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Chapter 41: The Unavoidable Blind Date

Ji Cheng took back the necklace and put it on again. Feeling excited, she brought out two more jewelry boxes.

"Stretch out your hands."

Gu Weiwei and Luo Qianqian exchanged a glance and then each of them stretched out their left hand.

Ji Cheng opened the jewelry boxes and put a piece on for each of them. All of the bracelets had the same style.

"See? They are all the same. I asked my cousin to bring them back for me."

Gu Weiwei observed her wrist and the exotically styled bracelet and said with a smile, "Thanks, it is very pretty."

Luo Qianqian dangled her wrist and said, "Thanks, but I don't have a present to give back to you."

"No need, this is the symbol of our friendship."

Ji Cheng had one arm over Gu Weiwei's shoulder and the other over Luo Qianqian's.

"Let's go and get changed. I am going to present to you my extremely handsome cousin."

"Why are we getting changed? I am not on a blind date." Luo Qianqian complained.

Gu Weiwei nodded. "I just got changed before I came here."

"My cousin's club is opening today and the occasion is way too over the top. So we have to look formal too." Ji Cheng said as she took out the dresses she had picked for them previously.

"Why do you want me to look so cute?" Luo Qianqian's face sank when she saw the pink and blue dress of sweetness in her hands.

"Well, it is the style of my wardrobe. Maybe you can pick another one?" Ji Cheng said as she opened the wardrobe.

The wardrobe was full of rosy and cute dresses and clothes, making Luo Qianqian give up on choosing anything else.

"Alright, I will wear this one."

Gu Weiwei dried her hair and changed into the gown that Ji Cheng had prepared for her.

"Goddess, I want to marry you!"

Ji Cheng's eyes sparkled when she saw her in her dress.

"Wait until you are a man in your next life." Gu Weiwei chuckled.

"My mother bought this dress for me, but I am not tall enough to wear this. You look so pretty in it, just like a fairy lady!" Ji Cheng said with excitement as she spun around her.

Just as they were talking, her phone rang. She went to pick it up, still bubbling in excitement.

"Hello, cousin?"

"Well, we will be there in two hours."

Having hung up the phone, she urged them.

"Hurry up, put on makeup, we are out of time."

Gu Weiwei raised her eyebrows. "Makeup too?"

Ji Cheng threw a look at her – without makeup, Gu Weiwei already looked amazing.

"Forget it, you do not need any makeup, we will put some on."

Gu Weiwei was happy that she did not need to go through the trouble after hearing what she said. So she threw herself down in the seat beside and started to search for renting information in the neighborhood around school.

After a long time, she heard the two girls talking with each other.

"Ah, I missed my eye-line."

"Damn, my eyeshadow keeps on getting heavier."

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Gu Weiwei put down the phone and went over to help them. She helped them to remove the makeup they had put on, removed the eye shadow and helped them with their eyebrows.

"I will do the eyelashes myself."

Ji Cheng said with a smile as she had her face between her hands in front of the mirror. Her face looked completely fresh.

"Oh, my eyes look very large in this way."

"Ah, my Goddess is good at everything."

Gu Weiwei was in the middle of helping Luo Qiangian with the eyebrows, so she ignored Ji Cheng.

She was capable of doing what they could do only because she had learnt a bit more than them and turned out to be a few years older.

When the three of them were ready, Ji Cheng's cousin had his driver pick them up. The three of them went into the car together.

After they exited the car, Gu Weiwei noticed all the expensive cars parked outside the club.

This was indeed a very exaggerated occasion, just like what Ji Cheng said.

They were about to enter the club when a car pulled over, from which Ming Zongyuan stepped out and said with a smile, "Hey you, girl, why didn't you come when I asked you to at first?"

Gu Weiwei. "..."

So, when Mr. Ming was asking her to go on a blind date, he was planning to have her and the blind date in this place?

Chapter 42: Unexpected Blind Date

Ji Cheng called out to Ming Zongyuan when she caught sight of him.

"Grandfather, you are here too."

"Grandfather?" Gu Weiwei raised her eyebrows. Could the world really be so small?

Ming Zongyuan looked at the three girls and asked, "You all know each other?"

"She is the one I told you about, the very excellent piano teacher." Ji Cheng proudly presented Gu Weiwei to her grandfather.

Ming Zongyuan came to a realization... So the pretty and skilled girl her granddaughter kept on talking about everyday turned out to be the one he knew.

It was true that families would always belong together.

This must be the destiny of heaven's order for his sweet grandson.

Gu Weiwei threw a look at Ji Cheng and then she noticed the bright smile on Ming Zongyuan's face.

She felt that she had been fooled by Ji Cheng.

Ming Zongyuan showed them into the club and instead of going into the guest filled dining room, they went to the backyard.

It was a club decorated in the baroque style, which created an elegant and noble aura.

"Sit here for a moment, I will bring my grandson here after going to greet everyone in the dining room." Ming Zongyuan said with a smile.

