

Hidden 2021

Chapter 2021: Fake Princess, Real Mistress

“However, it was only later that I understood that all along, I’ve been worrying about Xueluo, yet I never thought about how you felt. You left your hometown for me, but in the end, I abandoned you...”

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Su Yan continued to repent for what he did, and apologized to Ning Xi. He also said that he did not want to lie to himself anymore.

Everyone was shocked after hearing the conversation.

Oh God!

Could Ning Xi be Su Yan’s initial partner, but halfway through he had abandoned Ning Xi to be with Ning Xueluo, at the same time forcing Ning Xi to leave the country?

And now, Su Yan regretted and wanted Ning Xi back, but from the tone of Ning Xi’s voice, it was obvious that she did not want to see him, so he had to use her brother to see Ning Xi.

The said wife was initially the mistress, and the misunderstood mistress was the girlfriend at first!

What a twist! Everyone was taken aback.

The video continued. “I know that in my current situation, I don’t have the right to say these things to you, and I definitely don’t mean to dishonor you. I will... return to being a free man...”

In the end, Ning Xi’s emotionless voice under the moonlight came through the speakers.

“Su Yan, sometimes, things are like a jacket in the summer or a fan in the winter. Also, the heart changes after a person has given up.”

No one said a thing. It was a dead silent.

The reporters from earlier had their eyes and mouth wide open as their faces went pale and they could not say anything, especially the tall reporter who insisted on Ning Xi apologizing to Ning Xueluo. His expression right then was horrible.

“How... How did it turn out like this?”

“Leave me alone, my brain is confused!”

Everyone just looked at each other.

Someone suddenly spoke up, “What’s there to be confused about? Su Yan made it clear. He was in a relationship with Ning Xi. She went there because of him, and then Su Yan met Ning Xueluo. Because Ning Xueluo acted pitiful in front of him, Su Yan had sex with her and betrayed Ning Xi, so Ning Xi went overseas out of heartbreak and came back several years later to start her life over in the entertainment industry...”

“Damn! This couple is inhumane! Especially Ning Xueluo, not only did she steal Ning Xi’s parents, she even took away the boyfriend, forcing Ning Xi to be alone while being away from her hometown.

“And after Ning Xi came back recovered and wanted to start her life over again, Ning Xueluo has been pressuring her in all sorts of ways. She had to take on all the small and minor roles for one whole year even when she had such excellent acting and high potential. In the end, Ning Xueluo even accused her of hurting others and got Starlight to ban Ning Xi. Fortunately, Glory World helped her and she started to get better after she went over.

“Not only that, Ning Xi put in so much effort to reach where she is today. She was even at death’s door, whereas Ning Xueluo used the Ning family’s name and Ning Xi’s man to turn herself from a chicken into a phoenix, from a mistress into the wife!

“She has everything now, but still didn’t want to let Ning Xi go. She misinformed Han Zixuan and said that Ning Xi doesn’t want to let go of Su Yan, almost making everyone misunderstand Ning Xi!”

Chapter 2022: Through Thick and Thin

The crowd that had been puzzled from the start slowly began to recover their senses. They started to analyze matters one by one.

It was better if they did not analyze things, because in the end, after deeper thought, it became frightening.

“Bloody hell! I really thought Ning Xueluo was innocent. Now that I think more about it, this girl was a manipulative prostitute! What encouraging goddess? Everything that she has today was clearly all stolen from Ning Xi! Without the Ning family, would she have been able to make it in the entertainment industry? If she didn’t hook up with Su Yan, which rich and powerful family would take in a wild fowl?”

“Han Zixuan, Ning Xueluo... No wonder these two people have such a close relationship! Indeed, birds of a feather flock together!”

“Ning Xi was really f*cked up! Since she was a baby, she was carried home wrongly. She’s a proper heiress who became stranded among commoners, forcing her to have a home she couldn’t return to. And just when she finally thought she found true love, she was betrayed. Someone who was supposed to be the person she loved most hurt her completely!”

“Still, Ning Xi had never once used her background or personal matters to gain pity. Instead, she relied on her own capabilities without a word and climbed to what she is today!”

