Temptation 171

| Chapter 171 - 171 On the Edge of Misfiring |
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| Su Fan was as embarrassed as he could get. |
| Damn it, Bai Man was confiding in him, and at such a moment, he actually had a physical reaction, which was simply too much. |
| "Auntie, I'm sorry, I, I'll go to sleep in my own room right now" |
| Su Fan wanted to run. |
| "Don't go." |
| Bai Man suddenly grabbed the Divine Artifact. |
| At the same time, she said softly, her face flushed. |
| "I'm not angry, us lying together like this, if you had no desire towards me, that would actually make me angry." |

| "You're hard, which just proves I'm still a desirable woman, and it makes me feel less like a failure." |
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| After hesitating, Bai Man moved closer to Su Fan's ear, her breath tickling his ear. |
| And her next words tickled his heart. |
| "You're so uncomfortable, shall I help you resolve it?" |
| "Ah?" |
| Su Fan was startled. |
| "No, that's not right." |
| "What's not right about it? Before, there was Li Jian between us, and you resisted, but now, Li Jian is divorcing me, we're no longer relatives, what's there to worry about?" |
| "This" |
| Su Fan was still hesitating. |

| Bai Man said, looking rather pitiful. |
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| "It's not just for you, I have my own selfish reasons. I'm under a lot of stress right now, can you help me relieve it? I haven't had a proper sleep in days, I want to sleep, but I just can't. I think, once I'm tired, I'll be able to sleep. Can you help me sleep?" |
| Hypnosis? |
| Su Fan's heart softened. |
| Mainly, he still harbored fantasies about Bai Man. |
| He didn't say anything. |
| Bai Man immediately got the hint. |
| She ducked under the covers. |
| The area around Su Fan's crotch under the covers quickly bulged. |

| The next moment, that warm, moist sensation made Su Fan feel ecstatic, as if electrified, his whole body about to explode. |
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| Bai Man was actually going down on him? |
| To think, previously every time Bai Man just played with him, torturing him with her hands, and quite violently at that. |
| This time, she was using her mouth. |
| For someone as refined and noble as Bai Man, to actually use her mouth? |
| The excitement in his heart far surpassed the physical. |
| He let Bai Man have her way. |
| And Bai Man was also very excited. |
| She had held Su Fan's Divine Artifact in her hand more than once, knowing it was sizable, but actually taking it in was astonishing. |

| She couldn't swallow it all in one gulp. |
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| Li Jian was too old, simply not up for it, Wang Fei was a woman |
| Su Fan was a real man, young and vibrant, which ignited the womanly charm in Bai Man's bones. |
| All the years she was married to Li Jian, she had never been happy. |
| She turned all her stress into motivation, working hard. |
| Su Fan couldn't last long this time, as the service was rendered by Bai Man, the psychological impact was too intense. |
| After more than ten minutes, he climaxed. |
| All of it stayed in Bai Man's mouth. |
| The two of them fell into a deep sleep. |

| The next morning dawned. |
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| While Su Fan was still deep in sleep, he sensed something unusual. |
| He opened his eyes. |
| Bai Man was straddling him. |
| In the crotch area, rubbing against his firm Divine Artifact. |
| Bai Man was bare, not a single hair. |
| The rubbing was very smooth. |
| Many times, the Divine Artifact almost entered the edge of Bai Man's depths and that little bean. |
| Su Fan was somewhat afraid, afraid to plunge into the abyss. |

| Although Bai Man had gone down on him the night before, that and actually entering were two different concepts. |
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| This way, his relationship with Bai Man would completely change. |
| Yet at the same time, he was somewhat expectant. |
| What would it truly feel like to enter Bai Man's depths? |
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| Half an hour later, Bai Man's buttocks sank, and she collapsed on top of Su Fan, completely limp. |
| Bai Man was satisfied. |
| "Auntie, do you feel good?" |
| Su Fan asked with a smile, reaching out to touch Bai Man's hair. |
| But Bai Man pushed away Su Fan's hand. |
| "Don't touch me." |



| "What?" |
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| Su Fan's expression turned colder upon hearing this. |
| So that was it. |
| He had thought Bai Man had changed, and even felt sorry for her circumstances. But it turned out this was how Bai Man saw him. |
| He was nothing more than Bai Man's plaything. |
| He really was ridiculous, feeling pity for such a woman. |
| No wonder, many times just now Bai Man was on the edge of losing control, but she never let him enter her fully. It turned out she disdained him, looked down on him. |
| "Alright, I get it. You won't have to worry about me fussing over whether you live or die ever again." |
| Su Fan rolled off the bed, washed up briefly, then left for the hospital. |

| He truly felt heartbroken. |
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| His kind intentions were met with such a result; he was really too sentimental. |
| "Did I go too far?" |
| After Su Fan left, Bai Man began to feel some regret. |
| But soon, her expression hardened. |
| "I, I absolutely cannot be looked down upon by anyone, anyone." |
| Yes, she who came from a noble birth naturally had an exceedingly strong sense of pride. |
| Hailing from a distinguished family that had now fallen, her biggest fear was being looked down upon. |
| Last night, caught up in her emotions, she had shown her vulnerable side in front of Su Fan. Upon waking up sober, she firmly believed she had to be like a hedgehog, cautiously protecting herself. |

