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"You can't compare to it! Go back and ask your Patriarch if you don't believe me." Leng Ruoxue said with a naughty smile.

"Uh!" What did this mean? The two old men were a little confused.

"You'll know when you go back and ask him. Today is your first day on duty. Go back now! Come early tomorrow to wait for orders," Leng Ruoxue said very kindly.

"Oh, we'll be leaving first then." First Elder and Third Elder left the inn gloomily.

The two of them were still pondering how on earth did things become like this on the way back? What were they here for? Now, they were completely confused, and they couldn't think of the main reason for going to see Leng Ruoxue. The only thing they knew was that they had implicated themselves!

At the residence of Leng Ruoxue and the others.

"Little Snowy, do you really intend to let the First Elder and the Third Elder work for you!" Lan Ming, who had been silent since the two old men left, couldn't help asking. He really admired Leng Ruoxue. The patriarch and elders of the Lan family couldn't do anything to her.

"Of course not. What can those two old men do? However, since they can't bear to part with the money, they have to repay the debt with their bodies," Leng Ruoxue said without any sympathy. In fact, she was already laughing in her heart.

"Hehe, Little Snowy, you're really too amazing. You can actually make them suffer. Teach me!" Lan Lie ran to Leng Ruoxue and looked at her with admiration, his bright black eyes blinking non-stop.

"Do you want your grandfather to suffer so much?" Leng Ruoxue asked speechlessly. She really didn't know what they were thinking.

"Yes! That old man has liked to cause trouble for me since young and drag me down. He always wreaks havoc on things I like, so our relationship isn't good at all," Lan Lie said angrily. He really hated that old man to death!

"But that's not what I saw!" Leng Ruoxue said in realization. In her opinion, the patriarch of the Lan family loved this grandson very much. She just didn't know what irreconcilable conflicts existed between them, so it created the way they interacted with each other now. Moreover, the patriarch and the two elders of the Lan family didn't fly into a rage out of humiliation when she robbed them of so much money. There was probably some reason for Lan Lie's behavior, and this was enough to show how important he was in their hearts.

"You're mistaken. You don't understand that old man at all. You've never seen him!" Lan Lie said indignantly. He had known that old man for more than twenty years. How could he not understand what kind of person that old man was?

"Who said I haven't seen him? I've seen him previously," Leng Ruoxue said helplessly. She couldn't be bothered to argue with Lan Lie's stubbornness!

"When did you see him? Why don't I know about it!" Lan Lie said with some displeasure. What did that old man want? Did he want to interfere with his friendship again?

"I saw him a few days before you came," Leng Ruoxue said.

"Uh! Did he say anything nasty?" Lan Lie said worriedly. That stinky old man had always been blunt with his friends.

"No, he's just here to see Little Icy." Leng Ruoxue sighed and explained.

"Oh, that's good." Lan Lie was relieved.

"By the way, I have something on. I'll take my leave first," Lan Lie continued. Then he hurriedly left the inn.

Leng Wudi, Sun Teng, Leng Ruoxue, and the others greeted each other before leaving with Lan Lie.

"Xue'er, why is this kid so energetic?" Leng Qingtian asked in puzzlement.

"I think he went back to the Lan family to settle scores with my father," Lan Ming said understandingly.

"Hehe, that's their unique way of getting along. Outsiders can't understand it," Leng Ruoxue said with a light smile.

Everyone was chatting when suddenly there was a knock on the door.

"Is Miss Leng here? Someone's looking for her outside." The waiter's words sounded from outside...

"Who's looking for me?" Leng Ruoxue was a little surprised. She hadn't been in the Boundless Heaven Continent for long and didn't know many people. Why would someone name her?

"Erm... they didn't say," the waiter replied.

"Oh, freak, let's go take a look!" Leng Ruoxue turned to the freak.

"Okay." The freak nodded. In fact, he was quite curious.

The two of them left the room and came to the hall of the inn. At this moment, two young men stood in the middle of the hall. One of them was someone they were familiar with, Xu Heng, who had once gambled with them. They did not know the other person.

"Xu Heng, why are you here? Are you here to make a bet with me?" Leng Ruoxue teased with a light smile.

"No, no. I don't want to make a bet with you anymore," Xu Heng said fearfully. How would he dare to make a bet with her when all his years of savings were gone?

"Oh? Then why are you here?" Leng Ruoxue was a little puzzled because she didn't expect the person to see her to be Xu Heng.

"Are you Leng Ruoxue?" The handsome man beside Xu Heng asked before Xu Heng could answer.

"I'm Leng Ruoxue. Why? What's the problem?" Leng Ruoxue looked at the man cautiously and asked calmly.

"Are you from the Ling Feng Continent?" the handsome man couldn't help asking.

"No, why?" Leng Ruoxue denied.

"Oh, I don't think you will be the Leng Ruoxue I know," the handsome man said with a sigh of relief.

"Do you know someone named Leng Ruoxue?" Leng Ruoxue pretended to be curious, but she was guessing the man's identity in her heart.

This man was handsome and had an extraordinary temperament, but his eyes carried a trace of ruthlessness and gloominess. His strength was only that of a Mystic, but his identity and status should be higher than Xu Heng's respect for him.

"Yes, but she should still be on the Ling Feng Continent!" the handsome man said with certainty.

"Oh, how should I address you?" Leng Ruoxue asked curiously.

"Xu Qian!" the handsome man said softly.

"He is the young master of our Xu family," Xu Heng added.

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"Oh, so it's the young master of the Xu family. Sorry for being rude," Leng Ruoxue said politely.

"It's okay. It's not strange that you didn't know!" Xu Qian said generously.

"Young Master Xu, we are not the people you are looking for. If there's nothing else, we will take our leave," Leng Ruoxue said very politely.

"Okay." Xu Qian nodded.

"Freak, let's go back to our room!" Leng Ruoxue turned to the freak.

"Okay." The freak nodded, and the two of them turned and returned to their room.

"What's the name of the man beside her?" Xu Qian asked lightly after watching Leng Ruoxue leave.

"Freak, that man is called Freak!" Xu Heng hurriedly said. He was very curious why Young Master paid so much attention to Leng Ruoxue. He had been asking him about Leng Ruoxue ever since he heard her name. However, in his opinion, Leng Ruoxue was not worthy of the Young Master at all!

"Freak? Is that man's name? Do you think anyone would have such a name?" Xu Qian said with a cold face, a little displeased. For some reason, after seeing Leng Ruoxue just now, he was a little disappointed that she was not the person he was looking for, but that woman gave him a familiar feeling, which couldn't help making him a little puzzled!

"Erm..." Xu Heng was speechless. That man seemed to be called Freak during the competition, even though he didn't live up to his name! However, he couldn't remember much.

"Hurry up and find out that man's real name!" Xu Qian ordered, then strode out of the inn.

Xu Heng, who was standing in the lobby of the inn, was in a dilemma. How could he find that out! Should he ask that man himself?

