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Chapter 441: A Man Like Li Yan Won't Be Serious

In the next few days, Qiao Mu would go to Li Yan's company when she had less classes. When her classes were tight, she could only stay overnight in the school dormitory.

Every day was very comfortable and blissful.

Qiao Mu had never known that she would have such a feeling. She wanted to be with someone every day and not feel bored.

After a few days of busy work, Li Yan finally came to an end. He was about to go on a business trip.

Qiao Mu's classes were also getting more intense. She had to go to class every day and self-study at night.

In her free time, she designed some fashion drafts and prepared to make a collection to sell to fashion design companies. Of course, this time, she had to note her own works.

In the past, she had been under great pressure to protect her copyrights because of money. Now, she wanted to see if this path would work. She hoped that all her works would have Qiao Mu's signature.

Just like that, a busy week passed quickly.

When Qiao Mu walked out of the teaching building after class, she saw Han Su.

"Senior, why are you here?" She was a little surprised.

"I came to do something. Mumu, I didn't expect to meet you again. We haven't seen each other since the last time something happened to you." Han Su smiled apologetically at Qiao Mu. "I didn't help you much when something happened to you.

"Senior, you've already helped me a lot. I've troubled you for so long with the exchange student matter, and I haven't thanked you properly." Qiao Mu felt ashamed.

Han Su's gaze fell on Qiao Mu's face. Her complexion was much better than before. Her smile was so relaxed, and her expression was radiating radiance from within, making her even more beautiful than before.

Han Su smiled. "I remember you saying that you would treat me to a meal to express your gratitude after you earned your salary from your internship. '

Qiao Mu was stunned, but she nodded. "Mm, then let's do it today. 'It was noon, and Qiao Mu and Han Su arrived at a restaurant near the school.

" Mu Mu, " Han Su asked calmly while eating, " you didn't become an exchange student. Do you regret it?"

Qiao Mu shook her head. "I think it's pretty good now."

Now that he thought about it, it was fortunate that she did not leave.

However, she knew that even if she really chose to leave, with Li Yan's temper, he would still drag her back. The facts proved that he had already chased her all the way to Hong Kong.

In the past, she thought that Li Yan did not let go of her because he was possessive and wanted to control her. Slowly, she realized that a man who could get anything would not waste his energy and time on something he did not like.

Because you want it, you have to have it. This was a very simple principle.

Han Su put down his chopsticks and stared at Qiao Mu. ""Are you together with Li Yan?"

Qiao Mu didn't expect Han Su to suddenly ask this question. She was stunned for a moment, but she smiled calmly and nodded.

She didn't reply, but her expression and actions explained everything.

The smile on Han Su's face disappeared. " Mu Mu, a man like Li Yan won't be serious. Have you really thought it through? '

Qiao Mu was stunned. What Han Su meant was that it was a risk for her to be with Li Yan.

Although she was a little unhappy to receive such a response, she still replied with a smile, "Senior, thank you for your concern. I know what to do about my matters."

At this moment, her phone rang. She lowered her head to look at the caller ID, and the smile on her lips slowly spread.

Han Su saw the change in Qiao Mu's expression and knew who the caller was without even guessing..

Chapter 442: Lying

Previously, when Li Yan took her away from the police station, Han Su had always thought that Qiao Mu was forced to do so. But now, it seemed that she really liked that man.

But who was Li Yan? Why would that man, who was so decisive in the business world, be with a little girl like her?

Even if it was just a moment of love, when the love wore off, she would still be the one who was sad in the end!

Qiao Mu picked up her phone and went to the side to answer the call. " Uncle, why do you have the time to call me?"

"Where are you?" The man's deep voice sounded on the other end of the phone.

