

## **Divine 1101**

### **Chapter 1101: Just Message**

Sword One nodded and headed towards the side yard of Xinlin Mansion.

Xie Yan was arranged to live in the side yard of Xinlin Mansion. He was fed, but no one served him. He could come to the yard and walk about, otherwise no one would trouble him.

He really liked his yard. So he was rarely seen somewhere else in the mansion. If Elder Miss needed him, Sword One would go and pass on the message.

Therefore Sword One was at Xie Yan's yard while he was in the middle of drinking tea.

Seeing Sword One's arrival, he showed a slightly complicated look on his face. He looked as if he were waiting for Sword One, and yet as if he had no intention of meeting Sword One. Xie Yan gave a slight cough, trying to conceal his embarrassment.

He sipped the tea and looked at Sword One. "What are you calling for me for?"

Then he took another sip of tea.

Xie Yan was very satisfied by the yard he had been provided in Xinlin Mansion. It was a relatively small mansion, and most of the things inside were simple and concise, but Xie Yan felt very comfortable living in such a place, compared to the luxury of the Crown Prince's Mansion. The tea, for example, was very tasty. And Xie Yan liked it.

Except... Except that Gu Chaoyan's maid came to disturb him every now and then.

That was what Xie Yan was thinking inwardly.

Sword One did not care. She showed a very calm expression on her face, asking, "Elder Miss is asking for you, and she is drinking tea in the yard. She wonders if you would like to have a chat with her?"

Xie Yan started to think about a lot of things, when he thought of how Gu Chaoyan was asking for him.

He asked carefully. "What did she want from me?"

Xie Yan was feeling quite defensive against Gu Chaoyan, that was why he asked the question.

Normally, he could just turn her down. After all, he already fulfilled his promise in the contract with Gu Chaoyan, and there was nothing more he needed to do, but Xie Yan had the intention of meeting her. Subconsciously, he felt that Gu Chaoyan was a very good person to rely on.

And he used to be the Crown Prince's strategist, so he was a little bit arrogant about his past experience.

With the complicated emotions mixed, Xie Yan came up with such a twisted situation.

However... Sword One was not a very understanding person.

Hearing the question, she said straightforwardly, "I am just here to pass on the message, Elder Miss has told me nothing about what she wants. If you don't want to meet her, I can pass on your message to Elder Miss as well."

Elder Miss did not tell Sword One to force Xie Yan to join them, so it depended on Xie Yan whether he was going to come. Sword One only needed his answer, which was the way Sword One dealt with things.

Xie Yan snorted.

What else would she want from him? Gu Chaoyan was a very evil person, so she was probably trying to set him up.

Also...

### **Chapter 1102: Xie Yan's Meeting with Gu Chaoyan**

Also...

Also the agreement he reached with Gu Chaoyan about the duration of his stay was expiring. Xie Yan knew clearly that Gu Chaoyan admired him from the bottom of her heart, and that she could not conceal her admiration towards him. Also, she kept urging him to meet her.

Lord Huai was just a Lord, but the throne was not yet taken. Everyone might be the candidate.

He had never seen any imperial children who didn't dream about the throne.

He could tell that Gu Chaoyan was ambitious, since she cared so much about what was going on. So he believed that Lord Huai should have the same ideas as well.

They needed a strategist.

So he believed that he would be interesting for them, otherwise, why would they keep protecting him for a month? And he had no work to do during this month, so it must be costly for the couple.

So they must be trying to make him stay.

Xie Yan thought this inwardly.

He was very confident about his talent. However, the moment he decided to leave the Crown Prince, he already did not want to get involved with the competition for the throne. So it was not proper for him to remain by Lord Huai's side.

However, Gu Chaoyan was a very interesting person who respected everyone around her.

Xie Yan had no idea what choice he should make.

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And Sword One wore a very complicated look on her face.

It was just a chit chat Elder Miss asked for, what took Mr. Xie for so long?

