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Chapter 151: She Had Dignity

There was no sound on the other end of the phone for a moment, and then Zhou Jieru's sharp voice sounded, ""You heartless child. I painstakingly carried you for ten months to give birth to you, and you're asking me why?"

Qiao Mu's grip on her phone tightened, and her voice turned colder. " Yu Tingyun said that you wanted to enter the Qiao family back then. Did you plan to use me from the very beginning?

"Yu Tingyun is a b * tch. You don't trust me, but you trust her? I should have been ruthless enough to abort you back then. I wouldn't have stayed single for the rest of my life and become so miserable now!"

If Zhou Jieru was so cruel as to sell her daughter, why would she be reluctant to abort the child and let the child become a burden to her?

If it was just a simple scam, she could use the abortion as a bargaining chip to ask the Qiao family to give her a large sum of money. Yu Tingyun was a person who cared about her reputation, so she would easily take out a sum of money to settle this matter.

Qiao Mu had never thought about what happened back then. Now that she thought about it, she felt that many things did not make sense.

In the following period of time, Qiao Mu practically ran back and forth between the classroom, library, and dormitory every day. Her life could not be any more normal, and it was as plain as before.

Half a month had passed, but there was no news from Li Yan. This man did not call her or send her a message. It was not like him at all.

However, no news was the best news. If she went on a business trip and didn't come back for more than half a month, then three years would pass very quickly if she went on a few more business trips in a year.

Finally, he passed the exam.

Soon, Qiao Mu was faced with a problem.

The holidays were about to start. What happened to the internship at Li Group? She couldn't even see Li Yan now!

She opened WeChat and sent Li Yan a message. "Uncle, when are you coming back?"

She sent the message, but the other party did not respond. Qiao Mu angrily put away her phone and threw a tantrum at her for no reason. Then, she went on a business trip without a word and did not contact her or pay attention to him. This man was simply too much!

Half of the bed also had dignity!

Chi Xia was packing her luggage. She looked at Qiao Mu's sullen expression and asked, "What are you doing? Hurry up and book a taxi. If I miss the flight, I won't be able to leave."

Qiao Mu pursed her lips. "Big Sis, it's only ten in the morning. Your flight is at five in the afternoon. You won't be able to reach the airport in seven hours?"

"Maybe there's a traffic jam."

Qiao Mu was speechless.

He couldn't communicate with a woman who was in love.

After packing their luggage, Qiao Mu and Chi Xia had a simple lunch. It was still early, but Chi Xia insisted on leaving for the airport.

Qiao Mu had no choice but to accompany her to the airport. When they arrived at the airport, the two of them strolled around the luxury stores in the airport. Chi Xia bought a tie for Gu Cheng generously.

‘ Don’t you think it’s cheaper to buy these luxury goods overseas? ’ Qiao Mu couldn’t help but give him a blow. Are you rich?’

Chi Xia looked nonchalant. ” These are limited edition. What if they don’t have this one? I haven’t given the tens of thousands of yuan you gave me back to Gu Cheng yet. I wanted to save up 80,000 yuan and give it to him together, but now it seems that I can only delay it for a while.”

Chi Xia carefully placed the gift box into her bag, thinking that she would give it to Gu Cheng as a gift when they met.

Qiao Mu looked at Chi Xia silently. Back then, when Gu Cheng chose to go abroad, Chi Xia was so calm that Qiao Mu thought Chi Xia did not have such deep feelings for Gu Cheng.

But now, it seemed that the more he cared, the more rational he was..

Chapter 152: She Was Not Disappointed

Qiao Mu did not receive any messages from Li Yan. The messages she sent were like a grain of sand thrown into the sea, disappearing without a trace.

Initially, she did not feel anything when she did not contact him for half a month. However, when she did, she could not contact him. Her heart was very.. Annoyed!

That’s right, he was annoyed!

She would never admit that she was a little disappointed!

After Chi Xia left, Qiao Mu was the only one left in the dormitory. It was extremely boring.

Qiao Mu couldn't take it anymore. At night, she lay under the covers and sent Li

Yan another message.

"Uncle, why didn't you reply to my messages?"

"Uncle, did you not see it, or did you pretend not to see it!"

"Uncle, even if you don't want to talk to me, shouldn't you keep your promise?"

"Uncle, I'm already on vacation. Where's the internship?"

"Uncle..."

"Don't tell me you've uninstalled WeChat?"