Leng Ruoxue and the freak immediately told her grandfather and the others after returning to their room. Everyone was silent for a moment...

"Lass, so you're from the Ling Feng Continent!" the little old man said in surprise after a while.

"Yes," Leng Ruoxue said. She naturally didn't intend to hide it from them since she said it in front of them.

"Little Snowy, did you just arrive when you transmuted your spiritual power?" Lan Ming wiped the cold sweat off his forehead and couldn't help asking curiously.

"Yes."

"Uh! You bunch of perverts!" Lan Ming was speechless. They had only been here for less than three months and were already elementary mystics. This cultivation speed was really terrifying!

"How can we be considered perverts? The young masters of the three great families are the true perverts! You're already a Mystic Monarch at such a young age!" Leng Ruoxue said nonchalantly.

"Little Snowy, you can't compare like this. The people on this continent are born with better aptitude than those on the Ling Feng Continent. Moreover, the resources and treatment that the three of them have received since they were young are the best. It would be too inexcusable if their cultivation speed was still so slow," Lan Ming explained. Leng Ruoxue and the others definitely could not compare to the three of them in this aspect. However, he believed that Leng Ruoxue would definitely surpass them in time!

"That's true. Little Lan Lan, don't reveal our identities!" Leng Ruoxue reminded.

"Don't worry, I won't say it. But Little Snowy, you and the Leng family..." Lan Ming hesitated, his face also a little curious.

"The Leng family is the Leng family, and we are us. There's no need to confuse us!" Leng Ruoxue said very decisively.

"Uh, yes!" Lan Ming nodded. Their Lan family also had branches in the lower realm. And after those people came to the Boundless Heaven Continent, almost all of them would choose to return to the family. However, the status of those people in the family was even inferior to the servants born and raised in the family. Therefore, he really didn't want Leng Ruoxue to choose to return to the family like them. However, he was very clear that with Leng Ruoxue's character, she would absolutely not bother with them.

"Grandpa, that Xu Qian might know us, so use an alias for the time being!" Leng Ruoxue turned to Leng Qingtian and the others. She didn't know if her denial just now could fool Xu Qian, but they had to be careful just in case!

"Xue'er, we used our real names when we participated in the mystic cultivator competition. If we use an alias now, he will probably find out if he wants to investigate," Leng Qingtian said worriedly.

"Sister Ruoxue, don't be afraid. At most, I'll burn down the Mystic Association and make it impossible for them to investigate!" Feng Lingqi said violently.

"Uh!" Two drops of cold sweat dripped down Leng Ruoxue's forehead. She felt that that was not a bad idea.

"No, don't set the fire!" Icy, who had been sleeping on the bed, suddenly said.

"Then what do you think we should do? The Xu family doesn't have anything good. Do you want to see Sister Ruoxue in danger?" Feng Ling'er roared furiously.

"What are you afraid of with me around?" Icy rolled its eyes and said calmly. Hmph! It really didn't care about a mere Xu family.

"You? You only know how to sleep, eat after waking up, and sleep after eating. Moreover, how many Xu family members can you beat alone?" Feng Ling'er said with slight disdain.

"Little Lan Lan, how many Mystic Supremacies does the Xu family have?" Icy glanced at Lan Ming and asked.

"There should be one," Blue said after some thought.

"There's only one. What's there to be afraid of? Two more will be nothing more than child's play to me!" lcy said nonchalantly.

"Hmph! Keep bragging!" Feng Ling'er didn't believe the stinky Qilin at all!

"I never brag!" Icy retorted. It was such a pragmatic Qilin and it had never lied!

"Sister Ruoxue, don't listen to it. Let me burn down the Mystic Association!" Feng Ling'er couldn't be bothered to bicker with the Qilin and said directly to Leng Ruoxue.

"No, you're not allowed to burn if I say so!" Icy stood up from the bed and jumped into Leng Ruoxue's arms. He glared at the little red bird and roared.

"Sister Ruoxue!" Feng Ling'er ignored Binggi and looked directly at Leng Ruoxue.

"Little Snowy!" Icy also looked at Leng Ruoxue, the meaning in his blue eyes was obvious. 'Who will you listen to?'

"Stop arguing. Grandpa, use your real names! I don't think Xu Qian can do anything to us as long as we don't admit it!" Leng Ruoxue said after some thought. With her current strength, she was not afraid of the Xu family even though there was still a certain gap between her and the Xu family. At most, she would just deal with whatever came her way! There was nothing to be afraid of.

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"Okay." Leng Qingtian nodded in agreement.

"It's getting late. Everyone, rest early!" Leng Ruoxue looked at the time and said to everyone.

Everyone nodded and went to rest.

The next morning, The First Elder and Third Elder arrived at the inn early to await orders.

In the living room.

"If any of you need them to do anything today, just tell them." Leng Ruoxue suppressed her smile and looked at the sleepy First Elder and Third Elder.

"Uh! Yes! Just let me know if there's anything!" The First Elder wiped the cold sweat off his forehead and said politely. However, he couldn't help thinking in his heart that these people wouldn't really want them to do manual labor, right? He was the First Elder of the Lan family!

"Uh! Lan Hong is willing to carry out orders as well!" The Third Elder also said.

"Hehe, then serve me to change my clothes and wash up first! Then accompany me to the medicinal herb exchange to set up a stall!" Old Man Zao said bluntly.

"Are you going to dominate both of them? No way!" the old man said with some displeasure.

"Why not? I have a lot to do today!" Old Man Zao said with some displeasure.

"So what? They're not your only servants. They belong to all of us," the old man said matter-of-factly.

"Lass, what do you think?" Old Man Zao looked at Leng Ruoxue pleadingly, asking her to say something fair!

"Uh! Old Man Zao, you should take one of them away! As for the other one! You have to let him serve the others too!" Leng Ruoxue said with a light smile.

"Alright, I'll listen to the lass. Give me the Third Elder!" Old Man Zao said after some thought. However, he was thinking about how to torment the Third Elder.

"Ruoxue, can you share the First Elder with me?" Lin Liang asked.

"No, the First Elder is mine," the old man roared at the top of his lungs.

"Stop arguing. First Elder will follow Grandpa Lin in the morning. His usage rights in the afternoon will go to the old man!" Leng Ruoxue said very fairly.

"Xue'er, when can we order the First Elder around?" Leng Qingtian said with some dissatisfaction.

"Tomorrow, Grandpa. There will be plenty of opportunities in the future." Leng Ruoxue suppressed her smile and comforted him.

"That's true. First Elder, go back and tell your patriarch. If he can't bear to pay, he can also work for us to repay his debts," Leng Qingtian said very seriously. His tone and demeanor seemed to be thinking for the Lan family.

"Uh!" The First Elder's forehead was full of black lines. He was very speechless, and he couldn't help but grumble in his heart, What's wrong with you ordering us around? It's not enough with the two of us. You actually want the Patriarch to be your servant too!

