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Chapter 111 Looking at the House

Luo Han looked at Li Xiaoran and waited for her to continue.

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Li Xiaoran thought for a moment and asked, "The reason why you asked my husband to interrogate the other party with me is because you've tried all kinds of ways but failed to make the other party speak?"

"That's right. We used a lot of methods and all kinds of torture devices, but the other party never spoke. We didn't dare to actually kill him. After all, he's more valuable alive than dead. So I had no choice. I thought I'd ask Luo Cheng to ask him for me. He might be able to get something out of him!" Luo Han didn't hide the truth.

"In that case, we have to use another special method to make the other party speak!" Li Xiaoran thought for a moment and said, "How about this? Find a place and prepare something for me!"

Next, Li Xiaoran lowered her voice and said what she needed.

Luo Han was dumbfounded when he heard what Li Xiaoran said.

"Are you sure you can make him talk with these things?"

"Try it and you'll know! Remember, borrow it from a rural farmer and then prepare these things I want!" Li Xiaoran reminded again, "After you send him to the farmer's house, it's best to do this!"

With that, Li Xiaoran came up with some ideas.

This time, Luo Han couldn't help but nod after hearing Li Xiaoran's method.

"You're really impressive to be able to think of such a method! I'll prepare it now!" Luo Han smiled and nodded. He said, "I'll send you to Luo Cheng first! Go back and rest first. After I'm done, I'll invite you over!"

Li Xiaoran nodded and followed Luo Han to see Luo Cheng.

After seeing Luo Cheng, Luo Han told him what Li Xiaoran had said.

Luo Cheng smiled and left with Li Xiaoran.

On the way back, Luo Cheng couldn't help but ask, "You're really amazing. You thought of such a good interrogation method in such a short time. How did you come up with such a powerful psychological strategy?"

"I thought of it on the spur of the moment! Do you believe me?" Li Xiaoran said with a smile.

“Yes!” Luo Cheng glanced at Li Xiaoran and replied.

“Are we going back to rest now?” Li Xiaoran thought for a moment and asked.

“Aren’t we going to buy a house? There’s a brokerage nearby. We’re free now, so we might as well go take a look!” Luo Cheng had been thinking about buying a house.

To be honest, he could ignore where he lived in the past and live in Luo Han’s house.

However, after he got married, Luo Cheng felt uncomfortable living at Luo Han’s place.

After Luo Han showed disrespect to Li Xiaoran previously, Luo Cheng was even more anxious to buy a house.

Even though Luo Han had already apologized to Li Xiaoran, Luo Cheng’s desire to buy a house that belonged to him hadn’t changed.

Li Xiaoran didn’t like to live in other people’s houses either. She felt like she was living under someone else’s roof.

As the saying went, east or west, home is best, so it wasn’t a bad idea to buy a house.

“Alright! Then let’s go see houses now!” Li Xiaoran said happily.

It had to be said that professional matters had to be left to professionals.

After arriving at the broker house, Li Xiaoran and Luo Cheng told them their requirements. The broker house selected three houses that met their requirements.

Coincidentally, these three houses weren’t very far away, so Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran planned to take a look at the houses first.

The first residence was on a street near the government office.

The house was neither big nor small. It wasn’t facing the street, so there were no shops, but the environment was good and quiet.

Li Xiaoran and Luo Cheng took a closer look and realized that this residence wasn’t bad. The only thing lacking was that there was no well in this residence. They had to go to the well in the middle of the alley to get water.

After that, the two of them went to look at the second residence.

This residence was near the large market that Li Xiaoran and Luo Cheng had been to previously.

This was the largest of the three residences.

There was a two-story shop in front of this residence and a three-in-one courtyard behind it.

The shop was very clean and could be brought directly to do business.

The house at the back was also well built and spacious.

Of course, it also cost the most money.

In the end, Li Xiaoran and Luo Cheng went to a street not far from Luo Han’s house to see a house.

This residence was a two-in-one residence. Although there was a shop in front, it wasn't in a lively area.

There probably wasn't much business for the surrounding shops, so it seemed a little deserted.

Therefore, the addition of a shop seemed a little useless.

The house inside wasn't bad. There were enough rooms. There were also two guest rooms.

However, the furnishing in this residence were very old and most of them needed to be changed, so the price was about the same as the first residence's.

After looking at the three houses, Luo Cheng looked at Li Xiaoran.

"Wife, which house do you think is better?"

Li Xiaoran thought for a moment and said, "To be honest, if we're rich and want to do business, I suggest we buy the largest house. But with our family's situation, I think this house is the most suitable!"

"Then let's buy the biggest one!" Luo Cheng said after a moment.

"Huh?" Li Xiaoran immediately exclaimed, "Are you sure? I was just saying so casually. That house is big and the shop is big. Why would you buy it?"

"Don't worry, your husband can afford it!" Luo Cheng said as he looked at the person who was showing them the house.

"We want this residence, but I think the price is too high! How about this! Please go back and tell the owner that I'll buy it for a discount of three hundred taels of silver!"

When the broker heard Luo Cheng's words, he pondered over it.

It really wasn't easy to sell a house in Golden Sun Town for 800 taels of silver.

To be honest, that residence looked good, but it also had a huge flaw. It was too big.

Generally speaking, there were very few people in Golden Sun Town who could afford such a big house and shop.

It was also for this reason that this big house and shop hadn't been sold.

It wasn't easy for a customer to come and buy it today. The broker felt that he could persuade him to try his best to close this deal.

"Alright, I'll go to the owner to discuss it. Please wait a moment with me. I'll give you an answer soon!"

Luo Cheng nodded and brought Li Xiaoran to the brokerage to wait.

When only the couple were left in the private room, Li Xiaoran couldn't help but ask, "Are you really sure you want to buy this big house and big shop?"

“As long as the price is right, I’ll buy it!” Luo Cheng nodded and said firmly.

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“Don’t you think it’s too big?” Li Xiaoran asked in confusion.

Luo Cheng knew what Li Xiaoran was worried about, so he turned around and faced her.

“Wife, maybe we don’t need such a big house now, but that doesn’t mean we won’t need it in the future! Believe me, I won’t spend money recklessly. Since I’ve bought it, I’ll naturally let this house and shop play its role!”

When Li Xiaoran heard Luo Cheng’s sincere words, she knew that she had underestimated him.

The reason she objected to Luo Cheng buying this big house was because of her understanding of Luo Cheng and their family.

In fact, after the past few days of contact, the ability and strength Luo Cheng had displayed revealed that he wasn’t as he seemed.

At least, Luo Cheng was definitely not an ordinary hunter.

If Luo Cheng didn’t say, she wouldn’t ask.

“Since you’ve thought it through, I won’t say anything else!” Li Xiaoran nodded and said.

Just as Luo Cheng was about to explain, the man from the brokerage walked in.

“Congratulations, the owner of the house has agreed. I wonder if you’ll buy it today?”

“I’ll buy it today!” Luo Cheng was a person who didn’t dawdle. Since he had decided to buy it, he immediately paid to change the title deed of the house.

An hour later, Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran returned to the big house and looked at their home.

“Actually, what I like the most is that this courtyard has a good scenery. There’s also a vegetable field at the back. In the future, Father-in-law and Mother-in-law won’t feel bored living here!” Luo Cheng looked at the house and said happily.

