

## God tier Farm 861

### Chapter 861: Visiting Gu Ling courtyard again (2)

Hu Zi's mother waved her hand. "I'm not going, I'm not going ... I can't even speak Mandarin, let alone a foreign language. I'll make a fool of myself ..."

Xia ruofei laughed and said, "Godma, there's no need for foreign language skills to travel overseas these days. Besides, don't you have me and Qiao' er?" You can just follow us!"

"I still won't go!" Hu Zi's mother smiled and said, "I'll stay at home. If you're free, you can take Qiao' er out ..."

Actually, on one hand, Hu Zi's mother was a little afraid of the foreign environment. At the same time, the more important reason was that she wanted to save some money for Xia ruofei.

She knew that since Xia ruofei had suggested it, he would definitely bring Lin Qiao out. Besides, Lin Qiao was so happy, so she didn't want to dampen her daughter's spirits.

However, a plane ticket to another country would cost ten to twenty thousand Yuan, and the expenses abroad were also very high. That was why she insisted that she didn't want to go.

"Godmother! Now that Qiao' er has been admitted to University, you don't have anything to worry about anymore. It's time to go out and take a look!" Xia ruofei advised, "many old people travel every year. They're busy when they're young, but it's time to see the beautiful scenery of the world after retirement!"

Hu Zi's mother waved her hand with a smile. "I don't want to see any beautiful scenery. I just like to stay at home." Ruofei, don't try to persuade me. I really don't want to go. You can just bring Qiao' er along!"

Seeing that Hu Zi's mother was so determined, Xia ruofei turned to Lin Qiao, hoping that Lin Qiao could persuade her.

However, Lin Qiao didn't try to persuade her mother. She held her mother's arm and said, "Mom! Then brother ruofei and I will bring back a lot of delicious food for you!"

Hu's mother chuckled. "Okay, okay, okay. You guys go out and have fun. Just be careful!"

Seeing that the mother and daughter had reached an agreement, Xia ruofei could only shrug his shoulders and stop trying to persuade them.

Lin Qiao quickly glanced at Xia ruofei. Thinking that she would be traveling abroad with Xia ruofei in a few days, and that it would be just the two of them, her little heart began to beat faster and her pretty face became slightly hot.

"Qiao' er, you're not angry with me anymore, are you?" Xia ruofei asked.

Lin Qiao was thinking about her own matters when Xia ruofei suddenly spoke. She was shocked and glanced at Xia ruofei guiltily. Then, she waved her hand as if nothing happened.

She said, "Alright, alright, I'm not blaming you!" Serious matters are more important!"

"Hehe, long live your understanding ..." Xia ruofei said with a smile.

Lin Qiao couldn't help but roll her eyes at Xia ruofei and said, "I won't talk to you anymore. Everyone is showing off their scores in the classmate group! There are hundreds of messages, I have to go chat with my classmates!"

After that, Lin Qiao went back to her room while scrolling through her phone.

After she closed the door, she put down her phone and let out a long sigh of relief. Then, she gently patted her thumping chest and laughed in embarrassment.

Xia ruofei and Hu Zi's mother talked for a while before everyone went back to their own rooms. However, Hu Zi's mother was so excited that she probably could not fall asleep.

Xia ruofei went back to his room and rested for a while. When he woke up at three o'clock, he started to think about what gift to give elder song.

After some consideration, Xia ruofei prepared a box of iron maple and two bottles of Drunken Eight Immortals wine with the spirit Heart Flower petal solution.

Xia ruofei had bought these wines from Dingfeng winery before the merger and acquisition. Not only did they have a longer storage time than the Drunken Eight Immortals wine that the winery had sent over later, but they had also added a spirit Heart Flower petal solution. Whether it was the taste or the health effect, the Drunken Eight Immortals wine on the market could not compare to them.

Xia ruofei had considered giving elder song a wild ginseng of the highest quality. However, on second thought, he had already given elder song a wild ginseng of the highest quality. Furthermore, the value of this wild ginseng was too high. Even the head of a hundred-year-old wealthy family, elder song, might not accept it.

In the end, Xia ruofei decided on the Ironhide Kaede bucket and the Drunken Eight Immortals wine as gifts. These couldn't be bought on the market, and they were very good for the elderly, so they were suitable for elder song.

When it was past five o'clock, Xia ruofei brought the gifts, informed Hu Zi's mother and Lin Qiao, and left the farm in Knight XV.

Xia ruofei walked along the third ring Road and arrived at the intersection at the foot of Gu Ling. Then, he walked up the mountain road and arrived at Gu Ling courtyard in a short while.

Along the way, there were many sentries who were already familiar with Xia ruofei's car. In addition, manager Lu had probably given special notice to them, so they let them pass without any checks.

After Xia ruofei parked the car, manager Lu, who had been informed by the Sentry, came downstairs. The two of them exchanged a few words and walked into the building where elder song lived.

Xia ruofei carried the gift and followed manager Lu to the second floor.

Manager Lu brought him to his office and said with a smile, ""Xiao Xia, please sit here for a while. The chief is receiving a guest. The chief has instructed us to go directly to the dining room later!"

Xia ruofei smiled and said, "okay!" Manager Lu, you can go ahead! Don't mind me. "

"Alright," manager Lu nodded.

However, he didn't leave Xia ruofei behind. Instead, he made Xia ruofei a cup of tea and sat down to chat with him.

From this detail, Xia ruofei could also feel how much elder song valued him. The Secretary was like a weather forecast for the Bureau chief. Manager Lu's attitude towards him reflected elder song's impression of him to a large extent.

For someone close to the chief who enjoyed the treatment of a Deputy Department to put down his work and chat with him so that he wouldn't feel neglected, this already explained the problem.

Xia ruofei arrived at Gu Ling courtyard at around 5:30 in the afternoon. The two of them chatted for a while in the office. Then, a staff member knocked on the door and came in. "Manager Lu, the restaurant is ready. The chief would like to invite Mr. Xia to the restaurant for a meal!"

Manager Lu nodded and smiled at Xia ruofei. ""Little Xia, let's go!"

Xia ruofei also stood up quickly and said with a smile, ""Yes, yes, yes, we can't let the Bureau chief wait for us!"

The two of them walked quickly to the restaurant on the first floor.

When Xia ruofei arrived at the first floor, he saw elder song walking out from another staircase. There was another person accompanying elder song. The two of them were talking as they walked.

Xia ruofei was stunned. The person beside elder song was Lu You's mother, Tian Huilan.

"So elder song invited Secretary Tian ..." Xia ruofei thought.

Elder song and Tian Huilan also saw Xia ruofei and smiled at him. Xia ruofei quickened his pace and walked over.

"Chief, Secretary Tian!" Xia ruofei greeted him politely.

Tian Huilan smiled and nodded at Xia ruofei. Elder song looked at the gift in Xia ruofei's hand and said with a smile, ""Comrade little Xia, you're corrupting this old man with gifts again!"

Xia ruofei scratched his head. "With your wisdom, you could have kept the cloak and returned the Cannonball to me."

Eccentric song couldn't help but burst into laughter. He stretched out his index finger and pointed a few times, saying, "You little Xia! Speak! What good stuff did you bring this time?"

Xia ruofei chuckled. "They're all produced by our company. A box of tin can and two bottles of Drunken Eight Immortals wine. They're not worth much."

The Ironhide fengdou's packaging still had the LOGO of the Paradise Corporation, and the Dingfeng winery that produced the Drunken Eight Immortals had half of Xia ruofei's estimated score. Elder song was also aware of this.

Naturally, he was only joking at the start. After hearing Xia ruofei's words, he nodded and gestured for the staff to take Xia ruofei's gift.

"Put the tin bucket away," elder song said. "Don't take the wine down. Let's drink the wine Xia brought for lunch!"

"Yes! Chief!" The orderly said immediately.

The group of people arrived at the restaurant and took their seats. The waiters quickly served the dishes while manager Lu personally opened the Drunken Eight Immortals wine that Xia ruofei had brought.

The alluring aroma of the wine immediately filled the dining room.

"Good wine!" Elder song sniffled and said, "little Xia, if you still have more of this Drunken Eight Immortals, bring me more! After I return to the capital, it's just right to entertain my old comrades. Those old guys will definitely die of hunger after drinking it, hahaha ..."

"No problem!" Xia ruofei agreed without hesitation.

Then, he froze for a moment and asked in surprise, "Bureau chief, you ... You're going back to Beijing?"

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Eccentric song chuckled and nodded, "I've been living in the three mountains for a long time! Now that my body has basically recovered, I'm considering going back to the capital. After all, living here will cause trouble for our comrades in the central government and other places!"

