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#### Chapter 931: Everyone Came to Congratulate Him VIII

Haha!

'You don't know her?

'If you do not know her, would she dare to claim that you're Paramount's owner?'

They had never seen someone who would insist on giving this honorable title to other people!

Why would Feng Lan insist on forcing this title onto Feng Ruqing but not someone else?

"Master..." Feng Lan smiled genuinely and said, "Young Master Jiu Ming has mentioned before that Paramount was founded because of Empress Nalan. As her daughter, the position of Paramount's owner naturally belongs to you. When you claimed that you do not know me, it really hurt my feelings. Have you forgotten about our memories together in the palace the other day ..."

1Nan Xian's body emitted a faint vicious aura and he seemed to have grown tense. A hint of coldness flashed in his eyes as he looked at Feng Lan expressionlessly.

Feng Lan was not bothered by Nan Xian's murderous stare. When she saw that Feng Ruqing did not respond to her, she chuckled and continued, "Master, you usually accept any beautiful woman who runs into your embrace. Why do you treat me coldly?"

Why?

'Don't you know the reason?' Feng Ruqing cursed, silently.

She had helped Jiu Ming to prank her! She had not paid for that!

"Qing'er," Nan Xian circled Feng Ruqing's waist with his arm and said, "Once we go back, you must change all of your female guards to men."

"Why?"

'Because ..." Nan Xian hesitated but continued with a serious expression, "Allowing them to stay by your side will affect their chances of getting married."

Feng Ruqing could somehow sense that the way Nan Xian uttered his request was a bit awkward and timorous.

However, Nan Xian did not make it obvious and had managed to portray himself in a flawless manner. He still looked gorgeous and stunning as usual.

Suyi could not refrain herself from clearing her throat.

Nan Xian could actually just go straight to the point.

Affecting the girls' chances of getting married?

Although it was part of the truth, since when was Nan Xian concerned about other people's marriage?

It was actually due to the attention that Qing'er was receiving from the women as they were too fond of her and she had never rejected their kindness and love. That was why women were serious threats to him compared to men!

Gu Yiyi had managed to sneak in when those people arrived at the scene. Once the words reached her ears, she puffed up and exclaimed, "I will go back and tell Xiao Yin that you want to chase us away from Xiao Qing so you can have her to yourself. Xiao Qing, please do not believe a single word from this vixen. He has done this on purpose!"

"Oh," Feng Ruqing suddenly realized something and muttered, "But the state preceptor must have his own reason. Otherwise, why aren't Tang Zi and the other girls married yet?"

"…"

Gu Yiyi's eyes widened in shock.

How could Xiao Qing believe these ridiculous excuses from Nan Xian's mouth?

Feng Ruqing frowned as she thought before muttering, "Wait until I am back, I will start with the Iron-Blooded Troop to make sure my girls get married before they can return to my side."

Contentment flashed through Nan Xian's handsome face after hearing Feng Ruqing's words. The corners of his mouth curved up.

1He could not help but smile and it was a genuine one.

Nan Xian was known as someone who hardly smiles. When Gu Yiyi saw a gentle smile plastered at his face, she felt that he was provoking her. She cried out in frustration and hurried away into the dark of the nightlike a big, spoiled child.

Feng Ruqing was surprised by her sudden tantrum as she turned to Nan Xian with a confused look.

"What's wrong with Yiyi?"

Nan Xian replied with expressionlessly, "Perhaps she has a stomachache."

1"…"

At this moment, Gu Shi felt sorry for his beloved daughter for the very first time.

His daughter was such an innocent girl and was, undoubtedly incomparable to Nan Xian, this cunning vamp. Why she not just get married to an ordinary guy? Must she fight with Nan Xian over a woman?

She would never win against Nan Xian either in an argument or a fight. In fact, she was not a match when it came to Nan Xian's manipulative skill. Why must she torture herself like that?

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"Nan Xian."

Mu Ling was pulled back to reality. Instead of putting on his usual deadpan face, the corners of his mouth twitched and lit up before he managed to utter in a calm voice, "Since you are back now, why don't you stay at the Mu family's?"

Bang!

The moment he stepped toward Nan Xian, Nan Xian suddenly raised his hand and gave him a blow straight to his chest.

Mu Ling was pushed back by two steps as he was not expecting the assault. His face turned ghastly pale and he was stunned for a few seconds before he managed to suppress his anger.

