

Sidekick 851

Chapter 851: Suffering the Consequences of One's Own Actions (6)

Zhai Yunsheng's words were indeed effective.

Cai Qinyue immediately shut up. Even Wen Ruo did not dare to make another sound.

Even though Cai Qinyue was terrified, she still refused to accept this. And thus, she asked: "The Wen family is Wen Nuan's original home. Would you really do that to your mother-in-law?"

Zhai Yunsheng smiled before he replied: "Oh? Are you reminding me that the Cai family exists as well?"

The Cai family wasn't considered to be a rich and powerful family in Beijing. Therefore, if Zhai Yunsheng wanted to end the livelihood of the Cai family, for him, it would be as simple as crushing an ant.

Upon hearing these words, Cai Qinyue was completely stunned. She stared at Zhai Yunsheng and did not dare to say another word.

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Then, Zhai Yunsheng said to Wen Cheng: "I will send a bodyguard to escort your family back home."

Zhai Yunsheng used the word 'escort', but in reality, his bodyguard was there to keep a close watch over them.

This was done in order to ensure that Cai Qinyue and Wen Ruo wouldn't do something out of desperation.

Furthermore, with a bodyguard watching over them, even if Cai Qinyue returned home, she wouldn't dare to argue with Wen Cheng.

Otherwise, the Cai family would suffer from Zhai Yunsheng's revenge.

Cai Qinyue felt a chill rise from the soles of her feet.

Zhai Yunsheng was keeping an eye on her!

However, she couldn't do anything either!

Wen Ruo's face was pale and bloodless. She didn't even react when her father and mother helped her get up.

After this, the three members of the Wen family left the Huan You Technology Corporation in pain and despair.

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The next day, the matter regarding Wen Ruo's cheating in the jewelry design competition spread like wildfire across Beijing.

The coordinators and organizers of the competition responded quickly and revoked Wen Ruo's award.

In addition, XDL also made a response. They immediately fired Wen Ruo.

Because Wen Ruo was only an intern, XDL could fire her at any time without any financial repercussions.

Furthermore, because of this lawsuit, the company that Cai Qinyue started up with all her money closed down for good.

The customers who received finished products also came to their doors to settle their accounts.

After all, they were all respected individuals in their respective circles. However, they spent a lot of money buying pieces of jewelry when the designs had been stolen. Therefore, it was impossible for them to ever wear these pieces of jewelry.

In order to appease the anger of these individuals, Wen Cheng paid out a large sum of money.

Despite this, everyone looked down upon Wen Ruo.

As soon as Wen Ruo opened her phone, she would see messages that criticized and cursed at her.

After these series of blows, Wen Ruo fell physically ill.

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Once Jian Yumin knew that he was about to become a father, he became incredibly excited.

Whenever he saw anything that could be used by a little girl, he could not stop himself from purchasing it.

And thus, after a while, the entire house was filled with pink and fluffy clothes and toys.

“How can you be sure that it’s a girl? What if it’s a boy?” Grandma Jian asked.

“Boys are naughty and mischievous. On the other hand, they love to fight. How can they even compare with girls? Girls are so soft and cute. They’re super adorable.” Jian Yumin replied. Then, he added: “Grandma, don’t tell me you don’t want your first great-grandchild to be a girl.”

“Hmph, I just need Yiling,” Grandma Jian replied. She refused to admit that she also wanted a cute great-granddaughter.

“Hahaha, Grandma, stop lying. Don’t worry, you can hug my daughter when she gets born~”

“Shoo, shoo. If you have what it takes, get Luo Xiuen’s name onto your household registration. Make sure that she’s part of your family! For now, you don’t even know whose surname the child is going to take! Why are you so proud?”

Grandma Jian’s words immediately made Jian Yumin shut up.

Jian Yumin was rather confused. After all, he assumed that he was still quite charming. However, why was his charm ineffective on Luo Xiuen?

Wasn’t she a fan of his before?

Was it because of age?!

But he wasn't even thirty years old yet!

Chapter 852: Getting a Sister-in-Law (1)

In the afternoon, Jian Yiling planned to go and visit Luo Xiuen.

However, before she left she dawdled in her room for ages. Upon realizing this, Zhai Yunsheng became quite curious. As a result, he walked over to the door of Jian Yiling's room. Then, he saw Jian Yiling rummaging through a large suitcase.

Jian Yiling knelt on the ground as she rummaged through the large suitcase.

The suitcase in front of Jian Yiling was filled with jewelry.

The jewelry pieces were gifts from Master Zhai, the Second Master of the Zhai family, and Zhai Yunsheng.

Some other pieces were given to her by her mother and grandma.