I'm at school. I'm having lunch outside. Qiao Mu answered truthfully.
"With who?"
Qiao Mu glanced at Han Su, who was not far away, and replied, ""Classmate."
Li Yan was such a petty man. If he knew that she was having dinner with Han Su, he would definitely be unhappy.
Therefore, in order to prevent him from getting angry, she directly fooled the person she was eating with.
However, the person on the other end of the phone didn't let go of the question. A faint voice sounded, ""'Oh? Male and female classmates?"
"Uncle, are you checking your household registration?" Qiao Mu smiled and changed the topic. " When are you coming back?" You've been on a business trip for a week. Are you coming back?"
There was a few seconds of silence on the other end of the phone before he said in a deep voice, ""Yes, I'll go back tonight."
"Really? Then I'll wait for you!" Qiao Mu saw Han Su stand up and said into the phone, ""Uncle, let's not talk about it for now. Call me when you come back."
After saying goodbye to Li Yan and hanging up the phone, Qiao Mu quickly went over to stop Han Su, who was paying the bill. ""Senior, we agreed that it would be my treat."
"It doesn't matter who pays for a meal. I accept your kindness." Han Su smiled. Qiao Mu was too embarrassed to argue with a grown man about paying about 100 yuan, so she could only nod.

The two of them left the restaurant. Since they were going the same way, they walked along the sidewalk toward the school. Qiao Mu did not notice that a familiar car was parked on the opposite side of the road. In the black car, the man looked at the back of the little woman outside the car. His eyes narrowed slightly, and his expression could not be seen. The atmosphere in the car was a little gloomy. Lei Yi, who was in front, felt a chill run down his spine. Young Master Li got off the plane an hour ago and rushed straight to T University. The company's highlevel meeting was delayed because of his change of schedule. However, who would have thought that when they arrived at the school, they would unintentionally see this scene-Qiao Mu was having a meal alone with a man! Not only that, but Qiao Mu also did not confess honestly! According to Young Master Li's temper, he would have gotten out of the car to expose him and question him directly, but he actually sat in the car without moving? Such a reaction was even more frightening!

He was already back, but he still said that he would be back at night. What did he mean?

Lei Yi was a little confused. Could it be that he had misunderstood Qiao Mu and that man?

However, if there was nothing, why would he lie and not confess?

Lei Yi saw Qiao Mu's figure leave the corner and saw the man's gloomy expression through the rearview mirror. He braced himself and said, ""' Young Master, Miss Qiao might just be having a meal with a classmate. It's not like there aren't pure friends among male friends. "

Lei Yi had just finished speaking when he felt Li Yan's expression darken. He glanced at him coldly and said coldly, " Are you trying to explain to me, or are you adding fuel to the fire? From what you said, it doesn't matter.. I thought it was related! Do I need your explanation?"

Chapter 443: Want to Give Her a Surprise

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Lei Yi felt awkward. He really regretted being a busybody.

But did Young Master Li mean to believe Qiao Mu or not?

At this moment, the man behind the car spoke again and spat out three words coldly,"Back to the company!"

Li Yan closed his eyes and leaned back in his seat without saying a word.

Last night, Qiao Mu had even sent him a message asking when she would be back. At that time, he was indeed unsure of the exact time and only said that he would let her know when he was sure.

He had not seen her for a week, but she had missed him so much. When he thought about how she missed him as well, he could not suppress the feelings in his chest. He wanted to hug her immediately and feel that fulfilling feeling.

Therefore, he stayed up all night to settle the matter. After he was done early in the morning, he immediately booked a plane ticket and rushed back.

He didn't inform her in advance because he wanted to give her a surprise. Thinking about how she would look when she suddenly saw him, he was quite looking forward to it.

But ... He wasn't surprised, but the result surprised him.

This little thing, when he was not around, she was still in the mood to eat with someone else, and it was Han Su, who he disliked!

Most importantly, it was fine if she did this, but she didn't even tell him the truth and directly fooled him!

Looking at his little woman talking and laughing to another man, the anger in his heart could not be suppressed!

It was as if a jar of vinegar had been knocked over, making his entire body suffuse with sour water.

This little thing could really cause trouble for him!

If he rushed in front of her, he was worried that he would lose control of his emotions and kick Han Su away from his woman.

He knew that the little thing wouldn't be happy if he did that.

Therefore, he suppressed his emotions and pretended that he didn't see anything and chose to leave!

After a while, Li Yan opened his eyes and said, ""Send the gown to T University's dormitory in the afternoon and pick her up at the banquet tonight."