"Grandpa, the patriarch of the Lan family would rather pay than come to our house to be a servant. That old man loves his pride!" Leng Ruoxue said very understandingly. In fact, she had been laughing in her heart for a long time. Hehe, Grandpa and the others had learned bad things. They didn't care when it came to teasing people!

"Oh! That's a pity," Leng Qingtian said with a regretful face.

"Yes! What a pity. I've never used the patriarch as a servant before!" Old Man Zao echoed.

"You..." The Third Elder was speechless. He really didn't know how these people's heads grew. They actually dared to have such thoughts. Alas! If the patriarch knew, he would definitely be angered to death!

"Little Third, follow me!" Old Man Zao said to the Third Elder with a smile.

However, the Third Elder still stood there without any reaction.

Old Man Zao patted the Third Elder's shoulder angrily and said with displeasure, "I'm talking to you. Are you pretending not to hear me?"

"Are you talking to me? Weren't you calling someone called Little Third? You didn't call for me!" The Third Elder said aggrievedly. Boohoo... Why were the people around Leng Ruoxue so unreasonable?

"I'm calling you! Aren't you the Third Elder? From now on, you'll be called Little Third around here!" Old Man Zao gave the Third Elder a name domineeringly and said without allowing him to refute.

"Erm... the name Little Third is really too unpleasant. Can we change to another one?" Third Elder discussed pitifully. His dignity would be lost if everyone in the Lan family heard him being called Little Third!

"No, Little Third is simple and easy to remember. This is it. In fact, you don't have to be angry. He will be called Little First!" Old Man Zao pointed at the First Elder and smiled cunningly.

"Little First? Me?" First Elder pointed at himself and asked. Could he be hallucinating?

"It's you. You'll be called Little First from now on!" Old Man Zao said with certainty.

"I don't want to be called Little First. You can call me First Elder!" Lan Hong objected. He firmly opposed this name!

"There's no First Elder here. You're just a servant of our family!" Old Man Zao reminded.

"Uh! Then you can call me Lan Hong. Anyway, I don't want to be called Little First!" The First Elder objected strongly.

"It's alright if you don't want to be called Little First," Leng Ruoxue said with a light smile, her bright eyes full of calculations.

"Uh! Lass, what are your conditions?" The First Elder said understandingly. Alas! This little girl had some rotten ideas again.

"Haha, look at all of us. There's definitely not enough with just you and the Third Elder as our servants! Isn't your Second Elder very free?" Leng Ruoxue asked with a smile.

"Yes, he's very free!" The Third Elder interrupted impatiently before the First Elder could answer.

"Then you can ask him for help! If he comes, you can repay more of your debts every day!" Leng Ruoxue enticed like a big gray wolf seducing Little Red Riding Hood.

"Lass, if we bring him here, can you not call me Little Third? However, I don't object to you calling him Little Second!" The Third Elder said very disloyally.

"No problem. You can get anyone in the Lan Family that you are not happy with to work to repay your debts!" Leng Ruoxue said with a naughty smile.

"Uh! Lass, will Lan Ning'er do?" The Third Elder asked carefully.

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"Her? No! I can't afford to use the most favored fifth daughter of the Lan family!" Leng Ruoxue didn't want to see that woman.

"..."

The First Elder and Third Elder were depressed when they heard Leng Ruoxue's words. They couldn't help but grumble in their hearts. You can't afford to use her, but you can afford to use us. What kind of logic is this!

"Alright, your job today is to follow them. Do whatever they ask you to do. Don't have any doubts! Otherwise, your monthly pay will be deducted." Leng Ruoxue ignored the conflicted and depressed expressions of the two old men and continued.

"Uh! You still want to deduct our monthly pay?" The First Elder couldn't help asking. Five hundred amethyst coins a month, what would be left if they deducted a little more? Moreover, this stingy girl was not going to provide any food and lodging. Wasn't she making them go hungry?

"Of course. In your Lan family, servants' pay has to be deducted if they make a mistake too! Such a rule is common everywhere!" Leng Ruoxue said understandingly.

"First Elder, let's go quickly!" The Third Elder couldn't help but suggest. They couldn't scheme against this little girl. Their pay might be deducted if they stayed any longer!

"Ah! Let's go, let's go quickly!" The First Elder hurriedly said after reacting. He didn't dare to stay any longer. Otherwise, who knew what this little girl would come up with again!

With that, the two old men disappeared into the living room.

"Haha!" Leng Ruoxue couldn't help laughing as she watched the First Elder and Third Elder run out of the living room.

"Hehe! Lass! These two old men are really too timid!" Old Man Zao said with a smile, in a very good mood.

"It's not that they are timid, but they have never seen people like you. No one in the Lan family dares to treat them like this at all," Lan Ming said with incomparable pity. He had been with Leng Ruoxue and the others for a long time and had already slowly adapted to their way of doing things. However, the First Elder and the Third Elder were obviously still unable to adapt!

"Don't worry, I'll let them understand us better," Old Man Zao promised while patting his chest.

"Uh! Can you not torment them too badly for my sake?" Lan Ming pleaded.

"Don't worry, don't worry. I'll show mercy." Old Man Zao left the living room after speaking.

"Ruoxue, I'm leaving too." Lin Liang greeted her and left.

"Everyone, disperse! I'm going to sleep for a while!" Leng Ruoxue dragged the freak back to her room.

After returning to her room, Leng Ruoxue brought the freak directly into the bracelet.

"Mommy!" A little red furball jumped directly into Leng Ruoxue's arms and whined when it saw her.

"Huo'er, you seem to have gained weight?" Leng Ruoxue looked at the chubby little guy in her arms and asked doubtfully.

"Mommy! I didn't grow fat!" Little Fire said aggrievedly with tears in its pink eyes.

"Haha, I told you you've gained weight!" Baby's voice sounded, and then a black furball jumped into Leng Ruoxue's arms.

"Baby, you seem to have gained weight too!" Leng Ruoxue said in surprise. Baby had not changed much since she knew Baby. However, she realized today that Baby seemed to have become rounder!

"Big Sister, you haven't cared about me for a long time, that's why you thought I was fat. Boohoo...
Actually, I've always had a standard figure!" Baby was also very aggrieved and choked up a little.

"Uh! I'm sorry! Baby, Big Sister has been too busy recently. Why don't Big Brother Freak come in to play with you every day!" Leng Ruoxue suggested.

"I don't want to!" The human and beast refused in unison, and they looked at Leng Ruoxue with fawning eyes.

"Objection overruled. It's settled!" Leng Ruoxue smiled evilly and sent Huo'er and Baby into the freak's arms. Then she said, "Freak, play with them for a while! I'll go concoct some pills!"

With that, Leng Ruoxue left the man and the two beasts and entered the purple bamboo hut!

"Xue'er!" the freak called out softly from behind Leng Ruoxue. Unfortunately, Leng Ruoxue ignored him. Boohoo... He didn't want to accompany these beasts that only knew how to compete for favor with him!

"Haha! In fact, Xue'er's beasts are quite cute!" Empty's voice sounded from behind the freak!