It was he who had asked for a favor so he must endure everything for now!

"Father!" Mu Huan clenched her fists, tightly. "Nan Xian has just attacked you and Feng Ruqing has injured me! They must explain for themselves!"

"You shut up!'

Mu Ling frowned slightly, looking at her foolish antics. Since when has his daughter became like Mu Xi who was not clever enough to observe the current situation.

Not only was Feng Ruqing the house lady of Fengyun clan, but she was also Paramount's owner. Looking at the current situation, he could only depend on Feng Ruqing in order to treat his erectile dysfunction.

Mu Huan's snow-white complexion face went red after being scolded in front of everyone.

"Huan'er."

Chen Qingyan quickly pulled Mu Huan's hand and shook her head. "Your father has his own reason that he cannot speak about."

Erectile dysfunction was indeed something that he could not speak about openly.

However, they did consult Grandmaster Hai Rong before.

They did not reveal the whole story but had told him that one of Mu Ling's brothers had been poisoned so he had ended up with erectile dysfunction. Grandmaster Hai Rong had managed to identify the poison from the mouth.

He had also mentioned that the only cure was the Golden Dragon's blood essence.

However, the Golden Dragon's existence was just a myth, so Mu Ling had been targeting Paramount.

Why must it happen to be Feng Ruqing?

Why must Paramount's owner be her?

In the past, she had lost to Suyi, then Mu Xi was literally pinned under her son. In the end, even her sonin-law could not match hers?

Chen Qingyan's heart sank. A hint of coldness and cloud flashed in her eyes, but it disappeared without a trace as quickly as it appeared.

"Xian'er."

Mu Ling spoke with a softer tone, "I am just trying to care more about you. You ..."

'Excuse me..." Feng Ruqing pursed her lips. "Our state preceptor is a cleanliness freak so he doesn't like people close to him. It's best if you stay away from him. Of course, I won't let him kill you. I won't let him tarnish his reputation as well but if you dare to get close to him, I will not hesitate to kill you!"

Without waiting for Mu Ling's response, Mu Xi emitted a faint vicious aura before cutting her off coldly, "What makes you think that you can kill my father?"

Feng Ruqing laughed.

"Feng Lan, bring out the spirit wine."

Before she left, she had sent a batch of spirit wine to Paramount for sale.

However, before the jars of spirit wine were available in the market, Paramount's elders had bought all of them.

Once Feng Lan received Feng Ruqing's command, she had taken out a jar of spirit wine that was just sold by Feng Ruqing a while ago without any hesitation and presented it to her with full respect.

Wow!

Once Feng Ruqing opened the wine jar, a strong aroma of spirit wine filled the air, immediately catching everyone's attention making them fixated on it. They started drooling over it.

"You can get this spirit wine from Paramount in an unlimited amount as you desire." Feng Ruqing's lips curved upward. "Let say I want to demolish whole Mu family, I am not only willing to give this spirit wine to everyone who is present here, but I will also provide ten drops of spirit water to all clans, how many of you are willing to do so?"

# Chapter 933: Everyone Came to Congratulate Him X

With the temptation of spirit wine and spirit water, everyone was hyped up and their eyes fell upon Mu Ling's face.

Even Qin Li had forgotten the alliance and glanced at Mu Ling.

"I don't like drinking, but..." Gu Shi narrowed his eyes and smiled, "Lady Xiao Qing, are you really willing to provide ten drops of spirit water?"

"Yes, for real."

She could get any amount of spirit water as she desired but naturally, she could not speak about it openly, so she was only willing to take out ten drops.

Nevertheless, ten drops of spirit water were sufficient to help a strong man break through his cultivation level!

Gu Shi stroked his chin and fell into deep thought.

There were also many people from Dark Warrior tier in this manor right now. If one person took one drop each, they could... create at least ten more powerful men.

Well, this spirit water was totally worth it!

"Lady Feng, I'm willing to carry out your command, but I wish to have ten jars of spirit wine, one jar is definitely not enough for me."

"I'm willing too. However, Lady Feng, Mu Huan's master is Grandmaster Hai Rong, therefore the consequence of fighting against Master Hai Rong is quite disastrous I need something better for my escape later, so would you give a few more drops of spirit water?"

Gu Shi took the lead in bargaining, making everyone present forget about their fears and reveal their inner thoughts.

Some people had even taken this opportunity to start bargaining.

