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Chapter 481: I'm Your Big Brother and You're Hitting Me for an Outsider?

Everyone's eyes subconsciously shifted to the man standing behind Zi Yi, who was radiating a sharp and chilly aura; he had a cold expression on his face.

The moment they saw who the other party was, their hearts dropped.

"Lu Yunxiao?"

Rick was the first one to speak.

Rick suddenly thought of the call he received in the past. The caller said that Lu Jingye was disguised as Lu Yunxiao and he was originally about to believe him, but he dismissed that idea after having seen Lu Yunxiao again.

The main difference between Lu Jingye and Lu Yunxiao was the aura they exuded.

One was noble and warm, and he had a temperament that naturally attracted others to him.

The other was cold and sharp, which made one's hair stand on end. No one dared to approach him at all.

Lu Jingye gave him a chilly look before he turned to look at Lu Zhiheng.

Lu Zhiheng's wrists nearly cracked from how tight Lu Jingye's grip was. After the pain receded, he shouted at him angrily, "Third Brother, what do you think you are doing!"

"Beating you up." His concise words caused everyone to subconsciously shrink back.

His cold tone was deeply rooted within him and only Lu Yunxiao was capable of saying such words.

After Lu Zhiheng heard what he said, he was somehow afraid.

He did not fear Lu Jingye, but he had an innate fear for Lu Yunxiao.

However, there were many people watching them and he felt that he had lost all face.

He felt angry and embarrassed at the same time.

In the end, he gnashed his teeth in anger and growled at him. "Third Brother, I'm your Eldest Brother, and yet, you attacked me just because of an outsider?"

"She's not an outsider."

Lu Jingye remained silent after throwing those words. However, the powerful aura he released had frightened everyone present.

There were not many present who were unaware of Lu Yunxiao's ruthlessness and skills.

Moreover, there was a saying that was circulated outside: 'No matter who they offend, they must never offend Lu Yunxiao.' He was an emotionless robot towards everyone except for his family.

Zi Yi smiled as she saw Lu Zhiheng's ugly expression and she asked mockingly, "Eldest Young Master Lu, does your hand hurt?"

Lu Zhiheng glared at her with undisguised maliciousness radiating from his eyes.

Zi Yi pretended to be scared and moved behind Lu Jingye.

Lu Jingye raised his hand and made a gesture as if he was about to hit Lu Zhiheng.

Lu Zhiheng screamed in fright and unexpectedly, he hugged his head and squatted down.

The big shots who were spectating the scene: "..."

What a coward.

Lu Zhiheng also noticed his conditioned reflex. He was so embarrassed that he turned a flushed red and fumed in anger. He hated Lu Jingye and Zi Yi even more right now.

Lu Jingye, just you wait. When I return, I'll find a way to get grandfather to send Lu Yunxiao away. I'd like to see who else can help you then!

Thinking of this, Lu Zhiheng stood up and left with a dark expression.

Elson glanced at Rick when he saw Lu Zhiheng who left dispiritedly.

Rick pretended to be kind and asked Zi Yi, "Miss Zi, are you alright? I hope you weren't frightened."

The other people around them looked at Zi Yi who was hiding behind Lu Yunxiao and thought that she had been frightened.

Yet, they never expected Zi Yi to reveal an indifferent expression. She swept her gaze across everyone and the corner of her lips curled up as she said, "What were you about to talk about? We can continue now."

Everyone blanked out momentarily.

Rick slightly squinted his eyes and looked towards Lu Jingye as he stretched out his hand. "Hello Third Young Master Lu, your brother and I are good friends and if the opportunity arises, we should have a get-together next time."

Lu Jingye's sharp gaze swept across his hand and he did not have the slightest intention of stretching out his hand.

Rick's smile stiffened. He did not expect Lu Yunxiao to be so rude.

Even though he was unhappy deep down, he still retracted his hand in a natural manner. "Since Third Young Master Lu is here to fetch Miss Zi, then let's call it a day for the morning's session. You can return and take a rest before continuing the afternoon session."

Everyone looked at Lu Yunxiao who appeared to be a killing god as he stood there, and all of them agreed with him.

Zi Yi and Lu Jingye headed outside the stadium together.

Along the way, everyone had subconsciously made way for them.

After they left the stadium, everyone immediately started to discuss the situation.

Elson looked at the two departing back views with an expression of regret. "This person came at a bad time."

Rick looked at him and an idea flashed past his eyes. He then inadvertently said, "Rather than taking her away through coercive means, why don't you make her willingly come to you instead? At that time, even if Lu Jingye were to get angry, you would be an innocent party anyways."

Elson's eyes brightened at his words. "Your idea sounds pretty good."

However, he was in a dilemma the next second. "If Lu Yunxiao were to continue following her throughout the afternoon, then I won't have a chance."

"Who says so? Get the organizing party to hold a dinner banquet tonight and that way everyone will be drinking when the time comes. Once someone gets intoxicated, wouldn't anything be possible?"

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Zi Yi put away her earpiece and looked at Lu Jingye who was radiating a murderous aura. She then grabbed his hand and said, "Since they have such plans, why don't we play along and make them regret their actions?"

Lu Jingye lowered his head and looked at Zi Yi with his lips tightly shut.

Zi Yi lifted her hand to touch his face, but it was grabbed in the next second.

Lu Jingye said, "I will take care of these people."

At the thought of how these people had designs on his girl, he wished that he could cripple them.

Thinking of this, a flicker of light flashed in his eyes and an idea came to his mind.

Zi Yi had also thought of an idea and she whispered in Lu Jingye's ears about her plan.

Lu Jingye nodded his head. "Okay."

Having said that, he drove out the car that was parked at a secluded corner.

When Zi Yi returned to the stadium in the afternoon, Lu Jingye used Lu Yunxiao's identity to openly follow her around.

This caused those people who greeted Zi Yi to feel fearful.

Zi Yi turned around and gave Lu Jingye a look.

Lu Jingye turned around and headed somewhere. In the end, he stopped at one of the corners.

Yang Li patted her chest and breathed out a sigh of relief as she asked, "Zi Yi, who is that handsome guy? He looks so cool."

In actual fact, he looks frightening. However, she would not say these words right in front of Zi Yi.

"He's my brother-in-law."

"What?"

Yang Li thought that her ears had failed on her.

Zhang Lu subconsciously asked, "Zi Yi, you're married?"

Zi Yi looked at their agitated behavior and calmly responded. "He's my boyfriend's younger brother."

The two of them looked at each other and revealed a smile.

"For a moment I thought that you were married."

"But then again, calling your boyfriend's younger brother as brother-in-law doesn't seem to be wrong either."

Following that, Yang Li sneaked a peek at Lu Jingye standing in the corner and asked, "Zi Yi, what does that brother-in-law of yours do for a living? Isn't he too aloof and cold?"

Zi Yi thought about the nature of Lu Yunxiao's work and said, "He's a bodyguard."

"Eh? So he's a bodyguard. No wonder he exuded such a strong aura. The people he protects must also be influential figures."

"Yep."

The three of them chatted for a while before they separated.

Yang Fangfang who was standing by the side looked at Zi Yi and felt even more jealous. However, she did not dare to have any designs on her.

With Lu Jingye standing guard at the side, no one dared to do anything to Zi Yi in the afternoon.

After the forum ended, the organizer smiled and announced. "Tonight, the organizing committee will be holding a dinner banquet. Do join us.."

Chapter 482: I Will Make You Shut Up Forever if I Hear You Talk III About Her Again

Everyone would certainly be willing to participate in this type of dinner banquet.

After the organizer came down the stage, he gathered all the student volunteers and said to them with a smile, "Everyone, please do join us in tonight's dinner banquet. It's good for you to listen to the experiences of these big shots from all around the world."

This group of student volunteers were all the cream of the crop in their respective universities and would be the pillars of the capital in the future. Therefore, the organizer would definitely wish for their best interests.

"However, it'll be good for everyone to wear formal clothes tonight."

This was considered having basic good manners.

Even if the organizer did not remind them, all of them also knew that they had to be formally dressed.

However, some of the students started to get nervous.

"I don't have any evening dresses with me. I wonder if I'll get it in time if I were to rent one right now."

"I have the clothes, but I didn't bring them with me. It'll be too late for me to return to fetch it. What should I do?"

"I don't have appropriate clothes either. What should I do?"

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Some people were on the verge of tears as they spoke.

Just then, Nangong Yu came over to Zi Yi and asked, "Junior Zi, the Student Union has formal clothes kept for such situations. Are you going to ask your family members to deliver your clothes or would you like for me to phone the Student Union to deliver a set for you too?"

M.Uni's Student Union was comparatively richer than other universities' Student Union. There were at least twenty sets of male and female formal wear available, just so that there would not be any mistakes if they attended dinner banquets like this.

