

Divine 1041

Chapter 1041: Overthinking

Judging from the way the lady looked and was dressed, she could not be from some ordinary family. No ladies at Li Village, or even at Li County, were equally beautiful. She must have come from some family in the capital.

He then looked at the maid next to the lady as well as the good-quality wagon that brought Shanhu here. She must be from some rich family.

It seemed that Shanhu had built up a good marital destiny after getting treatment in the capital.

That was very excellent.

The Village Chief would have asked Shanhu to split up with this lady, because in the Saint Divine Land, they cared about equal family statuses, and unequal family statuses always led to a bad result. Shanhu would have ruined the girl's life, but...

After the catastrophe that happened at Li Village, the Village Chief could tell that Shanhu and the others were different.

Shanhu was clever and capable, and he helped the whole village to escape the attack. He deserved to have a lady like this. Also, even if their relationship did not come to a proper end, it was still Shanhu's destiny to run into someone like this. Shanhu was going to be very different in the future.

That was definitely great!

The Village Chief said politely, "Miss, just walk in please, Shanhu cares about his grandma so he has ignored you. Please take a seat here, and I will ask some aunts from the neighbors to receive you."

Having said this, the Village Chief left with Qu Hua and asked Qu Hua to do something for him.

Gu Chaoyan was confused. She just did not understand what the Village Chief wanted, but now that they were gone, there was nothing she could do to stop them. So all she could do was to head back to the room.

However, what she did not know was that the Village Chief had already come up with many ideas during this pause.

Shanhu's home was very rundown, yet clean. Shanhu's grandma was a very neat person. Gu Chaoyan took Sword One into the room and a smell of medicine permeated across the room. It seemed that Prime Minister Chu's doctor must have diagnosed her and given her some medicine.

However, Gu Chaoyan did not think that those medicines worked.

Gu Chaoyan did not think that they should trap the patient and ask her to stay in bed the whole day.

So she asked Sword One to open the door.

Gu Chaoyan walked inside.

She saw an elderly-looking woman in bed.

The woman saw Gu Chaoyan as well and was very surprised to see her. Then she looked at Shanhu.

Shanhu explained. "Grandma, this is Lady Chaoyan. She is a very skilled doctor. I brought her to you so that she can give you a check up. She is worried about you."

Having said this, he spared a seat for her and said gratefully, "Please, Lady Chaoyan."

Gu Chaoyan nodded.

She wasn't a very talkative person. She was only there to check the patient.

She felt the old lady's pulse.

Grandma was sizing up Gu Chaoyan while she was giving her a check up.

She liked this lady. She was very well-mannered and did not even look down at her as a lady from a noble family.

She must be a kind-hearted person as well.

She even followed Shanhu to this poor village.

Shanhu was a good boy so he needed someone who could match up to him.

Well, she knew that Qu Hua was interested... and she knew that Qu Hua was a good girl too, yet...

Chapter 1042: The Girl

She believed that Qu Hua was a very nice girl from Li Village, except that she was not a good match for Shanhu.

She was very arrogant and because of this, she was not a well-mannered person. Also, Qu Hua's family looked down at Shanhu too.

That was something that she was not happy about.

Shanhu was a good boy, except that he was born in the poor village of Li Village, which was a very restricting place for him.

However, it seemed different at this moment.

This girl was nice in every aspect. This girl might give Shanhu a boost, so that she could show to the others in the village as well as Qu Hua's family that Shanhu deserved someone better, rather than to be belittled by those people.

Shanhu's grandma was in a very good mood, and since she was in a good mood, she was getting better.

Gu Chaoyan was done checking her up too. She stood up and said calmly, "Nothing serious. She is just an elderly woman who was startled by what happened here. She needs to take some medicine and move about too. Keep the window open for fresh air. It won't be too cold at this time of the year."

"..."

"I prepared some medicine before we came here. Those should work for her."

“...”

“You can make the medicine for your grandma. Sword One isn’t good in the kitchen, so she is not a good help.” Gu Chaoyan was about to leave after she finished the arrangement.