Gu Weiwei laughed dryly. "..."

You had better not... come back.

After Ji Cheng saw off Ming Zongyuan, she sat down and pointed at the club and said, "Look, my cousin designed all of this. Isn't it amazing?"

Gu Weiwei glared at her and said, "So, you tricked me into coming here on a blind date too?"

Ji Cheng let out an embarrassed laughter. "Goddess, I like you so much, but I can't marry you. So if my cousin marries you, then every good thing will be in the same family."

Gu Weiwei felt her forehead and said, "Your cousin...."

She was just about to speak when Luo Qianqian asked, "Where is the bathroom? My belly feels weird."

Ji Cheng put down her drink, stood up and said, "Goddess, sit here and wait for us. I will go with her."

Gu Weiwei nodded and saw them off.

Ji Cheng must have been too silly to realize that her cousin was into her instead of Gu Weiwei. And what made her bring her on a blind date with her cousin?

The carved letters on the necklace and all those things for young girls... If a man was not interested in a woman, why would he be bothered to buy all of those things.

Also, Ji Cheng had told them before that she was an adopted daughter of the Ji Family, meaning that she and her cousin were not blood-related.

She kept talking about how excellent her cousin was and it was clear that they two were in a very close relationship.

She was just thinking about how to get rid of this awkward blind date when someone approached her and sneered. "Mu Weiwei, seems that you are indeed a tricky woman to have sneaked into such a place?"

Gu Weiwei looked up and recognized that the speaker turned out to be Mrs. Meng, who had been to the Fu Family before.

That was to say, she was Meng Ruya's mother, Wu Xiulian

Wu Xiulian had observed her for a while from a distance and recognized that she turned out to be the shameless Mu Weiwei who stayed with the Fu Family.

It was said that she had been driven out of the house before, but now she had shown up here in this place.

Because of her, Ruya's relationship with the Master had somehow cooled down and she was trying to find a way to take revenge.

Wu Xiulian approached her, looking disdainful.

"So which sugar daddy did you have to suck up to after being driven out by the Fu Family?"

The people who were able to attend this occasion today were either nobles or the wealthy and so Mu Weiwei was definitely not qualified to come to this place at all.

Therefore, she must have sucked up to a man so as to be able to enter the event.

Chapter 43: The Discontinued Version of MG

Gu Weiwei dug into the cake leisurely with her fork and put it into her mouth. The sweetness of the cake was just right, and it must have been a product of a Michelin-starred chef, probably one with three stars.

Seeing My Weiwei ignoring her, Wu Xiulian snorted coldly.

"Do you think that just because you have slept with Fu Hanzheng, you are the daughter-in-law of the Fu Family? Just because you are here because of a man, doesn't necessarily mean that you are a decent aristocrat."

Gu Weiwei took a sip on the fruit juice and said calmly, "I am not sure if I am a decent aristocrat, but the way that Mrs. Meng is talking is making you look like an indecent person."

No women from any aristocratic families would speak in such a mean way at such a formal occasion.

"Who are you swearing at?" Wu Xiulian bellowed with an ashen face.

Gu Weiwei raised her eyebrows and sneered. "Did I refer to you?"

As the two were arguing, many guests were drawn to the site. Someone recognized that Mrs. Meng was a guest of Mrs. Fu, so they stepped forward and asked, "What is it going on, Mrs. Meng?"

Mrs. Fu often brought the daughter of the Meng Family to different banquets and apparently, she had already accepted her as the daughter-in-law. That was why they should somehow flatter Mrs. Meng ahead of time.

Wu Xiulian squinted at Gu Weiwei who was still seated there drinking afternoon tea as if nothing had happened. "Nothing, just an arrogant girl who has sneaked into the party."

Meng Ruya also showed up when she heard the noise. A touch of hatred flashed across her eyes when she spotted Mu Weiwei.

Although she had been driven out of the Fu Family, she had still slept with Fu Hanzheng and she had succeeded in getting the painting from Mr. Ming, which had humiliated her in front of the Fu's.

Seeing the crowd getting larger, Wu Xiulian said to the female guests who were the majority in the crowd. "Watch out everyone, this girl specialises in seducing someone else's husband, especially ones who have a lot of money."

Hearing the words, the female guests all turned to Gu Weiwei with a disdainful look when they noticed how pretty this girl actually looked.

Gu Weiwei lowered her eyes and saw the tasty desert on the plate. Her good mood had been totally ruined, so she looked up and confronted Wu Xiulian with a look of coldness.

"Mrs. Meng, who do you think I have seduced, and what is your slander based on?"

Even though Mu Weiwei had courted Fu Hanzheng, Meng Ruya was still not the formal daughter-in-law of the Fu Family. Nor had she been engaged to Fu Hanzheng either.

Even though she had slept with Fu Hanzheng, she had not seduced Meng Ruya's man.

"You..." Wu Xiulian got stuck with words.

