

## Older Man 431

### Chapter 431: Performance

He Zhen asked in puzzlement, "Director, what is this?"

Director Zheng said, "That's where our main topic comes in. Your mission today and tomorrow is to perform at the People's Grand Theater. When the time comes, there will be tickets sold and many people will come to watch your performance. It won't just be your fans!"

"Performance?" Yuan Lai was shocked. "But we only have two days, and we don't even know what the content of the performance is. We can't even rehearse it!"

Director Zheng smiled and said, "The content of your performance is in your hands."

"In your hands?" He Zhen paused and quickly opened the card in Jiang Yu's hand.

The content was — the performance song "Green Snake".

"Green snake? How do you perform this song? Do any of us know how to play the zither or pipa? Although I can play the flute, but... It doesn't seem to be of any use, right?" He Zhen scratched his head and didn't know what to do.

Director Zheng said, "It's not as simple as just letting you play it. When you perform this song, you also have to dance. And although the song is "Green Snake", you also have to add the white snake as a complement."

Hearing this, Jiang Yu couldn't help but say, "But if the white snake appears, won't the green snake become the complement?"

Director Zheng smiled mysteriously and said, "That will depend on your own arrangements."

"Mhm..." Jiang Yu pursed her lips, feeling that the performance this time was indeed somewhat difficult.

As for Qin Yuan, she was performing pop songs.

"Is it inappropriate to perform a pop song at the People's Grand Theater?" Zhang Xiao was a little worried.

Director Zheng said, "That will depend on how you guys arrange it. I can give you a friendly reminder, and you guys can make changes."

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"That seems to be better." He Zhen let out a slight sigh of relief.

"Alright, now it's for the two teams is to assign roles and see if there is any need to adapt. Then, you can start rehearsing on your own."

Jiang Yu's team had drawn "Green Snake," and the three of them had some impressions of the song.

"I only know how to play the flute," He Zhen said. "But there's no flute in this song. It's all guzheng and pipa, so I don't know how to play it."

Wang Yu was also a little worried, "Although I can do the dance part, there's no exclusive dance to this song. No matter which version we choose, I don't have the confidence to learn it and perform it on the stage in a day and a half."

Jiang Yu thought for a moment, she said, "It's okay. We don't need to be nervous. The more nervous we are, the more we can't think of a solution. Since He Zhen can play the flute, then we will add a flute in this piece. As for the rest, I'll play the zither and pipa. Wang Yu, you just need to practice your dance."

"But we still lack a white snake among our team." Wang Yu said, "Jiang Yu, if you play, what about the white snake? Moreover, the zither and pipa can not be learned in a short period of time."

He Zhen also had a bitter expression and said, "Yeah. I think we're finished this time."

Jiang Yu encouraged them, "Don't be discouraged. Wang Yu, do you know how to play the zither or the pipa?"

Wang Yu nodded and said, "I know how to play the zither."

Jiang Yu thought for a moment and said, "In that case, you guys will play this piece. I'll do the dance part."

"Huh?" He Zhen was quite surprised and said, "Jiang Yu, you're not going to play two characters by yourself, are you?"

Unexpectedly, Jiang Yu nodded firmly and said, "Yes."

"Green snake and white snake?"

"Yes."

#### **Chapter 432: Deliberately Making Things Difficult**

When it was time for the discussion, the two teams voiced out their thoughts

They had both adapted.

He Zhen was worried that Jiang Yu would have to learn two dances to play two roles by herself and her body would not be able to handle it. Hence, he asked Director Zheng tentatively, "Director, is it still just the permanent guests for this episode? Are there really no temporary guests to cooperate with us?"

Director Zheng said apologetically, "We received an advertisement a few days ago. We have been shooting the advertisement for the past few days, so we didn't have time to attend to it. So this episode is still for the few of you. There are no temporary guests."

He Zhen said with slight disappointment, "Alright then."

Jiang Yu knew that He Zhen was worried about her, and she also knew that the advertisement Director Zheng accepted was the jewelry of the Jiang family. Therefore, she quickly came out and said, "It's alright. These things are a piece of cake for me."

Qin Yuan, who was sitting opposite her, said unhappily, "It better be like this. Young people just don't know how to be humble. I don't know where all this confidence came from."

