

God tier Farm 131

Chapter 131: Going home for the new year (1)

Xia ruofei closed the car door and asked with a gentle smile, "Why are you looking for me?" One of the workers, who was in his forties and had a dark face, said, "Boss, now that the farm is completed, we've discussed it and feel that we should plant the vegetables immediately so that they can be sold on the market after the spring Festival!" This worker was called Cao tieshu. He was one of the young and vigorous workers among the 15. He had also worked outside and seen the world, so everyone recommended him to report to Xia ruofei. These days, the workers had been learning from the technical staff of the factory building the greenhouse, so they were very familiar with the performance of this modern greenhouse. They also knew that although it was winter now, planting vegetables in the greenhouse would not have any impact at all. So, everyone couldn't hold it in anymore. They received a salary of 5000 Yuan a month, but it had been half a month since they did any real work. At most, they were just helping out at the construction site, so they couldn't wait to start working. The rural people's views were so simple. Xia ruofei smiled. "Old Cao, the new year is coming. I was thinking of letting everyone rest for a few days. We'll talk about it after the new year!" "What are you resting for, boss?" asked Cao tieshu anxiously. "We're all trying our best to do a good job! I can't take a break!" Xia ruofei couldn't help but laugh out loud. It was a good thing that the workers were so enthusiastic about work. Xia ruofei naturally wouldn't dampen their enthusiasm. He thought for a moment, then nodded and said, "Alright!" Then let's start sowing tomorrow! My friend is using a new technology to grow some vegetables. I'll go to his place in the city to buy the seeds. We'll start work tomorrow!" "Alright!" Cao tieshu happily rubbed his hands and said, "boss, we'll go to the greenhouse first. While the technicians from the manufacturers are still here, we can learn more. That greenhouse is too advanced ..." Xia ruofei smiled and nodded. The workers went to the greenhouse enthusiastically. Xia ruofei drove to San Shan city. He first went to Lingyu house to find boss Chen and bought the Jade that was worth two million Yuan. Then, Xia ruofei went to the forestry Bureau to inform them that he was going to pick up Hu Zi's mother and Lin Qiao to return to Taoyuan farm together. This was also agreed in advance that everyone would be celebrating the New Year together this year. Xia ruofei had given them a call before they came to the city, so they had already prepared a change of clothes when Xia ruofei arrived at their house. "Brother ruofei!" Lin Qiao saw Xia ruofei and shouted happily. Today, Lin Qiao was wearing a rose – Red down jacket and a pair of skinny blue jeans. She had a lively ponytail and was full of youth. Xia ruofei also smiled and said, "Qiao' er, how were your final exam results?" "If it's too bad, there won't be any New Year presents this time!" Lin Qiao made a face at Xia ruofei and said, "I'm ranked 15th in my class this time!" "Oh, really? Our Qiao' er is so powerful!" Xia ruofei said happily. Lin Qiao's school was one of the top middle schools in the province, and her class was one of the top liberal arts classes in the school. Therefore, it was quite impressive for her to rank 15th. Xia ruofei knew that when Lin Qiao first transferred to this school, she was in the middle – lower range in the class of more than 50 people. "That's right!" "You got your New Year's gift, right?" Lin Qiao said with a proud expression. Hu Zi's mother rolled her eyes at Lin Qiao and said, "Qiao' er, you're already so proud just because you got 15th place! You still dare to ask your brother ruofei for a gift?" Xia ruofei laughed and said, "Auntie, it wasn't easy for Qiao' er to get the 15th place!" She must have put in a lot of effort!" Lin Qiao grabbed Xia ruofei's arm tightly and said, "Brother ruofei knows me best!" "Alright, alright!" "How old are you? you're still acting like a child ..." Hu Zi's mother said with a smile. "Aunty, let's go when everything is ready!" Xia ruofei said, "have you turned off the water, electricity, and gas in the house?" "It's all good. "

Hu Zi's mother smiled and said, "let's go!" "Let's go! We're going to brother ruofei's house for the new year!" Lin Qiao shouted happily. Each of them had one bag, and Xia ruofei easily picked them up with one in each hand. The three of them went downstairs and walked straight to Xia ruofei's car. When Lin Qiao saw Xia ruofei unlocking the door with the remote control and opening the door of the Knight XV, she couldn't help but open her eyes wide and exclaim, "This car is so cool! Brother ruofei, is this your car?" Xia ruofei smiled and nodded, "yeah!" I just got a new car, how do you feel?" "One word, cool!" Lin Qiao looked at Knight XV and murmured. Xia ruofei knocked on Lin Qiao's head and said, "That's three words!" "Brother ruofei, you're so old – fashioned. Do you know what it's like to say now?" Lin Qiao said with a smile. Xia ruofei didn't expect to be looked down upon by this little girl. He didn't know whether to laugh or cry. He opened the door of the back seat and said, "Auntie, Qiao'er, there's more space in the back, and it's more comfortable. You two can sit in the back!" With that, Xia ruofei put their bags into the car. Lin Qiao immediately shouted, "I don't want to!" It'll only feel better when you're sitting in front! Mom, you can sit at the back alone! I'll go sit in front with brother ruofei!" "You crazy girl!" Hu'er's mother laughed and scolded. She didn't care about Lin Qiao and got into the car with Xia ruofei's help. Lin Qiao couldn't wait to open the door of the passenger seat. She stepped on the pedal with one foot and grabbed the handle with the other hand, and nimbly sat in the passenger seat. Xia ruofei walked around the front of the car and went to the driver's seat. He opened the door and got in. After starting the car, Xia ruofei stepped on the accelerator lightly. Knight XV roared. Xia ruofei left the forestry Bureau's residence and drove through the traffic of Sanshan city. On the way, Lin Qiao was very excited. She took out her phone and took pictures here and there. One moment, she fiddled with the high – end sound system in the car, and the next moment, she was very interested in the huge LCD screen in the central control. This made Hu Zi's mother very nervous. She was fidgeting in the back seat and kept reminding Lin Qiao not to touch the things in the car for fear that she would affect Xia ruofei's driving. Xia ruofei didn't care. He just looked at Lin Qiao affectionately with a relaxed smile. The car drove out of the city's traffic and drove quickly along the winding highway. Soon, they returned to Taoyuan farm. Xia ruofei did not stop the car. He drove along the newly built asphalt road inside the farm to the courtyard of the holiday villa. As soon as Xia ruofei and the rest got off the car, lightning rushed over and pounced on Xia ruofei. Xia ruofei caressed Lightning's smooth fur and told it that Hu Zi's mother and Lin Qiao were his family members. He also reminded it not to scare them. Then, Xia ruofei asked pang Hao to bring the mother and daughter around the farm while he took out the bag of Jade from the trunk and went upstairs. He couldn't wait to let the spirit painting scroll absorb the Jade ...

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After locking the door and windows in his bedroom, Xia ruofei could not wait to summon the painting scroll from his palm. He opened the bag full of jades and grabbed a handful of jadeite, letting the painting absorb it. The two million Yuan worth of Jade was almost completely absorbed in just a few minutes. When there were only three or four pieces of jade left in his bag, Xia ruofei could clearly feel that the spiritual connection between the spirit map and his body had suddenly become much closer. He could also feel that there seemed to be a qualitative change in the space. Xia ruofei was overjoyed. He quickly absorbed the remaining three or four pieces of jade into the spirit map space. Then, he entered the space in a flash. After entering the spirit map space, Xia ruofei felt that the spiritual Qi was much denser. The feeling of relaxation even made him unwilling to return to the outside world. The other obvious feeling was that the spatial zone had expanded. Although the spatial zone had expanded to the point that Xia ruofei could not see it directly, he could still tell from the size of the spatial spirit pond. He