Regardless of Feng Ruqing's decision, this presented the Mu family with an answer. As long as Feng Ruqing nodded, a lot of people were willing to kill for her!

What about Grandmaster Hai Rong being strong?

They still had Gu Shi to shatter the enemy and break through the front line. Besides, Feng Ruqing was Paramount's owner, and Paramount was supported by Deities Gate.

With the two great forces of Tian Shen Clan and Deities Gate, would they lose to a single person, Hai Rong?

Mu Ling's face darkened and he seemed terrified. Then he chuckled curtly without smiling. "Lady Feng, we did have some misunderstandings earlier. It was due to Han Feng's wrong information, which has caused so many misunderstandings between us."

If he had known of Feng Ruqing's real identity, he would not have objected to the marriage arrangement even if she had been married before.

Both Gu Yiyi and Tang Yin had already broken off the engagement.

There was only Qin Fei'er left. How could Qin Fei'er be compared to Feng Ruqing? She could only be a concubine. The position of the first wife must belong to Feng Ruqing!

"Misunderstanding?" Suyi smirked and stood up. "You sent someone to poison Qing'er just to make her infertile? And you put the blame on Nan Xian! Or did you mean to create a misunderstanding between both of them?"

Mu Ling's facial expression went stiff. He felt a little embarrassed as his bad deed was exposed to the public.

"Big Brother!" Mu Qingyin was shocked and her eyes widened. " How could you even do such a thing?"

He had asked someone to poison the poor girl just because he did not agree with Nan Xian marrying Feng Ruqing? Intending to cause her to be infertile?

Old Mu Ling was just an idiot in the past. Since when had he become such a wicked and cunning person?

"Haha!" Gu Shi sneered. "I am really watching a good show today. You have poisoned somebody but you are claiming it to be just a misunderstanding? Young Manor Master, you are so cruel."

At this moment, Mu Ling was hoping, desperately, to find a hole to hide. However, there was no trace of guilt on his face, only embarrassment.

He did not regret what he had done.

He only regretted not being careful enough in hiding it from being exposed to the public.

"Sister Suyi..." Chen Qingyan came forward with a light smile. "Perhaps you have misunderstood. I trust in Brother Ling's character, he will not do this kind of thing. Moreover, today is the old master's birthday celebration. Sister Suyi, why would you ruin my father's birthday party?"

Mu Ling's eyes fell upon Chen Qingyan's face as his thin lips pouted ever so slightly.

He had not revealed his plan to poison Feng Ruqing to Qingyan, yet Qingyan... completely trusted him?

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This incident... made him look so bad in this situation.

Suyi gave a small smile. "Before I got here, I have already mentioned that today is the old master's big day so I don't want to see any blood spill in the Mu family. If it isn't because of your pushing, would it have ended up like this now?"

Chen Qingyan's face went pale. "I ... I did not ... "

"Old Master..." Suyi turned to look at the old man who was drooling over the spirit wine that whole time and sighed before she apologized, "I hope you can forgive me for ruining your birthday celebration. I come here today with the intention of claiming justice for myself, Nan Xian, and Qing'er!"

The old master gulped and replied, "I want to drink this wine."

Suyi smiled helplessly and raised her head to signal to Feng Ruqing.

Feng Ruqing waved her sleeve and then brought the spirit wine and placed it in front of the old master.

The old master was pleased. "I will agree with anything you say as long as there is wine. You can punish Mu Ling and Chen Qingyan in whatever way you wish. Besides, not only both of you want to beat them, I have been longing to beat these jerks to death as well!"

For him, he was satisfied as long as there was wine and meat.

Anyway, both Mu Ling and Chen Qingyan had been eyesores to him for a long time. Suyi could do anything she wanted with them.

"Nan Xian..." Feng Ruqing smiled and held onto Nanxian's arm. "For the sake of the old master's birthday celebration, let's not settle scores with them here."

Once everything was over, whatever the Mu family owed Suyi and Nan Xian all these years, she would deal with them one by one!

"Alright."

Nan Xian shot Mu Ling a cold glance, but his glance softened when his eyes fell on Feng Ruqing.

Regarding this Mu family... Nan Xian had always been indifferent toward them.

He expressed neither happiness, anger, disappointment nor hatred.

If it were not for Mu Ling who had been targetting Feng Ruqing...

If it was not for Mu Ling who tried to poison Feng Ruqing, he would not have had the urge to kill him!