Xia ruofei smiled and said, "it's good to go back. After all, the three mountains is now a new city. It's very hot in the summer. It's not as comfortable as the weather in the capital."

"That's right!" Elder song laughed. My old comrades also talk about me all day long. Old Zhu even clamored to play a few games with me every day! This old man, I heard that when I'm not in the capital, he claims to be the king, saying that no one can defeat him. Isn't this like when the Tiger is not at home, the monkey will claim to be the king?"

Xia ruofei, manager Lu, and the others all had strange expressions.

They all knew that old Zhu was also a retired general. Although he didn't reach old song's level before his retirement, he was still a famous Tiger General in the Army.

Elder song could joke around without any qualms, but Xia ruofei and the others couldn't casually respond to him. Otherwise, it would be disrespectful.

Manager Lu personally poured wine for everyone, and then everyone looked at elder song, waiting for him to speak.

Elder song chuckled as he raised his wine cup. "We're all family today, so there's no need to be so formal! Everyone, let's raise our glasses!"

After elder song brought the first glass of wine, everyone began to eat and chat.

The seating arrangement in the restaurant was as such: Elder song sat in the middle, and on his left and right were Xia ruofei and Tian Huilan. Manager Lu might have a high rank, but he was seated opposite the main seat. There was an empty seat beside Tian Huilan, and it was a seat with a set of chopsticks.

However, since elder song didn't say anything, Xia ruofei naturally wouldn't ask.

He raised his glass and said with a smile, "Chief, remember to do regular health checks after you return to the capital. If you feel uncomfortable, contact me at any time!"

Elder song laughed and clinked his glass with Xia ruofei's. "Okay, okay, okay. Now, your words are the doctor's advice. Old men like us are not afraid of anything, but the primary care doctor!"

Manager Lu and Tian Huilan couldn't help but smile when they heard this.

Elder song and the other old Chiefs were assigned a full – time health care team by the country. From the perspective of the chief's health, the doctors had very strict plans for his daily work, rest, diet, and other aspects. Moreover, the health care doctors assigned to the chief were basically the kind of people who were one – Track minded and would never listen to the unreasonable requests of the old Chiefs.

Elder song would always empty his glass when Xia ruofei gave him a toast. This time was no different. He raised his head and finished the rest of the wine in his glass. Then, he said emotionally, "Little Xia! This old man's life is all thanks to you! You can be said to have pulled me back from the gates of hell. I won't say any more words of gratitude, but if you need anything in the future, feel free to look for me. As long as your company is operating legally, no matter what kind of trouble you face, we will always be your strong backing!"

Xia ruofei was very touched. He quickly poured himself another glass of wine and finished it in front of elder song. "Thank you, chief!"

Manager Lu and Tian Huilan were also slightly moved.

Generally, people at elder song's level would not reveal anything. It was rare for him to be so direct.

After chatting for a while, Tian Huilan suddenly took the initiative to raise her glass to Xia ruofei. She smiled and said, "Ruofei, let's have a drink too!"

Xia ruofei quickly stood up, picked up his cup and said, "Secretary Tian, I should be the one toasting you!"

Tian Huilan chuckled and said, "I should toast you with this glass of wine. If you hadn't treated him in time, my father might have passed away. You've helped Youyou and Huixin's family during this period of time. Our family owes you countless favors."

Xia ruofei laughed in embarrassment. "Secretary Tian, it's all in the past. Besides, didn't you all already thank me?"

Xia ruofei also felt a little strange. Why did Tian Huilan bring up the past again today? and in front of elder song, too. She said it so formally, as if it was a farewell drink.

Unexpectedly, Tian Huilan seemed to have heard Xia ruofei's inner grumble. She smiled and said, ""RUO Fei! This cup of wine is also to bid you farewell. I'll be leaving the three mountains in two days ..."

Xia ruofei couldn't help but open his mouth in shock.

Tian Huilan had just been promoted to the Standing Committee of the Provincial Party Committee and the Provincial Party Committee of Sanshan city only a few months ago. Why would she suddenly be transferred out of Sanshan? Could it be that there was a problem at work?

Manager Lu explained with a smile, ""Xiao Xia, Secretary Tian is about to be appointed as the Deputy Director of xxx. The relevant procedures have been completed, and she should be taking office in a day or two."

Xia ruofei was stunned for a moment, then he quickly raised his glass and said, ""Secretary Tian, congratulations to Gao Sheng!"

Tian Huilan was clearly very happy, but she only smiled and said, ""It's not a promotion. It's just a normal job transfer, and there's no change in rank."

"That's different!" Xia ruofei smiled and said, "you're going to take on an important leadership position in the Ministry this time. You'll be given an important role!"

"I'm serving the people wherever I go," Tian Huilan said with a smile. "But when I go to the capital, I'm most worried about Youyou, other than my father ..."

At this point, Tian Huilan couldn't help but sigh.

She and the song family had originally intended to match Lu You and song Rui together. However, after Xia ruofei had asked them to use a delaying tactic, the two families gradually realized that these two young people who were extremely suitable for each other in politics had no interest in each other at all.

In layman's terms, there was no electricity at all.

Although no one said it clearly, they were very clear in their hearts that if this matter dragged on, it could only be left unsettled in the end.

If this had happened in any other wealthy family, the two juniors might not have had any room to resist at all. The family would have directly made the decision.

However, the song family was slightly different. When it came to the marriage of his children, although elder song also pursued marriage of equal social status, he respected everyone's opinions and would not engage in arranged marriage.

Xia ruofei felt a little guilty. He was the one who had taught them to go against their family and drag things out.

"Secretary Tian, Lu You is already in University. Professor Tian is also in the University. You don't have to worry too much." Xia ruofei said.

"We've spoiled Youyou, and she has a bad temper. I'm just worried that she'll cause me more trouble without me by her side!" Tian Huilan smiled bitterly and said, "RUO Fei! I think she can still talk to you ..."

"Well ... We're pretty good friends!" Xia ruofei said awkwardly.

"Then you should talk to her more often when you have time and remind her of anything. I feel that she can still listen to you." Tian Huilan said.

"I'll try my best, Secretary Tian!" Xia ruofei scratched his head. Actually ... I haven't seen Lu You in a long time. "

"Then you can ask her out to play!" Tian Huilan said, "you two are of the same age. You should have many common topics ..."

Xia ruofei suddenly felt a headache and did not know what to say.

Elder song looked at Xia ruofei with a smile and seemed to have a deeper meaning.

Just as Xia ruofei was feeling extremely awkward, a staff member came to his rescue.

The staff member quickly came in and reported, "Bureau chief, Secretary song is here!"

Eccentric song raised his eyebrows and smiled. "This little song, he's so late, he has to drink a few more glasses of wine as punishment! Let him in!"

"Alright!"

After a short while, Xia ruofei saw a middle – aged man in his forties being led to the dining room by the staff.

The middle – aged man was wearing a white shirt and navy blue trousers. He was burly and had a square face. He walked with an imposing manner, with a trace of righteousness and Majesty on his face. One look and one could tell that he was a person of high status.

However, this Secretary song was not a leader in front of elder song. He walked over to elder song and bowed slightly. "I'm sorry, chief. The plane was a little late, so I'm late!"

"Have a seat!" Elder song said with a smile. If you're late, take the initiative and drink three cups as a punishment!"

"Yes!" Secretary song said immediately.

He came to the seat next to Tian Huilan and nodded slightly to her and manager Lu. He didn't sit down, but stood there and poured three glasses of white wine into an empty glass on the table.

"Chief, I'm late. I'll drink three glasses as punishment!" He said as he raised his glass.

After speaking, Secretary song raised his head and drank the large glass of white wine. After swallowing it in one gulp, he showed the bottom of the glass to everyone.

"Well, you're a decent man. Have a seat!" Elder song said with a smile.

"Thank you, chief!" Secretary song quickly bowed and sat down.

“Qiming!” Elder song said. You’re already familiar with Huilan and Xiao Lu. Let me introduce you to Xiao Xia!”

Then, elder song pointed at Xia ruofei and said,””Little Xia is my Savior! Even the experts in 301 couldn’t do anything. It was Xiao Xia who snatched me back from the King of Hell!”

Secretary song noticed Xia ruofei the moment he entered the room. After all, Xia ruofei was too young. He was particularly eye – catching when he sat beside elder song.

Now that Secretary song knew that Xia ruofei and elder song had such a relationship, he quickly greeted Xia ruofei with great enthusiasm.

Xia ruofei did not know where Secretary song came from, so he just smiled and nodded at him politely.

Elder song continued,”Xiao Xia, Qiming is the newly appointed Deputy Minister of the southeast province. At the same time, the organization has decided that he will take over the position of comrade Huilan. You have to respect your parents!”

