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Zhao Xiu was ranked first, followed by Li Xiaoqing, Li Xiaoran, Li Shun, and finally Luo Cheng. After everyone was lined up, Zhou Ta picked up the wooden whistle around his neck and started blowing.

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Soon, the eagles flew down.

Surprisingly, there were usually only two to three eagles that flew down when they heard the whistle. This time, six came at once.

To everyone's surprise, three more eagles flew over from behind.

An eagle with a strand of white fur on its head flew down.

Zhou Ta watched this scene in surprise, then looked at Zhao Xiu and the others.

"Uncle Tazi, what's wrong?" Zhao Xiu asked in confusion.

"No! I just find it a little strange. This is the first time I've seen so many eagles fly down!" Zhou Ta explained, then gestured for Zhao Xiu to start walking over.

Zhao Xiu nodded and walked forward.

The eagles stopped on the specifically made wooden poles and looked straight at Zhao Xiu without any reaction.

After Zhao Xiu walked over, Li Xiaoqing followed.

There was still no problem. The eagles even lazily combed their feathers with their mouths.

It was Li Xiaoran's turn.

Li Xiaoran quickly walked away. As a result, the surrounding eagles immediately stared at her.

Li Xiaoran was a little nervous and sweat broke out on her palms.

God, why were all these eagles staring at her? She instantly felt like running away.

However, it was all a false alarm. Li Xiaoran safely walked to his mother's side.

Now, Li Xiaoran heaved a sigh of relief.

Then, it was Li Shun's turn.

Li Shun quickly walked over with no problem.

In the end, only Luo Cheng was left!

Luo Cheng strode over. All the eagles stared at him.

At this moment, Li Xiaoran's heart was in her throat again. She wondered if Luo Cheng could pass successfully.

When Luo Cheng successfully walked over, everyone present heaved a sigh of relief and their expressions relaxed.

“Looks like there’s no problem. You can go and drive the ox cart into the village now!” Zhou Ta said with a smile.

With that, Zhou Ta whistled and asked someone to deliver some rabbit jerky.

Normally, the eagles would fly away after picking up the rabbit jerky, but this time was an exception.

Every eagle had rabbit jerky in its mouth, but none of them left.

“What’s going on?” Zhou Ta was a little puzzled. This was the first time he had encountered such a thing in all his years in the village.

At this moment, the eagle with a strand of white hair on its head suddenly spread its wings and flew, then cried out.

Before long, two more eagle chicks flew down.

What was even more shocking was that after the two eagle chicks flew down, they flew around Zhao Xiu and the others before landing on Li Xiaoran and Luo Cheng’s shoulders.

Li Xiaoran felt her shoulder sink, and then she felt an eagle’s baby bird land on her shoulder.

She turned her head and met a small round eye and a pair of claws that had retracted their sharpness.

Everything had a soul. That was why the young eagle retracted its sharp claws and didn’t hurt Li Xiaoran.

Luo Cheng was in the same situation. A baby eagle landed on his shoulder.

The difference was that this young eagle bird clearly looked more majestic than the one on Li Xiaoran’s shoulder.

“This Eagle King means to let this pair of young birds follow the two of you!” Zhou Ta already understood and said enviously.

In their village, there were also eagle chicks who chose the people in the village as their companions.

But this was rare. Very few people could have eagle companions.

What was so special about these two people that the Eagle King actually arranged for two young birds, one male and one female, to follow them?

When Li Xiaoran and Luo Cheng heard Zhou Ta’s words, they looked at each other and saw surprise in each other’s eyes.

Zhou Ta thought of something and said, “Zhao Xiu, bring your family back to your parents’ house first! Such a big thing happened today, so I have to talk to the village chief. I’ll come back to look for you guys later!”

Zhao Xiu was shocked since she didn’t expect such a thing to happen.

Hearing Zhou Ta's words, Zhao Xiu nodded blankly. Then, everyone returned to the ox cart and rushed in the direction of the Zhao family.

Of course, the two eagle chicks had been standing firmly on Li Xiaoran and Luo Cheng's shoulders without any intention of leaving.

At the same time, the news that two eagle chicks had acknowledged each other spread throughout the entire Eagle Village.

When they heard that the young eagle's companions were actually two outsiders, the people from Eagle Village were even more stunned.

This was the first time they had encountered such a thing in hundreds of years!

Because there was no precedent, the people of Eagle Village urgently gathered the famous elders of the village to discuss this matter.

On the Zhao family's side, when they discovered that an ox cart brought a group of people to their doorstep, they also ran out.

When Zhao Huaishan heard that his eldest daughter was back, he put down the ax in his hand and rushed out.

When he got closer, he saw that his eldest daughter had really returned. Zhao Huaishan shed tears!

"Father, Mother, I'm Xiu'er! I'm back!" Zhao Xiu immediately shouted excitedly when she saw Zhao Huaishan.

"Good. It's good that you're back!" Zhao Huaishan sized up his daughter and realized that her complexion looked very good. He knew that she was doing well.

"Son-in-law, you're here too. Hurry up and bring your family into the house! Let's talk inside!" Zhao Huaishan also saw Li Shun, so he greeted him.

"Grandpa, why are you alone? Where's Grandma?" Li Xiaoqing looked behind Zhao Huaishan and asked.

"This must be Xiao Qing! This girl didn't look that old the last time she came. Now, she's a big girl!" Zhao Huaishan glanced at Li Xiaoqing and replied with a smile, "Your grandmother isn't feeling well, so a doctor prescribed medicine for her. She's lying in bed after taking the medicine!"

When Zhao Xiu heard that her mother was sick, she immediately became anxious.

"Father, why is my mother sick? What illness does she have?"

As she spoke, Zhao Xiu hurriedly walked into the house.

When Li Xiaoran and Li Xiaoqing saw this, they quickly ran in.

Li Shun and Luo Cheng looked at each other. The father-in-law and son-in-law could only stop the ox cart first before moving the things on it into the house one by one.

It had to be said that the Zhao family's residence was very big. The house was cleaned up, which made people feel very comfortable the moment they walked in.

However, other than Zhao Huaishan and his wife, there was no one else in the house. There wasn't even a child.

"I guess your two granduncles must have accompanied your grandaunt back to her family!" Li Shun guessed.

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Luo Cheng also thought of this. Then, he got busy with his father-in-law.

In the house, a white-haired old woman was sleeping on the bed.

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She actually wasn't seriously ill. She just caught a cold.

After taking the medicine prescribed by the doctor, she felt dizzy and fell asleep.

Zhao Xiu looked at her old mother and asked about her situation. After knowing what was going on, she went to the kitchen to help.

Her brothers and daughters-in-law were not around. They must have accompanied their spouses back to their families.

Every family was full of liveliness. Only the Zhao family's residence was deserted. It was obvious that her father hadn't had the time to cook.

"Sigh, it's rare for you to come back. You should sit and rest! I'll cook for you guys later!" Seeing this, Zhao Huaishan hurriedly stopped his eldest daughter, Zhao Xiu.

Zhao Xiu had been tired out at her in-laws' house, so he definitely had to let her have a good rest when she returned.

"Father, it's rare for me to come back. Try my cooking! Besides, we took an ox cart all the way here, so we're not tired. Sit down and rest assured. I'll go cook. When my mother wakes up later, she'll be able to eat my food!" Zhao Xiu hurriedly said.

Zhao Huaishan could only nod.

"Grandpa, don't worry. I'll help Mom cook. It won't take long!" Li Xiaoqing said as she rolled up her sleeves to help.

