

Chapter 701: Guesses

When Weng Jingjing, I mean, Bai Shanshan left Taoyuan Village, her heart was still uneasy.

She frowned, not quite understanding why Gong Tianhao and Xiao Lingyu let her go so easily.

From what she knew of Gong Tianhao, Gong Tianhao was not such a kind person. Since he had doubts about her, he would detain her for investigation. However, he let her go just like that.

Actually, no. It was Xiao Lingyu who let her go. She whispered something to Gong Tianhao before Gong Tianhao kicked her out. Bai Shanshan knew that Xiao Lingyu was a very cunning woman. She wouldn't let her go so easily.

Bai Shanshan was right.

"What did you say? That woman is Bai Shanshan?!" When Old Master Gong heard Xiao Lingyu's words, he was clearly quite shocked. "Yu 'Er, do you have evidence?"

Back then, Bai Shanshan had slandered Xiao Lingyu on the internet. Old Master Gong had sent people to capture her, but Bai Shanshan had disappeared right under their noses. At that time, they thought that Jiang Tao had captured her. However, that was not true. Bai Shanshan had basically dissolved into thin air.

If Xiao Lingyu was right, then it was no wonder that they couldn't find her. Bai Shanshan had changed her face.

Xiao Lingyu shook his head and said, "Grandpa, I don't have any conclusive evidence. The reason why I can be sure that this Weng Jingjing is Bai Shanshan is that I smell Bai Shanshan's perfume on her. Grandfather, you should know that my sense of smell is extremely sensitive.

"Also, Tianhao told me that Situ Xing said that this woman has undergone heavy plastic surgery," Xiao Lingyu continued.

Old Master Gong nodded and said, "Yes, this means that this person is undoubtedly Bai Shanshan."

At this moment, Gong Tianhao frowned and asked in puzzlement, "Grandfather, Yu 'Er, who exactly is this Bai Shanshan that you're talking about?"

When Bai Shanshan was slandering Xiao Lingyu and Xiao Letong, Gong Tianhao was still lying on the hospital bed.

After he woke up, this matter had already passed a long time. Of course, no one mentioned it to him.

As a result, he knew nothing about this woman, Bai Shanshan.

Xiao Letong said, "Dad, Bai Shanshan is a bad person. Back then, she framed mom on the internet and almost caused mom to go bankrupt. Luckily, Mom was wise and had a plan to deal with it. That was why her plot didn't succeed." He made it sound serious, but he was not wrong.

“What?” Gong Tianhao was furious when he found out what Bai Shanshan had done, “Yu ‘Er, you should have told me earlier that Bai Shanshan framed you. I wouldn’t have let her go so easily.”

Xiao Lingyu said, “Tianhao, calm down. The question now is, how are we going to find the person behind Bai Shanshan?”

“Bai Shanshan was rescued from the hotel under the watchful eyes of Gong Yingxiong and Brother Jiang. After that, we couldn’t find any clues about her.

“Now, she reappears as your ex-girlfriend, Weng Jingjing. This is not normal at all.

“Also, when I was stopped in China, she took my place and showed up before you in County M. Clearly, someone doesn’t want us to get together and want to destroy our relationship.”

“Yu ‘Er is correct.” Old Master Gong said seriously, “Also, the last time Yu ‘Er went to the capital to meet you, she ended up being kidnapped and almost assassinated in a seven-star hotel under your name. Who has the ability to do that? Could these two groups be in cahoots?”

Gong Tianhao held Xiao Lingyu’s hand tightly and stared into her eyes as he said seriously, “Yu ‘Er, don’t worry. I will get to the bottom of this matter. I will not allow anyone to destroy our relationship and our family.”

Xiao Lingyu nodded her head and said, “Yes, I believe in you.”

Gong Tianhao then asked, “Yu ‘Er, you asked me to let Bai Shanshan leave. Are you trying to lure out the person behind her?”

Xiao Lingyu nodded and shook her head, “Yes and no. Through my observation, the person behind Bai Shanshan is a smart and calculative person.

“From what I saw just now, Bai Shanshan’s motive for coming to the village is to get close to Grandfather. As for why, her motive is to destroy the relationship between you and me.

“However, what I didn’t understand was that Weng Jingjing definitely would know grandfather and so would Bai Shanshan. Why would she make up the story in public?”

Xiao Letong curled his lips and said, “She definitely didn’t notice great-grandfather. As for the story, she wanted to attract the sympathy of others.

“She came to me because I’m a child. Once I sympathize with her, great-grandfather will naturally speak up for her. Then, she’ll be able to get close to great-grandfather even more easily.”

“What Tongtong said makes sense!” Old Master Gong agreed, “But there’s one thing that doesn’t make sense. If this Weng Jingjing is really Bai Shanshan in disguise, then she should know very well that Tong Tong is Yu ‘Er’s son. Why would she gain by having Tong Tong’s good impression? Doesn’t she know that this is the son of her love rival?”

“Ahem...” Upon hearing the word love rival, Gong Tianhao immediately coughed guiltily.

Old Master Gong glanced at him and continued to analyze, “Unless she doesn’t know that my Brat has married you, Yu ‘Er.”

Xiao Lingyu frowned and thought for a moment. Then, she shook her head and said, "Grandpa, this doesn't make sense. If she really came to destroy our relationship, then she obviously knows that I'm married to Gong Tianhao."

With a solemn expression, Old Master Gong said, "Then, this is too strange."

No matter how much they speculated, they couldn't figure out Bai Shanshan's true purpose in coming to the village.

Gong Tianhao said, "Then there's no need to guess. After I investigate thoroughly, everything will be clear. Oh, Yu 'Er, I still think that we should capture Bai Shanshan first and interrogate her to see who ordered her to do it."

"Right, let's capture her first." Old Master Gong agreed. "We don't want her to stir up any more trouble."

Chapter 702: Xiao Wang's Romance

The man with acne had his ribs broken and one of his hands broken. When the people from the police station came and asked about the situation, Gong Tianhao said directly, "He wanted to hurt my son. I broke his ribs and hands accidentally out of self-defense to protect my son."

The people from the police station asked a few tourists about the incident. They learned that it was indeed the man with acne who intended to hurt the child first. The child's parents acted in self-defense to protect the child's safety and went overboard, so it was also understandable.

Therefore, Gong Tianhao was not sued.

However, the other party's injuries were indeed too serious. For humanitarian reasons, Gong Tianhao still paid some money. He paid 1000 in the hopes that the man would heal his injuries and heart.

Did he think it's so easy to be a hero?

The pimply man had paid a heavy price. He had to pay tens of thousands of dollars in medical fees.

This incident was recorded by the tourists and posted online.

The vast majority of netizens thought that the pimply man deserved it. He actually wanted to hit a child.

'If someone wanted to hit my son, I would definitely fight with him to the death. This is a light punishment.'

Of course, there were also a few netizens who thought that Gong Tianhao went overboard.

'The acne man didn't really hit the boy, did he? Plus, his ribs were already broken. Why the need to break his hand?'

As usual, there were many keyboard warriors online.

However, the most famous person was none other than uncle Xiao Wang. His swift and agile movements attracted many attention. He was really cool!

Many people had an admiration for him. They wanted him to be their teacher.

Xiao Wang's fame also helped improve the name of Taoyuan Village. Many netizens commented that if the village added a martial art performance, it would be very exciting. They would come to support it.

Xiao Letong held his phone and kept swiping it. His big eyes lit up and he said loudly to Xiao Wang, "Uncle Xiao Wang, you're famous."

Xiao Wang asked inexplicably, "Tong Tong, what do you mean?"

Xiao Letong raised his phone and said, "Yesterday, the scene of you kicking the man with acne was recorded and posted on the Internet. Many people saw you and admired you. Many girl are clamoring to give birth for you."

"Huh?" Xiao Wang was honestly surprised.

At this point, Tong Tong's big eyes rolled around as he asked Xiao Wang curiously, "Uncle Xiao Wang, are you married?" Xiao Letong wasn't very clear about the private lives of Uncle Xiao Wang and uncle Xiao Zhang, who were protecting his great-grandfather.

