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# Chapter 281: Hua Wenyin

Xie Yunzhou returned to his room and sat in front of his desk, deep in thought.

He didn't hear wrongly. The foreigner called out 'Hua Wenyin' to Shi Xi just now.

Hua Wenyin was President Hua's daughter. How could the foreigner call her wrongly?

Xie Yunzhou vaguely felt that there was something...

His cell phone suddenly rang, interrupting Xie Yunzhou's train of thought.

It was a work call.

Xie Yunzhou threw himself into his work and temporarily put this matter on hold.

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In the afternoon.

Shi Xi was sound asleep when Tao Yuxuan called out to her.

"What's the matter?" Shi Xi sat up and yawned. "The door isn't locked. Come in."

Ever since she had trouble with her legs, Shi Xi rarely locked the door.

Tao Yuxuan was dressed in a flamboyant manner and was dazzling. She pushed the door open and entered. The light on her body seemed to be even more dazzling than the lights. "Since we have nothing to do, let's go to the fourth floor to have tea!"

Shi Xi covered her head with the blanket and said, "I'm not going. I want to continue sleeping."

Tao Yuxuan pulled up Shi Xi's blanket. "You've slept too much in the afternoon. You won't be able to sleep at night. Come and have tea with me~~~"

"Afternoon tea is the royal black tea and royal dim sum of A Country. They are all top-notch tea artists and desserts that Leng Qiankun poached from the royal family of A Country!"

Shi Xi sat up. "Is it good?"

Tao Yuxuan paused and said, "The last time I came here, I was on a diet and didn't eat a bite."

Shi Xi hesitated.

"But I think the royal food must be delicious," Tao Yuxuan said.

Shi Xi thought about it and agreed. She stood up and said, "Then let's go take a look."

When Tao Yuxuan pushed Shi Xi into the fourth floor, she deliberately waited at the door to touch up her makeup.

Shi Xi: "...You're here to meet that prince of the royal family, right?"

Seeing that Tao Yuxuan was dressed so solemnly and even carried her favorite bag, Shi Xi knew that Tao Yuxuan was definitely not just here for afternoon tea.

Tao Yuxuan chuckled. "It's normal to be a little curious about the crown prince of another country!"

"He's a prince, he doesn't have political power," Shi Xi corrected her.

"It's almost the same, almost the same," Tao Yuxuan said perfunctorily.

"It's almost the same, you should read fewer novels!"

But with that said, Shi Xi also wanted to meet this prince of the royal family.

The appearance of the people of the royal family should not be bad.

After pushing the door open and entering, the two saw that the restaurant was full of people. Each of them was dressed in resplendent and dazzling clothes.

Tao Yuxuan was surprised. She deliberately left and looked at the signboard outside.

It was indeed a VIP restaurant!

Why were there so many people?

There were two restaurants on the cruise ship. One was an ordinary restaurant and the other was a VIP restaurant. VIP guests were free to enter the restaurant.

However, ordinary tourists could only enter an ordinary restaurant. If they wanted to enter the VIP restaurant, they would have to pay extra.

Looking at the situation before them, other than the VIP guests, the ordinary tourists had also come up.

Looking at half of the foreigners inside, Tao Yuxuan said speechlessly, "Who among them is the prince?"

Shi Xi said, "It seems that they all heard that the prince is here, so they came to meet him."

After all, they had specially introduced something like the 'royal afternoon tea' today.

Shi Xi thought to herself, this Leng Qiankun really knew how to make money.

"Then what should we do? There's no place to sit." Tao Yuxuan swept her gaze around and realized that there were still people waiting in line.

"Let's go to the ordinary restaurant downstairs," Shi Xi said.

Tao Yuxuan said weakly, "What are we going there for?"

Shi Xi said, "We're already here. Aren't we going to eat something?"

"I'm not going to eat, I'm not hungry." Tao Yuxuan, who had rushed over excitedly for afternoon tea, had already turned into a frosted eggplant.

#### Chapter 282: You Like Fishing? Why Haven't I Heard of It Before?

Shi Xi: "Then I'll go eat by myself?"

She was really hungry.

Tao Yuxuan wheeled Shi Xi's wheelchair and sighed, "I'll accompany you."

The guests had all gone to the VIP restaurant on the fourth floor, so the ordinary restaurant on the third floor seemed much more empty.

Shi Xi picked a seat by the window and said, "Two cups of milk tea, one serving of tiramisu and mousse cake, and one serving of pudding."

Tao Yuxuan said, "I have no appetite."

Shi Xi said, "Don't worry, I can finish them all."

Tao Yuxuan leaned on the table and asked, "Xi Xi, do you really think that the prince of the royal family will be on this cruise ship?"

"Hmm?" Shi Xi flipped through the cruise ship index on the table and looked up in confusion.

