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### Chapter 541 Itching For A Fight

Upon hearing the remarks, Shen Qianan smiled. "That's right!" If Fu Chengyan can be this good to Shi Nuan, he will be good to the child too! However, she never thought that he would do so much for Shi Nuan. Su Shaoqing withdrew his gaze nonchalantly. "Let's go inside!"

The slight commotion outside had attracted the attention of the people inside the room. When Shi Nuan lifted her head, she saw Shen Qianan standing at the door. At the same time, Yu saw Shen Qianan as well. "Mommy!" Quickly, he climbed down Shi Nuan's body and hopped toward Shen Qianan. "Be careful!" Fu Chengyan said as he quickly held on to Yu.

"Is everything okay?" His question was directed at Su Shaoqing. With a nod, Su Shaoqing replied, "It's done. We should be able to get the results tomorrow morning." Then, he paused for a while before turning to Shi Nuan and said, "Nuan, I still need you to do a body check-up." As soon as he finished, a young nurse pushing a cart entered the room. He then took a syringe deftly before giving Shi Nuan a brief glance.

Shi Nuan nodded. Barely batting an eyelid, she extended her arm forward. Her action made him laugh. "Somehow, I can't bear to do it after seeing your expression."

"Cut the nonsense. Make it quick!" Fu Chengyan glared at Su Shaoqing impatiently. The latter raised his eyebrow and said, "Fine. I will make it faster!"

"Aunt Nuan, I'm scared!" As Yu watched Su Shaoqing taking the syringe and wanting to inject Shi Nuan, he was so shocked that he quickly closed his eyes with his hand.

Shen Qianan was worried that Yu would be frightened by the scene. Thus, she quickly took him out of the room.

When they were at the door, they bumped into Pei Huan and Bao. At first, Shen Qianan was stunned. She regained her senses quickly and gave a slight nod to Pei Huan. Pei Huan nodded back. Her gaze directed at the boy who was in Shen Qianan's arms, and she asked, "Yours?"

Shen Qianan answered by nodding her head. Then, she said, "Yu, come and greet the lady."

"Hello, madam."

Pei Huan smiled and nodded. "Hello, Yu!"

After the formalities ended, Shen Qianan turned to look at Bao and questioned, "Who is this?"

"My son. His name is Bao." While Pei Huan was talking, Li Heng appeared from behind her. Walking calmly and steadily, his movements were slow and unhurried.

Shen Qianan could not help but cower a little upon seeing Li Heng. Nevertheless, she proceeded to nod her head at Li Heng and greeted him. "Hello, Li Heng!"

He nodded back in acknowledgment. Then, he looked at Yu and narrowed his eyes suddenly. He asked Shen Qianan, "Well, are you in the hospital to visit Shi Nuan?"

Shen Qianan answered with a nod. "Are you here with Huan to see Nuan as well?"

Upon hearing the question, Pei Huan smiled. "You're right. I'm here to see Nuan. Why are you coming out here?"

"Yu is afraid to see Nuan inside having her blood drawn," Shen Qianan explained. Meanwhile, she had her eyes directed at Pei Huan and Bao.

Naturally, Pei Huan and Bao did not know the reason for Shen Qianan's scrutinizing gaze on them. They did not know that Shen Qianan was in a dilemma at that moment.

She had known in advance that Pei Huan was a member of the Fu family. Later on, the Fu family had taken Pei Huan back and acknowledged her as their daughter. Hence, they had known each other a long time ago. Nevertheless, she had never expected that Shi Nuan would be injected with a virus by a person three years ago. It so happened that the virus had been in Shi Nuan's body for three whole years. The instigator of the whole incident was probably the same man who had kidnapped her before. It was possible that Jue was behind it.

Upon noticing Shen Qianan's weird behavior, Pei Huan asked, "What's the matter? Are you not feeling well?"

Shen Qianan shook her head. "No. I want to take Yu to go for a walk."

"Okay."

Pei Huan looked at Shen Qianan's retreating back curiously. She then gave a slight frown. No one knew what she was thinking about, but they could feel that she was confused.

A broad hand was laid softly on her shoulder. Li Heng looked at Pei Huan and realized that she was staring at Shen Qianan's retreating back. "What's the matter?"

Shaking her head, she said, “Nothing.” But I can feel that there’s something odd about Shen Qianan. Afterward, she added, “Let’s go. We should go inside to see Nuan.”

“Yes.” Li Heng nodded. After seeing Pei Huan take Bao’s hand and enter the room, he turned his gaze in the direction Shen Qianan had disappeared to. After a long time, he averted his gaze and followed them into the room.

Meanwhile, Su Shaoqing had finished drawing the blood sample from Shi Nuan. Noticing that her face was slightly pale, he said, “Lie on the bed for a while. Do you want to eat some coconut candy?” When he took out some coconut candies from his pocket and offered it to her, he was stopped mid-air by Fu Chengyan. “This looks filthy. How dare you give it to Nuan?”

“Hey! Who are you calling dirty? How can it be dirty here?” Su Shaoqing was not pleased to see Fu Chengyan on high alert and scrutinizing his every movement. “Look at you being all melodramatic. I had offered Qianan the candy before when she had her blood taken. She didn’t think that the candy was dirty!”

Fu Chengyan narrowed his eyes. “It’s too dirty.”

Having heard the remark, Su Shaoqing pulled his sleeve up and prepared himself to have a fight with Fu Chengyan. “Oh, come on! You…”

On the other hand, Fu Chengyan merely raised his eyebrow. It was obvious that he did not take Su Shaoqing seriously. Then, he asked, “Are you sure you want to fight against me in here?”

“Of course! I’m going to have a fight with you here. I’m itching for a fight. As Nuan is my sister, by that definition I’m your brother-in-law. How dare you treat me this way?”

Snorting lightly, Fu Chengyan said, “I won’t fight against you.”

Raising his eyebrows, Su Shaoqing started to provoke him. “Are you afraid of me? I can see that you’re frightened.”

“You’re right. I am afraid. But I’m afraid that you will lose your dignity.” The disdainful look in Fu Chengyan’s eyes was clear for everyone to see.

“I can’t stand this any longer!” Pulling his sleeves up, Su Shaoqing started to push against Fu Chengyan. Nevertheless, he was stopped by Li Heng.

Unfazed, he gave Su Shaoqing a look and said, “Shaoqing, be calm!”

“How can I be calm now? The rascal has been bullying me. Hang on. You and Pei Huan as well…” Su Shaoqing wanted to continue his remark, but he was stopped by Li Heng’s cold glare. “Don’t you have anything to do in your hospital?”

"There's nothing to do. I'm way too free right now!" When the matter was brought up, Su Shaoqing was very frustrated. Then, he continued, "Just look at you. What's so impressive about your wife getting sick and staying in the hospital? Why are you driving all my patients away? The rooms are empty because of you. What do you want to do? Do you know how much the hospital's daily income is?"

As soon as he finished, he turned toward Fu Chengyan and said with disappointment, "Look at yourself! I have sacrificed a lot for you. But look at the way you have repaid me! You're trying to bully me. I'm your brother-in-law, for goodness sake!"

Fu Chengyan rubbed his temples before continuing, "Why are you behaving so dramatically these days?"

Su Shaoqing was stunned. The others in the room chuckled. Meanwhile, Shi Nuan burst into laughter.

Upon seeing Shi Nuan laughing uncontrollably, a blush crept on Su Shaoqing's handsome face. "Little brat, how can you laugh at your brother in such a way?"

With a smirk, Shi Nuan responded, "I just can."

Su Shaoqing glared at her upon hearing her answer.

Pei Huan thought that it was funny as well. "Stop it. It's rare for Heng and me to come and visit Nuan." Then, she took Bao's hand and approached Shi Nuan. "Nuan, how do you feel these days?"

"I'm fine. I don't feel anything." Shi Nuan smiled. She lifted her hand and caressed Bao's hair lightly. "Long time no see, Bao!"

"Hello, Aunt!" Bao lifted his head up and smiled brightly at Shi Nuan.

She nodded and smiled. Pei Huan suddenly recalled something and looked at her. "Nuan, I saw Shen Qianan in here just now. What was she doing?"

"Well, she was here to see me." Shi Nuan asked them to sit next to her. Li Heng, meanwhile, dragged Su Shaoqing and Fu Chengyan out of the room. Pei Huan was relieved to see them left. Then, Bao and she started to chat with Shi Nuan. "Does Shen Qianan know about your situation?"

Shi Nuan nodded. "Yes. She's here today not just to see me."

Pei Huan understood it at once. Then, her gaze shifted onto Shi Nuan's stomach. There was a complicated look on her face.

Knowing very well what Pei Huan was thinking about, Shi Nuan smiled. "Actually, I'm not really worried. Look at you. It's been three years and everything is well."

Upon hearing it, Pei Huan's face darkened. She did not dare to tell Shi Nuan that it was true she did not get sick. Nevertheless, she was fine because the virus was not activated. On the other hand, it was obvious that Shi Nuan had triggered the activation of the virus. It was the reason why she had gotten sick so soon.

"You're right. It means everything is well. I can see that Chengyan is worried, which is why he wants you to stay in the hospital. If that's the case, you should use the opportunity to extort him for money."

Shi Nuan chuckled. "If Yan knew that you said that to me, I'm afraid that he will be unhappy about it."

Lifting her head haughtily, Pei Huan said, "Why should I be afraid of him? I have someone backing me up these days. Thus, I'm not scared of him!"

After seeing her reaction, Shi Nuan knew that the matter with Li Heng had been finally solved. "Wait a minute. You went overseas with Li Heng. Where did you go?"

Pei Huan was shy. "We didn't go anywhere specific. Just took a walk around. Heng thought that we didn't spend much time together. Thus, he wanted to replace all the time that we've lost. So we went to the place that Bao and I had stayed before."

Shi Nuan merely smiled and nodded. It was because she was tired from sitting too long. When Pei Huan saw it, she quickly helped Shi Nuan to lie on the bed. "Do you want to eat anything? How about an apple? Let me peel some for you."

Meanwhile, after dragging Fu Chengyan and Su Shaoqing out of the room, Li Heng took them straight to Su Shaoqing's office. Then, with a calm voice, he said, "I need to go overseas tomorrow." Subsequently, his gaze shifted to Fu Chengyan. He paused for a while before continuing, "You need to arrange for someone to watch over Huan and Bao!"

Fu Chengyan frowned upon hearing it. "Why do you need to go overseas?"

"There's news coming from Frosa. They said Ghost Doctor has appeared. I need to go there personally to check whether it's true." Li Heng knew how important the matter was to them. Moreover, Ghost Doctor was not an ordinary man. Just a look at his subordinates and Li Heng was afraid that they would not be able to handle Ghost Doctor.

As for now, not only would his appearance influence the safety of Shi Nuan and the baby in her belly, but it would also affect Pei Huan and Bao.

“As he is targetting the Fu clan, it’s no longer about Shi Nuan anymore. I’m worried that he will do something bad to Huan and Bao!” Li Heng had been keeping Pei Huan and Bao at his side all this while. Thus, it was not a surprise that the people could not find any opportunity to do something bad to Pei Huan and Bao. Just in case the people find Pei Huan and Bao while I’m staying overseas, what can I do when they want to do something bad to them?

“All right!” Fu Chengyan knew that he was not the only one who was worried at that time. He realized that Li Heng was worried as well. Pei Huan was a member of the Fu family. Three to four years ago, she was the man’s target. Thus, everything that he had been doing could possibly be in the enemy’s plan. “Don’t worry. Rest assured. Huan is my sister. I will never let something happen to her!”

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### **Chapter 542 Stop It Right There**

Early next morning, Li Heng left. Naturally, Pei Huan knew where Li Heng was going. However, she still couldn’t find peace in her mind. Before Li Heng left, he deliberately went to Fu Chengyan. Although Pei Huan knew how serious the matter was, neither Li Heng nor Fu Chengyan was willing to tell her more details.

At the moment, Fu Chengyan was juggling between taking care of Shi Nuan and managing Shengyuan Group. Recently, there were attacks from both inside and outside of the company. Hence, Fu Chengyan knew it was a well-planned invasion from the other party.

He was shocked to find out that they had planted some spies in the management of Shengyuan Group. If Pei Jingxiu didn’t hack into their opponent’s firewall and detect something, Fu Chengyan might not even know that the other party had their forces within Shengyuan Group.

As Fu Chengyan was worried that the opposing party would find a chance to harm Pei Huan, he let Pei Huan and Bao stay in the Fu residence for their own safety.

Although the appearance of the Fu residence didn’t look appealing, Fu Zhengyun had hired many guards to watch over the place. Moreover, even Fu Chengyan didn’t have the full details of these hidden guards. Based on Fu Chengyan’s prediction, he believed his opponents wouldn’t enter the Fu residence rashly. Hence, the Fu residence was the perfect place to hide.