And the remaining pieces were given to her by her business partners and friends.

Typically, people would place these things into a safe. However, Jian Yiling stuffed everything into a suitcase.

After rummaging for a while, Jian Yiling finally took out a gold bracelet and an emerald jade pendant.

Zhai Yunsheng concluded that Jian Yiling planned to give these items to Luo Xiuen's child.

"Those two pieces are too heavy. They're not suited for children," Zhai Yunsheng said as he leaned against the door frame.

"I don't have anything smaller," Jian Yiling replied whilst frowning.

"Let's go and order a set tomorrow," Zhai Yunsheng said.

"Then what about today?"

"Just bring Luo Xiuen some delicious food today."

"Oh right."

Jian Yiling hurriedly got up and ran into the kitchen.

After she cooked the food, she placed the food into a thermal cup.

On the way to his company, Zhai Yunsheng dropped Jian Yiling off at Luo Xiuen's apartment.

Luo Xiuen was taking a few days off work. Currently, she was resting in her apartment.

It took Luo Xiuen a few days to finally accept the reality of her pregnancy.

Somehow, she felt excited yet bewildered at the same time.

When Luo Xiuen saw Jian Yiling, she was incredibly happy. She hugged Jian Yiling and cried out: "Darling, let me take a good look at you! Apparently, your child's appearance will grow into what you frequently

look at during your pregnancy. Therefore, I want to keep staring at you! In fact, I even want to take a few pictures of you! Then, I can stare at you all day and all night!”

“What if it’s a boy?” Jian Yiling asked.

Theoretically, the probability of the child being a boy or a girl was the same.

“No! It can’t be a boy! It must be a girl! During my working hours, all I see are males! Males fill up the institution! I can’t go home to see another male! My dream of having a younger sister has already been shattered! Therefore, this child must be a daughter!”

“Then, when can I call you sister-in-law?” Jian Yiling asked.

Jian Yiling’s fluttering eyes were filled with anticipation.

“But...” Luo Xiuen started. “I’m... I’m not worthy of your brother!”

“You are worthy,” Jian Yiling replied with certainty.

“But... Your brother is amazing. I’m just his fan... How can a fan sleep with her idol? That’s disgraceful!”

“You’ve already slept with him.”

“Ah... Please don’t burst my bubble... I just lost control... And followed my heart...”

The alcohol gave her the courage to lay her hands on her idol.

“You followed your heart? That means you like Brother Yumin no?” Jian Yiling asked.

“Darling, when did you become so good at reading between the lines?” Luo Xiuen said. She was slightly amazed.

Then, Luo Xiuen sighed again: “Ahh, either way, I’m not worthy of your brother.”

“But Brother Yumin likes you as well, ” Jian Yiling said.

“That’s... How is that possible? Why would a man like me romantically? Usually, they treat me like a brother. Just like Cheng Yi.”

Chapter 853: Getting a Sister-in-Law (2)

In the eyes of Cheng Yi, only people that had pale skin, long legs, big breasts, and wide hips were classified as women.

Although Luo Xiuen was quite tall and her legs were not regarded as short, her body was not shapely like that.

Instead, she had a lot of muscle on her arms and stomach. This was the case even when compared against a man.

And thus, Luo Xiuen assumed that in the eyes of men, all of them treated her as a brother. Jian Yumin was no exception to this.

Hence, in order not to burden Jian Yumin, she placed all of the responsibility of that night onto herself.

Jian Yiling did not know much about romantic relationships. However, she knew that Luo Xiuen was worthy to be her sister-in-law. Despite this, she didn't really know what Jian Yumin thinking..

"Forget about it. Even if I don't become your sister-in-law, I still want my child to look like you~ Hehehe~"

Luo Xiuen was a happy-go-lucky person. She didn't want to think too much about things she did not understand.

"Bang, bang, bang——"

A series of knocks could be heard.

"Luo Xiuen, open the door!" Jian Yumin called out. His voice was incredibly charming.

However, upon hearing Jian Yumin's voice, Luo Xiuen instantly became terrified.

"Ahhhh! What do I do? Why is... Why is your brother here? What do I do?"

If someone didn't know better, they would have assumed that Jian Yumin was a demon. After all, Luo Xiuen typically feared nothing. Why else would someone like her be terrified of someone?

However, Jian Yiling got up and went to open the door.

Upon seeing this, Luo Xiuen's heart howled in grief. Yiling, how could you do this to me?!

She wanted Yiling to think of a solution for her... She didn't want her to open the door and let Jian Yumin in...

Jian Yumin entered Luo Xiuen's apartment with a large suitcase.