"Could it be that Leng Qiankun just released a smoke bomb and wants to sell his royal afternoon tea?" Tao Yuxuan had already tried to figure out Leng Qiankun's intentions from a business perspective.

It had to be said that she had made great progress.

Shi Xi smiled and said, "Then why don't you just ask Leng Qiankun directly?"

"He might lie to me too!" Tao Yuxuan looked at Shi Xi and urged, "Ask Leng Qiankun for a photo of the royal prince! With the photo, it will be easier to find them!"

Shi Xi was still looking at the introduction of the cruise ship and said, "Why don't you ask him?"

Tao Yuxuan said coquettishly, "He likes you, so he will definitely listen to everything you say! He doesn't like."

Shi Xi said, "It's precisely because he likes me that I can't ask him for help so righteously."

Coincidentally, the waiter brought the dishes up, and Shi Xi said, "Drink your afternoon tea properly. Don't mention this again!"

Tao Yuxuan zipped up her mouth.

Shi Xi drank a mouthful of milk tea and scooped up some pudding.

Although it was an ordinary restaurant, the food it made was very delicious.

"Are you really not eating?" Shi Xi asked when she saw that Tao Yuxuan was not moving.

Tao Yuxuan zipped up her mouth and started eating the mousse cake.

"The prince is upstairs, drinking royal black tea and eating royal desserts." Tao Yuxuan looked at the dishes in front of her and said helplessly, "We can only drink milk tea and eat pudding."

"It's already good enough to have some to eat," Shi Xi said.

"Maybe the prince is also drinking milk tea and eating pudding!" a cheerful voice interrupted.

The two looked toward the source of the voice.

The foreign man who spoke had blond hair and blue eyes. He had been sitting by the side, quietly drinking milk tea.

Tao Yuxuan looked up and down at this foreigner. He was wearing an ordinary white short-sleeved shirt, loose pants, and gray slippers. It was obvious that he was an ordinary tourist.

"He's a prince. Why would he eat these?" Tao Yuxuan guessed. "There are so many people upstairs. He might be in his room and doesn't dare to come out."

Ryan thought to himself. He had indeed been hiding in his room in the morning and did not dare to come out.

Shi Xi looked at the introduction on the cruise book and said, "I see that there are places for fishing on the cruise. Let's go fishing later."

Tao Yuxuan was slightly surprised. "You like fishing? Why haven't I heard of it before?"

Shi Xi smiled. "Because my legs used to be fine and I could jump up and down."

Now, she could only sit. Other than fishing on the cruise ship, there was nothing else that was suitable for her.

"Fishing on the cruise ship feels pretty good." Tao Yuxuan immediately began to imagine. "If we can catch lobsters, we can take them directly to the kitchen and have them cook for us."

Shi Xi: "..."

Tao Yuxuan glanced at Shi Xi and remembered that she was allergic to seafood, so she said, "Cook them for me."

"We might not be able to catch them. Let's go take a look." Shi Xi put down the milk tea cup.

### **Chapter 283: Then Your Skills Are Not Good Enough**

When the two of them reached the fishing area, they realized that they were not fishing in the sea.

Instead, there was a large fish tank with a fishing rod outside.

Shi Xi: "..."

Tao Yuxuan: "..."

"Since we're already here, let's try fishing." Shi Xi took a fishing rod and realized that there was no hook on the other end of the fishing line. "Hm? Is this fishing rod broken?"

"No, it's meant to be like this." A staff member at the side said, "Just use the fishing line to tie the bait."

"If that's the case, the fish will eat the bait and run away. You won't be able to catch the fish," Shi Xi said.

The staff member said, "It's possible."

Tao Yuxuan asked while tying the bait, "What if you can't catch the fish?"

The staff member replied, "Then it's because your skills aren't good enough."

Tao Yuxuan: "..."

However, the two of them just wanted to find a place to sit down, so they put the bait in and looked at the fish in the tank to see when they would take the bait.

Tao Yuxuan stared at her bait. Just as it was about to be bitten by the fish, a voice suddenly sounded.

"What a coincidence, we ran into you again."

The fish was scared away and hid in the coral at the bottom of the fish tank, refusing to come out.

Tao Yuxuan looked at the instigator and recognized him as the foreigner who had hit on her in the restaurant. She said, "You heard that we were coming to fish, so you followed us on purpose, right?"

Ryan scratched his head. "There are too many people in other places."

They all wanted to run into the prince of the royal family by chance.

Moreover, he had heard that the two of them wanted to meet the prince of the royal family, so he had allowed them to pay their respects properly.

He did not expect Tao Yuxuan to be so disrespectful to him.

Ryan looked at Shi Xi.

Shi Xi probed, "Hello? Do you want to fish?"

Ryan took the fishing rod from Shi Xi's hand.

Tao Yuxuan said lazily, "Don't bother trying to strike up a conversation. My heart is only for the prince."