The blood test report of Shen Qianan came out. The results showed that her blood was ninety-seven percent similar to Shi Nuan’s. In other words, not only was their blood type the same, but they had somewhat identical contents in their blood. Therefore, if a person extracted some active enzymes from Shen Qianan and injected it into Shi Nuan, the latter would most likely not be harmed or have any rejection toward the substance.

However, it was merely Su Shaoqing's theory. He dared not try it on humans yet. Thus, at the moment, he used white rats as his test subjects. He would extract some blood samples from Shi Nuan and the active enzymes from Shen Qianan and inject both into the rat.

As the time period of the experiment was short, there weren't any results.

Meanwhile, Li Heng arrived at Frosa. The subordinates he had sent previously were mostly experts he arranged in each country. It wasn't an easy task to find the Ghost Doctor.

"Mr. Li!" shouted Song Zhe when he saw Li Heng walking out of the security checkpoint. Quickly, he went forward to help Li Heng with his luggage. "I've already booked a hotel for you. Do you want to go there first, or do you have other plans?"

"Where is the Ghost Doctor?" asked Li Heng coldly as he glanced at Song Zhe.

At that, Song Zhe paused. After passing Li Heng's luggage to the subordinate behind him, Song Zhe replied, "Mr. Li, do you want to find Ghost Doctor now?"

"Yes!"

"We haven't got his exact location. We only know that two days ago, Ghost Doctor appeared nearby. As we were afraid of a delay, we reported to you as soon as we found out about it."

Upon hearing that, Li Heng halted his steps. With a darkened expression, he questioned, "Are you telling me that you aren't sure of his whereabouts?"

Anxious, Song Zhe's expression became stiff. He straightened his back and replied, "Mr. Li, Ghost Doctor has appeared around this place. It's just that we can't locate his exact location right now. Thus..."

Li Heng looked at Song Zhe sternly and said, "You'd better pray hard that all your words are true and that he has appeared here!" At the moment, Li Heng's expression could send chills down a person's spine. Even Song Zhe, who was used to submerging himself in an intense environment, felt uneasy.

"Mr. Li, please give me some time. I assure you that I'll find him very soon." Song Zhe couldn't help but wipe the sweat off his forehead. However, from Li Heng's anxious looks, Song Zhe knew that the person was important to Li Heng. At that, he ordered his subordinates to search for Ghost Doctor. "Mr. Li, why don't you go to the hotel first?"

"No need for that. Where did Ghost Doctor appear two days ago? Send me all the information you have gathered to my email. Besides that, get me a car with excellent specifications." With that said, Li Heng got into the car. As for Song Zhe, he was



stunned for a second. After regaining his senses, he followed Li Heng and sat in the front passenger seat. "Mr. Li, I'll arrange for that immediately!"

Half an hour later, Song Zhe sent all the details about the Ghost Doctor to Li Heng's mailbox. Song Zhe's subordinate also got Li Heng a Hummer. "Mr. Li, is this good enough?"

Ignoring Song Zhe, Li Heng got into the car and buckled his seatbelt. Then, he ordered, "Send everyone to search for him. Don't miss a spot. If there are any findings, we will contact each other by phone!"

At that, Li Heng was about to drive the car away. Before he could do that, Song Zhe stopped him and said, "Mr. Li, don't you want a few people to tail you? Frosa isn't safe nowadays."

"Nope. It will be troublesome to take so many people with me!" Li Heng was a person who liked to act alone. He didn't want anyone to follow him. Thus, he rejected Song Zhe's request and left in his car.

According to the information given by Song Zhe, Ghost Doctor is currently in this area. As Frosa isn't peaceful recently, there are many shootings going on in the area. At the moment, it is a great place to obtain unrighteous wealth. Ghost Doctor saves people according to his whims and fancies. If he doesn't feel like it, he will not treat the person even if the individual offers him a large sum.

Li Heng spent a few hours going through the Ghost Doctor's information. After analyzing the location he appeared recently, Li Heng had his eyes on a spot. To his surprise, the place he had in mind was Willowbank, a town where he and Pei Huan had stayed previously.

Back then, Li Heng and Pei Huan brought Bao along as they lingered in Willowbank. Who would have thought Ghost Doctor would appear at this place?

After Li Heng made up his mind, he drove to Willowbank.

At the same time, the research back in Li Heng's home country was at its last phase. Right now, it was all or nothing. Hence, Su Shaoqing was a little nervous about the situation.

As for Shen Qianan, she looked calm. Does she know what she will encounter? Or is it because she doesn't care at all?

Su Shaoqing stared at the syringe that contained Shi Nuan's active enzyme and virus in his hand. With an uncertain look, he stared at Shen Qianan. Although their relationship was not close previously, they had settled their grudges. Naturally, Su Shaoqing treated Shen Qianan like his sister.



Staring at Su Shaoqing's hesitant look, Shen Qianan pursed her lips. "Shaoqing, I just want to tell you that I've made up my mind. Thus, you don't have to worry. Do it!"

Shen Qianan looked extremely calm. However, Su Shaoqing was her total opposite. "Qianan, you don't have to do it if you don't want to. Li Heng has already gone to find Ghost Doctor. Besides that, Nuan's condition is not that bad. If you injected this, wouldn't you be another victim of the situation?"

"Isn't this the quickest way? According to what you've said, Li Heng is still finding the person. We are not certain whether he will manage to find the person in time." Shen Qianan shook her head and continued, "Besides that, even if all of us have recovered, are you sure that he wouldn't attack us again? Fu Chengyan is right. The best way to deal with the situation is to lure the mastermind out. We can only fight back when he comes out."

With a determined expression, Shen Qianan stared at Su Shaoqing. "Shaoqing, inject me!"

At that, Su Shaoqing frowned. Staring at Shen Qianan's expression, Su Shaoqing couldn't help but sigh. When he was about to inject the substance into Shen Qianan, someone opened the door with great force. "Stop!"

The more Shi Nuan thought about the situation, the more she felt that something wasn't right. Nowadays, why does Shen Qianan look so sorrowful whenever she comes to visit me? After associating the matter with the words Shen Qianan said previously, Shi Nuan was sure something was wrong. When Shi Nuan pushed the door open, she could feel her blood pressure rising. Although she wanted to stop the injection, she was too late.

When Shi Nuan pushed the door open, Shen Qianan had already snatched the syringe from Su Shaoqing. Without hesitation, she injected the substance into her arm.

At the moment, Shen Qianan's face was pale. When she saw Shi Nuan, the corner of her mouth twitched. "Nuan, why are you here?"

"What are you doing?" Shi Nuan took the syringe from Shen Qianan. Unfortunately, it was empty.

With reddened eyes, Shi Nuan bit her lower lip forcibly. "Why did you do this?"

"What did I do?" Shen Qianan stared at Shi Nuan's reddened face and smiled. "As I'm not feeling well, I asked Shaoqing to inject me with some medication. Why are you crying?"

"Don't lie to me! You are not receiving an injection. You..." Shi Nuan thought they treated her like an idiot. "Isn't this the virus extracted from my body? Why are you guys doing this? Tell me, why!"

Then, Shi Nuan shouted at Shen Qianan. Immediately after that, she looked toward Su Shaoqing, "Shaoqing, aren't you close to her? Do you know what you're doing?"

At Shi Nuan's question, Su Shaoqing felt his head aching tremendously. Helplessly, he massaged his temples. With a tired look, he said, "Nuan, I—"

"Nuan, I'm fine. It really isn't the virus!" Shen Qianan gradually took the syringe away from Shi Nuan. As she felt less pain in her arm, Shen Qianan grinned as she looked at Shi Nuan. "I'm not an idiot, am I? Why would I inject the virus into my body? As you have not recovered, you still need me to save you. Thus, why would I do something so stupid?"

Shen Qianan then patted Shi Nuan's arm. "Why did you run out from the ward like this. Aren't you worried that Fu Chengyan cannot find you?"

Upon hearing that, Shi Nuan stared at Shen Qianan skeptically. As for Shen Qianan, she looked calm while looking into Shi Nuan's eyes. "See, I'm fine. It's just that I'm not feeling well of late. As I didn't want Yu to know about my situation, I came over to see Shaoqing in secret. Isn't that so?"

Shen Qianan shot a meaningful glance at Su Shaoqing. At that, the latter massaged his temples and nodded. "That's right. It's not what you think. I have my limits. Besides that, I haven't sorted out Pei Huan's illness either. Why would I give myself another patient?"

Although Shi Nuan still had her doubts, she couldn't find a valid reason they would lie to her.

With that said, Shen Qianan held Shi Nuan's hand as they returned to the latter's ward. Moreover, Shen Qianan even looked at Shi Nuan with a worried expression. She couldn't help but scold, "You are six months into your pregnancy! Why don't you have basic knowledge of being a mother?"

Moreover, your tummy is larger than an ordinary pregnant woman's as you will be expecting a pair of twins. From now on, you shouldn't walk around so much. Do you understand?"

Upon hearing that, Shi Nuan didn't know how to react. "Qianan, are you implying that I'm immature?"

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"Isn't this ignorance?" Shen Qianan sincerely said as she helped Shi Nuan into the hospital room. "You think you're young now, and your body is healthy enough to tolerate your abuse. However, when you grow older, you'll know that your body can't withstand all this damage!"

Shi Nuan burst into laughter. "You're saying like you are more experienced than me, but you're only a year older!" Shen Qianan's face reddened as she felt a bit awkward. "I'm still older than you."

"Yes, you are." Shi Nuan didn't want to argue with Shen Qianan. "Oh, right! Where's Yu?"

"He's at the Fu residence, probably playing with Bao." As Shen Qianan was talking about Yu, her face softened. It was clear that Shen Qianan loved Yu very much. "It's difficult to find a playmate of a similar age as Yu. So, it's no surprise that he likes to play with Bao!"

Shen Qianan would become more talkative if the topic of Yu came up. "It's not easy for Pei Huan to look after Bao alone."

"You're right," Shi Nuan said and nodded her head. "It must have been pretty tough for Huan." As she finished speaking, Shi Nuan grabbed and held Shen Qianan's hands. "Qianan, it must have been hard for you too, taking care of Yu."

The corner of Shen Qianan's mouth twitched. "I-It's still manageable." At that time, she was willful. A princess like her wouldn't know how to take care of people. However, she was reluctant to part with the little life she had in her, and she was hesitant to sever the connection she had with her baby.

In the end, she wilfully gave birth to Yu. That period was the hardest part of her life. Shen Qianan was unsure whether the decision she made was correct, but the most challenging part was already over. "All right, let's talk about something else now. Did Dr. Yu tell you the twins you're having right now are boys or girls?"

"He didn't say," Shi Nuan said while shaking her head. "Actually, I don't mind what gender they are. I never checked on purpose." Shi Nuan was not fixated on the gender of her unborn twins, and it seemed like the Fu clan was not too particular with their genders too. It was fine as long as she could give birth safely.

Shen Qianan nodded her head. "That's good, but I'm envious. You're going to have twins."

After that, the sisters chatted for some time. When Shi Nuan felt tired, Shen Qianan watched over her as she slept. Then, Shen Qianan left when Fu Chengyan arrived.

Fu Chengyan walked Shen Qianan to the door. As his gaze focused on Shen Qianan, he asked, "Have you gotten the injection?"

Shen Qianan's expression turned stiff at his question. She then nodded and said, "Yes, but don't tell Nuan!"

Fu Chengyan paused before nodding. "I'll let Zhou Zheng send you home."

"Okay!" Shen Qianan did not refuse Fu Chengyan's goodwill. However, after thinking for a while, she suggested, "From tomorrow onwards, I'll leave Yu in the Fu residence while I go back by myself."

A dark glint flashed in Fu Chengyan's eyes. He wanted to renege but, in the end, decided against it. "Okay."

"I'll take my leave, then," she said as she left.

Instead of entering the door, Fu Chengyan just stood in front of it.

He knew that what he was doing was selfish and perhaps unfair to Shen Qianan, but he had no other options now. To make that person appear, he had to bet everything on Shen Qianan.

According to the information obtained about the person, Fu Chengyan knew that he had lingering feelings toward Shen Qianan. Therefore, he wanted to see whether the person would make a move to save Shen Qianan, who had been injected with the virus. So, he wanted to take a risk to see whether that person would enter the trap he had set.

Shen Qianan exited the hospital and saw that Zhou Zheng was waiting for her not far off on the road. Zhou Zheng opened the car door when she approached the vehicle. "Ms. Shen, I was ordered by Mr. Fu to send you back."

"Okay," Shen Qianan said and nodded her head. "Thank you."

After she got in the car, she felt that Zhou Zheng was especially quiet today since he did not say anything.

