

Valiant Life 581

Chapter 581: I'm a righteous little citizen

At the entrance of the toilet.

Lin Fan stopped in his tracks. Then, he looked at Elder Dog. Elder Dog dutifully raised his dog legs and dashed in without hesitation.

Scorpion quickly lowered his head. Just as he was about to strike, he realized it was just a mutt. He heaved a breath of relief but after that, his alertness rose once again as he fixed his gaze on the entrance.

Elder Dog was charging straight at him but he never thought that this guy would dare to just ignore Elder Dog. Elder Dog couldn't stand it.

"Woof woof~" Elder Dog barked, "Hurry up and come in, this guy is hiding behind the entrance."

Scorpion glared at Elder Dog Nicholas and wanted to tell him to shut up. Then, he focused all his energy on watching the entrance. Once the opposition walks in, he would immediately throw a fist at him.

Lin Fan smiled and immediately strode in.

A gust of wind from the punch came at Lin Fan.

Of course, punches can't possibly produce gusts of wind.

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Lin Fan raised a hand and grabbed Scorpion's fist. He smiled, "Your strength is pretty good."

However, that relaxed expression of his said otherwise, that the punch wasn't even the least bit strong.

Scorpion's expression changed drastically. This was inconceivable. He had never expected Lin Fan to easily catch his punch.

The toilet was a small area and it wasn't enough for him to fight as he wanted. But then, he sent a kick flying towards Lin Fan next.

"Hehe, drug lord, you're a wanted criminal. You're done for." Lin Fan smiled cheerfully as if he wasn't even bothered by his opponent.

Quickly and easily, he subdued Scorpion.

Scorpion was dumbfounded. He said in disbelief, "What kind of person are you? Are you a policeman?"

Lin Fan replied, "Nope."

When he heard that Lin Fan wasn't a policeman, Scorpion let out a breath of relief. If he had been a policeman, Scorpion would be done for.

Scorpion gazed at Lin Fan, "What exactly do you want? I don't think I've ever offended you, right?"

"Nope." Lin Fan shook his head.

Scorpion said, "Then why do you want to capture me?"

Lin Fan was silent for a moment before saying righteously, "Because I'm a good citizen."

Scorpion: "???"

He was a little dumbfounded. What the heck did this guy mean?

Lin Fan smiled, "I'm a good citizen. Everyone has a part to play in safeguarding the peace and order of Shanghai. You, a big drug lord, have been captured by me. Later on, I'll take you to the police station and let you spend some time in jail to reflect properly."

Scorpion struggled for a bit. "Brother, if there's anything, we can talk it through. Don't be rash. What exactly do you want? As long as you release me, I can fulfill any request you have."

Lin Fan shook his head, "No, you can't fulfill it." Then, he grinned, "As long as I hand you over to the police, I can get another Good Citizen Award. And if I'm lucky, they might even organize another Honors Ceremony. That would feel amazing."

"Haha!" Lin Fan laughed, "Do you know what the Good Citizen Award represents? It represents honor."

Scorpion was dumbfounded. He realized that this guy in front of him might be an idiot.

Good Citizen Award?

What kind of f*cked up reason was that?

Suddenly, Scorpion realized that he couldn't move anymore. His limbs felt as if they were being held down. Fear instantly rushed into his heart. He felt that he might have his downfall right here on this day.

Lin Fan carried Scorpion to the inside of the toilet and closed the door. "Wait here. Don't be too anxious. Things will be over soon."

Scorpion wanted to open his mouth and tell Lin Fan that as long as he released him, he could give Lin Fan an unlimited amount of money and wealth. However, his throat felt like it was blocked. He couldn't speak at all.

This time he had come to Shanghai, it was to open up a marketplace here. He could have sent a subordinate here but because he was worried, he came here himself.

But somehow, the Shanghai police found out that he had infiltrated the city. There was probably a spy. He had initially been planning to wait until the matter ended before going back to investigate this. However, he had never expected to meet his downfall right here today.

In the private room.

Li Hu was holding the goods as he took a look. He nodded contently, "Not bad. But the amount..."

Long Hair said, "Brother Hu, don't worry. There is a huge amount. Sell off these first so you know our sincerity. Next time, any amount you want won't be a problem."

"Haha," Li Hu laughed and patted Long Hair on the shoulder. "Brother, I haven't seen you for so many years and your connections have grown so broad. In future, if you have any good products, you have to think of this brother of yours."

Long Hair nodded, "That's for sure. Who doesn't know how powerful you are in Shanghai, Brother Hu? As long as Brother Hu is taking care of this, our source of customers will be never-ending. Brother Hu even has men inside the government itself."

Li Hu chuckled and didn't say much. He knew what Long Hair was talking about.

These areas owned by him had never been investigated before, mainly because he had connections with the people in the government. However, what those people had always thought was that Li Hu was just working in the service industry. They didn't know he was involved in drugs. If they found out, things would not be the same.

After all, nobody dared to keep such a secret.

However, Li Hu was prepared now. If there were to be a check, he would be able to find out immediately and safely evade it.

At that moment, the private room door was opened.

Li Hu's expression changed. "Who let you in?"

But when he saw who it was, he was stunned. “Master Lin...”

Lin Fan smiled, “Hehe, the criminals and the drugs are all here. It seems to me that you are all done for.”