Xia ruofei immediately understood why elder song had invited him to the dinner ...

### **Chapter 863: Lin Qiao’s troubles (1)**

“Mr. Xia,” song Qiming quickly said,”you can call me if you need anything in the future. This is my personal number.”

Then, song Qiming leaned over and handed Xia ruofei a business card.

It was an ordinary business card in an elegant beige color, and it even exuded a faint fragrance. There was only the name “song Qiming” on the card, and a mobile number below it.

There were no titles printed on the business card to show song Qiming’s status. There was no need to add a series of titles on the business card to highlight his status. Moreover, leaders of his level basically did not use business cards anymore. They were obviously prepared for personal friends.

Xia ruofei looked at the name card politely and kept it carefully. He smiled and said,””Thank you, Secretary song! I’ll have to trouble you in the future. ”

Song Qiming laughed.”Mr. Xia, you started a business to support our economic development. As the Secretary of the municipal government, I should be protecting our economic development!”

Although song Qiming had just gotten off the plane and did not know Xia ruofei at all, the fact that Xia ruofei was able to appear at elder song’s dinner and was personally introduced to him by elder song showed how important Xia ruofei was to elder song.

Xia ruofei also took out his name card and passed it to song Qiming. He smiled and said,””Secretary song, you can just call me Xiao Xia!”

“Alright, little Xia. We’ll all be at the three mountains in the future. We can get to know each other more!” Song Qiming said kindly.



After song Qiming arrived, Tian Huilan did not mention Lu You again. Instead, she talked more about the situation in Sanshan city with song Qiming.

After all, one was the relinquished Secretary and the other was his successor. Song Qiming had lowered his attitude and was completely asking for advice.

Tian Huilan didn't keep anything to herself. She told song Qiming about her many years of experience in power at the three mountains, and she also emphasized the few tasks she had pushed forward during her time as the leader.

On the one hand, Tian Huilan wanted to help song Qiming get into the situation as soon as possible. On the other hand, she hoped that the work she had worked hard to promote could have a certain degree of continuity. She did not want it to be completely rejected just because of a new leader.

Of course, they were all comrades with the same political view, so the possibility of such a situation happening was very low.

They were all talking about high – Level topics, but Xia ruofei was not afraid. Occasionally, he would join in the conversation, and the atmosphere of the dinner was quite good.

After the meal, Xia ruofei and Tian Huilan bade their farewells. They knew that song Qiming had just taken over and elder song would definitely want to talk to him.

This was the real reason why elder song had asked song Qiming to rush to the three mountains overnight.

Elder song didn't ask them to stay. He bade Xia ruofei and Tian Huilan farewell with a smile and told manager Lu to send them off. Then, he asked song Qiming to follow him to the study.

Manager Lu sent Xia ruofei and Tian Huilan downstairs.

"Xiao Xia," Tian Huilan suddenly said, "you drank quite a bit just now. You definitely can't drive. Why don't you take my car?"

Xia ruofei's expression froze and he was in a difficult position.

"That's good, safety first!" Manager Lu said with a smile. Besides, it's not safe to drive on the mountain road so late at night. Xiao Xia, leave your car keys behind. I'll have the staff send your car to the farm tomorrow morning!"

Since manager Lu had said so, Xia ruofei had no reason to refuse. He could only smile bitterly in his heart and nod. "Secretary Tian, I'll have to trouble you then!"

Tian Huilan stroked her hair and said with a smile, "It's no trouble at all. This place is closer to your farm. I'll get the driver to send you first!"

"How can I do that?" Xia ruofei quickly said, "I'll send you off first!"

"Wouldn't that be a waste of gasoline? It's decided, I'll send you off first!" Tian Huilan said.

At this moment, Tian Huilan's driver came over in her Audi. The driver jogged over to open the door.

After Tian Huilan got into the car, Xia ruofei also got into the car from the other side.

“Old Li, send little Xia back to the farm first!” Tian Huilan said.

“Alright, Secretary Tian!” The driver, old Li, started the car steadily and said without looking sideways.

The driver, old Li, had been to Taoyuan farm before, so he did not need Xia ruofei’s directions.

The car left guling courtyard very quickly. It was very quiet in the car. Xia ruofei felt a little uneasy. He didn’t know why, but he was a little worried that Tian Huilan would mention Lu You.

However, when the car drove onto the mountain road, Tian Huilan still didn’t say anything. She just leaned back in her seat and closed her eyes slightly.

Just as Xia ruofei heaved a sigh of relief, Tian Huilan suddenly said, “Xiao Xia, Secretary Qiming is elder song’s distant grandnephew. Elder song personally introduced you to him today. He will definitely value you greatly. If you have any problems in the future, you can look for him directly. As long as it doesn’t go against his principles, he will do his best to help you.”

“I understand, Secretary Tian!” Xia ruofei nodded and said, “Secretary song is elder song’s grandnephew?” His age ...”

“It’s a distant relative, but it hasn’t been released yet!” Tian Huilan smiled. That’s why Secretary Qiming always calls elder song ‘chief’. According to the backup, he should be called granduncle.”

“I see ...” Xia ruofei said with understanding.

He thought to himself, ‘this Secretary song doesn’t look young, but he’s actually song Rui’s clan brother. That kid’s seniority is quite high!’

## **Chapter 864: Lin Qiao’s troubles (2)**

Tian Huilan seemed to be in the mood to chat as well. She started to talk about song Qiming’s situation with Xia ruofei.

Strictly speaking, song Qiming was from the same village as elder song. However, everyone in the village was more or less related to each other. According to seniority, song Qiming should be calling elder song “granduncle.”

Song Qiming was actually a poor child. He had an elder brother who was more than ten years older than him. In the border war in 1979, his elder brother, who had just become a platoon leader, sacrificed himself in the war. In the same year, song Qiming’s parents were struck by lightning while they were working in the paddy field. They both died, and song Qiming became an orphan in an instant.

He was only nine years old then.

His brother was a war hero, and the government gave him a certain amount of subsidies. With the help of the simple villagers, song Qiming grew up with a family.

Elder song heard about song Qiming's situation when he returned to his hometown to visit his relatives. Elder song was a soldier who loved his soldiers as if they were his own children. Naturally, he had a special kind of care for song Qiming, the younger brother of a martyr.

From then on, elder song started to sponsor song Qiming.

Elder song was responsible for song Qiming's tuition and living expenses.

Song Qiming was also very hardworking. His academic results had always been among the best. In the end, he was admitted to the People's University as the top student in the county and became a well-known scholar in all the villages.

After graduating from the People's Congress, song Qiming was assigned to a province in the southwest and became a town Clerk.

Since then, he had been working in the southwest and had slowly climbed up to the position of a Deputy provincial leader.

Of course, this had something to do with elder song's appreciation.

With Tian Huilan's transfer, there was a vacancy in the southeast province, and song Qiming, who had enough experience, was naturally promoted.

Xia ruofei listened attentively. He had a deeper understanding of Secretary song.

When the car arrived at the entrance of Taoyuan farm, Tian Huilan did not mention Lu You anymore. Xia ruofei also heaved a sigh of relief.

Xia ruofei got out of the car. Tian Huilan rolled down the window and said to Xia ruofei, "Xiao Xia, I'll probably be going to Beijing to take office tomorrow or the day after. I'll take it as a farewell today!"

"Alright, I wish you all the best in your new post!" Xia ruofei said with a smile.

"I hope you can take care of Youyou," Tian Huilan said with a smile. I'm most worried about this girl ..."

Xia ruofei looked a little embarrassed and said, "I will. Don't worry, Secretary Tian. If Lu You needs anything, please let her find me at any time!"

Tian Huilan smiled and nodded, then slowly rolled up the window.

Xia ruofei stood beside the car until Tian Huilan's Audi turned around and left. He waved his hand and watched the car leave Taoyuan farm before turning around and walking in.

Xia ruofei walked back to the villa.

On the way, he had many thoughts. Tian Huilan's transfer was a little sudden, but it did not affect Xia ruofei much. Song Qiming, the new Secretary, could still be his strong backing.

Of course, most of the time, Xia ruofei didn't need to rely on his official connections. The core competitiveness of his business was the spirit map space that he controlled. This was something that no other business could imitate.

When Xia ruofei returned to the villa, Lin Qiao and Hu Zi's mother were still awake. The two of them were sitting on the sofa in the living room and seemed to be discussing something. It seemed like they had a heated argument.

When they saw Xia ruofei enter, Hu Zi's mother immediately said, "RUO Fei is back? Come and persuade Qiao'er. I don't know what's wrong with this girl, but she actually wants to apply for Sanshan University! With such a high score, isn't it a waste to apply to a mere three mountains University?"