Sword One reminded him. "Mr. Xie, are you going or not?"

Xie Yan withdrew his emotions and answered. "Of course, yes."

Sword One looked even more confused.

What took him so long to make the decision? Elder Miss was not a beast!

Sword One dropped the confusion and took Xie Yan to the yard in which Gu Chaoyan was staying.

Xie Yan could see Gu Chaoyan and Lord Huai drinking tea there, so he could not help feeling very nervous. Just as he had expected, Gu Chaoyan and Lord Huai must have admired his talent, so they were trying to get close to him and make him stay.

Well...

It was something Xie Yan was very confused about. He had no idea what choice he should make.

Xie Yan sighed and went to join them.

Gu Chaoyan showed a brief smile. "Mr. Xie, just take a seat, please."

Then she asked Qing to serve the tea.

Qing was very fast as well. The moment Xie Yan sat down, the tea was already served and it was still hot. The tea served at Xinlin Mansion was very tasty, and Gu Chaoyan got the best for herself. So the smell lingered.

Instead of taking the teacup, Xie Yan asked cautiously, "Lady Chaoyan, what do you need me for?"

Gu Chaoyan chuckled.

"Nothing much, just wanted to share a very interesting thing that has happened in the capital these days."

### **Chapter 1103: Xie Yan's Plan**

"Mr. Xie, you have been spending the whole day in the yard, so you must have no idea that Destiny Monk has gone back to the temple," Gu Chaoyan said with interest, then she sipped the tea and sneaked a look at Xie Yan's expression.

Xie Yan was very astonished when he heard the news.

He knew Destiny Monk well. He even met him once.

When the Crown Prince was still Lord Ling, he went to the temple and made prayers. Destiny Monk interpreted the prayer and told him that the Phoenix Girl's reincarnation was at Gu Mansion, and that the Phoenix Girl was the one that could summon all birds.

Then Destiny Monk disappeared.

What happened then proved what he had said.

The Phoenix Girl turned out to be at Gu Mansion, and on the day when she became an adult, hundreds of birds were circling over Lord Ling's mansion.

However, what the Phoenix Girl could bring to the Saint Divine Land was still unknown.

The Crown Prince as well as the King had spent at least half a year trying to find Destiny Monk, and Xie Yan had thought that Destiny Monk would only appear when chaos happened in the land, but he turned up so fast.

When he made an appearance... the Saint Divine Land would meet endless chaos.

That was either because of the order of heaven, or because of Destiny Monk.

Xie Yan snorted.

He would have believed that Destiny Monk was like a god in the past... but when he stopped working for the Crown Prince and walked out of the world of power, he looked at Destiny Monk from a different angle and did not think that Destiny Monk was a god-like being.

Seeing Xie Yan snorting... Gu Chaoyan asked him with interest. "Any opinions, Mr. Xie?"

"Not really, but I have some feelings. This Destiny Monk..." Xie Yan was about to say something when he suddenly realized that something was wrong. He paused instantly as he looked at Gu Chaoyan, sizing her up.

Gu Chaoyan was indeed a very evil girl, just as he had expected.

She almost made him leak what he was thinking! However, he was cautious enough not to reveal his own ideas.

He was a strategist and what was the most valuable were his ideas.

If he was bought with just some good tea, then it would show that his ideas were not valuable. Gu Chaoyan could hear his opinions, yet she should tell him if she wanted to hire him as a strategist. If she nodded in agreement, then he would reveal everything he was thinking. If she shook her head, then there was no reason that he would continue.

So anyway, Gu Chaoyan should ask him first.

Xie Yan said confidently, "I am a strategist, and I work on it. I can't just reveal my ideas casually. Unless I am saying this to my employee, I will definitely not share my opinions."

Xie Yan said this without showing fear.

Well...

He had his own reasons to say this.