"If you like them, I'll leave them to you!" The freak hurriedly threw Baby into Empty's arms.

"Why didn't you give Huo'er to me?" Empty said in puzzlement.

"He's my son!" the freak said matter-of-factly. Huo'er called Xue'er Mommy and called him Daddy! Of course, he couldn't give it to others!

"Hehe, Daddy, Huo'er loves you and Mommy so much!" Huo'er acted coquettishly.

"Good! By the way, Empty, how are your injuries?" the freak asked with concern.

"Much better. However, it's impossible to completely heal my injuries unless..." Empty hesitated. He had long seen through it. He was already very satisfied that he could recover some strength after staying in this space for so long. How could he dare to hope for his injuries to recover completely!

"Do you need any rare herbs? There aren't any here?" the freak asked in puzzlement. He might not know much about herbs, but he knew very well that the herbs in Xue'er's space were already very complete. If Xue'er didn't have any, then it must be very rare!

"Yes, there isn't any here," Empty said indifferently. In all these years, saving Icy was his only wish. He had never thought about himself.

"There will always be hope if you live. You have to believe in miracles!" the freak comforted.

"Yes, as long as we are alive, nothing else is important!" Empty sighed in agreement.

The two of them chatted...

Leng Ruoxue saw the two of them chatting happily when she emerged from the purple bamboo hut after refining the pills. She didn't know what they were talking about!

Leng Ruoxue quietly came behind them and patted their shoulders mischievously. Then she teased, "What are you talking about? Don't tell me you're talking bad about me!"

"How did you know?" Empty raised his eyebrows in surprise.

"Xue'er, why would we say bad things about you!" the freak said aggrievedly, tears flashing in his bright starry eyes.

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"Hehe, I was joking." Two drops of cold sweat dripped down Leng Ruoxue's forehead. The freak was doing this again. It was really infuriating, but she just couldn't do anything to him! Alas! Was she destined to be eaten by the freak for the rest of her life?

"Xue'er, you've been in there for a long time. I missed you," the freak said softly as he hugged Leng Ruoxue's slender waist.

"I went to concoct pills!" Leng Ruoxue caressed his head like she was petting a puppy and comforted him.

"What pill did you concoct?" The freak was a little curious. In the past, Xue'er didn't mind letting him watch her concoct pills. However, she actually left him outside this time. Boohoo...

"Poison!" Leng Ruoxue said mysteriously.

"Uh! Who do you intend to poison?" the freak asked fearfully. Why did Xue'er like to concoct poison recently? This was not a good sign!

"Haha, you'll know when the time comes!" Leng Ruoxue kept him in suspense.

"Uh, as long as it's not for me, it doesn't matter who it is." The freak wiped the cold sweat off his forehead.

"Hehe, freak, why are you so cute? Of course not for you," Leng Ruoxue said with a naughty smile.

"You two are so mushy. Can you take note of your image? There are underage children here!" Empty couldn't take it anymore.

"Underage children? Do you mean you?" Leng Ruoxue deliberately said angrily.

"I've been an adult for many years. It's your son!" Empty pointed at Little Fire in the freak's arms.

"Huo'er is also an adult!" Leng Ruoxue said with a smile. As the spirit of heavenly materials and earthly treasures, Huo'er had lived for countless years. However, Huo'er's mind was still that of a child!

"Mommy! Huo'er has lived for a long time!" Huo'er said with a childish tone.

"Yes. By the way, what time is it now?" Leng Ruoxue asked.

"Xue'er, it's already night outside!" the freak said as he looked at the time.

"Oh, then let's go out quickly!" Leng Ruoxue said hurriedly. Then she left the bracelet with the freak!

After exiting the bracelet, the two of them came to the living room. Leng Ruoxue found that everyone seemed to be waiting for them. The First Elder and the Third Elder were so tired that they lay directly on the ground, panting non-stop!

Uh! How much work did these two old men do? Why were they so tired? Leng Ruoxue was full of doubts and puzzlement!

"Lass, you're here!" Old Man Zao said hurriedly when he saw them enter and kept winking at them!

"Uh! Yes! We overslept!" Leng Ruoxue said shyly.

"I say, little girl! We're as tired as a dead dog, but you're actually sleeping. Boohoo... You're really too much of a bully!" Third Elder complained with a long face.

"Is it that bad? Old Man Zao, didn't I tell you to arrange some easy work for them first?" Leng Ruoxue looked at Old Man Zao accusingly.

"Lass! The work I arranged for Little Hong is already very easy. Ask him if you don't believe me. Did I ask him to do any heavy work?" Old Man Zao said aggrievedly, so anxious that he looked like he was about to cry!

"Third Elder, say whatever grievance you have! Uh! Did Old Man Zao ask you to do a new job?" Leng Ruoxue asked doubtfully.

"He... doesn't seem to have asked me to do any heavy work. I'm just running errands non-stop. My old arms and legs are about to break from running here and there!" The Third Elder carefully recalled, but he couldn't think of what he had done today. The only thing he remembered was that he had never been idle at all. He kept spinning like a top!

"Lass, did you hear that? I really didn't ask him to do any heavy work. I listened to you very well. You said to let them adapt first. How could I dare not to listen!" Old Man Zao complained with an expression that said 'you've wronged me.

"Old Man Zao, I'm sorry. The third Elder is a newbie! You have to teach him slowly!" Leng Ruoxue hurriedly apologized with a rather sincere expression on her face!

"Got it. I'll train him well. He's just too pampered and lacks training!" Old Man Zao said understandingly.

"And what happened to you, First Elder?" Leng Ruoxue turned her skeptical gaze to the First Elder after settling the Third Elder's matter.

"I... I'm very tired, I don't want to talk!" First Elder stammered. Boohoo... How tragic! He had already decided that he had to get a few Lan family members to go through thick and thin with him tomorrow!

"Alas! I really don't want to tell you that you haven't cooked dinner seeing how tired you are!" Leng Ruoxue said awkwardly.

"What? Make dinner? Why do we have to make dinner?" Third Elder couldn't help shouting. Did he hear it right? This girl actually wanted them to make dinner. How could they know how to cook!

"Because you are our servants! So dinner is of course your job!" Leng Ruoxue said matter-of-factly.

"Aren't you staying in the inn now? You don't need us to cook at all!" Third Elder hurriedly said.

"In the past, it was because we didn't have anyone to serve us! Now that we have servants, who will still eat in the inn! Why don't you know how to save money!" Leng Ruoxue couldn't help criticizing. They might not spend money staying here, but they had to pay for their meals themselves.

"Uh!" Third Elder rolled his eyes in anger. 'Little girl, you're too stingy to even to save this small sum of money! You've already taken a lot of money from our Lan family!'

"Little girl! I'm impressed. How about this? In the future, you can have free food and lodging in all the guest shops of the Lan family, okay? Don't make us cook dinner anymore. We really can't take it anymore!" The First Elder begged. He was very sure now that these people were messing with them in different ways! Alas! He knew that he was still considered polite to them and had never offended them! How could they bully him like this! Boohoo...