When Shanhu’s grandma heard what she said, she added, “It is not good for a girl to be bad in the kitchen... she should spend some time learning.”

Gu Chaoyan was about to leave, but then she frowned deeply when she heard the words.

Sword One was born as a hidden guard, and she was responsible for taking care of her.

Qing was not here, because it wasn’t convenient to bring her. That was why she added things to make sure that everything would go well.

She had not expected that Shanhu’s grandma would say words like this.

Shanhu said next to them, “Grandma, what are you talking about? Sword One is Lady Chaoyan’s maid and Lady Chaoyan can make good arrangements for her!”

Then she said to Gu Chaoyan apologetically, “I am just an elderly woman who loves babbling, please don’t take it to heart.”

Although displeased, Gu Chaoyan could not possibly split hairs with an elderly woman like this.

She nodded and left the room.

Grandma looked at Shanhu and was about to say that this noble-looking lady only had one maid, who should take care of Shanhu in the future as well. So she needed to learn to be useful, but she said nothing further, since Shanhu interrupted her.

She could just add that afterwards.

When Gu Chaoyan was gone, Shanhu heard that she was going out for a walk and realized that she would not run into danger, since Prime Minister Chu’s people were here. So he left her alone.

Shanhu helped to make the medicine for his grandma.

The moment Shanhu left...

The aunts arranged by the Village Chief arrived as well.

They thought that there would be a lady from the capital, yet she left the moment they arrived. She had a few followers with her, so they did not stop her.

So they rushed into Shanhu’s home.

Seeing Shanhu’s grandma in bed, some gossiping people asked. “Shanhu’s grandma, who was that girl checking you up?”

Shanhu’s grandma showed a look of pride. “Oh that girl...”

Chapter 1043: Slap in the Face 1

There were still many things that had not been confirmed, so they could not be said so clearly. Shanhu's grandma was old enough to understand that.

She gave a very deep smile instead of saying something explicit. Instead, she said implicitly, "She is a girl from the capital, and she came with Shanhu in her wagon. She has a maid with her too. She is very well-mannered and she looks like she is from a noble family, but she doesn't show any disdain towards me. She has a very good medical skill, so she must be from some medical family. She came to give me a check up because she heard that I am not doing well. So she came to feel my pulse."

"..."

"She brought many supplementary herbs with her, and Shanhu is making it for me. I heard that the girl has a good relationship with Prime Minister Chu. I heard from Shanhu that she is going to speak with Prime Minister Chu. I believe that she will come back soon. You are too late to meet her."

"..."

"Otherwise, you could have spoken with the girl from the capital! Honestly, not many people from our village would be able to have such happiness." Shanhu's grandma showed a very proud look on her face.

Everyone present showed a look of shock. They were more or less sparkling with jealousy and admiration.

One of them said with a flattering tone, "Shanhu's grandma, you and Shanhu have good luck right now, and you are going to prosper! Don't forget us from Li Village, okay?"

When one flattered, the others flattered as well. All of them looked as if trying to suck up to them.

In the past they would never have done anything like this.

After all, everyone from Li Village understood each other well. They knew that they were on the same level and they would not make a fortune.

However, after the disaster happened at Li Village...

The Prime Minister was here and the Village Chief said that Shanhu was a very brave and talented man...

Since Shanhu saved the majority of people at Li Village, they should treat Shanhu's family well.

Also, the court might speak highly of Shanhu, who might have a promising future, so it was wise to treat Shanhu well, since he could help those who needed some help in the future.

So those people came because they heard this suggestion.

And when they arrived and saw a noble miss walking in and out of Shanhu's home, they were more certain about this.

So since they were certain about what was going on, they were going to suck up to Shanhu's family so that they could make use of Shanhu in the future. Maybe they could ask Shanhu to get their sons a job in the capital.

Therefore, those aunts were trying their best to flatter Shanhu's grandma.

Shanhu's grandma was obviously delighted by their flattering. She no longer looked sick.