When he heard this, Li Hu’s expression turned gloomy. “You know what we are doing?”

“Of course.” Lin Fan smiled.

“You want to report us?” Li Hu asked once again.

“For sure. Aren’t you talking rubbish? If I take you all down, it would be a great merit. The Good Citizen Award will definitely come to me,” said Lin Fan.

At that moment, the intent of killing rose in Li Hu’s heart.

Although the repercussions of killing someone were troublesome, if the matter were to be exposed, they would really be done for.

Li Hu said gloomily, “Okay, okay. The Huangpu River will receive another departed spirit tonight.”

Lin Fan seemed to not be bothered by the three of them at all. He took out his phone and pressed a few buttons. Then, Li Hu’s voice rang out from his phone.

“I’ve collected evidence once again. You want to kill me. This time, you are really done for. You would be lucky if you are only sentenced to a lifetime in prison.” Lin Fan smiled. This guy had to receive the death sentence together with that Scorpion.

Li Hu said, “It seems that you are set on going against me until the end.”

Lin Fan waved his hand. “You’re wrong. I’m not set on going against you. But as a righteous little citizen of Shanghai, I have to strike down every crime I see.”

“Go to hell!”

At that moment, the man next to Long Hair immediately charged towards Lin Fan.

But to Lin Fan, these people only had strong bodies. Against an expert like himself, the man was easily flipped over and suppressed.

When Long Hair saw this, his heart thumped furiously. He never expected this guy to be so powerful.

“Brother Hu, what on earth is going on?” Long Hair was panic-stricken. That man was Scorpion’s best fighter. He was very strong but against Lin Fan, he seemed powerless and he had been instantly beaten down. It was terrifying.

How would Li Hu have known what was going on? He had no idea either.

As for that ‘Good Citizen’ or whatever, to hell with it!

Lin Fan was full of energy. His eyes gleamed with excitement. “Anyone who tries to come between me and the Good Citizen Award will be taken down.”

F*ck!

Long Hair and Li Hu were both no match for Lin Fan. they were instantly knocked out. They didn’t even have a chance to strike back.

Lin Fan clasped his hands together, then looked at the box on the table.

“You guys relay have big guts. Just these are enough to take your life. You’re all done for.” Lin Fan took out his phone. Of course, he would leave the task of wrapping this thing up to Liu Xiao Tian.

Chapter 582: Bursting with awesomeness

The waiter went towards the private room, carrying the wine.

His boss had just pressed the service bell. He knew that his boss must have wanted some wine, so he had already prepared everything and was going over.

He pushed the door open.

Lin Fan was grabbing onto Li Hu and singing a song. He was very engrossed in it.

“Friends walk together for their entire lives...”

The waiter was a little puzzled. Hadn’t there only been three people? Why were there four now?

And his boss was sitting there motionlessly. Why were his eyes shifting left and right?

However, he didn’t dare to ask anything. He put the wine down and left the room.

After the waiter left, Lin Fan laughed, “You really aren’t obedient. If I wasn’t so smart, I would have been discovered.”

Li Hu had lost all hope. He had never expected this guy to be so perverse. Also, that waiter was really too stupid.

At the local police station.

Liu Xiao Tian was busy at work. He was in a conference with a group of other police officers.

“This matter must be resolved as soon as possible. It isn’t good news that Scorpion has appeared in Shanghai. I hope that you guys can find some clues, even if it’s just a small lead,” the Station Chief said as he stood on the stage. To them, this was a crucial period.

“Inspector Liu, I wish for you to work a little harder. Scorpion is very dangerous. You should know the outcome if he is to do something in Shanghai.”

Liu Xiao Tian nodded, “I understand, Station Chief.”

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The conference ended.

Every police officer felt the weight of a heavy rock on their shoulders. They had been hard pressed with work lately but they hadn't even found a single lead.

It was mainly because Scorpion left too little leads. They only knew that he had a scorpion tattoo on his neck. Even though he was in the great city of Shanghai, trying to find him was like trying to find a needle in a haystack.

"Inspector, what do we do now?" asked the policemen.

Liu Xiao Tian said, "Go back and keep working overtime. Organize the information. Send people to each location to investigate. We have to locate this Scorpion."

"Yes, Inspector."

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Just as Liu Xiao Tian was having a headache, his phone rang.

"Inspector Liu, what are you doing now? Are you busy?"

Liu Xiao Tian said, "Sigh, Master Lin, what do you think? Since this guy came to Shanghai, the whole Shanghai police force hasn't been able to rest. We're all looking for him."

Lin Fan said, "Do you think that if I find him, I would get a Good Citizen Award? Or perhaps they'll organize an Honors Ceremony for me?"

Liu Xiao Tian smiled, "Master Lin, if you find him, don't even talk about Good Citizen Awards, you'd get any kind of glory you want. You may not know but this Scorpion is a drug lord who is wanted across the country. Who knows how many of our comrades from the drug enforcement teams sacrifice their lives every year in order to capture him?"

“Is it that serious?” asked Lin Fan calmly.

“Of course it’s serious. He’s one of the most wanted criminals,” said Liu Xiao Tian.

At that moment, Lin Fan felt great. He hadn’t thought that Scorpion was a super big fish. “Inspector Liu, don’t say that I don’t look after you. Bring your men and come to XX Bar right now. I’ll give you a heavenly surprise.”