Zi Yi would definitely wear her own clothes. "I'll get someone to send my clothes over."

Having said that, she turned around and looked at Lu Jingye who was standing in a corner.

Lu Jingye noticed her gaze and walked over.

"What's the matter?"

"Help me contact my family and get them to send a set of formal wear to me."

Lu Jingye nodded his head. He took out his phone and returned to the place he stood earlier.

Nangong Yu could not help but ask as he looked at the tall silhouette walking away, "Junior Zi, will... Third Young Master Lu be following you to the dinner banquet?"

Zi Yi looked at him and asked, "Is he not allowed to?"

"That's not it." Nangong Yu was only slightly surprised, but he did not comment on anything else. He also took out his phone to get someone to deliver clothes for him.

Zi Yi looked at the remaining student volunteers and she just so happened to see Yang Li standing in a corner and on the verge of tears. She then walked over and asked, "What's wrong?"

Yang Li looked up and said, "I live alone outside of school and this place is far from where I stay. I definitely won't make it if I return to change into my clothes. But I can't find anyone to help deliver the clothes either."

Zi Yi thought for a moment and said, "You can rent a dress."

"I'm not familiar with the area here, I don't know where I can rent a dress."

She was not from the capital and her usual range of activity was around the university town. Moreover, she had never imagined a day where she had to rent a formal dress and so, she had never tried to understand the process.

Zi Yi thought for a moment and took out her phone as she quickly swiped on it. Following that, she aimed her camera at her. "I'll take a photo of you right now to send to the rental shops and it will automatically match a suitable dress for you. You would only have to place an order to rent the dress."

"For real? It's so simple?"

"Yep."

Zi Yi proceeded to take a photo of Yang Li.

After she finished taking the photo, Yang Li walked over to her side and looked at Zi Yi quickly swiping around on her phone.

Soon, several evening dresses along with the rental shop details appeared. Yang Li widened her eyes in surprise. "Zi Yi, you're so amazing!"

Zi Yi said, "I've sent the evening dress designs and the shop details to your phone. You can choose one that you like and place and order."

"Okay!"

Yang Li took out her phone and managed to place an order very soon.

A few other student volunteers standing near them had been paying attention to Zi Yi and Yang Li. When they saw that Yang Li had placed an order, they started to discuss among themselves.

"Say, is Zi Yi's method reliable? I would also like to give it a try."

"Me too. I'm just afraid that the clothes they send over won't be fitting."

"It's better than not having any suitable clothes to wear."

A few other students walked to Zi Yi and said with a pleading expression, "Zi Yi, could we trouble you to help us take a photo too?"

Zi Yi did not reject their request. She took out her phone and snapped their photos. Following that, she sent the details of the formal wear and rental shop details for them to choose from.

Yang Fangfang who was standing by the side and watching the situation over there, clicked her tongue and maliciously guessed. "A group of idiots. How could Zi Yi be so kind hearted as to help them choose suitable clothes? Perhaps she is collaborating with those shops and is thinking of earning their money!"

It just so happens that a few other female students standing near her had overheard what she said.

All of them looked at her with a strange gaze.

At the same time, they saw a man who had a chilly expression on his face making his way over.

Yang Fangfang had her back facing him. She continued talking in a manner as if she had not said anything wrong, "I've seen plenty of people like her. Relying on the fact that she has a pretty appearance and not only did she seduce rich and influential young masters, she even..."

All of a sudden. She felt a bone-chilling cold air from behind her and she subconsciously shrank her neck, and turned around to take a look.

When she saw a man with a grim expression on his face standing two meters behind her, her body uncontrollably trembled.

"Repeat what you just said."

A powerful domineering aura was aimed at her and his cold voice contained traces of a murderous intent.

The people standing in their vicinity subconsciously took several steps back.

Soon, they had walked far away from Yang Fangfang and that man.

Yang Fangfang was shaking uncontrollably and it was a stark contrast compared to Lu Jingye who radiated a chilly aura.

"Zi Yi, look over there."

Just then, Yang Li who was standing next to her called out to Zi Yi who was helping other students to search for appropriate clothes.

Zi Yi tilted her head and looked over.

The first thing she saw was Lu Jingye's bone-chilling cold expression.

She then looked towards Yang Fangfang who was trembling hard. She snorted and said, "It's fine, my... my brother doesn't really teach others a lesson unless that person went overboard."

Just then, someone conveyed the words Yang Fangfang had said earlier.

Yang Li along with a few other students sneered in response.

No one would sympathize with a person like that.

Yang Fangfang could not stand the cold aura Lu Jingye radiated. Despite the fact that Lu Jingye had not done anything, she directly burst into tears and started bawling her eyes out.

Lu Jingye coldly looked at Yang Fangfang who was hugging her knees as she cried and he said in a deep voice, "You better not let me hear you speak ill of her again. Otherwise, I will make you shut up forever."

He headed back towards the corner after leaving her with those words.

Not a single person went over to comfort Yang Fangfang. Those who had appropriate clothes had gone to call someone to send it over, while those without clothes were gathered at Zi Yi's side.

The rental shops Zi Yi had helped them search for were rather affordable and the designs were also nice.

Half an hour later, there were already students who received their rental clothes one after another.

All of them were extremely satisfied.

Soon, Little Loli came and delivered a set of clothes to Zi Yi.

Zi Yi had already upgraded Little Loli and no one could possibly discover that she was a robot.

After she delivered the clothes, Little Loli pulled on Zi Yi's hand and blinked her large, adorable eyes. "Sister, I also want to join the dinner banquet."

Zi Yi knew that Lu Jingye must have said something to Little Loli.

In the end, she said, "You can come, but don't run around."

"Hehe... Got it."

Chapter 483: You Don't Have the Guts and Yet, You Want to Harm My Master? I'll Let You Frighten Yourself to Death Instead

The dinner banquet was held at Lu Group's International Garden Hotel.

The venue was provided by Lu Zhiheng.

The Lu Group's International Garden Hotel was world-famous. Not only was the interior architecture luxurious, but there were also separate villas attached with their own gardens. Moreover, the preservation of the gardens here was world-class.

Generally, rich and influential individuals would choose this location to hold dinner banquets.

At six in the evening, the group of students headed to the place where the dinner banquet was held under the direction of the waiters.

The majority of them were all shocked by the luxurious style inside.

"As expected of a hotel under the Lu Group. Isn't this too luxurious and magnificent?"

"Have you noticed? The bodyguards we met along the way seemed to give off a powerful aura."

"Just like those special forces I've seen on the television!"

"If only I can enter the Lu Group to work after graduation."

"Unfortunately the Second Young Master Lu is no longer the Lu Group's President. If the Lu Group was still in his hands, I will strive to enter no matter what.

I have a senior who is currently in the Lu group. He said that when the Second Young Master Lu was in charge, everyone had a chance to showcase their talents.

That sense of accomplishment and superiority is something that can't be experienced in other large international companies."

While the group of students chatted, they made their way inside the villa where the banquet was held.

In the large, magnificent hall with its dazzling lights, a group of world-class business leaders, who can call for the thunder and wind in the business world, were all gathered together in groups of two's and three's as they held their glasses and chatted with each other.

This scene alone caused the students standing outside to feel a strong pressure. At the same time, they felt an indescribable excitement.

Most people in the world were not able to participate in such a dinner banquet and how lucky were they to be able to attend such an event?!

The group of students stood by the door and they were a little hesitant to make their way inside.

Just then, Little Loli's excited voice sounded. "Sister, I smell XXX red wine!"

Zi Yi looked at her and said, "Don't drink too much later."

Her robots now had the ability to convert alcohol to energy and she was suddenly worried that Little Loli might go out of control later and bankrupt the organizer.

"Got it~"

Little Loli answered perfunctorily and she immediately headed to where the alcohol was placed.

Nangong Yu who was standing next to Zi Yi asked, "Junior Zi, is it fine for that robot of yours to drink?"

For Nangong Yu to ask this question, it was evident that he had been to Zi Yi's bar and met Little Loli before.

The corner of her lips curled up. "It's fine. At most, she can expel all the alcohol."

Nangong Yu: "..."

What's with the sudden feeling of such wastefulness that he felt towards Little Loli?

With Little Loli taking the lead, the rest of the students no longer hesitated and followed inside.

As soon as Zi Yi made her way inside, she attracted the gazes of everyone.

"Beautiful, she's really beautiful."

"What's the use of being beautiful when you can only look at it."

Rick revealed a smirk when he heard someone saying that. He then said to Elson, whose eyes could not shift away from Zi Yi, "How is she? Isn't she the cream of the crop?"

"Yes, she's simply the most stunning woman in the world." Elson tried his best to suppress the evil flames of lustful fire burning inside. He then placed the wine glass to his lips and asked, "Third Young Master Lu didn't follow inside?"

