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Chapter 821: Zi Yi's Skills Are Definitely Not as Simple as What We See On the Surface

Leader Li ate rather quickly and she left after she finished.

The engineer's line of sight followed the back of Leader Li as she left. Even after a long time passed, they still did not look away.

Zi Yi gave them a glance and was about to get some fruits to eat, when just then, Engineer Chu suddenly asked loudly, "Zi Yi, what are you doing?"

Zi Yi looked at him, feeling puzzled. "Going to get some fruit?"

"Sit down. I'll help you get some." Engineer Chu suddenly treated Zi Yi enthusiastically. Having said that, he stood up and headed to the area where the fruits were placed.

By the time the other four engineers recovered their senses, Engineer Chu had already arrived at the fruit section.

Engineer Yang, who was one step late, was annoyed for a moment. Before Engineer Chu came back, he hastily asked Zi Yi, "Little Zi, are you familiar with Leader Li?"

"No."

Engineer Yang suddenly felt a little relieved.

Just then, Engineer Chu brought over a large plate of fruits and placed it in front of Zi Yi, he then asked, "Are you familiar with Leader Li?"

Zi Yi said, "No."

Engineer Chu's expression stiffened for a second. He thought of something and said, "It doesn't matter even if you're not familiar with her. You'll get familiar after being in contact with her a few more times."

Having said that, he grinned at Zi Yi and said, "Zi Yi, if you have any manual work in the future, just get me to do it. In return, as long as you see Leader Li in the future, please bring me up more often."

Engineer Yang and Engineer Peng immediately echoed. "Me too."

"What do you all mean by that?" Engineer Chu was unhappy.

"Of course, it's fair competition. Don't tell me that you think you have managed to bribe Zi Yi just by helping her get a plate of fruit?"

"That's right. Everyone is single and all of us have the right to pursue Leader Li."

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Zi Yi looked at the three engineers who were quarreling and suddenly thought of something.

"How do you know that Leader Li is still single?"

The three of them who were in an argument suddenly paused for a moment. Their expressions became a sight to behold. First, they revealed expressions of disbelief, then they were stunned, and lastly, they acted as though they had met a cheater and became upset.

Zi Yi: "..."

Zi Yi thought that after they received such a setback, they would not concentrate on work in the afternoon.

But as it turns out, she thought too much.

The moment they entered work mode, they seemed to have forgotten about what happened at noon.

A day's time passed by very quickly.

By the time Zi Yi came out of the building, Guard Zhu was already waiting for her outside.

After she got in the car, Guard Zhu said to Zi Yi, "Miss Zi, Mr. Tang has asked you to make a trip to his office first."

Zi Yi was fine with it.

When she arrived at the office building, they headed towards Mr. Tang's office. As soon as they reached the stairs, they saw Director Zheng and Deputy Director Huang talking and coming down from the stairs.

When they bumped into each other, Director Zheng nodded at Zi Yi as a greeting while Deputy Director Huang asked with a smile, "Little Zi, you must be heading to Mr. Tang's office?"

"Yes."

Deputy Director Huang nodded his head and said, "Then go ahead. Mr. Tang must have something important to discuss with you since he's looking for you."

Having said that, he even made way and allowed Zi Yi to pass through.

After Zi Yi and Guard Zhu went upstairs, Deputy Director Huang said to Director Zheng with a smile, "It seems like Mr. Tang values Little Zi very much."

Director Zheng merely answered in agreement and did not say anything else.

Deputy Director Huang then said, "If Little Zi can really help Engineer Meng and his team solve the bottleneck they are encountering, then the robots in our country would be able to compete with Country D's robots."

Director Zheng said, "Little Zi should be capable of that."

"I think so too." Deputy Director Huang revealed a puzzled expression. "I feel that even if Little Zi doesn't join the S-Class AI Robot team, she's still capable of developing Super AI robots. Based on the robots she displayed during the robot exhibition, they have all reached that standard. I don't quite understand why Mr. Tang insists on having Little Zi join Engineer Meng's team. Isn't it good to let her lead a team?"

Director Zheng thought about it and did not say anything else.

Deputy Director Huang did not continue on this topic anymore.

The two of them headed outside together.

By the time Zi Yi entered Mr. Tang's office, he was currently organizing some documents. At the sight of her entering his office, he said, "Little Zi, just give me a minute. We can leave after I finish organizing this. I'll treat you and Little Lu to dinner tonight."

Zi Yi stood there and waited for him.

Mr. Tang continued organizing the documents for another five minutes before he was finally finished. The both of them headed outside together and Mr. Tang asked while walking, "The engineers didn't make things difficult for you today, did they?"

"They didn't."

After they left the office building and got into the car, Zi Yi asked, "Where does the surveillance camera in the laboratory connect to?"

Mr. Tang was a little surprised that she would ask that but still explained to her. "It is only connected to the monitoring room. Usually, if any of us wishes to check it, we must get the monitoring room to transfer the connection."

Having said that, he seemed to have vaguely sensed something and his expression turned stern. "Did you discover something?"

"Nope, I was just asking."

Zi Yi continued to ask, "Do you all usually check the surveillance often? Who has the right to view it?"

"Not many of us. We would usually go to the scene. Other than me, only the Director and Deputy Director have the rights."

Zi Yi nodded and did not say anything else.

Lu Jingye did not wait for her outside the research base today. Mr. Tang had given him a call in the morning, so he did not come to fetch Zi Yi.

The car headed to the city after leaving the base.

As soon as their car drove away, another car drove out.

One of the people in the car looked in front of them and said, "Sure enough, Mr. Tang values Zi Yi greatly. To think that he's sending her off personally."

The woman seated next to her said, "Zi Yi's skills are definitely not as simple as what we see on the surface."

The person seated in the driver's seat said with a smile, "I think so too. Why don't we check out her bar tonight? Looking at the robots there would show us Zi Yi's skills."

"Ok."

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The place where Mr. Tang was treating Zi Yi and Lu Jingye to a meal was unexpectedly in an old residential area.

After the car drove into the neighborhood, it turned left then right. A small restaurant appeared and there were several tables placed outside. At this moment, there were a few men who did not seem to be nice targets to provoke who were seated there with bare arms and drinking alcohol as they ate. In this cold weather, they didn't seem to be afraid of the cold.

Zi Yi was a little surprised and she asked, "Are we having dinner here today?" She thought that since Mr. Tang was inviting them to a meal, he would at least choose somewhere that looked relatively safer.

Mr. Tang smiled and nodded his head. Before the car was parked, he said, "You might not know of it, but half of this community is where retired veterans stay or where their families stay."

After the car was parked, those men who were currently drinking had all stood up and headed in his direction.

After Zi Yi and Mr. Tang alighted from the car, the men immediately stood at attention and saluted him.

Mr. Tang said, "We're just here for dinner. There's no need for such formalities."

Having said that, he returned their salute.

One of the men made a gesture of invitation. "Please come in."

He then led Zi Yi and Mr. Tang inside.

Chapter 822: They Captured Someone On Their Side and Claimed That the Person Was Sent By Little Lu

After entering the shop she saw that it was a place around tens of square meters wide and there were four tables placed inside. The kitchen was just right behind the hall, which was blocked by a glass wall. One could see the clean kitchen from the outside.

There was currently a middle-aged man standing inside the kitchen wearing a chef's uniform while wearing a mask and cooking up some dishes.

At the sight of the guests, he quickly extinguished the fire and trotted out to say hello.

"Mr. Tang, you're here."

He quickly said to the young man who led them inside, "Wu Guang, quickly clear a table for Mr. Tang to sit down at."

After that, he asked, "I wonder what the two of you want to eat? I'll go prepare it right away."

"Just cooking us a few home-cooked dishes will do." Mr. Tang then said, "Pour another cup of fresh coconut juice for Little Zi."

"Ok, you guys can sit down first. I'll go and cook the dishes right away."

As soon as they took a seat, Lu Jingye was brought in from outside.

"Mr. Tang."

"Little Lu, come over and have a seat."

Lu Jingye walked over to Zi Yi's side and sat down.

After the three took their seats, Wu Guang served them tea and coconut juice before he left.

Mr. Tang started to talk. "It's more convenient to talk here. The boss here is my former subordinate and those outside here will keep watch to prevent others from coming in."

Zi Yi lifted the cup of coconut juice.

It was newly opened coconut juice and it tasted very fresh.

Mr. Tang's expression suddenly turned serious as he said to the two of them, "People from the embassy of Country D came to me today. They revealed that many of Little Zi's robot technologies are similar to the core technology of their Super AI robots. They want us to give them an explanation as soon as possible or they will sue you in the international court."

Upon hearing what Mr. Tang said, her movements paused for a second. She gave a scoff and continued drinking her juice.