Nanxian subconsciously tightened his grip on Feng Ruqing, unwilling to let her go.

In this life, he would not allow anyone to hurt her, no matter who the person was!

"Fei'er"

After watching the couple holding hands moving toward the banquet table, Wen Yu looked worriedly at Qin Fei'er, who was standing next to her.

Qin Fei'er did not say a single word since Feng Ruqing's arrival.

Her eyes were full of sadness and loneliness, which made people felt sorry for her.

"Mother." Qin Fei'er smiled bitterly. "Perhaps this is what I can only do in this lifetime."

However, she was not reluctant to accept it!

It was easy to fall in love but it was never easy to let go and forget a person.

When she was still a child, she had met Nan Xian for the very first time, but she bet younger Nan Xian could not even remember a single thing about her back then.

After she had grown up, she saw the same guy in the portrait and had fallen in love at first sight.

When she knew about Mu Ling's visit to Qin Manor on behalf of Nan Xian, nobody had realized her blossoming feelings.

At that moment, she thought... that she could marry him.

Even if... it was just to be his concubine.

In order to enter the Mu family, she had given up her most beloved younger brother. From the beginning when she had resisted being a drug primer pursuing Qin Chen's fresh blood, until her acceptance in the end.

Everything she had done was for Nan Xian ...

However, her heart was still hurt in the end.

Wen Yu grabbed Qin Fei'er's hand as she felt sorry for her. How could she not worry about her only daughter?

"You rest assured, it will eventually be yours if it is destined for you."

Nobody could snatch the guy away from her daughter!

If there was one... she did not mind making sure that the person no longer exists!

"It's useless."

Qin Fei'er shook her head and smiled bitterly.

She was the young lady of Fengyun clan and Paramount'sowner.

Even Mu Ling's attitude had changed when he learned about her new identity.

So, what else... could she do to make everything good again?

### Chapter 935: Mu Ling was Beaten Up I

Feng Ruqing loathed her so much, she would never agree to let her be the concubine!

Wen Yu's eyes were full of emotions and she was plotting something.

Everyone had their own weaknesses. Since Feng Ruqing had such a good relationship with Qin Yue, then Qin Chen must be her weakness!

For her daughter's sake, she would do anything even if she had to use unscrupulous methods!

"Qing'er, come and sit next to me with Nan Xian."

Suyi calmly and elegantly filled the teacup in front of her. She raised the cup and smiled gently. Without any warning, she smashed the cup in front of Mu Ling.

The hot tea splashed everywhere. Mu Ling hurriedly blocked it with his hands but the tea still splashed on him.

"Mu Ling, if you dare to plot something against Feng Ruqing, then what happened to this cup... is what will happen to your Mu family!"

Mu Ling's face turned ghastly pale. He did not blame Suyi for prioritizing Nan Xian. After all, Nan Xian was her son. It was normal for Nan Xian to be the apple of her eyes.

However, why did Feng Ruqing receive such blessing and support from Suyi who was willing to go against him a few times just for her?

"Suyi," Mu Ling always knew how to adapt according to the situation. In this case, he could only suppress the dissatisfaction in his heart. He tried his best to speak calmly. "As long as you are willing to return, we have no issues of you letting Nan Xian marry her. The only requirement is your return."

Suyi chuckled softly. "Since I have decided to come back this time, I have no plans to leave. You people, thinking that I will not return for many years, are taking this advantage to bully Nan Xian and Feng'er during my absence. As a mother, how can I sit calmly and ignore them?"

Yes, she did not intend to leave this time!

The only reason she had been enduring their antics was the old master's birthday celebration. She did not want to ruin his birthday celebration at all.

However... these people never gave her this final peace!

"Lady Feng, these spirit wines..."

In the banquet hall.

When Feng Ruqing was approaching Suyi, she heard a voice coming from the side. She turned to the source of the voice and found a middle-aged man. She looked at him and chuckled. "Luo Li, regarding the name list I have asked you to jot down before, have you written the names of those who have sided with Mu family?"

Luo Li nodded vigorously. "There are a few people talking bad about them secretly, so I have jotted them down, and some people... their expressions were not appropriate as they seemed a little scornful. Oh yes, some people have checked you out as well. I remember all of them."

"Good. Please keep them in your mind. These people are banned from our service so we won't be providing them any spirit wine."

The middle-aged man's smile suddenly went stiff.

This lady really bear grudges.