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| The First City Hospital. |
| The gynecology department morning meeting scene. |
| Director Liu Ye was holding a morning meeting for everyone. |
| Wu Miao didn't attend the meeting, as she had taken leave for the day. Sun Rui hadn't been to school for several days, and although she had returned home yesterday, there was still a need for her parents to go to the school and communicate with the teachers, to plead on her behalf. |
| An uninvited guest walked in. |
| It was Sun Zhigang, the head of the administrative department. |
| Sun Zhigang's gaze swept around the room, his face full of smiles, seeming very pleased with himself. |
| "Director Liu, it's already half-past eight. Su Fan hasn't arrived yet, he is thirty minutes late. He just started working and after treating a few patients, he's acting high and mighty. That's not good for a young man. You really should take him down a peg." |

| Sun Zhigang's attitude annoyed Liu Ye, but since Sun Zhigang was the head of the administrative department and attendance was within his purview, Liu Ye couldn't say much. He only made a reluctant explanation. |
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| "It's only been a few days since Su Fan started work. He's not familiar with the road conditions yet. Maybe he's stuck in a traffic jam. I'll give him a call and ask." |
| "Hehe, Director Liu, you don't have to call. He won't answer. If you want to find him, you probably need to go to the morgue. Maybe you'll find his body there." |
| At that moment, a chilling voice came from the doorway. |
| The person walked in and stood behind Sun Zhigang. |
| "Why is it you?" |
| Seeing that person, Liu Ye and the colleagues in the office were all surprised. |
| Chapter 173: Memorial Service? |
| The person was none other than Liu Feng, who had been dismissed. |

| "Weren't you dismissed, what are you doing here?" |
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| Liu Ye said with disgust. |
| "Hehe." |
| Sun Zhigang looked smug. |
| "Our Administrative Office was missing a clerk, and after the organization reviewed, they thought Liu Feng was suitable, so they hired him again. Now he's not a doctor, but an administrative post. Liu Director, that's none of your business, right?" |
| "Administrative post?" |
| Liu Ye was suddenly at a loss for words. |
| Then she suddenly thought of something and asked Liu Feng. |
| "What did you mean by saying you were going to the morgue to find Su Fan?" |

| Liu Feng laughed. |
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| "The day before yesterday, when you and Su Fan went to Citizens Village for a free clinic, did you encounter members of the Blood Wolf Gang and have a conflict, where Su Fan badly beat up Zhao Wei, the gang's third in command?" |
| "You still have the nerve to mention it when Zhao Wei already confessed, saying that you were the one orchestrating behind the scenes." |
| "Hehehe, that's not important," |
| Liu Feng said very sinisterly. |
| "What's important is, Zhao Wei was very angry afterward and brought over a hundred men to trouble Su Fan. Su Fan is good at fighting, but could he handle a hundred men alone? I guess he must be dead by now. If you want to find him, of course, you'll have to go to the morgue." |
| What? |
| Upon hearing this, Liu Ye's pretty face turned pale instantly. |
| A hundred thugs ganged up on Su Fan? |

| Given the Blood Wolf Gang's style, they would definitely be ruthless. |
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| "Tsk tsk." |
| Sun Zhigang said triumphantly |
| "Doctor Su is an outstanding young doctor in our hospital; if he is really dead, that would be a great loss for our hospital. As the head of the Administrative Office, I am deeply saddened. His funeral must be grand. Clerk Liu, you personally handle this." |
| "Yes, yes." |
| Liu Feng nodded enthusiastically. |
| Although his BMW was stolen by Zhao Wei and he owed high interest loans, the fact that Su Fan was defeated and he had returned to the hospital was also a happy event. |
| "Su Fan, sob, I should have stopped him that day." |
| Liu Ye was extremely distressed and panicked. |

| The other colleagues in the office also showed a saddened expression. |
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| After all, everyone was well aware of Su Fan's professional skills and character, and apart from some leaders, the majority of ordinary doctors had a very strong liking for Su Fan. |
| "Alright, continue with the meeting. Clerk Liu, come with me, let's prepare for Su Fan's memorial service." |
| Sun Zhigang, with his hands behind his back, led Liu Feng, the sycophant, out triumphantly. |
| Just as they reached the door, Sun Zhigang bumped into a tall figure and fell to the ground, landing on his rear. |
| "Ouch, I'm dead, are you blind?" |
| Sun Zhigang cursed loudly. |
| "Ghost!" |
| The next moment, when he saw the person clearly, he screamed in fright. |

| Liu Feng also turned deathly pale from fright. |
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| "You, how are you still alive?" |
| "Seeing a ghost, it really is seeing a ghost." |
| The person was Su Fan. |
| "What, Manager Sun, are you surprised to see me?" |
| "Don't worry, I'm not a ghost, I am very much alive, look, not a scratch on me." |
| Su Fan even spun around on the spot, looking energetic and full of life. |
| "Su Fan, you, you're unharmed, that's great." |
| Liu Ye covered her mouth in surprised joy, almost bursting into tears, and had it not been for the presence of other colleagues, she would have certainly hugged Su Fan. |

| "Liu Feng, you, you said he was surely dead, didn't you?" |
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| Sun Zhigang asked Liu Feng, furiously. Chapter 174 - 174 Sudden Incident |
| Liu Feng was completely dumbfounded. The day before yesterday, Zhao Wei had forced him to sign a high-interest loan contract and even snatched away his BMW. Afterwards, Zhao Wei personally told Liu Feng that he had taken a hundred or so of his underlings to go and kill Su Fan. |
| He was certain that Su Fan was a goner. |
| But, how had Su Fan come to work unscathed? |
| "Could it be that bastard Zhao Wei lied to me?" |
| That was the only reason he could think of; he couldn't imagine Su Fan knocking all those people down, not even if he was beaten to death. |
| "He didn't lie to you, but the Blood Wolf Gang may not be as fierce as you think, and I, Su Fan, am not so easily bullied." |
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| The colleagues also started getting restless. |
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| "Chief Sun has a grudge against Su Fan, maybe he's the mastermind behind this." |
| "I never expected Chief Sun to be so dirty-handed." |
| "As a hospital leader actually colluding with those people from the Blood Wolf Gang, it's shameful." |
| The quiet discussions among the crowd made Sun Zhigang feel extremely embarrassed. |
| He hurriedly denied it. |
| "What are you talking about nonsense, when did I ever instruct Liu Feng?" |
| "As a leader of the hospital, how could I possibly do such a lowly thing?" |
| Sun Zhigang put on an air of righteous indignation. |
| "This is bad, Chief Sun, this is really bad." |

