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Chapter 251: Lick Up The Dirty Water!

“Whoosh!”

The sound of running water could be heard.

“Ah!”

There was a piercing scream.

Gu Yuanyuan clapped her hands smugly. The expensive jewelry on her wrist clattered.

When she splashed water on her, she was furious.

How was it satisfying to just splash water on Gu Qiqi?

Thus, she splashed water on her and threw the basin as well.

It would be best if he could smash Gu Qiqi until she fell down. Only then would it be satisfying.

However...

That’s not right!

Gu Qiqi was still walking into the main hall lightly and wasn’t affected at all.

On the other hand, Gu Xuexue—who was sitting in a wheelchair—was drenched from head to toe.

Her head was wrapped in bandages and her face was hanging awkwardly!

It was as funny as it could be.

“Sister Yuan, quickly help me take the bandages off. Wuwuwu... It hurts! It’s so cold!”

Gu Xuexue had a long face.

Why was she so unlucky? That water was clearly thrown at Gu Qiqi, and the basin was also thrown at Gu Qiqi. Gu Qiqi didn’t have eyes behind her back, so how did she dodge so quickly?

Furthermore, for some reason, the wheelchair suddenly moved and became the target of the attack!

What a tragic disaster.

Gu Yuanyuan was so angry that her face turned green. “Gu Qiqi, stop right there! Who gave you the courage to avoid me?! Come back here and lick the dirty water on the floor clean!”

Lick it clean?

Gu Qiqi stopped in her tracks and smiled.

As if she had heard the biggest joke of the year, the corners of her lips curved up and she said word by word, “Gu Yuanyuan, it turns out that you’re not only a dog blocking the way, but also a dog licking the ground. Since you like to lick so much, you can slowly lick it yourself.”

As she spoke, she laughed lightly and entered the main hall without looking back.

Gu Yuanyuan was exasperated. She chased after her in her high heels. "Who allowed you to enter?! You're not allowed to go! What right do you have to enter my house, you country bumpkin? Ah—!"

Before he could catch up to Gu Qiqi...

Gu Yuanyuan slipped and her body fell forward uncontrollably!

Her chin knocked against the puddle of water that she had splashed out just now. She could clearly hear the sound of her bones breaking!

"Wuwuwu, it hurts..."

She wanted to cry out in pain, but she couldn't say it out loud. Instead, she accidentally took a gulp of dirty water.

How dirty!

How smelly!

She was so disgusted that tears rolled down her face.

Wasn't it supposed to be that country girl Gu Qiqi who should lick dirty water?

Why? Why was it her in the end?

Between the crack in the green bricks and stones that no one noticed, the little dirty turtle slowly caught up with Gu Qiqi's footsteps and said with a wicked smile, "Master, it's so satisfying! Someone's eating shit!"

Gu Qiqi raised her eyebrows lightly. "I'm just asking her to fulfill her words and lick the dirt. How is it as serious as you say?"

"No, Master. Gu Yuanyuan really ate... shit!"

"Yes?"

"I initially planned to execute your orders and trip her up. But seeing how ugly she was, I got angry and decided to place turtle dung there so that she would slip on her feet... Heh heh, who knew that she would slip and even gnaw on it..."

Gu Qiqi was speechless.

She didn't want to admit that she raised this scheming and evil pet.

People would say that it was like her.

The person and pet communicated silently.

Little did she know that this scene had fallen into the eyes of the man standing against the wind at the end of the corridor in the courtyard.

Chu Junmo was dressed in a sky-blue long gown. He had a cold look on his face. His hands were crossed as he quietly watched Gu Qiqi take care of those two girls.

Secretary Jiao sighed behind him. "Old Master Gu has been honest and knowledgeable all his life, but Young Lady Qiqi is so scheming and cunning. She really doesn't look like Old Master's granddaughter..."

Chu Junmo said lightly, "You forgot that she's a top student too."

Secretary Jiao stuck out his tongue. Oh no, he had forgotten the CEO's favoritism towards this Young Lady Qiqi.

She hurriedly tried to salvage the situation. "CEO, let's go and say hi then? It's been a long time since we last met in Qing Cheng!"

Honestly speaking, he suspected that Young Lady Qiqi still remembered this big chairman.

Chu Junmo squinted his long and narrow dark eyes.

Chapter 252: Slowly Walking Into Her World

"There's no hurry."

Chu Junmo caressed his wristwatch and said in a low voice.

He could tell that Gu Qiqi was in a hurry. She seemed to be in a hurry to meet someone.

He really wanted to stop her and say goodbye.

But this clearly wasn't a good time.

Fortunately, her future was bright.

She had just graduated from high school and was still young.

He shouldn't scare her.

He still had patience and time to slowly... enter her world.

His long and narrow phoenix-shaped eyes stared intently at Gu Qiqi's back until that petite figure could no longer be seen, and only left behind a faint fragrance.

