

## Illicit 481

### Chapter 481 - Yes. He Is My Lover

Xiao Tian, Lan Ruoxi, and Dong Chang turned their heads towards the source of the sound.

When Xiao Tian saw a young man around twenty-seven years old standing in front of him, he turned his head towards Lan Ruoxi.

'As I thought, she is quite famous in Beijing. Did she live in Beijing before?'

Xiao Tian wondered how Lan Ruoxi could be quite famous in Beijing. Not only was she invited by the Qing family, but two people talked to her immediately after the Qing family finished their speech.

"Oh, Mr Geng Tai. Long time no see." Lan Ruoxi replied as soon as she saw Geng Tai. "I've been doing well. What about you?"

"I'm not doing well because it's hard to see you now." Even though there were many people around him, Geng Tai didn't feel shy when he said it.

Oh! So he likes lady Lan. Xiao Tian thought to himself.

"Oh!" Lan Ruoxi covered her mouth with her right hand. "Didn't you have a lover?"

"What are you talking about lady Lan? You should have known that you are the only woman I like since a long time ago." Like before, Geng Tai didn't feel embarrassed when he confessed his love for Lan Ruoxi.

Upon hearing Geng Tai's words, Dong Chang tapped Geng Tai's right shoulder and spoke, "Mr Geng, it seems like you are too late because lady Lan already has a boyfriend now. Her lover is standing in front of you right now."

Geng Tai instantly stared at Xiao Tian and showed an expression of disgust. "Him?"

He had been trying to make Lan Ruoxi his lover since a few years ago. He just didn't expect that she would already have a lover when they met again.

From the expression on Geng Tai's face, Xiao Tian knew that Geng Tai hated him.

'Here, it comes again.'

Even though Xiao Tian knew that something like this would happen to him, but he still hoped that he wouldn't have any enemies in the banquet.

But it seemed like one person already hated him. He just hoped that Geng Tai would not cause trouble to him later.

He didn't mind if Geng Tai tried to seduce Lan Ruoxi because he had no feelings for her. Whether she would accept Geng Tai as her lover or not was none of his business.

"Young man, what do you do for a living? As for information, I'm the owner of Geng real estate." Because Lan Ruoxi was pretty and quite famous, Geng Tai thought only people, who were young and successful, deserved to be with her.

Xiao Tian didn't answer immediately and only stared at Geng Tai.

'Geng real estate? Is that a famous business in Beijing? Why have I never heard of it before?'

Xiao Tian suddenly wanted to know how famous Geng real estate was.

When Lan Ruoxi saw the expression on Xiao Tian's face, she knew that Xiao Tian had no idea about Geng real estate.

For this reason, she brought her face closer towards his ears and whispered, "Geng real estate is quite famous in Beijing, but you are still much richer than him."

Geng Tai smiled proudly when he saw Lan Ruoxi whispering something to Xiao Tian. He believed Lan Ruoxi was telling Xiao Tian how famous his real estate was.

"Pfft." Xiao Tian almost laughed after hearing Lan Ruoxi's words.

He found it funny that a poorer person was trying to show off his wealth to him. Xiao Tian really wanted to throw his credit cards in Geng Tai's face and told Geng Tai how rich he was.

However, he decided not to do that because he was currently pretending to be Xue Yang. If he showed off his wealth, there was a high chance that everyone would know that he was Xiao Tian.

Geng Tai was annoyed when he noticed Xiao Tian almost laugh earlier. "What's that expression? Now tell me how rich are you?"

"I'm not a rich person, and I have no business too. I'm just an employee at a small company." Because Xiao Tian could not tell Geng Tai his real identity, he decided to lie.

"Only an employee?!" Geng Tai found it hard to believe that Lan Ruoxi accepted a poor man as her lover.

"Mr Geng, you should not behave like this." Dong Chang decided to say something after seeing Geng Tai's expression. Of course, he knew what Geng Tai had in mind because he was also surprised after hearing Xiao Tian's words. "What's wrong with working as an employee? At least, he could still earn money too."

"Mr Geng, please control yourself. We are at the banquet so please don't cause trouble here." Lan Ruoxi was annoyed with Geng Tai's behavior, but she didn't show it on her face.

"Lady Lan, are you really his lover?" because Geng Tai found it hard to believe that Lan Ruoxi chose a poor man as her lover, he decided to ask it.

Lan Ruoxi answered instantly. "Yes. He is my lover."

"But he is only a lowly employee. I'm much better and richer than him. Why don't you accept my love?" Geng Tai tried to make Lan Ruoxi break up with Xiao Tian and choose him as her lover.

Even though Lan Ruoxi lived in Shanghai, but he didn't mind it. As long as Lan Ruoxi accepted him as her lover, he could move to Shanghai later.

Xiao Tian was annoyed after hearing Geng Tai's words. For this reason, Xiao Tian embraced Lan Ruoxi with his right hand and spoke, "Mr Geng, even though you are richer than me, so what?! At least, Ruoxi still chose me over you."

Geng Tai was angrier when Xiao Tian placed his right hand on Lan Ruoxi's waist. He had dreamed of embracing Lan Ruoxi since a long time ago, but Lan Ruoxi never allowed him to touch her body.

For this reason, his eyes were filled with a flame of fury. "Xue Yang, you are only a lowly employee, so you should know that you will not be able to make her happy later. If you love her, you should break up with her now."

Actually, Xiao Tian didn't want to have enemies, but because Geng Tai kept underestimating him, Xiao Tian decided to annoy Geng Tai even more. "What do you mean by that? How do you know that she is not happy? As for information, she said that I always make her happy, especially....in bed."

Dong Chang found it hard to believe what he was hearing. He didn't expect Xiao Tian would say something like that.

At this moment, Lan Ruoxi stared Xiao Tian intently. She was also surprised by Xiao Tian's words.

However, she didn't say anything because if she denied his words, they would know that she and Xiao Tian were not lovers.

It was normal for lovers to have sex. That was why Lan Ruoxi didn't care about Xiao Tian's words.

Geng Tai's face turned red because of anger, and he gritted his teeth. It had already upset him when he found out that Lan Ruoxi already had a boyfriend.

That was why when Xiao Tian said that Xiao Tian already had sex with Lan Ruoxi, it made Geng Tai even angrier. At that time, he really wanted to beat Xiao Tian to death.

However, before he could say something to Xiao Tian, a voice rang out. "Mr Geng, please control yourself. I don't want you to cause trouble here."

#### **Chapter 482 - It Seems Like Your Life Won't Be Easy In The Future**

Xiao Tian, Lan Ruoxi, Geng Tai, and Dong Chang instantly turned their heads towards the source of the sound. They wanted to know the person who just spoke to Geng Tai.

The expression of deep shock emerged on the faces of Geng Tai and Dong Chang when they knew the identity of the person who just talked to Geng Tai.

"Lady Qing Xiulan." Geng Tai and Dong Chang said in unison.

When Lan Ruoxi saw Qing Xiulan, she immediately smiled, "Young Miss Xiulan, long time no see."

"Long time no see, Ms. Ruoxi." Qing Xiulan replied as she smiled. "How have you been?"

"I've been doing well." Lan Ruoxi knew that she would meet Qing Xiulan later. That was why she was not surprised when Qing Xiulan appeared in front of her. "What about you?"

"I've been doing good too." Qing Xiulan responded. "You have to meet my family later. It has been a long time since Ms. Ruoxi meet my family, right?"

"Sure." Lan Ruoxi replied instantly

At this moment, Xiao Tian didn't say a word. He only stared at Lan Ruoxi and Qing Xiulan.

'What is this? Does lady Lan have a close relationship with the Qing family?'

From how Qing Xiulan talked to Lan Ruoxi, Xiao Tian suspected that Lan Ruoxi had a close relationship with the Qing family.

Actually, Xiao Tian was surprised when he saw Lan Ruoxi and Qing Xiulan talking like that. Even though the Qing family invited Lan Ruoxi to their banquet, but he didn't expect Lan Ruoxi to have a close relationship with them.

