Sidekick 1341

Chapter 1341: Confessing to Zhai Yunsheng about Her Past Life

"Is it sweet or bitter? If something sweet happened, don't tell me about it. If it's bitter, you can tell me briefly."

Jian Yiling pondered over it for a moment before she replied: "It should be bitter."

"Tell me about it then," Zhai Yunsheng said. He knew he was a little jealous.

However, despite being jealous, he still believed in Jian Yiling.

Upon hearing his response, Jian Yiling told Zhai Yunsheng about her past life.

She told him she was originally a supporting role in this world.

She told him that after she died, her soul went to another world. In that world, she became a genius researcher who got sold to a research institution by her parents.

However, Jian Yichen made a deal with the Gods. Because of this deal, she was able to come back to rewrite and relive this life.

Jian Yiling told Zhai Yunsheng about the experiences she had in all three lives.

She knew that these things were hard to understand. She knew that an average person would not believe her words.

In fact, they probably think she was crazy and had a mental illness.

Despite knowing this, she was still willing to tell Zhai Yunsheng.

Zhai Yunsheng carefully listened to Jian Yiling speak.

After she finished speaking, Zhai Yunsheng was silent for a while as he attempted to digest her words.

His feelings were rather complicated.

His heart ached when he heard the things she had experienced in her previous life.

Previously, his wife lived a lonely life that was filled with hardship.

After a long pause, Zhai Yunsheng asked: "And Qin Chuan also has memories of his past life?"

"Mhmm."

"You liked Qin Chuan in your past life?"

"Mhmm."

Upon hearing this, Zhai Yunsheng immediately felt jealous.

He knew he shouldn't be brooding over things in the past.

But he...

Zhai Yunsheng got up and walked out of the door.

Jian Yiling did not know what he was doing.

Despite feeling uneasy and somewhat worried, she knew that he needed time to himself.

She shouldn't bother him at this time.

Zhai Yunsheng did not return until the middle of the night.

By then, Jian Yiling had fallen asleep.

After Zhai Yunsheng got into bed, he hugged Jian Yiling's soft body.

Even though she was asleep, when Jian Yiling felt the warmth of Zhai Yunsheng's body, she instinctively snuggled into his arms.

A few hours later, the day dawned.

When Jian Yiling opened her eyes, she noticed Zhai Yunsheng staring at her intently.

Jian Yiling looked at Zhai Yunsheng's handsome face and found him incredibly attractive. She raised her head and bit down on his lips.

If this happened at any other time, Zhai Yunsheng would have returned the favor.

However, right now, Zhai Yunsheng asked: "Do you still have feelings for him?"

The lines on Zhai Yunsheng's face were tight and his eyes were cold.

It was rare for such a serious expression to appear on his usually carefree and mocking face.

"What feeling?" Jian Yiling replied.

Although she was Zhai Yunsheng's wife and a soon-to-be mother, she was still a bit slow in this regard.

"Does your heart beat rapidly when you see him?" This question was squeezed out from Zhai Yunsheng's teeth.

"No," Jian Yiling replied without the slightest hesitation.

"Really?"

"Are you jealous?" Jian Yiling questioned. She seemed to understand something.

"Hmph," Zhai Yunsheng responded as he turned his face away.

He wasn't just jealous! He was drowning in jealousy!

However, Zhai Yunsheng refused to admit this.

"You're jealous," Jian Yiling said happily when the realization finally dawned upon her.

Chapter 1342: Granddaughter-in-Law is More Important than My Grandson!

"If you mention those words again, I will eat you up," Zhai Yunsheng replied as he lowered his head and in turn took a big bite on Jian Yiling's cheek.

After he did this, Zhai Yunsheng continued to ask: "Are you saying that in your past life, I buried you?"

"Mhmm."

"In that case, you had to marry me in this life no matter what. You should pay back what you owe me in your past life in our current lives."

"Mhmm."

"And no more thoughts about Qin Chuan," Zhai Yunsheng reiterated.

"I don't think about him," Jian Yiling replied.

As Jian Yiling tried to get up, Zhai Yunsheng did not let go of her.

"Sleep a little longer," Zhai Yunsheng said as he closed his eyes.

Jian Yiling turned to look at Zhai Yunsheng.

When he was sleeping, he didn't seem to look evil. Instead, he was more like an insecure child.

As this thought crossed her mind, Jian Yiling reached out and gently stroked Zhai Yunsheng's face.