They had a happy chat with each other.

Qu Hua, who had just finished the task entrusted by the Village Chief, came to check what was going on.

Seeing that Shanhu and Lady Chaoyan were both missing, Qu Hua decided to leave when she just saw a couple of aunts and Shanhu's grandma.

Those aunts were all nosy people, so they decided to flatter them to an even further degree.

Seeing that Qu Hua was leaving, they stopped her and said, "Qu Hua, hey, we are talking about Shanhu and the girl from the capital, are you interested to hear about it?"

Chapter 1044: Slap in the Face 2

Qu Hua had no intention of speaking with those nosy people, but when she heard that they were talking about Shanhu and the girl from the capital she started to think...

The girl from the capital?

That must be none other than Lady Chaoyan!

She did not like Lady Chaoyan, and she was jealous of Lady Chaoyan. However, when she knew that Lady Chaoyan was the future Princess Consort, she dropped her grudge towards her, no matter how little she liked her.

However, they mentioned her at this moment... Qu Hua did not understand why that happened.

One aunt said, "I heard that your father isn't satisfied with Shanhu and doesn't want you to marry Shanhu. He even gave a lot of requirements, didn't he?"

"Yeah, but now Shanhu's grandma doesn't have to be worried about Shanhu's marriage any more. If Shanhu can be with the girl from the capital, then the girls from Li Village have no right to get involved. Not even the best girl at Li Village is as good as the girl from the capital, is she?" Another aunt added.

Shanhu's grandma showed a smile on her face. That was exactly what she wanted to hear, so she felt very comfortable inside.

The Qu Family looked down at them not too long ago, and Shanhu's grandma simply could not forget what happened to them. However, at this moment, Shanhu had become so excellent as to find a girl from the capital.

"My Shanhu is a good kid and he is capable too, but he was born in a poor family, which is a barrier for him. Right now, he has someone who admires him so he is going to be really different in the future,"

Shanhu's grandma said with a smile. "Qu Hua, you are a good girl too, but we don't deserve you. Your father has to find someone else for you to get married to."

"..."

"However, if you need help from Shanhu in the capital, we will be generous enough to offer a hand."

By this point, Qu Hua finally understood what they were talking about.

They were laughing at her. And they thought that Shanhu would marry the girl from the capital, so they were mocking her at the moment.

Her father did seem to be too critical about her marital conditions, but girls needed those things to have a family. It was not that her father had asked too much, it was just a tradition for all families with girls. Also, how could Shanhu's grandma laugh at her in front of so many people. She should have gone to her father to make the complaints as the senior woman in the family!

Also, there were so many other people in front of her too!

Qu Hua, who had always been arrogant, could not stand that any more. She did not want to be bullied.

She refused to leave.

She stood right on the spot and asked, "So the girl from the capital you are talking about... was she the one that came with the wagon?"

"Of course, she came because she learned of my illness. She even prepared the wagon to check on me. She has a maid and she is well-mannered. She is even now speaking with Prime Minister Chu. I believe that they have a good relationship, so she has to meet him since she is here. She has left some medicine for me to take," Shanhu's grandma said, looking extremely proud.

Qu Hua sneered.

It seemed that Shanhu's grandma, in common with her, had misunderstood something.

"Of course Lady Chaoyan has a good relationship with Prime Minister Chu, that is because..."

Chapter 1045: Slap on Face 3

"That is because Lady Chaoyan is engaged to Lord Huai, and she is going to become the future Princess Consort! She is from the imperial family, and Prime Minister Chu is the top officer. Lady Chaoyan often interacts with the Elder Miss of the Chu Family, so they have a good relationship with each other."

"..."

"And Prime Minister Chu is older than Lady Chaoyan, so of course she has to meet him when she is here," Qu Hua said proudly.

Those poor-minded people kept mocking her, but she had been to the capital numerous times and knew more than they did!