Usually, as long as they were rich or quite famous, a well-known family would invite them to their banquet. It didn't matter whether they knew each other or not because one of the reasons someone or a family had a banquet was to gain more connections or support.

When Qing Xiulan noticed Xiao Tian, she looked at him for about two seconds before shifting her gaze to Geng Tai. "Mr. Geng, please control yourself. Isn't it better to make friends than enemies?"

Even though Geng Tai loved Lan Ruoxi very much, but when he saw Qing Xiulan's smile, he could not take his eyes off her and he also forgot to blink.

When Xiao Tian saw the expression on Geng Tai's face, he brought his face closer towards Lan Ruoxi's ears and whispered, "I'm better than him, right?"

Lan Ruoxi could not help but giggle after hearing Xiao Tian's words. She didn't expect him to say something like that.

After he came to his senses, Geng Tai immediately spoke, "Because lady Qing said something like that, I will stop arguing with him."

Because Qing Xiulan had to talk with the other families, she wanted to leave immediately. However, she suddenly brought her face closer towards Xiao Tian's right ear and whispered, "You just solved a problem not long ago, and here you want to make enemies again. Are you not afraid that you will lose your life because of this? It's better to make friends than enemies, isn't that right, Xiao...Tian?"

After saying that, Qing Xiulan left.

The expression of deep shock emerged on Xiao Tian's face. He didn't expect Qing Xiulan to know his real identity.

All this time, he thought he managed to hide his identity, but he was wrong. He was utterly wrong because someone had found out his true identity.

When Lan Ruoxi saw the expression on Xiao Tian's face, she whispered in his ears. "Aren't you the same as him? Hehe. As I thought, a playboy like you would be attracted to a woman like Qing Xiulan."

Because Lan Ruoxi said something like that, Xiao Tian whispered back. "She knows my real identity."

This time, it was Lan Ruoxi who was surprised. Even though she believed the Qing family could find out his real identity, but she didn't expect Qing Xiulan to find out Xiao Tian's real identity so quickly.

She wanted to ask Xiao Tian many questions, but she knew it was not the right place to do that because Geng Tai and Dong Chang were in front of them.

"Lady Lan, I want to talk to other families first. I will talk to you again later." Because Geng Tai didn't want to cause trouble anymore, he decided to leave.

He knew if he kept staying there, he would lose control again later. Qing Xiulan had said that she didn't want him to cause trouble. That was why he chose to leave.

"All right." Lan Ruoxi replied as she smiled.

"Lady Lan, I also want to talk to other families." Dong Chang spoke before turning his head towards Xiao Tian. "Young man, let's talk again later."

"All right." Lan Ruoxi and Xiao Tian responded in unison.

"Finally, the annoying person has left." Xiao Tian could not help but happy when Geng Tai left.

If Geng Tai kept staying with them, he knew that sooner or later, he would have a fight with Gang Tai.

"Hehe." Lan Ruoxi giggled after hearing his words. "It seems like wherever you go, problems always follow you."

'And you are the source of the problem this time.'

Xiao Tian shouted in his head.

"Hey, don't blame me for it?" Xiao Tian agreed with her words because lately, someone always caused trouble to him.

"It seems like your life won't be easy in the future." Because Xiao Tian had so many problems lately, Lan Ruoxi thought that he would get a lot of troubles again in the future.

"It seems so." Xiao Tian knew that his path to becoming the wealthiest person in China would be filled with troubles. That was why he knew that he would face a lot of troubles in the future. "But this time, maybe I should blame you for being too pretty and sexy."

"Why?" Lan Ruoxi inquired. "Isn't having a pretty or sexy girlfriend a dream of many men?"

"You are right." Xiao Tian didn't deny it because he was sure that all men in the world dream of having a girlfriend who was sexy or pretty. "But the more beautiful the women are, the more often they will cause trouble."

"I agree with it." Lan Ruoxi agreed with his words. "So, would you prefer to have a girlfriend who is pretty but you will have a lot of problems or have an ordinary lover but you won't have a single problem?"

"How about having a pretty lover without having a single trouble?" Xiao Tian spoke as he smiled.

"In your dream." Lan Ruoxi replied as she giggled.

Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi talked for about ten minutes before finally Xiao Tian remembered that he had to talk to Su Lique. However, he was unable to find her.

'Where is she?'

Xiao Tian skimmed his surroundings.

Because he could not find Su Lique, Xiao Tian only talked to Lan Ruoxi. He knew that no family would want to talk to him. That was why he didn't bother trying to talk to them too.

The reason Xiao Tian went to the banquet was that he wanted to accompany Lan Ruoxi, not gaining a connection.

Even though several people talked to Lan Ruoxi again, but none of them had behavior like Geng Tai. That was why Xiao Tian was pleased by it.

As Xiao Tian was standing next to Lan Ruoxi, one of the waiters spoke to him, "Sir, would you like a drink?"

Because it so happened that Xiao Tian was thirsty, he wanted to take one of the drinks. However, just as he was about to do that, someone suddenly spoke up, "Don't take those drinks? He put something in it."  
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### **Chapter 483 - I Said Drink It!**

8-10 minutes

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Xiao Tian instantly stopped what he was doing and turned his head towards the source of the sound. When he found out that the voice belonged to Su Lique, he immediately asked, "Director Su, what do you mean by that?"

He was shocked after hearing her words, but what made him curious was how did she know the waiter put something in the drink?

Su Lique walked towards Xiao Tian and repeated her words, "I saw him putting something in these drinks. I think it's an aphrodisiac."

Because he had helped Su Lique once, he knew that she would not lie to him. Xiao Tian's face instantly darkened and stared at the waiter coldly. "Is what she said true?"

The feeling of deep worry instantly emerged within the waiter's heart. However, he was still trying his best to stay calm. "No, sir. These drinks have no aphrodisiac. We just opened it from the bottle earlier."

The waiter tried to make Xiao Tian believe that the drinks didn't have aphrodisiac in it.

"Really?" of course, Xiao Tian didn't believe the waiter's words because there was a possibility that the waiter was lying to him. "Drink it!"

Because he wanted to make sure the drinks had no aphrodisiac, he wanted the waiter to drink it.

He would know whether the drinks have aphrodisiac or not because if the drinks didn't have aphrodisiac, the waiter would dare to drink it. But vice versa, if there were an aphrodisiac in drinks, the waiter would not dare to drink it.

"It's him again."

"What is it this time?"

"I don't know."

"Sigh! This young man is really something. Earlier, he almost had a fight with Mr Geng Tai, and now he is causing trouble again."

"Why was someone like him allowed to attend this banquet?"

"I heard the Qing family does not invite him. It's his woman who got invited."

"What? Really?"

"Yes. I heard it with my own ears."

"Tch! So he is nobody."

"And he still dares to cause trouble?! Didn't he afraid the Qing family members will kick him out later?"

"Does he think he is awesome just because the Qing family invites his lover?"

One by one, the guests began to speak ill of Xiao Tian. Earlier, when Xiao Tian almost had a fight with Geng Tai, they decided not to do anything to him.

However, because Xiao Tian was causing trouble again, they could not endure it and began to speak ill of him.

Of course, Xiao Tian heard what they were saying. However, because someone wanted to cause trouble to him, Xiao Tian decided to ignore them.

That was why he wanted to know who was the mastermind behind all of this. "What's wrong? Because you said these drinks have no aphrodisiac, you don't need to be afraid to drink it. Isn't that right?"

Because the drink indeed had aphrodisiac, the waiter didn't dare to drink it. "Sir, this is.."

"What's wrong?" Xiao Tian looked at the waiter coldly. "I said drink it!"

When Dong Chang saw Xiao Tian angry, he walked towards Xiao Tian and spoke, "Please calm down, Mr Xue. Maybe he is forced to do this."

Xiao Tian instantly turned his head towards Dong Chang. However, he said nothing and only stared at him for about three seconds before returning his attention to the waiter.

"Waiter, please forgive my friend. He is furious because someone wants to cause trouble to him." Dong Chang spoke when he was in front of the waiter. "Please tell us, who is the mastermind behind this? Who wants to cause trouble to my friend here? Don't be afraid. we will protect you later."