Qiao Mu returned to the school gate and bid farewell to Han Su. Just as she was about to enter the school gate, she saw Chi Xia walking out.

The two of them headed north and south respectively. Chi Xia did not see her as she walked towards the other end and stopped beside a black car. Qiao Mu was a little curious, so she took a few steps closer to get a clear look at the man in the car. was it su Chen? The two of them had been in contact with each other in private. When did their relationship become so good? Chi Xia stood by the car door and handed the black bag to Su Chen. "Mr. Su, I've washed it for you. I'll leave it here. If there's nothing else, I'll be leaving. Su Chen glanced coldly at the woman standing outside the car. " Get in the car. "Huh?" "I have something to tell you. You opened the car door and all the heat ran into the car." Oh, "Chi Xia replied and got into the car." What did Mr. Su want to tell me? "She didn't seem to have anything to say to this man, right? "There's a banquet tonight. You'll be my female companion." Su Chen said straightforwardly. Chi Xia was stunned. " Mr. Su, we don't seem to know each other very well. Isn't your attitude a little..."

Su Chen looked up. "Help? You're mistaken. This is your compensation for vomiting all over me. Do you think this matter will be over? Not to mention the compensation for emotional damage, I've already thrown away the clothes that you dirtied. So, you have no right to refuse."

Too much?

was the case, why did his attitude sound like that of a
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Before Chi Xia could reply, Su Chen continued, ""1'11 pick you up in the evening. You don't need to prepare a gown."
Chi Xia really felt that this man was strange. Did he lack women? Why did he have to come all the way here to ask her to be his female companion?
Didn't he despise her and dislike her?
Or was he trying to take revenge on her?
After Su Chen finished speaking, he saw that the woman was sitting still and said calmly, "'You can ge off now."
Chi Xia was speechless.
Chi Xia got out of the car with mixed feelings and the car sped away.
Chi Xia turned around and saw Qiao Mu standing behind her. She was shocked. " What are you doing here?" You scared me to death!"
"If I wasn't here, why would I see you so close to Second Young Master Su?"
Qiao Mu looked at Chi Xia ambiguously. " Tell me honestly, what happened? '

"Nothing happened. We're clean."

Qiao Mu blinked. "I don't believe it! Let me guess, could it be that the heavens have made a matchmaker for two people who have never interacted with each other to become a couple?"

Chi Xia was speechless. You're thinking too much!"

In the evening, Qiao Mu received Lei Yi's call to deliver a gown to her.

Qiao Mu changed her clothes and got into Lei Yi's car. She asked, ""Assistant Lei

Te, what time is Li Yan's flight?"

Lei Yi wanted to say that he had already returned at noon, but in the end, he said nonchalantly, "Young Master is already in the company now. He has a lot of things to do. He asked me to send you to the banquet venue. He will go directly from the company."

Qiao Mu nodded. He had already arrived at the company, yet he didn't tell her! Why didn't he give her a call when he got off the plane? Sending a message is fine too!

Forget it, she thought that she would be able to meet him in a while, so she didn't want to argue with him!

The hall on the second floor of the Abundance of Gold Hotel was over a thousand square meters in size, forming a huge banquet venue.

In order to celebrate Yu Yiduo's acquisition of the Yu Corporation, Li Zheng held a large banquet to show everyone that the Yu Corporation had changed its face and invited almost all the famous people in the business world.

The scale of the banquet was huge. Qiao Mu arrived a little early, so there weren't many people. After entering the venue, she saw Yu Yiduo dressed in a red qipao, and she was walking around the venue in a flamboyant manner, greeting the guests.

When she saw Qiao Mu, Yu Yiduo smiled and walked over. "Mumu, you're really beautiful today. You look like a little fairy in this white gown. As expected of my precious daughter!"

The corners of Qiao Mu's mouth twitched, and she smiled. "Auntie, you're the main character today. How can I compare to you? Only when you wear the qipao can it show off its value and your temperament. It's simply overwhelming all the handsome men and beautiful women present!"

"Hahaha, the same goes for you."

Yu Yiduo and Qiao Mu started to flatter each other, causing Li Zheng to be displeased. "Alright, there are so many guests. You and your mother have to catch up. When you're done, you can go home and praise each other."