"That's right, Grandpa. Just sit here and talk to my father. We'll cook!" Li Xiaoran said as she asked Luo Cheng to bring some ingredients in.

They had brought a lot of food this time.

Since she was going to cook, she naturally had to cook a table of delicious food to show her respect.

“This is Xiaoran, right?! She used to be so quiet, but now, she seems to be much more cheerful!” Zhao Huaishan finally recognized Li Xiaoran and said in surprise.

“She wasn’t like before! It’s a long story. Father, listen to me!” Li Shun sighed and said.

“Alright, I’ll listen to you!” When Zhao Huaishan heard his son-in-law’s words, he understood that something must have happened.

“Luo Cheng! Don’t be in a hurry to get your things. Come and see your grandfather first!” Li Shun stopped Luo Cheng when he saw him coming out to get something again.

As soon as Luo Cheng heard Li Shun call him, he immediately walked over.

“I’m Luo Cheng. Greetings, Grandpa!”

Zhao Huaishan sized up Luo Cheng and asked, “Who is this guy?”

“This is your grandson-in-law, Xiaoran’s husband, Luo Cheng!” Li Shun smiled and introduced, “Take a look. What do you think of your grandson-in-law?”

When Zhao Huaishan heard that Luo Cheng was his grandson-in-law, his expression immediately became serious.

After sizing Luo Cheng up for a while, Zhao Huaishan realized that there was an eagle cub standing on Luo Cheng’s shoulder.

“This...” Zhao Huaishan’s eyes widened. Then, he said excitedly, “The baby eagle recognized him as its companion?”

When Li Shun saw that the old man had only realized it now, he smiled and nodded. “I think so! Not only him, but even Xiaoran has a baby eagle standing on her shoulder. You didn’t notice it just now, did you?!”

As soon as he finished speaking, Li Xiaoran came out to get something.

As expected, the other eagle cub had been standing on Li Xiaoran’s shoulder and showed no signs of leaving.

“This, this...”

Zhao Huaishan kept stammering.

“Grandpa? Grandpa?” Li Xiaoran was shocked to see that Zhao Huaishan couldn’t speak.

Fortunately, Zhao Huaishan had already recovered and quickly wanted to find a stool to sit on.

Li Shun handed over a stool and asked his father-in-law to quickly sit down.

After that, Li Shun gave Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran a look and gestured for them to leave quickly.

Li Xiaoran didn’t know what was going on, but Luo Cheng already understood, so he quickly brought Li Xiaoran to the kitchen.

On the way to the kitchen, Li Xiaoran learned what had happened from Luo Cheng.

Li Xiaoran smiled and said, "It seems that you have to thank the eagle cub on your shoulder!"

Luo Cheng smiled, then glanced at the eagle on his shoulder and thought for a moment. "We should thank it! But we can't keep calling it a baby bird! Why don't we give it a name?"

Li Xiaoran looked at the baby bird on her shoulder and then at the one on Luo Cheng's shoulder. Then, she said, "Why don't we call them Heart and Seal?! Mine is probably a female eagle, so it'll be called Heart. Yours will be called Seal!"

Luo Cheng thought about it and felt that the name wasn't bad, so he agreed.

"Alright! Let's call it Heart and Seal!"

Just like that, the two eagles were named.

Xu Xiufang woke up to a familiar fragrance.

"What are you cooking? Why does it smell so good?! Why do I smell the aroma of Xiu'er's meat porridge?!"

Xu Xiufang put on her clothes as she spoke, then put on her shoes and walked out.

Zhao Huaishan heard his wife's voice and hurriedly ran in.

"Come and take a look. What delicious food is this?!"

As he spoke, Zhao Huaishan pulled Xu Xiufang to the dining table.

"You're amazing! As soon as your son and daughter-in-law left, you revealed your hidden skills? I've been married to you for so many years, but why didn't I know that you had such good culinary skills?" Xu Xiufang looked at the dishes and said in surprise, "Look at these dishes. The aroma and color are enough to make you a chef!"

"This isn't my cooking! You already said that you've never seen me have such good cooking skills after being married to me for so many years! Come, look out the door!" Zhao Huaishan smiled and pulled his wife towards the door.

"Mom, Granny," a group of people stood at the door and shouted at Xu Xiufang.

At this moment, Xu Xiufang thought that she was seeing things and couldn't help but rub her eyes.

"It's true! Xiu'er is back! Your eldest daughter and her family are back!" Zhao Huaishan said with a smile.

"Yes, Mom, I'm Xiu'er! I'm back to see you!" Zhao Xiu walked forward and grabbed her mother's hand.

"Xiu'er! It's my Xiu'er!" At this moment, Xu Xiufang felt the warmth from her hand and started crying.

Over the years, Xu Xiufang had missed her elder daughter the most.

She thought about Zhao Xiu every day, and she didn't expect to see Zhao Xiu today.

"Mom, it's me. Your unfilial daughter, Xiu'er, is back!" Zhao Xiu's eyes were filled with tears as she hugged her mother and cried.

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People were usually emotionally sensitive when sick.

In addition, her daughter, who she had missed for so long, was finally back, so Xu Xiufang cried happily.

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Zhao Xiu hadn't returned to visit her parents all these years, so she felt very guilty. Therefore, she vented the guilt in her heart through crying.

After the two of them were done venting, Li Xiaoran and Li Xiaoqing walked forward and supported one person each.

"Grandma, Mom, if you continue crying, the food we made will get cold!" Li Xiaoran smiled and reminded her, "Grandma, the food I cooked is delicious. You have to try it this time!"

When Xu Xiufang heard Li Xiaoran's words and saw her granddaughter supporting her, realization suddenly dawned upon her.

"Is this Xiaoran?"

"Yes! I'm Xiaoran! I'm so sad that Grandma only saw me now!" Li Xiaoran pretended to be sad.

"I was wrong!" Xu Xiufang smiled and said, "But you've changed too much. In the past, you used to be so quiet. Now, you're much better!"

"Mother, it's a long story. Let's eat first!" Zhao Xiu said.

Xu Xiufang nodded, then called the others to the table and sat down. Everyone ate together.

Because she considered the two elders' preferences and their lack of teeth when she cooked, most of the dishes on this table were easy to chew.

Even the chicken claws had already been roasted until they were soft and boneless. It was easy to chew them.

Zhao Huaishan and Xu Xiufang liked the food very much.

"This is the first time I've eaten such delicious chicken feet! I didn't expect chicken feet to be able to taste so delicious!" Zhao Huaishan ate the chicken feet while drinking and was filled with satisfaction.

“This tofu is also delicious. It’s a little different from the tofu we usually eat!” Xu Xiufang kept praising as she ate a piece of tofu.

“Grandma, this is called cabbage and tofu medley. It’s made of cabbage and tofu. It’s nutritious and delicious. This dish is really suitable for when the weather is cold. It’s very warming!” Li Xiaoran smiled as she introduced.

“That’s right. This tofu tastes delicious! Sister, make this dish again at home in the future. I like it too!” Li Xiaoran expressed her fondness as she ate the tofu.

“Alright! But we have to make our own tofu!” Li Xiaoran smiled and nodded.

“Hey, who is this gud? He looks handsome. Why is he here?” As they ate, Xu Xiufang suddenly noticed Luo Cheng, who was sitting beside Li Xiaoran, and asked curiously.

Everyone was amused by this.

Luo Cheng swallowed the food in his mouth and then put down his chopsticks.

“Grandma, I’m your grandson-in-law, Luo Cheng, and also Xiaoran’s husband!”