Although Shen Qianan was not that familiar with Zhou Zheng, she knew about him somewhat. Her instincts were telling her that this Zhou Zheng was not quite right. "Zhou Zheng, where is the toy that my brother-in-law ordered you to buy? Yu said he wanted a Transformers set."

As she spoke, she noticed that the man in the driver's seat turned stiff before answering, "Oh, I'm terribly sorry, Ms. Shen. I was too preoccupied with fetching you that I forgot to buy it. Can I buy it tomorrow?"

As the man carefully observed Shen Qianan, Shen Qianan scrutinized the unusual Zhou Zheng too. At the moment the man answered her question, Shen Qianan slightly frowned. "Zhou Zheng, can you stop the car at..." she said and looked at the surroundings before continuing, "Do you see that mall across the street? Park there. I want to buy a present for Yu. I haven't seen Yu for a whole day now, and if I don't, he'll get angry!"

Shen Qianan's request was logical, yet the man took quite some time before answering. "Ms. Shen, I'm afraid I can't do that. You see, it's not safe, and I haven't scouted the place yet. Going out in public places are dangerous, so I'll send you back."

Unusual Zhou Zheng's refusal to stop the car was clear as day. Immediately, Shen Qianan's frown deepened. "You're not Zhou Zheng!"

With a composed face, he answered, "You must be joking, Ms. Shen. Who else could I be apart from Zhou Zheng? This is not funny at all."

"You are not Zhou Zheng," Shen Qianan repeated with certainty. "The Zhou Zheng I know wouldn't talk like this." Although he had the same face and a similar voice as Zhou Zheng, this man's way of speaking was different.

As Zhou Zheng was constantly at Fu Chengyan's side, he would have picked up some traces of Fu Chengyan's behavior and mannerisms. However, the Zhou Zheng here did not have any of it. "Who are you? I want to get off here!" Shen Qianan shouted.

"I am terribly sorry, Ms. Shen. My employer wants me to take you to him."

As the impostor realized his cover was blown, he did not try to hide his identity anymore. "Rest assured, Ms. Shen. My employer will not do anything to you. He misses you, that's all."

"Who is your employer? I don't know him, so let me go!"

Shen Qianan started to become more anxious, and she reached out to open the car door. Unfortunately for her, the car was modified, and it was locked from the front, so Shen Qianan could not open it. "Let me off here!"

"Ms. Shen, I advise you not to do any futile actions. Now, I'm inviting you. If you refuse to cooperate, I'll be forced to take more drastic measures," the fake Zhou Zheng threatened when he saw that Shen Qianan was being troublesome.

Gritting her teeth, Shen Qianan retorted, "Why do I need to go to your employer when he calls? Who is he? I don't know him!"

"J, my employer is Mr. J. Did you forget him, Ms. Shen?" He noticed that Shen Qianan had frozen for a slight moment. The imposter narrowed his eyes, believing that she had indeed heard what he said. "Ms. Shen, don't you miss my employer since you haven't met him for so many years?"

"Why would I miss him?" Shen Qianan coldly said. "You want me to miss a kidnapper and a sexual assaulter?" Shen Qianan glared at the man. At this moment, Shen Qianan stopped struggling. However, her entire person had become cold, and her words became expressionless.

"I think Ms. Shen might have misunderstood my employer. My employer has been thinking about you when you aren't there for all these years. Maybe you think that he has forgotten you, but in fact, my employer has always been by your side!"

"Haha!" Shen Qianan glared at the man coldly. "Do you think that I will believe anything you say?" She would never believe anything they said. Shen Qianan added, "If your employer really cares about me, will he let me wander on my own for so many years? So, please let me off. I don't want to see him."

"I am sorry, Ms. Shen. My mission is to bring you back!" The man ignored Shen Qianan's request and continued, "Please wait for a while longer, Ms. Shen. We are almost there."

Shen Qianan did not go against him, for she knew that the man would not listen to her. He would never let her leave.

Not long after, Shen Qianan felt a sudden weakness in her body, and she felt dizzy. Then, she fell unconscious. The man in the driver's seat turned his head back and looked at Shen Qianan before removing the handkerchief away from his nose and mouth. Seeing her sleeping face, he continued on his journey.

Outside the hospital, the real Zhou Zheng stood in an obscure place. He watched Shen Qianan get into the car before immediately calling Fu Chengyan. "Mr. Fu, you've guessed correctly. The person has taken action. He has found someone to impersonate me and took Ms. Shen away."

At this moment, Fu Chengyan was standing in front of the ward entrance. Looking at the soundly sleeping Shi Nuan, he tightened his grip on the phone before replying, "Okay, keep tailing them."

"Rest assured, Mr. Fu. We have our men tailing them. We will not lose them," Zhou Zheng said. "Moreover, we still have the chip implanted in Ms. Shen's body. If anything goes wrong, we can still find her."

"Good."

Fu Chengyan hung up the phone, but his eyes darkened.

Shen Qianan felt that she had a very long and disjointed dream. Her last memory was frozen from four years ago when Jue failed to meet her. And from that day onwards, she had never seen him again.

Shen Qianan was unsure what she had shouted in her dream, but tears streamed uncontrollably down her face.

She had slept for five hours. During these five hours, she knew she was dreaming, but she didn't remember what she had dreamt. She kept murmuring and muttering.

Shen Qianan was lying on the bed, entrapped in a nightmare. A man was standing by her bed. He had his arms behind him, and his eyes stared intently at Shen Qianan's face as if he could not get enough of her.

The eyes behind his silver mask showed a trace of warmth. He reached out and brushed a finger against Shen Qianan's face. "Qian!"

In that instant, Shen Qianan felt a sense of coolness on her face. It felt a little ticklish too.

She tried to open her eyes, but she heard a familiar yet strange voice in her ear. The man was calling her with an unfamiliar name.

"Qian!"

The man in her dream seemed like it was calling her too. "Qian!"

Shen Qianan kept running and running. She didn't know where the sound came from — be it from the front or back. She kept wandering and searching for something. "Jue, is that you?"

"Qian!"

"Jue!" She reached out and grabbed his hand. His hand felt cold and clammy.

Her eyes snapped open, and she saw that familiar mask appear before her. Shen Qianan's face was wet with tears. However, when she saw the cold and unfeeling mask and the man behind it, she froze before snarling, "It's you!"

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### **Chapter 544 I Am Not Fooling Around**

When J noticed Shen Qianan had woken up, she was looking at him coldly. There was no hint of affection in his eyes. It was as if Shen Qianan did not know who he was. If it were not for that glimmer of hatred in Shen Qianan's eyes, J would have thought that she did not know who he was.

"Qian!" J called out. "Keep quiet!" Shen Qianan shouted, interrupting his sentence.

"You're not worthy enough to call me by my name." J furrowed his eyebrows. His eyes were fixed on Shen Qianan from under the mask.



It was an undeniable fact that Shi Nuan and Shen Qianan looked exactly alike. J nearly thought that he had seen Shen Qianan when it was actually Shi Nuan. If it were not for the stark difference in their personalities, he might have actually gotten the wrong person.

Shi Nuan was too calm. She was just like that person, calm and collected. However, Shen Qianan was different. Although she was older than Shi Nuan, she was not as calm as Shi Nuan was. Even if Shi Nuan was afraid, she was still able to keep her cool in front of him.

Therefore, J was able to clearly differentiate both of them. Shen Qianan was a timid person, which contrasted with her personality.

When J looked at Shen Qianan, he could not stop himself from reaching out to her. However, before his hand could get any closer, Shen Qianan slapped him away with great force. She coldly looked at the man in front of her. The man had already left her anyway. Why was he back again?

Shen Qianan was envious of Shi Nuan. Not only because Shi Nuan managed to get Fu Chengyan's love, but Shen Qianan was also jealous of how fearless Shi Nuan and Fu Chengyan's love was. They did not care about what others thought at all. But what about her?

This man was not a ray of sunshine. Did she love him?

No. In fact, she hated him. If it were not for him, Shen Qianan might probably still be in love with Fu Chengyan. Even if Fu Chengyan did not reciprocate her feelings, at least she could find some self-worth from him. However, in front of J, Shen Qianan felt that her world was desolate. There was nothing at all.

J noticed that there was hatred and coldness in Shen Qianan's eyes. She did not look at him that way four years ago.

Back then, even when Shen Qianan was terrified and hated him, it was not as strong as it was now.

"Qian!"

"Shut up, Fu Sijue!"

Fu Sijue's hands paused in mid-air. His eyes glinted with a hint of coldness.

His hands remained hovered in mid-air. Shen Qianan was not able to see his expression underneath the mask, but she was able to detect the sudden coldness that radiated off Fu Sijue.

Shen Qianan shrank back instinctively. This small motion did not go undetected by Fu Sijue, for he instantly furrowed his eyebrows. "Are you afraid of me?" he asked with a fierce look.

Fu Sijue's question was responded with a scoff. "Afraid? Why should I be afraid of you?" Shen Qianan sneered.

Fu Sijue's lips twitched into a smirk. "Good." He reached out, and before Shen Qianan could smack his hand away again, he quickly grabbed her hand.

Fu Sijue's fingers were cold. Shen Qianan could not seem to find the words to describe what kind of coldness it was. Her hands were covered by his. Shen Qianan was about to pull her hand away but Fu Sijue tightened his grip. "I know you miss me, Qian."

"Miss you? Don't be crazy, Fu Sijue. Who would ever miss a kidnapper, moreover a harasser?" Shen Qianan exclaimed furiously.

Her voice made Fu Sijue's eyes darken once more. "Kidnapper? Harasser?" His low voice had a hint of mirth. He poked Shen Qianan's face and chuckled. "I know you miss me, Shen Qianan. Otherwise, you wouldn't have returned to the country, right?"

However, Shen Qianan trembled because of Fu Sijue's words. She tried to push him away, but alas, he was too strong. Shen Qianan could not even free herself. "Let me go, you crazy man! Pervert! Let me go right now!" Shen Qianan kept struggling. She was about to hit him with her other hand but was quickly caught by Fu Sijue.

Fu Sijue pulled her into his embrace. His icy cold aura instantly surrounded Shen Qianan. She shuddered uncontrollably but Fu Sijue brought her even closer. "You're still the same as before even after so many years."

Shen Qianan could feel her entire body shaking. She wanted to push him away, but she could not muster up a single ounce of strength.

Fu Sijue held Shen Qianan in his arms. His sharp chin was exposed as he kissed Shen Qianan on the cheek. "I've missed you too, Qian," he said with a smile.

Shen Qianan instantly lifted her head. Her surprised gaze met with Fu Sijue's dark ones.

His eyes were slightly different from Fu Chengyan's. When Fu Chengyan looked at her, his eyes were always cold and void of emotions. Shen Qianan always felt like she was looking at a block of ice instead.

However, Fu Sijue was different. Although his eyes were as dark as Fu Chengyan's, Fu Sijue's gaze was gentle. His eyes sparkled like the stars in the night sky. One could easily get lost in them for years.

Shen Qianan stilled and looked at Fu Sijue. His long arm wrapped around her back and brought her into a hug. His other hand softly stroked her face. Shen Qianan was trembling slightly and wanted to avoid his touch, but Fu Sijue did not allow her to. "How did you know my name?" He hummed as he gently bit Shen Qianan's ear. She shivered. "Stop being like this!" she exclaimed.

Instead, Fu Sijue smiled underneath the mask. He gently kissed Shen Qianan on her cheek. "Are you hungry?"

Shen Qianan was about to deny it when her stomach rumbled at that instant. Her face reddened while Fu Sijue's smile widened. He lightly touched Shen Qianan's face and said, "Be good and get changed. Let's head downstairs for food."

"I don't want to!" Shen Qianan pushed him away. This time, however, Fu Sijue did not force her but his smile fell slightly. "Stop fooling around!" he said.

"I'm not fooling around, Fu Sijue. What are you trying to do?" Shen Qianan could not stand him acting this way any longer. She really did not know what this man was trying to do.

If this happened before she knew of both her and Shi Nuan's identities, Shen Qianan probably would not have cared about this. However, once she knew that Shi Nuan was her biological sister, Shen Qianan could not turn a blind eye anymore.

"What are you planning to do? Nuan did nothing to you! Why are you treating her this way?" Shen Qianan took a deep breath as her hands curled into fists. "Do you know that she's pregnant?"

"So what?" Fu Sijue's eyes turned cold when Shen Qianan mentioned Shi Nuan. "What does that have to do with me?"

"Are you even human, Fu Sijue? She's an innocent pregnant lady. She doesn't even know you! Why would you treat a stranger, who's pregnant, this way?" Shen Qianan thought that Fu Sijue was cold-blooded.