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Gu Qiqi ignored the screams of Gu Yuanyuan and Gu Xuexue. She went straight into the hall and went straight to Old Master Gu's study.

"Little Qi!"

An old voice called out in pleasant surprise.

"Grandpa!"

Gu Qiqi's nose stung and she choked on her words.

The grandfather and grandson were very excited to meet her.

The old master pushed all the snacks, tea, and fruits on the study table towards Gu Qiqi. “Little girl Qiqi, you’re here so soon? Did you catch the plane?”

“Yes!”

Number One was also considered a plane, right?

She wasn’t lying.

“The plane meals taste terrible. Come, drink tea and eat fruits! Later, I’ll get Auntie Qiu to prepare your favorite supper!”

“Grandpa, I’m not a child anymore...” Gu Qiqi laughed through her tears. She hadn’t seen her grandfather for so many years. Did her grandfather still think that she was three years old?

“Hmph! In the eyes of an old man, you’ll always be the little one!”

The contrast when the stern Old Master Gu said such words was really big.

Gu Qiqi laughed until she was about to cry.

She definitely didn’t believe that such a cheerful and energetic old man would suddenly become weak and collapse in the study room without even a chance to call for help.

There must be something fishy about the cause of her grandfather’s death in her previous life!

As she was thinking about it, she heard an affectionate call. “Sister!”

Gu Qiqi looked up and saw Xiaobei—who was dressed in a white shirt—standing at the door with a cane.

She stopped breathing. The worries in her heart finally had a place to rest.

She moved forward and hugged Xiaobei lightly!

She thought that after today’s parting, she would have a lot to say to Xiaobei. But when they really met, she realized what it meant to be speechless!

The words were stuck in her throat and she couldn’t say them out loud!

She hugged him and patted his back lightly to feel his real existence.

“Sister... I listened to you. Really! I’ve always been by Grandfather’s side and didn’t run around... Sister, don’t be angry at me, okay?” Xiaobei said uneasily.

Gu Qiqi took a deep breath and rubbed her red eyes. “I’m not angry. I just feel too guilty for not taking good care of you. I should have picked you up from the nursing home early in the morning and brought you along with me... But it’s fine this time. Come with me later...”

The siblings spoke affectionately.

Old Master Gu was unhappy to be ignored.

He knocked his tea bowl twice on the table and coughed twice. "Ahem! Where are you going? This is your home. You live here!"

Gu Qiqi knew that her grandfather's heart ached for them.

But...

Gu Yuanyuan and Gu Xuexue's attitude just now shouldn't be just a spur of the moment. There was actually someone supporting them from behind, right?

Did the entire Gu family really welcome the siblings and tolerate them?

"Grandpa, Xiaobei's eyes have to be checked, maintained, and treated every day in a professional hospital. Otherwise, it's very easy for them to get infected. I've already thought about it. I'll arrange a ward for him in an affiliated hospital at Imperial Medical University so that it's convenient to take care of him nearby..."

Gu Qiqi knew that she definitely couldn't tell her grandfather that there was someone in this family who didn't welcome her.

That way, the upright grandfather would only think that she was spreading rumors.

Although she was her grandfather's biological granddaughter, Gu Meifeng was still his biological daughter!

Chapter 253: Let Chu Junmo Take Care of Her

Gu Qiqi thought of this complicated relationship.

Her eyes darkened.

Forget it. Why don't we talk about Xiaobei's illness? This reason was very sufficient and it wouldn't cause Grandpa to be in a dilemma.

But she didn't expect that...

Her carefully thought-out excuse was overturned by the Old Master in a second.

"There's no need! Little Mozi from the Chu family came over today and sent over their family's precious Chinese medicine formula. It's specially used to treat eye injuries. I want to let Xiaobei try it at home!"

The Chu family was a century-old pharmaceutical family.

The Chu family's secret recipe could be considered a priceless treasure!

Grandpa actually begged the Chu family's prescription for Xiaobei!

It had to be known that her grandfather was a great scholar. He was very noble and never begged people easily.

Gu Qiqi's eyes reddened.

Grandpa really remembered her and Xiaobei. He loved and protected them more than she thought.

“So, Qiqi, you and Xiaobei should stay behind. Xiaobei can focus on his treatment. You can go to university in peace. This is your home!”

Old Master Gu’s sonorous and powerful voice was filled with warmth.

However...

In the very next second.

An old but arrogant voice traveled from outside the door. “Gu Qiqi is a jinx. She caused Qiushan to go to jail so why even let her in? Old man, I think you’re getting more confused the more you live. Have you gone senile?!”

Grandma?

Gu Qiqi frowned.

In her previous life, Grandma had never liked her and Xiaobei.

It seemed that nothing had changed in this lifetime...

With Gu Meifeng’s support, Old Madam Gu walked into the study room.

Gu Yuanyuan and Gu Xuexue’s wheelchair followed behind.