“If my parents come over, they will be shocked!” Li Xiaoran couldn’t help but say.

When Luo Cheng heard Li Xiaoran’s words, he remembered what he wanted to say previously, so he pulled Li Xiaoran to a stone stool and sat down.

“Have you ever thought about if you’ll really live in the village forever? With your strength, you won’t be trapped in the village forever. You can run the shop by the official road at the beginning, but it definitely won’t be able to satisfy your development later on. At that time, why don’t you let Xiao Qing run that shop and let her accumulate some experience for herself and earn some money?”

When Li Xiaoran heard Luo Cheng’s words, she thought about it seriously.

Previously, she hadn't thought so far ahead. She only wanted to open a shop and earn a living. Although she was married to Luo Cheng, she also hoped that she would be financially independent. At least, she hoped that she could support herself and her family without relying on Luo Cheng. The business of the stall was getting better and better. Now, it could no longer satisfy their needs. A shop needed to be built.

When the business of the shop got better, she would definitely continue to expand her business. Therefore, when she got to that point, she would definitely start developing in town.

Thinking of this, Li Xiaoran understood Luo Cheng's intentions.

Sure enough, she didn't see as far ahead as Luo Cheng did.

"Do you understand now?" Luo Cheng had been looking at Li Xiaoran. Seeing that she had some understanding, he asked with a smile.

Li Xiaoran nodded and said, "That's right! Husband, you're really considerate. You even thought of what would happen in the future!"

"It's not that I'm considerate, but I have good business acumen! I predicted that my wife would soar sooner or later, so I took precautions!" Luo Cheng said with a smile.

When Li Xiaoran heard this, she raised her eyebrows and looked at Luo Cheng. "Husband, you seem a little different from when I first saw you. You're such a sweet talker now!"

When Luo Cheng heard Li Xiaoran's words, he chuckled.

"In the past, I stayed alone for too long and became out of sync with my emotions, so I became aloof. Now that I have a wife and family, I changed!"

Li Xiaoran only smiled but didn't say anything else.

"Let's go! Let's go to Luo Han's place and bring our things over! I think this house has always been cleaned up. There's no dust. Let's just move our things in!" Luo Cheng thought of something and said.

Li Xiaoran nodded and returned to Luo Han's house with Luo Cheng. She packed her things and placed them in their ox cart before driving it back to her house.

Of course, Luo Cheng had left a letter for Luo Han and told him about their move. He had also left him the address.

From now on, Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran would have a place to stay in Golden Sun Town.

Just as Li Xiaoran was feeling happy over the fact that she had a place to stay in town, Luo Cheng's words stunned her.

"W-What did you say?" Li Xiaoran looked at Luo Cheng in disbelief.

"What did I say? I said let's move in together!" Luo Cheng repeated.

“Wasn’t it nice when we slept separately in the village?” Li Xiaoran finally said what she was thinking.

“Oh really? So you still plan to sleep separately from me? Aren’t we husband and wife?” Luo Cheng raised his eyebrows and asked.

Li Xiaoran was instantly speechless!

She couldn’t answer that!

That’s right, she was really Luo Cheng’s wife. Even if they didn’t marry for love, she was indeed married to Luo Cheng.

Originally, the two of them were sleeping separately. Suddenly, Luo Cheng asked to live together, so she was really shocked.

There was a huge difference between sleeping alone and sleeping together!

“Wife, you and I are husband and wife. We should live together!” Luo Cheng suddenly looked at Li Xiaoran and said aggrievedly.

“Don’t, don’t, don’t. Luo Cheng, don’t talk to me like that! My mind is a little disoriented now. Let me sort it out!” Li Xiaoran jumped away in a panic and looked at Luo Cheng defensively.

“It seems that you want to go back on your word and don’t want to be my wife anymore! Why? Are you going to burn the bridge after escaping the Li family?” Luo Cheng saw Li Xiaoran’s frightened expression and held back his laughter before continuing to ask aggrievedly.

“No, no! Of course that’s not what I meant! Luo Cheng, I just feel that this matter has happened too suddenly and the change is too drastic. I haven’t processed it yet! Let me take a breather, okay?” Li Xiaoran was really in a mess now. She had lost her usual calmness and sharpness.

“You can take your time to think about it. Anyway, I don’t want to be separated from you. We’ll sleep together from today onwards!” Luo Cheng gave the final ultimatum.

Li Xiaoran was speechless!

Who could tell her what was wrong with the man in front of her?!

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In the end, Li Xiaoran argued over sharing a room, but the outcome was sleeping on a different bed in the same room.

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Luo Cheng didn’t mind. He brought a bed and placed it in the main room.

For some reason, looking at Luo Cheng lying on the bed, Li Xiaoran felt that he was an eyesore.

After realizing that she had thought of this word, Li Xiaoran was shocked.

Wasn't she very grateful to Luo Cheng?

She also had a good impression of Luo Cheng!

Why did she find him an eyesore now?

No matter how she thought about it, Li Xiaoran couldn't figure out how she felt about Luo Cheng.

In the end, Li Xiaoran, who didn't understand, sighed.

Perhaps she was just not used to someone suddenly intruding into her life.

It was like how wild beasts had their own sense of territory. If someone they didn't know very well suddenly barged in, they would instinctively be on guard!

When Luo Han came looking for them, he brought a few old women with him.

"I knew it. You guys definitely didn't clean this place up yourselves! I brought people over to clean this place up for you guys. I also bought some things for you. Consider it a housewarming gift from me!" Luo Han looked around the big house and said with a smile.

"Aren't you a little too stingy to give this as a gift?" Luo Cheng said in disdain.

"Don't worry! As long as you and your wife help me interrogate someone, I'll give you a big surprise!" Luo Han said with a smile.

"You said it! Then prepare well! We'll definitely get this gift!" Luo Cheng said confidently.

"I was waiting for you to say that!" Luo Han said. He suddenly felt thirsty. He wanted to drink some water, but there was none.

"Hey, Luo Cheng, aren't you going to get someone to look after such a big house and shop? Someone has to clean it over the long-term. Otherwise, you'll have to clean it once in a while. Don't tire out your wife!"

Luo Han's words hit home.

On second thought, he really needed to hire two people to guard the house and clean it.

"I'll go to the brokerage later and see if there are any suitable servants. I'll hire a few later!"

"What? You want to hire servants?" Li Xiaoran was shocked.

"That's right! Such a big house will be ruined if no one cleans it. Someone has to take care of it!" Luo Han nodded and replied, "Don't feel sorry for the money you spent on hiring people. If the house is really abandoned, you'll have to spend all the money you have to repair it!"

Li Xiaoran thought about it and agreed.

In the past, in the modern era, she often heard from the elders that houses had to be lively. Even if they lived in a dilapidated house, it would be fine as long as things were lively. No matter how good a house was, if it was not lively and no one lived in it, it would collapse and be abandoned soon!

So Luo Han's suggestion made sense.

"Don't worry, when the time comes, I'll definitely hire honest and capable servants!"

When Li Xiaoran heard this, she was caught amused.

"That's not what I meant!"

"But that's what I mean!" Luo Cheng looked at Li Xiaoran and said seriously.

"Stop, stop. Please pay more attention when you two interact. I'm still here!" Luo Han couldn't stand it anymore and quickly spoke out to remind them that he was still there!

Li Xiaoran blushed when she heard Luo Han's words.