"Is it just because of the rivalry between you and Fu Chengyan? But you have already kidnapped me to get revenge on him four years ago. Is that not enough? How dare you treat women this way. I despise you, Fu Sijue!" she exclaimed in fury.

"You despise me?" Fu Sijue laughed instead. He peered down at Shen Qianan, who was still on the bed. He reached out and touched her chin, tilting her head upward. "There are no innocent people on this Earth, right?" Fu Sijue replied as he stared at Shen Qianan.

"Let go of me!" Shen Qianan turned her head away. "That's only because you're a black-hearted person! There is no bad blood between you and Nuan. Pei Huan and Bao

are also innocent! Why are you targeting them? Fu Sijue, even if you have a grudge against Fu Chengyan, you should target the Fu family or deal with Fu Chengyan instead!"

Fu Sijue narrowed his eyes. He retracted his arm as he stared at her chin where his fingers once were. "All right. I'll deal with the Fu clan. Enjoy the show then."

"Are you crazy, Fu Sijue? What did the Fu clan even do to you? Aren't you from the same family too?" Shen Qianan had no idea why Fu Sijue would want to go to such lengths. Therefore, she wanted to trick Fu Sijue into explaining his motives. However, Fu Sijue misunderstood her words.

"Are you worried about Fu Chengyan?" he asked.

"I don't know what you're talking about." Shen Qianan glared at Fu Chengyan. "This has nothing to do with him!"

"What do you mean? Don't you love him? Didn't you want to marry him?" Fu Sijue snorted. "But Fu Chengyan married Shi Nuan. I'm actually doing you a favor. Once Shi Nuan's virus spreads, there will no longer be an obstacle for you. Isn't that great? I'm granting you your wish!"

"You're crazy, Fu Sijue. Shi Nuan is my sister!" Shen Qianan shouted at him, nearly screaming her lungs out. "I don't care how you want to go against the Fu clan or Fu Chengyan. Shi Nuan is innocent. Give me the antidote now!"

Shen Qianan extended her arm out as she glared at Fu Sijue. Unfortunately, Fu Sijue only glanced at her coldly. "There is no antidote for the virus. There is only one outcome for those who have been infected, and that is to die. It only depends on her luck now. She might only have a few days or a few months. If she's lucky, she might stay alive for the rest of her life."

Fu Sijue scoffed. "So what if she's your sister? Don't forget that it was her who stole the man you loved. At your lowest, it was she who stayed by Fu Chengyan. Don't you hate her?"

"I hate you!" Shen Qianan stared at Fu Sijue coldly. "You must have not known what it feels like to be loved. That's why you are simply speculating about my relationship with Shi Nuan with that view of yours. We are biological sisters. I am not going to watch her die. Give me the antidote!"

Shen Qianan did not believe that Fu Sijue did not have the antidote. However, he only looked at her coldly. "I said, I don't have it."

She bit her lip as she looked at Fu Sijue with ferocity. The man in front of her was as cold and heartless as he was four years ago. He still thought so lightly of human lives. He still viewed it so indifferently.

Shen Qianan thought that she must have gone blind and her heart had been eaten by wolves all those years ago. Otherwise, how could she have fallen in love with such a man? "I'm telling you one last chance, Fu Sijue. Give me the antidote!" she shouted.

"I don't have it!"

Shen Qianan looked at Fu Sijue. She suddenly started laughing. "Is that so?"

Fu Sijue furrowed his eyebrows. "What are you laughing at?"

"Is there really no antidote?" Shen Qianan raised her arm and wiped her tears away. With red eyes, she continued, "What should I do, then? I have been injected with the same virus that Nuan has."

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### **Chapter 545 Fu Sijue Is Cold**

"What did you say?" Not long ago, Fu Sijue had a frosty expression. However, his look was dark as night at this point. He reached out to hold Shen Qianan's hand while staring at her with a piercing gaze. Fu Sijue exerted some force on his hand and successfully held her down, restraining her from moving.

Shen Qianan felt pain, a pain that was sharper than a piercing pain. Her face went pale while facing Fu Sijue who was wearing a mask. Although she did not see Fu Sijue's expression, she understood that Fu Sijue was shocked and in pain through his icy gaze.

Fu Sijue clenched Shen Qianan's wrist tightly as if the former would eat the latter whole anytime. "Say that again!" he forced those words out through gritted teeth. He was so ferocious that it seemed like he wanted to devour her.

It was Shen Qianan's first time to see Fu Sijue's cold expression while exuding a menacing aura as if he was an evil messenger coming from hell. Petrified, Shen Qianan trembled in fear. Meanwhile, Fu Sijue had never retracted his gaze from her. "How dare you?"

Is she out of her mind? How dare she inject the virus into her body?

At that moment, he really felt like choking her to death. "You did that for Fu Chengyan? Do you really love him so much that you don't mind jeopardizing your own life for him?"

Fu Sijue's eyes went bloodshot as he shouted, "Speak now!"

Shen Qianan was shocked by Fu Sijue's reaction. Looking straight at his eyes tinted with malicious intent, Shen Qianan knew she should not have challenged that man. "Yes. I've injected the virus, and it's the same one as Nuan. I extracted it from her body. Look, we are sisters. They say sisters should go through thick and thin together. Fu Sijue, are you happy to see my sister in agony?"

"You're insane!"

Fu Sijue yanked Shen Qianan's hand forcefully. "Are you tired of living?"

Shen Qianan was flung onto the massive bed by Fu Sijue. Although the bed was soft, she felt her head pound upon the surface before slumping onto the bed. She could not think appropriately at that time.

It took her a moment to recover before she raised her gaze to stare at Fu Sijue. "I want to live. But what can I do since you want to kill my sister?"

"Don't you hate her?"

"Why should I hate her?" Shen Qianan chuckled. "I will never hate her because she's my younger sister!"

"Fu Chengyan injected you?" Fu Sijue fixed his gaze on Shen Qianan. "Are you crazy? Do you think you can easily threaten me into giving you the antidote just like that?"

Shen Qianan laughed. "I did not expect you to ask me to come over. After all, you were the one who did not want me at that time. I was rejected even though I took the initiative to look for you. Now, you are the one coming for me!" Shen Qianan looked at Fu Sijue and continued, "I did not expect you to bring me here by force. What do you want to do? Are you here to tell me that you almost succeeded? Haha. Fu Sijue, you have underestimated Fu Chengyan and his people!"

Shen Qianan got up from the bed and eyed Fu Sijue attentively. "If you had never injected the virus into Pei Huan and Bao, Li Heng would not have been involved in this." She raised her head while saying, "You even set Pei Huan and Bao up? You've planned everything for so long. Why do you have so much hate for the Fu clan? Pei Huan was just back at the Fu residence at that time, yet you are so ruthless in making a move on her."

Fu Sijue smiled. "Actually, I did not plan to do anything to her. It was the decision by that old man in the Li clan."

Shen Qianan felt a chill running down her spine. "Fu Sijue, you are horrible! You are indeed absolutely horrible!"

Although Shen Qianan did not know much about the Li clan, she knew that the downfall of the Li Group half a year ago was due to Li Heng. That guy decimated the Li clan single-handedly. What if the Li clan was not destroyed at that time? Uncle Bei would be...

"Horrible? The things I have done are nothing to what the Fu clan has done. The Fu clan is so dirty that everyone in the family is so awful! What do you think?" Fu Sijue could not hide his hatred toward the Fu clan whenever he mentioned that.

"It's getting late. You must be hungry now!"

Fu Sijue ignored Shen Qianan's question. He bent over and carried her in his arms.

Shen Qianan struggled, trying to break free from his embrace. However, Fu Sijue did not give her a chance to escape. "Stop, if you don't want to starve to death."

As expected, Shen Qianan became calm instantly. She must have drained out of energy after the arguments with Fu Sijue. She tried to struggle but to no avail. Knowing that it was futile to make him let her go, Shen Qianan stopped resisting anymore.

Seeing that the woman in his arms had quietened down, Fu Sijue carried her downstairs and headed toward a restaurant.

There were some people guarding the restaurant. When they saw Fu Sijue carrying Shen Qianan downstairs, they fixed their gazes on the duo while standing afar. "Mr. Fu!"

A guy in black strode over and stood in front of Fu Sijue. Afterward, the former started reporting to the latter, not trying to hide it from Shen Qianan.

Hearing that, Fu Sijue narrowed his eyes and smirked. "It's fine. You may leave now."

"Yes Sir." That guy paused for a moment while gazing at Shen Qianan. It took a short while for Fu Sijue to warn him with a menacing gaze before he left.

Shen Qianan looked at that guy for a while, frowning.

She thought that guy looked similar to the one who had kidnapped her from their back. However, they had different faces.

Fu Sijue noticed the unhappiness on Shen Qianan's face while looking at the guy leaving their sight. At that sight, Fu Sijue was displeased too.

"Eat now!"



Shen Qianan snapped back to her senses. She came to a realization that she was sitting on a chair with food piling in front of her. However, Fu Sijue was nowhere to be seen. "When will you let me go?"

Fu Sijue seemed not to hear what she said. Instead, he raised his gaze and stared at the two servants. "Serve the food now. Can't you see that Mrs. Fu is starving?"

"Yes, Mr. Fu."

The servants went to the kitchen and started bringing the food to them. After placing the cutlery before Shen Qianan, the servants left the scene.

Shen Qianan could not help but shudder when Fu Sijue addressed her as "Mrs. Fu." She tilted her head and realized she was close to Fu Sijue's chin.

His mask did not completely cover his face. Thus, she could see his sharp jaw-line clearly.

Shen Qianan had always been curious about Fu Sijue's face underneath the mask. Every time she slept with him, she was tempted to remove his mask when he had fallen asleep soundly.

However, Fu Sijue would notice whenever she attempted to take off his mask. Fu Sijue held onto her hand while staring at her icily. He nibbled her ear while pulling her into his arms. With a firm voice, he said, "The ones who had seen my face, they are all dead."

Shen Qianan could not help but tremble in fear upon hearing that. Even after his warning, she would still try to peek and see him bare-faced behind the mask.

"What's up? Are you full just by looking at me?"

Fu Sijue looked at her with his head tilted. He deliberately pulled a chair and sat beside Shen Qianan.

He picked up the chopsticks with his slender fingers and filled Shen Qianan's plate with the food. "Please eat. Isn't all of this your favorite food?"

My favorite?

Shen Qianan threw Fu Sijue a cold look. "Do you really know what's my favorite food?"

Fu Sijue retracted his hand while staring at that woman calmly. "Why? You don't like to eat this?" Fu Sijue beckoned over the two servants and said, "Mrs. Fu doesn't like these. You all understand that I won't make useless people stay in the house."

"Mrs. Fu, I'm sorry! Mr. Fu, please spare our lives!" The two servants went pale-faced and fell to their knees when they heard that. They knocked their heads on the marble floor forcefully. Although they were the ones suffering from the pain, Shen Qianan was shocked to see that. "Please stop it! I'll eat the food! Is that fine?"

With that said, Shen Qianan lowered her head and started eating the rice in the bowl. She was afraid that Fu Sijue would be crazy and put them into a tight spot.

Since Shen Qianan was so focused on eating the food with her head lowered, she did not realize the smile with a hint of affection on his face. "Eat slowly. You might choke."

Shen Qianan did not care so much at that time. She only thought that Fu Sijue was a demon that had gotten more ruthless than four years ago. She had regretted her decision to agree with Fu Chengyan to come here. However, it was too late for her to regret it at that time.

Seeing Shen Qianan's appearance, Fu Sijue was visibly in a good mood. "Don't eat so quickly. No one is going to take the food from you. Tell them what you want to eat, and they'll prepare it for you."

"Fu Sijue, when are you letting me go?"

Fu Sijue had a drastic change in his expression upon hearing that. "Is it not good staying here?" he asked sorrowfully. "Qian, do you still remember what you told me four years ago?"

Shen Qianan paused, and her hand holding the chopsticks trembled slightly. "I don't."

"I have promised that I will marry you. We'll live in a place where no one knows about us. We'll take care of and raise our kids together. Do you still remember the painting I have drawn for you? That's our house. I've prepared it. Once I am done with everything here, I'll bring you to that house. Is it okay?"

He leaned close to her and stroked Shen Qianan's silky hair with his slender fingers.

Shen Qianan would have believed what he said if she was not in the current situation.

However, she had seen Fu Sijue's indifferent attitude. She understood how cruel and ruthless that guy was.

The things he had promised previously seemed like a joke at this moment. She trusted him so much previously. However, he proved her wrong that she was no different from other women.

Fu Sijue is a merciless guy. He won't fall in love with me. On top of that, it's impossible he will change for me.

"After you are done with everything here?" Shen Qianan murmured. Then, she laughed and added, "Done with what? Destroying the Fu clan or ruining my sister? Do you think I will go with you?"