Gu Xuexue changed out of her wet clothes. Gu Yuanyuan tolerated the pain in her chin.

But when she saw Gu Qiqi’s bright little face, Gu Yuanyuan felt that she was so angry that her chin was about to fall off!

This countryside girl also dared to stay at her house?!

“Grandma is right. Gu Qiqi’s heart is extremely vicious. Just now, she threw a tantrum and fought as soon as she entered the house. She injured Xuexue and me. This kind of country bumpkin living in our Gu family is bad luck! It’s our shame!” Gu Yuanyuan placed her hands on her hips. She was the first to complain about this villain.

Gu Xuexue pretended to be weak and kept wiping her tears without saying a word.

But that coquettish look on her face really gave people the illusion that she had been bullied badly by Gu Qiqi.

“Shut up. You have no right to interrupt an adult’s discussion.” Old Master Gu pulled a long face and reprimanded Gu Yuanyuan.

“Heh heh, then I have the right to speak, right? Old man, since you’re so protective of this girl, then live well with her. I’ll move out!” Old Madam Gu used her trump card.

She didn’t believe that Old Master Gu would have the cheek to drive her away for a brat. They had been married for so long.

Indeed, Old Master Gu was in a difficult position. “Qiqi is unfamiliar with the Imperial Capital. Where do you want her to stay?”

“Stay in school!”

“But school hasn’t started yet.”

“Then let’s stay in a hotel!”

“How can that kind of place be safe? She’s a girl...”

“I don’t care! It’s either me or her!”

When Old Madam Gu became difficult to deal with, she was simply the best.

Gu Meifeng secretly laughed. She was pleased that she had invited the right reinforcements!

Hmph! Gu Qiqi, do you think that you can stay behind just because you’re hugging Grandpa’s thigh? Dream on!

Old Master was in a dilemma and sighed. Why couldn’t his family tolerate this good girl Qiqi?

While feeling depressed, an idea suddenly flashed across his mind.

That’s right. There was someone who could take care of Qiqi for the time being.

That child wasn’t bad.

“Xiao Qiu, quickly go and see if the Chu family’s Little Mo Zi has left. Ask him to hold on. Tell him that I have something to ask of him!”

Chapter 254: Punishing Qiqi With Family Law

Upon receiving Old Master’s orders, Xiao Qiu immediately ran to chase after Chu Junmo.

But she was still a step too late.

“Old Master, Young Master Chu has already left. But before he left, he had already instructed the kitchen to prepare the medicine for Young Master Xiaobei.”

Old Master Gu sighed.

Little Mozi was a good person and did his best to treat Xiaobei’s illness.

“This child... He left too quickly. Otherwise, I can still entrust him to take care of Qiqi and let Qiqi stay in the Chu family’s pharmacy. At the same time, she can also learn some knowledge.”

Forget it. He would call Little Mozi later.

“Grandpa, who is Little Mozi?”

Gu Qiqi, who had been silent all this while, couldn’t help but ask when she heard that her grandfather was looking for someone to take care of her.

“He was a student from my early years. He studied under me for a period of time and can be considered as my last disciple. However, you were young back then and might not remember. But it’s fine. You’ll have the chance to meet often in the future...”

While Old Master was speaking, a cold laugh interrupted him.

“Old man, you’re really old and stupid! You didn’t even think about introducing a talent like Young Master Chu to Yuanyuan and Xuexue, but you actually wanted to let him meet this moron without a mother! Her mother had a short life. Her brother will probably die young and she must have a short life as well. Aren’t you afraid of letting down the Chu family’s third-generation by introducing such a jinx to the Chu family?!”

The old lady laughed coldly. She looked down on Gu Qiqi from the bottom of her heart.

Gu Qiqi knew in her heart that Grandma didn’t like her dead mother, and she also didn’t like her and her younger brother. Back then, when she was punished to kneel in the ancestral hall, it was actually Grandma and Gu Qiushan who made the decision together.

But she really couldn’t tolerate him pointing at her nose and scolding her mother for having a short life!

“Grandma, if you’re so worried about other people’s family’s third generation single heirloom, why don’t you marry Gu Yuanyuan and Gu Xuexue over? The probability of giving birth to a son will be doubled. How about just send anyone over who can have a son for the Chu family? Wouldn’t that be good? As for me, I’m really not interested in such a family. Grandma doesn’t have to consider me.” Gu Qiqi said lightly.

Gu Yuanyuan was quite happy when she heard this at first. Who was Chu Junmo?

He was the boss of the Imperial Capital’s pharmaceutical world and the chairman of a listed company.

He was rich and handsome. He also had a refined look that was different from ordinary businessmen.

How beautiful!

Of course, she was willing to marry him!

But... what? She asked her and Gu Xuexue to marry him together? And for her to have a son?

Was Gu Qiqi mocking her?