The others didn't know about the matter between Qin Yuan and Jiang Yu, so they would only take Qin Yuan's words as an education from a senior to a junior.

However, He Zhen knew about those things, and he also knew that Qin Yuan's words were not so-called "education" at all. Instead, she was blatantly making things difficult for her.

Jiang Yu was, after all, his team member. He Zhen could not watch her being bullied, so he said, "Jiang Yu is confident."

"Confident?" Qin Yuan smiled disdainfully and said, "What confidence? I'll have to trouble you to figure it out. The stage for the performance tomorrow afternoon is the People's Grand Theatre. It's not a place you can go casually."

"You! Why are you making things difficult for Jiang Yu?"

"Did I make things difficult for her?" Qin Yuan pretended to be innocent and said, "I'm your senior. I'm worried that you'll be too arrogant and cause the performance to fail. Is that wrong?"

"You..." He Zhen was completely speechless.

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"What else do you have to say?" Qin Yuan asked with a fake smile.

"No," He Zhen said in a muffled voice.

Jiang Yu opened her mouth at the right time, she didn't want He Zhen to be so embarrassed. "Senior Qin Yuan, since you said that you are a senior and we are juniors, then you have to act like a senior. Don't let us juniors steal the limelight in this performance."

Qin Yuan didn't expect Jiang Yu to dare to come out and ruin her show. She was immediately angry but didn't know what to say.

Now, even a fool could smell the gunpowder between Qin Yuan and Jiang Yu.

The bullet comments also broke out in sweat because Jiang Yu dared to declare war on Qin Yuan.

"Is Jiang Yu... Challenging Qin Yuan?"

"Qin Yuan is an old person in the entertainment industry. Jiang Yu's action is really not good."

"My idol has been in the entertainment industry for so many years. How can a little Jiang Yu be worthy? Don't scare her until she cries."

"Exactly. Jiang Yu is just a newcomer who has been in the entertainment industry for less than a year. How dare she be compared to my sister?"

Qin Yuan's fans' fingers were tapping on the keyboard. The words that praised Qin Yuan and belittled Jiang Yu were constantly popped out from their hands and sent to the bullet screen.

For a moment, the bullet screen was filled with words like "Sister is the best! Jiang Yu, get out of the entertainment industry".

The staff members were only paying attention to the number of views, but after seeing these bullet screens, they didn't know if they should continue paying attention.

They took their computers to find Director Zheng and whispered, "Director, quickly start. Don't let Qin Yuan and Jiang Yu continue talking. Otherwise, this bullet screen won't be able to stop."

"What bullet screen?" Director Zheng was confused.

### **Chapter 433: Rehearsal**

The staff member leaned over Director Zheng's ear and told him everything he saw on the bullet screen.

After Director Zheng heard it, he also felt that if he didn't stop it, the fans of the two people would start fighting before anything happened to Qin Yuan and Jiang Yu.

Therefore, he hurriedly said, "Alright, everyone go and rehearse."

"It's really strange," Director Zheng muttered to himself. "Why do all of them not like Jiang Yu?"

He Zhen borrowed a flute from the props team and began to practice on the music score.

Wang Yu also borrowed a guzheng and began to practice with He Zhen.

Jiang Yu was looking for a suitable dance.

At this moment, a staff member delivered the costumes and said, "This is the costume of your team."

Jiang Yu took a skirt and asked, "May I ask if you can change the costumes for the performance?"

The staff member was stunned for a moment and did not know why Jiang Yu asked this. However, she still answered and said, "Yes. As long as it is necessary for your program, things like costumes or props can be changed or changed."

Jiang Yu said, "Thank you."

The supervisor asked again, "What do you need it to look like? I'll take it and change it for you."

Jiang Yu said, "Cut half of this dress and help me change the other half into a white one. It'll be simpler and more elegant."

The staff member repeated Jiang Yu's words and finally confirmed her meaning. She said, "You mean that half of this dress is Bai Suzhen and the other half is Xiao Qing, right?"

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Jiang Yu nodded and said, "Yes."

"Okay, I got it. I'll go and help you change it."

Wang Yu's hands stopped practicing and said worriedly, "Jiang Yu, are you sure it's okay for you to learn the dance of two characters by yourself and concentrate on performing? Why don't I share the burden for You?"