However, the fragrant smell of spirit wine was too alluring. He could not even contain himself as he turned to look at it.

From time to time, the sound of drooling and gulping could be heard in the banquet hall.

Suddenly, a voice broke the silence of the night at Mu Manor.

It was like a pebble thrown into the pond that caused ripples.

"Grandmaster Hai Rong has come to congratulate Old Master!"

Grandmaster Hai Rong!

This sound of this name was as loud as thunder, roaring into Mu Ling's ear, turning him ghastly pale, instantly. He looked nervous and angry.

He was nervous about Grandmaster Hai Rong's sudden appearance and his anger was directed at Mu Huan.

Mu Huan had informed him earlier that Grandmaster Hai Rong had left Tian Shen City. Why was he here to join the old master's birthday celebration?

"I have no idea." Mu Huan noticed Mu Ling's unusual facial expression. She shook her head calmly with no hints of nervousness in her eyes at all.

### Chapter 936: Mu Ling was Beaten Up II

Master would eventually find out about this incident sooner or later.

Unfortunately, the occasion was not right.

Looking from another perspective, she no longer needed to cover up, she could take this opportunity to show her father that she had became Grandmaster Hai Rong's apprentice based on her own achievements and efforts. It had nothing to do with Suyi at all!

"Mu Manor is very lively today. Hahaha."

Grandmaster Hai Rong laughed heartily and strode through the dark of the night.

He was wearing a gray robe, looking divine with a sage-like poise. He was smiling the whole time so it was difficult to guess his emotion from his face.

Countless surprises, excitement, and panic expressions appeared on the guests' faces.

The surprise and excitement came naturally from being able to see Grandmaster Hai Rong in person.

As for panic...

They were willing to go against the Mu family for spirit wine just now. Did Master Hai Rong purposely come after them after knowing this incident?

It was undeniable that Feng Ruqing had the support of Tian Shen clan and Deities Gate! However, only a few people from Paramount here represented Deities Gate!

Just Gu Shi alone... would not be sufficient to scare off Grandmaster Hai Rong.

They might end up in a stalemate.

However, what about them?

They were not Hai Rong's opponents. In case Hai Rong got angry and decided to destroy them, they had no chance to escape at all...

"Grandmaster Hai Rong, this is Wu Lin from the Wu family."

At the banquet, a man wearing a green robe stood up and said, charmingly, "I have long honored the name Grandmaster Hai Rong. It is indeed my pleasure to be able to meet you today. By the way, this woman had just forced me to fight against the Mu family. It wasn't my intention, it was her persecution. Grandmaster Hai Rong should investigate this matter."

No matter when or where there would always be someone who bends with the wind.

The person would follow whoever was in power.

Feng Lan squinted and shot that man a cold glare. "You are afraid of this old man. Does it mean you are not scared of Paramount?"

The guy in green robes was stunned and his expression went stiff. He did not give much thought about offending Paramount.

All he knew was that if he did not make his intention clear now, he would have no chance to escape.

Some others stood up. All of them were pushing the blame onto Feng Ruqing, but they did not realize that the faces of the people of the Mu family were getting paler and paler, and they were not excited to see Hai Rong at all.

They were willing to be tempted by spirit wine just now, not because of Tian Shen Clan and Deities Gate, but also because... they could leave quickly after they have succeeded. Even if Hai Rong was very strong, he would not know who was the culprit was due to big number of people present.

But not now.

Hai Rong had come for the Mu family. It was obviously unwise to offend the Mu family now.

Hai Rong put one hand behind his back.

With a smile on his face, he looked at Mu Ling with a grin. "Mu Ling, I'm here to participate in the old master's birthday celebration. Aren't you happy to see me?"

Mu Ling recovered from his surprise, he faked a cough and smiled reluctantly. "Of course, I am happy. It's just that, I heard from Mu Huan saying that you have left the city. Now, you are here to join us, that's why it is out of my expectation and I was a bit surprised. Huan'er, please bring your master to his seat."

"Yes."

Mu Huan came forward with a smile and stretched out her hand to help Hai Rong. "Master, allow me to bring you to the table."

Looking at Mu Huan's hand, Hai Rong avoided her and walked away without giving her a second glance. He walked toward Feng Ruqing.

Mu Huan's smile awkwardly froze. Her hand was left hanging in the air. She felt a cold aura headed in her direction.

### Chapter 937: Mu Ling was Beaten Up III

She turned her head stiffly and saw that her most trusted master was standing in front of Suyi.

