

## Sidekick 421

### Chapter 421: Jian Yubo Holds a Shareholders' Meeting (1)

After this, [Domination] played half a month of matches. Their team's popularity soared during that period of time.

After many games, [Domination] made it to the finals.

Their final match was against a foreign team.

The final was scheduled for a week later and the venue was the Central Stadium in S City.

At that time, there would be an even bigger crowd.

Spectators from all over the world were looking forward to the final. Tickets for the final were sold out as soon as they went on sale.

As they had a week to spare, Jian Yiling and the others returned to Hengyuan City.

During this half-month period, the Jian family business appeared to be quiet on the surface. However, a complete change of shareholding had been completed. Jian Yubo had become the largest shareholder of the Jian family.

It was likely that he would also become the next chairman of the company.

Ever since he had become the largest shareholder of the company, Jian Yubo hadn't done anything. Everything seemed calm and quiet.

It was so quiet that everyone assumed that this matter would not cause any changes to the Jian family business.

In fact, He Yan didn't even know about this.

However, on the day that Jian Yiling returned to Hengyuan City, Jian Yubo called for a shareholders' meeting.

Most of the shares of the company were in the hands of the Jian family. However, a small portion of the shares was held by other people.

Therefore, except for a few outsiders, the shareholders' meeting required all members of the Jian family to attend.

When He Yan first heard the news, she was incredibly confused.

She had been fully occupied with the movie that she had pledged all of her assets to. She had been so worried about that matter that she had invested all of her attention into it. When such good news fell out of the sky, she was a bit overwhelmed.

"Yubo is calling for a shareholders' meeting? Yubo is the one who owns the most shares in the Jian family? How is that possible?"

He Yan's voice was filled with surprise.

This was unbelievable!

She thought that he couldn't have achieved something like that!

But now, he actually managed to do so?!

Jian Shuhong wasn't happy at all. "This isn't something to be happy about!"

He Yan couldn't understand her husband's words: "Why isn't this something to be happy about? Our son is going to be the chairman soon!"

When she said the word 'chairman', He Yan felt that she was dreaming. Was this real?

She had wished for this for so many years! Was it finally happening?

However, Jian Shuhong was still unhappy: "He Yan, you don't know how Jian Yubo got these shares... Yubo basically forced our father to give him those shares! It's not like our father gave it to him willingly!"

Even when He Yan heard these words, she didn't care at all: "Shuhong, even if Yubo forced him, you have to admit that he still has the ability to do so! Our son is incredibly capable! We should be happy for him!"

"This isn't being capable!" Jian Shuhong cried out in anger. He was usually incredibly gentle and kind with his words. He rarely lost his temper.

"Shuhong, don't be like this," He Yan said. She hurriedly softened her tone and soothed him gently, "Yubo is our child. He's also a child of the Jian family. No matter what happens, it's okay to give the Jian family's business to him. Don't be angry. If he did something wrong, we can tell him off. It's okay."

Jian Shuhong closed his eyes sorrowfully. After a moment of contemplation, he said: "Come with me to the company's headquarters. Since he wants to hold a shareholders' meeting, we all have to be there."

## **Chapter 422: Jian Yubo Holds a Shareholders' Meeting (2)**

At the entrance of the company headquarter, He Yan met Wen Nuan.

Today, He Yan was dressed smartly. Her make-up was delicate and she looked as though she was full of vitality.

She felt that the breath that she had been holding in her heart for so many years could finally be released today.

She had known how to restrain herself before. However, now, she had no reason to restrain herself.

"Hello, sister-in-law," He Yan smiled. She took the initiative to greet Wen Nuan. Her smile was bright and beautiful.

Wen Nuan looked at He Yan coldly, "Are you happy now?"

Wen Nuan did not feel that this was something to be happy about in the slightest.

If one of her three sons had done such a thing, she would not be happy.

“Sister-in-law, why are you saying such a thing? I didn’t expect this beforehand. However, we are all members of the Jian family. What’s wrong if Grandpa Jian is willing to hand over his shares to Jian Yubo? Should I be crying about this instead?”