Did he not sleep well last night?

Jian Yiling did not attempt to get up anymore. She instead quietly accompanied Zhai Yunsheng.

However, ten minutes later, there was a knock on the door.

At the same time, Master Zhai cried out: "You brat, it's time to get up!"

It was already nine o'clock! Why was his grandson still sleeping? What was he doing?!

Master Zhai was afraid that his grandson did not know how to control his lust.

Yiling had just gotten pregnant! They shouldn't be messing around right now!

As Jian Yiling attempted to get up, she was stopped by Zhai Yunsheng.

Zhai Yunsheng's arms were still wrapped around Jian Yiling's body as he said: "Ignore him."

Master Zhai kept knocking on the door for a while. When he received no response, he yelled: "Brat, you are not allowed to do anything to my precious great-grandchild! Don't you dare hurt him or her!"

Upon hearing this, Zhai Yunsheng's eyelids twitched and Jian Yiling's face reddened.

Why was he thinking about that...

Despite the commotion, Zhai Yunsheng was indifferent. He continued to sleep with Jian Yiling in his arms.

Eventually, Zhai Yunsheng and Jian Yiling did not hear any more noise. They assumed Master Zhai had given up.

To their surprise, a few minutes later, Master Zhai returned with the keys to the house.

He barged into the room to pull Zhai Yunsheng up.

When he noticed Zhai Yunsheng and Jian Yiling were just cuddling in their sleep and not doing anything that they shouldn't be doing, Master Zhai immediately felt relieved.

Although he knew it was a misunderstanding, Master Zhai still did not feel embarrassed at all.

"Brat, it's time to get up. Don't you know what time it is? Why are you still in bed? Even if you're not hungry, you should tell Yiling to eat! Don't starve my great-grandchild!"

Only then did Zhai Yunsheng unhurriedly get up from the bed.

After that, Master Zhai said softly to Jian Yiling: "If you still feel sleepy, you can sleep a little longer. But before you do that, you have to eat something first. I can get the kitchen staff to bring food over."

"I'm not sleepy anymore," Jian Yiling replied as she hurriedly got out of bed.

This was very embarrassing.

As Zhai Yunsheng watched his little rabbit scurry into the bathroom, the corners of his lips rose involuntarily.

On the other hand, Master Zhai gave his shameless grandson a sullen look. "Brat, you better not mess around with Yiling in her first few months of pregnancy. If anything happens to my great-grandchild, I will beat your ass!"

Chapter 1343: Just a Coincidence?

"You can't win against me," Zhai Yunsheng said to his grandpa.

Even before Zhai Yunsheng's condition was cured, Master Zhai could not win against Zhai Yunsheng in a fight.

As he said this, Zhai Yunsheng smilingly headed into the bathroom.

Master Zhai grunted and responded: "Brat, just because you're good at kungfu, don't think I can't do anything against you! I have Yiling! If I ask Yiling to ignore you, you will have to become obedient, one way or another!"

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Originally, Qian Feng assumed he could quickly deal with the urgent matter. After he dealt with it, he planned to help Qin Chuan immediately.

However, as soon as the urgent matter was dealt with, another task was given to him.

And thus, he had to run back and forth without a moment's rest.

He didn't even have time to take an extra breath of air. This meant he could not go and trouble Zhai Yunsheng or Jian Yiling.

Qian Feng had no choice but to contact Qin Chuan by phone to explain the situation: "Mr. Qin, I'm incredibly sorry about this. I don't know why so many urgent tasks have suddenly appeared. Unfortunately, that means I have to postpone Zhai Yunsheng's matter for a few more days."

"Understood," Qin Chuan replied with a grim expression on his face.

Qian Feng added: "I must say, Zhai Yunsheng has insane luck when it comes to living for a few more days."

Qin Chuan pondered for a moment before he asked Qian Feng: "Do you think it's just a coincidence?"

"Mr. Qin, do you think it's not a coincidence?" Qian Feng asked curiously. Before Qin Chuan got a chance to respond, Qian Feng concluded by himself: "It's impossible for Zhai Yunsheng to influence and control the orders of Xunyu. And how can he possibly give orders to the Law Enforcement Department? Only the top executives can give orders. If you don't even have those privileges, how can ordinary members like Zhai Yunsheng and Jian Yiling have those privileges? It's definitely just a coincidence."

"Why can't he be someone from Xunyu's executive level?" Qin Chuan asked Qian Feng.