She was just annoyed that this girl had moved into the Fu Family and slept with the man her daughter had laid eyes upon.

But if she spilled out the truth, she would humiliate the Fu Family. So she couldn't just simply say that she had seduced Fu Hanzheng.

"You know pretty well what dirt you had done! I am just trying to save your face."

Gu Weiwei narrowed her beautiful eyes, showing a bit of intimidating air.

"Mrs. Meng, if I have done something dirty, you must tell me what on earth it is. If you refuse to point it out, then you better apologize to me. I do not accept any false accusations."

Her aim was to be a part of the entertainment industry, and if the accusation was not clarified right here right now, people would think that any role she received was in exchange of s*x.

Also, she did not want to be considered as such a girl anyway.

Seeing that the crowd was standing on her side, Wu Xiulian snorted in a loud voice, "Who do you think you are that I have to apologize to you?"

Gu Weiwei stood up with the fork and glanced at Wu Xiulian's exquisite leather handbag.

"Mrs. Meng, your bag looks... pretty."

Wu Xiulian lowered her look and said, "It is the discontinued version of MG, something you will never get."

Gu Weiwei raised the corner of her lips and looked on coldly.

"Are you sure you are not going to apologize to me for what you just said?"

Wu Xiulian snorted proudly, "I have said nothing wrong. Why should I apologize to you?"

Gu Weiwei let out a sigh of pity and stabbed the expensive leather handbag that Wu Xiulian had been showing off with the silver fork, leaving a scraped mark on the smooth surface.

She had been in a very bad mood recently. She could tolerate Fu Hanzheng since she simply couldn't irritate him, but she couldn't tolerate a woman like this one.

Wu Xiulian and Meng Ruya were shocked and screamed in horror.

"This is the discontinued version of MG, there are no more than ten available in the world. And you have just... just scratched it?!"

Chapter 44: The Discontinued Version of MG 2

The female guests felt sorry for Mrs. Meng and her ruined MG handbag, which was said to be the discontinued version.

MG was the top luxury brand and during recent years, fewer and fewer products had been produced. Their products were also getting more and more expensive. A discontinued version handbag like this might not even be able to be bought no matter how much money one had.

"The discontinued handbag of MG? That must have cost at least eight hundred or nine hundred thousand yuan!"

"If there are only fewer than ten of such handbags across the globe, then it might actually cost more than one million."

"MG has not produced new things for years and every single piece costs an arm and a leg. This girl is simply too fierce! She has ruined such an expensive handbag just because she was angry."

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The guests had now established a terrible impression of Gu Weiwei, and even more so after they heard what Wu Xiulian said.

"Mu Weiwei! This handbag costs 1.8 million yuan, now even 2 million yuan does not buy one like this. You have ruined it totally!" Meng Ruya confronted Gu Weiwei angrily.

That was her bag. She had lent it to her mother and it was now totally ruined.

Gu Weiwei tossed the fork back onto the table, showing no regret for what she had just done. "If she had apologized to me a moment ago, none of this would have happened. So now, you are blaming this on me?"

"Will you be dead or something if I scold you? Now you have ruined my handbag after a few words that I said! Would you have killed me if I had said more?" Wu Xiulian's heart ached so badly when she saw the scratches on the handbag.

Soon, Mrs. Fu and the lady of the Ming Family heard the chaos and gathered around. When they saw Wu Xiulian's anxious and angry face they asked Ruya, "Ruya, what happened?"

Meng Ruya looked wronged and soon her eyes were filled with tears. Then she said, "My mother saw Weiwei sneaking into this place and was trying to persuade her to leave rather than staying and causing trouble here. She became annoyed and then ruined my mother's bag out of anger. It is the discontinued version of MG and it cannot be bought on the market."

Mrs. Fu was born into nobility and she was pretty aware of the luxurious brand of MG. There had been fewer products presented by MG during the past few years, so their products were becoming more and more precious.

She was actually quite jealous of Mrs. Meng who had brought the handbag here to this occasion.

"Did you really do that, Mu Weiwei?"

"She said that I specialize in seducing powerful and wealthy men. What I want is an apology." Gu Weiwei sounded full of justice. She did not think that she had done anything wrong.

What had Wu Xiulian said disgusted her... and so did this handbag.

"Those were just words, and you did not have to do anything like that. This is the Ming Family's celebration, not a place for you to throw your temper." Mrs. Fu scolded her furiously.

It did not matter what fuss she had made at the Fu Family, because those incidents were just family affairs. When she did something so humiliating at someone else's celebration, the Fu Family would also be humiliated at the same time.

And how would she be able to afford the handbag when she ruined someone else's handbag, Old Lady of the Fu Family would have to cover for her in the end anyway.

"Just words?" Gu Weiwei let out a cold laugh. She coughed through her hoarse throat gained because of her oncoming flu and continued on. "She said I seduced a rich and powerful man to come here to this occasion, this would inflate as a widely spread rumor by the time the banquet is finished."