Well... She was certain that Lady Chaoyan and Lord Huai were engaged, as for the other things, she wasn't sure. Yet she told the story just to mock the other people. Well, noble ladies always hung out with each other, and she was not going to ask whether Lady Chaoyan had a good relationship with the Elder Miss of the Chu Family.

Qu Hua knew how to play a trick at the moment. She was smiling brightly.

Shanhu's grandma, who had looked so radiant, stiffened when she heard the story.

What was going on? How could she be the future Princess Consort? So why was she here giving her a check up?

The other aunts, who heard the story, felt very embarrassed for Shanhu's grandma. They would have laughed at Shanhu's grandma in the past, but the Village Chief told them that Shanhu had established some relationship with the court, so they were a little worried about that. Therefore they stayed silent rather than laugh.

It took Shanhu's grandma a long while before she was able to understand what was going on. She had to find a way to get out of this.

She forced herself to say, "In that case, the future Princess Consort accompanied Shanhu here personally because Shanhu is appreciated by the capable people in the capital. He is being treated well by a lord, so he is going to have a promising future where he can marry any girl he wants in the capital."

The other aunts were enlightened when they heard what Shanhu's grandma said.

They added. "That makes sense!"

"If he can work for Lord Huai, he will have a promising future and he can marry any kind of girl he wants." One of the aunts added.

Shanhu's grandma showed a proud look on her face again.

That really made sense.

Qu Hua laughed even more loudly.

"You are all so innocent!" Qu Hua said with a laugh. "Why do you think Lady Chaoyan is here? That is because the Village Chief gave Shanhu and the other injured men to Lady Chaoyan's Xinlin Clinic, and Shanhu, as well as the other men were receiving treatment there! It cost 10,000 liang, and Shanhu's yet to recover, so she is here to make sure that he is doing well, so that Lord Huai's reputation will not be tarnished."

"..."

"Honestly, if anyone else came here, Lady Chaoyan would also keep that person company!"

"..."

"Also, look at how she behaved here. She did not spend time drinking tea here, but went to Prime Minister Chu directly. She must be trying to set up a good relationship with Prime Minister Chu because of Lord Huai!" Qu Hua almost burst into laughter.

"Honestly, you are only limited to speaking of what is happening at Li Village, but do you think that things are so easy and simple in the capital?" Qu Hua was not mocking, but saying straightforwardly.

It was very quiet in the room.

It was very embarrassing, so the aunts left with some excuses.

Shanhu's grandma drove Qu Hua out too.

When Shanhu walked in, he spotted the terrible look on his grandma's face.

"What is going on?"

Chapter 1046: Slap on Face 4

As far as Shanhu remembered, his grandma was radiant and in a good mood before he went to make the medicine. She even looked healthier than usual. He was just thinking that some medicine would help her recover these two days.

However, when he came back to check on her after a while, he saw his grandma with such a terrible look on her face, and the air inside the room seemed wrong, although there was no one else around.

He could tell that something wasn't right, so he asked her what was going on.

Shanhu's grandma had a terrible look on her face, as she glared at him and asked seriously, "Who on earth was the girl that came to our home today?"

Qu Hua was an arrogant girl, and she might have made up some lies to counter her.

That was why she needed to confirm with her grandson.

"Lady Chaoyan? The doctor from Xinlin Clinic. She was here to check on you." Shanhu answered.

"Then tell me, is she engaged with Lord Hui?" Shanhu's grandma asked. If she was just a lady who ran a clinic, there was still some difference. So she needed to know specifically.

Shanhu did not want to admit this fact, but it was a fact after all.

He nodded.

Shanhu's grandma had an even worse look on her face. "Why didn't you say that earlier?"

"Grandma, I told you that she was here to check on you," Shanhu said.

Then he realized that something was wrong.

"How did you know about Lady Chaoyan, Grandma?" Shanhu asked.

"Qu Hua said that!" Shanhu's grandma was in a bad mood and found Shanhu increasingly annoying.

"Anyway, go and make your medicine."

Shanhu went to make the medicine, looking timid.