Shi Xi: "You said earlier that you came here to find a suitable marriage partner."

Tao Yuxuan was at a loss for words.

"By the way, my name is Ryan." After Ryan introduced himself, he asked, "You are Shi Xi, right?"

Shi Xi smiled faintly. "Yes, it's me. I didn't expect you to know me."

She was too popular.

Ryan smiled and said, "Beautiful looks are popular throughout the world."

"She's not something you can dream of." Tao Yuxuan interrupted, "Xi Xi, let's change to another place to play."

From Tao Yuxuan's point of view, someone had interrupted their free time.

Shi Xi did not have the ability to say no.

She was in a wheelchair. Wherever Tao Yuxuan pushed her, she would go.

"Let's go to the chess room on the second floor and play some mahjong," Tao Yuxuan suggested.

"Ah? I don't know how to do that," Shi Xi whispered. "It's not good to gamble, right?"

"Don't worry. It's just entertainment. It's very small," Tao Yuxuan whispered. "Or we can go sing. There's an entertainment room below."

Shi Xi nodded. "Alright."

Tao Yuxuan pushed Shi Xi down. She suddenly felt as if she had reached the second floor, or as if she had gone down another floor?

However, they were already approaching the entertainment room.

Just as they were about to enter, the black-shirted bodyguard at the door stopped them.

"Sorry, this place is not open to the public."

Tao Yuxuan smiled disdainfully and said arrogantly, "We are VIP guests. Why can't we enter? Move aside!"

Shi Xi: "..."

This friend of hers had a bad temper.

Shi Xi took out her room card and said with a smile, "Hello, we are tourists who live on the sixth floor."

The bodyguard in black hesitated for a moment and said, "Please come in."

Just as Tao Yuxuan was about to push Shi Xi in, a foreigner came out from inside.

It was the foreigner that Shi Xi had bumped into earlier.

"Wait."

# **Chapter 284: Keep An Eye On Our Actions**

"Wait a minute," Shi Xi said to Tao Yuxuan, "I'm suddenly a little hungry. Let's go upstairs and eat something."

Tao Yuxuan was surprised. "Didn't you just finish a cake, five pudding, and a cup of milk tea?"

Shi Xi: "...I'm hungry again."

Tao Yuxuan was a little confused, but she still pushed Shi Xi back. "You have quite a big appetite now."

The foreigner who came out of the room walked in the same direction as the two of them. He kept staring at Shi Xi's face and looked at it carefully, looking a little puzzled.

Shi Xi asked, "You know me?"

The foreigner was about forty years old and looked ordinary. He smiled and said, "You look very similar to a friend of mine."

Tao Yuxuan was speechless. "Uncle, how old are you? Why are you still trying to hit on a little girl?"

The foreigner looked at Shi Xi and said seriously, "...You two really look alike."

"Foreigners look at us easterners like this," Tao Yuxuan said. "I see that you foreigners look similar too."

"My name is Keane," Keane said with a smile. "Shall we go eat something together?"

He had heard the two of them say that they were going to eat.

Shi Xi declined politely. "Sorry, we're not hungry. We're not going to the restaurant."

Keane: ???

Tao Yuxuan also decided to stay away from this strange uncle. She pushed Shi Xi to the deck and whispered, "Eh? This is only the first floor? Then we were on the lower first floor just now?"

"Yeah, that's the casino on the cruise ship, so I told you not to go in," Shi Xi said in a low voice. "The foreigner we met just now has a gun on his waist."

Tao Yuxuan was silent for a moment before she said, "I said he's old. He won't be angry, right?"

Shi Xi said, "If he's angry, so be it. We won't see him again anyway."

Tao Yuxuan: "..."

The two of them were drinking tea on the deck.

Not long after, Leng Qiankun came over to accompany the two of them.

"I'm sorry. There are some things that need to be dealt with. I've neglected the two distinguished guests," Leng Qiankun apologized and sat next to the two of them.

Tao Yuxuan looked at her fingernails and said, "Since you've neglected us, how are you going to compensate us?"

Leng Qiankun clapped his hands.

The waiter immediately brought over a dessert rack with beautiful and exquisite donuts and cream cakes on it.

Then, he poured the two of them a rich and fragrant royal black tea.

"I heard that you went to the restaurant and afternoon tea just now and couldn't find a seat. I specially prepared a serving for you," Leng Qiankun said.

"You've been watching our movements." Shi Xi picked up a donut.

Leng Qiankun explained, "Your legs aren't convenient, so I asked the crew to take care of you."

Tao Yuxuan said, "He meant well."

"I heard that you met a foreign man with a gun?" Leng Qiankun asked.

Shi Xi nodded. "I saw him just now. He should have gone to the restaurant."

"Before he boarded the ship, he was checked. He's not allowed to bring any dangerous goods." Leng Qiankun frowned and took out his phone. "I'll get someone to check on him right away."

