

## God tier Farm 1431

### Chapter 1431: It makes sense to act cute (2)

Everyone's impression of big bosses was that they either had a serious face or were cold and aloof. This included the famous son of the richest man, young master Wang, who was known as the Secretary of the Discipline Inspection Commission of the entertainment industry. He also often fought with people.

In the replies, many people expressed their understanding of Xia ruofei.

After all, they had already spent a few million Yuan. Who would do something illegal just to save 20000 to 30000 Yuan? How could there be such a stupid person?

Therefore, as long as one was a little more understanding, they would not think that there was a conspiracy.

Some people laughed and said, "I guess at the moment when boss Xia won the prize, there would be 999 alpacas running through his heart. Why is it less than 1000 alpacas short of one?" He was afraid that boss Xia would get too proud ...

It wasn't time to cultivate yet, so Xia ruofei leaned against the headboard and browsed through the Weibo comments with interest.

Although he didn't care much about the false reputation, the overwhelming discussion about the Paradise company on the internet seemed to give him a sense of accomplishment.

After a while, Xia ruofei saw that the Weibo accounts of the peach blossom company's employees had also started to participate.

After the annual meeting, many of these employees went to drink and sing according to their department's schedule. The Department directors and the leaders of the new departments all had considerable year-end bonuses, so they were all generous today.

This also led to the employees of Paradise Corporation not realizing that the topic of the annual meeting on the internet was already in full swing.

Of course, after one person saw it, everyone would naturally know that it was so convenient for Yingluo to have a WeChat group now. Even Xia ruofei had joined many WeChat groups of all sizes. Paradise Corporation also had a large group. Various departments, work groups, and even temporary teams would form WeChat groups. News spread very quickly.

When the employees saw the discussions on Weibo, they couldn't help but criticize any remarks that were against the company.

The words of those who had personally attended the annual meeting were even more convincing.

In the midst of such discussions, more details about the annual meeting were revealed.

For example, Xia ruofei's announcement that 5% of the profits would be used as dividends had caused a lot of envy.

The comment that questioned Xia ruofei's win was also refuted by many employees.

"Please don't make wild guesses without any basis. It's a fact that CEO Xia won the prize, and it's also a fact that he personally participated in the money – making game. However, he immediately set up a special prize after the incident and contributed all the prize money he won. The winner was even a security guard on duty. This matter is completely backed up!"

"Some people just hate for the sake of slandering. How can President Xia be accused of creating hype by giving more benefits to his employees? Just how dark were the hearts of these people? Our company is rich, so we are willing to give more money to our employees. Who is in the way of this?"

"When I saw that the news about my company's Annual Meeting was on the hot search, I couldn't help but go up to take a look. There are actually trolls for such a positive thing. Indeed, there are all kinds of birds in a big forest!"

After all these verified accounts of the Paradise company's employees joined, Zheng Fang's voice immediately grew a lot stronger. Although their numbers were not large, they had something to show for it! What he said was all reasonable.

Soon, the netizens also joined in. There was a lot of discussion about Xia ruofei's win.

One of the comments by a netizen named "Demon Sword" was very representative and also received many likes.

He wrote, "this is what I think about President Xia winning the prize." As the one who set the rules, he had to first follow the rules. He was also one of the employees. Since he had been drawn for this prize, he had to receive the prize and participate in the game. This was a form of respect for the rules. At the same time, he completed the game segment. After receiving the prize money, he immediately contributed the prize money as a special prize. This shows the loyal side of a boss. In this matter, I think boss Xia's handling was almost perfect.

Xia ruofei laughed as he gave "Demon Sword" a like on Weibo.

It had to be said that Xia ruofei rarely used Weibo, so he did not know much about its functions.

He didn't know that after he liked the post, it would be listed in the top half of the Weibo page.

The observant netizens soon realized that Xia ruofei liked this Weibo post and many of them laughed.

"Boss Xia really knows what to love and what to hate! I support your opinion and like it!"

"Previously, haters turned to fans. Now, true heart road has turned to fans!"

"What a cute shop owner!"

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The number of fans on Xia ruofei's Weibo account had increased again. In a short while, it had almost broken through 10000. These 10000 fans had all increased overnight.

Seeing that it was almost midnight, Xia ruofei turned off the Weibo notification to remind Yingluo. Otherwise, his phone would keep vibrating and there would be new messages almost every second.

After putting his phone aside, Xia ruofei started to focus on his cultivation.

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Fang Xiaoyu was an employee of the marketing department of paradise Corporation. He was one of the first to apply to the company, so he was definitely one of the first – generation entrepreneurs.

Before he came to paradise Corporation, he had worked for another e – commerce company for a while. That was his first job after graduating from university. However, small and medium – sized e – commerce companies had a hard time surviving, and the company’s performance had always been poor. Naturally, his income did not improve much, so he simply resigned.

She had seen the peach blossom company’s recruitment advertisement by chance and came to apply for the job with a try – out attitude, and had been working until now.

Now that Fang Xiaoyu was one of the core employees of the marketing department, his name would most likely be on the list of 50 people’s awards, because no matter how you looked at it, he met the requirements.

Therefore, even though he did not win anything at the annual meeting and only received a kyokuboku mall shopping card that cost 1000 Yuan, he was still very excited and immediately posted it on his WeChat moments.

He didn’t expect that a status update as usual would become the source of all the news about paradise Corporation on the internet.

The culprit was Fang Xiaoyu’s high school classmate, Jiang Xuebin, who was now the co – Pilot of Heron Island Airlines.

Jiang Xuebin was the “peddler” of Banyan Tree forum. After seeing Fang Xiaoyu’s moments, he couldn’t help but ask her for more details about the annual meeting on WeChat. Fang Xiaoyu was excited, and since the annual meeting was not a confidential meeting, she naturally answered all her questions.

He didn’t expect that Jiang Xuebin would actually post these contents on the internet, and even use the photos in his WeChat moments.

When Fang Xiaoyu returned home after the Department gathering, she saw that Weibo was full of such content, and the photos were all the same as the ones she had posted on her moments. She couldn’t help but feel confused.

Soon, he found the source of the news and saw the post on the Banyan Tree forum.

Fang Xiaoyu knew Jiang Xuebin’s Banyan Tree ID, so he called Jiang Xuebin immediately. Jiang Xuebin had already turned off his phone to prepare for the next day’s flight mission, so Fang Xiaoyu couldn’t find him.

Fang Xiaoyu spent the whole night in anxiety.

The contents of his moments had been reposted on the internet, and he had seen some negative comments. Some of them were even criticizing Chairman Xia ruofei.

Fang Xiaoyu didn't know if she would be affected by this incident. If the year – end bonus was canceled, or if it was more serious, she might even lose her job, then it would be a tragedy.

While he was complaining in his heart about Jiang Xuebin reposting the content of his moments without permission, his heart was also in a mess. The next day, when he went to work, he knocked on the office door of Xiao Qiang, who had just been appointed as the company's Chief Marketing Officer, with an uneasy mood.

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Chapter 1432: before the festival -1

Xiao Qiang, who had just been promoted to Chief Marketing Officer, was in a good mood. Although the integration of the Department had not been completed, and the company's headquarters had not moved, his office was still the same. However, he could not help humming a song as he made tea and began his day's work.

