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### Chapter 2611: Loving the prince, but he doesn't know (57)

Since the emperor was sick, Du Qi Chao and the empress' funeral was planned by Du Jiu Sheng.

The emperor's meaning was that if you wanted to inherit everything, then you have to end it all yourself.

Luo Qing Chen was the prospective princess. Although Du Jiu Sheng was the only candidate for crown prince, the ministers didn't dare say anything before the emperor gave an order.

"I don't want you to attend their funerals at all." Du Jiu Sheng gently held her hand as a faint sparkle appeared in his deep eyes, "They should be buried with uncle Luo, why do you still need to pay respects to them?"

Without knowing when, when Du Jiu Sheng said these words, her heart felt very warm.

Yes! Why should she mourn them?

Who mourned the Luo Family's sixty six lives when they were wiped out?

"It's fine." Luo Qing Chen took a deep breath. She said not just to Du Jiu Sheng, but herself, "Yue Leng Qing's matter, I only feel a bit of sadness. Then again, the empress saved my life, so it's fine to mourn her."

They had died, that was the biggest tribute to the Luo Family.

The rain fell as Luo Qing Chen watched everything in front of her. Her heart strangely felt uncomfortable.

Until the lightning boomed and her eyes lit up before falling into darkness.

She felt a warm embrace holding her and an anxious voice ringing in her ears.

She didn't really hear it, but she heard it shouting: Qing'er, Qing'er.

She didn't sleep well and that dream in the Cold North Palace appeared again.

This time it was more real compared to last time.

She didn't know why it happened. Everything had clearly been settled and all the threats had been eliminated.

But why.....did she still have this dream?

Rather than saying that the dream was real, it was better to say.....the scene was real.

"Ah!" Waking up panting again, she was covered in sweat.

Du Jiu Sheng sat beside her wiping the sweat off her face as he said with a concerned look, "Why didn't you tell me....."

"Tell you what?" Luo Qing Chen said, "I've probably just been too tired lately!"

Perhaps it wasn't just physical exhaustion, but also mental exhaustion.

Although her grudge had been settled, there was also a bit of sadness in her joy.

She rathered the empress be evil, she rathered Yue Leng Qing be a little white flower.

Then——

At least she wouldn't feel regret when the two of them died.

"Congratulations to the ninth princess, you're already a month pregnant." A doctor on the side said, "This fetus is the most vulnerable in the first three months, so the princess needs to take care."

"Pregnant?" Luo Qing Chen was surprised as a blush came over her white face.

Could it be from that day they were forced to sleep in the same room?

No! It could only be that day.

Since that day, Du Jiu Sheng had become very busy and they didn't have much time together.

"Our Qing'er will be the oldest child." Du Jiu Sheng gently patted her head, "You have to take care of the baby."

Luo Qing Chen lowered her head out of embarrassment. She wanted to say something, but she noticed that there were outsiders here.

After being in the palace all these years, the doctor naturally understood. He immediately packed up and said, "This ministers will not disrupt the ninth prince and princess. I'll be leaving first."

"Un." Du Jiu Sheng said with a nod, "Many thanks."

After a few minutes, there was only Luo Qing Chen and Du Jiu Sheng left in the palace.

She looked up at the splendid furniture and asked, "What palace is this?"

"King's Landing Palace." Du Jiu Sheng looked at her and said, "This will be our place from now on."

### **Chapter 2612: Loving the prince, but he doesn't know (58)**

The King's Landing Palace wasn't far from the Supreme Hall. The Peace Palace was to the left and the imperial study was to the right.

This palace was where the emperor lived when he was a crown prince and it had been left empty after he became the emperor.

Now the emperor let Du Jiu Sheng move here which showed what position Du Jiu Sheng had in the palace and the emperor's heart.

"It seems like big brother Jiu Sheng's ambitions will finally be fulfilled." Luo Qing Chen rubbed her belly that was still flat and said with a smile, "Nian An will be able to live carefree in the future."

"Nian An?" Du Jiu Sheng was surprised before saying, "Qing'er has already thought of a name for it?"

Luo Qing Chen gave a knowing smile, "Un.....it should be that!"

It had been a long time since she had last seen Nian An.

She and Du Jiu Sheng couldn't grow up with him that time.