"No! By the way, Mr. Luo, did you do everything I said?"

Hearing Li Xiaoran talk about serious matters, Luo Han immediately replied, "We've all followed your suggestion! I think that person won't be able to take it anymore by tomorrow afternoon. At that time, it should be easier for you to interrogate him!"

"Actually, this method can't be rushed. One day is still too short. If you encounter such a determined person in the future, you can implement it for a period of time. At that time, the effect will definitely be better!" Li Xiaoran thought of something and reminded.

"Yes, yes. Now that I have experience, I know how to deal with such people the next time I encounter them!" Luo Han nodded. Suddenly, he thought of something and said, "Just call me Luo Han in the future. There's no need to be so polite!"

When Li Xiaoran heard this, she turned to look at Luo Cheng.

"Why are you looking at me? I have no objections!" Luo Cheng seemed to have seen through Li Xiaoran's intentions and said.

Li Xiaoran thought for a moment and nodded. "Alright, I'll call you Luo Han from now on!"

Luo Han was happy to hear Li Xiaoran's words.

"That's right! If you keep calling me Young Master Luo, I'll think that you haven't forgiven me!"

When Li Xiaoran heard this, she explained, "I'm not that kind of person. Don't worry!"

"That's good!" Luo Han was relieved to hear that.

As they spoke, the servants that Luo Han had brought had already cleaned up the house.

The rooms were almost ready.

Luo Han knew that there were a few more people in the Luo family, so he decorated the room according to the Luo family's members' preferences.

As they still had to stay here for the next two days, Luo Han asked someone to buy some food and send it to the kitchen and storage room.

As the host, Li Xiaoran naturally had to go over and see how to place these food.

"By the way, what kind of business do you plan to do?" Luo Han asked when he saw that he and Luo Cheng were alone.

"How did you know I was going to open a shop?" Luo Cheng asked Luo Han.

"How could I not know?! We've been buddies for many years. How could I not know what you're thinking? If you didn't want to do business, you wouldn't have bought such a big house and shop!" Luo Han said with an expression that said, "I saw through you."

"Do you have any suggestions?" Luo Cheng asked.

"What good idea can I have? If I was good at business, I wouldn't be working for the government! I'm counting on you to help me when there's a good business!" Luo Han shook his head and said, "I think she has a lot of ideas in her head. You might as well ask her!"

Luo Cheng thought for a moment, then said, "What if I open a tavern?"

"A tavern?" Luo Han thought about it seriously. "Are you planning to show off your skills?"

"That's right! I can open a wine shop first. When my wives need to open a shop in the future, we can also make it into a tavern. It can sell wine and serve as a restaurant. It's killing two birds with one stone!" Luo Cheng said.

Luo Han thought for a moment.

"As you know, I'm really not good at doing business. You should ask her first!"

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"You keep calling her now! Who was the one who looked down on her previously?!" Luo Cheng was a little disgusted with Luo Han.

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“There are times when people make mistakes! Now, I know that I was wrong.” Luo Han couldn’t help but roll his eyes and say, “Do you have to harp on my previous mistake? Can we still be buddies?”

Luo Cheng chuckled and decided to let Luo Han off.

“Alright, alright, alright. I’ll listen to you. I’ll ask my wife later!” Luo Cheng said.

Speaking of this, Luo Han looked out of the door and walked in. “Have you two consummated your marriage yet?”

“Don’t worry about me!” Luo Cheng said impatiently.

“Luo Cheng, do you like her or not? If you really like her, treat her better. If you don’t like her, think of a way to let her go!” Luo Han thought of something and suddenly sighed. “The reason I didn’t acknowledge her before was mainly because I felt that she might not be able to bear your burdens! Now that I see that she’s so capable, I think she’s someone who can bear the responsibility!”

“I know how to handle my matters. Don’t worry about me! I think you’re becoming more and more like your mother. You’re interfering in everything. You should worry about yourself! Now that I’m married, do you think your mother will let you off during the new year?” Luo Cheng reminded her kindly.

He really hadn’t remembered until Luo Cheng said it.

It was still late autumn, but Luo Han was already trembling from the cold.

Sighing with frustration, Luo Han instantly felt vexed.

“Do you think it’s okay if I don’t go back this year?”

“What do you think?” Luo Cheng gave Luo Han a look to let him think for himself.

“Sigh, life is so difficult for a man! Especially a man who’s being urged to get married by his mother!” Luo Han said gloomily.

Coincidentally, Li Xiaoran had boiled a pot of hot water and brought a pot of freshly brewed tea when she heard Luo Han’s words.

Li Xiaoran couldn’t help but laugh.

Luo Han turned to look at Li Xiaoran and suddenly had a good idea.

“You’re smart. Why don’t you help me think of a way?! I’m really annoyed of my mother! How can I simply marry anyone?”

When Li Xiaoran heard Luo Han’s request, she smiled and brought over a teacup. She poured three cups of tea.

“Marriage is indeed a big deal. You can’t make do with it!”

With that, Li Xiaoran picked up the teacup and blew on it gently. She took a shallow sip to moisten her throat.

“That’s true!” Luo Han agreed.

Luo Cheng looked at Luo Han and then at Li Xiaoran.

“If you have a way, why don’t you help him? This kid is already annoyed to death!”

Li Xiaoran thought for a moment and said, “That depends on what you think, Luo Han. Do you just want to hide for a year or have a few more years of leisure?”

Luo Han and Luo Cheng immediately looked over.

“How can I push it back a year? Or even a few years?” Luo Han asked eagerly.

“If you want to push it back a year, tell your mother that you already have a girl in mind when you get home. However, the girl doesn’t have any feelings for you yet, so you have to work harder!” Li Xiaoran said.

“My mother isn’t that easy to fool!” Luo Han shook his head and said, “My mother will definitely ask me what this girl’s surname is, where she’s from, and what her family is like!”

When Li Xiaoran heard Luo Han’s words, she immediately looked frustrated.

“Why are you so inflexible? If your mother really asks that, just say something like before you win her over, you definitely won’t tell anyone in the family. If someone from the family stirs up trouble and you can’t get a wife, who is to blame? Let me tell you, as long as you say this and act like nothing can go wrong, you can definitely fool them this year!”

Luo Han thought about it carefully and suddenly felt that this idea wasn’t bad!

“But this method can only be used for a year! When I go back next year, my mother will ask me to get her a daughter-in-law. What should I do?” Luo Han thought of another question.

“This is simple. Just say that you suddenly realized that that girl isn’t suitable for you, so you gave up!” Li Xiaoran said.

“If I really say that, it’ll be strange if my mother doesn’t cripple me!” Luo Han quickly shook his head when he thought of this scene. “Then how should I do it for years?”

When Li Xiaoran heard Luo Han’s words, she thought for a moment and said, “Make a promise with your mother. If you don’t find a girl you like to marry within five years, your mother will arrange your marriage!”

“What?” Luo Han didn’t expect such a solution. “What if I really don’t find anyone I like in five years?”

When Li Xiaoran heard Luo Han's words, she thought for a moment and asked, "Luo Han, how old are you?"

"I'm the same age as Luo Cheng this year. He's eighteen, so am I! But I'm only two months younger than him!" Luo Han replied in confusion.