#### **Chapter 1104: Your Plan**

He was trying to seduce Gu Chaoyan to hire him. He had expressed himself clearly and Gu Chaoyan was definitely going to keep him. Well, the agreement they had earlier was that Gu Chaoyan would keep him safe for one month if he told the truth.

He used to work for the Crown Prince, and Gu Chaoyan was going to marry Lord Huai, so it was possible that she was not revealing the truth.

Now she had very little time left, since he was leaving in one month's time.

Therefore, he decided to put what he was thinking straightforwardly.

If Gu Chaoyan was clever enough, she should have understood what he meant.

Xie Yan was a good strategist and did not have many demands. It should be a good choice to keep him.

Xie Yan showed a look of relaxation as he waited for Gu Chaoyan to respond.

Gu Chaoyan sipped her tea after hearing what he said. She smiled at Xie Yan, feeling a bit surprised. Xie Yan was different from what she had remembered, and he was a very persistent and interesting man, and he understood the situation well. However, Zhou Huailing did not keep him and replaced him with Junyi.

Gu Chaoyan could not help feeling sorry for Zhou Huailing.

Yet she did not dwell on these thoughts.

Since Xie Yan wanted to keep his opinions secret, she was not going to force him. He was right, he was not her strategist and he had no obligation to share his opinions.

She had intended to keep the conversation simple and share her opinions with Xie Yan, since both of them were interested in what was happening in the capital, but she could leave the topic, if that was the case.

Gu Chaoyan smiled. "Then we can drop it."

"..."

"The strategist working for the Crown Prince studied with you in the past right? He is doing well and he is going to get married soon," Gu Chaoyan said casually.

Xie Yan felt both surprised and annoyed.

He was surprised that Junyi would get married – they were both strategists and they would not choose to get married unless they were retired with accomplishments. And he did not think that Junyi was a man who would get married. He was a wild person and he never looked up to any women. He did not need to have any offspring so why would he get married at this moment?

Could the Crown Prince have forced a woman on him? That could be possible.

"What a poor woman. She has to marry someone like Junyi, who looks down at women," Xie Yan said timidly, but then he added. "But the woman must be the Crown Prince's mole, so she is not someone to feel sorry for."

"..."

"Lady Chaoyan, anything else you would like to say? If not, I will be off now." Xie Yan asked.

Gu Chaoyan nodded.

Xie Yan felt a bit disappointed, and left after a few moments' unwillingness.

He even got a bit annoyed after he turned around. Why did Gu Chaoyan say nothing about hiring him, when he spoke to her in such an open way.

When Xie Yan sighed and left...

Zhou Huaijin seemed to get what Xie Yan was thinking as he watched his retreating figure. He smiled with interest and asked Gu Chaoyan. "What do you plan to do with him, after his stay here expires?"

### **Chapter 1105: Confusion**

While Zhou Huaijin was talking, Gu Chaoyan had picked up her teacup and drank some tea. The tea tasted good, totally fitting for the weather. It was very important what kind of tea should be eaten in what kind of season. Gu Chaoyan was still thinking about this when she heard what Zhou Huaijin asked.

She looked confused as she looked at Zhou Huaijin.

Her plan? What plan?

They already came to the agreement with Xie Yan, who would tell them the truth about why he was being hunted by Zhou Huailing whilst they kept him safe for a month to prevent him being found by Zhou Huailing's men.

The agreement was reached ages ago and they were following the rules. Xie Yan could do whatever he wanted after one month's time, and it depended on himself what plan he was going to take, rather than what plan she was making.

Gu Chaoyan could not understand the question.

She sipped her tea and turned a confused look at Zhou Huaijin, wondering what he meant.

Zhou Huaijin could not help but chuckle at the sight of Gu Chaoyan's confused look.

Xie Yan had been implicitly asking Chaoyan if she could keep him, and he expected Chaoyan to answer his question. Yet Chaoyan did not. And also, Xie Yan had apparently turned very disappointed.

However, he said nothing.

That was because he wondered if Chaoyan had other plans.