Upon seeing this, Luo Xiuen jumped: "What are you doing? What are you dragging?"

Jian Yumin: "My luggage."

Luo Xiuen: "Why... Why do you need your luggage?"

Jian Yumin: "I want to live here."

Luo Xiuen: "Live... Here?!"

Jian Yumin: "I want to take care of you and your baby."

Luo Xiuen: "There's no need for that. I'm fine. I don't need to be taken care of."

Jian Yumin: "But it's my responsibility."

Luo Xiuen: "No no. It's fine. You don't need to take responsibility."

Luo Xiuen thought to herself: Ahh, she couldn't live under the same roof as him! She wouldn't be able to control herself!

Jian Yumin: "I took part in creating the baby as well. Even if I don't need to take care of you, I need to take care of the baby."

Jian Yumin's reason was quite valid.

Luo Xiuen cried out in grief: "Brother Yumin, please don't do this! I won't be able to control myself!"

Jian Yumin: "Control yourself?"

Upon hearing this question, Jian Yiling replied: "She might take advantage of you again."

Luo Xiuen wanted to cover Jian Yiling's mouth with her hand however, it was too late.

Jian Yumin: "Huh?"

Then, Jian Yumin snatched Jian Yiling away from Luo Xiuen.

"Yiling, what do you mean by that?"

"Yiling, please don't say anything!" Luo Xiuen begged. Her hands were clasped together as she said her prayers.

"Yiling, ignore her. Tell me the truth."

"Yiling!"

Jian Yiling looked at Luo Xiuen before she looked at Jian Yumin.

After a slight moment of hesitation, Jian Yiling answered Jian Yumin's question: "She likes you."

And thus, Luo Xiuen was sold out by Jian Yiling.

Ahhh! It was doomed!

Luo Xiuen wanted to escape her apartment however, she was blocked by Jian Yumin.

Jian Yumin: "You like me?"

"I... I..." Luo Xiuen stuttered. She didn't know what to say.

Jian Yumin: "Then why are you running away?"

Luo Xiuen lowered her head and did not dare to look into Jian Yumin's eyes.

Jian Yiling: "Sister En thinks that she's not good enough for you."

Chapter 854: Getting a Sister-in-Law (3)

Upon hearing this, Jian Yumin's face sank. Anger could be visibly seen on his face as his eyes locked onto Luo Xiuen.

"Why do you think that I don't like you? And who are you to make that decision for me?" Jian Yumin angrily questioned Luo Xiuen.

“I...” Luo Xiuen stuttered.

“I’m not a horny bastard! I wouldn’t just sleep with any woman that comes my way!”

Upon hearing this, Luo Xiuen was completely dumbfounded.

However, Jian Yumin angrily continued: “Or do you take me as a shameless person who sleeps around with his fans?”

Luo Xiuen hurriedly shook her head: “No, no. You’re not!”

Although Luo Xiuen was confused, she still trusted Jian Yumin’s character. She had absolutely no doubt about it..

Jian Yumin continued to ask: “Then what are you questioning? Why do you think that I don’t like you? What makes you say that you’re not worthy? Why do you think you’re not good enough?”

Luo Xiuen: “I...”

Jian Yumin: “Luo Xiuen, I like you! I only slept with you because I like you!”

Luo Xiuen’s eyes widened with surprise. Her brain completely left her skull.

Brother Yumin confessed to her...

Taking advantage of the situation, Jian Yumin lowered his head and kissed Luo Xiuen.

He used his actions to tell Luo Xiuen that she was who he liked. He liked her romantically and wanted to be with her. This was the case regardless of whether he was sober or drunk.

The moment she got kissed, Luo Xiuen’s legs became weak. In fact, everything in her body felt weak.

Luo Xiuen responded passively to Jian Yumin.

With this kiss, Jian Yumin clearly told Luo Xiuen that he liked her. It didn’t matter that she was different from average girls.

“You shouldn’t mess around in the early stages of pregnancy.”

Suddenly, a soft voice interrupted Luo Xiuen and Jian Yumin.

Luo Xiuen and Jian Yumin separated in a flash.

They forgot that Jian Yiling was still beside them!

Jian Yiling continued to advise the two of them: “You need to wait until the baby is a little older. Then, you can proceed with doing the business of reproducing offspring.”

Although Luo Xiuen and Jian Yumin were not thin-skinned individuals, Jian Yiling’s words still made them incredibly embarrassed. Both their faces became flushed red.

Yiling... How could she just say those things...

Then, Jian Yiling asked with a calm expression on her face: “When are you getting your marriage certificate?”

Luo Xiuen: "Marriage... Marriage certificate? Isn't this a bit too fast?"

