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Chapter 2161 - 2161 Qin Si Belatedly Realized, Could the Friend Be Sister Qiao!

Qiao Nian was now under Shi Fu in the Level 8 laboratory. Shi Fu was the best in the semiconductor field, and Qiao Nian herself was extremely talented.

Chips and computers were also associated.

If Qiao Nian joined in, this cooperation would definitely not be considered taking advantage of Lu Zhi.

Lu Zhi looked at her with a faint smile. "You're doing everything for them. You never liked to meddle in other people's business in the past, but now..."

Qiao Nian glanced at him, causing him to stop mid-sentence.

"Forget it. I'm giving him a chance on your account, anyway."

Lu Zhi mentioned the research institute then.

Qiao Nian told him about her experiences there.

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At 3:00 PM.

Qin Si arrived at Mo Dong's place and found Mo Xi and a few people from Bright Gate's technical department there.

"Young Master Qin, you're here." Everyone was familiar with him and greeted him familiarly.

Qin Si was also a friendly person. He replied to them one by one with a smile. Then, he went to look for Mo Xi and asked him to help him find Lu Zhi's location.

Mo Xi did not delay and contacted the people from the Hacker Alliance to get them to investigate.

While the Hacker Alliance was trying to find Lu Zhi's address, Mo Dong poured him a glass of water.^{magic}

Qin Si thanked him.

Mo Dong held a glass of water and leaned against the other end of the table, then asked casually, "How do you plan to talk to Mr. Lu after we find him?"

Qin Si looked at him in confusion.

With the rough scar on Mo Dong's face, he did not look like a meticulous person. In fact, he had his own meticulous side. With Qin Si looking at him, he paused and explained, "Lu Zhi is Tian Chen's boss. He can control the huge Tian Chen at his age. Do you think he has no bodyguards guarding him? You'll probably be thrown out before you can approach his residence."

There was nothing wrong with his guess.

Everyone knew that Lu Zhi was disabled. Someone in a high position and weak-bodied would definitely have someone protecting him.

Moreover, the security measures must also be better than ordinary ones.

It would probably not be so easy for Qin Si to see Lu Zhi after getting his address.

"I'll talk about it after I find his address." Qin Si was magnanimous. After understanding his worry, the corners of his eyes raised and he said half-jokingly, "I've always been quite lucky since I was young."

Just as he finished speaking, he suddenly received a call from an unknown number.

Qin Si looked down at his cell phone, put down the glass of water, and said to Mo Dong, "I'm gonna answer this call."

He picked it up casually after seeing that it was an unfamiliar number. "Hello? I'm Qin Si, hm? Tian Chen's man? Ah... yes, tomorrow morning? Yes, I have time."

"Alright, I'll contact you again." He hung up, already dumbfounded.

Mo Dong was already at him when he mentioned Tian Chen. He asked seriously, "Young Master Qin, what's wrong?"

In a daze, Qin Si scratched his nose and looked straight at him. "Ahem, Tian Chen's people are looking for me. It seems they want to discuss a collaboration with me."

"Tian Chen's people?" Mo Dong was stunned. "Haven't Tian Chen's people always been cold and rarely take the initiative to contact others?"

"I don't know, either." Qin Si muttered, "They said that a friend told them about me... but I don't know who it is."

Qin Si was shocked. "Damn."

Before Mo Dong could continue, Qin Si shook him and asked, "F*ck, f*ck, this friend can't be Sister Qiao, right?"

Chapter 2162 - 2162 Is There Anything in This World Miss Qiao Can't Do?

Mo Dong felt dizzy from his shaking. He forcefully pulled him away and asked seriously, "Young Master Qin, what Miss Qiao?"

"F*ck, f*ck..." Qin Si was still muttering. His eyes were not focused on Mo Dong. He was obviously still in shock. "It must be Sister Qiao... Only Sister Qiao is the most likely. Damn, why didn't I think of Sister Qiao before?"

Mo Dong was even more confused now. He asked again, "Young Master Qin, what are you talking about?"

Qin Si still remembered Jian Jin calling him to discuss the collaboration. There was no space in his mind to think about anything else.

He did not even pay attention to Mo Dong's question. He suddenly slapped his thigh and hurriedly said, "No, I have to go back and contact my family."