Jiang Yu smiled and said, "It's okay. Don't you also want to play the zither? If you share the burden for me, wouldn't you have to play the zither and dance? Then you'll be even more tired. I'll do it myself."

Seeing this, Wang Yu couldn't insist any further. She could only say, "Alright. Tell me if you're tired. He Zhen and I will share the burden with you."

"Alright, thank you."

Jiang Yu searched for a long time on her phone. Although there was a dance about Bai Suzhen and a dance about Xiao Qing, none of them were suitable.

It was either a solo dance or a duet where Xiao Qing was the complement.

This was completely different from what she was going to perform.

"It's a little difficult..." Jiang Yu sighed.

In the end, Jiang Yu made a decision — She would learn two pas de deux and then piece together the content of the two dances.

In this way, she would be able to reflect the beauty of both of them. She would also weaken Bai Suzhen's movements a little. In this way, she might be able to get the effect she wanted.

After confirming her thoughts, Jiang Yu downloaded the dance video into her phone and began to practice non-stop.

Next to their rehearsal hall was another team's rehearsal hall.

Yuan Lai and Zhang Xiao chose a pop song that was not very difficult. Under Zhang Xiao's suggestion, they added a bit of an ancient style element to it.

"Senior Qin Yuan, we have chosen it. Come and have a look. Are you satisfied?" Yuan Lai asked carefully.

Qin Yuan sat at the side and rested leisurely. When she heard Yuan Lai's words, she was too lazy to get up and come over to have a look. She said, "It's up to you. Although I am a senior, I still have to give my position to you young people in the future."

"O-okay." Yuan Lai was flattered. He didn't expect Qin Yuan to speak to him in such a good tone.

But she didn't say that to Jiang Yu just now.

#### **Chapter 434: Temporary Practice**

Qin Yuan didn't look at the song that her team chose at the beginning. By the time she looked at it, Yuan Lai and Zhang Xiao had already practiced more than half of it.

The two of them were nearing the end of their rehearsal, but Qin Yuan suddenly said, "I can't do this."

Yuan Lai and Zhang Xiao couldn't help but stop and ask, "Why?"

Qin Yuan said, "When you chose this, did you think about what if I didn't know these things at all?"

"But we already asked for your opinion when we chose it back then," Yuan Lai explained. "You said it yourself. Just let us decide."

"A senior is speaking. You are a junior..." Before Qin Yuan could finish her words, her manager hurriedly ran over and stopped her, she said in a low voice, "Sister Yuan, this is a live variety show, not a recorded variety show. No one will cut out this segment. You have to pay more attention to it. Remember your character."

Only then did Qin Yuan remember that 'Ace versus Ace' was a live variety show.

She quickly changed from that threatening tone just now to a kind and amiable look, "Forget it. I can't always make you accommodate me. After all, the entertainment industry will still belong to you young people in the future. Tell me, how do you want me to cooperate with you?"

Qin Yuan's expression didn't look like she was angry. Only then did Yuan Lai let out a sigh of relief and said, "You only need to dance an ancient style dance between us."

"An ancient style dance?" Qin Yuan thought for a moment and said, "I know how to do a folk dance. Let's change it."

"This..." Yuan Lai looked at Zhang Xiao.

Zhang Xiao said, "Okay."

Qin Yuan began to practice the only folk dance she knew.

She didn't care if her dance could be combined with the song. She just needed to dance it.

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The atmosphere on their side was so tense, and Jiang Yu's was even more tense.

That was because He Zhen's flute and Wang Yu's guzheng couldn't be combined at all.

Although others could hear that the two of them were playing the song "Green Snake" when they listened to it. If they listened to it separately, they could also hear the emotions that the two of them were immersed in.

However, as long as they were put together, they would no longer have that kind of feeling.

"The flute and the zither are both traditional instruments. I didn't expect that there would be a day when they wouldn't match." He Zhen was extremely disappointed.

"Yeah, I didn't expect that either." Wang Yu was also very disappointed, "The sound of the flute is too crisp, and the zither's voice is a little low. If it were any other tune, I think it would be possible to match them together. However, the song 'Green Snake' is really a little difficult."

