

Physician Wife 961

Chapter 961: This Is A Notice

A man's cold voice rang eerily in the front hall, accompanied by the muffled roars of thunder rolling outside.

It had been dry and sunny in Green District for nearly half a month now, and it finally rained tonight.

Aiden walked in wearing a million-dollar London suit with an umbrella hanging on his wrist. The umbrella was still dripping with rainwater, but he appeared clean and tidy, like the noblest Luntanese gentleman.

Tao Guangyu's pupils constricted violently. Even if the man walked in alone, his powerful aura warned Tao Guangyu to think twice before making a move.

"Who are you?"

Aiden stopped his advance only when he reached the center of the hall. He did not care that the members from Hong Gang sealed off his path of retreat even though it seemed like they were making way for him to the front. He stood firmly and said in a gentlemanly manner, "Let me introduce myself. I'm Leng Qirui's elder brother, Aiden."

Huh...

Everyone was confused.

Their mother must be excellent in giving birth—she managed to give birth to a pure Asian and another pure caucasian.

One of the hall masters suddenly recalled something. His eyes widened as he said, "You... You're Mr. Aiden? The vice president of Tianheng Holdings cum CEO?"

Tao Guangyu's eyes widened.

Tianheng Holdings?

That belonged to a wealthy family at the international level!

Tao Guanghe and Qi Xiaotian, who were lying on the ground, were even more terrified.

None of them expected SuperBeech to be backed by such an impressive powerhouse.

"Yes." Aiden nodded. He answered every question politely like a gentleman.

"Then, Mr. Aiden, what advice do you bear for us in Hong Gang?"

"I'm not here to advise you. I'm here to seek justice for my younger brother. Hong Gang's people injured him, so I can't let it slide just like that, can I?"

Tao Guangyu could not understand why it was not people from the military base nor a member of the Leng family who came seeking vengeance. Surprisingly, it was the vice president of Tianheng Holdings

who approached them. Even so, Tao Guangyu admitted that he could not afford to offend any of these people.

"Since Mr. Aiden has come, I'm sure you have your own plans. I won't hide it from you, Mr. Aiden. I've only just found out about what my scumbag younger brother did. I've already taught him a lesson, so he must have learned his mistake. So, please be magnanimous. Hong Gang will compensate all of his medical bills no matter how much it costs."

"Medical bills?" Aiden enunciated each syllable with an expressionless face. However, a murderous aura started to seep out from his gentlemanly demeanor.

"After injuring my younger brother so badly, you think you can just compensate with some medical fees? Gang Leader Hong has been walking in the dark for so many years. Have you been playing house? Or does Gang Leader Hong think that my younger brother actually needs you to pay for his medical fees?"

The expression on Tao Guangyu's face was extremely twisted.

"Then, what else do you want? He's already gotten beaten up, and there's nothing I can do about it other than paying for his medical fees. You can't be asking to end Guanghe's life, can you?"

"I *am* here to end him. After injuring my younger brother, what right or dignity does he still have to live in this world?"

Tao Guangyu, "...!!!"

Everyone, "...!!!"

"Big Brother! Big Brother, save me! I don't want to die! ..."

After begging Tao Guangyu, Tao Guanghe turned to Aiden. "He's not dead. What right do you have to take my life? I won't be sentenced to death even if I go to jail."

"Going to jail isn't in the equation because you hurt my younger brother."

With that, Aiden turned to Tao Guangyu. "Gang Leader Hong, I'm not here to negotiate with you. I'm here to execute this matter."

Chapter 962: Reason To Die

"UnrulyTempest and WishYouASunnyDay harmed my younger brother because they had a feud with him in the game. The two of them must die. Meanwhile, you, as their elder brother, deserved to die for failing to discipline them properly. Therefore, I hereby present you with two choices. One, you kill them then kill yourself, and that will be the end to this matter. Two, I'll kill them and then kill you. That too will put an end to this matter. However, if you choose the first of these two choices, Hong Gang will continue to exist. If you choose the latter, Hong Gang will be destroyed. Which one will you go for?"

Angered to the maximum, Tao Guangyu scoffed, "Mr. Aiden, I've given you face out of respect for your status, but don't push your luck. No matter what, my Hong Gang is still the biggest gang in Green District. Even if you have money, Hong Gang isn't afraid of you."

