

Valiant Life 1161

Chapter 1161: Come here

Nighttime. At a restaurant.

Fraud Tian and Zhao Zhong Yang had their heads lowered as they ate silently. They had no business being in this environment.

This kind of place was the kind that only true big shots could go to.

To Fraud Tian, this meal was really too abundant, so much so that he couldn't quite take it.

Following the boss here was pretty good. He was able to enjoy all kinds of delicacies.

"Fraud, give me some of your winnings later," said Zhao Zhong Yang softly as he ate.

He was really filled with envy.

Even this Fraud had managed to win money but he, on the other hand, had lost all his money. It didn't make sense. How can such a dashing guy like me be inferior to this flashy Fraud?

Fraud Tian swallowed an abalone in one go. "Are you kidding me? Just eat your food and don't try to take my money."

"You're too stingy. This is the end of our friendship."

Zhao Zhong Yang didn't know what else to say. This Fraud didn't have any sense of brotherhood at all.

Meanwhile, Wu You Lan and the rest were gathered together, looking at the photos they had taken today as they laughed and chatted cheerily.

“Look. This photo is good. The only bad thing is that Brother Lin’s expression looks weird.”

“Yeah, what an awkward smile.”

“Brother Lin, look at yourself. Doesn’t this photo make you look ugly?”

Lin Fan looked at the photo on the phone and wouldn’t admit it. “I don’t look ugly at all. I feel that I’m smiling really brightly here. There must be a problem with your eyes.”

Liu Xu said, “If you look ugly, just admit it. One has to be honest.”

“You’re speaking as if you look great in the photos. Look... Look at...” Lin Fan scrolled through the photos on the phone. But even after scrolling through many photos, he still had nothing to say. Did she edit these photos? How can she look so perfect? There are no flaws at all!

If she actually edited all of these photos, it would be normal. But it doesn’t seem like the case at all!

Liu Xu smiled. “Remember this. Beautiful people will always appear beautiful in photos. Don’t overthink things. Look. Can you even find a photo where I don’t look good?”

Lin Fan was speechless. Then, he passed the phone back. “That’s amazing.”

Wu You Lan covered her mouth as she giggled. “Brother Lin, let’s take a better-looking photo tomorrow.”

Meanwhile, Yun Xue Yao praised, “Actually, you look good in the photos, Brother Lin.”

“That’s just the view from the eyes of a lover. Even if he looked terrible, you would still think he’s good-looking.” Liu Xu didn’t hold back her words at all.

At that moment, Jin Meng agreed very much with Liu Xu’s words. Master Lin did indeed look very strange in those photos. He was smiling but he didn’t quite look like he was smiling.

It was as if he didn’t know whether to laugh or cry.

However, her best friend and that Wu You Lan had completely fallen into this man's grasp. It was impossible for them to remove themselves from it.

Lin Fan, on the other hand, didn't want to dwell on this matter any longer. He immediately tried to change the topic of conversation.

"Fraud, can't the two of you eat a little slower? You look as if you have never eaten before."

Fraud Tian swallowed his food, then said, "Kid, don't turn the attention on us. We're just eating and not speaking. This conversation has nothing to do with us."

Zhao Zhong Yang nodded as he hummed in agreement.

"You guys..." Lin Fan felt helpless. The two of them really didn't know how to act graciously. He felt as if he had wasted his efforts caring for them. They didn't even know how to help him to change the topic.

"Ah, Xue Yao, you're here! What a coincidence!"

At that moment, a voice came from in front.

When Yun Xue Yao saw who it was, her brows instantly furrowed. He hadn't expected Ma Shao Hao to come.

Jin Meng was taken aback as well. She couldn't understand why Ma Shao Hao would appear here. Hadn't she already warned him not to mess with Master Lin?

What was he trying to prove by coming here?

Ma Shao Hao said with a smile, "Don't misunderstand. I'm not here for any unusual reasons. I'm here today to eat with a guest of mine but I saw Xue Yao, so I came over to take a look."

"Let me guess. Which one is Master Lin?"

Ma Shao Hao scanned the room, then his gaze landed on Zhao Zhong Yang. “This one looks particularly wretched. You’re definitely not Master Lin.”

“This one is dressed so flashily. You’re definitely not him either. After all, you look like you’re close to sixty-years-old. I don’t think Xue Yao would fall for you even if she was blind.

“Then it leaves one last person. You look alright and you’re very calm. You have to be Master Lin. I didn’t think that the Master Lin who has such an incredible influence on the Internet would look so normal. If you weren’t sitting with Xue Yao, I might not even be able to recognize you.”

Bam!

Yun Xue Yao slammed the table furiously. “Ma Shao Hao, don’t go overboard!”

“Ah, Xue Yao, please mind your image. This isn’t your company,” said Ma Shao Hao hastily as smiled.

He was a self-knowing person. He knew that he really couldn’t mess with this Master Lin. Since Yun Xue Yao didn’t like him, he definitely couldn’t get her. However, there was nothing wrong with coming over to take a look and saying a few words to vent his emotions.

Seeing that Brother Lin was still there, Yun Xue Yao felt that she couldn’t show her angry side. If Brother Lin didn’t like it, what would she do?

Then, she took a deep breath and said, “Ma Shao Hao, please leave. I’m eating with my friends.”

Jin Meng added, “What are you still doing here? Don’t go overboard.”

Ma Shao Hao shrugged helplessly. “I’m really not here to do anything. I’m just here to take a look. Hello, Master Lin, nice to meet you.”

At that moment, Ma Shao Hao extended his hand.

Lin Fan's brows furrowed as he felt that this was quite interesting. He could tell that this Ma Shao Hao seemed to like Yun Xue Yao. Was he really here just to take a look?

Then, Lin Fan extended his hand with a smile. Although this person's words were unpleasant, it was fine to shake hands.

But then, Ma Shao Hao suddenly retracted his hand forcefully.

"I'm sorry. I just washed my hands. I'll still have to go and hold a very clean thing later on. I shan't be shaking your hand." Ma Shao Hao laughed. He felt an indescribable pleasure.

"Ma Shao Hao." Yun Xue Yao was so angry that her face was red. She hadn't expected this guy to humiliate Master Lin in front of her. That was unforgivable.

Jin Meng's brows scrunched up together. She felt helpless. Love can easily make a person blind, especially a man who has lost his loved one. He would definitely feel extremely unpleasant.

This guy's brain had really short-circuited. He was actually acting unbridled in front of Master Lin.

Ma Shao Hao laughed. Then, he quickly turned away and prepared to leave.

He had already let out the anger in his heart. It really felt great to come here and make fun of Master Lin.

"Stop. Come back."

At that moment, Lin Fan stood up and shouted at Ma Shao Hao.

Ma Shao Hao was stunned as he stood rooted to the ground. "What are you doing?"

"Come here."

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Chapter 1162: Don't cause trouble for yourself

In an instant, the atmosphere on site became slightly stifled.

Fraud Tian turned over to look at him with a ruminating look. "Kid, come here."

With Brother Lin here, Zhao Zhong Yang was very ballsy. "Didn't you hear that? He told you to come here."

When Yun Xue Yao saw this situation, she knew that a problem was about to break out. However, this Ma Shao Hao was a little deranged.

If a conflict were to break out between Brother Lin and Ma Shao Hao, she was worried that Ma Shao Hao would cause trouble for Brother Lin.

"Brother Lin, I..." Just as Yun Xue Yao started to speak, Jin Meng pulled her back. Yun Xue Yao turned around and saw Jin Meng shaking her head at her. Then, she didn't say more.

Jin Meng whispered to her, "Xue Yao, don't say anything. This matter is between those guys now. If you speak now, you would be humiliating Brother Lin. Just watch from the side. You have to have faith in the man you like. If you interfere, you would be disrespecting him."

"Mmm." Yun Xue Yao nodded and didn't say more.

"What are you doing?" Ma Shao Hao didn't believe that this Master Lin could do anything to him.

Lin Fan gestured with his hand. He said calmly, "Come here."

Ma Shao Hao was extremely displeased. He had set his eyes on Yun Xue Yao long ago but now, someone had stolen her from him. This made him furious.

Then, after pondering for a moment, Ma Shao Hao stepped forward and stood in front of Lin Fan. "What do you want?"