Wen Nuan got annoyed by looking at He Yan.

When He Yan saw the look on Wen Nuan’s face, she was secretly overjoyed.

Wen Nuan had been suppressing her for so many years!

In fact, a while ago, she had been intentionally trying to pick a bone with her.

It was such a relief to see Wen Nuan upset! In fact, there was nothing that Wen Nuan could do about it either.

Jian Shuxing and Jian Shuhong both looked quite worried.

They were worried about what was going to happen next.

They were afraid that Jian Yubo would do something that would harm their family.

However, there was nothing that they could do now. Even if he was going to sell the family business to someone else, they could only watch him do so.

When they arrived at the conference room, many of the other shareholders had already arrived. However, Jian Yubo had not yet arrived.

The other shareholders walked over to Jian Shuxing and Jian Shuhong:

“What’s going on? Why did the chairman suddenly give all of his shares to Jian Yubo?”

“Yeah, what’s going on here? Did something happen in the company? Will this have an impact on the company’s future plans?”

“Was this something that your family has discussed? Or did something unexpected happen?”

“Why did Grandpa Jian not hand the business into your hands? Why did he hand the shares directly to Young Master Yubo?”

Everyone was asking Jian Shuxing and Jian Shuhong questions. However, neither of them could answer the questions.

On the other hand, He Yan smiled at the shareholders. “Please rest assured, although a change in shareholding has occurred, the shareholding is still in the hands of our Jian family. This will not affect the company’s future development and the future of our Jian family either.”

“Is that true?”

The shareholders looked at He Yan. They were somewhat unsure of her words.

“Of course it’s true. Don’t worry. Jian Yubo is my child. He’s also a member of the Jian family. He will take good care of the Jian family business in the future. He will only make our family business become better. It will never go downhill. Please rest assured.”

He Yan patiently explained to the shareholders.

Despite He Yan's explanation, the shareholders were still skeptical of her words.

Jian Yumin and Jian Yujie arrived at the same time.

Both of them looked very anxious.

As soon as they entered, Jian Yumin rushed over to his mother and father and asked: "What's happening? How did Yubo get Grandpa Jian's shares? How did he become the biggest shareholder in the family? What's going on?"

Jian Shuhong had a sullen face. He didn't say a word in response.

HeYan explained: "It's nothing. Your grandpa willingly gave all his shares to your second brother."

"Mother, don't lie to me," Jian Yumin said. Although Jian Yumin did not care about the family business, he was not stupid either.

### **Chapter 423: Jian Yubo Holds a Shareholders' Meeting (3)**

"I have nothing to hide from you. Don't think about it too much. It's a good thing, not a bad thing. Stop being so nervous. Learn how to be happy," He Yan said in a relaxed tone. She smiled at her two sons.

Jian Yumin and Jian Yujie looked at He Yan. Despite their mother's words, they still felt quite uncomfortable.

Of course, they knew what their mother wanted.

And that meant that now that Jian Yubo got the shares of the Jian family, their mother was naturally going to be the happiest person.

However, their mother hadn't known about this! Jian Yubo had done such a thing without any of them knowing. This meant that he wasn't close to them anymore. A huge rift had appeared in their family.

After a while, the most important person of the day appeared in the conference room. Everyone had been waiting for him.

He was dressed in a black suit. His face and eyes appeared to be expressionless. It was impossible for people to look into his thoughts and emotions.

As soon as he saw Jian Yubo, Jian Yumin rushed up.

The two of them hadn't seen each other in months.

And this was the occasion that they were meeting in?!

And Jian Yubo had been in Hengyuan City for so long. He hadn't even told him about it!

Jian Yumin wasn't sure whether he was angrier or sadder.

"Yubo, tell me, why are you doing this?" Jian Yumin asked. His eyes were red and his fists were clenched. The veins on the back of his hands surfaced up.

He stared at his little brother's eyes. He tried to figure out Jian Yubo's innermost thoughts.

The two brothers were only three years apart. They had played together as children.

They had gotten through their childhood days together. Back then, they had been up to all sorts of mischief.