"He didn't."

Rick had checked out her surroundings when she made her way inside and he could confirm that Lu Yunxiao did not follow her.

"However, that man is not an easy person to dismiss. We have to find something to distract him for at least... half an hour."

"How should I go about doing it?" Elson could not control his burning lust and he wished that he could pull Zi Yi away immediately. However, he was fearful of Lu Yunxiao. "I heard that this person is very cruel."

"What's there to be afraid of? No matter how cruel he is, he can't possibly do anything to an innocent party." Speaking up to here, Rick's gaze stared at Yang Fangfang and he lifted his chin. "Look, isn't there a ready-made sheep to shift the problems towards?"

Elson looked over and saw Yang Fangfang who was glaring at Zi Yi with a jealous gaze. He laughed in response. "Sure enough, there would always be jealous buffoons around those who shine. Well, I know what to do now."

Following that, he headed towards the entrance.

Elson called for his bodyguards and gave them a few orders before he returned to the hall.

Soon, a waiter went over to Yang Fangfang and passed her a note.

After reading the note, Yang Fangfang glanced at Zi Yi with a gaze she thought she had hidden well. Following that, she laughed.

When Zi Yi came in, Mr. Louis had called for her.

There were also several other influential figures in the automobile industry standing around him.

They were all executives or Presidents of internationally famous automobile companies and they were a little surprised to see Louis calling for Zi Yi.

Louis smiled and said to them, "Don't belittle Miss Zi just because she looks young. She has a deep knowledge of the automobile industry. Moreover, she is a racer and she is extremely familiar with the various features of racing cars.

Zi Yi did not expect that Louis was willing to introduce her to a few other friends of his. After Louis introduced her to them, she did not bootlick them and immediately started chatting with them about racing cars.

At first, the influential figures were listening with a casual attitude, but as time passed, they were all fighting to converse with her.

Yang Fangfang grabbed two cups of red wine from a waiter and headed towards Zi Yi's direction with a nervous, uneasy, and excited mood.

Yang Fangfang came near to where Zi Yi was and saw how she was surrounded by a group of big shots. Moreover, she seemed to be having a joyous conversation with them. The jealousy she felt internally became much more intense. She tightly gripped onto the two glasses of red wine and imagined the scene of Zi Yi being brought away after drinking the wine she offered her. She became excited at the thought of how Zi Yi would get ravaged.

Just then, someone patted her on the shoulder.

Yang Fangfang nearly lost grip on the glasses out of fright. She suddenly turned around to see the person behind her and saw the Little Loli that Zi Yi had brought along with her. Her heart suddenly clenched tightly and she felt guilty. "What are you doing?"

Little Loli pointed to the glasses in her hand and asked with a curious expression, "Is one of the cups for my sister?"

Yang Fangfang tried her best to calm down her pounding heart and she nodded. "Yes."

"Hehe, since that's the case, give it to me then." Little Loli did not give her the chance to react before she directly snatched the glass from her hand and drank it all.

"Ah, you..."

Little Loli overturned the glass after finishing the red wine and said, "I've finished it."

Following that, Little Loli rapidly grabbed the other glass in Yang Fangfang's hand and moved it to her lips, while her other hand pulled her chin down.

Yang Fangfang was forced to open her mouth and she drank the glass of wine.

"Gulp... gulp... cough!"

"Alright, I will convey your kind intentions to my sister."

Yang Fangfang blanked out after she drank the alcohol. She suddenly could not recall which glass of wine she had spiked.

Thinking of this, her complexion turned deathly pale from fright and she instantly felt fear, panic, and anxiety. Without saying anything, she turned around and ran out the door.

Little Loli snickered as she looked at Yang Fangfang who fled in haste. "You don't have the guts and yet, you want to harm my Master? I'll let you frighten yourself to death instead then.."

Chapter 484: Lu Zhiheng Doesn't Seem to Be Very Smart

On the other side.

Rick clicked his tongue at the sight of Yang Fangfang who ran away. He then looked towards Elson.

Obviously, Elson was also paying attention to that direction. He first gulped down the glass of wine in his hand before he raised his hand to call for the waiter. He grabbed a glass from the tray and said, "I knew that the student isn't reliable. Fortunately, I had other preparations."

Rick asked with interest. "What other preparations have you made?"

"I got my men to bribe over several waiters. They will deliver trays of wine at different time periods."

"Aren't you worried that others would drink the wine?"

"The waiters have antidotes with them. If others were to grab the glasses, they will think of a way to put the antidote inside."

Rick looked at Elson and gave him a thumbs up. "That's a good idea. Then I'll wait for you to win the heart of the beauty."

Having said that, he walked towards a group of people and joined in on their conversation.

On Zi Yi's side.

After Yang Fangfang ran away, Little Loli went over to call for Zi Yi. "Sister."

Zi Yi turned her head and looked at Little Loli who winked at her. "What's the matter?"

Little Loli whispered to her what had happened earlier.

Zi Yi nodded her head and patted her shoulder with a normal expression and said, "Go and play around, don't go too far."

"Alright!"

After Little Loli left, one of the big shots smiled and said, "Miss Zi's family genes are indeed good. Your younger sister is very adorable."

"Thank you."

They continued to converse and sometime later, a waiter came over with a tray full of wine glasses.

A few of them all grabbed a glass for themselves.

Louis had also grabbed one for Zi Yi.

When the glass was delivered to her, Zi Yi's nose twitched and she immediately detected the scent of a drug inside. She took the glass and thanked him.

Everyone raised their glasses and drank, while Zi Yi merely put her lips on the rim of the glass and took a sip.

Someone noticed her actions and smiled as he said, "Miss Zi is still a student and she shouldn't be accustomed to drinking. If you're not used to it, you can order fruit juice instead."

"There's no need for such trouble." The corner of her lips curled up and she said, "I am able to drink a little."

The few of them had plans to continue conversing with Zi Yi on the matters of automobiles and naturally, they would not persuade her to drink.

However, Elson, who saw Zi Yi holding onto the glass instead of drinking from it, started to get anxious. Whenever he got anxious, he would find himself thirsty.

"Waiter."

He called for the waiter and lifted a glass of wine as he finished its contents.

Only then did he feel better.

While Rick was conversing with other people, he had also been keeping an eye on Zi Yi.

The moment he saw that Zi Yi had not drunk from the glass, even after such a long time, he guessed that Elson's plan was definitely going to fail.

He narrowed his eyes and checked out the venue, only to discover that Lu Zhiheng was currently discussing with a few other presidents of technology companies.

He pondered for a second before he informed the group he was in and left elsewhere.

Rick happened to hear Lu Zhiheng speaking with great enthusiasm when he made his way over. "I feel that technology can only advance through collaborative efforts. Therefore, I intend to find a few partners in the near future."

Rick stopped walking when he heard what Lu Zhiheng said.

He leaned against a decorative shelf with a glass in his hand and twirled it around as he listened to Lu Zhiheng boasting with great interest.

Sure enough, those people around him had expressed great interest and said that they were all willing to cooperate with him.

Just then, a blond-haired man with amber eyes, and who was of a similar age as Rick, had walked over.

None of them said anything and merely toasted each other. After taking a sip, Nibert said, "The Lu Group is only stronger under Lu Jingye's hands. From the looks of it, the current President doesn't seem to be very smart."

Rick laughed and did not comment on it. Instead, he said, "There's no need to lay bare what you see. We only have to wait to watch a good show."

"Haha... However, the Lu Groups' cutting-edge technology is a huge piece of cake. No one can remain unmoved."

"No no no..." Rick did not think that way. "Rather than sharing that cake with the Lu Group, it's better to get the cake's recipe. Mr. Nibert, don't you agree with me?"

"Haha... Mr. Rick sure is far-sighted."

They smiled at each other and tacitly took another sip of wine.

Nibert said, "I heard that Lu Jingye will be making great moves in the jewelry industry. What are your thoughts about this?"

Rick asked a rhetorical question instead of answering, "Do you think Lu Jingye would release such important news when he had not made plans in advance?"

Nibert's expression stiffened for a second before he seemed to have received enlightenment. "I knew it... but then Lu Jingye will definitely be making a great move in the jewelry industry. Where do you think he will start?"

Rick tapped the glass and said with certainty, "Based on Lu Jingye's habits, he will definitely develop the Song Jewelry to be the best amongst its competition."

"You mean that he might probably be after diamonds or precious stones"

"That's right."

The both of them laughed at the same time once again.

After talking to the group of bosses from the automobile industry for more than half an hour, Zi Yi said, "Take your time and continue chatting."

She then walked elsewhere with the glass of red wine in her hand.

The purpose of her trip today was not for automobile technology. Instead, it was aerospace technology.

