

**Dear Chief 281**

**Chapter 281: Blinding Someone's Dog Eyes?**

The customers' uncut stones were opened one after another. Some were happy, while others were sad.

Finally, it was Gu Qiqi's turn.

The master in charge of cutting carefully cut her stone open a little.

It wasn't green.

He then cut it a little wider.

There was still no green.

He was about to reach the center. If it wasn't green at all, it would be worthless.

After all, this corner was only the size of a duck egg. If the middle wasn't green, it would be impossible for it to have anything else.

It would be rubbish.

Gu Yuanyuan's lips curved up to the sky.

She was finally comforted after her loss of 2.5 million dollars. It was too worth it!

Gu Xuexue was secretly happy as well. She didn't fork out a single cent today and was just going to sit back and enjoy the show.

At this moment.

Mansion Number 0.

Bai Lang found a friend from the jewelry business who secretly broadcasted this grand bet to him.

When he saw Gu Qiqi pitifully exchange a hundred dollars for a stone in a corner, he was overjoyed.

He couldn't help but connect his phone to the big screen in Gong Jue's villa.

Immediately, the entire scene was shown in front of everyone.

Even Xiaobei could hear his sister's voice although he couldn't see it.

"Master Jue, you said that your little demon went to buy a gift for you. Why don't I see it? Don't tell me that the longevity peach is a gift. Hahahaha! In her heart, are you an old man who eats longevity peaches?" Bai Lang gloated.

Gong Jue's face darkened.

Xiaobei pursed his lips and explained, "The birthday peaches aren't for Brother-in-law. They should be for Grandpa's birthday gift."

Gong Jue's expression softened a little. He pushed the plate of snacks closer to Xiaobei and patted his back. "Yes. Eat more."

He turned around and said coldly to Bai Lang, "Doesn't she have another piece of gray amber in her hand?"

In other words, perhaps this gray amber was bought for him!

Bai Lang was stunned. Then, he laughed so hard that he covered his stomach. "Hahahaha! Master Jue, that can't be, right? You're still looking forward to that gray amber? Do you know what gray amber is?"

"What is it?" Gong Jue said in annoyance.

"It's Ambergris! Its effect is to replenish blood and strengthen the body! How should I put it? To a certain extent, it's a higher-end bullwhip! Ahahaha, is the little demon going to stew soup for you again?"

"Shut up."

Gong Jue's expression was cold.

He clenched her fists and his temples throbbed. It was as if he was going to shatter the LCD screen in the very next second and choke that certain smugness to death.

Bai Lang's neck shrank and he hurriedly pointed at the screen. "Quick, quick. Look, the little demon is about to open her stone. Oh my god, she wouldn't get a piece of trash right? That would be too embarrassing!"

For a moment, Gong Jue couldn't be bothered to flare up.

He stared intently at the big screen.

If that stone of Gu Qiqi's was truly trash, she would definitely be slapped in the face on the spot.

Stupid woman! Why did she join in the fun when she didn't know how to gamble?!

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Everyone stared intently at Gu Qiqi's cuticle.

They had their own thoughts.

The cutting machine had already reached the middle.

Suddenly!

A thick green color appeared!

"There's actually something!"

The driver hurriedly stopped, afraid that he would break this beautiful jade that was as transparent as glass.

He changed his angle and continued cutting!

Gu Yuanyuan was still disdainful. "It's only so small. Is it even worth cutting, heh heh!"

However, reality quickly slapped her face.

The stone cutter cut out a complete piece of jade.

It was the size of a thumb.

It was extremely transparent.

Someone exclaimed, "This is an old glass species!"

It was the same breed as the longevity peach that Gu Qiqi had bought for 810,000 dollars previously. However, it was denser and more beautiful.

What was even more rare was that the jade appeared to be in the shape of a natural jade ruyi pendant. The middle section was slender and the two ends were round. Thus, he couldn't cut it out from the middle just now.

This time, even the trading company's boss couldn't remain calm.

"Beauty, I'm willing to buy this jade ruyi back at the price of the longevity peach you bought just now. How about that?"

Everyone was speechless.

Gosh, even the owner of the trading company was willing to spend 810,000 dollars to buy it back. How good was the quality of this jade ruyi?

Gu Qiqi smiled and didn't answer.

She only lifted her lips lightly and said word by word to the completely dumbfounded Gu Yuanyuan. "So, whose dog eyes are blind now? Hmm?"

### **Chapter 282: Her Gift For Gong Jue**

Gu Yuanyuan had never suffered such a big blow and such a deep humiliation in her life.

She had always looked down on others, ridiculed them, and humiliated them.

Since when was it the turn of a country bumpkin from a small place like Gu Qiqi to humiliate her, the eldest daughter of the Capital?

But at this moment, she was really humiliated by Gu Qiqi's words!

Her face hurt!

One invisible slap after another.

First, she was deliberately led on by Gu Qiqi and foolishly wasted 2.5 million on thunderstrike jade.