Xia ruofei could not help but look surprised.

It was not to say that Sanshan University was bad. In fact, Sanshan University was also a key university, and many of its majors were quite competitive in the country.

However, Lin Qiao had gotten such a high score this year, even when the test paper was more difficult and the overall score was low.

It was really a waste for her to apply to Sanshan University with such a score. She could have applied to a better school, or even a famous one.

Lin Qiao pouted and said, "what's wrong with Sanshan University?" It was also a 985 high school! And it was close to home! I can still take care of you ..."

"I'm not that old yet, I don't need you to take care of me!" Hu'er's mother said unhappily.

In fact, Lin Qiao's grades were usually in the middle. According to the ranking in the mock exam, her score was about enough to get into Sanshan University.

But wasn't this because he had exceeded his usual performance in the college entrance examination? Now that she had scored more than 600 points, Hu Zi's mother would naturally not be satisfied with Sanshan University. Everyone had such a mentality.

Xia ruofei walked over and said, "Godmother, don't worry. Is Qiao'er filling in her application form?"

"Isn't it? In the past few years, I've been filling in the application form as soon as I get the results!" Hu Zi's mother said anxiously, "how can I not be anxious? This child is disobedient!"

Xia ruofei looked at Lin Qiao and asked, "Qiao'er, what's going on with you?"

Lin Qiao lowered her head and said, "It's nothing. I feel that Sanshan University is quite good. Besides, haven't I been preparing to apply for it? This time's college entrance exam score is higher, so I can just pick a better major!"

"But with your score, you can even get into Fudan University or Beijing Normal University, don't you know?" Xia ruofei asked.

Hu Zi's mother also chimed in, "that's right!" You could have chosen one of the top 30 universities in the country. Why did you choose a university that isn't even ranked 211?"

Lin Qiao wrinkled her nose and said, "mom, didn't I just tell you?" I really just want to be closer to home. Besides, it's pretty good for me to intern at brother ruofei's company. If I go to college in Sanshan city, I can continue to intern. I can really learn a lot there!"

Xia ruofei didn't know whether to laugh or cry."It's close to home. I can do my internship ... How can this be a reason for me to choose a university?" You should be able to tell which is more important, right? Qiao' er, if you want to learn something, you'll have plenty of opportunities in the future. You only have one chance in your life to go to college, so you can't be willful!"

On this issue, Xia ruofei firmly supported Hu Zi's mother. He felt that Lin Qiao's decision was a little irrational.

It was obvious that he had made the decision on the spur of the moment.

Lin Qiao's eyes turned red and she said with a wronged expression,""Why are you all like this? I just can't bear to leave my mother and you, brother ruofei! Brother ruofei, if I go to another place to study, my mom won't have anyone to talk to. How lonely would that be?"

"I already said you don't need to worry about this!" Hu 'Zi's mother said,"your task now is to choose the best and most suitable University for you and study well! Besides, how come I don't even have anyone to talk to? Isn't RUO Fei at the three mountains?"

Xia ruofei patted Lin Qiao's head and said,""Qiao' er, we're not forcing you to make a choice that you don't like, but your reason is indeed not very good. I believe that no matter what major you choose at Sanshan University, you will definitely be able to find the same major in other better universities. Obviously, it will be more competitive than Sanshan University!"

Lin Qiao lowered her head and didn't speak.

Xia ruofei shot a look at Hu Zi's mother, signaling her to keep quiet.

Then, he sat down beside Lin Qiao and said,""Qiao' er, actually, I don't want to be too far away from godmother, and I don't have to choose Sanshan University. "

Lin Qiao suddenly raised her head and asked,""What other schools are there? Sanshan University was the best in Sanshan city? Are you going to Southeast Normal University?"

Xia ruofei laughed and said,"why do you have to choose in Sanshan city?" Actually, I think that Heron Island University is not bad! It was a famous brand in the country, and it was only a few hundred kilometers away from Sanshan city. With the convenience of the bullet train, it could reach the destination in two hours. Basically, it could be a round trip on the same day! It's no different from going to school in Sanshan city!"

### **Chapter 865: A gentleman's word (1)**

As soon as Xia ruofei finished speaking, Lin Qiao's expression, which was like a revolutionary who was not afraid of death, began to loosen a little.

"Heron Island University?" Lin Qiao muttered to herself while thinking.

"Yup!" Xia ruofei struck while the iron was hot."Qiao' er, it's really a waste of your marks to apply for Sanshan University. Although Sanshan University is a comprehensive university, its strong subjects are Science and Engineering. Its liberal arts majors are not well – known in the country. On the other hand, Egret Island University is the opposite. Several of its liberal arts majors are ranked in the top ten in the country. If you study in these majors, you won't be any worse than Fudan or Renmin University!"

Her daughter was taking the college entrance examination this year, so Hu Zi's mother naturally had a general understanding of the universities in the country. When she heard Xia ruofei's words, her eyes lit up and she quickly said, ""Qiao' er, your brother ruofei is right. Heron Island University is not bad! This is the only famous university in the province, and the number of students enrolled in this province is relatively large. With your score, you can basically pick any major!"

Xia ruofei looked at Lin Qiao and said with a smile, ""Qiao' er, I know you're a filial child. You insisted on going to school in the local area so that you could take care of your godmother ..."

Lin Qiao's face blushed. In fact, what Xia ruofei said was an important factor, but she still had some girly thoughts that she couldn't say.

Xia ruofei didn't notice Lin Qiao's embarrassment. He continued to smile and said, ""Actually, you don't have to worry so much. With me at the three mountains, I'll definitely take good care of Godma. Moreover, the intercity high – speed rail ran almost every half an hour. It only took slightly more than an hour to come from Egret Island. If you want to go to school at Heron Island, you can come back every weekend as long as you want to go home. I'll reimburse your ticket!"

"Really?" Lin Qiao smiled slyly and said, "brother ruofei, a gentleman never goes back on his word! You can't go back on your word, I'll really come back every weekend!"

Xia ruofei couldn't help but laugh. The monthly high – speed rail ticket for a weekly round trip only cost a little more than 1000 Yuan. To Xia ruofei, this amount of money was nothing.

He said, "of course I mean what I say!" When the time comes, I'll let pang Hao know. If you want to come back, just give him a call and get him to help you book the tickets online! This isn't a problem!"

Lin Qiao sneaked a glance at her mother and saw that her mother didn't look happy. She said dejectedly, "Forget it, mom will definitely not agree ..."

Hu 'er's mother retorted, "so you know!" I'm not your ATM, and I don't need to reimburse you for high – speed rail tickets every week! What are you thinking about?"

Xia ruofei quickly gave Hu Zi's mother a look, meaning that Lin Qiao had finally moved on and was considering Heron Island University. She should not cause more trouble at this time.

However, Hu Zi's mother was unmoved. To her, it was more important to cultivate her daughter's character. Although she knew that Xia ruofei was not short of money and she did not treat Xia ruofei as an outsider, she did not want Lin Qiao to develop the bad habit of taking care of everything for her.

To put it bluntly, she felt that Xia ruofei doted on Lin Qiao too much.

Xia ruofei could only smile bitterly and helplessly. He rolled his eyes and said, ""That doesn't matter! Qiao' er, you can continue your internship in our company's e – commerce Department. As long as you continue to learn how to design software well, you can complete some of our e – Commerce Department's work remotely. A month's round trip ticket only costs a little more than a thousand Yuan. Unless you have no talent in design at all, otherwise, it's impossible that you can't even earn a little more than a thousand Yuan!"

Lin Qiao's eyes lit up and said, "Yeah! Brother ruofei's idea was better! Hmph, Hmph, I'm self – sufficient. Mom can't say anything, right?"

After that, Lin Qiao glanced at her mother as if she was showing off.

Hu 'er's mother shook her head with a bitter smile and said, ""I don't care how you use the money you earned, as long as you don't feel the pinch!"

"Why would my heart ache?" Lin Qiao took her mother's arm and leaned on her. "I'll buy a high – speed train ticket to go home and see you. It's worth it no matter how much it costs!"

Hu Zi's mother was also touched. She gently touched Lin Qiao's face. Although she didn't say anything, her eyes were covered with a layer of tears.

Xia ruofei chuckled. "Qiao' er, you've even planned out how to get home. Does that mean you've agreed to go to Egret Island University?"

Lin Qiao was stunned. He had been insisting on choosing the three mountains University. How did it turn into a discussion about returning to the three mountains from Heron Island every week after a few words from brother ruofei?