Hearing the knock on the door, Xiao Qiang raised his voice and said, ""Please enter!"

He looked up and immediately laughed, ""It's Xiaoyu! Is there something you need?"

Fang Xiaoyu was the business backbone under him. She could take the lead in many of the marketing department's work, so she was naturally Xiao Qiang's confidant, so his attitude was quite kind.

"President Xiao!" Fang Xiaoyu said nervously, "I'm here to admit my mistake ..."

"Yo! What's wrong with this?" Xiao Qiang asked, puzzled.

"Last night, the news about our company's Annual Meeting caused quite a stir on the internet. In fact, the earliest post was posted by my classmate from my friend's circle." Fang Xiaoyu said, "this incident has affected the company negatively. I ..."

"Just this?" Xiao Qiang laughed and said, "what kind of mistake is this? Yesterday, I also went online to take a look. The response was quite good! To think that you're in the field of marketing. This kind of hot topic of public opinion is hard to come by. What's wrong with not spending a single cent on such a good advertisement this time?"

Fang Xiaoyu's eyes widened in surprise. "But ... I've seen a lot of negative comments about the chairman on the internet. I'm afraid ..."

"You're afraid that the chairman will be angry?" Xiao Qiang laughed and said, "you're underestimating the Chairman's mind!"

He stood up and poured Fang Xiaoyu a glass of water, then said, ""I'll tell you the truth! Last night, I found out that the pictures circulating on the internet were from your friends, and I immediately called the chairman to explain the situation. "

"What did the chairman say?" Fang Xiaoyu asked nervously.

“What do you want him to say? Give you a good scolding?” Xiao Qiang laughed and asked.

Then, he patted Fang Xiaoyu’s shoulder and said, “Don’t worry! The chairman didn’t care at all! He even said that this might be a good thing for the company!”

“Really?” Fang Xiaoyu finally felt relieved.

“As the company grows, there will be more and more public opinions like this.” Xiao Qiang said earnestly, “the chairman is a person who does big things. How could he vent his anger on his subordinates over such a small matter? Besides, you’re not to blame for this! There were at least one or two hundred employees who posted on their moments last night! It’s just that your classmates just happened to upload this content to the internet!”

“My classmate is a little unreliable ...” Fang Xiaoyu said, embarrassed.

“Go back to work in peace!” Xiao Qiang smiled and said, “the Spring Festival is approaching. You must not relax! It’s very likely that you’ll enter the 50 – person reward list! And the member rankings are about to be decided, so your performance during this period is especially important. Don’t let your last moment of slacking go to waste!”

“I understand! Thank you, President Xiao!” Fang Xiaoyu puffed out her chest and said, “then I’ll go back to work!”

Usually, Fang Xiaoyu and the others called Xiao Qiang “director,” but today, when everyone met him at work, they all called him “President Xiao.” Xiao Qiang felt an unspeakable comfort in his heart. He laughed and said, “Go, go! Don’t think about all that nonsense!”

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After the annual meeting, the employees of paradise Corporation were more or less in a state of excitement.

On one hand, everyone would receive a good year – end bonus.

On the other hand, the long Chinese New Year holiday was coming. The company had issued a notice that the company’s property price was 10 days, which was three days more than the national holiday. In this way, everyone could go home on the 27th of December and come back to work on the 7th of the first month. It was not a holiday, and they did not need to go to work on the weekends after the holiday.

As for those who volunteered to stay on duty, Xia ruofei even instructed the finance department to pay them overtime pay according to five times their salary, which was far more than the average treatment.

This meant that if he stayed for seven days during the new year, his overtime pay would be higher than a month’s.

Many young employees volunteered to stay behind. However, other than the factory, which had to maintain production, the company didn’t need too many people to stay behind for other positions. Therefore, some people who volunteered to stay might not be able to do so.

The flagship store of paradise Corporation on the e – commerce platform had stopped shipping goods after the 25th of December. However, it still received orders as usual and would only start shipping goods after the holiday.

Under the administration department's arrangements, they purchased many lanterns, China knots, and so on, decorating the farm with a jubilant atmosphere.

As night fell, the Red Lanterns on both sides of the farm Road lit up, adding to the festive atmosphere.

This year, Hu Zi's mother and Lin Qiao didn't come to the farm. They decided to spend the new year in their new house.

When that time came, Xia ruofei would naturally go over to accompany the mother and daughter.

However, squad leader Luo's widow, Lin Yue 'e, brought her daughter, Nan Nan, and squad leader Luo's father back to their hometown.

They still had many relatives in their hometown, so they wanted to return to their hometown during the spring Festival.

Xia ruofei had specially approved Lin Yue 'E's leave and asked her to return home on the 25th of December. He had also asked the administration department to help him buy train tickets and had even sent a car to send his family to the train station.

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On the 26th of December, the streets of the three mountains were filled with a festive atmosphere. Many shops along the street hung red lanterns, and the window displays were filled with window decorations and paper cutting with Chinese characteristics. All kinds of promotions were also endless.

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Chapter 1433: before the festival -2

During this period, the company's business had basically stopped. Xia ruofei had always been a hands – off manager, so he had been very free these few days.

Today, he had taken advantage of Ling Qingxue's free time to ask her out to go shopping.

After the two of them got together, they didn't see each other much even though they were in the same city.

It was mainly because Ling Qingxue had been too busy with work. Ling Xiaotian was gradually passing the power of the company to Ling Qingxue. Every time Xia ruofei saw Ling Qingxue's Haggard look, he would feel his heart ache. He could not help but blame his future father – in – Law.

Today, Ling Qingxue was wearing a red woolen coat, a light yellow high – collared cashmere sweater, and a red scarf. It was very appropriate for the occasion as the Spring Festival was approaching.

She held Xia ruofei's arm and pressed her body against Xia ruofei's. Her face was also filled with a happy smile.

The two of them were walking in the Wanda Mall. They had just finished watching a New Year film and were about to come out to look for food.

There was also a Ling's restaurant chain near Wanda Mall, but Ling Qingxue did not want to take care of her own business. Instead, she was interested in walking around with Xia ruofei, looking for a restaurant with special characteristics.

After all, they were in their own store and the employees all knew her. It would be a little uncomfortable for them to hold hands.

As Xia ruofei walked, he said with an apologetic expression, "Qingxue, I'll still have to eat with Godma and Qiao'er for the New Year's Eve dinner this year ..."

"It doesn't matter! I understand!" Ling Qingxue smiled sweetly and said, "you should just keep them company! Don't forget to come home on the second day of the first lunar month! Don't let my dad pick a fight!"

In the three mountains, the second day of the first lunar month was the day when the daughter returned to her Maiden Home. Although Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue were not married yet, their relationship had already been acknowledged by Ling Xiaotian. Therefore, it was only proper for them to visit on the second day of the first lunar month.

"That's for sure," Xia ruofei gently hugged Ling Qingxue and said, "it's mainly because it's the new year. I'm afraid that the mother and daughter will be alone. It's inevitable that I'll think of Hu and feel sad. Furthermore, they're spending the new year at their new home this year. I'm sure ..."

"You fool! You don't need to explain!" Ling Qingxue said, "if it wasn't for the fact that I don't want to leave my dad alone at home, I would have wanted to spend the new year with you and them ..."

