

Valiant Life 161

Chapter 161: Challenge

Before Lin Fan could respond, a man and a woman each held onto one of Lin Fan's hands and said, "Thank you...thank you..."

"No problem...no problem. Let go, it hurts..." Lin Fan took a deep breath, feeling pain in his hand.

The surrounding townsfolk quickly spoke.

"Let go of Master Lin's hand quickly. His hand became swollen because he used it to break the door."

The man and woman heard what the citizens said and immediately let go of Lin Fan's hands. They quickly apologized, "Sorry, we really did not know."

Lin Fan waved, "No big deal, all these are just small matters. You do not need to be so courteous."

Even though he said so, to them, it was not a small matter. Lin Fan was someone who saved their children, how could they not thank him?

Also, his hand was swollen due to him trying to save their children. If one had a little conscience, they would not just be okay with it. However, there are many people in this world without a conscience.

Because of the rescue, Lin Fan was injured. However, some people may not have thanked him. If they were a little more obnoxious, they might even say that they did not ask him to rescue their child...

Of course, there weren't many such people. If everyone thought that way, then society would become very frightening.

This couple did not lack money. Not many poor people could afford an apartment over there. At that moment, they were offering to give money and treat Lin Fan to a meal to thank him. This made Lin Fan feel awkward as he did not think it was necessary. At last, after Lin Fan rejected them a couple of times, the couple finally left. It did not occur to the couple that there was such a good man living in their neighborhood, across their street.

After watching the couple leave, Lin Fan felt relieved. Life could be so interesting sometimes. He went back to the store to rest and realized that sitting in the store was the most meaningful to him. Even when visiting other places, he didn't know what to do there. He felt that it was better to stay in the shop to chat with the rest.

He saw the news on the internet and did not know what to say. He felt like ever since he received the Encyclopedia, he just kept making news on the internet.

His Weibo also gained many fans, and the comments left by netizens were all praising him. He was already used to such high praise. After all, it wasn't like it just happened for the first time.

With regards to the negative criticism brought upon the two locks companies, he was also helpless. He could not put the blame on himself, as the skills from the Encyclopedia were simply too powerful. Furthermore, at that point in time, the situation was so urgent and that was definitely the fastest way to resolve it.

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After a few days.

Lin Fan's hand was almost fully recovered, but still slightly swollen. However, if one did not look closely, it would not appear to be injured. Every day, the townsfolk visited the store even though they were aware that the scallion pancakes had stopped selling. To the townsfolk, it was a habit. If they didn't queue for the pancakes, they would feel uncomfortable.

Fraud Tian took out his handphone to show Lin Fan, "Look, this Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors looks like they are staging a war against you."

Lin Fan raised his head and took the phone, "They do not even have any sincerity, yet they still want me to go. I will not go."

Fraud Tian nodded, "I think so too. How could we have time to go to them? Furthermore, we are not urgent about this matter, I think it is because they do not know what to do that they said something like that."

In those few days, Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors became famous. Every day, there was news about the quality of the doors. Some news was published by Supreme Tiger company, but no matter what, everyone who saw the video did not believe them.

On the other hand, Yue Ma Locks did not comment anything. It might have been waiting for Supreme Tiger Locks Company to comment first.

Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors Company: "We invite Master Lin down to our headquarters and under the witness of reporters, we challenge him to unlock the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors. If he can unlock it, we will reward him \$2 million."

This was posted on Weibo, and they tagged Lin Fan.

Weibo netizens were all very excited to see the challenge.

To Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors, if they couldn't prove their name, this incident would haunt them forever, making them a laughing stock.

Therefore, this time, the President of Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors had declared a challenge on Lin Fan.

Lin Fan replied, "I'm not free..."

After replying, Lin Fan immediately closed his Weibo and continued enjoying his relaxing life.

At the headquarters of Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors.

A reporter asked, "May I ask, Chief Zhong, what do you have to say about the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors being knocked down by 10 blows? Also, it was said that the doors are not as good as what was advertised."

Chief Zhong faced the reporter, "We are aware of this matter. Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors is our company's main product. We can assure its quality as it has been approved by the country. There are definitely no problems with it."

The reporter asked again, "Chief Zhong, based on market research, the sales of the company has been drastically dropping these days. Many customers also requested for refunds, how are you going to resolve it?"

Chief Zhong replied, "My dear reporter, our sales have not dropped drastically. It is because some citizens do not understand our products, and have believed the comments on the internet, hence they asked for refunds. We have assured the citizens before, by allowing them to try our doors out first before paying for it. If there is robbery within a year, our company is willing to bear all responsibility."

The reporters nodded and were amazed by Chief Zhong's behavior. "May I ask, Chief Zhong, your company initiated a challenge against Master Lin, and he replied that he has no time for it. What is your next step?"

Chief Zhong replied, "Our company will prepare a sample and visit Master Lin in Shanghai for the challenge. If Master Lin can use his skills to open it, we will prepare \$2 million for him as a reward."

The reporter asked, "Do you have confidence in your product? Since Master Lin used his hand to knock down the door."

Chief Zhong hesitated, then laughed, "We have confidence in our own products. Based on our research, Master Lin knows martial arts. Him using his hands to knock down our door is not impossible. However, he said that he can use 10 minutes to unlock our product, this, I do not believe that. All our employees do not believe him either. Therefore, this time, with the reporters present, I will prove that our fingerprint doors are the best in the industry, and not a second-class product as said on the Internet."

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On the Internet.

The reporters published the interview online. To the netizens, this interested them more than any other news.

Many who knew Master Lin had been following this incident. They were very curious as to the final outcome of this incident.

Will Master Lin be able to unlock the door within 10 minutes and win the \$2 million?

Chapter 162: The fans that shout 666

At the hospital!

To Zhao Zhong Yang, today was an anticipated day. He could finally discharge from the hospital after the surgery.

The doctor said, "Congratulations, you can be discharged now."

Zhao Zhong Yang, who was lying on the bed with a radiant face, smiled and looked at his handphone camera as he shouted, "Did you hear that? Your Brother Yang can finally discharge from the hospital."

The fans in the online broadcast room immediately became excited. They had followed Zhong Zhao Yang's health progress since his surgery till now, watching him defeat his illness.

"Congratulations Brother Yang for having a new life."

"I feel like crying. Our Brother Yang is no doubt a person who will live long. He is still so strong."

"Brother Yang, you should go and broadcast Master Lin in future since he is so famous now."

"Cool... I support."

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The doctor stood there, feeling happy for him too. It was so rare to meet such a kind-hearted patient.

"Boy, do exercise more in future and take care of your diet. Also, remember to come back for your check-ups."

Zhao Zhong Yang nodded, "Thank you, doctor. This period has been tough for you all."

Zhao Zhong Yang parents were over the moon. During this period when he had been in the hospital, they were worried because their son was not as energetic as before.

After getting discharged from the hospital.

"The air outside is still fresher after all," Zhao Zhong Yang took a deep breath and turned around, "Dad, Mum, please go home first. I'm going out to take a walk."

"Yang Yang, you just got discharged from the hospital. You should take more rest," Mother Zhao said worriedly.

"Mum, don't be worried. The doctor already said that I should exercise more. There will not be any problems," Zhao Zhong Yang said.

At last, after much convincing, his parents finally left.

Zhao Zhong Yang shouted at his phone, "Let's move out! Destination: Master Lin's shop."

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At Cloud Street.

Lin Fan's hand had almost recovered fully and he no longer needed to wear his glove. However, if he used too much force, he would still feel pain. The scallion pancakes could wait.

The townsfolk who always bought his scallion pancakes also understood that and did not rush Lin Fan. Every day, they would visit Lin Fan to check on his progress.

Suddenly, a noise came from outside.

"Everyone, this is Cloud Street. We have reached Master Lin's shop..."

Lin Fan raised his head and walked outside to take a look.

Zhao Zhong Yang ran in with a smile on his face, "Master Lin, do you remember me?"

Lin Fan smiled "I remember, you're the broadcaster. How is your recovery coming along? Are you feeling better?"

"Master Lin, thank you for reminding me the other time, if not I would definitely be in a wreck now." Zhao Zhong Yang felt very grateful. He took out his camera and faced Lin Fan, "Everyone, this is Master Lin. Do all of you feel excited?"

Inside the broadcast, gifts started coming in, and there was a row of comments '6666...'