"Young Master Qin..." Mo Dong still wanted clarification.

Qin Si had already rushed to the living room to get his things. He hurriedly said to the two of them, "Mo Xi, Mo Dong, I'll go back first. I'll contact you later!"

Mo Xi was not here just now and did not see Qin Si take a call from Tian Chen. Seeing him walk out in a hurry, he was puzzled and asked, "Young Master Qin, aren't you waiting for news?"

Qin Si hurriedly waved his hand and walked away without looking back. "I'm not waiting anymore. You don't have to investigate anymore."

"I'll go first." He walked quickly.

Seeing that he was in a hurry, Mo Xi walked over to Mo Dong and looked at him in confusion. He placed a hand on his shoulder and asked, "What's wrong with Young Master Qin? Wasn't he trying to find out Lu Zhi's address? The Hacker Alliance hasn't replied to us yet. Why did he leave so hurriedly?"

Mo Dong pushed his hand away expressionlessly. The scar on his face looked exceptionally fierce, but his tone was gentle and not domineering as he explained concisely, "Young Master Qin just received a call from Tian Chen. It seems that Miss Qiao helped him negotiate the cooperation."

“It was a success?” Mo Xi was stunned on the spot.

He had vaguely heard Qin Si mention the collaboration he wanted to discuss with Tian Chen. All the forces were after that collaboration. It was a recent hot project.

Both the Ji and Xie families wanted it.

Qin Si’s chances were not high. It could even be said that his chances were practically zero.

That was why he was so shocked when Mo Dong said that he won it.

Mo Dong glanced at him with a fierce gaze. His tone was filled with arrogance. “It’s normal to succeed at a talk about a collaboration when Miss Qiao gets involved. Have you seen anything she can’t handle?”

Mo Xi was slightly stunned and subconsciously shook his head. Then, he chuckled and looked at Mo Dong. “I realized that your admiration for Miss Qiao has been getting more and more serious recently. Master Wang is almost second to you!”

“I can’t be bothered with you.” Mo Dong did not answer him. He guiltily avoided his teasing gaze and turned to walk to the study. “I’ve something else to do.”

Mo Xi looked at his back view as he left. He did not delay any longer and quickly called the Hacker Alliance to tell them to stop the investigation.

Otherwise, alerting Lu Zhi might have a bad impact on Qin Si’s cooperation.

No matter how powerful the Hacker Alliance was, Tian Chen was not to be trifled with.

Once Lu Zhi realized that someone was investigating him, it would not be a small matter to joke about!

Mo Xi hurriedly called them.

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At the same time, outside a high-end private clubhouse in the independent continent.

Ji Ziyin's private car had just arrived, and the chauffeur jogged over to open the car door for her.

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Chapter 2163 - 2163 Ji Ziyin Also Wants to Find Big Boss Lu

Ji Ziyin picked up her bag and walked into the clubhouse expressionlessly.

"Miss Ji." The staff of the clubhouse greeted her.

Ji Ziyin ignored all of them and could not even be bothered to look at these people from the corner of her eye.

She was obviously very familiar with the environment here. She walked all the way in and soon arrived at a quiet place to drink water.

She saw the man sitting inside.

The young man was dressed in a suit and leather shoes. The white suit did not appear too much on him at all. Instead, it accentuated his gentle temperament.

Ji Ziyin did not delay any longer. She quickened her pace and walked towards the young man.

"Yiming, sorry to keep you waiting."

Her gloomy expression faded by more than half the moment she saw the young man. She revealed a natural and unrestrained smile and sat opposite the man.

Ji Ziyin called the waiter over and ordered a cup of coffee.

After a while, the waiter served the coffee.

Ji Ziyin picked it up and lowered her head to take a sip before slowly putting down the cup. An elegant smile appeared on her beautiful face. "The coffee here is still so delicious."

Lu Yiming handed her a small plate containing sugar cubes, very well-mannered. Then, he asked, "Why did you ask me out?"

Ji Ziyin was not in a hurry to tell him her motive. Instead, she looked at him reproachfully, as if with a little lady's 'anger'. "Can't I call Young Master Lu out for no reason? Young Master Lu is really getting busier and busier."

The Ji family descendants were not bad-looking.