“Instead, it was certain people, who weren’t satisfied with stealing people’s parents and boyfriend. She even wanted to force people to their doom! She’s already pregnant. Doesn’t she know to cultivate some good karma for the child in her womb?”

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At this moment, Ning Xueluo stared at the live stream on her laptop, her initially pure little face twisted into a wicked expression.

“Xiao Xi, I regret it and I finally understood who I really like, no, really love is...”

“Xiao Xi, I’ve already lied to myself for too long. I don’t want to continue deceiving others and myself.”

“I’ll give you a title, I’ll marry you. I’ll handle everything! You’ll still be Mrs. Su. We can start everything all over again!”

Su Yan’s every word and sentence, all the comments from the media and the spectators made Ning Xueluo tremble violently. Her sharp nails stabbed into her palms until fresh red blood started to drip onto the ground.

What did they mean by a mistress climbing to the top!?

Su Yan liked her. He loved her!

Ning Xi was the third party that had wrecked their marriage! Ning Xi was the shameless slut that stole her man!

Now, the entire world knew that Ning Xueluo’s man had pestered Ning Xi, and even wanted to divorce her for Ning Xi.

Such humiliation was about to drive her crazy!

“Ning Xi...”

Ning Xi!

How dare you!?

I want you dead!

I want you to die horribly!

In the charity dinner hall, the reporters had surrounded Ning Xi once again.

“Miss Ning Xi, how did Ning Xueluo get in between you and Su Yan back then? What was the actual situation? Could you tell us?”

“Ning Xi, from the conversation, we can tell that Su Yan has already regretted it, and even wanted to get a divorce for you. Would you get back together with Su Yan?”

“Ning Xi, Starlight has been trying to poach you. Would you choose to leave? After all, putting aside all of the personal elements, given their capabilities, wouldn’t Starlight be better for your career?”

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Regarding the personal matters, Ning Xi did not answer. Her gaze skimmed everyone present, and then she said, “Since all the friends of the media and my fellow artistes of the industry are here, I’d like for everyone to be my witness.”

When they heard Ning Xi, all the media and artistes instantly held their breaths and waited for Ning Xi’s next words.

Ning Xi paused, then she looked towards the camera and continued, “I, Ning Xi, today swear that in living, I am Glory World’s artiste. In death, I am also Glory World’s ghost. As long as I’m still in the entertainment industry, I definitely won’t leave Glory World. I will be with Glory World through thick and thin.”

Chapter 2023: Never Been Defeated

“I will be with Glory World through thick and thin.”

Just a short sentence had surged a sensation in everyone’s hearts.

In fact, this sentence meant that she rejected Su Yan and that she definitely would not get together with him.

On the live stream sites, a torrent of comments surged.

“My Bro Xi is so cool!”

“Through thick and thin! Nice one! Bro Xi is such a boss!”

“She kept being slandered, and still she has never been defeated!”

“I don’t regret in this lifetime. I only love Bro Xi!”

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As for Xu Tao who was beside Ning Xi, when he heard his queen’s words, he was so moved that he almost cried.

At this moment, a certain koi fish who was watching the livestream was about to bawl too.

He had automatically replaced Ning Xi’s two words “Glory World” with his brother’s name in his head. In the end, he was served with this public display of affection.

In life, she was her brother’s woman. In death, she would still be her brother’s ghost and what not! Oh!

After Ning Xi finished, she nodded slightly to the crowd and then got up to leave.

Everyone automatically opened up a path and their eyes followed this girl who would forever only show her strong side to everyone no matter when and no matter how much suffering and slander she encountered.

What kind of man would be compatible with such a girl?

Amidst the crowd, Han Zixuan stood with a blank expression as she collapsed to the ground. She never would have expected that the truth would be like this.

The only person consigned to eternal damnation was her.

From now on, Ning Xi would be an existence that she could never reach and could only look up at.

Hiding in the corner, Yin Youyou who felt victory within her grasp was dumbfounded too. She turned pale and looked on in disbelief.

How could this be!? How could this be!?

Did Xu Tao not say that they did not even have a solution to help Ning Xi clear herself of the matter?