The two of them were still frustrated that the song could not be combined, and Jiang Yu was still trying hard to practice her dance.

In just a short afternoon, Jiang Yu had already learned a rough outline of the two dances, only missing the details.

However, there was still the morning of the next day, and she could only take out two hours to practice in the afternoon at most.

However, excluding the time for makeup and styling, these two hours could only be used for half an hour at most.

The three of them had not officially started rehearsing yet. The time for tomorrow's performance was indeed too tight.

Jiang Yu took advantage of the break to find He Zhen and Wang Yu and said, "Can I listen to the two of you?"

Wang Yu looked at He Zhen awkwardly and said, "Okay. But the two of us don't work well together."

Jiang Yu said, "It doesn't matter. Let me listen to it first."

Wang Yu and He Zhen sat in front of their respective instruments and began to play together again.

After the song was played, Jiang Yu listened. It was just as Wang Yu had said. The two of them did not work well together.

One could hear the emotions of the two of them even when they were playing alone.

However, once they reached the place where they were playing together, they could no longer feel that kind of emotion. They could only feel the mechanical playing, as if they were only playing for the sake of playing.

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"It doesn't matter. We don't need to panic," Jiang Yu comforted them. "No matter what, what we're facing is something difficult. It's not just something that can't be put together. We have to think of a way to deal with them. We can't give up on ourselves here."

Jiang Yu's words deeply moved Wang Yu and He Zhen.

He Zhen said, "Don't worry. I will practice with Wang Yu well. I won't let you down!"

Wang Yu also said, "Yes! Jiang Yu still has to practice two more dances and combine them into one dance. It's even harder than us! We will work hard and definitely won't let you down!"

Jiang Yu smiled in relief.

The bullet screen was still furiously spamming "Sister is so beautiful! Jiang Yu, get out of the entertainment circle". However, when Jiang Yu smiled, the bullet screen changed to "Jiang Yu's smile is really healing".

Qin Yuan's fans were instantly suppressed.

Soon, it was time for the performance. Zhang Xiao and Yuan Lai felt uneasy and didn't know what their performance on the stage would be like.

He Zhen and Wang Yu also felt a huge burden in their hearts — because it was not until this morning that the three of them finished the work that needed to be done.

He Zhen could now enter Wang Yu's emotions, and Wang Yu could also enter He Zhen's emotions.

But it was hard to say whether Jiang Yu could.

Because the three of them rehearsed together only three times, and they didn't see any effect at all.

At this time, the auditorium of the People's Grand Theater was already full of people.

There were fans of these people, artists of the older generation, and some powerful local bigwigs.

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Among them was Mo Long.

He was supposed to go on a business trip these few days, but when he heard that his Yu'er would be performing at the People's Grand Theater today, he asked Teng Yi to cancel his trip and come over to watch Jiang Yu's live performance.

Because Jiang Yu's group was performing an ancient style song, there was a bit of trouble with the costumes and makeup, so Zhang Xiao's group went on stage first.

First, Yuan Lai danced an explosive opening dance, then Zhang Xiao slowly came on stage, and the two of them sang together.

Although it was a pop song, Yuan Lai changed the tune very gently. When he sang, it made people feel like they were strolling on a forest path.

When the music was pure in the middle, Qin Yuan came on stage and danced a folk dance.

In the eyes of outsiders, Qin Yuan's dance was very beautiful and commendable.

However, the older generation of artists knew that Qin Yuan's folk dance was not on the beat of this piece of music at all. It was completely random.

With Qin Yuan as the lead, the older artists did not have much hope for Jiang Yu and the others who would appear later.

After Zhang Xiao and the other two finished performing, the host walked up and said, "Thank you to our three performers. Then, what comments do the older artists below the stage have about these three performers?"

An old man with white hair said, "I think it's very good and innovative for you to add a national style element to pop music." "But there's no need for this dance, because she's not stuck on the beat at all. She's just dancing randomly."

Qin Yuan felt a little embarrassed to be pointed out by someone so straightforwardly.

But she still smiled and said, "What teacher criticized is right. I will definitely work harder in the future."

The host saw that the atmosphere was a little awkward, so he quickly announced the curtain and said, "Next, please enjoy the dance. The performance is 'Green Snake.' The performers are He Zhen and Wang Yu. The dancer is Jiang Yu."