"Li Yan, if you don't reply to me, I'm going to go back on my word and not pay you back!"

Qiao Mu sent one message after another. In the end, Qiao Mu gave up and sent a bomb with a poop emoji.

What he meant was, I'll blow your face up.

In Country F, Li Yan had been busy dealing with the matters at hand since the day he arrived.

Li Yan, Su Chen, and the other two had developed a powerful underground organization overseas and made some secret deals.

The goods in his hands were intercepted by the enemy organization. Although this kind of thing was common, the amount of goods this time was huge and expensive. Li Yan spent a few days to deal with it.

However, Li Yan, who had never suffered a loss, naturally had to pay back several times over.

Therefore, Li Yan had blocked all the routes that the other party used to transport goods. Since the other party had cut off one of his routes, he would cut off all of the other party's routes.

After negotiating for a few days, the two sides finally had a face-to-face negotiation.

In the empty room, there was a long table. Li Yan sat at one end and a blond man sat opposite him.

The atmosphere was extremely tense.

At this moment, Li Yan's phone in his pocket vibrated non-stop. He took out his phone and opened WeChat. What he saw was a bunch of messages.

After half a month of no contact between them, that little thing finally took the initiative to contact him, but it came with a purpose.

Li Yan narrowed his eyes and heard the blond man opposite him say, ""Boss Li, why are you so half-hearted? Are you not satisfied with the 20% profit I gave you?"

Li Yan put down his phone and looked at the other party coldly. " 40% interest. There's no room for negotiation. Either I release the goods and both of us will make a profit, or we keep wasting time. The longer we waste time, the less I'll lose. Situ, I don't have time to beat around the bush with you. Whether the goods arrive on time is a matter of your integrity. There's a war going on over there. This is a long-term big customer. "

Situ Zheng's expression changed. His face was so dark that it was scary. However, Li Yan leaned back on the sofa nonchalantly and waited for Situ Zheng to nod.

Suddenly, there was a loud bang. The lackey standing next to him smashed his gun on the table and glared at Li Yan. "Don't refuse a toast only to be forced to drink a forfeit. Our boss is giving you face by giving you 20% of the profit. If you don't want to take advantage of it, then quit..."

Li Yan's lips curled up as he narrowed his cold eyes. A bloodthirsty glint flashed in his eyes. In the next second, a short knife was hung on his waist and he threw it at the talkative lackey. With a flash of the knife, the sharp tip of the knife accurately pierced through the lackey's fingers.

Then, a cold voice came out of his thin lips. "Who gave you the right to shout in front of me?"

Chapter 153: When Is Li Yan Coming Back?

The lackey reacted and was so scared that his hands were trembling. Just as he was about to say something, Situ Zheng said coldly, "Get lost! I'm here. Who allowed you to talk?"

Other people might not know who Li Yan was, but Situ Zheng knew. In this path, those who could survive were not to be fled with.

If Situ Zheng had not been schemed against by his subordinates, he would not have provoked Li Yan's business. If he had known that the goods belonged to Li Yan, he would definitely not have touched them!

Now, he was forced into a corner by Li Yan.

Situ Zheng looked at Li Yan and said, "Boss Li, the new underling isn't sensible. Don't be calculative. It's just that interest is indeed too high. I can't earn anything at all. According to the rules, the maximum profit for business transactions is 30%."

“Rules? According to the rules, my goods have already left the port, and people in the same trade can’t do anything to them unless pirates have the right to do so. Does Boss Situ want to change his profession to become a pirate?”

Situ Zheng was choked by Li Yan’s words. In order not to offend Li Yan, he gritted his teeth and said, “Alright, then it’s a deal. From now on, we don’t owe each other anything!”

Li Yan smiled and pushed the contract in front of Situ Zheng. “Of course, I don’t want to have another enemy.”

After the discussion, Li Yan got into the car and took out his phone.

Just now, his phone vibrated twice in his pocket. When he opened WeChat again, he did receive a new message.

Li Yan narrowed his eyes when he saw the expressions of the bomb and poop on the screen. It seemed that this little thing had forgotten the lesson from that night in half a month!

“Ouyang, book me the earliest flight back to China,” Li Yan said coldly.

The man driving the car replied respectfully, “Yes, Boss.”

At this moment, a loud “bang” exploded behind the car. The car jolted and the tires skidded on the spot.