"Really? Do the words of the First Elder count? Don't you need to discuss this with your Patriarch and the Elder Consortium? Do you have any evidence?" Leng Ruoxue asked uncertainly.

"Yes, I can decide. Ask the Third Elder if you don't believe me!" The First Elder also dragged the Third Elder into the water.

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"Yes, yes. We can decide!" The Third Elder said hurriedly.

"What about the proof?" Leng Ruoxue said with a smile.

"Uh! Lass, take this token. In the future, all the inns and lodging in the Lan family will be free of charge!" The First Elder pulled a token from his waist helplessly and handed it to Leng Ruoxue. He couldn't help muttering in his heart, Why was this little girl so shrewd! Alas! If their Lan family had such a descendant, would they still be afraid that the Lan family would not be prosperous forever?

"Then I won't stand on ceremony." Leng Ruoxue took the token and stored it in her ring.

"Lass, can we leave now?" The Third Elder couldn't help asking. They should be able to go home since the problem of dinner was resolved!

"Is there anything else you need these two servants to do?" Leng Ruoxue turned her gaze to everyone.

"Yes!"

"A lot!"

"Yes, I have something too!"

"I've been waiting for them all day..."

Everyone spoke at once. However, the heartbeat of the First Elder and Third Elder accelerated with every word they said. The two old men almost fainted when they were done speaking!

"I see! But they're both so tired today. I'll plead for them. Let them go back and rest early!" Leng Ruoxue pleaded.

"Alright! Then go back early today! Don't oversleep tomorrow. There's a pile of work waiting for you!" Leng Qingtian reminded them.

"Uh, okay!" The First Elder and Third Elder swallowed their anger and answered. Boohoo... They were so tired that they didn't even want to get up!

"Eh? Why aren't you leaving yet?" Leng Ruoxue asked in surprise when she saw that they were still lying motionlessly after a while.

"Lass, we can't walk anymore!" The First Elder said helplessly. Alas! He really wanted to cry!

"Oh! Then I'll get the shopkeeper to send you back!" Leng Ruoxue said thoughtfully.

"Hehe, little girl, you're so kind-hearted!" The Third Elder couldn't help but praise.

"Third Elder, I won't call him for nothing. You have to pay me," Leng Ruoxue reminded with a light smile.

"Uh!" The Third Elder was dumbfounded. His flattery was in vain. Moreover, he was kicked by a horse!

"Lass, forget it. I won't trouble you anymore. Let's go ourselves!" The First Elder propped himself up and said speechlessly. Alas! Tears were already flowing down his face. This girl was a vampire!

"Goodbye then. I won't see you out." Leng Ruoxue left the living room after speaking.

Everyone followed Leng Ruoxue, including Lan Ming.

"First Elder, they've all left. What should we do?" Third Elder said dumbfoundedly. These people were really fast! They left just like that. Boohoo... No one cared about them anymore.

"Let's... think of a way to return ourselves!" The First Elder sighed.

"First Elder, that little girl said she wants remuneration, so let's give it to her!" The Third Elder couldn't help complaining.

"No, that little girl is too cunning. I'm afraid I'll be tricked by her again!" The First Elder said very cautiously. He was really a little afraid of that girl now. He didn't dare to promise her anything easily at all!

"But it shouldn't cost much to get someone, right?" The Third Elder guessed. In fact, he was quite afraid too.

"It's definitely higher than our monthly salary!" The First Elder said with some lingering fear. If they really let that little girl call someone for them, they would probably have worked for nothing for the entire month. Moreover, he really didn't know how long he could last if he continued doing this!

"Then... then let's go by ourselves!" Third Elder said with some heartache. Boohoo... He was the Third Elder of the Lan family! How did he end up like this? He couldn't understand why they were abusing him like this!

"Okay, let's go!" With that, the two old men supported each other and left the living room to the guest hall!

When the shopkeeper saw the First Elder and Third Elder, he hurriedly ran to them and waited for instructions!

"Shopkeeper, prepare a car for us and send us back to the Lan family!" The Third Elder ordered weakly.

"Yes, please wait a moment, Elders!" The shopkeeper quickly replied and then turned to prepare the carriage. However, he couldn't help being puzzled. What happened to the First Elder and Third Elder? Why were they so tired?

After a while, the shopkeeper prepared the car and arranged for the waiter to help the two elders into the car. Then, he watched the two elders leave...

The next day, First Elder and Third Elder still arrived at the inn early. Their stamina had recovered after a night of rest!

"Elders, you look good today!" Leng Ruoxue praised when she walked into the living room and saw the First and Third Elders waiting there.

"Yes, yes, it's okay. Oh right, little girl, they are all the elders of our Elder Association. From today onwards, they are also your servants!" The Third Elder pointed at the dozen or so people standing not far away from them and said with a smile. Hmph! Want to see him and the First Elder make a fool of themselves? Dream on! Therefore, these people who wanted to gloat were brought here by him and the First Elder early this morning. This was called sharing difficulties together!

"What can they do?" Leng Ruoxue looked at the dozen people with some disdain. These people were eating with faces full of oil and brains full of fat. They seemed to be inferior to the two old men!

"You can let them do whatever you want. There's no need to be polite!" The First Elder said. One sentence determined their miserable days for the next few days! When he and the Third Elder returned home yesterday, they were still discussing who to get to help them repay their debts! They didn't expect a few people to take the initiative to come knocking on their door. In that case, why should he be polite! Moreover, he used his position for personal gain to get everyone from the Second Elder's side, except for the Second Elder who was pretending to be sick, of course!

"Oh, alright then!" Leng Ruoxue looked at the dozen people carefully from head to toe, the dissatisfaction on her face increasing...

"Why don't I see Little Second?" Leng Ruoxue asked with slight dissatisfaction after looking around.

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"Little Second isn't feeling well. I've already reported to the Patriarch to get someone to treat him," First Elder said. What he implied was that he would come after being cured!

"Oh! I see!" Leng Ruoxue nodded and then turned her gaze to Leng Qingtian and the others. "Grandpa, there are enough servants today. Pick any one of them and leave the rest to me!"

"Okay!" Leng Qingtian and the others nodded slightly and began to choose their servants very seriously...

After choosing for a long time, Leng Qingtian and the others each chose a servant with dissatisfaction. This time, there were a total of 13 Lan family elders including the First Elder and the Third Elder, so there were five left after Leng Qingtian and the others chose. These five naturally belonged to Leng Ruoxue and the freak.

"Lass, what should we do with the five of them? The two of you can't use so many, right?" Old Man Zao couldn't help asking. The meaning behind his words was obvious. He wanted another one.

"Didn't I give the Third Elder to you?" Leng Ruoxue said with a light smile.

"Ah! That's right! How did I forget Little Hong! Hehe! Look at my memory!" Old Man Zao patted his head in realization.

"Lass, do I still have to work today?" Third Elder asked aggrievedly. What he implied was that why did he have to work even though he had already brought more than ten people here!