| Just then, a security guard rushed in from outside. |
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| Seeing the person coming in, a hint of a cold look appeared in Sun Zhigang's eyes. |
| "What happened?" |
| The security guard replied anxiously. |
| "A group of people have come to the hospital entrance with wreaths and stretchers, specifically asking for Director Liu and Doctor Su, saying that the deceased ate the medicine prescribed by Doctor Su during their charity clinic a few days ago." |
| "They're now demanding Doctor Su to pay with his life." |
| "There's already a gathering of over a hundred people outside; the situation is very bad." |
| "What?" |
| Panic was written all over Liu Ye's pretty face. |

| "How could that be possible, we prescribed only routine medications that day, how could it have killed someone?" |
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| "Are they deliberately causing trouble?" |
| Sun Zhigang immediately raised an eyebrow. |
| "Director Liu, don't be too sure of yourself. I think we better go check it out. If someone really died because of the treatment by you and Su Fan, we owe it to the deceased's family to give an explanation, don't we?" |
| As he spoke, Sun Zhigang left in high spirits, looking very eager. |
| "Su Fan, now you're done for." |
| Liu Feng began to feel smug again and followed behind Sun Zhigang. |
| "Su Fan, what do we do now?" |
| Liu Ye, after all, was a woman, and at this time, she seemed somewhat at a loss. |

| Su Fan squinted at Sun Zhigang's retreating figure, sensing that there was more to this matter than met the eye. |
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| "Let's go and check out the situation first." |
| With that, he took Liu Ye and followed along. |
| Chapter 175: Give an Explanation |
| At the entrance of the city hospital, it was already surrounded. |
| There was a stretcher on the ground, with a middle-aged man lying on it, his face deathly pale, and a middle-aged woman wearing a headscarf was kneeling beside him, sobbing and crying, surrounded by more than a dozen burly men dressed as migrant workers. |
| Some held wreaths, others carried shovels and axes. |
| "Incompetent doctors disregard life, may they never rest in peace." |
| "You must give us an explanation, a life for a life." |
| These people kept shouting, and many passing citizens joined them, quickly gathering hundreds of people on the scene. The hospital security couldn't manage, and the situation had gone out of control. |

| As Sun Zhigang emerged from the outpatient building, he was also stunned by the scene before him. |
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| He lowered his voice, turning to Liu Feng by his side, and said, |
| "How did you let things get so out of hand? If something goes wrong, how can we settle it?" |
| "This impact is too dire." |
| "Hehe, Chief Sun, don't worry, I have arranged everything. Nothing will go wrong; making a big scene is better. It will help us completely drive Su Fan out." |
| "I want to completely ruin Su Fan and make him unable to work in this industry ever again." |
| Indeed, this was a conspiracy staged by Liu Feng and Sun Zhigang. |
| Sun Zhigang arranged for Liu Ye and Su Fan to offer free medical visits to Citizens Village, and besides having the Blood Wolf Gang confront Su Fan with force, they had taken further precautions. |
| "That's right, this time, I want that bastard Su Fan to never be able to turn the tables." |

| Invigorated, Sun Zhigang walked into the crowd. |
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| He pushed past a security guard who was trying hard to maintain order and righteously scolded him, |
| "What's the meaning of this? How can you be so rough with the people? We are a people's hospital, and the safety of people's lives and property must be our top priority. This kind of work attitude won't do." |
| Then, he turned to a burly man who was leading the commotion and asked, |
| "Comrade, I'm a leader at this hospital. If you have any issues, you can talk to me." |
| Liu Feng and that burly man exchanged glances, nodded slightly, and the man immediately enlightened, knowing that Sun Zhigang was on their side. |
| He immediately began lamenting, |
| "We are construction workers at a site, residing in rented rooms in Citizens Village. The day before yesterday, two doctors came for a free medical visit there. My brother-in-law took their medicine, and that night he had a stomachache, vomited foam, and by this morning, he was gone." |

| The woman kneeling on the ground also wiped her tears, wailing, |
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| "My dear, you died so horribly. We have two elderly and three children at home. With you gone, how am I to live on? Let me die too, let me follow you." |
| The words exchanged between the burly man and the woman immediately garnered sympathy from the onlookers. |
| "Ah, these migrant workers have it hard. With the family's pillar gone, what will they do now?" |
| "What's wrong with the doctors at this city hospital, to let a perfectly alive person be killed like that?" |
| "We must give the deceased's family an explanation." |
| Hundreds of people began shouting, the crowd becoming more agitated; this could easily escalate into a mass incident. |
| At this time, Su Fan and Liu Ye also walked into the crowd. |
| The burly man immediately raised his hand, pointing at the two of them. |

| "It's them, they killed my brother-in-law, I want them to pay with their lives." |
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| Saying this, the burly man swung a steel pipe at Su Fan, aiming to strike him on the head. |
| "Aah" |
| Liu Ye screamed in fright. |
| "Aah" |
| Then another scream followed. |
| This time, it was the burly man who had tried to strike Su Fan. |
| He could hardly be a match for Su Fan. |
| Su Fan grabbed the man's wrist, and the steel pipe stopped just over ten centimeters above Su Fan's head. With just a slight exertion of force, Su Fan caused such pain that the man fell to his knees, screaming. |

| "Hand, hand, hand, my hand is going to break." |
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| Chapter 176: Situation Looks Bad |
| "Su Fan, what are you doing? You clearly made the mistake, caused someone's death, yet you still hit people?" |
| Sun Zhigang looked at Su Fan with a sinister rebuke in his eyes. |
| His words undoubtedly added fuel to the fire. |
| The emotions of the crowd were stirred up. |
| "No hitting, quack doctor." |
| "You caused someone's death, and you're still so arrogant, is there no law and order?" |
| The laborers accompanying the burly man also came towards Su Fan, each holding a weapon. |
| "This kid is too arrogant, we need to teach him a lesson." |