“That means Gang Leader Hong has chosen the second option. I respect your choice.”

Tao Guangyu felt something was wrong as soon as the words left his mouth. He instinctively reached for his gun, but would Aiden give him that chance?

With a bang, a bloodied hole appeared on Tao Guangyu’s forehead, and his tall body slumped to the ground.

“Aaaaaah!”

Qi Xiaotian screamed and desperately crawled backward.

Although Hong Gang was mafia and would definitely be stained with blood, she had been lucky enough that the blood would never go to her hands because she was Tao Guanghe’s girlfriend.

Yet now, the man killed the gang leader of Hong Gang without a word.

In front of the man, the gang leader of Hong Gang was as insignificant as an ant.

Qi Xiaotian totally forgot that there were still many Hong Gang members here. She screamed and rushed towards the back room. Tao Guanghe, who was beside her, roared angrily, “Big Brother!”

Then, he yelled to the people behind him, “Kill him now!”

The gang members behind him had yet to recollect their senses. After all, Aiden came alone. How dare he shot their gang leader dead so blatantly while being surrounded. He was too arrogant.

Most of the Hong Gang’s members trusted their gang leader, Tao Guangyu, thoroughly. Hence, the moment they saw their boss fall and heard Tao Guanghe’s furious shout, one of them had already pulled out his gun and opened fire at Aiden.

However...

As though he had eyes at the back of his head, Aiden raised the umbrella in his left hand and the bullet ricocheted off the umbrella.

Nani?[1]

A bulletproof umbrella!

The people from Hong Gang thought they were mistaken. After all, they did not expect the kind of thing that only appeared in movies to unfold before their eyes.

Seeing this, one of them growled, “Attack.”

Then, a few fearless ones, who swore to avenge their boss, drew their cleavers and hammers from their waists. They aimed their weapons at Aiden and rushed forward.

Much to their surprise, Aiden merely spun around easily and fired three bullets at their foreheads.

The three of them fell into a pool of blood before they could even come into contact with Aiden’s clothes.

They were all gangsters, and Aiden could tell with one look that they were no ordinary gangsters. Judging them by their movements and demeanor, Aiden knew they were quite professional.

After killing four people, Aiden still looked the same as when he first entered this place.

His suit was still free of creases, and his umbrella had now returned to its original position on his wrist.

However, four lives, including their gang leader, were already dead.

Aiden said, "You can pick up that gun on the ground and avenge your gang leader. I can take your revenge."

The Hong Gang members, "..."

Chapter 963: I Was Wrong

With that, Aiden turned his face toward Tao Guanghe again.

"Do you know what you've done to my younger brother? Even though he's fine now; even though the doctor said that his injuries won't affect his gameplay, it will take at least a hundred days before his nerves and muscles recover. Do you know how much damage that will bring him?"

Just as Aiden was lecturing someone else's younger brother from the perspective of an elder brother, someone aimed his gun at Aiden from behind even before it was out of its sheathe.

Bang!

There was dead silence.

Before the man could fire, Aiden had already turned around to shoot.

Another bullet landed between the man's eyebrows, and he died on the spot.

However, this time, Aiden showed no mercy.

The people who had been waiting for the gunman to fire before rushing forward—those who already had one hand on their weapon at their waists—were also blasted in the head by Aiden.

It was obvious that Aiden only had a single handgun, but the bullets in his gun seemed to be inexhaustible. He killed more than ten people in one go, but there were still bullets in his gun.

With more than ten people dead, the rest finally gave up on revenge and retreated.

Tao Guanghe sat on the ground in shock and slowly retreated. His fear was so great he peed in his pants.

"Attack, all of you!"

"..."

"Are you all dead? As members of Hong Gang, aren't you going to avenge my elder brother?"

"..."

"Attack! Attack..."

“...”

The more Tao Guanghe howled, the further away the people behind him were.

Aiden had slowly walked over to Tao Guanghe and asked, “Do you know how painful it was when you beat my younger brother up?”

“No... No... I was wrong! Please let me go! I... I’m willing to go to jail!”

“Jail? You’ll still be able to have three meals a day in prison, and no one to beat you up. You beat my younger brother, and still, you think you deserve something so good?”