Xiao Wang shook his head and said, "No."

The people protecting Old Master Gong had to have no attachments and no weaknesses. Only then could they be loyal to old master Gong wholeheartedly and not be suddenly threatened by others.

Of course, this didn't mean that they couldn't get married.

After they retired, they could naturally get married and have children.

The duration of being old master Gong's bodyguard was usually six years.

When Xiao Letong heard this, he said with slight disappointment, "No. Then uncle Xiao Wang, how old are you this year?"

"I'm twenty-four this year!" Xiao Wang said very honestly.

"What? Uncle Xiao Wang, you're only twenty-four?" Xiao Letong was clearly a little surprised. "Then how long have you been protecting my great-grandfather?"

"Four years!" Xiao Wang said, "In another two years, I might have to be transferred away from old master's side." When he said the last sentence, Xiao Wang was clearly a little sad and unwilling.

He had been by Old Master Gong's side for all these years. He had earned a lot from it. The best was he was able to eat with the Xiao Family very day. Leaving Old Master Gong meant that he might have to leave this happy family. He had developed a deep connection to Taoyuan Village and the Xiao Family. He'd be very reluctant to leave.

"Ah, why?" Xiao letong asked in confusion, "Uncle Xiao Wang, why can't you and uncle Xiao Zhang always stay by great-grandfather's side to protect him?"

Xiao Wang smiled bitterly and said, "There's a rule that the bodyguards can't follow the Old Master for more than ten years." In fact, they needed explicit permission even if they wanted to stay with the old master after six years.

This was because after ten years, their skills would be limited by their age, so they wouldn't be as nimble and agile. Naturally, they wouldn't have the qualifications to stay by Old Master Gong's side.

Xiao Wang's senior stayed for ten years before he reluctantly left.

Xiao Letong cocked his head and said with some doubt, "Then uncle Xiao Wang, does this mean that you can't have a girlfriend and get married for the next ten years?"

"That's right!" Xiao Wang nodded.

Old Master Gong was a national treasure of the country. His safety couldn't be compromised.

During the years when Gong Tianhao was in a coma, many big families didn't dare to come after Old Master Gong because he had the government's support. Otherwise, the other families could have easily ganged up to take down an old man.

When Xiao Letong heard Xiao Wang's reply, his small face revealed a look of sympathy as he said, "Uncle Xiao Wang, I feel sad for you."

Xiao Wang, "... " Weren't we talking about my sudden internet fame? Why would little young master suddenly feel sorry for me? Then again...

If Xiao Letong hadn't told him, Xiao Wang wouldn't have known that many girls actually wanted to marry him and have children with him.

This was very embarrassing.

A shy look appeared on Xiao Wang's face.

Xiao Letong looked suspiciously at the blushing Xiao Wang and said, "Uncle Xiao Wang, your face is so red!"

Xiao Wang, "... "

Not far away, Old Master Gong watched his great-grandson bully his subordinate, and he laughed.

After that, Old Master Gong chuckled and said, "Xiao Wang, if you want to get a girlfriend, I won't object. As long as you like a girl, you can go after her. I'll help you."

Xiao Wang blushed and said very seriously, "Old Master, your safety is the priority. I won't think about dating and getting a girlfriend for the time being."

Old Master Gong waved his hand and said, "Eh, don't be so serious. Xiao Wang, if you want to get a girlfriend, I'll approve it." Old Master Gong paused for a moment and asked with some curiosity, "Xiao Wang, do you have any girls that you fancy? She could be from the capital or the village, I'll set you up!"

Xiao Letong covered his mouth and giggled as he said, "Then great-grandfather, are you going to become a matchmaker?"

Old Master Gong, "... "

Xiao Wang, "... "

Only little young master could joke with Old Master Gong like this.

Old Master Gong smiled and said, "It's fine. Matchmaker it is. Anything to help Xiao Wang."

Xiao Wang blushed and said, "Old Master, I don't have any girl I like."

"Oh?" Old Master Gong was slightly disappointed, but then he said excitedly, "Then why don't this old man introduce you to a few of them? Actually, why not An Xiaohui? She is the director of the HR department at Yu Er's company. This girl isn't bad. She's about your age and has a good character..."

Xiao Wang immediately interrupted, "Old Master, I... I'm not worthy of her!"

Old Master Gong's expression changed and he said, "Why not?"

"Director An is a famous university graduate, and I'm an uneducated boor, I..."

"Bullshit!" Old Master Gong immediately cursed, "My people are worthy of anyone!"

Xiao Wang, "..."

Xiao Letong, "..."

All hail the all mighty Old Master Gong!

Chapter 703: Romance

"What are you guys talking about?" Xiao Lingyu and Gong Tianhao walked into the room hand in hand.

Xiao Letong ran over, hugged Xiao Lingyu's leg, and said with a smile, "Great-grandfather wants to matchmake Uncle Xiao Wang with someone. He's suggesting Auntie An. But Uncle Xiao Wang said that a rough person like him isn't good enough for Auntie An, but great-grandfather said he is!"

Xiao Lingyu raised her eyebrows, then said with a smile, "Oh, I see. Xiao Wang, grandfather is right. You are a talented person with good skills. How can you not be good enough for Xiaohui?" At this point, Xiao Lingyu blinked and said mysteriously, "In fact, Xiaohui has liked you for a long time. Only a fool like you didn't realize it."

"Huh?" Xiao Wang was a little dumbfounded. "How... How is this possible?"

Xiao Lingyu smiled and said, "You're really a blockhead. Think about it. Haven't Xiaohui been asking you to help her from time to time?"

Xiao Wang said in a daze, "Yes, she asked me to help her move heavy objects a few times. Is there a problem with that?"

Xiao Lingyu wanted to roll her eyes when she heard this. Then, she said, "Our company is so far away from here, and there are plenty of young workers in the company. Does Xiaohui need to come all the way here to ask you to help?"

Gong Tianhao wanted to laugh. This simple and honest boy was really quite cute.

Before Xiao Wang could understand what was going on, Old Master Gong knocked on his head and said bitterly, "You Silly Blockhead. Clearly, the girl came over here to ask for your help so that she could chat

with you. How could you not get it?" After that, Old Master Gong turned around and said to Xiao Lingyu with a grin, "Yu 'Er, since Xiaohui has such feelings for Xiao Wang, how about we set them to go out for a meal?"

Xiao Lingyu nodded and said with a smile, "Hehe, grandfather, that's not a problem, but I have to ask Xiaohui first."

Old Master Gong immediately urged, "Then hurry up and ask." Then, Old Master Gong thought of something and turned to look at Xiao Zhang, who was about to escape. He asked with a smile, "Xiao Zhang, do you have a girl you like? Tell me, and I will arrange it for you too."

Xiao Letong covered his mouth and said with a smile, "Great grandfather, you're really addicted to being a matchmaker." Then, Xiao Letong also teased Xiao Zhang and said, "Uncle Xiao Zhang, uncle Xiao Wang has Auntie Xiaohui. What about you?"

Xiao Zhang scratched his head in embarrassment and said, "No... no!" Taoyuan Village was filled with pretty women. However, his mission was to protect Old Master Gong, and he really didn't put his attention on finding a girlfriend, so he naturally didn't notice any of the girls.

When Old Master Gong heard this, he said somewhat disappointedly, "No?" Then, he said excitedly, "No matter. I'll find some girls for you. If you like any of them, tell me. I'll try to matchmake for you."

Xiao Zhang said with a flushed face, "Old master, that won't do. Our main mission is to protect your safety. We absolutely can't let anything interfere with our private life."

Old Master Gong waved his hand and said, "It's fine, it's fine. Nothing will happen. Plus, you two aren't young anymore. I can't have you stay by my side and then sacrifice his life happiness for me." This was the reason Old Master Gong had the duration contract with his bodyguards. He didn't want to delay their lives.