When Xu Xiufang heard this, she stopped eating and immediately looked at her daughter and son-in-law.

“When did Xiaoran get married? Why didn’t you call someone to inform us?”

“Mom, it’s a long story. Let’s eat first. We’ll talk after we eat!” Zhao Xiu didn’t want to mention what the Li family had done, so she quickly picked up a piece of tofu for Xu Xiufang and coaxed her.

Xu Xiufang looked at the tofu in her bowl and then at her grandson-in-law. After some hesitation, she finally chose the delicious food in her bowl.

Sigh, she was old and couldn’t afford to be stimulated, so she had to eat her fill first!

Even if she was shocked later, at least she had eaten her fill. She couldn’t go hungry!

With this thought in mind, Xu Xiufang focused on eating.

After lunch, Li Xiaoran, Li Xiaoqing, and Luo Cheng cleaned the dining table together and went to wash the dishes.

Li Shun and Zhao Xiu led their parents to the courtyard outside.

After the four of them sat down, they briefly explained what had happened.

“Father-in-law, Mother-in-law, I’ve owed Xiu’er and the children too much all these years! I’ve also realized my mistake! Don’t worry, I’ll definitely work hard in the future and earn a lot of money so that Xiu’er and the children won’t suffer with me anymore!” Li Shun knelt down to the two elders and said what was on his mind.

Zhao Huaishan and Xu Xiufang looked at their son-in-law with red eyes.

“I knew it. My good daughter married the wrong person! Back then, I saw that you were honest and down-to-earth, so I married my daughter to you! Turns out that you were too honest and down-to-earth! All these years, every time Xiu’er came back, she didn’t say anything, but she looked mentally and physically exhausted. We just thought that it was because your family was poor that my daughter looked so haggard!” Xu Xiufang said as she hugged Zhao Xiu with heartache.

“You wretched girl, you didn’t even come back to tell me that you had suffered so much! I’m still here and can stand up for you! Even if I’m gone, don’t you still have your two younger brothers?! Why did you let that old witch from the Li family torment you for so long?”

Zhao Xiu let her mother scold her while she wiped her tears.

It wasn’t that she didn’t want to say it, but she couldn’t.

With the Li family’s way of doing things, her parents or two younger brothers would only support her for a while. After her parents and younger brother left, her family’s life would be even more difficult. If she really wanted to leave the Li family, she would have to divorce Li Shun.

However, when she thought of her two daughters and the man who was considered considerate to her, Zhao Xiu couldn’t bear to let go.

Just like that, the days passed day by day.

If not for the incident where her daughter acted as a marriage substitute, Zhao Xiu didn’t know how long she would have lasted.

“Get up! The two of us won’t say anything more about the past! After all, the things of the past are in the past! Li Shun, in the future, you have to be like a man and protect your wife and daughters! If you’re still as cowardly as before, I’ll take my daughter and granddaughters away and let you live alone!” Zhao Huaishan thought for a moment and said earnestly, “The daughter we doted on and raised wasn’t sent to your family to be trampled on!”

“By the way, Xiaoran, forget about this matter. It was a blessing in disguise. In the future, you have to deal with Xiao Qing’s marriage carefully. If something similar happens again, I’ll personally teach you two a lesson with the bamboo stick!” Zhao Huaishan said with a dark expression.

“Father-in-law, Mother-in-law, don’t worry. I promise with my life that I will dote on my wife and daughter in the future and protect them so that they won’t suffer anymore!”

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When Zhao Huaishan heard Li Shun say this, he told him to get up.

After that, the old couple asked Luo Cheng a lot of questions.

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When Luo Cheng appeared again with Li Xiaoran, Zhao Huaishan and his wife looked at Luo Cheng with warmth.

“Come here, grandson-in-law!” Zhao Huaishan shouted at Luo Cheng.

Luo Cheng glanced at Li Xiaoran and then came to Zhao Huaishan’s side.

“Come, let’s sit and talk!” Zhao Huaishan looked at Luo Cheng and said with a smile.

Luo Cheng could only sit down quickly and nervously.

Would he, who had no seniority since he was young, be despised by Li Xiaoran’s grandfather and grandmother?

In the past, Luo Cheng naturally wouldn’t care about this.

But it was different now. Li Xiaoran was the person he cared about the most!

“Grandson-in-law, who else is in your family? Are you the only one now?” Zhao Huaishan asked directly.

“I don’t have any relatives because I’ve already been kicked out of the family! The reason is very simple. Because I don’t like the family’s methods of dealing with things, I asked to leave. Because I don’t have any affection for my relatives, I don’t want to be a burden to others, so I asked to leave!” Luo Cheng didn’t hide anything and explained his situation briefly. Of course, Luo Cheng kept quiet about his family’s past.

In any case, those had nothing to do with him anymore, so there was naturally no need to mention them.

Zhao Huaishan and Xu Xiufang were surprised to hear Luo Cheng’s words.

“I think I finally understand why the baby eagle from our village acknowledged you as a companion!” Zhao Huaishan thought of something and said.

When the others heard Zhao Huaishan’s words, they immediately pricked up their ears.

“The eagles in Eagle Village are all proud and aloof. They don’t get along well with others. The eagles in Eagle Village mobilize together when something happens, but they usually rarely interact with each other! Your personality is the same as the eagles’. However, from another perspective, it can also prove that you’re a kind-hearted but tenacious person. Otherwise, the eagle wouldn’t have chosen you as a companion!” Zhao Huaishan explained the reason.

“Grandpa, what about me? Why did the baby eagle choose me as its companion?” Li Xiaoran couldn’t help but ask.

“That’s right! Father, it’s not the first time I’ve been here. Why didn’t anything happen before? Why did the eagle cub choose me as a companion this time? As far as I know, this is the first time an eagle cub recognized a female companion in our village!” Zhao Xiu said what was confusing her.

Zhao Huaishan immediately looked at Li Xiaoran and said.

“People are naturally different after coming back from the gates of hell! Fortune and misfortune come together.”

“No, it’s because my sister is lucky!” Li Xiaoqing retorted.

When Li Xiaoran heard this, she immediately glared at Li Xiaoqing.

Li Xiaoqing immediately remembered what her sister had instructed her and quickly swallowed her words.

“Isn’t she lucky? She survived a near-death experience and even got such a good husband. Isn’t she lucky?” Xu Xiufang said with a smile.

They all laughed at that.

After laughing, Zhao Huaishan looked at Luo Cheng with mirth in his eyes.

“Actually, our family also requested to be removed from the Zhao family’s family tree!”

Luo Cheng looked at Zhao Huaishan in surprise.

When the others heard Zhao Huaishan’s words, they were also very shocked.

Because they had never heard of this before!

“It’s normal that you don’t know. Now that I’ve said it, you know! To survive in this world, sticking together is important. The family becomes the best communication hub. Many people don’t have the backing of a family, so it’s very difficult for them to achieve anything big. Therefore, all families with foundation have a huge family behind them!” Zhao Huaishan sighed and said.

“Although there are benefits to having a big family, there are also disadvantages. For the greater good of the clan, there will always be some small families that will be abandoned. Back then, my great-grandfather was from a family that was abandoned. At that time, the most powerful direct descendant of the big family had a huge crisis and needed to fork out money to settle it. He hoped to seize the opportunity to be reinstated.”

“But they just had to send my great-grandfather’s sister out! At that time, my great-grandfather and his family stopped the clansmen. After so many years of living in the family, when their family was in a pinch, the clansmen didn’t come forward to help!

Now, when they were needed to sacrifice someone, they thought of them! Therefore, my great-grandfather left with his family!”