Qin Chuan did not know much about Xunyu's executives.

"Xunyu's executives are composed of seven mysterious big shots. It's no exaggeration to say that these are the seven most powerful in the world today. They hold the lifeline of the global economy and each of them controls a huge business empire. Their power is comparable to the eight most powerful and wealthy families in the world."

Thus, there was a huge gap between the top executive level and Zhai Yunsheng.

Even if Zhai Yunsheng held a lot of power, that was merely at a national level.

Not to mention, Qin Chuan managed to bring down the Zhai family business.

Furthermore, Zhai Yunsheng only managed to have many of his accomplishments and achievements today due to the accumulation of power by his ancestors.

Before hanging up the call, Qian Feng said: "In short, it's impossible for someone like Zhai Yunsheng to control matters in Xunyu."

Even though Qian Feng's words made sense, Qin Chuan still had his doubts.

He never wanted to underestimate Zhai Yunsheng or Jian Yiling.

And thus, Qin Chuan began to search for information on these mysterious executives after the call ended.

To his dismay, he found very limited information.

He only managed to find that these seven mysterious people founded Xunyu twenty years ago.

This meant that at the very least, these seven people weren't young like Zhai Yunsheng and Jian Yiling.

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Sheng Yingying was incredibly anxious. If Zhai Yunsheng and Jian Yiling weren't dealt with, she could not get a good night's rest.

Whenever she fell asleep, she would dream of Zhai Yunsheng taking revenge on the Loyalty Alliance. In her dream, he would set fire to Cai Ningxuan and several of them were burned alive by him.

Even though she knew this dream was exaggerated to some extent, Sheng Yingying felt that Zhai Yunsheng would take his revenge on them sooner or later.

He had to be dealt with.

Chapter 1344: Zhai Yunsheng's Revenge

After all, if Zhai Yunsheng kept accumulating power, eventually, he would take his revenge against the Loyalty Alliance.

Whilst she was worrying over this, Sheng Yingying received a call from one of her subordinates. Her subordinate told her that their business encountered a problem.

"What's going on? Why are we suddenly encountering a problem with that order?" Sheng Yingying asked. The expression on her face became uglier when she heard this.

Her face was pale and there were obvious wrinkles to be seen.

Her subordinate informed her that the Dingwen Group interfered with this order.

It was Zhai Yunsheng! He was taking revenge on her!

As they were previously in an alliance, not only were the other members aware of the Zhai family's business and operations, but Zhai Yunsheng also knew the core operations of their businesses.

This meant that even though it was easy for them to betray the Zhai family, it was equally as easy for Zhai Yunsheng to retaliate against them now!

The thing that Sheng Yingying always feared has finally happened.

She froze in place. After a moment of dumbfoundedness, she hurriedly called Qu Zhen and asked him to summon the others to an emergency meeting at Cai Ningxuan.

They had to quickly come up with countermeasures to deal with Zhai Yunsheng if they wanted to preserve their own family businesses.

Once a few of them gathered together, they quickly found out that all their businesses were affected to varying degrees.

And Zhai Yunsheng was using the Dingwen Group to retaliate against them.

If this continued on, sooner or later, they would be destroyed by Zhai Yunsheng.

In the past, they did not think Zhai Yunsheng was capable of doing such things.

Now that they were rivals, they were shocked to realize that Zhai Yunsheng wasn't just a loser.

After some careful deliberation, the group came to the conclusion that there were only two roads in front of them.

One: They placed their trust in Qin Chuan. If this was the case, they had to wait for Qin Chuan to take action.

Two: They could negotiate with the Zhai family.

Sheng Yingying immediately objected to the second option: "We've already betrayed the Zhai family. How can we negotiate peace? Furthermore, how can someone as cautious as Zhai Yunsheng negotiate peace with us?"

Upon hearing this, Qu Zhen explained: "In the corporate world, there are never permanent enemies nor permanent friends. It's interests that motivate people. If we fight against the Zhai family, we will both suffer losses. Hence, it's mutually beneficial to settle things peacefully. Furthermore, we don't have to negotiate with Zhai Yunsheng. Master Zhai is still alive. He has significantly more insight and experience than Zhai Yunsheng. He will definitely know what's more beneficial for the Zhai family."

In Qu Zhen's eyes, Master Zhai was a rational person. If they negotiated peace with him, it might work out.

Sheng Yingying was somewhat convinced by this explanation.