How could it have turned out like this in the end?

Even though Han Zixuan was done for, not only was Ning Xi not chased out of the entertainment industry but from then onwards, her popularity would be boosted even more!

As for her, what was she supposed to do now?

Han Zixuan and Zheng Anru would definitely have guessed that it was her, and Starlight definitely would not let her go!

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In the car park, Xu Tao rushed excitedly towards Liang Feixing who had been in the company car, watching everything from a distance. "Liang Zi, did you hear that earlier?! Did you hear that?! The queen said she wants to go through thick and thin with me!"

Liang Feixing's mouth twitched and he pushed him away with a slap.

Brother, you think too much!

Lady Boss's words earlier were clearly meant for the Boss, dude!

Xu Tao did not care that he was slapped away. He was still elated and immersed in his happiness. "This time, we'll have to thank those paparazzi because if it weren't for them being such busybodies and trying to get blackmail material on Ning Xi, they wouldn't have gotten this recording!"

These paparazzi had been stalking Ning Xi at Imperial University then and they recorded Ning Xi and Su Yan's conversation, but they were discovered in time by Ning Xi's bodyguards who managed to get the recording from them.

They never would have thought that this thing would come in handy like this in the end.

Ning Xi had always hated mixing her personal matters with work. However, this one time, it implicated the entire Glory World's reputation, thus she did not hesitate using this recording.

"Be careful, my queen!" Xu Tao kindly helped Ning Xi to open the car door.

As he was about to get into the car, footsteps rushed up from behind.

"Bro Tao! Wait up!"

The person who rushed after them between pants was Yin Youyou.

Xu Tao raised his brows slightly. "Ah Youyou, looking for me?"

Yin Youyou's eyes were filled with anger, but at the moment, she could only suppress it. "Bro Tao, there's something I need to talk to you about."

“Sure!” Xu Tao simply agreed, then he told Ning Xi and Liang Feixing to leave first.

Ning Xi looked outside the car window and she frowned slightly.

Liang Feixing started to drive off without minding them. “Lady Boss, don’t worry. Yin Youyou is no match for that fox, Xu Tao!”

Chapter 2024: Playing Dumb

Xu Tao poured himself a cup of tea leisurely, looking pleased. “The Xihu Longjing here is not bad...”

Yin Youyou did not have the mood for tasting tea right then. Her phone had been ringing off the hook since earlier.

The person who called first was Han Zixuan, then Zheng Anru. After that was her manager, and even Wang Haojun had personally called.

Yin Youyou did not dare to answer any of them or even reject their calls. She could only put her phone on silent as she looked as white as a sheet, panicking to see her phone screen that kept flashing.

Xu Tao naturally saw that Yin Youyou kept getting calls too, so he pretended to be considerate and said, “Youyou, it looks like you’re quite busy. How about we meet on another day?”

When she heard Xu Tao, although Yin Youyou had actually calmed down slightly earlier, now she looked emotionally at Xu Tao and said, “Bro Tao, didn’t you say before that about Ning Xi, Glory World didn’t even have a solution to resolve it?”

Xu Tao sipped his tea and seemed grateful as he lamented, “Indeed, it was very tricky! This time, we were just lucky. Thankfully, after that, we got evidence from the paparazzi that could prove Ning Xi’s innocence.”

Yin Youyou was suspicious. She still felt that something was odd, but she was distraught with anxiety at the moment and could not deliberate on it further.

Damn it! Initially, once Ning Xi fell, all of Glory World’s resources should be hers. Who would have thought that now she just switched from being suppressed by Han Zixuan to being suppressed by Ning Xi?

However, no matter what, she was only left with one way out through Xu Tao.

If Xu Tao dared to forget this favor and neglect her after this, she would not be one to mess with!

Yin Youyou inhaled a deep breath as she pushed the jitters in her heart aside. “Then, Bro Tao, when are you going to get me to be signed back on with Glory World?”

Xu Tao instantly looked shocked and even pretended to panic as he looked around and lowered his voice. “What? Sign you back on with Glory World? Youyou, you can’t simply say things like this! You’re doing well in Starlight right now. Why would you suddenly have such thoughts?”