Jian Yiling: "The baby needs to be on the family register."

Jian Yiling cared a lot about her future nephew or niece.

Jian Yumin: "Yiling is right. My daughter needs to have a father."

Then, Jian Yumin asked Luo Xiuen: "Is there anything else you want from me? Just request anything. I will manage."

Luo Xiuen hurriedly shook her head: "No... Nothing at all..."

Currently, Luo Xiuen felt that her whole body was floating on clouds. Her heart was beat rapidly when Jian Yumin got close to her.

In front of Jian Yumin, Luo Xiuen was defenseless.

Jian Yumin: "Then ask your family to send over their household registration booklet. We will go and get our marriage certificate."

For the sake of their child, they would get their marriage certificate first. Then, they could plan a wedding!

Luo Xiuen: "Oh... Okay..."

Jian Yumin: "Does your family expect something from their son-in-law?"

Jian Yumin planned to visit Luo Xiuen's parents in the next few days. He wanted to ensure that everything went well.

Luo Xiuen: "My parents want a man to be my husband."

This was the only requirement Luo Xiuen's parents set for her.

They didn't dare to ask too much of her.

Chapter 855: Research Institution: Thank You Brother Yumin

After confirming their relationship, at the request of Jian Yumin, Luo Xiuen took him to meet some of her colleagues that were currently in Beijing.

In a sense, this made their relationship public.

When Luo Xiuen's colleagues saw Jian Yumin, they were very happy.

They all lined up to shake hands with Jian Yumin.

"Comrade, it must be difficult for you!"

"You're amazing."

"As expected of a member of Jupiter. You're absolutely extraordinary!"

“You may suffer a lot in the future.”

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“If you’re suffering, you can tell us whenever.”

“Brother Yumin, from now on, you will be the son-in-law of everyone in our research institution. If you need help with anything, just ask us! We only have one request. Please don’t ever break up with Sister En.”

“Yes, yes. Never break up with her please.”

None of them had seen Sister En heartbroken. However, this was something that none of them wanted to see either.

And thus, in their eyes, Jian Yumin appeared to be a matchless and unrivaled hero.

Naturally, Luo Xiuen knew what her colleagues were thinking.

They were assuming that she wouldn’t bully them anymore now that she had a partner.

However, if they dared to speak nonsense in front of Jian Yumin, she would skin them!

When Cheng Yi saw Luo Xiuen acting ‘cute and helpless’, he was absolutely terrified. In fact, it was scarier than seeing the world ending.

If he weren’t afraid of being cut by Sister En, he would have taken his phone out to take a picture of the scene in front of him.

This was definitely a memorable scene.

When Cheng Yi found an opportunity to talk to Jian Yumin without Luo Xiuen’s presence beside them, he said: “Brother Yumin, from today onwards, you are my idol.”

There was absolutely no other person in this world who could tame Sister En.

Jian Yumin’s tone was a bit harsh as he replied: “I hope that Dr. Cheng will keep some distance from Xiuen in the future.”

Cheng Yi was flabbergasted for a moment before he finally realized what Jian Yumin meant.

Was Jian Yumin jealous?

Oh my!

A person beside them heard their conversation. They laughed before they said: “Don’t worry about it. Cheng Yi likes girls who have nice curves. Sister En is definitely a brother to him.”

Jian Yumin: “That’s good. I’m relatively open-minded. I accept my fiancée having friends of the opposite sex but please be mindful of your actions as well.”

After all, despite being open-minded, he still couldn’t accept his wife getting too close to other men.

Cheng Yi raised a hand and swore to the heavens: "I promise to be in a purely platonic relationship with Sister En. Nothing else will happen."

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After that incident, Wen Ruo didn't leave her house for an entire week.

Cai Qinyue was incredibly worried about her daughter. And thus, she exaggeratedly told Grandma and Grandpa Wen about the incident. Currently, Grandma and Grandpa Wen were in Hufeng City.

As the two elders of the Wen family adored Wen Ruo, they would definitely get involved with this matter.

As expected, the two elders of the Wen family rushed to Beijing to visit their precious granddaughter.

Grandpa Wen was rather slim and appeared incredibly educated.

On the other hand, although Grandma Wen was already seventy years old, she still dressed fashionably. Overall, she gave off an elegant and dignified vibe.

Wen Yan appeared with Grandma and Grandpa Wen as well. Wen Yan was the eldest son of the Second Household of the Wen family. He was someone who rarely showed his face in front of outsiders.

After suffering a car accident at the age of 16, Wen Yan became a paraplegic. Ever since then, he always sat in a wheelchair and stayed with his grandparents. He rarely communicated with anyone else.