He was in a bad mood too. He could tell that grandma was very satisfied by Lady Chaoyan, and she must have misunderstood something, but there was nothing he could do about it. He could have tried to pursue her if she were not engaged, but now she was and her fiance was a Lord! That was more than people liked him could expect to exceed.

He hoped that his grandma could forget about what happened soon.

Then Shanhu continued to make the medicine.

Gu Chaoyan, who had been the topic of the conversation, was heading towards where Prime Minister Chu was without knowing what was happening.

Li Village was not a very rich place.

Even if the Village Chief had the intention to receive Prime Minister Chu and his men, there was nothing they could do about it. So Prime Minister Chu and his men found a proper place to settle down. They built camps and lived there.

Gu Chaoyan finally arrived there after covering a long distance after she left Shanhu's home.

She told the guards who she was, then she was let in directly.

Prime Minister Chu asked confusedly, "Lady Chaoyan, what are you doing here?"

"There are many people injured here, and some of them were badly wounded and transported to my Xinlin Clinic overnight. I saved their lives. Yet I heard that one of them has a family member who is sick too, so I came to check on her. He is also not yet recovered and I don't want all I did to go to waste, so I accompanied to make sure he is doing okay."

"..."

"I also heard that you are here, Prime Minister Chu, so I came to see you."

Chu Tian looked deeply at Gu Chaoyan.

Chapter 1047: Opinions?

Chu Tian did not believe that that was the only reason for her to be here.

Ms. Gu had experienced a lot of changes these years. He heard from his wife about how she behaved at the banquet and how she was like from his daughter. He realized one thing clearly – this Elder Miss was not simple-minded at all. She was straightforward, but held something deep in her heart.

Lord Huai did try to get hold of the errand here at Li County, but the King did not want to offer the opportunity to Lord Huai.

Lord Huai did not show up, sure, but after just a couple of days, his Princess Consort was here. And she was here for her own business.

She came to keep her patient company and was even in a helpless situation as well.

Chu Tian just did not know what he should say about this matter.

Was it a coincidence? Chu Tian did not think so.

What he could say was that Elder Miss was not only smart but also brave.

The Crown Prince Consort did not dare to be present after she came to Li County, and the Crown Prince was already back at home. Under comparison, Elder Miss was indeed quite brave.

Chu Tian showed a light smile. He looked at Gu Chaoyan. "Aren't you afraid of being here, Elder Miss?"

“What should I be afraid of? You are here, Prime Minister Chu.” Gu Chaoyan answered briefly and then she was attracted to something not faraway. She frowned and asked seriously, “So that is it?”

Chu Tian nodded.

Yes, it was, but it was a very annoying thing, to be honest.

The King, after receiving the news, ordered him to transport it back to the capital for further studies, but it wasn't that easy to transport this huge thing. An iron cage would not work. He even suspected that the iron cage would not be as firm as the thing!

How could it be transported, anyway?

That was something they could not do.

Also, the guards had to stand on watch, in case it ran away and hurt more people.

It was such an annoying issue to deal with.

Officer Junyi must have returned to the capital and he must be extremely startled to not return to check on it. He had thought that Officer Junyi might offer some solutions.

Chu Tian was in a very difficult situation right now, where he had no idea what to do.

Gu Chaoyan showed no fear, and even looked curious, as she headed towards it.

The guards did not dare to let her go there directly, since it was too dangerous for her to be there. Gu Chaoyan was the future Princess Consort, so they could not let anything happen to her.

“Just let Lady Chaoyan have a look at it,” Chu Tian said straightforwardly.

Gu Chaoyan did not hesitate, but headed there directly.

She had seen the dead ones, but this living one looked quite strange too.

It was in a pit that was the same size as it was. It was lively yet could not do anything about being in the trap.

Gu Chaoyan could not help but laugh, as if she were watching an underdeveloped person.

“The King wants me to transport it back to the capital, but the cage is not strong enough to get it there.” Chu Tian was standing next to Gu Chaoyan.