She immediately became furious. “What are you saying?! You’re actually so presumptuous in front of Grandma! You’re really a country bumpkin who doesn’t know the rules! You’re already thinking of marrying others off and having sons at such a young age. Do you have any shame?”

Gu Qiqi laughed sarcastically. “Heh heh, I think it was Grandma who said that she wanted sons in the beginning, right? Are you saying that Grandma is shameless?”

This was great. She had kicked the hornet’s nest.

Old Madam Gu was furious. “You rude girl. You dare to scold me?”

Gu Meifeng fanned the flames. “Mom, she’s used to being ill-mannered like this in Qing Cheng. No matter how patiently Brother Qiushan and I teach her, it won’t work. We wanted her to keep a low profile and give the impression of a well-mannered young lady. However, she just doesn’t return home at night and goes around seducing men. Didn’t you see the news on the Internet previously? She’s been taken care of by an old man...”

Gu Xuexue was even more unwilling to fall behind. "Grandma, sister has always been arrogant at home. Don't be angry. Why don't you give in to her?"

Old Madam Gu exploded. "Give in to her?!"

Gu Yuanyuan slammed the table. "Butler Zhao, drive her out. Look at how angry she has made Grandma!"

Old Madam Gu pulled a long face. "Chase her out? How can it be that easy? Who gave her the courage to act so impolitely in front of me? Today, I will use the family laws to let her have a taste. She doesn't know her place!"

Family law?

Upon hearing Old Madam Gu's words, everyone's hearts skipped a beat.

In the Gu family's tradition, many of the rules followed the big family rules from the old days.

Their family law included physical punishment!

In Gu Qiqi's case, her punishment would be getting whipped by a sturdy hundred-year-old vine. It would definitely split open her skin and flesh!

Was the old lady going to use this to punish Gu Qiqi?

Chapter 255: Master Didn't Have The Habit of Waiting For Others

Using the Centennial Old Vine to whip Gu Qiqi?

Old Master Gu was the first to object. "No! I don't agree! Do you still treat me as the family head? How presumptuous!"

Qiqi was a stubborn child, but she wasn't going to be punished by the family law.

If that vine landed on her, forget about the laceration of skin and flesh, if it accidentally struck her face... it would be ruined!

Old Matriarch snorted coldly. "Old man, no one said that you aren't the family head. But the family rules are written in black and white. Outside the family, the title deed to the Tian Residence, the smell of ink, books, and the salary are all yours to manage. But this matter of the inner residence is mine to manage! I still have this bit of authority to discipline an unruly granddaughter, right?!"

Although Old Madam's words were unpleasant, there was nothing wrong with them.

Although the old master was very unwilling, he couldn't refute her at this moment.

Coupled with Gu Meifeng, Gu Yuanyuan, and Gu Xuexue quarreling non-stop, he had a splitting headache.

Butler Zhao quickly found the thick vines.

Just now, he had been reprimanded by Gu Qiqi at the door until his face flushed red. Now, he was waiting to see Gu Qiqi get beaten to relieve the hatred in his heart.

“Old Zhao, you execute it!”

Old Madam seemed to have seen through Steward Zhao’s thoughts and gave the order.

Steward Zhao smiled insincerely and raised the vine. “Young Lady Qiqi, please kneel down and accept your punishment!”

Gu Qiqi raised her small face and looked at him coldly.

It was really ridiculous.

In her previous life, she was punished to kneel in the ancestral hall. In this life, she was punished to be whipped by the vines.

The Gu family in the Imperial Capital was really incompatible with her. Once she stepped into this house, she would suffer a calamity.

“You’re not allowed to hit my sister! My sister didn’t do anything wrong! You... You’re too unreasonable!” Gu Xiaobei was anxious. He couldn’t see, so he fumbled forward and tried to stop them.

Gu Yuanyuan, who was standing behind Gu Qiqi, was already tired of waiting. She pushed Gu Xiaobei to the side and kicked him forward with her high heels. “I told you to kneel down and receive punishment. Didn’t you hear me?”

Just as she was about to kick her and take revenge for that fall just now...

She didn’t expect to miss!

She didn’t even see how Gu Qiqi moved. Anyway, she shifted her position in that instant. In the end, she lost her balance and fell to the ground.

How could Steward Zhao have expected such a change? The vine in his hand fell just in time and landed on Gu Yuanyuan’s buttocks!

“Ouch!”

Gu Yuanyuan was given a solid beating!

But Gu Qiqi was still standing coolly by Old Master Gu’s side. She was holding onto Gu Xiaobei and was unharmed.

What a joke! I’m not stupid. Am I going to wait for a beating on the spot?

The scene became even more chaotic.

“Yuanyuan, how are you?”

“Grandma, I knew that she was extremely cunning. Look!”

“She actually still dares to hide! She’s revolting!”

“Quick, hold that little b*tch down. I don’t believe that I can’t beat her to death!”