Bam!

Lin Fan immediately threw a slap that dropped Ma Shao Hao to the ground. Then, he raised his hand and said with a cold voice, “Scram.”

Ma Shao Hao, who had fallen to the ground, had a dumbfounded look on his face. He had not expected this to happen at all and there was an indescribable rage in his heart. He had not thought that this guy would dare to hit him.

“You dare to hit me?”

Lin Fan sat down and ignored him. “Everyone, let’s carry on eating.

Fraud Tian started grabbing the food and munching on it. “What an idiot.”

Zhao Zhong Yang laughed. “Fraud, that’s a very appropriate word to describe him.”

Wu You Lan and Liu Xu weren’t bothered by this. They understood Brother Lin very well and they knew that this was nothing much to Brother Lin. As for that Ma Shao Hao, they just treated him as a passing guest.

However, Jin Meng and Yun Xue Yao both felt that things had gotten complicated.

They understood Ma Shao Hao and they knew that he wouldn’t just let this matter end like this.

When Ma Shao Hao saw that Lin Fan was eating casually after hitting him in the face, his heart was filled with immense rage.

“I’m talking to you. Are you f*cking deaf?”

Lin Fan ignored him and carried on chatting with Wu You Lan and the rest.

At that moment, the restaurant manager came over. “Mister, please don’t cause a racket here.”

Bam!

Upon saying that, the manager was slapped in the face.

“You’re f*cking blind. Don’t you know who I am? You actually dared to talk to me like that. Scram!” Ma Shao Hao barked.

The restaurant manager was taken aback and he was angry as well. Everyone who came to this restaurant had some sort of status. Now that a young man had slapped him, he could not take it.

But just as he was about to retaliate, one of the staff members rushed over and pulled the manager to the side.

The manager yelled with a red face, “What are you doing?”

The staff member said, “Manager, have you gone mad? That man is Ma Shao Hao!”

The manager was shocked. “You mean Ma Shao Hao of the Ma Family?”

The staff member nodded. “Yeah, that’s him. I regularly take the night shift and I frequently see him. I’m definitely not mistaken.”

The manager was silent for a moment as if he was thinking about something. Then, he said, “Just now, it seemed like that Ma Shao Hao had been hit by someone. If we go and help him to gain his favor, do you think...”

“Manager, don’t even think about it. It’s true that that is Ma Shao Hao, but do you know who that lady sitting over there is? That’s Yun Xue Yao. That place we went to gamble last time is owned by her family.”

When the manager heard the staff member’s words, his heart froze. He felt a sense of terror as he had never expected two big shots to be here.

If he had really gone in to help Ma Shao Hao, things would have ended up terribly. No matter which side he helped, he would be offending the other side.

“Alright, you’ve done very well. From now on, I guarantee that no one will bully you in the restaurant.” The manager heaved a sigh of relief. He was immensely grateful to the employee. If it hadn’t been for the employee, he would’ve been in big trouble.

The employee was delighted. “Thank you, Manager.”

Although he was knowledgeable, he could never hope to establish relationships with those big shots. Having his manager protect him was the best thing that he could achieve.

At that moment, Ma Shao Hao stood there. His face had turned greenish-pale.

“Did you hear me? How can you dare to hit me?”

Lin Fan carried on eating. He already didn’t care about this guy anymore. He felt that it was a waste of time. Then, he turned to Ma Shao Hao and said, “If you dare to say another word of nonsense, I’ll teach you a good lesson.”

“I’m going to the toilet.” Fraud Tian stood up, indifferent to the current situation as well.

But when Ma Shao Hao saw this old man walking over, he had a fury in his heart that he wanted to unleash on the old man.

As Fraud Tian passed Ma Shao Hao, a palm was swung towards Fraud Tian’s face.

“You’ve done it now, kid.”

Fraud Tian immediately reacted and grabbed Ma Shao Hao with both hands before executing a shoulder throw.

Thud!

With a loud slam, Ma Shao Hao crashed onto the ground. He was confused as his body felt like a broken shelf.

“AH!”

An ear-piercing scream rang out. Ma Shao Hao hadn't expected this old man to be so powerful.

“What the heck? You tried to hit someone without even understanding the situation first. Do you really want to die?” Fraud Tian dusted off his hands, then walked over Ma Shao Hao's body. He had not attacked someone in a long time but someone actually came to attack him.

Did this guy think I could be bullied easily?

Jin Meng's eyes widened. She had not expected this old man to be so powerful either. Then, she looked at Ma Shao Hao, who was wailing in pain.

“Young Master Ma, I think you should leave quickly. There's nothing for you to do here. Don't find trouble for yourself.”

She knew that Ma Shao Hao definitely wouldn't benefit from staying here any longer.

His brain had really short-circuited. He had caused trouble for himself out of nothing.

Didn't he know who was here? This was Master Lin. Did he think that Master Lin could be defeated so easily?

Moreover, it didn't seem that the people with Master Lin were easy to defeat either. He would just be causing more pain for himself by staying here.

“Just you wait,” Ma Shao Hao stood up and threatened them before leaving hurriedly.

He had not thought that he would be hit by someone. This was something he had not even dared to imagine.

Chapter 1163: If no one helps, this would be embarrassing

In an instant, Ma Shao Hao scurried away.

Meanwhile, Fraud Tian came back from the toilet and saw that the kid who tried to hit him had disappeared. He said curiously, "Hey, where did that kid go?"

Lin Fan smiled. "He told you to wait. He's going to bring reinforcements to take care of you."

Fraud Tian was taken aback when he heard that. "It wasn't even my fault! He's the one who tried to throw a sneaky attack at me."

Zhao Zhong Yang said, "But he has already remembered you. There's nothing you can do."

"D*mn. That kid is really unreasonable. If he really comes, I have to have a good word with him. He's the one who tried to hit me. It's not my fault. But that kid is really very weak. He's so young too. It's clear that he's a wimp," said Fraud Tian regretfully.

Yun Xue Yao wasn't worried at all. What could Ma Shao Hao possibly do to Brother Lin and the rest? This wasn't just Ma Shao Hao's territory. It was her territory as well.

She would never let anything happen to Brother Lin.

"Master Lin, should we go to a different, quieter place?" asked Jin Meng.

Although she knew that nothing would happen to Master Lin and the rest, it still wouldn't be good for a conflict to happen.

The Ma Family and the Yun Family had a decent relationship. There was no need for a conflict to break out just because of this matter.

Moreover, that Ma Shao Hao was a complete idiot. He didn't use his brain at all.

Lin Fan waved his hand. "There's no need. This place is pretty good."

He hadn't expected that kid to find trouble for himself. Lin Fan could forgive him for saying those thoughtless words in the beginning, but when he tried to humiliate Lin Fan, Lin Fan could not take it.

That kid had really gotten out of hand.

Since Master Lin said that they would stay here, Jin Meng didn't say more.

Zhao Zhong Yang kept broadcasting with his phone. "Brothers, did you see that just now? How cool is Master Lin? How cool is Fraud?"

"6666... I know that Master Lin is incredible but I didn't think that the old man, Fraud, was so f*cking awesome as well. I'm convinced now."

"Enough words. I'm sending my gifts now. Let's see how Master Lin and the rest educate that idiotic youngster."

"Master Lin, you guys have to take care. This is Haojiang, it's not our Shanghai. If something bad happens, we won't be able to cover you."

"Haha. ^You're overthinking things. Master Lin's Kung Fu is incredible. No matter how many people that kid brings, Master Lin can defeat all of them."

"I know that Master Lin is powerful but I'm still afraid of that guy's influence in Haojiang."

"You're really overthinking things. Don't you know who that lady next to Master Lin is? Let me tell you. That's a big shot. Sigh... Forget about it. Even if I tell you, you wouldn't understand. Only people who have been to Haojiang would know."

In the broadcast room, the netizens commented maniacally as they discussed this situation.

After Ma Shao Hao left, a look of contempt appeared on his face. He kept making phone calls, getting people to come and back him up.

Initially, when he made the call, the other side would immediately want to come and help. But when they heard that Yun Family's Yun Xue Yao was around, they immediately pretended that they were busy or they said that their phones were running out of battery.