Then, Gu Qiqi's stone was actually a top-notch glass type.

Soon after, that old glass jade was actually worth 810,000 dollars. Three slaps in total!

Gu Qiqi had only spent 100 dollars to buy it.

This was simply earning 810,000 dollars for nothing.

Even the money-printing machine wasn't that powerful.

Gu Yuanyuan gnashed her teeth fiercely and refused to believe this fact. "You must have teamed up to cheat me, right? Boss, you actually cheated an old customer!"

The boss had had enough of this big miss's temper tonight. He retorted, "When did I cheat the customers? Can you speak with a little intelligence? Also, you were the one who suggested stone gambling first today. Don't you understand what it means to admit defeat?"

He turned around and spoke to Gu Qiqi in a gentle and respectful tone. "Beauty, this is my name card. If you want to sell your old glass jade ruyi, you must consider me first. In the future, when you come to my house to buy things, I'll give you a discount! I'll let you be a VIP big client!"

Gu Yuanyuan nearly vomited blood again.

She was the big client! A big client!

Unfortunately, the truth slapped them ruthlessly once more.

The boss personally carried the things that Gu Qiqi had bought and sent her out of the store. He even flagged for Gu Qiqi and paid the taxi fare. It could be said that his service was flawless.

He turned a blind eye to her!

Gu Yuanyuan was so angry that she kicked that thunderstrike jade.

"Ouch! It hurts!"

She didn't expect that the lightning seed would be so sturdy. Her sprained ankle hurt even more!

Gu Xuexue hurriedly helped her up. "Sister Yuan Yuan, don't be angry. We still have a chance to teach her a lesson at Grandpa's birthday banquet."

"How? She is giving grandpa an 810,000 dollars longevity peach! He will be coaxed by her until he doesn't know his place anymore!"

"Heh heh, about that... Grandpa loves jade the most. Any one of the jade antique vases that he collects are worth millions of dollars. If one of them 'accidentally' breaks, can that longevity peach compare to it?"

"You mean..."

Gu Yuanyuan's distorted face immediately lit up!

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The moonlight was like water.

After Gu Qiqi refined the Ambergris, the medicinal herb market had already closed. She could only sell it next time.

She rushed back to villa 0.

As soon as she entered, she realized that the atmosphere wasn't right.

There were two mini robots by the door. One of them was Brother Yun, whom Gong Jue had given to Xiaobei. The other seemed to have broken down from the smoke coming out of it.

The dining table was filled with delicious food. Gong Jue, Bai Lang, and Xiaobei sat there, but no one touched the food.

Why was that scumbag Bai here?

Why was Gong Jue's expression so ugly?

Also, Xiaobei... What did he mean by wagging his finger at her under the table?

Puzzled, Gu Qiqi walked into the dining room.

Bai Lang was the first to get up from his chair. His coquettish white suit was fluttering as he laughed maliciously. "Little vixen, what's that in your hand? Is it a gift for my Little Jue? Is it heavy? Come, come, let me help you..."

Gu Qiqi glanced at him coolly.

One who was unaccountably solicitous was hiding evil intentions!

### **Chapter 283: The Genius Miracle Doctor Was in Trouble**

Gu Qiqi ignored Bai Lang's solicitousness.

Instead, she walked straight to the dining table and wiped her hands with a towel. "The food is cold. Why aren't you eating?"

She opened the lid of the soup pot.

Fortunately, the sea cucumber soup was still hot.

She rolled up her sleeves and scooped soup for everyone.

Seeing that Gu Qiqi was so calm, Bai Lang rolled his amorous eyes and said with a smile, "Little vixen, this sea cucumber soup is too ordinary. Did you buy Ambergris to prepare the soup?"

Once the words "Ambergris" were mentioned, Gong Jue's expression became even uglier.

The words "replenish blood and strengthen the body" that Bai Lang said previously still lingered in her ears!

He initially thought that Gu Qiqi would go somewhere to choose a gift for him after gambling with stones.

In the end, this stupid woman actually took a taxi back!

It was obvious that if she wanted to give him something, it would definitely be the Ambergris!

Realizing that Gong Jue's expression was ugly, Bai Lang was even happier.

Hehe, everything was within his expectations!

Not only was he a genius doctor, but he was also a genius fortune-teller. Hahaha.

This time, Master Jue should believe what he said. Little vixen Qiqi had evil intentions, right? She used a lousy medicinal herb as a gift. How heartless was this woman?

He had to let Master Jue teach her a lesson!

However, when she opened the door...

Upon hearing his words, Gu Qiqi looked up coolly. "Even the soup can't fill your mouth? Who said that I was going to use Ambergris as soup? How did you know that I bought Ambergris. Have you followed me?"

"I... I... No, I smelled it!"

"Then, your dog's nose is quite sensitive." Gu Qiqi curled her lips.

"Then, will you admit it? Are you going to stew it for my Little Jue again..." Bai Lang was anxious to expose Gu Qiqi's true colors and was excited to see Gong Jue fall out with her.