The Zhao couple and even Gu Meifeng took action. They wanted to suppress Gu Qiqi together and swear to carry out the family law to the end.

Just as everyone gathered to attack...

The study room door was suddenly knocked open.

“Old Master, a guest came to visit. He said that he had an appointment with you.” Auntie Qiu stood at the door and reported.

She felt uneasy. In the past, guests would always wait in the living room.

But as soon as this guest entered, he instructed her to lead him into the study room without a word.

She was actually unable to resist at all.

This man’s aura was too strong. Every word he said seemed to be an order that no one dared to disobey!

“What guest?! Can’t you see that we’re executing the family law? Bring the guest to the living room and wait!” The old madam said in annoyance.

However...

The man’s long legs had already crossed the threshold.

His tall and cold figure forcefully entered everyone’s vision.

His tone was cold and unquestionable. “I’m sorry, but I don’t have the habit of waiting for someone!”

Chapter 256: His Enigmatic Identity

Once the man spoke, his cold voice immediately silenced the chaotic scene.

The women in the room, including the nearly 70-year-old Matriarch, couldn’t help but gasp.

This man’s aura was too strong. His voice was too domineering. His figure... was too sexy!

Even Gu Yuanyuan, who had been beaten to the ground and was sobbing, endured the intense pain. She crawled up and looked at him intently.

Old Master Gu frowned slightly. “You are...?”

Why didn’t he remember that he had an appointment with someone?

Who was this man? Why didn’t he have any impression of him?

At this moment, Gu Qiqi stood beside Old Master Gu. Her small heart was beating rapidly!

The moment Gong Jue opened the door and entered, her heart nearly jumped out of her throat.

Indeed, this man with erectile dysfunction had no patience.

He had been waiting for her outside the door all this while. Was he finally tired of waiting?

But... But if he barged in so forcefully, how was she going to explain their relationship?

Those "old men will take care of her" news on the Internet were just groundless rumors. Gu Meifeng and her daughter had already spread it everywhere. They even made Grandma not hesitate to invite the family laws to punish her.

If they caught her on the spot for bringing this strange man home and found out that Gong Jue was here for her, she wouldn't be able to explain herself!

She was so worried about Gong Jue's next words. What if he answered that he was her man?

According to the man with erectile dysfunction's simple and crude temper, this was highly possible.

Gu Qiqi's big black grape-like eyes stared fixedly at Gong Jue. Silently, she revealed a slight pleading look.

Please, please!

Can you go out first?

I can solve it myself, really!

Gong Jue's deep gaze swept past her coolly.

Then...

Without any hesitation, he sat down on the armchair opposite Old Master Gu!

His thin lips said coldly, "I'm..."

Gu Qiqi's heart skipped a beat.

She had never felt that Gong Jue's presence was so strong.

That tall and sturdy figure nearly made the entire study room appear cramped.

He was clearly wearing sunglasses, but his eyes seemed to be able to see through the black lenses. He was clearly sitting, but he looked even more condescending than the women standing in a row!

She closed her eyes.

Forget it. Gong Jue liked to declare ownership.

If he wanted to say it, then say it.

At most, she would never return to the Gu family again in the future. Those people from the Gu family would love to defame her however they wanted. They would love to spread rumors that she was a kept woman. They would just ignore her and not be annoyed anymore...

However...

In the very next second!

Gong Jue's cold voice made her eyelids flutter!

“I’m here to deliver the painting that the Old Master wants. Why? Everyone doesn’t seem to welcome me?” After Gong Jue finished speaking, his long and slender fingers unfolded a thin piece of silk in his hand.

A painting of mountains and rivers slowly appeared in front of everyone.

With just a few strokes, the mood was profound.

The old man only took a look at it before his stern face lit up with pleasant surprise. “This is... that painting by Ms. Songsong?”

The painting was of a man who was fishing alone in the cold river.

She was the most famous female painter in the Empire for more than twenty years. Ms. Songsong’s new work was very popular and had just been put on display at an art exhibition in Paris.

How many people spent a lot of money to buy it? The price was already 200 million dollars. But Ms. Song smiled and said that this painting was only for admiration and not for sale.

Old Master Gu had once commented on this painting and praised it to his students. He had also praised the profound concept that this painting expressed about scholars not going with the flow and changing because of power.

But he never expected that the original work of this painting would be sent to his study room.

“My mother asked me to send it over.” Gong Jue handed the painting to Old Master Gu. “Old Master Gu is upright and honest. He’s otherworldly and is suitable for the mood of this painting.”

Old Master Gu was shocked once more.

This was Ms. Songsong’s son?

Old Madam Gu was even more shocked.

She didn’t know much about paintings, but she knew that Ms. Songsong had two sons. This man had such a noble aura. Could he be that person from the presidential palace?

Chapter 257: The Unusual Gong Jue

Could it be that this man with such a strong aura was...