Xia ruofei's eyes lit up. "Why don't we ... Ask uncle Ling to come with us? you can all spend the new year at godmother's place?"

"This ... Isn't convenient, is it?" Ling Qingxue was a little hesitant.

"It's not inconvenient at all! It's more lively with more people!" Xia ruofei said, "you're so close to godmother Qiao'er and uncle Ling. He's not a loner. We're all family!"

Ling Qingxue couldn't help but feel a little moved when she heard this. She said, "I'll go back and ask my dad ..."

"He'll definitely agree!" Xia ruofei said with a smile.

"That's not for sure," Ling Qingxue said with a smile. "Wait for my news!"

For so many years, Ling Xiaotian had always spent the new year with Ling Qingxue. Although his disciples had also wanted to invite him to celebrate the new year together, Ling Xiaotian had never agreed.

Therefore, Ling Qingxue was not sure if Ling Xiaotian would agree to Xia ruofei's suggestion.

The two of them talked as they walked forward. Ling Qingxue saw a stone pot grilled fish shop nearby, and her eyes lit up. "Ruofei, I suddenly feel like eating grilled fish! How about this one!"

Xia ruofei smiled and said, "sure!" As long as you're not afraid of getting pimples from the heat!"

"With your unlimited supply of jade skin cream, it's so hard to get pimples!" Ling Qingxue said with a smile.

"I like to hear that!" Xia ruofei grinned and said, "let's go! Let's go eat grilled fish!"

The two of them walked into the shop.

Although it was already lunch time in the bustling Wanda Mall, there were not many customers in the store.

It wasn't that the food in this restaurant didn't taste good. This grilled fish restaurant was quite famous in San Shan. The chain store had six or seven restaurants, mainly because it was close to the end of the year, and many people had left the city to return to their homes.

In fact, the bigger the city, the more deserted it would be during the spring Festival. International metropolises like Beijing and Shen Cheng would almost become empty during the spring Festival.

Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue didn't like noisy environments either. This kind of situation was exactly what they wanted.

The two of them randomly found a table by the glass window and sat down. Soon, a waiter came over with the menu.

Ling Qingxue excitedly ordered a large serving of the restaurant's signature grilled fish, then ordered a few stir-fried dishes and two glasses of fruit juice.

The waiter placed a hourglass at the corner of the table and said, "Please wait a moment. Our grilled fish is freshly made, so it will take some time. If the hourglass is completely filled and the dishes have not started to be served, we will exempt you from the cost of the main course."

After the waiter left, Xia ruofei smiled at Ling Qingxue and said, "This is interesting! With this hourglass, everyone's waiting time won't be so boring. Sometimes, they even hope that the dishes will be served later!"

"I think this idea is pretty good!" Ling Qingxue said, "I'll talk to the marketing department later. Our Ling Ji F & B can also use this trick!"

In fact, Ling Ji F & B already had a lot of experience in kitchen resource management. When cooking, they also used the overall planning method to the extreme. Basically, there would not be a situation where one table of customers kept waiting for food to be served while the other table kept on serving food. It was a very hateful phenomenon.

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Chapter 1434: before the festival -3



If this method was used in Ling Ji F & B, there would basically be no situation of a large area of free orders.

Xia ruofei smiled bitterly. "I think you're becoming a workaholic. How can you even think of work?"

Ling Qingxue stuck out her tongue in embarrassment and said, "I didn't pay attention just now!"

Xia ruofei suddenly laughed evilly. "Qingxue, if I think of a way to make the hourglass move faster, what do you think their expressions will be when they find out that the hourglass has already been emptied by the time the dishes are served?"

Ling Qingxue said in disbelief, "how can the hourglass move faster?" It leaks out all the sand, so the time should be constant!"

Hourglass was a timekeeping tool in ancient times. Even if the small hourglass used in this shop was not very accurate, it was impossible for it to have a huge deviation.

Xia ruofei chuckled and didn't explain further. He just placed his hand on the top of the hourglass.

He released a little bit of his mental energy, and the sand was leaking down much faster. It could even be seen with the naked eye.

The hourglass was supposed to rely on gravity to leak down and it was completely sealed from the outside. Basically, it was impossible to exert any external force. However, when Xia ruofei used his spiritual power to press down, it was equivalent to adding another layer of force to the hourglass. Naturally, the speed of the leakage increased.

Ling Qingxue first revealed a look of disbelief, then she quickly chuckled and pushed Xia ruofei's hand away. She said, "Alright, alright! They would be discovered soon! You're such a rich boss, yet you're still so shameless?"

Xia ruofei chuckled. "I saw that you didn't believe me. So, I wanted to prove it to you. Right?"

With that, he turned the hourglass upside down and let the sand flow back for a while before turning it over again. Then he said with a smile, "This can't be considered cheating!"

"That's more like it!" Ling Qingxue said with a smile.

After the brief interlude, the two of them chatted as they waited. Time seemed to pass by very quickly. After a short while, Xia ruofei saw a waiter carrying a wooden tray walking towards them from a distant passage.

On the tray was a long stone pot. The lid was covered tightly, and not a trace of heat could be seen.

"Our food is here!" Xia ruofei smiled as he told Ling Qingxue to sit opposite him. The waiter came from behind her, so she could not see him from her seat.

Ling Qingxue immediately turned around and pouted, "Aiya! Just a little bit more and it would all be gone! If you didn't mess around just now and put it back for a while, maybe we could have gotten it for free ..."

“You’re thinking too much!” Xia ruofei smiled and said, “their timing is very accurate. I promise that even if we don’t move the hourglass, there will be a little sand left ...”

The waiter walked over step by step. Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue also tidied up the cutlery in front of them and were ready to eat.

At this moment, an unexpected situation occurred.

At another table across the aisle from Xia ruofei’s table, the customers had just finished eating and left. A middle – aged female shop assistant in an apron was clearing the table.

When the waiter came over with the stone pot, the salesgirl was bending over to wipe the table. When the waiter walked behind her, she just stood up.

The aisle was a little narrow, and the middle – aged salesgirl didn’t know there was someone behind her, so she got up a little too abruptly and bumped into the waiter holding the tray.

Caught off guard, the waitress instantly lost her balance as her hand became soft. The hot stone pot instantly slid off and was thrown towards the middle – aged female clerk ...

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#### Chapter 1435: The hot stone pot (1)

Ling Qingxue couldn’t help but let out a cry of surprise when she saw this.

The waiter was also scared out of his wits. He watched as the stone pot smashed towards the middle – aged female employee, his mind blank.

The stone pot looked like it had no temperature at all, but it was actually carved out of a whole stone. It was already boiling hot when cooking. The grilled fish was cooked by using the stone pot’s evenly distributed heat dissipation feature.

When the waiter served the dishes, he would remind the guests to be careful of touching the stone pot.

At this time, if a spoonful of oil was poured on the stone pot, it would definitely boil immediately. One could imagine how miserable it would be if such a stone pot hit a person.

Among the four of them, Xia ruofei was the most clear – headed and his reaction was far beyond the average person.

So, when the waiter’s hand went soft and the stone pot fell from the tray, he reacted almost instantly. He stood up, stepped forward, and reached out to hold the tray.

However, he was still a step too slow.

More than half of the stone pot had already slipped out of the edge of the tray, and its center of gravity was already outside the tray. At this time, the tray rushed upward, and the stone pot suddenly tilted down, falling toward the back of the middle – aged female employee.