Chaoyan was a girl with plans, and she never told anyone what she was really thinking.

That was why he asked such a question.

However, seeing the way Chaoyan reacted, Zhou Huaijin realized what Chaoyan had been thinking about – she never thought about keeping Xie Yan, thus not answering Xie Yan's words. She did not avoid the question. She just did not think about it.

Zhou Huaijin laughed and found Chaoyan lovely.

She was, actually, an incredibly smart girl. She could be extremely considerate about everything, and made perfect plans, but she could be innocent and lovely sometimes, like right now. She was also quite slow when it came to emotions. She could never sense anyone who was interested in her

He liked her in this way, but he started to feel sorry for Xie Yan as well.

Inside Xie Yan's heart, Chaoyan was incredibly tricky and he would assume that Chaoyan had her own ideas and plan. However, what he did not understand was that Chaoyan was just a girl who had just passed her adulthood, and she could be very innocent as well.

Therefore, Xie Yan failed in his plan and got tripped by his arrogance.

As he thought about how Chaoyan did matters and the staff she had recruited, all of them begged to stay rather than were asked, except for Prince Muyi's bodyguard, who she intended to recruit yet gave up because of Prince Muyi.

And Xie Yan was obviously not capable enough for Chaoyan to hire.

Therefore...

### **Chapter 1106: The Arrogant Xie Yan**

Therefore, the only way for Xie Yan to stay was to stop being arrogant and asking Chaoyan personally and openly. That should work out, but he did not think that Xie Yan would understand this.

It would be a pity if he could not.

Xie Yan was a very talented person, otherwise Zhou Huailing wouldn't have paid three visits just to hire him. Even an arrogant man like Zhou Huailing would bow to him and beg him to work for him, so Xie Yan should be considered as someone capable, thus being a little arrogant. It wasn't so easy for him to bow to anyone.

Nevertheless, Zhou Huaijin did not want to get involved with this decision of Chaoyan's.

Chaoyan could do whatever she wanted, and if she failed, he could defend her.

Zhou Huaijin smiled and did not continue with his thoughts. Instead, he said, "Although you can keep him under protection for a month, Junyi has got so many messengers across the town. The moment he leaves Xinlin Mansion, he will be caught. How do you plan to arrange what happens to him later?"

Oh this plan...

Gu Chaoyan sipped the tea and thought for a while, carefully.

She did need to reconsider the situation.

She had been planning to think about the situation after a couple of days, but when Huaijin mentioned it, she thought that she should think about it carefully, so that Shadow Door could make cooperative arrangements too.

Gu Chaoyan thought for a while, then she said, "We can ask Sword Two to ask about Xie Yan's own opinions. Shadow Door can help him to go wherever he wants to."

Zhou Huaijin nodded.

He looked at Gu Chaoyan with a smile on his face. He could not help feeling sorry for Xie Yan.

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Xie Yan, by this point, had returned to his own yard and took a seat inside.

On the way here, he started to think about the whole thing. He had been very disappointed, but soon he got quite angry. He really believed that Gu Chaoyan was not easily irritated. He had made such an open offer yet she did not pay attention to any of the words he said. She must be thinking about other ideas just to press him down, so as to get a capable strategist like him with the fewest efforts.

Honestly...

She was much more tricky than the Crown Prince, but she was a better person than the Crown Prince after all.

Yet Xie Yan would not bow so easily.

They had to pay to get a capable strategist like him, and Xie Yan was worth the effort.

That was what Xie Yan thought.

Since Gu Chaoyan was not in a hurry to do anything, he did not intend to do anything either. He was going to wait until the time was right and at that moment, she would think of a way to keep him.

That was something Xie Yan was confident about.

When he was done with this. The servants that delivered the food and necessities arrived. The servants knew him well, and understood that he did not want to be disturbed. So they put down the things in another room and left directly.

However, Xie Yan thought for a while and asked that servant to come to him.