"I came here today for the old master's birthday celebration, and there is one thing that I want to announce in public."

He just glanced at Suyi, and closed his eyes.

Mu Ling subconsciously sighed in relief.

It seemed that Hai Rong had forgotten about Suyi's appearance and did not recognize her after so many years.

Suyi was with the old master...

Therefore, he had assumed that Hai Rong's words were addressed to the old master.

"Grandmaster Hai Rong, please feel free to make the announcement."

"Alright." Hai Rong glanced over Mu Ling, and then looked at all the people present. "All these years, you all know that I am Huan'er's master. I am also aware that many people are present today as they know that I will be attending this birthday celebration at Mu Manor."

If this statement were made by someone else, it would have sounded arrogant and shameless.

However, the person who said this was Hai Rong.

Only Hai Rong had such capability and honor to make with such a statement! He had treated so many incurable diseases.

Many strong warriors had been rescued by him!

Of course, it was the same year, and a year later that Hai Rong was no longer willing to heal people, and no one knew why.

He never accepted any more apprentices, so Mu Huan was the first and the last!

"Therefore, today, I wish to announce to the whole world that I, Hai Rong, am cutting off all ties with the Mu family, and Mu Huan is no longer my disciple!"

The old man's words struck like thunder everyone's heart like a lightning, making everyone tremble in shock.

What... what was going on?

Why did Hai Rong publicly announce Mu Huan's expulsion?

"Master!" Mu Huan's face went pale, her body was trembling, and her proud eyebrows were filled with sadness and tears. "Master, have I done something wrong? Are you going to drive me out of the door? If I have done something wrong, please tell me, I will change it."

Hai Rong's heart almost softened when he looked at Mu Huan's dejected and sorrowful face.

However, he quickly toughened up.

He did give Mu Huan a last chance to make things right!

If a few days ago, she had told him the truth at the tavern. Perhaps then, he would still forgive her.

However, it was too late now. Huan'er was a scheming and conniving person. He was reluctant to let his good reputation be tarnished by her action!

"Grandmaster Hai Rong," Chen Qingyan was a little agitated and she quickly made her way toward Hai Rong. She pleaded, "Huan'er has always been an obedient girl. What has she done wrong that made you so angry? Please tell us. If you tell us, we will definitely ask her to correct her mistakes."

Hai Rong's smile faded slowly from his face. He glanced at Chen Qingyan coldly before he replied, "What's wrong? Don't you, the Mu family, know the situation better? You have treated me like a fool. You have lied to me for almost twenty years and now, you are asking me what is the matter?" Chen Qingyan trembled in fear. Grandmaster Hai Rong did recognize Suyi.

But why... why did he not ask anything before deciding that the Mu family was lying to him?

Suddenly, Chen Qingyan somehow knew the answer, which made her tremble in fright.

Before this incident, Grandmaster Hai Rong must have met Suyi.

That was why he knew Suyi's real identity without having to ask any questions...

Chen Qingyan bit her lower lip in desperation and closed her eyes in despair. Her ghastly pale face made her look even weaker.

#### Chapter 938: Mu Ling was Beaten Up IV

Mu Ling finally understood everything.

He knew that all the explanations were useless at this moment, and now he even regretted requesting Mu Huan to bring Hai Rong back in the first place.

Hai Rong had not only failed to cure the old master's illness but had also... exposed all of the Mu family's lies to the public.

This time, the Mu family had completely lost him.

Suddenly, Mu Ling's eyes lit up as he realized something.

No, the Mu family would not lose Hai Rong's support! As long as Suyi was willing to forgive him, Hai Rong would certainly be able to forgive him!

"Grandmaster Hai Rong." Gu Shi stood up with a smile, his sharp eyes glanced at the Mu family members who had been silent since just now. "May I know what is going on?"

This question was the most anticipated by the rest of the people who were wondering about the same thing.

Especially the group of people who had been trying to clarify their relationship with Feng Ruqing just now, they wanted to know what was the cause of the sudden bad blood between Hai Rong and the Mu family.

"Twenty years ago, I had a spirit herb that was about to wither. Back then, Lady Suyi had given me a drop of golden blood, which had helped me save that spirit herb." Hai Rong smiled and continued to explain, "We found out that we had great chemistry after talking to each other and it had blossomed into a close friendship.