Furthermore, his grandson was already old enough to protect him.

When Xiao Zhang heard Old Master Gong's words, his expression immediately panicked. He said anxiously, "Old Master, are you going to chase us away?"

When Xiao Wang heard this, he looked at Old Master Gong in panic and said nervously, "Old master, I..."

Old Master Gong waved his hand and said with a smile, "You don't have to be nervous. I'm not trying to chase you away. Even if you fall in love, you can still stay by my side."

Xiao Wang and Xiao Zhang immediately fell silent.

At this moment, Xiao Wang said again, "Old Master Gong, I... I don't want to drag the lady down!" Their jobs meant that they couldn't accompany their girlfriends often. Moreover, they had to be ready to sacrifice their lives for Old Master Gong.

For example, during the two years when Gong Tianhao was in a coma, there were assassination attempts on Old Master Gong. Xiao Wang was lucky, but Xiao Zhang was hit in his chest by a bullet. Fortunately, it didn't injure his vital parts. Otherwise, his life would have been lost.

Old Master Gong was silent for a moment before he sighed and said, "Since that's the case, then forget it."

As long as Xiao Wang and Xiao Zhang didn't make any major mistakes in these six years, Old Master Gong wouldn't chase them away. It wouldn't look good on their resume.

"However, Xiao Zhang, if you really have a girl that you like, you can tell me. After we explain your situation to the young lady, if the young lady doesn't mind, you can try dating her," Old Master Gong said.

Xiao Zhang nodded and said, "Alright, Old Master!"

Xiao Wang opened his mouth but didn't seem to know how to start.

Old Master Gong seemed to understand Xiao Wang's thoughts and directly said to Xiao Lingyu, "Yu 'Er, why don't you inform Xiaohui about Xiao Wang's situation first? If she really doesn't mind, then this old man will make the decision for them."

Xiao Lingyu nodded and said, "Alright, grandfather!"

Xiao Wang became nervous and said, "No... no... There's no need." He really didn't want to harm such a good girl.

However, Old Master Gong said, "You've been by my side for four years. If you really find a girl you like and the girl doesn't mind, they will wait for you for two years. In the future, your future will be bright. I believe that no girl will be willing to give up on you."

Old Master Gong's bodyguards were all the best in the field. Once their missions were fulfilled, they would be promoted. Their futures were bright.

Xiao Wang and Xiao Zhang fell silent again.

Whether they stayed by Old Master Gong's side for six or ten years, it was up to Old Master Gong.

Xiao Wang and Xiao Zhang nodded and said, "Thank you, Old Master."

At this moment, Xiao Letong said very seriously, "Uncle Xiao Wang, Uncle Xiao Zhang, can you teach me martial arts in the future? That way, I can also protect great-grandfather." Although he could already protect his great-grandfather, he still needed an excuse.

Gong Tianhao narrowed his eyes and looked at his son thoughtfully. He felt a little strange in his heart. Even though his son was reborn like Yu 'Er, he was only five years old when he died. Even if he was reborn, his IQ should be that of a child. However, the intelligence and wit that his son displayed were much higher than that. However, no matter what, this was still his son.

When Old Master Gong heard Xiao Letong, he was immediately moved and said, "Tong Tong is really filial. Grandfather is really touched. But Tong Tong, learning martial arts from uncles is very tiring."

The training that Xiao Wang and Xiao Zhang received was not ordinary training. Their training was several times more tiring than ordinary people's training.

Xiao Letong said indifferently, "It's alright, great-grandfather. I can endure this hardship! I will study and train hard. In the future, I will protect great-grandfather, grandfather, grandmother, and others. I won't let anyone bully you."

"Yes, Yes. My Tong Tong is very sensible!" Old Master Gong said with reddened eyes, "You aren't afraid of hardship, but great-grandfather's heart will ache!"

Xiao Letong said with conviction and seriousness, "Great-grandfather, a man has to endure hardship to grow! I want to be a great man in the future!"

"Good!" Old Master Gong exclaimed, "Tong Tong is truly the Gong Family heir. Then great-grandfather will support you!"

"Thank you, great-grandfather!" Xiao Letong said happily.

Chapter 704: Bai Shanshan Dies

After Xiao Wang and Xiao Zhang took Xiao Tong out, Old Master Gong immediately asked Gong Tianhao in a serious tone, "Have you caught the person behind Bai Shanshan?"

Gong Tianhao replied, "Yinxiong sent someone to monitor her. However, the person who monitored her reported that Bai Shanshan went to stay in a hotel and didn't contact anyone. It's just that there's something wrong with her expression."

"What's wrong?" Old Master Gong asked in puzzlement.

"Her face is pale, and her entire body is trembling. She seems to be overly frightened and has fallen into a state of panic and uneasiness," Gong Tianhao said.

Xiao Lingyu furrowed her brows slightly and asked in puzzlement, "Could it be because Bai Shanshan saw grandfather and Tianhao?"

"No," Gong Tianhao immediately denied, "If this person is really Bai Shanshan, she wouldn't be so frightened even if she saw grandfather and me. She had met grandfather and me when her aunt brought her over to the Gong Family in the past. She might be scared of us, but not to this extent."

"This is strange." Xiao Lingyu guessed, "Could she be frightened by the person behind her?"

Gong Tianhao's eyes lit up, and he immediately said, "Yes, that's very possible! Bai Shanshan was taken away right before the Gong and Jiang families. The person clearly has a certain amount of power and is very knowledgeable in psychology. They know our families very well. They manage to let us think that the other family has taken Bai Shanshan."

Xiao Lingyu nodded and said, "You're right."

Gong Tianhao continued, "They took Bai Shanshan and turned her into Weng Jingjing so that she'd reappear before us.

"This person is really capable. They managed to turn Bai Shanshan into Weng Jingjing and even sneak her to me in Country M.

“If Situ Xing didn’t say that this woman had undergone plastic surgery, even I almost believed that she was Weng Jingjing. That’s because her tone and actions are somewhat similar to the real Weng Jingjing.”

Xiao Lingyu lowered her eyes and said with some doubt, “Bai Shanshan was trained. So the person behind her must be very familiar with Weng Jingjing.” At this point, Xiao Lingyu suddenly raised her head and guessed, “Tianhao, do you think the culprit could be Weng Jingjing?”

“Even if it’s not, they have to be something very close to her.”

Gong Tianhao nodded and said, “Yes, Yu ‘Er, your guess is very reasonable. It seems that the direction of our investigation should be adjusted. We should start with Weng Jingjing.”

“We can’t let go of this lead on Bai Shanshan either!” Old Master Gong said very seriously, “To be able to kidnap Bai Shanshan right under our noses and turn her into Weng Jingjing shows how powerful this person is. They are able to locate you when you were in Country M too. They are very powerful. In China, not many are as powerful as that! We can start with them too!”

Old Master Gong believed the culprit was a ticking time bomb targeting the Gong family, or perhaps his grandson and his wife. He wouldn’t rest easy until the bomb was defused.

Gong Tianhao nodded and said, “Yes, grandfather, please don’t worry. I know what to do!”

Even if his grandfather didn’t remind him, he would still investigate these leads. He had to investigate the person behind Bai Shanshan and the group who tried to kidnap Xiao Lingyu in the capital, or else his wife and son’s safety wouldn’t be guaranteed.

After a while, Gong Tianhao and Xiao Lingyu walked out of the house. Xiao Lingyu tidied his tie and said, “Be careful!”

Gong Tianhao took her over and kissed her forehead. “Okay, wait at home. I’ll be back soon.”

Xiao Letong, who was standing outside, covered his eyes with both hands. However, he left big gaps between his fingers. He looked at his parents and said shyly, “Ah, I am not looking!”

Gong Tianhao and Xiao Lingyu, “...” How could he be so fake?

Gong Tianhao glanced at him and said unhappily, “You’re just a little brat. What do you know anyway?” Then, he said to Xiao Lingyu, “I’ll bring Bai Shanshan to the capital!”