On the other hand, Lu Jingye's expression turned cold. "What's the evidence they provided?"

Zi Yi took out a phone from Lu Jingye's pocket and quickly swiped around.

Mr. Tang looked at their expressions and said, "They captured someone on their side and claimed that the person was sent by Little Lu."

Zi Yi soon found the answer. "They're claiming that the core technologies of my robots were stolen by the Lu Family's secret guards sent by Ah Jing. Most importantly, the person they captured admitted that he's from the Lu Family's secret guards."

Speaking of this, she returned the phone to Lu Jingye.

He quickly looked at what was reflected on the screen.

Zi Yi scoffed and said, "In my opinion, they are unable to find any reason to frame us and so, they randomly pushed someone out to claim that they're from the Lu Family's secret guards. It's such a piece of untenable evidence and aren't they afraid that we will expose it easily?"

Mr. Tang looked at Lu Jingye. In fact, that was what he had thought so too.

Lu Jingye's expression became even more serious as he said, "The face of the person they caught was indeed a captain of the Lu Family's secret guards. He died in Country A last year when he was on a mission with Yunxiao."

Zi Yi narrowed her eyes. "It seems like they came prepared. If my guess is right, this person should be a clone."

Mr. Tang's expression also turned serious. "Clone? In that case, Country A and Country D have joined forces?"

Zi Yi and Lu Jingye looked at each other.

In fact, both of them had guessed who the culprit was behind this.

It was that male worm along with his children.

Mr. Tang looked at Zi Yi and asked, "Little Zi, do you have any countermeasures?"

"We'll first get them to take out the evidence before anything else. Since Country D claims that we stole their core technology, then we'll let them see that their core technology is nothing significant in my eyes."

Zi Yi's words were a little arrogant, but Mr. Tang was a little excited when he heard that.

"Do you mean it?"

Zi Yi nodded her head.

Mr. Tang smiled. He took a sip of water to calm down his internal excitement. "In our country, the development of robots is decades behind that of several other counties. Ever since I took over this task, my biggest dream is to surpass them one day and stand out from the crowd. If Little Zi can really achieve that, it'll be fantastic."

Mr. Tang felt that he was a good judge of character and knew how to win over people's hearts. Zi Yi's weakness was Lu Jingye and similarly, Lu Jingye's weakness was her. As long as he treats them sincerely, they will naturally be the country's greatest help.

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Country D's speed of doing things was very fast. They had already submitted the documents of arresting Lu Jingye and Zi Yi, and extracting them to their country.

However, China had suppressed it.

Their reason was that Zi Yi and Lu Jingye also have the evidence to prove that they did not steal any of Country D's technologies.

Thus, both sides were in a stalemate.

This matter was yet to be known to the public and the outside world was very calm.

Lu Jingye still continued going to work while Zi Yi continued heading to the Robot R&D Center every day.

One day, Leader Li came looking for Zi Yi during lunchtime once again.

She said to Zi Yi, "I checked with Mr. Tang and indeed, he knows of your information and there's no need for me to record it again. Miss Zi, I'm sorry. I didn't know about it."

"It's fine."

The five men seated across from them would occasionally steal glances at Leader Li. However, they were not as excited as they were the first time as they had come to believe that Leader Li was married.

However, Leader Li's appearance was too lethal for these otakus. Engineer Chu's blood surged to his brain and he asked, "Leader Li, are you married?"

The moment Engineer Chu asked this question, the other four engineers looked at her with a burning gaze.

Zi Yi looked at Engineer Chu in surprise and at the same time, she focused on Leader Li's face.

Unexpectedly, Leader Li answered frankly, "I'm not."

Following that, she even provided an explanation. "I'm too busy with work to get married."

The moment the engineers heard her, their eyes suddenly lit up.

It seems like they still had a chance.

However, Zi Yi had the impulse to hold her forehead.

The reaction of these people, who seemed as though they had never seen a woman before, was really obscene.

Leader Li didn't seem to feel their scorching gazes at all and she asked them, "Several of the materials your team requested to be ordered have been completed. I will be making a trip over tomorrow and you can send someone to go with me."

The engineers made eye contact with each other and each one had the thought of going.

Leader Li left after she finished conveying what she wanted to convey. However, when the engineers returned to the research building, there was an undercurrent surging.

Engineer Meng was the first to speak. "We are all single and we're all interested in Leader Li. How about this, let's have a PK. Whoever wins will go tomorrow."

"So be it. For someone like Leader Li, I'm the only one that deserves her. We will be the perfect combination of a beauty and a brave warrior."

"Ahh..."

"I am the oldest!"

"You can even be her father."

"I'm the most handsome!"

Vomits

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The friendship established between them was broken just like that.

Zi Yi sat there and watched the drama.

Since they were going to compete with each other, it would definitely be related to making robots. She was not worried that they might get into a fight.

Even if they do get into a fight, she would only remain a bystander and watch the show.

Just then, Engineer Yang said, "In that case, let's compete to see who can make a robot in the shortest time possible. Zi Yi shall be the referee."

The moment Engineer Yang said that, everyone turned to look at Zi Yi.

Chapter 823: Zi Yi, Look Out!

Zi Yi thought about it and said, "If you really want to compete, how about this? Dismantle my mechanical horse and reassemble it again. Whoever can assemble it in the shortest time possible without affecting any of its functions will win."

The engineers looked at each other.

Engineer Meng said, "I agree."

The other four also agreed.

Zi Yi made a suggestion. "To save time, it's better to let Moonlight take over the task of dismantling the mechanical horse."

The engineers went over to activate Moonlight.

Engineer Meng said to Moonlight, "Go and dismantle the mechanical horse without destroying its control panel."

Moonlight walked over and started dismantling the mechanical horse.

Zi Yi looked at the mechanical horse, which was around the height of an average horse, being dismantled at a relatively fast speed by Moonlight and the corner of her lips curved up. "In this case, it should be rather quick for you to assemble it together. Whoever assembles it the fastest will be the winner. Who will take the lead?"

"Of course it's me."

"Me."

The engineers all spoke at the same time.

Engineer Meng said, "I'm the oldest and so I should be the first to reassemble it."

Engineer Chu said, "I'm the youngest, so I should be the first."

Zi Yi then continued giving suggestions. "You can draw lots to decide the sequence."

Their eyes lit up and they said in agreement, "You're right."

"Moonlight, freely arrange the numbers 1 to 5 and we'll draw the lots."

"Ok, the arrangement is complete."

The engineers finish drawing their lots very soon. From the first to the last, they are respectively Engineer Chang, Engineer Yang, Engineer Meng, Engineer Chu, and Engineer Peng.

These materials were all ready-made and all of them were geniuses in this field. Therefore, it was definitely going to be a short amount of time for them to assemble it together.

However, after they managed to assemble the mechanical horse, during the testing phase, there would be some problems here or there when the mechanical horse runs or jumps.

"What's going on? I'm pretty sure there wasn't any problem with my assembly."

"I am confident too, but why are there problems when it moves around?"

"There must be something wrong with the program."

The few engineers all looked towards Zi Yi.

Zi Yi raised her hand and said, "I've never touched the mechanical horse since yesterday, so don't look at me."

Having said that, she walked to the mechanical horse and quickly checked the program.

The five of them stood next to her and checked it out together.

After looking at it for some time, Engineer Yang said, "Why did the program change?"

Engineer Chu said, "Also, this part here."

After Zi Yi left, the five of them had studied the program Zi Yi created when she was assembling this mechanical horse. They had a good memory and were very sensitive about codes. Therefore, they would be able to find out if something was different.

Zi Yi's face turned stiff. "Could it be that someone among you changed my program?"

Speaking of this, she angrily looked at the engineers. "Fortunately I didn't touch the mechanical horse yesterday. If I had ridden on it and played around, I would definitely have fallen."

The expressions of the engineers changed several times.

"We didn't touch your mechanical horse either?"

"That's right. We only checked out the program for the mechanical horse the day before yesterday."

"We didn't touch it at all either."

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Zi Yi looked at their expressions for some time and said, "I know that you're not happy due to my addition to the team. I didn't expect that you would do something like this. I'm so disappointed with you all."

When the engineers heard her, they felt so stifled and their faces turned red.

"We said we didn't touch your mechanical horse and that's the truth!"

"This won't do. To prove our innocence, we must check the surveillance. Only the surveillance can prove our innocence."

The engineers really had that thought. After saying that they wanted to check the surveillance, they were prepared to look for Mr. Tang together.

Zi Yi looked at the five engineers who left just like that and did not stop them.

After they left, she was the only one left in the research building.

Seemingly doing nothing, she walked to the chair and sat down. However, her gaze was checking her surroundings. As a science and technology bigshot of the interstellar era, Zi Yi was extremely sensitive to anything that was related to machinery. Even without the aid of any equipment, she also sensed something.