He had nothing special to tell him. However, he just asked him. "Could you please bring Xiu Jie here? I would like to ask him about something."

"Okay." The servant answered politely.

Xie Yan nodded with satisfaction, telling them to get down to business directly.

Although he decided to remain silent as Gu Chaoyan, he planned to prepare himself. He was going to ask Xiu Jie what Gu Chaoyan was like, so that he knew what to do under certain situations.

The sound of knocking at the door arose as well.

"Mr. Xie, what are you calling me for?"

**Chapter 1107: My Words**



Xiu Jie was very polite when he was faced with Xie Yan, who was the guest whilst he was a servant. It was totally reasonable when he treated him nicely.

Xiu Jie had always been very good at paying attention to details. That fit his own personality, not because Gu Chaoyan had taught him anything, but because Gu Chaoyan liked the way he dealt with different things.

Seeing Xiu Jie treating him nicely, Xie Yan could not help but smile. He was very satisfied by how he was treated at Xinlin Mansion.

All the servants at Xinlin Mansion were well-behaved. That must be because Gu Chaoyan did favor him and she was telling them to treat him in this way.

Xie Yan waved his hands at Xiu Jie, telling him to take a seat first, then he asked casually, “Xiu Jie, you have been working for Lady Chaoyan for quite a while, what do you think Lady Chaoyan is like?”

When Lady Chaoyan was mentioned Xiu Jie got really excited, and his eyes were sparkling.

For him, Lady Chaoyan was someone he really admired and respected.

He began speaking. “Our Elder Miss looks very cold and barely smiles, but she is a really nice woman. For example, since I began to work for Elder Miss, she has been treating us well in all aspects. And she never regards us as servants, but as her equal.”

“...”

“Elder Miss is not strict at all. We who work for her have only one rule – we should never betray her, but she has no other restrictions against us.”

“...”

“Elder Miss is very easy to serve. She loves tea, so as long as we have tea she likes ready for her, she would be very satisfied.”

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“...”

Xiu Jie just could not stop speaking highly of Gu Chaoyan’s merits.

Xie Yan almost got tired hearing those compliments. He interrupted him. “I got it, your Elder Miss is a really nice person!”

Xiu Jie nodded seriously.

Xie Yan asked nothing more, otherwise he would get fed up with hearing any more compliments. So he asked Xiu Jie to go back to his own business.

Well...

At this moment, he became even more confident.

Gu Chaoyan was a very tricky girl who could maximize her own interests. He did not think that she was an ordinary girl who could be driven away so easily.

However, she spent so much effort trying to keep him. Look at what Xiu Jie said – he must have been prepared just to lure him, but Xie Yan was a clear-minded and intelligent man of his age.

He had his own judgment.

Gu Chaoyan was tricky, but she was indeed nice.

He could stay, but she had to be more sincere than she was now. She needed to negotiate with him and come to an agreement with him so that a deal could be made.

As Xie Yan thought about this, he started to eat dinner with an assured heart.

He believed that everything was within his control.

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The following day...

At the Crown Prince's mansion.

Gu Yunhe had already received Gu Ruxue's message, so he hurried to the Crown Prince's Mansion the following morning and decided to carry out discussions with Gu Ruxue in detail.

He had never been so devoted to anything else before.

This was a totally different thing for him.

When Gu Ruxue saw Gu Yunhe she looked impatient. "Brother, didn't I tell you before?!"

"What did you tell me?" Gu Yunhe asked confusedly.

### **Chapter 1108: Plan**

He was here to discuss Yellow Crane, and it was the first time he tried to speak with Ruxue about this.

When mom's servant came to ask for enquiries to the Crown Prince's Mansion the day before, Ruxue nodded with a yes, so he was here.

What was going on?

Gu Ruxue said impatiently, "I told you that if you want to get married, you have to choose the Second Lady of the Chu Family. She may be a concubine's daughter, and not as noble as County Princess Anxi."