“Okay!” Xiao Lingyu nodded. Suddenly, she thought of something and immediately pulled Gong Tianhao back to the house.

Old Master Gong, who had yet to leave, immediately asked in puzzlement, “Yu ‘Er, what’s wrong?”

Xiao Lingyu said, “I remember now. I have a way to find the girl who bumped into me at the airport. As long as I find that girl, I might be able to find the person behind this. So...”

Gong Tianhao frowned and immediately denied, “No, it’s too dangerous for you to go to the capital now.”

Xiao Lingyu insisted, “Xiao Ling left a trace of Qi on that girl. I’ll be able to track her down easily.

“Actually, when I went to the capital before, I also had the goal of finding that girl. However, the kidnapping forced me back to Taoyuan Village.” Back then, she was helpless. But now, it was different. She would be safe in the capital with Gong Tianhao beside her.

Old Master Gong frowned and thought for a moment before saying, “But, what if that girl isn’t in the capital anymore?”

Gong Tianhao thought for a moment before saying, “How about this? Yu ‘Er, I’ll investigate these two leads first and see if there are any other clues. When we really can’t find anything else, I’ll bring you to the capital.”

Old master Gong immediately agreed, “Yes, let’s do that. Yu ‘Er, it’s best if you don’t go to the capital for now. Let’s take a look at the situation first before making any decisions.”

Xiao Lingyu thought for a moment and nodded, “Yes, alright then.”

At this moment, Gong Tianhao’s phone rang.

Gong Tianhao picked up the phone, and his expression immediately changed. He said, “Yes, I understand. You need to preserve the scene!”

After Gong Tianhao hung up the phone, Xiao Lingyu asked, “Tianhao, what’s wrong?”

Gong Tianhao said seriously, “Bai Shanshan was assassinated in the hotel!”

“What?”

Old Master Gong and Xiao Lingyu were shocked.

Old Master Gong immediately scolded angrily, “Brat, what were you doing? How could you let this happen?” Then, he hit Gong Tianhao twice on his back with his crutch. “We finally found a clue, but it’s gone just like that,” Old Master Gong said angrily.

Xiao Lingyu said, “I’ll go with you to take a look!”

“No!”

“Okay!”

Chapter 705: Bai Shanshan’s Death

The hotel that Bai Shanshan was staying at was Ai Jia Hotel in the county town. The hotel had called the police.

When Gong Tianhao and Xiao Lingyu arrived at Ai Jia Hotel, they saw two police cars parked outside the hotel.

Gong Tianhao frowned, then made a phone call. After that, he walked into the hotel with Xiao Lingyu.

The entrance of the hotel was also surrounded by a crowd of onlookers.

“I heard that there was a murder case here. A person died.”

“This hotel is really unlucky. With such a murder case, it will probably be closed for a few days.”

“However, I heard that the person who died didn’t commit suicide. She was killed!”

“What do you mean?”

“Who knows. The victim is a very beautiful woman.”

“Could she be a mistress and was killed because of that?” That was common in movies anyway.

“That’s very possible!”

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When Gong Tianhao and Xiao Lingyu arrived at Bai Shanshan’s room, a police cordon had already been set up outside the door.

Three police officers were checking the scene. One of them was talking to the cleaning lady who was the first to find the deceased.

Bai Shanshan was lying on the bed. She was wearing a white nightgown, and her chest was red as if she had been shot. Her face was pale, and her expression was one of terror. Her eyes were wide open. There was a large pool of blood on the bedsheet and the floor.

The moment they saw Gong Tianhao and Xiao Lingyu, the police officer immediately stopped them and said, “Who are you? Unrelated people are not allowed to enter!”

Gong Tianhao said coldly, “I am Gong Tianhao! I need to go in now!”

The police officer said seriously, “I don’t care who you are. Unrelated people are not allowed to enter!”

At this moment, one of the officers received a call. As he answered the call, he looked towards the door.

After hanging up, he walked towards the door and asked Gong Tianhao, “Excuse me, are you Mr. Gong?”

Gong Tianhao nodded and said, “Yes.”

“Then please come in!” The police officer called him in.

“Captain, who are they?” The police officer at the door asked curiously.

The captain immediately said seriously, “Just do your work!” The officer shut up! The officer understood from his captain’s reaction that Gong Tianhao was a powerful character.

Gong Tianhao and Xiao Lingyu walked into the room. When they saw Bai Shanshan’s miserable state, their expressions did not change.

The two of them looked around and soon noticed that there was a piece of broken glass on the ground. There was also a small hole in the glass.

At this moment, the Criminal Investigation Team Leader came over and said, “We believe the woman was assassinated. It’s very likely that she was shot by a sniper. The sniper was in the tall building opposite.” He pointed at a nearby high-rise. “As for the exact location, we still need to investigate further.”

Gong Tianhao took a look and said directly, "It's on the eighth floor, opposite the window!"

The hotel that Bai Shanshan booked was on the sixth floor. The assassin had to find the best location and the best angle. Gong Tianhao had been monitoring Bai Shanshan so he also knew the best angle to do that.

Gong Tianhao said, "Immediately send someone to the location that I mentioned. We will definitely find some traces there!"

The captain was stunned for a moment. Then, he immediately made a call and arranged for a search.

After hanging up the phone, the captain said seriously, "What is the identity of this woman? Why would someone send a sniper to assassinate her? We need to do a detailed investigation." The captain asked tentatively, "Mr. Gong, do you know the identity of this woman?"

Gong Tianhao came once he knew this woman was assassinated, so he must know something.

Gong Tianhao's sharp eyes shot at the captain, and then he said indifferently, "You should ask your superior and not me."

The captain, "..."

The police officer guarding the door retorted sharply, "Sir, this is a serious matter. Are you planning to hinder the police investigation on purpose?"

The captain, "..."

Xiao Lingyu, "..."

There were very few people who dared to speak to Gong Tianhao like that.

Gong Tianhao glanced at Bai Shanshan on the bed and said, "This woman's name is Weng Jingjing. Her name should be registered with the hotel, right? Also, eleven years ago, we were classmates at Imperial University!" He didn't elaborate.

The police wouldn't find out more than that.

The captain said gratefully, "Thank you, Mr. Gong!" They could set the direction of the investigation with this.

Gong Tianhao and Xiao Lingyu stayed for a while and then quickly left.

When they came out, Gong Tianhao asked Xiao Lingyu worriedly, "How are you?" He was afraid that Xiao Lingyu would not be able to adapt to such a brutal scene.

Xiao Lingyu shook her head and said, "I'm alright!" She had been through a lot in her previous life. This was nothing for her.

Gong Tianhao only relaxed when he confirmed that she was fine.

He hugged Xiao Lingyu and said regretfully, "I didn't expect the scene to be so bloody. I shouldn't have let you come."

Xiao Lingyu shook her head and said with a smile, “No, I need to come with you. Tianhao, I need to be your equal, not your burden. I can’t be so useless.”

Gong Tianhao was slightly stunned. Then, he smiled and said, “Okay, as your husband, I’ll support you!”

“Thank you, Hubby!” Xiao Lingyu said excitedly. Then, she said, “I saw some clues just now. Let’s go back and talk about it!”

Gong Tianhao nodded and said, “Okay. We will go back now!”

Xiao Lingyu said, “Won’t the police investigation be misdirected since they don’t know that Weng Jingjing is actually Bai Shanshan?”

Gong Tianhao shook his head and said, “They won’t be allowed to investigate this case. Jiang Tao will arrange for another group of people to take over.” Originally, such a case could be said to be a small case, and Jiang Tao wouldn’t care about it. However, Jiang Tao would intervene since Gong Tianhao and Xiao Lingyu were involved.

“Oh.” Xiao Lingyu nodded.

“Don’t fret over it. Let’s go back first.” Gong Tianhao smoothed the hair on her forehead and said with a dotting smile.

When Xiao Lingyu and Gong Tianhao returned to the gong family, Old Master Gong’s expression was slightly serious. He said, “Bai Shanshan was actually assassinated by a sniper.”