Ling Qingxue didn't dare to look anymore. She couldn't even imagine that a boiling hot stone pot would fall on her back.

However, Xia ruofei's second reaction was also quite fast. He quickly reached out his left hand and grabbed the stone pot.

With a clang, the lid fell to the ground, and the fragrant grilled fish inside fell out. A small amount of hot soup finally splashed on the middle – aged female employee, and she couldn't help but cry out in pain.

However, both the waiter and Ling Qingxue were dumbfounded.

Xia ruofei had grabbed The Burning Stone pot with his bare hands! Wouldn't this hand be burnt to a pulp?

It was only when Xia ruofei quickly put down the stone pot and let go of her hand that Ling Qingxue shrieked. She stood up in a panic and asked, "RUO Fei! How ... How's your hand?"

The waiter was also trembling in fear. The tray had already fallen to the ground. He almost scrambled to Xia ruofei and asked in a trembling voice, "Sir, how's your hand injury?"

He couldn't stand holding the boiling hot stone pot in his hand, even if it was for a short time! The meat might even be cooked.

If a customer was hurt like this because of his mistake, he would be really unlucky. Not only would he lose money, but he would also lose his job.

It was almost the new year, and he was really unlucky to have encountered such an incident ...

Xia ruofei also felt a burning pain in his hand. Although he had subconsciously spread his true energy in his palm when he caught the stone pot, true energy was not omnipotent. Even if it could block a certain amount of heat, the remaining amount was enough for him to suffer.

However, he didn't have the time to check on his injuries and asked with concern, "Aunty, how are you?"

Xia ruofei saw it clearly. A lot of the hot soup had landed on the middle – aged female employee's back. She was just an ordinary person and did not have any true energy to protect her body. She was probably injured badly.

The middle – aged female employee was still in shock. She groaned in pain and said, "Young man ... I ... I'm fine ... But your hand ... Hurry and take a look at it ..."

Although her back was facing a few people at the time of the incident, she had subconsciously turned back when the waiter bumped into her. Hence, she had clearly seen Xia ruofei catch the stone pot with his bare hands.

At this time, the middle – aged female employee was full of gratitude, but at the same time, she was very apologetic and a little scared.

Xia ruofei stretched out his left hand and looked at it. His fingers and palm were already red and his knuckles were blistering at a speed that was visible to the naked eye.

It was not a light burn.

When Ling Qingxue saw the terrible state of Xia ruofei's hand, her tears could not help but fall. She sobbed and said, ""Ruofei, why are you so stupid? The stone pot was so hot, how could he catch it with his hand? You ... Does it hurt?"

It would be a lie to say that it didn't hurt. However, this kind of pain was within Xia ruofei's tolerance range. When he was in the lone wolf assault team, anti – interrogation training was a compulsory course for every member.

To put it bluntly, this course simulated the torture of the enemy after being captured. It was a real torture. Although it would not cause permanent damage to the body, the Veterans of the Special Forces knew very well which parts of the body could cause the greatest pain.

To be able to survive that kind of training, Xia ruofei could still bear with this kind of burn, even if his fingers were connected to his heart.

Furthermore, if he had not caught the stone pot, the middle – aged female employee would definitely have been severely scalded. In that split second, he did not have time to think too much and acted completely subconsciously.

Xia ruofei grinned and said, ""I'm fine, Qingxue. Don't worry! This kind of burn just looks scary, but it'll be fine in a few days ..."

As he said this, he felt a throbbing pain on his finger. This kind of burn was throbbing in pain. Xia ruofei was caught off guard and couldn't help but gasp.

Ling Qingxue's heart ached even more when she saw this, and she quickly said, ""You can still laugh! Let's hurry to the hospital!"

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Chapter 1436: The hot stone pot (2)

"Why do you want to go to the hospital?" Xia ruofei asked. It's just a small injury, I can handle it myself!"

After he finished speaking, he took his bag with his uninjured right hand and reached in to feel around. In fact, he took out a small box of ointment from the spirit map space.

Xia ruofei had prepared a lot of this ointment. It was made from some common medicine for injuries and falls, then mixed with some spirit Heart Flower petal solution.

Although there were very few ingredients in the petals of the spirit Heart Flower, they were very effective for external injuries, burns, mosquito bites, and so on.

Xia ruofei then took out a box of silver needles from his bag. He had kept it in his storage space as a backup. Now that his Chinese medicine skills had improved rapidly, the silver needles were used for acupuncture.

“Young man, please light up this alcohol stove.” Xia ruofei said to the waiter in a friendly manner.

There was an alcohol stove on the table, and after the fish was served, a stone pot would be placed on top to maintain the temperature of the dish.

After the shocked waiter lit the alcohol stove with trembling hands, Xia ruofei took a silver needle and sanitized it over the fire, as if no one was around. Then, he spread out his injured left hand.

He thought for a moment and said to the waiter, “Do you have a first aid kit in your store? I need some gauze and bandages.”

“Yes, yes, yes!” The waiter quickly said, “please wait a moment, I’ll go get it right away!”

Xia ruofei smiled and nodded. When the waiter went to get the things, Xia ruofei said to the middle – aged female employee, “Aunty, please wait a moment. I’ll treat the wound on my hand.”

He knew that the female employee had also been scalded, but not as badly as his hand.

The middle – aged female employee said gratefully, “Young man, I really have to thank you this time!”

“You’re welcome! It’s good that everyone is fine!” Xia ruofei grinned. “It’s going to be the new year soon. It’ll be so sad if I get injured and end up in the hospital.”

Ling Qingxue, who was standing at the side, couldn’t help but tear up. She also blamed Xia ruofei in her heart. You already know that the new year is coming, so why are you still trying to act tough? Now that her hand was injured like this, how was she going to spend the new year?

However, Ling Qingxue couldn’t say too much in front of the middle – aged female employee, in case she felt even more guilty.

Soon, the waiter ran over with a small first aid kit. Normally, the store would have one or two such things in case the customer was injured or suddenly fell ill.

The store manager, who had a nervous expression on his face, also came with him.

When the store manager heard that the customer had been scalded, he was also scared out of his wits. These days, the customer was God. If the customer was injured in your store, and it was even caused by an employee’s mistake, you would have no choice but to demand compensation.

“Sir, I’m the manager of this store. I’m very sorry ...” The store manager said carefully.

Xia ruofei waved his hand and interrupted him, saying, “I’m sorry, I need to deal with the wound on my hand first!”

The store manager saw Xia ruofei’s scalded hand with a few large blisters. He couldn’t help but take a deep breath and quickly said, “Sir, this ... We should go to the hospital! We’ll bear all the medical expenses!”

“No need!” Xia ruofei smiled.

Once again, he put the silver needle on the fire to disinfect it. Then, without hesitation, he pierced a bubble with the needle without even frowning.

The large bubble shriveled at a speed visible to the naked eye, and at the same time, a lot of pus flowed out.

According to the treatment method of the people, after the bubble was burst, a strand of hair had to be strung together so that the pus could continue to flow out and not accumulate inside.

However, Xia ruofei obviously did not need that.

Everyone, including Ling Qingxue, was so scared that they did not dare to look. Xia ruofei, however, continued to poke the bubbles one by one as if nothing had happened. He released the pus inside and wiped it away with gauze.