| Sun Zhigang and Liu Feng exchanged glances, their faces full of glee, simultaneously thinking, "Heh, Su Fan, your days have come." |
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| "Su Fan, don't be impulsive, don't make things worse." |
| Liu Ye worriedly reminded Su Fan. |
| Su Fan frowned and remained silent. |
| This situation clearly wasn't simple, obviously targeting him, and it was most likely Sun Zhigang and Liu Feng's scheme. |
| Yet, the situation on the scene was complicated; if he resorted to violence, it would probably bring a lot of trouble. |
| These two bastards, this move was really mean. |
| But he could not just stand there and be beaten, could he? |
| "Stop!" |

| Just at that moment, a commanding shout came from outside the crowd. |
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| Everyone simultaneously turned to look back. |
| That's when they saw seven or eight policemen approaching. |
| The leader was an impressive-looking female police officer. |
| It was the old acquaintance Li Jing. |
| Upon seeing the police, the people promptly made way. |
| The woman kneeling on the ground grabbed Li Jing's legs, all snot and tears. |
| "Officer, help me, my husband was killed by this quack, and he's hitting people, I have to support the elderly and my child, how can a widow survive?" |
| Li Jing, being a woman herself, immediately empathized when she heard how miserable the woman was. |

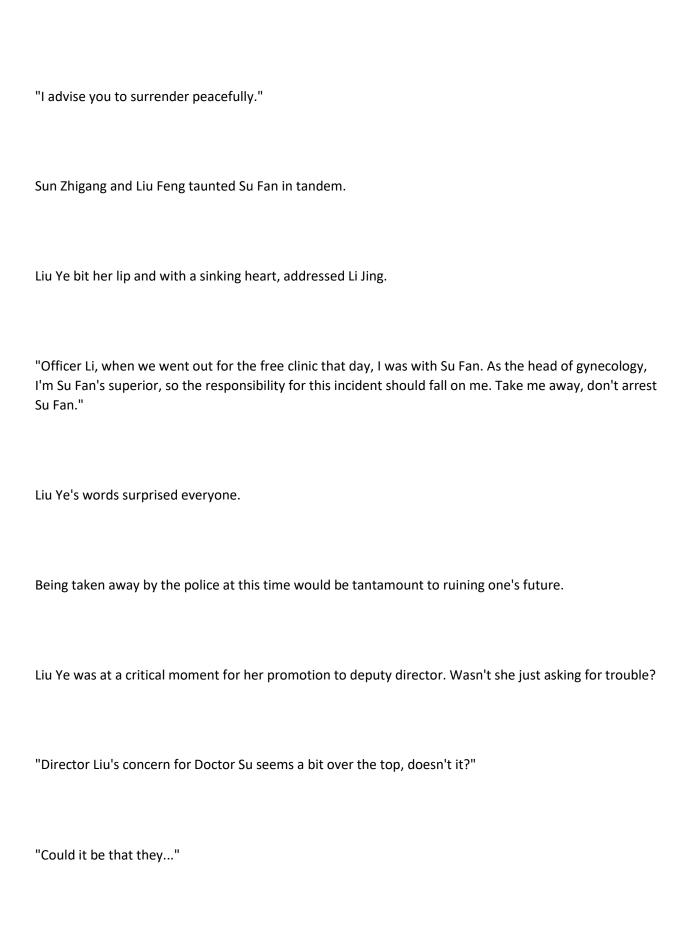
| "Don't worry, I will definitely stand up for you, I will not let any bad person off." |
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| The next moment, she spotted Su Fan holding the burly man's wrist. |
| "You again?" |
| "Quite a coincidence." |
| Su Fan was somewhat speechless, |
| It was again this brainless female police officer, but since Li Jing was the station head for this area, it wasn't surprising. |
| "Let him go, you've already killed a patient, hitting someone else only compounds your crime." |
| Li Jing looked at Su Fan and said coldly, |
| Su Fan responded somewhat annoyed, |
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| "Which eye of yours saw me kill someone? As for hitting someone, that's utterly baseless. It was this man who attacked me first; I was merely defending myself." |
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| The burly man kneeling on the ground shouted, |
| "Officer, don't listen to his nonsense. I was just arguing with him, and he hit me outright; he's too arrogant, you must stand up for us poor migrant workers here." |
| Upon hearing this, Li Jing exploded, |
| Pulling out handcuffs, she walked towards Su Fan, |
| "I've tolerated you for a long time, today you must see the authority of the law." |
| "Right, arrest him, arrest him!" |
| "We must give an explanation to the deceased's family." |
| "Well done, officer." |

| The onlookers, unaware of the truth, were shouting excitedly. |
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| Liu Ye had already started crying from anxiety. |
| "Little Su, although your medical skills are strong, accidents like this do happen, and since a person died, you must take responsibility." |
| "As a man, you should be responsible. Besides, as a qualified doctor, you ought to have at least the basic medical ethics." |
| Sun Zhigang and Liu Feng looked on with smug expressions. |
| Su Fan frowned slightly. |
| The situation at hand was really bad. |
| Good news stays within the walls, bad news spreads far and wide, |
| If he were to be taken away in public, it would definitely become big news. Even if the investigation later revealed the truth, that he was wronged, people wouldn't care. They would only remember a doctor named Su Fan who killed someone, |