“Of course, the process wasn’t that simple and it wasn’t easy. In the end, they went out of town. It was also at that time that they passed by Eagle Village and realized that the people here were down-to-earth and upright. Moreover, Eagle Village protected the people in the village, so they stayed here and settled down!”

Not to mention Li Xiaoran and Li Xiaoqing, even Zhao Xiu and Xu Xiufang didn’t know about this.

After Zhao Huaishan finished speaking, he looked at Luo Cheng and reached out to pat his shoulder.

“Although I don’t know what happened that made you remove yourself from the family tree, to be able to do this, you’re a very courageous person! You don’t have to worry that we’ll treat you differently because of this. In fact, I think you’re more reliable than your father-in-law! Your father-in-law is too soft-hearted, which is why his family has been oppressed by those people from the Li family for so many years!”

When Li Shun heard his father-in-law start criticizing him again, he could only accept the criticism humbly.

He had no choice. He was too much of a bastard back then. He couldn’t even protect his wife and daughters, so he deserved to be criticized!

Luo Cheng was originally prepared to be despised, but he didn’t expect things to turn out like this.

At this moment, Luo Cheng smiled when he met Zhao Huaishan’s admiring gaze.

“Grandpa, Grandma, thank you for not misunderstanding me or despising me!”

“Silly boy, we’re family. Why are you thanking us?! If you really want to thank us, we’ll be satisfied if you treat our granddaughter better in the future!” Xu Xiufang said with a smile.

“Grandpa, Grandma, don’t worry. As long as Xiaoran doesn’t let me down, I definitely won’t let her down in this life!” Luo Cheng promised.

“Good, good, good!” Zhao Huaishan stroked his beard as he repeated. The more he looked at his grandson-in-law, the more he liked him.

At this moment, footsteps sounded outside.

A hoarse voice sounded outside the door.

“Huaishan, are you guys home?”

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When Zhao Huaishan heard this voice, he replied, "I'm at home! Village Chief, wait a moment. I'll open the door for you now!"

"I'll go!" Li Shun stood up and walked towards the door.

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Soon, Li Shun walked in with three elders.

On this side, Li Xiaoran, Li Xiaoqing, and the others brought out stools and poured a few bowls of water.

"Let's sit down and talk! The weather is pretty good this afternoon. After basking in the sun, you'll feel warm!" Zhao Huaishan stood up and gestured for them to sit.

Hence, the group of people walked over and sat down. Then, they picked up the water beside them and drank.

The old village chief, Wei Changzheng, glanced at Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran, then he went straight to the point. "I wonder what your relationship with Huaishan is?"

Zhao Huaishan smiled when he heard this.

"This girl is my granddaughter, Li Xiaoran. The guy beside her is her husband, Luo Cheng!"

"Oh, so they're your granddaughter and grandson-in-law! This is impressive. Your two juniors are considered companions by the two eagle chicks of Eagle Village!" Wei Changzheng praised.

"Village Chief, just say what you want! There's no need to beat around the bush!" Zhao Huaishan didn't want to beat around the bush with the villagers, so he took the initiative to ask.

Wei Changzheng nodded when he heard this.

"Huaishan, do you know that these young eagles recognized the people from another village as their companions? This is something that our village has never encountered before. Since ancient times, these eagles have never left our village, so after a discussion, there's only one way left!"

"You want my granddaughter and grandson-in-law to move to Eagle Village to settle down?" Zhao Huaishan guessed it.

Wei Changzheng nodded.

"What if they can't?" Zhao Huaishan asked again.

Wei Changzheng was in a difficult position!

"Huaishan, are you guys really going to refuse?"

“Village Chief, aren’t you making things difficult for my granddaughter and grandson-in-law? Didn’t these eagles choose them themselves? Why should they suffer?” Zhao Huaishan replied firmly.

When Wei Changzheng heard Zhao Huaishan’s words, he knew that their decision was indeed unfair to the two young people.

When Li Xiaoran heard this conversation, she frowned.

Wasn’t it a little too domineering to force them to stay in Eagle Village because of eagle cubs?

Just as Li Xiaoran was about to say something, Xu Xiufang, pulled her back and gestured for her to stop talking and listen to her grandfather.

“Besides, even if these eagle chicks chose them, they can reject them! In any case, it’s fine as long as they don’t leave with the eagle chicks!” Zhao Huaishan said.

“You have a way to prevent the baby eagles from leaving with them?” Wei Changzheng asked directly.

“I have no choice! It’s the young birds’ choice! Village Chief, actually, it’s not a bad thing to let them leave with the young eagles! There are too many eagles in the village now. The wild hares have almost been eaten up by the eagles. If this continues, the poultry in the village will suffer again. Even if two of them are taken away, it won’t affect anything!” Zhao Huaishan said.

“This is against the rules!” An old man with white hair berated.

“Rules? What are rules? Do eagles acknowledge your rules? Even if these eagle fly out on their own and find another place to live, what can we say?! Over the years, haven’t many eagles flown out? Why can’t these two eagle chicks do it?” Zhao Huaishan asked.

Wei Changzheng didn’t say anything else.

The other elders looked unhappy, but they couldn’t say anything.

After all, what Zhao Huaishan said was the truth, so they had no way to refute it.

“Why don’t we all think about it?!” Wei Changzheng finally said.

Zhao Huaishan nodded. He didn’t insist on the villagers coming to any conclusions. He stood up and sent them off.

After everyone had left, Zhao Huaishan sneered.

“Father, Mother, what’s going on? Why do they have to be forced to stay here just because the eagles took them as companions?” Zhao Xiu asked anxiously.

Zhao Huaishan explained when he heard Zhao Xiu.

“Over the years, there have been very few young people in the village who have been considered companions by the eagle chicks. The reason Eagle Village is able to ask the eagles for help is that every generation, there are people who are considered companions by the eagle chicks. In the past few years, no companions have been recognized by the eagle chicks. The people in the village were already fretting over this matter, but you guys came and were suddenly considered companions by the two eagle chicks. These old fellows must be anxious.”

Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran looked at each other and finally understood.

So that was what this was all about!

“Will the people in the village really force Xiaoran and our son-in-law to stay here?” Li Shun asked worriedly.

“Don’t worry, I’m here. I won’t let them do that!” Zhao Huaishan said firmly.

Li Xiaoran thought about the emotions she had sensed earlier and gave Luo Cheng a look.

After that, the two of them excused themselves to wash the dishes and went to the well.

“Husband, that old man who hasn’t spoken has bad intentions! He looks at us with greed in his eyes, and he’s scheming. We have to be careful before we leave the village!” Li Xiaoran told him what she had sensed.

Luo Cheng sneered when he heard Li Xiaoran’s words.

“No, we’re safe until we leave the village. After that, we’ll be in danger!”

When Li Xiaoran heard Luo Cheng’s words, she thought about it carefully and understood his meaning.

“Then what should we do? Are we really not leaving this place?” Li Xiaoran frowned and said.

“We have to leave! Don’t be afraid no matter how many people the other party sends! You forgot that I studied medicine before. People with medical knowledge know how to make poison. I have many things on me that I haven’t used yet!” Luo Cheng said confidently.

On the other side, Zhao Huaishan also lowered his voice and said to his daughter and son-in-law, “I know that young birds have a certain habit, and I can make the young birds leave Xiaoran and Luo Cheng temporarily! You guys can leave the village at that time.”

“Then what are we worried about?! The baby birds will still be in the village, so the villagers don’t have to find trouble with us!” Li Shun said with relief.