But she vaguely remembered seeing him on campus, on the basketball court, in the girls' eyes, looking so dazzling and handsome.

"Nian An." Du Jiu Sheng repeated this softly before saying with a gentle smile, "But this seems more like a boy's name. What if it's a girl?"

"It isn't a girl." Luo Qing Chen firmly shook her head, "It's a boy! A boy that will be as handsome and outstanding as big brother Jiu Sheng."

If possible, she really hoped that she and Du Jiu Sheng could be with this child for a long time in this life.

Give him all the love they couldn't give him in the past life.....

Du Jiu Sheng looked at her firm gaze and asked with a bit of surprised, "Why is Qing'er so certain that it's a boy?"

"Because I've seen him before!" Luo Qing Chen said with a smile, "In another world, there was also a big brother Jiu Sheng."

The distant memories were that long, in her mind, in her memories.

Although it had been a very long time, she couldn't forget all the bits of pieces that happened between him and her.

"There was also me?"

"Yes!" Luo Qing Chen nodded, "So that's why when we first met, I said that I had been waiting a long, long time."

Ten worlds, nearly ten thousand years.

Du Jiu Sheng narrowed his eyes to look at her with a deep and questioning gaze before slowly saying, "So.....will our second child be a daughter? I want a daughter who is as beautiful as Qing'er....."

He never doubted her because he had felt that she was so familiar when he first saw her.

As if he had seen her before, as if.....he had loved her before.....

"A daughter....." Luo Qing Chen looked down as her clear eyes gradually dimmer. She said with a bitter laugh, "In that other world, our ending wasn't good. Other than Nian An, we didn't have any other children....."

Her sad and disappointed tone made Du Jiu Sheng's heart hurt. It was as if he could see the past stories in her eyes.

Drop by drop, filled with sadness.

"Fool, don't be sad....." He patted her head as he took her in his embrace, "It must be because I couldn't protect you that our ending wasn't good."

“No.” Luo Qing Chen shook her head, “It was because you did everything to protect me that you.....left me.....”

In the end, her voice became choked up.

Everything in the past was a precious memory, but her heart would feel suffocated and uncomfortable when she thought of it.

She hoped that in this place, after going through all these hardships.

They could grow old together.....

### **Chapter 2613: Loving the prince, but he doesn't know (59)**

In March, spring came.

Luo Qing Chen had been living at the King's Landing Palace during these days and there were dozens of maids that took care of her.

In just a few months, she had become the most important woman in the harem.

But she wasn't the emperor's woman.....

Du Jiu Sheng spent most of his time in the King's Landing Palace with her other than handling official matters.

He would make some desserts for her and play the zither for the unborn Nian An.

Since the empress and crown prince died, the emperor's body had never been good and he was on the verge of death these days.

To all his ministers, he had already written the edict that if he died, Du Jiu Sheng would take the throne.

So the cold palace prince of the Cold North Palace had become the most powerful person in the Mo Dynasty.

Soon after, the emperor died and Du Jiu Sheng officially took the throne.

Luo Qing Chen never forgot that day. That blue day with wisps of clouds, every part of it seemed just right.

She was dressed in a splendid cherry red butterfly skirt, standing on the platform not far away, looking at him with a gentle smile.

Truly good, it was all truly good.

The dynasty changed, so the harem also changed.

The little girls that had been prepared for the previous emperor, after the previous emperor died, they naturally wanted to find ways to get Du Jiu Sheng's love.

It was a pity that in less than a day since these rumours spread, all of these girls disappeared from the palace.

That day, Du Jiu Sheng was free and ran into the royal kitchen to make a bowl of egg drop soup for her.

Luo Qing Chen ate it as she asked with a smile, "I heard that all the palace girls disappeared from the palace in one night. Do you think that this is related to big brother Jiu Sheng?"

Du Jiu Sheng couldn't help chuckling when he heard this and he took her in his embrace, "It's related."

"Where did they go?" Luo Qing Chen never expected Du Jiu Sheng would be so honest. She leaned in his arms as she asked, "Where did they go?"

Du Jiu Sheng calmly said to her, "They were buried with royal father....."

"What!" Luo Qing Chen was shocked as she jumped off the couch and looked at him with a look of shock, "Is that true!"