Anyone in Haojiang with a brain knew that this was a battle among gods. If they were to get involved, they would get obliterated.

Even money wasn't more important than their lives.

Also, they understood this Ma Shao Hao very well. He had no sense of loyalty at all. If a problem were to occur, he would definitely betray them.

In Haojiang, the old man of the Yun Family was no joke. Nobody dared to cross him.

The only people who dared to make fun of him were idiots from other parts of the country who didn't know what was good for them.

"F*ck. You gutless b*stards. I didn't think that these bunch of arrogant and boastful guys would be so cowardly. Once I mentioned Yun Xue Yao, they all ran away."

In the end, he learned his lesson and stopped mentioning Yun Xue Yao's presence. However, those people seemed to already have spread the news among themselves and everyone already knew what was going on.

One of them, a big shot, said:

"Young Master Ma, is this for real? We basically live at the mercy of the Yun Family. Now that you're telling us to find trouble with the Lady of the Yun Family, aren't you just telling us to kill ourselves?"

After saying that, he hung up. To them, this Ma Shao Hao was an idiot for trying to send them straight into a fire pit.

“F*ck!”

At that moment, Ma Shao Hao didn't know what to do anymore. The people in his family would never come and help him. After all, with the Lady of the Yun Family around, they would never dare to come. Moreover, if he were to call them, his old man would definitely find out.

If that were to happen, things would really get complicated.

“Young Master Ma, aren't we supposed to meet inside? Why are you waiting for me here?” At that moment, a man came out of a luxurious car. When he saw that Ma Shao Hao was standing at the entrance of the restaurant and making calls, he was curious.

When Ma Shao Hao saw him, he felt helpless. “Young Master Zhao, I'm sorry. I'm having a headache because of a certain troubling matter.”

Zhao Xuan was curious. “What kind of troubling matter, Young Master Ma?”

Ma Shao Hao waved his hand. “Let's not talk about it. My head hurts. You aren't from Haojiang anyway. You wouldn't be able to help.”

Zhao Xuan laughed, then patted Ma Shao Hao's shoulder. “Tell me. From now on, we're going to be partners. Your problems are my problems as well. Just because I'm from Hong Kong doesn't mean I don't have influence in Haojiang.”

Ma Shao Hao didn't really care about what Zhao Xuan said. After all, Ma Shao Hao had been in Haojiang for so long but even he couldn't do anything about the situation. An outsider wouldn't be able to do anything.

Then, Ma Shao Hao explained everything to Zhao Xuan.

When Zhao Xuan heard it, he laughed. “Young Master Ma, I didn't think that all this was for a lady. But since the olden days, heroes have had a weak spot for beautiful women. Naturally, Young Master Ma is no exception. Since that person is so powerful, why don't we find some mafias to take care of him? With Young Master Ma's influence, I'm sure that many would respond to your call.”

“Of course. But that woman is the Lady of the Yun Family. No one dares to come at all. They don’t want to get in trouble,” said Ma Shao Hao.

“The Yun Family.” Zhao Xun’s eyes gleamed as some thoughts passed through his mind. Naturally, he knew what the Yun Family represented here. In the future, when he works with Ma Shao Hao, he would definitely have to cross paths with the Yun Family. However, the most important thing now was to gain Ma Shao Hao’s trust.

As for the Yun Family, that was one of his prey as well.

“Young Master Ma, this matter can easily be settled.”

At that moment, Zhao Xuan started speaking.

Chapter 1164: It’s me. What are you trying to do?

Ma Shao Hao was taken aback. He looked at Zhao Xuan as if he didn’t believe him. “You have a plan?”

Ma Shao Hao really didn’t believe that Zhao Xuan had a plan. After all, this was an outsider. What kind of plan could he have?

“Of course I do,” said Zhao Xuan with a smile as his chest puffed up. “Since Young Master Ma is facing a problem, I, Zhao Xuan, cannot sit idly by.”

Ma Shao Hao saw Zhao Xuan’s confident attitude and became a little intrigued. “Tell me. What’s your plan?”

Zhao Xuan smiled. “We use our brains to make a living. This kind of manual work definitely has to be left to other people.”

“Oh, so you want to look for the local mafias. Don’t even think about it. They’re all gutless.” Ma Shao Hao had thought that it was some kind of brilliant plan but it turned out to be what he had already tried. No one from Haojiang would dare to mess with the Yun Family unless they ate a leopard’s guts.

Moreover, this Yun Xue Yao managed a casino herself. She definitely had thugs of her own.

Zhao Xuan said, “Young Master Ma, I think you’re mistaken. I’m not talking about that. Those people you were thinking of calling aren’t even worth mentioning. They can’t be compared to what I have in mind.”

“What do you mean? Are you looking down on them?” Ma Shao Hao felt that Zhao Xuan was bragging now. Those people were vicious criminals. When they made a move on someone, it was terrifying.

“Yeah, I’m looking down on them. How many people can one of them fight? The people I’m calling can fight ten people each. They’re all skillful experts. And that’s just if they’re bare-fisted. If they use weapons, just ten of them will be enough to overwhelm all those mafia people that Young Master Ma tried to call.”

“They are true experts and trained in Kung Fu. What do you say?” asked Zhao Xuan with a grin.

When Ma Shao Hao heard that, he was stunned. “Young Master Zhao, they seem really incredible. But are they not afraid of the Yun Family?”

“Haha. They wouldn’t be afraid of such things. It’s perfect that I know this bunch of people and I even have a collaboration with them. In the future, when Young Master Ma and I work together, they will ensure our safety. That’s definitely not a problem,” said Zhao Xuan.

“Alright. If it’s like that, it would be amazing. I didn’t expect Young Master Zhao to have such a trick up your sleeve. I have to see it.”

Ma Shao Hao was immensely grateful. He hadn’t expected Zhao Xuan to know such people. If that was really true, he could already imagine what would become of those guys in the restaurant.

“Alright. It’s just a matter of a phone call. Young Master Ma won’t even have to be around. You can just watch from afar and see how I avenge you,” said Zhao Xuan.

“Alright. If you can help me to take out my rage, I can assure you that I, Ma Shao Hao, will never let you down in the future.”

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In the restaurant.

Lin Fan and the rest were chatting happily. They had already forgotten the incident from before.

However, Jin Meng was the only one still wondering where Ma Shao Hao had gone. It doesn't make sense. Based on that guy's temper, even if he can't find reinforcements, he would still come up with some kind of trick.

She wouldn't believe that this Ma Shao Hao would just let it be.

“Brother Lin, is the food alright?” asked Yun Xue Yao with a bright smile. What happened previously had enraged her. But her best friend had told her that she had to be gentle. Men like gentle women and they don't like women to be too headstrong.

She was very headstrong at work but she made herself gentle in front of Brother Lin. However, what happened just now had really made her furious.

If her best friend hadn't kept her in check, she would have flared up.

“Mmm, it's very good. The food tastes good. Actually, the food in Haojiang is really pretty good.” Lin Fan smiled. Then, he pointed at Fraud Tian and Zhao Zhong Yang. “Just by looking at those two, you can tell how delicious the food is.”

Fraud Tian's mouth was covered with grease. He was eating non-stop and he wasn't slowing down. It was as if he hadn't eaten in a long time.

“Mmm. It's really pretty good. It's delicious! Xue Yao, I'm really satisfied with this restaurant that you brought us to.” Fraud Tian was filled with delight.

Zhao Zhong Yang nodded as well. The food did indeed taste very good.

Seeing how everyone was satisfied, Yun Xue Yao smiled cheerfully. She had been under a lot of pressure because she was afraid that they wouldn't like this place. But seeing how satisfied they were, she couldn't help but smile happily.

Suddenly!

A bunch of people started walking over and they found a place to sit down.

"Beautiful ladies, let me get to know you." Zhao Xuan brought the people in and sat at the nearby table. Then, he called out to the ladies at Lin Fan's table.

On his handsome face, he let out a very narcissistic grin.

"Who the heck would want to get to know you?" Jin Meng lashed out. She felt that this person was retarded.

Zhao Zhong Yang looked over at him.

But with one look, Zhao Xuan instantly threw the plate from his table to the ground. "What are you looking at? What the f*ck are you looking at?"