Some of the newcomers did not know who Master Lin was. However, after reading the comments of others, they finally understood the hype surrounding Master Lin.

Zhao Zhong Yang stood in front of Lin Fan, "Master Lin, can I stay with you and broadcast in the future?"

Lin Fan suspiciously asked, "Broadcast?"

Zhao Zhong Yang nodded, "Yes, this is broadcasting, to let everyone see your daily life. I promise, I will not interrupt your work and will not tell anyone your secrets."

"I do not work much every day and do not have any secrets," Lin Fan laughed and took Zhao Zhong Yang's phone. He waved to the camera, "Hello everyone, I'm Master Lin."

At that moment, everyone in the broadcast room got excited.

"666..., Master Lin greeted us."

"I'm so excited and happy. Master Lin finally greeted us."

"Master Lin is so handsome, I want to give you my baby."

"Let's not talk so much but just welcome Master Lin, starting with 50 rockets..."

Although it was the first time Lin Fan was broadcasting, he was not nervous. He said, "Thank you 'Little Brother also wants to become God Hao' for your 50 rockets. If you tell me your birth numbers, I can read your fortune for you as your gift."

"Wah, Brother God Hao, you are so lucky."

"F*ck, Master Lin himself offered to help you to read your fortune! You have heavenly luck."

Little Brother also wants to become God Hao, "Thank you, Master Lin, but I do not know what my birth numbers are. However, my birth date is 9 June 1991 and I was born at 7 am."

Lin Fan smiled, "That is enough."

Zhao Zhong Yang stood by the side, thinking about how great Master Lin was. Not only did he know how to read fortunes, he also broadcasted so well. If Master Lin entered the world of broadcasting, Zhao Zhong Yang himself would not be able to survive.

Lin Fan put on an act and used his rubbed his fingers together. Everyone who saw this on the screen was surprised.

"One look and you would know Master Lin is a great man. His hand gestures are so abnormal."

"666, it feels like he's so good at everything."

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Lin Fan smiled, "'A little sheep in the morning', your fortune is not bad. Don't worry about eating or drinking. Stay with your current career. After you reach thirty, it will be fruitful. However, this is still quite far ahead. These few days when you have nothing to do, go and take a walk in the park and you might find another female sheep."

"What a joke, I puked out my 82 years old mineral water, what the heck is this female sheep about."

"Ha ha, could it be that Brother God Hao wants to f*ck the female sheep?"

"What kind of attitudes do you all have? Master Lin is saying that Brother God Hao has luck with the opposite sex and will be able to exit his single life."

Little Brother also wants to become God Hao said, "Master Lin, is this true? Don't lie to me. I am an introvert who stays at home every day, and I don't even know any girls."

Lin Fan smiled, "Go and try. Even if I lied to you, you would still be able to get some fresh air, right?"

Little Brother also wants to become God Hao said, "Thank you, Master Lin. I'm left with little allowance, but I will give you another 10 rockets..."

Lin Fan handed the phone to Zhao Zhong Yang. This broadcast was really interesting.

Inside the broadcast room, some fans also sent gifts.

"Master Lin, read my fortune too. I will send 10 rockets."

"Sob, I am so poor and can only send 1 rocket. Master Lin, help me count mine too."

Zhao Zhong Yang looked at the situation in the broadcast room and pretended to be angry, "All of you abandoned me. But once Master Lin started broadcasting, all of you all started giving gifts to him. What about me?"

"Don't be angry, Brother Yang. I will give you 20 rockets."

Zhao Zhong Yang laughed, "I'm just joking. Since everyone is so familiar, there is no need for gifts. Never thought Master Lin would be so good at broadcasting too. From now on, I will be with Master Lin. Are you all happy?"

"Yes. But even if you are with Master Lin, you still must remember to come online on time."

"I'm so excited. If Master Lin picks me in the future to give some advice, I would be so happy."

Zhao Zhong Yang smiled, "All of you think very positively but all these will only be possible if Master Lin agrees. If Master Lin does not agree, I cannot be with him to broadcast. Everyone, let's compliment Master Lin so that I can stay with him and broadcast."

Zhao Zhong Yang looked at Master Lin with a face full of smiles, "Master Lin, can I broadcast you in future? Don't worry, I'm very obedient and I can take hardships. If there are any troubles, I will be the first one to protect you."

Lin fan laughed and thought that this was very amusing, "Sure..."

Zhao Zhong Yang was very excited, "Have you heard that? Master Lin agreed..."

"I will shout 666..."

Chapter 163: I'm not comparable to him

The next day!

Ever Since Zhao Zhong Yang the news anchor joined them, the atmosphere in the shop became livelier.

Wu You Lan was very beautiful. When she appeared in the broadcast room, she would gain everyone's attention. She was a Goddess, indeed.

She was even prettier than some of the popular female anchors.

Zhao Zhong Yang felt suddenly that his existence was so small. Previously, his fans loved to watch him boast but now, all his fans wanted to watch Master Lin and their goddess instead. What was even more frightening was that these fans even liked Fraud Tian, who sat at the entrance smoking every day.

He understood why he wasn't as popular as Master Lin and Wu You Lan, but he did not understand why he couldn't even be compared to Fraud Tian. When Fraud Tian opened his mouth, all it showed was a row of yellow teeth. Zhao Zhong Yang really couldn't accept it.

The fans requested to see Fraud Tian, so Zhao Zhong Yang went to the entrance and pointed his camera towards him.

The initial silly expression of Fraud Tian turned into a deep expression when he discovered the camera. His cigarette in his hand was left with the stub only.

Zhong Zhong Yang looked at the comments and the gifts sent and did not know what to say. What did the fans nowadays like to watch? Even when Fraud Tian did not speak a word, the fans were still so excited.

"Wah, he's so handsome. His stance when he's smoking is so imposing."

"That expression in his eyes shows how much he has experienced throughout his life."

"Enough said, I will send some rockets..."

Fraud Tian smoked one puff, threw the cigarette stub under his feet, and spat his phlegm. With his hoarse voice, he said, "I was once undefeatable on this Earth. I hugged beautiful girls too but with the times changing, I'm becoming useless and old."

Everyone in the broadcast became excited as it was their first-time hearing Fraud Tian speak.

"666...I told you all, he is a great man. Look at that expression in his eyes, he must have experienced a lot."

"I feel like becoming his disciple."

"There can be nothing we can do with the changing of times. Even with skills, we will still be useless. This is a tragic truth."

"Idol, don't say anymore. I will send you a gift..."

Zhao Zhong Yang was shocked. This guy's bragging was flawless. What an actor.

Fraud Tian stood up, held his hands behind his back and walked towards the house...

This consistent style of his made the fans become obsessed. Zhao Zhong Yang was shocked. He couldn't help but sigh as he could not even compare to Fraud Tian...

At this moment, Zhao Zhong Yang saw a bunch of reporters walking towards the house. Then, he shouted towards the inside of the house.

"There are reporters coming!"

Lin Fan was playing with 'Arena of Valor' on his handphone. He was fully immersed in it. When he heard Zhao Zhong Yang's voice, he was startled.

Why are the reporters here again?

When the reporters reached the entrance, it was confirmed that these reporters were here for him again. Many townsfolk also surrounded the entrance.

Lin Fan asked, "What are you all doing here?"

This time, the reporters acted a little different. They came fully equipped and did not crowd up to him to interview him. It was as if they were shooting some show.

At this moment, a middle-aged man walked in, looked at Lin Fan and initiated a handshake.

Lin Fan felt suspicious but shook his hand. Lin Fan asked, "You are?"

Chief Zhong replied politely, "Hi Master Lin, I am the chairman of Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors, Zhang Zhong Ming. I am here to issue you a challenge."

Lin Fan did not expect that they would personally visit him.

According to normal situations, the matter should have been over.

Chief Zhong continued, "Master Lin, you said in the broadcast that you can unlock the fingerprint doors in 10 minutes. I do not believe this, so this time, I have brought a sample of the door to let you try to unlock it. If you can unlock it, I will give you \$2 million as your reward."

The reporter said, "Master Lin, this is a live broadcast. Will you accept Chief Zhong's challenge?"

Lin Fan was shocked and did not imagine that such a thing would happen.

Meanwhile, on some online website.

Many netizens are watching the live broadcast.

"This time, Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors are personally going to announce their challenge, what do you think will happen?"

"Hehe, what else can happen? They will lose. What on earth can stop Master Lin?"