Qu Zhen added: "And we're just trying to negotiate peace. We don't lose anything even if the Zhai family doesn't agree."

"Okay," Sheng Yingying compromised after thinking about it for a moment.

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An hour later, Sheng Yingying and Qu Zhen appeared in the living room of the Zhai Residence.

Master Zhai was currently seated and leisurely sipping tea.

The two of them came to meet Master Zhai on the behalf of everyone else in the Loyalty League.

Even though he was facing the people who had betrayed the Zhai family, the expression on Master Zhai's face was rather calm.

"Master Zhai, it's been quite some time since I've seen you. You seem very healthy and well," Qu Zhen greeted with his signature smile on his face.

Qu Zhen gave off the impression that he was simple and kind.

However, Master Zhai knew that this was just a pretense.

Otherwise, Qu Zhen would not have been able to betray the Zhai family.

"Fortunately, the Gods are kind to me," Master Zhai replied.

"Master Zhai, the two of us came here today mainly to apologize to you for what happened before," Qu Zhen said. Without wasting any more words, Qu Zhen directly indicated his intentions.

Chapter 1345: Lose-Lose Situation

Qu Zhen knew that there was no point beating around the bush with Master Zhai. Master Zhai was not easy to fool.

"Apologize?" Master Zhai repeated before he turned his head to ask his subordinate: "What day is it today?"

"The sixth."

"Oh? What month?"

"October."

"Is that so? Apparently, I'm not becoming crazy because of my old age. It's only been a month since the Loyalty Alliance betrayed the Zhai family. I didn't expect so much time to pass already," Master Zhai commented.

His words implied that it had already been a month since their betrayal. If that was the case, why were they apologizing right now? What kind of apology was this?

Sheng Yingying hurriedly explained: "Master Zhai, you can't completely blame us for what happened. You did not inform us about what was happening to Master Sheng. We all assumed he was a dying man. That's why we decided to form an alliance with Qin Chuan."

Upon hearing this, Master Zhai smiled meaningfully and commented: "Ah Little Yingying... It's been more than ten years since you took over the family business from your father, right?"

Master Zhai could easily say that he had watched Sheng Yingying grow up.

Whenever Sheng Yingying was facing Master Zhai, she felt a bit of fear.

"Uncle Zhai, since you're talking about my father, let me say one more thing. My father handed me the entirety of our family business. I couldn't let our family business collapse in my hands, could I? If you spoke to us a bit earlier and trusted us a bit more, we definitely wouldn't have stopped interacting with the Zhai family."

Despite hearing these words, Master Zhai unhurriedly replied: "You were quite naughty as a child. Back then, you knocked over an antique in Cai Ningxuan. When the adults found out and asked you if you broke it, you refused to admit it. Eventually, there was conclusive evidence and everyone knew you broke the antique. Once that happened, you burst into tears. Because you cried so much, everyone decided to forgive you. On top of that, instead of blaming you for breaking something, they also comforted you."

Sheng Yingying's face suddenly turned ashen when she heard this: "Uncle Zhai, why are you mentioning things from my childhood? That was more than thirty years ago. What are you getting at?"

Master Zhai continued in a calm and collected tone: "You've taken over the family business for more than ten years now. However, you still act like a child. You refuse to admit your mistakes. Back when you were a little girl, crying would get you out of trouble. However, you're no longer a little girl. You've been the Head of the Sheng family for more than ten years. Therefore, you should understand what can be

overlooked and what cannot. You didn't stop interacting with the Zhai family. Instead, you took deliberate actions to bring down the Zhai family business."

The expression on Sheng Yingying's face became even uglier when she heard this.

This old man was saying that she wasn't repenting for her mistakes.

She didn't even want to be here in the first place! She never planned to negotiate peace with the Zhai family!

It was Qu Zhen and the others who insisted that she come here!

And now, this old man was criticizing her!

Sheng Yingying glared at Qu Zhen.

As Qu Zhen knew of Sheng Yingying's temper, he hurriedly said to Master Zhai: "Master Zhai, those things have already happened. We're sorry for our actions. However, if Master Sheng wants to fight Mr. Qin and the Loyalty Alliance, it will be a lose-lose situation."

Then, Qu Zhen took out a list: "Master Sheng is attempting to sell whatever we sell. Furthermore, he's selling those items at a lower price. You should know that not only will this destroy the competitive market, but he will also lose a lot of money."