However, on second thought, Xia ruofei's suggestion seemed pretty good. Besides, there were obviously better schools to choose from. Under normal circumstances, no one would deliberately choose the worse one.

After thinking it through, Lin Qiao gently nodded and said, "Mm! Since it's brother RUO Fei's recommendation, then I'll choose Heron Island University!"

Hu Zi's mother heaved a long sigh of relief. Before Xia ruofei came back, Lin Qiao had insisted on her opinion no matter what she said. Fortunately, Xia ruofei's few words made Lin Qiao give up the idea of applying to Sanshan University. Otherwise, she would have been really angry.

## **Chapter 866: A gentleman's word (2)**

Xia ruofei smiled and said, "that's right!" Qiao' er, since you've decided, let's choose a good major! With your score, you can pick any major you want!"

"En!" Lin Qiao nodded and said.

"Brother ruofei, which major do you think I should major in?" Lin Qiao asked.

Xia ruofei smiled and said, "the profession depends on personal interest!" I personally think that there's no need to pursue a popular major. I'll support whatever major our Qiao' er studies!"

Lin Qiao tilted her head and said, "I prefer designing and creativity, but this seems to be a major only in technical schools ..."

Speaking of this, Lin Qiao laughed in embarrassment.

Xia ruofei sat down on the sofa and said, ""Let's check out the specialty liberal arts majors in Heron Island University first!"

Xia ruofei took out his phone and did a quick search.

Nowadays, search engines were very advanced. There were also Zhihu, split – answer, and other platforms. Hence, Xia ruofei found the answer he wanted very quickly.

He was browsing on his phone in silence while Hu Zi's mother and Lin Qiao sat on either side of Xia ruofei.

Xia ruofei looked at it for a while and couldn't help but laugh. "Qiao' er, there's a profession that's really suitable for you!"

"What's your major?" Lin Qiao asked impatiently.

Xia ruofei showed the phone to the two of them and said, ""The advertising major of Heron Island University is one of the top universities in the country. It's known as the 'Huangpu military school' of the advertising industry. Many big names in the advertising industry are trained in this major."

Lin Qiao snatched the phone from Xia ruofei's hand and read it carefully. After reading it, she immediately said, ""I've decided! I'll apply for this major!"

Xia ruofei and Hu Zi's mother looked at each other, then he said, ""Qiao' er, you have to consider this carefully! With this score, you should be able to get into a better major. I just checked, and the best liberal arts major in Heron Island University should be accounting. It's said that it's the undisputed number one in the country! Moreover, the career prospects of a finance major are obviously better than an advertising major. "

Lin Qiao thought for a while and said, "forget it, I'll choose the advertising major!" I'm not interested in finance, accounting, or anything else! But I really like creative advertising and design!"

Xia ruofei smiled and nodded, "sure!" I'll respect your opinion! Interest was the most important. If he wasn't interested, no matter how good his profession was, it would be useless! Moreover, the advertising major of Heron Island University is one of the top in the country. It's definitely one of the best major in their school!"

Xia ruofei's last sentence was mainly directed at Hu Zi's mother.

It was every parent's wish for their son to become a dragon and their daughter to become a Phoenix. After hearing Xia ruofei's words, Hu Zi's mother naturally hoped that Lin Qiao would choose accounting. However, Lin Qiao eventually decided to choose advertising, so she could not help but feel a little disappointed.

Of course, compared to choosing Sanshan University, this was already a very good result.

After hearing Xia ruofei's words, Hu Zi's mother was relieved. She smiled and said, ""Qiao' er, mom also supports your choice! Since you've decided, let's apply for the advertising major at Heron Island University!"



Xia ruofei smiled and added, ""Qiao' er, go to Egret Island and learn well. I'll leave a good position for you in the company's advertising department in the future!"

Lin Qiao happily replied, "yes!" Mom, brother ruofei, I won't let you down!"

Just like that, Lin Qiao's application was finally settled. She just had to go to school tomorrow morning to officially fill in the form, and Hu Zi's mother could finally have a good night's sleep.

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The next morning, Xia ruofei asked Lei Hu to drive the company's Mercedes – Benz to send Lin Qiao to fill in her college application.

Xia ruofei also told Lei Hu to protect Lin Qiao well during the whole process. After what happened with Xue Fei and Hu Lili, Xia ruofei was also scared. He now attached great importance to Lin Qiao's safety.

After Lin Qiao left, Xia ruofei picked up his phone and called Liang Qichao, who was far away in Australia.

"Boss Xia!" "Any instructions?" Liang Qichao asked teasingly.

Xia ruofei smiled and said, "it seems like manager Liang is having a good time in Australia!" Was it because there wasn't enough work? Looks like I'll have to increase your workload!"

"Don 't, don' t, don't ... You're my brother, okay?" Liang Qichao quickly said. It's already tiring enough to be busy all day!"

Xia ruofei laughed. "Alright, I'll stop joking with you. How's Paradise Farm doing recently?"

"It's so good!" Liang Qichao got excited at the mention of work. "Ruofei, the seeds you provided are really good! The survival rate was almost 100%, and when the first batch of vegetables came out, the Western workers were all shocked! They've never seen such beautiful and delicious vegetables since they were born. They all exclaimed that it was a miracle!"

"Is it really that exaggerated?" Xia ruofei said with a smile.

"Why not?" Liang Qichao said, "you've met our little supervisor the last time you were here. That white man called rodick kept saying that this is a piece of art. He strongly urged us to expand the planting area immediately!"

"Haha, no hurry!" Xia ruofei smiled and said, "your task now is to conduct extensive experimental planting and find the most suitable species to be planted in Paradise Farm and meet the consumption needs of the Australian market. Before we expand the planting, we must first find the best combination. We must not start the project without thinking!"

"Understood!" Liang Qichao said, "don't worry! I have a complete set of plans on my side!"

"That's good! "I believe you ..." Xia ruofei said with a smile.

"Haha, ruofei, if you're worried, you can find time to come over for an inspection!" Liang Qichao said jokingly.

“You don’t say. I might really have to come to Australia in a few days!” Xia ruofei said, “it’s not that I’m worried about your job. I’m just here for a vacation and to visit you.”

“Travel?” Liang Qichao chuckled and asked, “you’re not alone, are you? You’ve brought people?”

“En!”

“You brought a girl?”

“You’re really right!” Xia ruofei said, “but she’s really a ‘girl’. I’m bringing my sister over.”

“Younger sister? Ruofei, how come I’ve never heard of you having a sister?” Liang Qichao laughed evilly. “Don’t tell me she’s your lover? Don’t worry, I won’t tell the great beauty Ling! Men ...”

“I can already imagine your wretched expression even without seeing you!” Xia ruofei said disdainfully, “your mind is so dirty! She’s not my biological sister, but she’s no different from my biological sister. ”

Xia ruofei paused for a moment, then his voice became a little low. “She’s the sister of one of my comrades. My comrade has already sacrificed himself, and it was to cover me during a mission ...”

“So that’s how it is!” Liang Qichao stopped joking and said, “I’m sorry, ruofei. I just can’t control my mouth. I like to talk nonsense. Please don’t mind me ...”

Xia ruofei smiled and said, “It’s fine ... Qiao’ er just graduated from high school this year, and she did well in her exams. I promised to take her overseas as a reward, so ...”

“I understand, I understand!” Liang Qichao said.

“Brother Liang, this is actually the reason why I came to find you today.” Xia ruofei said, “send a business inspection invitation under the name of our Australian farm! The invitees are me and Qiao’ er. I’ll send you the details later on WeChat!”

“No problem!” Liang Qichao said, “it’ll be easier to get a visa this way. I’ll get it done immediately!”

Xia ruofei had a three – year entry visa. He did this mainly because of Lin Qiao. Although it was fine to apply for a tourist visa, it was safer to use a business inspection invitation. The possibility of rejection was very low.

“I’ll send you a WeChat message after I hang up!” Xia ruofei said, “just fax it to me after you’re done. Do you know the number of my office?”

“I know, I know! Just leave it to me!” Liang Qichao said.

## **Chapter 867: Not a bad idea (1)**

Just as Xia ruofei was about to hang up, Liang Qichao suddenly asked, “Oh right! Ruofei, where are you going to get a visa?”

There were three places in China where one could apply for an Australian visa. One was the Embassy in Beijing, and the other was the consulate – General in Shen Cheng and Yang Cheng. That was why Liang Qichao asked.

Xia ruofei said, "I haven't decided yet. I guess it'll be either shencheng or Guangzhou!" The capital was too far away! Qiao'er didn't even have a passport now! I have to get my passport first ..."