"This is something that I have never done and if I work, get into a relationship or get married in the future, women would consider me as a vixen who seduces men and men would consider me as an easy girl. Rumors go around so why should I not get an apology from her?"

In addition, she was planning to enter the film industry and if the clarification was not concluded today, she would have left herself a mark of blackened history.

"Why would you sneak into such a banquet if this is not your plan?" Wu Xiulian said.

She must be seeking for another rich man to support her after she was driven away by the Fu Family and found that she had nowhere to go.

Ji Cheng and Luo Qianqian had just returned from the bathroom and saw a group of people surrounding Gu Weiwei. They had also heard what Wu Xiulian had accused Gu Weiwei of.

"Who did you say sneaked in? Weiwei is here at my cousin Ming Ye's invitation and brought in by my grandfather! How dare you say that she sneaked in!"

Chapter 45: Here on A Blind Date

Wu Xiulian threw a look at Meng Ruya, not sure if what Ji Cheng had said was true or false.

Meng Ruya was, after all, a manager of the public relations department. She was quite good at facing crisis. "She is dressed like this and she doesn't even have an invitation card. It is hard to tell if she was invited in or sneaked in."

Mrs. Fu turned her head and looked at the lady of the Ming Family and asked with a low voice, "She is here really at your invitation?"

The club was, strictly speaking, opened by Ming Ye. If she was really here at the host's invitation, then they truly were not in a place to scold her for anything.

The lady of the Ming Family thought for a while and said, "the Old Master did say that he was going to bring a girl to meet Ye. I am not sure about the details."

Seeing that the crowd still did not buy her words, Ji Cheng waved at Ming Zongyuan and her cousin Ming Ye who were approaching them. "Grandfather, this woman said that Weiwei sneaked in! They even badmouthed her."

"I brought her in. If she should not be here, then does it mean that I should not be here either?" Ming Zongyuan shouted with a serious face in a vigorous voice.

He had meant to set up a blind date between Gu Weiwei and his grandson, but these people had now made such a mess that the girl might have run away. If that happened, who would make it up to him for losing a granddaughter-in-law?

"Dad, this is just a misunderstanding. Sorry, I was too careless to notice this." The lady of the Ming Family came over to help Ming Zongyuan sit down.

Ming Ye was dressed in a black suit. He pushed up his gold-rim glasses and bowed to Gu Weiwei. "Sorry that you have run into such trouble."

Gu Weiwei smiled. "I was being impulsive. Sorry for the trouble."

Those female guests who had given a hand to Wu Xiulian all looked embarrassed at this moment.

They had really thought that this girl was a vixen who seduces men, but she was going on a blind date with the Grandson Master of the Ming Family, so why would she ever want to seduce any men?

Mr. Ming was not involved in the political field, but one of his two sons was a high ranking officer in the military and the other an important man in the field of politics.

Ming Ye was the most beloved grandson of Mr. Ming and apparently, Mr. Ming was very satisfied with this girl that he might be taking her in as a granddaughter-in-law.

As the host of the club, Ming Ye stepped forward and said, "Please clarify all the misunderstandings and as for the ruined bag, I can make the compensation for not taking care of you earlier on."

"That woman said that Weiwei seduces men! When did you ever see my Weiwei seduce any men?" Ji Cheng glared at Wu Xiulian and Meng Ruya angrily.

She would hate these two people if they had ruined the blind date between her Goddess and her cousin.

Gu Weiwei's lips twitched and threw a look at Ji Cheng who was apparently more angry than she herself. Honestly, could she stop saying that she was her family's, when she was not?"

"A girl's reputation is very important. And Mrs. Meng better have a good reason to explain what you have just said. Who has the Mu Girl seduced? Bring him here and expose the truth! If nothing like this happened, apologize to her now." Mr. Ming sat on the chair with two hands resting on his cane. His back was straight and he looked quite imposing. "What on earth is going on in your mind when you try to ruin the reputation of a young girl without evidence? You have a daughter yourself!"

Mrs. Fu spoke up when she saw the situation. "Mr. Ming, it is just a misunderstanding. Mrs. Mrs. Meng has said something wrong and Weiwei has ruined her handbag too. They are even. Let's not ruin your banquet just because of such a trivial matter."

She had never expected that Mu Weiwei could have done something that pleased Mr. Ming so that he wanted to set up a blind date for her and his own grandson Ming Ye.

Having heard the words, Gu Weiwei did not plan to let the entire matter go away. Instead, she said, "As long as Mrs. Meng apologizes to me, I can compensate for the handbag."

"You?" Wu Xiulian snorted. "How shameless you are to let the Ming Family compensate for you."

"I meant, I myself will make the compensation, not others." Gu Weiwei said with a low voice.

Mrs. Fu frowned in displeasure. If she did not want to get money from the Ming Family, she would turn to Old Lady for the money. What money did she have to make the compensation after she was driven out by the Li Family?