“What do you mean?” Liu Xiao Tian was startled. He was also filled with anticipation.

Lin Fan said, “You’ll know when you reach. Don’t forget to bring more men.”

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The phone was hung up.

Liu Xiao Tian sat there immersed in his thoughts. Then, he quickly sprang up. He suddenly remembered that it seemed that every time Master Lin called him, he wouldn’t let him down.

Could it be...

“Quick, assemble the men and follow me,” Liu Xiao Tian issued the order. The policemen who were working all looked up, wondering what had happened.

“What are you waiting for? There’s been a lead. Hurry up!”

At that moment, the policemen recovered from their dazes.

“D*mn, what lead?”

“How is that possible? Could it be a mistake?”

“Who knows? Hurry up and assemble. We’ll know once we get there.”

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In the private room.

When he had the opportunity, Lin Fan had dragged Scorpion from the toilet to the private room.

When Long Hair saw Scorpion, he was shocked. He had never expected that even his boss would be caught.

Lin Fan clapped his hands. “Alright, now you’re all gathered. The police will be here soon. You can chat while you’re in prison.”

Scorpion had never expected himself to fall to this guy in Shanghai. No matter how much he thought, he just couldn’t understand what the heck was going on.

Elder Dog Nicholas sat at the side, eating a bowl of fruits.

Lin Fan was singing a song as he sat there waiting for the police to arrive.

Soon after.

The sound of police cars came from the outside.

Countless men and women were startled when they saw this. They had no idea what was going on.

Upon reaching the location, Liu Xiao Tian issued orders, “Surround the area. Check the IDs of all personnel leaving or entering the place. Capture any suspicious person you see.”

“Yes, sir.”

Not far away.

Some reporters were secretly taking photos of a celebrity. But when they realized that the situation didn't seem right, they became curious.

"What's going on?"

"Why are there so many policemen?"

"No idea."

"Looks like something big has happened. Let's hurry up and go take a look."

Liu Xiao Tian was on the phone, "Master Lin, where are you?"

Lin Fan replied, "Second floor, private room. I can hear the commotion outside from here. Come on in."

Liu Xiao Tian had an eager look on his face. What exactly was it going to be? Then, he brought a team of men and rushed inside. "Follow me. The remaining men, watch the entrance. Don't let anyone in."

"Yes, sir."

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Lin Fan looked at Li Hu and the rest. "The police is here. You're all done for."

Although they couldn't say anything, their eyes gleamed with boundless rage.

Bam!

Liu Xiao Tian came bursting through the door. The inside was slightly dim, so he immediately turned on the lights. He asked impatiently, "Master Lin, what's going on?"

Lin Fan smiled, “See for yourself. Look who it is.”

Liu Xiao Tian looked at the people in front and was a little puzzled. They couldn’t recognize these men. However, when he saw the two boxes on the table, he was completely dumbfounded.

There were a lot of white packets and there was even cash.

“These are drugs.” Liu Xiao Tian was astounded. “Master Lin, you really are amazing. You’ve discovered the scene of a drug transaction.”

Lin Fan looked at Liu Xiao Tian and said, “F*ck, I’m not telling you to look at that. I’m telling you to look at this.” He pulled Scorpion’s shirt collar down. “Look, what’s this?”

Liu Xiao Tian was startled. “What? Scorpion...”

Lin Fan nodded proudly, “That’s right. This is Scorpion. The criminals and their illegal goods are all here. These four guys were in the middle of a drug transaction and they’ve been taken down by me. Don’t you think this is a great service?”

Liu Xiao Tian was speechless. It even felt difficult to breathe.

How was this possible?

The whole of Shanghai’s police force had been deployed but they hadn’t even found a single lead on Scorpion but Master Lin actually discovered him. On top of that, the drugs were also discovered.

If the rest of the police force was to find out, they might find a hole to hide.

It was simply humiliating.

Liu Xiao Tian raised his thumb. “Awesome, Master Lin, you’re really too awesome. I’m already in such admiration that I would kneel down to you. This service is so great that it is boundless.”

Lin Fan smiled proudly, “That’s good. In order to capture these guys, I’ve been taken advantage of by this dog. You have to let me know about the Good Citizen Award and the Honors Ceremony. I need to prepare myself mentally.”

Elder Dog Nicholas protested. “When did I take advantage of you? Without me, you would never have found them,” he thought.

Liu Xiao Tian was at a loss for words.

However, now wasn’t the time to think about all this. He had to quickly bring detain these people and bring them back for questioning.

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Chapter 583: Righteous Fan has been falsely accused

The next day!

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Lin Fan hadn’t completely woken up when he received the call, “D*mn, it’s early in the morning, aren’t you sleeping?”

“Brother, why are you still sleeping? No, how can you even be sleeping?” Wang Ming Yang said in surprise.

Lin Fan had nothing to say to that. “What are you doing? Do you think I don’t need to sleep?”

Wang Ming Yang understood now. “F*ck, these reporters are f*cking dogs. They can even report such fake news.”

Lin Fan asked, “What’s going on? What fake news?”

“See for yourself. They’re saying on the Internet that you were captured for drug trafficking last night. When I saw this news, I called you immediately.”

Lin Fan lost all his sleepiness. “F*ck, who’s f*cking with me? I’m sleeping well at home, how could I have been captured? I’m going to hang up and look at the situation.”