Although Ji Ziyin was not a direct descendant, she had inherited some of the Ji family's exquisite facial features. It was just that she was not as stunningly beautiful as Qiao Nian.

However, she had been carefully nurtured by the Ji family since she was young. She also had a different kind of charm.

Especially since the eldest daughter of the Ji family had always been proud and rarely acted coquettishly. All men would fall for this.

As expected, Lu Yiming fell for it. He immediately apologized to her awkwardly. "That's not what I meant. I'm just wondering why you have time to look for me today."

The top three families in the pyramid of the independent continent were the Ji, Xie, and Nan families.

However, many families below these three families were not bad.

Among them, the Lu family was the most eye-catching.

Ji Lingfeng had been supporting them for the past few years. The Lu family seemed to be approaching the Nan family from behind and vaguely becoming the fourth-largest family in the independent continent.

During this process, some people guessed that the Ji family wanted to form a marriage alliance with them. Among the younger generation, the successor of the Lu family, Lu Yiming, and the new genius of the Ji family, Ji Ziyin, were the most likely pair.

The two of them were in the same circle and often bumped into each other. They had an unspoken mutual understanding of this rumor. However, before the family discussed it with them, they maintained a distance.

The two of them were just a little closer than ordinary friends.

Lu Yiming was more tolerant of Ji Ziyin.

Seeing that she had almost achieved the effect she wanted, Ji Ziyin did not delay and said, "I heard that Lu Zhi has come to the independent continent. I want to meet him and discuss cooperation with Tian Chen's new chip project. Is it convenient for you to contact him?"

Seeing Lu Yiming's surprised expression, Ji Ziyin placed her hand under the table and folded it slightly. Her smile was still capable and agile as she explained, "It's not convenient for me, a member of the opposite sex, to contact him. You two are family, so I want you to help me set up a meeting with him."

Chapter 2164 - 2164 So Someone in the Ji Family Still Wants to Acknowledge Sister Nian

She spoke bluntly, as if she trusted Lu Yiming and was not hiding her thoughts.

Lu Yiming frowned and looked at her with a troubled expression. "It's not that I don't want to help. It's just that you know that Lu Zhi won't go home at all."

"I know." Ji Ziyin smiled and picked up the coffee cup. She elegantly took another sip before putting down the cup and saying slowly, "He still holds a grudge for being kidnapped back then and thinks that it was done by someone from the Lu family. However, hasn't he maintained contact with the family these few years and has no intention of severing ties with them? You two are family and are connected by blood. I reckon that he can't let go of what happened when he was young for now. It'll naturally get better over time."

Lu Yiming shook his head and said with a complicated expression, "You don't know Lu Zhi. He... In short, no one knows what he's thinking."

The people outside thought that Lu Zhi had long stopped bearing a grudge against the kidnapping back then and acknowledged the Lu family.

In reality, although Lu Zhi did not completely fall out with the Lu family, he was not as close to them as the outside world thought.

His parents had contacted Lu Zhi several times to come home for dinner. Lu Zhi had never come back. It could be seen that Lu Zhi was not as close and forgiving towards the Lu family as it appeared on the surface to outsiders.

Only Lu Zhi knew what he was thinking.

"Yiming, this matter is very important to me. Can't you help me?" Ji Ziyin asked when she saw that he seemed unwilling to contact Lu Zhi.

Although Lu Yiming and she were not a couple, he was indeed more tolerant of Ji Ziyin than ordinary friends.

He saw that Ji Ziyin seemed to need to see Lu Zhi. He rubbed the bone between his eyebrows, took out his phone, and said, "I'll try."

Ji Ziyin nodded and revealed a relieved smile.

Lu Yiming found Lu Zhi's phone number and called him.

Lu Zhi did not take it the first time.

Lu Zhi did not take it the second time.

Lu Yiming wanted to forget about it.

But Ji Ziyin begged him again. “Why don’t we try again? We’ll forget it if he doesn’t answer the call this time.”

Lu Yiming had no choice but to call Lu Zhi again. This time, Lu Zhi picked up the call in the last few seconds.

“Hello? What’s the matter?”

The man’s voice was clear and low. It seemed gentle, but Lu Yiming frowned uncomfortably because he detected some mockery in the other party’s tone.