Tao Yuxuan looked at Shi Xi. "Could it be that you made a mistake? That foreign uncle looks ordinary. He doesn't look like he has a gun."

Shi Xi: "There's no way I could be wrong."

Leng Qiankun nodded. "The Prince of A Country is also on the cruise ship. I should be more careful."

Speaking of the prince...

Tao Yuxuan whispered, "Where is that whatever prince? Bring him out so that we can meet him!"

Leng Qiankun said, "He will appear at the banquet tonight."

"Tsk, do you really think that you are a prince and want to hold a banquet to select a bride?" Tao Yuxuan said disdainfully.

Shi Xi corrected her, "He is a prince to begin with."

#### **Chapter 285: Beauty Trap**

According to Leng Qiankun, the prince would ask the girl he liked to dance at the banquet.

"Cinderella in real life?" Tao Yuxuan asked, "Will she marry him and become the princess consort?"

"It's just for fun. How can it be settled so easily?" Shi Xi held her chin. "Do I have to attend the banquet tonight?"

"Come with me!" Tao Yuxuan said to Shi Xi. "I'll push you!"

Shi Xi: ...She was in an electric wheelchair. She didn't need to be pushed!

"There will be a few small events at the banquet. There will be gifts. If you like it, you can join in the fun." Leng Qiankun smiled. "Pretty girls are welcome at the banquet."

Although it was a compliment, Leng Qiankun only looked at Shi Xi.

Shi Xi did not notice it at all.

She only felt that the wind on the deck was too noisy.

Shi Xi hugged her shoulders. "It's a little cold. I'll go back first."

"I'll send you back." Tao Yu stood up and pushed Shi Xi's wheelchair.

Leng Qiankun stayed on the deck.

When Shi Xi went up the stairs, she saw Leng Qiankun walking to the bow of the ship to chat with Ryan.

They knew each other?

Doubts flashed across Shi Xi's mind.

In just a second, Shi Xi did not probe further.

So what if they knew each other? What did it have to do with her?

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When she returned to her room, Shi Xi received a call from Director Yan.

"Shi Xi." Director Yan's voice was very calm. "You can stand on one leg now, right?"

Shi Xi stood up on one leg, picked up the water bottle on the table, and said, "Yes, why?"

Director Yan said, "The scenes for you have been changed. As long as you can stand, you can continue filming. If there are martial arts scenes, you can use a stunt double. How about that?"

Shi Xi gulped down half a bottle of water and said, "I don't have any problems, but I'm going to join the crew next month."

"You can ask my manager, Han Chuan, to see if he agrees."

Director Yan said, "Han Chuan said that as long as you agree to come back, he can make your other show start later."

Shi Xi: ?!

Even this could work?

Shi Xi hesitated.

Director Yan threw out another temptation. "As long as you come back, I'll add more scenes for you."

"This isn't a question of adding more scenes-"

"Add love scenes with Chu Yuan," Director Yan added.

Chu Yuan, who was beside Director Yan, gave him a sidelong glance.

Shi Xi didn't say anything.

It was a love scene with Chu Yuan!

"Director Yan, I don't have that kind of intention toward Senior Chu Yuan," Shi Xi returned to her senses and said righteously.

Director Yan said, "I'll let you and Chu Yuan sing the ending song of the album."

Shi Xi asked, "Whose ending song was it originally?"

"It was originally yours alone." Director Yan looked at Chu Yuan beside him and said, "I'll change it to a two-person song for you. I'll also shoot a music video for you guys."

Director Yan was ready to carry out his beauty trap.

Chu Yuan had nothing to say.

"There's no need. It's my solo song. I can sing it myself." Shi Xi closed the bottle cap and said, "I promise to go back. I'm still outside today. Wait for me to return to the production team tomorrow afternoon."

Director Yan heaved a sigh of relief. "Okay, I'll get Chu Yuan to pick you up tomorrow afternoon. I'll bring you straight to dinner before you return to the production team."

Shi Xi: ???

"Director Yan, I really don't have any improper thoughts toward Senior Chu Yuan!" Shi Xi tried her best to explain.

She only felt that Chu Yuan's handsome acting skills were good and his personality was gentle.

"It's fine. He's fine on the production team anyway," Director Yan said with disdain.

Chu Yuan: ??!

He was the male lead after all, a three-time Best Actor.

But now, he had to be reduced to the driver of a second-rate starlet.

And he was despised by the director.

Shi Xi: "Okay, then I'll thank Senior Chu Yuan in advance."

# Chapter 286: Roast Pork Trotters For You To Eat. Eat Whatever You Want

After hanging up the phone, Shi Xi called Han Chuan again and reported the situation.

Han Chuan said, "[Nine Blades of Tang] is indeed a very good script. Last week's drama can only be seen by chance, so the company will definitely give priority to this drama."