Zhai Yunsheng's Dingwen Group recently launched several products that acted as substitutes for products the Loyalty Alliance sold. And in order to attract customers, he sold these items at incredibly low prices.

Chapter 1346: Stubborn

Although such a means of retaliation would inflict quite some damage on the enemy, Zhai Yunsheng would also suffer a smaller but comparable level of damage.

With Master Zhai's experience in the corporate world, he would immediately realize these decisions would make a loss.

If such things continued, although the Loyalty Alliance would suffer a lot, the Zhai family would also suffer considerably.

However, Master Zhai did not care. He replied indifferently: "I've retired already. The Zhai family business has been given to my grandson to handle. It's his business whether he makes a loss or profit. I can't watch over him for the rest of his life. Since I already handed the Zhai family business to him, I will trust the decisions he's making."

In reality, this was true. Master Zhai did not care about the Zhai family business. In fact, right now, his granddaughter-in-law was the only person he was willing to manage a business for.

This meant that if his granddaughter-in-law wanted his grandson to accompany her, he would definitely help that brat manage his company.

Master Zhai's attitude made Qu Zhen swallow back his prepared words.

On the other hand, Sheng Yingying completely lost her patience: "Uncle Zhai, Mr. Qu and I did not come here today because we're afraid of you. Rather, it's because we didn't want this issue to be escalated. Master Sheng hasn't won anything. And if something were to go wrong, aren't you afraid of losing him and everything he has right now?"

After all, the Zhai family's original business had already gone bankrupt.

In Sheng Yingying's eyes, the Dingwen Group was acquired with the help of Jian Yiling.

If Zhai Yunsheng kept up what he was doing right now, Jian Yiling would not have the money to fund his actions.

Master Zhai merely smiled and replied: "That's something for you to sort out with my grandson. If you're capable of making him bankrupt, then you can do so. Either way, he's still young. Even if something happens, he can make a comeback. There's no harm in learning some lessons whilst you're young."

The expression on Sheng Yingying's face was completely unpleasant.

This old man was so stubborn and so damn hateful!

"Uncle Zhai, since you have taken things so far, don't blame us for not showing any mercy," Sheng Yingying declared. She no longer pretended to be friendly with Master Zhai.

If he was being so stubborn, why were they still polite with him?

Did he really think his grandson had a chance of winning against all of them?

Master Zhai smiled and replied: "As you wish."

There was a relaxed expression on Master Zhai's face. There was no sign of fear or anxiety.

After all, compared to the Zhai family business, he was more concerned about his great-grandchild.

He could leave corporate matters to his grandson. He was too old to think about that. Instead, maybe he will start planning a private amusement park for his great-grandchild.

Sheng Yingying glared at Master Zhai. Why was he still acting? He was going to die sooner or later!

Qu Zhen attempted to persuade Master Zhai for one last time: "Master Zhai, if you really intend to have a trade war with us, it will be a lose-lose situation. Are you sure you want to let your grandson do this?"

Master Zhai looked at Qu Zhen: "If you guys were confident in your abilities, you wouldn't be here today."

Despite hearing this, Sheng Yingying still refused to admit this reality. Instead, she mocked: "Uncle Zhai, you should watch out then. In the future, please don't use your old age to beg us for mercy!"

Chapter 1347: Her Footsteps

Qu Zhen quickly understood there was no point in continuing this conversation with Master Zhai. And thus, he hastily said farewell to Master Zhai.

After that, Qu Zhen left the Zhai Residence with Sheng Yingying.

As soon as she exited the Zhai Residence, Sheng Yingying began to lose her temper: "Tch! That old man is saying whatever he wants because he's old! Who does he think he is!"

"It's alright. There's no use in being angry. It's true we wronged the Zhai family first. It's only natural for him to not forgive us," Qu Zhen said to Sheng Yingying.

"Well, he can only act that way for a little while longer," Sheng Yingying scoffed. "We came to negotiate peace and yet, he puts on a show. Does he really think Master Sheng can win against the Loyalty Alliance? That grandson of his only knows how to fight. There's no way he knows how to do business."

"Don't be angry. Let's discuss this with Mr. Qin."

Since they were unable to negotiate peace with the Zhai family, this meant they were going to focus all their time and energy on assisting Qin Chuan.

"Good! I want to see Qin Chuan defeat Zhai Yunsheng again!"

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The recent actions of Zhai Yunsheng caused pain for people who belonged to the Loyalty Alliance.