Upon hearing Dong Chang's words, the waiter began to calm down. "He is...."

However, he was still afraid to tell them who was the mastermind behind all of it.

At this time, Qing Feng and Qing Xiulan walked towards Xiao Tian and the others. When they were next to Xiao Tian, Qing Feng suddenly spoke, "What Mr Dong said is true. You don't need to be afraid because nothing will happen to you later. Just tell us, who is the mastermind behind all of this. You do know that everyone here is my guests, right? So, I don't want anything to happen at my family banquet."

"Whoa! As expected of Mr Qing Feng."

"Yes. He is really kind."

"I agree with you."

"He even isn't angry when someone tries to cause trouble at his banquet."

"The Qing family really has great successors."

"Yes. You are right."

When everyone saw Qing Feng's kind behavior, they began to praise him. They were sure if it were someone else, they would have been angry.

However, Qing Feng was different. Not only did he not angry, but he even smiled and spoke calmly to the waiter.

"This is..." even though Qing Feng said something like that, but the waiter was still wavering whether he should tell the truth or not.

When Qing Xiulan saw the expression on the waiter's face, she immediately spoke, "Don't worry. I promise you with the name of the Qing family that nothing will happen to you later."

Actually, Xiao Tian wanted to grab the drink and force the waiter to drink it earlier, but because Qing Feng and Qing Xiulan had said something like that, he decided not to do that.

Of course, he still stared at the waiter coldly. He even wanted to beat the waiter too. In his dictionary, anyone who dared to try to cause trouble to him should be punished.

When Lan Ruoxi saw the expression on Xiao Tian's face, she immediately spoke, "Yang, please control yourself. I know that someone wants to cause trouble to you, but letting out your anger now is not a wise decision."

Xiao Tian instantly turned his head toward her. Even though he agreed with her words, but he was still angry with the waiter.

At this moment, Geng Tai's lips curled into a smirk. He was watching everything from behind Xiao Tian.

When Xiao Tian realized something, he instantly turned his head towards Su Lique and asked, "Director Su, because you know he put something in these drinks. You must know who is the mastermind behind all this, right? Can you tell me who that person is?"

Upon hearing Xiao Tian's words, everyone turned their heads towards Su Lique. They also wanted to know who was the mastermind behind all of this.



"I don't know who is the mastermind behind all of this because I only saw him putting something in all of these drinks." Su Lique said as she pointed her index finger towards the waiter.

Because Su Lique didn't know who was the mastermind, everyone returned their attentions to the waiter.

"Tell me now!" Xiao Tian spoke coldly. "Otherwise I will make you drink it later."

When Xiao Tian threatened him, the expression of fear began to appear on the waiter's face. He knew if he drank the wine, his life would end.

He was from a lower-class family and had to work hard to continue living. Not only would he not be able to find any work in Beijing again, but he would also become a laughing stock later.

Actually, he didn't want to do that, but because the mastermind threatened him, he had no choice but to do that.

As long as he could make Xiao Tian drink it, the mastermind would give him a lot of money and send him to another city.

With that money, he could live without working for about thirty years. And if he opened a small shop and lived economically, it would be enough to live until he died.

However, if he failed his mission, he had no idea whether the mastermind would still protect him and give him money or not. For this reason, the waiter still didn't say anything.

Xiao Tian was annoyed when the waiter said nothing. "Tell me now, or else you will regret it!"

"You should tell us who is the mastermind or else I will lose face later. You don't want to be my enemy, right?" Qing Feng had no choice but to threaten the waiter.

Because Qing Feng said something like that, the waiter was scared. "He is..."

The Qing Family was one of the most influential families in Beijing, so naturally, the waiter didn't want to become enemies of the Qing family.

The waiter didn't finish his words, but he looked at someone. Everyone instantly turned their heads towards the person the waiter was staring at.

When they saw that person, everyone was shocked.

#### **Chapter 484 - You Are The Mastermind, Right?**

7-8 minutes

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"Why are you all looking at me?" Geng Tai was enraged when everyone stared at him. "It's not me! I would never do anything like this in my life."

Of course, everyone didn't believe his words because it was normal to deny everything or to lie when your life was in danger.

After gazing at Geng Tai, Xiao Tian returned his attention to the waiter and inquired, "Is he the mastermind behind all of this?"

"Ye...yes." The waiter responded with terror in his eyes.

"Don't slander me!" Geng Tai said furiously and pointed his index finger toward the waiter. "I said it's not me. How do you know he is not lying to us?"

"What he said is true. We don't know whether the waiter is telling the truth or not?"

"Easy! Just make the waiter take an oath!"

"Having him take an oath is useless because there are so many people who still lie after taking an oath."

"Or threaten his family if he lies to us."

After hearing Geng Tai's words, one by one, the guests voiced out their feelings.

At this moment, Xiao Tian believed the waiter's words 80 percent because earlier he almost had a fight with Geng Tai.

Geng Tai liked Lan Ruoxi, and he was pretending to be her lover, so it was normal if Geng Tai wanted to teach Xiao Tian a lesson.

However, Xiao Tian didn't immediately hit Geng Tai because he wanted to make sure that Geng Tai was really the mastermind.

For this reason, Xiao Tian asked the waiter again. "Are you sure? Let me tell you something if you dare to lie to me, you will regret it later."

"I...I'm sure." The waiter replied with a terrified expression. "He said he wants to teach you a lesson for daring to steal the woman he likes. That was why he asked me to put aphrodisiac in these drinks and give it to you so that you will lose face in front of everyone. With that, Miss Lan will be disappointed in you and break up with you."

"Don't lie! I never said anything like that!" of course, Geng Tai was more enraged after hearing the waiter's words. it was true that he hated Xiao Tian for daring to steal Lan Ruoxi from him, but he still hadn't done anything to Xiao Tian. "I'm not gonna lie that I want them to break up, but I'm not a low person who uses a dirty way to get whatever I want. I'm a man with dignity."

"But that's what you said to me earlier." The waiter answered instantly. "I dare not lie in front of all of you because my life is at stakes."

Because the waiter stated something like that, Xiao Tian began to believe it. For this reason, Xiao Tian marched towards Geng Tai.

At this moment, everyone thought Xiao Tian would hit Geng Tai instantly, but they were wrong because Xiao Tian only stood in front of him.

"Tell me where were you after talking to me earlier?" Xiao Tian inquired. "Who were you talking to earlier? Prove it to me if you really are not the mastermind of all this!"

Qing Feng and Qing Xiulan didn't say a word and only stared at Xiao Tian. They wanted to know what he would do to solve the problem.

As for Lan Ruoxi, she skimmed her surroundings. She felt that someone wanted to pit Xiao Tian against Geng Tai. That was why she wanted to know who the real mastermind was.

'It's good that he doesn't lose control now. It seems like he also notices something is wrong. He is young but has good instincts.'

Lan Ruoxi could not help but praise Xiao Tian when she saw Xiao Tian still trying to hold back his anger. Earlier, she also thought he would hit Geng Tai immediately, but like the others, she was wrong.

"I talked to the Hu and Kang families earlier. If you don't believe me, you can ask them." After saying that, Geng Tai stared at the Hu and Kang families.

"Yes. He talked to us earlier." The red-haired and blue-haired grown men answered in unison. "But we only talked for about fifteen minutes before he went to the washroom."

"I really went to the restroom." Geng Tai knew that they were starting to suspect him again. "I've never even met him before. How could he possibly say I ordered him to do that to you? "

Xiao Tian didn't respond immediately and only stared at Geng Tai. All this time, Xiao Tian observed Geng Tai's expression because he wanted to know whether Geng Tai was lying to him or not.

'Something is wrong here. It seems like someone wants to pit him and me.'

With that in mind, Xiao Tian skimmed his surroundings.

'Who is it?'

Earlier more than four people talked to him and Lan Ruoxi, so Xiao Tian had no idea who the mastermind was.

Qing Feng was startled when he noticed Xiao Tian skimming his surroundings.

'Oh! Not bad. As expected, he is not an ordinary young man.'