In fact, back in those days, the two brothers were very close. They played and joked around and had a solid relationship.

However, as they grew up, they each had their own careers. They didn't see each other as much as they used to.

This was especially after Jian Yumin entered the entertainment industry. He was incredibly busy in the first few years of his career. Jian Yumin refused to use his family background and He Yan's resources when he was a trainee. Due to this reason, he had to work incredibly hard. He didn't go home for most of the year.

However, he had always assumed that their relationship hadn't changed.

"There's no reason," Jian Yubo replied indifferently.

"What do you mean by that? Why would you do this for no reason at all? Didn't you tell me that what you like is Go? You said that your dream was to be a world-class Go player. Didn't you want to win several titles in a row?"

"Probably," Jian Yubo replied. He had indeed said that.

Jian Yujie also walked over. He appeared as though he was incredibly upset. He choked with emotion as he said: "Brother if this is what you want, I will support you. However, if you're not happy, just say so, okay?"

Just like Jian Yumin, Jian Yujie did not believe that his brother would change his dreams so easily.

He did not believe that his brother would force their grandparents to do things. He did not believe that his brother would hurt their family for the sake of power and money.

"I'm not unhappy," Jian Yubo replied.

His voice was calm and indifferent.

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As soon as Jian Yiling returned to Hengyuan City, she received a notice that Jian Yubo was going to hold a shareholders' meeting.

She got into the car that came to pick her up and headed to the company's headquarters.

When Jian Yiling arrived, the conference room was already full of people.

In the past, the person that sat at the very end of the conference table was Grandpa Jian.

But today, the person who sat there was Jian Yubo.

## Chapter 424: Newly-Appointed Chairman

He was dressed in a dark suit.

Just like before, he didn't have a slither of expression on his face.

It seemed as though attaining Grandpa Jian's shares didn't have any effect on him.

Other than He Yan, everyone in the conference room had a serious expression on their face. No one thought that this sudden change in shareholding would be a good thing.

Jian Yiling and Jian Yunmo had arrived together. After they arrived, they quietly found their seats and sat down.

Jian Shuxing and Wen Nuan were seated nearby. Wen Nuan asked Jian Yiling in a low voice: "Are you tired? If you're tired, you can go rest. We will stay here."

Jian Yiling shook her head gently.

Jian Yunmo said to his mother, "It's fine. On the way here, Yiling fell asleep on me. She slept all the way here. She just woke up."

When she was exposed by her second brother, Jian Yiling blushed a little.

When Jian Yunmo saw this, he laughed quietly.

As Wen Nuan looked at her two children, her gaze softened. The gloom on her face cleared a bit.

Although such a thing had happened to the Jian family business, at least her family was still okay.

Everyone was there except for the Third Household of the Jian family. As of now, they were still in another part of the country. Other than them, the rest of the Jian family and the shareholders of the Jian family business were all there.

Jian Yubo started off by asking everyone: "From now on, I am the Chairman of the Board of Directors. Does anyone have a problem with that?"

The other shareholders didn't hold a large portion of the shares. And thus, although they had their doubts, no one decided to speak up.

They knew that they could not interfere in an internal battle of the Jian family.

The first person to speak was Jian Shuxing: "The shares you originally held and the shares that your Grandpa gave you make up more than fifty percent of the Jian family business. We have no right to oppose you if you want to be the Chairman of the company."

As Jian Shuxing said this, no one else had any objection.

Jian Yubo's eyes fell on Jian Yuncheng.

The most likely person in the room to have an objection would be him.

"Do as you wish," Jian Yuncheng replied.

Although his face was unpleasant, his answer to Jian Yubo's question was very direct and straightforward.

Grandpa Jian had already informed them about the transfer of shares in advance. Both Jian Shuxing and Jian Yuncheng had been mentally prepared for this.

As no one had any objection, Jian Yubo would take over Grandpa Jian's role as the Chairman.

As the dust settled, a great joy rose in He Yan's heart.

Her long-cherished wish was realized. Her dreams had become reality! He Yan was so happy and excited that she almost burst into tears.

However, Jian Yubo did not show any joy or excitement.