"This broadcast's influence is huge, and it will affect Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors a lot."

"I realized that this has no connections to Master Lin at all. I think this must be the doing of some other locks company."

"I think so too, even if that video broadcast was popular, it can't have been so popular that everyone is aware of it. It must be the doing of someone trying to pull Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors down."

"This Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors is so unlucky. This was a top-selling product but they've met someone terrifying like Master Lin."

Inside the broadcast room.

"666...finally something interesting is about to happen. Brother Yang is on the site having a live broadcast too. We are so lucky."

"This Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors is about to become a tragedy. They actually dared to visit Lin Fan upfront to declare their challenge. This chairman must be someone who hates losing."

"What are you all talking about? I'm new here and just followed Brother Yang. Is this Brother Yang's live broadcast? What is happening now?"

"Newbie, come over. I will explain to you."

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Lin Fan looked at Chief Zhong and turned to look at the reporters. They were serious about this challenge.

The Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors was the top product in their industry. However, unlocking it was not difficult.

Also, since this \$2 million came up to his door by itself, it would be a waste for him to not take it.

Lin Fan smiled, "Sure, I will accept this challenge."

Chief Zhong nodded, "Don't worry Master Lin, I brought the \$2 million. No matter what the result is, I will accept it. However, I believe in my product."

Chief Zhong's attitude was good, so Lin Fan didn't want to embarrass him. Also, he was aware of the situation on the internet. The impact of this challenge was going to be big.

The Supreme Tiger employees brought a new fingerprint door and placed it at the store's entrance.

More citizens surrounded the shop and started discussing.

The reporters were very excited.

A reporter asked, "Chief Zhong, are you nervous now? If Master Lin really unlocks the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door, it will affect your company greatly."

Chief Zhong replied, "I am a little nervous but I believe in my company's product. Being affected by external situations is what each company will face. We can only improve if we know where the mistake lies."

At this moment, several chairmen of different lock companies were also watching the broadcast.

Yue Xin Locks, which was also a big lock company had been waiting for this moment. If Master Lin were to unlock the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door, this would affect the Supreme Tiger greatly. Their market capital would then drop and they could use this opportunity to take over the market.

This time, since Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors got involved in this incident, they naturally used this chance to expand their influence.

Fraud Tian asked, "Are you confident?"

Lin Fan smiled but did not speak a word. He touched the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door, the texture of the copper door made Lin Fan a little fearful.

At the same time, Chief Zhong prepared the toolbox for the lockpicking and left it at the side. The employees of Supreme Tiger held their breath while they waited for the result.

Chapter 164: It wasn't supposed to be like this!

The reporter said, "Everyone who is watching this live broadcast, Master Lin is now touching the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door. The atmosphere here is very grave. Although Chief Zhong has confidence in his product, we can see that he is very nervous as the person he is challenging today is Master Lin."

The reporter continued, "Master Lin is someone with talent. Not only is he good at reading fortunes, he is also good at making scallion pancakes, martial arts and even unlocking doors. However, we are not sure if the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door can withstand Master Lin."

The reporter asked, "May I ask, Master Lin, you used your hands to knock down the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door in the video. Was it due to the poor quality of the door?"

Chief Zhong heard the reporter's question and raised a doubt. He dared to swear that the quality of the door did not have any problems. All materials chosen were of the best quality, and no shoddy work was involved.

Lin Fan turned around and smiled, "How can it be bad? If it is a normal copper door, I would not have used so much strength. The quality of Chief Zhong's Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors is definitely good. Although I am not familiar with copper doors, when I compare it with other copper doors I've seen before, the materials used in Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors are the best."

Chief Zhong was shocked and showed a grateful expression. He did not think that Master Lin would compliment the quality of the copper door. This was nothing he had imagined. Based on Chief Zhong's experience, people would normally boast about themselves and belittle the opponent. However, Master Lin did not. This changed his impression of Master Lin in his heart.

Inside the live broadcast room.

"Huh? Why do I feel that the situation is weird? It seems like Master Lin is complimenting the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door."

"Hehe, what do you guys know. That was not a compliment, but the truth. Do you really think that Master Lin is like other people, who only know how to belittle the opponent and boast about themselves?"

"Not sure whether Master Lin will be able to unlock the door. Although I know that Master Lin previously knocked it down, if he relies on technique this time, I am a little skeptical."

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At this moment, Lin Fan took out a long tool from the toolbox and started prying the door open. He inserted the tool through the peephole. "Chief Zhong's products are not bad. They designed the small details very well and thought of every possible scenario. Normally when this tool is inserted through the peephole, ninety percent of the doors could be unlocked.

However, this handle has been designed to be an oval shape. This would prevent any pets from opening the door and can prevent this kind of tools from unlocking the doors from inside."

Chief Zhong listened and smiled. When he was designing the product, he thought of this possibility. Therefore, he changed the shape of the handle to an oval shape to prevent such situations from happening. He was very happy after getting complimented by Master Lin.

The reporters witnessed the happenings and felt that the situation was amusing. This did not seem like a challenge to unlock the door. It seemed like he was complimenting the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door.

Inside the live broadcast room.

"F*ck, this is the first time I've heard that you can unlock the door through the peephole."

"If I did not watch this broadcast, I would never have thought about this idea."

"This Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door does not seem to be as useless as the Internet deems it to be."

"Do you guys feel weird about this situation?"

"There's nothing wrong, I'm enjoying it."

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Lin Fan put the tool down, took up a water toy gun and explained, "Every electronic door uses electricity to run and it is weak to water. Water can destroy the wires in the door and trip the electricity, hence unlocking the door. However, I realized that the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door is tightly sealed. Even with a water gun, it's useless"

Lin Fan opened the water toy gun and shot towards the door but nothing changed. "Look, the fingerprint pad is still lit up. This means that there is no damage to the door. Chief Zhong has really put in a lot of effort in sealing the door. Right, Chief Zhong?"

Chief Zhong immediately nodded and said, "Yes, our employees thought a lot about a way to seal the door to prevent a water gun from destroying the wires inside."

He thought that Master Lin was indeed a Master. Just by looking, he understood the different features of the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door.

Lin Fan smiled and took out a stun gun. "Electronic doors are not only afraid of water but also electricity. Although this Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door has no holes, the stun gun can still destroy the wires inside. However, based on my years of experience, I realized that the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors put in a lot of effort in insulating the door from electricity. This is also a key feature of the door, preventing the attack of stun guns."

In front of the camera, Lin Fan fired the stun gun towards the fingerprint pad. "The fingerprint pad is still lit up, which means that it is not affected. This feature is the best of the best. You must have spent a lot of time on researching this feature, Chief Zhong."

Chief Zhong became increasingly excited. He felt like he had met someone who understood himself. He slapped his thigh and raised a thumbs up at Lin Fan, "Master Lin, you have great vision. We researched this feature for six months and finally found a solution. We also invited specialists to help with the research. We have ownership of this technology in the country."

The employees who accompanied Chief Zhong were very proud of themselves. This was the result of their hard work and with the compliments of Master Lin, they became even prouder.

The reporters could not believe what they had seen. They felt the atmosphere had changed but could not quite put their finger to it. This seemed like it was the product launch of the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door.

And the professional, Master Lin, was personally explaining the product.

Inside the live broadcast room.

"F*ck, I finally realized that Master Lin and Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door are just flattering each other."

"Me too, I finally realized it too. Master Lin is complimenting the features and Chief Zhong is complimenting Master Lin's knowledge."

"D*mn, I imagined too much. I wanted to see Master Lin beating Chief Zhong but now, it's just both parties complimenting each other. And they're even acting like it's natural."

"F*ck, after listening to Master Lin's explanation, I feel like changing all the doors in my house to the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door."

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Those people who were waiting for Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors to get embarrassed by Master Lin were all shocked. What the heck was going on?

It was said that the broadcast was about unlocking the door in 10 minutes. Why did it become a product review session?

How would this make the market share of Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door drop? This was in the favor of Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors.

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Chapter 165: To laugh or to cry

Chief Zhong was no longer nervous and was even feeling proud. It was as if he was waiting for Master Lin to point out issues with the door. And if he really did point out any, then Chief Zhong would feel even more excited.

He felt that Master Lin was very professional and if he really did point out any issues, it would not be embarrassing at all.