Yu Yiduo patted Qiao Mu's hand. " Mu Mu, you're family, so I won't care about you. You can eat and drink here and wait for Li Yan to come over. He's already on his way."

"Okay, Uncle, Auntie, you guys go ahead. Don't worry about me."

Qiao Mu was indeed a little hungry. She picked up a small piece of cake from her plate and sat on the sofa at the side, eating while waiting for Li Yan.

More and more people gathered at the banquet venue. Qiao Mu took out her phone and sent a message to Li Yan." Uncle, when will you arrive?"

After a while, her phone rang. Qiao Mu saw Li Yan's reply, and it was a simple four words: "Look at the entrance.."

Chapter 445: I Missed You to Death (2)

Qiao Mu turned her head and saw that tall figure walking in.

The man was still in high spirits, and his entire body exuded a noble and extraordinary aura. He had just entered the venue, but he had already attracted the attention of others. Before Qiao Mu could go over, someone had already surrounded Li Yan and toasted him.

'Miss Qiao."

A voice sounded from behind her. Qiao Mu turned around and saw a noble and dignified woman smiling at her.

This woman was Shu Xinyu. She had seen her before at Li Yan's company.

"Excuse me, do you know me?" Qiao Mu was a little surprised.

Shu Xinyu's actions were graceful and graceful. She smiled at Qiao Mu. "I met you at Li Enterprise and happened to see you being accused of leaking company secrets. Oh, I'm sorry, that incident seemed to be a misunderstanding. I heard that the Li Enterprise's reply to the public was that the manager of your design department leaked the secrets."

Qiao Mu suddenly recalled that this woman looked familiar the last time she saw her at Li Yan's company. She had met her before!

However, just because of this incident, the other party remembered her?

Qiao Mu smiled. "I'm sorry to make a fool of myself.

"Miss Qiao, the former chairman of Yu Corporation is yours...Stepmother, something has happened to Yu Enterprise. Your stepmother doesn't seem to be on good terms with the Li family, but why are you here?"

Although Qiao Mu was unsure why the other party was telling her this, she still replied with a smile, ""I'm not too sure about the elders. I came here with my friends today."

"I see." Shu Xinyu nodded and stared at Qiao Mu's face. " Miss Qiao, your father is Qiao Jiannan. Who is your mother?" You look a little familiar to me. You look like a friend of mine when he was young."

Qiao Mu was stunned. Like a friend of hers?
However, she did not even Imow who her mother was.
I'm sorry, " she said calmly." You must have mistaken me for someone else.
My mother is just an ordinary woman. '
"Is that so?" Shu Xinyu's eyes were in a daze.
Qiao Mu kept feeling that the other party was looking at her with a strange gaze. It was a scrutinizing gaze that did not hide the fact that he was sizing up her face.
At this moment, a slender figure walked over and held Shu Xinyu's arm. " Mom, what are you doing here? Eh, who is this person? Mom's friend?"
Qiao Mu looked at her. The woman looked to be around 21 or 22 years old, and her beautiful and exquisite face was extremely outstanding.
Although Shu Xinyu looked like she was in her forties, she had maintained her looks very well. She must have been very beautiful when she was young. When the mother and daughter stood together, they felt like sisters.
This feeling was so good that Qiao Mu was a little envious.
Shu Xinyu looked at the person who had just arrived, and her expression instantly turned gentle. "No, it's just a casual chat. Let's go, I'll bring you to meet Li Yan. Didn't you want to get to know him?"
"Alright!"

Qiao Mu could clearly see that Shu Xinyu's daughter's eyes flashed with surprise when she heard the name "Li Yan. '

Then, the two of them walked up to Li Yan and greeted him. Shu Xinyu introduced them, ""President Li, this is my daughter, Ning Tongtong. I heard that the Li family is hosting the banquet tonight, so she insisted on coming with me. She wants to get to know you."

"Mom, what are you talking about? You make it sound like I'm a love-struck fool." Ning Tongtong blushed in embarrassment. She raised her head and smiled at Li Yan. "Mr. Li, I admire your ability. It's my honor to meet you."