His eyes looked at the people in front of him. After he made sure that all the people who should be there had arrived, Jian Yubo slowly spoke:

"I have a personnel change to make."

After hearing these words, He Yan already had thoughts in her mind.

There was no doubt that the changes had to do with reducing the power of Jian Shuxing's family in the Jian family business.

As they had already gotten the reins of the Jian family, they naturally couldn't let other members of the family give them orders anymore. They had to cultivate their own power in the Jian family.

Everyone's attention was captured by Jian Yubo. Jian Yubo's words concerned their personal interest.

"Fire the vice president, Jian Shuhong."

#### **Chapter 425: Just As You Did Before**

Jian Yubo's voice was incredibly clear.

However, his words shocked the entire conference room.

Was he talking about Jian Shuhong and not Jian Shuxing?

The person that he wanted to fire was his own father and not his uncle?!

The smile on He Yan's face suddenly froze.

At first, He Yan suspected that she had heard wrong. However, after she saw her husband's equally surprised expression, she knew that she hadn't heard wrong.

"Yubo, did you say the wrong thing? Why do you want to fire your father?" He Yan asked anxiously.

"There's no mistake. I want to fire him," Jian Yubo replied calmly.

Jian Yubo wanted to fire Jian Shuhong. This was different from what everyone had initially thought.

Everyone in the Jian family was shocked. They couldn't understand what Jian Yubo was doing.

“Why?” He Yan asked. Her face was full of astonishment.

“There’s no reason why,” Jian Yubo responded indifferently.

“What do you mean by that?” He Yan cried out. She began to become agitated. “He’s your father! You become the Chairman and the first thing that you do is fire your father? And you’re not giving me a reason either?!”

Jian Shuhong looked at his son in a daze. He spoke with great difficulty: “Do you hate me?”

“Not really.”

There was no hatred.

However, there was not much of a father-son bond either.

When Jian Yubo was scolded by He Yan, he had expected his father to come to his rescue. However, his father had never shown up.

Did Jian Shuhong ever do anything bad to Jian Yubo?

No.

He hadn’t done anything bad to Jian Yubo. Nor had he done anything bad to Jian Yumin and Jian Yujie.

However, Jian Shuhong hadn’t taken part in their upbringing. If their father had been more aware and more involved in their lives, they wouldn’t have been forced by their mother to do so many things that they didn’t want to do.

And thus, Jian Yubo didn’t hate his father. However, he had no feelings for his father either.

When he heard his son’s cold and indifferent reply, Jian Shuhong’s body was chilled to the bone. His heart stung with pain.

Jian Shuhong was a very gentle man. He was a man who trusted his family and his wife with all his heart.

And thus, after Grandpa Jian handed over the responsibility of running the company to him and his elder brother, he gave his all to his work.

He left his wife to raise and educate his children.

He never knew that what he was doing was indulging He Yan. He didn’t know that his inaction had traumatized and inflicted pain on his children.

He Yan was furious: “Yubo, what exactly do you want? You promised me... You said that...”

He said that he would help her get her hands on the Jian family business!

However, now that he managed to do so, why was the first thing that he did the opposite of what she had expected?!

“Did I? I only said that I would help you get what you wanted. I didn’t say that I would hand it over to you after I got it,” Jian Yubo replied.



“What?” He Yan stammered. She looked stunned.

What did he mean by that?!

“Just as you did before,” Jian Yubo said.

Before?

He Yan was incredibly confused: “What are you babbling about? What did I do before? What did I ever do to you?”

It wasn't just He Yan who was confused. Everyone in the conference room was incredibly confused.

What was Jian Yubo doing? He seemed to be targeting his parents.

Jian Yumin and Jian Yujie were at a loss as well. However, there was a vague answer in their minds.

He Yan pondered for a while. She tried to figure out the reason why Jian Yubo was like this.

Then, she tried to soften her tone: “Yubo, why are you angry with your parents? Let's talk about it at home okay? This is at the company. Please, I beg you. Don't bring your resent over here.”

#### **Chapter 426: Want You To Divorce**

He Yan thought that whatever unhappiness that had happened between them in the past was a matter for home.

