front of her. "I've never seen fireworks before. Have you?"

She had only recently seen fireworks on TikTok.

Pei Huai replied, "I saw it when I was young."

Su Ji said, "let's watch it together when we have the chance?"

Pei Huai raised an eyebrow. "You want to watch it with me?"

Su Ji didn't say anything, which was an affirmation.

Pei Huai said, "then let's watch it together."

The moment he finished speaking...

"Boom..."

"Boom..."

Su Ji's eyes twitched.

Clusters of light bloomed in her eyes.

Her eyes widened.

They were just in the right location to watch the fireworks.

Colorful fireworks shot into the sky with a loud bang.

The explosion turned the black night sky into a gorgeous sea of flowers. The ground was illuminated.

The sound of fireworks drowned out all other sounds, and it was midnight.

Su Ji's phone was instantly flooded with a large number of new messages.

She subconsciously looked over and realized that today was the last day of December. It had just passed midnight, so it was the new year.

Pei Huai turned off the camera in the car. Under the bright light of the fireworks, he said, "Su Ji, happy new year."

Chapter 278 Su Ji Spoke the Truth

Actually, there were no more scenes to shoot.

The fireworks were the real reason why Pei Huai had asked her to free up her time today. The fireworks had been prepared long ago, but he didn't expect Su Ji to mention it before midnight, before CEO Wang and the others set the fireworks off.

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She said that she wanted to watch the fireworks with him.

This sentence was worth all the new year gifts.

Su Ji heard him, but she did not turn her head immediately. She was still watching the fireworks.

This was the first time she had seen this with her own eyes.

Mysterious things brought a sense of excitement and romance. Su Ji couldn't describe what she was feeling, but she liked it.

She just said that she wanted to watch it with him, and then she saw it. Pei Huai's fireworks were more beautiful than the ones she saw on TikTok.

Pei Huai looked at her side profile. If this continued, he would start to get jealous of the fireworks.

At this moment, Su Ji finally turned around to look at him.

At the end of the day, humans were still emotional creatures, even for a woman like Su Ji who was as hard as steel.

She looked at Pei Huai with a hint of inquisitiveness.

He was handsome, rich, good at fighting, knew how to cultivate lychees, clean, had a sense of boundary with other women and helped her career.

He said that he loved her to death, and she was actually quite happy inside.

She decided to end the trial period.

"Pei Huai," she called his name.

Pei Huai looked at her silently.

He thought she was finally going to say "happy new year" back to him, but Su Ji said, "actually, I'm not me."

Pei Huai's eyes twitched.

"Do you understand?" Su Ji asked.

"Yes," Pei Huai replied.

"You do?" Su Ji was quite surprised by this answer.

Outside the car window, the fireworks continued.

Because he was close to it, he felt that his feet were shaking and his chest was resonating.

At the foot of the mountain, CEO Wang was like a commander. He raised his hand in the air and commanded the crew to light the fireworks in batches.

In the suburbs, there were a few residents holding up their mobile phones and standing in front of the window to take pictures. They were surprised that someone had set off so many fireworks.

They did not know that Pei Huai was only doing this for one girl.

In the car, Su Ji wasn't sure that he understood, but in the next second, his lips were pressed against hers.

Her scalp went numb.

It was frosty outside the window, but it was as warm in the car.

Su Ji's hair was pressed against the back of her neck by his palm, and she felt a strong friction.

Her hair wrapped around his fingers.

A thin layer of mist appeared on the car window.

They were still kissing in the car when Xu Mingzhi called her.

The screen flickered beside Su Ji, and it gradually synchronized with her heartbeat.

After that, the phone fell under the seat, and the roof of the car flickered.

After that, Su Ji's phone finally stopped ringing, but Pei Huai's phone rang.

No one answered it.

On new year's day, Su Ji made Pei Huai her real boyfriend.

Finally, they stopped.

Pei Huai didn't want her to experience her first time in such a place.

Furthermore, he had not prepared anything in the car.

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Su Ji arrived home at two in the morning.

Xu Mingzhi waited for her to come back, but she didn't say anything. She just asked her if she was tired, what she did today, and if she had fun.

Su Ji said that she was filming an advertisement.

Xu Mingzhi pretended to believe her and held her by the shoulders as they returned to the house. "Oh right, I'm planning to release our commercial at the same time as Pei Corporation to shut the media up. Besides, we are familiar with each other. Ask Pei Huai if he thinks it's okay, then we'll do it."

