

## Divine 1031

### Chapter 1031: Tricky

Zhou Huailing had already developed this kind of ambition, otherwise he would not have trained his own troops, but despite the ambition he had, he could not just say that whenever he wanted.

Before, he mentioned this to Ruxue, just because he could not hold it any more.

When Junyi told him the plan, he could not help saying what he was thinking. Zhou Huailing trusted Junyi for being truthful. Beside that, he also trusted him for being capable. That was why he would like to hear what Junyi wanted to say.

Junyi looked at Zhou Huailing.

Those are rebellious words, but he believed that it was right for the Crown Prince to say things like this.

He needed ambition, since the ambition would help him.

His master had already passed 50 years old, so Junyi did not have much time either. He was going to have his goal achieved, while his master was still alive.

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Junyi's eyes sparkled at this moment too.

He looked at the Crown Prince excitedly and lowered his voice. "Crown Prince, are you willing to wait?"

"Of course not." Zhou Huailing said frankly.

"Then we don't wait! Crown Prince, we need to keep a low-profile on the surface, whilst in the meanwhile, we get everything arranged. I believe that soon, everything will be settled," Junyi said resolutely.

Zhou Huailing looked up at Junyi. "Are you sure, Junyi?"

Junyi nodded.

Zhou Huailing let out a sigh of relief, suddenly feeling very confident.

He had been very furious starting from the morning, when he heard the news, but now he was in a good mood, and felt assured.

"Junyi, I can give you everything you desire, when the time comes." Zhou Huailing patted at Junyi's shoulders.

Junyi nodded, but said nothing more.

"It is getting late, Crown Prince, let's eat some breakfast," Junyi said.

"Yes, let's eat breakfast."

Having said this, they pulled open the door and walked out.

Junyi let Gu Ruxue lead the way, whilst he followed the Crown Prince.

The three of them started to walk outside.

The officers from Li County were waiting and craning their necks just to see Zhou Huailing walking out. They showed a smile, "Crown Prince, Crown Prince Consort, the breakfast is ready, are you going there to have it?"

"Yes!" Zhou Huailing said with a smile.

Junyi arranged a few people to clean things up before catching up with them.

He watched how the officers from Li County were flattering the Crown Prince and frowned with displeasure.

He did not want the Crown Prince to hang out with this officer from Li County.

This officer didn't look that intelligent, but he was a sneaky man.

This officer just came when he predicted that the Crown Prince was in a good mood. So he was probably scheming a few things and they should look out for them.

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It was quiet at breakfast.

Zhou Huailing kept thinking about the throne.

Gu Ruxue was quiet too. She wasn't in a good mood since they were in Li County.

Junyi was thinking about things as well.

After the food was finished, the officer said, "Crown Prince, our Li County is very famous for colored glaze. Do you want to have a look and pick something you love?"

Gu Ruxue looked very interested. Junyi, however, took a step forward.

### **Chapter 1032: Fright**

"Crown Prince, you need to visit Li Village today. Prime Minister Chu is there. You have to visit there and meet Prime Minister Chu." Junyi persuaded him.

Gu Ruxue's expression sank when she heard what Junyi said.

She had never wanted to visit a place like Li County, but this strategist insisted that she should be here. Yesterday she spent the day at the office, which felt good, but she was so bored right now, and she wanted the Crown Prince to keep her company to check out the colored glaze.

However, this strategist just did not want her to do that.

Gu Ruxue said with a cold face, "Officer, since we already have everything ready at Li Village, the Crown Prince can go there when he has time. We don't have to do that so hurriedly. Prime Minister Chu is there, isn't he?"

Junyi almost rolled his eyes inwardly.

He had not expected that the Crown Prince Consort would be helpful. He just hoped that she would not slow them down.

Women were just stupid and annoying existences!

The Phoenix Girl was like this, let alone the other women!

Zhou Huailing said, "Ruxue, the Officer from Li County can keep you company for shopping, just buy anything you want, and I will pay them later."