However, with a beauty by his side, Ji Ziyin could be considered to be the dream of the young men of the independent continent.

Lu Yiming did not want to lose face in front of her, so he could only patiently say, “Lu Zhi, Ziyin said that Tian Chen has a chip-related business. She wants to meet you and discuss a collaboration. Do you have time?”

“Huh?” Lu Zhi chuckled after a few seconds and asked him back, “Did Ji Ziyin ask you to call me?”

Lu Yiming felt awkward from being humiliated, but he did not flare up. Instead, he admitted, “Yes, Ziyin said that it’s not convenient for her to look for you, so she found me and asked me to call you.”

Lu Yiming asked, “Do you have to meet with her?”

Ji Ziyin looked nervous at the side.

She received news from Ji Hongyuan that Lu Zhi had uncharacteristically not chosen to cooperate with the Ji family this time.

That was why she wanted to raise her status in the family by doing this.

If she could do this, the Ji family would see that she was actually not inferior to Qiao Nian. That way, she would settle the small group of people in the family who could not bear to part with Qiao Nian, the rebellious direct descendant, and who still wanted to acknowledge her...

Chapter 2165 - 2165 Ji Ziyin Was Beaten Up

Lu Yiming was Lu Zhi's biological brother. It was much more useful for Lu Yiming to speak to him than for outsiders.

Once Lu Zhi agreed to see her... she naturally had a way to make Lu Zhi agree to cooperate with the Ji family.

Ji Ziyin was still scheming. She went through the subsequent plans in her heart again and confirmed that there were no problems.

She held her breath and waited for Lu Yiming to arrange a meeting with Lu Zhi.

Unexpectedly, the man's cold and mocking voice came from Lu Yiming's phone. "Is there no one left in the Ji family? They're getting a marginal figure to discuss a collaboration with me."

Ji Ziyin's face instantly turned pale, as if someone had poured a bucket of cold water on her in public. It was cold and embarrassing.

Lu Yiming was stunned for a moment. He did not expect Lu Zhi to have such an attitude. "Lu Zhi, Ziyin is the future successor of the Ji family. She..."

“The future successor of the Ji family? Tsk, did you decide or did she decide herself? Is the successor of the Ji family something you can casually decide on?”

Lu Zhi seemed to be too lazy to talk nonsense with them. Without waiting for Lu Yiming to answer, he said concisely, “Ji Ziyin is not qualified to talk to me. She’s not at this level.”

... She was not worthy.

Lu Zhi was just short of making it clear, but the effect was similar.

Lu Yiming still wanted to stand up for Ji Ziyin when Lu Zhi’s voice came from the other end of the call. “I already have someone in mind for that project. Don’t call me if you have nothing to do in the future.”

Lu Zhi chuckled with a faint smile. It seemed to be a little disdainful. “Lu Yiming, if at your age, I had been stupid enough to ask such things when someone else provoked me with a few words, I would have died long ago.”

Since the illegal district was called the illegal district, it was not a good place.

Lu Zhi was able to stand at the peak of the illegal district step by step and become the uncrowned king there. He indeed had enough capital to look down on someone like Lu Yiming who grew up under the protection of his family.

Lu Yiming was powerless to refute.

Of course, Lu Zhi did not give him a chance to refute. He had already hung up.

Lu Yiming took a long time to recover. He looked apologetically at the pale and humiliated Ji Ziyin and explained awkwardly, “Ziyin, don’t take it to heart.”

Ji Ziyin shook her head and looked at him apologetically. “I didn’t take it to heart. I just didn’t expect Lu Zhi to have such an attitude when talking to you.”

Lu Yiming smiled bitterly but did not take it personally.

Lu Zhi had always had this attitude towards the Lu family.

Lu Zhi looked gentle to the outside world. However, everyone in the Lu family was afraid of him. All of them knew that Lu Zhi was definitely not as gentle and harmless as he looked outwardly.

Therefore, even if Lu Zhi did not give them face sometimes, no one in the Lu family dared to say anything.

Seeing Lu Yiming not responding, Ji Ziyin already understood that Lu Zhi did not take the Lu family seriously. She was troubled.

Lu Zhi said that he had found a partner for the project. His words were like a slap to Ji Ziyin's face, disrupting her entire plan. Ji Ziyin had no choice but to be anxious.