took out the tape measure that he had prepared in advance and measured the diameter of the spatial spirit pond. Eight meters! According to the rules of the previous evolutions, this was an important sign that the realm had completed its evolution this time. From the looks of it, the size of the space should have expanded to about eight acres. In fact, Xia ruofei's connection with the spirit map space was already very close. Just like when the space had just finished evolving, he could feel it. It was just that when he entered the space, he confirmed this conclusion through various evidence. Xia ruofei went to the nameless plant. What he was most concerned about was the newly appeared spirit fruit. Xia ruofei took a closer look and immediately revealed a happy expression. The fruit had turned from green to dark red and was emitting an alluring fragrance. It was obvious that it had ripened. As for the petals of the strange flower, there was still no increase. Xia ruofei had already picked the last petal. Today was the third day and the strange flower had grown again. There were still five petals, no more and no less. However, Xia ruofei was not disappointed. He believed that the value of this fruit would far exceed that of the petals. Xia ruofei stood in front of the nameless plant and started to worry again. Xia ruofei was hesitating whether he should pick it or not. After much thought, Xia ruofei decided to take it down. He wanted to test if the fruit would grow back after a while like the petals of a strange flower! Xia ruofei was very cautious when he decided to pick it. He found a new Tupperware and covered it with a thick layer of medical gauze. Then, he placed the Tupperware under the fruit with one hand and used a pair of small scissors with the other hand to gently cut off the small branch with the fruit. The dark red fruit fell on the medical gauze in the Tupperware. Throughout the entire process, Xia ruofei did not touch the fruit with his hands. He was afraid that it would be absorbed by his body the moment he touched it, just like the petals of the strange flower. This fruit was obviously much more precious than the petals of the wondrous flower. Xia ruofei would definitely not be willing to use it so easily. Who knew when it would be of great use! He carefully closed the container, then picked all the petals of the flower and put them in another container. Now, he already had seventeen petals. After putting the two containers away carefully, Xia ruofei walked excitedly to the place where he had sensed something last time. In fact, when Xia ruofei entered the space today, that feeling was even stronger. He followed the feeling and slowly walked to the expanded space membrane and tried to communicate with it with his mind. The wonderful feeling appeared again, and this time it was much clearer than three days ago. Xia ruofei closed his eyes and tried to give an order. There was a slight pulling force. When Xia ruofei opened his eyes, he realized that he was no longer in the original space. Of course, it was not in the outside world. This was clearly another independent space. Xia ruofei was standing on a patch of green grass. He estimated that the space was much wider than the original spirit map. As far as the eye could see, in addition to this grassland, there was a small hill in the distance. At the foot of the hill, there was a small stream winding around the mountain, flowing into a small lake about one mu in size. Xia ruofei raised his head and looked up. There was a green halo above him. He did not know how high he was from the ground, but there was an obvious difference between the sky and the outside world. He walked straight to the small hill. The highest point of the hill was only about ten meters from the ground. From afar, it looked like a big bun. When they reached the foot of the hill, Xia ruofei first crouched down by the stream. He cupped some water from the stream with both hands and took a few sips. He realized that the stream water tasted exactly the same as the water from the spatial spirit pond. Xia ruofei looked at the upstream of the stream. The winding stream had appeared out of thin air from the space membrane. Xia ruofei had a thoughtful look on his face. He felt that this stream was related to the spatial spirit pond. Perhaps they had the same origin. Then, Xia ruofei walked around the hill. When he was halfway there, his eyes suddenly focused and his pace suddenly quickened. He saw a stone tablet at

the foot of a small hill not far away. This was Xia ruofei's first time seeing an artificial object after obtaining the spirit map space. Xia ruofei's heart was a little agitated as he carefully approached the stone tablet. Looking at it up close, Xia ruofei was even more certain that it was not formed naturally because there were obvious knife and axe marks on it. It was definitely man – made. The stone tablet looked gray and was made of an unknown stone. There were obvious traces of chiseling on it, but Xia ruofei looked at it from top to bottom a few times but could not see any writing. This was a wordless monument. Xia ruofei looked at it for a long time but could not figure it out. He smiled bitterly. Then, he carefully reached out his hand to the stone tablet. Xia ruofei placed the back of his hand gently on the stone tablet. At this moment, he was also full of vigilance. Once he realized that something was wrong, he would immediately stop. The stone tablet was cold, and there was nothing strange about it. However, Xia ruofei's sharp senses still detected that when his hand touched the stone tablet, there was a spiritual connection between him and the stone tablet. It was similar to the connection between him and the spirit map. However, the connection was very weak and did not provide Xia ruofei with any useful information. Xia ruofei sighed and retracted his hand. It seemed like he could only wait for the next evolution of the space. He could faintly feel that this stone tablet that had suddenly appeared in space was something very important. Xia ruofei looked around in confusion. He couldn't figure out what was so special about this new space. It was also filled with dense spiritual energy, and it was also a small space, so why did it have to be divided into two? Xia ruofei compared the two spaces one by one in his heart, trying to find out the intention of the original creator of the spirit map scroll. Suddenly, an idea came to Xia ruofei's mind. He thought of a possibility

Chapter 133: The wonderful use of the new space (1)

The flow of time! Xia ruofei thought of this factor. The conditions of the two spaces seemed to be similar in all aspects. The only thing that he could not feel was the flow of time. Xia ruofei was in the spirit map space where time flowed twenty times faster. He felt exactly the same as the outside world. Thinking of this, Xia ruofei decided to do a test immediately. With a thought, he felt a familiar sense of dizziness. Xia ruofei was surprised to find himself in the room outside and not in the original space as he had imagined. This discovery surprised Xia ruofei. He picked up the small alarm clock from the bedside table and tried to communicate with the spirit map scroll with his mind. Soon, he found that he could enter the original spirit map space or the newly discovered space according to His will. It was clear that these two spaces were connected to each other, yet they were also relatively independent. Xia ruofei ordered in his mind. The next moment, he appeared in the newly discovered space. Xia ruofei was already very familiar with testing the flow of time. Before he entered the space, he had already checked the time on his alarm clock and phone to make sure that they were the same. And he would never bring his phone into the medium. Hence, after Xia ruofei confirmed the time on his alarm clock, he left the new space and returned to the outside world. After staying in the outside world for five minutes, Xia ruofei entered the new space again. He took a look at the clock and saw that five minutes had passed in the new space. As expected! The biggest difference between the two spaces was the flow of time! The flow of time in this new space was the same as the outside world. This discovery made Xia ruofei very excited. He thought of many possibilities. The flow of time in the original space was 20 times that of the outside world. He hadn't had time to test it after the evolution this time. If he was right, it should be 30 times. In the original space, it was definitely very suitable to plant some crops that required a particularly long time, such as slow – growing succulents or precious trees that needed hundreds of years or even hundreds of years to grow. However, the rapid flow of time also brought about a problem. Some

animals or crops that needed a short time to mature were not suitable to stay in the original space. For example, if Xia ruofei kept lightning in the original space all year round, it would die of old age in no time. Another example was the vegetables in the space. The vegetables planted in the space would mature in a short time, which was a great help to Xia ruofei's capital accumulation. However, later on, he had to re-plant them almost every one or two days. Hence, Xia ruofei had already started to reduce the amount of vegetables he planted in the interspace. He was satisfied as long as he could supply Xi Jiangyue and Ling Ji restaurants. In the future, he would completely transfer the matter of growing vegetables to the Peach Blossom Farm in the outside world. With this new space where time flowed at the same rate, Xia ruofei could rear many animals. These animals would probably be as intelligent as lightning. He could even rear his own animal army, one that he could carry around with him. Besides, as the flow of time inside and outside was the same, Xia ruofei could stay in there for a longer period of time if he was safe. He could even sleep and rest there. The spiritual Qi here was rich, and the air was much better than the polluted air outside. He could even build his own paradise here. Xia ruofei thought of many possibilities and couldn't help but be elated. The original space was dedicated to cultivating precious species that required a long time, while the new space focused on plants and animals that didn't need a long growth period. The two could be said to complement each other. Xia ruofei vaguely felt that this new space was not as simple as the difference in the flow of time. This place was even more vast and had different terrains. There was also the mysterious stone tablet that was connected to him ... Xia ruofei felt that there were still many unknown in this space waiting for him to explore. However, he was not in a hurry. According to his experience after obtaining the spirit map scroll, as long as the space continued to evolve, the unknown would slowly shed its mysterious veil and gradually appear in front of him, just like the appearance of the new space today. However, thinking about leveling up, Xia ruofei had a headache. This upgrade had cost him seven million Yuan worth of Jade, and the next upgrade would probably cost him more than fourteen million Yuan ... Xia ruofei shook his head with a bitter smile and decided not to think too much for the time being. With a killing machine like the spirit map space, he would definitely be able to make money faster and faster. One day, he would be able to unravel all the secrets of the space. And maybe in the future, he could find something more suitable for the evolution of the space than Jade! Xia ruofei had a feeling that such a thing existed. He just needed a little luck. Perhaps the black rough stone that he had absorbed into the spirit map space during the last evolution was something that could evolve the space, unlike the Jade. After all, that raw stone could make the spirit map scroll vibrate on its own. Furthermore, Xia ruofei did not unseal it when he brought it back and directly let the scroll absorb it. He had no idea what was inside. Xia ruofei decided not to think too much about it. He took the small alarm clock and went from the new space to the original space to test the time flow. As he had expected, after the evolution, the time flow in the original space had become thirty times that of the outside world. This was undoubtedly extremely beneficial for the growth of Phoebe zhennan wood, truffle, and ginseng. Xia ruofei patrolled the original space and started to work. He had promised the workers that he would provide them with 'high-tech seeds'. He had already bought the seeds and stored them in the space. Now, he needed to complete the most important step, soaking the seeds with the Ravens. Xia ruofei had previously bought many plastic packing boxes of various sizes to keep in his interspace because these sort of packing boxes could be used in many situations. He took a dozen small tidying boxes and poured each kind of vegetable seed into one tidying box. Then, he took a large wooden bucket and began to prepare the petal solution. There were more seeds to be soaked this time. Xia ruofei used two petals to make a big barrel of solution. After he stirred the solution in the wooden bucket evenly, he poured it into a dozen