"What about my drama? Is it really going to be delayed?" Shi Xi asked.

"The script was prepared in a hurry. Now that you're back on the set of [Nine Blades of Tang], we can give the company time to prepare properly." Han Chuan said calmly, "You just need to memorize the script properly. You don't have to worry about other problems."

Hearing Han Chuan's words, Shi Xi was relieved. "Okay, thank you, Brother Han."

Han Chuan: "Your [The Overbearing School Bully Fell In Love With Me] has already been broadcast. Take more selfies on Weibo while there's still traffic. Attract fans and strengthen your fans."

Shi Xi: Okayy.

After hanging up the phone, Shi Xi received the new script for [Nine Blades of Tang] from her tablet.

Seeing the changes above, Shi Xi had no choice but to recite some more lines.

Fortunately, the changes were not that big.

In the evening, Shi Xi changed into her evening gown and prepared to attend the banquet tonight.

Just as she came out of her room, Shi Xi met Xie Yunzhou.

"I'll push you there." Xie Yunzhou very naturally and familiarly pressed the handle of her wheelchair and pushed Shi Xi forward.

"Ah, thank you."

Sitting in a wheelchair was a bad thing.

You couldn't refuse even if you wanted to.

You knew that the other party's skill in controlling the wheelchair was average, but you couldn't predict the other party's behavior at all.

If the other party wanted to push you, they would push you.

No wonder everyone didn't like sitting in a wheelchair.

Shi Xi sighed.

"Why are you sighing?" Xie Yunzhou lowered his head and glanced at her. "You're so young."

Shi Xi paused for a moment and said, "It's nothing. I'm just thinking about when my foot will recover."

Xie Yunzhou said, "I think you really like this wheelchair."

Shi Xi stuck out her tongue. "It's alright."

A person with an injured foot would choose a walking stick, which was more conducive to movement.

However, Shi Xi felt that using a walking stick was too tiring.

Unlike an electric wheelchair, which could move by itself, and was easier than walking!

Moreover, the wheels of this wheelchair would even glow at night!

Shi Xi thought of Xie Yunzhou behind her and gave up on turning on the light switch on the wheels.

She was afraid that she would get beaten up.

Now that she was sitting in the wheelchair, she couldn't escape.

When she arrived at the banquet, Shi Xi swept her gaze over and saw that the table was filled with seafood. She wasn't able to lift her spirits.

She really wanted to eat it.

At that time, she couldn't eat it.

She had eaten too many sweets in the afternoon. Now, she didn't want to eat snacks anymore.

Could it be that she could only eat fruit?

Shi Xi thought to herself, 'I didn't come here to be a rabbit!'

Xie Yunzhou went to get some roasted meat and handed it to Shi Xi. "Do you want some?"

Shi Xi quickly nodded.

After eating, Shi Xi wanted to eat some more.

However, Xie Yunzhou was chatting with someone.

Shi Xi controlled her electric wheelchair and went to the barbeque table, waiting to eat.

"Eh? You're paralyzed?"

A voice that deserved a beating sounded, making Shi Xi not feel like answering.

Hua Hengzhe took a plate of barbeque and continued, "The last time we met, you were still fine. Why are you in a wheelchair after not seeing each other for a few days?"

Shi XI: "It's just a cast on my foot. After some time, I'll be able to walk."

"I see." Hua Hengzhe shared, "Then I'll give you this roasted pig trotter. Eat whatever you want. Eat more."

Shi Xi said, "...You should eat more fish."

Eating fish would make you smarter.

The two people who were not superstitious but would believe these wise words attacked each other.

"You came alone?" Shi Xi glanced behind and asked, "Did Hua Xuanhe come?"

### **Chapter 287: The Seven Principles of Roasted Pig Trotters**

"No, it was Nan Yi who said she was coming. I'm with her." Hua Hengzhe ate the golden roasted fish, with only food in his eyes.

The roasted pig trotters in Shi Xi's hands instantly lost their fragrance.

Nan Yi.

The Prince of A Country.

The cruise ship.

She remembered this plot!

Ning Yu was ridiculed by Nan Yi at the cruise party, so she showed her small hand and slapped Nan Yi in the face, gaining the favor of the Prince of A Country.

After the party ended, Ning Yu saved the almost assassinated Prince of A Country and captured the prince's heart.

After that, the pursuit group of the arsonist Ning Yu added another person.

Shi Xi patted her head.

She had been hanging out with Tao Yuxuan all this time, and she had actually forgotten about this plot!

System: [You didn't appear at this plot point, so I didn't remind you.]

Shi Xi thought about it and agreed. 'So, assassinations have nothing to do with me?'

The system reminded, [Close the door at night.]

Shi Xi nodded.

Hua Hengzhe saw Shi Xi nod and said, "You also think that this roasted pork trotter is delicious, right? I've eaten six of them!"