The new president who stood out from the rest in the intense presidential election—Gong Sheng?

Yes, it must be!

Old Madam Gu secretly agreed.

The more she looked at him, the more she felt that he resembled the noble figure on television.

It turned out to be that big shot. No wonder he had to wear sunglasses when he came to visit...

Otherwise, it would be strange if the bodyguards in the presidential palace surrounded his house like an iron bucket.

Old Madam Gu's attitude immediately changed 180 degrees when such a big shot came to her house as a guest. "Meifeng, hurry up and serve the guest some tea!"

She didn't even instruct the servants and just let her daughter do it!

Gu Meifeng had no choice but to pour the tea herself.

Gu Yuanyuan and Gu Xuexue's eyes stared straight at Gong Jue without blinking. Gu Xuexue in particular felt that Gong Jue was especially familiar. It was as if she had seen him somewhere before!

Where had she seen him before?

Everyone's eyes revolved around Gong Jue.

Only Gu Qiqi closed her eyes and breathed a sigh of relief in her heart. Fortunately, Gong Jue didn't say anything like "she's my woman." Such terrifying words.

He actually used a painting to solve the problem.

Without batting an eyelid, he diverted everyone's attention and made those who were shouting at her stop immediately.

It really surprised her, but she was also grateful.

Apart from feeling grateful, she was also a little curious. Since when did the simple and crude Gong Jue know how to use such a roundabout method?

Was it... for her?

For some reason, her heart skipped a beat.

She seemed to have been seduced by this stupid man again.

How useless!

While she was thinking, Gu Meifeng had already walked over with tea. Gu Yuanyuan had also leaned forward long ago and squeezed Gu Qiqi to stand in front of Gong Jue herself.

Even Gu Xuexue—who was sitting in a wheelchair—didn't want to be outdone and rushed over.

Gong Jue's eyes turned cold as he picked up his teacup.

He leaned over slightly!

The teacup flew out of his hand!

Hot tea splashed on Gu Yuanyuan and Gu Xuexue!

"Ah!"

"It hurts!"

The two of them gnashed their teeth in defeat.

Gu Qiqi covered her mouth and laughed unkindly.

Old Madam frowned and said, "Meifeng, what's wrong with you? Why did you give such hot tea to an esteemed guest?!"

Gong Jue said lightly, "I'm afraid that an uninvited guest like me isn't welcomed to begin with, right?"

"How could that be? We couldn't wait to welcome you!"

"Then, why is there still someone holding a rattan whip and preparing to drive me away?"

"No, no, no. Don't misunderstand. That matter... Sigh! Butler Zhao, why are you so insensible? Hurry up and put it away!"

After Old Madam's reprimand, Butler Zhao put the whip away dejectedly.

Gu Qiqi felt that she really had to get to know this man again!

How the hell could he do that? With just a few words, he made the most difficult Matriarch go around in circles.

On the other hand, the old madam had finally driven away her eyesore and arranged for Gu Yuanyuan and Gu Xuexue to wipe their faces before getting close to Gong Jue again...

On the other hand, Gong Jue was already prepared to take his leave. "I still have something on. I'll come to disturb you another day."

The old master was extremely satisfied with him. "Good, good! The younger generation will surpass us in time! The Empire's tomorrow is yours!"

While chatting, she confirmed that although this future president's aura was a little terrifying, he was really polite and didn't put on airs.

Gong Jue stood up. When he passed Gu Qiqi, he casually mentioned. "I heard that your granddaughter got into Imperial Medical University?"

Old Madam's ears perked up and she hurriedly pushed Gu Xuexue out. "That's right. Xuexue will study forensic science..."

However, Gong Jue turned a blind eye to it and stood in front of Gu Qiqi. "I heard that she's also the top scholar, the top student in Qing Cheng?"

His gaze was especially deep and sexy!

Even through the sunglasses, Gu Qiqi could deeply feel the power and warmth in his eyes!

Chapter 258: Crying Like a 200-pound Dog

Gong Jue stood alone in front of Gu Qiqi in front of everyone.

Clearly, the two of them were pretending not to know each other. It would be easy to expose them if they faced each other like this, okay?

Gu Qiqi muttered gloomily as she looked down at the ground.

It was like a large group of deer was running in her heart and she was about to faint. "I just... My results are slightly better. It's not as exaggerated as you say."

The old lady hurriedly said, "That's right, that's right. She's a bookworm. Xuexue is the top student!"

Gong Jue ignored her words and continued to say to Gu Qiqi, "I've sponsored a top-notch summer project. It's very useful for you to enter a medical profession. The school is in charge of food and accommodation. You can intern in the top-notch medical laboratory. Think about it!"

Old Master's eyes lit up.

A summer project?

This was very good. To Qiqi, this kind of school activity was a more formal and precious learning opportunity than being in the Chu family's pharmacy!

Of course, Old Madam understood this logic and became even more attentive. "That's great! Xue Xue is willing to go!"