"That's right. How old will you be five years later? Five years later, you'll be 23 years old? If you're already 23 years old but you haven't met a girl you like, what's wrong with letting your mother arrange it? If you don't like her, can your mother force you to agree to the marriage? Besides, you haven't met a girl you like in five years, which means that there aren't any girls in your social circle. Then isn't it better to let your mother arrange the marriage. At least your mother knows more girls than you!" Li Xiaoran analyzed.

Luo Han thought about it carefully. The more he thought about it, the more he felt that it was a good idea.

"I think this is a good idea. Let's do as you say!" Luo Cheng also felt that this was the best solution.

Luo Han heaved a sigh of relief and looked at Li Xiaoran gratefully.

"You're really my savior! Now, I don't have to be afraid of going back to see my mother!"

"She has helped you a lot. Then remember this favor and remember to repay her kindness in the future!" Luo Cheng chimed in.

"No problem. If you need my help in the future, I'll definitely go through fire and water!" Luo Han said confidently.

"There's no need. Just help me when you can!" Li Xiaoran smiled and said, "I'm a married woman. What kind of thing would I need others to go through fire and water for?!"

Chapter 115 Throwing Herself At Him

With Luo Han bringing people to help, Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran stayed in the new residence.

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Some of the old women he brought were also good at cooking, so the three of them sat down to eat that night.

After dinner, Luo Han went back.

Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran also had a tiring day. They washed up and rested.

Li Xiaoran originally thought that it would be difficult for her to sleep tonight. After all, there was a man in the room.

Unexpectedly, Li Xiaoran fell asleep not long after lying in bed.

Luo Cheng couldn't help but laugh when he saw Li Xiaoran sleeping so soundly. Then, he went straight to his bed to sleep.

The next day was a sunny day!

Li Xiaoran opened her eyes and turned around to see Luo Cheng sleeping at the side.

She was stunned for a moment before she remembered that they had slept in the same room last night.

Seeing that Luo Cheng was sleeping soundly, Li Xiaoran got up carefully and put on her clothes and pants.

After everything was packed, Li Xiaoran turned around and saw a ray of sunlight shining in from the window and landing on Luo Cheng's side profile.

Li Xiaoran couldn't help but walk over and squat down to take a closer look.

It had to be said that Luo Cheng's skin was really good. His skin was so smooth that it was better than a woman's.

Then, she looked at his closed eyes. His eyelashes were long and curly.

He was a grown man but his eyelashes were even better-looking than hers. It was simply unfair!

Thinking of this, Li Xiaoran was a little depressed!

Her body had been malnourished since she was young. Not only was she scrawny, but even her skin was sallow.

Although she had been eating and drinking well recently, her skin was still a little sallow.

She wasn't even fair at all.

No wonder Luo Han had looked down on her previously!

Thinking of this, Li Xiaoran lowered her eyes and sighed silently.

"Are you satisfied with my appearance?" At this moment, Luo Cheng's voice sounded.

This time, Li Xiaoran was shocked. She, who was originally half-squatting, lost her balance and fell backward.

In the blink of an eye, Luo Cheng reached out and grabbed Li Xiaoran's hand, then pulled her over.

Li Xiaoran fell into Luo Cheng's arms and their eyes met.

"It seems that you're so anxious to throw yourself at me!" Luo Cheng said teasingly.

As soon as he said this, Li Xiaoran blushed. She wanted to struggle up, but Luo Cheng hugged her tightly.

"Luo Cheng, what are you trying to do?" Li Xiaoran struggled for a while but was still in Luo Cheng's arms. She immediately shouted angrily.

“I’m not a gentleman. I can’t sit still when someone throws herself into my arms! Besides, the person who threw herself into my arms is my wife. Can’t I hug you?” Luo Cheng said righteously.

Li Xiaoran was really helpless against Luo Cheng’s shameless behavior.

“I can’t breathe!” Li Xiaoran suddenly had an idea and said.

When Luo Cheng heard this, he let go a little.

Taking this opportunity, Li Xiaoran wanted to escape from Luo Cheng’s arms.

However, Luo Cheng had long expected Li Xiaoran to play tricks, so he only let go a little.

In the end, Li Xiaoran’s plan did not succeed.

“I’m hungry. I want to eat!” Li Xiaoran stopped struggling and said.

When Luo Cheng heard Li Xiaoran’s words, he simply let her go.

“Wife, you should eat properly! Look at your body. It’s too shriveled!”

With that, Luo Cheng stood up and quickly put on his clothes.

“Let’s go! Wife, let’s go wash up together. I’ll bring you to eat something tasty!”

With that, Luo Cheng held Li Xiaoran’s hand and walked out.

Seeing this, Li Xiaoran gave up struggling and followed Luo Cheng.

After half an hour, Luo Cheng appeared with Li Xiaoran at a breakfast stall on another street.

At this moment, there was a bowl of steaming wontons in front of each of them.

The soup was clear. It looked tasteless, but when she ate it, it tasted fresh.

After taking a bite of the wonton, Li Xiaoran was impressed by the taste.

After that, Li Xiaoran took another bite of wontons and drank a few mouthfuls of soup.

“The meat filling in this isn’t just meat, right?” Li Xiaoran seemed to have realized something and asked.

“You have a very good sense of taste! You’re the first person to realize that the wontons’ filling isn’t just meat!” The old man who sold wontons praised.

Li Xiaoran smiled and said humbly, “I’m a foodie. That’s why I can tell!”

When Luo Cheng heard this, he looked at Li Xiaoran. “How did you find out?”

“I tasted it. Can’t you taste that the meat is a little crispy and sweet?” Li Xiaoran said.

Luo Cheng thought for a moment and lowered his head to eat another spoonful of wonton, but he still couldn’t tell the difference.

“I just think the wontons here are tasty. I really didn’t taste anything else!”

“It’s normal that you can’t tell! Most people can’t tell!” Li Xiaoran explained with a smile.

There was no denying the power of good food.

After eating a bowl of tasty wontons, Li Xiaoran was no longer in a bad mood.

At this moment, a strong emotion surged into Li Xiaoran’s body. Then, Li Xiaoran looked around and her gaze finally landed on a woman who was wrapped up tightly.

At this moment, a group of students walked over. The woman’s gaze landed on a student in the middle, and her emotions became even more intense.

Seeing that the situation wasn’t right, Li Xiaoran immediately stood up and rushed towards the tightly wrapped woman. She stopped the woman before she could rush out.

“It’s Sister Lanhua! I haven’t seen you in a long time! You helped me a lot previously. Before I could thank you, you ran away! I finally caught you today. Let’s go and eat a bowl of wontons first. Let’s talk!” Li Xiaoran grabbed the woman’s right hand and said with a smile.

When the students saw this scene, they only looked at them curiously before leaving.

The woman kept staring at one of the students. She wanted to struggle but couldn’t break free from Li Xiaoran’s hand.

Li Xiaoran also noticed the woman’s gaze and simply walked forward to block the student. Then, she said softly, “It’s not worth it! It’s not worth losing your life for that kind of scumbag!”

Chapter 116 Better to Live Than Die

At this moment, Li Xiaoran’s grip was surprisingly strong as she held the young woman’s hand tightly.

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At this moment, Li Xiaoran only had one thought in her mind, which was to stop this woman and not let her do anything stupid.

Seeing this, Luo Cheng also realized that something was wrong. He walked over and took a look. Then, he flicked a copper coin and hit the woman’s hemp scripture.