| Once he was taken into the police car, his career would essentially be over, |
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| He had just become a chief physician, one step closer to fulfilling his grandfather's last wish. He absolutely could not tarnish his professional career. |
| Wait a minute |
| Su Fan suddenly thought of something, |
| At that moment, Li Jing had already taken out handcuffs to arrest Su Fan, |
| "My apologies." |
| Su Fan grabbed Li Jing's wrist and quickly performed a counter-grapple. |
| "Click" |
| With a crisp sound, Li Jing's hands were cuffed behind her back. Chapter 177 - 177 Where is the Body? |

| "You, you dare to resist arrest?" |
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| Under the intertwining emotions of rage and shame, Li Jing glared at Su Fan with anger, as several officers also approached Su Fan with tense expressions. |
| Su Fan looked at Li Jing and let out a light laugh. |
| "For someone as brainless as you, I really don't know how you became a leader. To catch a criminal, you need brains." |
| "I haven't committed a crime, so where do you get off trying to arrest me? Do you have an arrest warrant?" |
| "You." |
| Li Jing's face turned livid with anger, feeling humiliated every time she encountered Su Fan. She couldn't stand it. |
| "With the corpse laid out before you, what more do you have to say?" |
| "Su Fan, you've committed a grave error. At this point, you still refuse to repent. You've destroyed your own future, but do you also intend to drag down our hospital's reputation of several decades to bury with you?" |



| "You never know, after all, Director Liu is still single, isn't she? Loneliness is unpredictable." |
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| The crowd's gossip made Liu Ye blush with embarrassment. |
| Su Fan looked deeply at Liu Ye. |
| Although he hadn't known Liu Ye for long, she had done so much for him. By stepping forward to take responsibility, she was sacrificing not only her career but also risking her reputation for chastity—it didn't look good for a woman. |
| Her loyalty ran deep. |
| "Director Liu, I urge you not to protect this bastard any longer. You're not helping him by doing this; you're harming him." |
| "In front of the law, we must talk about evidence, not spew groundless charges." |
| "Heh, heh, heh." |
| Su Fan, facing the self-righteously angered Li Jing, let out a cold laugh in rebuttal. |

| "Officer Li, since you know that in front of the law we must talk about evidence, do you have any?" |
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| "With the corpse right in front of us, what more evidence do we need?" |
| Li Jing watched Su Fan seethingly through gritted teeth. |
| "A corpse? How come I don't see a corpse?" |
| Liu Feng was the first to jump to his feet. |
| "Su Fan, aren't you blatantly lying? Isn't there a person lying there, or are you blind?" |
| The strong man, who Su Fan had reprimanded earlier, also known as the supposed "deceased's" brother-in-law, spoke up at Liu Feng's cue, fanning the flames. |
| "You jerk, do you not see us construction workers as humans? You killed my brother-in-law and still stand here with such condescension. Does being a doctor make you feel superior?" |
| "Cough, cough, cough." |

| Sun Zhigang's eyes revealed a hint of cunning as he cleared his throat, pretending to speak with authority and maturity. |
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| "Little Su, it seems that after treating a few patients and being called the Divine Doctor, you've gotten a bit carried away, forgetting your place. Without these construction workers' hard work, where would our beautiful city be? How can you look down on them? From the masses we come, to the masses we go, we must serve the people. You're still too immature." |
| "Darling, you died so miserably. Even in death, you're insulted; it's too much to bear. Wah, wah, wah" |
| The family of the deceased wailed heartbreakingly. |
| The emotions of the surrounding crowd were immediately incited, each one displaying a look of righteous indignation. |
| "Apologize, you must apologize to the deceased." |
| The situation was nearly out of control, Sun Zhigang and Liu Feng exchanged glances. |
| Liu Feng hurriedly bootlicked. |

| "Section Chief Sun, your tactics are superior. Without shedding a drop of blood, you've dealt with Su Fan and utterly destroyed his reputation. Let's see how he can stay in the hospital now." |
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| "Heh heh, trying to fight me, he's still too green." Sun Zhigang wore an extremely smug expression. |
| In their eyes, Su Fan was completely finished. |
| "Apologize?" |
| A sneer appeared on the corner of Su Fan's mouth. |
| "I'm willing to apologize, but at least prove that what's lying on the ground is really a dead person, right?" |
| As he spoke, Su Fan picked up the iron rod with which the strong man had attacked him and walked toward the "deceased" laying on the ground. |
| While walking, he said loudly, |
| "I'm going to count to three, and if you don't get up, I guarantee everyone here will see your brains splattered, and then you'll indeed be dead." |

| "What are you doing, don't desecrate the body, stop, hands off!" |
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| Li Jing, who had uncuffed her handcuffs, reached for the handgun at her waist. |
| "Three." |
| "Two." |
| As Su Fan counted to two, he had already arrived in front of the stretcher with the victim, the iron rod held high, whistling down with the wind as he aimed for the victim's head. |
| "You forced my hand." |
| Li Jing clenched her teeth, on the verge of pulling the trigger. |
| At that moment, everyone in the place held their breath and covered their mouths, the atmosphere becoming extremely tense and heavy. Chapter 178 - 178 Expose |
| "Ah." |

| Just at that critical moment, a shrill scream erupted from the midst of the crowd. |
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| "Ah" |
| Subsequently, all the onlooking crowds involuntarily followed suit with screams of their own. |
| Li Jing's finger was on the trigger but didn't press it; her body went rigid, and she was completely dumbfounded. |
| A faint, indifferent smile played on Su Fan's lips. |
| Because the "corpse" that had been lying on the ground suddenly leapt up, deftly avoiding Su Fan's blow with a roll. |
| Of course, that strike from Su Fan was merely a feint—if he had truly meant it, how could the other party possibly have dodged? |
| "My head, my head, there's nothing wrong, thank goodness, thank goodness." |