Actually, Qing Feng also had a feeling that Geng Tai was not the mastermind. He just didn't expect Xiao Tian to notice it too.

Xiao Tian was surprised when he noticed the waiter's behavior.

'I see. Let me test it first.'

With that in mind, Xiao Tian stared at Geng Tai again. "Did you really go to the washroom? Don't tell me you didn't go to the restroom but you met him silently."

After saying that, Xiao Tian kept glancing at the waiter silently. He wanted to know his every move.

"As I said, I've never met him before." because he went to the washroom alone, Geng Tai didn't know how to prove to all the guests that he really went to the toilet earlier.

Everyone started to think that what Xiao Tian just said was true because Geng Tai couldn't provide them with any proof.

"Then prove it to me!" Xiao Tian said angrily. "Otherwise, I will think you are the mastermind behind all this!"

When Lan Ruoxi, Qing Feng, and Qing Xiulan saw Xiao Tian's behavior, they were astonished. Earlier, Xiao Tian could control himself, but suddenly he was out of control. They wanted to know what made him like that.

Like before, Xiao Tian glanced at the waiter again but he did it only for a second because if he glanced for a long time, the mastermind and the waiter would notice it.

"I.." Geng Tai didn't know what to say to Xiao Tian. "I have no proof."

Because Xiao Tian wanted to make sure that the person he suspected was the real mastermind, Xiao Tian pretended to be enraged. "Then you are the mastermind. I dare to say this because I know you hate me a lot."

"I indeed hate you, but I don't do that." Geng Tai repeated his words. Because Xiao Tian was furious, he was also enraged.

He was not afraid of Xiao Tian because Xiao Tian was nobody. In his view, Geng Tai could kill Xiao Tian anytime.

When the person Xiao Tian suspected smirked, Xiao Tian was sure that he found the real mastermind.

"Do you think I'm stupid? I know the mastermind behind all of this is you...Mr. Dong Chang." Xiao Tian then marched towards Dong Chang. "You are the real mastermind, right?"

## **Chapter 485 - The Real Mastermind**

7-8 minutes

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The expression of deep shock emerged on the faces of the guests. They didn't expect Xiao Tian would say something like that.

Earlier, Xiao Tian kept suspecting Geng Tai, but he suddenly said the mastermind behind all of it was Dong Chang.

Of course, they wanted to know why Xiao Tian thought Dong Chang was the real mastermind. Earlier, Xiao Tian and Dong Chang talked nicely, and they didn't seem to have any hostility towards each other.

Not only the guest, but Qing Feng was also surprised after hearing Xiao Tian's words.

'Oh! So this is the reason for his previous actions. It seems I can't underestimate his intelligence despite his young age.'

Qing Feng finally understood why Xiao Tian was suddenly out of control earlier.

Lan Ruoxi was also surprised by Xiao Tian's words.

'So earlier, he pretended to be angry at Geng Tai and used that to find out the real mastermind. I don't know what to say about him anymore. He is a really extraordinary young man.'

Actually, Lan Ruoxi had suspected that the real mastermind was Dong Chang. In the past, she lived in Beijing for several years and had known Geng Tai for about two years.

Even though Geng Tai was an annoying person, but he never used a dirty way to attract her attention or make her his woman.

All Geng Tai did was send flowers to her place every day, invite her to dinner, and come over to her place.

Even though he tried to embrace her once, but when she said that he was not allowed to do that, Geng Tai never tried to hug her again.

He always did what he was told. For this reason, she knew that he really loved her. However, because she had no feelings for him, she rejected his love.

At this moment, Qing Xiulan spoke to Qing Feng in a low voice, "Big brother, do you also suspect Dong Chang to be the mastermind?"

"Yes." Qing Feng answered instantly.

Like Xiao Tian, Qing Feng also paid attention to the waiter's behavior earlier. When he found out the waiter glanced at Dong Chang several times, coupled with him knowing Dong Chang's secret, he suspected that Dong Chang was the real mastermind.

"I see." Qing Xiulan touched her chin before looking at Xiao Tian. "Earlier, I thought he suspected Geng Tai to be the mastermind. I didn't expect all of his actions were just acting."

She didn't expect Xiao Tian to have the same thoughts as her big brother.

"Me too." Qing Feng replied. "He is an interesting young man."

The expression of deep shock appeared on Geng Tai's face after hearing Xiao Tian's words. Earlier, he thought Xiao Tian would continue suspecting him.

'So all of his actions were only acting!'

Geng Tai had no idea whether he should be happy or not. Of course, he still hated Xiao Tian because he stole Lan Ruoxi from him. But after remembering Xiao Tian's words, he shifted his gaze from Xiao Tian to Dong Chang.

His eyes were filled with killing intent. Earlier, when he and Xiao Tian almost had a fight, Dong Chang was the one who told him to control his anger. He didn't expect Dong Chang to want to pit him against Xiao Tian.

"What do you mean by that, friend Xue?" Dong Chang didn't expect Xiao Tian would say something like that. "How could you say something that? I have no enmity with you, so there is no point in hurting you. Aren't we already like friends earlier?"

Xiao Tian began to explain why he suspected Dong Chang as the mastermind. "Earlier, I coincidentally noticed the waiter kept glancing at you. Everyone maybe didn't notice it because the waiter only glanced at you for a second. That was the first time I began to suspect that you are the real mastermind behind all of this."

Xiao Tian then continued, "To make sure that you are really the real mastermind, I pretended to be angry at Geng Tai because I wanted to know your reaction. And as I thought, when I pretended to be out of control, I saw you grinning. It's because you thought everything was going according to your plan, right?"

Geng Tai walked towards Dong Chang and said angrily. "Bastard! So, you wanted to pit him against me?"

"What? Earlier when he was furious at Mr Geng, it was only acting?!"

"So, the real mastermind is Mr Dong Chang?"

"I didn't think it would turn out like this."

"I thought the mastermind was Mr Geng Tai."

"Me too."

Several people believed Xiao Tian's words because he gave them a good explanation.

Xiao Tian shifted his gaze from Dong Chang to the waiter. "He is the real mastermind, right?"

The waiter had an expression of terror on his face. Since Xiao Tian had correctly guessed who the real mastermind was, he didn't know what to say anymore.

The waiter also knew that his career would end later. Previously, he had dared to lie in front of everyone. He even still lied when the Qing family promised to protect him.

Because the waiter said nothing, Xiao Tian was annoyed. For this reason, he grabbed the waiter by the neck. "Answer me!"

The waiter, who had never learned martial arts, could only struggle to free himself. However, no matter how hard he tried, he couldn't get Xiao Tian's right hand off his neck.

Because the waiter didn't try to tell him anything, Xiao Tian choked the waiter's neck even harder. His actions almost made the waiter faint.

When Qing Feng saw what Xiao Tian was doing, he immediately spoke, "Mr Xue, please stop this. Let me handle this first."

Xiao Tian stared at Qing Feng for three seconds before finally releasing the waiter.

"Cough...cough." The waiter coughed after Xiao Tian let him go. However, his face was still red because previously, Xiao Tian had violently strangled his neck.

Qing Feng immediately stood in front of the waiter and spoke, "So, you lied to us before, huh? Well, I can still forgive you but on one condition. You have to tell us who the real mastermind is. Don't you dare lie again this time."

Because Qing Feng had said something like that, the waiter didn't dare to lie to them again. For this reason, he stared at Dong Chang and spoke, "The real mastermind is..."

However, before the waiter had finished his words, Dong Chang ran away. He knew that the waiter would tell them everything, and he would not be able to lie again.

That was why he wanted to run away because if he stayed there, he would be doom.

When Xiao Tian noticed it, he immediately ran after Dong Chang, and when he was close to Dong Chang, he threw a flying kick, causing Dong Chang to fall to the floor. "You want to run, huh? So I was right when I said you were the real mastermind."

Of course, Dong Chang tried to free himself but failed because Xiao Tian paralyzed his movements.

"Tell me! Why did you do that?" Xiao Tian wanted to know the reason why Dong Chang did that to him.

"I think I know the reason." Qing Feng spoke abruptly.