Gong Tianhao nodded, “Yes. This suggests that Bai Shanshan was assigned a mission to approach us. She lost her value when she failed her mission. Therefore, she was dealt with efficiently.”

Xiao Lingyu shook her head and said, “That’s not right.”

Gong Tianhao and Old Master Gong looked at Xiao Lingyu in confusion.

Xiao Lingyu said, “How did the person behind the scenes know that Bai Shanshan had failed the mission so soon?”

Gong Tianhao and Old Master Gong were shocked. Old Master Gong guessed, “Could Bai Shanshan have reported it?”

“No!” Gong Tianhao denied it without thinking. “Bai Shanshan knows very well the consequences of failing the mission, so she wouldn’t be so foolish as to tell them that the mission failed.”

“This also explains why Bai Shanshan was pale with dread when she returned to the hotel. She knew that she would be killed once she failed her mission. She wouldn’t be able to escape either.”

At this moment, Xiao Lingyu guessed again, “Tianhao, is it possible that they inserted some kind of bug in Bai Shanshan when they changed her face?”

“This is not good then!”

Chapter 706: One Step Too Late

When Gong Tianhao arrived at the police station, he was already one step too late.

“When we were transporting the body back, we encountered a car accident, and the body was thrown out. When we carried the body back to the car, we found a hole in her head,” said the captain. He pointed to the left temple of Bai Shanshan’s head.

Gong Tianhao looked over and saw a small hole about one centimeter deep. It wasn’t deep. Gong Tianhao knew that something had been dug out of that spot.

Gong Tianhao asked coldly, “Then, did you see anyone approach the body?”

The captain thought for a moment and said with certainty, “Yes, there was a beggar.”

Gong Tianhao frowned, “A beggar?”

“Yes!” The captain said, “He was dirty from head to toe. His hair was disheveled, and his face couldn’t be seen clearly. He was carrying a dirty woven bag.” Then, the captain asked curiously, “Mr. Gong, is there a problem with this beggar?”

Gong Tianhao did not hide anything and said, “Yes, there is. Because the hole in her head was dug out by that beggar.”

The captain, “...” this was the first time he had heard of someone digging a hole in a dead person’s head.

Gong Tianhao did not want to explain any further. He only instructed, “Alright, take the body back and do a thorough autopsy first. Then, inform the family of the deceased.”

With that, he left.

The captain, “...” Why was Mr. Gong here? Was it just to remind us of that?

The captain was puzzled. In any case, he was certain that the deceased was not a normal person, or else, Mr. Gong wouldn’t have come to see her so often.

Gong Tianhao got into the car and called his subordinate. “Send someone to keep a close eye on her. This time, there mustn’t be any mistakes.”

But, Bai Shanshan was already dead, and the things on her body had been retrieved. So, her only remaining value was...

Gong Tianhao held the steering wheel, and his eyes were filled with anger. ‘The mastermind better keeps their identity away from me. Otherwise, there’ll be hell to pay!’

At a corner of an alley, a seemingly ordinary passerby looked at Gong Tianhao driving away and immediately called to report, “Master, Gong Tianhao has already left. Yes, understood, your subordinate will do it immediately!”

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“I was still a step too late!” Gong Tianhao said.

Old Master Gong glanced at him and said coldly and sarcastically, “Gong Tianhao, your brain has been injured after sleeping for two years.”

Gong Tianhao, “...” That was not wrong.

However, Gong Tianhao didn't dare to refute him.

Xiao Lingyu said, "Grandfather, we didn't expect that the person behind Bai Shanshan would be so cunning as to plant a bug on her head!" None of them expected that. This was too cruel and crazy!

Old Master Gong knew that this was the case, but he still said stubbornly, "No, the brat is just too stupid."

Xiao Lingyu, "..."

Gong Tianhao, "..."

Gong Tianhao furrowed his brows and said, "Bai Shanshan is dead. But it doesn't mean that her value is fully exhausted."

Old Master Gong immediately said in surprise, "You mean..."

"That's right!" Gong Tianhao said, "Bai Shanshan is a member of the Bai family and has a connection with us. The culprit will definitely use that to create a storm." At this point, Gong Tianhao thought for a moment and said, "Grandfather, I'm afraid I have to return to the capital immediately. I need to be prepared."

"Tianhao, I'll go with you!" Xiao Lingyu said.

"No!" Old Master Gong immediately said, "Yu 'Er, we don't know anything about the person in the dark. We haven't even found out the identity of your kidnappers. It's too dangerous for you to go back to the capital. It's better for Hao 'Er to do his investigation first."

Old Master Gong knew Xiao Lingyu was smart, but it was hard for her to deal with ambushes from the dark.

Gong Tianhao thought for a moment and said, "Yu 'Er, the person behind Bai Shanshan knows about my relationship with you. With Bai Shanshan's death, I reckon they will target not only the capital but also Taoyuan Village. Therefore, you shouldn't leave the village for the time being." Then, he paused before continuing, "Besides, our grandfather and our son are still in Taoyuan Village. Will you feel at ease leaving them here? So Yu 'Er, I need to stay to help me take care of grandfather and Tong Tong."

Xiao Lingyu was stunned when she heard this. Then, she nodded and said, "Alright, I'll listen to you this time!"

That's right. Her family was in Taoyuan Village. She needed to stay and take good care of them.

Gong Tianhao left soon. He had someone fly a helicopter to pick him up.

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At the Bai family's villa, the butler of the Bai family went to open the mailbox as usual and brought the newspapers and letters into the house.

He opened the mailbox and saw that other than the usual newspapers, there was also a letter with a blank cover.

At first, he thought that it was some kid's prank. Just as he was about to throw it away, he opened the envelope out of curiosity.

However, when he saw the contents of the letter, his pupils constricted. He was shocked and terrified.

He didn't care about the newspaper in the mailbox. He directly took the letter and ran and shouted in panic, "Master, this is bad!"

The Master and Madam of the Bai family saw the butler, who had lost his composure and said with slight dissatisfaction, "Butler, why are you cursing me so early in the morning?"

Madam Bai also said with displeasure, "Butler, it's not proper to make such a big fuss this early in the morning. You look so flustered. Is there something wrong?"

The Butler said with a very anxious expression, "Master, Madam, there's news about the third miss."

When Master Bai and Madam Bai heard this, their eyes lit up, and their faces lit up with joy. "There's news about Shanshan? What is it?"

At this point, Madam Bai reprimanded him, "Butler, what's wrong with you? This is good news, but you made it sound like bad news. Are you getting old? Perhaps you should retire already."

"No... No." The Butler became more and more nervous. He continued, "Master, Madam, there's news about the third miss, but the news is that the third miss is dead now!"

"What?" The Master and Madam immediately sat up from the sofa. When they heard the news, they were very shocked.

"Butler, do you... Do you want to lose your job? How dare you make up the news that the third miss is dead?" Madam Bai pointed at the butler and angrily shouted, "Guards, drag this man out!"

The butler panicked and explained, "Madam, this... This isn't what I said. It's... It's what this letter says!" He raised the letter and handed it to Master Bai.

Master Bai took the letter in confusion, "What letter?"

When he saw the contents of the letter, his pupils constricted, and his face was filled with disbelief as he said loudly, "Impossible, this is simply impossible!"

"Master, what exactly is written on this letter?" Madam Bai also took the letter from her husband's hand in puzzlement. When she saw the contents of the letter, her pupils violently contracted, and her expression changed drastically. She simply could not believe it, and she screamed loudly, "Impossible, this is simply impossible. How could my Shan 'Er be dead? Someone must have lied to me!"

Then, her sharp eyes shot directly at the butler. Her eyes were filled with malice and anger as she shouted, "Butler, was it you? Is this a lie you made up to take revenge on me for the humiliation I usually give you? If you don't find my Shan 'Er, you'll die!"

The butler immediately cried out, "Madam, this is not me. I won't dare to joke about third miss' safety."

Master Bai said, "We need to locate this address. We have to make sure that Shanshan..."

