

The Queen 496

Chapter 496: I Will Not Forgive You If You Are Unhappy

After the second class, Su Cha was stopped by a boy on the stairs.

During the past two days, although some people looked at her with admiration, no one had dared to stop her.

The boy who stopped her looked delicate and pretty. He was a little thin, and his skin was dark. He looked at Su Cha cautiously and apologetically. “Su... Student Su Cha, I’m here to apologize to you.”

There were not many people around. After all, there were very few people in the acting department.

Su Cha frowned. “Who are you?”

The boy felt a little awkward, but he quickly calmed down and said, “I... Well, my name is Ni Baili. I’m ranked seventh in the liberal arts class this year...”

“Oh?”

Su Cha raised her eyebrows. “How many points?”

She did not pay attention to the rankings, but when she heard the name Ni Baili, Su Cha instantly understood.

Ni Baili was a little proud, “728 points! Just two points fewer than you.”

Su Cha suddenly sneered.

Her laughter made Ni Baili, who was looking proud and complacent, feel as if someone had poured a bucket of cold water on him. He lowered his head and became increasingly nervous. “I... I was too impulsive last night and posted a thread on the school forum. You... your photo with Fu Mo had generated some bad discussions, so the teacher asked me to apologize to you...”

Su Cha's tone was cold. "Just me? Didn't your teacher ask you to apologize to Fu Mo too?"

Ni Baili became even more nervous. "Yes, but I..."

"Since that's so, why did you come to me instead of to Fu Mo? Fu Mo is the victim, right?"

Su Cha's eyes turned cold. "Did you look at yourself in the mirror before you said that about her?"

With that, Su Cha walked around Ni Baili and went downstairs.

Ni Baili stopped in his tracks as if he had been struck by lightning.

After a long time, he came back to his senses. With his face flushed red, he clenched his fists, gritted his teeth, and turned to leave.

Su Cha sent a message to Fu Mo, asking if she had seen the post on the forum.

Fu Mo: "I saw it."

Cha Yi: "Don't take it seriously."

Fu Mo: "Hmm..."

Since she was typing, she could not make out Fu Mo's tone. Su Cha sighed. It was all because of her, but it was not her fault. She could only comfort Fu Mo a little.

However, she did not think that Fu Mo would care about such things. It was just her intuition.

After a while, Su Cha heard her phone vibrate. It was a message from Fu Mo.

Fu Mo: "Student Su, the person who posted the thread seems to want to apologize to me. My roommate said that it's not a big deal and that I can forgive him. Has Student Su forgiven him?"

Su Cha thought for a while and replied.

Cha Yi: "I am not the direct victim of this matter. I should not be the one for him to ask forgiveness from. It is up to you. However, if one has done something wrong, one has to pay the price. Why should such a person who does not mean well be forgiven?"

Fu Mo: "Because my roommate said that he has been warned. If anything happens, his score will be directly deducted. It will be detrimental to him. If I can forgive him and put in a good word for him in front of the teacher, this warning can be eliminated."

Cha Yi: "Is your roommate the reincarnation of the Holy Mother? You can decide for yourself. No one else can make the decision for you. I feel that it would teach him a lesson if you do not forgive him. Otherwise, will you feel happy if you really forgave him?"

Fu Mo: "Not happy."

Cha Yi: "Do you need me to tell you anything more, then?"

Fu Mo: "Yes, I understand. Thank you, Student Su."

Chapter 497: Fraud

When Su Cha saw Fu Mo asking if she should forgive him, she felt that Fu Mo was not hung up on this matter.

She had other intentions.

Thus, Su Cha replied that way to her.

Everyone in this world wants to live happily. Why should it be their job to make others happy?

However, this made Su Cha feel that Fu Mo was getting more and more interesting.

And who had reported Ni Baili?

It was only his first day at the Imperial Capital University. Could it be that Ni Baili was so unpopular that someone had directly reported him?

Su Cha felt that Ni Baili would not be so stupid as to reveal that it was him.

Su Cha touched her chin and thought for a while. Then she suddenly laughed.

The driver who picked her up saw Su Cha and asked, “Miss Su, what are you happy about?”

Su Cha glanced at him. “Nothing, I just feel that I might have found an interesting assistant.”

After the driver understood, he stopped talking.