Ma Shao Hao, who was hiding away at a table far away, saw this and his blood boiled. It was a f*cking domineering show. He felt that this Zhao Xuan was really awesome. Throwing a plate out of nowhere really was f*cking awesome.

Working with someone like that was a pretty wise choice.

In the future, he would be able to mess with whoever he wanted.

When the plate crashed into the ground, it shattered into pieces.

Zhao Zhong Yang furrowed his brows and muttered, "Retard."

“What did you say? I’m asking you what you just said!” Zhao Xuan was here to cause trouble. He tried to create a conflict out of every small matter.

Lin Fan was a little displeased. What the heck is wrong with today? Troublesome people just come one after another. This sucks.

Jin Meng stood up. “What’s wrong with you? Who do you think you are? Do you think Haojiang is a place where a wretched-looking tramp like you can act however you like?”

“Hehe. The beautiful lady is angry. Alright then. Today, let me see if those two guys and that old man can protect you. Get them,” Zhao Xuan ordered his men to attack.

Ma Shao Hao was stunned. This is too f*cking incredible, isn’t it? This is nature-defying! It seemed as if Zhao Xuan was just picking a fight for no reason. But he was eagerly waiting for the opposite party to be beaten up.

He already knew that the people that Zhao Xuan had brought were not just simple people. They were all skilled in Kung Fu and they were very powerful. It seemed that that group of guys was done for, especially that Master Lin.

Once Master Lin goes on the ground, he would go and give him a beating. The thought of that made him very excited.

Bam!

Bam!

The people that Zhao Xuan had brought each slammed the table, causing a loud rumbling noise. Then, they stood up and started walking over.

Lin Fan took a deep breath and turned his head over. “Are you all retarded?”

Zhao Xuan pointed his finger. “Beat them up!”

But suddenly, those experts were stunned upon taking a look at Lin Fan.

Then, Zhao Xuan was a little curious. Why aren't they attacking? He yelled, "What are you all doing? Why aren't you attacking them?"

But what happened next made Zhao Xuan completely dumbfounded.

Those experts that Zhao Xuan had called looked at Lin Fan and said respectfully.

"Master Lin, it's you."

Lin Fan nodded. "Yes, it's me. What are you trying to do?"

Chapter 1165: Calling the parent

Right now, Zhao Xuan wasn't the only one stunned. Even the martial arts experts were stunned as they wondered what the f*ck was going on. Meanwhile, Zhao Xuan was cursing in his heart.

Is he trying to screw me over?

If I knew it was Master Lin, I wouldn't come here even if I were beaten to death.

But isn't Master Lin in Shanghai? Why is he suddenly in Haojiang?

This is completely f*cked up!

"Hey, what are you guys trying to do?" Lin Fan put down his chopsticks and turned over. "Are you trying to pick a fight?"

He didn't recognize these people but he could tell from one look that they were skilled in Kung Fu. However, he hadn't expected them to be someone's thugs.

One of the big men immediately waved his hand as he said, “We wouldn’t dare! Master Lin, this is a misunderstanding. We really aren’t trying to do anything.”

He was dumbfounded right now. Pick a fight?

How brave must someone be to dare to pick a fight with Master Lin? One must have a death wish to do that!

Back then, they had been there at Kunlun Mountain. Master Lin’s performance on stage had left them mesmerized. That scene would even float up in their minds if they were to close their eyes right now.

If they were to fight Master Lin, they would probably end up in the hospital.

But the most important part was that if Master Lin were to expose this incident to the public, they could forget about living anymore.

They would probably get flamed to death by the other martial artists.

After all, Master Lin was recognized as the best in the world; the chief of the martial arts circles.

Now, there were constantly people travelling to Shanghai to request Master Lin’s help to complete their martial arts. In martial arts, this was considered a great favor and they would never be able to repay it.

Looking at the situation, Zhao Xuan was completely stunned. He didn’t even know what to do anymore.

However, he felt that it might be a pretty good idea to run away now.

“What are you doing? Don’t go.”

Just as Zhao Xuan began to move, the opposite party told him to stop.

“What do you want?” Zhao Xuan looked at Lin Fan. “Am I not allowed to leave?”

Lin Fan shook his head. “You are very problematic. You cannot leave.”

“What does me leaving have to do with you?” Zhao Xuan didn’t heed Lin Fan’s words. Instead, he wanted to leave anyway. If he stayed any longer, who knew what would happen?

However, just as he moved his feet, the big men that he had brought here stopped him.

“Master Lin didn’t let you leave, so you cannot leave.” The big man who was trained in Hong Quan held onto Zhao Xuan, not letting him go.

“F*ck. Let go of me. Let me go!”

Zhao Xuan struggled as he yelled. He wanted to leave but his skinny and frail body was no match for these big men. He had no choice but to be kept there.

“What the f*ck is going on?” In the distance, Ma Shao Hao was dumbfounded. That arrogant guy from before had been suppressed by his own men. It didn’t make any f*cking sense.

He wanted to see that Lin get beaten up but he hadn’t expected Zhao Xuan’s own men to turn against him. This made him a little disappointed in Zhao Xuan.

He felt that this guy was quite pathetic.

Jin Meng was astonished as well. She could see a sense of reverence in those big men’s eyes.

She knew that Master Lin was powerful but she hadn’t expected that these big, strong men would feel reverence towards him. There was definitely some kind of story behind this.

“You’re a Hong Quan practitioner?”

That big man nodded. “Master Lin, you have great vision. I am indeed a Hong Quan practitioner.”

“Why are you working together with this kind of person?” asked Lin Fan. Martial artists these days would usually earn money by doing performances. Otherwise, they would become bodyguards or private thugs for tycoons.

Just look at Fraud Tian. He was so proficient in Ba Gua Zhang, but it was useless. He still had to become a fortune-teller in the end.

If one were lucky enough to become the bodyguard of a tycoon, it would be a pretty good choice.

There were some martial artists who didn’t have very impressive physiques. Even if they wanted to become bodyguards of celebrities, they might not be wanted. Those celebrities only wanted bodyguards with intimidating physiques. After all, those people with frail-looking bodies wouldn’t be able to fend off waves of crazy fans.

“I’m just working to earn a living,” said the big man helplessly. Sometimes, he really felt that these days were pathetic.

They were strong fighters. To some evil-minded people, they were pretty useful.

“I’ll talk to you guys later.” Lin Fan didn’t question him any further. Instead, he turned to Zhao Xuan. “You’re from Hong Kong, aren’t you?”

“Let me go.”

Zhao Xuan struggled so much that his face was beet red. He hadn’t expected this to happen.

“Xue Yao, you have to be wary of this person,” said Lin Fan.

Xue Yao was startled and she couldn’t quite understand. But since Brother Lin had spoken, she would naturally take note of it.

“Ma Shao Hao.”

At that moment, Jin Meng saw that figure in the distance and instantly understood what was going on. She yelled his name.

Ma Shao Hao, who had wanted to retreat, heard her voice. Then, his expression changed. He hadn't expected to be revealed.

Yun Xue Yao took a deep breath, then shouted, "Ma Shao Hao, I'll call your father."

"F*ck!"

When Ma Shao Hao heard that, he instantly panicked. The feeling was as if he had done badly on a school exam and his parents were being called.

"Hey, Yun Xue Yao, is there a need to call my father? If there's something to talk about, let's talk nicely."

"I admit that this was my fault. I was wrong. This Zhao Xuan is here to help me as well. Handsome brother, I apologize. I'll pretend that nothing happened, is that alright?"

He was genuinely afraid now. If Yun Xue Yao were to call his father, he would probably be yelled at. More importantly, he couldn't let his father find out about his collaboration with Zhao Xuan.

It was a secret.

Lin Fan said, "Xue Yao, I think you should call his father. This situation is a little complicated."

"Alright, Brother Lin." Yun Xue Yao nodded and immediately dialled the number on her phone.

"Don't call him." When Ma Shao Hao saw this, his face turned completely pale. If she were to really call his father, he would be f*cked. He immediately tried to snatch the phone over.

However, that big man next to him grabbed Ma Shao Hao.

"Don't move. Otherwise, I'll beat you."

Ma Shao Hao growled, “F*ck! Do you know who I am? You dare to hit me?”

But at that moment, the call went through.