Sure enough, after the engineers had only left for a few minutes (it would take at least ten minutes for them to reach Mr. Tang's place) when a voice came from the intercom.

"Miss Zi, Mr. Tang wants you to make a trip over."

This voice was not Guard Zhu.

Zi Yi walked out of the building. The person who spoke through the intercom clearly did not have the permission to enter, so he stood outside the entrance. At the sight of Zi Yi, he made a gesture of inviting her to go with him. "Miss Zi, please get in the car."

The car was parked somewhere nearby.

Zi Yi lowered her gaze and followed him to the car. Just as she was about to get in, another car suddenly drove over from in front of them. Deputy Director Huang alighted and at the sight of Zi Yi, he asked in a surprised tone, "Little Zi, what are you doing?"

Zi Yi said, "Mr. Tang asked me to go over."

Deputy Director Huang looked at the guard next to her and he narrowed his eyes. He walked over in large strides and restrained him.

"Ugh..."

"Speak, who do you belong to?"

Zi Yi retreated to the side and looked at the two of them.

The guard who had been restrained received a kick from Deputy Director Huang and was in so much pain that he broke out in cold sweat. He said, "It's Mr. Tang who told me to bring Miss Zi over."

Deputy Director Huang sneered. "You're not Mr. Tang's guard. Little Zi was personally brought over by Mr. Tang. He could not have ordered a guard like you to do this."

Speaking of this, he said to the guards who were standing guard at the entrance, "Immediately contact Mr. Tang's adjutant and report this matter to Mr. Tang right away."

"Yes!"

Upon hearing what Deputy Director Huang said to the guards, the man who was restrained suddenly started to struggle.

Deputy Director Huang did not pay attention and the man successfully broke away.

However, he did not run away to escape, and instead, he dashed towards Zi Yi.

"Little Zi, look out!"

Zi Yi looked at the guard who took out a knife and was rushing in her direction. She narrowed her eyes slightly and was planning to dodge. However, Deputy Director Huang was a step faster and grabbed the guard's arm with his hand. The guard lost his momentum and staggered. The next second, the knife in his hand slashed Deputy Director Huang.

Blood rapidly seeped out from the wound on Deputy Director Huang's arm.

The guards around the vicinity immediately came running and restrained the man.

"Let go of me! OW!"

Looking at the man kneeling there and screaming due to the kicks he received, Zi Yi's frown tightened.

She looked toward Deputy Director Huang.

He was stopping the bleeding right now. When he sensed Zi Yi's gaze, he smiled at her and said, "I haven't trained for a long time and I didn't expect that I would fail to avoid the attack. I guess I have to do more training in the future."

Just then, several cars drove over quickly and stopped. Mr. Tang and a few engineers alighted from the car.

When Mr. Tang saw the situation, his expression instantly turned serious. "What's going on?"

Having said that, he checked Zi Yi from head to toe. After ensuring that she was fine, he was relieved. At the same time, he looked at Deputy Director Huang.

At the sight of the blood all over his arm, he quickly said, "Quick, go and get the doctor to bandage it."

Deputy Director Huang nodded his head, but he did not leave immediately. He explained to Mr. Tang about the situation earlier.

Mr. Tang nodded his head. "I understand. You should go and treat your wound first."

He then motioned to Guard Zhu. "Bring Old Huang to the doctor."

"Yes!"

After Deputy Director Huang left, Mr. Tang looked at the man who was pinned on the ground and gave an order. "Bring him away for interrogation."

The man was soon taken away.

The rest went into the building. Everyone was either standing or sitting in the lounge. Their expressions were all serious too.

After all, it was a frightening thing for an assassination situation to happen in such a heavily guarded base.

Sometime later, Mr. Tang's internal cell phone rang. After he ended the call, he said to them, "The man was a guard stationed nearby. He was drugged with hallucinogens and was controlled during the shift change."

Chapter 824: Someone Tampered With Moonlight's Program and It's Not a Bug

When the guards were changing shifts, there was a short period of time they weren't under surveillance. As long as they did not leave the area they were guarding, no one would suspect them if they walked around for a short while.

Thus, the guard earlier had clearly taken advantage of this loophole.

Mr. Tang said to them, "Don't worry. In the future, security here will be strengthened and a situation like today will not happen again."

Having said that, he turned to Zi Yi.

Similarly, the other five engineers also looked at her.

Zi Yi nodded her head and did not wish to continue on this topic and so, she asked, "Have you found out who touched my mechanical horse?"

Upon hearing that, the expressions of the five engineers turned serious.

Mr. Tang said, "It's Moonlight."

"Moonlight?"

Zi Yi stared at the engineers. "It seems like only the five of you can control Moonlight?"

"We didn't give Moonlight such a command!"

The engineers spoke in unison and their expressions did not look good either.

Zi Yi looked at Mr. Tang.

Mr. Tang said, "I've checked the surveillance for these two days. None of the engineers had touched Moonlight alone and your mechanical horse was indeed altered by Moonlight."

Engineer Meng opened his mouth and spoke. "There must be a bug in the program which surfaced when Moonlight was activated. Originally, the debugging for Moonlight was not completed yet and it's not strange for such a situation to happen."

This was indeed not surprising. Zi Yi tilted her head and looked at Moonlight lying on the mechanical bed.

Right now, the program for Moonlight was displayed on the monitor above his head.

As to whether there was really a bug in Moonlight's program, Zi Yi was well aware of the truth. However, she did not continue to say anything else.

This matter passed by just like that and she brought up another question. "Who among you will be going to the military factory?"

The five engineers made eye contact with each other.

Zi Yi gave them a suggestion. "Mr. Tang is here right now, why don't you let him decide for you?"

Mr. Tang asked with a smile, "Didn't all of you dislike going to the military factory? Why are all of you vying to go this time?"

How could the engineers have the cheek to say that it was because they took a fancy to Leader Li and that they wanted to show off in front of her?

Engineer Meng said, "This time, the material we customized is for making the chip and one of us must personally follow to check the goods in person. Otherwise, it's useless to us if the material isn't up to standard.

"Yes, that's the case."

Mr. Tang did not pry deeper and said, "Since only one of you needs to go and all of you are fighting to go, let's draw lots."

Since it was Mr. Tang's idea, the engineers would definitely agree.

The drawing of lots was done very soon. In the end, it was Engineer Yang who was going.

Engineer Yang smiled triumphantly. "Everyone, thanks for allowing me to go."

The other four engineers simply gnashed their teeth at him.

As a result, this was how the matter was resolved and the situation was settled just like that; afterwards everyone continued going about their work.

Zi Yi walked out of the research building after work and Mr. Tang personally came to fetch her and send her out.

In the car, Zi Yi said to Mr. Tang, "Someone tampered with Moonlight's program and it's not a bug."

Mr. Tang had already guessed that was the case and he said, "I will send some people to increase the surveillance around the five of them."

Zi Yi nodded her head and changed the topic to Deputy Director Huang. "Are Deputy Director Huang's injuries serious?"

"Fortunately, the wound wasn't deep."

Zi Yi did not ask anything else.

The car soon sent Zi Yi outside the main entrance. Lu Jingye was busy today and it was Robot A who came to fetch Zi Yi.

Before Zi Yi alighted from the car, Mr. Tang asked her, "Little Zi, do you want to tag along to the military factory tomorrow?"

Zi Yi thought about it and nodded her head. "Yes."

The military factory was in possession of many raw materials unknown to the outside world. She wanted to go around and see if there was anything she wanted.

Mr. Tang said, "I'll get Little Zhu to come to fetch you tomorrow. You don't have to come to the research base, just head there directly."

"Okay."

Having said that, Zi Yi alighted from his car and headed to her own car.

After the car drove out, Zi Yi received Mrs. Lu's phone call. She asked if Zi Yi would be going home tonight.

Zi Yi told her that she was going back and Mrs. Lu happily left to prepare delicious food for her.

After hanging up the phone, Zi Yi suddenly thought of her Father who had left for the Southern Ocean. She checked the situation of the military exercises of Country A that had been going on for the past few days.

In the aspect of cruisers and intercontinental ballistic missiles, Country A was the leader worldwide.

They would hold several military exercises every year. These types of exercises were intended to show off to the world and at the same time, it was to deter other countries.

When Country A's intercontinental ballistic missiles exploded 800 nautical miles away from China, the entire network of China had exploded.

"What does Country A mean by that? Are they deliberately provoking us?"

"It's simply outrageous. Why hasn't the country made a move when they are acting so blatantly?"

"It's so infuriating. I really hope that our country will display a similar military exercise right away."