At that moment, not only Tao Guanghe, but all the members of Hong Gang agreed that this elder brother who was obsessed with his younger brother was a total freak!

Tao Guanghe merely beat up his younger brother. He had already clarified that his younger brother was fine. Tao Guanghe was already willing to go to jail and yet, he still killed so many people. Even so, Aiden questioned Tao Guanghe if he deserved something so good?

Seriously...

They had no words to describe this m*therf*cker anymore.

“Come, I’ll let you have a taste of my younger brother’s pain.”

With that, he stomped on Tao Guanghe’s thigh. A loud crack rang across the hall.

“Aaaaargh!”

Tao Guanghe screamed like a pig on the slaughter table.

Other people might not know, but Tao Guanghe himself knew that the bone in his leg shattered under Aiden’s single stomp.

Aiden raised his leg and sent it crashing down once more, and another loud crack echoed through the hall.

Tao Guanghe slumped to the ground. He wanted to bend his legs, but everyone was horrified to discover that his legs were no longer at the same level as his body.

Thud!

Thud!

Another two kicks landed on Tao Guanghe’s hands.

By the time Aiden picked up his foot, Tao Guanghe’s hand had turned into mush.

Once upon a time, the infamous Tao family’s Second Young Master carried himself with pride. However, today, because he beat up the wrong person, his family was annihilated and he died because of his mistake.

Everyone could not help but lament.

Bang!

When Aiden thought that Tao Guanghe experienced enough pain, he shot Tao Guanghe and ended his rotten life.

For a person like Tao Guanghe, Aiden thought that even his death could never make up for the damage suffered by his younger brother.

Chapter 964: Gentleman

Then, Aiden headed inside.

After all, Qi Xiaotian was still there.

Qi Xiaotian hid in the inner hall. There were surveillance cameras there, so she witnessed Tao Guanghe's gruesome death clearly.

At this moment, she was already filled with regret.

What started off as an in-game argument became a massacre in reality.

Qi Xiaotian took out her phone and tried to call the police. However, she was shocked to discover that she could not get through her phone or the landline.

All of Hong Gang's communication had been blocked off.

Qi Xiaotian turned on her computer again and tried to send a message via QQ. Coincidentally, this was Tao Guanghe's office. She often surfed the internet here, and her laptop was still on the table.

However, when she peeled her laptop open, she realized that it was not even connected to the internet. What QQ QQ message?

Qi Xiaotian was scared to death.

Especially when the surveillance camera showed her that Tao Guanghe's murderer was now walking toward her without hesitation. Needless to say, Qi Xiaotian knew that the person was here to kill her.

What should she do? What should she do?

Qi Xiaotian looked around for a long time. There were not many places to hide in this house. If she went out now, she would definitely be caught. What should she do?

Aiden had already hacked all the cameras here. At this moment, all the cameras seemed to be serving him. So, he knew exactly where Qi Xiaotian was hiding.

He stopped outside a room in the inner hall where Qi Xiaotian was. After taking a look at the tightly locked door, Aiden raised his umbrella, aimed it at the lock, and pressed a button.

Bang!

"Ahh!"

Accompanied by Qi Xiaotian's scream, half the door was shattered.

Aiden walked into the room and saw Qi Xiaotian, who was naked from head to toe.

"Mr. Aiden, please spare me! This matter has nothing to do with me. It's all between UnrulyTempest and SuperBeech. I... I'm just UnrulyTempest's girlfriend. In the game, I'm just an insignificant player who plays with him. I have no grudge against SuperBeech.

"As long as you let me go, I... I'm willing to let you have me. As long... as long as you don't kill me. I beg... I beg you!"

Qi Xiaotian cowered like a little white flower trembling in the wind and rain.

Aiden smiled. "Do you know who I am?"

Qi Xiaotian was startled. Then, she said coyly, "You... You're Mr. Aiden, Vice President of Tianheng Holdings. I know I'm not good enough for you. I don't want to be your girlfriend. Even if I'm just a bed warmer, I don't mind being summoned and asked to leave anytime."

Aiden smiled, still retaining an air of chivalry. "My other name is Gentleman."