Learning was a small matter.

It was important to take this opportunity to have contact with the future president!

Perhaps Xue Xue would become the First Lady in the future?

Xue Xue was her favorite granddaughter.

She had to push for it.

Old Master couldn't tolerate it anymore. "Stop quarreling! Let Qiqi go! Xuexue is running around in a wheelchair. What does that look like? Furthermore, Qiqi is the superior student!"

Old Madam said, "But Xue Xue can only represent the image of our Gu family..."

The old master's face sank. "You said it yourself just now that you're in charge of the Inner Residence. And the children going out to seek knowledge is an external matter. I have the final say! It's decided then. Qiqi will participate in the summer project. She will eat and stay in school. Qiqi, do you agree?"

Of course, Gu Qiqi had no objections!

She muttered, "Okay, I'll go. But can you... bring my younger brother along?"

She initially wanted to follow the Old Master's arrangements to temporarily leave Xiaobei in the Gu family.

But when she saw the old madam's attitude just now, she was very disappointed.

It was too dangerous for Xiaobei to be here.

She definitely couldn't take the risk again.

This time, she had to fetch Xiaobei out no matter what.

Gong Jue agreed without hesitation. "Sure! There's an ophthalmologist in the laboratory. If he goes, he can be a research subject in an experiment. Perhaps, he can see the light again."

He spoke so calmly as if there was really such a summer project!

Hearing this, the old lady's face turned green!

In the end, under the persistence of Old Master Gu and Gong Jue, and under the Old Madam's endless frustration, Gu Meifeng and Gu Xuexue gnashed their teeth in anger. Gu Qiqi left the Gu family with Xiaobei.

Once they got into the car.

Gong Jue frowned. "Why haven't you left yet?"

Bai Lang was comfortably nestled in his seat and playing the King of Medicine. After being reprimanded by Gong Jue, his hand trembled. Oh no, he was instantly killed!

He curled his lips. "Why did you guys go for so long? Did the Gu family treat you to a big meal?"

A big meal?

No!

She was almost whipped to death!

Gong Jue's face sank. "Get out of the car!"

Bai Lang felt aggrieved. "Why are you so fierce? Aren't you going to send me home?"

"There's not enough space. Go back yourself."

"Hey, I've been waiting for you loyally for half a day. Why aren't there enough seats? When we came just now, the four of us were sitting well... Eh? Who is this?"

Bai Lang looked up and saw Xiaobei beside Gu Qiqi.

A tall and skinny boy with a clean temperament stood there like a light breeze.

Bai Lang suddenly understood.

"Damn it. In order to give your brother-in-law space, you're ruthless enough to drive your brother out of the car. You're too savage, Gong Jue. Let me tell you, you can't do this... Ow..."

Chapter 259: Brother-In-Law, I'll Listen to You

Bai Lang was pushed away.

Gong Jue supported Xiaobei as he sat in Bai Lang's original seat, the front passenger seat.

He and Gu Qiqi sat side by side in the second row.

The car door was shut ruthlessly.

The engine started and it sped away!

“You have a lot of lovers in the Imperial Capital. Call any one of them to fetch you!” Before he left, Gong Jue “kindly” suggested.

Bai Lang watched as Number One left and cried like a 200-pound dog.

Let alone that little vixen Gu Qiqi who tortured him like a dog all day long, another brother-in-law would kill him instantly now, okay?

D*mn it. Why didn’t he realize that Gong Jue was so crazy when it came to flirting with girls?

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In the car.

In the quiet air, he could hear Gu Qiqi’s light breathing clearly.

Gong Jue didn’t feel anything at first. But as Gu Qiqi breathed, his breathing actually followed suit.

Gradually, it became rough.

Without a trace, he approached Gu Qiqi’s seat.

Closer.

He simply stretched out his big palm and clasped Gu Qiqi’s small hand.

Furthermore, it seemed to be sliding down...

Gu Qiqi’s back stiffened.

What was this stupid man doing? Xiaobei was still sitting in front.

Indeed, in the very next second, Xiaobei suddenly turned around and said clearly, “Sister, where are we going?”

Gong Jue’s lips had just touched Gu Qiqi’s hair when he heard this and he paused. “Go to the VIP laboratory at Imperial Medical University.”

Although he knew that Xiaobei couldn’t see, it was difficult for him to find the right feeling to kiss her when he was being stared at by a blind person like this.

Xiaobei was a little nervous. “Sister, I don’t want to be thrown into the laboratory for research. I think... Can I stay with you?”

Gu Qiqi didn’t wait for an answer.

Gong Jue quickly said in a low voice, “As a man, you’re not allowed to act coquettishly towards your older sister for no reason in the future. What do you mean by I miss you and I love you? Words like ‘Can I stay with you’ are too childish! You’re not allowed to say them in the future!”

His tone was especially stern and righteous.