Fu Sijue's face fell while exuding a menacing aura. He reached out and raised her chin. "After all this, you can't bear to leave Fu Chengyan? Is he that good? He doesn't love you at all. He merely thought you were a replacement to Shi Nuan when you coupled up with him previously."

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### **Chapter 546 She Is My Sister**

Shen Qianan had gone missing. On the second day of her disappearance, Yu cried his eyes out because Shen Qianan was nowhere in sight. Even Pei Huan and Ning Xin had no luck comforting the distressed child at home. Left without a choice, they disclosed this issue to Fu Chengyan.

It was initially a good idea for Yu to meet Shi Nuan since she resembled strikingly to Shen Qianan. However, Fu Chengyan refused to allow the two to meet up. They had never seen Fu Chengyan with such a hardened resolve before.

Ning Xin and Song Zhenyan did not know the hidden reason behind this, but Pei Huan knew about it. There had been no news from Li Heng as of recent, and Pei Huan could not help but feel worried. She feared the worst had already happened to Li Heng.

That day, Pei Huan had taken He Yun to the hospital. Fu Chengyan's recent work was also basically moved to that hospital for future developments. Regardless of the nature of their work, Zhou Zheng was assigned to handle them.

Naturally, Fu Chengyan did not tell Shi Nuan about these things. Shi Nuan merely assumed her condition had not been under control. She was also aware of her infection by the virus, hence her cooperation for the past few days.

Shi Nuan did not know that Fu Chengyan was in the ward next to her. She, however, felt things were amiss each time she cooperated for her health examination. It was not until that day when Shi Nuan hardly saw any people in the corridors of such a big hospital. Only then did she realize that things were not as simple as she thought.

She did indeed see Pei Huan bringing Bao and Yu together to the hospital. That alone was enough to make Shi Nuan notice that some things were not as they seemed.

Only after asking did Shi Nuan realize that Yu had not seen Shen Qianan for days. For the past few days, Yu had stayed at the Fu residence. Ever since Shen Qianan left the hospital on that particular day, she never came back.

Initially, Fu Chengyan had told everyone to keep this a secret from Shi Nuan, but now she had already found out.

Shi Nuan kept requesting to look for Shen Qianan. Fu Chengyan had no choice but to ask someone to bring the children away. In the end, he took a glance at Pei Huan, his eyes filled with an unfamiliar emotion.

Pei Huan also knew that Fu Chengyan might be troubled with self-blame. Despite that, she was a mother herself and had similar experiences, so she empathized with how difficult it was for the children not to get to see their mother.

Fu Chengyan then asked Pei Huan to bring Bao and Yu out to play. Only Shi Nuan and Fu Chengyan were left in the spacious hospital ward.

Shi Nuan frowned, looking at Fu Chengyan with rage-filled eyes. "Where has my sister gone to?" In fact, she was not questioning him even though she was staring at Fu Chengyan with a serious look in her gaze. "Fu Chengyan!" That was the first time Shi Nuan called him by his full name.

Fu Chengyan frowned in response. As he was about to speak, Shi Nuan continued, "You must know where my sister has gone, right? Fu Chengyan, this is my sister we're talking about."

"May!" Fu Chengyan cried out as he walked over to Shi Nuan. As he reached out to hold her hand, Shi Nuan rejected his advances. "What have you been working on recently? Is there perhaps something wrong with my body? Fu Chengyan, I have the right to know these things! Also, where did my sister go? What did Su Shaoqing inject my sister with that day?"

Shi Nuan was not a fool. Judging by Pei Huan's appearance that day and Fu Chengyan's current actions, Shi Nuan more or less knew what was going on.

"Yu's biological father was the person who kidnapped me that day, am I right?" Shi Nuan stared intently at Fu Chengyan before continuing, "My sister was kidnapped by them before, and yet, you have the audacity to let her be the bait?"

Shi Nuan stared straight at Fu Chengyan intensely as she spoke. The unfamiliar look in her eyes made Fu Chengyan feel uneasy and suffocated. "Fu Chengyan, she is my sister!"

"I know this. May, I had no other choice but to do this. He injected a virus into you. Do you know what that means?" Fu Chengyan's icy stare expressed a hint of tenderness as he spoke. "You know I can't just sit by idly and do nothing. I can't bear to see you suffer!"

"My sister was innocent!" Shi Nuan protested, taking a deep breath. "I'm saying what if that man has no interest in my sister? Then you'll just be sending her into a death trap." Shi Nuan dreaded thinking about Shen Qianan's well-being in her current state.

After all, the man she had a prior encounter with had been a cold and ruthless person. After exchanging words briefly, she did not get the chance to know him better. However, she could tell that that man was indeed a cruel person.

To think that he could even inject the virus into a woman and a child like Pei Huan and Bao, Shi Nuan dared not imagine what he would do to Shen Qianan.

"May, please believe me!"

Shi Nuan shook her head. "It's not that I don't believe you. You can't reassure me that he's not going to harm my sister. Isn't it?"

A wave of exhaustion suddenly came over Shi Nuan as she said, "Yan, I know someone injected the virus into me. You're worried, but so am I. But you can't just put my sister at risk because of me. Have you ever thought about what's going to happen to Yu?"

Fu Chengyan rubbed his temple. "All right, May. Give me some time. I'll see what I can do to resolve this. Okay?"

Holding Shi Nuan's hand, he assured, "I've already made the necessary arrangements. I assure you, Shen Qianan will be fine!"

Shi Nuan wanted to say something, but Fu Chengyan never gave her another chance to speak. "Li Heng has gone to Frosa. He went to look for the whereabouts of a Ghost Doctor in Willowbank. May, all you need to do is wait patiently. Li Heng will be back before you know it!"

Meanwhile, Li Heng drove to Willowbank in Frosa on his own. The fires of war had clearly ravaged the place as corpses lay scattered everywhere. It was hard to imagine he and Pei Huan had spent time here together three months ago. At that time, Pei Huan had suggested staying for a longer period of time. In fact, the two even made plans to ditch Bao just so they could make a trip here again without the latter.

Li Heng got out of his car and scanned the surroundings. As he looked around, Li Heng spotted many volunteers nearby but did not see any signs of the rumored Ghost Doctor.

Not far away, a child crawled out from a pile of corpses. It was unclear what that child was searching for by venturing into the corpse piles. After rummaging for a long time, Li Heng looked up and saw no fear in the child's face, as if accustomed to seeing such grisly scenes.

Scarred by the war in a ruined environment, this place had lost the vibrancy it once had three months ago. A child no older than ten years old picked up a syringe and extracted some substance from the corpses with a cold expression before putting it calmly inside their bag. The child crossed over corpses and seemed to be hiding from someone before disappearing in front of Li Heng.

Li Heng narrowed his eyes. Throughout his years of doing business, Li Heng interacted with people from all walks of life. In addition, he often saw such scenes when he spent time abroad. Scenes of someone licking blood from the edge of a knife were nothing new to Li Heng. That child from before caused Li Heng to experience a heightened sense of intuition.

Li Heng pursed his lips, focusing his line of sight on that spot where the child was earlier.

He walked over and saw the corpses that the child had previously crawled on. At first glance, these corpses were ordinary, just like the others. However, upon closer inspection, these corpses were not casualties of war. A possibility still stood that they could have died from being shot at by bullets or bombed by artillery. Some corpses, however, had spots on their bodies and discolored lips, proving their deaths were different compared to those who died from the war.

Li Heng took out his handkerchief and covered his mouth. Crouching down, Li Heng took his army knife habitually before inspecting the corpse. He then saw several markings on the corpse, possibly a type of identification.

Narrowing his eyes, Li Heng checked the other corpses and found similar markings on their bodies.

There was a cold look in his eyes as he spotted the markings. Li Heng soon stood up to clean his army knife before getting into his car right after. He then drove toward the direction where the child had left.

Corpses scattered everywhere, with the occasional survivors wandering around. The rest were people who had been left in a state of shock, followed by volunteers.

With eyes as keen as a hawk, Li Heng saw a group of people and spotted the child immediately. He had a lingering feeling that there was something strange about this child. Li Heng then quickly got out of his car and followed the child.

This child was clearly not an ordinary person. After walking for a few hundred meters, he instinctively knew someone was following them. In response, the child began shuttling between the small corpse-filled town.

Seeing this, the corners of Li Heng's mouth widened as he grew increasingly curious about the prey he was chasing.

After running around for a while, the child thought he had escaped from Li Heng's pursuit. The child turned around, only to find Li Heng standing right in front of him.

Startled, the child took a few steps back. As he tried to run, Li Heng successfully blocked his path.

"Who are you?" The child asked in Granatanolan despite not being fluent in the language. He looked at Li Heng with wariness in his eyes.

With raised eyebrows, Li Heng maintained his smile and replied to the child in fluent Granatanolan. The child, of course, could not understand a word spoken by Li Heng. Li Heng then took two steps forward, but the child took several steps back with his hands reaching into the bag. In an instant, he attacked the moment Li Heng stepped forward.

The smile on Li Heng's face became more prominent as he disarmed the child with ease, causing him to fall to the ground. Angered, the child cursed at Li Heng in fluent Sylvonish.

Li Heng was a little surprised as he exclaimed, "What an interesting child you are!" There was a smile on Li Heng's face, though it was an intimidating one when facing his prey.

The child looked at Li Heng with a horrified expression. He never expected Li Heng to understand his words.

"Who the hell are you? Why are you following me?" The child soon stood up, holding a scalpel in his hand. As he readied to stab Li Heng, the child found he could not even get closer to the latter.

Instinctively, he knew Li Heng was a formidable person.

Li Heng arched an brow and said, "Take me to him."

"I don't know what you're talking about!" the child calmly replied. At a glance, one could tell the child had also undergone a strict training regimen.

The child had no time to react as Li Heng moved up to him in an extremely swift manner. Unbeknownst to him, the scalpel he held earlier had ended up in Li Heng's hands.

Li Heng looked down, the gaze of his keen eyes soon focused on the fine-looking scalpel. The scalpel also had an engraving on the handle with the word "Huo" on it. This is the unique symbol of the Huo family, which precisely belongs to Huo Shenxing.

"Take me to him," Li Heng replied clearly in fluent Sylvonish this time.



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### Chapter 547 Little Brat

The kid shuddered at the look of Li Heng's eyes. "I don't know where he is!" "You're lying!" Li Heng was whirling around a scalpel. His smile did not have a hint of warmth. "Well, if you don't want to bring me to him, you can try to outrun my throw. Let's see if your speed beats my accuracy."

Li Heng pretended to hurl the scalpel at the kid. The kid began to shiver in fear. "... I'll bring you there!" Li Heng twitched his brow and kept the scalpel. "Move!"

That kid had not the slightest idea about Li Heng. But he was not going to take his chances after seeing what Li Heng was capable of. He said, "Mr. Huo doesn't just simply meet with anyone." Which Li Heng replied, "Is that so?"

"Yes! By the way, where are you from, mister?" The kid was still speaking Sylvonish as he asked Li Heng. "Z Nation," Li Heng answered. His gaze fell on the kid. "Aren't you going to take off your mask after disguising for so long?"

Just as the kid was stunned, Li Heng swiftly tore off the mask, revealing an innocent face.

The face was carefully assembled. She was a little girl that was no more than fifteen, or sixteen years of age. She appeared younger with her disguise, probably around twelve to thirteen years old. Her thin figure was easily mistaken for being malnourished.

The girl glared at Li Heng for tearing off her mask. "How do you know?" she asked defiantly.

This time, she spoke in fluent Z Nation language, sounding rather bitter for being exposed. She continued, "No one has ever figured out my disguise!"

"Well. I can only assume that those people are blind as bats, Ms. Huo," Li Heng exclaimed.

The girl's eyes widened as she looked toward Li Heng in disbelief. "How do you know that my family name is Huo?"

Li Heng smirked. "Rumor has it, Huo Shenxing has a precious little sister. So, what brings you to this kind of place?"

"None of your business!" Huo Ling's eyes bulged. "Who are you really?" A sudden realization hit her. "How did you know that I'm Huo Shenxing's sister?"

So far, no one could tell her real identity underneath the disguise, except for her brother, Huo Shenxing. She had kept it hidden from so many people. On top of that, practically no one knew that Huo Shenxing had a little sister.

Huo Ling set her cautious eyes on Li Heng. “Are you planning to bring mischief to the Huo family?”

Li Heng was amazed by Huo Ling’s imagination. “What were you collecting from the corpses earlier? Was it samples of virus?”

Huo Ling panicked and looked toward Li Heng. This guy is really something! How does he know that I’m collecting viruses at the site?

For the past ten days, she had been in Willowbank. The place was plagued not only with war, but also diseases. That was the reason why she was there. Huo Shenxing was here for that exact reason. Huo Ling had actually sneaked in after her brother because she was bored at home.