Chapter 707: Thin Air

“Ah, heavens, how could this be?”

“Shan ‘Er, who did this to you?”

“Shan ‘Er...”

The Bai family villa was filled with cries and wails.

The head of the Bai family, Bai Shixing, and his wife went to the place mentioned in the letter and found the person, well, the corpse.

But they couldn’t recognize Bai Shanshan at all. That was because her appearance had completely changed.

At first, they felt relief. Perhaps this was just a prank.

However, the medical examiner came over and told them that this woman’s face had been operated on. Moreover, it was not minor surgery but a major one.

When Bai Shixing heard this, he felt as if he had been struck by lightning. He and his wife couldn’t believe that the woman lying in the autopsy room was their precious third daughter.

However, they still needed to verify whether it was true or not. The DNA test showed that the woman’s DNA matched Bai Shixing’s. In other words, she was his daughter.

“How... How is this possible?” Bai Shixing was willing to accept such a result. His daughter was perfectly fine half a year ago, but when they met again, they were separated forever.

“Who... Who killed my daughter?” Bai Shixing grabbed a police officer and shouted hysterically.

The police officer comforted him calmly, “Mr. Bai, please calm down. We are still investigating the murderer of your daughter. Don’t worry. We will definitely return justice to the deceased.” At this point, the police officer asked seriously, “Mr. Bai, do you know who your daughter has offended?”

Bai Shixing said angrily, “My third daughter was so obedient and sensible. Who could she have offended?”

The police officer asked again, “Then, Mr. Bai, do you know why your daughter changed her appearance into another person?”

“How would I know?” Bai Shixing said angrily and arrogantly, “Do you know who I am? I’m Bai Shixing, the head of the Bai family in the capital city. Let me tell you, if you don’t investigate the case properly and don’t give my daughter justice, I will never let you off.”

The police officer immediately added, “Mr. Bai, please calm down. Don’t worry. We will definitely investigate the case properly. We will definitely give Ms. Bai Shanshan justice. However...” At this point, the police officer said in a serious tone, “However, when we are investigating the case, please cooperate with us, Mr. Bai. That way, we will be able to find the murderer faster, right?”

They were small police officers, but they had met many people who were arrogant and despotic because of their family background. These people were used to bullying others. They were used to others bowing to them.

As the saying goes, the merchants shan't offend the government.

Bai Shixing really should heed that saying.

When Bai Shixing heard the commanding tone of the small police officer, he immediately said angrily, "Who do you think you are? Do you want me to be at your beck and call?"

The officer smiled in a calm manner. "I am no one. We're just the police who serve the people. Also, Mr. Bai, Miss Bai's case has been moved up. Therefore, please cooperate with the investigation."

Bai Shixing was a little stunned. "Moved up?"

"That's right. Ms. Bai Shanshan was assassinated. The murderer was a sniper. The higher-ups attach great importance to it. They want to thoroughly investigate the case!" The police officer said very seriously.

After that, Bai Shixing brought his wife back to the capital. As for Bai Shanshan's body, they could not bring it back yet.

The moment they returned, the entire villa was in a state of grief. Especially Mrs. Bai, who loved Bai Shanshan the most. She had cried and fainted several times.

Bai Shixing had also been in a state of anger the entire time.

His daughter was gone just like that, but he didn't even know her killer.

"Bastard! The killer better wishes that they don't fall into my hands, or I'll make their life a living hell!"

At that moment, the Butler rushed over with a letter with a blank cover. In a hurried voice, he said, "Master, it's happening again..."

When Bai Shixing saw the letter in his hand, he immediately asked, "What's written on the letter?"

The Butler shook his head and said, "Master, I haven't read it yet!"

Bai Shixing quickly took the letter and opened it to read. His face immediately turned livid as he said angrily, "This is too much!"

The butler immediately asked, "Master, what did the letter say?"

Bai Shixing said angrily, "The letter said that My Shan 'Er was forced to death by Gong Tianhao of the Gong family and a woman named Xiao Lingyu of Taoyuan Village."

The Butler was shocked when he heard that. He asked in shock, "Why would Gong Tianhao be related to third miss' death? And who is even this Xiao Lingyu?"

Bai Shixing immediately said, "We'll find out now. Butler, immediately sends someone to investigate this Xiao Lingyu. No matter what, you have to drag her back to me."

“Yes, Master!” The Butler immediately replied.

Bai Shixing looked at the villa’s entrance, and his fist directly hit the mahogany chair’s armrest. He said with extreme anger, “Gong Tianhao, you’ve gone too far. Just wait. I’ll definitely take revenge.”

He couldn’t touch Gong Tianhao, but he could touch the nobody from Taoyuan Village. ‘Xiao Lingyu, I’ll use your blood as a sacrifice to my Shan ‘Er first. You will have to die!’

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At the Gong family, Yue Qilin reported to Gong Tianhao, “Boss, someone is indeed causing trouble, and the direct targets are you and Madam!”

Gong Tianhao frowned and asked, “Did you catch the person who delivered the letter?”

Yue Qilin shook his head and said, “Since we received your order, our people have been guarding the Bai family’s villa and various companies 24 hours a day. We didn’t see any suspicious people delivering the letter to the Bai family. That letter seemed to have appeared out of thin air in that mailbox.”

“What?” Gong Tianhao was slightly shocked when he heard this answer. He then asked, “Are you sure there are no accidents in your surveillance?” It wasn’t that he didn’t believe his subordinates, but this answer was clearly beyond his expectations.

“This is the same as Bai Shanshan. She was also assassinated under your surveillance.” Gong Tianhao’s expression immediately became stern.

Yue Qilin said very seriously, “Boss, I’m very sure that our surveillance team is not negligent. Also, we investigated the sniper who shot Bai Shanshan. There were no suspicious figures at any of the intersections. It was as if... the sniper had appeared out of thin air on the eighth floor.”

“What?” Gong Tianhao was truly shocked this time.

Chapter 708: Invisible Man

“Yu ‘Er, do you think that someone can really turn invisible?” Gong Tianhao called Xiao Lingyu and told her his guess.

Xiao Lingyu thought for a while and said, “Tianhao, there are all kinds of strange things in this world! Think about it. I have a farming space. It’s not that strange to have an invisible man.”

Gong Tianhao nodded and said, “Yes, you have a point. If there really is an invisible person, then why is this invisible person so hostile towards us? Also, who is it?”

Xiao Lingyu said, “I’ll ask Xiao Ling to see if there’s any way to find this invisible person.”

“Yes, do that!”

After Xiao Lingyu hung up, she returned to her home, closed the door, and entered her farming space.

Xiao Lingyu asked impatiently, “Xiao Ling, is there a way for people to go invisible in this world?”

"Invisibility?" Xiao Ling thought for a while and said, "Master, I don't know if there are invisible people in this world, but in the immortal world, every immortal has Qi. The difference is some have a lot of Qi, and others have little.

"As for invisibility, it requires a talisman seal. A talisman can make a person go invisible. The length of invisibility will depend on the mastery of the person who drew the talisman.

"However, many great immortals can go invisible unaided. In fact, some immortal specializes in this study.

"There's a famous bandit in the cultivation world who would sneak into bedrooms of young ladies and assault them. However, he was captured when he was trying to sneak into the room of the Number one beauty. They used a talisman to break his invisibility."

Xiao Lingyu was obviously a little surprised. "The invisibility can be broken?"

Xiao Ling said matter-of-factly, "Of course. There is balance in all things."

Xiao Lingyu asked thoughtfully, "Xiao Ling, if there's an invisible person, I mean, invisibility spell, is there a way to break it?"

"Erm..." Just as Xiao Ling was about to shake his head, he received a voice transmission from far away. Then he said, "I have to think about this. You also know that I have been asleep for too long, and I don't remember many things in the immortal cultivation world."

Xiao Lingyu did not doubt him and said, "Alright, if you remember anything, tell me as soon as possible, okay?"

Xiao Ling smiled innocently and said, "Master, of course."