"You... you're indeed a gentleman, but... gentlemen also need... need someone to unravel them, don't they?"

Qi Xiaotian was quite confident in her body figure. She had a good figure, to begin with. Later, she went to the lengths of removing two ribs, puffed up her breasts, and also her butt.

Therefore, she believed that foreigners like Aiden would definitely like an Asian girl with a snake-like figure like her.

"Miss Qi doesn't seem to understand what I'm saying. If you don't know who Gentleman is, you should know YourMajestyTheQueen who has a good relationship with SuperBeech, right?"

YourMajestyTheQueen?

Qi Xiaotian's eyes widened in shock.

"You... You... You're Gentleman!"

"That's right. I'm the same Gentleman who hangs around YourMajestyTheQueen often—the people Miss Qi keeps bullying."

Chapter 965: Uprising of a Serfdom

"The cause for all this originated from YourMajestyTheQueen who couldn't tolerate being bullied by you. That's why she used my younger brother's account to kill you."

At that moment, Qi Xiaotian felt as if all the energy in her body had been sucked out.

Previously, she had never taken a break from bullying these two because she knew she was UnrulyTempest's girlfriend. She could not stand the way these two incompetent players liked to stick their heads up for others in their clan.

Even though the two of them had done many things for their guild, Qi Xiaotian had provoked them time and time again, making the clan leader ostracize them and slander them.

Finally, the two of them left the clan.

YourMajestyTheQueen tried to provoke Qi Xiaotian several times out of anger, but Qi Xiaotian had always killed her until she fell a few levels lower. Since then, Qi Xiaotian would attack them every time she saw them.

It was when YourMajestyTheQueen took over SuperBeech's account that she managed to defeat Qi Xiaotian until her levels dropped. That was why Qi Xiaotian approach UnrulyTempest to stand up for her.

Eventually...

The scumbag was actually Vice President of Tianheng Holdings, not to mention how skillful he was with weapons.

"With all due respect, Miss Qi, perhaps that figure of yours is able to attract people like Tao Guanghe, but it's not enough for me. So... please kill yourself."

"No... I don't want to... Please... I don't want to die..."

Aiden smiled, still gentlemanly, but he pulled a gun out of his pocket. "That's not up to you."

Bang!

With a gunshot, a bloody hole appeared on Qi Xiaotian's forehead.

Qi Xiaotian collapsed onto the ground with her eyes wide open. She did not die a death without regrets.

Until her death, she did not understand why her life would end like this just because of a game.

Although Qi Xiaotian was the source of the disasters, she was not the one who decided to kill Leng Qirui in the end. Aiden was willing to suck it up himself but he would never tolerate anyone who gave his younger brother such grievance. Therefore, he ended Qi Xiaotian without torturing her.

After Aiden left, Hong Gang members scattered like wild animals in an attempt to escape and lodge a police report instead.

Unfortunately, Hong Gang's headquarter was located on the outskirts of Green District. The place stood alone like a manor, and there was no one around.

Therefore, when they escaped and prepared to run for their lives, they realized that there was a helicopter in the sky. The helicopter rained bullets at them without another word.

To put it bluntly, the members of Hong Gang were nothing more than a motley crew. Most of them had never been on a helicopter before, let alone kill someone with a helicopter.

The second they left, they were instantly sent blasting backward by the helicopter.

On his way out after his massacre, Aiden happened to run into the fleeing gang members who filled into the space like sardines.

Those people immediately knelt in front of Aiden.

“Hand over all your electronics.”

What else could they not understand?

To survive, everyone took out their phones and electronic devices.

Aiden threw a bottle of medicine created by Zhong Nuannuan on the devices.

These electronics were instantly corroded, and soon, there was nothing left.

After scanning everyone’s bodies and finding nothing else, Aiden smiled. “I hope everyone can keep their mouths shut about what happened today. If I find anyone with a loose tongue, all of you can forget about making a living.”

Then, he gave the crowd a chivalrous nod and walked out in his elegant stance.

When he reached the door, it was still raining outside. He opened up the umbrella and strolled into the rain, leaving behind a group of shivering Hong Gang members.

Chapter 966: The Price Of Thanks

Green District welcomed its first thunderstorm in winter. This huge drop in temperature extinguished the souls of many mortals.