"Since then, every few months, she would come to my mountain for a few days' stays to discuss and do research on medicines with me. She had also helped me to solve some problems. I owe her a favor, and promised her a condition as well."

Grandmaster Hai Rong lived remotely in the mountains and rarely left his place.

Moreover, Suyi's personality pleased him and brought some joy into his life after years of loneliness. He finally got someone to accompany him and discuss medicine, which made him really contented so he treated her like his own daughter.

However, Suyi had suddenly disappeared and never showed up again.

"Until one day, Mu Ling came to see me with Mu Huan. He had requested me to accept Mu Huan as my apprentice in exchange for the favor that I owed Suyi. The funniest thing was, I had never asked for Suyi's name despite knowing her for a long time. I always thought that she and Mu Ling were siblings!"

"Until I went down from the mountain and met Chen Qingyan. She addressed Suyi as her sister. If they were really siblings, then Chen Qingyan would not have addressed Suyi as her sister. After questioning for some time, Chen Qingyan and Mu Ling claimed that Suyi was their distant cousin sister.

"Hahaha, what a joke of a distant cousin sister! Back then, I did not know that the young lady was actually Lady Suyi from the Mu family. A concubine has chased away the legal wife and tricked me to return Suyi's favor in order to set the path for her daughter's future!"

Silence filled the air.

The shocking revelation by Hai Rong was totally unexpected and it was far more interesting than drama!

Perhaps before tonight, everyone had thought that although Chen Qingyan was just a concubine, she was gentle and considerate and was willing to treat her husband's son as her own. She had maintained a good character and taken good care of the family.

For many years, she had taken care of the old master without complaint and regrets. Despite being scolded and beaten, she had never said anything.

But now... this shocking news was enough to make everyone abandon their prior beliefs, leaving everyone shocked and unable to extricate themselves!

Mu Ling and Chen Qingyan's shamelessness was way over the boundary.

How could they take advantage of someone's kindness to give Mu Huan a better future?

No matter how good Mu Huan was, she was just a concubine's daughter.

How could Mu Ling do this?

No wonder Lady Mu and Nan Xian had left the Mu family without a second thought. The biased treatment was far too much for one to bear!

At this moment, Chen Qingyan could feel the icy cold stares from everyone. She felt extremely exposed and humiliated.

### Chapter 939: Mu Ling was Beaten Up V

"Brother Ling..." She looked helplessly and anxiously at Mu Ling.

Mu Ling was busy thinking about how to solve this problem, how could he still have time to care about Chen Qingyan?

This time, Mu Ling's indifference and ignorance made Chen Qingyan feel like her body had plummeted into an ice valley, leaving her alone in the cold.

"Haha!" Gu Shi smiled, scornfully. "It turns out that the Mu family is so shameless. Being able to be here today is really an eye-opener."

Not to mention the other people, even Mu Qingyin did not expect that his brother would do something like that.

How could he have mistreated Suyi in order to please a concubine? Didn't he feel guilty?

"Master!"

Mu Huan's distressed voice filled with grief fluttered toward Hai Rong, and tears covered her face. "It was all done by my parents, I have no idea about it at all! Why are you casting me away for something that I did not do?"

What Mu Huan was unable to fully comprehend was that, the mentorship between her and her master for many years could not be compared to Nan Suyi, as her parents claimed before.

"And how could you accept me as your disciple for her sake? Obviously it's my talent ..."

"Enough!" Hai Rong looked cold and snorted coldly. "Mu Huan, I gave you a chance. Have you forgotten how you have answered my question a few days ago?"

"I didn't know, I really didn't know ... "

She shook her head and stepped back a few steps.

Chen Qingyan's eyes brightened, she gritted her teeth and said, "Grandmaster Hai Rong, everything is Brother Ling's and my fault. Huan'er is innocent. She doesn't know anything."

No matter what happened, Huan'er must be protected first.

Hai Rong had been with her for many years, so it was impossible that there were no feelings between them at all. As long as Mu Huan was not connected to this incident, she could still be Hai Rong's disciple.

Hai Rong shook his head in disappointment. "Mu Huan has done everything possible to prevent me from meeting Suyi. Do you really think I couldn't feel it? Chen Qingyan, I'm not foolish to such an extent!

"What's more, why did I accept Mu Huan as a disciple in the first place? Don't you understand? Without Suyi, I would never have accepted any disciples at all."

Chen Qingyan went stiff, she clenched her fists.