“It’s not that simple! I can only let the baby birds leave for the time being. When the baby birds come to their senses, they will naturally chase after the two of them and leave the village!” Zhao Huaishan shook his head and said.

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“If we really do that, you guys will be ostracized in the village! Besides, there’s still Second Brother and Third Brother!” Zhao Xiu thought of something and said worriedly.

“Don’t worry! What can they do to us?” Zhao Huaishan said.

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“Father, you’re so stubborn. You can’t go against them head-on. You have to think for Second Brother and Third Brother’s sake!” Zhao Xiu couldn’t help but remind him.

“If your second and third brother can’t even bear these things, they’re just cowards and unworthy of being part of our family!” Zhao Huaishan said.

Zhao Xiu wanted to say something, but Li Shun walked over and secretly tugged at his wife’s sleeve, indicating for her not to talk back to her father.

When Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran heard that the voices had become louder, they hurriedly ran over.

“Grandpa, Mother, stop arguing! Luo Cheng and I will deal with this!” Li Xiaoran walked over and persuaded.

“What can you guys think of?! Just do as I say!” Zhao Huaishan made the final decision.

Li Xiaoran still wanted to persuade him, but Luo Cheng shook his head at her, indicating that she shouldn’t add fuel to the fire.

Li Xiaoran also felt that her grandfather was angry, so she didn’t say anything else.

“Sigh, your daughter and granddaughters have just returned, but your temper is already flaring up!” Xu Xiufang glared at her old man and said angrily.

Zhao Huaishan could hold his ground against juniors.

However, in the face of his wife, who had accompanied him for decades, Zhao Huaishan’s temper disappeared.

“Alright, alright, alright. I won’t say anything else! Rest well!”

Seeing that her old man had finally softened, Xu Xiufang nodded in satisfaction.

“Let’s go into the house to talk. Let the men sunbathe outside!” Xu Xiufang said and called her daughter and granddaughters to leave.

They left the three men looking at each other, then they burst out laughing.

Xu Xiufang and Zhao Xiu hadn't seen each other for so many years, so they had a lot to say to each other.

Li Xiaoran and Li Xiaoqing stayed for a while before going to the courtyard to look at the vegetables.

After the two juniors left, Xu Xiufang and Zhao Xiu spoke without hesitation.

"Xiu'er, in that case, you and my son-in-law are staying at my grandson-in-law's house now?" Xu Xiufang asked.

"That's right! Luo Cheng is a good person and treats me and my husband very well. He treats us like his biological parents! Speaking of which, Xiaoran is lucky. Otherwise, I can't imagine what kind of life she would have had!" Zhao Xiu nodded and said.

Xu Xiufang thought for a moment and reminded her, "Xiu'er, let me tell you something. No matter how good your son-in-law is, you should think of a way to move out in the future! It's not appropriate to stay in your son-in-law's house all the time."

When Zhao Xiu heard her mother's words, she immediately asked in surprise, "Mother, why? Now, our daughter and son-in-law are filial to us, and our family is also living together. How good is that?!"

Xu Xiufang glanced at her daughter with disapproval.

"You can't take advantage of others. If you keep living in Luo Cheng's house, Xiaoran won't be able to hold her head up in the Luo family's house for the rest of her life. Listen to me. You and Li Shun should think of a way to earn money yourselves and save some money. You can build a house yourself and live with Little Qing. It doesn't matter if your two families' houses are close or not, but you can't not have your own home!"

"You must be financially independent!" Xu Xiufang said in the end.

Zhao Xiu understood, then thought of a question.

"Mother, what if the Li family comes knocking on our door again after we leave Luo Cheng's house?"

Xu Xiufang was furious when she heard her daughter's words.

"You weren't someone who was easy to bully in the past. Why have you become so timid now? You've already been married off by the Li family and split from the Li family at the same time, but you didn't get anything. Under such circumstances, those two old farts from the Li family still have the cheek to come and cause trouble? If they really came, wouldn't that mean that they aren't afraid of Luo Cheng?"

Zhao Xiu's mind was in a mess.

"Mom, let me think about it first. Give me some time!"

Luo Cheng heard Li Xiaoqing and Li Xiaoran talking in the vegetable garden and followed them.

When Zhao Huaishan saw Luo Cheng leave, he also spoke about the same topic.

"Son-in-law! In the future, you and Xiu'er can earn money yourselves and buy a piece of land near Luo Cheng's residence to build a house!"

Li Shun was stunned for a moment before nodding.

"To be honest, I have such thoughts too! In the past, I was weak and even relied on my daughter and son-in-law to resist my parents. Over the past few months, I've opened a shop with Xiaoran and dealt with all kinds of people. I've suddenly become enlightened. I'm also thinking about what job to do, but I still haven't thought of what I should do to earn money!"

Zhao Huaishan thought of something and said, "Don't waste your carpentry skills. Use them! You guys have these trees on the mountain in your village, right? You're not bad at carpentry, so buy some tools to make some furniture. Earn money yourself!"

Li Shun immediately had an idea.

That's right, he still had to make a dowry for Xiaoran.

If he wasn't bragging, he was definitely a top-notch carpenter.

"Then I should try?" Li Shun said excitedly.

"Not only do you have to try, but you also have to put in a lot of effort. Do it well. I think highly of you!" Zhao Huaishan patted Li Shunyi's shoulder and said confidently.

Li Shun nodded, then started thinking.

In the vegetable garden, Li Xiaoran, Luo Cheng, and Li Qing picked vegetables and prepared for dinner.

"Sister, Second Uncle and Third Uncle are coming back tonight, right?" Li Xiaoqing thought of something and asked.

"They won't be coming back. I asked your second uncle and third uncle to stay at your aunt's maiden family's house for a few more days! They should gather more during the new year!" Xu Xiufang and Zhao Xiu had also arrived at the vegetable garden and happened to hear Li Xiaoqing's words.

"Doesn't that mean we won't be able to see Uncle and the others?" Li Xiaoqing said in disappointment.

“If you miss your uncle, I’ll get someone to inform them tomorrow! Don’t tell me you guys are leaving tomorrow?” Xu Xiufang thought of something and looked at her daughter.

Zhao Xiu smiled and said happily, “This time, I’ve agreed with my husband that as long as you guys don’t despise us, we’ll stay here for five to six days before leaving!”

Xu Xiufang was even happier when she heard this.

Chapter 247 Uncle Is Back

To everyone’s surprise, at night, the Zhao family’s two families actually returned.

When Zhao Long and Zhao Liang saw their eldest sister appear at home, their eyes turned red.

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“Sister, why didn’t you tell us you were coming back?! If others hadn’t asked me about your return, we wouldn’t have known!”

As they spoke, the two brothers hugged Zhao Xiu.

The other two women stood and looked over with smiles, giving the siblings some space.

“You guys are already grown ups. Why are you guys still acting the same as when you guys were young?! You guys are already fathers now. You guys can’t act like this!” Zhao Xiu looked at her two younger brothers and teased them with red eyes.

“No matter how old we are, we’re still your younger brothers!” Zhao Long said.

“That’s right! Big Sister, why haven’t you come back to visit for so many years?! I’ve wanted to visit you for a long time, but there were so many things going on at home that we didn’t have the time! We originally planned to visit you after the new year, but we didn’t expect you to actually bring your family back!” Zhao Liang said.

“Sigh, some things have happened in the past few years. I’ll tell you guys in detail later! Let me take a look at my sisters-in-law, nephews, and nieces first!” Zhao Xiu felt that this wasn’t the time to talk about these things, so she walked in the direction of her two sisters-in-law.