small tidying boxes. Then, he left the space in a flash. He stayed in the outside world for a few minutes, which meant that a few hours had passed in the medium. The seeds should have fully absorbed the nutrients in the petal solution, so he returned to the original space. Xia ruofei laid a plastic sheet on the floor of the interspace and used a fence to scoop out all the seeds. He separated the seeds and spread them out on the plastic sheet, letting them dry naturally. He didn't waste the petal solution after soaking the seeds. He watered the Phoebe zhennan wood, the root of the oak tree, and the ginseng. After that, Xia ruofei left the medium. He would return to the medium the next day to collect the dried seeds. Xia ruofei kept the painting in his palm and went downstairs to look for Hu Zi's mother and Lin Qiao.

Chapter 134: Promotion and pay raise (1)

When Xia ruofei went downstairs, pang Hao had just brought Hu Zi's mother and Lin Qiao back from a tour of the farm. Xia ruofei smiled and went up to him, asking, "Auntie, Qiao'er, how do you feel after looking around?" Hu Zi's mother said with a smile, "ruofei, you've done a great job with the construction here!" The environment is also well maintained, and the air in the countryside is good. It's really good! "If you like it, then stay for a longer period of time!" Xia ruofei smiled and said, "the farm has just been built. After some time, the trees will grow bigger. Then, we can plant all kinds of vegetables in the greenhouse and fruit trees in the back of the mountain. The environment will be better." "Waa! Wouldn't that be the fragrance of fruits?" Lin Qiao smiled and said, "brother ruofei, you have to leave a room for me! I'll come over to stay when I'm free in the future ..." "No problem! You're always welcome during the winter and summer break!" Xia ruofei laughed and said, "I'll let you eat all kinds of fruits in summer!" "Only the winter and summer breaks? What about the usual times?" Lin Qiao asked. "You usually have to go to school! Of course, I live in the city." "What about after I get into university?" Lin Qiao asked naughtily. Xia ruofei laughed and said, "you're going to study in another city after you get into university?" "You'll only be back during the winter and summer breaks, right?" "Who said I'm going out of town?" Lin Qiao said, "he is going to a local university in Sanshan ..." "Yo! I already have an ideal school!" Xia ruofei asked in surprise, "what University is it?" Lin Qiao made a cute face and said with a smile, "It's a secret!" Hu Zi's mother laughed and scolded, "you little girl!" Why are you keeping your brother ruofei in suspense?" "It's fine, it's fine ..." Xia ruofei said. "Auntie, Qiao'er is already an adult. It's a good thing that she has her own ideas! Besides, she's doing well in San Shan University and can take care of you! There are quite a few top universities in Sanshan city!" After experiencing the pain of losing her son, Hu Zi's mother naturally loved her only daughter, Lin Qiao, even more. In fact, she also hoped that Lin Qiao could be by her side. If Lin Qiao really went to study in a faraway place, she would definitely be worried. Therefore, after hearing Xia ruofei's words, Hu Zi's mother smiled and nodded in agreement. The three of them chatted as they walked into the villa. The rooms that Xia ruofei had arranged for the mother and daughter were on the second floor. In addition to her master bedroom, there were two guest rooms on the second floor, one for the mother and daughter. Xia ruofei had already tidied up the room and changed the bedding into new ones. Especially the room prepared for Lin Qiao, which had a nine-piece set of pink Kitty cat series. He had also spent a lot of effort to decorate the room. The entire room was filled with a girlish element. As soon as Lin Qiao entered the room, she screamed with joy and threw herself on the soft bed. She hugged the pink pillow tightly and refused to get up. She kept saying that this room must be reserved for her and that she would come to stay as long as there was a holiday. Xia ruofei looked at Lin Qiao lovingly and nodded with a smile. After Hu Zi's mother moved into the villa, she took over the kitchen. Ye Lingyun, who had been working as a

part – time chef for a few days, was officially laid off. However, Hu Zi’s mother’s cooking skills were indeed much better than ye Lingyun ‘s. In addition, the ingredients were all vegetables and fish produced in the realm. Everyone was very satisfied with the meal. Pang Hao immediately said that he would be freeloaded here in the future. The next morning, Cao tieshu brought a few workers to find Xia ruofei. Xia ruofei knew why they were here. He brought them to the villa’s garage and gave them the dozens of vegetable seeds that he had taken out in advance. Xia ruofei had also specifically told them that these seeds were all high – tech products and that they did not need to be soaked. They could be directly sown. Cao tieshu and the others were very happy that Qianqian had been employed for almost a month and finally had work to do. Cao tieshu directed the other workers to move the seeds out of the garage. He rubbed his hands and said to Xia ruofei, “Boss, we’ve discussed it yesterday. We think that the orchard in the back mountain has been opened up. It’s best to plant the fruit trees in the spring. You can think about what kind of fruit trees to plant in the next few days.” Xia ruofei smiled and nodded. “I understand, old Cao. Thank you for your reminder!” “By the way, boss ...” Cao tieshu wanted to say something but hesitated. In the end, he still opened his mouth and said, “in that mountain forest, our village has also planted fruit trees for a few years. However, perhaps due to the soil quality, the fruits that bear are bitter and astringent. They are simply inedible ... So, when you choose the sapling, it would be best for you to ...” Xia ruofei smiled and said, “okay, I know.” Don’t worry! I have a friend in this line of work, and I’ll ask him to give me some advice some other day. I’m sure we’ll be able to pick out the most suitable breed.” Cao tieshu grinned and said, “sure!” It’s good that the boss has considered it! Then ... I’ll go to the greenhouse first. We’re going to plant the seeds today!” After he finished speaking, Cao tieshu walked towards the door. Xia ruofei thought for a while and called out to him, “Old Cao, I see that you’re doing quite well in management. I’ll let you be in charge of the vegetable greenhouse in the future, is that okay?” “Boss, you’re letting me manage the greenhouse?” Cao tieshu asked in surprise. Don’t worry! Since the boss trusts me so much, I’ll definitely manage the vegetable greenhouse well!” “Mm! Do well!” Xia ruofei nodded and said, “well ... I’ll temporarily be considered a supervisor! I’ll raise your monthly salary to 7000!” “There’s even a salary increase!” Cao tieshu was a little surprised. He immediately said, “boss, our salary is already high enough. This ...” Xia ruofei smiled and waved his hand. “Our company pays according to your work. We don’t engage in equality.” As a supervisor, you definitely can’t be paid the same as ordinary workers! Work hard and the company will develop well. Your salary will definitely increase!” “Ah! I see, thank you, boss!” Cao tieshu said excitedly, “don’t worry, boss. I will definitely do a good job!” Xia ruofei smiled and nodded. Cao tieshu left in high spirits. Xia ruofei had finally handed over the vegetables. As long as the greenhouse in Taoyuan farm started to produce vegetables and started to operate positively, Xia ruofei could stop the vegetable planting in the spirit map space. During the transition period, he still had to ensure that he provided Ling Ji restaurant and the West River Moon Club with food every day. At night, Xia ruofei locked the door and windows of his bedroom. After a careful inspection, he took out the spirit map. Now that there were many people living in the villa, Xia ruofei was even more careful. Xia ruofei entered the origin space and planned to patrol the area before tidying up the field. Now that the scale of farming could be reduced, once the greenhouse started to produce vegetables, the origin space could stop growing normal vegetables. By then, he only needed to prepare the “high – tech seeds” regularly. When Xia ruofei saw the pond with a pair of Red Arowana, he was immediately attracted to it ...