Chapter 446: I Missed You to Death (3)

Facing Ning Tongtong's enthusiasm, Li Yan only nodded his head lightly in response.

At this moment, all of his attention was on Qiao Mu, who was a few steps away. The little woman today was dressed in a white gown, and she looked unbelievably clean and youthful. It made him have the urge to immediately pull her into his arms.

He suppressed his impatience and looked at the woman opposite him without batting an eyelid.

Ning Tongtong ignored Li Yan's indifference and took out her business card from her bag. "President Li, this is my business card. I'm a fashion designer. I hope to have the opportunity to become your personal fashion designer. '

Ning Tongtong smiled confidently. The Li Group had a partnership with her family's company. Based on this relationship, Li Yan would not reject her without giving her face.

Li Yan took the name card and did not even look at it. It seemed like he was not interested in anything at all.

Shu Xinyu looked at the two of them and said, President Li, you guys chat first. I'm going to the washroom.

Qiao Mu, who was not far away, finally understood that Shu Xinyu wanted to matchmake Ning Tongtong and Li Yan.

Qiao Mu really wanted to walk over and stand between the two of them, possessively declaring to the outside world that this man was hers.

But ... Li Yan seemed to be unable to interact with her in public. He was worried that his enemies would find trouble with her.

Qiao Mu simply sat down on the sofa. Since she couldn't get close to him, she would just watch him from afar.

Qiao Mu's actions made Li Yan's expression darken. Opposite her, Ning Tongtong felt that Li Yan had become even colder after Shu Xinyu left.

However, such a man's attitude towards the opposite sex was even more charming. One look and it was obvious that he was not a casual man!

Ning Tongtong was about to continue when Li Yan suddenly said with a cold face, ""'1 still have something to do. Excuse me."

Ning Tongtong was stunned. The man in front of her had just finished speaking when he walked past her without giving her a chance to respond.

Qiao Mu was looking at the man from afar when she suddenly saw him walking toward her.

Did he not mind interacting with her in public?

She subconsciously stood up and couldn't control her happiness. She grinned at him. "Uncle...

Li Yan pursed his lips and held her hand without saying a word.

Qiao Mu felt that large hand tightly wrapping around her small hand, and that sense of security made her heart feel extremely fulfilled.

Her heart beat inexplicably faster as she quietly followed behind the man and walked out of the crowd.

It was only a short one or two minutes, but it felt like a century had passed. Looking at the tall figure beside her, she really wanted to throw herself into his arms. However, in such an occasion, she could only endure it.

Finally, he held her hand and left the crowd. Qiao Mu originally wanted to give him a big hug, but she was too nervous to react.

Qiao Mu felt that she was very funny when she realized her nervousness. Her reaction was like that of a young man or woman who had just fallen in love.

There was no one around. After turning a corner, Li Yan stopped in his tracks and gave her a kabedon. His arm held her waist tightly and he kissed her lips fiercely.

It was a defenseless kiss, but it was very passionate.

Feeling the man's passionate breath, she closed her eyes and hooked her arms around his neck. She tiptoed and catered to him.

The intimate contact at this moment made the longing in her heart erupt in an instant. It could not be stopped from surging out..

Chapter 447: Poisoned by a Little Woman

She really missed him!

She didn't know why, but she had never felt this way before.

When Chi Xia and Gu Cheng were together, they missed each other very much because they were separated for two days on the weekend. She could not understand how it felt and always thought that they were too pretentious when they were in love.

At that moment, she truly experienced it for herself. It turned out that she could really miss someone so crazily.

Words could not describe what kind of feelings she had. Seeing him now and being held in his arms was enough to make her heart bloom with joy!

Li Yan did not hold back at all. He wished he could rub the little thing into his body. If it was not for the fact that the occasion did not allow it, he really wanted to have her at this moment!

This kiss carried a hint of punishment for the lie she had told him during the day!

At the thought of this, he kissed her harder, but in return, the little woman moaned.

Li Yan narrowed his eyes and looked at his red and swollen lips. Only then did he restrain the urge in his heart and stop.

Qiao Mu's body leaned limply against his chest. She licked her burning lips and frowned slightly. " Uncle, I can't face anyone anymore!"