“Sister!” Jin Xiaojing and Tan Wan smiled and shouted.

“I’m really sorry. You girls returned to your maiden families, but had to come back again!” Zhao Xiu said apologetically.

“Sister, what are you saying? We can go back to our parents’ house anytime, but it’s rare for you to come back. It’s only right for us to come back to see you!” Jin Xiaojing replied with a smile.

Jin Xiaojing was quiet and spoke gently.

However, if others thought Jin Xiaojing was easy to bully because of this, they would be wrong.

Jin Xiaojing was calm and quick-witted. She had many ways to deal with others, so no one could bully her.

“That’s right! Big Sister, Second Sister-in-law is right. It’s rare for you guys to come back, so we naturally have to come back and get closer to you!” Tan Wan was a little feisty, but she was straightforward and didn’t have any ill intentions.

Therefore, the sisters-in-law got along very well without any awkwardness.

At that time, when others bullied the Zhao family, the two of them would work together and were unrivaled in the village.

Therefore, the two brothers of the Zhao family had a good relationship. They helped each other, and their lives kept improving.

“The two of you are such sweet talkers!” As Zhao Xiu spoke, she waved at her children.

“Xiaoran, Little Qing, Luo Cheng, come and meet your uncles and aunts!”

On the other hand, Jin Xiaojing and Tan Wan also called their children over. Everyone was introduced to each other.

Li Xiaoran looked at the people in the courtyard and spent a lot of effort to remember them.

It had to be said that her two uncles had large families!

Li Xiaoran’s second uncle had two sons and two daughters, while her third uncle had two sons and a daughter.

Other than her eldest cousin, who had gotten married and given birth, the other children were all there.

For a moment, as the group of people were introduced, Li Xiaoran felt at a loss.

After the introductions, everyone got busy.

The Zhao family still had a lot of ingredients stored. In addition, Luo Cheng and the others had brought so many food, so there were a total of two tables of food.

Men at one table, women at another.

After dinner, everyone chatted amicably as they cleared the dining table. Then, they took a shower and went to bed early.

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Therefore, Zhao Xiu slept in a large room with her two daughters.

Luo Cheng and Li Shun each slept on a small bed.

It had been a long day. As the moon appeared in the sky, everyone fell asleep.

The two eagle chicks that were following Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran also left before the sky turned dark.

Zhao Huaishan had said that the eagle would return to its nest to rest after dark, so Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran were not worried.

Early the next morning, Li Xiaoran heard the commotion outside and opened his eyes.

It had to be said that the air in Eagle Village was really good!

Most importantly, it was very quiet here. There wasn't even the sound of a dog barking at night, so Li Xiaoran slept soundly.

When Li Xiaoran woke up, her two aunts were already busy making breakfast in the kitchen.

Seeing that Xiaoran had woken up, Jin Xiaojing smiled and said, "Did your third aunt and I disturb you?"

"No. I usually wake up at the same time! After I wake up, I can't fall asleep anymore, so I just get up!" Li Xiaoran hurriedly explained, "Second Aunt, what are you cooking? It smells so good!"

"The rice noodles are being stir-fried in the pot. We'll cook them later! The rice noodles your second aunt makes are superb. I guarantee that you'll want to eat them again after you try them!" Tan Wan praised as she washed the peas.

"You just keep praising me! It'll be embarrassing if it doesn't taste good later!" Jin Xiaojing said with a smile.

"Sister-in-law, I'm confident in your skills. It will definitely taste good!" Tan Wan said with a smile.

"Rice noodles?" Li Xiaoran suddenly thought of something.

The people here actually liked rice noodles very much. Apart from rice noodles, they also liked sour and spicy noodles.

Speaking of which, Li Xiaoran hadn't eaten rice noodles for a long time.

"Then we're in luck! You're making me drool!"

"Why are you drooling?" Li Xiaoqing ran out and asked when she heard them.

"Second Aunt is going to make us rice noodles! I'm drooling just by smelling this aroma!" Li Xiaoran said with a smile when she saw that her sister had come.

"Then let me help! Second Aunt, just cook more. I have a big appetite now. I have to eat a lot to fill my stomach!" Li Xiaoqing said bluntly.

Jin Xiaojing liked how direct Li Xiaoqing was. She opened the pot and said, "Don't worry, I'll soak them in water until they're full! Teenagers like you eat the most! Not to mention you, even those kids at home eat a lot. If we don't prepare more, we really won't be able to fill their stomachs!"

Li Xiaoran was shocked to see a large pot of rice noodles soaked in it.

But on second thought, there were many children at home, so they ate a lot. No wonder they had to prepare so much.

"Then Xiao Qing and I will help! These onions and ginger have to be washed!" As Li Xiaoran spoke, she started to help.

Li Xiaoqing naturally didn't stay idle and came over to help too.

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Li Xiaoran liked to eat moderately hard rice noodles that were not too hard or too soft.

The minced meat that Jin Xiaojing made was made with green pepper. It had a special sesame aroma.

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There was a lot of cured meat at home, so Jin Xiaojing cooked it and made it into minced meat.

There was the aroma of the cured meat, coupled with the sesame smell of the green pepper, coming from the bowl of rice noodles.

After having such a bowl so early in the morning, she felt energized.

Jin Xiaojing and Tan Wan cooked a bowl for Li Xiaoran and Li Xiaoqing before letting the two children eat first.

Li Xiaoran and Li Xiaoqing didn't stand on ceremony with their aunts. They moved small stools to the small square table at the side and started chatting.

After that, many people got up one after another. Everyone started eating bowls of steaming hot rice noodles after washing up. Life seemed good.

Zhao Huaishan carried the rice noodles and called his two sons to the side. The three of them talked about something.

In any case, as Zhao Huaishan spoke, Zhao Long and Zhao Liang nodded.

Later on, Zhao Long and Zhao Liang rushed out after eating the rice noodles.

When Li Xiaoran saw this, she looked at her grandfather, Zhao Huaishan.

"Grandpa, did you ask Second Uncle and Third Uncle to resolve the trouble we're in?"

Zhao Huaishan glanced at Li Xiaoran and smiled.

"You used to be quiet, but now, you've become cheerful and shrewd!"

“Of course. I naturally inherited your abilities! Don’t change the topic. You haven’t answered the question I asked you just now!” Li Xiaoran continued to ask.

Zhao Huaishan looked at his granddaughter and knew that she wasn’t easy to fool, so he didn’t hide it anymore.

“Over the years, I’ve contributed a lot to the village. Aren’t they just two eagle chicks? I believe that with my grandfather’s reputation, this matter will pass!”

“Grandpa, you lied to me again! This matter won’t be resolved so easily!” Li Xiaoran shook her head and said seriously, “Grandpa, do you know the old man with a black mole on his cheek who came with the village chief yesterday?”

Zhao Huaishan thought about it carefully.

“Are you talking about that old man, Huang Hong? Ignore him. That old man is a petty person!”

“Grandpa, this petty person you’re talking about is the most difficult to deal with. The others actually don’t have much of a reaction to us obtaining the eagle chicks. Only this person called Huang Hong looks at me and Luo Cheng with scrutiny and greed. If I’m not wrong, the other party definitely won’t let this go!” Li Xiaoran knew that her grandfather was highly regarded in the village, so she told him what she had sensed.

Zhao Huaishan looked at Li Xiaoran in surprise and recalled carefully.

That old man, Huang Hong, had sat there without saying a word yesterday, so Zhao Huaishan had not paid attention to him.