Behind the car was another car. The person in the car was shooting at the car with a pistol.

Ouyang’s face darkened. “Boss, Situ Zheng went back on his word?”

Qiao Mu waited and waited, but Li Yan did not reply. Finally, she received a call. It was not from Li Yan, but from his assistant, Lei Yi.

When Qiao Mu picked up the call, she heard Lei Yi's voice. " Miss Qiao, Young Master asked me to arrange for you to come to the company for an internship.

I've already made the arrangements. Miss Qiao can come over at any time. '

Qiao Mu was stunned, and she asked in confusion, ""Excuse me, is Li Yan back?"

' Young Master is handling some matters overseas, " Lei Yi explained. ' Something happened and he hasn't returned yet. "

So that was the case. But no matter how busy he was, he should be able to see her messages, right?

Alright, even if he saw it, there was no need to reply to her.

"I want to go for an internship tomorrow, is that okay?" Qiao Mu asked again.

' Sure, this is my number. Miss Qiao, call me when you come to the office tomorrow. "

Qiao Mu finally heaved a sigh of relief after resolving a matter on her mind, but she still felt a little upset.

Qiao Mu, who had always slept well, had insomnia that night. She did not know if it was because she was too excited about going to work tomorrow or because Li Yan's disappearance made her feel uncomfortable.

Then, the next day, Qiao Mu arrived at LSA-Enterprise with two dark circles under her eyes.

Lei Yi led Qiao Mu into the elevator, and it was very quiet inside. Qiao Mu looked at Lei Yi's expressionless face and could not help but ask, ""Assistant Lei, Uncle...Um, when is President Li coming back?"

Chapter 154: Young Master Is Injured

Lei Yi glanced at Qiao Mu indifferently. "I'm not too sure about Young Master's matters. Young Master was supposed to return today, but something suddenly happened yesterday."

Lei Yi paused for a moment, as if he was considering whether to continue. In the end, he still said, "Young Master is injured."

"Are you injured?" Qiao Mu's eyes widened in shock, and her tone suddenly became urgent. "What's going on? Where are you hurt? Is it serious?"

'Miss Qiao, Young Master's condition won't be reported to a subordinate of mine. As for the details, you can ask him yourself when he comes back in the next few days. I can only say that Young Master's life is not in danger.' Lei Yi spoke very calmly as if he could not see Qiao Mu's anxious and flustered expression at all.

There was no danger to his life ..

It would have been fine if Lei Yi did not explain, but the scope of his words was too broad. Qiao Mu had no idea how serious his injuries were!

His mood suddenly became terrible, and he could not suppress his nervousness.

Li Yan was so powerful, so he shouldn't be too seriously injured, right?

That's right! It was definitely nothing serious!

Qiao Mu consoled herself in her heart, but her heart was still uneasy.

Judging from Lei Yi's expression, Li Yan's injury was a common occurrence. There was nothing to make a fuss about.

Qiao Mu had long known that Li Yan was not an ordinary businessman, but it was too unsafe for him to be hunted down so easily and get injured so casually!

Qiao Mu took a deep breath. Why should she worry about him? She was not worried!

Scourge lasts for a thousand years, but he won't die anyway!

Lei Yi had been observing Qiao Mu the entire time. She had her head lowered and her brows furrowed with a worried expression.

Was he being too harsh? He had already said that his life was not in danger. He just wanted to attract her attention. He did not expect her to be frightened.

Lei Yi wanted to explain further, but after thinking about it, he decided not to.

He only said, "Miss Qiao, I'll arrange for you to work in the design department. You major in fashion design. Our company doesn't have a fashion design department. The design department mainly includes architectural and interior design. Your internship is mainly to accumulate experience, which will be helpful to you.

After exiting the elevator, Qiao Mu followed behind Lei Yi and nodded absentmindedly.

"Miss Qiao, the design department is just up ahead."

Qiao Mu suddenly stopped in her tracks and looked up at Lei Yi. "Assistant Lei, can you lend me your phone?"

Lei Yi turned to look at Qiao Mu, who hurriedly explained, ""My phone ran out of battery. I just made a call."

Lei Yi didn't probe further and passed the phone to Qiao Mu.

Qiao Mu took her phone and went to a no-man's land to call Li Yan.

Actually, she was worried that Li Yan would ignore her if she called him with her phone!

After a few rings, the other party finally picked up the phone. The voice on the other end was a little noisy. A low and cold voice sounded, "What is it?"