This was the only way... she could suppress her inner jealousy.

She was jealous of Nan Suyi.

Why could she enjoy love and care from so many people despite not doing anything?

1The old master was like this. The same went for Mu Qingyin and Hai Ring as well.

On the other hand, she had been putting in so much effort but she still could not fully replace Nan Suyi.

"Master!" Mu Huan cried and fell to her knees near Hai Rong's feet. She seemed desperate and pitiful. "Please don't leave me. I promise that I will always listen to you. I really know my faults now. I really know my faults. I will practice hard and study medicine. I won't let you down."

She did not want her face and dignity anymore.

She only knew that she could not allow Hai Rong to leave her-

This was her only master. In the past few years, she had developed a sense of dependency on him, not as a father but much greater than a father, yet her master was disowning her.

Besides, the current Mu family could not survive without him!

Qin Fei'er stood awkwardly not far away from the scene.

Before tonight, Mu Huan was still an arrogant person with a fierce aura. In the blink of an eye, she had become such a desperate and pitiful person.

She raised up her head and her eyes fell on Suyi.

She felt guilty at this moment.

What if... during her first meeting with Suyi, she did not find trouble with Feng Ruqing, perhaps the ending would have been different?

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Suyi would definitely have had a good impression about her and allowed her to be Nan Xian's woman.

Even if... Nan Xian was a lecherous man, then... as long as she could marry him, the Qin family would be somehow related to Hai Rong.

Perhaps... Hai Rong would be able to treat her illness, and she would no longer need to depend on Chen'er to be her drug primer.

Moreover, Hai Rong had the same cultivation level as Gu Shi. With his support, the Qin family could be on equal standings with the chief manor master, and his father would no longer be oppressed by them.

Suddenly, Qin Fei'er's gaze fell on Feng Ruqing's face, a light flashed through her beautiful eyes. She bit her lower lip, subconsciously.

If Feng Ruqing was willing to forgive her... maybe, Suyi would be able to accept her again.

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In the quiet banquet hall, only Mu Huan was crying.

Hai Rong looked down at Mu Huan who was kneeling in front of him. "No matter how hard you practice, you have always been proud of your own strength without knowing that there are many other talented people in the world. Because I had believed in your father and mother's words, I have used up all of my spirit herbs to cultivate you until you have your current strength now."

Mu Huan stopped crying, she raised her head and stared at the old face in front of her.

"Master ... "

"Don't call me master!" Hai Rong sneered. "Haven't I spent a lot of precious spirit herbs on you all these years? If the same thing happened to any young man in this room, they would definitely have achieved more than you have now, and the funny thing is, how dare you call yourself a genius!"

These two Mu family members were such a waste!

Mu Huan was luckier than Mu Xi. With Hai Rong's cultivation, he had used all his spirit herbs to cultivate Mu Huan until she was the person she was today.

Although Mu Xi was also cultivated by the Mu family and Chen Qingyan had also fed him with a lot of spirit herbs, Mu Huan possessed Hai Rong's whole collection of spirit herbs among which were gifted by many strong warriors to him.

After consuming so many precious spirit herbs, which resulted in her current strength, what kind of genius was she like?

"No, this is not true." Mu Huan shook her head in denial and stepped backward. "Master, this is not true. I am indeed a genius. A lot of people have praised me that way."

Compared to her disciple title being stripped off by her master, she felt more disappointed and distressed when her beloved master denied her hard work and achievement!

The funniest thing was, had she really obtained her current strength due to the spirit herbs?

She was not Mu Xi! What she had achieved today was solely due to her own efforts. What has Suyi achieved?

Nobody could deny all her hard work and efforts!

Hai Rong shook his head. There was no need for him to reason with Mu Huan anymore because she could not accept the reality. Without saying any more, he turned to look at Suyi.

"I have taken back whatever I had given to Mu Huan today. Little girl Suyi, are you satisfied with the way I have handled this matter?

Suyi looked helpless and speechless. "I am no longer that little girl. Now, I have become a mother and will be a grandmother soon. Stop calling me little girl. It makes me look bad."

"Hahaha, Suyi, you do have good taste. This Feng Ruqing not only has immense talent, but she also has a good and bubbly personality. Apart from her medical skills, I think she is the only one who can heal the old master to complete recovery."

Mu Huan's face darkened and was flushed.

Even before tonight, her master had never praised her for her talent but he had complimented Feng Ruqing this time!