After returning to the Lookout Pavilion, she found that Bo Mui was not back yet. Su Cha went to the basement to practice.

After becoming the Alliance Master and seeing that the elders were unreliable, Su Cha felt that she had a huge responsibility.

Halfway through, Su Cha received a message from Xiao Tiao.

Xiao Tiao was the flying pig who had bought Su Cha’s embroidered clothes.

Xiao Tiao: Are you there, S?!

Su Cha had not seen it at once. She would not pay attention to her phone when she was focused on practicing martial arts. Besides, there was no notification after she’d left the selling app.

When she stopped to rest, she saw Xiao Tiao’s message.

Cha Yi: “Yes, what’s the matter?”

Xiao Tiao: “Yes, yes, it’s a big deal! My god, you’re finally back!”

Xiao Tiao: [Link]

Xiao Tiao: “Look, someone used your photo as an excuse to sell expensive clothes. Someone has reported it, but many people don’t know about it. Some people are criticizing you because of it.”

Cha Yi: “...”

Su Cha clicked on the link given by Xiao Tiao and found that it was a Weibo account owner who’d taken a few pictures of Su Cha’s embroidery and pretended that they were her work before selling fake products.

Many customers went in to buy the products, but they realized that they were fake after they received the goods. They felt that they had been deceived and reported the shop. However, the seller had distributed the goods at the same time. After many people found out that the goods were fakes and reported them, although the shop was closed, the seller could not be found.

They also pretended to be dead on Weibo. When the scammed people who could not find the person found out about Su Cha’s LovMusik account, they started to @ her on Weibo.

However, Su Cha did not know about this because she had only been using her celebrity Weibo account.

It was not a big occurrence. Xiao Tiao’s classmates had simply warned her about it, and when she saw what was going on, she quickly informed Su Cha.

The clothes were sold at a high price of 1000 yuan per piece. However, victims had typically bought only one piece, so the police did not feel any urgency about their case. Moreover, that online shop was famous for being shady. Until now, the people who run it were only saying that they were still investigating. As the total amount was not very big, the investigation was relatively lukewarm.

It had been a few days, and the victims who could not get their money back had started to panic.

To be honest, Su Cha was a little speechless when she saw the messages directed at her. Some people were probably driven mad by anxiety and started to @ her for compensation when they could not find the scammer. The reason was that the photo was of her work.

Su Cha wanted to meet whoever it was.

There were dozens of victims. The amount of money he or she had cheated them of was probably tens of thousands. What did it have to do with her?

Su Cha frowned after reading all the information. She immediately switched to her S Weibo.

Chapter 498: Being Targeted

S: “I hereby solemnly announce that I only have this Weibo account as my official Weibo account. All embroidery works will be displayed on this Weibo, and they will only be officially sold on Pet Cat Shopping Site. They will be responsible for all my works. Other than that, all the other websites who will try to sell my works in any way are all fake advertisements and frauds. Please open your eyes, buyers. Use your brains before doing anything! I’m busy with other things lately, so I will temporarily stop selling embroidery works. If there are any new works, I will post them on this Weibo first.”

Su Cha sent a message to Xiao Tiao.

Cha Yi: “What does it have to do with me? I didn’t ask that person to sell fakes. Why are they looking for me, the owner of this work, after being deceived by someone else?”

Xiao Tiao: “Your work is too beautiful. Although it’s expensive, some people have bought it with care. They didn’t expect to be cheated.”

Xiao Tiao: “I saw your Weibo post. I think you were too harsh with your words. Use your brains? Isn’t that like rubbing salt in their wounds?”

Cha Yi: “Heh”

Xiao Tiao: “But your embroidery works are really beautiful. I’ve been following many embroidery masters on Weibo recently. Their embroidery works are not as lively and natural as yours. T.T yours is too realistic. How did you embroider them?”

Cha Yi: "With a needle."

Xiao Tiao: "..."

Xiao Tiao: "Fine, you are indeed talented and willful. But what are you doing lately? I've been waiting for your new work for a long time. What can make you so busy? If you had put more effort into embroidery, you would have become rich long ago!"

Cha Yi: "I'm doing something big."

Xiao Tiao: "... Murder and arson?"

Cha Yi: "Whatever you say."

Xiao Tiao: "T.T How terrifying."