Then he opened the box and applied the ointment evenly on the wound.

There were very few spirit Heart Flower petals in the ointment, so the effect was not that obvious. However, Xia ruofei still felt a cooling sensation and the pain was reduced.

In the end, Xia ruofei put a piece of gauze on it and bandaged the scalded part.

Although he could only use one hand, Xia ruofei's movements were still very skillful. With the help of his teeth, he did not need any help at all and easily completed the final dressing.

The store manager saw Xia ruofei treating his wound with ease and felt much more at ease. It seemed like this person would not ask for an exorbitant price. Otherwise, he would have been sent to the hospital. Furthermore, if they had not settled the compensation, they would not even let him treat his wound. The more miserable he looked, the more compensation he would get!

The store manager thought about her words and was about to speak when Xia ruofei spoke to the middle – aged female employee in a friendly manner, ""Aunty, this ointment of mine is very effective for burns. I'll give the rest to you. If it's not convenient for you to apply the medicine, you can find a female colleague to help you!"

The middle – aged female employee's burn was on her back, so it was not convenient for Xia ruofei to apply medicine for her. Besides, there were so many people in the lobby. He could not possibly ask her to lift her clothes. There was not much left in the box, so Xia ruofei gave it all to the middle – aged female employee.

The female employee took the ointment gratefully. Her lips trembled a few times, not knowing how to express the gratitude in her heart.

Seeing this, the store manager said, "Auntie Qin, you go and apply the medicine first!" Change your clothes and come back!"

This middle – aged female employee's clothes were covered in soup. It was obvious that she could no longer wear it.

The middle – aged female employee took the ointment and went to find a place to apply it.

The store manager couldn't help but feel a little nervous. He said, ""Sir, I'm really sorry for what happened. Don't worry, we'll definitely take responsibility for the compensation!"

Xia ruofei smiled and said, "it's good that she's fine!" We don't need any compensation. To be honest, we don't need this little money ..."

"That won't do. No matter what, that's our kind intentions. Otherwise, we'll really feel bad!" The store manager was delighted, but he still said that.

"If that's the case, I'll state two conditions!" Xia ruofei said.

The store manager's expression froze slightly, thinking that he was digging a hole to bury himself. If he had known earlier, he wouldn't have said that. He had hit the snake with the stick.

His mind was filled with a myriad of thoughts, but he still had a smile on his face. "Please speak! Please speak! As long as it's within our means, we'll definitely do it!"

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#### Chapter 1437: The three mountains Evening News (1)

Xia ruofei could see the uneasiness in the manager's heart. He smiled and said, "My conditions are very simple. First, I hope you won't hold this young man and the Auntie responsible. After all, this is an accident that no one wants to happen. Secondly ... I hope you can give that Auntie some medical subsidies or something like that. It's considered a work injury!"

The apprehension on the store manager's face turned into surprise. He said, "No problem! No problem! Sir, you're a really good person!"

"Alright, alright! You don't have to give me the good guy card!" Xia ruofei laughed and said, "it's the new year. It's good that everyone is fine!"

"Yes, yes, yes!" The store manager said, "Sir, Madam, please wait a moment. I'll arrange for a few signature dishes immediately. Take it as a small token of our store! Please don't reject it, or we'll really feel bad ..."

Xia ruofei had scalded his own hand so that his employees would not get hurt. Furthermore, he did not even ask for any compensation after the incident. The manager was extremely touched.

Xia ruofei turned to look at Ling Qingxue, asking for her opinion.

Originally, Xia ruofei had been injured in this shop. Even if he did not ask for compensation, Ling Qingxue did not want to stay any longer. However, she saw that Xia ruofei seemed to have the intention to stay, so she nodded her head in understanding.

"I'll have to trouble you then!" Xia ruofei said with a smile.

"No trouble at all! No trouble at all! Please wait for a moment, the dishes will be ready soon!" The store manager said quickly, and then ran all the way to make arrangements.

The waiter, who had caused trouble, also thanked Xia ruofei gratefully. Xia ruofei waved his hand nonchalantly and let him go to work.

At this moment, there was a burst of sparse applause in the shop.

Although there were fewer customers as the Spring Festival approached, it was still mealtime, after all, so there were still many customers here.

Many people had witnessed what had just happened. They were full of admiration for Xia ruofei's noble character and unquestionable integrity.

Xia ruofei had already sat down, but he had no choice but to stand up and cup his hands in greeting to the diners who were applauding him.

Ling Qingxue sat in the seat opposite her, looking at her boyfriend with a strange light in her eyes.

Although she felt sorry for Xia ruofei's injury, she was proud of Xia ruofei's heroic performance.

Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue did not notice that a young girl had taken a picture of the scene with her phone.

Yuan Xin was the editor of the nearby Sanshan Evening News agency. She had come to this grilled fish shop for lunch with her sister and nephew.

Just now, she had been using her phone to take pictures of her nephew eating his salad. She had been facing Xia ruofei and the others, so the entire process of Xia ruofei catching the stone pot with his bare hands had been captured.

Her professional sensitivity allowed Yuan Xin to stabilize the camera at once and turn the focus of the video from her nephew to Xia ruofei's side.

After that, Xia ruofei treated his own wound, pleaded for mercy on behalf of the waiter involved, and watched the diners clap spontaneously. All the scenes were recorded by Yuan Xin.

The three mountains Evening News had always been dedicated to the spread of the land, and would report all kinds of news that happened in the three mountains at the first moment.

Yuan Xin realized that she had captured a very good piece of news material. She didn't even bother to eat and hurriedly told her sister, picked up her bag, and rushed back to the newspaper office.

Sanshan Evening News agency.

Yuan Xin rushed directly to the editor-in-chief's office of the social Affairs group. After knocking on the door, she pushed the door open and walked into the office without waiting for the editor – in – chief to let her in.

The editor – in – chief, Lin Cheng, was spreading out his wire bed and preparing to take a nap in the office when Yuan Xin barged in.

"Yuan Xin, when can you be more mature?" Lin Cheng said with a bitter smile.

He was still making the bed. It would be awkward if he took off his clothes.



It had been two years since Yuan Xin joined the company, but sometimes, it was as if she hadn't grown up yet. However, her professional skills were very strong, and Lin Cheng was having a headache.

"I'm sorry, chief editor!" Yuan Xin stuck out her tongue and said. I just took a photo of a very good piece of news material, so ... I didn't even finish my meal before I rushed over to report it to you!"

"What news material? Why would an experienced editor be so anxious?" Lin Cheng asked with a smile as he made the bed.

"You'll know after you see it!" Yuan Xin said.

Then, she took out her phone and started playing the video that she had just recorded.

"I accidentally took it. The main point isn't my nephew. Please pay attention to the back ... The exciting part is here!" Yuan Xin explained.

The waiter walked over with the tray. The cleaning lady straightened her body and the two of them collided. Xia ruofei held the tray without thinking and then reached out to grab the stone pot without hesitation ...

At this moment, the camera swayed a few times and then zoomed in, focusing on Xia ruofei ...

Lin Cheng quietly watched the video, and he looked a little excited as he asked, "Yuan Xin, this material is pretty good! Did you interview the young couple after the incident? Have you confirmed their identities?"