It took less than a few days before Huo Ling was found out by her brother and asked to leave by herself. Huo Ling turned back halfway after she was sent off.

Within the Huo family, other than Huo Shenxing who had remarkable medical skills, Huo Ling was also exceptional at it. But there was an unwritten rule in the Huo family’s teaching. The women in the family would be married off eventually. Once married, they would no longer have use for the medical training that they had received in the Huo family. For that reason, the medical skills were never passed down to any woman in the family.

Huo Ling had amassed her medical knowledge through mimicry. Later, when it was found out by the Huo family, Huo Ling was banned from getting near it. Huo Ling was quick-witted despite her young age. She had disguised herself as a boy and escaped the watchful eyes of the Huo family many times before. Naturally, this time, Huo Ling was able to escape without any hassle.

Huo Ling was keen on comparing herself with Huo Shenxing. She knew Huo Shenxing was investigating the disease and she wanted to follow suit. However, she was shut down before she could even begin. The group finally appeared after much waiting but was annihilated nonetheless. Huo Ling was left with no other choice. She had to scavenge from the lump of corpses.

Huo Ling did not think that she would be targeted during her short expedition.

I think I did a pretty good job at disguising myself. How come this man could still tell in an instant? Huo Ling was frustrated. “Mister, out of so many others, why did you have to go after me?”

Huo Ling started scratching her head as if she was going to have a breakdown. "I can't let my brother know I'm here, otherwise I'm dead!"

There was no way she was going to lead Li Heng to Huo Shenxing. Huo Shenxing would skin her if he found out.

It took Li Heng a huge amount of effort to finally come across someone who was associated with Huo Shenxing. Thus, he had not the slightest intention to let her go. "Are you a medical practitioner?"

Huo Ling was high strung as he observed Li Heng, not knowing what his next move would be. Li Heng was amused by the little brat's expression. "You're not going to spill it, aren't you? Well actually, I can locate Huo Shenxing by myself. Can you imagine if..."

"Who are you really?" Huo Ling sighed at her ill-fortune. "I'll call you handsome if that's what it takes. Can you please, just let me go? I'm not a fugitive and I've never crossed you. Why do you have to get in my way?"

Huo Ling was ready to kneel before him. She thought about running. But the thought was put off after she had examined her feeble limbs. Huo Ling knew that she stood no chance against Li Heng. Her natural instincts told her to not piss off the man in front if she had her best interest in mind.

Huo Ling was truly desperate. "You shouldn't bark up the wrong tree. If it was Huo Shenxing or the Huo family that have wronged you, you should look for them instead and not me. I have cut ties with them long ago."

Li Heng twitched his brow. "You little brat. You're quite funny, aren't you?"

"No, not at all!" Huo Ling was quick to deny it as she shook her head violently. "Handsome, do you think you can let me go, please?"

As she was speaking, Huo Ling tried to attack Li Heng's weak spot. With a twist of his arm, Li Heng slammed her directly onto the ground.

A loud thud was heard. Based on the sound of impact, Huo Ling thought her organs must be damaged. She was literally biting the dust.

Pfft! Pfft! Huo Ling spat out two mouthfuls of dust and scrambled to her feet. "D\*mn! Mister, don't you know how to be gentle with women?" Despite her underdeveloped body, she was still a lady. Her oval-shaped face had turned many heads before.

But Li Heng could not care less. He took her down straight without blinking an eye. Huo Ling felt like her sanity was on the verge of collapsing.

"You mean, you?" Li Heng inspected her. He had absolutely no regard for Huo Ling. "Bring me to Huo Shenxing!"

"No way!" Huo Ling would not budge an inch. "You can go by yourself. Since you're capable of hitting a woman, it should be a piece of cake for you to find a certain someone." Huo Ling never planned on going to Huo Shenxing. So, her only option was to escape. But she would never be able to wrestle her way out of Li Heng. If she wished to escape, she had to have a plan in mind.

Huo Ling's eyes darted around as her gears began to spin. Li Heng had his arms crossed and watched over Huo Ling nonchalantly. He was waiting to see what the little brat was up to.

He had already found Huo Ling, so he was not worried about finding Huo Shenxing.

"Well. If you're not taking me to Huo Shenxing, then you will have to follow me instead." Soon as he finished, Li Heng swung his hand in her direction and firmly clasped onto Huo Ling. He then proceeded to throw her into the car.

Huo Ling was on the verge of tears. Even so, Li Heng did not show any sign of letting up. He took another glance at Huo Ling and noticed her canvas bag. Without any warning, he snatched over her bag and tossed it to the ground.

"Hey, hey... that's my life's work. You..." Huo Ling had more to say, but her mouth was quickly stuffed by Li Heng.

"Ms. Huo, since you're unwilling to cooperate and bring me to Mr. Huo, then I have no choice but to trouble you with a trip together." Li Heng filled her in.

With her mouth stuffed, Li Hen only managed to let out muffled sounds. Trip? To where?

Once Huo Ling was properly tied up, Li Heng held up a cigarette between his fingers and looked at her interestingly. "Imagine the Huo family suddenly missing a daughter. What do you think they would do in light of that?"

Huo Ling's eyes widened with astonishment. She never thought that the man was capable of something so despicable.

Li Heng caught the look of surprise on Huo Ling's face. He knocked on the window with his slender fingers. "Seems like Ms. Huo is also well versed in medical practices, which means I don't necessarily need Huo Shenxing. Am I right?"

After finishing his words, Li Heng tossed his cigarette bud to the ground, where the canvas bag was lying. He stepped on the pedal and blasted off from the godforsaken place.

Huo Ling could not believe that she had just been kidnapped by Li Heng. She could not even speak properly as her mouth was stuffed. But she resisted strongly, hoping that Li Heng would let her go.

Li Heng said with a smirk, “Ms. Huo, I’m guessing you’ve never been to Z Nation! Let me be your humble host and show you around Z Nation!”

How shameless! How despicable! Huo Ling was shaking furiously.

She was completely helpless with her hands bounded. What kind of tying method did this old man use? The harder I struggle, the tighter it gets.

Li Heng did not bring Huo Ling back to his country right away. They made a detour at the capital of Frosa. It had only been less than three days since Li Heng left. Having returned so quickly, with Huo Ling on his back, Song Zhe was very puzzled. Song Zhe asked, “Mr. Li, who is this?”

Li Heng took a glimpse at Song Zhe and instructed, “Arrange a room for her and have someone stand guard. Don’t let her run away!”

“Hey, Mister! Who are you really?” Huo Ling asked without a care in the world.

Seeing that Li Heng had remarkable skills and the people surrounding him were also strong-looking, Huo Ling could not help her curiosity.

Huo Ling was also quick to accept things. She had long given up on escaping, after counting her odds. Even with that said, she still harbored some hatred toward Li Heng. After all, this old man threw away my hard-earned virus samples.

The thought of that brought her to fumes. Huo Ling glared at Li Heng. “I’m still a member of the Huo family. I don’t think it reflects kindly on you if I continue to be treated as such!” She signaled at the ropes that were still wrapped around her arms and body. Can you imagine being hog-tied as a lady? Where should I put my face after this?

“Oh! I’ve totally forgotten about it.” Li Heng was suddenly reminded. He simply looked toward Song Zhe and said, “Keep her tied up just like that!”

Huo Ling was devastated as she stared at Li Heng. “Mister, you will forever be shunned by others. I curse you to live the rest of your life in solitude!” She was grinding her teeth in anger.

“Oh! My apologies. I already have children and a wife,” Li Heng mocked.

“Pfft!” Song Zhe could not hold his laughter.

Huo Ling scowled at Song Zhe. "What are you laughing at? You won't be able to find a girlfriend as well! Wait... No, not even a boyfriend!"

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### Chapter 548 You Have No Chance

Song Zhe's smile suddenly disappeared. Blood pulsated through his veins as he looked at Huo Ling. "I did not expect such crude words from a young lady like you!"

"You can cover your ears if you like. No one forced you to listen!" Huo Ling could not stop herself from rolling her eyes. She continued, "What do you want from me? I'm worthless. If you want to get my brother, then go ahead! There's no need to involve me!"

Despite Huo Ling's yells at Li Heng, he ignored her. He then shot Song Zhe a meaningful glance before returning to his room.

Huo Ling stared at Li Heng with wide eyes, unable to believe he just left without a word. She continued to roar at him until she finally broke into tears, but Li Heng remained in his room.

Song Zhe pinched his brow. He noticed Li Heng addressed Huo Ling as "Ms. Huo" and guess that she was a member of the Huo family. He also heard Huo Ling mention she had a brother. Hence, there was nothing he could do to her at the moment. He swept his gaze across Huo Ling helplessly. "Mr. Li is not going to entertain you, young lady."

"Huh? Who does he think he is? Open the door for me!" Huo Ling thundered as rage nearly consumed her. She did not care about anything else anymore.

"I'm sorry, Ms. Huo," Song Zhe apologized, although he did not actually feel apologetic. He shot a glance at his subordinate. The subordinate passed him a key card at once. "Mr. Song, this is the key to the young lady's room. Her room is right next to yours."

Song Zhe's lips twitched a little. Is this a joke? I'll have to keep watch over this little demon?

Song Zhe brought Huo Ling to her room and tossed her on the couch. "Young lady, you better not plan to do anything silly. No matter what you try to do, you can never escape from Mr. Li!"

"I don't care!" Huo Ling had no fear for Li Heng. She was known as a troublemaker at a young age. Other than Huo Shenxing, she was not afraid of anyone else. "Let go of me! I want to challenge him in a one-on-one battle! Is he obsessed with me or something? That must be the reason he won't let me go!" Huo Ling yelled.

Song Zhe's lips twitched. "Nonsense! Mr. Li has a wife, and she is a pretty woman." He then scanned Huo Ling from head to toe and said, "Or at the very least, she is a real woman!"

"Wait, what? What did you just say?" Huo Ling fumed.

Song Zhe chuckled. "Young lady, you better stay put. Mr. Li is a prominent figure you don't want to mess with!"

"Haha!" Huo Ling rolled her eyes. "He's someone I don't want to mess with? So, what's his name, then?" Although she did feel that Li Heng was indeed someone capable, Huo Ling did not want to admit it.

Song Zhe thought Huo Ling was rather interesting, as she seemed to be fearless. "I bet you've heard of the Third Master Li, haven't you? His name is Li Heng, whom we address as Mr. Li!"

"Hold on! What did you say his name was again?" Huo Ling jumped up from the couch.

Initially, she had an arrogant expression. Upon hearing Li Heng's name, she suddenly sat up, her eyes bright. "What did you say his name was, mister?"

Song Zhe looked at Huo Ling in puzzlement. He noticed the sudden change in her expression, too. She merely repeated her question, "Hey, what is his name?"

"His name is Li Heng, and he's also known as Third Master Li!" Song Zhe thought Huo Ling was about to pull some tricks. However, the moment Huo Ling heard Li Heng's name, her eyes started gleaming, and she chuckled like a fool. "How about you untie me, mister? I promise I will not run away. Please just untie me now!"

Her dark eyes glinted brightly as she gazed at Song Zhe smilingly.

Song Zhe suddenly felt a chill running down his spine. His instinct told him that Huo Ling had something planned. "That's impossible. Mr. Li specifically ordered not to untie you!"

"I'm still a minor. In fact, I'm just a kid! You tied me up so tightly that it hurts. Look at my reddened wrists!" Huo Ling blinked as she looked at Song Zhe pitifully. However, Song Zhe pretended to be blind and responded, "No way! You stay the way you are before Mr. Li gives a new order!"

"Hey, don't leave me alone!" As Huo Ling noticed Song Zhe was about to leave, she swiftly rushed up to him. However, her wrists were tied up, and she could not grab him. Upon seeing her approaching, Song Zhe subconsciously avoided Huo Ling. The next moment, she stumbled to the ground harshly. Huo Ling shot daggers at him. "Ouch, my chest! I think that just put a dent in my flat chest! Why did you push me away?"



Song Zhe felt that Huo Ling was nothing but a troublemaker, and he had goosebumps just looking at her. He uttered, "Well, at least you know that you have a flat chest! That's good. It's good to have some self-awareness. So stop trying to convince me to let you go because you're a kid and all that. It doesn't work!"

Song Zhe ignored Huo Ling. He dusted his hands and left the place, leaving her on the ground.

"Hey!" Huo Ling shouted for help ceaselessly, but no one cared about her.

Sighing, she struggled to get up from the ground. However, no matter how hard she tried, she still could not untie herself. "F\*ck! I just want to meet my idol. There's no way I'd run away!"