**Chapter 436: Amazing**



Jiang Yu and the other two slowly went up to the stage and bowed deeply to the audience below the stage.

What was out of place with the screams of the fans below the stage was the indifference of the old artists.

It was likely that these young people had the same strength as the previous few and dared to perform “Green Snake”. They were really ignorant.

He Zhen stepped on the few beats of the prelude, placed the flute by his lips, and began to play.

The sound of the flute was very clear, as if a distant wind was blowing over, blowing over everyone’s hearts.

Jiang Yu kept her body sideways, showing the side of the “White snake” to everyone.

She raised her hands and raised her feet, and her slender waist began to twist along with He Zhen’s tune.

The movements were not very big. The “laymen” audience below the stage also knew that Jiang Yu was dancing the white snake, and she deliberately reduced the movements of the white snake dance, looking very low-key.

After He Zhen finished playing the flute part, Wang Yu’s guzheng solo followed.

When the strings of the guzheng sounded, Jiang Yu instantly turned around and showed the side of the “Green snake”.

The sound of the guzheng was deep and powerful. Compared to the crisp sound of the flute, the low sound of the guzheng was like water.

The gurgling stream extended from a distance and flowed past everyone’s feet.

Compared to the “White snake” movement, the “Green Snake” movement was more passionate and flamboyant.

It made people focus more on the “Green snake” movement.

The dance ended here. The entire song was already halfway through.

The old artists below the stage could not help but be deeply attracted by Jiang Yu’s dance.

They originally thought that the performance standards of these three people were the same as the previous three people and could not be considered to be elegant.

But now, it seemed that their level was much higher than those people.

And this dancer, her dance could be seen to be very inexperienced, but she grasped the emotion and strength very well.

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The old artists repeatedly nodded, indicating that they were very satisfied with the performance.

Wang Yu had also finished the zither solo part, and now it was time for her and He Zhen to perform together.

Wang Yu let out a long sigh of relief and told herself not to be nervous. She just needed to cooperate with He Zhen well.

He Zhen also told herself in her heart that she just needed to cooperate with Wang Yu Well.

“Clang —”

“Ding —”

The crisp flute and the low-pitched zither collided. A new door appeared and opened to everyone below the stage.

Jiang Yu suddenly faced the audience. She spread her arms and closed her eyes, immersing herself in her own world.

Only then did the audience in the front row realize that the makeup on Jiang Yu’s face was different.

On the “White snake” side was pure and elegant makeup, while on the “Green snake” side was passionate and flamboyant makeup. It was a better performance — the theme of green snake.

Moreover, this kind of strange makeup did not look ugly on Jiang Yu’s face. On the contrary, under the enhancement of Jiang Yu’s expression, the two types of makeup became more beautiful and more compatible.

Jiang Yu rotated her lithe body, not only showing the elegance of the white snake, but also the flamboyance of the green snake. It also showed the fervent and unyielding character of the green snake under the contrast of the white snake.

When the song ended, Jiang Yu’s dance also stopped.

The people below the stage did not regain their senses for a long time. After a long time, there was a thunderous applause.

“Great! You danced so well!” Someone shouted.

“You danced so well! This is the first time in my life that I’ve seen a person dance with two characters. It’s so amazing, so beautiful!”

### **Chapter 437: Praises**

After the performance, the host, Zhao Li, went up to the stage and asked, “Old artists, what are your comments on this show?”

In fact, he was prepared to hear the criticisms that the old artists were going to say in a while. He only hoped that this segment would end quickly and not embarrass the performing artists. He also had to help smooth things over. It was too tiring.

Unexpectedly, the artists did not criticize Jiang Yu and the other two. Instead, they praised them greatly.

"I've been in this industry for so many years, but this is the first time I've seen such a good program in the hands of young people!"

"Yeah. I can tell that they're not in this profession, but they performed very well."

"Especially that dancer. By the way, may I ask, what's your name?"

Jiang Yu answered politely, "I'm Jiang Yu."

"Jiang Yu, that's a very nice name." The artist said, "You're not a professional dancer, right?"

"That's right, my major is acting, not dance," Jiang Yu answered politely.