"Our country can't compare with Country A in this aspect and you want them to take action? Do you want to send our people to their deaths?"

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There were all sorts of different comments. Even if Zi Yi did not deliberately check the news, she could still see it being mentioned everywhere.

After she scrolled around for some time and was preparing to connect to the ship the Third Master Lu was on, A's voice sounded just then. "Master, a child ran out in front."

Upon saying that, A stepped on the breaks.

Zi Yi looked up. Sure enough, she saw a four to five-year-old little girl holding a doll and walked to the middle of the road.

This area was not considered the busiest area, but there were still many cars around.

The moment A stopped the car, impatient horns sounded from behind.

When the little girl heard the horns, she got so frightened that she fell to the ground and cried out loud.

Zi Yi looked at the little girl and said to A, "Get down and check the situation."

A opened the door and alighted from the car. He first gestured to the driver of the car behind them, telling him that there was a situation in front. Following that, he headed to where the little girl was.

When the little girl saw A, her crying resided a little and at the same time, she stretched her hands out, wanting to be picked up by him.

A turned his head and looked at Zi Yi.

Zi Yi gave him a nod.

A was planning to carry the little girl to the sidewalk.

However, he did not expect that when she saw A heading to the sidewalk, she immediately burst into tears again.

Her crying sound soon attracted many onlookers.

Someone came over and asked, "What's going on?"

"This little girl must be your child. Why is she crying like that?"

A said, "No. She came running into the middle of the road from the sidewalk. I carried her back here."

Having said that, he had reached the sidewalk. However, the little girl refused to get down from A's arms. The moment A made any motion of letting her down, she would cry out loudly.

The onlookers said, "Why don't you hold her first? Her parents should be nearby and they must be looking for her."

Many people agreed and prevented A from leaving

Zi Yi looked at A who was surrounded and took out her phone to check the surrounding surveillance. However, she did not find any adults who were frantically searching for someone.

After she finished checking the surveillance, she pursed her lips and took out her phone to call the nearby police station.

The police came over very quickly, but they were unable to take away the little girl who was clinging to A.

Her crying was too devil-like. No matter how the policemen coaxed her, they failed.

At the sight of this, Zi Yi gave A an order. "Knock her out with electricity for a few seconds and hand her to the police."

Chapter 825: Whose Child Is This? Why Is She So Violent

A quietly electrocuted the little girl and handed her to the police before he turned around and returned to the car.

The girl suddenly woke up after A had walked back to the car. She struggled in the policemen's arms and wanted to chase after him.

After A got in the car, he started the car and drove away immediately.

The little girl scratched and kicked the policemen after the car drove away. Soon, there was a scratch mark on the policeman that was carrying her.

The onlookers could not stand it anymore.

"Whose child is this? Why is she being so violent?"

"That's right. Whose child is this? It's already such a huge commotion and yet, her parents have yet to appear. Don't tell me they are those kinds of adults that forget about their child?"

Everyone stood there and spectated for some time before they saw a flustered woman rushing over. "Yingying, where did you go running off to again? You scared me to death."

The woman quickly took the little girl into her arms and thanked the policemen before she left in haste.

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Early the next morning, Guard Zhu drove over and fetched Zi Yi.

Mrs. Lu prepared some food for Zi Yi. "Let your invisible robots carry them for you so that others can't see them."

Right now, Zi Yi was getting hungrier in shorter intervals. Mrs. Lu had prepared some food that she liked.

Zi Yi obviously would not refuse and she got Shadow II to take the food that Mrs. Lu had prepared.

The military factory was located in the western suburbs, with an area of thousands of acres. It directly extended into the mountains at the border with a neighboring province.

When the car reached the entrance of the military factory, the others had already reached and were waiting outside.

The person leading them today was a leader with the surname Wu. Leader Li was also present, along with the engineers from seven to eight different teams.

Other than them, two leaders of the military factory came out to meet everyone.

After they exchanged greetings, everyone got on the bus prepared for them.

Zi Yi and Leader Li sat together.

Leader Li said to her, "If everything goes well today, we should be able to go back in half a day's time. If not, there might be a need to stay for a day. There are also some places here that are prohibited from entry. Miss Zi, if you feel like going anywhere, you can inform me first."

"Ok."

Just then, Engineer Yang who was seated near them asked, "Leader Li, will you be following us all the time?"

Leader Li nodded her head. "Yes. I'm responsible for the negotiations between all of you and the military factory. If you discover any problems and can't communicate well with the people here, you can look for me."

Engineer Yang's lips curved up and clearly, he was delighted.

After the bus drove around the military factory for nearly half an hour and entered the mountains, it took another ten minutes or so before it stopped outside a cave that looked like an air-raid shelter.

Everyone alighted from the bus and followed the leaders to the cave entrance.

Near the entrance were two men who appeared to be leaders.

Leader Li whispered to Zi Yi about the identities of the two men, "They are Leader Xiang and Leader Wang who are in charge of special materials."

Leader Cheng stepped forward and greeted the other two leaders.

Leader Xiang glanced at the group of people and his gaze landed on Zi Yi. He then said with slight surprise, "This little friend must be Zi Yi?"

"Yes."

"Haha. I've heard before that Mr. Tang successfully brought her into the Robot R&D Center. I didn't expect that to be true."

After Leader Xiang said this, he turned to Zi Yi and said, "Young lady, you're skilled and so do be sure to contribute well to the country."

Zi Yi gave him a nod but did not open her mouth to speak.

Leader Xiang did not mind and he started joking with the rest. "I hope that the dear engineers will show mercy today. In order to develop the parts you need, we were about to nearly offend another military factory. If the materials still don't pass the check, I think we will have to offend people from the Aerospace Department again."

His words caused Leader Cheng and the others to laugh out loud.

Leader Wang who was standing on the side did not laugh with them. Instead, he looked rather stern.

He also spared a glance at Zi Yi before he said, "Let's go. Let's not waste everyone's time."

Having said that, he turned around and headed into the cave.

The entrance of the cave was extremely wide. After they entered, they even had to take a cable car.

The cable car continually descended. When it finally stopped, they reached a space where no one could see the end.

Not only was it large, it was also very high. It was as though the whole mountain had been hollowed out.

There were many different types of machinery currently in operation but there was not much staff and most of the things inside were automated.

There were also many different studios.

Each department requested different parts, so the two leaders sent the engineers into the respective studios and handed them over to the staff members inside.

Zi Yi and Engineer Yang were taken into one of the studios.

There were several designers inside the studio. As soon as they saw the both of them walking in, they were stunned and amazed by Zi Yi.

Leader Xiang made the introduction. "These two are the engineers from the Robot R&D Center and they're here to inspect the materials. Li Xiangrong, come over and lead them around."

One of them came over.

Leader Xiang said to Zi Yi and Engineer Yang, "When you are done inspecting the materials, you can come out directly. Someone will lead you outside."

The both of them nodded their heads and Leader Xiang took his leave.

Li Xiangrong walked over and said to them, "Follow me."

Having said that, he led them to a workbench. There was a special-looking case placed on the table. After opening the case, there were several pieces of items inside that looked like unique parts.

Li Xiangrong said, "These are your customized parts. Please have a good check."

Zi Yi noticed that Li Xiangrong's voice was strained when he said that. There seems to be some sort of vigilance against them.

Engineer Yang nodded his head. He put on special gloves and started the check.

The other staff members in the studio stopped working and all of them were staring in their direction. Similarly, there were looks of vigilance on their faces.

Engineer Yang seemed to know what Zi Yi's questions were and explained to her, "If we find that the parts do not meet our requirements, their hard work during this period of time would have been in vain."

One of the staff members said in displeasure, "If the people at your place weren't so critical, we wouldn't be in such a miserable state."

"Ha." Engineer Yang looked at the staff member and said, "Do you think we are making ordinary robots and that just any random parts will do?"

The staff member kept his mouth shut.

Zi Yi also went over to Engineer Yang and started to check the parts.

Not long after they started checking, the door to the studio was opened. Leader Cheng and Leader Xiang were standing at the door and Leader Cheng said to Zi Yi, "Little Zi, come out for a moment."

Zi Yi came out and Leader Cheng said to her, "When Mr. Tang came over, he told us before to bring you around to the smelting workshop of the special parts. Let's go, we'll take you around right now."

Zi Yi followed the two of them.

Not long after the three left, Leader Li and another leader came out from another side and they were chatting with each other.

"I heard that Zi Yi from your base is also here. Where is she? Leader Li, quick. Bring me to meet her."

Leader Li said in a joking tone, "Our Little Zi is a national treasure. When Leader Fu sees her, remember not to frighten her."

Chapter 826: Did Your Team Become Attracted To Her When You Saw Zi Yi?

As expected of the military factory. There were many things here that could not be purchased outside.