However, Jian Yubo brought this matter to the company. He was making a big deal out of nothing.

As the person in charge of the company was Jian Yubo, He Yan did not dare to shout at him. Instead, she tried to solve the conflict between them.

“I'm not angry,” Jian Yubo said. “I got you what you wanted. However, I'm not going to give it to you. It's the same as what you did in the past.”

“You...” He Yan stammered. She looked at Jian Yubo for a while before the events of that day slowly came to her mind.

She had found the Go record that he had been looking for for a long time. She had brought it to him, and...

He Yan's eyes widened in horror as she remembered this. She was unable to believe that everything had started with such a trivial matter!

“Jian Yubo! You're crazy! It was just a Go record!”

It was only a record!

However, he was holding the company of the Jian family!

It wasn't the same!

The two items were not of equal value.

“It's the same,” Jian Yubo replied indifferently.

He didn't have any emotional ups and downs.

As he looked at He Yan, there was no sign of hate or anger in his eyes. In fact, he didn't even seem happy that he got his revenge.

Rather, it seemed as though he was mechanically replaying the pain that had been engraved in his memory.

The old and yellowing Go record was engraved in his memory. It was a precious object that he had not found for a long time.

It was not only a record to him. Rather, it was his dream. It was the innocence and naivety that he once had. It was the trust and dependence that he had on his parents.

He Yan had found the record for him. She had brought him the record as well. However, in the end, she had torn it to pieces in front of him.

Some things were not heavy for their value. Instead, it was heavy for the fact that it may very likely be the last straw that broke the camel's back.

It was the last straw on top of the pain that had been built up over the years. The pain of being forced to do things that he didn't want, being disciplined, and being scolded.

He Yan was about to become mad.

Never could she have imagined that he was taking revenge on her for that incident!

He used the wealth of the Jian family to take revenge! This was the thing that she cared for and wanted the most!

He had gotten her what she wanted. He had made her think that she had it in her grasps! However, he took what she cherished the most right in front of her.

Before He Yan could regain her senses, Jian Yubo took out an agreement that he had drawn up a long time ago. He got his assistant to bring it to Jian Shuhong and He Yan.

As Jian Yubo's assistant approached them, Jian Shuhong and He Yan had a bad premonition.

Jian Yubo was like a dangerous blade that had been unleashed into the world.

Originally, He Yan thought that this blade would be directed at Jian Shuxing's family. However, that blade had been directed at her instead!

Jian Shuhong and He Yan's face turned pale when they read the agreement.

It was a divorce agreement that had been drawn up by Jian Yubo.

"Yubo, what are you doing?" He Yan cried out. She couldn't help but raise her voice. The flames of her anger were already burning.

He Yan was shivering with anger.

Earlier, she was incredibly happy that Jian Yubo had become the Chairman of the company. However, now, she was angry, sad and frightened!

“I want you two to divorce,” Jian Yubo said.

It was a quiet sentence. However, it was like a bomb that had been set off. The whole conference room was dumbfounded.

He Yan was so angry that she began to shout: “Are you crazy? How in the world can a son draw up a divorce agreement for his own parents?!”

Chapter 427: Set Up By Her Son

The divorce agreement also marked a lot of clauses to restrict He Yan.

Even the division of property had already been drawn up for them by Jian Yubo.

As long as He Yan signed the agreement, she wouldn't be able to get a single penny of Jian Shuhong's money.

At this moment, the entire conference room was still stunned. Everyone watched without saying a word.

This was a private matter for the Jian Shuhong family. No one else, including Jian Shuxing, could interfere with the matter.

Jian Yuncheng, Jian Yunmo, and even Jian Yiling, all just watched.

They had no right to interfere in this matter.

Both Jian Yumin and Jian Yujie looked at Jian Yubo with pained expressions. However, they couldn't say a single word either.

They were upset that their family had turned into this. Their hearts were torn apart by the pain of what had happened to their home.

No child in their right mind would want their family to break up.

However, they didn't speak out against Jian Yubo.

This was because they understood why he was doing this.