“Hello, Uncle Ma, this is Xue Yao. Ma Shao Hao is causing trouble here and things have gotten a little complicated. I’m not too clear about the situation, but Master Lin knows.”

“Yes, it’s Master Lin of Shanghai.”

“Alright, we’ll wait for you then.”

When Ma Shao Hao heard that conversation, he suddenly felt weak. Then, he glared at Yun Xue Yao.

“You’ve gone overboard. This is between us. Was there a need to tell my father?”

Chapter 1166: I’m not f*cking stupid

Jin Meng was very curious. “Master Lin? What kind of problem did you see in this guy?”

She couldn’t see any problem, and she didn’t believe that Master Lin could really see something.

Yun Xue Yao was very curious as well. However, she didn’t ask anything. When Ma Shao Hao’s father came, they would probably find out what exactly was going on.

“Hey, let go of me!”

Ma Shao Hao struggled. Right now, he was completely dumbfounded. They weren’t giving him any respect at all.

If he had known that things would turn out like this, he wouldn't have stayed. It was simply asking for death. He was being held onto the ground.

Initially, he had thought that Zhao Xuan was f*cking awesome. But now, it seemed that he had been mistaken.

Awesome my a*s. He just got defeated like that. How shameful.

As for those martial art experts, they didn't even dare to say a single word right now. They just stood there respectfully.

Ma Shao Hao knew that this Master Lin was f*cking awesome. But right now, it seemed that he was too f*cking awesome. After all, this was Haojiang. It would have been understandable if they were in Shanghai, but now, he couldn't understand it.

Zhao Xuan groaned in his heart. He felt that something wasn't right. This Master Lin's gaze was quite peculiar. It was as if Master Lin was looking through him. It made him feel very uncomfortable.

The diners around them had run away long ago after seeing the situation. They didn't want any part of this. Sometimes, one would get unnecessarily dragged into a bad situation.

Zhao Zhong Yang held his phone as he pointed the camera lens at those two guys.

Ma Shao Hao said, "What are you taking photos of?"

Zhao Zhong Yang retorted, "I'm not taking photos. I'm broadcasting. It's fine, show your face and say hi to my Internet buddies."

"F*ck. What are you doing? Stop broadcasting my face. Take his face instead."

Ma Shao Hao didn't want to say anything anymore. What the f*ck is up with today? I was slapped in the face by this guy, and I was even thrown to the ground by that old man. Now, this guy is broadcasting me.

If someone I know sees this, it would be humiliating!

In the broadcast room, the netizens started roaring with laughter.

“Haha. I’m dying of laughter. These guys tried to cause trouble for Master Lin, but now, they’ve been done in by Master Lin. I wonder what the heck they’re thinking right now.”

“What else could they be thinking about? They must be wanting to cry. These people basically dug their own graves.”

“Look at this guy. He’s so miserable. I feel that he’s probably the most unfortunate person in the world.”

“Master Lin is just bringing his staff to Haojiang for a vacation, but so many things actually happened. How peculiar is that? If I could be there, it would really be great.”

“I wonder what will happen once that Ma Shao Hao’s father comes.”

“What is up with those big guys? Why did they turn on their boss?”

“Those guys are martial artists. Don’t you know who Master Lin is? At Kunlun Mountain, he amazed the crowd and became the undisputed Chief of the martial arts circles. How could these guys not be afraid of him?”

Zhao Zhong Yang went all out to broadcast the scene for his Internet buddies. Even though Ma Shao Hao tried to hide his face, Zhao Zhong Yang found different angles to capture his face.

Meanwhile, Fraud Tian shook his head. These guys were simply finding trouble for themselves. They really didn’t know what was good for themselves.

Going against Lin Fan was really stupid. Didn’t they know how many people had ended up tragically after going against Lin Fan?

Soon after.

“Xue Yao...”

A middle-aged man, who looked around fifty years of age, was stunned upon looking at this scene. And that young man who was being held against the table seemed like his son.

“Uncle Ma.” Yun Xue Yao stood up.

Ma Guo Hui walked over hastily. When he saw Lin Fan, he immediately extended his hand. “Nice to meet you, Master Lin. I’ve been looking forward to meeting you.”

Lin Fan stood up as well. “Nice to meet you.”

Lin Fan could tell that this Ma Guo Hui was insanely wealthy. Moreover, anyone who knew Yun Xue Yao was no ordinary person.

“You rotten brat, are you causing trouble again? And you’ve even caused trouble for Master Lin?” Ma Guo Hui barked.

He was one of the big shots in Haojiang. He had a good understanding of matters happening in the country. He was particularly aware of Master Lin. After all, he would frequently meet some big leaders, and those leaders would often talk about Master Lin.

Also, he even knew that Master Lin had a good relationship with that elderly man in Beijing. That made him feel that Master Lin was no simple man.

Hence, after hearing Yun Xue Yao’s description of the situation over the phone, he definitely had to come down to take a look and see what was going on.

“Dad, I didn’t!” Ma Shao Hao cried out miserably.

He was very fearful of his father. He deeply resented what Yun Xue Yao had done. It was really despicable to call his old man over. He was completely at a loss.

“Hmph. I’ll settle this matter with you when we go back,” said Ma Guo Hui furiously.

Then, that big man let go of Ma Shao Hao. Although no one was holding him now, Ma Shao Hao still didn't dare to move.

Since his father was here now, there was nothing more he could say. He could only stay there obediently.

Ma Guo Hui looked at Zhao Xuan who was being held there as well, and he wondered who this young man was.

Lin Fan raised his hand. "Chief Ma, you have to be wary of this man. He has bad intentions being with your son. He might cause you trouble and even harm your son in the future."

When Ma Shao Hao heard this, he interrupted, "Don't try to trick others. He's my friend. You're being absurd!"

Ma Guo Hui was taken aback. Then, his brows furrowed. "Master Lin, could I trouble you to elaborate further?"

He couldn't quite understand clearly what Master Lin's words meant. However, he had a rough idea. This man was dangerous.

Meanwhile, when Zhao Xuan heard those words, his expression changed drastically. Then, he growled, "Let go of me! I'm Ma Shao Hao's friend, why would I harm him? Don't accuse me of that!"

Lin Fan smiled. "You're from Hong Kong and you came here to collaborate with Ma Shao Hao. After all, Ma Shao Hao's family background could be of great benefit to you. Moreover, Ma Shao Hao is quite stupid, and he could never outsmart you. He would definitely end up getting fooled by you. As for the full story, I think Chief Ma can investigate and find out for himself."

"I'm not f*cking stupid!" Ma Shao Hao couldn't stand being called stupid.

"Shut up." Ma Guo Hui glared at him. He took out his phone and took Zhao Xuan's identity card from his body. Then, he made a call.

"I want you to look into this person. I want all his information immediately."

With his abilities, he could investigate someone with a single phone call.

Chapter 1167: Consider it his misfortune

When Zhao Xuan heard those words, his expression changed drastically. He definitely wouldn't doubt Ma Guo Hui's power. If Ma Guo Hui wanted to investigate someone, he would definitely find out everything about that person.

Moreover, Zhao Xuan had quite a dirty background. If he were to get investigated, things would definitely turn out badly.

Thinking about that, Zhao Xuan struggled frantically. His neck turned red as he squeaked, "Let go of me! Let go of me!"

He kept struggling harder and harder. It was as if he was getting nervous.

The big man smiled. "Wow, kid, you're actually trying to struggle out of my grasp. You must be dreaming."

"I'll hold you down!"

The big man was very strong. There was no way he would let such a weakling escape from his grasp. If the kid could really escape, that would really be surprising.

Although this kid had been his boss previously, this boss had made him go against Master Lin. Hence, he no longer treated this boss kindly.

He had nearly been made to commit a huge offence.

Ding ding!

Suddenly, a phone rang.

Zhao Xuan stopped struggling. He was panicking as he stared blankly at the phone. He didn't want to hear anything related to himself. If it was something bad, he would really be done for.

Ma Guo Hui didn't say anything as he just listened to the voice from the phone.

And this phone was pretty good. Not a single sound leaked out from it.

This made Zhao Xuan even more terrified as he didn't know what the caller was saying. He was fearful that the opposite party had found out about him.

His original plan had been to scam Ma Shao Hao. If Ma Guo Hui were to find out, he wouldn't be let off easily.