Wen Yan had a beautiful face and his facial features were very delicate. His skin was a little too pale. This was likely due to the fact that he spent almost all of his time indoors.

Chapter 856: Grandma and Grandpa Wen

Wen Yan's wheelchair was a custom-made high-tech product. It had the ability to go up and down stairs.

Nonetheless, he still needed someone to take care of him.

However, he hated people approaching him. He didn't want to be treated like a useless person.

Inside Wen Ruo's room, Wen Ruo was lying down on her bed with her blankets covering her face.

The curtains in her room were drawn. This made the entire room pitch black.

When Grandma and Grandpa Wen entered Wen Ruo's room, they pulled up the curtains.

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When they saw Wen Ruo's pale and lifeless face, the two of them felt heartbroken.

"Ruo Ruo, please don't be like this. It feels like a knife is being stabbed into our hearts!"

Grandma Wen was incredibly worried about her granddaughter. When she saw her granddaughter in this state, her eyes began to turn red.

"Grandma..." Wen Ruo sobbed as she snuggled into Grandma Wen's arms.

“Ruo Ruo...” Grandma Wen softly said as tears began to flow down her face as well.

“Grandma, I know I did the wrong thing... But why... Why do they refuse to forgive me?”

The scene of Wen Ruo crying was heartbreaking to watch.

“Ruo Ruo, please don’t cry. If you continue crying, I’ll end up crying as well.”

“But Grandma... What am I going to do in the future... How can I even go outside...”

“Nonsense, if you start afresh, you can definitely prove yourself! No one will look down on you!”

Grandma Wen hugged Wen Ruo as they cried together for a while.

At this moment, Wen Yan was waiting at the door. It appeared as though he was indifferent to the people who were crying inside the room.

In fact, it was as if the people inside the room had nothing to do with him.

Ever since the car accident, he became a completely different person. It was as though he wasn’t interested in anything. There was no joy, no anger, no sadness.

Grandma and Grandpa Wen comforted Wen Ruo for a long while before they left her room.

Then, Grandma Wen used her connections in Beijing in an attempt to minimize the effects of the incident. She wanted to help her granddaughter.

However, the effects could only be minimized. It was impossible for Wen Ruo to be completely unaffected.

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Jian Yiling received a call from Wen Nuan.

“Yiling, your maternal grandma and grandpa came to Beijing. Currently, they’re at the Wen Residence. They called me just now to bring you over there.”

Wen Nuan’s voice was slightly hesitant.

It seemed as though she wasn’t very sure about bringing Jian Yiling over to the Wen Residence.

“Okay,” Jian Yiling replied. There was no hesitation in her response.

Jian Yiling was just about to hang up the call when Wen Nuan added:

“Yiling, don’t worry. If something happens, I will handle it.”

“Okay.”

As usual, Jian Yiling’s response was indifferent.

“Yiling...” Wen Nuan started. In contrast, Wen Nuan’s voice was filled with worry.

“If there’s nothing else that you want to say, I will hang up the call,” Jian Yiling replied. She wasn’t good at small talk.

“Okay, please take care of your health. It’s been quite cold recently. Don’t catch a cold.”

Wen Nuan hurriedly said some words of care.

“Okay.”

After hanging up the call, Zhai Yunsheng said to Jian Yiling: “I will accompany you.”

“It’s okay. I won’t be bullied.”

Grandma and Grandpa Wen weren’t wolves or tigers. Therefore, there was nothing to be afraid of.

Zhai Yunsheng: “Well, that’s up to interpretation.”

“Huh?”

“If they say something harsh, you’re just going to ignore it right?”

“Mhmm.”

“Yeah, that’s not okay. That’s why I’m going with you.”

“It’s fine.”

“It’s fine if I go with you as well.”

“I will go by myself,” Jian Yiling insisted.

She couldn’t rely on him too much.

When Zhai Yunsheng saw her insistence, he said: “Ahh, okay then. Well, call me if you need anything.”

“Mhmm.”

Chapter 857: Will You Forgive Wen Ruo?

And thus, Jian Yiling and Wen Nuan arrived at the Wen Residence.

As soon as they arrived there, the first person that they saw was Wen Cheng.

Upon hearing that Wen Nuan and Jian Yiling were visiting today, Wen Cheng decided to wait for them at the front door.

Wen Cheng frowned as he said to Wen Nuan and Jian Yiling: “A Nuan, please don’t worry. Our parents just want to see you. I’ve already told them the situation. They won’t be unreasonable.”

Wen Nuan: “I understand. Furthermore, I can accept if my mother and father want to scold me. However, this is as long as they don’t involve Yiling in this matter.”