"Alright, I'll ask him," Su Ji replied.

When they reached the room, Xu Mingzhi asked her gently, "baby, I'm not going to the office tomorrow. How do you want to spend New Year's Day?"

Seeing that she wasn't pursuing the matter of her not picking up the phone that night, Su Ji said, "why don't we ask Pei Huai to come over for dinner?"

Xu Mingzhi was still smiling, but her attitude was clear from her words, "I don't want to see him for the time being."

He had taken her precious daughter away for such a long time on New Year's eve.

Although her baby promised to spend the first day of the year together with her, she didn't say that they would spend New Year's eve together.

They had been mother and daughter for two lives, but in her previous life, Su Ji was only a teenager when she left her. So, it was really two lives, but a continuation of the previous one.

This was the first time she had encountered a situation where her daughter had a boyfriend.

"..."

"Alright," Su Ji squinted her eyes, "I'll go tomorrow afternoon."

Xu Mingzhi immediately understood what she meant. "Alright, bring him home!"

Those who were favored by Su Ji would live a good life.

Su Ji smiled. "Thank you, mom."

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The crew started work as usual on New Year's Day, but the workload was reduced, and her scenes were finished at 10 am.

The new year had arrived, and the crew was filled with a cheerful atmosphere.

After spending time together for the past few months, the crew had grown closer. There were still people who were jealous of Su Ji, but it was New Year's Day, so everyone still wished her well.

"I heard that you went to the Pei Corporation to shoot a commercial until the latter half of the night yesterday?"

"My God, after midnight? You didn't even celebrate New Year's eve, did you?"

"Money is hard to earn, and sh * t is hard to eat."

"Why are you saying such vulgar words in front of a female star?"

“Well, I was just saying...”

Su Ji put her hands in her pockets and turned to look at them. Her hair was ruffled by the wind. She pointed to the person who said “money is hard to earn and sh * t is hard to eat”, “I think you’re right.”

With that, she left.

The people behind her were left discussing.

“Why do I feel that...Su Ji doesn’t seem to be as difficult to talk to as we thought?”

“She’s not that cold. Did we misunderstand her?”

After leaving the crew, Su Ji returned to her seat. She placed her bag in front of her. After she was done filming, she started to pack up her script and other things.

The things on the small table were casually put into her bag.

Si Jingchuan moved closer to her with a smile and nudged her shoulder. “I saw fireworks in the suburbs at midnight yesterday. They were all the most expensive fireworks that lasted more than an hour. Did it have something to do with you?” He asked.

Su Ji’s hands paused for a moment, then she continued to pack, “maybe.”

Si Jingchuan had a knowing look on his face. “CEO Pei is quite romantic.”

He turned to the side, revealing Xu Ni who was sitting beside him.

The three of them were always together recently.

Xu Ni lit a cigarette with one hand and swiped on his phone with the other. His white shirt fluttered in the wind, and he looked very youthful.

With the series airing, he had started to gain quite a lot of fans recently.

It seemed that this was the first time he had been liked by so many people, and he did not look as hostile as before.

Feeling Su Ji’s gaze on him, he looked back at her. “Since your boyfriend is so good to you, then don’t think about other people.”

He still suspected that Su Ji was interested in him.

“Who?” However, Su Ji said casually, “if you say it out loud, I might think about it.”

Xu Ni choked. When he saw that her eyes were clear, he suddenly felt that he might be overthinking.

The tips of his ears were a little red. “No one,” he replied.

Si Jingchuan said, “by the way, boss, Binbin will be discharged this weekend. Dr. Mo said that it’s all thanks to you this time.”

Su Ji zipped up her bag and received a message on her phone. Pei Huai’s car had arrived.

He wanted to bring her home for lunch.

She said, let him rest at home. I'll give you the medicine every day, and you give it to him."

Si Jingchuan wanted to give her a kowtow.

While they were talking about this, Xu Ni kept staring at Su Ji until their eyes met. He asked, "do you know medicine?"

Chapter 279 Meeting the Parents

"Why do you ask?" Su Ji picked up her bag and looked at him, "you're not sick."

It was not a question, but a statement.

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Xu Ni didn't know why, but he felt as if she had seen through him. He immediately looked back at his phone. "Of course I'm not sick."

He thought that Su Ji was going to leave, but she didn't. Su Ji walked to his side and asked, "one of your family members is?"