"..."

"I need to go to Li Village to solve the problem so that we can go back home sooner." Zhou Huailing consoled her.

Gu Ruxue was very displeased, but she said nothing and just glared at Junyi, leaving unhappily.

Only now did Zhou Huailing decide to leave for Li Village.

He had not wanted to visit Li Village at all, but what he had said made him excited, so he believed that he should handle the incident at Li Village first. And he could take the opportunity to make Prime Minister Chu take his side.

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On the way to Li Village...

Junyi felt slightly better. He could do nothing about the Crown Prince Consort, but the Crown Prince was clear-minded enough to understand what was important. That made him feel slightly better.

Zhou Huailing threw his temper about the bumpy road to Li Village. Then they came to Li Village.

Zhou Huailing was very disdainful.

For him, Li County was just a small place, and he did not have to be here, since Prime Minister Chu was already here.

"Crown Prince, that is the dike which is being dug in front of us. It is for defense and it can be used as a river dike too. The civilians should be very grateful to you, let alone the King," Junyi said with a smile, feeling very satisfied.

Zhou Huailing threw a casual look at it, but he did not take it to heart.

"In a couple of days, the defense will be built and Prime Minister Chu's men will spend the shortest time catching that thing, then we will be done with the task."

When it was mentioned Zhou Huailing thought of something.

After the Prince of North Qi went back to his country, he broke the deal. Xie Yan had visited him, but the Prince did not believe his words.

Those monsters should have been more ferocious than these things.

What a pity.

“Junyi, when we are done with Li Village, go to North Qi. I need you to do something,” Zhou Huailing said.

The words had just been spoken, and Junyi had yet to answer, when suddenly the sound of hasty footsteps rushed towards Zhou Huailing.

Zhou Huailing turned around and his eyes widened, looking extremely frightened.

### **Chapter 1033: Leaving**

“What is that?” Zhou Huailing cried in fright. He should have run away, but it happened too fast for him to run. He could not move, but shouted loudly, “Help me!”

He had not expected that he would run into something like this. It was a man in armor, but his head was metal. He was not like a human at all.

Zhou Huailing realized that this was what killed the villagers at Li Village.

Within a moment, Zhou Huailing felt as if he were going to die right there. He got so scared that tears ran out.

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Junyi was frightened too. He did not even react that he should come to rescue the Crown Prince. He stared at what was happening, unable to think of anything at all.

With a loud sound Zhou Huailing collapsed. He was in extreme pain and felt extremely unconvinced that he had not yet taken the throne.

At this moment, he felt as if that was the end of his life.

“the Crown Prince, are you alright?” Prime Minister Chu asked.

“Am I dead? I am not delusional, am I?” Zhou Huailing got so agitated that his head was muddled, as he looked up at what was happening.

He saw Prime Minister Chu standing in front of him and his hair was unkempt too.

He had no idea what was happening.

He glanced about when he heard the voices of guards.

Only then did he realize that Prime Minister Chu saved him at the key moment.

“Whtat is that!” Zhou Huailing shouted. He almost collapsed. He did not even think about getting up.

Chu Tian let out a sigh of relief.

He got up from the floor and dusted himself off, then told his guards to help Zhou Huailing up.

He went to check out the place where that thing was trapped as well as checking on the guards who were holding it down.

He let out a sigh of relief too.

He asked Zhou Huailing to look at it and pointed at the thing in the pit. "Crown Prince, look at that. It is fine now. That thing is trapped."

Hearing what Chu Tian said, Junyi looked in that direction.

He could see that there was a deep pit that trapped the thing that was about to attack the Crown Prince. Guards were surrounding that place, fearing that something else would happen again.

He let out a sigh of relief.

Chu Tian said, "It is the Officer who has thought about this method, but I always felt that something was wrong. So I asked the villagers to dig some deep pits in case, and it worked!"

Chu Tian sighed in relief as well.