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Wen Cheng: “Don’t worry. Our parents love Yiling. They wouldn’t blame her.”

Then, Wen Cheng said to Jian Yiling: "Yiling, I'm sorry about what happened. I will teach your cousin to behave. In the future, I will not let her do things that will harm you."

Ever since that day, Wen Cheng hadn't gotten the opportunity to apologize to Jian Yiling.

"It's okay. It's not your fault," Jian Yiling replied. She could distinguish the good from the bad.

Wen Cheng reached out and patted his niece's head. For the first time in days, a hint of a smile appeared on his face: "Thank you, Yiling."

After that, Jian Yiling, Wen Nuan, and Wen Cheng walked into the living room of the Wen Residence.

Grandma and Grandpa Wen had been waiting inside the living room.

Cai Qinyue was also there. However, Wen Ruo was nowhere to be seen.

"A Nuan, Yiling."

Upon seeing Wen Nuan and Jian Yiling, Grandma Wen got up and took the initiative to greet them.

"Mother," Wen Nuan greeted as she walked over to Grandma Wen.

Then, Grandma Wen hugged her daughter.

Jian Yiling watched by the side without moving.

Upon seeing this, Grandpa Wen asked Jian Yiling: "Yiling, what's wrong? Are you not close to us anymore?"

However, even upon hearing this, Jian Yiling did not move. She was not used to dealing with such situations.

Grandpa Wen softly explained: "Yiling, please don't worry. We're not here to blame you."

When Cai Qinyue heard this, her eyes widened with surprise.

She assumed that Grandpa and Grandma Wen were here to blame Wen Nuan and Jian Yiling.

Grandma Wen sighed before she said: "Your brother already explained the situation to us. Wen Ruo was indeed at fault first."

"Thank you, mother and father," Wen Nuan replied. When she heard this, she became less worried.

Then, Grandma Wen said to Wen Nuan: "However, I hope that the conflict between you guys can be eased. I just want this incident to pass by. In the future, we're still family. Wen Ruo is still your niece. She's still Yiling's cousin. I don't want the family to become enemies."

After all, when people got older, they just hoped for their children and grandchildren to get along.

Therefore, Grandma Wen had been placed into a difficult situation.

On one side was her daughter, and on the other side was one of her granddaughters.

She loved both of these individuals.

Just like how a palm and the back of a hand were both made of flesh, she valued both of them equally. If she had to help one side, she wouldn't know what to do.

And thus, she only wanted to deal with the aftermath. She was attempting to persuade her daughter and granddaughter to forgive Wen Ruo.

A frown was evident on Cai Qinyue's face.

Her parents-in-law wanted to persuade Wen Nuan and Jian Yiling to let go of the previous incident!

"Yiling, come over to me," Grandma Wen beckoned.

Jian Yiling hesitantly walked over to Grandma Wen and sat down beside her.

"Yiling, why are you so thin? Have you not been eating properly? Studying is difficult. You need to eat more and rest more. Try not to wear yourself out."

Grandma Wen said a lot of things at once to Jian Yiling.

Although the elders of the Wen family loved Wen Ruo the most, they also adored their other granddaughter.

"Yiling, will you forgive Wen Ruo?" Grandma Wen asked Jian Yiling.

Chapter 858: Wen Yan (1)

However, as Jian Yiling did not know how to lie, she softly replied: "I won't forgive her."

Upon hearing this, an awkward expression appeared on Grandma Wen and Grandpa Wen's faces.

"Yiling, Grandma and Grandpa are apologizing to you on behalf of Wen Ruo," Grandpa Wen said quietly.

"You shouldn't apologize on behalf of someone else," Jian Yiling replied.

Jian Yiling's reply made the atmosphere very awkward.

All of a sudden, the smiles disappeared from Grandma Wen and Grandpa Wen's faces.

"Mother, please don't make things difficult for Yiling," Wen Nuan said to her mother.

Upon hearing this, Grandma Wen said awkwardly: "Ahh, it's my bad.. The incident happened not long ago. It's normal for Yiling to feel this way."

It was a way for her to get out of the embarrassing situation.

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Wen Nuan continued to speak with her parents in the living room.

On the other hand, Jian Yiling found an excuse to leave. She walked into the courtyard of the Wen Residence.

There, she ran into Wen Yan.

Wen Yan was seated in his wheelchair. For some reason, he seemed to be lost in thought. He did not notice Jian Yiling as she approached him.

Jian Yiling noticed that he was looking at a sparrow that flew into the courtyard.

And thus, she quietly stood there for a while as well.

Despite what Jian Yiling assumed, Wen Yan had noticed her approaching him.