It just so happened that the middle-aged man who wore a unique hat today was the head of a privately run airline company.

He was from Country K and his name was Colin.

Colin was already in his fifties and he had suffered tons of hardship due to internal family strife. He had been backstabbed before and following that, he relied on his capabilities to develop the company to where it is today.

There were several people surrounding him at that moment. There were people who wanted to befriend him and also those who wanted to collaborate. However, Colin was a rather weird person and he only spoke in his own language. Moreover, it was one of the uncommon dialects in his country.

Not to mention, he did not bring along an interpreter with him.

"Mr. Colin, I heard that your aerospace company has recently developed a new type of fiber material which is more heat-resistant when compared to the titanium fiber that is available on the market. I believe the cost of these materials should be rather high, I wonder if you are interested in finding a partner?"

After one of the people asked this question, Colin had also replied.

However, no one understood what he was saying. They only managed to understand the general idea of what he said from how he shook his head.

The few big shots surrounding Colin appeared to be disappointed.

Colin did not seem as if he wanted to communicate with them using another universal language. Just then, he said something else.

None of them could understand.

"Mr. Colin is saying that this kind of material is still in its research and development stage and there are no plans to release them in the market as of now yet. As to whether he plans to find a partner or not, he will only make a decision after looking at the costs."

A crisp and sweet-sounding voice sounded from behind and a few of them subconsciously turned around.

"Miss Zi."

Zi Yi's appearance was too outstanding and coupled with what had happened in the afternoon, it could be said that everyone present knew who she was.

Chapter 485: Eldest Young Master Lu, Is Your Hand Still Hurting?

Zi Yi nodded and spoke to Colin in a dialect belonging to Country K. "Mr. Colin, I have some things to discuss with you, I wonder if you have the time?"

After Zi Yi asked him, she also spoke to the rest of them. "Gentlemen, I have some things to discuss with Mr. Colin, I wonder if you mind?"

"What could Miss Zi possibly talk to Mr. Colin about?"

Zi Yi was too young and beautiful. No matter who it was, they would also suspect if she had other special motives of wanting to discuss with Colin.

One of the men seemed to have thought of something and tried to mask his question in a joking manner. "I heard that Miss Zi is Lu Jingye's girlfriend, and now that you're looking for Colin, could it be that Mr. Lu intends to enter the aerospace industry?"

As soon as the person said that, the rest of their expressions somehow became sterner.

Thinking of how Lu Jingye might be competing with them in the market, they were all vigilant.

How could Zi Yi not know of their train of thoughts? She immediately rejected the idea. "That's not the case."

Following that, she looked at them with a smile on her lips. "There's no need to worry. My boyfriend's only plan is to develop his mother's jewelry company. He has no other plans."

"Then what does Miss Zi plan to talk to Mr. Colin about?"

"I am rather interested in aerospace technology and I just so happen to have also taken several modules in science and engineering. I merely wish to take this opportunity to learn some knowledge from Mr. Colin."

Zi Yi said this so seriously that some of them nearly believed her.

However, Lu Jingye was a genius in business, and no one could confirm if he would suddenly compete with them in the aerospace market. In the end, the big shots said, "Since that's the case, Miss Zi can ask at will."

"That's right, we are also involved in this industry and Miss Zi can also ask us."

However, not a single person left.

Seeing that they refused to budge, Zi Yi looked away and started conversing with Mr. Colin in Country K's dialect.

Colin had a rather good impression of Zi Yi and so, he was also comparatively more patient with her.

While chatting, Zi Yi shifted the conversation to the new fiber material.

"Based on the present development in science and technology, it's not easy to achieve a breakthrough. If my guess is right, the new material that Mr. Colin's company is currently developing has met a bottleneck?"

Colin was surprised at her words, but he immediately controlled his expression and said in a serious tone, "I don't understand what Miss Zi is talking about."

Zi Yi laughed and mentioned the conditions required for that type of fiber material to be produced.

The more he listened, the wider his eyes were. In the end, he asked eagerly, "How is it that Miss Zi is knowledgeable about so much?"

The corner of her lips curled up and without the slightest hint of modesty, she said, "Because... I'm a genius."

Colin momentarily blanked out after hearing her response, before he started laughing loudly.

This caused those people who did not understand the contents of their conversation and who could not interrupt either, to make eye contact with each other.

They were thinking deep down: *"What are they talking about so happily? Could it be that they aren't chatting about aerospace science and technology?"*

Just when Zi Yi and Colin were having a joyous meeting, Lu Zhiheng came over with his glass.

In fact, Lu Zhiheng also had plans to converse with Mr. Colin, it was just that he had met someone from another industry moments ago and they had chatted for a while.

After that, he was interrupted by a few other people, and now that he finally had free time, he did not expect to see Zi Yi and Mr. Colin laughing as they conversed.

The first thought that came to his mind was that Lu Jingye must have made Zi Yi come here to snatch business opportunities with him.

The Lu Group had started to get involved in aerospace technology in the past two years. The two documents that were leaked out previously were also related to this aspect. He had made a guarantee before Patriarch Lu that he would minimize the losses to the lowest level possible.

If he wanted to achieve that, the best way was to cooperate with the lead person in this field.

Lu Zhiheng was immediately enraged at the sight of Zi Yi.

He subconsciously checked his surroundings and when he saw that Lu Yunxiao was not around, he became confident and hastily made his way over.

"Miss Zi is indeed my Second Brother's good girlfriend. To think you're helping him connect with Mr. Colin on his behalf."

A strange comment was voiced and the people around her had looked in his direction.

Lu Zhiheng made his way to Colin and ignored Zi Yi as he stretched out his hand. "Hello, Mr. Colin. I am Lu Group's President, Lu Zhiheng."

Colin said something back and returned his handshake.

Lu Zhiheng inexplicably felt a surge of confidence and continued chatting with Colin. "Mr. Colin, our Lu Group is very interested in the new materials developed by Blue Sky Aerospace. Why don't we find a place and chat?"

Colin said a long line of words.

However, Lu Zhiheng did not understand a single word.

Zi Yi laughed at him. Her laughter was mocking.

Lu Zhiheng looked at Zi Yi in displeasure and sneered. "Miss Zi is so dedicated to trying to help my Second Brother. I wonder what he could possibly give you then in exchange?"

Zi Yi raised her chin and retaliated back. "Of course, it's the position of Mrs. Lu."

"Pft!" Lu Zhiheng sneered. "My Second Brother is no longer the Second Young Master of the Lu Family. Mrs. Lu? Do you think you are worthy? But then again..."

Speaking of this, he deliberately came closer to her and revealed a smug look. "I really wish to thank Miss Zi. Not only had you made my Second Brother give up the position of Lu Group's President, but he also abandoned his identity as the Second Young Master Lu... He is without anything now and I'd like to see how long you can stay with him?"

Instead of getting angry, Zi Yi laughed and suddenly asked him a question, "Eldest Young Master Lu, does your hand still hurt?"

Lu Zhiheng's expression sank at her words. His wrist had been dislocated and the pain was still fresh in his memory.

If Zi Yi had not mentioned it, it was still fine. However, now that she brought it up again, he clenched his fist.

Zi Yi looked at his fist and asked with a smile, "Could it be that Eldest Young Master Lu wants to do it again?"

Lu Zhiheng was not that stupid, but he definitely would not let her have her way. He then said in a tone of regret, "My third brother isn't here and even if I were to do something to you, no one would be able to rescue you."

"Is that so?" Silver needles appeared in her hand. "Then let's give it a try."

Having said that, her hands swiftly moved.

"Ouch..."

A cut surfaced on the back of his hand. Everyone was surprised, while Lu Zhiheng became furious.

"You b*tch, don't think that I don't dare to beat you up. You motherf*cking..."

"Yunxiao is here."

Zi Yi casually said that and Lu Zhiheng subconsciously retracted his fists and turned in the direction of the door.

He knew that he had been tricked by Zi Yi when did not see anyone there. His expression instantly turned livid.

The silver needle in Zi Yi's hand waved towards him once again.

In the end, Lu Zhiheng did not manage to control his temper and reached out his hand with the intention of grabbing hers.

However, before he managed to grab her hand, a larger hand had caught his.

Lu Zhiheng turned around and just so happened to meet with Lu Jingye's abyss-deep black pupils.

"Third Brother!" Lu Zhiheng's expression changed several times before it ended up with a distorted expression.

"I've said that you're not to touch her." As soon as he said that, he exerted force on Lu Zhiheng's hand.

Crack!

"Owww-"

Coincidentally, Lu Jingye had grabbed the same hand as before.

Lu Zhiheng felt that his hand was crippled..

Chapter 486: Scheme

Lu Jingye let go of Lu Zhiheng's hand when his complexion turned white and went to stand next to Zi Yi.