When they were allies in the past, they never realized how hard it was to win against Master Sheng.

Eventually, everyone in the Loyalty Alliance placed their hopes in Qin Chuan. They desperately wanted him to deal with Zhai Yunsheng as soon as possible.

Thankfully, Qin Chuan agreed to help them.

He also wanted to end this matter as soon as possible.

He didn't really care about whether he lost or won. He just wanted all of this to end.

Qin Chuan no longer knew whether there was a point to his actions.

Even though he had a lot of things he did not have in the past, he felt emptier and more lost than before.

He was like a machine that was desperately trying to replicate the world in his memories.

Yet, he had no idea what he was chasing.

He took out a picture of Jian Yiling from a drawer.

In that picture, Jian Yiling was wearing a fluffy white sweater.

Qin Chuan's fingertips gently brushed over the photo.

He did not know when he fell in love with her.

In fact, he didn't even know which Jian Yiling he was in love with. Did he like the Jian Yiling who was crazily in love with him in his previous life? Or did he like the Jian Yiling in his current life?

A few years ago, even though he had a crush on Jian Yiling, before he got his memories back, he could restrain himself from doing anything insane.

But those memories of the young girl who was crazily in love with him appeared again and again in his dreams... Eventually, memories of her were etched into his mind.

"Qin Chuan, I heard that your company needs funds. Please accept this credit card. Consider it as a gift from me."

"Qin Chuan, I just learned to knit a sweater. I knitted one for you."

"Qin Chuan, I just like you... Why can't you accept me?"

"What's so great about Mo Shiyun? What makes me inferior to her? I met you before her! I fell in love with you first!"

In the past, these memories annoyed him.

However, as time passed, they turned into things he longed for. He desperately wanted to hear her say those things to him again.

Even if that was the case, Qin Chuan knew that no matter what he did, he could not return to those times.

After all, Jian Yiling was no longer the original Jian Yiling. She was not the girl who loved him with all of her heart and soul.

Even if he destroyed Zhai Yunsheng, that girl would not return to him.

Despite knowing this, he was following in her footsteps. He was repeatedly doing wrong things even though he knew it would not yield the results he wanted.

Chapter 1348: Won't Be So Lucky This Time

Zhai Yunsheng could escape dealing with Xunyu for one moment but he could not escape facing them forever.

After a few days, Qian Feng finally finished the tasks given to him.

This time, he decided to head directly to the Dingwen Group.

When they arrived, Zhai Yunsheng was having a meeting in the conference room.

However, Qian Feng did not care about this. He barged in with his subordinates in an aggressive manner.

Qin Chuan, Sheng Yingying, and Qu Zhen were also accompanying Qian Feng.

Sheng Yingying and Qu Zhen had been waiting anxiously for days. As the day was finally here, they would not miss it for anything in the world. They refused to miss the scene of Zhai Yunsheng's wretchedness.

In fact, Sheng Yingying intended on taking a video of what was going to happen. Later on, she planned to send the video to Master Zhai. That video would definitely wipe that arrogant smile on his face!

When Qian Feng and the others barged in, a surprised look appeared on everyone face's.

Xing Wei immediately stood up and asked: "What are you doing?"

Qian Feng ignored Xing Wei's question. Instead, he said to Zhai Yunsheng with a contemptuous and mocking smile on his face: "Zhai Yunsheng, you can't hide from us forever. Last time, you were quite lucky. However, you won't be so lucky this time around."

After he said this, the entire conference room was so quiet that one could hear the sound of the air conditioning.

No one dared to breathe loudly. They all nervously looked at each other.

Han Mengyu cautiously walked next to Zhai Yunsheng and asked: "Master Sheng, who are these people?"

"They're from the Xunyu Natural Science Research Association," Zhai Yunsheng replied.

"From the Xunyu Natural Science Research Association? What do they want from you?" Han Mengyu repeated in panic.

He knew about the Xunyu Natural Science Research Association. It was one of the largest natural science research associations in the world.

And the people who funded this association were seven mysterious big shots who held a lot of power and influence. In addition to this, apparently, two out of these seven individuals were the heads of the eight most powerful and wealthy families in the world.

This meant they could not afford to mess with the Xunyu Natural Science Research Association.

Some time ago, Han Mengyu heard that companies blacklisted by Xunyu would lose all their customers and orders overnight. Then, in less than half a month, that company would become bankrupt.

"To condemn."

"Condemn? Are they going to blacklist us?"