Xiao Lingyu turned around and walked out. She said to Gong Tianhao, "Xiao Ling said that there is a talisman that can counter the invisibility spell. However, he still needs to think about it."

Gong Tianhao replied, "Okay."

Then, Xiao Lingyu said, "Tianhao, I can't take care of you in the capital, so you have to take good care of yourself, okay?"

"Of course," Gong Tianhao smiled dotingly. "I still have to go back to reunite with you guys."

Xiao Lingyu smiled and said, "Okay. We'll wait for you to come back. Also," at this point, Xiao Lingyu covered her mouth and said with a smile, "Don't go smelling those wildflowers!"

"Are you worried about me?" Gong Tianhao laughed. "Don't worry. I have the most beautiful flower at home. Why would I be interested in the wildflowers?"

"Hehe," Xiao Lingyu blushed and said with a smile, "Some men would get tired even if they have the prettiest flower at home."

Gong Tianhao wiped the sweat off his forehead and said with a smile, "If I want to do that, I would have done that a long time ago. Alright, be good. Don't think too much. Have a good rest, my wife."

After Xiao Lingyu hung up the phone with Gong Tianhao, the smile on her face did not stop.

When she came back to her senses, she noticed that her son had been hugging her leg. He raised his head to look at her with a puzzled face and asked, "Mommy, why are you smiling foolishly? I called you several times, but you didn't respond."

Xiao Lingyu squatted down and scratched the tip of his little nose. She said with an annoyed smile, "Who's smiling foolishly?"

"You were!" Xiao Letong said with a very serious face. Then, his dark eyes turned around, and he asked in a low voice, "Mommy, what did you whisper to daddy?"

"..." Xiao Lingyu scratched his little nose again. "You brat, what are you talking about? I wasn't whispering anything to your father."

"In that case, you must be flirting with him!" Xiao Letong teased. "I'm such a sad child. My parents are too focused on each other to care about me anymore~"

Xiao Lingyu, "..."

Xiao Letong hugged her leg and said, "Mommy, I want to play with Brother Ling!"

"Okay, I'll bring you in!" Xiao Lingyu immediately carried Tong Tong into the space.

After Xiao Lingyu put Xiao Letong down, she smiled and said, "You guys have fun here. No fighting, okay?"

"Okay!"

"Got it!"

The two children answered in a crisp voice.

After Xiao Lingyu went out, Xiao Letong's small face immediately became serious.

Xiao Ling's expression also turned serious. He asked, "Brother, master said that there might be an invisible person in this space-time. Is that possible?"

Xiao Letong pondered for a moment. "Maybe. Perhaps this person has obtained a relic like Mommy, and that relic can grant invisibility."

"Huh?" Xiao Ling was obviously a little surprised, "How is this possible? I've hibernated for ten thousand years before I found Master. Moreover, this is a common world. How can there be so many relics?"

Xiao Letong frowned and said, "There's nothing impossible about this. Think about it. My Mommy's rebirth, my transmigration and rebirth, and your existence. We can experience those things, so why not others?"

Xiao Ling nodded and said, "Yes, you're right."

Xiao Letong continued his analysis, "Also, this would explain how people got to know Mommy's schedule. It was like there was an invisible eye watching her. It was how they set up the traps in advance."

“Huh?” Xiao Ling looked at Xiao Letong with a puzzled face. “Brother, what do you mean?”

Xiao Letong didn’t explain but continued, “This person is so hostile to mommy and Daddy. They know my parents very well.”

“So?” Xiao Ling asked in a daze.

Xiao Letong’s eyes lit up, and he said, “So, this invisible person probably has experienced rebirth too.”

“What?” Xiao Ling asked in shock, “How is that possible?”

“That person might have obtained a great opportunity like my Mommy, gained an immortal artifact, and then reincarnated,” Xiao Letong analyzed.

“Then why did they target master and male master?” Xiao Ling was confused. “Master was reborn. She wasn’t even with the male master in her previous life...”

“Wait. What did you just say?”

“I said, then why did he target master and male master?”

“No, the next sentence.”

“Master was reborn. She wasn’t even with the male master in her previous life,” Xiao Ling repeated.

Xiao Letong’s eyes suddenly widened, and his expression was surprised. He said, “Yes, in their previous life, Mommy and my dad weren’t together. So why would the culprit target them, unless...”

“Brother, unless what?” Xiao Ling asked curiously.

“Unless they were reborn from this life,” Xiao Letong guessed, “In their previous version of this life, they were jealous of Mommy’s farming space, or they had a grudge with my parents. So after their rebirth, they chose to take revenge.”

Xiao Ling said in surprise again, “This... how is this possible?” Xiao Ling was responsible for Xiao Lingyu’s rebirth. He had changed her fate.

Xiao Letong said very seriously, “Have you heard of the Butterfly Effect? Mommy’s rebirth has caused a ripple effect. It might have even changed some people’s fate. If that person has a relic, then they have to be targeting my parents for a reason.” If his mother had married an ordinary man, it wouldn’t have affected the lives of many people. But she had married the richest man in the world. That definitely would have changed many things in the world.

“Then... then what can we do now?” Xiao Ling stuttered and asked.

Xiao Letong sneered and said, “Of course, we have to find the culprit!” It didn’t matter who they were, or what relic they had, he would find them and eliminate them!

Chapter 709: An Accident at the Cottage

When they learned that the Bai family might come to Taoyuan Village to harm Xiao Lingyu, both Xiao Lingyu and Old Master Gong took full precautions.

Of course, in order to avoid worrying the Xiao family, Old Master Gong and Xiao Lingyu had a tacit understanding not to tell the Xiao family.

They ate and worked like normal every day.

Xiao Lingyu owned a company, a vegetable plot, a garden, and a home. She was busy every day.

In the countryside, in winter, apart from growing seasonal vegetables, there was basically nothing to do. At this time, many villagers would find temporary jobs. Then, they would return to work in the fields in the spring. However, things were different for Taoyuan Village.

Since the village had Peach Blossom Forest, there were waves of visitors even in winter. The villagers of the Peach Blossom Village were busy with their small businesses every day. They were all happy. The villagers from other villages would come to Taoyuan Village to look for work. When there were more people, there would be more trouble.

Xiao Lingyu let her subordinates handle some small matters. She only needed to supervise the general administration.

However, it had become her practice to check the crops in the fields every day. She had to control the growth of these crops well. She didn't want them to grow into giant vegetables. It would attract too much attention.

Of course, Xiao Lingyu couldn't manage so much land on her own. Even with her mother's help, it was too much. However, the only people that Xiao Lingyu could trust were the Xiao and Gong families. Hence, she would only let them water the fields.

As time passed, many people knew that this water was the real reason the vegetables grew so well.

Of course, some people would ask curiously, "What is that?"

The Xiao family members directly smiled and answered, "This is the Little Cattle King's urine, plus some ingredients to make fertilizer."

The villagers understood. This was Xiao Lingyu's secret recipe. In that case, people stopped asking.

When Xiao Lingyu was inspecting a spinach field, Xiao Xiaohui ran over and shouted, "Sis, something happened at the thatched cottage!"

Xiao Lingyu immediately put down her work and asked, "What happened?"

Xiao Xiaohui said, "An old man quarreled with our staff, and he ended up having a heart attack. He's unconscious now, and the old man's family is causing trouble."

Xiao Lingyu immediately asked, "What?"

"Yes!" Xiao Xiaohui nodded.

Xiao Lingyu's expression immediately turned serious as she said, "Doesn't our staff know that customer is always first?" The service staff at Taoyuan Village had to undergo seven days of training before they were hired.

Xiao Xiaohui said, "Sis, it was that old man who molested our service lady!" In his heart, he cursed, 'What a shameless old man. He's already a grandfather in his sixties or seventies, yet he still molested a little girl. How shameless!'

Of course, Xiao Xiaohui did not dare to say such uncouth things in front of his sister.

Xiao Lingyu did not say anything. She only sped up her pace. However, in the eyes of others, Xiao Lingyu was not walking but running.