But Gong Jue's face had already darkened completely. "Shut up when you're eating!"

Bai Lang closed his mouth aggrievedly.

After a while, he muttered indignantly, "There's no way to eat if I shut up..."

Xiaobei couldn't help but laugh.

Gu Qiqi curved her lips and took a sip of soup.

Gong Jue's face was cold. He didn't speak the entire time.

Xiaobei couldn't see it and could only eat the plate of food in front of him.

When he realized that there were suddenly many different flavors in his bowl, she couldn't help but smile. "Thank you, Sister."

He thought that Gu Qiqi had picked the food for him.

Gu Qiqi didn't say anything. She only looked up in Gong Jue's direction.

That stupid man had such a bad temper and was so domineering. She didn't expect that he would actually lower himself to take food for Xiaobei.

This kind of homely and warm action was so natural. It was as if he had taken care of a child who couldn't take care of himself in the past.

Wasn't he unmarried?

Where did he learn such warm and natural domestic actions without a wife and child?

A faint doubt flashed past.

Soon, the meal was over.

Gu Qiqi realized that the servants had already gotten off work. She was about to get up and clear the cutlery when she heard Gong Jue's cold voice. "Where's the gift?"

Gu Qiqi choked. Ahem. She couldn't avoid this hurdle tonight, right?

Bai Lang was delighted. He stared at Gu Qiqi arrogantly with sparkling eyes. He was waiting for her vixen mask to be exposed.

Xiaobei grabbed Gu Qiqi's arm nervously. "Sister..."

Gu Qiqi was helpless. Why did she feel that there were three three-year-old children in this room? One wanted to eat candy, one wanted to cause trouble, and one was aggrieved?

Rubbing her forehead, she sighed.

She took out a small object from her bag and handed it to Gong Jue.

Then, she handed one to Xiaobei as well.

Bai Lang focused his attention on Gong Jue's hand. When he saw what it was, he couldn't close his mouth. "This... This... What is this thing? When did you make it?!"

No, this scene was too ridiculous. It wasn't following the script at all!

The gift Gu Qiqi gave Gong Jue wasn't Ambergris at all.

Bai Lang immediately had a premonition that he was going to suffer!

#### **Chapter 284: A Heartless Gift**

Gong Jue ignored Bai Lang's twitching gaze and calmly admired the small object in his hand.

His thin lips finally parted at a slightly raised angle.

The gift Gu Qiqi gave him was a small and exquisite fragrance bag.

It was the sky blue color that he liked.

The color of the sky and the sea.

The exquisite thread was made of pearl-white silk. It could be seen that it was sewn by hand. It wasn't as stiff and cold as sewing from a machine.

It seemed to carry the warmth of the girl's slender hands.

What an antique!

With a slight sniff, a refreshing fragrance slowly spread.

It was neither greasy nor choking. It refreshed the heart.

Just like the faint herbal scent on the girl.

Gong Jue really liked it in his heart, but he said coldly, "Who wants such a girly thing?"

Bai Lang hurriedly chimed in. "That's right. Master Jue isn't a woman. Why would he carry a sachet with him? Hey, little demon, you did it on purpose, right? Which five dollar stall did you buy it from?"

Gu Qiqi rolled her eyes at him in annoyance. "Five dollars can buy the fragrance bag that I made myself? You can wait until your next life!"

Bai Lang curled his lips and looked guiltily at the word "Jue" embroidered on the sachet. It was so beautiful that it was dazzling.

There was no such exquisite customized service on the streets.

This time, the little demon was really sincere?!

Bai Lang was indignant. He stared intently at the sachet and tried his best to find fault with it.

Suddenly.

He sniffed it and was amused. "Hahaha, I thought that it was some fragrance bag or ambergris! Little vixen, are you mocking our Little Jue for being impotent for the rest of his life so that he has to wear a fragrance bag with ambergris on him? You're so evil!"

Gong Jue's lips that had just curved up immediately pursed into a thin line.

His gaze darkened.

Gu Qiqi replied calmly, "Scumbag Bai, you're still bragging about being a divine doctor all day long? Your standard is too poor. Is that the only effect of the Ambergris? It's also beneficial to the heart and can deter snakes and insects. Do you understand? Didn't you see that I gave Xiaobei one too?"

Could it be that she was going to let her biological younger brother increase his sex drive?

Bai Lang, that idiot!

Bai Lang's face stiffened after being scolded by Gu Qiqi.

He closed his eyes and sniffed carefully. He was stunned for a moment before his mouth opened wide in disbelief. "Damn it, little demon. Where did you get this Hundred-Year Ambergris?! This... This is too heaven-defying. This won't do. I want to see..."

He thought that it was just ordinary and worthless Ambergris which he could easily get handfuls of.

He didn't expect it to be a hundred-year-old treasure.

Even a dandy son from a pharmaceutical family like him couldn't see such a rare treasure.

No wonder the little demon said that it was good for the heart and could deter bugs and snakes.