She chatted briefly with Lu Yiming before picking up her bag and saying in a hurry, "Yiming, I won't talk to you anymore. I'll go back and find out who the person Lu Zhi mentioned is. We'll meet again later. I'll treat you to a meal."

Lu Yiming waved at her, but Ji Ziyin had already left in a hurry.

She had to quickly find Ji Xiao and ask him to find out who the person Tian Chen was collaborating with was!

Chapter 2166 - 2166 Sister Nian Is Officially Going Against the Ji Family!

On the other side.

Qiao Nian had dinner with Lu Zhi and the others before going home.

She had just arrived at the villa and had yet to enter when Qin Si rushed out to welcome her. "Sister Qiao, let me help you carry your things."

Qiao Nian glanced at him and walked in. She rejected him speechlessly. "I only have my cell phone on me. There's no need."

She did not bring her bag out today and only had a cell phone on her. She had no idea that Qin Si wanted to get it for her.

Qin Si scratched his head and realized he was acting retarded. He quickly followed the girl into the villa.

He nagged behind her. "Sister Qiao, have you eaten? What do you want to eat? No, do you want water? I'll make you a cup of coffee."

Qiao Nian was about to walk to the second floor when she stopped at the staircase. She turned around and looked at him with a frustrated expression on her exquisite and eye-catching face. She looked at him with her dark eyes and said, "What exactly do you want? Just say it."

"Okay." Qin Si immediately smiled cheekily and asked straightforwardly, "Sister Qiao, is the friend you told me about Lu Zhi?"

Qiao Nian guessed that Lu Zhi had gotten someone to call him, so she readily admitted it and said confidently, "I asked if you wanted to come with me, but you said that you weren't free."

Qin Si thought, You didn't tell me that the friend you were meeting was Lu Zhi, big boss Lu!

"I mentioned it casually when I met him. Did he contact you?" The girl's face under the brim of her cap was very beautiful and natural. She had no intention of taking credit, as if she was just confirming the situation with him.

Qin Si nodded. "I received a call from Tian Chen in the afternoon. They invited me to discuss the specific cooperation matters tomorrow." magic

"Okay." Qiao Nian pulled on her baseball cap, nodded, and prepared to go upstairs. "Then talk to them tomorrow. I'll go up first."

She still had to check the information about Ji Qing's death that Lu Zhi had copied for her.

However, Qin Si stopped her and asked with stars in his eyes, "Sister Qiao, you've helped me so much this time. Just tell me what you want as a thank-you gift. I'll definitely do anything for you. I'll even think of a way to pluck the stars in the sky for you!"

Mother Qin had told him to thank Qiao Nian properly.

Only then was Qin Si full of confidence.

It couldn't be helped. Big Boss Qiao was too rich. He couldn't bear to give her ordinary gifts. Of course, it was better to have his family backing him up. He also had more confidence.

Qiao Nian had already gone upstairs. Hearing this, she stopped in her tracks and looked back at him, then said casually, "There's no need. I'm not just helping you.

"The domestic chips need to work with a large corporation like Tian Chen.

"That's what I want to do."

The Qing University team had spent so much time developing chip technology, including Principal Liang and her father.

Qiao Nian said seriously, "It's my honor to be able to help."

Therefore, there was no need for Qin Si to buy her a thank-you gift.

Qin Si opened his mouth and wanted to say something, but Qiao Nian waved coolly and went to her room without looking back.

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In the room on the second floor.

Qiao Nian took a shower first, then casually pulled out a chair and sat down. She turned on the laptop on the table and then took out the things she had copied from Lu Zhi's phone.

Lu Zhi gave her a list of Ji Qing's itinerary and a call record. The last call Ji Qing received before she left was from the independent continent.

Lu Zhi had always been agile.

He even found out the IP address of the phone number from back then.

It was the Ji family.

Chapter 2167 - 2167 Ji Ziyin Wants to Enter the Level 8 Laboratory, Asking Sister Nian for Her Opinion

As for who called Ji Qing, it was unknown for the time being.

Qiao Nian's slender and fair fingers tapped on the table, making small talk casually and lazily.

Narrowing her eyes slightly, not showing any other emotions, she leaned back in her chair as if she was thinking about something.