"You, oh you!" Du Jiu Sheng pulled her back and gently patted her head, "You're already a mother and you're still not calm."

Calm? How could she be calm?

There were over a hundred girls in the harem. Her big brother Jiu Sheng wouldn't be so black bellied to actually bury them, right!"

"I gave them a choice." Du Jiu Sheng said with a gentle smile, "They could either leave the palace or be buried!"

Luo Qing Chen revealed a faint smile when she heard this, "So they chose to leave the palace?"

"Could it be that Qing'er wanted them to choose to be buried with royal father?" Du Jiu Sheng looked at her with a deep look, "No one is as dumb as Qing'er, there aren't many that could die for love in this world."

Luo Qing Chen seriously looked at him with a bit of surprise. After a while, she said with a faint smile, "I'm not a dumb!"

"Alright, alright, alright, you're not." He used a quilt to cover her before gently saying, "Let's sleep for a while after we finish the egg drop soup. There's nothing to do today, so I'll go on a walk with you after we wake up."

"Alright!"

Du Jiu Sheng carried her as she hugged the quilt. The room was lit with sandalwood and the air was fragrant, so the two of them quickly fell asleep.

The bright and dark dreams kept appearing.

Whenever she felt like she was heading to the light, there was a powerful darkness that swallowed her.

Without end.....

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It was already evening when she woke up and Du Jiu Sheng was no longer by her side. The maids saw her waking up and immediately said, "Empress, the emperor went to the imperial study to handle some matters. He has already given orders to these servants to serve the empress dinner when she wakes up."

Although the conferring ceremony hadn't been held, the people in the palace already started calling her empress.

The title of empress was only a matter of waiting until Nian An was born.

After all, the conferring ceremony was very cumbersome. She was currently far into her pregnancy and he didn't want any accidents, so he postponed the ceremony until the prince was born.

Not a single person in the court or harem dared to have any opinions.

"Un." Luo Qing Chen nodded before wiping the sweat off her head, "Go and prepare then!"

"Yes." Everyone replied.

Luo Qing Chen narrowed her eyes to look out the window. It was already not early and Du Jiu Sheng wouldn't go to the imperial study during this time.

Unless.....something happened.

At the same time, in the imperial study.

Xu Yue rushed back from the border and came with Chen Yao Yao who arrived in the Mo Country this morning and Ya Nu who managed the palace's interior.

In front of the four of them was a map of the border. The Liao Family had devoured four small countries around them and their military might had greatly increased. The Liao People army's general Ye Lu Qi had already set their sights on the Dragon Gate Pass.

After the Mo and Chen Countries allied themselves, the Liao People no longer dared to easily touch Dragon Gate Pass. However, the Liao People recently had a young hero that after becoming a deputy general, they captured many smaller countries with their three armies. Their military might kept increasing.

This deputy general's name was Xiao Shen.

"Brother Jiu, the situation at the border isn't good. This Xiao Shen has a title of being a master tactician. I've used the tactics that you've given me and he's defeated me again and again. He really is an expert." Xu Yue deeply knitted his brows. He described the situation of the battlefield one by one to Du Jiu Sheng.

Du Jiu Sheng looked at the terrain of the Dragon Gate Pass before saying, "Dragon Gate Pass is easy to defend and hard to attack. If he wants to break through, he must use a plan."

"He used the luring the tiger away from the mountain plan before and I almost fell for it." Chen Yao Yao gave a sigh, "It's a good thing that Xu Yue broke through the siege to save me, or I might not be able to see Qing Chen again!"

Other than coming back from the frontline to discuss the strategy with Du Jiu Sheng, she also came back to see Luo Qing Chen who was about to have a baby!

After all, she had been the most, most, most real witness to this baby!

When this baby was born, she would teach him how to play the zither, how to dance with swords, and become his godmother!

“I was supposed to go to the frontlines with Xu Yue this time.” Du Jiu Sheng slightly knitted his brows, “But Qing Chen is about to give birth and recently she’s been having nightmares in the middle of the night, so I can’t leave right now.”

When he was with his true friends, he didn’t call himself ‘this one’, but rather ‘I’.

This was his sincere method of treating his friends and brothers.