"..."

"Yet County Princess Anxi and Elder Princess are just wearing empty titles, and have no realistic powers. They only live under the Empress Dowager's name. Look at County Princess Anxi, she is not in a good relationship with Gu Chaoyan, but County Princess Anxi did not dare to do anything about it."

"..."

“The Second Lady of the Chu Family may be a concubine’s daughter, yet if you can marry her, the Crown Prince would receive the Chu Family’s support.”

“...”

“When the Crown Prince reaches his goal, you would be an Imperial family member, and if you don’t think that Second Lady of the Chu Family is good enough, you can marry someone else again instead.”

Hearing what Gu Ruxue said, Gu Yunhe looked helpless. “Ruxue, what are you talking about, I want Yellow Crane, which has nothing to do with County Princess Anxi. I just like Restaurant Jixian. If you don’t want me to get involved with County Princess Anxi, and Elder Princess, then help me to get Restaurant Jixian as well.”

“...”

“I will of course listen to your advice about who I am going to marry.”

“...”

“I just feel that Yellow Crane is too annoying and I don’t want Lord Huai to make so much money in the capital, so I would like to have it for myself. Yellow Crane might be mine on the surface, but the income will all be the Crown Prince’s, for his army!”

“...”

“I spent too much time at Pass, and I am unable to do anything in the capital. So if I can do this for the Crown Prince, then I will,” Gu Yunhe said seriously.

He sounded really devoted.

Hearing his words Gu Ruxue let out a sigh of relief.

That was what he meant...

She had thought that her brother had become so obsessed with the girl that he decided to drop the Second Lady of the Chu Family. Then her plan would not be achieved.

If that was the case... everything would get much easier.

They had thought about taking over Yellow Crane, yet they did not have enough power back then. However, now they did, and her brother mentioned that, so things would be much easier.

“I get it now. I will tell the Crown Prince about this, and he will arrange someone to help you!” Gu Ruxue promised with a look of relief. Then she remembered. “But before the Crown Prince makes the arrangement, you can just drop it. You can go to the Second Lady of the Chu Family, who is very happy to marry you. However, Prime Minister Chu is too stupid to understand the importance of marrying Second Lady of the Chu Family to you. If you don’t think that plan works, then you can just get the Second Lady of the Chu Family pregnant, and then she will have to marry you.”

Gu Yunhe understood what the plan was.

He smiled. “Then I will get down to do that!”

Gu Ruxue nodded.

Gu Yunhe went to speak with the Second Lady of the Chu Family, while she went into the study.

She did not even let anyone pass on the message but went in directly.

Zhou Huailing and Junyi were just talking about business when Gu Ruxue went in without warning. Zhou Huailing's expression sank the moment he saw that.

### **Chapter 1109: To Get Yellow Crane 1**

He had just heard that someone was walking in without announcement and he almost panicked, then he saw that it was Ruxue.

Zhou Huailing got even more furious when he saw Gu Ruxue standing in front of him.

Even ordinary men would not allow women to walk in without announcement. No women would be allowed to disturb, let alone walk in directly. He was the Crown Prince, the future King and Gu Ruxue simply had no manners.

She had always been doing this kind of thing in the past, but he never lectured her because of her identity as the Phoenix Girl, but she was over the top at the moment and she had just startled him, which made him even more furious.

Instead of keeping down his anger, he lectured her directly, "What are you doing Ruxue, I am in the middle of business talk with Junyi, and you don't even announce your arrival, that is so unruly!"

"..."

"This is the Crown Prince's Mansion, and I won't snap at you, but you are the Crown Prince Consort, and you will have to attend all kinds of banquets in the court, you would be a laughing stock if you continue to be like this!"

"..."

"Never do anything like this again!" Zhou Huailing said with a serious look on his face.

Gu Ruxue still showed a look of indifference.

The Crown Prince told her this because he was doing this for her. The Crown Prince loved her and would never lecture for small matters like this.