A sudden decrease in temperature blew across Jiang District, which was not far from Green District, too.

However, despite the storm outside, the atmosphere was wholesome and warm inside the small house in the military base.

Under the warm light, Zhong Nuannuan was munching on a crispy apple after a shower, enjoying Big Brother Chi Yang blowing her hair dry.

“Quwei’s dead.”

The two of them were originally talking about Leng Qirui when Chi Yang digressed to talk about Qu Wei instead.

Zhong Nuannuan paused.

“How did he die?”

“I don’t know. It was a weird death. When we were questioning him, he suddenly started to vomit blood and died. It took less than five seconds for him to die. That makes me wonder, how did Yang Min die?”

Zhong Nuannuan had nothing to hide from Big Brother Chi Yang, so long as he asked.

Therefore, Zhong Nuannuan told him everything she found out from interrogating Matchmaker. Of course, she did not dare to mention that she went to KYC Island to capture Matchmaker.

“Therefore, this is all because a bug had been installed in their brains. Under the bug’s control, the bug would explode in their central nervous system whenever they speak about the organization’s secrets. They’d start hemorrhaging in the brain, and that’d cause them to spit out large mouthfuls of blood. With

this, KE Organization could control their henchmen, thus letting them carry out their missions so blatantly.

The howling outside stopped.

Zhong Nuannuan, "...???"

"So, that meant that you didn't go to Luntan, but instead, went to KYC Island in Velmina for the past two days? Moreover, you went there alone to assist those fighting the 500 killers on KYC Island?"

Zhong Nuannuan, "..."

Damn!

Since Big Brother Chi Yang stayed in Jiang District for too long, Zhong Nuannuan had always thought that he would only focus on the matters in Jiang District. It slipped her mind that her Big Brother Chi Yang was the best special forces lieutenant general in Emperor District—and the leader of the most overpowering Hawk Special Forces.

Even if he was physically in Jiang District, he knew everything that happened in Emperor District.

Therefore, it did not make sense that Nuannuan kept forgetting to use her brain whenever she was with Big Brother Chi Yang out of habit.

She expected Big Brother Chi Yang to continue with questions on why she risked her life without telling him; why must she capture Matchmaker; what relationship did she have with Matchmaker; or why must she rescue the Nangong family members; or what did she have to do with the Nangong family et cetera...

However, Chi Yang only stared at Nuannuan intensely. He held her small face and asked with obvious heartache in his voice, "Are you hurt?"

Nuannuan was taken back. Then, warmth surged in her heart and she shook her head quickly. "No, I'm fine!"

"That's good. Nangong Jin borrowed three people from me this time. This time, a total of seven people survived with the Nangong brothers. Those three who survived are all my subordinates."

Zhong Nuannuan smiled. "That's great!"

"They worship you nearly as much as the respect they have for me. If I told them that their sister-in-law was the one who rescued them, they'd definitely worship you even more."

With that, Chi Yang kissed Nuannuan's lips deeply.

"Like I said last time, I won't thank you verbally, so I'll kiss you to express my gratitude instead." As he spoke, he looked at Nuannuan's lips that had turned red from the kiss, and gave her another involuntary kiss.

Nuannuan, "..."

Chi Yang explained, "You saved three people, so I'll kiss you three times."

After saying that, he bent down and mashed his lips to Nuannuan's red lips again.

Chapter 967: Buy Three Get One Free

Nuannuan thought to herself, '...The truth is that you're just looking for an excuse to kiss me, right?'

After the kiss, Chi Yang stared at the woman who had already turned into a puddle of water. Chi Yang's voice was already incredibly hoarse. Then, it faded away.

Her hair was still wet and it felt uncomfortable for her to lean her head against the sofa. She wanted her hair to dry quickly.

"Big Brother Chi Yang, you've already kissed me four times." Big Brother Chi Yang was definitely taking advantage of her.

However, the cunning wolf, who was openly taking advantage of his little wife, did not care at all. Instead, he used an underhanded tactic to entrap her. "Buy three get one free. The fourth one is for your benefit."

It was more like a benefit for him, was it not?

In short, Nuannuan disintegrated into a puddle of water under Chi Yang's endless acts of gratitude, melting into Chi Yang's embrace.