Yuan Xin couldn't help but be stunned. She had just been thinking about sending the video back to the newspaper office, but she didn't expect to make a common sense mistake ...

Lin Cheng saw Yuan Xin's expression and already knew the answer. He didn't know whether to laugh or cry, "Yuan Xin, Yuan Xin! What do you want me to say? How could you miss out on such an important part?"

"I ... I'll go back now!" Yuan Xin said, "they're still eating there. Maybe they haven't left yet!"

"What if he leaves?" Lin Cheng asked.

Yuan Xin was at a loss for words, but her brain worked quickly and she immediately had an idea, "Then, we can organize an event to search for heroes in the entire city! Mobilize the netizens to find this young man! In addition, we can also interview the waiters and cleaners involved to enrich the material!"

Lin Cheng didn't know whether to laugh or cry, "you're quite quick – witty!" Why was he so impulsive just now? Alright, alright, you should go back first! Don't forget to send me the video!"

Now that traditional media was transforming, the subscription count of paper media continued to decline. Evening News was also taking the path of integrated development and had developed its own official website and app. This way, the time – efficiency of news promotion would be greatly increased, and it could also be added with pictures, audio, video, and so on, making the form more diverse.

Because of the advantages of being in the land, the evening news website and APP still had a good number of users.

This video was naturally going to be posted on the internet.

"I got it, chief editor!" When Yuan Xin's voice was heard, she was already outside the corridor.

Lin Cheng shook his head with a bitter smile. He went over and carefully locked the office door, then took off his clothes and began to take a nap.

When Yuan Xin rushed back to the stone – pot grilled fish shop, Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue had already finished their meal and left. Her sister and nephew were still eating the steamed buns, so it was more troublesome to eat with the children around.

When Yuan Xin heard from her sister that Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue had just left, she quickly ran to the door and looked around. In the end, she still could not find them and could only return to the restaurant in disappointment.

Yuan Xin then went to the store manager and showed her reporter's pass, saying that she wanted to interview the waiter and the cleaning lady.

The store manager was a little unwilling. After all, this was a problem with the management of the store, and it was completely the store's fault. Since the big issue had been reduced to a small one, why would he still want to publicize it?

However, he didn't dare to offend the media, so he could only call the waiter over. As for the cleaning Auntie, the store manager let her go home to rest after applying the medicine.

Xia ruofei had given him specific instructions, so he didn't make things difficult for the two of them. In fact, he even promised to give her an extra compensation for work injury as per Xia ruofei's request.

After Yuan Xin interviewed the waiter, she returned to the newspaper office reluctantly and began to write her manuscript without stopping.

The video was not edited out, and only her little nephew's face was pixelated as a basic sense of protection.

Soon, a report titled "sudden accident at the grilled fish restaurant, mysterious young man caught the hot stone pot with his bare hands to save people" was out of the oven.

Yuan Xin posted the video and the article draft on the newspaper's review platform, then called the chief editor Lin Cheng to report.

Lin Cheng also immediately reviewed the article on his office computer.

It had to be said that although Yuan Xin's personality was a little out of place, her professional quality was quite good. Lin Cheng looked at this draft that was almost done in one wave and couldn't help but secretly admire it.

The text was very smooth, and it was readable.

Lin Cheng only made some minor changes to the draft and basically didn't make any changes to the framework before directly stamping the approval stamp on the review platform.

The editor on duty immediately received a notification that a new draft had passed the review. He immediately sent the draft to the newspaper's news website and pushed it to the APP at the same time. He even used the notification function.

In general, there was a limit to the number of notifications per day on apps, mainly because frequent notifications could easily annoy users.

However, Lin Cheng had specifically noted that this article had to be sent to the APP for a push notification. As a senior editor – in – chief, he had the authority to do so.

Soon, all the users who had installed the evening news APP received a push notification about this news on their phones.

On the website, the news was also refreshed, and the click rate began to rise.

Xia ruofei and Ling Qingxue knew nothing about this. At first, Ling Qingxue was no longer in the mood to shop and wanted Xia ruofei to go home early to rest and recuperate. However, Xia ruofei felt that it was rare for him to come out and did not want to dampen the mood, so he told Ling Qingxue in a very relaxed manner that his injury was not serious.

At last, under Xia ruofei's insistence, the two of them returned to Wanda Mall.

Just as Xia ruofei was shopping with his girlfriend, Feng Jing, the CEO of paradise Corporation, arrived at San Shan city.

In a secluded coffee shop on Shanghang road in the Laocheng District of three mountains, Feng Jing was sitting with a short – haired girl who looked very capable. The two stirred the coffee in front of them as they talked.

“Boss Feng, I don't think today's meeting is necessary.” The short – haired girl said straightforwardly, “actually, I've already made it clear on the phone that I'm not interested in your company.”

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Chapter 1438: Dong Yun\_1

Feng Jing looked at the straightforward woman in front of her and couldn't help but smile bitterly.

The person in front of her was Dong Yun, who had been recommended to her by the headhunting company. She was also very optimistic about her chances and had strongly recommended her to Xia ruofei as the Chief Executive Officer.

Inside Feng Jing's bag was a stack of Dong Yun's information.

When she was in her second year of high school, she was accepted by Capital University in advance because she won the National Mathematical Olympiad gold medal. However, she chose an offer from Princeton after her college entrance examination and went abroad to study.

After graduating from her bachelor's degree, she, who should have become a mathematician or physicist, didn't follow the path of development that everyone thought was a matter of course. She chose to study a Master of Business Administration at Harvard.

Even with such a huge change in subject, she still graduated from Harvard with excellent results and successfully got an MBA. She had been working in the United States since then.

It could be seen that this was a very independent and strong woman, and it was basically difficult for outsiders to change her mind.

If the headhunting company didn't mention that Dong Yun was interested in returning to China to work, Feng Jing wouldn't even have tried to hire her.

However, it wasn't easy for him to ask her out to meet him, but Dong Yun immediately cut off the conversation.

Feng Rao knew that she would most likely return empty – handed today, but she still had to do what she needed to do.

"Miss Dong, I heard that you're interested in returning to China to work. Actually, you might as well take some time to understand our paradise Corporation ..." She said with a smile.

The corner of Dong Yun's mouth slightly curled up as she said, "Director Feng, although I have no intention of joining your company, I have read through the information that the headhunting company gave me regarding your company."

After saying that, Dong Yun said unhurriedly, "Tao Yuan company was founded two years ago. In just two years, it has developed from a company that supplied high – end vegetables to a hybrid company that is involved in the pharmaceutical industry, the cosmetics industry, high – end food ingredients, and high – end medicinal herbs. The company's market value has also soared from millions to at least one billion. Among them, products such as Jade skin cream and heart – nourishing soup are extremely competitive in the market. The future development prospects are promising."

Feng Rao could not help but reveal a bitter smile.

Fine! Dong Yun had already said what she wanted to say. It seemed like she had indeed done her homework. The most attractive part of paradise Corporation was here, but Dong Yun was still not interested in paradise corporation's invitation. Then, she really had no other choice.

"CEO Feng, I'm not trying to show off my memory. I just want to tell you that I'm not the kind of person who thinks that your company is small or unworthy of the so – called elite who has returned from abroad. I've seriously considered your invitation, and the final result ..." Dong Yun said indifferently.