Lu Zhiheng stared at the both of them with a livid expression and he gnashed his teeth in anger as he asked, "Third Brother, you don't even see me as your brother anymore, is that it?"

Lu Jingye did not respond.

Lu Zhiheng took a deep breath. He wished that he could immediately leave and go home to tattle on him.

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Not only did Lu Jingye argue back against Grandfather and leave the Lu Family, but even his Third Brother had also dislocated his hand for that woman.

The severe pain from his wrist causes his complexion to turn even uglier.

Zi Yi saw how Lu Zhiheng looked as if he wanted to swallow them whole. She smiled provocatively. "Isn't Eldest Young Master Lu looking for Mr. Colin? We'll rely on our own capabilities to see who can continue chatting with him."

Lu Zhiheng glared at her with those gloomy eyes of his.

Zi Yi ignored his gaze and continued to speak. "Eldest Young Master Lu, don't end up not even being able to converse with Mr. Colin. It'll be too embarrassing if that really happens."

"Who do you think you are? Do you think you have the capability to snatch from me?" Lu Zhiheng said in a heavy voice and an expression of disdain appeared on his face.

"We'll know after giving it a try."

As soon as Zi Yi said her piece, she turned around and chatted with Mr. Colin again.

The crowd looked in their direction and after a moment of silence, those who were standing further back could not help but whisper among themselves,

"To think that the Lu Family's Third Young Master had done that to his Eldest Brother for his own brother's woman!"

"I heard that Lu Jingye and Lu Yunxiao have a good relationship and Lu Yunxiao had already taken over the Lu Group's secret forces very early on. It's normal that he doesn't have much of a relationship with Lu Zhiheng."

"That's true. For someone like Lu Yunxiao, perhaps there are only a few people he would care about. From this point alone, we can see Miss Zi's position in Lu Jingye's heart."

"That's right. Lu Jingye is unable to come on his own and even got Lu Yunxiao to tag along instead. They have a strong brotherhood."

"Is there really genuine brotherhood among the wealthy?"

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The group of students who were standing by the sidelines, as they did not dare to approach the center of the hall, had overheard the whispers. They had also looked at the trio with shocked gazes.

Just then, Yang Li said, "Zi Yi is really amazing. Not only is she knowledgeable, but she also has a boyfriend who loves her so much."

She revealed an envious expression as she said that.

The group of people standing next to her looked in her direction.

Yang Li shrugged her shoulders and said, "I didn't say anything wrong, did I? If I had such a powerful boyfriend who loves me that much, I would wake up laughing even in my dreams."

A few other students could not help but smile in response.

Yang Li suddenly had the urge to head to the washroom and she called out to Zhang Lu standing next to her. "Zhang Lu, do you want to head over to the washroom?"

Zhang Lu had been keeping her eyes on Zi Yi and without even turning her head, she said, "Nope."

She would not be able to spectate such an interesting drama in the future and she wanted to see how the Eldest Young Master Lu would respond.

Yang Li did not wish to leave either, but she could not hold it in anymore. In the end, she could only leave on her own.

As soon as she came out from the toilet, after she tidied up her hairstyle, she saw two individuals walking over.

These two people appeared to be rather strange. They were wearing the uniforms of the hotel waiters and yet, they were wearing baseball caps. Moreover, their caps were pulled extremely low and she could not see their appearance.

Yang Lu had a sense of foreboding.

She thought for a moment and deliberately stood to the side to let them pass by.

However, the two individuals stopped when they came to her.

One of them used a teasing tone and said to the other, "This woman is really pretty."

He then raised his hat and revealed an expression that obviously belonged to someone with bad intentions. "Beautiful lady, come and play with us?"

Yang Li's expression changed and she shouted loudly, "Don't you dare fool around! There is security all around here and I'll scream if you approach me."

The two men made eye contact and the other suddenly reached out for her.

"Ahhhh- Mph!"

When Yang Li's mouth was covered and her body pinned against the wall, she was frightened out of her wits and her body subconsciously struggled.

"You better not struggle, else don't blame us for being heavy handed."

"Mhp!"

Only a fool would not struggle. Yang Lu tried her best to use all her strength and kicked one of them in the crotch.

In the end, one of them received a kick to his crotch without the slightest bit of defense.

"Ouch!"

"Motherf*cker, how dare you kick my brother. I'll beat you to death!"

The other man raised his hand with the intention to give her a slap on the cheek.

"AHH!" Yang Li could not dodge at all and she squatted down out of reflex with her eyes tightly shut.

"Stop!"

A man with a powerful aura suddenly came from the side and soon, the screams of two men were heard.

Yang Li opened her eyes and just so happened to see a powerful long leg kicking one of them.

BAM!

"Ouch!"

Just then, a few security guards ran over from afar.

The security guards immediately detained the two men and one of them came over and asked out of concern, "Mr. Rick, are you alright?"

"I'm fine." Rick tugged his tie and walked to where Yang Li was. He then asked with a gentle tone, "Miss, are you alright?"

Yang Li who was squatting on the floor foolishly lifted her head and looked at Rick. She felt that the man standing in front of her was radiating a bright light all around him, and he was just like the knight that was mentioned in fantasy stories.

She did not speak and the next second, she saw the man bend down and lift her up princess style.

"Ah..."

Yang Li instantly blushed and her heartbeat quickened.

"Put your arms around my neck. I'll bring you to the lounge to take a short rest. Don't be afraid."

Yang Li's face turned even redder. The man right in front of her was exactly like her ideal prince on a white horse.

She slowly put her hands around his neck and the corner of her lips rose uncontrollably.

This man had simply satisfied all the fantasies in her mind.

Rick carried Yang Li to one of the lounges and put her down on the sofa. He then said in a gentle tone, "Don't be afraid, those people must have snuck their way in and the hotel staff will handle them."

Having said that, he sat down beside her.

Yang Li could smell the faint scent of men's cologne from him and her heart beat uncontrollably. She lowered her head and gently responded with a 'yes'.

Rick seemed to have felt her embarrassment and started to initiate a casual conversation with her.

What he asked was appropriate and soon, Yang Li managed to calm down.

They had chatted about the Economic Forum that was held this time around.

Yang Li did not even notice that the topic of their conversation shifted to Zi Yi.

"Zi Yi is really amazing. She is fluent in Country K's language and she is also very helpful..."

Rick smiled as he listened. After she finished what she had to say, he said, "She's really an outstanding girl, but... I think that you're very outstanding too. Or should I say, all of you are outstanding?"

Yang Li gave him a smile. "Thank you for the compliment."

Just then, Rick's phone rang. He took it out and checked the caller ID before answering the call. "Alright, I'll be over there right away."

Rick hung up the call and asked her, "Are you feeling better?"

Yang Li guessed that he should be making his way back to the hall and hastily nodded her head. "Mr. Rick, thank you for your help earlier. If not for you..."

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Rick smiled and said, "It's no effort at all. Moreover, every girl ought to be pampered like a princess. How could I allow those people with impure thoughts to harm you?"

Having said that, he stood up while Yang Li was looking at him with a gaze that showed she was extremely touched by his actions. He then held out his hand to her in a gentlemanly manner.. "Miss Yang, let's go back to the hall together."

Chapter 487: Alcohol Mixed With Something Else

Yang Li looked at the hand stretched out to her and she felt her heartbeat quicken once again. She controlled her lips from curling up and put her hand in his. Following that, she was pulled up.

Her hands were then released.

The two of them headed to the hall side by side.

When they arrived at the hall, they saw that the commotion on Zi Yi's side had ended. Lu Zhiheng and Lu Yunxiao were not at the hall and Zi Yi was currently chatting with Little Loli.

Rick made a suggestion. "Miss Zi should have also been scared earlier. You can have a drink with her and comfort her at the same time. There's a type of wine that has low alcohol content here and it is suitable for young ladies like you to drink."

Yang Li had never encountered such a gentlemanly and considerate man like Rick. She nodded at his suggestion while her mind was floating in the clouds.

Rick smiled. His smile was bewitching. He motioned for a waiter and said to him, "Prepare two lowalcohol cocktails for Miss Yang."

"Okay, please kindly wait as I fetch the drinks."

As soon as Rick entered the hall, someone saw him and called him over.

Rick then spoke to Yang Li. "Miss Yang, you can make your way over."

Yang Li nodded at him and headed to where Zi Yi was standing.

When Yang Li was about to reach where Zi Yi was, the waiter Rick had called for had delivered the alcohol to her.

Yang Li lifted the two glasses of cocktails and made her way over.

"Zi Yi."

Zi Yi saw Yang Li who was walking over with a big smile on her face. She then motioned to Little Loli to play by herself.