Han Mengyu was terrified to hear this. He knew Zhai Yunsheng planned the Zhai family's bankruptcy.

However, the Dingwen Group was important to them.

They poured their heart and soul into this company.

"This man named Qian Feng insists that I stole something from Xunyu's laboratories," Zhai Yunsheng continued.

"Stole something? What kind of nonsense is that?" Han Mengyu exclaimed angrily. Zhai Yunsheng was clearly framed by Qin Chuan and the Loyalty Alliance! "If they claim that, how do they intend to punish you?"

"They will probably blacklist the Dingwen Group and add some additional punishment for me," Zhai Yunsheng guessed

"What?" Han Mengyu said in shock. "Master Sheng, are you joking?"

He also held shares in the company! He didn't want the company to become bankrupt!

"Nope," Zhai Yunsheng calmly replied.

"Master Sheng, why are you so calm right now? I'm very worried! Xunyu isn't just a mere research association!"

"It is what it is," Zhai Yunsheng replied.

Why was he saying such a thing?

When did he become such a peaceful man?!

And why was he being peaceful right now?!

As he thought about this, Han Mengyu looked at Qin Chuan. He knew Qin Chuan had an unusual connection with Xinyu.

After all, people from Xunyu even came to celebrate his girlfriend's birthday.

Then this was probably schemed by Qin Chuan right..?

But Master Sheng never told them about this! He never said that Xunyu was going to interfere!

Chapter 1349: Listening to Zhai Yunsheng's Commands

If the Xunyu Natural Science Research Association decided to act against them, what could they possibly do?

With every second passing by, the atmosphere in the room became tenser and tenser.

Qian Feng continued: "Zhai Yunsheng, whether you like it or not, the lifeline of the Dingwen Group is now in my hands. From now on, Xunyu will intervene with all of Dingwen's projects. We will make sure all projects become suspended under our intervention. In particular, we will pay special attention to your project in the western suburbs of Beijing."

Before coming today, Qian Feng had already taken action against the Dingwen Group through the Xunyu Natural Science Research Association.

Qian Feng's words made everyone inside the conference room show surprised and worried expressions.

As he swept his eyes across the room, he was satisfied to see their panicked and frightened expressions.

"Zhai Yunsheng, you will never be able to win against Mr. Qin," Sheng Yingying said in a smug voice.

Zhai Yunsheng probably thought he could make a comeback.

He would have never expected this to happen. He would have never expected a few of Qin Chuan's words to make all his efforts go down the drain.

Sheng Yingying tried to look for the pain in Zhai Yunsheng's face. Despite looking for it, she didn't get to see that emotion. And thus, she felt a little disappointed.

Tch, why was Zhai Yunsheng still attempting to act cool at a time like this?

She wanted to see how long he could maintain such a calm expression!

Similar to Zhai Yunsheng, Qin Chuan's expression was also calm and indifferent. He didn't seem to be happy with this outcome.

Even though Zhai Yunsheng lost, he did not win either.

And thus, there was nothing to be happy about.

The atmosphere in the conference room was incredibly tense. All the employees of the Dingwen Group were sweating furiously. Han Mengyu and Xing Wei felt like there were a thousand ants crawling over them.

"Master Sheng, what do we do now?" Han Mengyu cautiously asked Zhai Yunsheng.

"Nothing," Zhai Yunsheng calmly replied as he leaned back on his chair. His eyes were slightly narrowed.

"Master Sheng, this is not the time to act cool! Even if the Dingwen Group eventually becomes bankrupt sometime in the future, our company shouldn't go down like this! We can't lose to their dirty schemes and tricks!"

"Mhmm," Zhai Yunsheng responded in agreement.

Then, Zhai Yunsheng snapped his fingers.

The people from the Law Enforcement Department who were originally standing behind Qian Feng and facing Zhai Yunsheng suddenly turned to face Qian Feng.

The sudden change caught everyone off guard.

Qian Feng's face was filled with shock as he asked: "What are you guys doing?"

These people were his subordinates. They were supposed to obey his orders.

However, they did not reply to Qian Feng.

It was obvious that they no longer obeyed Qian Feng's command.

"What are you guys doing?" Qian Feng repeated again.

Once again, he did not receive a response.

"Come over here," Zhai Yunsheng ordered.

Immediately, all of them walked behind Zhai Yunsheng and stood in a neat row.

When did they get bribed by Zhai Yunsheng?