After saying that, Dong Yun shrugged her shoulders and said, "I can only say that I'm very sorry ..."

Feng Rao was a little sad, but she forced a smile and asked, "Miss Dong, I respect your personal choice, but can you tell me why you rejected our company's invitation? What aspect of the Paradise Corporation makes you feel that it's not the best choice for you?"

Dong Yun gave Feng Jing a meaningful look and said, "President Feng, I know about your resume. In a sense, our resumes are somewhat similar ..."

“So?” Feng Jing asked with a smile.

“I’m sure you can see that too, President Feng!” Dong Yun smiled slightly and said, “your company’s core competitiveness lies in its technology. Although Taoyuan pharmaceutical factory can barely be considered a labor – intensive industry, the core of its essence is still the formula of the Jade skin cream and the heart – nourishing soup. These are the foundations of your company.”

“I don’t quite understand ...” Feng Jing said. “Does this have anything to do with your choice, miss Dong?”

The corners of Dong Yun’s mouth curled up into a beautiful smile as she looked into Feng Jing’s eyes and said, “CEO Feng actually understands! You and I are both professional managers. In such a technology – intensive enterprise, no matter if you are the president or the Chief Administrative Officer, with all due respect ...”

Dong Yun shrugged her shoulders out of habit and said, “I’m afraid it won’t be too challenging. In other words, I work not only for money, but also for a sense of achievement! Otherwise, I wouldn’t have chosen to return to China. ”

Feng Rao was speechless. She couldn’t refute Dong Yun’s words.

In fact, she had noticed this problem long ago. When she first joined the Paradise company, it was not too obvious. As Xia ruofei miraculously took out more and more precious medicinal herbs and rare formulas, she felt that it was indeed less challenging to be the CEO of the Paradise company.

The company’s performance might become more and more brilliant, but it had little to do with her.

If she had just joined the company not long ago, she might have made the same choice as Dong Yun. However, she was now staying at paradise Corporation not only for money, but also for the sense of accomplishment that her career brought ...

“Miss Dong,” Feng Jing retorted weakly, “I can’t deny that what you’re saying is true ... But the position, authority, and salary that our company can offer you, I don’t think many big companies can ...”

“President Feng, let’s not talk about the treatment first.” Dong Yun smiled and said, “to be honest, many big companies are also in contact with me, including internet companies of the size of BAT. Of course, they definitely can’t give me a position like CAO, but I’d rather work hard with a small team and enjoy the sense of accomplishment than work as an idle CAO at peach blossom company ...”

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Chapter 1439: Dong Yun\_2

Since Dong Yun had already put it that way, Feng Jing didn’t try to persuade her any further. She was very gentlemanly as she smiled and said, “Alright then! No matter what, I would like to thank miss Dong for taking the time to meet me today. I wish you a bright future!”

“Thank you for the coffee!” Dong Yun said with a smile, then stood up.

After taking two steps, Dong Yun turned around and said, “CEO Feng, there’s something that I might have said to you, but I still want to say it ... No matter what your reason for staying at Paradise Corporation is, I think you should also think about your career plan and review your current choice.”

With that, Dong Yun left the café, leaving Feng Jing sitting in the café, deep in thought.

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Dong Yun walked out of the café and got into her rented Beetle car. She turned around and looked at the motionless Feng Jing through the window. Sighing, she shook her head, started the car, and drove away from the café.

In fact, when she was invited by Paradise Corporation, she wasn’t as determined as she appeared to be in front of Feng Jing.

She had to admit that this position was very attractive to her.

This attraction didn’t come from the profession itself, but because the Paradise Corporation was located in the three mountains.

In a second – tier city like San Shan, there were only a handful of companies that could barely meet her career plan like Paradise Corporation.

BAT – Level big companies were basically concentrated in the first – tier big cities in Beijing, Qiantang, Shengcheng, or Guangdong.

Accepting the offers from these companies meant leaving Sanshan.

This was also what Dong Yun was conflicted about.

The reason why she chose to return to China to develop her career was that she wanted to be closer to home so that she could take care of her mother, who was getting older.

Dong Yun’s father had died of illness when she was very young, and it was her mother who had raised her.

After graduating from high school, Dong Yun didn’t need her mother to send her money at all. She could support her life and studies with scholarships and work – Study programs. Sometimes, she could even send some money to her mother to help with the family.

After she started working, Dong Yun bought a big house in the United States. She didn’t have to worry about food and clothing.

However, it was difficult to leave her homeland. Her mother was unwilling to go to the United States with her to enjoy life. Even though she was close to retirement age, she still worked outside, even though her monthly salary was not even a fraction of Dong Yun’s daily salary.

In Dong Yun’s mother’s words, she just couldn’t stay idle. She couldn’t stand the fact that she had to retire at the age of fifty.

Dong Yun couldn't change her mother's mind, so she could only let it be.

After staying in the United States for a few years, she was really worried about her mother and finally decided to return to China to develop her career.

However, there was no company suitable for her in San Shan. Even if she returned to China, she might be working in another city.

But even if it was outside, it was better than being far away.

By then, it would be easier to persuade her mother to live with her than to persuade her mother to go to the United States

Therefore, when she received the invitation from the Paradise company, she was only tempted for a short while, but she quickly rejected this idea.

Returning to China to develop her career was already a huge sacrifice for her career. Dong Yun didn't want to compromise with her career plans.

With these complicated thoughts in her mind, Dong Yun drove home.

This was a very old tube – shaped building. The architectural style was full of the atmosphere of the last century, and the mottled outer wall was even engraved with the traces of time.

This house was left behind by Dong Yun's father. It was a welfare house owned by a state – owned enterprise at that time. After the property reform, they bought it and lost the property rights.

Although Dong Yun could afford to buy a big house for her mother in San Shan, her mother could not bear to leave her old neighbors here. She was determined not to move, so Dong Yun had no choice but to give in.

After a long time, she finally found an empty parking space among the countless parking lots downstairs. Dong Yun parked her car and quickly walked into the corridor with her car keys in one hand and her phone in the other.

Just as she was going upstairs, her phone vibrated.

She had been in contact with some companies recently, and she often had some work – related WeChat messages, so she lit up her phone screen at once.

In the end, what he saw was not a WeChat message, but a news notification: "Sudden accident at the grilled fish restaurant: a mysterious young man caught a boiling stone pot with his bare hands to save a life."

Dong Yun wanted to close it, but after seeing the title, she couldn't help but frown. She clicked on the news and quickly read the text. Then, she immediately clicked on the video. She stopped walking upstairs ...

After a long time, Dong Yun finally arrived at her house on the fourth floor. Her expression didn't look too good.

Dong Yun took out her key and opened the door. She placed the key on the tray above the shoe cabinet and bent down to take the slippers.

At this moment, footsteps came from inside the house. Dong Yun raised her head and saw her mother, Zheng Shuying.

Dong Yun's eyes slightly narrowed and she asked calmly, "Mom, what are you doing at home? Don't you have to work today?"

Zheng Shuying smiled unnaturally and said, "It's almost the new year, and there's not much business in the store, so I got off work early ..."

Dong Yun looked at her mother and said, "Did the sun rise from the West today? You actually got off work early?"