Could it be that Huang Hong really had ill intentions?

“Got it! Let’s wait for your two uncles to return first! If Huang Hong really has ill intentions, your two uncles’ trip will be in vain!” Zhao Huaishan said.

“Grandpa, it’s fine as long as you know! There are many things that we still have to discuss together! There’s strength in numbers. If we think of a solution together, we can be more prepared!” Li Xiaoran thought for a moment and said.

“Alright, you’re already married, but you still keep worrying. Be careful that Luo Cheng won’t like you anymore!” Zhao Huaishan teased.

“He won’t despise me! Losing me would be his greatest loss!” Li Xiaoran said proudly.

“That’s right. My granddaughter should have such confidence!” Seeing that Li Xiaoran was so confident, Zhao Huaishan liked his granddaughter even more.

In Zhao Huaishan’s opinion, the children of the Zhao family should be like Li Xiaoran. No matter what they did, they had to do it confidently.

Fifteen minutes later, Zhao Long and Zhao Liang returned.

Looking at the expressions of his two sons, Zhao Huaishan understood something.

It seemed that his granddaughter had been right.

“Father, the village hasn’t relented!” Zhao Long said with an ugly expression.

“That’s right! Actually, the village chief and the others didn’t object to your suggestion, but some people insisted that Xiaoran and Luo Cheng stay!” Zhao Liang said angrily.

Because Zhao Huaishan already knew what to do, he wasn’t angry. Instead, he was thinking about what to do next.

“Father, why are you so calm? Could it be that you expected that the people in the village would refuse to relent?” Zhao Long asked when he saw that his father wasn’t surprised at all.

“That’s right, Father! Could it be that you expected this?” Zhao Liang asked in confusion.

“I didn’t expect it. After you guys left, Xiaoran found me and said that the village wouldn’t let them off so easily. Xiaoran also said that Huang Hong, who came with the village chief yesterday, looked at them strangely. Xiaoran even reminded me to be careful!” Zhao Huaishan sighed and said.

“Xiaoran said that?” Zhao Liang was dumbfounded and in disbelief. “Dad, Xiaoran is still so young!”

“It seems that Xiaoran has come to her senses after escaping death!” Zhao Long said thoughtfully.

“That’s right! After such a huge incident, it would be strange if she didn’t come to her senses! Alright, let’s not talk about this anymore. Let’s think about how to resolve the matter of these two eagle chicks!” Zhao Huaishan said.

As soon as he finished speaking, two eagle chicks descended from the sky and flew towards Li Xiaoran and Luo Cheng before landing on their shoulders.

What was even more surprising was that the two eagle cubs actually changed positions at the same time.

Yesterday, they were standing on Li Xiaoran and Luo Cheng’s right shoulders. Today, they changed to their left shoulders, as if they were being considerate towards Li Xiaoran and Luo Cheng.

When Zhao Long and Zhao Liang’s families returned yesterday, they only cared about introducing each other and didn’t size up the two eagle chicks.

At this moment, the sky was bright, so everyone stared at the eagle cubs on their shoulders.

Zhao Long and Zhao Liang couldn’t help but surround them and size up the two eagle chicks.

“Tsk, tsk, tsk. I finally know why those people in the village are unwilling to give up! Look at these two eagle chicks. They will definitely be the kings of eagles in the future! Look at their sharp eyes and their strong claws. Who wouldn’t be envious?!” Zhao Liang said what was on his mind.

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Zhao Long nodded. That was what he thought.

Before the brothers could say anything, there was a knock on the door.

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When Zhao Liang opened the door, he saw a group of young people standing outside.

“Mr. Zhao, we heard that your family members have been recognized as partners by the baby eagles. We came to take a look!” A sweet-looking woman smiled and said.

Before Zhao Liang could say anything, a group of young people outside rushed forward and pushed open the door of the Zhao family’s residence.

“Hey, why are you guys barging in?” Zhao Liang couldn’t stop them, so he shouted.

“Mr. Zhao, they’re just baby eagles. It won’t hurt for us to take a look!” A handsome young man said as he waved his hand and called for his friend to rush in.

Zhao Liang wanted to say something, but someone pushed him to the back.

When Luo Cheng saw a group of people coming in, he sensed that something was wrong and pulled Li Xiaoran over to protect her.

The Zhao family didn’t expect so many young people to come to the village to see the eagle chicks.

In the past, anyone who was recognized as a companion by the eagle would let the villagers see it.

Because this was an honor, those who had obtained the eagle chicks wouldn’t stop everyone from watching.

However, it was extremely rare for everyone to rush over to take a look.

When Zhao Huaishan saw this, he thought of something and his face turned pale.

“This eagle looks really amazing! It would be great if such a baby eagle could become my little buddy!” The sweet-looking girl who knocked on the door first looked at the baby eagle on Luo Cheng’s shoulder with envy.

When Li Xiaoran saw this scene and sensed the other party’s emotions, she immediately felt disgusted.

This was because this sweet-looking girl was praising the baby eagle, but her gaze would occasionally land on Luo Cheng’s handsome face.

Li Xiaoran could guarantee that this woman had ulterior motives towards her husband!

What made Li Xiaoran even more disgusted was that another handsome man actually squeezed to Li Xiaoran's side.

After taking a look at the baby eagle, he immediately looked at Li Xiaoran.

"You're really good-looking. You're totally my type. Marry me! I, Huang Yu, will treat you well for the rest of your life!"

As he spoke, Huang Yu reached out to touch Li Xiaoran's face.

Luo Cheng was furious and his handsome face looked extremely gloomy.

He tried to seduce Li Xiaoran right in front of him and even molested her!

At the thought of this, Luo Cheng attacked.

Huang Yu let out a scream and quickly retracted his hand.

On a closer look, his fingers were actually swollen and in pain.

"It's him. It's him. He injured me!" Huang Yu glared at Luo Cheng and shouted.

When the young people who came to see the eagles saw that their villager was bullied, they immediately surrounded Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran with unfriendly expressions.

By the time the Zhao family and Li Shun saw that something was wrong, they could no longer squeeze in.

Luo Cheng protected Li Xiaoran in his arms and looked at the people around him coldly.

"Try taking another step forward. He deserves it for flirting with my wife in front of me!"

As soon as he said this, the young people who were originally united were stunned.

So they were a married couple. No wonder he was so angry.

On this side, the Zhao family, Li Shun, and the others also squeezed in and protected Luo Cheng and Li Xiaoran. Then, they glared at the group of young people from the Eagle Village.

"What are you guys trying to do? Are you people bullying our family? My granddaughter is already married, but you actually dare to flirt with her. Do you think our family is full of pushovers? Don't mention that my grandson-in-law hurt you. Today, I'm going to talk to your grandfather about this! Does the Huang family want to become enemies with our family?" Zhao Huaishan was so angry that blue veins popped out as he glared at Huang Yu and berated him.

"What grandson-in-law? She's clearly a girl. She's not married at all. Don't lie to me!" Huang Yu wasn't afraid of Zhao Huaishan at all.

"My wife is dressed like a woman, and we have the marriage contract as proof. You've repeatedly insulted us. I think you're asking for a beating!" As Luo Cheng spoke, he threw a few stones at Huang Yu's mouth.

Huang Yu became swollen from being hit by the few rocks.

“Fourth Brother, how are you?” The girl who had been infatuated with Luo Cheng just now quickly walked over and asked with concern when she saw her fourth brother being beaten up.

This girl was none other than Huang Yu’s fifth sister, Huang Jiaojiao.

Huang Jiaojiao helped her fourth brother up and glared at Li Xiaoran.