Only hundred year old Ambergris could achieve such an effect.

Curious, he couldn't help but extend his hand to take a look at the Ambergris in the sachet.

However, when she opened the door...

"Take your claws away!"

The man reprimanded him without a trace of politeness.

He had long kept the sachet in his arms.



Yes, that stupid woman actually thought about him and gave him this small sachet to avoid bugs and snakes.

For a person like him who often traveled outside and patrolled remote science laboratories, it was very useful and lightweight.

Bai Lang withdrew his red hand aggrievedly. Could it be that Master Jue thought that he was dirty and didn't allow him to touch him?

Damn it!

How hurtful!

But the bigger blow was yet to come.

Gong Jue put away the sachet and curved his lips coolly. "Shouldn't we cash in the bet just now?"

Gu Qiqi raised her eyebrows. "You're gambling too?"

Bai Lang looked like he had gotten the short end of the stick.

On the other hand, Xiaobei smiled and said, "Yes. Just now, Brother Bai made a bet with Brother-in-law and said that your gift was definitely soup stewed with ambergris. Brother-in-law didn't believe it. He insisted on gambling and even made a bet. Now that he has lost, Brother-in-law wants him to fulfill his promise quickly!"

Gu Qiqi was speechless. "What's the bet?"

Xiaobei pursed his lips. "It's..."

### **Chapter 285: The Image Of A Good Brother-In-Law Destroyed**

"Stop talking! I'll go, okay?"

Bai Lang couldn't hold his expression anymore. He bounced up in a frenzy and cleaned the cutlery and plates on the table quickly before entering the kitchen.

Gu Qiqi was speechless as she listened to the sound of running water from the kitchen. She looked up at Gong Jue, who was calm and collected.

Oh my god. Could it be that Gong Jue and Bai Lang made a bet that whoever lost would wash the dishes?

It had to be known that Bai Lang's hands—which were used to flirt with girls—would probably make him cry like a 200-pound dog when he washed the dishes, right?

"Aren't you afraid that... you will lose?"

Gu Qiqi couldn't help but ask.

Gong Jue's expression didn't change. He raised his arrogant chin. "I've never lost before."

Gu Qiqi's lips twitched. Tsk. What an arrogant and conceited guy!

The image of Gong Jue wearing an apron and obediently washing the dishes in the kitchen surfaced in her mind...

Gosh, it stung her eyes!

In the kitchen.

Bai Lang raised a pair of hands that were used to hold scalpels and flirt with girls and fiddled with the dishwasher for a long time. He was so miserable because he didn't know how to use it!

Helplessly, he could only pour the detergent resentfully and wash them one by one in the most primitive way.

The more he thought about it, the more he felt that something was amiss.

Back then, when he was looking at Gu Qiqi gambling stones on the big screen, he had said on a whim that they should take a gamble too. If Gu Qiqi gave him the Ambergris, Gong Jue would lose!

Gong Jue agreed immediately.

He didn't say anything about the Ambergris soup back then, right?

Why did Gong Jue and Xiaobei say that he would lose if she didn't stew soup?

That sachet clearly contained Ambergris as well. It could be considered a gift, okay?!

That hundred-year-old Ambergris could avoid bugs and snakes to protect the heart, but it could still strengthen the heart. He wasn't wrong.

Oh, he suddenly felt that he had been tricked by those two scheming people.

Bai Lang wanted to run back and seek redress, but when he looked down, he realized that most of the utensils had been washed.

Even if she wanted to seek redress, it would be in vain!

He felt bitter.

In the dining room.

Gong Jue curved his lips happily.

He picked up a piece of mango and handed it to Xiaobei.

"Thank you, Brother-in-law!"

"Eat more. You're still growing."

"Okay, Brother-in-law. I'll listen to you."

"Yes."

Seeing that the two of them interacted so naturally and intimately, the corners of Gu Qiqi's lips twitched once more.

Why did she feel like she had just taken care of a brat for more than ten years but he was stolen away in a day?

How did that cold guy Gong Jue subdue the introverted Xiaobei?

She coughed lightly. "Um, it's getting late!"

Xiaobei nodded. "Sister, Brother-in-law, I'm going to rest. You guys should sleep early too!"

Sleep... Sleep again!

Gu Qiqi nearly fell off her chair.

He clearly wanted to say that she was tired from working the entire day and wanted her to sleep but it just sounded wrong.

She followed Xiaobei to his room.

Gong Jue's gaze suddenly sank.

He held Gu Qiqi's small hand. "Why don't I have it?"

"What?" Gu Qiqi was at a loss.

Gong Jue pointed in the direction that Xiaobei had left in.

Gu Qiqi finally understood.

She personally made two sachets for Gong Jue and Xiaobei.

Among them, the one she had given Xiaobei had that jade ruyi that she had just won from stone gambling.

Could it be that Gong Jue was jealous of a child?

He was clearly acting like a caring elder a second ago.

Where was the image of an approachable brother-in-law?