Qiao Mu gripped her phone tightly. The familiar voice sounded full of confidence. How did it sound like she was injured?

Seemingly not getting a response, the man's voice rang out again, ""Lei Yi, are you here to waste my time?"

Hearing the man's cold tone, Qiao Mu hung up the phone without thinking.

He could talk and get angry. It seemed like nothing had happened.

Qiao Mu returned the phone to Lei Yi. The moment the phone reached Lei Yi's hand, it rang.

Qiao Mu was shocked. She wanted to stop Lei Yi from picking up, but she was a step too late. Lei Yi had already picked up the call..

Chapter 155: Only a fool would care about him!

When Qiao Mu heard Lei Yi call her 'Young Master', she immediately waved her hand at him, hinting him not to say that she was the one who called. But ...

"Young Master, I lent my phone to Miss Qiao just now," Lei Yi said.

"The corners of Qiao Mu's lips twitched fiercely.

Assistant Lei, can we not be so loyal?

Then, Lei Yi passed the phone to Qiao Mu. " Miss Qiao, Young Master wants you to answer the phone. "

Qiao Mu felt like she had done something wrong and was caught red-handed. What was the big deal of calling Li Yan secretly and hanging up without a word?!

Qiao Mu braced herself and took the phone. She laughed awkwardly. " Uncle, you were looking for me? "

"Aren't you the one looking for me?" Li Yan's voice was still cold and clear. ' You're using someone else's phone to call me. Qiao Mu, could it be that you just want to hear my voice to express your longing? "

Qiao Mu was speechless.

Yearning your sister!

She did not miss him!

Qiao Mu didn't know what to say and could only reply with an " En. "

But then, the man sneered. " You're too slow to react. You haven't contacted me for half a month, and you only realize that you miss me now? "

Qiao Mu bit her lip when she heard his sarcastic words, and her tone instantly turned unpleasant. She said stiffly, ""1 came to the company for an internship today. I called you to thank you, but the signal was bad just now. You didn't seem to be able to hear me, so I had to hang up!"

' No need to thank me. I've already received the commission before I left! "

Qiao Mu bit her lip hard. Was he referring to the things he did to her that night as payment?

Qiao Mu suddenly felt so stifled that she couldn't breathe. She immediately stuffed the phone into Lei Yi's hands, not wanting to say another word to Li

Yan.

She already regretted calling Li Yan. She had wanted to find out more about his injury, but now it seemed that she had worried too much!

She must be crazy to worry about him!

Watching Qiao Mu walk away, Lei Yi felt like the phone in his hand was a hot potato. How was he supposed to deal with it if Qiao Mu threw it at him?

Lei Yi could only raise the phone to his ear and bite the bullet. "Young Master, Miss Qiao left her phone and left. '

In an instant, Lei Yi felt that familiar coldness. Even through the phone, it was still very cold.

Li Yan's face darkened when he heard the call.

She actually dared to hang up on him!

His originally irritable mood suddenly became worse. The anger in his heart surged bit by bit. After a few days of not training, this little thing was really getting more and more arrogant!

Immediately after, he heard Lei Yi's voice. "Young Master, Miss Qiao asked me when you were coming back just now. I accidentally let it slip and let her know that you were injured."

In an instant, Li Yan narrowed his eyes. The expression in his black eyes deepened, and his cold and charming face darkened.

Was she worried about him?

Li Yan hung up the phone and stood by the window.

The man's tall body stood upright. There were no signs of injuries on his body. Only his large hand that was hanging at the side was bandaged. It was only a superficial wound.

There was a knock on the door, and Superintendent Ouyang walked in. "Boss, the person who tried to assassinate us is already at a loss as to who ordered it."

Li Yan did not even turn his head. "Book me a plane ticket back to China," he said directly. "You'll handle this."

Superintendent Ouyang was stunned for a moment. After the attack yesterday, Boss said that he would stay for a few more days to find the mastermind behind the scenes and deal with him personally.. But now that he had already caught the mastermind, this old man didn't care?

Chapter 156: Intern at Li Group

Lei Yi brought Qiao Mu to the design department, and a tall woman in high heels walked over with a smile. " Assistant Lei Te, what brings you to our department? "

" Manager Ye, this is an intern who just arrived. She's going to intern in the design department. " Lei Yi handed the information on Qiao Mu to Ye Lin.