Clatter!

The call was hung up.

Ma Guo Hui looked at Zhao Xuan expressionlessly.

Meanwhile, Zhao Xuan looked back at him, not knowing what was going on exactly. He definitely wouldn't confess spontaneously. He had even planned to continue playing dumb.

"Kid, so you've actually taken two lives before. That's good. That's very impressive." Ma Guo Hui already knew all of it.

"What are you talking about? I don't know what you're talking about."

Zhao Xuan's face was white as paper as he cried out. He definitely wouldn't confess.

Lin Fan said, "Chief Ma, what are you planning to do? Do you want to take him away?"

Ma Guo Hui smiled. “Master Lin, I run a proper business. This Zhao Xuan has actually taken lives before. I definitely have to take him to the police. I already have the evidence and I even have his identity. I really have to thank you for this, Master Lin. If it weren’t for Master Lin, I really wouldn’t have known that my stupid brat has been mixing with someone like this. Who knows how things would have turned out?”

Lin Fan smiled. In reality, his warning wasn’t necessary. With Ma Guo Hui’s capability, he would have investigated Zhao Xuan sooner or later.

But Lin Fan just made it sooner.

“Let me go!” Zhao Xuan barked. He didn’t doubt Ma Guo Hui’s words. Although he had wiped his trail cleanly, he believed that Ma Guo Hui had definitely found something.

“Come in.”

At that moment, two big men walked inside. Judging by their physiques, it seemed that they were Ma Guo Hui’s bodyguards.

“Grab him and send him to the police station later.”

“Yes, Boss.”

Zhao Xuan panicked when he saw this. He wanted to run away, but with so many big shots in front of him, he could only dream of escaping.

In the broadcast room.

“D*mn. This is for real? This guy has taken lives before?”

“Looking at the situation, it’s probably true. I didn’t expect that big shots these days were so powerful. He actually found out everything about him so quickly. That’s too scary, isn’t it?”

“That’s why keyboard warriors are so dangerous. They can definitely find out all about you if they want to.”

“That’s true. 6666... I didn’t expect that I would see such a scene on Brother Yang’s broadcast. This is really eye-opening.”

“I thought that this guy would get taken away by the big shot to be dealt with. I didn’t think he would be sent to the police station instead.”

“F*ck. You must be living in the past. This is a peaceful society we live in. He wouldn’t just carry out that kind of private punishment. That’s illegal. Sending him to the police is the wisest choice.”

“That Ma Shao Hao is really fortunate to have come across Master Lin.”

Zhao Zhong Yang looked at the comments in the broadcast room and laughed happily. It seemed that his Internet buddies were very pleased with the broadcast.

“Master Lin, why don’t you come with me? I have to do the honors as a host,” said Ma Guo Hui. He really wanted to get to know Master Lin better.

At the same time, he had a rough idea of Yun Xue Yao’s relationship with Master Lin.

If Yun Xue Yao could really be together with Master Lin, that would be a pretty good thing.

“Next time. Right now, I’m just here to have some fun with my staff. If there is time in the future, it would be great if Chief Ma could come over to Shanghai to have some fun too,” said Lin Fan with a smile.

Then, Ma Guo Hui turned to Ma Shao Hao. “Brat, hurry up and thank Master Lin.”

“Huh?” Ma Shao Hao was stunned. What the f*ck? Nothing happened and I’m supposed to thank this guy? What the f*ck is going on?

Zhao Xuan was his friend. Although he wasn’t reliable, there was no need to capture him just like that. At the very least, the situation should be explained.

However, Ma Shao Hao knew that he was f*cked. When he went home, he might receive a harsh beating from his father.

“What do you mean ‘Huh’? Are you disobeying me?” Ma Guo Hui glared at him. To Ma Shao Hao, this glare was filled with ferocity. It seemed as if his father wanted to take his life.

Ma Shao Hao was most fearful of his own father. Hence, he didn’t dare to disobey.

“Thank you.”

Lin Fan smiled and didn’t reply.

Ma Guo Hui looked at the situation and had a rough idea of what was going on. “Master Lin, I shan’t disturb your dinner any further. Let’s get together in the future when we have the chance.”

“Mmm. Alright. Let’s do that.”

Very soon, Ma Guo Hui left with his people. As for Ma Shao Hao, he now understood that he had no chance of getting revenge for that slap and that shoulder throw in this lifetime.

“It’s finally settled.” Lin Fan let out a deep sigh. So many problems had popped up just when they were having one meal. It really made him helpless.

Of course, there was a reason he had done all this. After all, these incidents were related to Yun Xue Yao. Hence, it was best to kill off all the problems in one go.

As for that Zhao Xuan, it could be considered his misfortune to have come across Lin Fan here.

Chapter 1168: The society’s standard of beauty has changed

“Alright, let’s carry on eating.”

Lin Fan smiled. He wasn’t affected by that incident at all.

Fraud Tian burped. “You haven’t even resolved that matter yet.”

At that moment, Lin Fan suddenly realized something. “Oh right. It’s nighttime already. Have you guys eaten yet?”

The big men shook their heads. “Nope.”

Lin Fan sighed. “Take a seat at a table. I’ll treat you guys to a meal.”

“How can we accept that? There’s no way we can let Master Lin treat us!” The big men immediately shook their heads. If people were to find out that they let Master Lin pay for their meal, they would be mocked for sure.

Lin Fan remained silent as he opened up the menu. Then, he showed them the price.

The big men looked at the price and their eyes widened. It was too f*cking expensive. Even the sum of their net worths wouldn’t be enough to afford a meal.

“Alright. Sit over there. I’ll order for you,” said Lin Fan.

At that moment, the big men didn’t refuse. They were embarrassed as they just said, “Thank you, Master Lin.”

To them, that price was simply too high. It was so expensive that it was scary. They felt helpless. This was the gap between the wealthy and the poor.

“Do you guys have jobs now?” asked Lin Fan.

One of the big men replied, “We don’t have proper jobs. We just keep looking for these temporary jobs.”

Since Lin Fan had come across these guys, he couldn’t just let them be. Then, he turned to Xue Yao. “Xue Yao, do you still need more people at your casino? With their abilities, they would be good security guards.”

When the big men heard this, they were instantly moved. They hadn't expected that Master Lin was so influential even in Haojiang. They were honored.

Yun Xue Yao nodded. "Yes, we do have available jobs."

Even if there weren't available jobs, she would still have agreed. After all, Brother Lin had spoken. How could she reject?

Lin Fan looked at those big men and said, "Tomorrow, you guys will report there. From now on, don't meddle blindly, and don't be other people's thugs anymore. That's very dangerous. If you beat someone to death or disable someone, you'd be arrested."

"Understood."

The big men nodded. They had always wanted a proper job too. But because they had no academic history, they were helpless.

Even if they found some jobs, those were all physical labor jobs. In the end, they had no choice but to go on this path.

Very soon, their food arrived and they started gobbling up the food.

Lin Fan's table was almost done. "Then that's that. Let's head back. It's been a tiring day. It's time for a good rest."

"Yep, alright. I'll bring everyone back. Tomorrow, we'll go and visit other places," said Yun Xue Yao.

Before leaving, Lin Fan told the big men to enjoy their food. He had already paid the bill.

Nighttime. In the hotel.

Yun Xue Yao didn't go home but stayed here instead. Fraud Tian and Zhao Zhong Yang shared a room.

Zhao Zhong Yang kept pestering Fraud Tian in hopes of getting some money from him. However, Fraud Tian would never share his winnings with Zhao Zhong Yang. After all, this was his hard-earned money.

Liu Xu and Wu You Lan shared a room.

And Yun Xue Yao shared a room with Jin Meng.

“What are you looking at?” Yun Xue Yao saw Jin Meng holding her phone, so she asked curiously.

Jin Meng didn’t look up. “It’s nothing. I’m looking at a description of this Master Lin. Today was really eye-opening. I want to see just what this person has done in the past.

D*mn. He’s really amazing. I didn’t think that he could be so amazing. Now I understand why those big men from today were so afraid of Master Lin. Who knew that Master Lin was publicly recognized as the best in the world at Kunlun Mountain? He’s way too powerful.”