"Big Brother Chi Yang, have you been eating well in the few days that I was away?"

"Mhmm." The man gently trailed along Nuannuan's collarbone with his lips as he answered her through his nose.

"How about your sleep?"

"Mm." The buttons were already undone.

"What do you mean by 'mm'? Have you been sleeping well? Have you had bouts of insomnia?"

Only then did Chi Yang remove his thin lips from Nuannuan's skin. He looked at the youthful little girl who acted as though she was his personal housekeeper, and a warm, fuzzy feeling started to bloom in him.

"I sleep more than three hours every day."

Nuannuan pursed her lips. "You're still sleeping less than four hours."

"It's an improvement, at least. In the past, I couldn't sleep even after taking my medicine, and having four hours of sleep in two days was considered a feat back then."

Nuannuan scrambled up and nearly bumped into Chi Yang's chin.

Looking at his impetuous wife, Chi Yang's eyes were filled with affection. He did not blame her at all.

"Big Brother Chi Yang, I have good news for you."

Hearing that it was good news, Chi Yang could not help but smile.

“What is it?”

“I’ve leveled up my supernatural abilities.”

Chi Yang raised his eyebrows. “Oh?”

“Before this, I could only see blood vessels with my naked eyes, but now I can see the bigger cells.”

Nuannuan leveled up and became more powerful. Chi Yang was not concerned that his wife would become more powerful than him. Instead, he was happy for his wife.

After all, the stronger Nuannuan was, the better she could protect herself.

However...

“I have good news for you too.”

“What is it?” Nuannuan asked excitedly.

“My supernatural ability leveled up too.”

“When did this happen? How did you level up?”

“It was during the explosion at Lijing Mansion’s Block B. Back then, I fell from the 57th floor. Since I’ve never experienced falling from the sky without any form of safety protection, I probably triggered my limit and leveled up.”

Chi Yang did not dare to tell Nuannuan that the last time he fell from the 57th floor, not only did he have to exert control over his form, but he also had to avoid the explosion from hitting him. Those few seconds had been a close call, and he had used all his strength back then.

At that time, he had already depleted his mental strength due to the rapid overuse of his supernatural abilities. However, a huge cement block that was more than ten meters long and two meters wide flew toward him.

There was no way he could survive being hit by a concrete block like that.

However, at that moment, an even more powerful power surged in his body. When the piece of cement hit him, he swung his fist and disintegrated it instead.

Even though he suffered so many severe internal injuries that he thought he was going to die, the feeling of doom eased soon after he landed safely.

Chapter 968: Enjoyment

That was why Chi Yang refrained from telling Nuannuan everything.

“Really? I leveled up because I’ve reached my limit too.”

He thought about how torturous it felt for him when he leveled up, that meant Nuannuan's leveling up must be...

"Are you okay? Have you gotten hurt?"

Nuannuan paused. "Nope! I just made myself cram a lot of books and then I leveled up."

She... leveled up by cramming?

Chi Yang's mouth twitched in disbelief. While he mourned for himself, he was happy for his wife too.

"As long as you're safe."

It was only then that Nuannuan understood his question and started nuzzling herself against him. "Can it be that you're hurt?"

"I'm fine too. I'm just worried about you." Chi Yang lied through his teeth. After all, his wounds had already healed.

Nuannuan had given Chi Yang a health checkup before, but she was still worried. After checking again and making sure that everything was fine, she felt relieved.

"Big Brother Chi Yang, before this, I could only see the blood vessels in your head. I could only use acupuncture to calm you down, but I couldn't identify the lesion that gives you insomnia. Now that my supernatural ability has improved, lie down and let me find out if I can see the lesion."

Chi Yang glanced at the excited Nuannuan and cooperated. "Okay." Then he lay down on her thighs on the side.

Every time, he would let this girl be on top. It was rare for him to be able to lay on his girl instead. Chi Yang did not feel sorry for her at all despite knowing how heavy he weighed.

He bent his long legs on the sofa just like that, shifted into a comfortable position, and sighed in enjoyment.

It seemed like his girl's gigantic appetite did not go to waste, after all. Although she looked thin and slender, she was the classic example of a girl who looked thin when clothed but looked fleshy when she took off her clothes. It was very comfortable to put his head on her thighs that were full of collagen and elasticity.