"Look at boss in such a hurry. Did something happen?" The workers discussed as Xiao Lingyu rushed by.

"It should be something urgent. Otherwise, she wouldn't be in such a hurry. We rarely see boss Xiao in such a hurry."

When Xiao Lingyu rushed to the fifth thatched cottage, there was already a crowd of people surrounding it. There were also loud curses and noises.

"Woman, how can you be so vicious and bully an old man?" A middle-aged woman shouted loudly. She even pushed the female attendant.

The female attendant cried out in grievance, "I didn't do anything. He... he tried to grab my hand, so I... I pushed him away."

"Bullshit!" Before the female attendant could finish, another middle-aged woman immediately cursed, "Girl, you're really too vicious. Not only did you push my senior, but you also want to ruin his reputation? Who do you think you are? Do you think our elder will be into you?" She raised her hand and wanted to slap the attendant. "Such a wicked and vicious person. I'll teach you a lesson!"

Xiao Lingyu rushed through the crowd and saw the old man lying on the ground unattended. She frowned and the aggressive middle-aged woman. She walked to her and grabbed her hand. "Madam, we can talk this out. Why do we have to turn to violence?"

The middle-aged woman was furious at the interruption. "What are you talking about? Shouldn't this shameless woman be taught a lesson?"

Xiao Lingyu said, "Yes, she should be taught a lesson, but not now. The old man is still lying on the ground. The weather is so cold. Should we just let him freeze on the ground?"

Then, Xiao Lingyu looked at the staff next to her and shouted sternly, "What are you doing? Don't you know how to carry the elder to a warm place?"

A young man said with a slightly aggrieved tone, "Boss, it's not that we don't want to, but the family members don't allow us to move him. They said that we must give them an explanation now, or else..." They'd rather the old man freeze to death on the ground.

Xiao Lingyu walked to the old man's side and squatted down. Just as she was about to examine him, the woman immediately stopped her loudly, "What are you doing? Don't touch him. Let me tell you, if anything happens to my senior, it will be your responsibility."

Xiao Lingyu looked at the old man whose face was pale and whose lips were purple. She frowned slightly and looked at the two middle-aged women, one fat and one thin, and asked, "The elder has a heart

attack. Don't you have his medication?" Since the elder had a history, shouldn't it be normal for his family to carry his medication with them?

The eyes of the two women flashed with guilt. Then, the fat woman immediately said, "What medication? Our senior doesn't have a history of heart attacks. How would we know to prepare things like that?"

"Yes. That's right! He must have gotten the attack after he was pushed by the vicious woman!" The other woman echoed, "Let me tell you, if anything happens to our senior, you have to be responsible!"

Xiao Lingyu looked at the old man on the ground and then at the two women. Her eyes flashed, and she said, "Ladies, no matter who is responsible, we have to save the elder first."

Then, she took out a white bottle from her pocket, poured out a white pill from the bottle, and directly fed it to the old man.

The two women immediately turned pale with fright and said, "What did you feed our old man? If anything happens to our senior, we will sue you!"

Xiao Xiaohui spoke first, "This grandfather suffered from a heart attack. Of course, my sister fed him some first-aid pills. Do you really think she'd feed him poison?" Xiao Xiaohui was straight to the point.

When the two women heard this, they angrily pointed at Xiao Xiaohui and said loudly, "You Little Brat, what do you know?"

Xiao Xiaohui argued, "We have prepared all kinds of emergency medicine here for situations like this."

The other tourists were surprised that the village admin was so well-prepared.

"It's the first time I have encountered such a meticulous and considerate tourist destination. The emergency treatment is really well done!"

"Yeah, this is also the first time I've encountered something like this!"

The two women ignored the discussion and were about to reprimand Xiao Lingyu when Xiao Lingyu hugged the old man's head and ordered the staff, "Come here, move the old man to a warm room! Have you called an ambulance?"

"Yes!" One of the staff replied.

"No, you can't move him!" The two women immediately stopped them.

Xiao Lingyu stood in front of them and said sternly, "Ladies, are you really planning to let this elder freeze to death?"

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The two women looked like frightened mice. A guilty look flashed across their faces. Then, they jumped up and said angrily, "Don't slander us. That's not what we think."

Xiao Lingyu nodded and said, "Good. Can we have the servers carry the elder to a warm room then?" Then, she instructed the staff next to her, "Be careful when you carry him."

“Okay!”

When the two staff members carried the old man into the room, Xiao Lingyu looked at another staff member next to her and asked, “Have you called an ambulance?”

“Yes!” The staff member replied.

When the two women saw Xiao Lingyu’s face clearly, a hint of jealousy flashed in their eyes. Then, the fat and short woman immediately asked, “Who are you?” Xiao Lingyu looked so beautiful.

“This is our CEO Xiao!” The staff member immediately introduced them.

“CEO Xiao?” The two women looked at each other, and a glint flashed in their eyes.

“CEO Xiao, your staff caused my senior to have a heart attack. How should we settle this?” The tall and thin woman immediately asked, “He was healthy when he came here. He was shoved, and then he had a heart attack. If you don’t give us an explanation, we won’t let this go.”

Xiao Lingyu did not answer them. Instead, she asked curiously, “May I ask who are the two ladies to the elder?”

“Nonsense. We are his family members!” The short fat woman said loudly.

“I know that.” Xiao Lingyu nodded. “I want to know the specifics. Is it too inconvenient for you to tell us?”

The two women noticed the crowd around them. The corners of their lips trembled twice, and their expressions were very ugly.

“If you refuse to tell, then I have a reason to suspect that you are human traffickers and that you brought the senior here to scam us.” Xiao Lingyu said sharply.

The faces of the two women immediately turned livid. Their expressions were filled with shock and anger, and they shouted with a guilty conscience, “Don’t slander us. We are the senior’s daughters-in-law.”

“Daughters-in-law?” Xiao Lingyu nodded thoughtfully, “Okay then. Regarding the shoving incident, we’ll investigate it further. Please be patient. Before the truth is out, please don’t slander people.”

“Slander?” When the two women were angry. The short fat woman said loudly, “CEO Xiao, you just want to protect your employee. I’m not surprised. You look like a vixen yourself. No wonder your people also go around seducing men.”

Xiao Lingyu’s expression turned serious as she said with a cold and stern expression, “Madam, please do not use ad-hominem. Besides, we have to investigate the situation first. Xiaohui, go to the surveillance room and get the surveillance footage!”

“Yes!”

When the two women heard that, their expressions instantly changed. They looked around and suddenly noticed a camera hanging on a big tree. They were stunned. The camera would have recorded everything.

Xiao Lingyu ignored their ugly expressions and said calmly, "I'm sorry. Ladies, if it is my employee's fault, I will apologize to you on her behalf. I will be responsible for the compensation and the medical expenses of the old man.

"However, if the truth is that the old man molested my employee, then I will hold you accountable."

The short and fat woman stuck her neck out and said loudly, "No matter what, our senior's heart attack happened here. You must be responsible!"

Xiao Lingyu found it funny when she heard this. She said, "We will take responsibility for what we should take responsibility for. But don't expect us to shoulder more than that! Our principle here is the customer is always right. However, that doesn't mean that we will sacrifice our own principle for it!"

"It's undeniable that our senior suffered a heart attack after being pushed by this woman. You can not deny this fact. Therefore, you have to take responsibility. You have to take full responsibility!" The tall and thin woman said.

Xiao Lingyu nodded and said, "We have already called the police. Whether we are responsible or not, when the police arrive, they will naturally give us a fair judgment!"

The two women's expressions changed again. "You... you called the police?!"

Xiao Lingyu nodded. "Why shouldn't I call the police? This is a civil case already."

The surrounding tourists could not help but twitch their lips.

This CEO Xiao was... quite humorous.

"You..." the short fat woman pointed at Xiao Lingyu and said, "But will the police give us justice? We're outsiders here. I'm afraid they will only protect the locals and bully us, outsiders!"