Ji Cheng threw a worried look at Gu Weiwei. This handbag cost almost two million yuan, so where would she get the money for the compensation from?

Wu Xiulian threw a look at her own daughter. She understood that if she continued to be stubborn, the Ming Family would be displeased. So she clenched her teeth and said, "Yes, it was a lie that you seduced men. I apologize for what I have said."

Meng Ruya clenched her teeth out of loathing when she saw her mother bending down in front of so many nobles. "Mu Weiwei, my mother has apologized. Now, how will you make the compensation?"

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"Alright, I can force myself to accept the apology." Gu Weiwei nodded, took a step forward and stretched out her hands as she said, "If you want me to make the compensation, then I will have to be convinced that your handbag is authentic."

Wu Xiulian took out the private things from the bag and handed the empty handbag over to her and said, "I spent more than one million on this handbag, and you dare to say that it is not authentic?"

Gu Weiwei took over the handbag and without even sparing a look at it, she turned to the female guests and said, "Which of you are a VIP member of MG? I would like to borrow your member number to call the VIP customer service of the headquarters of MG."

Hearing these words, Ming Ye presented his own cell-phone and said, "When I was studying in Italy, I once bought bags from MG for my mother and aunt. I have their membership number."

Having said this, he then dialed the number of the MG headquarters in person and put it on speaker phone too.

The moment the call went through, he explained to the receiver in italian that they would need to communicate in English.

He was about to ask Gu Weiwei what she needed to tell the receiver when Gu Weiwei already started speaking to the customer service staff in her pure British English. "Hello, someone here has a MG bag and we would like to test if it is authentic?"

Having heard the words, the customer service receiver said, "Ma'am, we can check it out for you through video or photo. You can have the bag delivered to an MG counter for a specialist to take a look at it."

Ming Ye cooperatively switched on the camera, the customer service receiver from MG headquarters was a blonde woman.

Gu Weiwei vividly showcased the appearance of the bag, the logo inside and explained some details to the receiver in front of the camera.

After the customer service receiver observed it for a while and inquired with a serious expression. "Please, Ma'am, does this bag belong to you?"

Meng Ruya took a step forward and said, "Excuse me, this bag is mine."

When the customer service receiver saw Meng Ruya, she asked in a formulation. "Please, Ma'am, give us your name, nationality as well as your contact information. We will contact you as soon as possible."

Meng Ruya presented her own name and contact information and threw a cold look at Gu Weiwei.

After the examination, she had to turn to Old Lady of the Fu Family and the Ming Family for help for the one million compensation fee.

Some guests took pleasure in Gu Weiwei's trouble. There were many girls who wanted to become the daughter-in-law of the Ming Family so why did this little girl receive the priority? And she was even bragging that she would be able to pay two million yuan in cash as compensation.

Just look at the cheap dress on her. How would she be able to get two million yuan by herself?

Luo Qianqian and Ji Cheng held their hands tightly together and said in a small voice, "How would she be able to get two million yuan?"

"Don't worry, grandfather and cousin are on our side." Ji Cheng clenched her teeth and said, "If she doesn't want grandfather and cousin to cover the bill, I can lend her the money. I have great amounts of gift money from New Year."

Compared to the crowd who looked very nervous, Gu Weiwei seemed calm and leisurely. She was patiently waiting for the reply from the MG customer service.

After the receiver wrote her notes, she spoke a large paragraph of English with a serious expression.

Those guests who understood English started to discuss in astonishment.

Meng Ruya turned pale instantly and tried hard to communicate with the receiver in English. However, the receiver turned even colder and then hung up the phone directly.

Wu Xiulian had no idea what they were talking about, but she had sensed that something was not right.

"Ruya, Ruya, what happened? What did MG say?"

Meng Ruya turned to Gu Weiwei who had been calm right from the beginning, and clenched her teeth so tightly in anger that she almost crushed them in her mouth.

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"What is the result? How much must Mu Weiwei pay us?" Wu Xiulian tugged at Meng Ruya's clothes.

Ming Ye threw a surprised look at Gu Weiwei and turned to Wu Xiulian and explained, "Mrs. Meng, this bag is not sold by MG and it is not authentic."

"How could that be possible? I bought it using more than one million yuan." Wu Xiulian just couldn't believe the reality. She turned the bag over and inside out from bottom to top. "We have bought MG bags before and the quality as well as the brand symbol are all the same."

"Xiulian, just forget it." Mrs. Fu tugged at Mrs. Meng who was in a frenzy.

She understood English, so she understood the conversation they had with the MG customer service.

"She said that if I apologize, she will compensate for the damage of the bag. Now she wants to find an excuse for herself?" Wu Xiulian was not convinced. She had sullied herself by apologizing to her and now she was not receiving the compensation?

"Mom, just leave it..." Meng Ruya tugged at Wu Xiulian awkwardly. She felt so humiliated that she wanted to leave the event as soon as possible.