"Of course you have to do it. However, you have subordinates today. You can instruct them to do any heavy work!" Leng Ruoxue said with a naughty smile.

"Uh! Okay, no problem!" The Third Elder nodded repeatedly. How could he have forgotten about this? It seemed like he could relax a little today.

"First Elder, follow my grandfather and Feng Jing today!" Leng Ruoxue looked at the First Elder and ordered.

"Okay," the First Elder said helplessly. Alas! How could he say no?

"Is one servant for each of you enough?" Leng Ruoxue turned her gaze to Zheng En and the others and asked.

"That's enough. They can't help much either!" Zheng En said with great dissatisfaction.

"Okay. As for the five of you, take care of my beasts!" Leng Ruoxue glanced at the five of them and said with a naughty smile.

The elders of the Lan family couldn't help looking at the five of them with envy and jealousy when they heard that they were taking care of the beasts. In their opinion, taking care of the beasts was the easiest job.

"Alright, go and work quickly!" Leng Ruoxue summoned a few beasts and said to the cute little beasts, "These five are your servants. You can order them whatever you want."

"Okay!" The beasts smiled mischievously and said happily.

"I'm going to catch up on some sleep." Leng Ruoxue left the living room with the freak after speaking!

"Let's go!" Old Man Zao said to his two servants.

Just like that, only the five elders of the Lan family and Leng Ruoxue's beasts were left in the living room after Leng Qingtian and the others took away their servants.

After seeing that everyone had left, the five elders each found a chair to sit down on, crossed their legs, drank tea like masters, and even called the shopkeeper to give them some food. As for Leng Ruoxue's cute little beasts, they automatically ignored them...

"Darling, looks like they don't care about us at all! What should we do now?" Dazzle asked softly.

"Let me think about it." Darling sat on the table, crossed its calves, and propped its chin in one hand as it pondered.

If they were to fight, they really did not have the confidence to defeat these old men. However, these old men were not their match in scheming.

"Rise, go find Master and ask her to let those violent birds out," Darling called Rise over and ordered softly.

"Okay," Rise replied. It turned to leave but was stopped.

"You're not allowed to go," Icy said lazily with its eyes closed.

"Uh!" Darling was stunned and puzzled.

"Do whatever you want. What are you afraid of with me around?" Icy said softly as it raised its eyelids.

"Alright then!" Darling said helplessly. At the same time, it was thinking, You should have said so earlier! If you said so earlier, why would it want to look for that violent bird!

"Should I still look for Master then?" Rise asked foolishly.

"Of course not. Come, do as I say!" Darling called a few beasts and whispered.

"Hehe, Darling, those five old men are really too annoying. We have to teach them a lesson," Dazzle said excitedly.

"Yes, they actually dared to look down on us!" Darling said furiously.

After making the arrangements, the beasts began to move according to their respective tasks.

"Fatty, come here and massage my shoulders!" Darling ordered from above as it sat on the table.

"Fatty? Are you calling me? Haha! You, a little beast pet, actually dare to order me around. You're really tired of living!" the fattest elder among the five said.

"What's wrong with ordering you? You're our servant now!" Darling said disdainfully. Hmph! It had always looked down on people who couldn't recognize it.

"Servant? Haha, this is too ridiculous. Can you afford to use us? We are the elders of the Lan family!" the fatty said with a face full of arrogance.

"You are an elder in the Lan family, but you are servants in front of us. Cut the crap and come work for me quickly. Otherwise, we'll serve you with the family law!" Darling threatened.

"Oh? Elders, these hairy beasts are actually threatening us. Tell me, what should we do?" The chubby elder said to the other four provocatively.

"Of course we have to teach these hairy beasts a lesson and let them know how powerful we are. Hmph! Our Lan family isn't to be trifled with," an elder said with a face full of disdain.

"Alright, let's teach these little beasts a lesson then," the chubby elder said resolutely.

"We are your masters, but you call us little beasts. You are obviously being disrespectful to your masters. Hmph! You must be punished!" Darling pretended to be angry. Hehe, actually, its main goal was to make them angry. This way, it would be justifiable to defame them!

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"Little bastard, let's see who will punish who." With that, the chubby elder pounced in the direction of Darling...

However, Darling was small and exquisite, and its body was very agile. How could it be caught easily by him? As for him, because he was too fat and his movements were slow, Darling easily left marks on its body, and the other beasts watching the commotion scratched him from time to time...

"What are you waiting for? Hurry up and help!" The chubby elder roared furiously. He was so angry! These damn beasts actually launched a sneak attack. It was really infuriating!

"Oh! Coming!" The other four people swarmed forward, wanting to help the fat elder catch Darling. However, the five of them collided and collapsed collectively on the ground instead...

"Pull the net!" Darling quickly reminded when it saw the opportunity. Hehe, it had thought of several plans with the goal of catching these damn old men!

"Okay!" The beasts each took a corner and got a huge fish net from somewhere. They then netted the five elders who were lying together like fishes...

The beasts exerted strength together and trapped the five elders in the fish net, hanging them on the roof beam...

After they were done, the beasts imitated the five of them. They crossed their legs, drank tea, and ate snacks while criticizing the five of them!

"Darling, that fattest one stinks! I don't know how long it's been since he showered! He stinks!" Dazzle complained while covering its little nose.

"Yes, these people stink. Charm, wash them up!" Darling said to Charm, which was not far away.

"Okay," Charm replied and then sealed the five people in the fish net in ice!

"Uh! Will they freeze to death? Then there won't be any fun!" Rise said worriedly.

"Don't worry, I know my limits," Charm said, a naughty smile flashing in its beautiful purple eyes.

"Alas! I thought I could have someone to serve me, but these five servants are really too disobedient!" Rise said with some regret, its face full of disappointment.

"Don't worry. They need training. We'll use them after training them!" Darling comforted.

"Alas! That's the only way," Rise said helplessly.

The few beasts felt a little sleepy after eating and chatting for a while, so they slept next to Icy! As for the five people on the roof beam, they were unfortunately forgotten by them!

It was already night time when they woke up.

"You're awake!" Leng Qingtian looked at the sleepy beasts on the recliner with a doting face.

"Uh! Master's grandfather, why are you here?" Darling asked a little foolishly, its silver eyes noticing that there were many people in the living room!

"Darling, did you sleep too much? It's already nighttime," Leng Qingtian reminded helplessly.

"Ah! It's already nighttime!" Darling scratched its fluffy little head shyly and said in surprise.

"Yes! By the way, where are the five servants serving you?" Leng Qingtian asked curiously. They had only seen these little beasts sleeping alone in the living room after coming back for so long. However, the servants who were supposed to be serving them were gone. They couldn't help but feel a little angry! Hmph! How dare they find chances to laze around!

"Servants? Ah! On top?" Darling pointed to the top of the living room with its little paw.

"Uh! Darling, what happened to them?" Leng Qingtian looked in the direction Darling was pointing. He wouldn't have known if he hadn't seen them, but he was shocked when he saw them! The five of them were actually hung on the roof beam and frozen into ice! Uh! It was really too tragic!