| The man sat on the ground, clutching his head, checking it over, and when he was certain there was nothing wrong, he let out a long sigh of relief, and at the next moment, it seemed as if he remembered something. |
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| He steeled himself and looked around, indeed finding himself the target of hundreds of astonished, perplexed, and angry gazes. |
| Playing dead? |
| That was out of the question. |
| By now, even fools could tell that this man was simply pretending to be dead. |
| "Boss, why did you get up? Didn't I tell you to stay put no matter what, how are we supposed to end this now?" |
| The woman chided her husband with a mix of fear and panic. |
| The husband muttered under his breath, |
| "The stick was coming right for my head, if I hadn't dodged, I really would have ended up a corpse." |

| "Heh." |
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| Su Fan snorted coldly, and turned to look at Li Jing with her gun raised, his tone laced with a trace of faint mockery. |
| "Officer Li, where's the corpse? Is there a corpse here?" |
| "Instead, you almost killed an innocent person." |
| "You couldn't even see through such a simple trick; seems your professional skills need a bit more practice." |
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| Li Jing's face instantly turned as red as a monkey's butt. |
| It was truly embarrassing. |
| To have been fooled by such a simple trick, |

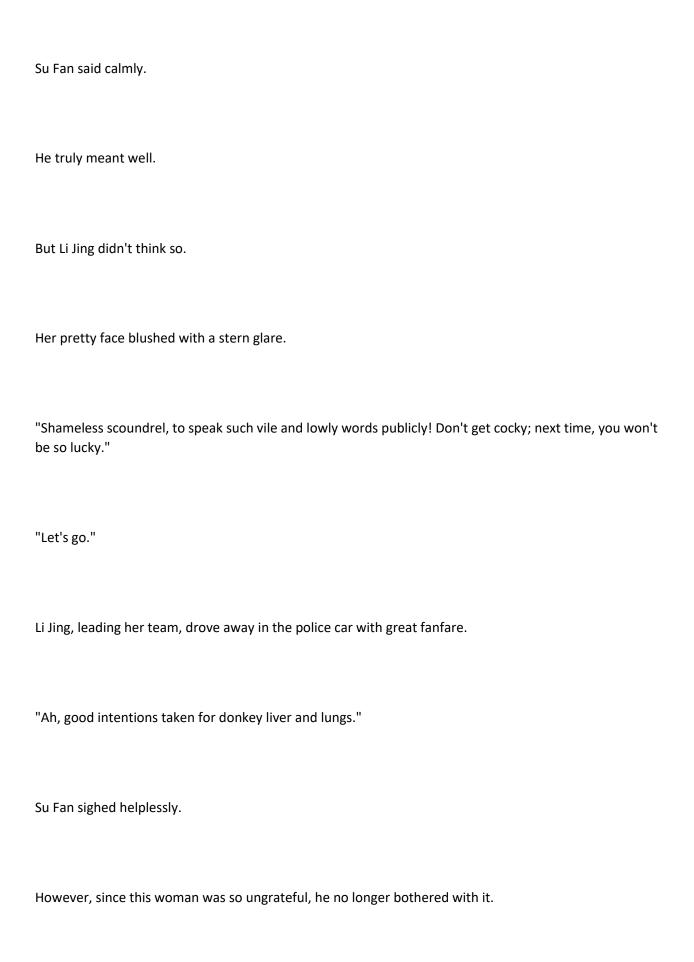
| It was also a lapse in her emotional judgment, her personal feelings getting the better of her. |
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| Because she found Su Fan disagreeable, she subconsciously wanted to cause him trouble, so she charged in without properly assessing the situation first. |
| "Bastard." |
| The next moment, Li Jing's angry gaze locked onto the so-called "deceased." |
| The man swallowed nervously, looking guiltily as he spoke. |
| "I, I'm feeling a lot better, it's all a misunderstanding, let's go home, wife." |
| He stood up, trying to escape the scene. |
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| "Stay right there!" |
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| Angry, Li Jing unleashed all her fury on the swindler, rushing forward with a bolt and pinning him to the ground. |
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| The man's brother-in-law, along with the other burly men who had come with him, were looking guilty and trying to make a run for it. |
| Su Fan shouted loudly, |
| "Fellow villagers, these scoundrels have been exploiting your sympathy to deceive others, we can't let them get away." |
| "Fraudsters, catch the fraudsters!" |
| "These scoundrels, to think I spoke up for them, only to be deceived." |
| "Plus, we wronged the Divine Doctor, we can't let them off." |
| "Beat them to death" |
| The seven or eight hundred villagers, faces flushed with rage, surged forward en masse, surrounding the group and beating them with fists and kicks. |