Most importantly, there were many rare minerals here and even more meteorites and minerals brought back from outer space.

Leader Xiang saw Zi Yi looking at the pile of minerals and he proudly pointed to them as he explained to her, "This is the mineral that we brought back from Venus. This is the mineral from Mars and this is..."

Zi Yi was silent for a moment before she asked, "Why are there only minerals from nearby planets?"

Her words caused Leader Xiang and Leader Cheng to turn silent at the same time.

Leader Xiang said, "Our country's aerospace technology has yet to reach the level of going to a further planet to bring back the minerals. Country A, however, has managed to reach the Red Giant Star and Blue Giant Star and they brought back some minerals from there. I heard that those minerals contain elements that we are unaware of. However, Country A has kept it a secret and the outside world does not know exactly what it is."

Leader Cheng continued to speak, "Other than reaching those stars and bringing back several different minerals, they also went to the Kuiper Belt (if humans wish to explore outside the solar system, they have to leave the Kuiper Belt) and brought back some minerals from there."

Of course, these things are all the highest confidential information of Country A. Other countries do not know what exactly had they brought back from outer space or what kind of elements they had extracted.

On the other hand, Zi Yi knows of it. She had already checked out the national-level confidential database of various countries long ago.

The meteorites Country A brought back were really considered powerful for humans, but in her eyes, it was merely some stones that were slightly more useful. In order to make a spaceship, especially one that can teleport in space, it was simply impossible to make using these things.

The three of them looked around for a while and it was almost lunchtime.

They went out and gathered with the rest and got to know that the parts a few of the teams requested did not meet the requirements.

Zi Yi walked over to Engineer Yang and asked, "Did the part we ask for meet the requirements?"

"It's still lacking a little." Engineer Yang said, "But they are able to fix it by the end of the day. We can wait."

After Engineer Yang said that, he turned around and chatted with Leader Li. As for his appearance, there was no need to mention how diligent he was acting.

As they had to wait for the parts to be modified, Zi Yi followed Leader Xiang to check out other studios. When it was time to return to the bus that brought them here, Zi Yi was slightly late and Engineer Yang was already sitting in the seat next to Leader Li.

Engineer Yang was currently talking to Leader Li about some of the interesting facts in the team. His glib appearance was similar to that of an actor.

Zi Yi sat in front of them and heard Engineer Yang joking around. From time to time, Team Leader Li would laugh.

After the bus drove out of the gates of the military factory, there was a car parked outside to fetch Zi Yi. She then took the car and went home.

The others took the bus, which was prepared by the base, back.

When they were on the bus, Team Leader Li casually asked Engineer Yang, "Little Zi is so pretty. Did the engineers in your team become attracted to her?"

"Not really," Engineer Yang said, "Before she was transferred to our team, Mr. Tang told us in advance that she was married. Moreover, we have also seen the video of her at the robot exhibition."

At that time, they came to a conclusion that Zi Yi was young and that she was extremely arrogant and they felt unhappy at the sight of her. They only wanted to teach her a lesson and so how could they be in the mood to appreciate her face?

"What's more she's not the type I like."

Zi Yi's appearance was too outstanding and Engineer Yang knew of his limitations.

He then looked at Team Leader Li and there was a light in his eyes. "I think that Team Leader Li is also very beautiful. Since you're so beautiful, I believe you must have many suitors too?"

Team Leader Lu chuckled and did not deny it. "There are indeed many people who are chasing me, but there's no one I like."

"Then what kind of guy does Team Leader Li fancy?"

"Someone who is capable and humorous."

When Engineer Yang heard her words, he was extremely elated. Wasn't the type that Team Leader Li described to him, him?

At the thought of this, Engineer Yang became excited in an instant.

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In the following period of time, Engineer Yang was in an extremely good mood. There was no need to mention how he had incurred the jealousy of the others.

In particular, Engineer Chu was the most jealous. "If I was the one who went to the military factory that day, Team Leader Li would have become my girlfriend."

Zi Yi was a little surprised. "Engineer Yang and Team Leader Li are dating already?"

Engineer Chu felt uncomfortable deep down and snorted.

Engineer Yang just so happened to hear him and he grinned. "Stop having delusional thoughts about my girlfriend. Little Li and I are a fated couple."

"Bah! You just got lucky!"

Engineer Yang was in a good mood and he did not take Engineer Chu's jealous behavior to heart.

The work continued and due to a casual pointer Zi Yi gave them, the bottleneck they met while configuring Moonlight finally had some progress.

The engineers were all extremely happy.

Mr. Tang was also in a good mood and he said to Zi Yi, "Little Zi, it's been hard on you during this period of time. If you're tired, you can have a day off tomorrow."

Zi Yi indeed wanted to get some rest and so she agreed.

When she got off work in the evening, Zi Yi made a trip to the laboratory Professor Dou was in.

Professor Dou and his team were currently testing out a robot.

Upon learning that she had a rest day tomorrow, Professor Dou said, "I just so happen to have lessons tomorrow and will be returning to M.Uni. Let's leave together later."

Zi Yi sat in the lab and waited for him.

Engineer Li said with a smile, "Little Zi, how's it going on in the other team? Did the rest of them make things difficult for you?"

Zi Yi curved her lips into a smile. "They don't have the ability to make things difficult for me."

"Haha, that's true."

Everyone casually chatted for a while and Professor Dou finished his work. He went to change his clothes before heading out of the lab together with Zi Yi.

After they got in the car, Professor Dou said to Zi Yi, "When I went back to M.Uni a few days ago, I heard that a researcher of nuclear fusion engineering in Country A wanted to take you in as a student. What's going on?"

Zi Yi gave him a brief explanation of what had happened.

After hearing her story, Professor Dou thought for a moment and said, "If this person sincerely wants to accept you as a student, it's a good thing. I'm just afraid that he might have other purposes."

"Mhmm." Zi Yi said, "He came looking for me before the New Year but I didn't meet him. In the end, he went looking for the Dean."

Professor Dou furrowed his brow and said, "This person will still come again. Before you meet him, tell me. When the time comes, we'll see who is in M.Uni and we'll follow you to meet with the researcher."

If the researcher wanted to bully his niece, then don't blame the uncles of Zi Yi for being rude.

Zi Yi on the other hand, was not worried at all about what Ellis would do to her. However, she still nodded her head and said, "Ok."

After the car drove out of the entrance, Lu Jingye's car was already waiting outside.

Professor Dou sent Zi Yi to Lu Jingye's car.

After Lu Jingye alighted, he greeted them. "Second Uncle."

Dou Xiaoyong gave him a nod and said, "Little Zi has a rest day tomorrow, get her to stay at home and get a good rest. You shouldn't work too hard and be exhausted either."

"I understand, Second Uncle."

Zi Yi alighted from the car and walked to Lu Jingye's side before she asked Dou Xiaoyong, "Second Uncle, why don't you come to have dinner with us?"

"It's ok. I'm going back for dinner."

Zi Yi nodded her head. "Goodbye."

"Bye."

Dou Xiaoyong drove away first while Zi Yi and Lu Jingye returned to their car. When the car drove out, Zi Yi asked Lu Jingye, "How is the situation at Father's side?"

Chapter 827: Don't Tell Me Father and Third Uncle Can Swallow This Anger?

Country A was purposely provoking them that day, but they could not take out any evidence. The other party did not launch the missiles into their territorial waters and this matter can only be left alone just like that.

"They're intending to forget it just like that?"

Zi Yi furrowed her eyebrows with displeasure. "Don't tell me Father and Third Uncle can swallow this anger?"

"They can't make rash movements at this time."

Country A was doing a military exercise and the firepower they displayed was the most advanced, technologically, worldwide. If they moved on their end, Country A would have an excuse to counterattack.

The consequences were unimaginable and the country had many things to take into consideration.

"Hmph!"

Zi Yi snorted and did not say anything else. After they returned, both of them accompanied Mrs. Lu for dinner. After dinner, Zi Yi went out to have a walk with Mrs. Lu in the backyard.

Mrs. Lu was a little out of sorts these two days. A while after she started strolling with Zi Yi, she did not manage to hold back her thoughts and asked Zi Yi, "I wonder what's the situation at your Father's side? I saw that the situation between the two countries is a little tense lately. Will there be a fight?"

"It won't happen." Zi Yi analyzed the situation for her. "Even though our Country's comprehensive strength is weaker than Country A, we can't be underestimated in terms of our nuclear weapons. At most, they would do some dirty actions to disgust us but they would not dare to really take any action."

After Mrs. Lu heard Zi Yi's analysis, she was finally a little at ease. However, she still said, "I can still get to know about the situation on your Father's side through the news, but there isn't any news on Yunxiao's end since the very moment he left."