Chapter 135: The red Arowana laid eggs

This pair of Red Arowana was no longer the same as when Xia ruofei had brought them into the medium. The most direct observation was their size. They had been in the medium for a few years and were constantly bathed in the rich spiritual energy. Occasionally, Xia ruofei would drop some of the petal solution into the pond. Hence, the pair of Red Arowana had grown to more than 60 centimeters long. There was also the color. The red Arowana's hair color was already very pure. At first glance, they were blood red, and their scales had a metallic luster. The layers of scales were very beautiful. Xia ruofei compared some pictures on the internet and felt that the so – called top blood red Dragons on the forum were not as beautiful as the pair of Red Arowana he had. Hence, every time Xia ruofei entered the spirit map space, he would come here to admire it for a while. Watching such a beautiful pair of fish swimming in the pond was indeed a pleasing thing to the eye. But today, Xia ruofei noticed that the two fish were a little different from usual. Although they were also playing, Xia ruofei saw that the two fish's tails would touch from time to time. In the process of swimming, the two fish were getting closer and closer. Sometimes, they even lay on each other's back, very intimate. Xia ruofei, who had read a lot of information during this period of time, immediately realized that the red Arowana was about to lay eggs. Xia ruofei did not know how long the red Arowana had been successfully mating, but it seemed like they were about to lay their eggs. He subconsciously lightened his footsteps, afraid of disturbing the pair of Red Arowana who were "nuptial chamber". However, Xia ruofei did not leave. He maintained a distance and quietly observed the red Arowana that was laying eggs. This was because Xia ruofei had read the information and knew that the process of Red Arowana laying eggs and hatching was very strange. After the female Arowana laid eggs, the male fish would put the eggs in his mouth one by one. The male fish's mouth could not hold so many eggs and some would be swallowed. During the hatching process, if the male fish was frightened, he would also swallow the eggs and even the young fish. As a result, the number of young Dragonfish that could hatch each time was very small. Xia ruofei saw that the red Arowana was about to lay eggs and naturally did not want to leave so easily. The red Arowana was very precious. He had to find a way to increase the reproduction rate and not let the red Arowana hatch according to the natural laws. He quietly left the pond and went to the side to make some preparations. Then, he carefully approached the small pond with the things he had prepared. Xia ruofei's eyes were fixed on the pond. About half an hour later, the female fish began to lay eggs. The red Arowana's eggs were pure golden in color, about ten millimeters in diameter, and shone with a dazzling golden light like pearls. They fell from the fish's body one by one, and the whole process was full of the joy of life. When the female fish laid eggs, the male fish would swim over and open his mouth to put the eggs in. At this moment, Xia ruofei immediately used his mind to contact the spirit map space. Suddenly, an invisible force trapped the male fish. He was only a few feet away from the egg but he could not swim over. Xia ruofei's spiritual connection with the spirit map space had evolved four times and was now very close. His control of the entire space had also improved. It was easy for Xia ruofei to control the male fish in the space. At this time, the female fish was still unaware of it and was still laying eggs. The entire process of laying eggs took about 20 minutes. Xia ruofei roughly counted and found that there were about 80 to 90 yellow eggs. When the female fish finished laying eggs, Xia ruofei used the same method to bind it with an invisible force in the space. This power was very gentle. Although it made the two red Arowana unable to move in a large area, it did not scare them. Next, Xia ruofei concentrated again and used his mind to control the fish eggs in the pond to gather together. Xia ruofei felt a little tired after being distracted in three places at the same time. Fortunately, the pond was not large, so he could still handle it. Soon, the golden fish eggs moved slowly in the water and gathered together. Xia ruofei took out a container that he had prepared earlier and walked slowly to the edge of

the pond. He put the container into the water and scooped up more than half of the 70 to 80 fish eggs, leaving about 10 to 20 fish eggs in the pond. He did this to prevent his method from not hatching the eggs. He could save some to avoid wasting his efforts. Secondly, he was worried that after he took all the eggs, the male fish would find out that he couldn't find a single egg after a long time, and he would hurt himself in a fit of rage. The red Arowana was very precious. If the scales or fins of the fish were injured while swimming, its value would be greatly reduced. Then, Xia ruofei slowly released the two red Arowana. They immediately started to swim in the pond again, not realizing that Xia ruofei had 'stolen' more than half of the eggs. In fact, if Xia ruofei had not taken the eggs away, many of the eggs would have been eaten by the male fish during the incubation process. The male fish soon found the eggs in the pond. He quickly swam over and put the eggs in his mouth. The female fish spread her pectoral fins horizontally, showing a unique defensive posture as she stood guard beside the male fish. This was a natural reaction condensed in the blood, encouraging the female fish to lay eggs, the male fish to hatch, and the female fish to defend themselves. It was endless and passed down from generation to generation ... In the next hatching process, the male fish would no longer eat, and his mouth would wriggle from time to time. Sometimes, he would even move his dragon head to maintain balance. After about 60 days, the young fish that were 5 to 6 centimeters long would enter and leave the male fish's mouth. The male fish was very protective of the young fish. This activity would last for about 90 days before it would slowly decrease. The entire incubation process would only be completed when the young fish adapted to the outside environment. During this process, if the male fish was frightened, it was likely to swallow the young fish. This was a completely instinctive reaction. Moreover, if they didn't eat for such a long time, the male fish's body functions would be consumed too much, and they would be badly injured. Some male fish would even die. Hence, Xia ruofei decided that he had to be careful in the medium and not disturb the pair of Red Arowana. He even walked over quietly and poured half a bottle of petal solution into the pond to ensure that the male fish's body would not overexert itself. Then, Xia ruofei took the container with 40 to 50 fish eggs and went to a place far away from the pond. He poured the fish eggs into the tidied box that he had just prepared. This place was filled with spatial pond water, and there was even a strange flower petal. Xia ruofei believed that such an environment would definitely allow the fish eggs to hatch. In this way, in addition to the dozen fish that could hatch naturally in the pond, he would have sixty to seventy young fish. This would be another huge fortune!

Chapter 136: great harvest (1)

In the next few days, Xia ruofei did not go out. He stayed at home with Hu Zi's mother and Lin Qiao. Lin Qiao even pestered Xia ruofei to go to the nearby beach. Seeing Lin Qiao cheering for the sea, Xia ruofei couldn't help but be speechless. Why was a girl who grew up by the sea so excited to see the sea? There was an elder at home, so everything was in good order. It was almost the new year, so Hu Zi's mother asked ye Lingyun to drive her to the county. They bought a lot of fireworks, red lanterns, China knots, and so on. They decorated the small villa and even the entire Tao Yuan farm with a New Year's atmosphere. Now, the trees on both sides of the farm path were hung with small lanterns and China knots. Hu Zi's mother had even asked pang Hao to get someone to pull up a few light ribbons. At night, the light ribbons and lanterns on the farm path were lit up, and the atmosphere was very warm. Hu 'Zi's mother even personally cleaned up the villa, making sure that the windows were clean and bright. Xia ruofei could not persuade her. She had always said that she was in good health and that she would have no problem doing these small things. In the end, Xia ruofei could only let her be. Fortunately, Xia ruofei knew that Hu Zi's mother was in good health. It was not a problem for her to move around. Three days