It was good that the Crown Prince was fine, otherwise it would be his responsibility! He would have to take the blame if anything happened.

Li Village was a really dangerous place.

Chu Tian was thinking inwardly.

Zhou Huailing found the thing very frightening. He was afraid that something else would happen!

"I am leaving, it is too dangerous!"

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### **Chapter 1034: Surprised**

Zhou Huailing howled. He did not want to stay here. He pointed at the monster in the pit and said, "Just kill it, kill it so that it won't kill anyone else!"

Zhou Huailing was extremely frightened at this moment, obviously.

He had been frightened, but then he felt lucky before being frightened again. Now his head started to get muddled.

His heart stiffened.

Junyi was obviously frightened as well. He had never seen this thing in real life before, and he had never expected how horrible it would be and what methods he could do to deal with it.

However, just a moment ago, he witnessed the danger...

He was a strategist, after all, so of course he was going to be frightened.

Because of the fright, he reacted after a while. "Crown Prince, let's go back to the office first. It is too dangerous here. You have to stay safe."

Then he stopped the guards and decided to head back.

That was right...

Junyi did hope that the Crown Prince could do the work at Li Village personally, so that the civilians would know how devoted the Crown Prince was and Prime Minister Chu could see how sincere the Crown Prince was.

However, that was only going to happen when the Crown Prince was still alive.

He was going to get killed, if it continued like this. If the Crown Prince was dead, there was no use in getting the civilians' trust and Prime Minister Chu's help!

None of this would matter.

Their lives mattered above all.

Junyi got everything ready at the fastest speed and then left with Zhou Huailing.

Prime Minister Chu could not help shaking his head, seeing them dashing off. They were just too cowardly! They were afraid of death!

However, it was totally understandable under that circumstance.

It was good that they were gone.

Prime Minister Chu was going to see how to control this monster.

Also, since one of the monsters was trapped here, the other monsters would come to attack, he believed. He was going to get everything ready so that they could catch them all.

He was not going to allow the monster to injure the civilians. Prime Minister Chu thought emotionally.

Then he told his men to inform the villagers to stay alert and not come out.

As for the villagers... They were the first injured group, and though they were safe at the moment, they were still baits for the court. In order to avoid letting them get hurt, the court decided to let the civilians stay here instead of leaving. They were supposed to attract those things.

Prime Minister Chu found it cruel to treat civilians like this, but there was nothing he could do.

That was what they had to do just to deal with this matter. He was an officer, and he would do whatever he could to help civilians, but there was still a lot he could not do.

Prime Minister Chu sighed and started to get down to his own business.

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Zhou Huailing and Junyi's wagon had arrived at the office of Li County.

"Crown Prince, this is the office." Junyi reminded him.

He had just said this, but there was no sound coming from the wagon.

Junyi reminded him again, but there was still no move inside.

Junyi was very worried that some accident had happened on the way.

**Chapter 1035: Blame**

He lifted the curtains without any more words.

He felt slightly assured, seeing the Crown Prince inside. He had suspected that the worst had happened. If it had happened... everything would be over.

Zhou Huailing cringed when he saw the sudden move by Junyi, but he let out a sigh of relief after seeing that it was Junyi.

It was time for him to get off the wagon. Zhou Huailing stuck out his head and looked about. When he was sure that he was with his men alone, and that nothing dangerous was within sight, he hesitated a little while before leaving the wagon.

He went into the office very quickly.

He said loudly, "Junyi, just hurry, it is dangerous outside."

Junyi was startled. He looked about and confirmed that it was just the Crown Prince being cautious, he hurried up to catch up with the Crown Prince.

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Back at the office.

Gu Ruxue was there too. She was very surprised that they returned so early.

Then she saw the Crown Prince's pale face. "What is going on?"

"It was so dangerous back there, I almost died!" Zhou Huailing said with a pale look on his face. He was still shivering and what had happened frightened him even now.

At that time...