Li Yan's body tensed up when he saw her licking her lips. His thin lips moved and he said in a low and hoarse voice, "Then I won't see you. Be good and go back to your room to wait for me! '

Qiao Mu blushed when she heard his ambiguous words. She glared at him. "You're not serious! '

The man raised his eyebrows and tightened his grip on her waist. "You're not serious. That's only for you!"

Qiao Mu snorted, but she felt very pleased inside. Although he was very indecent, this was her youngest uncle! He looked like a cold and gentlemanly man, but deep down, he was a wretched hooligan! No one would have thought that Young Master Li's nature was so indecent! Qiao Mu's entire body hung on his chest." Uncle, when did you come back? You didn't even tell me when we got off the plane! ' Li Yan narrowed his eyes. When he mentioned this, the resentment in his heart was revealed. "I think you're doing well when I'm not around. Why do you care when I come back? " "No!" Qiao Mu pouted unhappily when she heard that. She hugged his neck tightly and said in a sweet voice, "Uncle, I missed you to death!" Her coquettish tone made Li Yan's entire body feel refreshed. Li Yan had never liked women who acted coquettishly. However, when the same tone came out of his little woman's mouth, it sounded pleasant no matter how he heard it! Moreover, he enjoyed it very much!

Pinching her toot cheeks, he pressed his lips against her ear and said ambiguously, ""'1'11 teach you a lesson when we get back tonight!"

Li Yan realized that he had really been poisoned by this little woman. No matter what she became, he

would still like her!

Qiao Mu's body stiffened, and her already flushed face instantly turned red.

She gently pushed him. "You should go back quickly. There are so many guests waiting for you! '

Li Yan let go of her and helped her adjust her gown. " As my female companion, don't you plan to enter the venue with me?"

Qiao Mu was stunned. " Aren't you not allowed to get too close to me in public?

Li Yan finally understood why the little woman did not take the initiative to get close to him just now. It turned out that she cared about this!

He sighed and said helplessly, "The crisis has been resolved!" Your man's efficiency isn't that low.."

Chapter 448: What Is Your Relationship With Li Yan?

In fact, it was all because Ouyang, who was far away overseas, was efficient, okay?

Ever since Superintendent Ouyang found out that she had offended her future sister-in-law, she had really gone all out to clean up all these people who were blocking her way to the open path.

Qiao Mu stomped her foot. "Why didn't you tell her?!"

She touched her lips and glared at him with a red face. "You should go back first. If I go out with you like this, people will know what we did. I'll go to the bathroom first. '

"Alright." Li Yan curled his lips and turned to leave.

Qiao Mu patted her burning cheeks and walked in another direction.

But when he turned around, he bumped into Shu Xinyu.

Qiao Mu was stunned. Shu Xinyu was standing at the corner, and she was unsure if she had just walked over or was already standing there.

Could it be that she and Li Yan just now...Shu Xinyu saw it?

Qiao Mu felt awkward, but she braced herself and walked over. She nodded politely at Shu Xinyu, and just as she was about to walk past her, Shu Xinyu spoke up.

"Miss Qiao, what's your relationship with Li Yan?" Shu Xinyu looked at Qiao Mu with a cold gaze. She was much more distant than when she greeted Qiao Mu previously.

Qiao Mu saw the other party's change. Shu Xinyu must have wanted to matchmake Ning Tongtong and Li Yan, but she was unhappy to see her with Li Yan.

Qiao Mu did not feel the need to explain her relationship with Li Yan to a stranger. She merely smiled faintly. " Madam Shu, this is my private matter."

In other words, it had nothing to do with others.

After Qiao Mu finished speaking, she turned around and entered the washroom.

Shu Xinyu's face was cold as she watched the figure disappear. She had heard from Ning Tongtong that Li Yan had brought Qiao Mu into the side hall, so she had walked over to take a look.

Then, she saw two people hugging each other at the end of the corridor.

Although they couldn't hear what they were talking about, their actions were enough to show that their relationship wasn't ordinary.

Li Yan, who had always been cold to others, was actually hugging a girl in private!