Zi Yi held Mrs. Lu's arm and said, "Mom, don't worry. Yunxiao does keep in contact with Ah Jing and I can also get into contact with the invisible robots that are protecting him. He's currently hiding and he'll be fine."

"I'm glad that he's not in danger."

Zi Yi knew that just one or two words from her could not possibly remove all of Mrs. Lu's worries and so, she changed the topic and talked about interesting things that happened in the lab.

When Mrs. Lu heard that Zi Yi taught the engineers a lesson, she laughed out loud.

After they finished their stroll, Mrs. Lu got Zi Yi to go back and take a rest. "You've been busy for this period of time, you should go to bed early tonight."

Zi Yi had some things to do and after she said good night to Mrs. Lu, she went up to the second floor. At the same time, she had pulled Lu Jingye to follow her.

"Let's go and check up on what Father and Third Uncle are doing."

After walking into the study room, Zi Yi took out the virtual screen and quickly connected to the control room of the warship Second Master Lu and Third Master Lu were on.

At this moment, Third Master Lu was currently stomping his feet. "You won't let me do this or that, if this continues, we'll become soft persimmons and be easily kneaded like dough by them!"

Several of the subordinates seated around him wisely chose to be invisible.

Second Master Lu was seated on a chair and he asked with a stern expression, "How do you plan to retaliate? Fight with them openly? Or do you want to intercept their missiles?"

Country A's military exercise was the focus worldwide and as long as they did not launch missiles into their territory, it would only be a military exercise. Whoever takes an action would be regarded as purposely sabotaging their display.

BAM!

Third Master Lu was so angry that he kicked the table in the conference room, causing the heavy table to shift half a meter to the side. The teacup rocked left and right, looking as though it was about to tip over when Second Master Lu quickly grabbed it.

Second Master Lu lectured him. "You better keep hold of your temper!"

"The f*ck should I..."

"Father, Third Uncle, good evening~"

The sudden greeting caused everyone to subconsciously look at the screen.

When he saw Zi Yi and Lu Jingye reflected on the screen, Third Master Lu's eyes brightened up and he asked without a second thought, "Little Zi, do you have any way to help us vent this anger? I can't take it anymore!"

Second Master Lu did not expect Third Master Lu to ask this question in front of everyone and he hastily warned him in a serious tone. "Third Brother, stop with the nonsense."

Third Master Lu also finally reacted and realized that it was not suitable to ask this question in front of everyone and he tried laughing it off. "Aren't I just turning to any doctor in a desperate situation?"

Following that, he tried asking Lu Jingye, "Jingye, do you have any ideas for us to extinguish Country A's arrogance?"

Second Master Lu said sternly, "Third Brother. That's enough. We'll take care of this matter ourselves."

Following that, he said to the rest, "Go down and get ready. As long as Country A doesn't enter our territorial waters, no one is allowed to do anything else."

"Yes!"

The group of people stood up and left the room.

The moment they closed the door, Zi Yi looked at the two men's ugly expressions and said, "Father, Third Uncle. Actually, it's easy to vent this anger without anyone knowing."

Third Master Lu was excited after hearing that. "Really? What should we do?"

However, Second Master Lu furrowed his eyebrows. "Little Zi, you don't have to intervene in this matter."

Third Master Lu looked at Second Master Lu and wanted to say something. However, he was stopped by Second Master Lu's sharp gaze.

Third Master Lu could only sit down while fuming in anger. "Alright, alright. We'll just continue enduring this. After all, it's not the first or second time we have submitted to such humiliation."

Second Master Lu's frown tightened and his expression looked even more stern.

He clenched his fists and said, "Our country is developing at a rapid pace and there will be a day when we surpass Country A, and have everyone respect us."

Third Master Lu sneered. "Second Brother, do you believe in what you just said? When we are desperately developing our missiles, perhaps Country A might have already built spaceships and headed to another planet to develop civilization there. At that time, they can simply blow up Earth whenever they feel like it."

"What nonsense are you talking about?!"

"Isn't that the truth?"

Seeing that the two brothers were about to get into an argument, Zi Yi tugged Lu Jingye's sleeve.

Lu Jingye called out to the two men, "Father, Third Uncle."

He successfully stopped the impending quarrel.

"I feel that we can let Little Zi have a try."

He had faith that his wife was able to do it.

Second Master Lu furrowed his eyebrows. "The whole world is paying attention to Country A's military exercise. If the other party were to discover anything, it would be very troublesome for Little Zi."

"They won't discover anything." Zi Yi said, "I'll use other identities to take action. Father and Third Uncle only have to act as though you don't know anything."

"No." Second Master Lu was still worried. "The news of you helping Third Brother to deal with the pirates got out and if you were to take action again this time, even if you used other identities, they would definitely be suspicious. We can't take the risk."

"But..."

"What Father said is reasonable."

Lu Jingye held Zi Yi's hand and stopped her from talking. "Since that's the case, we'll go and rest up first."

Having said that, he motioned for Zi Yi to turn off the virtual screen.

Zi Yi looked at him with a frown. "Are we really not going to help Father and Third Uncle? Country A is so arrogant and even in my opinion, they're so infuriating."

"Who says we won't be helping?" Lu Jingye squeezed her hand and released it. "Country A's military exercise lasts for three days and there are still five hours before it ends. Their secret weapon will definitely be displayed at the very last minute. It's not too late for us to do anything at that time... Right now, you can go and sleep for four hours first."

Following that, he held her hand and they headed downstairs.

"What about you?"

"I'll wake you up later."

Chapter 828: Little Zi Is My Daughter-in-Law. I Won't Let Anything Happen to Her.

On the other side.

Looking at the video that was disconnected, Third Master Lu became cranky again.

He could not understand why they didn't accept Zi Yi and Lu Jingye's help.

"Second Brother, since Little Zi said that she could teach them a lesson without anyone knowing, why don't you let her take action? Country A is provoking us at our doorstep!"

Second Master Lu looked at him with a sullen face. "Country A is only conducting military exercises on the high seas. You're the one that's too rash."

"l-"

"Alright." Second Master Lu stood up. "There's still five hours before the military exercise ends. Instead of being cranky here, it's better to pay more attention and protect our waters."

Having said that, he headed outside the conference room. When he reached the door, he suddenly stopped and said, "Little Zi is my daughter-in-law. I won't let anything happen to her."

His words had successfully blocked all the words Third Master Lu wanted to say.

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On the main warship of Country A.

In the conference room. Looking at the map of the whole of the Pacific Ocean, a man suddenly sighed in a lonely tone. "There's still five hours before the exercise ends. No one dares to come out and challenge us every time we hold a military exercise. How boring."

Another man said in an arrogant tone, "Who would dare to come out? In the aspect of the intercontinental missile, no other country can match us. Whoever dares to stand out, I'll send them back to the embrace of the gods."

The third person spoke up. "I thought that a different stimulus would happen this time. Isn't it said that Zi Yi from China is very capable? Why hasn't she taken any action during this period of time?"

"Pft- She merely defeated pirates and so do you think they can compare to us?"

"That's right. In our eyes, pirates are merely children fighting with each other. Perhaps it was just through luck that Zi Yi was able to help Lu Jianjun defeat the pirates."

"So what if it wasn't luck? Even if she can intercept the pirate's shells, don't tell me she can intercept our missiles? Isn't that a huge joke? Hahaha..."

"Hahahaha..."

"Since there isn't any stimulus, why don't we create some in five hours time, before we return?"

"How do we cause the stimulus?"

"The stealth submarine we brought out this time hasn't been used and so why don't we knock over the fleets of those who have been disrespectful to us when the exercise is over? Let them play around in the sea."

"When the time comes, we'll use soundwaves to lead the sharks over."

"Haha... This is a good idea."

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At twelve midnight, Lu Jingye woke Zi Yi.

She was still a little confused the moment she woke up. She leaned in his embrace and asked, "Is it time?"

"Mhmm. There's still an hour before the end of the military exercise."

After Zi Yi heard what he said, her mind was instantly awake. She quickly got out of bed and washed her face in the washroom.

Both of them headed to the study room together and on the way, Lu Jingye asked, "Are you hungry?"

Zi Yi touched her slightly protruding tummy and said, "I'm hungry."

Lu Jingye stopped walking. "Head over to the study room first. I'll go to the kitchen to make some food for you."

"I want to eat noodles with two poached eggs and no vegetables."

Lu Jingye who was about to turn around and head downstairs stopped walking. He turned around and tapped her head. He did not agree to exclude the vegetables and merely said, "There's still some of the chicken soup Mother cooked yesterday. I'll cook a bowl of chicken noodles for you."

"Mm-hmm." Zi Yi hastily nodded her head. Seeing that he was about to go downstairs, she hastily said, "I also want to eat strawberries."