## **Chapter 486 - I Don't Know Whether I'm Happy To Be Your Lover Or Not Now**

6-8 minutes

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Xiao Tian turned his head towards Qing Feng and inquired, "What is it?"

"Because he is also interested in lady Lan." Qing Feng replied instantly. "When he found out you are lady Lan's lover, he also hates you. Unlike Mr. Geng, he still behaved normally and tried to be friends with you so that when he tried to hurt you, you would not suspect him later."

Qing Feng then continued, "When you almost had a fight with Mr. Geng earlier, he thought it would be a perfect time to teach you a lesson and make Mr. Geng a scapegoat, so his image would be still good in lady Lan's eyes."

Upon hearing Qing Feng's words, Geng Tai hit Dong Chang's face and spoke angrily. "Bastard! So you wanted to pit me against him and make me the scapegoat!"

Xiao Tian did nothing when Geng Tai punched Dong Chang's face because he also wanted to do that. Xiao Tian then turned his head towards Lan Ruoxi, but he didn't say a word.

'Sigh! You really give me a lot of troubles.'

Xiao Tian wanted to say it but decided not to do that because, at that time, he was pretending to be her lover.

"Don't blame me for it." Of course, Lan Ruoxi knew what Xiao Tian had in mind. "I never ask them to like me either."

At this time, three security guards were standing next to Qing Feng. When Qing Feng walked towards Xiao Tian, they followed him.

Because Qing Feng wanted to solve the problem quickly, he immediately said, "Let me handle the rest."

Xiao Tian didn't answer immediately because actually, he wanted to teach Dong Chang and the waiter a lesson first. However, he knew that Qing Feng was the host of the banquet.

That was why Xiao Tian agreed because he had to give Qing Feng face. "Alright."

"Take him and the waiter out." Qing Feng told the security guards to take Dong Chang and the waiter out of the main hall.

The security guards immediately did what they were told.

When Qing Feng saw the expression on Xiao Tian's face, he brought his face closer towards Xiao Tian's ears and whispered, "Don't worry. You can see them again later. In that place, you can do whatever you want, but not in this place."

Xiao Tian's lips curled into a smirk after hearing Qing Feng's words. Dong Chang wanted to cause trouble to him earlier, so Xiao Tian had no intention of letting him go so easily.

"Everyone, I'm sorry for this small problem." Qing Feng looked at the guests and smiled. "Please continue what you were doing earlier."

Because Qing Feng said so, everyone began to chat again. They even behaved as if nothing had happened earlier.

Lan Ruoxi walked towards Xiao Tian, and when she was next to him, she spoke in a low voice, "I thought you would hit Dong Chang earlier. Why did you let him go so easily like that? This is not like you."

"I need to give the Qing family face." Xiao Tian replied instantly. "And Qing Feng said I could meet Dong Chang and the waiter again later."

"I see." Lan Ruoxi finally understood why Xiao Tian let Dong Chang and the waiter go so easily like that. It was because he would be able to do anything to them later.

"My love, you really give me a lot of problems in the last few days." Xiao Tian spoke and paused for a second before he continued, "I don't know whether I'm happy to be your lover or not now."

"What? Didn't you say you like to be my lover?" Lan Ruoxi responded

The corner of his lips twitched after hearing her words.

'When did I say that?'

Xiao Tian believed that he never said something like that to her.



Without giving him a warning, Lan Ruoxi brought her face closer towards his right ear and whispered, "You have taken a lot of advantages of me, and now you still dare to say something like that? Shouldn't you be happy because I let you pretend to be my lover? You have even kissed me a few times. As for information, many men dreamed of being in your place. For example, Geng Tai and Dong Chang."

Xiao Tian had no idea what to say to her. Of course, he knew that he had taken advantage of her many times.

However, she gave him a lot of troubles too. In his view, the troubles she caused were not equal to the benefits he was getting.

'Ah! Forget it.'

Because Su Lique was near him, Xiao Tian immediately spoke, "Let's talk to director Su."

"Sigh." Lan Ruoxi knew the reason why Xiao Tian wanted to talk to Su Lique. "I hope you will not hurt her later."

"What do you mean by that? I'm a good person, you know." Xiao Tian said shamelessly.

Black lines formed on Lan Ruoxi's head. She didn't expect Xiao Tian to dare to say something like that. In her view, Xiao Tian was a cruel person. He even didn't care whether it was a woman or a man. As long as they were useful to him, he would use them to his benefit.

When Xiao Tian was in front of Su Lique and Chen Yueli, he immediately spoke, "Director Su, thank you for warning me earlier. I don't know what would have happened to me if you didn't warn me earlier."

"Don't mind it." Su Lique instantly replied. "I'm glad I can help you."

"Mr Xue, I didn't expect you would know the real mastermind." Actually, Chen Yueli thought Geng Tai was the mastermind. "Now, I think I know why your lover fell in love with you."

"I just happened to guess it right." Even though Xiao Tian was happy after hearing Chen Yueli's words, but he didn't show it on his face.

At this moment, Lan Ruoxi could not help but giggle. Of course, she knew Xiao Tian was pleased when Chen Yueli praised him.

She thought the reason why Xiao Tian just smiled and said that he just happened to guess it right was that he wanted to pretend to be a mature, elegant, and humble person.

He is indeed an interesting young man. I never get bored whenever I'm with him. Lan Ruoxi thought to herself.

After that, Xiao Tian, Lan Ruoxi, Chen Yueli, and Su Lique talked for about ten minutes before a few families chatted with Su Lique.

However, because everyone saw what Xiao Tian did to Dong Chang earlier, all families didn't want to talk to him.

In their eyes, Xiao Tian was nobody who had a bad temperament. There was no benefit in being friends with him. That was why they ignored him.

Of course, Xiao Tian didn't mind it. For him, as long as he could make Su Lique help him develop his business, it was already good.

After about an hour, the banquet was over. One by one, the guests began to leave the villa. However, when Lan Ruoxi and Xiao Tian were about to leave, one of the waiters told them that Qing Feng wanted to meet them.

Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi immediately followed the waiter to meet Qing Feng.

## **Chapter 487 - Talking To The Qing Family Members**

7-9 minutes

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Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi followed the waiter to the private room. When they stepped into the room, Xiao Tian saw Qing Feng, Qing Xiulan, and their parents sitting on the sofa.

Their parents were sitting next to each other while Qing Feng and Qing Xiulan sat next to their mother.

This much surprised him. Earlier, he thought he would only meet Qing Feng. He just didn't expect he would meet the Qing family members.

When Xiao Tian was surprised and had a hard time believing what he was seeing, Lan Ruoxi, on the flip side, had a normal expression as if she had guessed that something like that would happen.

"Please sit down." The middle-aged man said when Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi were in front of him.

After Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi sat on the couch, Qing Feng immediately spoke, "Sorry for this. Earlier, I'm the one who wants to meet you two, but suddenly my parents and younger sister want to meet both of you too."

"Want to meet me?" Xiao Tian could understand if Qing Feng wanted to meet him, but when he found out that Qing Feng's parents and younger sister also wanted to meet him, he was a little shocked. "Why do you want to meet me? I'm just nobody so there is no point in meeting me."

The Qing family members looked at each other after hearing Xiao Tian's words.

'Wait! Don't tell me the rumor is true.'

It was the first words that appeared in the heads of the Qing family members.

"Why are you looking at me like that?" Xiao Tian had no idea as to why the Qing family members suddenly looked at Xiao Tian intently.

He was sure that he didn't say anything weird earlier. That was why he wanted to know the reason why they looked at him like that.

"It's nothing." Qing Feng replied. "My parents and younger sister just want to meet the young man who is famous recently."

'What a pitiful young man! It seems like his life has been hard since he was a child.'

Qing Feng added in his mind.

Qing Xiulan and her parents also had the same thought as Qing Feng. Of course, they knew who Xiao Tian was. They just didn't expect Xiao Tian's life to be miserable since he was a child.

At this moment, Xiao Tian didn't believe Qing Feng's words. However, he was just silent and didn't say anything about it.