Qiao Mu smiled and politely said, "" Hello, Manager Ye. My name is Qiao Mu.

Please take care of me. '

Ye Lin shifted her gaze and sized up Qiao Mu. The corners of her lips curled up. ' Assistant Reiter is really timely. It just so happens that our department has been quite busy recently, so he arranged interns for us. "

Lei Yi spoke indifferently, his words hinting at something." Qiao Mu is still a student and will only be interning in the company for a month. I'll have to trouble Manager Ye to take care of the newcomer. I'll leave her to you. I'll go and get busy. '

Li Yan did not say that he had to take special care of Qiao Mu, so Lei Yi did not go too far. After all, in such a competitive company, being labeled as a backdoor would incur the jealousy of others.

After Lei Yi left, Ye Lin looked at Qiao Mu's information and raised her eyelids. ' Major in fashion design? Qiao Mu, interior design and real estate design aren't as simple as fashion design. Since you've come to our department, you'd better work hard. I hate people without ability the most. If you can't do a good job, you can leave immediately."

Qiao Mu nodded. " Don't worry, Manager Ye. I'll work hard. " May I ask what I need to do?"

She had come for an internship because she wanted to accumulate experience. It was not a bad thing to have a strict boss.

Ye Lin pointed to a corner. " That's your desk. Look through the documents on the table and get to know the company first. '

Qiao Mu introduced herself to the people in the design department's office before sitting down at her desk. When she saw the documents on the desk, she felt a headache coming on.

The female employees gathered together and whispered, "Who is this Qiao Mu? A university student who doesn't specialize in the right field. Isn't this forcing trash into our department?!"

"He probably got into the company because of the higher-ups."

' What Manager Ye dislikes the most is those employees who have no ability and go through the back door. I wonder how long this university student who doesn't know anything can stay. '

' But Qiao Mu was personally arranged by Assistant Lei Te, and Lei Yi is the CEO's direct subordinate. We can't afford to offend him! "

Some people wanted to say something, but Ye Lin threw the document on their table. " It's working hours. Why are you daydreaming?! '

Ye Lin glanced at Qiao Mu before coldly retracting her gaze. The corners of her lips curled up in disapproval.

During lunch break, Qiao Mu got up and stretched her waist, her eyes hurting from reading the documents.

Suddenly, someone patted her shoulder. Qiao Mu turned around, and a female colleague said with a smile, "" Qiao Mu, according to the rules, new employees have to treat their department colleagues to a meal to improve mutual understanding. You'll have to pay for lunch today! "

Qiao Mu realized that the others were all looking at her. There were so many people in the department, and anything they ate would cost more than a thousand yuan. Her wallet could not withstand her torture.

She smiled embarrassedly. " I really can't do it today. I have something to do later. There's still a long time. I'll definitely treat you guys to a meal another day!

Qiao Mu's phone rang and helped her out of the predicament.

Her colleagues went to the cafeteria to eat in disappointment.. They were afraid that their new colleagues would be fired before they could treat them to a meal!

Chapter 157: Did Your Man's Heart Go Wild?

The caller was Han Su. Qiao Mu picked up the call and heard Han Su say, ""

Mumu, I've already gotten the information for the exchange student registration. The registration will start during the holidays. "

Qiao Mu was delighted. " Senior, you have to leave me a copy of the application. I've already started my internship during the holidays, and I only have time to look for you to fill in the information on the weekends. "

"Where are you doing your internship?"

"Li Corporation."

"Just in time. I'm nearby now. It should be your lunch break now. Come out and have a meal.'

"Good!"

In the dining room.

Qiao Mu filled out the information and handed it to Han Su. "Senior, do you think I can pass the application?"

Han Su looked at the application form and smiled. "I don't think it's possible with your conditions, but with my help, the chances are 90%."

"Senior, if this matter is completed, I will definitely thank you properly!"

Han Su looked at Qiao Mu with a smile. "Even if it doesn't work out, shouldn't you treat me to a meal to express your gratitude?"

Another treat...

Qiao Mu looked troubled and chuckled. "Senior, it's not that I'm insincere, but my wallet can't withstand the test. I'll definitely treat you to a meal when I get paid!"

"Girl, you're so poor."

Qiao Mu's internship did not go as smoothly as she had expected.

In the afternoon, she was still reading her documents when Ye Lin called out to her. "Qiao Mu, you spend your working hours reading documents. Do you think this is school? Could it be that the company is paying you to study?"