“It’s all your fault. If not for you, my fourth brother wouldn’t be in this state!”

As she spoke, Huang Jiaojiao looked at Luo Cheng and immediately put on a shy expression.

“Look, she’s such a troublemaker. She caused so much trouble for you the moment she arrived! Why don’t you divorce her and marry me?! I’m better-looking than her. I can also help you a lot!”

When Luo Cheng saw this, he was disgusted.

Before he could attack, Li Xiaoran, who was protected in his arms, rushed over and slapped Huang Jiaojiao twice.

“Have you never seen a man before? As soon as you saw my man, you couldn’t wait to pounce on him. Do you think I’m blind? Are all the Huang family members so shameless? You guys clearly know that we’re married, but still tried to break us up. How vicious!” Li Xiaoran cursed angrily.

Facing such a person who didn’t know how to be polite, she should just hit her.

Li Xiaoran’s sudden attack stunned a group of people.

After Huang Jiaojiao was slapped, her face swelled up.

“How dare you hit me?!” As Huang Jiaojiao spoke, she tried to scratch Li Xiaoran.

If she scratched Li Xiaoran, there would probably be a bloody mark on Li Xiaoran’s face.

At this moment, the eagle that had been standing on Li Xiaoran’s shoulder extended its head and pecked at Huang Jiaojiao’s hand.

“Ah!” A miserable scream was heard. The eagle cub protecting Li Xiaoran flapped its wings again and grabbed at Huang Jiaojiao with its sharp claws.

The young people in the village had seen eagles hurt people before, so they quickly retreated outside.

After Huang Jiaojiao’s shoulder was grabbed by the baby eagle, she was dragged out of the door before being let go!

When the surrounding people heard the commotion and arrived at the Zhao family's residence, they saw that the clothes on Huang Jiaojiao's shoulders had been scratched. She fell to the ground in a sorry state.

At the same time, the group of young people who were watching the eagle chicks were also chased out by Zhao Huai Shan and the others with sticks or brooms.

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"All of you leave! All of you leave! We didn't say anything when you guys swarmed in to see the baby birds, but turns out you guys have ulterior motives! You clearly know that my granddaughter and grandson-in-law are already married, but you still have such vicious intentions. You actually asked my grandson-in-law to divorce my granddaughter so that you can marry him. I was wondering why Huang Yu was so rude to my granddaughter the moment she arrived and even touched her. What a disgusting plan!" Zhao Huaishan cursed loudly as he chased them away.

"And Huang Jiaojiao, are you unable to get married or something? You're so young, but you don't know how to behave yourself. Seeing that my grandson-in-law is outstanding, you tried to seduce him? You're really shameless. You even asked my grandson-in-law to divorce my granddaughter and marry you? Tsk, tsk, tsk. You're so shameless. As expected of the Huang family. Today, I want to ask Huang Hong if he knows how to discipline his descendants or not. If he doesn't, I won't mind helping him teach you guys a lesson!" Xu Xiufang scolded loudly with a cold expression.

The villagers, who didn't know what was going on, naturally understood something when they heard Zhao Huaishan and Xu Xiufang's words.

There were also sensible people in the group of young people. At this moment, they seemed to have understood something.

"I was wondering why Huang Yu called us over to see the eagles today. It turns out that this was the plan!" A tanned boy suddenly realized and said, "Grandpa Zhao, Grandma Xu, we were deceived today and were used by them! I'm really sorry. I'll visit you two another day to apologize! I'll leave first today. I don't want to be played for a fool again!"

After one person came to a realization, many other people immediately understood as well.

No one was stupid. When they came back to their senses, they naturally saw through the Huang siblings' scheme.

They all stood up to apologize and left.

In the end, only the young people from the Huang family and some young people who were on good terms with the Huang family were left outside the door.

Seeing these people's reaction, the surrounding villagers understood too!

It seemed that the Huang family really had ill intentions!

In the end, Huang Yu and Huang Jiaojiao left with injuries under everyone's disdainful gazes.

Because if they didn't leave now, Li Xiaoran and the two eagle chicks on Luo Cheng's shoulders would start attacking again.

What happened here quickly spread throughout the village.

Zhao Huaishan thought about it and called his family back into the house first. Then, everyone discussed what to do.

"Ah Ye, let's find the village chief and go to the Huang family to ask for an explanation! They've already bullied us. Do we still have to give them face?" As the eldest grandson of the Zhao family, Zhao Lijun thought for a moment and said calmly.

"Lijun and I thought of the same thing! This matter can't end like this. The Huang family has to give us an explanation. If this matter isn't handled well, any Tom, Dick, or Harry in the village will be able to bully our family in the future!" Zhao Huaishan nodded and said.

"Grandpa, Luo Cheng and I will go with you! How can we be absent?! Besides, if the Huang family doesn't give us an explanation later, Luo Cheng and I can protect you!"

"Yes, yes, yes. I'll go too. I'm very strong. I can fight two people alone!" Li Xiaoqing quickly said.

"Xiao Qing, you can't go. Stay at home and take care of everyone! If we all leave, what will happen to those at home? It's to prevent anyone from taking advantage of the situation. You're strong and won't be conspicuous if you stay at home. You can also protect our family if anything happens!" Li Xiaoran shook her head and said.

"Then I'll go with you!" The 16-year-old Zhao Yan said, "Just let my father and my other brothers stay at home!"

Zhao Huaishan thought for a moment and nodded. "Then let the oldest, Lijun, Luo Cheng, and Xiaoran go with me!"

"Father-in-law, Sister-in-law and I will go with you! If the Huang family tries to play dirty, what will you do? It's better for us to go with you!" Jin Xiaoqing and Tan Wan walked out together.

Zhao Huaishan thought about it and nodded. Then, he counseled them.

After that, the group walked out of the Zhao family's house and headed straight for the village chief's house.

Wei Changzheng had already learned about this incident from others.

At this moment, Wei Changzheng felt vexed!

The matter of the eagle cubs had yet to be resolved. Why did such an incident happen at this time?

Huang Hong was really shameless. He even used such despicable methods.

Now, how was he going to handle this?

“Huang Hong is really an old fart! He was a troublemaker in the village when he was young, and he actually continued to cause trouble in the village even when he’s already so old!” Wei Changzheng knocked on the hoe in his hand angrily.

His family’s hoe was broken, so he bought some today.

When he was assembling the hoe, he heard such news from the people outside, so Wei Changzheng could only vent his anger on the hoe.

Not long after he finished speaking, footsteps sounded outside.

Wei Changzheng looked up and saw that Zhao Huaishan had brought people over. He knew that this matter couldn’t be resolved peacefully.

On careful thought, if it were his granddaughter and grandson-in-law who had experienced such a terrible thing today, he would definitely be so angry that he would beat the Huang family up.

“Village Chief, you know what happened to our family today, right? I can’t take this lying down. Village Chief, please come with us! If that old fellow Huang Hong doesn’t give us a satisfactory explanation today, I’ll make sure that the Huang family can’t stay in Eagle Village anymore!” Zhao Huaishan said angrily.

Wei Changzheng also knew that he couldn’t stop them from pursuing this matter.

Wei Changzheng put the hoe aside and stood up.

“The Huang family has indeed gone overboard! How about this? I’ll go with you, but I’ll call a few elders along!”

“Sure! It’s on the way. Let’s just call people along the way!” Zhao Huaishan didn’t give Wei Changzheng a chance to go back on his word.

Wei Changzheng smiled bitterly and nodded. Then, he called his three sons along. They might be useful later.