Gu Chaoyan threw a calm look at it.

She chuckled. “Well, that is easy.”

Chu Tian's face changed. He had just asked a casual thing, but Elder Miss came up with an idea.

“What is your opinion?”

Chapter 1048: Going Home

When Chu Tian asked this question, he was also looking forward and hoping to hear what Gu Chaoyan had in mind, although he was still giving Gu Chaoyan a surveying look.

He had been studying this monster during the past few days, and he found that this monster was indeed dangerous. They were made of metal, whilst they were just ordinary humans. They were not a match against the monsters. The most important thing was to press them down and study them.

What he had been discussing with Elder Miss at the moment was something that troubled him.

He had not yet taken a break and had been thinking about how to solve the problem all day long, but none of them had come up with a solution. They could not go on like this.

Chu Tian felt as if he had grasped the last hope, when he heard that Elder Miss Gu had a solution.

Gu Chaoyan threw a look at the metal beings and said calmly, "You managed to trap it because it is in a pit of its size, so that it can't move around and is unable to jump out of it as well. The monster's best weapon is to have metal around it, but that is also its shortcoming."

"..."

"Since it isn't flexible, then get a cage that is equally big as this one and put it inside, cover the lid and the effect would be the same."

"..."

"Like a wooden bucket, but it might not be solid enough. What about getting the ironsmith to make one? It might take some time, but we can wait," Gu Chaoyan said carefully.

Gu Chaoyao's words brightened Chu Tian's eyes.

He went through the whole method inside his head.

He gradually dropped the serious look on his face and then he smiled brightly as the plan became clear. "Great idea!"

"..."

"Really great idea!"

"..."

"You have just brightened my day!"

"..."

"It is such a simple theory and yet it took us days and we still hadn't thought about it," Chu Tian said emotionally. He sighed thinking that he was too old to think of new ideas.

However, there were many young people who had ideas of their own.

They were not going to delay the plan.

Chu Tian summoned his guards and whispered to them so that they could set about business.

There were not any ironsmiths around Li Village, so they needed to head to the capital to find someone who was specialized in making weapons. However, Chu Tian did not think that talents were only in the

capital. He had faith in ordinary people in small towns too. So he arranged a few people to ask around, so that they could get a proper answer.

Chu Tian, who had been the Prime Minister for years, believed that it was a good method.

Chu Tian felt as if his load had been removed.

He showed a look of relaxation, then he asked Gu Chaoyan to take a seat.

There were not many things available at Li Village, and the tents were temporary as well, so let alone tea, they only had some boiled water to serve.

Chu Tian poured a cup of tea for Gu Chaoyan. Then he asked, "Elder Miss, when do you plan to return to the capital?"

Chapter 1049: Admiration

Chu Tian was pouring the tea when he asked the question. He sounded calm, and Gu Chaoyan could not catch his expression, but...

Gu Chaoyan answered briefly, when she already had a plan in head. "Shanhu has just returned to Li Village, and he is making medicine for his grandma. I believe that he will only return to the clinic in a couple of days, after he makes sure that his grandma is well. I am afraid that I will have to stay here with you Prime Minister Chu, sorry for the trouble."

Chu Tian was about to drink his tea when he heard what Gu Chaoyan said. He paused before he continued to take a sip.

He let out a sigh of relief inside his heart.

Actually, he privately hoped that Gu Chaoyan could stay longer, after she offered him the best solution to his problem.

He was not good at martial arts, so he had not expected that the King would entrust this errand to him.

The King asked him to help the Crown Prince, but the Crown Prince got so frightened that he returned to the capital directly, whilst he found the errand getting more and more difficult.

He could not just drop the civilians at Li Village either, and he had to keep all of them safe.

So Chu Tian hoped that he would be able to complete the mission perfectly.

Elder Miss Gu was a smart lady and she should be able to offer some help. So it was great if she could just stay and help. His guards would definitely keep her safe too, on the basis that she was willing to stay.