Qiao Mu stood up and looked at Ye Lin, asking politely, "Manager, what do I need to do? You didn't arrange any other work for me."

"Work needs to be arranged? Don't you know how to ask your colleagues? The others are all so busy. If they have endless work on their hands, you can help them solve it."

As soon as Ye Lin finished speaking, someone passed a pile of documents to Qiao Mu. "New colleague, help me make two copies of these documents."

Qiao Mu nodded and went to do it.

After a while, another pile of documents was placed on the table beside Qiao

Mu, and a soft voice sounded, "Manager Ye asked you to make copies of these. You need them for tomorrow's meeting. Manager Ye said that you have to finish making copies today."

The other party paused and then said, "That's how newcomers go. It's your first day at work, and you're an intern. You need to get used to it slowly."

Qiao Mu was originally buried in her work, but when she heard this, she raised her head to look at the other party. It was a delicate and pretty young lady who looked to be only a few years older than her. She should have just graduated not long ago.

The other party saw Qiao Mu staring at her and smiled. "I'm Tang Jiajia, your colleague."

Qiao Mu smiled back. "Thank you. It's fine. Leave this to me."

So be it. Just treat it as accumulating experience for self-reliance after graduation.

Qiao Mu finally managed to finish her chores before she got off work.

After returning to the dormitory and having a simple cup of instant noodles, Qiao Mu remembered that Chi Xia had not contacted her after he went to United States. He had not called her after he arrived!

Qiao Mu dialed the number, but no one picked up for a long time.

Was he sleeping?

Qiao Mu called again. Just as she was about to give up, the other party picked up.

Qiao Mu instantly heaved a sigh of relief and grumbled, Chi Xia, you've grown up. You didn't even tell me that you're safe when you arrived. Did your heart go wild when you saw your man? '

After Qiao Mu finished speaking, she didn't show off her affection as she had expected, and the other end of the phone fell silent..

Chapter 158: An Unguarded Meeting

"Xiaxia?" Qiao Mu called out, feeling that something was amiss.

Oh, I'm fine. My phone ran out of battery and I forgot to call you. I'm already here. Don't worry." Chi Xia's voice was very soft. There was not a trace of joy from seeing her lover.

"Why do I feel like you're very listless?" Qiao Mu frowned slightly. Did you see Gu Cheng?"

"No, after I got off the plane, I found a hotel to stay in for the night. I have to rest well before I go see him, right? Alright, I won't talk to you anymore. I have to pack up and get ready to go out." After Chi Xia finished speaking, she said goodbye and hung up the phone.

Qiao Mu did not think too much about it. She thought that Chi Xia was in a hurry to meet Gu Cheng, so it was normal for her to hang up on her impatiently. She was relieved to know that Chi Xia had arrived safely.

The next day, Qiao Mu slept until eight o'clock. She lazily woke up and turned over, intending to continue sleeping. However, she suddenly thought of something and abruptly sat up.

Oh no! We're going to be late!

Qiao Mu hurriedly washed up and rushed out of the dormitory.

Being late for work on the second day was really digging her own grave. She could totally imagine how Ye Lin would educate her.

When Qiao Mu exited the subway, it was already 8:40 pm. She was destined to be late today.

Qiao Mu rushed to the company and waited for the elevator. She was thinking about how to deal with Ye Lin later and hoped that her superior would not be too harsh on her.

There was a commotion in the hall behind her, but Qiao Mu was in no mood to pay attention to it. She anxiously stomped her feet, hoping that the elevator would descend quickly.

Qiao Mu felt the two people chatting at the side suddenly quieten down, and then she heard a voice.
““Good morning, President.”

President?

Qiao Mu was stunned. She subconsciously turned around and happened to face the man behind her.

Qiao Mu’s mouth was agape in an exaggerated manner as she looked at the other party in astonishment.

He, he, he...Why was he here?

He actually returned to the country!

Li Yan glanced at Qiao Mu, who was so shocked that her mouth could fit an egg. When she saw him, she looked surprised but not happy.

Qiao Mu immediately lowered her head and whispered, ""Hello, President." When did he come back? Yesterday, Lei Yi had told him to come back in a few days.

The elevator beside her opened, and the man in front of her stepped into the elevator. Qiao Mu followed closely behind and entered the elevator with her head lowered.