"No wonder. However, although your dance looks very immature, you have a good grasp of your emotions and strength! It's eye-catching and very worthy of praise!"

As he said that, the artist could not help but give Jiang Yu a thumbs up.

Jiang Yu's fans below the stage applauded enthusiastically.

"Thank you very much for enjoying our performance, and thank you for your praise of me." Jiang Yu bowed to express her gratitude.

The host did not expect such picky artists to praise the younger generation and enjoy their performances.

This was really unexpected.

The host said, "Okay, then the comments on the artists will stop here. Please leave the stage to rest. Next, we will enjoy the last program. The performance is "Yunnan Bianqiao". The performers are Qin Liang and Hong Tian."

After Jiang Yu left the stage, Yuan Lai rushed over, his eyes filled with admiration. "Jiang Yu! Your dance just now was so beautiful!"

Zhang Xiao also came over and handed towels to the three of them. He said, "Your performance was indeed very good. We lost this match without any disagreement."

Jiang Yu smiled humbly and said, "Who said that we will definitely win? What if the result is unexpected and you guys win?"

Yuan Lai said, "Is there any suspense about winning or losing? Just look at the reactions and attitudes of the audience and the artists. You guys will definitely win!"

He Zhen was not modest at all. He said, "We will definitely win! Just look at the situation. You guys will definitely lose."

He Zhen said this to provoke Yuan Lai, but Yuan Lai did not do anything. Instead, he said generously, "It doesn't matter. We admit defeat this time."

The five of them were talking and laughing, and no one cared about Qin Yuan who was left on the side.

Qin Yuan felt uncomfortable, so she walked over and deliberately said, “I didn’t expect that your team would have so many talents. You can play the flute, play the zither, and dance.”

Qin Yuan said this to mock Jiang Yu, and Jiang Yu knew what she meant.

However, she still cleverly continued, “Senior Qin Yuan, you must be joking. We are also studying in our spare time. How can we compare to a senior like you?”

As soon as she said this, all the focus was on Qin Yuan. Qin Yuan could neither agree nor disagree with it.

Jiang Yu, how dare you embarrass me in public!

#### **Chapter 438: Response To The Advertisement**

Qin Yuan laughed uncomfortably, she said, “But it’s meaningless to always say that I’m a ‘senior’. I can’t always use this identity to oppress you guys. Since the performance is over, let’s go back quickly. I still have some work to do here.”

Only then did everyone stop talking and go back to pack their things.

After the recording of this episode was done, everyone went back to prepare their things and hurried home.

Jiang Yu prepared to go to the studio to take care of some work. Then, she went to look for Mo Long.

After all, the two of them had not seen each other for a long time.

Jiang Yu returned to the studio and sat down on a chair. Sister Xia walked in and said, “Jiang Yu, quickly take a look!”

Hearing sister Xia’s anxious tone, Jiang Yu hurriedly asked, “What happened?”

Sister Xia handed the phone to Jiang Yu and said, “Take a look at what your good sister Jiang Ran did!”

Jiang Yu took the phone in confusion. It was playing the advertisement Jiang Ran had shot about the Jiang family’s jewelry.

Jiang Yu resisted the urge to quit and watched the video.

Other than awkwardness and stiff acting, Jiang Yu didn’t see anything wrong with it.

So she asked, “Sister Xia, is there anything wrong with the video?”

Sister Xia said, “It’s not that there’s something wrong with the video, but the comments below.”

Jiang Yu exited the video interface and opened the comment section.

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A group of people were saying that Jiang Ran’s acting was too bad and the lines in the advertisement were too awkward. People couldn’t connect her to the jewelry at all.

Some people even mentioned Jiang Yu, saying that since Jiang Yu was Jiang Ran’s younger sister, she would definitely not be any better.

After Jiang Yu finished reading the first few comments, she turned off her phone and said, "These comments are obviously anti-fans."

Sister Xia said, "Of course I know that they are anti-fans, but the key is that some passersby don't know. Moreover, some of your fans also lost their fans because of these comments."

Jiang Yu said, "It doesn't matter if they're not firm enough."