However, he did not want to speak to her. Therefore, he didn't say anything.

After a while, he realized that Jian Yiling had no intentions of leaving.

"What do you want?"

Finally, Wen Yan spoke up.

"Nothing," Jian Yiling responded in a small and soft voice.

"Are you here to laugh at me again?" Wen Yan asked.

His cousin had a nasty personality. She had mocked him more than once after he became paraplegic.

"Nope," Jian Yiling replied. She did not have many memories of Wen Yan in her mind. As a result, she did not know whether she had mocked him in the past.

"Then stay away from me. I don't want to see you," Wen Yan growled. Every cell in Wen Yan's body detested Jian Yiling.

"How did I... Mock you?" Jian Yiling asked.

"You have the nerve to ask that?" Wen Yan replied. He did not want to continue to speak to Jian Yiling.

As he realized that Jian Yiling was not leaving anytime soon, Wen Yan instead decided to leave.

Wen Yan pressed a button on his wheelchair and the wheelchair moved away from the courtyard.

Jian Yiling watched Wen Yan as he left. Then, she stood there for a long time.

She only left when Wen Nuan called for her.

On the way back, Jian Yiling asked Wen Nuan: "In the past... Did I mock Wen Yan?"

Wen Nuan froze for a moment before she said: "You don't remember? Forget it if you don't remember."

"I mocked him?"

"You didn't know better at that time. And thus, you mocked him a bit," Wen Nuan replied tactfully.

As a matter of fact, this incident was a big deal back then.

Everyone from the Wen family knew about it.

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That night, Jian Yiling dreamt about Wen Yan.

That year, Wen Yan was seventeen years old. On the other hand, Jian Yiling was only nine years old.

A year had passed since Wen Yan's accident.

Jian Yiling went with her parents to visit the Wen family in Jiangnan.

In her dream, Wen Yan locked himself in his room. He almost never left his room.

Jian Yiling wanted to play with her cousin. However, everyone in the Wen family told her not to approach him as he was easily angered.

However, Jian Yiling refused to believe this. She insisted on approaching Wen Yan.

After pushing open the door, Jian Yiling entered a dimly lit room. She saw Wen Yan seated in a wheelchair in a corner.

"Wen Yan, let's go and play together, okay?"

"Get lost!"

Her soft request was met with a cold shout.

After hesitating at the door for a moment, Jian Yiling quietly left.

Not long after leaving Wen Yan's room, Jian Yiling ran into Wen Ruo.

"Sister Wen Ruo, Brother Wen Yan yelled at me. Does he not like me anymore?"

"He can't walk anymore. That's why he's in a bad mood."

"Then how can I get him to come out of his room to play with us?"

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As Wen Ruo noticed that Jian Yiling was determined, she asked: "Do you really want him to leave his room?"

Jian Yiling: "Of course! If he stays like that, he will be bored out of his mind!"

Wen Ruo: "Hmm, usual methods are useless. Everyone has tried them already. Why don't you try to spur him on with negative remarks?"

Jian Yiling: "Spur him on with negative remarks?"

Wen Ruo: "Yeah, you can deliberately say something to anger him. Perhaps it would help."

Jian Yiling: "Will it work?"

Wen Ruo: "I'm not sure. However, no one else has tried this method. We've given him words of encouragement however, it's no use."

Jian Yiling: "Then why didn't you guys try to spur him on with negative remarks?"

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Wen Ruo: "It will depend on the person. If we do it, he will know that we're intentionally trying to get him out of his room."

"Okay."

Nine-year-old Jian Yiling believed in Wen Ruo's words.

Then, Wen Ruo added: "If you can get Brother Wen Yan to leave his room, it's definitely an amazing achievement. It will help him a lot in his future recovery."

"Really?"

"Of course!"

And thus, Jian Yiling ran back to her room and took out a notebook. She started to make notes on it.

[You dummy! Isn't it just an injury? Why can't you play with us?]

Jian Yiling wrote line after line. However, she crossed many of those sentences out.

They just didn't seem right.

It didn't seem negative enough.

She had to be more aggressive!

[Why can't you play? Look at us, we can all play!]

Hmm, this seemed better.

Nine-year-old Jian Yiling scratched her head and racked her brains for more ideas.

In the end, she wrote a whole page of comments.

After she looked at her page, Jian Yiling paused for a moment. What if Brother Wen Yan ignored her in the future?

This thought made a frown appear on her small face.

However, when she remembered the look on Brother Wen Yan's face, Jian Yiling decided to execute this plan.

First of all, she had to make sure that Brother Wen Yan left his room!

Then, she could apologize to him after that!

Yep, that was a good plan!