Then, Qiao Mu realized that the people waiting for the elevator outside were all standing still and looking at her with surprise. Qiao Mu immediately felt that something was wrong. This elevator didn't seem to be the staff elevator!

Just as Qiao Mu was about to step out of the elevator, Lei Yi, who was standing at the elevator entrance, silently pressed the button for the floor, and the elevator closed.

Qiao Mu felt a headache coming on. She had openly taken the CEO's private elevator and so many pairs of eyes were staring at her. Wasn't she courting death?

Qiao Mu grabbed Lei Yi's arm that was pressing the elevator button and said, ""Assistant Lei, wait a moment. I'll go down first."

Before Lei Yi could say anything, he felt a cold light sweep over. The arm that Qiao Mu was grabbing felt a chill, and Lei Yi immediately took a step back, putting some distance between himself and Qiao Mu.

Lei Yi reminded her, " Miss Qiao, the elevator has already gone up. "

Qiao Mu stood silently at the side with her back facing Li Yan. The reflective walls of the elevator allowed her to see Li Yan's expression clearly.

The man stood there coldly, his thin lips slightly pursed. From the side, the lines of his handsome face were clear and deep.

They hadn't seen each other for more than half a month, but the moment they met, he put on an aloof expression as if she owed him money!

Uh She did owe him money!

Chapter 159: Eat More Chicken Feet

Qiao Mu's gaze landed on Li Yan's hand, and only then did she realize that his hand was bandaged.

It turned out that Lei Yi was telling the truth when he said that he was injured.

Qiao Mu raised her head and looked at Li Yan. The man seemed to have sensed her gaze, so he tilted his head slightly and finally looked her in the eye.

Qiao Mu pointed at that hand and asked softly, ""Uncle, are you seriously injured?"

Li Yan's expression had been extremely cold ever since he entered the elevator. Qiao Mu stood there silently with the back of her head facing him, completely ignoring him. He wished he could push this little thing to a corner and teach her a lesson.

Li Yan's expression darkened when he saw that the elevator door was about to open. At this moment, Qiao Mu spoke.

Her low voice sounded like she was trying to test him out. It seemed like she was being careful, which made Li Yan's expression turn better.

It was only then that Li Yan realized that his cold treatment had caused her to feel conflicted, making her not want to get close to him.

This little thing was concerned about him when she found out that he was injured. She was not heartless.

After Qiao Mu finished speaking, she only received an apathetic gaze in response. Just as she was under immense pressure from being stared at, she suddenly heard the man say only two words, “It’s serious.”

Qiao Mu was stunned. She furrowed her brows and subconsciously grabbed his hand. “Let me see what’s going on.”

Li Yan felt a sudden warmth on his hand. He lowered his head and saw the little thing holding his hand. Her movements were very gentle as she sized it up carefully.

An indescribable emotion spread in his heart, slowly eliminating the coldness that had accumulated in Duo Rulai.

“Are you a medical student?” Li Yan glanced at her. Can you understand what’s going on?”

Qiao Mu smiled awkwardly and let go of his hand. “What did the doctor say?”

“Take care of it and nourish it more.” Li Yan’s attitude was still cold and aloof, but his tone was a little softer.

The corner of Lei Yi’s mouth twitched. More nourishment? Did this sound like something Young Master Li would say?

Such a small injury was a common occurrence for Young Master Li, and he had the cheek to say it was serious.

However, Qiao Mu took Li Yan’s words to heart.

When the elevator door opened, Qiao Mu remembered that she was late and immediately rushed out of the elevator. She took two steps and turned back to look at Li Yan. “Little Uncle, use your body to make up for your injury. Your hand is injured, so eat more chicken feet.”

Li Yan was speechless.

When he looked up and saw Lei Yi's amused expression, his eyes turned cold.

"What's wrong? Do you have something to say?"

"Young Master, I just think that if you really want to make your injury look more serious, you can put on a cast or something."

Li Yan's face darkened. He looked down at his bandaged hand and raised his eyebrows coldly. "Do you think I'm exaggerating? If the wound gets infected, my hand might be crippled, and you still have the mood to gloat!"

Lei Yi was speechless.

Lei Yi had been by Li Yan's side for many years. Only now did he realize that Young Master Li also had a tsundere side!

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Qiao Mu bumped into Ye Lin the moment she entered the design department.

Ye Lin's eyes were filled with anger. "Qiao Mu, what time is it now? Why are you only coming to work now? Half a day is almost over. Why didn't you come back in the afternoon?"