Jin Meng looked at the description on the Internet and was amazed. Some of these things seemed scary to her.

In the end, Jin Meng was crying out.

“This Master Lin’s life is way too legendary. If I didn’t see it for myself, I wouldn’t believe it. Xue Yao, you have to seize this opportunity. If you can really get him, you would have hit the jackpot.

But the weird thing is that someone like him actually just sells scallion pancakes for a living. That’s really strange. And he even manages a welfare institute. That’s a really huge burden to bear.

But you can tell from this that Master Lin is really a kind person.”

As Yun Xue Yao heard Jin Meng’s ramblings, she started grinning.

She had always paid attention to Brother Lin, and she knew about everything he had done.

Thinking about it now, Brother Lin was really mystical.

The next day!

On the Internet, something had happened. This incident had something to do with Lin Fan, but Lin Fan wasn't the focus of it.

"The fashionable old man at the airport."

"This fashionable old man is unlike any other. He took down a criminal with a few strikes."

"Fashion doesn't discriminate against age."

"666... This old man is crazy. Did you guys see the video? Even I'm no match for him."

"He's really dressed boldly. His style is too intense. Look at that old man's photo. With those spectacles, he has an exceptional aura about him."

"I saw that scene of him taking down the criminal. It was really domineering. It's clear that he's an expert. He's an expert amongst experts."

"But this old man's luggage bag looks too old and tattered. It affects his stylish image."

"^What do you know? That's a rugged style. That's fashion, don't you understand? It doesn't affect his image at all."

The netizens discussed intensely. They were very excited about this piece of news.

"Why does this old man look so familiar. I feel like I've seen him somewhere before."

"I feel that way too. D*mn. I remember now. Isn't this Cloud Street's Fraud Tian? F*ck. His appearance has changed way too drastically. What kind of person influenced him to make such a huge change?"

“Is that for real? Fraud Tian?”

“^Is that true? I work in a clothing company and our company recently released a bunch of old-fashioned clothes. I want to get this man to be our model.”

“D*mn. That is Fraud Tian. It definitely is. I didn’t think that he would dress up like this. He has such an aura now that he usually doesn’t have.”

Haojiang. At the breakfast place.

Zhao Zhong Yang was playing with his phone when suddenly, he cried out.

“F*ck. Fraud, you’ve f*cking gone famous!”

“Huh?” Fraud Tian, who was having his breakfast, was confused. He had no idea what Zhao Zhong Yang was talking about.

Zhao Zhong Yang was dumbfounded. He felt that Fraud Tian’s clothes were disturbing, but those people on the Internet were saying that he looked stylish. Had they gone blind?

Lin Fan and Wu You Lan’s attentions were drawn in as well. They quickly took out their phones.

When they saw the news, even they were dumbfounded as well.

The society’s standard of beauty had changed drastically.

Chapter 1169: Casual gamble

“There are strange happenings every year, but there are particularly many this year. This has really been strange.”

Lin Fan held his phone, looking closely at the screen. But he still couldn’t tell what was so fashionable about the photo. Then, he looked up at Fraud Tian who was in front of him.

His f*cking style had changed yet again today.

His whole body was wrapped in green. And on the table was a pair of aviator sunglasses. What the f*ck was he thinking?

“What are you looking at? Has my style mesmerized you? Don’t worry, we’re all friends. I can recommend a website to you. The clothes there are not only cheap but also good-looking.

Fraud Tian grinned proudly. He already knew that he was famous now. He was very confident of his clothes because they had been bought from the website that had been recommended to him by that girl.

He had discovered that the clothes there were not only cheap but also good-looking, so he picked a number of them and bought all of them in one go.

This kid doesn’t get it. But as long as there are people who understand my fashion, that’s enough.

Look. Everyone on the Internet is talking about this. I’m leading the fashion trend!

“Let’s eat.”

Lin Fan put his head down and ate his porridge. He really couldn’t understand. Perhaps he was really lagging behind the trends.

Wu You Lan said with a smile, “Fraud, you’ve found a new source of income. There are many people who want you to be their model. They’d definitely pay a decent amount.”

“I won’t go.” Fraud Tian immediately waved his hand as if he didn’t care about all that.

Zhao Zhong Yang said, “Wow, you’re acting all awesome now. Why won’t you go?”

Fraud Tian chuckled. “I’m a man with principles. If I become their model and do whatever they tell me to do, what would that make me? I wouldn’t be able to take it. I’m not going.”

“Hahaha,” Lin Fan burst into laughter. “Fraud, they’d pay you a lot of money. Are you sure you don’t want it? Getting some extra income would be pretty good!”

“Money?” Fraud Tian was slightly taken aback. “About that... We’ll see. There will be people who’ll come looking for me. I’ll wait and see. I’m not someone who would do anything for money.”

“Are you sure about that? I just asked you for a bit of your winnings, but you couldn’t even bear to give me any. I even accompanied you to sleep yesterday!” Zhao Zhong Yang grumbled.

“F*ck off. Who would want to sleep with you? You snored all night like a pig.”

At that moment, everyone started chattering loudly.

Yun Xue Yao had put down all of her responsibilities at work. There were people in the company taking care of it. Right now, she just wanted to be by Brother Lin’s side and be their guide.

“Brother Lin, let’s visit some places of interest later. There are many places you guys haven’t been to yet,” said Yun Xue Yao cheerily.

“Alright.” Lin Fan nodded. “Eat quickly, everyone. We’ll be leaving soon.”

Lin Fung Temple. One of Haojiang’s big three ancient temples. It was a rather unique temple.

Over there, people worshipped Bodhisattva, Guan Yu, Mazu, as well as other deities. The worshippers got along well. It was a phenomenon that represented the highest level of culture in Confucian teachings.

When Lin Fan and the rest arrived, there were already many people at the entrance.

“This place isn’t big, but there are so many people.” Fraud Tian looked around. He hadn’t expected that there would be so many people here so early.

Zhao Zhong Yang said, “There are many people who come to Haojiang for vacation. We’re not the only ones so there would definitely be many people. Moreover, this place is close to several popular sites. It’s only natural that there are many people.”

The group of them walked in. Although the place was small, there were many statues inside.

Lin Fan saw Wu You Lan going in front of the Buddha's statues and praying. He had no idea what she was praying for, but since they had come all the way here, he naturally had to go and take a look as well.

Then, he followed the crowd and went in front of a large statue and prayed.

When nighttime came, they had gone to many places. They were really content.

They returned to the hotel.

"Brother Lin, why don't we go down to play a little?" said Wu You Lan.

Lin Fan asked with a smile, "You like to gamble?"

Wu You Lan shook her head. "I don't. But since we're here, I want to go and take a look."

Yun Xue Yao said from the side, "I'll bring you guys down."

Lin Fan said, "Xue Yao, it's fine if we just go to the regular lounge."

"Okay."

When Zhao Zhong Yang and Fraud Tian heard those words, they were excited as well, and they immediately followed behind.

The two of them knew just how amazing Lin Fan was. He was the Gambling God. If they followed him, they definitely wouldn't lose.

In the regular VIP lounge, there was a lot of noise. Among these noises, there were cheers as well as sighs.

Yun Xue Yao brought some chips over. They were worth several hundreds of thousands but Lin Fan only took a few tens of thousands.

Wu You Lan and Liu Xu took some each to go and play.

In here, beautiful ladies were not as popular as money. And the public relations staff here were very beautiful as well.

As Lin Fan just stood there, a beautiful lady came and asked sweetly for Lin Fan to get a membership card.

“He’s my friend. He doesn’t need to get a card.” Yun Xue Yao came over.

When the lady saw her, she nodded respectfully. “Yes, Chief Yun.”

In front of the gambling table.

Lin Fan said with smile, “You Lan, go ahead and play as you like.”

“Mmm.” Wu You Lan looked at the tabletop. She didn’t understand all this, but she just threw in a chip casually.

“You Lan, you shouldn’t do that. You should put your chip here,” said Fraud Tian with a chuckle before putting in a chip as well.

It wasn’t much, but it was just for fun.

Lin Fan had already seen through everything long ago. To him, gambling was way too simple. It was so simple that it was meaningless.

Instead, he looked curiously at the scene around him. Everyone’s expressions were different.