“Okay, you can let go now. She can’t move now!” Luo Cheng said.

When Li Xiaoran heard this, she let go and looked at the young woman in front of her.

As expected, this young woman’s entire body was numb. She felt uncomfortable just by moving slightly.

Seeing that her enemy had left just like that, the woman couldn’t move, but her tears fell.

Looking at those swollen eyes and the hatred in them, Li Xiaoran sighed.

“I don’t know what happened, but I just want to tell you that your method of revenge is the stupidest. Perhaps in the end, you will lose your life, but that man will still be free!”

As soon as Li Xiaoran said this, the woman finally broke down.

The numbness on her body faded. The woman squatted on the ground and buried her head as she wailed.

Seeing the woman like this, Li Xiaoran didn’t say anything and could only let the woman cry.

Seeing this, Luo Cheng stood at the side and waited patiently.

Li Xiaoran looked at the woman and then at her husband, so she said, “Husband, why don’t you go home and wait for me?!”

“No need, I’ll be wherever you are! Don’t worry, I don’t care what those people think!” Luo Cheng knew what Li Xiaoran was worried about and said.

Seeing that Luo Cheng didn’t mind, Li Xiaoran didn’t persuade him anymore.

At this moment, when passers-by heard the cry, they would look over and then glance at Li Xiaoran and Luo Cheng, who were standing beside the crying woman.

Some people who didn’t know the whole story thought that Li Xiaoran and Luo Cheng had done something to make this woman cry. All of them looked at Li Xiaoran and her husband accusingly.

Luo Cheng didn’t care at all, so he didn’t bother to explain.

Li Xiaoran couldn’t be bothered to explain. Instead, she waited quietly at the side.

A woman walked over and was very angry when she saw this scene.

“What did you two do? Bully a woman in the street?”

When Li Xiaoran heard the woman’s words, she reached out and pointed at herself. “Are you asking me?”

“Who else am I asking if not you?” The woman said with a dark expression, “You little girl, you look quite pretty. Why are you so evil-hearted? If you didn’t bully her, would she be squatting on the ground and crying?”

When Li Xiaoran heard this, she was caught amused.

Just as she was about to explain, the stall owner not far away said, “Madam Tan, don’t falsely accuse others! They know her. We haven’t seen each other for a long time. Just now, this little girl even asked that crying woman to go home for dinner! I don’t know what trouble this woman encountered, but when she saw her family, she squatted on the ground and wailed!”

When Madam Tan heard this, she immediately felt a little embarrassed.

“I’m really sorry!”

“It’s fine. It’s indeed very easy to misunderstand. I don’t know what my sister has experienced. If she doesn’t tell us, we can’t persuade her. We can only let her cry first

to vent her emotions. She might be fine after a while!" Li Xiaoran smiled and waved her hand.

"Sigh, she's crying so miserably. She must have encountered something especially troublesome! In this day and age, a single cent can stump a man, let alone a woman!" After Madam Tan learned the whole story, she looked at the young woman who was still wailing and sighed.

With that, Madam Tan squatted down and persuaded gently, "Listen to me. Everything will eventually pass. Don't always think of the worst. In fact, after you get over this matter, after you get over it, you'll realize that it's actually not a big deal. Life is hard for us women, but it's better to live than to die!"

With that, Madam Tan reached out and patted the young woman's shoulder. "You have to live for those who want you to live well!"

After saying this, Madam Tan stood up.

"Try to persuade her! After all, there's only hope if she's alive!"

Li Xiaoran nodded and said with admiration, "Auntie, you're right. I think so too. Don't worry, I'll definitely persuade my sister to live well!"

Madam Tan nodded and left to buy groceries with her basket.

The young woman on this side slowly stopped crying too, then stood up from the ground.

It was unknown if what Madam Tan had previously said had worked, or if this woman's emotions had been vented after crying.

After wiping her tears, the young woman walked over and bowed to Li Xiaoran.

"Thank you for stopping me previously. Otherwise, I really would have lost my life! I had already thought about it previously. I wanted to die with that damn He Lun. Now that I've calmed down, I feel a wave of lingering fear. If I really made a move just now, my old parents probably wouldn't have any will to live anymore!"

"You don't have to be so polite. Since I encountered this today, I naturally have to interfere. When people are impulsive, they might be compelled to do something wrong, and the consequences will be unimaginable. Fortunately, you've finally figured it out. It didn't stop you in vain!" Li Xiaoran heaved a sigh of relief when she saw that the young woman had thought it through.

"My house isn't far ahead. Why don't you go to my house to wash up and tidy up? Look at you. When you go back, your family will definitely be worried!" Li Xiaoran glanced at the young woman and invited.

The young woman didn't need to look to know that she was in a sorry state, so she didn't reject Li Xiaoran's kind offer.

Soon, the three of them went to Luo Cheng's house.

After entering the house, Luo Cheng went straight to his study.

"If anything happens, shout for me!"

Li Xiaoran nodded and brought the young woman directly to the kitchen.

"What's your name? How should I address you?" Li Xiaoran asked.

"My name is Li Qiuxiang. I'm already married!" The young woman replied.

"My surname is also Li! Maybe we were family 500 years ago! My name is Li Xiaoran. You can call me Xiaoran!" When Li Xiaoran heard that they had the same surname, she immediately became more amiable to the woman.

Chapter 117 Ridiculous Story

When Li Qiuxiang heard that Li Xiaoran's surname was also Li, she revealed a surprised expression.

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"In that case, we're really fated!"

Li Xiaoran nodded and brought over the hot water from the kettle before pouring it into the wooden basin.

Li Qiuxiang took out her handkerchief and put it into the water, then twisted it. Then, she wiped her face.

While accompanying her, Li Xiaoran couldn't help but ask.

"What happened to make you lose your mind?"

Li Qiuxiang smiled bitterly when she heard Li Xiaoran's words.

"Actually, the person I wanted to die with was my husband!"

Li Xiaoran was shocked.

"Why?"

Li Qiuxiang smiled bitterly, then wrung out the handkerchief in her hand. As she wiped her hands, she began to complain.

"My father was a scholar in the village. Because he saw that my husband, He Lun, was studious and ambitious, he decided to marry me to him. He Lun's family isn't rich. He has three sisters, an older brother, and a younger brother. Other than He Lun, his younger brother is also in school. We could tell that the He family wasn't doing well and were a little poor."

It turned out that Mr. Li felt sorry for his daughter and son-in-law, He Lun, so he went to the He family to discuss and let the couple live in the Li family's house.

The Li family provided He Lun's tuition and daily meals, but Mr. Li also had a request. He hoped that He Lun and his daughter could take care of them in the future.

As soon as the He family heard that there was such a good thing, they agreed happily.

Just like that, He Lun and Li Qiuxiang started living in the Li family.

Master Li thought that He Lun would take care of them in the future, so he spent a lot of effort teaching He Lun.

With such a powerful father-in-law, He Lun excelled.

After He Lun passed the county examination, he went to the county school in town to study.

He Lun eventually went to the county to study.

Without anyone supervising him, He Lun, who was studying in the county school and preparing for the examination, had people praising him all the time.

He always acted pretentious. He was always either attending tea parties or poetry meetings.

He socialized and made friends everywhere, neglecting his studies.