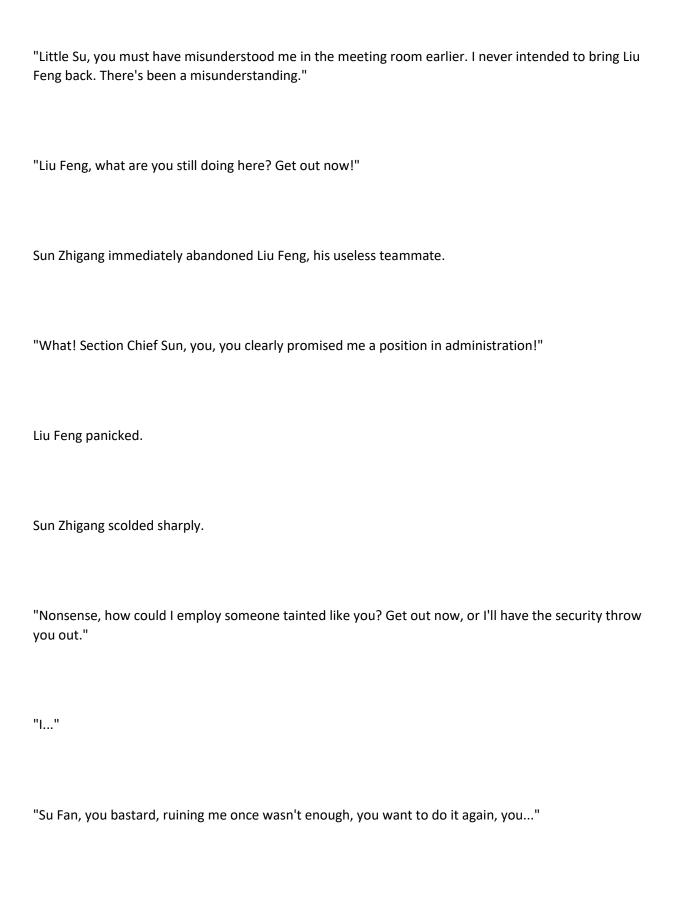
| "Su Fan, you are really impressive." |
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| "You scared me to death just now." |
| Liu Ye walked over to Su Fan, giving him a thumbs-up. |
| Su Fan smiled faintly; the idea that anyone trying to play dead could escape his keen observation was laughable. Just one glance at the man, and Su Fan immediately knew that he was in good health, with no sign of illness—how could he possibly be dead? |
| Moreover, his memory was infallible; he had never seen this man during his free clinic in Citizens Village. Plus, the attitudes of Liu Feng and Sun Zhigang made it blatantly clear that this matter was linked to the two of them. |
| "Section Chief Sun, what do we do now, what now?" |
| As expected, upon seeing his scheme exposed by Su Fan, Liu Feng panicked, almost on the verge of tears. |
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| "Damn, Su Fan is really tough to deal with." |

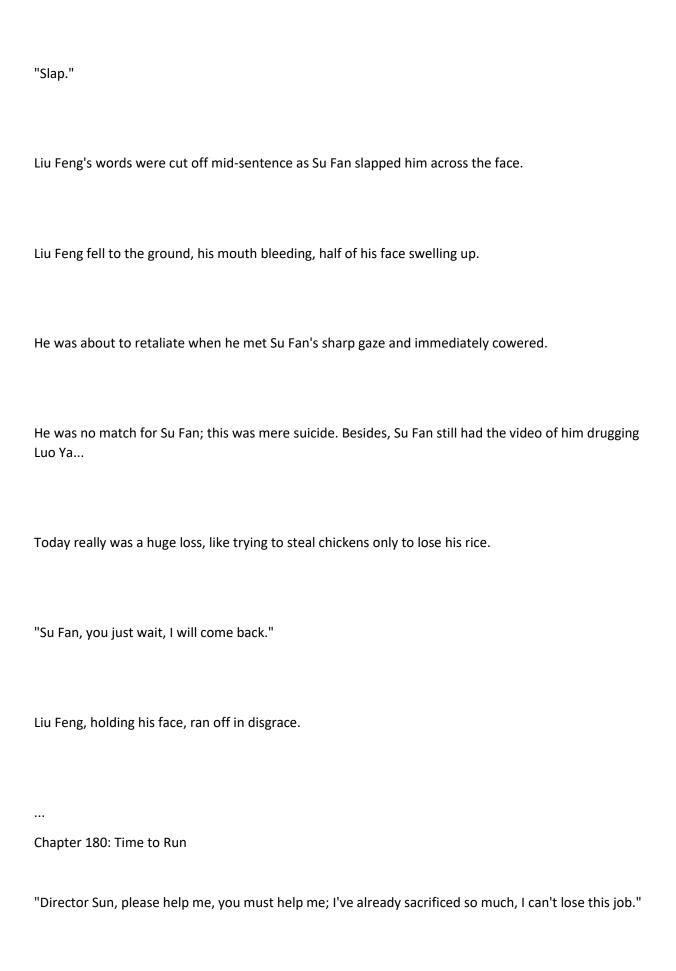
| "Damnable." |
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| Sun Zhigang gritted his teeth in hatred. He hadn't planned on bringing Su Fan down this time, just having the police take him away publicly and tarnish his reputation would have been enough. Unexpectedly, Su Fan was incredibly cunning. |
| "Section Chief Sun, I've cleared our hospital's name, but why do you look so upset?" |
| "Could it be, you have some connection with these people?" |
| Su Fan said with a mocking smile. |
| "You" |
| Sun Zhigang was so furious that he nearly passed out, his eyes darted around as he nervously spoke. |
| "Nonsense, as a hospital leader, how could I possibly slander the hospital's reputation? Keep talking nonsense, and I'll sue you for defamation." |
| "Fine by me, anytime." |

| Su Fan said nonchalantly, not caring about Sun Zhigang, unlike the others in the hospital. |
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| If it weren't for the fact that Sun Zhigang was Sun Rui's stepfather, he would have slapped him already. |
| "Alright, take these people back, record their statements, and investigate clearly to see what's really going on." |
| Li Jing took the troublemakers from the crowd and loaded them into the van. |
| "I'm innocent! Someone told me to come here, I'm innocent!" cried the man pretending to be dead. |
| Li Jing said sternly. |
| "Save your words for the station, take them all away." |
| Li Jing was really fed up with these people. Not only did they break the law, but they also made him look foolish in front of Su Fan. |
| "Officer Li, your manner of handling things is a bit overbearing, I think you should temper your temper. Otherwise, I think your chest will just get harder and more painful." |



| Right now, the important thing was to deal with that bastard Liu Feng. |
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| "Section Chief Sun, you dismissed Liu Feng in front of Director Nalan, and now you've brought him back. Aren't you making a fool of Director Nalan? Should I give my god-sister a call?" |
| Using influence shamelessly. |
| If you have connections, it's foolish not to use them. |
| As he spoke, Su Fan took out his phone, pretending to call Nalan Xue. |
| What a joke, playing around with the mayor's wife—Sun Zhigang, just a hospital section chief, didn't have the nerve. |
| Previously, it was because Liu Feng repeatedly assured he had dealt with Su Fan that he agreed to let Liu Feng come back. After all, if Su Fan had died, Nalan Xue definitely wouldn't care about the likes of Liu Feng. But now, the situation was utterly different. |
| "Misunderstanding, all a misunderstanding." |