Liang Qichao said, "then I suggest you go to Shen Cheng city!" The old man's shengbang group has an office in Shen Cheng, so it's more efficient to let them handle these things, and it's less likely for accidents like refusing to sign. "

The old man Liang Qichao was talking about was none other than the head of shengbang group, the world – Class rich man, Tang He.

Shengbang group was a world – famous big consortium with branches or offices in various large cities around the world. The office in Shen Cheng city was mainly responsible for coordinating various relationships. It had a wide network and was backed by a big tree like shengbang group. Even the Shen Cheng consulate – General in Australia had to give them some face.

Xia ruofei thought for a while and said, "okay!" Then he would go to Shen Cheng city to handle it! But wouldn't it be too troublesome for the office of shengbang to handle this?"

"Hey! This little thing is nothing!" Liang Qichao said, "our old master appreciates you so much. Isn't this a simple matter? I don't even need to look for my cousin – grandfather, I can just tell his Office Director! You don't have to worry about this, leave it to me!"

Xia ruofei smiled and said, "sure!" Then I won't bother you two for the same matter! You've worked hard, brother Liang!"

"Are you treating me as an outsider again?" Liang Qichao said, "alright, I'll stop talking to you. I have things to do here. Don't worry about the visa!"

After hanging up the phone, Xia ruofei sent his and Lin Qiao's identity information to Liang Qichao through WeChat and walked to the general office building.

He lit a cigarette and walked leisurely while smoking. When he reached his office in the office building, he saw a piece of paper being spat out from the fax machine. It seemed that the fax machine in his office received the message automatically.

Xia ruofei picked it up and saw that it was the invitation letter that Liang Qichao had faxed over.

With this invitation, he could apply for a visa under the name of a business inspection.

In the past, many companies used to treat overseas research as a benefit, and many travel companies could easily get their hands on such invitations. In fact, when they went abroad, they would arrange trips to famous tourist attractions.

Of course, now that all aspects of management were much more formal, the entire atmosphere of the officialdom from top to bottom had taken a new look, and this strange situation was much less.

At noon, Lei Hu drove Lin Qiao back to the farm.

After lunch, Xia ruofei told Lin Qiao, ""Qiao' er, find your identity card and household register. I'll take you to apply for a passport. "

Lin Qiao smiled and said, "brother ruofei, I haven't received the letter of admission yet!" You're ready to fulfill your promise in advance?"

Xia ruofei gently rubbed Lin Qiao's hair and said, ""It'll take 14 working days to get a passport! After that, you still have to apply for a visa. Do you think it's so easy to go abroad? do you think you can leave with your bag? If you don't settle these procedures first, you might not even be able to make it when school starts!"

Then, Xia ruofei looked at Lin Qiao and said, "Besides, with your grades, isn't it almost certain that you'll be able to get into Heron Island University?"

Lin Qiao smiled proudly and said, "that makes sense!" Brother ruofei, give me a moment, I'll go get my identity card and household register!"

The passport could be handled at the exit – Entry Administration Department of the municipal Public Security Bureau where the residence was located. If Xia ruofei had asked Wu Liqian, it would have been settled on a special occasion. It would not have taken as long as 14 working days.

However, Xia ruofei felt that there was no rush to leave the country. After all, if they followed the normal procedures, they would be able to get their passports in less than 20 days.

At that time, Lin Qiao probably hadn't received the admission Notice yet!

As for applying for a visa, the time required was even shorter. It could basically be done within three working days. Moreover, it only cost 50 yuan, and the consulate would provide mail service. So, after going through the procedures, one could go home directly. It was very convenient.

Lin Qiao's household register was in Changping County. Xia ruofei drove her to the Public Security Bureau in Changping County. She filled in the application form according to the normal procedure and provided all kinds of materials. The rest was to wait at home.

In the next few days, Xia ruofei's life returned to normal.

Other than dealing with the daily affairs of the company, he would go on dates with Ling Qingxue every other day. Ling Qingxue had already met Hu Zi's mother the last time, so she would come to the farm occasionally. However, she would not spend the night there. After all, girls were thin – skinned. It would be fine if there was no one at Xia ruofei's house, but it would be embarrassing if she stayed.

Lin Yue 'e had also gotten used to the work on the farm.

The harvest of the orchard this year had been completed, and the main task was to maintain it. She and a few workers had taken care of it well.

However, as time passed, Xia ruofei had to seriously consider the matter of Nan Nan's admission.

It was not difficult to register Nan Nan. What troubled Xia ruofei was the problem of transportation.

## **Chapter 868: Not a bad idea (2)**

Although it wasn't difficult to send a car to pick them up every day, Lin Yue 'e would definitely not accept such an arrangement.

Xia ruofei was sitting on the sofa in the living room. A summer drama was playing on the TV opposite him. However, his attention was not on the TV at all, so he did not notice what was on the TV.

Xia ruofei frowned and sighed at the thought that he did not know how to solve the problem of Nan Nan's admission.

This was what he had promised Lin Yue 'e. If he didn't do it well, he would be breaking his promise!

Hu Zi's mother had just walked out of the house. Seeing Xia ruofei's long sigh, she couldn't help but ask, "RUO Fei, did you encounter any difficulties?"

Xia ruofei forced a smile and said, "Oh, godmother, it's nothing ..."

"You child, if you have any difficulties, just tell godmother!" Hu Zi's mother reproached, "although Godma can't help you much, it's not good for you to keep things to yourself!"

Then, Hu's mother suddenly asked, "Did you quarrel with Qingxue? You guys were still fine when she came to the farm a few days ago!"

Xia ruofei smiled bitterly, "godmother, what are you thinking?" Why would I fight with Qingxue for no reason?"

"Then what's the reason?" Hu 'er's mother asked.

Xia ruofei sighed and said, "Godma, it's Nan Nan's business." Wasn't she going to elementary school next semester? I have also promised sister – in – Law that I will make proper arrangements for Nan Nan's schooling ..."

Xia ruofei then explained his dilemma in full detail.

Hu Zi's mother was also silent for a while after hearing this. She said, "This is really not easy to handle ..."

At this point, Hu Zi's mother's eyes suddenly lit up. "You don't say, I suddenly thought of a pretty good idea!"

"Oh, really? Godmother, hurry up and tell me!" Xia ruofei quickly sat up straight.

"It's not convenient for old Luo and Yue 'e to pick them up," Hu 'er's mother said with a smile. "I can help them!"

"You're going to pick him up?" Xia ruofei did not react immediately.

Hu Zi's mother sat down beside Xia ruofei and said, "Yeah! After school reopens, Qiao' er will be going to Egret Island to study. I also want to move back there. There are several primary schools near me! I can help her drive her around! Why don't you let Nan Nan stay with me? I'll send her back on the weekend!"

"How can we do that?" Xia ruofei shook his head. "That's too much for you!"

“What’s so hard about taking care of a child?” Hu Zi’s mother said, “didn’t I bring up Hu Zi and Qiao’ er by myself? Besides, Nan Nan is so sensible. I can take care of her!”

Xia ruofei hesitated as well. He had to admit that Hu Zi’s mother’s idea was a good solution. At least it was better than him not having any solutions before.

Of course, it was hard to say if Lin Yue ‘e would agree or not.

“Godmother, can you really take it?” Xia ruofei asked uncertainly, “you’re old now, and your body is not as good as it was back then ...”

“My body is much better than it was a few years ago!” Hu ‘er’s mother said, “when Qiao’ er was in primary school, I was often sick. Now, I don’t even catch a cold or cough anymore. The Chinese medicine you prescribed me during that time was very effective!”

Xia ruofei thought for a while and finally nodded. “Alright! I’ll ask sister – in – Law for her opinion. If she agrees, then I’ll have to trouble you for a while. My company’s headquarters should be moving to the city in the second half of the year. I’ll change sister-in-law’s position in the office and help her rent a suite in the city so that she can pick me up by herself!”

Hu Zi’s mother chuckled and nodded, then continued, “Mm! If she doesn’t agree, I’ll go talk to her myself!”

“No need, no need ...” Xia ruofei quickly waved his hands.

“RUO Fei, why don’t you just call Yue ‘e over for lunch?” Hu Zi’s mother said, “when the time comes, we’ll persuade her together. She’ll definitely agree!”

“Alright! I’ll give her a call. ” Xia ruofei said.

He took out his phone and gave Lin Yue ‘e a call. Lin Yue’ e was currently working in the orchard. When she heard that Hu ‘Zi’s mother had invited her to eat WUFA, Lin Yue’ e didn’t reject her and agreed.

Hence, Hu Zi’s mother went to the kitchen to prepare some food while Xia ruofei sat in the living room and watched TV for a while. When it was almost time, he got up and went to the complex to personally invite uncle Luo over.