Sister Xia said bitterly, "Jiang Yu! You have to feel a sense of crisis! Don't think that you don't need these fans just because they're not firm enough. You have to understand that you're in the entertainment industry, and you want to live in the entertainment industry. Even if you have Mo Long backing you, you have to rely on your own efforts to walk this path!"

Jiang Yu naturally knew what Sister Xia meant, and she did not plan to rely on Mo Long's power. She only wanted to walk this path steadily.

However, Jiang Yu did not really care about those fans who were not firm enough and would follow after a few words from others.

After all, this path was still very long. She could not let this group of people hold her back.

However, Jiang Yu didn't want sister Xia to worry, so she said, "I got it, Sister Xia. I'll think of a way to solve these matters."

Sister Xia believed in Jiang Yu's ability, but she was still a little worried about her, "Then you have to be careful. If it really can't be solved, leave this matter to me and the studio. If it can't be solved, we'll go to the agency."

Jiang Yu said with a smile, "It's alright, Sister Xia. This is just a small matter. Believe me, I can completely resolve it myself."

Only then did Sister Xia relax and said, "Then, if you have anything difficult to handle, you must look for me."

Jiang Yu said, "Got it, Sister Xia."

Only then did Sister Xia feel at ease and go back to her work.

### **Chapter 439: Solution**

Jiang Ran did not expect that the response to the jewelry advertisement would be so bad.

Even though the video of the advertisement received a lot of views and many comments, at least 80% of the people said that her acting was too bad, the advertisement was fake and awkward. After watching it, they did not want to buy the jewelry from the Jiang family anymore.

Someone commented at the bottom, "What's the purpose of this advertisement? Are you afraid that the jewelry business of the Jiang family will be too good?"

"I think it's more like a backdoor. Because it's an endorsement for the Jiang family's jewelry, that's why Jiang Ran was asked to film it."

“But if that’s the case, why not use Jiang Yu? Jiang Yu is also good-looking and has a good temperament. No matter how you look at it, she’s more suitable than Jiang Ran, right?”

“Forget it. Since Jiang Yu is this Jiang Ran’s sister, then I think she’s no better.”

When the comments read up to this point, Jiang Ran’s mood was half happy and half angry.

She was angry that someone dared to say that about her. She was happy that someone else had given Jiang Yu the same evaluation.

It was a mixture of sadness and happiness.

However, it was an indisputable fact that the response to the advertisement that she had shot was really bad.

Jiang Ran didn’t know what to do, she saw Jiang Yu post a message on the internet: “The advertisement for the Jiang family jewelry is indeed a little awkward. I hope that in the future, you won’t change the person without permission, and you won’t change the words of the advertisement without permission. Take this as an example. It’s not only the Jiang family’s jewelry. Don’t change the advertisements of other businesses.”

Jiang Ran was furious when she saw this message. She quickly called Jiang Yu.

After Jiang Yu answered the call, she said, “If it’s because of the advertisement, then you don’t have to call me.”

Jiang Ran gnashed her teeth and said, “Jiang Yu! What did you mean by that message? Isn’t it a little too much?”

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Jiang Yu said, “I don’t think it’s too much. After all, I’m just stating the facts.”

Jiang Ran asked, “What facts? The change of people or the change of slogan? Let me tell you, I’m an investor. I’ll use whoever I want to act and recite whatever slogan I want to recite. This is my right!”

After Jiang Yu heard Jiang Ran’s rambling, she said, “Are you done? This is indeed your right. But giving you this power is not for you to abuse your power. Of course, if you’re filming an advertisement for your own interests and not for the sake of your own products, then I’ll just pretend that I didn’t say anything.”

Jiang Ran was speechless. “You...”

Jiang Yu said, “Jiang Ran, I haven’t even called you to find fault with you, and you’re already calling me?”

Jiang Ran was baffled and said, “You’re looking for me? Why?”

Jiang Yu said, “Thanks to your unfamiliar acting skills and those awkward lines, my fans have also become disappointed in me.”

Jiang Ran stammered and couldn’t say a complete sentence. “You... I... That’s because...”

Jiang Yu didn't intend to waste her breath on this matter, she said, "Forget it. In the future, when shooting commercials, it's better to find something suitable for yourself. You're not suitable for ads like jewelry. If you shoot it, it will only lead to the decline of these products."