Whatever Lu Zhi gave was solid.

The Ji family's involvement in Ji Qing's death. They directly or indirectly caused Ji Qing's death... The reason was unknown for now. However, she had interacted with the Ji family, and it was probably related to the family's interests. magic

Wasn't Ji Hongyuan one of the most important people in the family? Everyone could be sacrificed for the family?

Qiao Nian tapped on the keyboard in frustration as she read the content she copied from Lu Zhi.

The phone number flashed in front of her eyes. Qiao Nian was a little gloomy. The faint light from the computer screen reflected in her dark eyes.

She definitely wanted to settle this score with the Ji family.

However, her previous altercation with Ji Hongyuan could only be considered a minor conflict. She was not really enemies with the entire Ji family.

It was not easy to become enemies with the Ji family, the number one family in the independent continent.

Qiao Nian did not know what to do for a while. From the corner of her eye, she saw the hot milk that Ye Wangchuan had placed on the table.

She reached for the mug and lowered her head to take a small sip.

At this moment, Qiao Nian's phone on the table rang.

Casually putting down the mug, she grabbed the cell phone, looked down at the caller ID, and put the phone to her ear to answer.

"Hello, why are you looking for me?"

"I have something to discuss with you." Feng Yu called so late at night. He went straight to the point. "Ji Ziyin wants to enter the Level 8 laboratory. Sun, what do you think?"

Qiao Nian did not expect it to be related to the Ji family. She paused for a moment. "Ji Ziyin wants to enter the Level 8 laboratory?"

"Yeah."

Feng Yu roughly told her the situation. "The various forces in the research institute became active again after I asked Shi Fu to promote you to the Level 8 laboratory. Recently, many people have come to me to get their people into the Level 8 laboratory. Among them, the person in charge of the Level 5 laboratory, Gu Hengbo, looked for me three times. He was very insistent. He wants Ji Ziyin to enter the Level 8 laboratory, even if not officially.

"He's one of the heads of the laboratories and also a senior in the research institute.

Qiao Nian lowered her cold eyes and paused for a few seconds before replying, "What did Mentor say?"

Feng Yu smiled bitterly. "What else can he say? The research institute is fighting with many forces. He's also feeling very uncomfortable being caught in the limelight. Of course, he doesn't want another person to enter the laboratory, but Gu Hengbo has also looked for him and repeatedly mentioned you entering the Level 8 laboratory. Therefore, he can only brush him off and not give him a firm answer. However, we can't brush him off anymore."

Gu Hengbo was very stubborn.

He kept an eye on Shi Fu and ran to him and Feng Yu every few days. As soon as he saw them, he mentioned that Ji Ziyin should enter the Level 8 laboratory.

Feng Yu was more strategic. After some consideration, he chose to call Qiao Nian and ask for her opinion.

Qiao Nian did not answer him immediately. Instead, she asked a question in a seemingly confused way. "I'm just a newcomer in the research institute. You can decide for yourself if she should enter the Level 8 laboratory or not. Why are you asking for my opinion?"

Chapter 2168 - 2168 Feng Yu's Long-cherished Hope

Qiao Nian's question was not unexpected.

Feng Yu was the dean of the First Research Institute. He could make the decision for such a small matter.

However, Feng Yu called her to ask for her opinion.

Qiao Nian did not believe that he had no other considerations.

Feng Yu was smart. He immediately smiled at her question. "You just started, but you already know everything about me. You make it seem like I've lived for decades in vain! Sigh, I can't compare to you. I'm old and can't compare to young people like you."

He was joking. When it came to serious matters, he was not vague at all. "Sun, I've always wanted you to enter the research institute because I want you to break the research institute's current structure.

"You should have already seen it, right? The First Research Institute is not just a place for academics. All kinds of forces are mixed in, especially the big families led by the Ji family. They're associated with the people in charge of the laboratories, causing the people in the research institute who don't have a powerful family background but have a certain amount of talent to not be able to make a name for themselves.

"For example, your friends in Team 10 previously. This is the case for them.

"Most of the resources of the research institute are controlled by people like Ji Ziyin and Xie Xinyao. Those with skills don't get a fair chance... This wasn't the intention when the First Research Institute was first established."