“Brother Jiu, sister in law is the most important.” Xu Yue patted his chest, “Not to mention that the palace can’t lack you, so let me handle the battlefield.”

“Right! Little sister Qing Chen is that good.” Chen Yao Yao said with a smile, “You have to treat her well!”

“Is there a need for you to say this?” There was a touch of gentleness that appeared on Du Jiu Sheng’s strict face.

It was because he had obtained Luo Qing Chen that no matter how many troubles he faced, he wiped them all away.

So he wanted to protect the country and protect her even more.....

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Three hours later, they formed a temporary plan to deal with Xiao Shen. From arranging the troops to breaking out of a siege, Du Jiu Sheng explained in detail how to avoid giving the Liao People an opportunity.

“Tomorrow morning, Yao Yao and I will set off for the border again.” Xu Yue rolled up the map, “With brother Jiu’s formations and the fact that Dragon Gate Pass is easy to defend, I don’t think that Xiao Shen will grow wings and fly into our great Mo Country!”

“It’s the same for my great Chen Country!”

“Based on what you said, this Xiao Shen really isn’t easy to deal with.” Du Jiu Sheng slightly knitted his brows, “You have to be careful. The Mo and Chen Countries are facing a dead end and the Liao People army is too strong, so you have to work together.”

From Du Jiu Sheng’s point of view, the Liao People’s army’s chances of winning by forcefully attacking Dragon Gate Pass were very low.

Xiao Shen was not a reckless person, this was clear. If he wanted to break through this most difficult pass with the least number of troops, the best way was to use isolation strategies.

If it was him, he would think that this move was the best.

A smart person always knew what a smart person was thinking, so Du Jiu Sheng could guess what Xiao Shen was thinking.

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After having dinner, Luo Qing Chen fell asleep again.

She didn't know when Du Jiu Sheng came back, but when she woke up, he was by her side gently holding her.

"You're awake." Seeing her bright eyes, Du Jiu Sheng raised a hand to brush the strands of hair from her forehead, "Did you sleep well?"

"Ke, ke." Luo Qing Chen reached out to tap his red hand that was a bit numb from her lying on it. She cleared her throat and said, "Speak! Where did our emperor go last night?"

She knew that he went to the imperial study to take care of matters, so she was just teasing him.

"Four people in a room, three men and one woman."

"That exciting?" Luo Qing Chen pretended to raise a brow in surprise, "It turns out that big brother Jiu Sheng had these tastes!"

"This girl....." Du Jiu Sheng hugged her and said, "I didn't know Qing'er was this naughty before, but now....."

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"What? Is big brother Jiu Sheng tired of me already?" Luo Qing Chen pursed her lips, "You think that I was cuter before?"

"....." Du Jiu Sheng didn't say anything in response. He looked at her gentle smile and said, "The current Qing'er is the cutest."

"Ah! Then that means I wasn't cute before!" Luo Qing Chen realized that her question for Du Jiu Sheng was a path of death, but it was also quite warm.

"Cute! Always cute!" Du Jiu Sheng stroked her little head and said, "Our Qing'er is the cutest girl in the world."

"That is more like it." Luo Qing Chen went back to the main topic, "Was there something urgent in the imperial study last night? Tell me about it."

She knew that he didn't want to let her worry and didn't discuss many things, but she knew better than anyone that she had to know everything to avoid all problems.



“Xu Yue came back because of some matters at the border.” Du Jiu Sheng patted her head and said, “There’s someone that you definitely want to see.”

“Who?”

“Chen Country’s princess.....”

“What? Yao Yao is back?” Luo Qing Chen said with a happy smile, “I really haven’t seen her in a long time! Where are they? I’ll go find them now!”

“Why are you looking for them!” Du Jiu Sheng looked at her large stomach, “They are waiting for you outside. As long as Qing’er gives the order, they will appear!”

“You, you, you.....” Luo Qing Chen bit her lip, “Big brother Jiu Sheng really is trapping me.....it’s rude!”

“It’s fine! You are everyone’s little princess.” Du Jiu Sheng raised his hand and said, “Let general Xu and the others in.”

### **Chapter 2616: Loving the prince, but he doesn’t know (62)**

With Du Jiu Sheng’s promotion, Xu Yue went from deputy general to general.

The army accepted this and it had little effect on it.