Since the different features of the doors had been pointed out by Master Lin, Chief Zhong also stepped in to explain further. The technology used was of high value and the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door comprised of different top technologies. It was not like any other door that misled their consumers.

The live broadcast room was a mess.

"We've been tricked."

"Up till now, I only understand two things. Firstly, Master Lin is very incredible. Secondly, the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door is also very incredible."

"I feel like buying a Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door now. But can we please start unlocking the door?"

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The reporter went forward and asked, "Master Lin, can we try unlocking the door first? Everyone is waiting."

"Sure, let's unlock it." Lin Fan nodded and turned to look at Chief Zhong, "Chief Zhong, I am going to unlock it now. Do not be nervous."

Chief Zhong smiled, "Master Lin, please do. I would be happy to admit defeat if you unlock it. However, I still do not believe that you can unlock it within ten minutes."

Lin Fan smiled and started finding his tool. This door did not have a keyhole. To a locksmith, it was impossible to unlock. However, to Lin Fan, there was no problem. The lockpicking skill from the Encyclopedia was really powerful. Although it was not as good as compared to his fortune-telling skill and scallion pancake skill, but still powerful.

The reporters zoomed in their cameras, trying to capture every moment clearly.

Chief Zhong also went forward and looked at every action of Master Lin's. He still felt nervous, but not as much as compared to when they first arrived.

Lin Fan started picking the lock while saying, "Chief Zhong, your product is really not bad."

Chief Zhong smiled proudly, "Master Lin, of course. Our Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door is the true conscientious door."

Lin Fan nodded, "True, it is difficult to unlock without any opening. Furthermore, it is a fingerprint lock, which is more complicated than a pin lock."

The reporter asked, "Chief Zhong, are there differences between fingerprint locks and pin locks?"

Chief Zhong looked at the reporter and proudly replied, "Fingerprint locks are unique and have high security. Even though pin locks have high security as well, it is still just a password. It is difficult to ensure that the password will not be leaked. The main difference is the complex system of the fingerprint lock. If the door is used long enough, there will be more issues surfacing with pin locks..."

Chief Zhong was very confident in his product as it was his hard work. He still felt that Master Lin would not be able to unlock the door within ten minutes.

The surrounding townsfolds looked at the time.

"Four minutes have passed. I'm not sure whether Master Lin can succeed."

"Heh, I trust him. He will definitely succeed, let's wait and see."

"He is not anxious at all and is still taking his time. He must be confident."

Inside the live broadcast room.

"D*mn, I don't understand what he's doing at all."

"I also don't understand what he's doing. However, it feels like he's very professional."

"What's the use of being professional? What matters is if it's effective. I feel that Master Lin is stuck."

Zhao Zhong Yang was holding his phone. The comments were flooding his screen.

"I will bet ten rockets that Master Lin can unlock the door."

"I will also bet ten. Look at his movements, they are so smooth. Also, look at his expression, it is so calm."

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Fraud Tian stood aside and looked at Lin Fan. He felt regret for not knowing Lin Fan ten years earlier. He could have learned this skill and unlocked some old widows' door.

However, thinking ten years back, Lin Fan was still a child.

A reporter said, "Everyone, Master Lin is trying his best to unlock the door now. Seven minutes have passed, and we are not sure how long more he will take. Let's see what is Chief Zhong thinks."

The reporter asked, "Chief Zhong, seven minutes have passed. Do you think it is still possible?"

Chief Zhong smiled, "No way. I do not understand Master Lin's way of unlocking. Based on my experience, it is impossible the door in ten minutes. However, even if the door cannot be unlocked, I still respect Master Lin's skills."

The reporter replied, "Chief Zhong, I think you can rest assured this time. Your product has given Master Lin a lot of stress."

Chief Zhong smiled, "Yes, I am relieved now. Master Lin previously used his hand to knock down the door. As everyone knows, Master Lin is a martial arts expert and based on his skills, if he wants to open a door, he can just use his hands to smash it open..."

The reporters laughed and agreed on the ability of Master Lin.

Click!

At that moment, everyone heard a curious sound.

Lin Fan stood up and shook his feet. "My legs are numb from squatting. The door is unlocked..."

The confident Chief Zhong was shocked and in disbelief.

In the live broadcast room.

"What is going on? I still don't understand."

"Me too, I just blanked out for a moment and the door is unlocked?"

"F*ck, can anyone explain how it was unlocked?"

"F*ck, this is so f*cking awesome. I am thoroughly convinced."

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The reporters quickly rushed forward, "Master Lin, you unlocked the door?"

"See for yourself," Lin Fan gave a pull and the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door really opened.

The surrounding townsfolk cried out in disbelief. They did not know how Master Lin opened the door even though they were observing him the whole time.

Lin Fan smiled, "It should be around eight minutes now. I didn't expect that I could do it below ten minutes."

Those major electronic door companies who were watching the live broadcast started laughing. They did not expect that it would require just eight minutes to open the door. This time, the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door could no longer explain it. But before they became too excited, what came next from the broadcast left them all shocked.

Chief Zhong was shocked and did not know what to say.

The reporter asked, "Master Lin, is it easy to open this Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door?"

Lin Fan was surprised and smiled, "This is not easy at all."

The reporter replied, "You took less than ten minutes. Only eight minutes and you managed to unlock it."

Lin Fan shook his head, "Chief Zhong's door is different from the rest of the electronic doors. I only need one to two minutes to unlock the rest, but I require eight minutes for this door. Among all the electronic doors I have seen, this door has the best quality. I respect Chief Zhong's technological team."

The reporter asked, "Master Lin, do you mean that the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door is the most powerful currently?"

Lin fan nodded, "Yes, this is the best among all the electronic doors I have come across."

The reporter awkwardly replied, "But it only took eight minutes to unlock..."

Lin Fan calmly replied, "To withstand my hands for eight minutes is considered quite a feat already. Till now, there has been no such door like the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door that can last so long."

As Chief Zhong listened to Lin Fan, he opened his mouth in disbelief. He did not know what to say.

A door that can only withstand eight minutes was already considered the best in Master Lin's opinion. What kind of sick person could say that?

Chief Zhong bitterly laughed, not sure to be happy or sad. He gave Lin Fan a thumbs up, "Master Lin, I admit defeat. Looks like my product is not good enough."

Lin Fan waved his hand, "Chief Zhong, you are too humble. Your door has no problems and to withstand eight minutes is enough to be considered the country's best."

Even at this moment, both were still complimenting each other.

However, in the end, Lin Fan still had to be the one wrap things up.

Chapter 166: Hope to work together again!

The surrounding townsfolk gasped in surprise. They were in awe of Little Boss' ability. After Little Boss' test, they saw that numerous methods couldn't be used to unlock the door. They also gained a new interest in the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors.

One of the townsfolk asked curiously, "Little Boss, I use a Joyful Electronic Burglar-Proof Door at home. How long would you take to unlock it?"

Lin Fan laughed as if oblivious to how shocking it sounded, he said, "Probably one or two minutes, maybe less."

The townsfolk were astounded. They realized that there was almost no door that couldn't be opened by Little Boss. It was rather scary to think about. If Little Boss decided to become a burglar, there was probably not a single home that could keep him out.

At that moment, the people at Joyful Locks Company, who were watching the broadcast, wanted to vomit blood. They really felt like cutting up that guy who asked the question.

However, they had nothing to say about Master Lin. They didn't dare to challenge him personally like Chief Zhang did. They didn't have the guts to do it. They understood the quality of their own products all too well.

The reporters were recording the scene from the side. The situation was nothing like what they had expected. In their eyes, someone had to be defeated in this challenge. They thought that if Master Lin was defeated, everyone would say that he was all talk and no substance. If Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors was defeated, everyone would say that they had bad quality products.

However, even though the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door was defeated, it seemed that they had gained even more. They stood above all the other electronic doors and their doors became the electronic doors that could resist Master Lin for the longest.

Due to how widespread the internet had become, and the fact that it was all broadcasted, this just became a perfect advertisement for them.

Chief Zhong stepped forward and shook Lin Fan's hand, "I'm in admiration of Master Lin's skills. If possible, could you please leave your number?"

Lin Fan laughed, "Sure."

Then, the two of them traded phone numbers. Although Chief Zhong had lost to Master Lin, he wasn't sore about it at all. In fact, he was delighted. To receive an acknowledgment from Master Lin was more effective than any form of advertisement.