When Yang Li came over, she handed one of the glasses to Zi Yi and asked in a curious tone, "Zi Yi, I went to the washroom earlier. What happened in the end? Were you the one who managed to continue a conversation with the big shot or the Eldest Young Master Lu?"

Zi Yi received the glass of wine from Yang Li and just as she placed it near her lips with the intention to take a sip, she immediately smelled a faint scent.

She sized up Yang Li who was reacting as per normal in an unsuspecting manner. She then held the cocktail glass instead. "Lu Zhiheng doesn't understand what Mr. Colin is saying. Do you think he could possibly continue having a conversation with him?"

Yang Li laughed unkindly at her words.

She became even more curious as she asked, "Then what happened next?"

She felt that the Eldest Young Master Lu was not the type of person who would let things go without doing anything.

"What happened next huh... the Eldest Young Master Lu was... taken away by my brother-in-law."

Yang Lu covered her mouth and laughed as she lifted the cocktail. "I heard that this type of alcohol tastes pretty good. Come, let's have a toast. We should keep in touch often in the future. You're welcome to visit our university town to play."

Zi Yi nodded her head and looked into her eyes as she casually asked, "Who did you encounter when you went out earlier?"

Yang Li's hand suddenly stopped when she heard her question and following that, she told Zi Yi what had happened earlier.

Zi Yi looked at Yang Li's face that was slowly revealing a shy expression and managed to guess what had happened.

She tapped her finger on the glass and pointed at where the desserts were displayed. "I haven't eaten tonight and have been busy drinking. Let's go and have some cakes to eat before drinking."

Yang Li also felt a little hungry and nodded her head in agreement.

The two of them held their glasses and headed over.

Along the way, Zi Yi called for Little Loli who was in the vicinity, and made her tag along.

The place where the desserts were displayed also had several other alcohols placed there.

Zi Yi walked to the cake area and passed the glass to Little Loli as she said, "Little Loli, take this glass to the resting area. I'll come over after grabbing some cakes."

Little Loli nodded her head.

Zi Yi also asked Yang Li. "Do you want Little Loli to take the glass over first?"

Yang Li nodded and passed the glass to Little Loli. "Little girl, thank you."

Little Loli gave her a foolish smile and said, "You're welcome."

Following that, the Little Loli held their glasses and headed to one side.

Zi Yi and Yang Li were filling their plates with cakes when Zi Yi's phone received a notification.

She put down the plate and checked her phone. It was a message from Little Loli.

[Master, the two drinks are spiked.]

Zi Yi glanced at Yang Li who was still immersed in her fantasy and revealed a cold gaze as she expressionlessly typed a reply.

[Find a way to switch the contents in the glass and as for what we had prepared for them, find a way to let them drink it.]

[I understand, Master.]

"Zi Yi, I'm done, what about you?"

Zi Yi put away her phone and glanced at the two small cakes on Yang Li's plate. She then continued grabbing a few other cakes.

"Zi Yi, don't take too much. It's easy to get fat from eating these cakes." Yang Li saw how she had consecutively grabbed a few other cakes and she was simply stunned.

Zi Yi's lips curled up and she said, "It doesn't matter, I don't get fat from eating."

Yang Li was envious of her body constitution. "If only I had a body constitution like yours where I won't get fat no matter what I eat."

After Zi Yi had finished grabbing what she wanted, the two of them headed to where Little Loli was seated.

They sat down and had a casual chat as they ate.

Little Loli, who was seated next to Zi Yi, passed them the two glasses of cocktails and said, "Sister, Sister Yang, your alcohol."

Yang Li received the glass and had a toast with Zi Yi before they finished the alcohol as they chatted happily.

Rick who was standing at another corner turned away with a satisfied expression on his face. It just so happened that he had also finished the wine in his glass.

He motioned for the waiter to add to his drink while his gaze casually checked out the surroundings.

Only to discover that Elson was not in the hall.

Rick narrowed his eyes in displeasure.

Just then, someone came over and started chatting with him. However, Rick rejected him by saying, "My apologies, I have something to attend to."

He then finished the wine in his glass and headed outside the door.

As soon as he came out, Rick took out his phone and phoned Elson. "Where are you?"

Elson replied, "At the lounge area."

An eerie and chilly smile curled upon his lips as Rick said, "She has drank the alcohol. I will have someone direct her to the villa right in front. You can head over there and wait."

Elson's excited voice immediately sounded. "Okay!"

After hanging up the call, Rick made another phone call. "Head over to the villa in front. There will be a big tabloid for you to report on shortly."

Without waiting for a response from the other party, Rick had hung up the phone call.

He originally planned to return to the hall when a surge of fire suddenly erupted from within.

Rick's heart sank and he immediately noticed that he had fallen into a trap. He hastily took out his phone and phoned his bodyguards.

"Come fetch me at once."

Having said that, he quickly loosened his necktie with the intention of doing an emergency treatment.

A female waitress just so happened to make her way outside.

The moment she saw Rick, her eyes brightened up and she came over to where he was.

"Mister, is there anything I can help you with?"

Her voice was sweet-sounding and it caused the surge of fire within him to flare up.

He forcefully suppressed the urge and said with a deep voice, "Get lost!"

However, instead of leaving, the female waitress came closer to him. "Mister, your face is rather flushed. Are you drunk? Why don't I help you to the lounge?"

As soon as she said that, her body stuck close to his arm.

"AH-!"

The female waitress fell to the ground from the sudden push.

Rick suppressed his murderous aura and headed outside with a grim expression.

Chapter 488: How Explosive, I Love It

"Sister, that man looks scary. I thought that he would kill that lady over there."

Zi Yi, Little Loli, and Yang Li who came out from the hall just so happen to witness the scene.

After Little Loli said that, Zi Yi turned her head to look at Yang Li.

Yang Li had been staring blankly in the direction where Rick had left and so, she did not notice Zi Yi's gaze on her.

Zi Yi called out to her. "Yang Li."

Yang Li suddenly recovered her senses. She did not expect that the man who had been so gentlemanly earlier would look so frightening just then.

Zi Yi said, "Weren't you about to go back? We'll send you out."

Yang Li felt touched. She held her forehead and said, "Zi Yi, thank you. I've always thought that I could handle my alcohol, but I didn't expect to get so drunk after drinking such a small amount."

Zi Yi nodded her head. "You should go back and rest early if you're drunk."

The three of them headed outside together.

Zi Yi and Little Loli sent Yang Li to the main entrance of the hotel and saw her getting in the rental car before they made their way back.

Little Loli asked Zi Yi, "Master, Rick clearly planned to make use of Yang Li to deal with you. Why didn't you let her know Rick's true colors?"

Zi Yi replied with a calm expression on her face, "She's currently still in a phase where she has favorable feelings towards Rick. Even if she knew of his true colors, perhaps she might still choose to like him. If we were to send her the video after everything has ended, wouldn't it be more effective?"

Little Loli started giggling after hearing her words. "Master's idea is pretty good."

The corner of her lips curled up in response.

The two of them did not return to the villa where the dinner banquet was held. Instead, they headed to the villa next to it.

The security guards around that villa had been lured away by Lu Jingye's men and the vicinity was rather quiet.

The two of them did not approach but stood at a remote corner.

Little Loli scanned the neighborhood with her radar and said, "Master, there are at least a dozen reporters lying in ambush near that building."

"Ok. Find out where Rick and Elson are."

Soon, Little Loli connected to all the surveillance in that villa. A few seconds later, she said, "Elson is in one of the lounges and Rick just walked into the living room."

Zi Yi nodded her head and coldly said, "Lure one of them into the rooms."

Little Loli was excited. "Master, Are you thinking of having them stage an R21 scene?"

She even rubbed her nose, as if she was about to have a nosebleed. "So explosive, I love it."

Zi Yi gave a deadpan look at Little Loli whose imagination was too much. "Turn on invisible mode when you head over. You just have to upload the video and let everyone guess what will happen next online and that will do."

Little Loli gave her an ok sign and turned invisible.

Zi Yi continued standing at the remote corner and took out her phone to connect to Little Loli's eyes.

Soon, Little Loli arrived at the living room in the villa.

The drug Lu Jingye had prepared for them was evidently very strong. After Rick made his way into the villa, his face was flushed red and his eyes were bloodshot. There were beads of sweat all over his forehead and it was obvious that he was at his limit.

However, he did not do anything obscene but instead, controlled the surging flames of fire within his body with his strong self-control.

He looked around the surroundings. When he saw that no one was around and was about to leave, the door behind him was loudly slammed close.

"Who?"

Rick suddenly turned around to take a look, only to discover that there was not a single person.

His expression froze and he took out a gun as he surveyed his surroundings on high alert. At the same time, he pressed the phone in his pocket and summoned his bodyguards.

"Come out!"

The walls of the villa were soundproof and his surroundings were eerily silent. Rick put his finger on the trigger and was prepared to pull it at any moment.