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Around midnight, the light in Wen Yan's room was still on.

As he had just arrived in Beijing, the change of environment made him very uncomfortable.

In addition, he met Jian Yiling today. Therefore, his mood was somewhat affected.

It was as though those harsh words were echoing in his ears.

“Wen Yan, you don’t even leave your room!”

“Wen Yan, you’re useless!”

“Wen Yan, if you have what it takes, come out and hit me!”

Then, Wen Yan lowered his head to look at his legs.

Due to his condition, the muscles on his legs had shrunken by a lot.

Even though someone came to massage his legs every day, the muscle atrophy could not be completely suppressed.

How ugly.

In fact, Jian Yiling’s words back then were true. He was indeed useless.

At this moment, someone knocked on his door.

“Who is it?”

“Brother Wen Yan, it’s me.”

It was Wen Ruo’s voice.

“Come in.”

Wen Ruo was one of the few people who could still communicate with Wen Yan.

Wen Ruo entered the room with a midnight snack.

“I saw that the light in your room was still on. Therefore, I brought some snacks over. You should have something to eat before you sleep.”

“Are you feeling better?” Wen Yan asked.

“I don’t want Grandma Wen and Grandpa Wen to be upset for me,” Wen Ruo replied.

“That’s good,” Wen Yan said. Typically, Wen Yan did not speak much. This was considered a talkative moment.

Wen Ruo hesitated for a moment before she asked: “Brother Wen Yan, I understand your pain now. Although I’m not physically injured, there’s no longer a place for me in the outside world. Even Grandma Wen and Grandpa Wen said I did something wrong. Will you also look down on me?”

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“Don’t think too much about it.”

There was no fluctuation in his tone.

As Wen Ruo noticed that Wen Yan didn’t want to say anything else, she decided to leave.

Before she left, she reminded Wen Yan to eat the midnight snack.

After Wen Ruo exited her room, Wen Yan opened his computer. He entered a bunch of encrypted text in a black interface.

After a few lines of code, an interface appeared on the computer screen.

It displayed all the internal information of the Huiling Medical Research Institution.

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Then, Wen Yan brought up a chat.

[Fire Dr. F.S.]

The other person quickly replied. They expressed their disbelief:

[Why? Dr. F.S is a rare talent that’s hard to come by!]

[Don’t make me repeat myself.]

[Boss, can I know the reason for this?]

[You don’t need to know.]

[Then... What reason should we use for firing her?]

[A violation of professional conduct.]

[What?! Boss, you’re going to ruin Dr. F.S’s reputation!]

[Do as I say.]

After sending that message, Wen Yan closed the chat.

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The next day, the entire medical industry was shocked by the news.

Jian Yiling, a surgical genius, was fired by her employer, the Huiling Medical Research Institution.

Furthermore, the reason given by the research institution was that she had violated professional conduct.

This delayed Jian Yiling’s original plans to treat Qin Hongzhi.

Furthermore, her entire career could be stopped her.

Jian Yiling was woken up by Luo Xiuen’s phone call.

“Yiling, what’s wrong? How could something like this happen?”

In the call, Luo Xiuen’s voice sounded very stressed.

“What’s the matter?” Jian Yiling asked. She had just woken up. As a result, she did not know what was happening.

“You were fired by the research institution!”

“Fired?”

“Yeah, what happened between you and the Head of our institution? Why did you get fired overnight?”

“I don’t know what happened. I’ve never seen him before.”

It had been three years since Jian Yiling joined the Huiling Medical Research Institution. However, she never met the mysterious Head of the Institution.

“Then why? Why did you get fired?”

Luo Xiuen was incredibly anxious.

It was a big deal to be fired from their research institution.

Furthermore, the reason that the research institution gave was a violation of professional conduct.

“Please don’t become stressed. It’s not good for the baby. Let me take a look first,” Jian Yiling comforted Luo Xiuen.

Then, Jian Yiling got up and opened her computer. She realized that she couldn’t enter the internal system of the research institution.

Her employee account had been canceled.

Furthermore, even her work email was canceled.

Then, Jian Yiling opened the medical forum. She noticed that the post regarding her dismissal was at the top of her forum.

Furthermore, the person that made the post was the official account of Huiling Medical Research Institution.

It seemed as though her dismissal was a sure thing.

However, Jian Yiling did not understand why she got fired.

At this moment, the door opened. Zhai Yunsheng immediately walked over to Jian Yiling.

It was obvious that he also heard the news.

“I’m alright.”

Before Zhai Yunsheng got the opportunity to speak, Jian Yiling told him that she was okay.

She was just confused. Why did the Head of the Institute, who had never shown his face before, dismiss her suddenly?