"By the way, you don't need to pretend to be someone else." Qing Xiulan spoke abruptly. "We all know that you are Xiao Tian."

After hearing Qing Xiulan's words, Lan Ruoxi whispered in Xiao Tian's left ear. "Young master Xiao, just take off your silicon head mask. There is no point in wearing it anymore because they already know who you are. Don't worry, I'm sure there's no one in this room besides us."

Because they already knew who he was, Xiao Tian immediately took off his silicon head mask.

When Qing Xiulan's mother saw Xiao Tian's real face, she covered her mouth and spoke, "Oh! You are much more handsome in person."

"Thank you." Xiao Tian put the silicon head mask on the couch next to him.

"I forgot to introduce myself. My name is Yu Nuan." Yu Nuan introduced herself before turning her head towards her husband. "And he is my husband, Qing Yuhan."

"Hello, Xiao Tian." Qing Yuhan said as he smiled.

"Hello, Mr. Qing Yuhan, Mrs. Yu Nuan." Xiao Tian responded.

"How is your company?" Qing Yuhan inquired

"My company is doing good." Xiao Tian answered

"I'm glad to hear it." Qing Yuhan then turned his head towards Lan Ruoxi and spoke. "How about you Mrs. Lan? Do you like living in Shanghai?"

"Yes," Lan Ruoxi responded instantly. "I like living in Shanghai because Shanghai is a good city."

"I see." Qing Yuhan answered. "Don't you have any plans to come back to live in Beijing?"

"For now, I have no plans to return to Beijing because I love living in Shanghai." Even though Lan Ruoxi liked living in Beijing, but she preferred to live in Shanghai than Beijing.

"Haha. I'm starting to feel sorry for the people who like you. Haha." Qing Yuhan knew that many men liked Lan Ruoxi. That was why he said something like that.

"Hehe." Lan Ruoxi covered her mouth and giggled.

She didn't care about all the men who liked her because she had no feelings for them.

"I didn't expect lady Lan would come to Beijing with Xiao Tian." Yu Nuan spoke and paused for a second before she continued, "And I heard, you two are lovers. Is that true?"

"Actually, we are only pretending to be lovers." since they were talking with the Qing family, Lan Ruoxi decided to tell the truth because it would be easy for the Qing family to know the truth.

Xiao Tian didn't say a word when Lan Ruoxi told them the truth because he had guessed that she would do that.

Of course, he wasn't disappointed by her words because their relationship was nothing more than friends.

"I see." Yu Nuan then turned her head towards Xiao Tian and asked, "So, do you have a girlfriend now?"

Upon hearing Yu Nuan's words, Xiao Tian immediately answered, "I hav-"

However, before he had finished his words, he was disturbed by Lan Ruoxi. "He has several women. He is a playboy."

The corner of Xiao Tian's lips twitched after hearing her words.

'This woman really needs to be punished.'

Xiao Tian didn't deny Lan Ruoxi's words because it was the truth.

"Haha." The Qing family members laughed after learning that Xiao Tian was a playboy.

They talked for about fifty minutes before finally Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi decided to leave. When Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi were about to leave, Qing Feng asked Xiao Tian whether he wanted to see Dong Chang and the waiter or not.

At first, Xiao Tian wanted to beat them up because they had bad intentions on him. However, because Lan Ruoxi wanted to go home immediately, Xiao Tian asked Qing Feng to teach them a lesson and make sure that they would never cause trouble to him again.

At first, Qing Feng was shocked after hearing Xiao Tian's words because earlier, he knew that Xiao Tian wanted to beat Dong Chang and the waiter himself.

He just didn't expect Xiao Tian would ask him to do that instead. Of course, Qing Feng agreed to it. He even promised that they would never cause to Xiao Tian again.

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"Did you live in Beijing before?" Xiao Tian inquired.

Currently, they were on the way to the hotel. Because it was almost dawn, Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi decided to return to the hotel. It would be dangerous if they returned in the evening because Hongdu town still had many strategic places for the crime.

"Yes." Lan Ruoxi replied instantly. "In the past, I lived in Beijing for several years."

"Ah, I see. So this is why yo—ah Shit!" Xiao Tian could not help but curse when the car suddenly went out of control. However, because he was skilled at driving a car, he was able to stop the car safely.

"What happened?" Lan Ruoxi inquired. Earlier, she was shocked when the car suddenly went out of control. Luckily nothing happened to them.

"Let me check it first." Xiao Tian got out of the car to check the car tires.

'Fuck! Both the front and rear tires are flat.'

Xiao Tian kicked the car tires and cursed in his heart.

"What's wrong?" Lan Ruoxi got out of the car and walked towards him. "Should we call a tow truck?"

"It seems like we have to call-" Xiao Tian stopped his words halfway when he noticed tire repair ten meters from their place.

'Tire repair? How can there be a coincidence like this? And what is this feeling? Why do I feel that something is wrong?'

Xiao Tian felt something was wrong when he noticed a tire repair. It was as if someone put the nails on the road on purpose.

"Oh! There is a tire repair." Lan Ruoxi spoke when she noticed a tire repair. "But isn't this too coincidence?"

Lan Ruoxi also had the same feeling as Xiao Tian. Because it was too coincidental, it made her suspicious of the tire repair.

"What should we do?" Xiao Tian inquired

#### **Chapter 488 - Met With Su Lique And Chen Yueli At Tire Repair**

7-9 minutes

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"Let me call the tow truck." Because Lan Ruoxi felt something was wrong, she thought it would be better to call the tow truck.

"All right." Xiao Tian agreed with her words.

However, because their location was near a village, it wasn't easy to get a signal. Lan Ruoxi tried to find a signal but to no avail. "There is no signal here. What should we do now? Should we go to that tire repair?"

"There is no other choice. Let's go to that tire repair. I hope it's just our feelings." Because there was no signal, they had no choice but to head to the tire repair. "Do you have anything that can be used as a weapon in the car?"

Because they had a bad feeling, Xiao Tian wanted to hide weapons just in case their bad feelings were true.

"No." they only went to the banquet, so Lan Ruoxi didn't bring any weapon. "Don't worry, my lover is strong, right?"

The corner of his lips twitched after hearing her words. She was much stronger than him, and she still said something like that?! It was as if she wanted him to fight someone every day.

'Well, she is a martial arts expert, so if something happens to us later, I can depend on her.'

Even though it was not his style to depend on a woman, but because she was much stronger than him, he would depend on her if their bad feelings were true.

When they reached the tire repair, they saw a car in front of the tire repair.

'Oh! It seems like it's only my feeling.'

When Xiao Tian saw two people mending car tires, his bad feeling was reduced by half.

"It seems like it's only our feelings." Xiao Tian spoke abruptly.

"Yes." Lan Ruoxi replied instantly. "But don't let your guard down."

When one of the people, who was patching a car tire saw Xiao Tian's car, he immediately walked towards them. "Welcome, sir."

"My car tires are leaking. Please fix it." Xiao Tian went straight to the point.

"All right. Let me bring you two to the waiting room first." He then brought Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi to the waiting room.

When they stepped into the waiting room, Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi were shocked.

'Su Lique and Chen Yueli?'

Su Lique and Chen Yueli were also startled when they saw Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi. They didn't expect to run into Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi at the tire repair.

"Did your car tires also leak?" Su Lique inquired.

"Yes." Xiao Tian responded. "How could you still be here?"

Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi talked with the Qing family for almost an hour. That was why Xiao Tian thought Su Lique and Chen Yueli were already at home.

"We went somewhere before deciding to go home." Su Lique answered. "However, my car tires leaked in this area."

"I see." Xiao Tian answered.

As Xiao Tian, Lan Ruoxi, Chen Yueli, and Su Lique were talking, two tire repairmen began patching their tires.

However, not long after that, six men entered the waiting room with metal pipes in their right hands. From their appearance, anyone could tell that they were thugs.

Xiao Tian's face instantly darkened. Even though he had a bad feeling earlier, he still hoped it was only his feeling.

But when his bad feelings really happened, Xiao Tian was annoyed. He turned his head towards Su Lique and Chen Yueli to see their expressions.