"They called us hairy beasts, so we punished them," Darling said calmly as if it was talking about something trivial.

"Eh? These people can still move. How magical!" Old Man Zao exclaimed after looking at them for a while.

"Hehe, of course they can," Charm said proudly.

"Charm! Well done," Old Man Zao praised.

"Hehe!" Charm smiled proudly.

"By the way, where's Xue'er?" Leng Qingtian asked.

"Grandpa, I'm here!" Leng Ruoxue's voice sounded from behind everyone. Hehe, she came after intense calculation.

"Ruoxue, I want to complain!" First Elder Feng was the first to speak with a displeased face.

"Uh! What's the matter?" Leng Ruoxue asked in puzzlement, her face full of puzzlement!

"I have a disobedient servant! He won't do anything I ask him to do," First Elder Feng complained aggrievedly.

"Xue'er, Grandpa's too!" Leng Qingtian also said. That person could be more well-behaved when the First Elder was around. However, after the First Elder left, the servant put on airs and even ordered him, his master!

"Is this true for all of you?" Leng Ruoxue asked after looking around.

"Yes! Yes." Everyone encountered the same situation except for Old Man Zao.

"Master, not only did the servants who served us not work well, they even scolded us!" Darling's silver eyes welled up with tears as it complained aggrievedly.

"Darling, be good, don't cry! From tomorrow onwards, Master will teach them personally. I promise to teach them to be obedient!" Leng Ruoxue promised.

"Yes, yes." Darling nodded happily and rubbed Leng Ruoxue's body coquettishly.

"Grandpa, there's no medicinal herb exchange tomorrow anyway. Let these people undergo special training collectively!" Leng Ruoxue looked at Leng Qingtian.

"Okay, Xue'er, Grandpa has the same idea," Leng Qingtian agreed.

"First Elder, Third Elder, in view of their performance today..." Leng Ruoxue deliberately said half a sentence.

"Uh! What do you want?" First Elder asked fearfully. What he was most afraid of now was that Leng Ruoxue would think of ways to earn money from him again!

"Their performance at work is not good, so not only would your pay be deducted, you also have to be fined!" Leng Ruoxue said with a friendly smile.

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"Fine? How much? Will you fine only them?" The First Elder asked several questions in a row. He was very scared when he heard that he would be fined, afraid that he would be implicated by those people!

"Master, we request compensation for mental damage. They call us hairy beasts." Darling pointed at the five people on the roof beam.

"No problem." Leng Ruoxue was very protective. Hmph! How dare you bully my beasts. How can I not skin you alive!

"First Elder, you heard it too, right? My beasts were hurt mentally, so..." Leng Ruoxue deliberately didn't finish speaking.

"Little girl! This has nothing to do with me!" The First Elder wiped the cold sweat off his forehead and wanted to cry but had no tears. Boohoo... Why was he so unlucky? Was he going to be implicated again?

"I know it's not your fault, so don't be scared. You won't be implicated." Leng Ruoxue suppressed her smile and comforted him.

"Oh, that's good, that's good." The First Elder was finally at ease. Boohoo... It was good as long as he didn't ask him to take money anymore.

"First Elder, for your sake, I'll only take one portion from them. Since they are all elders, the price for mental damage will be one billion per elder," Leng Ruoxue said very readily.

"Uh!" The First Elder was stunned. What did she mean by only taking one portion? Everyone had already received a billion yuan. How much more did this girl want?

The five elders, who were frozen in the fishnet, could still hear the conversation between Leng Ruoxue and the others even though they were frozen. Therefore, their reactions after hearing it could be said to be relatively intense. They even used their heads to hit the ice, but it was useless!

Leng Ruoxue couldn't help but snicker in her heart after seeing the reactions of the people on the roof beam from the corner of her eye. Hmph! Serves you right! This is only the first step since you dare bully my beasts!

"First Elder, do you have any objections to the mental damage compensation they need?" Leng Ruoxue asked with a spurious smile.

"No, I have no objections!" The First Elder hurriedly said. It was fine as long as they didn't ask him for money. He couldn't be bothered with others!

"Hehe, it's settled then. First Elder, go back early today. Remember, special training will begin tomorrow! Don't be late!" Leng Ruoxue reminded them with a smile. The expression on her face was as kind as possible. Moreover, she was the first to leave the living room after speaking, and the others followed closely behind.

"Uh! Alright then!" The First Elder braced himself. For some reason, he actually had a very bad feeling, as if someone was going to be unlucky. Boohoo... What was going on?

However, he didn't have time to think too much as he watched Leng Ruoxue chase them away. He could only slip away ashenly from the living room with the elders of the Lan family. He only remembered that there were five people on the beam after the Third Elder reminded him when he walked to the door of the inn. Therefore, he returned with the Third Elder and took the big ice block off the beam before returning to the Lan family.

In the living room.

Leng Ruoxue and the others returned after the First Elder and the others left.

"Hehe, lass, how do you intend to train those arrogant old men tomorrow?" Old Man Zao asked curiously.

"This is a training plan I came up with during the day. Take a look." Leng Ruoxue took out a few pieces of paper and handed them to Leng Qingtian and the others. In fact, she had long thought that the elders would not listen obediently, so after leaving the living room in the morning, she returned to the bracelet to draft a special training plan. These plans were the fruits of the combined wisdom of her, the freak, Empty, and the beasts in the bracelet! They would definitely be able to torment those elders half to death!

Leng Qingtian and the others took the papers and looked at them carefully. Immediately, they broke out in cold sweat and were speechless for a long time after reading them...

"Uh! Lass, this plan is really good!" After a while, Old Man Zao wiped the cold sweat off his forehead and said fearfully, 'Oh my god! How did this girl think of it! It's really too terrifying!'

"Okay, as long as you're satisfied. Old Man Zao, go find the shopkeeper with Grandpa Lin. My plan needs his cooperation!" Leng Ruoxue said to the two of them with a smile.

"Ruoxue, will the shopkeeper agree? Those people are the elders of the Lan family!" Lin Liang asked uncertainty. He didn't think the shopkeeper would dare to cooperate with them to deal with these Lan family elders.

"Don't worry, he will be happy to cooperate with us," Leng Ruoxue said confidently. She was very confident about this!

"Alright, let's go find him." With that, Lin Liang and Old Man Zao left the living room and went to the hall downstairs to look for the shopkeeper.

After Lin Liang and Old Man Zao arrived at the hall, they found the shopkeeper and explained their intentions. Then they handed the training plan to the shopkeeper...

The shopkeeper opened the few pieces of paper and looked at them. Cold sweat broke out on his forehead and his heart was racing. After a while, he said, "Erm..."

The shopkeeper was so scared and anxious that he couldn't even finish his sentence.

"Don't worry. We understand what you mean. You will cooperate with us. We know. Hehe! Thank you. We'll go back to our rooms to prepare." Old Man Zao didn't give the shopkeeper a chance to speak at all. He pulled Lin Liang away from the hall and returned to his room.