Yin Youyou jumped, puzzled by Xu Tao’s question. “Xu Tao, what do you mean?”

Xu Tao feigned innocence. “Youyou, I really don’t know why you would suddenly say such things.”

Yin Youyou could not believe it. She instantly slammed the table and got up. “Xu Tao! You incited me to help you topple Han Zixuan. Now, you want to go back on your word after using me?”

Compared to Yin Youyou’s outburst of rage, Xu Tao sat calmly on the chair opposite her. He continued to annoy her by playing dumb. “Uhh... You helped me topple Han Zixuan? Youyou, why don’t I understand you at all?”

Yin Youyou was about to die from anger. At the same time, she finally understood everything.

“Xu Tao, you clearly knew that I had something against Han Zixuan with me. You first misled me, making me think that Ning Xi was really going to quit the entertainment industry this time, and then you incited me by telling me that as long as I toppled Han Zixuan, you’d sign me back to Glory World and promised to give me all of Ning Xi’s resources! Now, I’ve sent you Han Zixuan’s video and helped you topple her, but you want to turn your back on me?!”

“Youyou, are you saying that you sent those anonymous videos?” Xu Tao pretended to be appalled.

His acting skills were probably enough to make it into the entertainment industry.

“Xu Tao! Are you still pretending!? I’m telling you, when I’m pushed to the edge, I’ll let everyone know your true colors!” Yin Youyou snarled with malevolence.

Chapter 2025: What Are You?

Xu Tao leaned back on his chair as he rested an arm on the armrest and laughed. “I was just having a bad mood the other day. I had no idea you’d have thought so much about it. I really didn’t expect you to have something so huge on Han Zixuan and to even send it to me! Ah, why are you so silly, Youyou? Didn’t you know that if this thing came out, you’d be over?”

Nonsense! Of course, she knew!

She thought that Ning Xi would be over this time and that Xu Tao had promised her he would take her back into Glory World!

At this moment, Yin Youyou finally realized she had been following Xu Tao’s plan. She had fallen into the trap of this cunning old fox.

Yin Youyou was frustrated. “Xu Tao, if I’m banned, you don’t ever have to bother working in this industry anymore. If Glory World or Ning Xi knew you met with me, an artiste from Starlight, under those circumstances, and even tried to scout me over, what would they think?”

Xu Tao shook his head with a painful expression. “Ah, I can’t believe girls nowadays are so sly. Why are you like this? Oh right, I forgot to tell you that, the other day when I was talking with you, I recorded our conversation.”

Xu Tao then took out his phone and played the audio file.

The voices of their conversation started playing...

Yin Youyou listened from the beginning to the end as her face turned pale.

That bastard Xu Tao, he did not leave a single hint or evidence at all. All along, he used a reminiscing tone as if he was worried about her.

If this audio was leaked, not only it would not cause Xu Tao any harm, it would become the biggest evidence that she had sent Han Zixuan's video to Xu Tao.

Yin Youyou sat back down on the chair behind her. "Xu Tao, you're taking revenge on me..."

Xu Tao laughed. "Haha, you're not that important for me to put in this much effort."

He was just doing it for his queen.

Yin Youyou started sobbing when she remembered how Xu Tao used to put in a lot of effort for her too.

"Bro Tao, I'm wrong... I know it's my fault... I was blinded and cheated... Starlight told me that they'd let me and Han Zixuan be at the same position... Starlight would never let me get away this time... Please save me..."

Xu Tao did not say anything. He took a final look at the girl whom he had brought into the path of stardom and then left.

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In a meeting room at Starlight Entertainment.

Wang Haojun's expression was dark like thunderclouds as he slammed the table. "Yin Youyou, are you the one who sent Xu Tao those videos?"

"I gave it to them. What about it?"

Everyone thought Yin Youyou would deny it, but unexpectedly, Yin Youyou did not give any excuses and admitted to it.

"Witch!" Han Zixuan went up to her and slapped Yin Youyou's face.

Yin Youyou felt the stinging on her face, reminding her of all the times when she was bullied by Han Zixuan and the despair she experienced after she handed the videos over to Xu Tao.