Shi Xi choked. "Then why are you still eating?"

"It's delicious." Hua Hengzhe finished the roasted fish and picked up another shrimp. "You can't get full on these seafood!"

Shi Xi gave up on continuing to communicate with this simple-minded person.

"Do you still want to eat grilled pork trotters?" Hua Hengzhe asked. "I've made another one."

Shi Xi said, "Yes."

It was really delicious.

Other people socialized at banquets, and only the two of them got together to eat barbecue.

Shi Xi finished eating two grilled pork trotters and was already full.

When Hua Hengzhe saw that she was full, he felt rather regretful and continued eating his seventh grilled pork trotters.

"You're not full yet?" Shi Xi was a little afraid that Hua Hengzhe would die from overeating.

Hua Hengzhe: "I'm almost full. I didn't even feel anything after eating the first six roasted pig trotters. I should be full after eating this."

Shi Xi: "...Yu still need to use the seven bread principles to eat roasted pig trotters?"

Hua Hengzhe's eyes flashed with an ignorant glint. "What bread?"

"It's the seven bread principles." Shi Xi wanted to explain, but was afraid that she would be infected if she got too close to a fool, so she said, "It seems like it's getting lively over there. Shall we go and take a look?"

Hua Hengzhe immediately walked over, not taking into account the situation of Shi Xi, a disabled person.

Shi Xi: "..."

She was used to being pushed by others, so she was actually not used to being ignored at this time.

Sure enough, Hua Hengzhe did not disappoint her. With his two long legs, he successfully squeezed into the crowd.

He left Shi Xi far behind.

Shi Xi controlled her wheelchair, wanting to go in and take a look at the commotion.

However, there were too many people in front of her.

Shi Xi was afraid that she would cause a car accident if she went in, so she didn't want to watch the show.

'Let's go and eat some roasted pork trotters.'

Just as Shi Xi was about to turn the wheelchair around, the handle of the wheelchair was pressed down.

"You want to go in and take a look?" Xie Yunzhou saw that Shi Xi was controlling the wheelchair to come over, but she couldn't go in no matter what, so he guessed that she wanted to go in and watch the show.

"Uh, I don't have to go in."

"I want to go in and take a look." Xie Yunzhou pushed Shi Xi and sent her to the front of the show.

In the middle of the banquet, there was a large space. There was a vase on the ground, and there were a lot of arrows beside it.

The host explained the rules of pitching in both Chinese and foreign languages.

There were five arrows in total. If two arrows were thrown in, one could get a pearl bracelet. If four arrows were thrown in, one would obtain a silver necklace.

And the first person to throw in all of them would obtain a pair of white jade pendants.

Shi Xi swept her gaze over and saw Nan Yi and Ning Yu in the crowd.

There was also Tao Yuxuan, who was supposed to be with her but had abandoned her early on.

# **Chapter 288: Arrow Miss**

Seeing that it was pitch-pot, everyone felt relaxed.

Wasn't it just throwing an arrow into a pitcher?

How easy it was.

That was, until the field was cleared, and the staff made a mark.

The contestants had to stand five meters away and hold the arrow and throw the pitcher.

Who could hit it!?

The pitcher was so far away!

Shi Xi instantly missed the game of hoops.

Simply thinking about it, the two games had a lot of similarities. They both threw one thing onto the other.

If you succeed, you win.

After the venue was marked, there were people who enthusiastically participated.

But the distance was too far, and the mouth of the pot was narrow. Very few people could throw it in.

Xie Yunzhou pushed Shi Xi in and saw the bustle. He asked, "What do you want?"

There were three types of gifts: a pearl bracelet, a silver necklace, and a pair of white jade pendants.

Shi Xi leaned against the back of her wheelchair and said, "That pearl bracelet. It matches the sea quite well."

After all, it was a lively event organized by Leng Qiankun. She was not so ruthless.

Xie Yunzhou nodded and went forward to receive five arrows.

When Tao Yuxuan saw Xie Yunzhou go on stage, her eyes widened in surprise.

Did the capitalists also take a fancy to this little reward?

She immediately turned her gaze and saw Shi Xi beside her.

Oh, she was just thinking that she had forgotten something.

So it was because she had forgotten about her disabled bestie.

Tao Yuxuan averted her gaze awkwardly and pretended not to remember.

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According to the rules, one could receive the pearl bracelet after putting in two arrows.

Xie Yunzhou threw the first two arrows into the pot.

The people around him cheered.

"Awesome, awesome!"

"One more!"

"Maybe you can get all five arrows!"

Xie Yunzhou stopped and turned to ask the staff member beside him, "Will we be able to get the pearl bracelet like this?"

The staff member was stunned for a moment before he recovered and said, "Ah, yes, that's right."

Xie Yunzhou reached out his hand.