When Mr. Li realized that He Lun had gone astray, he wanted to keep a close eye on him. He thought that if he quickly picked up on his studies and continued to study hard, there was still some hope.

However, He Lun, who had already become unruly, was unwilling to be forced to study by his father-in-law. He even resented his father-in-law and felt that his father-in-law, Master Li, was the obstacle on his path to befriending the rich and powerful.

Just like that, one wanted to pull his son-in-law back on the right track, and the other's resentment grew.

Not long ago, He Lun had brought a few of his classmates back. He had said something to Mr. Li that had made him so angry that he'd vomited blood and fainted.

What was even more disappointing was that after He Lun saw that his father-in-law was so angry that he vomited blood, he ran away with his classmates, not caring about his father-in-law's life at all.

It was only when a student in the school saw that the teacher who was supposed to be teaching didn't go that he went to his house, and only then did he find Mr. Li lying in a pool of blood.

The students were so frightened that they ran out and shouted. They found many people to send Mr. Li to the medical center.

"By the time my mother and I received the news, my father was already at the medical center in town. After the doctor took a look, he said that my father was too angry that his blood pressure rose. After he fainted, he bumped into something, causing blood to accumulate in his head. He was temporarily saved, but we don't know when he will wake up!" Li Qiuxiang said with red eyes.

“After that bastard He Lun found out that my father was unconscious, he actually sneaked home while my mother and I went to the medical center to take care of my father. He broke the door lock and stole all the money my father and mother had accumulated! I was so angry that I wanted to settle scores with He Lun! In the end, do you know what he did?” At this point, Li Qiuxiang took a deep breath.

“What did he do?” Li Xiaoran had a bad feeling.

“He was actually with an official’s daughter. The two of them were walking together while talking and laughing. Seeing that I was there, He Lun actually didn’t panic at all. He took out a divorce letter. He wanted to divorce me on the basis that I had no children and was unfilial to my parents! What was even more hateful was that the official’s daughter actually called a servant to beat me up. She said that I shouldn’t pester her man from now on, or else she would teach me a lesson!” At this point, Li Qiuxiang leaned against the wall weakly. Her eyes closed and two tears fell from the corners of her eyes.

Hearing this, Li Xiaoran sneered.

As expected, such a melodramatic thing wasn’t only in TV scripts, but also in reality.

No wonder Li Qiuxiang wanted to find He Lun and fight him to the death. There was actually this sort of back story.

“What is your family’s situation now?” Li Xiaoran thought of something and asked.

“My father is in a coma, and my mother cries all day. We don’t have any money left at home. I have to think of a way to earn money. At least, I can’t let this family be destroyed!” Li Qiuxiang thought it through.

“I heard that there are scholars in town who can copy books to earn money. I happened to learn good calligraphy from my father. I think it’s possible to copy books to earn money!” Li Qiuxiang said.

When Li Xiaoran heard this, she didn’t know how to comfort Li Qiuxiang.

There had never been any true empathy in this world.

Only those who had experienced those things knew how bitter and painful they were.

Perhaps it was because she and Li Xiaoran had vented her emotions, but Li Qiuxiang felt much better.

“Thank you! When I become stronger in the future, I’ll repay you for saving my life! I’ve been out for a while. I have to go home quickly. Otherwise, my mother will be worried if she doesn’t see me!”

Li Xiaoran nodded and stood up to send Li Qiuxiang out.

Looking at Li Qiuxiang’s departing figure, Li Xiaoran felt a little suffocated.

“It seems that you already know what happened to that woman!” Luo Cheng walked out of the study and said when he saw that Li Xiaoran was in a bad mood.

“That’s right. I really didn’t expect the melodramatic stories I heard in the past to appear in reality one after another! First, there was my family, then there was Qin Meizhen, and now there’s Qiuxiang! Reality is always more melodramatic than novels!” Li Xiaoran sighed.

“People who live in this world will more or less have many strange and melodramatic situations! It’s not easy for anyone!” Luo Cheng said when he heard Li Xiaoran’s words.

Chapter 118 Some Benefits

“Husband, I keep feeling suffocated. Why don’t we go and be chivalrous for a while?!” Li Xiaoran suddenly said.

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“Be chivalrous?” Luo Cheng raised his eyebrows and looked at Li Xiaoran.

“That’s right! Be chivalrous! Didn’t He Lun take away Qiuxiang’s parents’ savings? Then let’s rob the rich and give to the poor. Let He Lun cough up the money. We can’t let that scumbag take advantage of everything!” The more Li Xiaoran spoke, the more she felt that she should do this.

“Then what do you want to do?” Luo Cheng looked at Li Xiaoran’s indignant expression and asked.

“Isn’t it simple? Get someone to put a sack over him and beat him up before asking him to hand over the money?” Li Xiaoran said without thinking.

“Your method is really common! Then have you ever considered that when He Lun reacts, he will definitely suspect that woman? You wouldn’t help her, but would cause her a lot of trouble!” Luo Cheng reminded her.

Li Xiaoran patted her head and said in realization, “That’s right, why didn’t I think of that?! As expected, impulsiveness is the devil. When people are irrational, their thoughts are full of loopholes!”

“Actually, it’s very simple to teach He Lun a lesson and then get the money back without letting the other party take revenge on the Li family!” Luo Cheng said deliberately.

When Li Xiaoran heard that Luo Cheng had a solution, she quickly approached.

“Please go ahead, husband!”

“It won’t give me any benefits! I can’t be bothered!” Luo Cheng deliberately stopped talking when he saw how anxious Li Xiaoran was.

“Then what benefits do you want?” Li Xiaoran asked.

“That depends on how sincere my wife is. Or what benefits can you give me?” With that, Luo Cheng stared at Li Xiaoran and asked.

What could she offer him?

Li Xiaoran was confused.

Firstly, she did not earn as much as Luo Cheng.

Other than that, what other benefits could she give Luo Cheng?

Just as Li Xiaoran was thinking about it, she suddenly looked up and met Luo Cheng’s expectant eyes.

Li Xiaoran had a flash of inspiration and suddenly understood something. Her face turned red.

Was he trying to make her sleep with him?

Thinking of this, Li Xiaoran shook her head again.

The Luo Cheng she knew did not seem like such a person!

However, a voice in her head told Li Xiaoran that Luo Cheng was such a person.

For the specific reason, she could refer to Luo Cheng’s previous request to sleep with her!

“I wonder if you’ve thought it through? If you haven’t, I might not remember it anymore later! After all, a person’s brain needs to rest. I might forget it later!” Luo Cheng threatened.

Li Xiaoran naturally heard Luo Cheng’s threat and gritted her teeth in anger.

“Husband, why do I suddenly feel that you’re even more terrifying than those people in the village said you are?! If anyone falls into your hands, they won’t have an easy time!”

“Thank you for your praise! Ordinary people can’t enjoy such treatment. You’re the first!” Luo Cheng said with a smile when he saw that Li Xiaoran was angry.

“Thank you for your special treatment!” Li Xiaoran stared at Luo Cheng and said word by word.

“It seems that you don’t want to help. Then I’ll go and rest!” Luo Cheng said and turned to leave.

“Wait! You can’t leave just like that! You’ll be beaten up!” Li Xiaoran reached out and grabbed Luo Cheng’s hand, glaring at him.

“There are very few people in this world who can beat me!” Luo Cheng turned around, looked at Li Xiaoran, and raised his eyebrows.