Feng Yu revealed the research institute's drawbacks openly. "Many years ago, I was also promoted by the old dean and reached the position of the dean of the First Research Institute step by step. I have only one long-cherished wish—to fulfill the old dean's dream of returning the First Research Institute to its original mission.

“For this reason, I need strong new blood to break the shackles of these old traditions. This person must have extraordinary talents. She can use absolute strength to shut the people behind these family forces.”

Feng Yu smiled and said frankly, “Sun, you’re the person who can achieve this.”

Qiao Nian did not disappoint him.

The spot in the First Research Institute this year had already been decided to go to the Ji family. It was Qiao Nian who used her abilities to defeat Ji Hongfeng.

He wanted Ji Ziyin and the person behind her to shut up.

After Qiao Nian successfully entered the First Research Institute, Gu Hengbo caused trouble behind the scenes and did not let the other laboratory heads take Qiao Nian in.

Ji Ziyin also privately joined forces with ordinary members to ostracize Qiao Nian.magic

Qiao Nian relied on her strength to forcefully lead the members of Team 10, known as the Group of Death, to defeat Ji Ziyin with results and obtain the right to visit the Level 8 laboratory for a year.

Later on, although he helped her enter the Level 8 laboratory, Qiao Nian gained a foothold there and obtained Shi Fu’s recognition with her own skills.

Feng Yu wanted a sharp knife that could break the First Research Institute’s drawbacks.

“Can you help me?” Feng Yu asked frankly, but he was not very confident.

He was actually afraid that Qiao Nian would be unwilling to get involved.

“If you agree to help me, you might offend the big families, including the Ji family. They won’t let you off easily if you interfere in their interests.”

Although Feng Yu was worried that Qiao Nian was unwilling to get involved, he still explained the pros and cons to her.

Originally, Qiao Nian was not particularly interested in these things. Hearing this, the corners of her mouth suddenly twitched, revealing an unruly expression. “Oh, the Ji family?”

Chapter 2169 - 2169 Coincidentally, I Have Some Personal Grudges With the Ji Family

Feng Yu thought that she was afraid of the Ji family. After a moment of silence, he said seriously, “Yes, if you help me, you’ll be touching the core interests of these families. These families, including the Ji family, might not let you off easily. Of course, I’ll definitely do my best to protect you. It doesn’t matter if I sacrifice myself!”

“There’s no need to sacrifice yourself.” Light flickered in Qiao Nian’s eyes, as if a ferocious beast that had been sleeping soundly was about to wake up. Her tone was soothing as she casually held her phone and said to Feng Yu in a slightly hoarse voice, “What a coincidence. I happen to have some personal grudges to settle with the Ji family.”

“You mean...” Feng Yu was originally determined to lay his cards on the table with the girl, but he did not expect to receive such an unexpected reply.

Qiao Nian asked him, “How do you plan to remove the powers controlling the research institute, including the Ji family?”

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Two days later.

News from the First Research Institute stated that Feng Yu wanted to appoint an heir.

This news came from within the research institute. At first, not many people believed it. After all, similar rumors spread every few years.

They said that Feng Yu wanted to nurture an heir.

In the blink of an eye, ten years had passed, but Feng Yu had yet to make a move.

Therefore, not many people paid attention to this news.

However, the few big families in the independent continent were still concerned about this matter. Thus, they immediately started asking around.

Feng Yu deliberately confirmed the matter. When someone asked him indirectly, he deliberately put on an ambiguous attitude.

His vague attitude also caused some of the forces and families who heard the news to become serious. They wondered if Feng Yu really wanted to choose an heir this time.

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On the other side.

Ji Ziyin had not been idle for the past two days.

After she returned from meeting Lu Yiming at the clubhouse, she had been thinking of ways with Ji Xiao to investigate who Lu Zhi had chosen as his project partner.

However, Tian Chen was very tight-lipped.

She had been going back and forth for two days, but she had not found anything useful.

Although furious, Ji Ziyin was helpless. She did not dare to make too much noise lest Lu Zhi found out about her cheap shot.

She could not find the partner Tian Chen had chosen this time.

Not discouraged, Ji Ziyin joined forces with Ji Xiao to look for a few people from the independent continent who were eyeing this cooperation project like them. She proposed to discuss business with Lu Zhi together. Everyone would compete fairly. Whoever won would get it. No one would take advantage of the others.