When he knew that they had calm expressions, he was relieved. It would be really annoying if they suddenly got too scared or started crying.

Because six thugs wanted to hurt them, Lan Ruoxi instantly stood in front of Chen Yueli and Su Lique.

"Don't worry. My lover is strong." Lan Ruoxi tried to tell them that everything would be fine.

Xiao Tian found it hard to believe what he was hearing. Lan Ruoxi was much stronger than him, and she behaved as if she would let him fight them alone.

'What are you saying? Come here and help me beat them!'

Xiao Tian shouted in his head.

Of course, Xiao Tian would not say it because he would lose face if he asked Lan Ruoxi to fight them. Su Lique and Chen Yueli had no idea that Lan Ruoxi was a martial arts expert. They thought Lan Ruoxi was only an ordinary woman like them.

Even though she had a calm expression, but Su Lique hoped Xiao Tian could beat the thugs later. She knew Xiao Tian was a martial artist because she had seen Xiao Tian's secret move before.

"Oh! Look at these women! They are sexy and beautiful." One of the thugs said with lustful eyes.

"Yes. You are right." Red-haired thug gaze suddenly landed on Lan Ruoxi. "Especially her. She is so pretty and sexy. How can she be so perfect like that? I wonder what it feels like to have her under my body."

Even though Lan Ruoxi wanted to beat them immediately, but she didn't move from her place because she wanted to protect Su Lique and Chen Yueli.

She knew that they didn't know martial arts. That was why it would be dangerous if she and Xiao Tian fought these people without protecting them.

"It seems like today is ou- Aghh." Before one of the thugs finished his words, Xiao Tian grabbed his metal pipe and hit the back side of the thug's head, causing the thug to faint immediately. Without waiting for another second, Xiao Tian attacked the other thugs too.

Because Xiao Tian attacked them, the thugs also started to counterattack. Three thugs dashed towards Xiao Tian while the other two thugs walked towards Lan Ruoxi and the others.

Because there were only two thugs walked towards Lan Ruoxi and the others, Xiao Tian didn't care about their safety and only focused on his opponents.

Xiao Tian was sure Lan Ruoxi would be able to beat those two thugs quickly because she was much stronger than him.

The red-haired thug immediately swung the metal pipe towards Xiao Tian's head. However, Xiao Tian was able to block it easily.

After blocking the attack, Xiao Tian kicked the thug's chin, causing the thug to fly into mid-air. Xiao Tian didn't stop his attack. When the thug was about to land on the floor, Xiao Tian kicked his mid-torso.

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The red-haired thug was sent flying by Xiao Tian's kick before falling to the other thugs.

Without giving them a chance to counterattack, Xiao Tian dashed towards the thugs and attacked them mercilessly.

Because the martial arts skills of thugs were inferior to martial arts masters, Xiao Tian was able to beat them easily.

After the thugs were covered in blood and didn't move anymore, Xiao Tian shifted his gaze from the thugs to Lan Ruoxi and the others.

Like what Xiao Tian had guessed, the other two thugs, who walked towards Lan Ruoxi earlier, were lying on the floor.

"Let's see our cars." Xiao Tian spoke abruptly.

They then walked out of the waiting room. When they were outside, the two repairmen were nowhere to be found.

Xiao Tian was furious. Because in his past life he was a young master of the richest family, he had no idea how to patch car tires.

Not only was it almost evening, but there was no signal too. "What should we do now? The repairmen run away before they're done mending our tires."

Lan Ruoxi, Chen Yueli, and Su Lique only stared at each other without saying a word because they also had no idea how to patch car tires.

## **Chapter 489 - Look! It's Shooting Star**

7-9 minutes

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"There is no signal here, so we can't call someone or the tow truck." Chen Yueli spoke abruptly.

"Hopefully, my family will realize that I haven't arrived home yet. I'm sure they will look for me if they realize something is wrong." Su Lique was sure her family would send someone to look for her if they realized that she still hadn't arrived home.

"Let's hope so." Xiao Tian didn't want to stay the night at the tire repair shop because it was dangerous. He was afraid that someone would try to hurt them again later.

"Yang, tie up all the thugs, so they don't cause trouble to us again later." Lan Ruoxi was sure all the thugs would cause trouble again after they regained consciousness.



"All right." Xiao Tian replied before walking towards the waiting room.

As Xiao Tian tied up the thugs, Lan Ruoxi, Chen Yueli, and Su Lique were standing by the side of the road, hoping someone would pass by and be able to help them later.

However, even though they stood by the side of the road for more than forty minutes, they didn't see anyone passing by.

For this reason, they returned to the tire repair shop. Seconds turned into minutes and minutes turned into hours.

Without realizing it, it was already 08:00 pm. At first, they sat in the waiting room, but because they wanted to see the stars, they walked out of the waiting room and made a campfire in front of the tire repair shop.

"Looks like being stuck in this place isn't bad either." Xiao Tian spoke abruptly. "To be able to spend time with three beautiful women on a beautiful night like this is one that many men dream of."

Currently, they were sitting around the campfire. The moon which was surrounded by stars made the night even more beautiful.

"Hehe." Su Lique could not help but giggle after hearing his words. "Your lover is right in front of you, but you still dare to say something like that? Are you not afraid she will get angry later?"

"Of course she won't be angry because she loves me." Of course, Xiao Tian was saying nonsense because he was sure that Lan Ruoxi had no feelings for him. "My love, come here and sit on my lap. Let me embrace you while looking at the beautiful night."

Even though Su Lique and Chen Yueli were sitting in front of him, Xiao Tian didn't feel shy when he said something like that.

All they knew was that he and Lan Ruoxi were lovers, so it was normal for lovers to be lovey-dovey.

When Lan Ruoxi saw Xiao Tian smiling and patting his thighs, she immediately responded, "I don't want to. Hehe."

"Hahaha." Su Lique and Chen Yueli laughed after hearing Lan Ruoxi's words.

Actually, they thought Lan Ruoxi would sit on Xiao Tian's lap earlier. They didn't expect she would refuse him.

The corner of his lips twitched when Lan Ruoxi refused him. "Why? Isn't seeing a beautiful night in their lover's arms also a dream of many women?"

"Is that so? Who said that? That is a lie." The reason Lan Ruoxi refused to sit on his lap was that she didn't want to make Su Lique and Chen Yueli feel awkward or something like that.

"From my experience." Xiao Tian replied instantly

"From experience? How many ex-girlfriends do you have until now?" Chen Yueli suddenly wanted to know how many ex-girlfriends Xiao Tian had until he dared to say something like that.

"I have too many ex-girlfriends to the point I lose count." at this moment, Xiao Tian was telling the truth.

In his past life, he had many ex-girlfriends. There was even a time where he changed women every day.

Of course, Chen Yueli didn't believe his words and thought that Xiao Tian only wanted to brag. "I don't believe it. I'm sure lady Lan is your first woman."

"I don't believe your words too." Su Lique added.

"But I'm telling the truth." Xiao Tian had guessed that they would say something like that. However, it was impossible to tell them that he was not Xiao Tian or tell them that he had many ex-girlfriends in his past life.

Chen Yueli turned her head towards Lan Ruoxi and asked, "Lady Lan, do you know how many ex-girlfriends he has?"

At first, Lan Ruoxi wanted to tell them that what Xiao Tian just said was the truth. However, she suddenly changed her mind. "He is lying. I'm his first woman."

After saying that, Lan Ruoxi wanted to laugh when she saw the expression on his face.

"As I thought, you are lying to us." Chen Yueli said upon hearing Lan Ruoxi's words.

The corner of his lips twitched when Chen Yueli and Su Lique said they didn't believe his words. Because he could not give them any proof, Xiao Tian had no idea what to say anymore.

'It seems like this lady really wants to make me always lose face. Previously, it was Bai Zhenya and Bai Wenliang. Now it's Su Lique and Chen Yueli.'

Xiao Tian had no idea as to why Lan Ruoxi always wanted to make him lose face. He knew that he always took advantage of her, but she also often gave him trouble.

'Ah forget it! I will punish her when we are alone later.'