She had nothing left...

Absolutely nothing...

If Han Zixuan had not been such a bully, she would not have had to go this far!

After several seconds of silence, Yin Youyou looked back up and raised her arm, returning a slap.

Chapter 2026: It's Too Late

Han Zixuan covered the part she struck in disbelief, her eyes flashing furiously. "Witch! You hit me! Who do you think you are to slap me!?"

Yin Youyou laughed coldly. “Haha... Han Zixuan! That’s what I should be saying! Who do you think you are? The cancer within the industry, Ning Xi’s replacement, do you think you’re still the top artiste of Starlight? You’re just a shameless witch! What makes you think that you can always act like my superior? I’m telling you now, I’ve had enough of you!”

“I dare you to say it again, Yin Youyou! Who do you think you are?! You’re just a dog beside me!”

The two of them continued the argument and even started pulling each other’s hair.

Several people went up and dragged them apart at last.

“All of you, shut up! Are you guys trying to make things worse?” Wang Haojun bellowed.

He thought that after Ning Xi’s fall, Han Zixuan and Starlight would have no more obstacles and that he had no more worries after that.

No one expected things to take a turn like this.

Not only Ning Xi was out of the mess, Han Zixuan was involved in such a huge scandal.

Han Zixuan was totally ruined by the two videos. She was the core artiste in whom they had invested so much on and now that she was crushed entirely, there was nothing to be done. He could only sit and watch as the company shares dropped sharply.

When he found out from Han Zixuan that it was an artiste from his own company that had sent the videos to Xu Tao, a broiling murderous intent brewed within him.

“Yin Youyou, do you know how much damage you caused to the company by doing so? Where are your work ethics?” Wang Haojun released all his anger on Yin Youyou.

Yin Youyou faced Wang Haojun’s anger with a sarcastic, cold laugh. “When Han Zixuan was enjoying her time at the top, why didn’t the company think about the promise made to us, about the damage caused to us? I don’t care if you want to ban me or whatever. I don’t care! I’ve had enough of this industry already!”

She finally understood just how foolish her betrayal had been back then.

If she had not betrayed Glory World, she would not have ended up like this.

At this moment, she regretted it. After she saw through everything, she finally realized the essence of the saying “greed is so destructive that it destroys everything”.

However, it was too late now.

Yin Youyou took a deep breath and left despite her manager’s restraints. She ignored both Wang Haojun’s anger and Han Zixuan’s insults.

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Late at night.

Ning Xueluo was sent to the hospital due to a sudden pain in her abdomen.

The Ning and the Su families were both informed about what had happened at the charity event.

Zhuang Lingyu growled, “Zheng Minjun! Su Hongguang! Look at what your son has done! If anything happens to Xueluo, I’ll never let you guys get away!”

Zheng Minjun felt a little guilty because everyone knew that Su Yan was about to divorce Ning Xueluo, but now that she heard Zhuang Lingyu scold his son, she nearly lost it.

Those words were supposed to be coming from her!

Look at what your daughter did!

What did Su Yan say wrongly? If it had not been for her daughter’s seduction methods, would Su Yan have broken up with Ning Xi back then?

If it had not been for Ning Xueluo’s interference, they would have already been in-laws with the Zhuang family.

If it had not been for Ning Xueluo spouting lies in front of the artiste, how could people post it up online and let everyone know? The Sus had lost all their reputation now!

Chapter 2027: Blame

There was no other choice. Ning Xueluo still had the precious baby of the Su family. The check-up had previously even revealed that it was a boy. If they pressured Ning Xueluo too much under such circumstances, her precious grandson might be gone.

After all, Su Yan had to face the issue of the other child, Su Xun, so it would be more advantageous to him if he were to have a successor sooner.

No matter what, Ning Xueluo had to give birth to that child first.

Zheng Minjun held her tongue and used a gentle tone. “You can’t really blame Su Yan for this! You know how Su Yan is like. Their relationship has always been solid. He would never cheat on her! If Ning Xi had not seduced Su Yan, he would never have done so!

“Even if she said those flowery words, they were all part of a trick. That girl leaked the video online all for her own benefits. How are our families supposed to conduct ourselves in public from now on?”