They could understand part of his feelings.

They knew that something was going on between their mother and him. It was something that they didn't know about.

Although they didn't know what had happened, they knew that it must have caused him a lot of pain.

It was the kind of pain that both brothers had tasted. But perhaps, the pain that they tasted was not as much as Jian Yubo's.

Jian Yubo didn't answer He Yan's words. Instead, he looked at Jian Shuhong and said to him in a very calm tone: “You have two choices. One, sign this divorce agreement and rescind your relationship with

her. Two, I will sell all my shares of the Jian family business. I've already contacted a buyer. The Jian family business can change owners at any time."

When Jian Shuhong heard the last few sentences, he almost fainted.

This was their son!

And he had said all of that in such a light-hearted manner!

He was threatening his father with the shares of the Jian family. He was threatening him with the business of the Jian family! And what he wanted was for him to divorce his wife!

That was the shares of the Jian family! If he sold those shares, he would destroy the family's century-old foundation!

"You can't sell the shares of the Jian family! This is the Jian family business! It's been passed down from our ancestors!" Jian Shuhong cried out. He was furious, angry, and confused.

Jian Shuhong didn't understand why this was happening. How could his well-behaved and obedient son turn out to be like this?

But when he thought about it, he realized that he didn't know his son had become like this until this very moment. He had undoubtedly failed his duty as a father.

Jian Shuhong was overwhelmed by remorse and pain.

"If you don't want me to sell the shares, then sign the agreement," Jian Yubo said.

When he said this, his expression was still cold and indifferent.

Jian Shuhong's voice was low and depressed as he asked: "Yubo, what do you really want?"

"I want you to get a divorce." His purpose was clear.

He Yan snarled at Jian Yubo: "You're crazy! You're actually crazy! You got the Jian family business because you want to destroy your own family!? Do you want to destroy your own parents!? We are your parents! We gave birth to you, and this is how you repay us?!"

Jian Yubo didn't feel the slightest bit of emotion due to He Yan's words.

Instead, he told He Yan: "All the assets under your name are still under collateral. If you want that money back, then you have to sign this agreement."

He Yan's face was deathly white. She couldn't believe that she had been set up by her own son to such an extent!

### **Chapter 428: He Yan's Retribution (1)**

From the very beginning, he had never wanted to help her!

From the very beginning, he had planned to ruin everything for her!

He Yan had thought that the person who wanted to ruin her would be Jian Shuxing. It would be Wen Nuan, Jian Yuncheng, or even Jian Yiling.

However, she never imagined that the person who would do this to her was Jian Yubo! That was her son!

Jian Yujie looked at his family in front of him. His heart was filled with sadness.

He remembered the day when he and his mother had argued.

He remembered the conflict that existed in their family.

He also remembered the pain and despair that he felt when he chose to betray his sister.

If his sister hadn't taken him by the hand at that time and forgiven him for his betrayal, it was likely that he wouldn't be able to get over that remorse.

He could imagine the pain and despair that his second brother suffered for him to take things this far.

"Get a divorce."

A small voice spoke out and broke the silence. His voice was extraordinarily clear.

Everyone looked at Jian Yujie who had spoken those words.

He Yan turned her head and looked at Jian Yujie: "What did you say?"

Jian Yujie's expression was full of pain but he still repeated his words: "You, should get a divorce..."

His voice wasn't loud however, it was filled with pain.

It was difficult for a child to say these words.

But this time, Jian Yujie chose to stand by his second brother.

This was not only for the sake of his brother, but rather, it was also because he wanted to protect this family. He wanted to protect the rest of his family members.

Everyone was shocked.

He Yan had three sons. Two of whom were now trying to persuade her to divorce their father.

If only one child had done this, it could have been the child's own fault. But now that both of them had said the same thing, the fault indeed seemed to lie with the mother.

Jian Yumin looked at Jian Yujie. He was surprised that the most soft-hearted of the three brothers would be the first to voice his opinion. He was surprised that Jian Yujie supported the divorce.

Suddenly, it seemed to dawn upon Jian Yumin that although he was the oldest of the three brothers, he was also probably the happiest.