Qiao Mu looked innocent, especially her face. When she first saw her, she was surprised for a moment. He did not expect her to have an ambiguous relationship with Li Yan! It seemed that just because she looked so innocent did not mean that she was a simple girl! Qiao Mu touched up her makeup in the washroom and put on the lipstick that Li Yan had eaten clean. She only returned to the banquet hall when she could not feel any change in her expression. There were too many people in the hall, so she could not find Li Yan. He looked at the entrance and saw...Chi Xia! Chi Xia held Su Chen's arm and walked in. Did these two people really get together? Chi Xia thought that she would attend a small banquet with Su Chen and leave after a simple formality. In the end, when they entered the hall, they realized that the scale of this banquet was really not ordinary! Did he not warn her beforehand to let her be mentally prepared? In the evening, he picked her up and brought her to the clothing store. He changed her into a gown and brought her here directly. On the way, this man did not say much.

She had only taken a few steps when she suddenly saw Qiao Mu. Chi Xia's eyes lit up. She raised her

hand and was about to wave at Qiao Mu when the man beside her swept his cold gaze over.

" Chi Xia, you're my date now. Don't embarrass me. '

Chi Xia's movements froze and she lowered her arms in embarrassment. Calmly, she said, "Mr. Su, although I accidentally caused you some trouble, I don't owe you money. You don't have to treat me like this.."

Chapter 449: Have You All Turned Your Fights Into Friends?

Su Chen lowered his gaze and glanced at the woman beside him. "The clothes that you dirtied aren't money? '

Chi Xia pouted. She knew this man was holding a grudge!

Chi Xia followed Su Chen inside. There were people coming to propose toasts and Su Chen responded to them one by one.

When this man faced others, he was neither overly cold nor enthusiastic. He had a faint smile on his face and looked calm.

Chi Xia turned her head and saw Qiao Mu walking over.

Qiao Mu sized up Chi Xia and Su Chen before smiling at Su Chen. "Young Master Su, when did you get so close to Xiaxia?" Are you guys turning hostility into friendship?"

Su Chen raised his eyebrows. "You have the mood to meddle in other peonle's

affairs. Where's my brother? " How could he bear to leave you here alone?"

How would I know where he is? Don't change the subject. Xiaxia is my best friend. " Qiao Mu then winked at Chi Xia ambiguously. " Isn't that right, Xiaxia?

Chi Xia felt helpless under Qiao Mu's stare. Her gaze fell on Qiao Mu's slightly red lips and she asked in surprise, ""Mu Mu, why is your mouth so abnormally red? Did you do something bad just now?"

Qiao Mu was stunned. She raised her hand to cover her lips with an unnatural expression. "How is it abnormal? Your eyes are playing tricks on you!" I won't disturb you anymore. I'll go look for uncle."

Chi Xia burst out laughing. She knew what was going on just by looking at Qiao Mu's reaction. It seemed like she missed Young Master Li too much after being apart from him for a few days.

Chi Xia was smiling when she raised her head and noticed Su Chen's gaze on her face. Realizing that she had lost her composure, she immediately stopped smiling and said, "" I know. I want to maintain my image and not embarrass you. '

"Are you very close to Qiao Mu?" Su Chen asked indifferently.

"Yes." Chi Xia looked at Qiao Mu's back as she left, and the corners of her lips curled up. Her face was smiling brightly. "We've been in the same school since middle school. What a bad relationship. We haven't been able to get rid of her for so many years. Many relationships have been going on and off, but she's like a biological sister to us. Our relationship has never changed. '

On and off...At this point, Chi Xia could not help but think of a certain man, and the smile on her face slowly disappeared.

Su Chen narrowed his eyes and took in the changes in her expression. " Why?

Are you thinking of your heartbroken boyfriend? '

Chi Xia's expression froze. She felt unhappy when she heard the slight sarcasm in his tone. "Mr. Su, our relationship is not at the point where you can pry into other people's private matters. Please respect me!"

"If you don't want others to say it, then don't show it."

Chi Xia bit her lip as the waiter walked past her with a glass of red wine. She picked up the glass of red wine angrily and downed it in one gulp.