He opened his Weibo.

When he saw the headlines, he nearly fainted.

Before he could see more, Wu You Lan’s call came.

“Brother Lin...”

“I know. Don’t ask me anything. I’m fine. Someone is falsely accusing me. I’m going to hang up. I need to look at the situation.”

Upon hanging up, yet another call came.

Zhao Ming Qing!

Zhao Zhong Yang!

Dad’s call.

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Looking at the news.

Lin Fan was furious. Which b*stard was doing this? This was a false accusation, a false rumor.

Everyday News Report: Last night, at 11 o’clock, a large group of police officers sealed off the area at Shanghai XX Bar. At that moment, the editor was playing with his friends when he realized that

the police was raiding some drug traffickers. One of them is the bar owner and another one appears to be the Internet's Master Lin. Who would have known that the self-proclaimed righteous Master Lin is actually a drug trafficker? This is too drastic of a change..."

If there's a picture, then it's true.

And the picture that was captured was really on point.

The picture showed Lin Fan getting into the police car. A policeman had one hand on Lin Fan's shoulder. From that angle, it seemed like Lin Fan was being detained in the police car.

This...

Lin Fan was speechless. If a righteous Fan like him was a drug trafficker, then the world was beyond hope.

He went to his own Weibo page and opened the comments section. It had indeed exploded.

"F*ck, somebody please tell me what exactly is going on. I don't believe that Master Lin would traffic drugs."

"I don't believe either. Master Lin is such a righteous person. How could he do something like this?"

"Haha, you fans are crazy. If there's a picture, then it has to be real. Can't you see for yourselves?"

"Even if you know appearance, you may not know his heart. I never expected Master Lin to be this kind of person."

"Haha, all these fans are shocked."

At that moment, some celebrities entered the Weibo discussion.

Chen Jin, a first-rate male celebrity, had acted in numerous movies before and he was pretty popular.

“Master Lin’s drug trafficking has made me disappointed. I’ve observed his Weibo many times in the past and I thought he was a righteous public figure. I never thought that he was like this. This is really disappointing. Despicable! Despicable!”

Ying Jin: “Since the first time I saw him, I knew he wasn’t a good person. Now, his karma has come.”

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One after another, numerous celebrities expressed their opinions on this matter.

“F*ck, I don’t think I’ve pissed off so many celebrities, have I? Where did they all emerge from?” If it was just normal people flaming him, he could let it go but he didn’t even seem to know these celebrities and they were all coming out to have a kick at him. Was there a need to do that?

Liu Xiao Tian’s call came.

“Master Lin, I’ve seen the news on the Internet. I never thought that it would cause you so much trouble. Don’t worry. The police’s official Weibo will immediately make an announcement to testify for you,” said Liu Xiao Tian.

Lin Fan said, “No hurry. Let me record all these people’s names into my little booklet. Once I’m done, I’ll let you know.”

Liu Xiao Tian replied, “Okay.”

He didn’t know what Master Lin meant. What little booklet?

Lin Fan looked at those celebrities. His heart was filled with rage. He immediately recorded all their names.

“Brothers, if you dare to trample on me, I will remember you. When something happens to you, I’ll be the first to flame you to death,” Lin Fan thought to himself.

At Cloud Street.

The shop owners quickly gathered at the shop.

“Elder Tian, that news can’t be true, right? Did Little Boss really...”

“What rubbish are you speaking? Little Boss wouldn’t do something like that. Don’t trust what’s on the Internet.”

“But the person in that photo is Little Boss.”

“What are you talking about? It only looks a bit like him.”

Fraud Tian waved his hand. “That man in the photo is Little Boss but don’t think absurdly. He didn’t traffic any drugs. This is all a misunderstanding.”

The shop owners all let out breaths of relief. “I told you all so. How could Little Boss do something like this?”

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Lin Fan recorded the all the names and saved them on his Weibo. Then, he gave Liu Xiao Tian a call. “Alright, help me to clear my name quickly.”

It was best not to drag this matter out. Who knew what kind of stage it would develop into?

Liu Xiao Tian was dumbfounded about Lin Fan getting falsely accused on the Internet. He had never expected such a thing to happen. In that incident the previous night, Master Lin had been a great contributor. If it hadn’t been for Master Lin, this case wouldn’t have been cracked.

Hence, the police had to clear Master Lin’s name at once.

Police Official Weibo: “The news about Master Lin trafficking drugs is a false rumor. In the drug trafficking raid at 11 pm last night, the main contributor was Master Lin. when the police reached the scene, Master Lin had already subdued the drug traffickers. The police only had to wrap things up. One of the people captured is a nation-wide wanted drug lord who is very dangerous. This time, it is thanks to Master Lin’s righteous actions that we have managed to capture them. The entire police force thanks Master Lin. As for the fake news on the Internet, the police will definitely investigate it and clear Master Lin’s name.”

Once this post had been sent out, Lin Fan sent out his own Weibo post too.

“Those celebrities on the same list, you better not commit any unlawful acts in your lifetimes. Otherwise, I, Righteous Fan, will expose you immediately. You are under my watch now. Be careful.”

Lin Fan was very displeased. If he did not take his revenge, he wouldn’t be a nobleman.

He had etched this into his memory.

On the Internet.

“F*ck!”

“The government has denied the rumor.”