He was the first to fail. And that was why his mother had been even harsher on his brothers.

Looking at the scene in front of him and looking at his two brothers, tears began to unconsciously well in Jian Yumin's eyes.

He Yan was about to become mad. Jian Yubo and Jian Yujie were both trying to force her to get a divorce!

“Jian Yujie, even if your second brother is crazy, does that mean that you have to be crazy with him?! Have you guys been poisoned by someone? I’m your mother. I’ve raised you! Did I not clothe you and feed you? Why are you doing this to me? Do you even think of me as your mother?!”

He Yan continued to yell. The graceful and calm demeanor that she had when she first stepped into the conference room had completely disappeared.

“Mother, you mean a lot to me! I love you as well! You’re my mother. How can I not love you? How can I not want us to be happy together as a family?” Jian Yujie sobbed. His eyes were red and tears were rolling down his face.

“Then what are you doing? Why are you joining your second brother’s madness?”

“Mother!” Jian Yujie sobbed in pain, “If Yiling hadn’t hidden the whole thing for the sake of us brothers, Grandpa Jian and Grandma Jian would have known about what you did!”

“Jian Yujie, shut up! Who are you talking to! I’m your mother!” He Yan shouted at Jian Yujie.

“Mother, do you want me to make it clearer? How long have you been hiding the surveillance video of Jian Yunnao’s accident? Do you want me to be clearer with my words? I know what you want to do.”

#### **Chapter 429: He Yan’s Retribution (2)**

Jian Yujie began to cry after he finished shouting.

“Yujie, what are you talking about?” Jian Shuhong asked. He was incredibly confused.

“I’ll tell you,” Jian Yuncheng said as he stepped forward. His voice was cold. “Initially, when my sister handed us the CCTV footage, she didn’t let us know where the footage came from. However, after our investigation, we realized that something was fishy with a maid in our household. As our maid interacted with He Yan, we figured out that she had been secretly trying to destroy our family.”

“Yuncheng... You...” Jian Shuhong stammered. He looked at his eldest nephew with eyes filled with disbelief.

“Second uncle, everything that I have said today is true. Your wife has been trying to ruin us behind our backs. She tried to ruin Yiling and Yunnao. She wanted our family to collapse so that she could get a bigger share of the family fortune.”

“No... That’s not... Not...” Jian Shuhong started. His expression was painful. It seemed as though he was about to break down.

He and He Yan had been married for thirty years! They had shared the bed for so many years together! And now, they were telling him that his partner had been scheming against his family?

Jian Shuhong turned his head to look at He Yan. His eyes locked on the face that he knew incredibly well.

His wife... The wife that he had lived with for thirty years...

“Shuhong...” He Yan started. She was in a state of complete panic.

The questioning look in her husband’s eyes was like a sharp blade that stabbed her directly in the chest.

“Tell me that what Yujie and Yuncheng said was not true. Tell me that you did not do those things to hurt my family!” Jian Shuhong cried out. His eyes were scarlet and his chest was heaving violently.

“No... No, no...” He Yan denied repeatedly.

Jian Yuncheng interrupted. His voice coldly cut off He Yan’s last trace of hope.

“We have more than enough evidence to prove that you did all of those things. If you want to see the evidence, we can show the evidence right now.”

He Yan’s face turned deathly white. She knew that what Jian Yuncheng said was not a lie.

Jian Shuhong wanted to believe in his wife. However, the truth was in front of him. He couldn’t believe any excuse that she made up.

Unable to argue, He Yan looked at Jian Shuhong. She saw the warmth in his eyes slowly drain away.

When she saw this, she was terrified: “I... I... I’m doing this for us! Shuhong, you need to believe in me! I love you!”

Jian Shuhong painfully asked He Yan: “Why would you do all of these things if you love me? If you love me, you should know that my brother and I are very close! We’re a family! Why would you do this? We have a good family... We have three lovely sons... I always thought... I always thought...”

Jian Shuhong turned his head to look at his three sons. Despair struck his heart.

He had always thought that his family had gotten along well. He thought his son’s hearts were filled with love and happiness.