Even if Xu Yue wasn’t the general, there were many personal soldiers who listened to him.

“Ze, ze, ze.....This affectionate couple making us wait this long.” Chen Yao Yao happily came over when she saw Luo Qing Chen and she rubbed her stomach, “It’s already set! I am the godmother, no one can stop me!”

Luo Qing Chen revealed a faint smile before waving her hand at the maid, “Go and prepare some tea and desserts.”

“Yes! This servant will leave.”

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After the maids left, there were only the five of them left in the palace.

Ya Nu had been sitting silently on the side watching Luo Qing Chen and Luo Qing Chen could see his growth in his eyes.

Even a mute eunuch who was bullied by any maid could become the manager of the palace. Ya Nu’s growth and change really was big.

So much so that Luo Qing Chen rarely saw his dancing anymore. He silently did everything well and became Du Jiu Sheng’s best right hand man.

When the four of them were chatting, he silently went out to get the tea and desserts before letting the maids leave.

He prepared a special pot of red date tea for Luo Qing Chen alone.

A stronger tea wasn't good for pregnant women. He wanted to use his bit of power to give Luo Qing Chen the best things.

Although it couldn't compare to Du Jiu Sheng, he still felt very happy doing it.

In the first half of his life, only two people were good to him. One was Du Jiu Sheng and the other was Luo Qing Chen.

For him, as long as the two of them could live a good life, nothing else was important.

He was just a cheap crippled mute. But even like this, when Du Jiu Sheng took the throne, he ignored everything to appoint Ya Nu as the manager of the palace and gave him all the rights he should have.

"Wa! Why is little sister Qing's different from ours!" Chen Yao Yao sniffed Luo Qing Chen's red date tea and said, "So fragrant!"

"Thoughtful Ya Nu." Du Jiu Sheng nodded to him, sincerely thanking him to taking care of Luo Qing Chen over the past few days.

"Eh, eh, eh." In front of Du Jiu Sheng, Ya Nu still danced from time to time. He awkwardly scratched his head.

For him, no matter what status Du Jiu Sheng had, he would feel embarrassed being praised.

"Ze, ze, ze....." Chen Yao Yao pouted her lips, "I'm envious of little sister Qing."

"What are you envious for, sister in law didn't say that you can't drink!" Xu Yue said from the side, "A princess is this stingy!"

"How am I stingy!" Chen Yao Yao put her hands at her hips and said, "Xu Yue, are you saying that you can't stand me! It's fine if we just fight, what are you using your mouth for!"

Seeing that Chen Yao Yao was a bit angry, Xu Yue quickly raised both his hands, "Don't dare, don't dare! Princess, please calm yourself!"

"Puchi!" Seeing them following up on each other, Luo Qing Chen couldn't help laughing, "It's funny how you guys are bickering! People who don't know would think that you're a couple!"

"Who is a couple with him!"

"Who is a couple with her!"

There were some people that had some tacit understanding. Luo Qing Chen could see the faint sparkle in Chen Yao Yao's eyes and the blush on her cheeks.

As well as her panicked behaviour.

She drank all the hot tea in one go and then cried out before Xu Yue scolded her.

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"Hot, hot, hot.....It's burning me to death." Chen Yao Yao jumped out of her seat with a face that was completely red.

Xu Yue quickly handed her some water, "What are you panicking for! I should be the one panicking!"

"Gulu, gulu." Chen Yao Yao drank the water in large gulps, "I'm not panicking alright! Does this princess look like someone who would panic!"

"You're still drinking that fast! Isn't it hot!" Xu Yue had a helpless smile as he said, "It's no wonder.....you get surrounded by enemy traps and need me to save you."

"Humph!" Chen Yao Yao gave a soft snort, "Then don't save me next time!"

"Alright! Stop fighting you two!" Du Jiu Sheng gave a chuckle and said, "It's a rare trip back and you're just letting Qing'er see you bicker!"

Luo Qing Chen revealed a faint smile when she heard this, "Do you bicker like this in the army as well!"

"No!" Chen Yao Yao said, "The atmosphere in the army isn't this good, it's very tense."

Actually, Chen Yao Yao knew better than everyone that when Luo Qing Chen talked about her and Xu Yue, her face turned red and her heart beat fast.