Even though Lan Ruoxi was stronger than him, Xiao Tian didn't care about it. He was also sure Lan Ruoxi would not hurt him. That was why he decided to punish Lan Ruoxi when they were alone later.

Because Xiao Tian didn't try to deny it, Chen Yueli and Su Lique thought Xiao Tian didn't want to lie anymore.

"Hehe." Chen Yueli giggled. "If you want to be popular, you can do plastic surgery. Hehe. Make your face like the face of a model. I'm sure you will be popular later. "

Xiao Tian found it hard to believe what he was hearing.

'What?! You suggested me to do plastic surgery?! Are you fucking kidding me? If you see my real face or my past life face, I'm sure you will fall in love with me right away.'

Xiao Tian answered in his head instantly.

"What are you talking about, Yueli?" Su Lique touched Chen Yueli's shoulders "Have you forgotten that he is already famous? I'm sure everyone who has been invited by the Qing family knows him by now. Hehe."

Upon hearing Su Lique's words, Chen Yueli covered her mouth and spoke, "Ah, right! I forgot about it. Haha."

Lan Ruoxi could not help but giggle when she saw Su Lique and Chen Yueli laughing happily.

Damn! They are bullying me! Xiao Tian thought to himself.

"Haha." Chen Yueli, Lan Ruoxi, and Su Lique laughed louder after seeing Xiao Tian's expression.

As they were laughing, suddenly there was a shooting star.

"Look! It's a shooting star." Chen Yueli pointed her index finger toward the sky. "Let's make a wish."

[Yes. Make a wish, and I will make it come true because I'm shooting star. LOL]

Lan Ruoxi, Chen Yueli, and Su Lique immediately shut their eyes and made a wish.

The expression of deep shock emerged on Xiao Tian's face when he knew that Lan Ruoxi believed in something like that.

'What is this? She believes in something like shooting star? Are you kidding me?'

Because he didn't believe in something like that, Xiao Tian only stared at them.

When Lan Ruoxi noticed Xiao Tian staring at them, she immediately spoke, "What are you doing? Hurry up and make a wish!"

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"I don't believe in anything like that." Xiao Tian stated. "If you want something, you have to work hard to make it happen, not relying on something like a shooting star like this. It's only a myth."

His past life father also told him not to believe in something like a myth because all of them were a lie.

"Why are you not making a wish?" Su Lique spoke abruptly. "Hurry up and make a wish!"

"Yes." Chen Yueli added. "Make a wish because it's not every day we can see a shooting star."

Xiao Tian didn't expect them to force him to make a wish.

'If you want to make a wish, do it yourself. You don't have to drag me into it.'

Xiao Tian replied in his head.

"See! Hurry up and make a wish, or else, you will regret it later." Lan Ruoxi still forced Xiao Tian to make a wish because she believed if they made a wish when it was a shooting star, their wish would come true later.

At this moment, there was another shooting star. For this reason, Chen Yueli, Su Lique, and Lan Ruoxi spoke in unison, "Hurry up!"

Xiao Tian had no idea what to say to them anymore. Even though Xiao Tian still didn't believe in a shooting star, but he still shut his eyes and made a wish because he knew that they would force him again if he didn't do what he was told.

When they saw Xiao Tian closing his eyes, they also shut their eyes and made another wish.

Xiao Tian opened one of his eyes to look at them and closed it again when he saw them making another wish.

'What wish should I make?'

Because they suddenly forced him to make a wish, Xiao Tian had no idea what wish he should make. However, he suddenly remembered his past life father and decided to make a wish.

'I hope I can see my past life father again.'

Xiao Tian found it hard to believe what he was doing. It was the first time for him to make a wish like that.

'Well, it's not like my wish will come true. It's impossible for my father to reincarnate like me. Even if he were to reincarnate, it was unlikely that he would reincarnate in this world.'

Because Xiao Tian didn't believe in myths, he was sure that he would never see his father again.

After making a wish, Xiao Tian opened his eyes.

'How many wishes did they make?'

Because Lan Ruoxi and the others were still closing their eyes, Xiao Tian thought that they made a lot of wishes.

After Lan Ruoxi opened her eyes, she looked at Xiao Tian and asked, "What wish did you make just now?"

Instead of answering her question, Xiao Tian inquired, "What about you? What wish did you make?"

"I asked you first, so you have to answer it before asking me a question." Lan Ruoxi wanted to know what wish Xiao Tian made earlier.

"I made a wish for us. I hoped that you would be by my side forever until death do us part." Of course, Xiao Tian was lying to her because it was impossible to tell the truth.

"Ah! So sweet." At this moment, Lan Ruoxi knew that Xiao Tian was lying to her, but she pretended as if he was telling the truth. "My wish is the same as yours. It seems that we are meant to be lovers. Hehe."

Chen Yueli and Su Lique didn't say a word when Lan Ruoxi and Xiao Tian were flirting with each other. They only stared at them silently.

"Is that so?" Xiao Tian then patted his thighs and spoke, "If so, come here and sit on my lap. Let me embrace you right now."

Like before, Lan Ruoxi instantly refused him, "No, thanks. Hehe."

The reason Lan Ruoxi refused him was that she didn't want Chen Yueli and Su Lique to feel awkward.

"Hahaha." Chen Yueli and Su Lique laughed happily when Lan Ruoxi refused him again.

At this moment, Xiao Tian thought Lan Ruoxi wanted to make him lose face again. That was why he immediately spoke, "My love, how could you say that? Didn't you always sit on my lap whenever we were alone? You even said that sitting on my lap always made you feel comfortable."

Upon hearing his words, Su Lique and Chen Yueli turned their heads towards Lan Ruoxi because they wanted to hear her answer.

"Have I ever said something like that? Why don't I remember it?" Lan Ruoxi denied shamelessly.

It was true that she often sat on his lap whenever they were alone. However, she didn't want to admit it, and she was also sure that Su Lique and Chen Yueli would believe her words.

"Hehe." Chen Yueli and Su Lique giggled at the same time.

They thought Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi were an interesting couple. Even though Lan Ruoxi was older than him, but in their eyes, Xiao Tian and Lan Ruoxi were a perfect couple.

"You two are really interesting. How did you two meet?" Su Lique asked curiously

Before Lan Ruoxi could answer her, Xiao Tian immediately spoke, "A long, long time ago, there was a handsome, cool, popular young man who was respected by others. That young ma-"

However, before Xiao Tian had finished his words, he was interrupted by Lan Ruoxi. "Don't lie again!"

The corner of his lips twitched when Lan Ruoxi cut his words. When Su Lique and Chen Yueli saw the expression on his face, they could not help but laugh.

"We met at my bar because someone introduced him to me." Lan Ruoxi gave them an honest answer.

"I see." Chen Yueli said. "So, who confessed love first?"

"Her." Xiao Tian spoke and pointed his index finger at Lan Ruoxi.

However, at the same time, Lan Ruoxi also replied and pointed her index finger at Xiao Tian, "Him."

"Xue Yang, you should not lie to us again. You are the one who confessed first, right?" Chen Yueli didn't believe his words when Xiao Tian said that Lan Ruoxi was the one who confessed first.

Lan Ruoxi was pretty and sexy. Even though Lan Ruoxi was in her early thirties, but she knew that many men still desired to be her lover.

Earlier, two people even caused trouble to Xiao Tian because Xiao Tian was Lan Ruoxi's lover, so it was impossible for Lan Ruoxi to confess her love to Xiao Tian first.

In her view, Lan Ruoxi could find a man like Xiao Tian easily. Sometimes, she even wondered why Lan Ruoxi accepted Xiao Tian's love because Xiao Tian was not rich or had an influential background.

Like Chen Yueli, Su Lique also didn't believe his words. "Just admit it."

Xiao Tian didn't answer immediately and only stared at Lan Ruoxi.

'Sigh! This woman....'

Xiao Tian could only sigh. He knew whatever he said, they would not believe his words.

On the flip side, Lan Ruoxi was giggling happily. Even though Xiao Tian took advantage of her many times since they arrived in Beijing, but she was also often able to bully him.

Because they were chatting happily, they had no idea that several people walked closer towards them.