Gu Qiqi said helplessly, "There was only one jade ruyi. It looked like something that a child would like so I put it inside Xiaobei's sachet..."

"I want one too." Gong Jue interrupted her and ordered

Unfortunately, in Gu Qiqi's opinion, this order was really childish.

Three black lines appeared on her forehead. "Okay, next time."

"Next time. Remember, okay?" Gong Jue was appeased. "Go to sleep!"

Gu Qiqi was speechless.

### **Chapter 286: You're Not Allowed to Be Touched By Him**

At the kitchen door.

Bai Lang was wearing an apron. Water was dripping from his hands. There was also a broken porcelain plate that was stained with some blood.

He looked at the couple at the dining table.

He wanted to scratch the wall!

He had really never seen Gong Jue treat a woman like this before. He actually used childish coquettishness, right?

“I want one too!”

It would be fine if Gu Qiqi was sincere towards Gong Jue.

If she had any other intentions or left after fooling around, what would happen to Gong Jue in the future?

No one knew better than him that once Gong Jue’s sealed emotional world was opened, it would be a fatal weakness.

What if the little demon was sent by the enemy or bribed by the enemy?

His brother’s life was in this woman’s hands.

Just as he was feeling worried.

A series of calls startled him.

“Hey, Molly. What’s the matter?”

“Brother Jue arranged for a woman to go to the laboratory. Did you know?”

Bai Lang’s expression turned cold. “Why are you asking about this?”

“I just want to know... what’s their relationship...” Bai Mori deliberated over her tone. “She... is Jue’s woman?”

Bai Lang restrained his playful look and said seriously, “Bai Mori, you’re not allowed to have any inappropriate thoughts about Master Jue. Do you understand?”

Bai Mori smiled elegantly. “Brother, you sure know how to joke. I was only asking out of concern for his illness. You know that I’m helping him prescribe medicine... If he has a woman, then this medicine of mine won’t have any research value.”

After a pause, she laughed lightly. “If I wanted to, I would have made a move a few years ago. Would I have waited until now?”

Only then did Bai Lang heave a sigh of relief. “Anyway, you’re not allowed to be attracted to him, do you hear me?!”

“Oh, then tell me. What’s the relationship between that woman and Jue?”

“She...” Bai Lang’s gaze swept past Gu Qiqi. Her warm and sweet interaction with Gong Jue blinded his eyes. “She’s just a student, not Jue’s woman. Don’t mess around.”

“Oh, I understand.” Bai Mori curved her lips. “You’re saying it so nervously and you won’t let me touch her. Why? Are you interested in that woman?”

“What?” Bai Lang exploded. “Interested my foot! Whatever, do what you want”

He didn’t like that kind of greedy and vicious little demon!

He liked girls who were as gentle as water!

Bai Mori laughed lightly and prepared to hang up the call.

However, the moment she hung up...

Bai Lang roared again, “Don’t touch her! She... She’s from the Gu family. Give Old Master Gu some face. Our Bai family doesn’t have to make enemies. Do you understand?”

“Oh.” Bai Mori agreed.

She hung up the call.

Her elegant and exquisite fingernails poked Gu Qiqi’s resume.

It directly pierced Gu Qiqi’s bright and beautiful face.

Her red lips curled up slightly with disdain. “What Gu family? She’s clearly from the countryside. She’s a prisoner’s daughter and an unloved wild girl. Such a small character isn’t worth me dealing with...”

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In the bedroom.

Gu Qiqi lay awkwardly in Gong Jue’s arms.

She didn’t dare to move at all.

Damn it. The two of them were so “close” that there wasn’t any distance between them. She was afraid that if she moved slightly, she would touch something that she shouldn’t touch.

Gong Jue’s mental strength was good, but a thin layer of sweat had already formed on her forehead!

“Why didn’t you swipe the card that I gave you today?” Gong Jue massaged her lower abdomen while settling scores with her.

She clearly had a black diamond card that she could throw out arrogantly and crush that group of idiots Gu Yuanyuan within a second.

This stupid woman didn’t use it and she was being bullied by someone calling her a “country bumpkin”. Was she stupid?

### **Chapter 287: You’re Not Allowed to Reject Me**

Gu Qiqi’s lips twitched in embarrassment.

She didn’t lack money.

She also threw out a check for 810,000 dollars. Gu Yuanyuan and the rest were stunned.

Alright, her 810,000 dollars was indeed not enough to match the crushing power of Gong Jue's black diamond card.

That black card was terrifying.

She didn't even know what the limit was inside. It was as if she would never be able to spend it all.

Could her relationship with him... be worth this?

Could she believe that he wanted to marry her?

What if one day, he held her "small palm" and told her that she was only a spare tire? Could she still slap him away with dignity?

If she used the money in his black diamond card, she probably wouldn't even have the confidence to slap him, right?

Gu Qiqi's mind was in a mess.