After uncle Luo had settled down at Taoyuan farm, Xia ruofei had treated him twice and his body was getting better day by day.

Of course, the main use was still the spirit Heart Flower petal solution.

After Xia ruofei brought uncle Luo and Nan Nan back to the villa, Nan Nan happily played with Blackie and lightning in the yard. Xia ruofei took out the best Da Hong Pao and chatted with uncle Luo in the living room while making tea.

Xia ruofei didn’t mention anything about Nan Nan going to school. Yingluo’s family matters were mainly decided by Lin Yue ‘e, so he wanted to wait until Lin Yue’ e arrived.

At noon, Xia ruofei heard Nan Nan’s excited voice from the courtyard. “Mother!”

He knew that Lin Yue ‘e had come over, so he stood up and went out to welcome her.

Lin Yue 'e was wearing floral short – sleeved clothes and a pair of Sunproof white cufflinks. She was also wearing a straw hat as she walked into the courtyard, her face covered in sweat.

“Sister – in – Law, the weather has been too hot recently. Don’t go up the mountain in the afternoon,” Xia ruofei said.

“That won’t do!” Lin Yue 'e smiled and said, “the orchard has to be taken care of every day. If we don’t apply fertilizer to it in time, the fruit tree will suffer from malnutrition. When the weeds grow taller, they will compete with the fruit tree for nutrients. There’s work to be done every day! Besides, this is nothing. I’m not tired at all!”

Xia ruofei actually wanted to say that there was no need for such meticulous care. With his spirit Heart Flower petal solution, these fruit trees would grow very well even without any care.

However, Xia ruofei did not want to dampen Lin Yue 'E’s enthusiasm for work, so he did not try to persuade her. However, he made a mental note to ask the canteen to prepare some food for the afternoon and evening to relieve the heat. For example, green bean soup, immortal herb honey, and the like.

Everyone entered the house together. Lin Yue 'e went to wash her face first and urged Nan Nan to wash her hands. She had been playing with Blacky and lightning in the courtyard earlier, so her hands were dirty.

Hu Zi’s mother had already prepared lunch, and Lin Qiao had also come back from work. So, everyone sat around and started to eat.

“Auntie, you’ve prepared so many dishes again ... It’s really hard on you!” Lin Yue 'e said.

“It’s not hard, not hard!” Hu Zi’s mother said with a smile, “usually, it’s just the three of us eating. It’s more lively with you guys here. You’ll make this place more lively!”

Everyone ate and chatted. After a while, Hu Zi’s mother gave Xia ruofei a look, and Xia ruofei nodded slightly.

Then, he organized his words and said, “Sister – in – Law, I have been thinking about Nan Nan’s schooling for the past few days ...”

“It’s about picking me up, right?” Lin Yue 'e said, “I know that the location of our farm is a little remote. If Nan Nan goes to school in the city, she won’t be able to pick her up. So ... Why don’t we just go to the primary school in the nearby village?” This way, my father – in – Law can pick me up every day!”

“No, no, no!” Hu Zi’s mother quickly said, “the village primary school is about to close down. Many of the children from the nearby villages have been sent to the town to study. How can we go to the village primary school? Wouldn’t that be delaying the child?”

“Sister – in – Law, it’s definitely not good to live in a small village. Both the hardware and the software are too poor ...” Xia ruofei added.

He paused and continued, “I’ve discussed it with Godma today. We plan to ... Find a better school for Nan Nan in the city. Then ... Let Nan Nan stay with my Godma. She will help you guys to pick her up. I will pick Nan Nan up on the weekends. ”

“Ah? How can this be?” Lin Yue ‘e subconsciously waved her hands and said,”no, no! How could he trouble Auntie? Auntie is already so old, it’s very hard for her to take care of a child!”

### **Chapter 869: The Secretary takes it very seriously (1)**

“Sister – in – Law, don’t be in a hurry to reject me.” Xia ruofei smiled and said,”I didn’t think it was appropriate at first, but after thinking about it, it’s feasible. Qiao’ er will be going to study at Heron Island when school reopens. Godma will be quite lonely by herself. Nan Nan can keep her company if she stays at her place. As for picking her up ... Godma’s body is quite strong, so it shouldn’t be a big problem. ”

Hu ‘er’s mother also laughed and said,”Yup! Yue ‘E, I’m in good health now, and it’s not tiring to pick me up and drop me off twice a day! I usually have to walk to exercise my body! Just take it as training ...”

Lin Yue ‘e said hesitantly,”Auntie, this is not appropriate ... If Nan Nan stays at your place, it’s not just a matter of picking her up and dropping her off. She has to take care of her meals, drinks, and even her toilet needs!” This ... This is too much trouble for you!”

“Hehe, I also want to eat. It’s just a matter of having an extra pair of chopsticks! How much can nan Nan eat at such a young age?” Hu Zi’s mother said,”there’s nothing much in other aspects. I think Nan Nan is quite sensible. There’s no need to worry too much.”

Lin Qiao also said,”sister – in – Law, I think this is a good idea!” Don’t reject me ... I’m afraid that my mom will be all alone after I go to Heron Island! With Nan Nan, this little girl, accompanying her, I feel more at ease!”

After that, Lin Qiao gently pinched Nan Nan’s little face and asked with a smile,”Nan Nan, can you live with grandma when we are in school? Grandma will make you delicious food every day! On the weekends, uncle RUO Fei will bring you back to the farm. ”

Nannan looked at her mother and grandfather and said,”But ... I want to be with mom ...” She said.

“Mom wants to work on the farm!” Lin Qiao said. This place is too far from the city, she can’t pick you up and take care of you! Unless you go to a nearby village primary school to study, but the village primary school is very old, and even the classrooms are about to collapse. It might even be worse than the primary school you went to on Luo Jia mountain! The primary schools in the city were beautiful! There’s a beautiful track, a bright classroom, and many, many sports facilities. Don’t you want to go?”

“I do!” Nannan said. But I also want to be with mom, what should I do?”

Lin Qiao was at a loss for words. She could only helplessly turn to Xia ruofei for help.

Xia ruofei smiled and said,”Nan Nan, we’re not stopping you from being with mom!” We’ll only stay at grandma’s house when we’re in school, but we’ll go back to the farm during the weekends and holidays! Besides, maybe I’ll go to the city to work in a while. By then, you’ll be able to be with me every day. But you’ll have to overcome it in the first few days. Nan Nan is a good child. She can’t even overcome such a small difficulty?”



"I can!" Nan Nan raised her head and said, "uncle RUO Fei, I can overcome this difficulty!"

"This is right! As for you ... Study well with grandma, and mom can work in peace on the farm. " Xia ruofei said, "I'll send someone to pick you up this weekend, okay?"

"En!" Nan Nan nodded her head heavily. Although she was still reluctant to part with her mother, she was a sensible child. She knew that Xia ruofei was sincere and good to her, so she was especially obedient to Xia ruofei's words.

"Ruofei," Lin Yue 'e hurriedly said, "I ... Why would I go to the city to work?"

She hesitated for a moment when she said this, but she still felt that it was not good to lie in front of the child. Especially in the future, if she could not fulfill her promise, it would bring psychological harm to the child, so she could not help but say it.

Xia ruofei chuckled. "Sister – in – Law, I'm not trying to coax Nan Nan. Our company has been planning to move our headquarters to the city for a long time. If nothing goes wrong, it should be implemented in the second half of this year. By then, you can change to a suitable position and go back to the city to work, right?"

"I ... What can I do?" Lin Yue 'e felt a little unconfident. "I can be considered to have some experience in managing an Orchard, but if it's an office job ... I ... I don't know anything!"

"No one is born with that." Xia ruofei said, "sister – in – Law, you have a high school education and you know some basic computer operations. As long as you go through some training, you can at least be a normal clerk, right?"

Xia ruofei paused and continued, "It's a realistic problem for Nan Nan to go to school. If you are in charge of the orchard business, you will not be able to take care of it at the same time. So, I think you can consider my suggestion and try to change your style. "

Xia ruofei's words made Lin Yue 'e fall into deep thought. She had really listened to him. For the sake of her daughter's growth, it was obviously not the best choice to work on the farm in the suburbs for a long time. If she could work in the city, it would just be a little harder on her own. However, she would not miss out on her child's growth.

Lin Yue 'e pondered for a long time before finally nodding and saying, "Mm! RUO Fei, I will seriously consider it. But at this stage, I'll take care of the orchard first. Even if I have to hand it over to other colleagues in the future, I won't leave them with a mess. "

Xia ruofei nodded and asked with a smile, "So ... You agree with our suggestion to let Nan Nan stay with godmother temporarily?"