passed by quickly. It was Chinese New Year's Eve tomorrow. Xia ruofei gave the workers an early holiday. Before the holiday, Xia ruofei gave each worker a red packet of 1000 Yuan and transferred their salaries to their cards in advance. As the supervisor, Cao tieshu received a red packet of 3000 Yuan. These workers had only been on the job for a month or so, and everyone was already receiving red packets. They were all overjoyed. The vegetable seeds had also been sowed, so someone had to be on duty during the new year. Of course, the overtime pay would be tripled, and pang Hao would take care of the attendance records. The newly appointed Cao tieshu took the initiative to ask him to be on duty on New Year's Eve and the first day of the new year. Xia ruofei trusted him more and agreed after some thought. However, Xia ruofei told him to come over when he was free. There was no need for him to stay in the farm all day for the new year. Everyone wanted to reunite. Pang Hao also packed his things and returned to spend the new year with his family. The farm, which had been very lively during this period of time, had become much quieter. Only Xia ruofei, ye Lingyun, Hu Zi's mother, and Lin Qiao were left. Ye Lingyun's parents were no longer around. Just like Xia ruofei, they were all alone, so everyone just happened to spend the new year together. That night, Xia ruofei immediately locked the door and windows, took out the spirit map, and entered the room. When Xia ruofei entered the medium yesterday, he saw young fish going in and out of the male fish's mouth from time to time. He knew that the red Arowana's hatching process was almost complete. Now that the flow of time inside and outside was thirty times different, three days was almost equivalent to three months in the space. As expected, when Xia ruofei entered the medium, he saw that other than the two big red Arowana, there were many young ones swimming happily in the pond. There were at least twenty of them. This was a little more than he had expected, but it was normal. If the number of young fish produced in the spirit map space was not as much as the outside world, that would be ridiculous! Each juvenile Red Arowana was more than 10 centimeters long. Their bodies were perfect, and their scales were tight and fine, giving off a faint metallic luster. Even though Xia ruofei did not know much about Red Arowana, he knew that these young red Arowana were of excellent quality. Then, he came to the large sorting box where most of the fish eggs were placed. This side was even more spectacular. More than 50 juvenile fish swam happily in the petal solution. Perhaps because of the petal solution, these juvenile fish that were hatched directly in the sorting box were much larger than those in the small pond and looked more energetic. Xia ruofei looked at the young fish with joy. Under normal circumstances, 80 to 90 fish eggs could hatch more than 10 or at most 20 young fish. Xia ruofei had caught more than 70 fish this time. It was a great harvest! Red Arowana were the most expensive ornamental fish out of all the ornamental fish in the world. A high – Quality blood – Red Arowana had once been sold for five to six million Yuan. Once these young fish grew up, he would definitely make a fortune. However, the small pond must be too cramped now. With so many fish in it, it would be very crowded. Xia ruofei thought for a while, picked up the Hoe and Shovel, and started digging again beside the pond. This time, he dug a 10 by 10 meter hole, which took him more than ten hours. Even though he had an amazing physical strength from constantly absorbing the petal solution, he had to rest two or three times in between. Next, Xia ruofei dug the channel and moved some mud, algae, plankton, small fish and shrimp from the grass carp pond into the new fish pond. Then, he dug the channel and led the water from the spatial spirit pond into the new pond. Xia ruofei returned to the outside world to stay for a while. When she returned to the medium, the new fish pond was already filled with water. Hence, Xia ruofei carefully placed the young red Dragon in the sorting box into the new pond. As for the young fish in the pond, Xia ruofei did not care about them for the time being. He let them live with their parents. Anyway, there was still enough space now. After a while, when the young fish grew bigger, he could move them over. Only a short while had passed in the

outside world, but Xia ruofei was exhausted. He took a shower in the bathroom after leaving the medium and fell asleep. The next morning, Xia ruofei was still in a daze. In his daze, he felt someone pulling his ear. He opened his eyes drowsily and saw Lin Qiao standing at the head of his bed, looking at him with disdain. "Brother ruofei, it's already so late and you're still sleeping!" Lin Qiao said, "get up and put up the couplets!" Xia ruofei quickly wrapped the blanket around him tightly. He was used to wearing only his underwear when he slept. He did not expect this girl to barge into his room. Xia ruofei laughed bitterly in his heart. Peaceful days were really exhausting! When he was in the Army, he never slept like this. He was always on guard. Of course, this was also because he had been working for more than ten hours in the origin space yesterday. Besides, he was in his own home so Xia ruofei was not on guard. Basically, he would only lock the door and windows when he used the spirit map scroll. "You little girl! Why didn't you knock before coming in?" Xia ruofei said to Lin Qiao helplessly. "I've been calling you for a long time." Lin Qiao said innocently, "you didn't answer me. I didn't lock the door, so I drove in ..." Xia ruofei rubbed his forehead and smiled bitterly. "Alright, alright, you can leave first! I'm going to put on my clothes ..." Lin Qiaoling's eyes turned and she deliberately said, "Why do you want me to go out when you're wearing your clothes?" "Nonsense! Men and women shouldn't be so close ..." Xia ruofei said angrily. "You brat, are you leaving or not?" Lin Qiao pursed her lips and smiled, "I'm not leaving!" "I won't leave!" "You're not going out? Then don't blame me for using my killing weapon!" Xia ruofei said in a deliberately fierce tone. With that, Xia ruofei pretended to pull the blanket away. Lin Qiao screamed and covered her eyes. She ran out of Xia ruofei's room with a red face.

Chapter 137: seen through (1)

Xia ruofei thought as he put on his clothes, "In the future, when this girl was at home, she would have to lock the door when she slept ... He quickly put on his clothes, then opened the door and walked out of the room. He was shocked as soon as he stepped out of the door. It turned out that Lin Qiao had not left yet. She was standing in the corridor. Seeing Xia ruofei come out, Lin Qiao blushed and said in a low voice, "Brother ruofei, I'm going to tell my mom that you're a hooligan!" Xia ruofei looked indignant, "who's the hooligan!" "I almost let you see me naked ..." Lin Qiao blushed and laughed, "I don't care to look at you!" Xia ruofei opened his eyes wide and asked seriously, "Then why did you come to my room ..." "I can't be bothered with you, you big lazy worm!" Lin Qiao blushed and asked, "where's the New Year's gift you promised me?" "So, you came to my room early in the morning to ask for a gift!" Xia ruofei said, not knowing whether to laugh or cry. "You promised! A man must keep his word!" Lin Qiao raised her pretty little face and said. "You should have said so earlier! I could have given it to you yesterday ..." Xia ruofei was speechless. "Alright, wait for me. I'll go in and get it for you!" Then, Xia ruofei turned around, opened the door, and walked back to his room. He then turned around and said to Lin Qiao while holding the door, "You're not allowed to peek this time!" "Who's peeking at you, you lazy bum ..." Lin qiaojiao stomped her feet and said. Xia ruofei laughed and closed the door. Then, he carefully locked it. He summoned the spirit map scroll from his palm and closed his eyes slightly. His mind swept through the Spirit map space in the scroll and quickly locked onto something. With a thought, a flower pot suddenly appeared on the table. That's right. Xia ruofei's New Year gift for Lin Qiao was a beautiful succulents. Girls generally didn't have much resistance to Mengmeng's meaty body. Besides, this pot of ice lantern jade dew was carefully selected by Xia ruofei. The window and the shape were perfect. Lin Qiao would definitely like it. Sure enough, when Xia ruofei kept the spiritual map and opened the door with the basin of ice lantern jade dew, Lin Qiao, who couldn't wait to see the high – Quality ice lantern, immediately showed a surprised look and didn't hide her love for the basin of jade