If not for Prime Minister Chu who had pushed him away, he would not have made it home.

Zhou Huailing was feeling both scared and lucky.

Hearing his words, Gu Ruxue was very frightened too.

She had not wanted the Crown Prince to visit Li Village, but this strategist insisted. Now something bad had really happened. Numerous people died at Li Village so she knew that it wasn't a safe place to go, but he refused to accept her proposal and insisted that the Crown Prince should take the risk.

Gu Ruxue slapped Junyi's face. "It was your fault, filthy servant! If not for you the Crown Prince would not have gone through such a dangerous thing!"

With his hands over his face, Junyi showed a look of disbelief.

Junyi was just a strategist, but he was a very talented person since he was little. He had never been wronged or blamed like this, even his master, just told him that he was not as good as his Senior Brother.

Now... this woman actually slapped him!

Junyi was extremely furious!

Gu Ruxue was not aware of this. She was totally focused on Zhou Huailing.

Zhou Huailing also did not care about this slap, because Gu Ruxue was the Crown Prince Consort, and it was normal that she slapped servants. Also, he was a little bit annoyed about Junyi for not saving him back at Li Village. It was Prime Minister Chu who stepped forward. If not for Prime Minister Chu, he would be doomed.

That was why he did not blame Gu Ruxue for the slap either. Instead, he consoled Gu Ruxue. "I am fine, Ruxue."

"However, we can't stay in Li County, we have to leave for the capital! It is too dangerous here, I just can't imagine what else would happen." Zhou Huailing mumbled.

"Let's go home now!" Gu Ruxue echoed.

Zhou Huailing nodded. He looked up at Junyi and said, "Junyi, go and arrange our trip back home to the capital!"

Junyi was still flushing. He was not in the right mood, but he had to tolerate it. So he went to arrange everything.

They left directly and arrived at the capital before dark.

The moment the wagon entered the gate, the King learned about the Crown Prince's return to the capital.

The King, who was seated at Qianqing Palace, said to De Fu. "Look, he can't even hold on for one single day!"

### **Chapter 1036: Caught?**

"I have just dispatched the Min Family to fetch the Elder Prince and he can't wait to return to the capital. What is he afraid of? Has he done what he is supposed to at Li County? Any progress at all?" The King shouted furiously, and tossed the petitions to the ground.

De Fu could tell that the King was really mad at this moment.

During the past few days, De Fu could tell that the King had been in an unpredictable mood. He had always liked the Crown Prince and he always saw him as the heir. Everything went well, but now he was getting very dissatisfied with the Crown Prince.

However, De Fu was just a servant who should not talk too much. So he said, "It might be another issue, let's wait and see what the Crown Prince has to say. Also, the Min Family has already left the capital and in a couple of days, the Eldest Prince will be home. I don't think that the Crown Prince's return will affect this matter," De Fu said briefly.

It was impossible for him to say something bad about the Crown Prince.

He was just a servant and it was not something he ought to do. So he could only switch the focus to the Eldest Prince instead.

Only then did the King feel slightly better.



They were just talking when the Empress Dowager arrived.

The King frowned – he was not in the mood to meet the Empress Dowager, but the Empress Dowager was already inside.

The moment she walked in she said, " King, why did you ask the Min Family to bring the Elder Prince home? Are you going to grant him the title of lord?"

"..."

"Everything is going so smoothly right now, what are you making trouble for? The Crown Prince is good enough for you. He should do things well."

The Empress Dowager was really furious. She had just learned that the Eldest Prince was being brought home!

She was wondering what the King was up to!

"You should not be so messy in dealing with things!" the Empress Dowager said angrily.

The King had a terrible look on his face as he turned to the Empress Dowager. "Mother, this is the Saint Divine Land, and I am the King, not you, right?"

The Empress Dowager was very furious, but when she heard his words, she suddenly became clear-minded.

She just could not stand how ridiculous the whole thing was, so she came to interrogate her son without noticing that she had been over the top.