"Manager Ye, I'm sorry. There won't be a next time." Qiao Mu lowered her head and apologized.

"Do you think that we're in school? You're late for class, so you can just deal with it casually? If there's a next time, you don't have to come again!" Ye Lin threw the documents in her hands onto the table. "Arrange these. We need them for the meeting later!"

Ye Lin turned around to leave, but she suddenly thought of something and glanced at Qiao Mu. "Go make me a cup of coffee and send it to the meeting room!"

Chapter 160: Someone Dared To Order His Little Thing Around

Qiao Mu stopped in her tracks. Ye Lin had an assistant, but she didn't use it, yet she had to order her to do such a thing. Clearly, she was deliberately making things difficult for her!

Since she had just entered the workplace, Qiao Mu had an attitude of enduring as much as she could.

When Li Yan passed by the entrance of the design department, he accidentally saw Qiao Mu being lectured with her head lowered. Then, he heard someone asking her to make coffee!

He stopped in his tracks and took a few more glances at the design department.

Someone dared to order his little thing around?

Ye Lin suddenly saw Li Yan standing outside and immediately suppressed her anger. She walked over quickly in her high heels and said respectfully, "Good morning, President."

Li Yan's dark eyes swept across Ye Lin coldly. "Half a day has passed. It's getting late."

Ye Lin looked a little embarrassed. "President, I was disciplining the intern who just arrived. I'm sorry for making a fool of myself."

Lei Yi followed behind him and smiled faintly. "Manager Ye, you're already so angry early in the morning. You should drink more chrysanthemum tea to cool down."

"Thank you for your concern, Special Assistant Lei. The intern you sent over yesterday is not very worry-free. Our company has strict regulations, so it's only right for me to go up and take care of her." As Yeh Lin spoke, he glanced at Li Yan. She had intentionally mentioned that Lei Yi had sent the interns over. If Qiao Mu had relied on Lei Yi to get in through the back door, then the CEO would not just ignore it!

Hearing this, Li Yan curled his lips coldly and spat out words that were devoid of any warmth, “If you can’t even take care of a newcomer, then you don’t have to be the department manager anymore. I don’t hire employees who only know how to be arrogant and throw tantrums!”

Ye Lin looked at Li Yan in shock. Li Yan had already left.

Ye Lin clenched her fists tightly. Ever since she entered the company, she had always performed well and had climbed to her current position step by step. She had always received praise, but because of Qiao Mu, she was reprimanded by the CEO!

Qiao Mu looked in the direction Li Yan left and was slightly stunned. Was he helping her?

Ye Lin glared at Qiao Mu, suppressed her anger, and coldly said, “What are you looking at? Go to work!”

In the meeting room, Ye Lin was commanding in front of the screen. “The company has just developed this area in the northern suburbs. The company places a lot of importance on this project. All the companies under the LSAG Group will come up with a plan for the layout of this land. We have to get the design rights. In the next month, we will focus on this matter...”

Qiao Mu flipped through the information. This piece of land was the one that Qiao Ya had said she wanted to obtain with all her effort, but it was eventually taken by Li Yan.

Suddenly, two stacks of documents were thrown in front of him, and Ye Lin’s voice sounded above his head. “Qiao Mu, these two are confidential documents. Destroy one and input the other into the computer. Send the electronic version to my email.”

After a pause, Ye Lin emphasized, “Don’t get it wrong. These files aren’t backed

(Liao Mu picked up the red folder and confirmed again. “Manager, do you need an electronic copy of this document?”

“Yes, I have to get it done today!” Ye Lin said coldly, a trace of coldness flashing in her eyes.

Qiao Mu was busy typing the entire morning.

During lunch break, Tang Jiajia walked over. “ Qiao Mu, go eat. You can work when you’re back. ”

Qiao Mu shook her head. “ You go first. I’m not hungry yet. I’ll go eat after I finish typing this page of documents. ”

Ye Lin glanced at Qiao Mu and sneered. This kind of incompetent person was only fit to do work without any technical content!

At the same time, in Li Yan’s office.

Lei Yi sent lunch to Li Yan’s office and reported, ““Young Master, Miss Qiao is still busy. She hasn’t had lunch yet.”

Li Yan looked up and glanced at the lunch beside him. He said calmly, “Prepare another serving and send it over. Don’t add chili.”