dew at all. "Brother ruofei, is this the New Year's gift you're giving me?" Lin Qiao asked. "Yup! Do you like it?" Xia ruofei asked with a smile. "Yes, yes!" Lin Qiao kept nodding her head, her eyes fixed on the pot of jade dew, unwilling to look away. Then, Lin Qiao hesitated and said, "Brother ruofei, this ... Should be very expensive, right?" Although Lin Qiao had become more cheerful recently and was more rude when talking to Xia ruofei, she was still a well – behaved girl. Therefore, even though she liked the gift very much, she still showed hesitation as she was worried that the gift was too expensive. Xia ruofei laughed. "I have a friend who does this business. He didn't spend much. If you like it, just take it!" "Al! Thank you, brother ruofei!" Lin Qiao said happily and then took the basin of ice lantern jade dew as if she had obtained a treasure. Just as Lin Qiao was about to leave the room, she suddenly stopped and turned around to look at Xia ruofei. A sly smile appeared on her face as she said, "Brother ruofei, I know this is your fated year!" Lin Qiao's face turned red and she quickly left Xia ruofei's room. Xia ruofei was confused by Lin Qiao's words. He frowned and thought for a while. Suddenly, his expression changed. He quickly lowered his head and pulled open his pants to look inside. He didn't know whether to laugh or cry. It turned out that this girl had really seen it. This was really embarrassing ... Xia ruofei sat in the room for a long time, feeling the "trauma" in his heart slowly subside. Then, he pulled open the door and went downstairs with a bitter face. Lin Qiao was pasting couplets with ye Lingyun. Ye Lingyun stood on the human – shaped stairs and arranged his position. Lin Qiao would say "a little to the left" and "a little to the right" from time to time, giving ye Lingyun a lot of instructions. Seeing Xia ruofei come down, Lin Qiao blushed and smiled. Xia ruofei immediately ran to the kitchen to help Hu Zi's mother. However, he was quickly chased out of the kitchen by Hu Zi's mother because of his clumsiness. Seeing that he couldn't help and was embarrassed to face Lin Qiao, Xia ruofei simply strolled to the farm. When they passed by the vegetable greenhouse, Xia ruofei saw that Cao tieshu was still squatting inside and working. He walked in as well. "Old Cao, Didn't I tell you to go home earlier?" Xia ruofei smiled and asked, "you're not going to prepare New Year's Eve dinner?" Hearing Xia ruofei's voice, Cao tieshu stood up and smiled honestly. "Boss, my wife will prepare the New Year's Eve dinner. I'll be on duty until the evening." "No need! There's nothing on the farm right now except for the seeds you planted a few days ago. It's not worth it, so it's fine to go back early." Xia ruofei said indifferently. "Al, alright! Thank you, boss!" Cao tieshu said. Then, he hesitated and said, "Boss, you were talking about the sowing, I was just about to report to you!" After he finished speaking, Cao tieshu pointed to the nursery and said, "Look, these seeds have been planted for less than three days, and they're all sprouting, and these sprouts are not small ... I've been farming for my entire life, but I've never seen anyone sprout so quickly. Is there a problem?" Xia ruofei knew that it must be because the seed had been soaked in the petal solution, so he smiled and said, "Old Cao, I was wondering what you were doing here alone just now! Wasn't it a good thing to sprout quickly? What was there to worry about? Don't worry! This is a high – tech vegetable seed. It grows faster and has better quality than ordinary seeds!" "I'm relieved to hear you say that ..." Cao tieshu laughed awkwardly as he scratched his head. "I reckon that before I start work on the seventh, I'll be able to transplant the plants on the third and fourth. Should I inform everyone to come over and work overtime on the fourth day of the new year?" Xia ruofei thought for a while and said, "that's fine!" You can ask everyone who's free, this isn't mandatory, if you're free, come help me, I'll pay you three times your salary!" "Alright!" Cao tieshu said, "everyone will definitely be free. Isn't the new year just about visiting relatives and playing cards? It won't be a problem to take a day out." Xia ruofei smiled and nodded. He then told Cao tieshu to hurry home and left the vegetable greenhouse. He strolled to the back of the mountain and looked at the fields that had been opened up into an Orchard that looked like a stepped field. He was also thinking about what Cao tieshu had said before. He should

decide on the variety of fruit trees as soon as possible. What should I plant? The image of several fruits flashed across Xia ruofei's mind ...

Chapter 138: bidding farewell to the old and welcoming the new

Xia ruofei's philosophy from the beginning to the end was to take the high – end route. Even the ordinary vegetables he grew were several grades higher than the ones on the market. Xia ruofei had considered many factors when it came to choosing the species of the fruit tree. He sat on a big rock at the foot of the mountain for a long time before he thought of two types of fruit trees – lychee and cherry. The prices of these two fruits were relatively high, and the viewing pleasure of the fruit trees was very strong after they formed a forest. There was no need to talk about lychees. They were commonly planted in the South. There were many lychees in Sanshan city. In the thousand – year – old West Zen temple, there was an ancient Phoenix from the Song Dynasty. Every summer, it would still bear bright red fruits. Therefore, there was no problem planting lychees here. As for cherries, Xia ruofei liked to eat them. Furthermore, they were very expensive on the market. A kilogram of ordinary cherries cost tens of Yuan. However, most of the cherries were planted in the North. He didn't know if the climate in the South was suitable for the growth of cherry trees. Xia ruofei was not in a hurry to go back, so he took out his phone and searched for information online. Indeed, some places in the southeast province had a tradition of planting cherry trees, but most of them were in the northern mountainous areas. Sanshan city was located on the eastern coast of the southeast province. The climate was hot and humid, so it might not be suitable for the planting of cherry trees. This was especially true for big cherry, who basically came from Shandong. However, Xia ruofei still decided to give it a try. He was confident in the spirit map space and believed that with the help of the space pool and the petals of the strange flower, he would definitely succeed. Furthermore, if the cherry plantation in Sanshan city was successful, the advantage would be obvious. Cherries could only be stored for a short time. They could only be stored for three days at most after being picked. Even if they were stored in the refrigerator, they would not last more than a week. Therefore, if cherries from other places wanted to enter the Sanshan market, they could only rely on air transport or cold chain transportation. In this case, the local high – Quality cherries naturally had an unparalleled advantage. Xia ruofei still maintained his military habits. Since he had already made up his mind to fight, he would not think about it anymore and just put it into action. He decided to settle the matter of the fruit tree seedlings after the new year. Xia ruofei had already woken up a little late. After walking around for a long time, it was almost lunchtime. Hence, he walked back home while taking a walk. It was the New Year's Eve dinner in the evening, so everyone had a simple lunch. After eating, they went back to their rooms to rest for a while. They got up at three in the afternoon and made dumplings together in the restaurant on the first floor. The Chinese New Year's Eve dinner in the South was usually held earlier than in the North, where people would not have dinner while watching the Spring Festival Gala. Most of the time, after everyone finished eating and cleaned up the dishes, the family would sit together to watch the party. When it was past FiveO' clock, Hu 'Zi's mother had already prepared the New Year's Eve dinner. Plates of delicious – looking dishes were served on the table. Then, she took the dumplings that everyone had made to the kitchen. When Hu Zi's mother was still cooking the dumplings, Lin Qiao couldn't help but secretly grab a piece of beef and put it in her mouth. Ye Lingyun, on the other hand, sat upright and still. He was still standing and sitting like a Bell, just like he was in the Army. Even when he was sitting, his back was straight. When Hu 'Zi's mother served the dumplings that she had cooked, everyone went to the table and started eating. Xia ruofei had specially opened a bottle of red wine. It was given to Xia ruofei by the purchasing agent of