Meanwhile, Song Zhe proceeded to Li Heng's room directly after he had done settling Huo Ling in her room. "Mr. Li, about Ms. Huo, is she..." Song Zhe stopped before he finished his question. In fact, he was going to ask if Huo Ling had a mental problem. Besides, he thought they were there to look for Huo Shenxing instead of a young lady like Huo Ling.

Despite wanting to know more, Song Zhe gulped and remained silent after noticing Li Heng's expression.

Li Heng eyeballed him, asking, "What's wrong?"

"I've settled Ms. Huo down, Mr. Li. Do we still need to look for Huo Shenxing?" Song Zhe asked.

"There's no need for that. Make sure to treat Ms. Huo well," Li Heng uttered calmly.

Song Zhe nodded. "All right, sure. However, Ms. Huo mentioned that she-"

Li Heng interrupted, "She's Huo Shenxing's sister!"

Song Zhe raised his head abruptly in realization. He smiled subtly as he remarked, "No wonder they share the same last name. Of course, she's Huo Shenxing's sister. You're a wise man, Mr. Li. You managed to seize the girl as soon as you came and-"

Upon meeting Li Heng's glare, Song Zhe stopped speaking and inquired instead, "So, what do we do now, Mr. Li?"

"Let's return to Z Nation," said Li Heng calmly.

"I thought we're still looking for Huo Shenxing?" What Song Zhe meant was that Huo Shenxing had to be in Frosa since his, Huo Ling, was here, too. However, upon noticing Li Heng's confident countenance, he stopped making further comments.

Li Heng threw the cigarette in his hand away a moment later, and he said, "Reserve the flight tickets back to Z Nation for tomorrow night. We'll bring Huo Ling along with us!"

"Roger that. I will book the tickets now!" Song Zhe replied.

Li Heng was indeed smart. Huo Shenxing was a man with a temper, and it was hard to tell if he would follow them back to their country if they went to him directly, let alone treat Shi Nuan and Pei Huan.

However, Huo Shenxing would surely show up as long as they had Huo Ling.

Li Heng had Huo Ling as his hostage. Thus, he was sure that Huo Shenxing would approach him. Even if Huo Shenxing did not approach him personally, the people from the Huo family would eventually do so.

Huo Ling was favored, as she was the only female grandchild in the Huo family. Rumor had it that she was spoiled. Otherwise, she would not have the courage to travel on her own to Frosa, a war-torn place.

Li Heng was a ruthless man. He still restrained Huo Ling despite the fact that she was a lady. The next day, Song Zhe visited Huo Ling at her room.

Huo Ling's hands were still tied behind her back. She was sleeping soundly on the bed and did not even realize it when Song Zhe entered her room.

Ever since her visit to Frosa, she had been on guard and always remained in a tense state. She never allowed herself to relax. Although she was a member of the Huo family, nobody cared about that in a war-torn country. Huo Ling still cherished her life very much. Thus, she was cautious every time she tried looking for those men who were carrying viruses.

Now that she was held hostage by Li Heng, she ironically had a chance to relax and let her guard down. Hence, she slept well.

Nonetheless, as a member of the Huo family, Huo Ling still maintained a basic sense of vigilance. She opened her eyes suddenly and noticed Song Zhe's presence. Immediately, she put on an innocent expression. "Hey there, mister."

The corners of Song Zhe's mouth started to twitch. "My name is Song Zhe."

"Oh hey, Mr. Song." She smiled sweetly. "I bet you know my identity now. I promise I won't escape. Come and untie me!"

Song Zhe pinched his brow upon seeing her, but he still untied her, chuckling as he said, "Mr. Li wishes to meet you."

"That's great! I want to meet Heng too!" Huo Ling stretched her hands and moved around a little after Song Zhe untied her. She beamed at Song Zhe and continued, "Heng wants to meet me? Is it because-"

"Stop right there." Song Zhe noticed the sudden change in Huo Ling's attitude, and he was slightly terrified. He went on, "Please address him as Mr. Li. You shouldn't call him by his name. Mr. Li and Mrs. Li will be mad if they hear that."

Huo Ling raised her brows. "Is Heng really married?"

"They even have kids now. You don't stand a single chance, young lady." Song Zhe glanced at Huo Ling.

"Hey, eyes up here!" Huo Ling immediately covered her chest. She added, "Flat chest aside, I am still a woman!"

"You are just a girl!" Song Zhe didn't want to argue with her anymore. "Let's go now."

Huo Ling followed Song Zhe's footsteps out of the room, muttering something incoherently. As they entered Li Heng's room, Song Zhe greeted, "Mr. Li, I have brought her here."

Upon meeting Li Heng, Huo Ling pushed Song Zhe away, dashing toward Li Heng. Smiling, she greeted, "Heng! I heard you were looking for me!"

Li Heng's brows furrowed when he heard Huo Ling's voice. When she almost approached him, Li Heng pushed her away from him with the back of his hand.

"Oh my goodness! You're so cool!" Huo Ling exclaimed.

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### **Chapter 549 Bringing Huo Ling Back**

Huo Ling's eyes sparkled as she looked at Li Heng in admiration. "You're awesome, Heng! You're even better than my brother!" Li Heng frowned and looked at Huo Ling coldly.

Is this girl stupid? Song Zhe slapped his forehead. He initially wanted to remind Li Heng how strange of a girl Huo Ling was. Now that she had revealed her strange behavior, Song Zhe could only hold back his laughter in silence. To be precise, she started behaving strangely after discovering Li Heng's identity yesterday.

"Ms. Huo, please return to Z Nation with me!" Li Heng demanded. "Sure, Heng!" Huo Ling exclaimed as she got up from the ground. "I would go anywhere you want me to go, Heng! You don't have to worry because I'll follow you wherever you go."

After a short pause, Li Heng ridiculed, "You must be dumb!" Li Heng was a harsh person with a sharp tongue.

Pei Huan knew about Li Heng's sharp tongue from the moment they first got to know each other. The two seemed to have first met through a dramatic misunderstanding and were hurling insults at each other during their first meeting. Thus, when everyone thought Li Heng was an untouchable man who was cold and arrogant, Pei Huan, on the other hand, only regarded Li Heng as a man with a sharp tongue. People around Li Heng would either be intimidated by his strong aura or be pissed off by his words.

However, Li Heng rarely exhibited his sharp tongue in front of outsiders. Thus, both Huo Ling and Song Zhe were shocked when he hurled his insult at Huo Ling.

Song Zhe blinked a few times, as he could not believe his ears. However, after hearing Li Heng's next insult, Song Zhe was finally convinced he was not hallucinating.

"It's unfortunate for the Huo family to have an idiot like you!" Li Heng mocked. "Yes, yes. Everything you said is correct, Heng!" Huo Ling nodded profusely.

The corners of Song Zhe's mouth twitched vigorously while Li Heng looked at Huo Ling as though he was looking at an idiot. "Get ready, Song Zhe. We're leaving tomorrow!" Li Heng exclaimed.

Li Heng was not concerned about Huo Ling's intentions, as he was only responsible for bringing Huo Ling back. Then, Huo Shenxing would eventually appear. Huo Shenxing might be a demanding person with an odd temper, but he treated Huo Ling very well. In fact, he was very protective of her.

Meanwhile, Huo Ling was looking at Li Heng as though he was the most perfect being in the world. "Do you really not remember me, Heng?"

Li Heng glanced at Huo Ling and uttered, "Of course, I remember. What about it?"

"You really remember me?" Huo Ling asked as she pointed at herself. "Do you really remember me?"

"Aren't you Huo Ling from the Huo family?"

Huo Ling was disappointed when she heard that. "Heng, I—"

"Call me Li Heng, or you can call me Mr. Li just like Song Zhe."

"No!" Huo Ling bit her lip when she heard that. "Li... You're my idol! Do you really not remember me? It's me! Nine years ago... In Lostaria!" Afraid that Li Heng couldn't remember her, Huo Ling pointed at her face frantically before lifting her sleeve to reveal a scar on the back of her hand. "Do you remember this, Heng?"

Li Heng squinted and sized Huo Ling up. A while later, he furrowed his brows and asked, "Are you that little beggar?"

"You're right. It's me! You've saved me before, Heng!" Huo Ling said excitedly. "You saved my life, but I didn't have the chance to repay you. Back then, you only told me your name. Then, I tried looking for you, but they said you left. Where did you go?"

"Don't mention it." Li Heng rubbed his temples.

He did not expect Huo Ling to be the little beggar he had saved back then. He would not have remembered her if she did not mention it.

"Since fate has brought us together again, I will help you with everything, Heng. Why are you looking for my brother?"

"To save someone!"

"To save someone? I can do it too. I have pretty good medical skills. In fact, I'm much better than my brother!" Huo Ling said as she put her hand over her chest to pledge assurance. "You can count on me!"

"You?" Song Zhe clearly did not believe Huo Ling. She looks like a regular teenager who's about fifteen or sixteen. How could she have medical skills?

Nonetheless, Li Heng began to scrutinize Huo Ling seriously. "You said you have medical skills?"

"Yes, I do. Don't you remember what I did yesterday? I was extracting viruses from those people. Stop assuming that my brother is the only person with great medical skills in the Huo family, all right?"

"Well, then. In that case, come back to Z Nation with me, Ms. Huo," Li Heng replied.

He was not suspicious of Huo Ling's ability because the Huo family was indeed a prestigious family of medical practitioners. Thus, it would not surprise him if Huo Ling had medical skills. Since they could not find Huo Shenxing, bringing Huo Ling back to his home country would be beneficial too. At least Huo Ling must have better medical skills than Su Shaoqing.

On the following day, Huo Ling, who was exceptionally thrilled, returned with Li Heng. However, when she tried talking to Li Heng, he paid no attention to her. She was disappointed by this, but it did not diminish her excitement in the slightest. She then started chatting with Song Zhe.

From the conversation, she learned about the major factions in Z Nation. She also learned that Li Heng was the former leader of Li Group and was still the head of the Li family at that moment.

While Huo Ling was a casual person, she was not interested in gossip that was not related to medicine. Thus, she did not know how much impact Li Heng had on Jiang City. She was dumbfounded when Song Zhe told her about Li Heng and the others to her and blurted out, "I thought my brother was the most powerful person in the world. Who would've thought that there's someone even more powerful out there!"

"That's right!" Song Zhe remarked with a sneer. Has she been living under a rock her whole life? Perhaps the Huo family had her locked up in the Huo residence. That might explain why she doesn't know the evilness of the outside world.

The journey took more than ten hours. After getting off the plane, the group walked behind Li Heng. Huo Ling chattered along the way like a lively bird that could not stop chirping. However, as she dared not pester Li Heng, she continued pestering Song Zhe and even asked him about Li Heng's wife.

Pei Huan was already waiting outside the airport with Bao and Liang Lin.

As it had been rather unpeaceful recently, Liang Lin paid extra attention to their surroundings. When he learned that the plane just landed on time, Liang Li immediately reported to Pei Huan. "Madam, Bao, Mr. Li has gotten off the plane."

"Is Daddy back?" Bao, who was eating ice cream initially, looked around with his big and round eyes as he tried to locate his father. "Mr. Liang, let's go find my Daddy!"

As he said that, Bao shoved his ice cream into Liang Lin's hand. "Quick! Help me put this away!"

Liang Lin did not know whether to cry or laugh as he looked helplessly at Pei Huan. Amused, Pei Huan reached out her hand to ruffle Bao's hair softly. "Don't worry. Since I got you the ice cream, your Daddy wouldn't dare say anything about it!"

"No, I still mustn't! I'm a good kid!" Bao explained as he looked righteously at Pei Huan. "How could you teach me to lie to Daddy?"

Pei Huan was speechless.

"What lie?" Li Heng's crisp voice sounded from nearby. As he glanced at Liang Lin's hand, the latter instantly hid the ice cream away as he greeted Li Heng, "Mr. Li, you're back!"

Li Heng snorted loudly, then turned to face Pei Huan and Bao with a gentle countenance. "Huan!"

"Welcome back!" Pei Huan answered with a faint smile. "I thought your flight would take longer to arrive!"

"Uh-huh!" Li Heng nodded in response. Then he reached out to pick up Bao before entering the car. "You've gotten heavier!"

Bao wiggled his little buttocks and pouted. "No, I didn't get heavier! I missed you so much that I couldn't eat, Daddy! I'm no longer adorable now because I've gotten skinny. Touch my face and feel the difference, Daddy!"

Li Heng let out a laugh and reached out his hand to pinch Bao's face. "You've gotten fatter!"

"Daddy! If you keep saying that, I'm going to get mad!" Bao huffed and crossed his arm.

"All right, your daddy is tired because he just got off the plane! Come here. Let me give you a hug!" Pei Huan coaxed Bao resignedly before reaching out her arms. However, Li Heng shook his head at her as he stated, "It's okay. I'll hold him."

Although Bao said he would get mad, he was still filled with joy when Li Heng held him. "Daddy, since you were away from home for so many days, did you miss Mommy and me?"