“Motherf*ckers. Those people who falsely accused Master Lin, do your faces hurt now?”

“My Lin is amazing indeed. He single-handedly took down the drug traffickers. Are you all convinced now?”

“Hehe, I saw through those celebrities from the start. Their fans will turn on them from now on.”

“Haha, Master Lin has come out. You all have been recorded in Master Lin’s little booklet. You have to watch out now because Master Lin is true to his words. He definitely won’t let you off the hook.”

When the reporters who had started the rumor saw this, they were so frightened that they immediately surrendered and admitted their mistake.

Meanwhile, when the celebrities realized that the truth had come out, they shamefully deleted their Weibo posts. They had really wanted to ride on this wave to gain popularity but they had never thought that it would backfire on them.

“I’m sorry, Master Lin. Please forgive me,” one of the celebrities said.

F*ck, who was the editor who misled them?

Lin Fan thought to himself, “It’s too late to be sorry. You should all be a little more honest. Otherwise, I will f*ck you up.”

At that moment, Lin Fan was overflowing with dominance. I, Righteous Fan, am not someone you can flame as you like. You guys better watch yourselves from now on.

Chapter 584: I’ll train him

At the local police station!

A leader said, “Inspector Liu, you’ve done extremely well this time. The higher-ups are very pleased.”

Ever since Liu Xiao Tian took up the appointment of Inspector, he had cracked a number of cases but compared to today’s case, those all paled in comparison. They were simply incomparable.

Capturing Li Hu was quite a happy thing but capturing ‘Scorpion’ really raised their spirits. Moreover, capturing ‘Scorpion’ allowed them to get more information from him.

He was a big drug lord and he carried many secrets. With their previous leads, even if the police sent people to go undercover, they couldn’t make much progress. However, now it was different. They could now obtain much more information just from ‘Scorpion’s mouth.

Liu Xiao Tian said embarrassedly, “Station Chief, I didn’t do much. This was Master Lin’s contribution.”

The Station Chief shook his head helplessly. He didn’t know how Liu Xiao Tian knew Master Lin. After Liu Xiao Tian had gotten to know Master Lin, his luck had been too great. One after another, big cases were cracked by Liu Xiao Tian. This Master Lin completely gave credit to Liu Xiao Tian.

If that Master Lin were to become a police officer, who knew what appointment he would be promoted to?

The raid on the human trafficker organization.

Shocked the entire nation!

This time, capturing ‘Scorpion’ helped the police solve an even more troubling problem.

The leader waved his hand. “Alright. You may not have had any idea about this incident but Master Lin informs you every time and not anyone else. Regardless of why that is the case, you’ve gotten very good interpersonal relationships. The higher-ups are looking into you. Perhaps your appointment as Inspector may change.”

“Ah?” Liu Xiao Tian’s face lit up with delight. Then, he said embarrassedly, “Leader, I haven’t even been Inspector for long. If I get promoted even more, wouldn’t it be too quick? People will talk.”

The leader said, “Don’t bother about this, just follow the organization’s arrangements. So what if there is talk? This Master Lin informs you whenever something is up. It seems that you have some outstanding quality. That itself is worth learning from.”

Liu Xiao Tian had nothing to say to that. It did make a lot of sense. His outstanding quality was that he trusted Master Lin too much.

Whenever Master Lin called him, he wouldn’t even consider the possibility of the situation and he would just rush over immediately. It seemed that he would have to trust Master Lin even more in future.

But to Liu Xiao Tian, ever since he had gotten to know Master Lin, his luck had gotten better and better. Every time he got promoted, it was for no reason. He hadn't even done anything but he still got promoted.

Thinking about it was a little scary.

At that moment, Liu Xiao Tian remembered Master Lin's request.

"This time, Master Lin had a large part to play in capturing Scorpion. I think that he should be presented with a Good Citizen Award and an Honors Ceremony should be organized for him. Is going to happen?" Liu Xiao Tian asked.

The leader replied, "Don't worry about these things. The organization will consider it. Don't worry, there will definitely be an Honors Ceremony at the very least. After all, the organization pays a lot of attention to people like Master Lin."

"That's good." Liu Xiao Tian nodded. At least this would make Master Lin feel pretty good.

At Cloud Street!

Lin Fan reached the store as usual. However, all the shop owners were there.

"Little Boss, you really scared us to death. When we saw the news on the Internet, we thought it was real."

"These immoral reporters really report whatever they like."

"Little Boss, you're amazing. You actually did such a great deed. You're a hero!"

Lin Fan smiled as he waved his hand, "What's so great about it? I just caught a wanted criminal, it's not much. It's not even worth mentioning. As for the false rumor on the Internet, I'm not bothered by it. I have a really big heart.

These words didn't sound quite right. How could he not have been bothered by it? When the rumors had just come out, he had been the first to flame the rumor-spreaders.

The shop owners sighed. Little Boss was really Little Boss after all. His attitude was amazing.

Wu You Lan covered her mouth as she sneakily laughed. When she had called Brother Lin in the morning, Brother Lin didn't say it like that.

However, now that the problem had been solved, Brother Lin could say whatever he liked.

The local police station.

When Li Yang found out that his dad had been arrested for trafficking drugs, he was dumbfounded. The reason he had dared to be so unlawful was because of his dad.