President Zheng of West River moon. Xia ruofei did not know much about wine, but President Zheng's Red wine was definitely not cheap. Last time, at Xia ruofei's class gathering, President Zheng's gift of a bottle of 1985 Petrus cost more than 1000 US dollars. This bottle would definitely not be any worse than the wine from that day. As he was pouring wine for everyone, Xia ruofei suddenly had an idea. The time in the Suan NI's space was 30 times faster and there was a unique environment. If the wine was well preserved, especially white wine, it would be more fragrant as it aged. If he could get some wine and put it in there, wouldn't he be able to get super – old wine very quickly? Those 30 – year – old and 50 – year – old wines that were sold at sky – High prices on the market were too weak! With this thought in mind, Xia ruofei couldn't wait to go buy, buy, buy. He resisted the urge to pour everyone's wine. Xia ruofei raised his glass and smiled. "Auntie, Qiao' er, Ling Yun, it's fate that we're all gathered together for the new year. Let's have a toast!" I also wish all of us a smooth and prosperous coming year!" "Cheers!" "Cheers!" Everyone raised their glasses and clinked them together before drinking. Even Hu Zi's mother took a small sip, while Lin Qiao took a big gulp. As soon as the wine entered her stomach, her little face immediately blushed, looking very moving. "Slow down ..." Hu Zi's mother said as she stared at Lin Qiao. Lin Qiao stuck out her tongue mischievously and said, "I know!" "Come, come, come. Everyone, have some food ..." Hu Zi's mother called out. "Let's see if what I've made is to your taste." Xia ruofei smiled. "Aunty, Ling Yun and I don't have any other relatives now. In the past few years in the Army, we had to prepare for combat during the new year and other festivals. We would sometimes have to take a few bites at the Sentry post for the New Year's Eve dinner. So, this sumptuous New Year's Eve dinner that you have prepared is definitely the best we have had in all these years!" Ye linyun nodded in agreement. Xia ruofei took a piece of braised carp and tasted it. "Mm! Delicious! Aunty, this is the taste of the home we've always dreamed of ..." "You really know how to talk ..." Hu Zi's mother's eyes turned red again. "If you like it, Auntie will make it for you often in the future. Hu Zi used to like my braised fish the most ..." Lin Qiao glanced at her mother and said, "Mom ... It's the new year, so let's not talk about these sad things ..." Hu 'Zi's mother wiped the corners of her eyes and said with a smile, "Don't worry, mom's fine ... I'm happy! Even though Hu is no longer around, RUO Fei is taking care of us now. I'm feeling better now, and you've solved your problem of going to school. Life is so good now!" Xia ruofei smiled and said, "aunty is right!" In the future, we must be happy. Hu Zi will definitely feel gratified even if he is in heaven! Let's celebrate the new year together every year from now on, and everyone will be so happy!" After that, Xia ruofei turned to ye Lingyun and said, "Ling Yun, class monitor Lin took great care of you when he was still around. Please give Auntie and Qiao' er a toast on his behalf!" "Yes!" Ye linyun immediately stood up with his glass.

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"Aunty, I'll toast you on behalf of class monitor Lin!" Ye Lingyun said, "class monitor Lin is no longer around. Brother Xia and I will take care of you on his behalf!" "Good ... Good child ..." Hu 'Zi's mother raised her wine glass with red eyes. "Come, come, come, Qiao' er, let's have a drink too!" Xia ruofei smiled and said, "from now on, we're a family!" "En!" Lin Qiao's eyes were also a little wet. In her memory, she had never had such a warm spring Festival since her brother's death. Every New Year, it was just her and her mother. When she heard the laughter from other people's houses and the sound of firecrackers in the distance, her house seemed especially cold and lonely. Therefore, ever since her brother's death, Lin Qiao was particularly afraid of festivals, especially when the whole country was happy and celebrated like the Spring Festival. This year was different. She felt the warmth of a family and the joy of the new year. After everyone clinked their glasses and drank, they ate and chatted. From

time to time, laughter could be heard in the dining room. Even ye Lingyun, who was not good with words, said a lot. After the Chinese New Year's Eve dinner, Xia ruofei wanted to help Hu Zi's mother with the dishes but was stopped by Hu Zi's mother. She said that with her around, Xia ruofei did not need to do anything. Lin Qiao, on the other hand, couldn't wait to set off some firecrackers. In fact, the sky had just turned dark, but seeing that Lin Qiao was so excited, Xia ruofei didn't want to dampen her spirits. He laughed and called ye Lingyun along. The three of them carried a large pile of firecrackers to the farm outside. The dazzling fireworks bloomed in the night sky, illuminating the three's smiling faces and bringing a festive atmosphere to the relatively quiet farm. After a while, more than half of the fireworks were set off. Lin Qiao wanted to continue, but Xia ruofei hurriedly told her to save some for the New Year's Eve. Only then did she reluctantly stop. The Spring Festival Gala was about to begin, so everyone went to the living room and sat in front of the TV. There were fruits and snacks on the coffee table in the living room. The four of them chatted and watched TV as they ate, and the atmosphere was harmonious. Hu 'Zi's mother was also in good spirits. She didn't go back to her room to rest until the new year Bell rang on TV. In the distance, the sound of firecrackers could be heard. In the direction of San Shan city, the entire night sky was lit up. Xia ruofei, Lin Qiao, and ye Lingyun also took the remaining fireworks and went out to set them off. Half an hour later, Xia ruofei and the rest had finished setting off all the fireworks. From afar, they could still see colorful fireworks blooming in the sky. Xia ruofei, ye Lingyun, and the unsatisfied Lin Qiao returned to the villa. Lin Qiao went back to her room to sleep under Hu Zi's mother's urging, while Xia ruofei and ye Lingyun went back to their respective rooms. After Xia ruofei returned to his room, he took out his phone and started to make new Year calls. Of course, he guessed that professor Tian, Tian Huilan, MA Xiong, and the other elders had already gone to rest, so he mainly called the younger ones. Liang Qichao, President Zheng of Xi jiangyue, Guo Zhan of lone wolf Commando, Niu Meng of the provincial Military Region, Wu Liqian, the executive Deputy County Head of Changping County ... Xia ruofei's social circle was not complicated after he retired, so he didn't have to make many calls. The leader of the lone wolf assault team, Guo Zhan, was very happy to receive Xia ruofei's call. He even asked about his condition over the phone. Xia ruofei told him that he had been using Traditional Chinese Medicine therapy after he retired and his condition had been effectively controlled. Guo Zhan was also very happy when he learned about it. Xia ruofei also told him about ye Lingyun. Guo Zhan had an impression of this soldier who had performed outstandingly during the group training. After listening to him, he was deeply moved and expressed his appreciation for Xia ruofei's help to his comrades. Xia ruofei and Guo Zhan talked about many things in the Army and both of them sighed. As for Liang Qichao and the others, Xia ruofei greeted them out of courtesy. He hung up the phone after a short chat. After making a round of calls, he was ready to call Ling Qingxue. In Xia ruofei's heart, Ling Qingxue was still different from the others. The two of them had not yet broken through that layer of window paper, but they were far more intimate than ordinary good friends. That was why Xia ruofei had left his call to Ling Qingxue for last. Just as Xia ruofei was about to make the call, his phone rang. He looked at the caller ID and saw that it was an unfamiliar number. "It's already midnight, who would call?" Xia ruofei muttered to himself. "Hello, who is this?" he answered the call. A shy voice came from the other end of the phone. "Brother Xia?" "I'm Xia ruofei. " Xia ruofei felt that the voice was familiar, but he couldn't recall who it was. He asked, "may I know who you are?" "Big brother Xia, I'm Jiang Yue!" The voice on the other end of the phone had a hint of joy. "Youyou's classmate ... The last time at the pharmacy in front of the school ..." "Oh! So it was you! Hello, hello!" Xia ruofei suddenly remembered that easily embarrassed girl. A few days after he left the military, he had saved her in an alley in the shanty town. "Hello, brother Xia!" Seeing that Xia ruofei had recalled, Jiang Yue was elated. "I

... It's nothing much. I just called to wish you a Happy New Year and wish you a Happy New Year ..."

"Thank you! I wish you a Happy New Year too!" Xia ruofei said with a smile. "I heard from Youyou that you have a farm in the suburbs?" Jiang Yue asked, "big brother Xia, can we come and take a look after school reopens?" "No problem!" Xia ruofei smiled and said, "but our farm has just been completed. We haven't planted anything yet! You'll probably be disappointed if you come ..."

"No, no, I just wanted to come and see you ..."

"Ha?"

"Uh ... Look at your farm ..."

Jiang Yue said in a flustered manner. "Alright! Give me a call when you feel like it!" Xia ruofei said with a smile. He thought to himself, "why is this lady panting when she's talking?"

"Mm! Goodbye, big brother Xia!" Jiang Yue quickly replied. "Goodbye!" Xia ruofei ended the call. In a small mountain village in Gan Nan Province, a few hundred kilometers away, Jiang Yue's face was flushed red. She held her phone to her chest with a shy smile on her face and her bright eyes were shining with joy. After Xia ruofei ended the call with Jiang Yue, it was almost one o'clock. However, he considered that Ling Qingxue should still be awake on New Year's Eve, so he gave her a call. The call was picked up after One Ring. Then, Xia ruofei heard Ling Qingxue's voice. "Why do I always have to call you? Is it because there are too many girls and you're too busy to call for New Year greetings?" Ling Qingxue asked teasingly. Xia ruofei broke out in a cold sweat. A girl's sixth sense was really scary. Fortunately, he had a clear conscience! He didn't call the girl. It was the girl who called ...