She had taken the opportunity to humiliate Mu Weiwei so that Mrs. Fu could hate her utterly and so that she would never be able to find a husband that belonged to this noble circle.

However, she ended up being the one who was humiliated in the end. She was so furious that she wanted to strangle this annoying b*tch to death. But she couldn't do anything with so many people around.

The guests found it amusing to see Wu Xiulian struggling. MG had told them that they had never had this bag on sale before and she was still so cheeky as to ask Mu Weiwei to pay her back.

One female guest dressed in a black gown stepped out and explained kindly with a glass in her hand. "Mrs. Meng, it is not Miss. Mu who will be paying you back. It is you who will be paying back MG."

At a cocktail party some time ago, she was trying to approach Fu Hanzheng but was humiliated by Meng Ruya who thought herself a member of the Fu Family. Now, it was her turn to exact payback too.

"What are you talking about!" Wu Xiulian was astonished. It was Mu Weiwei who had ruined her bag, why must they pay back MG?

The female guest in the black gown took a sip of her wine and explained to the guests who had not understood what had happened.

"Martin Green had already signed with the Gu Family from Land A five years ago as the private designer for Gu Weiwei, the daughter of Gu Enterprise. During their collaboration time, all the works designed by him were not allowed to be sold on the market but became the private products of the Gu Family."

"This bag was the one that Gu Weiwei had when she was attending the royal banquet of A Land and a minor designer who quit from MG copied this bag and sold it at a very high price. What you have bought

is the forgery designed by him and the authentic product belongs only to Gu Weiwei, the daughter of the Gu Family."

"Two months ago, Deborah, a famous singer from S Land attended the press release of her new album with this bag but ended up being taken to court by MG and the Gu Family. She finally made a compensation of more than four million yuan. MG had already published the announcement on their official website that this bag was not authentic and they are in the process of getting every single piece back."

Wu Xiulian was flipping between either being startled or angry, so much so that she almost passed out. "How could this be... possible? We paid for this bag too."

The female guest in black gown smiled with schadenfreude, facing the troubled woman as she continued. "MG pays a great deal of attention to their brand image and the daughter of the Gu Family has never liked to share her things with anyone else. That is why the Gu Family hired Martin Green to become the private designer for their daughter, so that she alone is able to enjoy unique and perfect products."

"You better pray to God that you won't be asked to make a large amount of compensation, considering that both MG and the Gu Family would both hire their lawyers."

Hearing that she was involved with the Gu Family, Wu Xiulian dropped her bag onto the floor.

However ignorant she might be, she was fully aware of how powerful and lethal the Gu Family were. They belonged to the nobility in A Land and they were also almost prestigious tycoons. There was never a good ending for anyone who irritated the Gu Family.

Gu Weiwei threw a cold look at the exquisite and expensive leather bag on the floor. She hated this bag to the deepest parts of her bones.

Because after Ling Yan saw this bag, she had loved it so much that she asked her to give it to her as a present.

That woman had asked fot too many things from her, including her life and her heart.

She felt extremely annoyed when she saw Wu Xiulian holding this bag and showing it off in front of her face.

Chapter 48: Pretendence

For a long while, Wu Xiulian still could not believe what was happening. She threw a fierce look at Gu Weiwei.

"What did you do with the phone call? Who would even know if that was really MG? What do you know about MG as a teenager from high school?"

"Mrs. Meng, I made the call." Ming Ye reminded her with a low voice.

"You can wait until you receive the legal letter from MG to see whether or not that call was really from the company." Gu Weiwei smiled lightly, showing coldness in her eyes.

Mu Weiwei might not know much about the fashion industry or luxurious goods, but she had grown up in the Gu Family and what she had seen and used were far beyond Wu Xiulian's reach and imagination.

Ever since she was twenty years old, Martin Green, the designer of MG, had already become the private designer of the Gu Family. He designed her clothes, shoes, bags and ornaments for the four seasons in a year and no one knew MG better than she did.

The moment Wu Xiulian appeared in front of her with this bag, she had already known that it was a forgery. She had not wanted to irritate her, neither had she wanted to give her a lesson; but that woman had not been able to keep her mouth shut, so Gu Weiwei thought it was time to teach her a lesson after all.

Wu Xiulian might not believe what had happened, but the crowd did.

"It is just a forgery and she even has the cheek to show it off and ask for compensation."

"Now she has smashed her own feet with her own stone. She is totally humiliated, let alone the large amount of compensation she has to make to MG and the Gu Family."

"But they didn't know that it was a forgery, maybe they would not lose this case?"

"The Gu Family are famous for being unreasonable. No one has a good ending with them as long as they irritate the Gu Family. The reason why the Gu Family signed Martin Green to create products for them is because they want something special and perfect. The Gu Family would never forgive those who have made a copy of the things from their family and then showed it off. It will get nasty when they are displeased."

"They have even been able to sign the designer of a luxurious brand as their private designer for so many years. How much money do they have?"