"Ok."

After Lu Jingye went downstairs, Zi Yi headed to the study room.

She sat on the sofa and brought out the virtual screen along with the keyboard before she quickly typed on the keyboard.

Strings of codes were soon formulated and all sorts of geometric figures appeared on the screen. They were all constantly flashing and changing around.

Around two minutes later, the geometric figures on the screen converged quickly and countless red lights flashed around. It directly deciphered the network data of all the fleets belonging to Country A.

She continued tapping on the keyboard and three minutes later, she deciphered their controller and set the course of the missiles at the same time.

Just then, the door was pushed open. Lu Jingye came in with a bowl of noodles and a plate of strawberries.

Zi Yi's nose twitched when she smelled the fragrance. She secretly swallowed her saliva. "It smells so good."

Following that, she put away the virtual keyboard and stood up.

Lu Jingye put the bowl on the table and pulled a chair over for her.

Zi Yi sat down and burst open the poached egg. When she saw the vegetables hidden under the poached egg, she furrowed her brows in displeasure. "You're so bad. I told you no vegetables."

Lu Jingye raised his hand and stroked her head while he gently coaxed her. "Vegetables are nutritious. I didn't put much. Eating them is good for you and your baby."

Zi Yi snorted before she started eating.

While she was in the middle of eating, Lu Jingye went to take a look at the virtual screen. Upon seeing the images reflected, he still got a shock.

"You've already deciphered all the fleets of Country A that are participating in the military exercise?"

Zi Yi did not have time to answer him at all. She was sucking a mouthful of noodles and she only managed to answer him after she ate the noodles.

Lu Jingye continued looking at the virtual screen.

After he saw the data, his expression instantly turned serious.

"Country A is actually planning to use their stealth submarine to hit Father's fleet after the military exercise."

By this time, Zi Yi was already half filled. She finally raised her head and said, "When the time comes, wouldn't it be fun to get Dad's invisible robots to blow up their stealth submarines?"

Lu Jingye tilted her head and looked at her.

Zi Yi had picked up a stalk of a vegetable and before she ate it, she muttered, "Before being pregnant with twins, I thought that vegetables tasted good too. Why do I feel that vegetables taste bad after being pregnant with them?"

Lu Jingye's lips curved up and he said, "It's possible that it's a reaction from being pregnant."

Zi Yi smiled when she heard that. "How is there possibly such a reaction that specifically happens during pregnancy?"

Having said that, she ate the vegetable and swallowed it after chewing twice.

"It still tastes bad."

Lu Jingye saw her reaction and walked over to touch her head.

Zi Yi felt like eating strawberries and she pushed the leftover bowl of noodles to him. "I can't finish it."

Lu Jingye took the bowl and finished the leftovers in a few bites.

Following that, they made their way to the sofa.

Zi Yi took out the virtual keyboard again and continued typing.

While looking at the string of codes on her screen, he said, "Five hours ago, I issued a reward task in the underground black market."

"What was the reward task?"

While asking, she went to check the underground black market. At the sight of it, she was delighted. "You actually anonymously issued a reward task for hacking into the control room of Country A's military exercise fleet."

One may be bought if the price is right. Not to mention the reward Lu Jingye offered was a billion.

If it was ordinary people, they might not dare to take this task. However, for hackers, they would take it as long as there was a reward, not to mention such a huge sum of money.

Zi Yi continued checking. "There are already hundreds of hackers who have taken on this task."

At the sight of this, the smile on her face widened unconsciously.

Lu Jingye also smiled and said, "In this case, your actions won't seem too obvious when you do something."

Chapter 829: Zi Yi Said: My Hubby's Money Cannot Be Earned By Others

With this preparation that Lu Jingye had done in advance, Zi Yi acted even more brazenly.

"My hubby's money cannot be earned by others."

Having said that, she quickly accepted the task and took action when all the hackers were attacking the control room of Country A's fleet.

At 12.30 a.m. imperial time.

All the satellite stations were broadcasting the military exercise of Country A simultaneously.

Two reputable commentators in Country A began their commentary.

The male commentator's tone of voice was filled with excitement. "After three days of our military exercise display, I believe that our country's military strength has been seen by the whole world. Everyone must believe that our country is only in possession of just these cutting-edge technology weapons. Well, they're wrong! Our killer moves have yet to be unleashed. General Commander Made has mentioned before that the best would be left for the end."

The female commentator continued speaking, "We just received the latest news. At present, hundreds of hackers are currently attacking the control room of our fleets. Of course, our General Commander Made has great foresight and made preparations in advance long ago. Everyone will get to witness our country's abilities to defend against these hackers shortly."

The male commentator spoke up. "Is there still a need to explain? They are merely a small group of hackers, similar to that of clowns jumping up and down on a tightrope."

The female commentator chimed in. "Well they're just a bunch of buffoons. They can just be considered as giving our great General Commander Made the pleasure of successfully finishing the military exercise."

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There was a huge number of spectators watching Country A's military exercise on the live broadcast.

After hearing what the commentators said, the internet instantly exploded.

"Country A is so arrogant. I really hope that the hackers can hack all their control rooms and we'll see how they can still unleash their killer move at the end."

"Country A is clearly looking down on everyone. I really hope that another country can stand out to teach them how to act in a low-profile manner."

"I wish that a super skilled hacker would take over the controls of all their control rooms."

"But it's practically impossible. Country A is a leading country in terms of IT and there is no lack of hackers in their country. At this time, there must be tons of hackers in their own country fighting against those who are attacking the fleet."

While the internet was in a furore, it was time for the last routine of the military exercise.

At the command of the commander, all the weapons on the fleet were fired into the air instantly.

The male commentator's trembling voice could be heard. "This is the most advanced intercontinental missile in our country. It can also be called the interstellar missile. Ten missiles can be launched every single time and the furthest range it can reach is the Moon. Following that, it can land in any place on Earth that has been designated beforehand."

Everyone saw how there were only ghosting images in the skies and they were feeling extremely shocked in their hearts. If this missile was used to attack any of the other countries, wouldn't they be completely unprepared?

While everyone was stunned by Country A's intercontinental missiles, there was suddenly a thunderous explosion in the skies.

Explosion sounds could be heard one after another. The explosions just so happened to be caused by the missiles Country A released for the military exercise just moments ago.

Everyone was dumbfounded.

This time round, the whole internet was paralyzed and the netizens were unable to do anything.

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Zi Yi put away the virtual screen and yawned. Following that, she leaned her full weight on Lu Jingye.

He held her by the waist and asked, "Are you tired?"

"Sleepy."

In the next second, she was picked up in a princess carry.

Zi Yi held his neck while leaning her head in his embrace. There was a slight curve at the corner of her lips. "It's a pity that the area where Country A is located isn't experiencing night time right now. Otherwise, we would be able to enjoy a huge fireworks show."

Lu Jingye's lips also slightly curved up. "If you would like to watch fireworks, we'll set some off at home tomorrow."

"Mhmm."

Zi Yi originally wanted to continue chatting with him, but she was too exhausted. After she responded, she closed her eyes and fell asleep in his arms.

Lu Jingye lowered his head and glanced at her for a second before he lowered his head further and kissed her on the forehead.

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After what happened last night, the last routine of Country A's military exercise became an international joke.

When Zi Yi got up and went downstairs in the morning, she saw Mrs. Lu speaking to Lu Jingye with a wide smile that she couldn't hide at all.

"Your Father gave me a call early in the morning, telling me that the intercontinental missile Country A launched last night had exploded in mid-air. If I knew that would happen, I would have stayed awake to watch the live broadcast. That kind of scene is simply too spectacular to be missed."

Lu Jingye listened to Mrs. Lu speaking about this incident with a gentle expression. Just then, he tilted his head and looked at the staircase.

Zi Yi came down and called out, "Mom."

"Good morning." Mrs. Lu asked her while in a good mood, "Yiyi, are you hungry? Housekeeper, quickly bring some food for Yiyi to eat."

The housekeeper standing nearby answered and turned as he headed into the kitchen.

Zi Yi walked over and sat next to Lu Jingye.

Mrs. Lu continued talking with a huge grin, "Yiyi, your Father will be returning soon."

Zi Yi also smiled in response. "That's really great news."

"That's right. I previously thought that he could only return home after some time had passed. I didn't expect that he could come home so soon. Did you hear about the military exercise incident last night?"

Zi Yi nodded her head. "I heard of it."

Just then, the housekeeper brought Zi Yi's breakfast over and she started digging in.

Mrs. Lu was still talking about this topic. "I heard from Jianlin that the explosion timing of those missiles had been changed by the hackers, which resulted in an early detonation. Following that, Country A immediately issued a worldwide wanted order to hunt down the hacker. I hope that the gods will bless the hacker so that they will never be found."