Gu Qiqi glared at him fiercely.

“What are you talking about? When did Xiaobei say that he missed me and loved me...”

Suddenly, she remembered that when they were in Qing Cheng, they would occasionally talk on the phone.

Gosh, could it be that this stupid man still remembered that call?

Did he have to be so petty?

She was about to retort that this was a daily interaction between siblings. There was nothing to fuss about.

However...

But Xiaobei had already agreed obediently. "Okay, Brother-in-law. I'll take note in the future."

"Who's your brother-in-law?!"

Gu Qiqi was about to turn to stone. She was anxious to correct Xiaobei.

He shouldn't listen to that b*stard Bai Lang about him being his brother-in-law! That guy's words don't count.

However, Gong Jue clearly didn't think so.

The term "brother-in-law" made him elated!

Initially, he had planned to give Xiaobei a few words to remind him not to call Qiqi all the time when he had nothing to do. He wanted him to be more careful and not be easily tricked away by a woman like Gu Meifeng. Also, he wasn't not young anymore. He shouldn't rely on his older sister for everything...

However, these words of punishment vanished into thin air because of a crisp "brother-in-law".

This brat was quite smart and sensible. He was quite good.

That's right. He recognized him as his brother-in-law.

Gong Jue curved his lips slightly. An undetectable smile flashed across his eyes. He picked up a shiny steel object from Number One's storage box and handed it to Xiaobei. "Take it!"

Chapter 260: Brother-In-Law's Gift Was Cool!

Gu Qiqi felt a white light flash in front of her.

A palm-sized steel toy landed in Xiaobei's hand.

Xiaobei fumbled around and suddenly said in pleasant surprise, "Brother-in-law, this is a mini robot, right? It will shake hands with me!"

"What's the use of shaking hands? It can still talk, write, and attack." Gong Jue said lightly. "You can study more functions yourself."

Xiaobei was already extremely shocked. "Really! Brother-in-law, it wrote blind words in my palm... I asked it if it could teach me how to play the most popular game King of Medicine nowadays. It actually said that it could design a game more awesome than King of Medicine for me!"

Gong Jue squinted and his lips curved slightly. "Yes. This isn't strange."

Number One itself was a highly intelligent machine. This mini robot was just a mini version of Number One.

Perhaps one day, Xiaobei would realize that it had become a small plane and racing car. He would probably be even more unable to close his mouth.

"Brother-in-law, does it have a name?"

"You can name him."

"Brother-in-law, did you design it?"

"Yes."

"Brother-in-law, you're too awesome! You're the most awesome man I've seen!"

"Yes..."

Gong Jue glanced at Gu Qiqi lightly. This boy had better foresight than his older sister!

Xiaobei was happy.

He turned around quietly and focused on playing with the robot.

Gong Jue's hand could finally grab Gu Qiqi's small hand without any burden and carry it.

But at this moment, Gu Qiqi didn't notice his dishonest big palm at all. She also didn't have the energy to correct Xiaobei's articulate "brother-in-law".

That was because she was much more shocked than Xiaobei.

Blind words?

This robot knew how to write blind words.

Who would design such a strange robot for no reason?

In this world, high-tech products were designed for talented geniuses or rich tycoons. Who would design robot toys for a blind person?

What?

Gong Jue admitted that he really designed this robot himself?

Did Gong Jue specially consider that Xiaobei's eyes couldn't see so he designed such an interesting robot for him?

So, this gift was prepared long ago, right?

It wasn't a toy that could coax a child at the last minute.

Gu Qiqi's heart was in turmoil. She lowered her eyes lightly and didn't even dare to look Gong Jue in the eye.

Why did he have to do so much for Xiaobei? This had already exceeded the scope of their relationship, right?

They weren't really going to be husband and wife.

Xiaobei wasn't his real brother-in-law.

If he continued to treat her and Xiaobei well like this, she was really afraid...

She was afraid that she wouldn't be able to control her emotions anymore!

"Gong Jue, you actually fabricated that summer internship project casually in order to coax Grandfather and the rest, right? Thank you for the trouble. You can just leave Xiaobei and me by the roadside. I can go and rent a house. I..."

"Who said that it was fabricated?"

Gong Jue interrupted her.

His big palm rubbed her small hand and his cold voice was firm. "We've already contacted the VIP laboratory at the Empire Medical University. We'll start our summer internship tomorrow until school reopens. Xiaobei doesn't like to stay in the laboratory, so he'll live together with us. But... he's not young anymore. He has to stay in a separate room from us."

He spoke so naturally and matter-of-factly.

In fact, when she said the words "live together", it was as if there was really a "home" waiting for them.

And that "home" belonged to her to begin with.

After she was insulted by her ugly and heartless relatives of the Gu family just now, Gu Qiqi felt incomparably bitter when she heard these warm words!

She never expected that her home would eventually be given to her by a man without any blood ties!