The staff member was surprised. "There are still three arrows left. Aren't you going to throw them?"

"She only wants the pearl bracelet." Xie Yunzhou looked in Shi Xi's direction.

The staff member wanted to say something else, but the host quickly said, "Sir, please go to the side of the stage to receive the prize."

Xie Yunzhou acknowledged.

The host glared at the talkative staff member and said, "If he really hit all five shots and took away the white jade pendant so quickly, what are we going to play with?"

Staff member: That's true.

After Xie Yunzhou received the pearl bracelet, he returned to Shi Xi's side. "I got it."

Shi Xi stretched out her hand and was about to take it.

Xie Yunzhou had already squatted down and untied the clasp of the pearl bracelet, helping Shi Xi put it on.

Looking at Xie Yunzhou squatting in front of her, who was seriously helping her put on the bracelet, Shi Xi was stunned.

Were they really friends now?

After Xie Yunzhou put on the pearl bracelet for Shi Xi, he adjusted it, and looked up. "It's done."

"Well... Thank you." Shi Xi looked at the pearl bracelet on her wrist and said, "You're very good. Have you played it before?"

"I've played darts before. This kind of throwing activity is more or less the same." Xie Yunzhou asked, "Do you want to go back?"

Those who went up to pitch-pot were almost all arrows that missed their target.

Shi Xi was bored watching and was about to say that she wanted to go back when she saw Tao Yuxuan go up on stage.

"Wait," Shi Xi said, "After watching her pitch-pot."

Tao Yuxuan went up on stage confidently and elegantly. She stared at her for a long time.

She missed.

Shi Xi blinked.

Fortunately, she didn't have any expectations for Tao Yuxuan at all.

She just wanted to watch the show.

Chapter 289: I Was Afraid That People Would Say That I Had a Broken Body and a Strong Will

Although very few people managed to hit one of the five arrows, most of them managed to hit at least one.

As for Tao Yuxuan, she did not manage to hit a single arrow.

Shi Xi revealed an expression that said that she was right.

After Tao Yuxuan got off the stage, she went straight to Shi Xi's side and looked at her pearl bracelet enviously. "This pearl bracelet is really beautiful."

The pearls were spotlessly white and each grain was full and lustrous. When worn on the wrist, it made the wrist look even more slender.

"Do you like it?" Shi Xi raised her hand and turned her wrist.

Tao Yuxuan nodded.

Shi Xi smiled slyly. "Go pitch-pot yourself."

"Everyone only gets one chance." Tao Yuxuan sighed. "Otherwise, I'll get President Xie to pitch-pot for me."

Xie, tool man, Yunzhou: "..."

Shi Xi said, "When it's over, ask Leng Qiankun for a string."

This pearl bracelet was not expensive, but what one could not get was always the best. That was why Tao Yuxuan could not forget it.

"Xi Xi, aren't you going to give it a try?" Tao Yuxuan urged, "Anyway, you don't need to stand. You can throw it."

"Forget it. I'm afraid that people will say that I'm disabled." Shi Xi persuaded Tao Yuxuan to give up the idea and said, "Besides, I've already got the bracelet I want."

This trip was not in vain.

Tao Yuxuan did not get anything. At this moment, she began to be ineffectual and furious. "It's all because of the game's setup! That pot was placed so far away. How can a girl throw it in?!"

Just as she finished speaking, Nan Yi, who was on stage, threw the arrow into the pot.

The audience cheered.

Tao Yuxuan said, "She's just a blind cat that ran into a dead rat. See how many arrows she can throw in!"

Nan Yi threw four arrows in a row.

Tao Yuxuan was even angrier.

Except for the first arrow, Nan Yi threw four arrows in.

Nan Yi didn't care about the prizes. She just wanted to show off. She smiled casually and said, "It's not too difficult."

Tao Yuxuan said, "So annoying."

"There's nothing to see. Let's go," Tao Yuxuan suggested.

"Wait, let's take a look at this." Shi Xi saw Hua Hengzhe go on stage.

She wanted to see what kind of astonishing results Hua Hengzhe could produce after eating seven roasted pork trotters.

Before going on stage, Hua Hengzhe patted his chest and assured Ning Yu, "Don't worry, I will definitely win that white jade pendant and give it to you."

Ning Yu did not care about this kind of activity at all. However, when she saw that Shi Xi was present, her eyes moved slightly.

After all, in a group of people, the most special was the most eye-catching.

Shi Xi was sitting in a wheelchair at such a young age, which was especially eye-catching.

Ning Yu frowned slightly. When she saw that Shi Xi's ankle was cast, she relaxed her brows.

It seemed that she was only slightly injured, not paralyzed.

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Hua Hengzhe went up on stage aggressively, ready to win the white jade pendant for Ning Yu.

Nan Yi gritted her teeth. "Hua Hengzhe, I'm your sister! Why are you biased toward outsiders?!"