Xu Ni's hand that was holding the phone paused. He obviously didn't want to tell her, "no."

Su Ji did not ask further.

"I'm only giving my underlings special treatment."

Xu Ni looked at her.

He paused for a moment, but he didn't say anything.

Han Junlei called out to Su Ji when she was about to leave.

He and Huang Huayu stood in front of a few cars, looking very happy. After calling Su Ji over, he pointed to the brand new cars that cost hundreds of thousands of yuan. They looked beautiful. "Su Ji, the cars are provided for us. I'm thinking of giving you one so that your manager can pick you up for work easily."

"Oh..." Su Ji's heart wavered for a second, but then she remembered that Pei Huai didn't allow her to drive. She happened to see Pei Huai's car outside. "Give it to the others. I already have a car."

Han Junlei said, "I see. Alright then."

Huang Huayu scratched his head. She didn't want it?

"Director Han, Assistant Director Huang."

The two of them looked at her at the same time.

Su Ji walked towards the car outside and waved at them, "Happy New Year."

The two of them smiled at the same time.

However, Huang Huayu suddenly remembered something. Su Ji said that she had a car. What brand was it?

He had not noticed it before.

He took a few steps forward, and a black car appeared.

He saw Su Ji get into the car.

Then, before he could get close, the car's low roar sounded, and it reversed a little. Then, it nimbly drove away.

Huang Huayu saw the car clearly when they turned the corner.

In the next second, he was dumbfounded.

A Koenigsegg model that he had never seen before!

"???"

In the car, the driver was leaning back and he drove steadily.

In fact, this car was Pei Song's. Pei Huai usually did not drive such flashy cars, but a lot of people could recognize his car, so he often took a different car when he came to pick up Su Ji.

"You like this car?"

Pei Huai asked Su Ji when her gaze fell on the control panel.

Su Ji replied, "I can't drive it. There's no point even if I do."

Pei Huai smiled, "practice a bit more."

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The car drove into the Xu family's house, and the door rotated up. Su Ji picked up her backpack and got out of the car, only to see Pei Huai go around to the back.

Just as she was feeling puzzled, she saw him take out a few boxes of gifts from behind.

"Didn't my mom say that you don't need to bring anything?" Su Ji asked.

Pei Huai said with a smile, "she said that because she was being considerate, but I always do it out of courtesy."

Su Ji looked at the smile on his face and felt as if he was saying she was too naive.

Su Ji recalled the past. She had wisdom, courage, and insight, but she did not like to deal with people.

In times of peace, the work of maintaining peace with the neighboring kingdoms was done by the princes and generals.

Now that she thought about it, it seemed that Prince Huai, who she had been neglecting, was the one doing this...

The aroma of food had already drifted over from the kitchen.

They entered the house and Aunt Wu opened the door for them.

Xu Mingzhi sat on the sofa peacefully. She wanted to be aloof, but when she saw Pei Huai carrying a few large boxes in, her expression changed, “why do you bring so many things? Don’t be so polite. Aunt Wu, take them quickly.”

Su Ji looked at her mother’s rapidly changing expression and then at Pei Huai.

Pei Huai was very low-key. After greeting them, he entered the house and washed his hands.

When he was washing his hands, Xu Mingzhi asked Su Ji, “baby, mom was on the phone with Xiaoman yesterday. Xiaoman said that the entire Pei family is a clean freak and wears masks to sleep at night. Is it true?”

Su Ji laughed. Just as she was about to say “no”, she suddenly remembered that she had been tricked by Xu Mingzhi several times before. This time, she had learned her lesson.

A second later, she retracted her smile, “I wouldn’t know.”

Xu Mingzhi gave her a look and leaned back. She smiled, “it’s okay, at least he’s clean.”

At the dining table, Xu Mingzhi took the initiative to ask about the release of the commercial, so that her daughter did not have to pass on the message.

Pei Huai agreed without much thought, “sure, let me know when you’re confirmed. We will work with you.”

Su Ji stood up and was about to pour some water into the teapot. When her hand passed by, Pei Huai grabbed her wrist naturally and gently pulled it away.

Then, he went to get it and poured tea for her and Xu Mingzhi.

The water in the teapot was very hot.

Su Ji touched the side of her wrist. It was a little numb.

Xu Mingzhi saw it all.

She couldn’t find any fault with this man.