Because of his family background, he knew many people in the society. Whenever he had met with obstacles in school, he would call people over to support him. Now that his pillar of support had collapsed, to Li Yang, it was as if the sky had fallen down.

He wasn't of age yet but his guardian had gotten involved in a problem, so he would be sent to the Youth Detention Centre.

As for what would happen over there, it was hard to say.

But there would definitely be many beatings and scoldings.

In the Youth Detention Centre, there was no use trying to talk and reason with them. The Detention Centre could only use sticks to beat them, on top of using reasoning, in order to be effective.

If he was going to be obedient, it would still be alright. But if he wasn't obedient, no one would treat him nicely.

The hospital!

Lin Fan was carrying fruits as he entered the ward. "Elder Chen, how is Lil' Liang recovering?"

“Uncle Lin.” Chen Liang knew that it had been Uncle Lin who saved him. Naturally, he was filled with gratitude.

Elder Chen said, “Little Boss, you didn’t have to bring anything for us.”

Lin Fan chuckled, “How could I not bring gifts if I’m coming to see Lil’ Liang?” Then, he patted Lil’ Liang on the head and said, “Your child must not be so rash in future. When this kid recovers, I’ll personally train him myself.”

Chen Liang had an introverted personality and he wasn’t good at social interactions. When he had been met with a great upset, he thought of committing suicide. This sort of behavior was very dangerous. No matter what, Elder Chen was Lin Fan’s good neighbor. Since his child was facing an issue, Lin Fan had to help.

Elder Chen smiled, “Little Boss, that would be great. With you training him, there will definitely be great results.”

He trusted Little Boss very much. If his child were to be placed in Little Boss’s hands, his child would definitely go through an immensely positive change.

“I heard that Li Yang’s father has been arrested for drug trafficking, is that true?” asked Elder Chen.

Lin Fan nodded, “Mmm, he’s been arrested and locked up. Furthermore, the situation is severe. Whether he’ll be able to come out again in this lifetime is a question to be asked.”

As Chen Liang heard this, especially when he heard Li Yang’s name, his body trembled. It seemed that in his heart, he still feared this person.

Lin Fan patted Chen Liang on the shoulder, “Don’t be afraid. That kid has been sent to the Youth Detention Centre and he’s undergoing a correction. Someone like him, without proper teachings, will harm himself and everyone around him when he grows up.”

“Oh right, how have the discussions been with those parents?”

Elder Chen said, "We've met already. They'll pay the medical bills and they've also apologized to me in person. I don't know what I should say either. What should be compensated has been compensated. After getting them to apologize to my son, I didn't pursue this matter any further."

Lin Fan looked at Elder Chen. He had never expected that Elder Chen would be so accommodating. "Elder Chen, if you have any grievances in your heart, you should say them out. I will definitely stand by your side. Don't ever let your son and yourself lose out."

Elder Chen waved his hand, "Forget it. What has happened has happened. Lil' Liang is fine. Those children have received the appropriate punishment. Moreover, they still have long roads ahead of them, so they should be given a chance. I only hope that after receiving this lesson, they'll correct themselves. That is what Lil' Liang wants as well."

Chen Liang nodded timidly, "Uncle Lin, they're my classmates too. I'm fine now, so I won't hold a grudge against them."

Lin Fan patted Chen Liang on the head once more and didn't say much else. Since they had already said this much, what else could Lin Fan have said?

What a magnanimous child.

"Alright, since you've said that, we shall do as you want. But, Lil' Liang, if you come across such situations in future, don't ever do something like this again. You'd scared your dad to death," said Lin Fan.

Chen Liang nodded, "Mmm, I won't do it again."

Chapter 585: A touched Lin Fan

A few days later!

In the early morning.

At Cloud Street.

“Master Lin, I’m here and I have good news for you.” Liu Xiao Tian’s face beamed as he came in smiling.

Lin Fan got up and smiled, “Inspector Liu, judging by your expression, it must be really good. But don’t tell me yet, let me guess. You’re getting promoted, aren’t you?”

Liu Xiao Tian chuckled, “I didn’t really get promoted. My appointment didn’t change but my ranking rose slightly. But enough talk about that, look at this.”

Lin Fan instantly became delighted. “I don’t just get a Good Citizen Award this time but I even get a banner? That’s amazing!”

Liu Xiao Tian said, “Of course. Now, every police station in Shanghai knows your great name. You’re even more well-known than our police stations’ own people now. The leader of the Third Drug Enforcement Team even wanted to recruit you but I immediately refused on your behalf.”

“Haha,” Lin Fan laughed. Sometimes, it isn’t good to be too capable. It is easy for people to keep thinking about you if you are too capable.

Liu Xiao Tian exchanged some small talk with Lin Fan. Then, he started to talk about proper business, “I haven’t forgotten what you asked of me. I’ve taken care of everything. The day after tomorrow, there will be an Honors Ceremony. As the main contributor, you must participate. You’ll have to go on stage to receive the award. Of course, the cash award will not be small. For this great service, the organization has decided to award you with \$200,000.”

Lin Fan was startled, “They’re so generous?”

Liu Xiao Tian said, “They’ve always been so generous. That day, reporters will be present as well. We have to make some announcements. Sometimes, the information provided by the public comes quicker than what we police find through our investigations.”

“That is true.” Lin Fan nodded. Although the police force was very specialized, they can’t compare to the eyes of the public. The public has sharp eyes. Even a small action by criminals cannot escape their eyes.