"Don't spout nonsense. I'm an only child." Hua Hengzhe immediately corrected her. "You're my cousin."

Nan Yi: It's Hua Hengzhe's fault that I'm so angry that I'm sick.

Hua Hengzhe went up on stage confidently. He picked up the arrow and aimed at the opening of the pot.

He missed the first arrow.

Nan Yi chuckled and said deliberately, "Cousin, even if you hit the last four arrows, you won't be able to get the white jade pendant!"

She had thought that her cousin was amazing!

It turned out that he was just a pretty pillow. He looked good but was useless.

Hua Hengzhe took a deep breath and said to Ning Yu, "It's okay, I'll get you a silver necklace!"

Ning Yu: ...I don't need it.

Hua Hengzhe aimed at the mouth of the pot and threw the second arrow.

It missed.

Nan Yi burst out laughing and said, "Sorry, I didn't mean to laugh. I really couldn't help it."

It was so funny.

# Chapter 290: Was It Brain Matter or Pearl

Shi Xi and Nan Yi were quite far apart, so she couldn't hear what Nan Yi said clearly.

But looking at Nan Yi's elated expression, Shi Xi could only guess. This was the arrogance of a female supporting role before being slapped in the face.

Eh, why bother?

On the stage, Hua Hengzhe had already failed twice in a row, so he didn't dare to make any promises anymore.

However, the two arrows that he had unintentionally shot hit both went in.

He received the pearl bracelet.

Hua Hengzhe received the pearl bracelet and returned to Ning Yu's side. "Well, that's all I won."

Before Ning Yu could say anything, Nan Yi spoke up.

"Although I wasn't able to get that white jade pendant, this silver necklace is pretty good." Nan Yi deliberately held the silver necklace and said to her companion, "Help me put it on."

Hua Hengzhe took a look and said, "Ning Yu, why don't I find a rope and string these pearls into a necklace and change them into a pearl necklace for you?"

Ning Yu: "...You are really a talent."

"The pearls on this bracelet are not enough." Nan Yi listened from the side and smiled. "Ning Yu, why don't you go on stage and try to see if you can win another pearl bracelet and string it into a pearl necklace?"

Hua Hengzhe nodded. "Good idea!"

Good idea my ass!

Ning Yu wanted to crack Hua Hengzhe's head open to see if there was brain matter or pearls inside.

Nan Yi looked at Ning Yu.

Ning Yu's eyes were cold and indifferent. She walked past the two of them and went onto the stage.

After receiving five arrows, Ning Yu was not in a hurry to throw the arrows. Instead, she weighed the arrows and measured the length and width of the arrows.

Nan Yi and Tao Yuxuan said almost at the same time:

"Putting on an act."

Both of them did not like Ning Yu, and they both had disdainful expressions on their faces.

"Why is she here?" Tao Yuxuan had a look of disdain on her face. "How can anyone get on this cruise ship?"

Shi Xi: "She's my sister."

Tao Yuxuan snorted lightly and did not say anything else.

But she did not say that she wanted to go back.

It was obvious that she wanted to stay and watch Ning Yu make a fool of herself.

Ning Yu's visual evaluation ended. To the bystanders, she only looked at the arrow.

Then, Ning Yu threw the arrow.

The arrow drew a beautiful arc in the air.

It accurately landed in the pot.

The spectators below the stage applauded and cheered:

"Good!"

"The little girl is amazing!"

"One more!"

Ning Yu picked up the second arrow and threw it in again.

The arrow did not miss.

The five arrows all fell into the pot!

The host did not expect that Ning Yu, who looked like a weak little girl, would have such high accuracy in her combat ability!

"Congratulations to this little girl. She was the first to hit five arrows and obtained our white jade pendant!" The host gave the box containing the white jade pendant to Ning Yu.

Ning Yu took the box and said, "Thank you."

Below the stage, Nan Yi gritted her teeth and stomped her feet before turning around to leave.

Hua Hengzhe said regretfully, "It's just a pearl bracelet string. How could it be changed into a pearl necklace?"

Tao Yuxuan was extremely unhappy when she saw that Ning Yu had successfully hit five arrows in a row. She pushed Shi Xi's wheelchair and walked out. "Let's go, let's go back and rest."

Shi Xi: ...She had said that if she sat in the wheelchair, she would lose her freedom.

She had wanted to say hello to Ning Yu.

However, a person in a wheelchair could not control where they wanted to go.

This was the illogical aspect of a wheelchair. In the future, she must invent a type of wheelchair that no one could push away!

Shi Xi was thinking out of the box.

After Ning Yu received the white jade pendant, she swept her gaze over it and Shi Xi's figure disappeared. Her eyes drooped slightly.

Ning Yu could only go back to Hua Hengzhe first and said to him, "I'm going to rest first."