Just then, the sound of the door opening could be heard on the left side of the living room.

Rick quickly ran over with his gun.

When he stood outside the door and pointed his gun inside the room, he saw what Elson was doing and his complexion instantly darkened.

"Elson, what are you doing!"

Elson heard his voice and turned around only after a long time had passed. When he looked towards the door, what he saw was Little Loli standing behind Rick.

His bloodshot eyes intensified and he got up while pouncing over.

Rick's face was terrifyingly gloomy. Even the flames of fire inside his body had been suppressed.

He opened fire at Elson who was pouncing in his direction with a ruthless expression.

BAM!

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Blood spattered everywhere and Elson's expression of excitement and terror froze. Following that, he collapsed on the ground.

A few drops of blood had splattered onto Rick's pants.

Rick coldly looked at Elson who was lying there with his eyes open and turned around to leave.

However, just as he only managed to take two steps forward, the door was slammed open by a group of people. What followed afterwards was a large group of reporters swarming in.

Rick's heart sank and realized that he had been set up.

"Ah! Mr. Rick is holding onto a gun in his hand!"

The reporters saw the gun in his hand at the very first instant and aimed the camera at him. Soon, there were some keen-eyed reporters who discovered the blood splatters on his pants.

The reporters were all frightened, but even more excited at the same time.

"Mr. Rick, this villa of the Lu Group's hotel had not been reserved today. Moreover, you're here alone and could it be that you plan to murder someone and then destroy the evidence?"

As soon as a reporter asked the question, the cameras continued flashing without a second of rest.

Rick looked at the group of reporters with those sharp eyes of his and he shouted explosively, "All of you, shut up!"

The reporters got a fright and they subconsciously kept their mouths shut.

Just then, a frightened voice sounded. "Mr. Rick killed Mr. Elson, the President of the S Group!"

As soon as someone said that, their fear towards Rick had disappeared at that moment and several of them rushed towards the aisle.

"Whoever dares to go over, I will kill them."

How could the reporters possibly listen to him at this moment? All of them continued rushing forward in that direction.

Rick raised his gun and shot at the on the ground near the feet of where the front-most reporter was.

That reporter jumped back out of conditioned reflex and just so happened to bump against the person behind him. At the same time, a few other reporters had all fallen down.

That gunshot of his had frightened all the reporters present.

They knew that with Rick's identity, it was only a matter of time if he wanted them dead.

Rick stared at them and said with a heavy voice, "All of you better get lost right now."

He then threatened them with a bloodthirsty tone. "Whoever dares to report what happened tonight, I will make them disappear from the face of Earth."

The reporters trembled and they dared not linger any more. In the end, all of them ran away with their tails tucked in between their legs.

Rick looked at the group of reporters who were running away and kept his gun. He then took out his phone and called for his bodyguards with a rather calm expression.

"Where the hell are they?"

His bodyguards ought to have appeared by the time he arrived at the villa. However, none of them made their appearance and Rick knew that someone else must have lured them away.

Rick suddenly thought of Lu Yunxiao's cold expression.

Just then, his bodyguards rushed over.

They looked at Rick who was obviously fuming and they stood there with their heads bowed to the ground. None of them dared to even breathe or make a sound.

Rick asked with a heavy voice, "Who was the one who lured you away?"

Chapter 489: Lu Jingye, Just You Wait!

"It's Third Young Master Lu's men!"

"Lu Yunxiao!"

If Lu Yunxiao was really behind this, then it must have been Lu Jingye's idea.

At the thought of this, Rick mentioned his name with a grim expression. "Lu- Jing- Ye! Just you wait."

He took out his phone and dialed a number shortly after.

When the other party answered the call, Rick said it outright, "I killed someone. Help me take care of this and I will give you what you want."

The other party agreed.

The corner of Rick's lips curled up. "Lu Jingye, do you think just this matter alone has any impact on me at all?"

He made his way outside following that.

However, when he arrived at the main entrance of the hotel, he could vaguely hear the sounds of sirens.

At the same time, his phone rang. It was from the person who he had called earlier.

The other party said, "What you did has already been widely spread around on the internet. I won't be able to help you with this."

After the other party said their piece, they hung up the call.

The sounds of sirens came closer and Rick made a decision at the very first instance. "Run!"

Having said that, he and his group of bodyguards ran in the other direction.

He felt that Lu Jingye must have done something in the dark. However, he could not allow himself to get caught right now, or else it would be very troublesome.

When Rick and his bodyguards ran away, Zi Yi and Little Loli came out from the hotel.

Little Loli looked at the group of people running with their tails tucked in between their legs and asked, "Master, should I stop them?"

"There's no need." Zi Yi said, "With Rick's identity, even if he were to get arrested, Country D would also be able to bring him out. Instead, isn't it better to let him experience the constant panic of being tracked?"

Little Loli's eyes brightened at her words. "That's a fantastic idea! But... what if he gets help from his connections in Country D?"

After all, Rick had a rather high-ranking status in Country D.

"Hmph!" Zi Yi headed towards the parking lot and said, "Then we'll make it so that he can't get in touch with people from Country D. I'll just send some robots to pose as the police to track him down and that will be enough."

"Hehe, alright!"

The two of them soon arrived at the parking lot and Zi Yi quickly sent Lu Jingye a message.

Very soon, a car drove over and parked in front of them.

Zi Yi got in the passenger seat and turned around to look at Lu Jingye who was sitting in the driver's seat.

She recounted what had happened earlier to him.

Lu Jingye replied with an 'ok' and spoke in an extremely casual manner. "One should pay with their life for taking another life. Send the video to Elson's family. I believe they will not let him off for that."

He started the engine and drove the car out after saying that.

When the car drove out of the Lu Group's hotel, he said, "Just moments ago, someone from my grandfather's side called for me to return."

"Lu Zhiheng must have tattled on you in front of your grandfather." There's no need to even think about the reason why his grandfather had called for him. "Then will you be going back later?"

"Yes."

Zi Yi was a little unhappy. "You will be going back as your younger brother and he's also a quiet one. What if Lu Zhiheng were to talk nonsense and exaggerate things?"

Zi Yi thought of Lu Zhiheng's appearance when he was fighting with her over Mr. Colin's attention. It was like a clown performing on a tightrope and she laughed from the image. "You two are cousins, but why is your elder cousin lacking in the brain department?"

Lu Jingye thought about it for a moment and analyzed it. "My Eldest Brother has always put his mind on snatching the Lu Group's President position from me. Usually, he would only play dirty and he is also overconfident of himself, while ambitious at the same time. Of course, he doesn't have the time to brush up on his skills."

Zi Yi nodded her head and said, "That's so accurate. He obviously doesn't have the ability, and wants to get involved in every single thing. I just need to breach the Lu Group's firewall once every ten days to play around with someone like that."

"Even if you don't do that, from today onwards, there will be many people who will attack the Lu Group."

Everyone had treated Lu Zhiheng rather enthusiastically tonight and so Lu Zhiheng was still under the impression that he was very popular.

However, he did not know that those people were merely trying to test his capabilities.

They were all executives or presidents that wielded power in their respective companies. For them to test out an individual's skills, especially someone like Lu Zhiheng who believed themselves to be incomparable, it was as simple as counting one, two, three.

After Lu Jingye sent Zi Yi home, he drove his way to the Lu Family's main residence.

By the time he arrived, it was already 11 p.m at night.

Patriarch Lu had yet to sleep and all of Lu Zhiheng's family members were also waiting together at the living room of his grandfather's place of residence.

When Lu Jingye made his way inside, he glanced over to Lu Zhiheng who was staring at him with a bandage on his right hand. He then looked at Patriarch Lu and called out. "Grandfather."

Patriarch Lu looked at his grandson and asked straightforwardly, "Why did you break Zhiheng's hand?"

"Grandfather." Lu Zhiheng took the lead and spoke first, as he was filled with indignation. "He did it for that woman named Zi. That woman had not only snatched customers from me, she even threatened me by saying that Second Brother would intervene in the Aerospace industry business.

Our company only got involved in the aerospace industry not long ago and not to mention, Second Brother was the one who handled everything. If he wanted to snatch this over, it would be a piece of cake."

Patriarch Lu's expression sank as he heard what Lu Zhiheng said. He then looked at Lu Yunxiao. He knew of his grandson's temper and so, he said, "You are from the Lu Family, you should not side with outsiders."

"They are not outsiders." Lu Jingye imitated Lu Yunxiao's indifference and firmness to its perfection.

He shut his mouth after he said all that.

Patriarch Lu was angry deep down, but he knew whatever he said was futile and thought of calling Lu Jianlin over the first thing tomorrow morning.

The First Madam wiped her tears and said, "Yunxiao said that Jingye isn't an outsider, then it means that we are the outsiders. Otherwise, how could he have broken Zhiheng's hand so easily?