Seeing Big Brother Chi Yang acting like a ruffian, Nuannuan could not help but reach out to pinch his high nose bridge.

Her Big Brother Chi Yang's entire body seemed to have been carved and polished by God Himself—a work of art.

Nuannuan's touch on his nose stirred up an itch in his heart. However, he closed his eyes comfortably and generously offered his wife the benefits she deserved.

Zhong Nuannuan used her X-ray vision on Chi Yang's brain structure and realized that some of his brain cells looked different from normal ones.

The other brain cells were all circular, but the unique brain cells were multilateral. Nuannuan thought of how beautiful they looked as they seemed to be tinged with more majesty than the rest of the cells.

However, these multilateral brain cells were much more active than normal cells.

Every time these brain cells moved near the central nervous system, the blood in Big Brother Chi Yang's brain would flow faster, and his central nervous system would react more quickly.

Once the central nervous system became sensitive, Big Brother Chi Yang's nerves would get stimulated. This explained why he could not sleep.

However...

Why were Big Brother Chi Yang's brain cells different from other people's?

Nuannuan recalled how every time she massaged Big Brother Chi Yang's head and then performed acupuncture on him, he would be able to fall asleep easily. Therefore, Nuannuan started to massage him the way she did before. As she rubbed her hands against his head, she observed that the cells started to slow down after her massage. Amazingly, after her acupuncture session, these cells started to slowly change. The cells that were originally multilateral like beautiful hexagonal jellyfish started to retract their tentacles. Gradually, those cells turned as round as other cells.

Chapter 969: Beautiful

Initially, Zhong Nuannuan thought of asking Chi Yang to demonstrate his supernatural power. However, she found Big Brother Chi Yang asleep as she was just about to suggest that.

Looking down at the man's peaceful sleeping face, Zhong Nuannuan smiled gently.

His angular and exquisite facial features made him look like a king of ancient times who slumbered for a long time. Even if one could not see his gem-like eyes that were as bright as stars, they could still easily get swallowed up in them.

Just like that, Nuannuan watched him quietly and enjoyed the calm rhythm of his breathing while listening to the drizzling winter rain outside. Everything was so serene and peaceful.

Suddenly, a burst of ringing from the phone shattered the silence in the room. Chi Yang's eyes snapped open.

Nuannuan realized that when Big Brother Chi Yang opened his eyes in alarm, the brain cells that had quietly shrunk immediately transformed into their unusual form, and there were a lot more of them now.

It was Leng Jinpeng who called Chi Yang.

After listening to Leng Jinpeng, Chi Yang frowned and said, "I'll be right there."

"What's wrong? Are you going to the Commander-in-chief's department?"

Chi Yang nodded. "Yes. Qu Mingyi committed suicide."

"..."

“Sleep first. It shouldn’t take long.”

Zhong Nuannuan nodded gloomily.

Two hours later, Chi Yang brought the chill of the weather along with him as he came home. Zhong Nuannuan immediately turned on the hot water in the bathroom for him to take a shower.

However, Chi Yang hugged Nuannuan tightly instead.

Leaning against Chi Yang’s chest and listening to his heartbeat that was different from before, Nuannuan said gloomily, “Big Brother Chi Yang.”

“Mmhmm.”

“What’s wrong?”

After a long while, Chi Yang said, “I woke you up.”

“I wasn’t asleep, to begin with.”

Thinking about the chill on his body, Chi Yang quickly let go of Nuannuan. “I’ll take a shower first.”

“Mmhmm.”

Looking at the gloomy Chi Yang, Nuannuan felt her heart ache.

Qu Mingyi really deserved to die. He was a mole and a traitor when he was alive and caused the deaths of so many people. He even tried to kill Big Brother Chi Yang time and time again. Now that he was dead, he still had to create such a huge commotion to make Big Brother Chi Yang unhappy.

To Nuannuan, Qu Mingyi had tried to kill Big Brother Chi Yang and Grandpa Chi time and time again. That made him an enemy in Nuannuan’s eyes and deserved to die. Now that he was dead, the only emotion she reserved for him was relief. She would not have any lingering emotions nor sorrow for his death because of their past interactions.