When Jiang Ran heard Jiang Yu's penetrating words, she felt a little embarrassed.

Even though there were only two people on the phone, Jiang Ran still felt that Jiang Yu's words made her feel embarrassed.

So she said, "Jiang Yu, don't be so smug. No matter what, in the end, I will be the most favored daughter of the Jiang family. It's me, Jiang Ran!"

Jiang Yu suddenly fell silent. After a moment, she said, "As you wish. If there's nothing else, I'll hang up first."

With that, Jiang Yu hung up the phone.

#### **Chapter 440: New Drama**

After settling the matter with Jiang Ran, Jiang Yu let out a long sigh of relief.

She could finally have a good rest.

Jiang Yu packed her things and returned to Mo Garden.

Mo Long had been waiting for her at Mo Garden for a long time. The table was filled with dishes that Jiang Yu liked to eat.

After dinner, Jiang Yu rubbed Mo Long's legs as usual and asked, "How are your legs feeling recently?"

Mo Long looked at her dotingly and said, "Much better. Thank goodness I have you."

Jiang Yu smiled shyly and said, "It doesn't matter. As long as your legs can be cured, it's fine."

The two of them cuddled together sweetly and said some sweet words before they went to sleep.

The next day, Jiang Yu had just sent Mo Long off to work when she received a call from sister Xia. "Jiang Yu, quickly pack up and come over for an audition."

"An audition?" Jiang Yu was stunned for a moment before she asked, "Sister Xia, did you get me another new movie?"

Sister Xia replied, "Yes."

Jiang Yu turned on the speakerphone and asked as she went upstairs, "Is it a movie or a TV series this time?"

Sister Xia said, "It's a micro movie. If you perform well, it'll probably be finished in a week. It won't delay you from recording the variety show."

"I see." Jiang Yu said, "Who are we working with this time?"

Sister Xia said, "I'm still not sure. I've asked the director and producer, but they didn't tell me. Alright, hurry up and come. Why don't you give me your address? I'll send someone to pick you up."

Jiang Yu quickly changed her clothes and put on a light make-up. She said, "There's no need to trouble you. I'm done packing. I'll be there soon."

"Okay."

With that, Jiang Yu hung up the phone.

Sister Xia sent Jiang Yu the address of the audition on her phone. It wasn't very far from Mo Garden, and it was only a six-minute car ride away.

When Jiang Yu arrived, Sister Xia hurriedly came over to hold her hand and whispered, "You've really gotten a good card this time."

Jiang Yu asked, "What's wrong?"

Sister Xia said mysteriously, "You'll know after you take a look."

Jiang Yu walked into the audition room in confusion and sat down in her seat.

When she looked up, she saw that she was facing Li Yue.

It seemed that her opponent in this micro-movie was the famous movie queen, Li Yue.

So this was the "good card" that sister Xia was talking about.

And there was one thing that Jiang Yu didn't expect — the main character of this micro-film was her and not Li Yue.

For a moment, Jiang Yu thought that the director had given her the wrong script and asked Sister Xia in a low voice, "Sister Xia, is the main character of this micro-film really me?"

Sister Xia said a little excitedly, "It's you."

Jiang Yu still didn't think that the director would give up Li Yue to play the main character, so he asked again, "But Li Yue is the movie queen after all, so I'm afraid that the director will think more highly of her, right?"

Sister Xia said, "Jiang Yu, you didn't hear wrong. The main character of this movie is really you. Li Yue has other jobs recently. She took time out from her schedule to shoot this micro film. There are fewer scenes for the female supporting role, so it's more convenient for her to be busy with other jobs."

Jiang Yu finally understood the reason and said, "So that's how it is."

Jiang Yu didn't feel uneasy about acting opposite Li Yue. Instead, it was Li Yue who wanted to tell the director that she didn't intend to act in this micro-film the moment she saw Jiang Yu.

But she was the movie queen after all and she had specially arranged a schedule for her to act in this micro-film.

Li Yue was already a little unhappy when she received the script of the supporting actress. When she asked who the female lead was, the director team was still pretending to be mysterious and refused to tell her.



Today, she saw that Yuan Lai's female lead was Jiang Yu.

As a movie queen, she actually had to be the supporting actress for a newbie like Jiang Yu?