Although eight minutes wasn't long at all, his Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door was the only electronic door that was able to last so long against Master Lin. The other electronic doors only lasted one or two minutes against him and anyone could easily see that.

Two employees, each holding onto a black suitcase, stood behind Chief Zhong. In those two suitcases was two million dollars of cash.

Fraud Tian took a glance and was ecstatic. It was all money! He was in admiration of Lin Fan. Lin Fan was not only young, but he also managed to earn so much money so quickly. It really made him envious.

Chief Zhong said with a smile, "Master Lin, if one is willing to bet, one must be willing to accept his loss. Please accept the two million dollars."

"Chief Zhong, that is so courteous of you." Lin Fan was smiling so much that his eyes became almost crescent shaped. He made eye contact with Chief Zhong, then patted him on his shoulder to express his gratitude.

Chief Zhong smiled but said nothing. He sighed in his heart.

Master Lin is such a sensible person.

Lin Fan grinned. He could accept the two million dollars with a clear conscience. He had helped them by praising the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors on broadcast and it was even more effective than shooting a commercial.

If it was someone else, surely they would have talked down Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors after unlocking the door, instead of praising them like he did. Of course, he wasn't just blindly praising them. It was all truthful. The Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors were indeed worthy of his praise.

A reporter asked, "Master Lin, after receiving two million dollars, what are your thoughts?"

Lin Fan chuckled, "I don't really have any thoughts, but I have to say that Chief Zhong is a good man. He is a man of his word and he is willing to accept his loss. Only someone like him can produce quality products like the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors."

Chief Zhong said, "You're flattering me. Master Lin is too courteous. To meet the needs of the consumers, I naturally have to be tight on the quality of my goods. When our next product is released, you have to come and do a test for us. Don't even think about evading it!"

Lin Fan patted Chief Zhong's shoulder, "Of course. Whatever is within my capabilities, I will not evade."

Chief Zhong laughed, "As long as the next product can last nine minutes, it will be our company's greatest improvement."

"Hahaha..." the two of them laughed together.

The reporters looked at the expressions on the two of their faces and were lost for words. This had to be the rumored 'Mutual C*cksucking in Business'.

What about the big news that they had talked about?

In the broadcast room.

"I'm convinced. What happens after this is just routine."

"I have a pretty good feeling. I'm prepared to get a Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Door. The company's boss seems like a good guy. More importantly, their product could withstand Master Lin for eight minutes. That's something to be proud of."

"I was just thinking...what is there that Master Lin doesn't know how to do?"

"^Master Lin doesn't know how to make children."

"666!"

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The surrounding townsfolk all gathered around.

"How much do your doors cost? I want one custom-made."

"My burglar-proof door at home has been used for ten years. It's getting old and I'm ready to replace it."

"Do you have an exclusive retail shop in Shanghai?"

"I want to buy a door too."

The townsfolk asked incessantly. They appeared to be very interested in the Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors.

Chief Zhong laughed, "Alright, alright. Thank you all for your support. We do have an exclusive retail shop in Shanghai. Take this name card to the Shanghai retail shop and enjoy a 30% discount, with free installation on top of that. If there are any issues with the service, give me a call."

After that, Chief Zhong took out a stack of name cards and made a signature behind each of them. He distributed them to the townsfolk. Naturally, the townsfolk were all delighted. The 30% discount moved them and they were all prepared to go take a look.

Initially, after receiving the two million dollars, Lin Fan wanted to treat Chief Zhong and the rest to a meal. However, they already had airplane tickets booked. It seemed like he would have to wait for another time.

In the end, Chief Zhong and his employees were perfectly contented. All the reporters had left.

This report was a little hard to write. The happenings were unusual and unexpected. The reporters had to go back and think it through.

In the shop.

"You have to treat us tonight," Fraud Tian murmured. Two million dollars...that kid had become a millionaire.

Lin Fan chuckled, "Alright, I'll treat. Everyone is invited."

Fraud Tian became emotional. He could enjoy a big feast once again.

Zhao Zhong Yang pointed the lens at Lin Fan, "Master Lin, what thoughts do you have now? Please, share a little with your friends watching the broadcast."

Lin Fan looked at the lens and sniggered, "Everything happened according to my expectations."

In the broadcast room.

"666...I give a hundred points for that comment!"

"Awesome! My brothers, send this man some gifts!"

"Master Lin, tell us, was this all planned? Why was the outcome so different from what we expected?"

"Master locksmith Master Lin. From now on, whoever is Master Lin's neighbor has to be careful. Otherwise, when you're not around, Master Lin might just go to your house and have a nice chat with your wife."

"I'm begging Master Lin to accept a disciple! I'll become your disciple, Master Lin. I only ask that you pass on these skills to me!"

Chapter 167: Fifth page of knowledge, opened!

The previous night, Lin Fan brought Fraud Tian and the rest to eat. They were feasting like kings. The two million dollars was earned very quickly and rather easily too, but Lin Fan had a clear conscience about receiving it.

The whole situation with Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors ended with both sides winning and without any unhappiness.

The next day.

News regarding the previous day appeared on the internet.

'Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors are amazing! They can last a whole eight minutes!'

'The rules of electronic doors have changed. Doors that can resist Master Lin for eight minutes are the best.'

'Fortune and misfortune come together. Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors gain fortune thanks to a misfortune.'

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"Amazing! No door company will dare to say that their doors take hundred of minutes to unlock anymore. Just lasting eight minutes is almost impossible."

"I watched the broadcast replay and I was shocked."

"Who on Earth is this Master Lin? He doesn't seem like a celebrity, but why do so many people know him?"

"^Bro, you must be new here. You don't even know Master Lin? Try doing a search on Baidu."

"Incredible! This is a really awesome person."

"He's a f*cking awesome being. Enough said."

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This matter ended up not as spectacular as the last, but it still managed to attract the attention of countless netizens. To the netizens, boring news would not attract their eyes, but if there was something of interest inside, that would be a whole different story.

At the same time, some netizens started digging out information about Master Lin's identity.

"Master Lin's real name is Lin Fan. He's the owner of the 'Master Lin' shop on Cloud Street and he's also a master fortune-teller, a master scallion pancake hawker, Chairman of Ba Gua Zhang in the Martial Arts Association, a master locksmith..."

That long description left everyone stunned and in awe.

As for Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors, they received a blessing in disguise. Initially, the situation made them very worried, but after the previous day's happenings, things turned out well for them. Chief Zhong was extremely grateful towards Lin Fan. Lin Fan didn't undermine them and even helped by supporting them.

By accepting his loss, Chief Zhong gave up two million dollars, but he didn't feel any heartache at all. In fact, he felt that it was a bit too little.

At the Supreme Tiger Sales Department.

Ring Ring

The place was filled with the sound of incoming calls.

"Good afternoon, this is Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors."

"I want to become a retailer for Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors. What's the procedure to do so?"

"I'm calling from a luxury villa real estate company. I'd like to place an order for a hundred Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors."

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When Chief Zhong found out about this situation, he was so ecstatic that he almost cried. "This is more f*cking awesome than shooting a commercial! From now on, I have to keep a close connection with Master Lin."

He even thought of hiring Master Lin as an ambassador for a high salary...

After all, if it wasn't for Master Lin, his Supreme Tiger Electronic Fingerprint Doors wouldn't have become so popular.

Of course, Master Lin, who Chief Zhong was so grateful for, was facing a situation that made him very anxious.

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In the suburbs of Shanghai, there was a field that lasted as far as the eye could see. It was a beautiful view. At that moment, a sedan stopped there.

Lin Fan stood by the road, looking over the field. He was in a good mood. He wasn't sure whether the task for the locksmith skill could be completed. However, after something like that happened, his reputation had to have increased significantly. Because of that, he left Cloud Street and came to this place, leaving Fraud Tian and the rest of them behind.

He respected Fraud Tian for having so many different skills, but there were too many useless skills among them.

For example, scrubbing. If his luck was bad and that scrubbing skill was chosen, the task would probably be 'To become the respected scrubber, Master Lin'. What would he do if that happened?

He couldn't possibly go naked to a public bath and start scrubbing backs for other people.

Hence, for his own safety, he had to get far away from Fraud Tian.

"Woof woof!"

The sound of a dog barking came from afar. A snow white countryside dog, wagging its tail, slowly and gradually approached him. Its steely eyes showed no sign of fear of Lin Fan. When it came to Lin Fan's front, it raised its head and glanced at him.