Chapter 140: The news from Hong Kong (1)

"It's true, but I don't have any girls. Why don't you send me a few?" Xia ruofei said with a smile. "You wish!" Ling Qingxue pouted and said, "if one is not enough, how many more do you want?" "I don't even have one, okay?" Xia ruofei cried out, full of grievances. After he said this, the two of them fell into silence. Because they all thought of the meaning behind the words that Ling Qingxue had blurted out. "Uh ..."

Xia ruofei broke the awkward silence. "Dumbo!" Ling Qingxue lowered her eyes and said, "Happy New Year!"

"Happy New Year!" Xia ruofei said subconsciously. As soon as he finished speaking, Ling Qingxue quickly hung up the phone. Xia ruofei sat there with his phone in his hand for a long time. He was thinking that he should be more proactive after the new year. The lady's intentions were already very obvious. Xia ruofei also had feelings for Ling Qingxue. Thinking of this, Xia ruofei picked up his phone and sent a WeChat message to Ling Qingxue: Qingxue, do you have time during the new year? Come to my farm to play!

After a while, a WeChat notification rang. Xia ruofei opened it and saw Ling Qingxue's one – Word reply: MMH!

Xia ruofei grinned and put his phone aside. He didn't plan to enter the spirit map space again. He went to the bathroom to take a shower and then fell asleep. Xia ruofei slept soundly that night. Even the firecrackers in the morning of the first day of the new year did not wake him up. He only woke up at nine o'clock. The precise biological clock that he had developed in the Army seemed to have begun to degenerate, but this was nothing. Sleeping until he woke up naturally and counting money until his hands cramped – wasn't this the life that many people dreamed of? If he were to return home after retiring and still live strictly according to the Army's work and rest schedule, that would be old – fashioned!

After washing up, Xia ruofei put on his slippers and went downstairs. Hu Zi's mother had already prepared breakfast. Ye Lingyun had already woken up and was practicing military boxing in the courtyard. His head was steaming, and he had obviously been practicing for a while. In this aspect, Xia ruofei could not compare to Ye Lingyun. This kid had always stuck to the Army's daily routine. He would get up at six in the morning and go to the courtyard for physical training. In his own words, he was now the head of security at the Paradise Corporation, so he couldn't neglect his culinary skills. Xia ruofei suspected that if it wasn't for the fact that guns couldn't be bought in the country, this kid would probably not even skip his shooting training. Hu Zi's mother saw Xia ruofei

coming down and greeted him with a smile.” “If it flies! Come and have breakfast!” “Alright!” Xia ruofei smiled and replied, “Auntie, where’s Qiao’ er?” “This girl is still sleeping! Ignore her, let’s eat first!” Hu Zi’s mother said. “Woof! “You still dared to call me a lazy bum yesterday ...” Xia ruofei said with a smile. “You actually woke up later than me ...” “This girl had a lot of fun last night and didn’t go to bed until one. She hasn’t been this happy in a long time ...” Hu Zi’s mother said with a smile. “We’ll all be happy in the future!” Xia ruofei said. “En!” Hu Zi’s mother nodded and said, “come and eat quickly. Otherwise, the congee will get cold ...” Then, Hu Zi’s mother stuck her head out and shouted, “Little ye! Stop practicing, let’s eat!” “Aunty, please eat first. I’ll be done soon ...” Ye Lingyun replied. Xia ruofei turned around and saw that he had finished a set of military boxing and was now doing push – ups quickly. He smiled at Hu Zi’s mother and said, “Auntie, don’t worry about him. This guy won’t eat until he’s done with his training. Let’s eat ...” According to the custom of the southeast province, the first meal on the first day of the new year was vegetarian. Because it was difficult for most people to maintain the habit of vegetarian all year round, it was a symbolic meaning to vegetarian for the first meal of the new year, as if they had been vegetarian for the whole year. There were many similar customs. For example, on the first day of the new year, they couldn’t sweep the floor and wash dishes. On the one hand, it was to gather wealth, so they couldn’t sweep things out. On the other hand, it was also because they couldn’t work hard on the first day, because it would indicate an entire year of hard work. However, Hu Zi’s mother’s cooking skills were very good. Furthermore, the ingredients were all Taoyuan vegetables, so even without any meat or fish, it was still very delicious. Xia ruofei slurped down three bowls of porridge with the side dishes. At this time, ye Lingyun had finished his physical training and returned. Xia ruofei called him to wash up and come over for breakfast. Then, he took his phone and left the villa for the farm outside. He still had to make a few new Year calls, mainly to professor Tian, Tian Huilan, and MA Xiong from Hong Kong. Xia ruofei called professor Tian first. After the call was connected, professor Tian’s hearty voice came through, “Happy New Year, Xiao Xia!” “Professor Tian, here’s my New Year’s greetings to you!” Xia ruofei chuckled and asked, “how’s your body recently?” “It’s all thanks to you! My body is much tougher than it was in the past!” Professor Tian said happily, “before the new year, the school organized for us old professors to go for a physical examination. All of my physical indicators are very good! Those old guys are so envious that they’re all asking me what kind of health – Maintenance method I have!” “That’s good, that’s good ...” Xia ruofei was also very happy. He continued to ask, “Oh right, Secretary Tian should be with you, right?” “Hahaha! That’s right!” Professor Tian said, “she comes to my place every year at this time to get some peace and quiet!” Xia ruofei smiled and expressed his understanding. For a high – ranking official like Tian Huilan, if she didn’t find a place to hide during the holidays, she would probably be trampled on. Not to mention, she had entered the ranks of the Deputy – Level and Standing Committee of the Provincial Party Committee this year, so the situation was even worse than in previous years. Moreover, it was not good to drive her out during the new year, so the best way was to make sure that no one could find her. “Professor Tian, please help me convey my New Year’s greetings to Secretary Tian!” Xia ruofei smiled and said, “I won’t make another call.” Only Xia ruofei had a quiet personality. If it was anyone else, they would probably wake up laughing from their dreams if they could speak to Secretary Tian of the municipal Party Committee. How could they let go of this opportunity so easily? “Alright, alright, alright! She’s right beside me, I’ve received your blessing!” Professor Tian laughed and said, “Xiao Xia, if you’re free, come over and play!” “Alright!” Xia ruofei said with a smile. The two of them chatted for a while before hanging up. Xia ruofei was about to call MA Xiong when his phone rang. Xia ruofei saw that it was a Hong Kong number and couldn’t help but laugh. “Hello!” Xia ruofei answered the call. “Happy New Year, Xia Sheng!” MA Xiong’s

voice was heard from the other end of the phone. "Thank you! Old Mr. MA, I also wish you and your family a Happy New Year!" Xia ruofei smiled and asked, "Oh right, how's Huanhuan's condition now?" "Huanhuan is recovering very well!" "Huanhuan's score on the 'autistic behavior scale' is now normal. The professional said that Huanhuan has already taken off her 'cap'!" MA Xiong said excitedly. "Taking off a hat" was a term used in the industry. It referred to the recovery of an autistic patient. With the recognition of a professional organization, it further proved that Huanhuan had completely recovered. "That's great!" Xia ruofei said happily. "Xia Sheng, I have you to thank for this!" MA Xiong sighed and continued, "Huanhuan missed you so much! She always talks about uncle Xia ..." "Then please tell Huanhuan that I miss her too!" Xia ruofei smiled and said, "I will come to Hong Kong to see her when I have time!" MA Xiong laughed. "There's no need to wait. We'll be going back to the mainland in two days. You'll see Huanhuan soon!" "Oh, really? That's great ... I'll think about what kind of New Year's gift I should get her." Xia ruofei said with a smile. "The gift is fine. Huanhuan will be very happy as long as she sees you!" MA Xiong said with a smile, "by the way, xiasheng, I have another purpose for going to the mainland this time. I'm going to shencheng city to attend a truffle tasting auction. I wonder if you're interested in joining me?" When Xia ruofei heard MA Xiong mention the truffle auction, his heart skipped a beat ...