Zheng Shuying reproached, "how can you say that, child?" Isn't it better for mom to go home earlier? It would save you the trouble of ordering take – out all the time, which was unhygienic and unhealthy! I'm at home today, so I'll make you a good meal tonight!"

As Dong Yun listened to her mother's nagging, her eyes could not help but turn red.

"Mom, don't hide it anymore!" Dong Yun said with a sobbing tone. I already know!"

Zheng Shuying was stunned. She turned to her daughter and asked, "What do you know? Why are you speaking so strangely today? Are you feeling uncomfortable?"

Dong Yun gently pushed away her mother's hand, which was reaching out to feel her forehead, and said, "Mom! You had an accident in the shop today and almost got into a big trouble, right? The news is already out, why are you still hiding it from me?"

After saying that, Dong Yun took out her phone and searched for the news article that she had read in the corridor. She stared into Zheng Shuying's eyes and said, "Take a look for yourself! Don't tell me that the person in the video isn't you!"

Zheng Shuying took the phone doubtfully. When she saw the title, she realized that the matter had really been exposed.

Zheng Shuying was the cleaning lady who had been at the grilled fish shop this afternoon.

If word of this got out, Xia ruofei probably wouldn't believe it.

The mother of a Harvard MBA student, a senior elite white – collar worker in a big United States company, was actually working as a cleaner in a restaurant.

However, this was the truth. This had nothing to do with Dong Yun's filial piety. It was the old man himself who couldn't sit still.

If it was up to Dong Yun, she would naturally wish to move her mother to the United States as soon as possible. That way, she would not have to change jobs.

However, Zheng Shuying was not willing to go to a place where she was unfamiliar with the people and the place, and even the language was not understood.



No matter how good the United States, it was not as good as his own home.

As for work, it had already become a habit of Zheng Shuying. Even though the money that Dong Yun sent home every month was enough for her to eat, drink, and have fun, she just couldn't take a break.

In the past, she had even been a nanny. After Dong Yun's strong opposition, she found this job.

Zheng Shuying clicked on the video and saw the shocking scene from that afternoon again. Her hands were still trembling slightly, and she felt a lingering fear in her heart.

At the same time, she was filled with gratitude for the brave young man.

Seeing her strong – minded daughter's teary eyes, Zheng Shuying forced a smile and comforted her, "Xiao Yun, this was just an accident. You don't have to worry so much ... Besides, I'm fine, aren't I?"

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Chapter 1440: What a coincidence\_1

"What do you mean by fine?" Dong Yun's tone was a little excited. "What else can I do? If you weren't injured, would the store let you go home early to rest?"

At this point, Dong Yun asked in anger and heartache, "Mom, where are you hurt? Are you okay?"

"There's a little burn on my back. It's no big deal!" Zheng Shuying said.

"Let me see!"

Dong Yun walked over and carefully lifted up Zheng Shuying's clothes. When she saw the red Burn marks on her mother's back, Dong Yun's tears couldn't help but fall.

"Little Yun, mom is really fine!" Zheng Shuying quickly put down her clothes and comforted him, "the medicine that the young man gave me was very effective. It doesn't hurt anymore!"

Dong Yun had just seen the news and naturally knew about this detail. She asked doubtfully, "Really? I think it's quite serious. Do you want to go to the hospital to deal with it?"

"There's really no need, I'm much better!" Zheng Shuying quickly said.

At that time, the heating in the shop was more sufficient. In addition, she had been working, so Zheng Shuying only wore a thin layer of clothes. The temperature of the hot soup was lowered after passing through the layer of clothes, so her injury was not as serious as Xia ruofei's.

However, if she had not used the ointment that Xia ruofei had given her in time, there was a high possibility that there would be blisters. After using the medicine once, her injury was much better. Moreover, after applying the medicine, there was a cool feeling on the wound instead of the burning feeling that came from the burns.

Hearing her mother's words and seeing that there was no blister or pus on the burn, Dong Yun nodded and said, "Alright, I'll listen to you."

"However, you have to listen to me this once. Let's not do this job anymore. Can you resign tomorrow?" Dong Yun continued.

"Why did you resign out of the blue?" Zheng Shuying disagreed. "I told you it was just an accident. I usually do the cleaning in the shop, how could there be any danger?"

"No matter if it's dangerous or not, I don't want you to do it anymore." Dong Yun said, "we're not short of money now. Why do you have to work so hard? You're already at this age, but you're still working hard outside. People who don't know you would think that I'm unfilial!"

Zheng Shuying rebuked, "you silly child, what are you saying!" Mom isn't old enough to need you to take care of her!"

"Mom ..." Dong Yun held her mother's hand and dragged out her words, "just listen to me this once!"

Zheng Shuying, who was used to her daughter's fiery style, had goosebumps all over her body. She said helplessly, "Alright, alright, alright ... Let's put this matter aside for now, okay? It didn't matter if he wanted to resign or not, at least he had to finish it in the few days before the new year! Otherwise, where are you going to recruit people at this time?"

As the Spring Festival approached, it was common for migrant workers to return to their hometown. Now that Zheng Shuying was resigning, the grilled fish shop really couldn't find any cleaning staff in a short time.

Dong Yun also knew that this was her mother's stalling tactic, but she also knew that she couldn't force her too much. In the past, it was because she was far away in the United States and couldn't do anything. Now, since she was at home, she would nag her in her ear when she had nothing to do. She had to pester her until she agreed!

This was only the first step of Dong Yun's plan. Her ultimate goal was naturally to hope that her mother would follow her to live in the city where she had just taken up a new job.

If he could make his mother resign, he would be closer to his next goal.

"Alright, you go back to your room and rest for a while!" Zheng Shuying said, "I'm going out to buy some groceries. I'll make you a good meal tonight!"

It had been a few days since her daughter returned to the country. As she had been eating during her working hours, she had not had a proper meal with her daughter. Zheng Shuying was filled with guilt.

Today, he would take advantage of the half – day leave he had from his injury to make it up to his daughter.

"Mom, you're injured. Don't move!" He said. Dong Yun quickly said, "I'll take care of dinner, okay?"

Zheng Shuying looked at her daughter with a faint smile and asked, "How are you going to settle this? Order delivery? Don't tell me you've learned how to cook now ..."

Dong Yun said with some embarrassment, "Actually, take – out isn't that bad these days. It's quite formal and not as bad as you say ... By the way, doesn't the grilled fish shop you work at also provide online order services?"

"Alright, alright!" Zheng Shuying smiled and said, "it's fine if I have a little burn on my back. I'll cook tonight, so you don't have to worry about it. Rest well at home, I'm going to buy some groceries!"

"Alright! Then I'll have to trouble mom!" Dong Yun said in embarrassment.

After Zheng Shuying went out to buy groceries, Dong Yun went back to her room and turned on her computer. She opened the PC website of the Sanshan Evening News and couldn't help but click on the front page of the news to read it again.

After the post – editing by the newspaper, the video showed Xia ruofei's two quick reactions and the process of catching the boiling stone pot with his bare hands in slow motion. Dong Yun was even more frightened after watching it.

She couldn't imagine how serious the damage would be if the stone pot had hit her mother's back.

If that was the case, her mother would not have suffered a minor injury like she did now. She would have been able to go out to buy groceries and cook at home. She might have even seen her mother in the hospital.

At the same time, Dong Yun was filled with gratitude for this brave young man.