Su Chen frowned. "I don't want to be with a drunkard later! '

Chi Xia did not think much of it. " After the cocktail party, we'll be even. You don't have to be with me!"

On the other side, Qiao Mu found Li Yan, who was greeting guests.

When Li Yan saw Qiao Mu, he excused himself and strode toward her. "What took you so long?" If you don't come over soon, the banquet will be over."

Qiao Mu hooked her arm around Li Yan's arm. "I saw Xiaxia and Su Chen coming over just now, so I greeted them. Uncle, how did Su Chen hook up with Xiaxia?"

Li Yan glanced at her helplessly. " Why are you gossiping about other people's matters? If you have that kind of thought, put it on your man..

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Qiao Mu was about to say something when she saw Shu Xinyu and Ning Tongtong chatting with Yu Yiduo not far behind Li Yan.

" Uncle, " Qiao Mu asked curiously, " does Shu Xinyu want to introduce her daughter to you?"

The corners of Qiao Mu's lips curled up when she heard these three simple words. Other than her, no one else would care about her youngest uncle!

Qiao Mu stood beside Li Yan and instantly became the center of attention at the banquet. Li Yan had always been a lone wolf when he attended such events, and this banquet was organized by the Li family. Li Yan's parents were present, and he had brought such a woman to his side under the watchful eyes of his parents. This meant that his status was not ordinary!

Shu Xinyu glanced at Qiao Mu, then smiled at Yu Yiduo. She pretended not to know and asked, "" Chairman Yu, I wonder which family's daughter is the lady beside President Li?"

Yu Yiduo didn't know how to answer. Qiao Mu had nothing to do with the Qiao family anymore, so it wasn't appropriate to talk about the Qiao family's daughter. After thinking about it, she replied, ""I'm not too sure either. I usually don't ask about my son's private matters."

It's obvious that President Li is very concerned about bringing this lady to the banquet. Chairman Yu, it's better for you to pay attention to her. After all, girls nowadays are greedy for fame and fortune. They have a lot of ambitions. It's better not to cause trouble for President Li. "Since Yu Yiduo didn't know Qiao Mu, it meant that she didn't know about the relationship between Qiao Mu and Yu Tingyun. It seemed that Qiao Mu was indeed scheming.

Yu Yiduo smiled when she heard the other party hinting at Qiao Mu's character. President Shu, you're overthinking. I believe in my son's taste. The kind of woman you're talking about won't catch his eye. If he cares about her, she's naturally outstanding. I'm never worried that he'll find me an indecent daughter-in-law. "The girl beside him is as beautiful as a fairy. They look really compatible!"

Yu Yiduo was a protective person. How could she just stand by and watch when someone dared to target her daughter-in-law?

Shu Xinyu smiled awkwardly. Ning Tongtong, who was quiet at the side, smiled sweetly. " Aunt Yu, girls nowadays can't just be judged by their appearance. Being pretty doesn't mean that they're innocent."

"Oh? Little girl, I think you're very beautiful."

Yu Yiduo's straightforward praise made Ning Tongtong happy. However, she immediately realized that Yu Yiduo was mocking her for being beautiful but not innocent. Her expression changed instantly.

Yu Yiduo raised her wine glass. "President Shu, I'm going over there for a while. Please make yourself at home. Excuse me."

Once Yu Yiduo left, Ning Tongtong pouted unhappily. "Mom, does she not like me?" You don't give me any face at all."

"This Yu Yiduo has always been like this. You're a junior, so it's fine for her to be a little blunt. She protected Qiao Mu just now because Qiao Mu is Li Yan's female companion and she didn't want to embarrass her son. You still have a chance. "Shu Xinyu smiled gently.

"Mom, you just want to be Li Yan's personal designer. You don't have any other intentions!" Ning Tongtong's face was slightly red as she stared at Li Yan with bright eyes. She suddenly felt that the woman standing beside Li Yan was an eyesore. She looked at Qiao Mu and was slightly surprised. "Eh, Mom, why do I feel that Qiao Mu looks a little like you when you're young from afar?"

Shu Xinyu was stunned. She looked at Qiao Mu. That girl's every frown and smile truly surprised her.

Perhaps there was such a coincidence..