She even took the initiative to provide Lu Zhi's accommodation.

Ji Ziyin was magnanimous and sincere. In addition, the people she gathered did not know that Lu Zhi had already decided on a partner.

Ji Ziyin provided Lu Zhi's address for no reason and said that everyone could look for him together. Everyone wanted to take advantage of her.

That day, Ji Xiao went to the hotel where Lu Zhi was staying with a few people.

Due to the last call, Ji Ziyin cleverly chose to hide behind the scenes and only parked the Ji family's private car by the road outside the hotel. She did not go with them and patiently waited for news from Ji Xiao.

She had a good plan.

Lu Zhi was a man of his word in the illegal district, but this was the independent continent.

She didn't have much status in the Ji family but was one of the best among the younger generation. She might not be worthy in the eyes of people like Lu Zhi.

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However, this time, she instigated several medium-sized forces in the independent continent, such as the Arbitration Alliance and the Chamber of Commerce Alliance.

Sitting in a black private car with sunglasses on and a cup of coffee in her hand, Ji Ziyin rolled down the window and waited leisurely for good news from Ji Xiao.

Just as she had expected.

Lu Zhi asked Jian Jin to come down and receive them when Ji Xiao and the others arrived at the hotel and explained their intentions to Tian Chen's bodyguards.

Jian Jin led them to the top floor.

Lu Zhi had reserved the entire top floor. Lu Zhi did not meet them in his presidential suite. Instead, he arranged for them to meet him in the guest room outside.

Ji Xiao and the others waited for a full hour before Lu Zhi appeared in front of them.

At this moment, everyone, including Ji Xiao, had already drunk two or three cups of coffee. They were already distracted by Lu Zhi's attitude and felt uncertain.

However, no one dared to complain when Lu Zhi appeared. They stood up and greeted him.

"CEO Lu."

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Ji Xiao did not dare to be arrogant. After a polite greeting, he was the first to speak. "CEO Lu, we came today because we heard that Tian Chen has a chip project. Everyone wants to cooperate with Tian Chen. Look..."

Jian Jin pushed Lu Zhi in. She couldn't be bothered to look up when she heard this. She had long guessed what they were here for. magic

Lu Zhi smiled slightly. He looked very refined and elegant, but Ji Xiao was like clueless prey as Lu Zhi stared at him like an eagle. "I rejected Miss Ji before. Miss Ji found so many people to come this time. Are you here to threaten me?"

No one in the illegal district dared to provoke him.

Even in the independent continent, he was still a big boss at the level of Ji Lingfeng, Ye Wangchuan, and other big shots.

The few forces that Ji Xiao and Ji Ziyin had found were all inferior to Lu Zhi. Who dared to provoke big boss Lu head-on?

Ji Xiao's expression turned fearful.

"CEO Lu, you've misunderstood. That's not what we meant. We..."

Lu Zhi had ignored them for more than an hour. Even when he appeared, he did not give them much face. He was so domineering. It was completely beyond Ji Ziyin's expectations. "Go back and tell Ji Ziyin. Tian Chen and I hate it the most when people threaten us. If she plays such a small trick again, I can only invite Miss Ji up for a cup of tea and let Emperor Ji come and fetch her himself!"

His words showed that he knew that Ji Ziyin was in a car not far from the hotel. It could be seen how much control Lu Zhi had over the hotel's vicinity.

This was Lu Zhi's territory!

Lu Zhi was blatantly warning them to get lost.

Ji Xiao and Ji Ziyin had originally discussed many of Lu Zhi's possible reactions. They had prepared many excuses based on them.

She had to take advantage of this opportunity to get this cooperation.

Unexpectedly, Lu Zhi did not follow the rules and did not give him a chance to speak.

Ji Xiao sweated profusely. He was already suffocated by the pressure Lu Zhi exuded. His face was as white as paper, and he did not dare to play any more tricks.

Lu Zhi played with the jade ring on his thumb and lowered his eyes, then said calmly, "Jian Jin, see the guests out."

Jian Jin smiled, but a hidden sharpness flashed on her ordinary face. Obviously, she was not someone to be trifled with.