Some were excited, while others looked blank and seemingly calm. There were also some people who looked furious.

In here, one could see all kinds of emotions.

Some of the people of Haojiang had gambled their whole lives. It wasn't that they liked gambling very much. But they just couldn't get rid of this habit.

For example, an elderly man next to Lin Fan kept putting in thousands of dollars. Even when he lost, he would laugh cheerily. When he won, he would laugh cheerily as well. His expression was one of joy.

Meanwhile, Wu You Lan and the rest seemed like they were playing some kind of thrilling game. When they won, they would jump excitedly. When they lost, they would sigh.

Lin Fan just smiled as he stood at the side. He didn't give them any advice, nor did he say anything. If he were to say too much, it would become meaningless.

"Brother Lin, I lost." Wu You Lan had lost half of her chips.

Liu Xu, on the other hand, was smiling. She was perfectly calm. Whether she won or lost, she looked the same.

"It's fine. Take it slow. Maybe you'll win soon," said Lin Fan with a smile. Then, he took a chip and threw it on the table. "This one will win."

Soon after, he really won.

Wu You Lan was thrilled. She hugged Lin Fan's arm and jumped for joy. "You really won!"

Lin Fan chuckled. "Alright. Go ahead and play by yourself. Just enjoy yourself."

"This is the first time I've seen a youngster as calm as you," at that moment, the elderly man next to them said with a smile.

Lin Fan nodded. "The most important thing is just to enjoy the experience. If you rely on it to get rich, you'll be disappointed."

The old man smiled. "I didn't think such a young man would be able to understand this. When I understood that, I was already forty."

"Are you leaving already?" Lin Fan saw the old man about to leave so he asked curiously.

The old man nodded. "Yeah. It's already been half an hour. I don't like sitting for too long. I have to go home. My luck was pretty good too; I've already won several thousands."

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After playing for a while, Wu You Lan began to lose interest. Then, she gave her chips back to Yun Xue Yao before standing at the side and watching Fraud Tian and the rest play.

Liu Xu stopped playing as well. She had been winning and then losing again and again so she felt that it was quite pointless.

Meanwhile, Zhao Zhong Yang and Fraud Tian still hadn't gotten tired. In the end, Fraud Tian gave a long and helpless sigh.

"I've lost everything."

Fraud Tian was depressed. He had been winning at first but then he suddenly lost a few gambles consecutively.

"You've lost it all already?" Lin Fan grinned. "Don't think about it. If it's meant to be, it will be. If it's not, then it's not. It's useless even if you think about it."

Fraud Tian felt helpless. "If I knew, I wouldn't have played. I didn't think that I would lose it all in one go. That's really painful."

Zhao Zhong Yang said, "I told you. If you shared some of your money with me, you might have won. But you didn't believe me."

“Cheh. Even if I gave it to you, you would have lost. It’s better if I lose myself,” Fraud Tian retorted.

Then, they headed back to the hotel.

Meanwhile, Fraud Tian and Zhao Zhong Yang kept on quarrelling on the way back.

Several days later.

The vacation was coming to an end.

At the airport.

Yun Xue Yao couldn’t bear to see them leave. She hadn’t made any concrete progress in these few days, but she had been very happy. It was an indescribable sense of joy.

“Ah, beautiful Haojiang, I’m leaving! You’ve taken away my money,” Fraud Tian sighed at the entrance of the airport. He felt an indescribable pain in his heart.

These days had been like a roller coaster ride for him. He really couldn’t take it anymore.

Although those gambling chips had all been from Yun Xue Yao, those he had won had been his own.

Zhao Zhong Yang looked into the distance. “It’s exciting and fun but my heart can’t take it. The next time I come, I’ll only bring a few thousand dollars. I can’t take it.”

Lin Fan said, “Xue Yao, we’ve troubled you these few days. You haven’t even had time to work.”

For these few days, Yun Xue Yao had been accompanying them and she hadn’t even been able to work. She didn’t just pay for their meals but also for their fun.

Fraud Tian hadn't paid a single cent for his gambling chips. Instead, Yun Xue Yao had paid for all of it.

Those two guys had used up all of those chips.

"Not at all. I'm really glad that you've come to visit. You should all come back to play again next time," said Yun Xue Yao.

She was about to send them off at the airport. She couldn't quite bear it. It felt as if something important to her was about to be taken away.

Wu You Lan placed a hand on Yun Xue Yao's shoulder. "Xue Yao, when will you come to Shanghai? I'll definitely host you well when you come to Shanghai."

Yun Xue Yao smiled. "When I have the time, I'll come and look for you guys in Shanghai."

Liu Xu said, "Xue Yao, thank you so much for hosting us."

"This time, we've really visited many places in Haojiang. We've pretty much gone everywhere. If it weren't for you bringing us around, it would only have been a dream," said Lin Fan with a smile. This trip had been pretty good. They had managed to see many places.

Everyone nodded. They were all very satisfied. They felt that this vacation had been a lot of fun.

But Lin Fan was depressed to leave as well. It was a complicated feeling and he couldn't quite take it.

"Alright, it's about time. We'll be going in now. You guys can go back now, Xue Yao." Lin Fan looked at the time. It was almost time to board.

"Goodbye."

Wu You Lan and the rest waved at Xue Yao as they walked into the departure area.

Yun Xue Yao stood there, waving her hand. Her eyes started to well up.

Jin Meng stood at the side. Seeing her best friend start to tear up, she was taken aback. “Xue Yao, what’s up with you? Are you really crying?”

“Sigh. I don’t know when we’ll see each other again. I can’t bear it,” said Yun Xue Yao sadly.

“Don’t think too much. It’s not like we’re living in the past when it took forever to travel to another place. Travelling is so simple now. If you want to see them, it would only take a few hours,” Jin Meng said with a smile.

However, she knew that her best friend had fallen in love this time. And she had fallen very deep.

At the same time, the difficulty level was on hell mode. It was extremely difficult for something to happen out of this.

Yun Xue Yao nodded as she stood there staring. Then, she sighed and said, “Let’s go. When I have the time, I’ll go to Shanghai.”

In the airport.

Lin Fan, Fraud Tian, and the rest were carrying several luggage bags. They were quite heavy since they were all filled with local products that had been prepared by Yun Xue Yao. As they had been leaving, she had given these to them.

“Xue Yao is too courteous. She not only brought us around to play, but she even bought so many things for us to bring back.” Fraud Tian was delighted. He felt that this vacation had been pretty good.

It had been a terrific experience.

Zhao Zhong Yang was carrying several bags. “Yeah. Let’s hurry up and check these in. I can’t hold these much longer.”

Lin Fan said, “What kind of man are you? You can’t even hold a few bags? Sigh...”

“Brother Lin, you and Fraud Tian are both Kung Fu practitioners. How can I compare to you?” said Zhao Zhong Yang helplessly. He was the weakest man among the three.

Even an old man was stronger than him. He didn’t even know what to say.

When the luggage had been checked in, Zhao Zhong Yang let out a deep breath. It had finally been taken care of.

The next day!

Cloud Street!

They had returned to Shanghai the previous day and gone back to their own homes to rest. After all, they were all quite tired.

“D*mn. Who is this? Is that you, Fraud?” Elder Liang was eating his breakfast and drinking his soy milk when he saw Fraud Tian dressed in his flashy clothing. He almost spat out his soy milk.

He was dumbfounded. Was he seeing a ghost?

“What do you mean, Elder Liang? What’s wrong?” Fraud Tian said in a slightly displeased tone. This guy almost spat out his soy milk when he saw me. Does he have a problem with me?

Elder Liang quickly wiped his mouth. He was stunned. “No, no. Fraud, what are you doing, dressing like that? Are you acting in a play?”

“What do you know? This is fashion. Haven’t you seen the news recently? That person on the news is me,” said Fraud Tian. He felt that these guys really didn’t understand fashion. They were worlds apart from him.

Walking on the forefront of the fashion trend, he realized that he had great potential.

Thinking about how he used to dress, he felt that it was really ugly.

If he had discovered this earlier, perhaps he would have been an international fashion star. He wouldn't have had to read fortunes on the bridge.

Elder Liang was completely dumbfounded. He wondered what on earth Fraud Tian had gone through to have changed so drastically.

He had changed so much that he was barely recognizable.