Then, even she couldn't help but laugh at herself. Other women might not spend a man's money because they had backbone, independence, and embarrassment. But the reason why she didn't want to spend a single cent from Gong Jue was actually because she wanted to slap him self-righteously when they faced separation one day...

This reason was probably unprecedented.

"What are you laughing at? You haven't answered me yet. Why aren't you using the black card I gave you?"

"Oh... I forgot to bring it."

Gu Qiqi muttered to herself. In the end, she told the truth.

Gong Jue frowned. "Bring it along in the future!"

It was simply a man's greatest humiliation for a woman to not use her man's money to buy items.

"Oh, I'll try my best." Gu Qiqi replied insincerely.

She wanted to leave the topic of money as soon as possible. "By the way, it's my grandfather's birthday banquet this weekend. He wants me to attend it with you. However, I think that it might not be good for you to go with your identity. Those women from the Gu family are too gossipy. They will turn you upside down... So, I'm prepared to reject it on your behalf. Tell me, is the reason that you're on a business trip good enough? Or is it better that you're abroad?"

"I'll go."

Gong Jue interrupted her.

He completely ignored the two options of going abroad on a business trip and did as he pleased.

"No, you... Why are you going..."

“I’m going to see a certain moron get hit by a rattan!”

“Ahem... I’m not that stupid. Seriously, if they really dare to hit me, I’ll never return to the Gu family’s door.”

“Also, I want to officially pay my respects to Grandpa.”

“Hey, that’s not your grandfather!”

“Soon.”

“Gong Jue, let me tell you. You can’t do this. Can you not cause trouble for me?”

“Xiaobei needs Brother-in-law’s support.”

“No... You, wait. Can your thoughts not jump like this? It’s enough for Xiaobei to have me.”

“The birthday banquet is an official occasion. You can choose your clothes tomorrow. Take my black card with you!”

“That... I don’t lack clothes. Can’t I wear my school uniform?” Gu Qiqi was overwhelmed by Gong Jue’s reasons and orders.

“You must go. No bargaining is allowed. This is a mission!” Gong Jue’s tone left no room for objection as he pressed down heavily on her lower abdomen.

Gu Qiqi’s lips twitched.

It was fine if she failed to change the topic.

Why did she accidentally fall into the pit that he dug?

She even received a task of buying clothes!

Gu Qiqi rubbed her forehead. She still wanted to do an internship properly. There were some instruments in the laboratory that she had never come into contact with in her previous life. They were quite advanced.

Shopping and choosing clothes were the most time-consuming.

No... Wait!

The stupid man was continuing to massage her. Why was his hand reaching out where it shouldn’t be?

“Hey... Stop it!”

Before she could finish protesting...

Gong Jue couldn’t take it anymore.

He took a deep breath and got out of bed. He rushed to the bathroom and turned on the cold water...

The familiar actions were done in one go.

It was too d\*mn dangerous to give that stupid woman a massage!

## Chapter 288: Ugliest, Dirtiest, Oldest

After interning in the laboratory for a few days, Gu Qiqi received praise from all the professors.

She was smart and understood everything immediately.

She was studious and focused.

What was rarer was that she was also very humble and wasn't afraid of hardship.

There was once when she did a gene sequence specimen. There were hundreds of copies. She spent the entire day in the laboratory alone and completed them beautifully.

Professor Zhou Qing, the person in charge of the laboratory, couldn't bear to let her go to school.

"Qiqi, you're the student who has left the deepest impression on me among all the students I've taught. Back when I brought Molly along, I thought that she was already very outstanding. I didn't expect that your potential would be even greater!"

"Molly?"

"Yes. She's young now. She's already an associate professor after graduating from a doctorate. By the way, she's in the clinical medicine school. Perhaps, she can even be your tutor. Haha, it's also fate."

"Professor Zhou, this Professor Molly that you're talking about... Is she also good at ophthalmology surgery?" Gu Qiqi kept thinking about Xiao Bei's illness.

"Eh... Not really. She's good at genetic restructuring. She's currently researching medicine to change human specific genes. By the way, Qiqi, you worked so late yesterday. Go back early today. School's about to start soon. Go home and prepare. If you're interested after school starts, you're welcome to come back anytime!"

"Thank you, Professor Zhou!"

Gu Qiqi didn't stand on ceremony either. She indeed needed some time to go out and do something.

"Master Silver, are we going to shop for clothes?" The little dirty turtle's eyes lit up.

Gu Qiqi flicked his head. "Aren't you a male turtle? Since when were you so passionate about buying clothes?"

"Oh! I hope that you will be beautiful and appear stunning at Grandpa's birthday banquet. At the same time, I want to blind Master Jue!"

Gu Qiqi was speechless. "It's just a birthday banquet, not a beauty pageant!"

The little dirty turtle watched as Gu Qiqi went to the washroom. She took a box of brown rouge and smeared it on her face. She put on a silver wig and scratched her hair in a mess. Then, she wore an especially exaggerated pair of white-framed toad sunglasses and dressed herself up in the ugliest, dirtiest, and most old-fashioned way.