"Let me arrange a tent for you, it's a little shabby, but that is the best we can offer," Chu Tian said embarrassedly.

Gu Chaoyan nodded and thanked him.

It was still early, so Chu Tian exchanged a few more words with Gu Chaoyan.

“Elder Miss, do you think that anything else will happen during these days? We have just caught one of the monsters,” Chu Tian asked.

He asked this question because he approved of Gu Chaoyan’s intelligence.

Gu Chaoyan thought for a while. Then she nodded.

She came to Li Village personally, only because she believed that something else would happen.

“Just think about this, Prime Minister Chu, if this monster is not being controlled, it can be very harmful and dangerous. The person who made it must have spent effort in doing so, and we aren’t able to fight them. So I believe that something else will definitely happen.”

“...”

“Prime Minister Chu, you have to be prepared,” Gu Chaoyan said seriously.

Chu Tian’s face turned even paler.

They had many men here, but they were not a match against the metal monsters, even though they were fully prepared.

Chu Tian, who had a serious look on his face, cast a look at Gu Chaoyan, who appeared calm and asked, “Lady Chaoyan, would you like to check out the trap we have built?”

“Sure.” Gu Chaoyan nodded.

Chu Tian showed her the traps that Chu Tian had carefully planned.

Gu Chaoyan was shocked.

It was a great trap and a well-planned one too.

“These are the methods proposed by the Crown Prince’s officer, he is an excellent one,” Chu Tian said.

Gu Chaoyan was shocked. “The Crown Prince’s officer?”

Chapter 1050: What?

All Gu Chaoyan knew was that Xie Yan had been working as an officer for Zhou Huailing, but he was now living at Xinlin Mansion, and Zhou Huailing’s men were hunting him constantly.

Normally, Zhou Huailing should have gotten a new strategist and personal officer after Xie Yan quit.

What surprised Gu Chaoyan was that Zhou Huailing was able to recruit someone so smart, since that was beyond what she had anticipated.

She wondered what the Officer was like.

Chu Tian said after seeing her surprised look, “His name is Junyi. He is young and qualified, but he has bad judgement and is too timid. It’s very unfortunate.”

Chu Tian sounded regretful when he said this.

Also...

In comparison, Chu Tian thought that the officer was worse than Elder Miss, who was equally smart, and who was more comprehensive and brave.

There were few people like this now.

Gu Chaoyan nodded. She more or less knew what the officer was like.

After receiving the information, she did not pry any deeper. She would find out more in the future.

Gu Chaoyan checked around the traps.

She believed that Prime Minister Chu had already done a comprehensive job and no big changes needed to be done. That was all the traps could do at the moment and what mattered above all was the spontaneous situations.

Gu Chaoyan was very worried about what was happening.

In the days that came afterwards, Li Village was dominated by silence and distress. Everyone had an alarmed look, because they all knew that their enemies were not human, but something far more difficult to deal with. More strictly speaking, they were going to deal with weapons.

Even Gu Chaoyan did not look equally calm any more. She had been frowning at this during the past few days.

As far as she could tell, the enemy would appear after at most two days, and they were going to rescue the monster here – they would not allow the monsters to be studied thoroughly.

It was already the fourth day.

Prime Minister Chu had already arranged some elderly people and the children to Li County, in case they were not able to be as well protected.

Prime Minister Chu also asked Gu Chaoyan to return home.

However, Gu Chaoyan turned that down.

She was here to get involved so she was not leaving just because she had seen something dangerous coming.

She had a few more guards next to her since she refused to leave, but Prime Minister Chu left a few for himself.

Gu Chaoyan really believed that Prime Minister Chu was worth admiration.

In the past, Prime Minister Chu could be considered as a stubborn, loyal minister, and a little tricky too, but he was indeed a devoted minister.

She was firmly sure about one thing –

Prime Minister Chu was a very considerate person who cared about civilians.

Gu Chaoyan was just thinking about this when suddenly...

She sensed some movement.

“What?” Chu Tian asked with a stiffened face.