This feeling should be care.....

It should even be a bit of liking.....

"Then don't mention these matters." Luo Qing Chen raised her tea cup and said, "It's rare that we gathered together, let's not talk about military matters tonight, alright?"

Chen Yao Yao nodded in agreement and said, "Un! Let's celebrate with tea instead of wine!"

"Cheers!"

Luo Qing Chen would never forget that night. The moon and stars were out and the moonlight fell on their faces as they laughed together.

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Two days later, Chen Yao Yao and Xu Yue headed to the Dragon Gate Pass together. Luo Qing Chen stood at the palace gates sending them off with slightly knitted brows as she felt a bit of worry.

Du Jiu Sheng didn't want to let her since she was pregnant. Although she took a sedan, he was still worried about the wind.

Not only did he wrap her up in layers, he had escorted her the entire way like he was a bodyguard.

"Be careful." Luo Qing Chen said with a sigh, "I heard big brother Jiu Sheng mention that the tactician Xiao Shen is very powerful. If you encounter any problems, quickly send a letter....."

She always felt that Chen Yao Yao was very brave. She was clearly the pampered princess of the Chen Country who could wear beautiful clothes and enjoy luxuries in the palace, but she chose to head to the battlefield to protect her country and her citizens.

"Relax!" Chen Yao Yao patted her head like a big sister, "The people who are about to become mothers really become so long winded....."

“Isn’t it because I’m worried about you!” Luo Qing Chen quietly came close to avoid Du Jiu Sheng and Xu Yue from hearing them. She whispered in her ear, “If you win at Dragon Gate Pass this time, you shouldn’t head to the battlefield anymore. You should think about your life’s big events.....”

Chen Yao Yao’s face turned red, “Aiya, why are you saying this! We still haven’t even started the battle yet!”

“You!”

“I know!” Chen Yao Yao bit her lip and blinked in a flurry before shyly saying, “I already have a plan. I still know what it’s like to like a person.”

“Woah, so you admit that.....”

Before Luo Qing Chen could finish, Chen Yao Yao covered her mouth, “You.....Little sister Qing, be quiet. I.....I still don’t want to say it yet!”

“Good, good, good!” Luo Qing Chen gave a ‘silent’ gesture, “When you come back victoriously, I will drink your wedding wine! Oh, no, I want to observe your wedding candles!”

“He, he, he.” Chen Yao Yao gave a cold laugh before saying without hesitation, “In your dreams!”

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At the same time, the two standing not far away were also talking.

“I wonder if we can come back in time for the little baby to be born!” Xu Yue crossed his arms, “Right, brother Jiu, have you chosen a name yet?”

“Un!” Du Jiu Sheng said with a nod, “Qing’er says it’s Nian An!”

“It seems like a prince’s name!”

“Qing’er said that it’s a prince.”

“.....” Xu Yue said with a surprised look, “Is sister in law Qing a god?”

“Un.” Du Jiu Sheng nodded again before looking at him with a dazzling look, “Qing’er says that you like Yao Yao.”

“I.....” Xu Yue was speechless when he heard this. His heart kept changing deep inside of him.

Should he admit it? Or not?

Three seconds later, he looked at Du Jiu Sheng with a reverent look and asked, “Did sister in law Qing say that she liked me or not?”

“Which her?” Du Jiu Sheng raised a brow with a teasing look in his eyes.

“Aiya, brother Jiu!”

Seeing Xu Yue being irritated, Du Jiu Sheng couldn’t help smiling, “Qing’er said.....”

“Said what?”

“She likes you.”

Xu Yue was stunned for two seconds before laughing like a fool.

“Ha, ha, ha, ha, ha, ha!” His eyes fell onto Chen Yao Yao not far away, “I’ll have to ask brother Jiu to bestow an engagement on me when I get back! I’ll protect her in the future and not let her go onto the battlefield anymore.”

Every time he went to save her, Xu Yue could feel the fear in his heart.

At first he thought that they were just comrades, but later he learned that it wasn’t just this.

“Alright! When you come back!”

Luo Qing Chen and Du Jiu Sheng sent off Xu Yue and Chen Yao Yao. The sun that day was bright, but she couldn’t feel the warmth of the sun standing at the palace gates.

There was an unsettled feeling that kept growing.