The shopkeeper, who was standing alone at the front desk, shook his head and nodded. The others in the hall were puzzled and wondered if he was mentally abnormal!

"Shopkeeper, what happened to you?" A waiter couldn't help coming forward to wake the shopkeeper up from his daze and asked in puzzlement.

"Uh! It's okay. I'll leave for a while," the shopkeeper said to the waiter and then hurriedly left the inn.

The shopkeeper headed straight for the Lan family after leaving the inn.

In the Lan family mansion.

In Lan Tao's study.

"Patriarch, First Elder and the others have returned," Fifth Elder reported.

"Oh, is there anything today?" Lan Tao, who was sitting behind the desk, looked up and asked casually.

"Erm... Five elders offended Leng Ruoxue's beasts and were asked by Leng Ruoxue to compensate each person with a mental damage compensation of one billion purple coins!" The fifth elder gloated. Hehe, he was really too happy to see those people bleeding profusely!

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"Oh! Alas! Why does this girl earn more money than me! I'm really impressed by her!" Lan Tao said helplessly. Leng Ruoxue was really too similar to him in certain aspects.

"Patriarch, the fifth young miss and the guards of our Lan family are still in Leng Ruoxue's hands? Where should we pay for this?" the fifth elder asked carefully. He knew that the patriarch was currently in pain over this matter! However, he couldn't not remind the patriarch. After all, the patriarch had already agreed!

"Didn't the elders of our Lan family go to work for her? Let's use them to repay the debt!" Lan Tao said matter-of-factly.

"Uh!" The Fifth Elder was a little speechless. So the patriarch didn't intend to fork out this sum of money at all! No wonder the time limit that the fire phoenix gave the patriarch was already up, but the patriarch didn't seem to be anxious!

"Patriarch, the wages of those elders are too low. I'm afraid they won't be able to repay Leng Ruoxue's debts even if they work for her for a lifetime. Moreover, Leng Ruoxue doesn't provide food, so..." The Fifth Elder reminded, but he was interrupted by Lan Tao before he could finish speaking!

"They can come back to the Lan family to eat!" Lan Tao said nonchalantly.

"Uh, that's true." Two drops of cold sweat dripped down the Fifth Elder's forehead as he echoed.

"Patriarch, the inn's manager requests an audience!" At this moment, a guard's voice sounded from outside the study.

"Let him in!" Lan Tao said, but he was muttering in his heart. Why was he here so late?

"Greetings, patriarch and fifth elder." The shopkeeper bowed respectfully after entering the study and then stood in front of Lan Tao anxiously.

"Just say it!" Lan Tao said.

"Yes, Patriarch. I find it really difficult to speak about this..." The shopkeeper was in a difficult position. Boohoo... Would the patriarch blame him after he said it?

"Say it if you have something to say. Spit it out if you have it. Stop wasting time!" the patriarch roared a little roughly.

"Ah! Yes, Patriarch. Take a look at this and you will understand." The shopkeeper directly placed the few pieces of paper he had been holding in front of Lan Tao.

"What is this?" Lan Tao opened the pieces of paper doubtfully. His expression became more serious the more he read...

The shopkeeper and the Fifth Elder carefully observed Lan Tao's expression from the side. They saw that his face alternated between green, white, and black. It was almost a color palette!

After a long while, Lan Tao read through all the plans and was silent for a while. Finally, he said, "This plan is not bad. Let's do as it says!"

"Huh?" The shopkeeper thought he heard it wrong and couldn't help looking at Lan Tao in puzzlement.

"I said do as it says. From tomorrow onwards, give the waiters in your shop a break. Let the elders do all the work in the shop, including cleaning the toilet!" Lan Tao said loudly.

"Patriarch, what can those elders do?" the shopkeeper said fearfully. Alas! Aren't they causing trouble for me!

"It's precisely because they don't know how to do it that they have to learn it! If they can do anything, why train them?" Lan Tao asked in displeasure.

"But... what if they don't do well?" The shopkeeper was a little worried. Those people were all elders! He, a mere shopkeeper, didn't dare to care!

"Tell them. Tell them what I said. If they don't do well, don't give them food. If they break anything, they have to pay double the compensation," Lan Tao said with a naughty smile.

"Okay then!" the shopkeeper replied. Since the patriarch said so, what was there to be afraid of?! The patriarch would naturally support him if anything happened! Therefore, he was more confident!

"Fifth Elder, send the Second Elder to Leng Ruoxue tomorrow," Lan Tao said after some thought.

"Patriarch, isn't the Second Elder sick?" The Fifth Elder said helplessly. The Second Elder had been pretending to be sick for a day. He was still complaining about the pain just now!

"Sick? You have to send him to me even if he's about to die!" Lan Tao said nonchalantly.

"Yes, Patriarch." The Fifth Elder was so happy! Hehe, let him pretend to be sick. He had nothing to say now, right?

"Patriarch, I'll take my leave first!" The shopkeeper said, seeing that the matter was resolved.

"Okay, go down! Oh right, try to satisfy Leng Ruoxue if she has any additional requests!" Lan Tao reminded.

"Yes, I understand," the shopkeeper replied and left Lan Tao's study with the Fifth Elder!

"Fifth Elder, why does the patriarch treat Leng Ruoxue so differently?" the shopkeeper couldn't help asking curiously on the way out of Lan Tao's study.

"Don't ask what you shouldn't ask. Just do what you have to do!" the Fifth Elder said with a serious face.

"Yes," the shopkeeper quickly replied. Then he bowed to the Fifth Elder and quickly strode out of the Lan family mansion...

The next morning.

The First Elder and the Third Elder led the elders of the Lan family to the inn early to prepare for the socalled special training. As for the Second Elder, they naturally brought him here even though he was being carried in!

Leng Ruoxue and the others saw the Second Elder lying on the stretcher as soon as they entered the living room.

"Yo, Little Second is here today!" Old Man Zao looked at the bald Second Elder and teased.

"Hmph!" The Second Elder snorted and turned his head to the side, ignoring Old Man Zao!

"Little Second, it's not good for you to keep people at a distance! Alas! I originally thought that you were a patient and wanted to arrange a more relaxed job for you! However, forget it since you don't appreciate it! I'm too lazy to be sentimental!" Old Man Zao sighed with a sad expression on his face.

Boohoo... His good intentions were actually being treated as ill intent!

"Uh! Old Man Zao, arrange something more relaxing for me! My performance these two days was pretty good, right?" Third Elder said ingratiatingly.

"Yes, yes. Don't worry, you're doing very well!" Old Man Zao patted the Third Elder on the shoulder like they were good brothers.

"Oh, is that so?" Third Elder asked curiously. In fact, he was a little uncertain about what this Old Man Zao was saying. He was very afraid that there was some undercurrent, so it was better to ask clearly.

"Don't worry! It's your and the First Elder's turn after arranging their work." Old Man Zao kept the Third Elder in suspense, wanting to make him anxious.