The King had gotten increasingly suspicious these years.

The Empress Dowager calmed herself down and said, "I am just feeling responsible. You are on the throne, and I am just a woman."

"Then you take care of what you are responsible for and do not come to care about what happens in the court," the King said with a cold face.

The Empress Dowager left timidly.

The King swept away everything on the table. He, who had been in a bad mood, felt even worse after hearing what the Empress Dowager said.

De Fu arranged servants to sort things out.

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One night passed by.

The following day when he went to the morning session the King had a terrible look on his face.

"King, good news from Li County."

Only then did the King feel his mood lift. Good news from Li County?

“Prime Minister Chu says that they have caught the thing which hurt the people.”

“Oh? Already?” The King looked very motivated.

### **Chapter 1037: Qu Hua Again?**

He had been feeling really annoyed by the Crown Prince not visiting him in the court and thought that he just hurried back to the capital without finishing his task at the county.

He had not had a good sleep throughout the whole night because he was so unhappy.

However, he was very pleased by this good news.

According to the description, he could tell that the thing that hurt people was not something ordinary. The King even suspected that it was related to Destiny Monk and the Phoenix Girl. So he just wanted to know what exactly had happened.

So it was good that the news had come.

He would very much like to see what on earth the thing was, since Destiny Monk might show up because of that.

Well, that was what the King thought.

The Eunuch continued. “However, the Crown Prince was attacked yesterday. He was not injured, but it was a terrible situation back then. The Crown Prince must have gotten frightened so the whole team came back to the capital yesterday.”

“What? The Crown Prince was attacked!” The King was a bit surprised.

All he knew was that the Crown Prince returned to the capital, but he didn’t know what happened at Li County.

So he returned because of the attack! The Crown Prince did not want to tell him about this! What could he do about this?

The King was not in the mood to think about the monster, but said, “How is the Crown Prince now? I will get someone to visit the Crown Prince’s Mansion and let Prime Minister Chu return with the body of the monster!”

“Yes”

“Lady Chaoyan is a very good doctor, so inform Lord Huai about this so that Lady Chaoyan could go and check up on the Crown Prince!” The King ordered when he thought of how he recovered after taking the prescription by Gu Chaoyan.

The Eunuch responded with a small yes when he heard the order.

However, the other ministers were wearing very terrible expressions on their faces.

They believed that the King was getting worse and worse mannered.

Elder Miss was Lord Huai's fiancée, so how could he give the order in the palace! He could have done that privately!

However, the King dismissed the morning session without caring about how the ministers felt...

The moment the King was gone General Liu snorted and shook his head.

He left directly too.

Gu Chaoyan, who was called out in the palace, was currently at Xinlin Clinic.

All seven of the most seriously-injured people woke up, and were doing well. Some could even walk in the yard.

Shanhu, in particular, recovered best.

After Gu Chaoyan gave them the acupuncture, she went to drink tea in the yard without being worried at all.

Zhou Huaijin hurried in.

"Prime Minister Chu has a living one at Li County!" Zhou Huaijin said the moment he sat down.

Although he found calling those things alive strange, that was the best word he could come up with. Those things were so difficult to grasp.

Gu Chaoyan was a bit surprised, and her eyes were sparkling.

She was very interested in studying that thing so she intended to go to Li County directly.

She was about to reveal her plan when it became noisy again outside.

A woman's scream arose.

Was that Qu Hua?

### **Chapter 1038: Changed Ideas**

Gu Chaoyan frowned. She remembered Qu Hua's voice, but she returned when she was already tossed out.

Those who worked at Xinlin Clinic were all men, and Qu Hua was a woman, so even if she was throwing her temper outside, they would just stop and give her a warning. They would not do anything violent against her. They were not hidden guards, so whether it was men or women, they were just obeying orders.

Gu Chaoyan had not thought about getting involved with Li Village.