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Meng Ruya was calmer than her mother Wu Xiulian. She turned to Gu Weiwei with a wronged face. "Weiwei, I have been treating you as a sister since I got to know you for the first time. I have been giving you clothes and accessories all the time. What on earth have I done that you now treat me like this?"

Hearing these words, the crowd could not help but feel sorry for Meng Ruya and her mother. They had been treating this girl so nicely but now they had been harmed so seriously. This Mu Weiwei was way too ruthless.

So she had known about the news from MG and then she caused trouble by scratching the bag on purpose.

Gu Weiwei raised the corner of her lips, took a step forward and stared at the diamond necklace around Meng Ruya's neck and said, "Sister Ruya, you did give me clothes and shoes, but have I also not given you my most precious thing? This diamond necklace is my mother's legacy."

The female guest dressed in the black gown threw a look at the diamond necklace around Meng Ruya's neck and said, "This neck is worth more than ten million yuan at least, and it is her mother's legacy too. It is worth much more than all the clothes you have given her altogether."

"You have taken great advantage of this little girl and even blamed her for setting you up. But you irritated and provoked her first! Should I replay the video so that people can watch what just happened a minute ago?"

Meng Ruya was totally speechless. She did trick Mu Weiwei into giving her the diamond necklace, claiming that it would be a good way for her to court Fu Hanzheng. Mrs. Fu also knew that this necklace was given by Mu Weiwei, so Meng Ruya simply could not just tell lies by saying that this necklace did not belong to Mu Weiwei in front of Mrs. Fu.

Mrs. Fu threw a look at Wu Xiulian who had turned pale. She patted Meng Ruya's shoulder and said with a gentle voice, "Alright, your mother looks unwell, bring her back to take a rest."

It would be very difficult for the mother and the daughter to stay a minute longer at this celebration especially when the situation was becoming increasingly ugly for them.

She was indeed satisfied with Meng Ruya and thought of her as a good candidate for her daughter-inlaw. She was gentle, kind and caring, but her mother was indeed an embarrassment.

Meng Ruya was not convinced. But she understood that there was no need for them to stay here when the situation was going against their will. She waved goodbye to the Ming Family politely and went out of the club with her tail between her legs, holding Wu Xiulian by one arm.

Chapter 49: Rejection of Fu Hanzheng's Call

As the evening fell, the lights of the club were all on, dazzling and bright. People who were well dressed made toasts to each other and none of them seemed to have been affected by the incident of the Meng Family.

Ming Zongyuan did not like engaging himself in social activities. So he stayed with the children in the yard whilst the lady of the Ming Family was in the banquet hall receiving the guests.

"Mrs. Fu, you seem to know Miss. Mu as well?"

The lady of the Ming Family could tell that the Old Master was planning to set up a date for her daughter and the girl, but what had happened today made her feel a bit uncomfortable.

"A girl from an old friend. She lost her family and the Old Lady adopted her into the Fu Family."

Mrs. Fu did not like Mu Weiwei that much, but she did not bad mouth her behind her back, because that would make her an uncivilized person.

Also, if Mu Weiwei ended up being with Ming Ye, she would give up on Fu Hanzheng and that would save the Fu Family a great deal of trouble.

In the yard, Gu Weiwei had thought that it would be an awkward blind date, yet Ming Ye was gentle, friendly, funny and humorous. He took great care of the three young ladies.

Also, he had noticed that her throat was not feeling well, so he asked his servant to get her hot drinks that were good for the throat.

She was also served some mild food, and that made her feel that she was not on a blind date but at an interesting gathering with friends.

Ji Cheng did not pay much attention to the food on the table but stared at her cell phone screen the whole time. She did not stop until Ming Zongyuan scolded her. "I am trying to find what Gu Weiwei looks like. She seems to be a huge tycoon."

Gu Weiwei's lip corner twitched as she was sitting right next to her, "..."

"Ah, why are there no pictures of her face." Ji Cheng put down her cell phone in disappointment as she mumbled, "It is so difficult to imagine how a noble lives, when she can have Martin Green as her private designer and wears the limited version of the luxurious brand."

Gu Weiwei smiles politely. It was not a very strange life for a noble from A Land.

The Gu Family, however, was just trying to offer something better to her.

Ji Cheng gave up searching for news. Instead, she blinked at Gu Weiwei.

"Weiwei, don't you think that my cousin is extremely good-looking?"

Gu Weiwei laughed dryly, "I can't say anything else since you say so?"

Ji Cheng asked with a bright smile, "Have you considered marrying him?"

Ming Zongyuan added, "I told you that my grandson is excellent. He has designed many famous buildings abroad..."

Ming Ye's smile stiffened. He took a sip at the wine without showing an expression.

"Grandpa, she is still young."

Gu Weiwei nodded and said, "Yes, I am really still young."

"Not that young. You are eighteen years old. You can have a relationship for two years and then get married later. That would be right on time." Ming Zongyuan said without caring about what others were thinking.