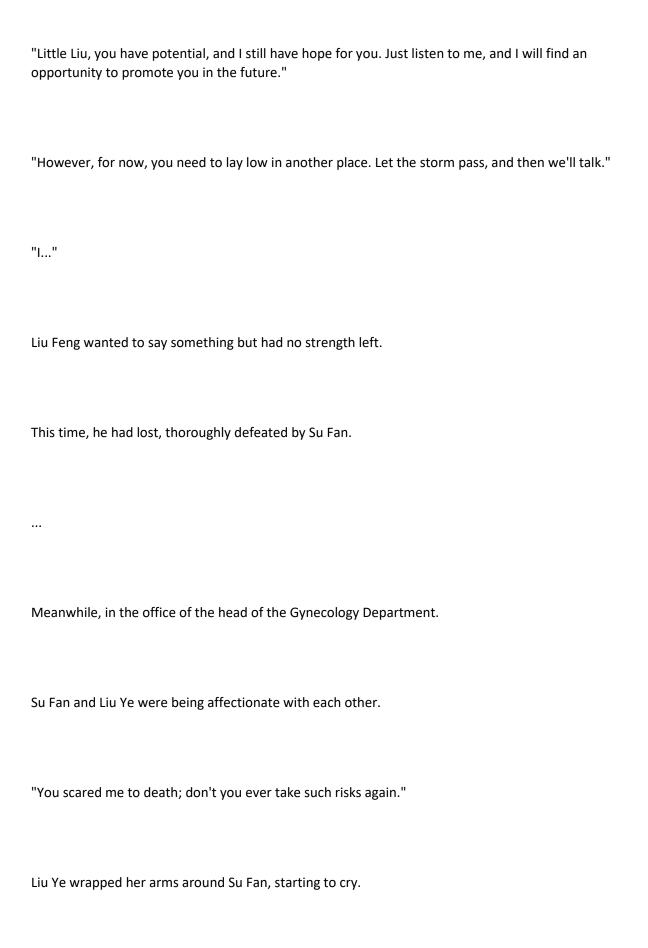


| Ten minutes later, in the office of the head of the Administrative Department. |
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| Director Sun was sitting on the sofa with a grim expression on his face, smoking one cigarette after another. |
| Liu Feng stood to the side, pleading desperately. |
| Sun Zhigang bellowed furiously. |
| "You idiot, you still have the face to ask me to arrange a job for you? If you hadn't lied to me saying Su Fan was dead, would I have lost so much face today? And another thing, I told you to find reliable people to make trouble, and just look at what you've brought. They couldn't even act properly before getting caught." |
| "Now look what happened, not only did you fail to tarnish Su Fan's reputation, but you've actually helped him become more famous. Now it's going to be even harder to get rid of Su Fan." |
| Liu Feng was on the brink of tears. |
| "The people from the Blood Wolf Gang had made a solid agreement with me; I don't know what went wrong, maybe Su Fan is just really lucky?" |

| "Enough, let's not talk about this. For now, let's focus on your issue, you should leave." |
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| With that, Sun Zhigang took out a stack of money from the drawer, about ten thousand yuan, and tossed it in front of Liu Feng. |
| "Leave, where can I go?" |
| "Idiot" |
| Seeing Liu Feng's clueless expression, Sun Zhigang grew even angrier. He truly regretted teaming up with such an imbecile; was this not inviting trouble? |
| "Are you dumb? Those fraudsters were taken away by the police. With their unreliable behavior, it won't be long before they implicate you. And you, the mastermind behind the scenes, will be the main culprit of this fraud case. If you don't leave, just wait for your time in prison." |
| "What?" |
| Liu Feng, lacking in smarts, was taken aback at first, then it dawned on him, and his expression soured as if he'd lost his mother. |

| "Director Sun, this this was all your doing. You've got to help me; you can't just leave me to die." |
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| "Shut your filthy mouth." |
| Sun Zhigang said with an air of integrity. |
| "I am a respected leader of the City First Hospital. Would I stoop to such lowly misdeeds? Don't bite like a mad dog, and certainly, don't throw dirt on me. Otherwise, I'll be the first to call the police on you." |
| "You you clearly" |
| Liu Feng was utterly dumbfounded. |
| "Hmph." |
| Sun Zhigang cut off Liu Feng before he could finish speaking. |
| "Let me ask you, you say I told you to do it, do you have any evidence? Video? Recording? Or an eyewitness?" |

| Sun Zhigang's face was full of cunning. |
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| "1" |
| Liu Feng was paralyzed. |
| With his slow wit, how could he have thought that far ahead? |
| Where could he have any evidence? |
| "Director Sun, I'm begging you, you can't just ignore me, please save me, I don't want to go to jail." |
| Liu Feng collapsed to the ground and began to wail. |
| "All right." |
| Sun Zhigang stood up, walked over to Liu Feng, and patted his shoulder like an elder, comforting him as he spoke. |



| Su Fan wiped away the tears at the corner of Liu Ye's eyes. |
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| "Don't worry. People like Liu Feng and Sun Zhigang can't trouble me. But as for you, you mustn't stick your neck out for me again. I'm the man; I should be protecting you, understand?" |
| "Su Fan, you're so manly." |
| Liu Ye felt Su Fan's dominance, and the love in her eyes intensified even more. |
| "Heh, I've got an even manlier side. Sister Liu, wouldn't you like to experience it?" |
| Su Fan's hand slid down to Liu Ye's behind and squeezed it hard. Liu Ye's reaction was instantaneous, as if she'd been zapped by electricity, and she fell into Su Fan's arms, her full chest pressing against his sturdy torso. |
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