In the end, as if she didn't find it ugly enough, she found a gray cloak from somewhere and put it on.



Alright, no one could link the ugly and blind old woman in the mirror to Gu Qiqi now.

“Master, what exactly are you doing?!”

“Selling medicine.”

Gu Qiqi curved her lips and smiled.

With such an eye-catching piece of equipment, she went to the most flourishing commercial center in the Imperial Capital—the Gold Diamond Corridor.

In the long golden corridor was the Bai family’s pharmacy, the National Medical Hall’s flagship store.

Gu Qiqi rushed over.

“Top-notch Ambergris. Do you want it?” Gu Qiqi placed the medicine that she had refined previously on the counter.

Immediately, the pharmacists in the pharmacy were stunned.

“Yes, yes, yes!” The manager ran over enthusiastically and was overjoyed.

A few days ago, Second Young Master was still mumbling that he couldn’t collect any century-old Ambergris to show off. He couldn’t find it even after searching the entire Capital. He didn’t expect that his luck would be so good today that someone would actually deliver it to his door.

“One kilogram costs a million dollars. Here are five kilograms.”

Gu Qiqi adjusted her sunglasses.

The manager’s smile froze on his face.

Gosh, this was a sky-high price...

“Auntie, the market price for the Ambergris is at most 500,000 kg. You...”

Gu Qiqi put away the herbs in annoyance. “I didn’t expect the Medical Hall to be so shabby. They can’t even afford a million dollars? Can’t you tell that this Ambergris has 200 years of history? How can it be compared to the 100-year-old incense on the market?”

The manager was stunned.

When he came back to his senses, he hurriedly closed his eyes and sniffed carefully. Then, he smiled and asked Gu Qiqi if he could take a look at them again.

He had been in this profession for more than thirty years, but this was the first time he had seen such top-notch Ambergris.

The 200-year-old Agarwood could be considered a national treasure.

It was actually in the hands of a country auntie dressed so horribly...

“Auntie, may I know your surname?”

“Ye... Ye Mumu.”

“Auntie Ye, wait a minute!”

### **Chapter 289: Meeting On A Narrow Road**

The manager went to call Bai Lang for instructions.

“Nonsense, what’s there to ask for instructions for! Just buy it! 200 years old is just enough for me to crush that little vixen. Hmph, she only has 100 years’ worth of Ambergris in her hands. Mine is twice as expensive as hers!”

Over the phone, Bai Lang’s roar frightened the manager so much that he immediately rolled back.

Deal!

Gu Qiqi curved her lips and smiled.

Holding her sunglasses, she strutted out the door.

“Tsk. It’s so satisfying to cheat small fry. Five million dollars per trip.” The little dirty turtle was also delighted.

“Who said that? He didn’t suffer a loss either. The 200-year-old Ambergris was enough to make him a beautiful profit for a few days.” Gu Qiqi said as she removed her makeup and changed her clothes in the washroom.

The little dirty turtle stuck out its tongue. “It’s a pity that when he finds out that you already have the 500-year-old Ambergris in your hands, he’ll probably want to jump off a building...”

Master Silver was clearly giving him a sweet date first before giving him a slap.

How bad.

Gu Qiqi smiled and changed her makeup.

When she went out, she felt a headache coming on as she looked at the dazzling luxury stores in the long golden corridor.

Should she buy something? She was really not interested.

If she didn’t buy it, would Gong Jue not let her off tonight?

Sighing, she casually walked into a store.

She chose a plain white dress and tried it on. Although the price was tens of thousands, it didn’t look as good as the “battle gown” that Gong Jue had dressed her in to participate in the live-stream on the Internet.

Gu Qiqi tried it but didn’t want it. The manager’s expression was already very ugly.

Fortunately, Gu Qiqi pointed to the exquisite male white shirts beside it. “Help me wrap two of this style.”

She actually footed the bill without even trying!

The manager's curtness immediately changed into a bright smile.

"Okay, beauty. Do you want to take a look at the jewelry again? Your skin is so white. Our Big Creek Pearl suits you just fine..."

Gu Qiqi glanced at the pearl accessories embedded with gold and silver on the counter and was disinterested.

The manager could tell that she was a person with high aesthetic standards and only liked simple and high-quality things. He gnashed his teeth and said, "We still have a pure natural pearl brooch in our storeroom. It's an ultimate-grade item that's as big as a pigeon egg. It's covered in a layer of pink fog and is especially beautiful. No one knows about the goods that have just arrived. I'll secretly show it to you..."

Gu Qiqi didn't comment.

But the little dirty turtle was very proactive. "Pearl powder is so good. Master, if you don't like it, you can feed me a second time..."

Gu Qiqi was speechless.

Okay, then. Let's see.

Other pets would be satisfied after eating some meat and bones, but her pets had high standards. Once they ate, they would eat expensive jewelry.

As she was waiting for the pearl, a coquettish voice behind her made her frown.