“If you don’t help me, I’ll go look for Luo Han. Anyway, he still owes me a favor. If I go to him for help, he’ll definitely help me!” Li Xiaoran thought of something and simply let go of Luo Cheng’s hand.

“How dare you!” Luo Cheng was a little jealous at this moment. “Li Xiaoran, if you rush to find Luo Han to help you, you’ll become your wife tonight, the real kind!”

When Li Xiaoran heard Luo Cheng’s threat, she immediately became obedient.

Oh my god! This threat was too scary. At least, this threat worked on Li Xiaoran for now.

“Then what can you do to help me?” Li Xiaoran said weakly.

“When we get back, we have to sleep together too!” Luo Cheng looked at Li Xiaoran and said.

Previously, he had insisted on sleeping in the same room as Li Xiaoran. Although Li Xiaoran agreed, she only agreed to sleep together while in town for the next few days.

Luo Cheng was naturally dissatisfied. After sleeping in the same room as her, he slept well, so he naturally did not want to be separated from Li Xiaoran again.

When Li Xiaoran heard Luo Cheng’s words, she hesitated for a moment and finally nodded.

Since she and Luo Cheng were already married, they should sleep in one room!

“Alright, I agree!” Li Xiaoran agreed straightforwardly.

Seeing that Li Xiaoran had agreed, Luo Cheng immediately smiled and walked to Li Xiaoran’s side to tell her his idea.

After Li Xiaoran heard this, her face was filled with admiration!

“There’s no time to lose. Let’s go now!”

Seeing that Li Xiaoran was eager to try, Luo Cheng nodded and left with Li Xiaoran.

He Lun felt distracted when he sat in the restaurant.

Previously, his eyelids had been twitching. He felt that something bad was going to happen.

In the end, his eyelids stopped after twitching for a while!

But not long after, his eyelids twitched again.

His right eye kept twitching. It was too annoying!

“He Lun, what’s wrong with you today? You’re so distracted when we’re drinking. Are you still thinking about that lady?!” Another student asked.

If Li Xiaoran were here, she would definitely recognize that the person asking was her cousin, Li Zhan.

It had been a while since they last met, but Li Zhan was actually doing well in town!

“Hey, don’t mention it! She has a bad temper. If she’s unhappy, she’ll vent her anger on me. If not for the fact that her father is an official and her family is rich, I wouldn’t tolerate her!” He Lun said angrily.

At this moment, Luo Cheng appeared in the restaurant with Li Xiaoran.

Luo Cheng had asked around and said that the group of students from before had come to this restaurant, so he brought Li Xiaoran directly.

At this moment, Li Zhan was so focused on drinking and eating that he did not notice who the two people coming in were.

Luo Cheng casually glanced around and saw He Lun’s table. The corners of his mouth curled up slightly.

“What a coincidence. Your cousin Li Zhan is actually hanging out with He Lun!”

When Li Xiaoran heard this, she immediately looked over in surprise.

Before she could see clearly, Luo Cheng blocked her view.

Chapter 119 A Nest of Snakes and Rats

“Don’t look at him. He’s just a good-for-nothing. What’s there to be surprised about?! Think about it. He’s someone who can make the people in the casino come all the way to his family to ask for money!” Luo Cheng’s deep voice sounded. “You’re married to me now and your parents are on my side. Why are you still thinking about that side?!”

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When Li Xiaoran heard this, she felt Luo Cheng’s concern and nodded with a smile.

“Fine! We’re here to watch a good show today!”

Seeing that Li Xiaoran listened, Luo Cheng nodded and led her straight to the private room on the second floor.

After he ordered a few dishes, Luo Cheng’s gaze landed on the lobby below.

This time, the private room Luo Cheng requested was not the one facing the street, but one that when he pushed open the window, he could see the situation in the lobby.

While they were waiting, the people at He Lun’s table below was also eating happily.

“Li Zhan, I haven’t seen you coming out to eat and drink with us recently! Why? Have you changed your ways? Are you going to study hard at home?” Another shifty-eyed student started teasing after three rounds of drinking.

“Xu Dehui, a straightforward person doesn’t beat around the bush. You know what kind of situation I’m in! If it weren’t for you guys, I wouldn’t have any money to drink

with everyone today!" Li Zhan didn't mind and directly told them about his lack of money.

"Hey, Li Zhan, you're being too polite! Have you thought about what I told you last time?" Xu Dehui gave Li Zhan a look and asked.

"You must be joking! This won't do!" Li Zhan shook his head and refused.

When Xu Dehui heard this, his expression turned ugly.

"Li Zhan, don't be so shameless! You'd better think about your future. If you really ride on that person's coattails, your future will be very bright! If you offend that person, you'll probably suffer in the future!"

When He Lun heard this, he reached out and patted Li Zhan's shoulder.

"You're wrong! Speaking of which, I'm really envious of you! If I had a beautiful sister like you, I would have agreed long ago. I definitely wouldn't be so wishy-washy. Sigh, it's fate. My sister is ugly, so no rich guy likes her!"

When Li Zhan heard this, he was immediately angry and sneered.

"I was wondering why you suddenly wanted to invite me over for a drink today. It turns out that you had this idea! Although I, Li Zhan, am a bastard, I'm not crazy enough to sell out my sister. He Lun, I think your previous wife is quite pretty too. Why didn't you send her to a noble?!"

With that, Li Zhan threw down his chopsticks and stood up with a cold expression.

"Since everyone has ill intentions, let's not eat this meal!"

With that, Li Zhan left.

This scene stunned Li Xiaoran, and her face was filled with disbelief.

"Since when did my eldest cousin started to act like an elder brother? Could it be that the casino incident previously made him completely change his personality?"

When Luo Cheng heard Li Xiaoran's words, he ate a piece of meat and said indifferently, "A leopard doesn't change its spots! It's only because the benefits aren't enough!"

Li Xiaoran nodded with a look of deep agreement.

In any case, she did not believe that Li Zhan would turn over a new leaf.

Perhaps it was really as Luo Cheng had said. It was just because there were not enough benefits.

In fact, Luo Cheng was right.

After leaving the restaurant, Li Zhan heaved a sigh of relief when he saw that no one was chasing after him.

Li Zhan spat in the direction of the restaurant before turning to leave.

Li Zhan had calculated very clearly, so he had a plan.

That noble was actually just a hedonistic son who relied on his family to survive.

Such a person did not have any power at all. Sending his sister over would not benefit him at all.

Besides, after his sister returned to the village, she would go up the mountain from time to time to look for something. She probably had not given up on the reishi mushroom.

If he sent her away, where would he find the reishi mushroom?

Last time, he had drugged his third uncle, but he was still saved by Luo Cheng.

When he learned of this news, he quickly packed his things and returned to town since he was afraid that his third uncle would bring his evil son-in-law to cause trouble for him.

Fortunately, nothing happened after so long. Presumably, his third uncle did not realize that he had done all this at that time!

During this period of time, his father and second uncle had been forced to go back to serve his grandparents. With more people at home, their lives became more and more difficult.

Li Zhan felt that this couldn't go on!

If this continued, he would definitely be burdened by his family.

Therefore, his top priority now was to go up the mountain and find the reishi mushroom.

As long as he found this thing, he could sell it for a large sum of money and live a carefree life elsewhere.