Zheng Minjun was aggrieved when she thought about how Ning Xi rejected her son so coldly. Had it not been for the Zhuangs, Ning Xi would just be a mere actress.

Zheng Mingjun blamed everything on Ning Xi.

Zhuang Lingyu became even angrier when Ning Xi’s name was mentioned. “Just what did I do in my past life to give birth to someone like her? Why is she always onto Xueluo and never letting go of the Nings?”

Ning Yaohua was worried when he saw Zhuang Lingyu being really worked up. “Don’t be angry, Lingyu. Be careful of your health!”

“Look at what that brat has done! How can I not be angry? She’s taking revenge on us. She’s never considered us!”

Just as Zhuang Lingyu was weeping, Su Yan arrived.

Ning Xueluo’s pregnancy had hit him hard. In addition to Ning Xi’s rejection, he felt depressed and he had made an excuse to go overseas as an escape, but unexpectedly, such a huge fiasco had happened back in the country.

When he found out Ning Xi was misunderstood and criticized by the public, he was worried and jumped on the first flight home.

However, before he could do anything, he saw the live stream of the charity night the moment he touched down.

His first reaction was to look for Ning Xi, yet he received a call from his family informing him that Xueluo was hospitalized because of abdominal pain and wanted him to go there.

“How’s Xueluo?” Su Yan asked while panting.

Zhuang Lingyu looked sharply at Su Yan, clearly unhappy with him. “Do you still think of Xueluo as your wife?”

Su Yan clenched his fists and looked downwards ashamedly. “I’m sorry.”

Zheng Minjun went up and gave Su Yan a nudge. “It’s alright now. I know you were deceived by Ning Xi. Go take a look at Xueluo and talk to her. Don’t let her misunderstand...”

“Mother, I...” Su Yan frowned.

Zheng Minjun shot Su Yan a look to prevent him from keep talking, then she pushed him into the ward and continued talking to Zhuang Lingyu and Ning Yaohua.

“It’s normal for married couples to have some arguments. If we get involved too much, things might get worse. They even have their own child now. How could they get a divorce? Even if Su Yan insists, there’s still Hongguang and me! Don’t worry, we won’t let Xueluo suffer!”

Chapter 2028: Endure For Now

Su Hongguang echoed along from the side, “As for Su Yan, he has long figured things out. The problem that you are worried about definitely won’t happen.”

When she saw Zheng Minjun and Su Hongguang’s attitude, Zhuang Lingyu’s expression softened.

After all, the main culprit of this incident was still Ning Xi, that damned brat!

Zhuang Lingyu sighed, “We can obviously see how you and Su Yan have been treating our Xueluo, but now that the matter has reached this stage, how’s our Xueluo supposed to face everyone from now on? How can she still establish herself in this circle from now on?”

Su Hongguang quickly assured, "That isn't a problem. Even if Ning Xi and Su Yan had started dating first, it was still something that happened before they got married. Xueluo and Su Yan have already been married for so long, and they even have a child now. As long as Su Yan and Xueluo still love each other, everyone will only talk about this for a few days at the most. Later on, I will chat with Su Yan and tell him to make a statement. I'll definitely handle this matter well. Please don't worry."

Zhuang Lingyu and Ning Yaohua nodded, satisfied.

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Before Su Yan entered the ward to see Ning Xueluo, Su Hongguang called him aside to speak.

"Father."

Su Hongguang looked at his son and sighed, "Su Yan, this matter is can be quite grave. You must know that as an heir of a family clan, marriage is extremely important to your image."

"I know." Su Yan nodded with fatigue.

"Now, everyone already knows about Xueluo being pregnant. Even if it was exposed that back then it was Ning Xi who dated you first, but to divorce Xueluo right now... abandoning a pregnant woman, if word gets out, it will definitely affect our Su family's reputation significantly.

"Now, on Xueluo's side, we must calm her down first. As for Ning Xi, to avoid arousing suspicion, it's best if you don't get too close," reprimanded Su Hongguang with a stern tone.

Clearly, now was definitely not the best time for a divorce.