"Shop assistant, where's the necklace that I ordered?"

"Madam Gu, Miss Gu, this way please. We've already prepared the necklace. It's a grand jewelry worth 108,000 dollars."

"Didn't you say that you would give me a handmade calligraphy painting made of pearl powder? I want the word 'Longevity' on it."

"Okay, that's free. I've already done it for you."

"Remember to write my name on it and say that I made it myself."

"Don't worry, we'll do as you ask."

"Xue Xue, this old man will definitely like this gift..."

"Mommy, I don't want to care if the old man likes it or not. I heard that the old man will discuss our marriage at the birthday banquet. Everyone will definitely stare at me. I'm worried about whether the pearl necklace will be too insipid. If only there were some scattered diamonds..."

"It's a pity that most of Mommy's money has been scammed by that disaster. Some shares can't be taken out from the Shen family. This time, it was still your grandmother who paid for your jewelry. Otherwise, I would definitely add some diamonds for you..."

Gu Qiqi heard their laughter.

She was speechless.

Gu Xuexue and Gu Meifeng were really strange. She wore gold and silver to buy expensive jewelry, but the gift she gave her grandfather was...

A freebie that cost nothing!

### **Chapter 290: The Best Pearl in the Shop**

Gu Meifeng and Gu Xuexue were simply too outrageous.

Breathing in the same room with them made Gu Qiqi feel dirty.

She was about to stop waiting for that pearl brooch and get up to leave.

But Gu Xuexue's sharp eyes noticed her. "Gu Qiqi, you're here to buy a necklace?"

Gu Meifeng looked over as well and frowned. "The jewelry here are all at least tens of thousands of dollars. Where did she get the money to buy it? Did she think that the man who is taking care of her is a sucker?"

Ever since she kidnapped Xiao Bei and fell out with Gu Qiqi, she couldn't be bothered to wear her "good aunt" mask anymore.

Gu Xuexue hurriedly covered the pearl necklace in her hand. "Gu Qiqi, don't even think about snatching it from me. I've already bought the best one in the shop!"

She couldn't even be bothered to hide that vigilant gaze.

"The best necklace in the shop? Is that so?"

Gu Qiqi laughed coldly.

She sat back down on the velvet sofa.

Was Gu Xuexue that afraid that her item would be snatched away by someone else?

Heh heh, why was Gu Xuexue so righteous when she snatched away her things like she did in her previous life?

Gu Qiqi's playful heart rose. Her big and beautiful black grape-like eyes swept across the pearl necklace in Gu Xuexue's hand.

Honestly speaking, that necklace was so tacky.

The pearls were originally quite good-looking. They were the size of a fingernail.

But it just so happened that the string of pearls was embedded in golden foil. Every pearl was wrapped in golden foil. How tacky was that?

She didn't want such a necklace for free.

But since she had nothing to do, it was fun to scare Gu Xuexue.

She said lightly, "Is there only one model in the shop?"

“Oh, no. There’s more. This is a popular model. Usually, we have about ten items in stock. Apart from Miss Gu’s, there are just two more items left.” The staff hurriedly said politely, “Do you want them too?”

Although it was “the most expensive” item, once there were many similar models, it wouldn’t be anything valuable.

Indeed, Gu Xuexue’s expression turned ugly.

Gu Meifeng’s face was even more dark. She criticized the counter like a shrew. “Didn’t you say that it was a limited edition? It’s only 100,000 dollars, but there are actually ten identical ones. Then, what’s there to buy?! My daughter is such a noble little princess, but she actually brought something that’s not special! I’m not buying anymore!”

Gu Xuexue was angry and couldn’t bear to part with that pearl necklace.

After all, she could only buy a gold leaf pearl necklace for 100,000 dollars, and couldn’t buy any good diamonds. If she didn’t buy this, what other choice did she have?

Gu Qiqi saw through her vanity and greed at first glance. She laughed sarcastically and added fuel to the fire. “Take out the remaining two.”

The staff immediately took out two more pieces from the counter.

Gu Qiqi raised her eyebrows. Indeed, it was the same tacky design.

Gu Xuexue was triggered.

No, she didn’t want that bookworm little b\*tch Gu Qiqi to wear the exact same pearl necklace as her!

She still wanted to be unique and shine at the birthday banquet.

“Mommy, look at her...” She pouted coquettishly and acted aggrieved with Gu Meifeng.

Gu Meifeng was initially angry and didn’t want to buy it anymore.

But when she realized that Gu Qiqi actually dared to compete with Xuexue for the necklace, she became angry again. Like an old hen whose territory had been violated, she raised the feathers on her buttocks and shouted at the counter. “What are you looking at? We want all three!”

The staff was stunned. “This...”

Buying two could be arguably be accessories for a mother-daughter outfit. Three? Was she crazy?

She looked at Gu Qiqi apologetically.

She initially wanted to save one for Gu Qiqi, but who knew that this mother and daughter pair were so savage that they would rather buy it out than give it to others?