She knew what the Crown Prince was worried about. He was worried that she would receive contempt because of rules and interests.

However, the Crown Prince just over-thought about this. She was the Phoenix Girl so no one could do anything about her.

The Crown Prince was worried about her and he had an even more considerate plan for her, so she never got angry about the Crown Prince and his words.

Gu Ruxue smiled and said, "I know what you mean, but I am only doing this in front of you and the Crown Prince's Mansion, not anywhere else. So don't worry, Crown Prince."

Hearing how she reacted, Zhou Huailing discovered that she still did not understand what she had done wrong, and that irritated him even more.

Junyi gave him a look.

Zhou Huailing accepted the gaze and pressed down his anger.

Destiny Monk was already in the capital and the secret of the Phoenix Girl would soon be revealed, so he should not throw away all the efforts they had made just because of some small things.

He was not very satisfied with his woman, but he was going to take all kinds of women he wanted when he took the throne.

He could even take Gu Chaoyan and Liu Qingqing, whom he had dreamt before, if he wanted.

Zhou Huailing pressed down his anger then he showed a gentle smile. "It's good that you understand this. I am just worried that you will forget about those manners when you are outside."

"..."

"What are you doing here?"

Gu Ruxue had predicted how Zhou Huailing would react.

The Crown Prince loved her deeply, so he would always forgive her, no matter what she did.

Her mother said that if a man could treat you well unconditionally, then he did love you deeply.

Well...

## **Chapter 1110: To Get Yellow Crane 2**

That was what the Crown Prince was like. And that was how he should behave. Gu Ruxue used to be the most beautiful girl in the whole capital, and she had all kinds of artistic skills. So it was very reasonable that the Crown Prince adored her.

Gu Ruxue felt so happy, and believed that the life she was living right now was what she had been dreaming about since childhood.

She had always looked beautiful and was favored at Gu Mansion, and she was even more adored than the lineal daughter. She even married the man who was going to be the King when she just stepped into adulthood. Soon she was going to be the Queen and the most respected woman in the world. And her child would become the next King, and the Crown Prince would continue to spoil her like this. More importantly, she was the Phoenix Girl!

She was the happiest woman in the whole world.

Smiling Gu Ruxue said, "I did have something I would like to discuss with you."

“...”

“Brother has just come to the mansion because he wants to take over Yellow Crane.”

“...”

“I think that as the Crown Prince, you can help my brother to take over Yellow Crane without any difficulty, right?”

“...”

“Brother also said that he will just take the name, yet the profits will all be yours to boost your army!”

“...”

“Crown Prince, what do you think?”

Gu Ruxue really believed that it would be very easy for him to do. He could even order them to offer Yellow Crane, look at what happened to Lord Huai’s Mansion! That was why she put it forward so easily.

Zhou Huailing, who had been displeased a while ago because Gu Ruxue came to disturb him for such a small matter, was satisfied by how Ruxue spoke.

It was a very easy thing for him right now, and the Gu Family knew what he could do. They also knew that they should support him rather than take the profits personally. So the restaurant was good for him.

In this case, he was going to say yes to this request.

It would just take some time and energy.

Well, that was too true.

He did not think that his Eighth Brother had any idea of what situation he was in right now.

He better keep a low-profile so he should drop Yellow Crane. He did not need that much money as a minor Lord.

So he was going to take over the restaurant.

“Okay, I will spare some time to help your brother. Your brother is now hanging out with Young Masters of the noble families, which is good for us. Yellow Crane should be a good place for them to have fun,” Zhou Huailing said, looking supportive.

Then he turned to Junyi and said indifferently, “Junyi, how do you think we should deal with this matter?”

It might be an easy thing for him right now, but he was still the Crown Prince, and he needed to obtain civilians’ support rather than do anything impulsive. It would be best if they could deal with everything in a proper way.

Junyi showed a very bad look on his face.