When Su Yan heard his father, his pupils shrunk slightly. Initially, Xueluo's pregnancy had already made him ashamed to face her. This time, because of him, Ning Xi was almost pushed off the edge. How could he be not in the least concerned?

Su Hongguang patted his son's shoulder and consoled him with a hint, "Su Yan, I understand how you feel. Those who do big things must understand how to exercise patience. Now, everything must wait until Xueluo safely gives birth to the child. Do you understand?"

Su Yan took a deep breath as he suppressed the emotions in his heart and said, "Father, I understand."

In the ward.

Ning Xueluo's eyes were red as she leaned back on the bedhead, looking absent-minded.

When she heard the familiar sounds of footstep from the entrance, Ning Xueluo slowly turned to look over. The instant she saw the man, the tears that she had kept in for a long time suddenly fell at once. "Bro Yan..."

As he looked at this girl who was carrying his baby, Su Yan avoided her gaze like a sorry figure. He was silent for a long time, but he finally mustered the strength to say, "I'm sorry."

She heard Su Yan's apology and how he did not defend himself at all, just admitting to everything.

Ning Xueluo tightened her fists that were under her blanket. She disguised the malevolence in her eyes and her expression became even more miserable. She forced a laugh and said, "Actually, I knew... I should've known. Sister is so beautiful, so excellent. No matter what, I chase I can't catch up to her. There will be a day when you will return to her side..."

"Whether it was in the past or right now, I've never thought of fighting for anything with Sister. If I could, I would be willing... willing to matchmake the two of you..."

Chapter 2029: Final Struggle

When she said this, Ning Xueluo choked on her tears and her trembling fingers stroked her lower abdomen. "Bro Yan, as long as you can be happy, I can do anything... but, Bro Yan, I can't... Our child... What do we do with our child?"

Su Yan sat on the side of the bed and wiped the girl's tears away, yet his heart was numb and there was no emotion in his tone. "Don't think too much. Xiao Xi and I are impossible."

There was once when every time Ning Xueluo cried before him, he would have an unlimited amount of energy and desire to protect her. He would have protected her regardless of anything.

Now, his tears were akin to an abyss filled with poison that shackled him. He could not breathe and only wanted to break free.

When she heard Su Yan's words, Ning Xueluo did not look any better. Instead, she turned even paler.

Was it just because he and Ning Xi were not possible anymore?

What if he and Ning Xi still had a possibility?

What if she was not pregnant?

Or maybe he was just waiting for after she gave birth to their child.

Would he immediately kick her aside and impatiently marry Ning Xi?

When she thought about this, the fingers that Ning Xueluo used to stroke her underbelly suddenly tightened and her eyes were gloomy.

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Two days after that, Su Yan posted a Weibo.

In the same boat under wind and rain .

He attached a picture of his and Ning Xueluo's hands with their fingers laced together.

These past two days, Ning Xi's fans and some passersby had already scolded Su Yan and Ning Xueluo until they were totally crushed helplessly. Ning Xueluo was still a pregnant woman after all, and they had been married for so long. Now, Su Yan stated that he had chosen his family.

Even if everyone felt unjustified for Ning Xi, it would not be kind of them to comment too much on someone else's family matters.

The recrimination online slowly faded away.

In this period of time, Yin Youyou suddenly posted a statement announcing that she would be quitting the entertainment industry forever.

If this news had been released in an isolated manner, it would be enough to cause a huge commotion in the entertainment industry. However, because the headlines of Han Zixuan being banned dominated, the incident of Yin Youyou quitting the entertainment industry only caused a small splash. Very quickly, the public's focus returned to Han Zixuan.

This time, Han Zixuan's image was completely destroyed. She was banned by the entire entertainment industry. Even if she did not give up and ran about to knock on doors, now even the worst entertainment company was not willing to take her. Ning Xueluo could not be contacted at all.

At Imperial Central Plaza.

Han Zixuan wore a huge pair of shades and wrapped herself tightly as she walked to the car.

Yi Xudong had suddenly sent her a text message and asked to meet up.