"Go play somewhere else, little doggy," said Lin Fan with a stamp of his foot.

However, that snow white dog wasn't frightened at all. In fact, it opened its mouth, stuck out its tongue and yawned.

Lin Fan didn't bother about the dog. He continued to wait silently. The dog strolled around Lin Fan and finally went to the front of his Mercedes-Benz. It raised its back foot and supported itself on the tire, then started urinating.

At that moment, Lin Fan felt a tremor in his heart. It finally came. It was just as he had thought, the Encyclopedia task was finally completed.

"The fourth task had been completed, Encyclopedic Points will be increased by 20 points."

"Opening the fifth page of knowledge. For it's the fifth page of knowledge, a specialty of someone near the host will be chosen."

"Tian Han Ming worships the host greatly, but is currently not near the host, hence the skill cannot be unlocked. The skill will be newly chosen."

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When Lin Fan heard this, he heaved a sigh of relief. He really had the good foresight to leave Fraud Tian and distance himself from his unwanted skills.

However, the encyclopedia's next words left Lin Fan dumbfounded.

"Elder Dog Nicholas is very curious about the host. Hence, the language sub-class will be unlocked - Animal Speech."

Lin Fan was stupefied. What the heck was going on? Was Elder Dog Nicholas some kind of god? How could there be something like animal speech?

F*ck me...

"Task: As usual, become the famous Master Lin."

"Reward: Encyclopedic points +20 and the ability to unlock the sixth page of knowledge"

"Note: Since it is a small class of knowledge, there is no need to involve previous classes of knowledge."

"Current Encyclopedic Points: 118"

Lin Fan stood on the field stupidly. He looked everywhere around him to find out just who this 'Elder Dog Nicholas' was, but after a long time, he didn't even see a single shadow.

"F*ck! Elder Dog Nicholas, who on Earth are you? Why must you do this to me?" Lin Fan shouted.

"Woof woof!"

A dog's barks could be heard.

Lin Fan's eyes widened. His gaze fixed onto the snow white dog which just urinated on his car tire. He was stunned. It can't be...

How could this kind of f*cking thing happen to me?

Even after leaving Fraud Tian, I can't escape this evil fate?

Lin Fan tried shouting its name, "Elder Dog Nicholas..."

"Woof woof!"

The snow-white dog responded with two barks. It was just normal barking, but Lin Fan suddenly realized that he seemed to understand it.

Elder Dog Nicholas: "How did you know my name?"

Lin fan pointed at the little white dog in shock and shouted once more, "Elder Dog Nicholas?"

Elder Dog Nicholas: "Woof woof~ what are you trying to do?"

Lin Fan slapped his own forehead. He gave up. Even though he escaped Fraud Tian, he couldn't escape this dog.

What can I even do with animal speech?

Lin Fan sighed.

Forget it, that's life.

He opened the car door and entered. He stepped on the pedal and headed back toward the shop.

Through the rear-view mirrors, he saw that little snow-white dog sitting there motionlessly. It didn't have too big of a frame and it seemed a little lonely sitting there.

He stopped the car.

He drove back.

He opened the car door.

Elder Dog, please board the car.

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Chapter 168: I wish I was that dog

Cloud Street!

Fraud Tian, "Why are you so late today? The townsfolk are getting impatient. Huh? Where did this son of a b*tch come from? We're eating dog meat tonight?"

Elder Dog Nicholas was unafraid of the new environment and had a blank look on his face. However, when he heard Fraud Tian's words, he instantly bared his teeth and started barking.

"Hey, this is meaningful," Fraud Tian stepped forward, grabbing the soft meat on Nicholas' neck. He said, "It's a male. Let me be the chef tonight. We'll buy some wine. It'll nourish our bodies."

Woof woof!

Elder Dog Nicholas was pissed. However, with his four short limbs, he was no match for Fraud Tian. Then, with a twist of his body, he sprayed a stream of urine straight at Fraud Tian's face.

Fraud Tian put the little white dog down immediately. He picked up a tissue and started wiping himself, "This son of a bitch! He dares to pee on my face?"

Wu You Lan hugged and picked up the dog, "What a cute doggy! It has such white fur, it's so cute! Where did it come from, Master Lin?"

Lin Fan was still angry with the encyclopedia, but it had been done and he had to accept it. He said, "I picked him up on the road. From now on, he'll be raised in the shop."

Zhao Zhong Yang, who was just doing a live broadcast, burst into laughter. He pointed the lens at Fraud Tian, "Elder Tian just got sprayed in the face by a dog..."

"666...the nobleman has been shot!"

"This dog is really arrogant, to dare to make a fool even of a nobleman. It'll be difficult for it to escape death tonight.

"Please tell us the name of this dog bro."

Zhao Zhong Yang asked, "Master Lin, what's this little white dog's name? If it hasn't been named yet, we can give it a name."

The broadcast room was astir.

"I suggest we call him dog face."

"Dog face my a*s! Why not call him the top dog?"

"Dog bro sounds better."

Lin Fan said, "He already has a name. He's Elder Dog Nicholas."

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Zhao Zhong Yang couldn't help but laugh, "Brothers, did you hear that? Dog bro is called Elder Dog Nicholas. What a powerful name!"

"Master Lin 666...as expected of Master Lin, to come up with such a powerful name."

As the people were discussing the little white dog's name, Lin Fan was thinking about how he would complete the task, but after a long while, he couldn't think of anything. He decided to let it go and not think about it. It was better to take it slow. There was no rush.

However, this animal speech encyclopedic knowledge was really not good for earning encyclopedic points.

In the end, Lin Fan's final conclusion was that this task and class of knowledge was pretty f*cked up.

At that moment, Elder Dog Nicholas was lying on Wu You Lan's thighs. He squinted his eyes as if savoring that temporary moment of peace.

Fraud Tian was still unhappy about the dog peeing on his face. He walked back and forth by the side, yelling at the little white dog.

Woof woof!

The little white dog leaped off Wu You Lan's thighs. Eyes gleaming with an ominous glint, it bared its teeth and barked.

Of course, to the rest of them, they had no idea what his barks meant.

However, Lin Fan understood. He was introducing himself.

"My name is Elder Dog Nicholas..."

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Lin Fan looked at the time. It was already past nine.

He was a little late. Some of the townsfolk had left because they had to go to work. Still, the queue was snaking.

Lin Fan opened his mouth and said, "Leave him alone and give out the number tags quickly."

Fraud Tian gave the little white dog a few provoking looks, then proceeded to give out the number tags. Zhao Zhong Yang was doing a broadcast on his phone. All the netizens in the broadcast room were gasping in awe.

"Is that the rumored scallion pancake?"

"It used to be all the talk on the internet. Those scallion pancakes are said to be nearly impossible to get no matter how rich you are. However, I'm too far from Shanghai, so I don't really know just what kind of magic powers it possesses.

"We're in luck. I never thought that I would be able to see the rumored scallion pancakes. Brother Yang, you have to film it clearly."

"There's no need for words. Just looking at the crowd, I'm amazed."

Zhang Zhong Yang had never eaten the scallion pancakes before. His heart was full of curiosity, wondering just how delicious those rumored scallion pancakes were.

Lin Fan stood in front of the stall as both of his hands moved non-stop.

Meanwhile, Elder Dog Nicholas lay at the entrance of the shop, quietly observing the scene before him.

Suddenly, a fragrant smell gently entered Elder Dog Nicholas's nostrils. He stood on all fours instantly, fixing his dog eyes on the stall.

A dog's nose is very sensitive. What people could smell, dogs would smell it amplified over a hundred times, maybe even a thousand times.

Humans typically only have about five million receptors in their nose, while a dog has around two hundred and twenty of them. This difference has a huge impact on their sense of smell.

The fragrance produced by the freshly-fried scallion pancakes was almost enough to make the townsfolk lose all restraint. To a dog, which was so much more sensitive than humans, it was irresistible.

Woof woof!

Elder Dog Nicholas: "I want to eat...I want to eat..."

Elder Dog Nicholas started pacing back and forth around Lin Fan's feet impatiently.

One of the townsfolk said, "Little Boss, you're raising a dog now?"

Lin Fan smiled, "I picked him up on the road. He's pretty cute."

The townsfolk laughed, "This looks like a Formosan Mountain dog. Little Boss should raise a better breed."

Lin Fan laughed a little but didn't reply. In the past, there was a wolfdog at his grandmother's place. It was obedient and very loyal to its owner, but in the end, it got poisoned and died.