Liu Xiao Tian waved his hand, "I've told you everything that I should. Remember to come on time in two days."

Lin Fan said, "Do I still need to wear that monkey mask?"

Liu Xiao Tian laughed, "Why would you still need to wear it? The reporters have already exposed you. No need."

Lin Fan smiled, "I don't think I need it either. I did a good thing and I should be open and proud about it. Moreover, this is Shanghai. I don't need to be afraid of anyone taking revenge on me."

Liu Xiao Tian raised his thumb, then left the place.

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At that moment, Fraud Tian looked enviously at Lin Fan and said, "Yet another Good Citizen Award and even a banner. I'm really dying of jealousy."

Lin Fan held it in his hands and looked closely at it. "Not bad. We'll hang it in the shop."

Zhao Zhong Yang said, "Brother Lin, you have too many Good Citizen Awards. Could it be that you want to fill the whole shop with them?"

"I do have such thoughts," Lin Fan said with a smile, "But there is still a long way to go. I need to work harder and keep taking down criminals in order to decorate our little shop."

"Awesome!"

Zhao Zhong Yang was at a loss for words and could only say that it was amazing. Only Brother Lin could dare to think of something like that. No average person would dare to have such thoughts.

After all, how would they come across so many bad people?

At that moment, Zhao Ming Qing's call came.

“Hello, Ming Qing. What’s up?” Lin Fan asked.

Zhao Ming Qing said, “Teacher, are you busy right now?”

Lin Fan replied, “I’m not. Is there something going on?”

Zhao Ming Qing was acting mysteriously, “No. I will be reaching Cloud Street soon. Come with me to a certain place.”

“Go where? Why are you acting so mysteriously?” Lin Fan couldn’t figure it out even if he wrecked his brain thinking.

Zhao Ming Qing, “Your student will be reaching soon.”

Soon after.

A car stopped outside the shop. Zhao Ming Qing got out from the car. “Teacher, let’s get in the car.”

Lin Fan was curious. “What are you doing? Why are you acting so mysteriously?”

“Teacher, you’ll know if you follow me.” Zhao Ming Qing didn’t say it but he was filled with anticipation. When his teacher sees it, he would definitely be happy.

Seeing how Zhao Ming Qing wouldn’t say it, Lin Fan was helpless as well. He boarded the car. The driver seemed to know where they were going. In the car, Lin Fan asked once more but Zhao Ming Qing still refused to say it. All he said was that Lin Fan would know once they reached.

At a storehouse.

Zhao Ming Qing’s mysterious behavior made Lin Fan very curious. Lin Fan said, “I have to see what it is that you’re being so mysterious about.”

“Teacher, don’t be too shocked when you see it,” said Zhao Ming Qing.

Lin Fan smiled, “Don’t worry, your teacher isn’t so easily shocked.”

They entered the storehouse.

There was something being covered by a red cloth. It looked tall. It wasn’t big but it wasn’t small either. It was as tall as a person.

Lin Fan looked at it and his breathing suddenly became quicker. He couldn’t help but want to take a look.

He lifted the cloth.

Upon lifting it off, an alchemy furnace appeared before him.

This alchemy furnace wasn’t an exhibition item. It was an authentic alchemy furnace that was used in ancient times to concoct pills.

At that moment Lin Fan said in shock, “Ming Qing, this...”

Zhao Ming Qing said with a smile, “Teacher, this is your student’s gift to you. I know that you have been looking for an alchemy furnace, so I personally went to a Daoist shrine to get one for you.”

Lin Fan didn’t say anything. He touched the alchemy furnace in front of him. This was an alchemy furnace with history. “Daoist shrine? How did you get it? It must not have been cheap.”

Zhao Ming Qing smiled, “Do you like it, Teacher? As long as you like it, then it’s worth it.”

Lin Fan patted Zhao Ming Qing on the shoulder and said emotionally, “I like it, I really like it a lot. I never thought that you would remember this.”

Although Zhao Ming Qing was old enough to be Lin Fan’s grandfather, he had seen himself as a student ever since he started learning Chinese medicine from Lin Fan.

“Your student always remembers things about you, Teacher. I heard a good friend say that if I’m looking for an alchemy furnace, I can go look at the Daoist shrine, so I left Shanghai to go and look for it. I finally found it.”

Lin Fan had nothing to say at this moment. He kept patting Zhao Ming Qing’s shoulder, saying, “Good, not bad at all. You’ve put in a lot of thought.”

Zhao Ming Qing smiled happily, “If my teacher likes it, then that’s good.”

Attaining this alchemy furnace hadn’t been simple. But in this society, anything could be done if you had money.

Although he had paid a huge price, at least he managed to get it.

Lin Fan looked at the alchemy furnace and was filled with incomparable joy. With this alchemy furnace, those perfect little intelligence pills would be in his grasps.

Those pressure cookers paled in comparison to this. They were simply incomparable.

At that moment, Lin Fan couldn’t wait any longer.

“Ming Qing, we can concoct pills now,” Lin Fan said excitedly.

Zhao Ming Qing nodded excitedly as well. This was the first time he had seen his teacher so excited.

Lin Fan was really thrilled. He had never expected to really get an alchemy furnace. He couldn’t wait to start creating pills. It was as if those perfect little intelligence pills were waving towards him right now.