He was just slightly older than her daughter.

But that’s nothing.

After eating for a while, Xu Mingzhi seemed to have thought of something. She placed the cutlery on the plate and crossed her fingers over his nose. She looked at Pei Huai and said, “ever since I returned to the country, I’ve observed that Old Master Pei, your eldest sister, and second brother have all taken good care of my daughter. I am very grateful.”

Pei Huai also put down his cutlery. “What would you like to ask me?”

Xu Mingzhi smiled, "I don't think I've heard you talk about your parents before. I'm just asking. It's okay if you don't want to tell me."

Su Ji thought about it and realized that it was true. Back then, Pei Huai's parents didn't even appear at Old Master Pei's birthday party. However, they seemed to have given him a very expensive birthday gift.

She had some impression of it.

Pei Huai had never mentioned his parents to her. Perhaps she had never asked, or perhaps he felt that it was unnecessary.

She took a sip of the soup slowly.

"It's okay," Pei Huai said gently. "My parents are in charge of the Pei Corporation's overseas business, so they stay abroad all year round."

Xu Mingzhi nodded. "I see. It seems like they are very career-oriented. One can tell from how outstanding you are."

Pei Huai smiled mysteriously, "I take after my mother."

Xu Mingzhi replied, "sons take after their mother more than daughters do. Not many daughters take after their mother like my baby..." she gradually stopped treating Pei Huai as an outsider. "It's just that her father's genes aren't good, so mine dominated."

Pei Huai chuckled, "of course."

The atmosphere at the dining table gradually became lively, and Aunt Wu served Su Ji a second bowl of rice.

After a while.

Pei Huai looked at Xu Mingzhi again. "They're coming back for the new year this year. Since you've mentioned it, I wonder if you'd like to meet them."

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Xu Mingzhi paused for a few seconds and glanced at her daughter who was still drinking the soup. "You two have only been together for a few months. There's no rush, right?"

Pei Huai remained silent. "I wanted to introduce her to my parents from the first day I met her."

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Xu Mingzhi: "..."

Pei Huai replied, "they don't come back often. It's better to meet them this time."

Xu Mingzhi did not refuse anymore. The fact that he wanted them to meet showed that he was serious about this relationship.

"Sure, tell me when the time comes."

Pei Huai nodded and turned to look at Su Ji. Su Ji did not say anything, so he smiled.

Xu Mingzhi wanted to get to know him more, so she asked him, “do your parents have a good relationship?”

Pei Huai gave an irrelevant answer, “my relationship with my mother is not bad.”

Xu Mingzhi seemed to have understood something and didn’t ask anything else.

Pei Huai reassured her, “my parents will like her.”

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In the next few days, Su Ji shot a few more scenes for the commercial. After that, she went to the studio to record a voiceover.

Pei Huai would pick her up every time.

Huang Huayu was shocked to see the same car, but he didn’t see who was sitting in the car.

After having ready for the release, Pei Huai asked CEO Wang to go to his office.

CEO Wang didn’t dare to be slow. After answering the phone, he quickly arrived at the office.

Pei Huai said concisely, “speed up the post-production work. We’ll release the commercial at the same time as the Xu Group’s.”

The Xu Group’s commercial was almost ready, and he didn’t want to delay the progress.

CEO Wang replied, “no problem, everything else has been prepared. Once we finish filming, the rest will be quick. We will definitely release it before the Xu Group.”

He had misunderstood. He thought that CEO Pei wanted him to speed up the progress because he was afraid of falling behind.

The reason for this misunderstanding was that he didn’t know that Ms. Su was the CEO’s daughter.

He had been paying attention to Ms. Su and CEO Xu, but he just couldn’t connect the dots.

On the contrary, he was quite concerned about the Su Corporation.

Pei Huai could tell that he had misunderstood. “Don’t do it too early or too late. I said we’ll release it together. The Pei Corporation and the Xu Group are not competitors.”

CEO Wang was stunned. It seemed that there might be some kind of cooperation between the two CEOs, but this kind of thing was only on the surface. CEO Wang, who had been in business for a long time, understood it the best.

Therefore, he deliberately took a step closer to the desk and asked cleverly, “CEO Pei, should we secretly pay to get featured?”

“Get who featured?” Pei Huai asked.

Pei Huai’s index finger tapped on the table. He did not wait for CEO Wang to answer. “Sure, we can do it for the Xu Group.”