As she thought about this, she realized that Qu Hua must be here trying to make trouble for no reason. So she decided to head out to take a look.

Gu Chaoyan threw a look at Zhou Huaijin. She decided to drop what she had been thinking. Instead, she said, "Let's have a look."

“Sword One, just inform Shanhu about Qu Hua. No matter what relationship they are in, it was she who brought him to Xinlin Clinic. He should probably meet her,” Gu Chaoyan said.

Sword One nodded and went to inform Shanhu since she was not very busy with what she was doing.

Gu Chaoyan and Zhou Huaijin headed towards the noise.

Gu Chaoyan asked Xiu Jie to find a place which was relatively quieter for the clinic, because it was suitable for Gu Chaoyan, who liked quiet. That was why Qu Hua’s scream was very loud.

Gu Chaoyan headed towards this direction.

Shen Tai let out a sigh of relief. He said helplessly, “Elder Miss, this girl insists on coming in and we just could not stop her!”

Gu Chaoyan nodded.

She looked at Qu Hua.

Qu Hua was very terribly-behaved. She did not change at all even though she had the experience with her last time.

Gu Chaoyan headed in her direction.

Qu Hua, who had been throwing her temper, was no longer that loud at the moment. She was afraid of power and would not offend the future Princess Consort.

However, Qu Hua still did not leave when Gu Chaoyan came out.

She looked into the room, very disappointed at not seeing Shanhu.

She said as she looked at Gu Chaoyan, “I am not here to cause trouble. It is just that I need to say something to him.”

The words had just been spoken when she added, fearing that she would make herself hated again. “It is something Shanhu must know about.”

Qu Hua repeated the sentence and then nodded at herself.

She appeared full of justice.

Actually, there was something going on, but it was not very important.

Shanhu’s family and the village chief had intended to keep it a secret for the moment, but... She decided to come here first!

She would have hesitated about it, since Shanhu was a good man. Yet Shanhu had no family except for an elderly grandma. So Shanhu wasn’t a very suitable person to get married.

However, she had changed her mind.

### **Chapter 1039: Not Going**

She was definitely going to marry Shanhu.

Shanhu was a very excellent man. The Village Chief, for example, spoke highly of him. And what he had done would be noticed by the court, so he was going to have a promising future.

Therefore, Qu Hua was definitely going to marry Shanhu.

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She could not get into the clinic which made her feel really worried – what if someone got him ahead of her?

She had no excuse to be here a couple of days ago, but now she finally did.

Since she was here, she was going to see Shanhu.

Qu Hua had a very confident look on her face. She was just waiting for Shanhu to meet her.

Shanhu did come out after a while.

He saw Qu Hua.

He had regarded Qu Hua as the air, but now she seemed rather irritating.

He frowned. “What are you doing here?”

“...”

“I am receiving treatment here at the clinic, everything is well. The village will get everything ready for me. So what are you doing here by coming to see me at the clinic? How are you going to marry anyone in the future?”

“...”

“I have been alone all these years. I have been injured many times, in hunting and all, I have never been so spoiled.”

Shanhu set up a boundary between himself and Qu Hua, then he was about to turn back.

Qu Hua knew that Shanhu was saying something strange, but she did not take it to heart, when she realized that Shanhu was thinking for her sake.

Seeing Shanhu leaving, she said, “Hang on.”

“...”

“I am not here to make trouble, I’m here to tell you that your grandma is sick,” Qu Hua said, looking very proud rather than sad.

Hearing her words, Shanhu was no longer calm. He panicked. “What? My grandma is sick?”

Shanhu grew up with his grandma.

He relocated his grandma to somewhere in the village, and the Village Chief followed him. He never thought that she would get sick!

However, now Grandma was sick.

Shanhu could not stay calm any more.

He turned to Gu Chaoyan. "Lady Chaoyan, I am afraid that I can't stay here for too long. I need to go home to see my grandma."

Then he was about to leave.