Some of the townsfolk noticed the little dog's movement and laughed, "Looks like even the dog knows how delicious Little Boss' scallion pancakes are. It keeps barking."

The servings of scallion pancakes were prepared, one by one.

The netizens in the broadcast room were dumbfounded.

"D*mn. Is there a need to be so exaggerated? That expression is way too devilish."

"If I didn't have so much trust in Master Lin, I would think that this is all an act."

"Ahh god d*mn, that expression and those emotions. It's as if..."

"Even I want to eat it after seeing this. Just how do those scallion pancakes taste? Have you eaten them before, Brother Yang?"

Zhao Zhong Yang stared blankly at the scene. "I haven't eaten them before either," he said in a sad tone.

After the ten servings of scallion pancakes had been prepared, Lin Fan made a few more servings, one each for Zhao Zhong Yang and the rest. As for Elder Dog Nicholas, he only gave him half a serving.

When Zhao Zhong Yang received the scallion pancake, he took a bite impatiently. He had braced himself, but upon take that bite, his expression changed instantly.

The netizens watching the broadcast were astounded.

"Brother Yang, don't be like that. Just how does it taste..."

"Brother Yang, don't put on an act. You're making it hard for us."

Zhang Zhong Yang's initially calm expression instantly turned into an outrageous expression. His eyes widened as he felt his taste buds explode. A taste which he had not experienced before filled his entire mouth. His spirit was lifted up. It was an indescribable feeling.

Zhang Zhong Yang slowly came to his senses, then he faced the camera lens and exclaimed, "Delicious. It's really too delicious! I've never eaten such a delicious scallion pancake in my life. I felt such a rush that I wanted to start crying."

Netizens: "..."

Elder Dog Nicholas finished that half a serving of scallion pancake. His dog face was full of satisfaction. He licked around his mouth, then laid down at the entrance again with all four limbs spread open. He exposed his round belly, stuck out his tongue and let out a deep breath of air. That happy and carefree expression made the townsfolk very envious.

"I wish I was that dog..."

"..." Lin Fan was speechless.

Chapter 169: It would be a waste

Lin Fan's scallion pancakes were the most delicious food. It was not only the townsfolk enjoyed eating them but even Fraud Tian and the rest loved it so much that they couldn't resist it.

As of that day, the scallion pancakes had gained two more lovers in Elder Dog Nicholas and Zhang Zhong Yang. They would have to live in the scallion pancakes' grasp from then on.

After finishing up the scallion pancake work, Lin Fan just lay there resting, while Zhao Zhong Yang continued broadcasting, raving non-stop to his internet buddies about how f*cking awesome the scallion pancakes were.

"You guys don't know just how delicious that scallion pancake was. If you don't try it personally at least once, it will be a great loss in your life.

In the broadcast room.

"666...Brother Yang is starting his usual routine again."

"If Brother Yang says so, I want to go have a good taste too."

"Hey, where did Elder Dog Nicholas go? I want to see Elder Dog Nicholas."

Zhao Zhong Yang looked around, but couldn't find the little white dog, "I don't know where Elder Dog Nicholas went. For now, there's no sign of him."

At that moment, the sound of someone yelling in anger could be heard from outside.

"Whose mutt is this? Why is it in my shop and trying to copulate my Flowers?"

Lin Fan raised his head and looked outside. Elder Dog Nicholas was sprinting on all fours, with a chubby lady following behind him. He knew this lady. She was the boss of the shop opposite his and she had a fiery temper but she was courteous towards Lin Fan.

The lady boss walked into the shop, then her rage-filled expression suddenly changed. With a face full of smile, she said, "Oh, so it's Master Lin's dog."

Lin Fan watched as Elder Dog Nicholas ran to Wu You Lan's side and lay down as if in shock. Lin Fan asked, "What's going on?"

The lady boss waved her hand, "It's nothing, just a small matter. Your dog just found my Flowers."

The Flowers that the lady boss was talking about was a poodle. It stood by the lady boss' side, looking into the shop. It seemed that it was looking at Elder Dog Nicholas.

At that moment, the lady boss didn't know what to say. Master Lin was Cloud Street's superstar. Cloud Street was only able to have such a large flow of customers thanks to Master Lin and thus, they all loved him a lot.

Lin Fan glanced at Elder Dog Nicholas, then said apologetically, "I'm sorry, when I have the opportunity, I'll bring him for castration, so he won't harm other dogs."

The lady boss waved her hand immediately, "It's not that serious. Castration isn't good for the dog. I thought that it was a stray dog at first. I didn't think that it was Master Lin's. There's no issue now."

When Elder Dog Nicholas, who was sitting next to Wu You Lan's feet heard the word 'castration', his eyes widened in fear. He made a few whimpering sounds to express his fear.

After sending the lady boss off, Lin Fan took a look at Elder Dog Nicholas. "To be so lustful right after being fed. It must be discontent with its life," he thought.

The broadcast room was filled with laughter.

"666, Elder Dog is an awesome dog. After being in a new environment for less than two hours, he's already thinking of passing on his genes and seizing his territory. He has my respect."

"Give Elder Nicholas a close-up shot!"

"This mating attempt has failed. He even got chased all the way here by the counterpart's owner."

"Poor thing. I only hope that Elder Dog isn't heartbroken."

"Elder dog is a bad*ss. When he likes her, he likes her and he doesn't care what dog she is. Once she's been targeted by Elder Dog, she can only allow herself to get f*cked obediently."

Once the lady boss left, Elder Dog Nicholas reverted to his previous behavior. He strode around with his four legs and went outside for a stroll again. Lin Fan took a glance but didn't bother about him. Dogs have their own lives too. He should be allowed to have his own fun.

Elder Dog Nicholas came to the front of the lady boss' shop, then gazed at Flowers, who was playing with a little girl, with a glint in his eyes as he made several low pitched noises.

If Lin Fan was there and heard him making those sounds, he would castrate him immediately.

"I, Elder Dog Nicholas, have taken a fancy for you. You can't escape the grasp of Elder Dog's paws."

When the poodle saw Elder Dog Nicholas outside the shop, she instantly whimpered in fear and went to her owner.

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Meanwhile, at the shop, two guests entered that made Lin Fan surprised.

The Martial Arts Association's Jiang Fei and the 'entrance security', Elder Niu.

Lin Fan asked in a surprised tone, "Elder Jiang, why are you here?"

Jiang Fei laughed, "Master Lin, this is Elder Niu."

Lin Fan nodded, "I know."

Jiang Fei then said awkwardly, "Elder Niu is the president of the association. Previously, you wanted me to help you to carry out your resignation. I've been dragging out the matter all along."

Lin Fan knew that Jiang Fei wouldn't carry out the procedures for him, but he no longer had any relations with the association. He had nothing else to do in the association. Vice-President Guo and Wang Yun Jie had both been suspended and were still undergoing investigation, so he felt that he had done what he needed to do. When that Elder Niu came to the association, he acted as a security guard. Now that Lin Fan thought about it, it was probably to do some undercover investigation of the affairs within the association.

Now that the issue had been resolved, there should have been no need for Lin Fan anymore. But seeing how President Niu himself came, Lin Fan was confused.

With a peaceful expression, Elder Niu started to talk, "Master Lin, I would like to thank you on behalf of the association for what you have done for us during this period. I am sincerely grateful. Little Jiang told me about your intentions to leave the association, hence I am here today to humbly ask Master Lin to stay. Don't leave the association. We need honest people like you."

Lin Fan courteously brought over some chairs, "President Niu, please sit."

Elder Niu laughed, "I'd prefer if Master Lin called me Elder Niu. It's more amiable."

Lin Fan laughed, "Elder Niu, I have nothing left to do in the association. As you can see, I have my own business as well as employees who count on me for a living. How could I still have time for the association?"

Lin Fan really didn't want to spend any more time with the association. There were too many problems and one wrong move could get himself in deep sh*t. There was no need to endure it any further. The sooner he left, the sooner he could be at ease.

Of course, Elder Niu couldn't just let Lin Fan go. But at the same time, he understood Lin Fan's concerns. He said, "Master Lin, do not worry. An extraordinary man like yourself will be treated accordingly. I only ask that you stay in the association. You don't have to come at all. We just hope that you can lend us your reputation to use in our favor. If people found out that even someone as capable Master Lin left us, the association would be mocked and ridiculed by everyone."