“Ah?”

The next second, Pei Huai said, “she’s my future mother-in-law.”

CEO Wang was speechless.

“Mother-in-law...” He couldn’t recover from the shock and almost bit his tongue.

At that moment, the faces of Ms. Su and CEO Xu were spinning in his mind.

Holy sh*t sh*t sh*t!

He had just issued an order in the morning meeting that the sales performance of the first month must be double that of the Xu Group’s.

It seemed that they would have to have another meeting!

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By the weekend, Si Jingbin had fully recovered and could be discharged.

Binbin, who had recovered, was full of energy.

On the day he was discharged from the hospital, he even folded the patient’s garb he had taken off and placed it on the bed. The bedsheet was pressed flat with his small hands.

By the time Wen Man and the others arrived, he had almost finished packing.

Su Ji and Si Jingchuan had also come to pick him up.

Doctor Mo repeatedly checked the examination report. The little guy had now fully recovered.

“That’s great,” Wen Man said. “Mommy’s little baby can go home again.”

“Take good care of your brother,” said Si Ke. “Don’t let him get sick all the time.”

Due to the age difference between Si Jingchuan and Si Jingbin, and the fact that Si Ke was usually very busy, Si Jingchuan would take care of his younger brother when he had no work.

Si Jingchuan was silent for two seconds. He then scratched Si Jingbin’s chin and said, “don’t address me as your brother in the future. Call me ‘dad’.”

“What are you talking about, you little brat!” When Si Ke was fierce, he looked like he was going to devour someone.

Si Jingbin tilted his head. He didn’t want to offend either side. “Then, from now on, I’ll call dad ‘big daddy’ and big brother ‘second daddy’!”

Wen Man almost spat out the water in her mouth. Si Ke patted her back with his other hand, his heart aching for her. At the same time, he slapped the back of Si Jingchuan’s head with his other hand, “what nonsense!”

Then, he looked back at Si Jingbin, “don’t even call him brother in the future.”

Si Jingbin touched his chin with his finger, “then what should I do?”

“Call him ‘brat’!” Si Ke said.

Si Jingbin was very obedient. He turned around and said, “brat!”

Si Jingchuan: “...”

Su Ji smiled.

It was quite lively when the whole family was together.

When they left the hospital, Si Jingbin looked around at everyone who had come to pick him up. In the end, he held Su Ji’s hand.

Su Ji touched his head.

Si Jingbin was like a little adult. “Pretty sister.”

Su Ji looked down at him and raised her eyebrows, “yes?”

Si Jingbin held his head high and walked forward with small steps.

“I’ve agreed to let you and handsome uncle be together.”

His small palm was warm and Su Ji chuckled at his serious tone, “thank you...”

Si Jingbin held her hand happily and added, “it’s still better than you being with Pei Xingxing!”

Su Ji: “...”

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After Si Jingbin was discharged from the hospital, the Si family warmly invited Su Ji to stay for a meal, but Su Ji refused.

Because today, there was another important matter.

After leaving the Si residence and getting into Wang Zhicheng’s car, Su Ji put a lychee candy into her mouth. “Uncle Wang, take me to the Pei residence.”

Wang Zhicheng: “Yes!”

An hour later, Pei Xi and Bill were seated on the sofa in the Pei family’s house.

A month ago, Pei Huai and Su Ji challenged each other to see who could cure them first. Today was the day.

Pei Song also arrived to take notes at the side.

In order to ensure the fairness of the competition, Su Ji took Bill’s pulse and Pei Huai took Pei Xi’s pulse.

Before they did that, Pei Xi said, “wait!”

Then, she found a small handkerchief and put it on Bill’s wrist.

Bill scratched his head in embarrassment and said in English, “baby, Su Ji is not an outsider. Isn’t that too formal?”

The corner of Pei Xi’s eyes twitched. “You’re thinking too much. I’m just afraid that Pei Huai will cut off your hand.”

“Oh...” Bill said.

Usually, it would be quick, but this time, the two of them took a long time.

As time passed by, Pei Xi and Bill were extremely nervous.

After an unknown period of time, Su Ji narrowed her eyes at Pei Huai, and Pei Huai returned her gaze with a slight frown.

Pei Xi was anxious, “what do you two mean by this?”

Pei Huai slowly removed his hand, “a mixed-race child should look good.”

Su Ji replied, “I will be the godmother.”