Lin Yue 'e turned her gaze to uncle Luo and asked, "Dad, what do you think?"

Uncle Luo usually let Lin Yue 'e make the decisions for the family. However, Lin Yue 'e was very respectful to her father – in – Law, so she had to listen to his opinion on such matters.

## **Chapter 870: The Secretary takes it very seriously (2)**

"Yue 'e," uncle Luo said with a smile, "you can decide on this matter."

Lin Yue 'e nodded. "Alright, Auntie. RUO Fei, I'll listen to you!"

"Then I'll have to trouble you in the future, sister!" Uncle Luo said.

Hu 'er's mother was very happy and said, "It's no trouble, no trouble, no trouble at all. I'm so happy! Nan Nan, you will live with grandma after school starts! Grandma will make delicious food for you every day!"

"Thank you, grandma!" Nan Nan said sensibly.

At this time, Lin Yue 'e said, "Auntie, since Nan Nan is staying at your place, I'll pay you 2000 Yuan a month for her food!"

"Hey, how much can a child eat? What's the point of paying for food!" Hu Zi's mother waved her hand and said, "no need, no need!"

"That won't do!" Lin Yue 'e said sternly, "Auntie, you have helped me take care of Nan Nan. I don't know how to thank you anymore. How can I let you pay for Nan Nan's food expenses?" If you don't accept the money, I will definitely not let Nan Nan stay there!"

"You ... You don't need so much! How can a little girl eat so much!" Hu Zi's mother said helplessly.

Xia ruofei thought for a while and said, "Godma, since sister – in – Law has said so, let's just take the money!" When the time comes, you should prepare more nutritious dishes. Nan Nan is still growing!"

Xia ruofei understood Lin Yue 'e very well. If Hu 'er's mother did not accept the money, she would definitely not be able to get over it. It would be a waste of effort to persuade her to accept the arrangement because of the food expenses.

Besides, Xia ruofei was giving Lin Yue 'e a monthly salary of 8000 Yuan. 2000 Yuan was not a big expense for her family. Besides, Xia ruofei could also give her bonuses and benefits, so there was no need to worry about this issue.

Since even Xia ruofei had said so, Hu Zi's mother could only smile bitterly and nod. "Alright then! Yue 'e, you're too serious. We're not outsiders, so why do you have to make such a clear distinction?"

Lin Yue 'e smiled and said, "that's a different matter!" I can't let you work so hard to help take care of Nan Nan and have to fork out your own money!"

Lin Qiao smiled and said, "alright!" Since we've come to an agreement, let's have a toast! Just take it as ... Wishing Nan Nan to go to the city to attend primary school!"

"I also wish that Qiao' er will be studying at Heron Island University soon!" Xia ruofei laughed.

Everyone laughed and raised their glasses together. The atmosphere was very harmonious.

Xia ruofei also heaved a sigh of relief. They had finally reached a consensus on Nan Nan's admission. The next step was to coordinate the schools.

Relatively speaking, this was much easier.

After lunch, Xia ruofei returned to his room.

After some consideration, he finally found the phone number of the new Sanshan municipal Administrative Committee Secretary, song Qiming, and made a call.

Tian Huilan had already gone to Beijing with elder song a few days ago, and song Qiming had officially taken office.

Xia ruofei also knew that it was a bit of a fuss to go to the Secretary of the municipal Committee for the sake of a child's education. However, all of his connections were of a higher level. If it was when Tian Huilan was in charge, he could go to Tian Huilan's Secretary directly. However, the Secretary had changed to song Qiming. Xia ruofei did not know song Qiming's Secretary, nor did he have his contact information, so he could only call song Qiming directly.

Song Qiming had given Xia ruofei his own private number, so the call was picked up after two or three rings.

Xia ruofei heard song Qiming's warm and hearty laughter from his phone. "Little Xia, how are you?"

"Secretary song, how are you?" Xia ruofei said politely, "I hope I didn't disturb your rest."

"No, no, I'm doing research in the Bell Tower District!" Song Qiming smiled and said, "I just finished a discussion with the members of the district Party Committee and am about to go for lunch! Xiao Xia, what's the matter?"

"Yes, Secretary song. I have a favor to ask of you ..." Xia ruofei said.

"What's the matter?" Song Qiming said readily.

Xia ruofei was a little embarrassed as he said, "Secretary song, it's not a big deal. It's just that I don't know any other higher – ups in Sanshan city, so I had no choice but to trouble you!"

Song Qiming laughed and said, "it's okay, just come to me!" The chief has personally instructed that as long as your matter doesn't go against my principles, I will create conditions for you even if there are no conditions!"

"Thank you, Secretary song!" Xia ruofei said, "I'm looking for you mainly because of a war comrade's child's school ..."

Then, Xia ruofei briefly explained Nan Nan's situation and said, "Secretary song, that's the general situation. You see ..."

"Little Xia, you're really loyal!" Song Qiming did not expect Xia ruofei to ask him for help for the first time. It was about his comrade. He had a better impression of Xia ruofei.

He pondered for a moment and said, "the child is the child of a martyr. He should be given some care when he enters the school. This is also in line with the policy!" Xiao Xia, have you guys chosen a school that you like?"

"Secretary song, if it's possible, I hope that Nan Nan can enter bell Tower No. 2 primary school," Xia ruofei said immediately.

The Zhong 'er Central Primary School in the Zhong Lou District was a key school in the province, and the corresponding junior high school was also one of the top junior high schools in Sanshan city, Yan' an junior high school. Excluding the fact that junior high schools went to private junior high schools, it should be the best primary and junior high school plan in Sanshan city if only a public junior high school was considered.

Of course, more importantly, the clock tower was only two stops away from Hu Zi's mother's home, which was the forestry Bureau's family courtyard. They could pick up and drop off from school by foot every day, and they were on the same side, so they didn't need to go through any traffic lights.

This was the best choice that Xia ruofei could think of.

"Xiao Xia, please wait a moment. Don't hang up yet ..." Song Qiming said.

"Okay, Secretary song." Xia ruofei said.

Bell Tower District, Party Committee meeting room.

The Standing Committee of the Bell Tower District's Party Committee and the Deputy leaders of the government, People's Congress, and Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference were all gathered together.

Because today was the day that Secretary song of the municipal Party Committee came down to do research.

When a new leader took office, he would first go to the various areas of the jurisdiction to investigate and understand the situation. He would then determine the work ideas for the next period. This was already management.

The first stop of Secretary song's research was the Bell Tower District, which showed how much importance he attached to it.

Today, there would be a discussion. In the afternoon, Secretary song would have individual talks with the main leaders of the district Party Committee.

Everyone was very enthusiastic about speaking during the morning discussion, so the meeting didn't end until around 12:30.

Just as everyone was about to go to the district government cafeteria to eat, they saw Secretary song get up to answer the phone. They gathered on the other side of the conference room to avoid any suspicion of eavesdropping on the leader's conversation.

The leaders of the Bell Tower District whispered to each other while paying attention to song Qiming's movements.

After song Qiming said a few words, he covered the microphone and said,""Comrade he Feng, come over for a moment."

The Deputy District head in charge of education, he Feng, was stunned for a moment, then quickly said,""Okay, Secretary song!"

Then, he quickly walked over.

The Secretary, District head, and other leaders of the Bell Tower District looked at each other and watched enviously as he Feng walked over quickly. Secretary song had been transferred from another province and there were almost no familiar cadres here. However, Deputy District head he had already made an appointment with Secretary song so quickly. It was really the envy of others!

Song Qiming walked out of the meeting room with his phone in his hand. He Feng naturally followed him.

"Comrade he Feng, I have a friend's child who wants to go to the No. 2 primary school of the clock tower," song Qiming said in a low voice.

"Okay, Secretary song!" He Feng quickly said.

He was also overjoyed. The leader had just taken office, and he had the opportunity to perform. This matter was just a small matter to him, but it could leave a good impression on the Secretary. It was like a pillow when he was drowsy!

Song Qiming said, "comrade he Feng, give your contact information to Xiao Cao. A young man with the surname Xia will contact you. If he has any requests, you must try your best to satisfy them. If you have any difficulties, you can contact me directly."

Xiao Cao was song Qiming's Secretary, Guangzhi Cao. He used to be an ordinary staff member in the municipal Secretary Office. This time, he was chosen by song Qiming as his personal secretary and suddenly became a popular person in the political circle of the three mountains.

"Yes, Secretary song!" He Feng said, suppressing his excitement.

Song Qiming nodded slightly. Seeing that song Qiming was about to continue the call, he Feng immediately bowed slightly to song Qiming and went back to the meeting room to find Secretary Cao.