Lin Fan waved his hand, "Elder Niu, please understand. I really do not want to stay. There's a limit to my energy. I'm not able to do so many things. I appreciate your good intentions and I have absolutely nothing against the association. With a senior member like Elder Niu managing it, I'm sure that outsiders will change its views about the association.

Jiang Fei stood at the side silently. He had faith in President Niu that he would move Master Lin with his sincerity. The association really lacked people like Master Lin.

Elder Niu grabbed Lin Fan's hand and said in an earnest tone, "Master Lin, I know that those black sheep, Guo Chen and Wang Yun Jie, left you bitterly disappointed, but please do not worry. From now on, there definitely will not be another incident like that. In fact, now that the association's Vice-President appointment is vacant, the first person I thought of was you, Master Lin. The headquarters approached me for recommendations and I couldn't think of anyone else. I regard you, Master Lin, as the most suitable candidate."

Lin Fan thought that this Elder Niu really knew how to compliment him. He left Lin Fan with no choice

Lin Fan sighed, "Elder Niu, now that you've said this much, what can I say? I know that I am not deserving of this appointment, but you've shown so much faith in me. It wouldn't be right for me to reject you. Alright, I'll take up the appointment then. If I have the time, I'll be sure to drop by and take a look."

Elder Niu laughed...

Jiang Fei laughed...

Lin Fan laughed as well...

The title of Vice-President...it would be a waste not to accept it. There's no need to go to the association either way. At least it sounds impressive when I say it.=

Chapter 170: The righteous Wu You Lan

Jiang Fei and President Niu left.

Lin Fan had tried to reject them, but their courtesy was difficult to just decline. They even brought out the appointment of Vice-President, what else could Lin Fan say? Of course, he had to accept it.

Fraud Tian was giggling, "President Lin, please take care of us from now on."

Lin Fan tilted his head, "Just do your work properly."

Fraud Tian nodded his head and bowed, "Don't you worry, President. I will do my work well, you will surely be satisfied."

The two of them made eye contact, then burst into laughter simultaneously.

"Outrageous..." At that moment, the sound of Wu You Lan's exasperation could be heard.

Lin Fan were both laughing happily when they heard her. They were curious, "What's wrong?"

Wu You Lan was looking at her phone with a furious look on her face. Then, she brought the phone over to them and said, "Look, these 'role models' are outrageous. To do things like

that. Now, they're even sending out letters from their lawyers to say that it's all fake and asking for the real troublemakers to take responsibility."

"What's the situation? Let me take a look," said Lin Fan.

Wu You Lan said furiously, "I'll send you the link. It's that Weibo news article that's been trending."

Lin Fan and Fraud Tian unlocked their phones and opened the link. Then, they both looked curiously.

It wasn't long before Fraud Tian started to cry out in rage, "This is really outrageous! For this old dog to make a move on such a beautiful lady..."

Lin Fan, on the other hand, was much calmer. It was indeed a little outrageous.

"I'm the best friend of the victim. I know where I stand. I love my alma mater, but there are impurities wherever you go. I'm not afraid of offending anyone, I just want justice for my best friend. Starlight Film School's Professor Jiang Li and Cheng Juan often use their authority for personal gain. They threatened to withhold graduation certificates and fail courses of the students. They would also do inappropriate things to the students. My good friend Huang Miao Miao was violated to a great degree by Professor Jiang Li. And was threatened that if she dared to tell anyone, she wouldn't receive her graduation certificate. At the same time, her class teacher Chen Juan forbid other students from interacting with her...what I've said above is 100% true. If it's fake, I'm willing to face the law and take responsibility for it."

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Wu You Lan had a great sense of righteousness. At that moment, her small face was red as a tomato, "These people are disgusting! These students have spoken the truth, yet, not a single person has dared to report it, nor has any other student spoken out. If no one lends a hand in this, the matter will slowly die down and just be swept away."

Lin Fan looked at the article but didn't say anything. Then, out of curiosity, he searched for Jiang Li and Chen Juan on Baidu.

With one look, they were really impressive. They both had high standings in Starlight Film School. In fact, they were influential people in the education scene. A significant number of current superstars were once students of theirs. What's more, that Jiang Li had an impressive background. His father used to be a famous director.

He had their photos. He had their birth dates. It was enough for a rough fortune reading.

According to his reading, this Chen Juan was the teacher of the victim, Huang Miao Miao. Also, this Chen Juan and Jiang Li worked together. It wasn't the first time that Jiang Li had performed such a deed. Those students that were victimized by him either just suffered in silence or received enough benefits for them to just keep it to themselves.

Lin Fan's final conclusion was: They were indeed two old b*stards.

For a man and a woman to be partners in these evil deeds, it was unusual.

Starlight Film School.

Huang Miao Miao sat at the school lawn. She was in a bit of a daze. She had been faced with a large amount of stress recently and her energy levels suffered as a result.

Xiao Yi Mo was that good friend of hers. At that moment, she held Huang Miao Miao in her embrace, "Don't worry, Miao Miao. I'll definitely get justice for you."

Huang Miao Miao murmured, "Yi Mo, you'll offend someone and they won't forgive you. Let's just forget about this incident. I don't want to drag you into it."

Xia Yi Mo shook her head, "Don't worry, I'm not afraid. It doesn't matter even if I don't get my graduation certificate. I already have shows to act in. They can't do anything to me. You told me about this incident. As your best friend, I won't just sit still and do nothing. If I just did that like the rest of them, I won't be at peace with myself. It doesn't matter how this matter turns out. I'm not afraid of being expelled or being outcasted from this industry in future. At least next time, I will be able to tell my children proudly that their Mum has lived a life without any shame."

At that moment, her phone rang.

Xia Yi Mo answered the call, "Good morning, Director Li."

Director Li: "You're not suitable for this show. Someone else has been chosen as the female lead."

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The call was hung up.

Huang Miao Miao looked up, "Yi Mo, that call just now..."

Xia Yi Mo was a little upset, but she didn't show it, "It was nothing. Some idiot called, so I hung up."

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At that moment, two girls passed by the lawn. They pointed at Huang Miao Miao as they gossiped to each other.

"That's her. She's really a problem child. It's not the first or even the second time that Professor Jiang Li has done this, but she just has to spout nonsense all day, trying to make a big deal out of it." A rather good-looking girl who had shot a few commercials before said disdainfully.

Xia Yi Mo stood up, "Hold it there! What are you trying to say? It's not you in her position, so of course, you feel that it's nonsense. Oh wait, maybe if you guys were in her position, you would be happy. You superficial whores!"

"You sure talk a lot!" barked the two girls in anger.

Xia Yi Mo rolled up her sleeves, "What? Do you want to fight? Come at me if you dare! If I don't break your faces, my surname isn't Xia!"

The two girls got frightened and left.

At that moment, another call came. It was from the Headmaster.

Headmaster: "Xia Yi Mo, are you so great that you have to have to interfere with every matter? You better remove that post from Weibo right now. Do you know how much of a negative impact your false remarks have on the school?"

Xia Yi Mo argued angrily, "I'm not making false remarks, it's the truth!"

Headmaster: "I don't care if it's false or real, just remove it right now! Unless you don't want your graduation certificate. Professor Jiang Li and Professor Chen Juan are already carrying out the legal procedures to look into your doings."

Xia Yi Mo, "Don't give me the graduation certificate then. Do you think they can just hide the truth from the masses? I'll get support from celebrities on Weibo to help me spread the truth regarding this matter. I'm not afraid of causing a ruckus, nor am I afraid of any threats. The truth is the truth and they will face the law for what they have done."

The headmaster laughed coldly, then hung up the phone.

In the office.

The headmaster said, "Professor Jiang, Professor Chen, this idiot doesn't know what's good for her. She wants celebrities to spread her message on Weibo and cause a ruckus."

Jiang Li was fifty years of age. He wore spectacles and appeared gentle and polite. His face was that of a righteous man, but it was all just a facade. He couldn't help but start laughing.

He had been in this field for tens of years, he wasn't inexperienced.

What can some little girl do? Is she waiting for some celebrity to spread the message? Let's see which celebrity dares to do so.

Chen Juan was a well-groomed lady. Regarding this matter, she wasn't bothered at all. This matter would eventually die down and it won't affect her at all. A little lady who hadn't even stepped into society wants to challenge them? She had a long way to go.