The more Li Zhan thought about it, the more he felt that this was for the best, so he quickly sneaked back to the village.

On the restaurant's side, after Li Zhan left, He Lun and the others immediately became sullen.

"Sigh, why are you so angry over a poor kid from the countryside?! Li Zhan is such a good-for-nothing. He might sell his sister after going to the casino to gamble. When the time comes, wouldn't it be better for you to send her over to the nobles then?" He Lun lowered his voice and said.

When Xu Dehui heard this, his expression improved.

"By the way, is the wife you divorced really good-looking?" Xu Dehui thought of something and asked.

He Lun froze for a moment, then laughed.

"Speaking of which, she does seem beautiful. Her looks are not top-notch, but it's just that my former father-in-law is a teacher and has a scholarly aura, so she looks different!"

Xu Dehui's heart skipped a beat.

“Then why don’t we let the nobles take a look?! Anyway, you’re already divorced. We can’t let her good looks go to waste!”

He Lun didn’t hesitate at all. He nodded.

“Sure! But after this is done, you have to let me get some benefits as well!”

“No problem!” Xu Dehui said with a wretched smile.

Luo Cheng heard the plan of the two people below clearly and relayed it to Li Xiaoran.

Li Xiaoran was really angry!

Previously, she had thought that she would just teach He Lun a lesson. She did not expect him to be so despicable.

He had already divorced Qiuxiang, but he actually betrayed her! He was worse than a pig!

Chapter 120 Teaching the Scumbag a Lesson

Li Xiaoran stared at He Lun and gritted her teeth. “Why do I only know how to cook and not how to make poison?! If I knew how to make poison, I would definitely make He Lun itch all over and make him feel uncomfortable. Then, I would make him feel uncomfortable for a month!”

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When Luo Cheng heard Li Xiaoran’s words, he put down his chopsticks.

“What a coincidence. I happen to have this poison!”

Li Xiaoran looked at Luo Cheng and sized up the man in front of her. She asked, “Do you have any sort of poison?”

When Luo Cheng heard Li Xiaoran’s words, he shook his head. “I don’t run a medicine shop. How can I have all kinds of poison?! Anyway, I have the poison you mentioned. The effect will last for a month!”

When Li Xiaoran heard this, she immediately laughed.

“Shall we get someone to give this to He Lun?”

“Not only for He Lun, but also for that shifty-eyed person beside He Lun! I hate him!”

“Alright! I’ll satisfy you!” Luo Cheng stood up and looked at Li Xiaoran. “Wife, wait here for a moment. I’ll make the arrangements now!”

Li Xiaoran nodded and was in a better mood. Then, she picked up a chicken claw and ate it.

Needless to say, the chicken feet in this restaurant were very tasty. They were soft and tender.

When Luo Cheng came in again, he saw Li Xiaoran eating chicken feet with chopsticks.

His wife mastered the skill of using chopsticks. She picked up the chicken claw steadily and it didn’t slip at all.

“Looks like you like chicken feet very much!” Luo Cheng said to Li Xiaoran as he walked over.

“Yes! This chicken claw tastes good!” Li Xiaoran nodded honestly.

“If you like it, I’ll buy you another one later!” Luo Cheng said when he saw that Li Xiaoran was eating happily.

“Really? How much money does this cost?” Li Xiaoran thought of something and asked.

“Don’t worry, it won’t cost that much. I have money. Have you forgotten?” Luo Cheng said like a nouveau riche.

For some reason, Li Xiaoran suddenly thought of the box of gold and silver jewelry she had discovered on the day she married over. She immediately felt relieved.

“Alright, then let’s order another serving to take away! Unfortunately, I can’t get a lot of chicken feet. If I could get a lot of chicken feet, I could make you several flavors of side dishes. I guarantee it will taste better than this chicken feet!”

“Chicken feet? Actually, there are some. If you really want them, I can find someone to buy them!” Luo Cheng was interested in the tasty chicken feet that Li Xiaoran mentioned.

“By the way, speaking of which, doesn’t the house we bought have a shop in front? What do you think about me opening a wine shop with it?” Luo Cheng thought of something important and asked.

“Wine shop? Where would the wine come from?” Li Xiaoran’s first reaction was to ask this.

“Rest assured! Other than being good at hunting, your husband is also good at brewing wine. The wine I make is definitely excellent!” Luo Cheng said confidently.

“Then does the shop only sell wine?” Li Xiaoran didn’t expect Luo Cheng to have this ability. While exclaiming, she thought of another question.

“No, my wine shop will be a little different. The wine can only be drunk in the shop and can’t be taken away. By the way, the tasty chicken feet you mentioned just now gave me a good idea. Previously, I was worried that it wouldn’t do to have meals without wine, but it’s also very troublesome to hire a chef. Now that I think about it, if you can make chicken feet with wine, it will save me the trouble of hiring a chef!” Luo Cheng said his plan.

When Li Xiaoran heard Luo Cheng's plan, her eyes lit up and she said excitedly, "Not only do I have chicken feet, but I can also make many braised or cold dishes. With these things, I just need to hire people to do things. After braising them in advance, they can be sold in a wine shop."

"Looks like I'll be lucky again soon!" Luo Cheng said with a smile when he saw Li Xiaoran's eagerness.

"Of course. Husband, just wait for me to show off and make a big table of dishes for you!" Li Xiaoran said proudly.

As they spoke, there was a commotion in the lobby.

Li Xiaoran looked down and saw a woman in a red dress whipping He Lun.

"You lecher, you actually want to take advantage of me? I'll teach you a lesson today!" As she spoke, the sound of whips sounded one after another. He Lun had already suffered several whips.

Not only He Lun, but Xu Dehui, who was originally sitting beside Helun, was also implicated and suffered two whips.

Fortunately, although the woman in red was angry, she only beat up He Lun's table when she taught him a lesson. The only thing that was broken was this table.

When the woman in red was done venting, she looked at He Lun, whose clothes had been beaten into strips.

"You ruined my good mood today, so you must compensate me with five hundred taels of silver! Otherwise, I'll break your arm!" The woman in red looked at He Lun and said.

He Lun was frightened and shocked.

He didn't know what was going on. He just stretched and changed his posture. How did he end up touching the woman in red? That was why he was beaten up.

"I didn't do it on purpose just now. You've already hurt people for no reason, yet you want to extort money now?" He Lun forced himself to calm down as she questioned.

The woman in red laughed when she heard this.

"Why don't you ask around? Do I, Jin Sanniang, need to extort money from you to earn money? The money my family earns is enough for me to spend for a few lifetimes. Why would I need to extort money from you? What a joke!"

After they heard the woman in red introduce herself, the expressions of the students changed.

Others might not know, but they had heard of Jin Sanniang!

Jin Sanniang had been pampered by her family since she was young. In addition, her family didn't lack money. She also had a sister who was married to a prince. She was high profile and only knew how to show off.

However, although Jin Sanniang had a reputation for being arrogant, she only targeted people she disliked. She rarely implicated the commoners, let alone bullied those weak people, so her reputation wasn't bad.

When He Lun learned the other party's identity, his expression turned ashen.

Others might not know, but He Lun did.

The reason Jin Sanniang was making things difficult for him was probably because of the government official's daughter!

One had to know that Jin Sanniang and the government official's daughter he knew had been sworn enemies since they were young.