Perhaps... perhaps this was the loss of her sentimentality caused by her years as a mercenary.

However, she did not think there was anything wrong with this loss at all.

Chi Yang came out from the shower. The hot shower made him feel warm all over, and there was the fragrance of the shower gel on him.

Chi Yang crawled under the covers, and Nuannuan snuggled closer to him. He took Nuannuan into his arms and pressed her head against his chest.

“Big Brother Chi Yang, are you happy? Why? Is it because Qu Mingyi’s dead? He was your enemy and had tried to kill you multiple times. Previously, he was merely feigning civility with you and Uncle Leng. Why are you still so sad after he died?”

Zhong Nuannuan did not know how to persuade Big Brother Chi Yang, so she could only try to understand his perspective.

After a long while, Chi Yang said gloomily, "I'm not sad because of his death. He died because he had nothing to live for anymore. His wife and child were both dead, and there was no meaning in him living alone in this world. So, when they interrogated him again today, he noticed there was a cutter that they used to cut paper bags on the table outside. He knocked the interrogator aside and slid his carotid artery with the cutter."

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Zhong Nuannuan nodded. "When he decided to bow down to KE and be controlled by them, it was already destined to be a tragedy."

Chi Yang sighed. "Yes."

"So, his death is at least something beneficial for you and for himself. You shouldn't be sad."

"I'm not sad because of him. Nuannuan—"

"Hmm?"

"Do you know how Qu Mingyi became KE's henchman?"

"I heard from Yang Min that it was because they were busy with work and no one cared about Qu Wei. Eventually, when Qu Wei was about three years old, KE captured him and threatened the couple. They gave in to KE for Qu Wei's sake."

"That's right. What do you think we should do if one day, one of us—or our child—got captured by evil forces and threatened?"

When Qu Mingyi asked Leng Jinpeng the same question after the explosion, Chi Yang answered his question without hesitation while Leng Jinpeng was still deep in thought. However, looking at Qu Mingyi's death today, the thought of Nuannuan being held captive, and he could not save her no matter what, flashed across his mind—that even if he died, he would not be able to save Nuannuan.

His entire body was riddled with bullet holes, and he lay dead on the ground. Nuannuan threw herself on his body with tears streaming down her cheeks. She kept calling him 'Chi Yang', but he could not respond to her anymore.

Eventually, the enemy charged forward. There was only emptiness in Nuannuan's eyes. As the enemies closed in on her, she pulled the pin of a grenade in her hand.

At that moment, Chi Yang felt like his heart was getting ripped apart.

The brief scene felt so real—so real that he could not brush it off as a figment of his imagination.

At this moment, he was afraid.

When he joined the military base and swore to serve his country, he was so ambitious. He felt that there was nothing more meaningful and grand than serving his country and the people.

However, now, after witnessing that scene, Chi Yang finally felt the presence of his own demons.

If Nuannuan was truly captured one day, and he still failed to rescue her even after giving his all, he could not just sit back and watch everything unfold, could he?

Could he just accept having sacrificed so much just to watch the person he loved most suffer when she needed him the most, and he was already dead? She ended up with no choice but to pull the grenade and get blown away along with his body.

Qu Mingyi's matter was all settled in fifteen minutes before he returned with Leng Jinpeng.

Since they were in a bad mood, they went back to each of their homes.

The reason Chi Yang returned so late was that he sat in the flower garden outside for more than an hour.

Nuannuan nestled against Chi Yang's chest and listened to his heartbeat. Her heart was filled with extreme satisfaction.

She had no clue that the scene that had suddenly appeared in Big Brother Chi Yang's mind was the final moment of their demise in their previous life. If she had known, she would have comforted him. She could tell him that those were just nightmares, and they were all in the past. In this life, they would be fine. The only one who would suffer was KE.

However, after going through her previous life, Nuannuan understood Chi Yang's words exactly because she had experienced them herself.

In her previous life, the person that Viper wanted the most was Chi Yang. She wanted to make Chi Yang her lab rat and put bugs into his head. However, Chi Yang chose the most dangerous way out. He would rather die than bow down to evil. Even though they failed in the end, Zhong Nuannuan knew that Big Brother Chi Yang did the right thing.