However, this wasn’t the case.

His son’s hearts were full of hate.

They hated their mother. And they hated him as well.

If his wife was wrong, how was he not wrong? He hadn’t even noticed! He believed that their family was perfect!

He Yan was driven to the brink by Jian Shuhong’s questioning.

He Yan reached out and took Jian Shuhong’s arm: “Shuhong, I really do love you! I only did it for the sake of our family!”

“So you really did those things? Did you really place someone around your brother and sister-in-law? Did you really attempt to destroy their family? Did you really hide the video of Yunnao falling down the stairs? And did you really try to hurt Yiling and Yunnao?!”

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“No, no...” He Yan denied. She shook her head repeatedly.

She could only repeat the word ‘no’. She was unable to make any more arguments.

“Are you done arguing?” Jian Yubo interrupted.

He was indifferent to the pain of his blood relatives. He didn't care that they were arguing. It was as though he was an outsider that had nothing to do with them.

"If you've finished arguing, then sign the agreement," Jian Yubo said to Jian Shuhong and He Yan.

Jian Yubo knew very well that they would both sign the divorce agreement.

Jian Shuhong would definitely sign the agreement as he was threatening him with the shares of the Jian family.

Jian Yuncheng also persuaded his second uncle to sign the agreement: "Second uncle, you should sign the agreement. The Jian family cannot keep such a woman in the family. She jeopardizes our family."

As the matter had already come to this point, Jian Yuncheng no longer cared about his second uncle's feelings.

It would be better to finish the matter once and for all.

"Don't... Shuhong... Don't..." He Yan pulled on Jian Shuhong's arm and begged desperately.

She couldn't get a divorce!

She couldn't get a divorce!!!

"No, Shuhong... Please, I beg you. We've been married for thirty years! I've been taking care of our family for thirty years! I've been devoted to you and our children. Can you really let our thirty-year marriage go?"

Jian Shuhong looked at his wife who was in tears. He couldn't bear to sign the divorce agreement.

His heart was being torn by two forces.

It was not easy to let go of a thirty-year marriage.

Until today, he hadn't thought there was anything wrong with his wife.

But on the other side were his sons, his brother and sister-in-law, his nieces, and his nephews.

More importantly, Jian Yubo was threatening him with the Jian family business.

"I will count down ten seconds," Jian Yubo said. He glanced at his watch and then started to count: "Ten, nine..."

Jian Yubo knew that Jian Shuhong was a gentle person. And thus, if he wanted him to make a decision, he would have to force him into a desperate situation.

"Eight, seven, six..."

"I'll sign it!" Jian Shuhong cried out. This was just as Jian Yubo had predicted.

He Yan looked at the name on the divorce agreement and her face turned pale.

Then, the agreement was brought in front of He Yan.



Jian Yubo continued to speak to his mother: "You also have ten seconds to decide. If you do not sign the agreement, you will lose all of your assets. I will also file a lawsuit against the companies that you've invested in for fraudulent accounts."

"Jian Yubo, you're really something!" He Yan shouted. Her body was so weak that she fell to the ground.

However, Jian Yubo's assistant stooped down and still put the agreement in front of her.

"Ten, nine, eight..."

Jian Yubo began to count down without emotion.

No matter what He Yan said, it did not affect his mood or decision.

He Yan gripped the pen with difficulty and signed her name on the agreement.

Then, Jian Yubo said: "My assistant will accompany you to complete the divorce formalities."

He would see them through until the divorce was complete.

There was no room for maneuver for Jian Shuhong and He Yan.

"Yubo," Jian Yumin called out. His voice was rough and pained as he asked: "Are we still your family?"

The divorce of his parents was a foregone conclusion.

Jian Yumin hadn't expected things to end this way.

He didn't hate his mother as much as Yubo did. However, he understood that the divorce wasn't necessarily a bad thing for the family.

What he was worried about now was his second brother. His brother seemed so far away from them.

What he had done seemed like revenge. However, Jian Yumin hadn't seen the slightest bit of pleasure on his brother's face even though he had succeeded.