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In October of that year, Nian An was born.

With a loud cry, the imperial doctor excitedly kneeled down and said, “Congratulations, congratulations, it’s a little prince.”

“Un.” Du Jiu Sheng looked at the infant prince before moving over to take Luo Qing Chen in his arms, “You’ve worked hard.”

She gently wiped the sweat off her forehead before saying while panting, “Let me see Nian An.”

“Rest up, what are you trying to see?” Du Jiu Sheng patted her head, “He made you work this hard, I have to teach him well when he grows up!”

At that time, he remembered her pained cries when she was giving birth that filled his heart with pain.

“You want to teach him when he’s still a child.” Luo Qing Chen said with a chuckle, “Won’t you be too strict as his royal father?”

“Who told him to make our Qing’er suffer!”

“I didn’t.” Luo Qing Chen shook her head, “With you and Nian An, I won’t suffer at all.”

For her, these kinds of days were truly a blessing.

Nian An’s birth gave her some reassurance. She was no longer as afraid and she hadn’t had the terrifying nightmare for some time now.

But.....this special world wouldn’t go as she wanted it to go.

Ten days after Nian An was born, news came from Dragon Gate Pass that Chen Yao Yao was captured by the Liao People.

Xiao Shen used a trick to capture Chen Yao Yao alive at the Northern Pit Mountain.

He wanted Xu Yue to open Dragon Gate Pass or he would kill her.

The two armies faced each other and Xu Yue stood on Dragon Gate Pass, looking at Chen Yao Yao being held hostage in front of the Liao People army.

At that moment, he remembered their conversation at the King's Landing Palace that day.

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"If I'm dumb enough to fall for a plan, you mustn't save me!"

"I won't, I won't. I haven't even received anything saving you a first time, why would I save you a second time!"

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But how could he not save her.....

"General, the Chen Country has decided not to save their princess." The deputy general came forward and said, "Should we.....fight or open the gate?"

The Dragon Gate Pass was the most important defense for the Chen and Mo Countries. Once it was lost, the Liao People's troops would directly invade.

One was the one he loved and the other was the country he had to protect.

What would he choose between the two?

"General, we can't open the pass!"

"Yes! Once Dragon Gate Pass is opened, the Mo Country.....The Mo Country will perish!"

Xu Yue tightly clenched his fists and opened his closed eyes. He said to the deputy general beside him, "Let the envoy send a message."

"General, please."

"We can't open the pass, but....." Xu Yue narrowed his eyes to look at the bloody girl tied up in the iron chains, "I can use my life to exchange for princess Chen's life."

"General.....General, you can't do this!"

"No! No....."

"Are you going against military order?" Xu Yue's sharp eyes were bloodshot as he said in a cold voice, "Go!"

"Yes, yes, yes....."

The envoy approached the Liao People army step by step before kneeling down in front of Xiao Shen, "We can't open Dragon Gate Pass....."

The fingers of the girl tied in chains trembled. She sensed something, but didn't have the strength to open her eyes.

But then that person continued, "But general Xu Yue is willing to use his life to exchange for princess Chen's life."

Chen Yao Yao suddenly opened her eyes as a mist appeared in them.

She didn't know where she got the strength to open her eyes. When she was captured by the Liao People army, she hadn't been able to eat anything and there wasn't a single piece of skin on her that wasn't injured.

She felt that she deserved to die and she should die when all her blood drained.....

But when she heard Xiao Shen tell her that she was being used as a hostage to force Xu Yue to open Dragon Gate Pass, she forcefully stopped herself from dying.

It was just to.....see him one last time.

Just once was enough to have no more regrets.

"He, he." Xiao Shen gave two cold laughs as he looked at Chen Yao Yao whose eyes were open, "Tell me, do you think he's exchanging his life for public reasons? Or for private reasons?"

Chen Yao Yao looked at the confident Xiao Shen and curled her pale lips, "Whether it is for a public or private reason, I won't let you get what you want."

With a 'click' sound, the tightly bound Chen Yao Yao broke free of her chains.

Last night, she had used all her methods to break the chain, but she knew that she couldn't run away.

She was no longer the female hero who could compare to any man, leading an army.

Even a breeze could blow her over.