After chatting with Xiao Tiao for a while, Su Cha waited for her body to cool down and went to the bathroom to take a shower.

After she came out of the shower, Su Cha received a message from Bo Mui. He had a meeting today and would be back very late. He asked Su Cha to rest early.

Seeing this, Su Cha continued to practice until it was time to sleep.

But embroidery was far from over for her.

After Su Cha posted that Weibo post, the victims conceded that they were in the wrong. They also knew that the money could only be retrieved from the swindlers, but there were still a few who did not lack money who asked Su Cha when she would release a new work.

Perhaps someone had scrolled through their comments, or perhaps someone had deliberately found them. Anyway, Su Cha had been targeted.

There were many people on Weibo, including all kinds of sect masters and national masters. There was a blogger who paid attention to embroidery. When he saw Su Cha's work, he exploded.

The work was perfect. There was nothing wrong with it per se, but the fault lay in the fact that the needlework was too vivid. Actually, it could be regarded as impossible.

He took a closer look at the work that Su Cha had embroidered. Although there was a video, it was not filmed by a professional camera. Although the pattern in the video was very realistic, the needle and the foot could not be seen clearly. Moreover, the blogger's speed was too fast. It did not seem like it was done by a professional embroidery artist.

He was instantly excited. This embroidery was a fraud. It was not common in the industry, but to be so fake was simply too stupid!

He believed that if someone could embroider like this, such a work would not be sold just anywhere but on the international market. If it was not sold for a few million, how could it be worthy of such a skill?

It was only sold for one or two thousand yuan. It was obvious that it was fake!

Moreover, although Su Cha claimed she used Tang embroidery, she did not actually use the techniques of Tang embroidery. She only used a voice changer to say the words "Tang embroidery" in a clip.

Tang embroidery!

Although others did not know, he just happened to know. This blogger exploded.

Chapter 499: Gloating

Myriad Mountain Embroiderer Official: "I happened to be paying attention to all kinds of master's works, but today, I didn't expect to find such a fraud among the myriad of flowers! Embroidery is part of our country's precious culture. It has been passed down for thousands of years, and it is definitely a top-notch cultural heritage. But I didn't expect to find such a person who is using the name of embroidery to be a fraud. It's really heartbreaking! Everyone, please take a look. If such a work is not artificially embroidered, then it must have been created by a top-notch embroiderer. Why isn't it on an international level? Why isn't it famous? Such a work, even if auctioned internationally, would sell for hundreds of thousands to millions per piece. But look at this person.

They used low-quality white cotton fabric to create such a pattern. How dare they say that it's hand embroidered? Not to mention that they actually said that it's Tang embroidery!

"Do you know what Tang embroidery is? Do you know what it means to our country? Do you know what kind of earth-shattering impact it will have on embroidery? Do you really dare to use something historical randomly for such a lowly pursuit? It's really heartbreaking! Everyone, you can take a look at this fake video and picture! @S. You have to explain!"

[Video] [screenshot] [screenshot] [screenshot]

"Oh my god, just by looking at the work, even if it was drawn, this person must be at the level of a master of art, right? The Star Rose pattern is simply amazing!"

"I support Teacher Embroidery! Embroidery is a cultural heritage of our country. How can we let others fake it?"

"Tang embroidery... Do people nowadays use the word 'Tang embroidery' randomly? Do they know what Tang embroidery is?"

"I went to the Weibo account of the person my teacher mentioned and found that he or she had not produced any work in a while. I also found that their work was separated by a week and two weeks. This is the first time I've seen such an embroidered work be produced in just a week..."

"A top-notch master, Ancestor Yun, would take about three months to prepare a piece of cloud embroidery. Some would take a year to produce it. The difference in quality..."

"Even if it was just a painting of the Star Rose, it would take a few days, right? Let alone embroidery? However, it would be acceptable to sell such a painting for 1000 yuan..."

"Someone actually said that even if it was a drawing, it would be okay to sell it for 1000 yuan? If you drew it, so be it. Why did you say it was embroidered? Isn't this just a fraud?"

"Someone even pretended that it was their work and deceived some people. Does the fraud know that their photo had been used by another fraud?"

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Myriad Mountain Embroiderer was also a big deal on Weibo, but because he was showing off his own literature and his understanding of some rare non-material cultural heritage, he had accumulated a group of fake art fans. His was also a verified account with millions of followers.