Qu Hua showed a look of happiness. She was going home with Shanhu.

Gu Chaoyan had wanted to stop Shanhu because he had not recovered yet, but he might not be able to be stopped.

Since that was the case Gu Chaoyan said calmly, "Don't get anxious, I will go with you. You have to stay safe."

Shanhu was startled. He nodded and felt a bit happy. He was no longer anxious any more. He believed that Lady Chaoyan was going to arrange everything.

Qu Hua was very displeased. "What are you doing there?"

Gu Chaoyan threw a look at her, but didn't say anything, because Gu Chaoyan did not have to explain anything to Qu Hua.

She needed to take the trip because she had planned to go to Li Village, and with Shanhu around, she had a good excuse.

She asked Sword One to arrange the wagon.

Gu Chaoyan pulled Zhou Huaijin to her side.

"I am going to Li Village with Shanhu, you stay here."

"Why?"

#### **Chapter 1040: To Li Village**

Zhou Huaijin looked very wronged, and looked at Gu Chaoyan transfixed as if she was a little kid who had not shared a candy.

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Gu Chaoyan looked up at him and knew that he was teasing her, instead of asking her. She patted the back of his hands and said carefully, "You already told the King that you wanted to deal with Li County, but the King didn't want you to get involved. So if you go there now without authorization, then the King and many others would pick on you because of this point. Don't make this minor thing so complicated."

"..."

"I am going there with Shanhu with a purpose, because I can just say that I am doing this on behalf of Xinlin Clinic."

"..."

"As for you... you can go there secretly." Gu Chaoyan winked at him.

Zhou Huaijin laughed loudly as he rubbed Gu Chaoyan's nose. "You are indeed my little girl."

The two were speaking so cheerfully...

Xiu Jie and Sword One as well as Shen Tai were all wearing a smile on their faces. In their eyes, Elder Miss and Lord Huai were a great couple together. That they were getting on so well with each other was what mattered the most! They were also very glad to see them speaking cheerfully with each other.

Shanhu wasn't very happy.

Well...

He was well aware that Lady Chaoyan and Lord Huai were a cute couple, but he just could not forget how assured he felt, when he opened his eyes and saw the composed silhouette of this lady when he thought that he was dying.

What kind of feeling was that? Well, Shanhu could not comprehend that either.

Lady Chaoyan seemed like a very composed lady, but after spending some time with her, he could tell that Lady Chaoyan was actually very lively and smart. Then he looked at the handsome-looking man born in a noble family. Shanhu lowered his head and showed a very complicated expression on his face.

At this point, Gu Chaoyan had already come to Shanhu's side. "What are you staring at? Let's leave."

Even after saying this it took Shanhu a long while before he gave a reaction. Then he followed her.

Sword One had two wagons ready, one for Shanhu and Qu Hua, the other for Elder Miss. It was a quick trip, since the destination was Li Village.

Shanhu was still suffering from some injuries, so the wagon was not heading too fast.

Luckily, Li Village was not too far away. It only took them four hours to arrive without a break in the process.

However, the road towards Li Village was quite bumpy, which cost them some time.

Nevertheless they arrived before evening.

The moment they arrived at Li Village, Shanhu was in a hurry to visit his home. Gu Chaoyan thought that she could follow him to check on his grandma. So she asked the coachman to follow Shanhu to his home.

It was a very simple-decorated farmyard. Due to what happened the day before yesterday, the doors were all closed and no one was outside.

Shanhu shouted for a long time before someone came to open the door.

Shanhu said gratefully to the Village Chief, when he saw him. "Village Chief, hi!"

"There you are Shanhu, just come in to check up on your grandma. She has been frightened and is getting worse without you around," the Village Chief said.

When all of this was said Shanhu hurried into the room.

Only then did the Village Chief notice that apart from Qu Hua, there was a very beautiful and noble-looking lady next to them.

Well...

The Village Chief looked at the lady and then at Shanhu. He had a complicated look on his face.