"You?" Xiao Shen looked at her with wide eyes filled with shock.

Chen Yao Yao gave a cold laugh. Before he could react, she began running towards Dragon Gate Pass with all her strength.

Xiao Shen roared out, "Catch her!"

Xu Yue who was standing high above felt his heart skip a beat when he saw this and then he angrily roared, "Archers, protect the princess!"

"Xiu, xiu, xiu." Countless arrows flew past her and hit her pursuers.

She kept running, running with all her strength. She always felt that this path was much closer when she was on her horse.

But now, with tears in her eyes, she saw the blurry figures on the walls.

Why was it so far, why was it so long, why couldn't she reach it.....

In an instant, an arrow pierced right through her back.

Her feet became as heavy as stones.

She couldn't.....run anymore.....

### **Chapter 2620: Loving the prince, but he doesn't know (66)**

Xiao Shen coldly lowered his bow as he watched Chen Yao Yao fall halfway to Dragon Gate Pass.

With the yellow sands blowing, there was a killing intent that filled the entire Dragon Gate Pass.

Other than the wind, there was a man's heartrending cry.....

"Chen Yao Yao!"

Xu Yue clenched his fists before roaring out like a madman, "Fire the arrows!"

"Yes! General!"

The soldiers of the Chen and Mo Country felt the flames of rage burning in their hearts as countless arrows flew out in the direction of the Liao People army.

Xiao Shen immediately gave the order, "Retreat! Retreat!"

Their location was indeed a bit dangerous and if it wasn't for Chen Yao Yao as a hostage, they wouldn't have come so close to Dragon Gate Pass without a plan.

This was a place that was easy to defend and difficult to attack. Now that the hostage was dead, if they didn't retreat, their entire army might be wiped out.

"Chase for me!" Xu Yue's eyes were completely bloodshot.

Tears came from the corners of his eyes.

This was the most painful moment in his life. Seeing his beloved being pierced by the arrow, seeing her fail to run to him and falling in front of him.

He understood Chen Yao Yao, how strong of a woman she was.

If she had a chance to resist, she wouldn't give up.....

"Yes! General!"

The soldiers poured out of the nest and chased the Liao People army.

This time, Xu Yue didn't take the lead, but came out last.

He knelt down in front of Chen Yao Yao and gently picked her up, feeling the last bit of warmth in her body.

At that moment, the woman in his arms moved.

"Yao Yao....." Xu Yue's expression changed as he said in a trembling voice, "I'll take you to the military doctor."



She tightly held his armour and shook her head as she spat out her final words with great difficulty.

“I only had.....a single breath left.....to see you.....”

Stalling before the gates of hell was ten thousand times more painful than dying.

But Chen Yao Yao kept telling herself that she had to wait.....she had to wait for Xu Yue.....

“Yao Yao.....Yao Yao.....” Seeing the one in his heart being tortured to the point of not being human anymore, Xu Yue felt as if his heart was suffocating.

“Qing.....Little sister Qing said that you.....liked me.....” Chen Yao Yao spoke each word with difficulty, “It’s a pity.....that I.....couldn’t love you.....”

At that moment, the scene outside the palace gates played in front of her eyes.

Luo Qing Chen with her big belly sent her off and she said that she wanted to be the prince’s godmother.

She said that she would teach him to sword dance and play the zither.

She also said that.....she would be honest with herself when she came back.....

It was a pity that none of that had happened.....

As her vision faded, she couldn’t hear anything else.

She just felt the arms of the man holding her shaking, shaking endlessly.....

“Yao Yao, Chen Yao Yao, don’t die! Brother Jiu said that he would let us marry when we got back, don’t die.....I’m begging you, I’m begging you!”

He roared out to the heavens, praying and begging to them. It was a pity that the girl in his arms didn’t give him a single response.

She died with her beautiful eyes wide open, holding on to the very last second.

She didn’t want to die, she desperately tried to live, even to the point where she was unwilling to close her eyes.

But there was no way, she couldn’t do it.....

“Hong long!” With a boom of thunder, a heavy rain fell from the sky.

Xu Yue hugged Chen Yao Yao as he cried into the sky.

There was some pain that only you knew and some people that couldn’t be forgotten your entire life.

He wasn’t in time to love a person and was helpless when they separated.