"Of course, I did!" Li Heng answered.

"Oh, my god!" Outside the car, Huo Ling, who was being held back by Song Zhe by her shirt collar, stared into the car in disbelief. She looked as though she was seeing the most beautiful image in the world. "How could you be so gentle, Heng?"

"Is that your baby, Heng? He's so adorable. I'm being overloaded with cuteness!" Huo Ling exclaimed, her eyes sparkling with delight as she stared at Li Heng and Bao.

When she tried to lunge toward Li Heng, Song Zhe yanked her back by her collar, preventing her from getting close to them. "Oh, my idol! Let go of me, Mr. Song! I want to see my idol and his handsome child!"

Li Heng shot a cold glance at Huo Ling, but Huo Ling was not intimidated at all. "Heng, your baby is so cute!"

Pei Huan looked at the young girl outside of the car, who seemed like a regular teenager.

Pei Huan was momentarily stunned. "Weren't you looking for the Ghost Doctor? Why did you bring a young girl back instead?"



"Is she your wife, Heng? She's so pretty. Hello, Mrs. Li. I'm Huo Ling," Huo Ling greeted as she waved at Pei Huan, who responded with a polite nod before turning to Li Heng in puzzlement.

"This is Huo Ling, Huo Shenxing's sister!" Li Heng gave a short introduction of Huo Ling, and then he shot a look at Song Zhe and said, "Ms. Huo will be sitting in your car!"

"Yes, Mr. Li!" Song Zhe sighed. "Follow me, Ms. Huo!"

After seeing Song Zhe take Huo Ling away, Li Heng lowered his head and continued playing with Bao. "Huo Shenxing did not appear. I was worried that something would happen here, so I brought Huo Ling back first!"

"Okay." Pei Huan nodded. "With Huo Ling here, Huo Shenxing will surely appear. But are you sure he won't be angry at us for bringing Huo Ling over like this?" Pei Huan asked, concerned that Huo Shenxing would get angry and refuse to help.

"It won't happen. Huo Ling is too important to Huo Shenxing," Li Heng replied with confidence. "Huo Ling has medical skills too. Let's have her diagnose you and Shi Nuan later today!"

Pei Huan nodded, followed by a sigh. "I guess that's the only thing we can do now. By the way, Shen Qianan has been taken away by Fu Sijue."

Li Heng's eyes glinted slightly. "I know. Chengyan told me."

"Nuan even had a quarrel with my brother. After all, Shen Qianan is Nuan's elder sister, but Chengyan used Shen Qianan as bait," Pei Huan commented in a worried tone.

Li Heng held Pei Huan's hand and squeezed it dearly. "Don't worry, everything will be fine. You know Chengyan wouldn't do anything if he isn't confident, right?"

"By the way, why did Huo Ling say you saved her?" Pei Huan was rather interested in Huo Ling.

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### **Chapter 550 Sharp Tongue**

"It happened years ago. Back when I was handling some matters in Lostaria, I just happened to save a beggar!" At that time, Li Heng didn't think much about the beggar, who turned out to be Huo Ling. If she had not brought it up, Li Heng would have forgotten about it already.

Pei Huan nodded and laughed. "I see. Huo Ling still seems to idolize you!"

His stern gaze met Pei Huan's eyes, and amusement filled his eyes. Especially when he heard her saying those words, he reached out to pat Pei Huan's head. "What's the matter? Are you jealous?"

"Jealous? What are you talking about?" Pei Huan scoffed. "You couldn't possibly have thought that I'm jealous of a young girl!" She couldn't help but slap Li Heng's hand away and glare at him fiercely. "That girl is only fifteen or sixteen years old, okay? She's still underage!"

Li Heng glanced at the hand that she had slapped away. A glint of playfulness flashed in his eyes as he sighed helplessly. "Ah... So it seems I've lost my charm! When my wife sees me with another woman, she isn't jealous!"

"At least find a better-looking woman who poses a greater threat! Do you expect me to be jealous of an underage girl?" Pei Huan couldn't help but roll her eyes. "Well, since you've brought her here, where is she supposed to stay?"

"Doesn't the Li clan have a villa?"

"Oh, she'll stay at the Li residence? All right, then!" Pei Huan was stunned. She didn't have anything against the arrangement, but she questioned, "Huo Ling wouldn't mind, right?"

"Why would she?" Li Heng didn't seem to care for Huo Ling's feelings. "Everything was okay in that period that I was gone. Am I right?"

"Yeah, everything was fine. It's just that my sister-in-law is in a bad mood these days, and my brother is worried about her condition. Moreover, Shaoqing hasn't gotten it checked out, and my brother doesn't dare to let her take any tests. After all, she's pregnant with two children!"

After she said those words, she started feeling uncomfortable and continued, "When did you say Huo Shenxing will come?" She wasn't in a rush, but she was afraid that she couldn't keep Shi Nuan and the rest waiting.

"There's no need to hurry." Li Heng knew what she was worried about. "We can get Huo Ling to settle down first. Then, we can go to the hospital to visit Chengyan!"

The car stopped outside the Li residence's gate. Aunt Zhang had seen Li Heng's car approaching from afar and quickly opened the door to welcome them. "Heng and Huan, welcome back! Oh, you've brought Bao too!"

"Aunt Zhang!" Pei Huan greeted Aunt Zhang with a smile on her face. "Thank you for your hard work!"

"It's not hard work at all!" Aunt Zhang smiled and looked toward Li Heng. "Heng, you're finally back."

"Grandma!" Bao greeted sweetly. He broke away from Li Heng's arms, stomped his little legs, and flung his arms open. "Grandma, carry me!"

"Ah... Okay, I'll carry you!"

When Aunt Zhang saw Bao, her face lit up brightly, and she hurriedly reached out to bring him into her arms.

"Be careful!" Li Heng was worried that Bao would be too heavy for Aunt Zhang to hold. As such, he held onto Bao with one hand. "Aunt Zhang, let me carry him!"

"Heng, are you saying that I have no strength? Remember, when you were young, I was the one who carried you around! Don't worry. I'll be careful. I won't drop him!" Aunt Zhang grew fonder of the little boy the longer she looked at him. "Bao looks just like you when you were younger, Heng! He's like your carbon copy!"

Li Heng grinned from ear to ear. "Aunt Zhang, I'm just worried that he's too heavy. You might hurt yourself."

Although he said that, Aunt Zhang insisted on carrying Bao. Therefore, Li Heng could only give in.

As Aunt Zhang carried Bao inside, Bao could tell that she was getting tired. "Grandma, I can walk by myself!"

"You're such a good child!" she said as she put him down. "Heng and Huan, would you two like to rest for a while first? I'm in the middle of cooking. The food will be ready in a little while."

"Wow. It's huge!" Just then, a clear voice sounded throughout the Li residence. The voice seemed to carry a hint of childishness in it. "Mr. Song, please bring my luggage in!"

The luggage in question was actually a small bag that Huo Ling decided to buy impromptu before boarding the plane.

Huo Ling walked in as if she owned the place. Wandering around, she looked at the space with a scrutinizing gaze before nodding. "Hmm. Not bad. This is not bad at all. It's much better than my house!"

"Heng, this is?" Aunt Zhang was curious about the girl who had just entered. When she saw how comfortably she behaved, she couldn't help but look toward Pei Huan.

Pei Huan smiled. "Aunt Zhang, please prepare a room for Ms. Huo later!"

Since Pei Huan instructed so, Aunt Zhang would naturally do it. "All right. I'll prepare the room later. About Ms. Huo's luggage..."

"Hey, hey! Heng, your house is huge, and it looks amazing!" Huo Ling exclaimed, rubbing her hands together. Her gaze then fell on Bao, and her eyes lit up. "Oh, what a cute little munchkin!"

Bao was rendered speechless.

Huo Ling approached to squeeze Bao's cheeks, but he managed to slap her hands away. "Weirdo!"

Huo Ling was stunned.

She was starry-eyed. Although it hurt to be hit by Bao, on the account that he was cute and Li Heng's child, she could tolerate it. "Heng, your baby is so cute! What do you say? Can I become his godmother?"

The corner of Pei Huan's lips twitched. "That... Ms. Huo, you yourself are still a child!" Pei Huan thought that the girl's imagination was quite absurd, but she could tell that she had no malicious intentions. Therefore, Pei Huan wasn't worried about her.

"Goddess!" Huo Ling instantly rushed forward and grabbed Pei Huan's hand. "Goddess, you must have had a myriad of achievements in your past life to have been able to meet such an excellent man like Heng!"

Pei Huan grew uncomfortable by Huo Ling's sudden closeness and threw Li Heng a glance. He cleared his throat and signaled to Song Zhe. "Song Zhe, please bring Ms. Huo upstairs." He paused for a while and continued, "Aunt Zhang, prepare the room on the north side for her!"

"Oh, okay!"

Although Li Heng didn't say anything, Aunt Zhang could tell that Huo Ling must be quite impressive. If not, Li Heng wouldn't have brought her to this house. "Ms. Huo, why don't you go upstairs with Aunt Zhang?"

"Okay, okay!" Huo Ling nodded as she followed Aunt Zhang and Song Zhe. Suddenly, she stopped in front of the staircase. "Heng, you're not allowed to leave, okay?"

Li Heng felt helpless. After Huo Ling left, he looked toward Pei Huan.

Pei Huan had been holding back her laughter. The situation was simply too hilarious. "People from the Huo family aren't as difficult to interact with as the way people say so!"

The only thing Li Heng could do was sneer. Although Huo Ling was a bit stubborn, it didn't mean that Huo Shenxing was as well. As a significant member of the Huo family and their most accomplished heir in the medical field, Huo Shenxing was truly more than what the rumors described.

During the time when Huo Ling followed Aunt Zhang upstairs, Li Heng went into the kitchen to cook. Aunt Zhang was almost done preparing the food, so he only cleaned up a little and made two more dishes. Meanwhile, Pei Huan was with Bao in the living room playing chess.

Bao might have been young, but he had high intelligence, a trait that he inherited from Li Heng. From a young age, he had shown to be much smarter than his peers. However, he didn't like showing off, so at school, he mostly hid his skills.

By the time Pei Huan finished playing a few rounds with Bao, Li Heng came out of the kitchen. Untying his apron, he smiled faintly as he walked over to the two of them. He was surprised that they were evenly matched. "Bao's chess skills have improved quite a bit." At that, his gaze fell onto Bao's chess pieces. He was stunned. "Who taught you this?"

"Mr. Pei!" Pei Huan lifted her gaze. She smiled a little helplessly. "Two days ago, we went to my brother's office, and Mr. Pei was there recently. He played chess with Bao over the two days. Initially, Bao was not as skillful as I was, but now..." Even Pei Huan couldn't help but sigh. "How high did you say Mr. Pei's IQ was?"

"It's not as high as you think!" Li Heng reached out to pat Bao's head. "You're pretty good at chess, but you can't crush your opponent by using these extreme moves, okay?"

Bao raised his head and looked at Li Heng with a serious expression. "Daddy, Mr. Pei told me that playing chess was like doing business. You cannot give way to your opponent. Otherwise, you'll bring about a disaster to yourself!"

Li Heng's eyes darkened for a moment. He snorted and patted Bao's head. "It's not good to be playing so intensely when you're still so young. Moreover, you're playing against your mom. Shouldn't you go easy on her?"

"Oh!" Bao pouted. "Okay."

"Well, Bao is still a child!" When Pei Huan saw Bao drooping his head, her heart softened. She reached out and gently stroked his head. "It's all right. It's a game of chess. You can do your best! Don't pay attention to me, okay?"

"But Daddy said I should go easy on you!" Bao thought seriously for a moment. "I'll always go easy on you, Mommy. But if I'm playing with anyone else, I won't hold back!"

Daddy, is that okay?" The little boy looked up. His soft, cute appearance was simply adorable.

"Yep!" Li Heng gently touched Bao's forehead. "Remember, in the Li clan, no matter what, Mommy is the most important, okay?"

"Okay!"

"Li Heng, what are you teaching him?" Pei Huan couldn't do anything when she saw her husband telling their child those words. Li Heng shot a bitter glance at her. "What's wrong with teaching him to give way to my wife and his mother?"

"Great Mr. Li, the room is so comfortable!" Just then, Huo Ling skipped down the stairs. "Wow! It smells amazing, Great Mr. Li!"

Li Heng looked toward Huo Ling as she descended the stairs. Before, she had called him "Heng." Now, she was calling him "Great Mr. Li." "Call me Li Heng!" Li Heng chided.

"But Heng, you're my savior!" Huo Ling seemed vexed. "How can these names reflect your valor and heroism?"

"What an idiot!" Bao had a sharp tongue. He must have inherited it from Li Heng.