Zhiheng is currently overseeing the company and he is only resting for two to three hours a day. He has been slogging like a cow for the Lu Group, but only to end up with such treatment. For Yunxiao to have done this, he must have been dissatisfied with father's decision and thus, tried to make Zhiheng unable to concentrate on working. When the time comes, no one would be able to manage the Lu Group, and father you can only call Lu Jingye back again."

Patriarch Lu flew into a rage at her words. "If he wants to come back, there's no way he'll be able to!"

Lu Jingye looked at the cold Patriarch Lu and his heart was calm.

He spoke in a flat tone. "Grandfather, if there's nothing else, I'll take my leave."

"You broke my hand and have not given me an explanation. Don't even think about leaving!"

With Patriarch Lu as his backing, the voice he used to shout at Lu Yunxiao was even louder than normal.

Lu Jingye swept his gaze across Lu Zhiheng with those cold-blooded eyes of his.

Lu Zhiheng's heart shivered and shrunk his neck as he said, "Are you thinking of breaking my other hand as well? Lu Yunxiao, if you really did that, the Lu Group would be left unattended! You can take over it if you can!"

The First Madam also glared at Lu Yunxiao and she deliberately said in a worried tone, "Yunxiao, Zhiheng is your eldest cousin. Right now, only your eldest cousin is able to take over the Lu Group. With what you've done today, how is Zhiheng going to handle the business for the following period of time?"

Lu Jingye looked at both of them and answered, "Then let Eldest Brother take over my men and I'll manage the company instead.."

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Lu Jingye's words caused Lu Zhiheng and the First Madam to look at him with expressions of disbelief.

A few seconds later, Lu Zhiheng shouted at him with a flushed face, "What joke are you cracking? How could I possibly take over the affairs of your subordinates!"

The First Madam saw that Patriarch Lu's expression was of displeasure and she hastily added. "You've never been involved with matters of business and how could you possibly manage a large corporation like the Lu Group?"

Lu Jingye glanced at the both of them and his expression was still as cold as usual. "The things that eldest brother can do, I can do even better."

Evidently, he was looking down on Lu Zhiheng. His words had caused Lu Zhiheng to look at him with a death stare.

Lu Jiancheng, who had been sitting there from the beginning, spoke up just then. "We all know that you and Jingye have a good relationship, but you have to prioritize what's important. Even if you were to break off both your eldest brother's hands, it's impossible for Jingye to return.

He was the one who chose that road himself. Your grandfather did give him a chance, but he did not cherish it. Our Lu Family is a military aristocratic family and we will never compromise. You only have to complete what is within your job scope."

After Lu Jiancheng said that, he said to Patriarch Lu, "Father, it's getting late. You should return to rest."

In reality, Patriarch Lu was still biased towards Lu Yunxiao and so, he agreed. Before he left, he said, "Since you've come back to rest, you should make more contact with young ladies from other aristocratic families. Don't disappear all day long."

Lu Jingye had his lips tightly shut and did not respond.

Patriarch Lu's expression sank and he added on. "Lessen your contact with Jingye in the future. He's no longer part of the Lu Family."

"He is my brother."

"You-"

"Father, don't get angry."

Lu Jiancheng stood up and supported Patriarch Lu by his arm and said, "I'll talk to Yunxiao about this. You should go back and rest first."

Patriarch Lu looked at the stubborn Lu Yunxiao and left for his bedroom.

As soon as Patriarch Lu left, Lu Jiancheng turned around and looked at him. "Yunxiao..."

Before he had the chance to give a long speech, Lu Yunxiao took his leave.

Lu Jiancheng was so angry that he was fuming in anger.

"Look at him, look at him! Why is Second brother's family all like that? All of them have no respect for their elders. If their behavior were to spread out, others would say that our Lu Family doesn't educate the younger generation well," First Madam saw Lu Yunxiao who was leaving and deliberately said in a loud voice.

Lu Zhiheng added on. "Third brother must not have regarded us as his family. Not only did he help an outsider by breaking my hand, perhaps he might help Second brother snatch our Lu Group's business."

Speaking of this, he recalled how Zi Yi snatched Colin's attention from him and he recounted this incident to his father, whilst exaggerating things.

His father looked at the door with a livid expression and his gaze turned sharp.

The First Madam looked at her husband and said with a frown, "Zhiheng only just took over the Lu Group and so many incidents have already happened. Jingye must have done something in the dark. Jiancheng, if you leave this unattended, perhaps he might really ruin the Lu Group."

Lu Jiancheng snorted and said, "He dares to?"

He thought about it and said to Lu Zhiheng, "Invite Mr. Colin out tomorrow. I shall personally speak with him."

Lu Zhiheng was elated. "Okay."

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Zi Yi did not immediately rest after she returned. Instead, she headed downstairs to work on making robots.

Little Loli stood beside her and helped to pass her the relevant tools. At the same time, she connected to Lu Zhiheng's phone and broadcasted live what they said after Lu Jingye arrived.

When they heard Lu Jingye say to have both of them exchange their jobs, both the human and robot laughed.

"I didn't expect brother-in-law to say that. Lu Zhiheng must have gotten internal injuries due to anger."

"Who can blame him for being incompetent and arrogant? Even if he does get internal injuries, he deserves it."

After Lu Jingye left, Little Loli was about to turn off the audio monitor when Zi Yi stopped her. "Wait first. They would definitely have something else to say."

When she heard that Lu Jiancheng wanted to personally meet with Colin, Zi Yi smiled.

Little Loli asked, "Sister, what if Lu Jiancheng uses his identity and cooperates with Colin?"

"Then let them cooperate as they like."

To Zi Yi, it was the same as to whether she had a partner or not.

Lu Jingye returned home after midnight.

He immediately headed down to the basement when he returned. Sure enough, he saw that his lovely woman was still busy dealing with her robots.

Little Loli was the first to see Lu Jingye standing by the door and she smiled as she motioned for him to remain silent. Following that, she deliberately snuck away.

Lu Jingye walked over and stood next to Zi Yi.

Just then, Zi Yi needed a certain part and asked Little Loli to pass it to her.

When she saw that the hand holding the part was different, only then did she realize he had returned and turned her head around.

"Ah Jing, you're back."

Lu Jingye looked at the smile on her face and his lips curled up as he gently responded.

Gone was the cold aura he had when he was disguised as Lu Yunxiao.

Zi Yi suddenly took off her gloves and touched his face as she asked, "I'm very curious. How were you able to imitate your brother's expression and facial aura so much?"

Lu Jingye grabbed her hand into his palms and said, "When Yunxiao just took over the secret forces, he would often get injured. The people in the secret forces also had their own thoughts and he is not skilled with playing around with people. I had switched identities with him for a period of time to take care of them."

"Then do the others know of it?"

"No. In order to learn each other's behavior and habits, we often practiced and guided each other for a period of time."

"..."

Zi Yi looked at him with bright eyes. "So it turns out that there's such an unknown side to you and your brother."

She suddenly laughed and made a guess. "Yunxiao must be someone who looks cold, but has a soft heart." Otherwise, he would not have been able to learn Lu Jingye's behavior and habits.

"That's not exactly the case either." Lu Jingye said, "Due to his job, he is destined to be cold and heartless. If he were to act on his emotions, it would only cause harm to him and his comrades."

Zi Yi suddenly fell silent after hearing that.

Lu Jingye tightened his grip on her hand. He did not wish for her to think too much and so, he said, "It's getting late, go and take a rest."

Zi Yi looked at the semi-finished robot she was working on and said, "I promised Leader Zhang to make him some robots. It has already been some time since then and I plan to finish them all in these next few days."

"Okay."

"I still have to meet with Mr. Louis to discuss the racing car."

"Okay."

"I was originally planning to meet with Mr. Colin to discuss aerospace technology, but your uncle and eldest cousin are thinking of using their identities to take Mr. Colin in as a partner."

"You intend to get involved in the industry?"

"Yes. Aerospace technology is very important." As someone from the future interstellar era, it was impossible for her to be confined on Earth all the time.

Lu Jingye touched her head and said, "If you wish to get involved in that industry, you don't have to find someone else. I'll help you."

Zi Yi laughed. "Are you going to work for me?"

"Yes."

"But I can't afford to hire you. I can only repay you with myself."

"Alright."

"Hehe."

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The next day, Zi Yi went out to meet with Louis. The two of them chatted for over two hours before ending their meeting.

When Zi Yi came out from the coffee shop, she gave a call to Colin.

It just so happens that Colin was invited by Lu Jiancheng and Lu Zhiheng to a high-end tea house and so, he could only apologetically say, "Miss Zi, I have something else to attend to and I'm afraid I won't be able to keep to the appointment..