He often looked for trouble on Weibo. If it was because of literature or something wrong someone had done, the other party would just apologize.

He had not found a topic to hype up in a long time. Now that Su Cha had appeared, he was excited!

Wasn't it obvious that she had sent herself to his door?

After he posted on Weibo and saw the crowd supporting him, Myriad Mountain Embroiderer felt exceptionally satisfied.

Even if the other party did not respond, as long as he stood on the moral side of the cultural heritage, there would be a large number of people who would support him. If there were two certified masters in the industry who supported or praised him, his actions would be even smoother.

The other party only had a few thousand followers. What could they use to compete with him?

Of course, he never thought that the other party's Tang embroidery might be real.

Chapter 500: What Embroidery Is It?

Su Cha got up from bed in high spirits. After brushing her teeth, she washed her face and did some skincare. Then, she packed up and prepared to go to school.

Then she realized that Bo Muyi not only did not come back very late, he did not even come back the entire night.

Thinking of how busy he was at work, Su Cha felt sorry for him and sent Bo Muyi a message.

Muyi: "Just go to school. Be good. I'll come back to rest after I'm done with some work."

Su Cha looked at the message and sighed. He was the head of the huge Imperial Mu Group, so he must be busy.

Then she noticed that an app on her phone had practically become as red as her country's flag.

Last night, she had already logged into Weibo again and switched accounts. Although she had turned off the sound alert, Su Cha was still shocked to see tens of thousands of red notifications.

Could it be that the victims were so mad that they bought trending searches to attack her?

In the end, when she clicked on it, she saw the comments tagging her on Weibo. She figured out the ins and outs of their insults and comments.

[You are a liar who insulted embroidery culture!]

[How dare you claim you did Tang embroidery? Do you know what Tang embroidery means? Did you just pick it up randomly from the history books?]

[Big boss, you draw so well, why bother with embroidery? Just go with how well you draw. I believe many people will buy your clothes.]

[You XX, XXX. You XXXX. Trash XX.]

[Please apologize, okay? If you don't apologize, we will report you as a fraud and even call the police to arrest you.]

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She picked a few private messages to take a look at. They were all insults to her, and there was another one that read, [Uh, I know it was indeed embroidered... I've sent pictures to the others, but they insisted that they were photoshopped and that it was your doing...]

This person was a customer who had bought her work before, so of course this person knew that it was embroidered. How could anyone not tell it was embroidered given all that thread?

Then, Su Cha followed most of the information and clicked on the Weibo account of “Myriad Mountain Embroiderer.” She saw his latest Weibo post.

Ha, there were already tens of thousands of comments.

Su Cha found it magical that the other party had taken a fancy to her Weibo account, which had thousands of followers.

And no one knew that this account was purely her personal account.

As Su Cha nodded, people continued to @ her on Weibo. Feeling her head aching, Su Cha walked out of the room and followed along as she walked.

Is this considered online violence?

She did not expect herself to first experience cyberviolence here and not on her side account.

Of course, in Su Cha’s heart, the celebrity account was just a side account.

After getting into the car, she browsed through most of the comments and entered WeChat.

Xiao Tiao was the first to bombard her with dozens of messages.

Xiao Tiao: “I’m so angry!”

Xiao Tiao: “How dare they say that I’m your patron! Have they ever seen a patron who can’t give even a single cent?”

Xiao Tiao: “Let me tell you, Myriad Mountain Embroiderer is just a peddler and a cheat. If you get involved with him, it will not be easy to shake him off. But you can stand against him. You are obviously embroidering, so why should you be afraid?”

Xiao Tiao: “But what exactly is Tang Embroidery...? I went to Baidu. How come it’s said that this thing has been lost?”

Xiao Tiao: “They said that it’s impossible for you to have used Tang embroidery.”

Xiao Tiao: “Don’t be afraid. I will get a few embroidery experts to appraise it for you. When the time comes, I will post it on Weibo to slap their faces!”

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The more she spoke, the angrier she became. In the end, her tone became even. The key was the Tang embroidery. Xiao Tiao probably now knew that the Tang embroidery had been lost after she went on Baidu, so she felt a little guilty.

How could a lost item reappear so easily?

What kind of embroidery technique did S use?