Now, Yi Xudong was no longer the CEO of Glory World Entertainment. He started his own entertainment company, but he had not come up with anything and had been running it at a loss. If it were not for his wife providing him with money, it would have long closed down.

Han Zixuan despised Yi Xudong, but at this moment, she was desperate. All of her savings that she had since she debuted all went into paying for the penalty of ending her contract. Even the properties under her name had been taken by the court. She had been used to a life of luxury and could barely make it these days without any money.

Zheng Anru wanted to treat her like a prostitute and sell herself cheaply to those newly rich bosses that she looked on in disdain back then. How could she have endured that?

Han Zixuan looked around carefully and then quickly walked towards the restaurant not too far away.

However, she had just gotten down the car and walked for a while when she suddenly met two black pillars.

She looked up and saw two mean-looking big guys blocking her way with hostility.

Han Zixuan's expression changed as she took a few steps backwards. "You..."

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At this moment, the two mean bodyguards stepped aside, and a fat woman dressed in elegant clothing walked from behind. Her gaze skimmed Han Zixuan like a blade. "Are you Han Zixuan?"

When she saw that the person who had come was Yi Xudong's wife, Jiang Manli, Han Zixuan's first reaction was to turn around and flee.

However, she had only managed to take a step before her hair was yanked on and she was immediately dragged right back. She was ruthlessly flung to the ground. "Slut, still want to run?"

Jiang Manli was strong. With a jerk of her fleshy hand, her scalp was almost torn apart

From above, she looked at the woman who fell to the ground. Observing how she was gorgeously dressed and how slim her waist was, she thought about those unsightly scenes in the video and about her conversation with Yi Xudong. The two b*tches had actually called her a disgusting fat woman!

Jiang Manli's expression turned extremely brutal. "Slut, you like to take off your clothes, don't you? I'll let you take it all off! Take off this witch's clothes! Let everyone see her slutty ways!"

When the bodyguards received the orders, they instantly rushed up to her savagely.

"Ah! Don't! Go away! Go away! What are you guys trying to do?" Han Zixuan screeched her head off in fear and held her clothes down.

She had always been set up high on a pedestal in the public's eyes. She had always been a goddess who could only be seen from afar and not disrespectfully messed with. When had she ever been humiliated like this before?

The bodyguards did not have compassion for her. When they saw her resisting, they immediately slapped her in the face.

She had worn very light clothing today. That material could not withstand the tugs and very quickly it started to be torn apart, becoming fragments that hung on her.

It was lunch time then and people came and went to the plaza. Passerbys stopped walking one by one.

"Wow! What's happening?"

"It's probably the first wife hitting the mistress!"

The commotion was enough to attract a huge crowd of spectators. When the bodyguard slapped the shades off from Han Zixuan's face...

When they saw Han Zixuan's face, there were suddenly huge gasps from the crowd.

"Whoa! Isn't that Han Zixuan?"

"Dang! Oh my God! It really is! That's Han Zixuan!"

"That fat lady looks like Yi Xudong's wife!"

"Bloody hell, this is so shocking! Quickly record a video! Record a video!"

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"Argh!!! Help... Help me... Help... Help me call the police... Ahh..."

Everyone around was taking pictures and recording videos. They watched on eagerly and no one stepped in.

They loved watching scandals like a wife tearing the mistress apart was. It was lucky for Han Zixuan that they did not join in. They would not be meddling in other people's business.

"Slut, who gave you the courage? You dare to mess with my man, I'll mess with you to death today!" Jiang Manli said that as she suddenly pulled someone out from the corner. "What? Seeing your little lover being so pitiful, do you feel sorry for her?"

Yi Xudong broke out in cold sweat on the forehead. "My wife, I'm wrong! How could I feel sorry for a woman like this who sleeps with anyone? Back then... Back then, I was drugged by her. I wasn't willing! I was forced! My wife, please trust me! Don't you know how I feel about you? How could I fancy a prostitute like her!"

When Han Zixuan saw Yi Xudong appear, a sliver of hope appeared. At that moment, when she watched this man speak shamelessly, she was stupefied.

"Yi Xudong, are you still a man!?"

How had she not seen back then that this man was a spineless coward who was afraid of his wife to such an extent?

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