Similar to Qian Feng, Sheng Yingying and Qu Zhen also had surprised expressions on their faces.

What was going on here? Why were people from Xunyu listening to Zhai Yunsheng's orders? What did Zhai Yunsheng do?

Even though Qin Chuan was also surprised, his reaction was not as strong as the others.

Qian Feng asked: "Are you guys betraying Xunyu?"

Were they crazy? Did they not know the consequences of betraying the Xunyu Natural Science Research Association?

"They're not betraying Xunyu," Zhai Yunsheng told Qian Feng.

"Impossible... If they're not betraying Xunyu... Why would they..." Qian Feng started before he suddenly stopped speaking.

A shocking thought crossed his mind.

Qian Feng quickly took out his tablet and looked up Zhai Yunsheng's information in Xunyu's system.

If these people did not betray the Xunyu Natural Science Research Association, this could only mean Zhai Yunsheng held more authority than him in Xunyu.

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However, the system showed that Zhai Yunsheng was just an ordinary member. There was nothing special about him.

Just when Qian Feng was about to exit the page, he suddenly noticed that the system stated Zhai Yunsheng held the highest level of authority in Xunyu.

But how? He was just an ordinary B-rank member. How could he have the highest level of authority?

This was way too strange!

"Why does this system say you have the highest level of authority in Xunyu?" Qian Feng asked Zhai Yunsheng. He desperately wanted to know the answer to this question.

Only their seven executives were meant to possess this level of authority!

Hence, Zhai Yunsheng shouldn't hold this power!

Was there a bug in the system? Was it a display error?

Qian Feng's eyes were wide with shock. His mouth was slightly open and there was a confused expression on his face.

Sheng Yingying and Qu Zhen were also shocked by this progression of events.

What was happening?

Weren't Zhai Yunsheng and Jian Yiling only ordinary members of the Xunyu Natural Science Research Association? They investigated this beforehand!

Han Mengyu and Xing Wei did not know what was happening either.

Han Mengyu cautiously asked Zhai Yunsheng: "Master Sheng, what's going on?"

How did the situation suddenly get reversed?

Weren't people from Xunyu looking for trouble? Why were they on their side now?

This 180-degree flip made his head buzz.

When did Master Sheng get involved in something else behind their backs?

Weren't they good friends? Shouldn't they tell each other everything?

And thus, everyone looked at Zhai Yunsheng. They were waiting for him to give an explanation.

"It's because the founder of Xunyu has the surname Zhai," someone said from the direction of the doorway.

That man's voice was loud and imposing.

Upon hearing this voice, everyone quickly looked in the direction of the door.

Who was this?

The voice sounded quite familiar.

The person who walked in was no other than Zhai Zhongshen, the Second Master of the Zhai family.

He was wearing a white collared shirt and dark pants. His hair was short and neat and there was a stern expression on his face.

"Second Master of the Zhai family?"

Everyone quickly recognized the man who appeared. Sheng Yingying and Qu Zhen were particularly surprised.

As they were allies with the Zhai family for so many years, it was impossible for them to not know about the Second Master of the Zhai family.

After Zhai Bochen's death, the Loyalty Alliance had always hoped that the Second Master of the Zhai family could take over as the head of the Zhai family.

However, Zhai Zhongshen refused to do this. He firmly believed that the Zhai family belonged to his nephew. And thus, when his nephew grew up, he handed the Zhai family business to him.

Instead of expanding and developing their family business, Zhai Zhongshen decided to go out and start his own company. He relied on his own abilities to create the Tianxing Group.

And although the Second Master of the Zhai family was often absent from Beijing, no one dared to underestimate him.

As soon as Zhai Zhongshen entered the room, everyone felt his oppressive aura.

But what did he mean by the founder of Xunyu has the surname Zhai?

Was he... The founder of Xunyu?

Qin Chun gazed at Zhai Zhongshen.

He had fought this man in his previous life. He did not know there was any relationship between the Xunyu Natural Science Research Association and the Second Master of the Zhai family.

Sheng Yingying was so surprised that she forgot how to speak.

If Xunyu was founded by Zhai Zhongshen... That meant their efforts over this period of time were just a joke in the eyes of the Zhai family...

It was a long time before Qian Feng finally found his voice: "You... You're the founder of Xunyu?"

He voiced the question in everyone's minds.

"I'm not the founder," Zhai Zhongshen replied. "My brother is."

Zhai Yunsheng's father, Zhai Bochen