"I don't think that works." Gu Weiwei answered with a dry smile.

This old man simply had no idea who his grandson had a crush on so he had set up a blind date for her.

Ming Ye took another sip of the wine, trying to press down something when he saw Ji Cheng persuading Gu Weiwei to become her cousin-in-law.

After talking for a while, Ming Zongyuan asked Ji Cheng and Luo Qianqian to take a walk, leaving her and Ming Ye behind.

Seeing the group going away, Ming Ye smiled with an apologetic smile.

"Sorry, my grandpa is used to making the decisions here for everyone. He wants to have a hand in everything."

Gu Weiwei smiled lightly, "But I do think that... you should tell Ji Cheng the truth as soon as possible, otherwise you will have to be a cousin forever."

Ming Ye never expected that she would say something like this, so he became slightly startled.

"You..."

"My little angel are the words written on the necklace, right? And it is a necklace that shows love in foreign countries." Gu Weiwei told him what she had discovered.

Ming Ye smiled helplessly. "You did not tell her, did you?"

Gu Weiwei shook her head. "Not yet, but I think that you better tell her yourself."

"Thanks, I will when she grows a bit older." Ming Ye said.

After the dinner, Ming Ye arranged a car to drive her and Luo Qianqian home whilst he himself gave Ji Cheng a lift.

The moment Gu Weiwei entered the room, the fixed phone in the living room rang. She knew pretty well that it must be from the man she had blocked on her cell-phone.

Therefore, she pulled the cable out without answering the call, creating a peaceful quietness throughout the entire apartment.

Chapter 50: Bitten by A Girl

After the banquet at the club, Mrs. Fu received a call from Meng Ruya. "Aunt, I just received an email from MG. They will send a lawyer here for negotiation and the lawyers from the Gu Family are coming too. I really didn't know that it was a copy..."

Having heard Meng Ruya's words, Mrs. Fu calmly asked, "How is your mother?"

"Not so well. Her sickness has come back. She has just taken her medicine and laid down. She did not even eat a single bite at dinner." Meng Ruya sounded wronged.

Mrs. Fu's heart softened after hearing what she had said. She did not have a daughter herself and because of the frequent visits of Meng Ruya, she had already regarded her more or less as a daughter.

"Don't worry, I will discuss it with Hanzheng. We will help you solve the problem be it from the Gu Family or MG."

"Thank you so much Aunt, you are the one who treats me the best..." Meng Ruya stopped sobbing and said with gratitude.

Since the Old Lady liked Mu Weiwei, what she had to do now was to cling to Mrs. Fu. After all, Mrs. Fu had always had a soft heart and liked her, and if she agreed to help her, there would definitely not be any problems.

As for Mu Weiwei who had humiliated her on the issue of Priam's painting and also on this occasion, she would be well prepared to pay her back next time.

As Mrs. Fu returned to the mansion of the Fu Family, she saw Fu Shiqin at home for dinner after work as well.

"Shiqin, when will your brother be back?"

"In a couple of days, why?" Fu Shiqin asked in astonishment. His mother never asked them about work.

Mrs. Fu asked the servant to pour some water, sat down at the table and recounted what had happened at the club today and said, "MG and the Gu Family may have sent their lawyers for negotiation so send the best lawyer from your company to solve this problem for Ruya."

Fu Shiqin put down his bowl feeling nauseated and said, after letting out a sigh, "Her again? The lawyers from our Legal Department are busy dealing with the Wilsons on the collaboration details, they do not have time to care about her."

"She is your future sister-in-law, we must help her family because she will be part of our family soon too." Mrs. Fu said, sounding intimidating.

After hearing those words, Old Lady put down her bowl and chopsticks in displeasure, losing all desire of eating anything more.

"What do you mean by future sister-in-law? She bought a forgery of Priam's painting and almost screwed up the signing with the Wilsons. If Mu Weiwei had not recognized the painting in time and persuaded Mr. Ming to spare us one, the business deal worth tens of billions of yuan would have collapsed."

"Does she really like forgeries? She buys a forged painting and a forged bag, she is always causing so much trouble." Fu Shigin complained unhappily.

"Mu Weiwei?" Mrs. Fu frowned slightly. So Mu Weiwei had helped to finish the deal with the Wilsons?

She did not quite believe that she would be so capable, but if it had not been because of the deal, she could not figure out what else would have made Mr. Ming defend her in this way today.

"Mom, it is a matter if you like Meng Ruya, but it is another if brother doesn't." Fu Shiqin said, lifted the bowl and continued with the food. "Also, my brother has a girlfriend now anyways..."

"A girlfriend?" Mrs. Fu and Fu Shengying, who was busy reading his newspaper in silence, were both very surprised.

Seeing the disbelief on their faces, Fu Shiqin took out his cell phone and showed the picture he had snapped at the morning meeting and presented it in front of his parents faces.

"Look at the wounds on brother's lip. It must have been bitten by a girl when they were kissing..."