While Mrs. Lu said that, she even put her hands together and prayed earnestly.

Zi Yi tilted her head and looked at Mrs. Lu's reaction. She then asked with a smile, "Mom, why do you hope that they can't find the hacker?"

Mrs. Lu put down her hands and said with a serious expression. "The motive for this military exercise is impure and they are planning to deter our country by showing their might. With what the hacker did, not only did it cause Country A to embarrass themselves on an international level, but it also stopped them from being arrogant."

Zi Yi smiled and nodded her head. "Mom, you're right."

After breakfast, Zi Yi lazily leaned against the sofa while Lu Jingye grabbed a laptop, sat next to her, and started working. Mrs. Lu originally also wanted to stay at home and accompany her. However, not long later, someone from the design department gave her a call.

Before Mrs. Lu left, she said to Zi Yi, "Yiyi, you finally had a day off, so don't continue with your experiments. I'll come home real quickly and make your favorite cakes in the afternoon."

Zi Yi quickly nodded her head. "Okay!"

After Mrs. Lu left, Zi Yi turned to Lu Jingye and asked, "Does Father and Third Uncle know that Country A was planning to launch a sneak attack on their ship before they returned?"

"They know. I've informed Father."

Zi Yi leaned her back on the chair and revealed an expression of pity. "Unfortunately, Country A forgot about it in the end, rendering my robots useless."

Having said that, she called out the virtual screen, hacked into Country A, and checked their follow-up measures. "They have already found the reward task issued in the underground black market."

Lu Jingye glanced at her virtual screen and did not seem to be worried at all. "I used a hitman's account. They can check in whatever way they like."

Chapter 830: Hey Little Girl, You Really Know How To Kiss Up to Your Elders

Lu Jingye did not manage to remain seated for long when he received several phone calls.

When it was almost 10 in the morning, Zi Yi's phone started ringing.

It was the Dean of the School of Technology of M.Uni.

The Dean asked her, "Little Zi, do you have free time today? If you do, make a trip over to M.Uni."

Zi Yi was planning to visit her Grandfather in the afternoon and so, she asked, "Why are you looking for me?"

"Actually, I'm not the one looking for you," the Dean said, "Two assistants of Dr. Ellis came to the university today and they wish to meet you."

When Zi Yi heard that, she directly refused. "I'm not free today."

The Dean did not continue persuading her and only said, "Alright then, I'll inform them of it."

After hanging up the phone, the Dean looked at the two assistants standing opposite his office table and expressed his apologies. "Little Zi isn't available today. Please go back."

Standing in front of him were a man and a woman and they looked to be in their late twenties.

The woman furrowed her eyebrows in annoyance. "Is Miss Zi deliberately hiding from us? How can she refuse to meet us time after time again?"

The Dean replied, "Miss Anri should have misunderstood something. Student Zi is indeed very busy."

"What is she busy with?"

Anri raised her voice a little. "At most, she's just following a professor around to do projects. Does she think that just randomly doing a project can let her gain fame?

"It's different if she follows Dr. Ellis. As long as Dr. Ellis brings her around for any random project, it would let her become instantly famous. Plenty of outstanding students don't even have a chance to become his student. Why isn't Miss Zi grabbing onto this opportunity?"

The Dean laughed at her words and said, "Miss Anri, this is Miss Zi's choice. We can't possibly force her."

"In my opinion, I think you're the ones who are unwilling to let her come. Whoever knows that it's Dr. Ellis, who is interested in taking them on as a student, there's no one that does not wish to join."

The Dean felt like sending off the guests now and so he did his best to maintain a smile on his face. "I am unable to make any decisions in this matter. Why don't you wait for the next time Little Zi returns to school and talk to her in person?"

"Do you think we have so much time on our hands to wait for her slowly?"

Anri crossed her arms in displeasure. "There's only one chance and what's more, Dr. Ellis only said that he wanted to meet her first. As to whether she has the skills to enter, it'll still depend on what decision Dr. Ellis makes after having a chat with her."

What she meant from her words was that she felt Zi Yi should realize what's actually good for her.

The Dean: "..."

Hah!

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After Dr. Ellis' assistants left the office of the Dean, Anri said discontentedly, "This Zi Yi really thinks she's all that capable? How dare she repeatedly refuse to meet us time after time again."

The man walking next to her said, "This person is highly praised in the country and has the Dou Family as her backing. It's normal for her to be arrogant."

"I don't think it's arrogance at all. She's deliberately trying to leave Dr. Ellis hanging! Who doesn't know that Dr. Ellis is the best researcher in the field of nuclear fusion engineering? Plenty of people wish to become his students and this Zi Yi is so ungrateful... If not for the fact that Dr. Ellis informed us that we must obtain a meeting with her, I really feel like flying back."

"Since she's someone Dr. Ellis has specifically chosen, she must possess something extraordinary. Our task is to get a meeting with her and get her to promise to meet Dr. Ellis."

"How are we supposed to meet her? She refuses to meet us."

"We can start from the Dou Family members."

"You're right. I heard that Professor Dou Xiaoyong came to the school today. Let's go and look for him."

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Zi Yi and Lu Jingye stayed at home all morning.

Lu Jingye worked while Zi Yi grabbed a book and casually read it.

The weather was nice today and when the sunlight shone in through the window, it gave off a warm feeling.

Mrs. Lu only returned when it was noon.

Zi Yi saw that she was not in a good mood and asked, "Mom, did something happen?"

"The design drafts of our studio were stolen."

"Who was it? Did you manage to find the culprit?"

"The culprit was found. It's a university student I recruited a few days ago." When she mentioned this, Mrs. Lu's expression revealed traces of anger and complicated emotions. "That student has high comprehension and is skilled. She accidentally took some drafts back home and they were stolen by her older sister and then sold to other jewelry companies."

At the sight of Mrs. Lu's expression, Zi Yi asked, "Mom, aren't there any rules in the studio that designers aren't allowed to take home the drafts?"

"There are, but there are also exceptions. Some designers get inspired at home and need to create their work immediately at that moment."

Zi Yi remained silent.

Just then, Lu Jingye came out of the kitchen.

Evidently, he had heard Mrs. Lu's conversation with Zi Yi and he said, "Mother, no matter where they work on their creation, they ought to know how to keep a secret. If you relent and forgive her once, can you guarantee that there will not be a second time?"

When Mrs. Lu heard this, her expression instantly became serious. "I know how to handle the situation now."

Having said that, she looked at the kitchen and said, "I'll go make some cakes for Yiyi."

Mrs. Lu headed into the kitchen.

Lu Jingye walked beside Zi Yi.

She looked at him and whispered, "Was it someone sent by the other families?"

"The older sister of that designer was bribed by the other families."

Zi Yi was a little surprised. "Why didn't you tell Mom the truth?"

Lu Jingye sat next to her and said, "Mother will know as soon as she checks."

He then squeezed her hand and said, "As long as it's something Mother can handle herself, we usually will not interfere."

As a daughter-in-law of the Lu Family, they could not possibly have their man protect them from everything. This was not loving her but instead, harming her if they did this.

Zi Yi understood the meaning behind his words and nodded her head.

After lunch, Zi Yi went to the Dou Family residence.

At this time, only Elder Dou and the First Madam were around.

Zi Yi took Elder Dou to the neighborhood park for a stroll.

Unexpectedly, there were quite a number of elderly people coming out for a stroll at this time. When everyone saw Zi Yi and Elder Dou taking a stroll, they would first greet Elder Dou before expressing their

envy. "It's really enviable that Headmaster Dou has such a clever and capable granddaughter like Little Zi."

"Little Zi deserves to be a top student. To think that she is capable of creating such good robots."

Elder Dou's eyes curved into crescent moons, as he heard their praise for Zi Yi.

Zi Yi waited for everyone to finish praising her before she responded with a smile. "I have the Dou Family's scholar genes. Since Grandfather and my Uncles are so capable, I would be embarrassed to claim that I'm my Grandfather's granddaughter if I don't have some abilities."

"Haha... Hey little girl, you really know how to kiss up to your elders."

"I'm telling the truth."

"Hahahaha..."

After everyone had their laugh, someone suggested playing chess.

A group of intellectuals who got together would either talk about ancient times or play chess.

Elder Dou walked to the chess table and sat down with another elder. Someone came over and asked Zi Yi, "Little Zi, do you know how to play chess?"

Zi Yi replied honestly, "I've never played it before."

These types of antiques had been lost in the interstellar era for a long time. Even if there were all sorts of chess and card holographic games, those had undergone an nth number of changes. It was no longer the same as this type of chessboard with 19 by 19 intersections, 181 black, and 180 white chess squares.