Just thinking about it was extremely thrilling.

And although the ingredients were a little expensive, it was all worth it.

During the recent period, he had saved some money. This money was enough for him to create pills.

With the Encyclopedia's mystical boost, he would definitely be able to do it without fail.

Thinking about it was a little scary.

Chapter 586: It really succeeded

Different types of medicinal ingredients were piled up at the side.

Only Lin Fan and Zhao Ming Qing were present in the storehouse.

"Teacher, what kind of pill can these ingredients create?" Zhao Ming Qing picked up the ingredients and studied them closely.

Lin Fan didn't try to hide the truth. "Little Intelligence pills that can increase one's intelligence, making the brain smarter. However, I can't find some of the ingredients, so I can only replace them with other ingredients. I don't know how it will turn out."

This was also what Lin Fan felt most helpless about. Some of the ingredients for the little intelligence pills simply could not be found. Although he found other ingredients to substitute them, he didn't know if they would be able to produce the perfect-grade little intelligence pills.

However, he believed that there was definitely a chance.

Zhao Ming Qing looked at his teacher in astonishment, "A pill that can increase one's intelligence? This..."

He didn't say it out but to him, this didn't make any sense.

There were some brain-enhancing liquids on the market. These were promoted as brain-enhancing and having the ability to raise one's intelligence but to Zhao Ming Qing, that was simply not possible.

Although everyone's brains are generally the same, they develop differently. Some people have higher intellects while others have lower intellects. Also, the more the brain is used, the smarter it becomes. Could this pill really raise one's intelligence?

Lin Fan didn't explain the effects of the little intelligence pill in-depth because even if he did, it would be hard to believe him.

The little intelligence pill was a pill that belonged to the mythical class, after all.

Although it didn't have an exceedingly large effect, it could enhance one's intelligence and allow one to learn exceptionally fast. It wouldn't cause someone to have photographic memory, but if one were to keep using his brain and develop his potential, he might be able to attain photographic memory in the end.

Zhao Ming Qing said, "Teacher, if this pill enters the market, wouldn't that be something?"

Lin Fan shook his head, "That's not possible. Only I can create this pill. No one else can learn it."

Even if someone else were able to create this pill, he wouldn't allow these pills to spread. It was just for him to help people around him gain convenience. It wasn't to be enjoyed by others.

"Light the fire for me. I'll put the ingredients in." Lin Fan couldn't wait any longer.

Zhao Ming Qing nodded, "Alright, Teacher." He wanted to see what would be crafted as well.

Zhao Ming Qing had a kind of blind faith in his teacher, but this alchemy thing was a little absurd to him. In ancient times, alchemy was used to produce poisonous substances. He wondered what exactly his teacher would concoct.

The construction of the alchemy furnace was extraordinary. Who knows how the ancient people managed to think of something like that.

The ingredients were added.

Lin Fan said, "Light the fire."

Zhao Ming Qing replied, "Yes."

In this storehouse, the old man and the young man were on the path towards medicinal pills. They had immersed themselves in alchemy.

Lin Fan, in particular, couldn't remove himself from it. He was completely engrossed.

The fire blazed. Smoke emerged from the furnace.

Zhao Ming Qing watched curiously. "Teacher, will this really work?"

Lin Fan said confidently, "It will. It definitely will."

After a certain amount of time, changes started to occur in the furnace.

A pill rolled out from the little hole at the side of the furnace.

Lin Fan's face beamed with joy.

They did it.

It really was useful.

Zhao Ming Qing looked at the pill. His expression changed. "Teacher, what is this? Did we succeed?"

Lin Fan picked up the pill and was a little saddened. It was only a normal-grade little intelligence pill. However, it was still much better than the ones created by the pressure cookers. Still, it was far from as good as the perfect grade pill.

“We did succeed but this pill isn’t very highly graded. Let’s continue.” It was a good start and that meant that things would get better.

This proved that using an alchemy furnace produced better grade pills than using a pressure cooker. It was significantly better.

Zhao Ming Qing asked suspiciously, “Teacher, there aren’t any toxins inside this pill, right?”

Lin Fan shook his head, “Nope. This was formed by condensing the essence of the medicinal ingredients. It won’t contain any toxins. What we need to create now are perfect-grade little intelligence pills. Although these normal ones do have an effect, they’re far from enough. Let us continue.”

Zhao Ming Qing nodded, “Mmm.”

The driver outside had waited for a long time.

Then, he looked in through the door crack. A helpless expression appeared on his face.

Everyone knew that Elder Zhao had become the disciple of a young man. But the fact that the two of them suddenly started talking about alchemy made him dumbfounded.

However, he didn’t say much. He felt that it was undoubtedly just a fantasy.

Then, he went back to his car to play with his phone again.

This was the first time Zhao Ming Qing had done this. His emotions were complicated. He was excited, nervous and thrilled, all at the same time. When the first pill had come out, his heart had started racing. He had never expected it to really work.

However, his teacher said that it was only normal-grade and still far from their objective. Then, he knew that they had a long way to go.

Another pill was formed.

Lin Fan shook his head, “Another normal-grade. It won’t do. Keep going.”

“Yes.” Zhao Ming Qing nodded.

Time kept passing by. The two of them worked tirelessly in the storehouse. Zhao Ming Qing kept lighting the flames while Lin Fan went around the furnace, checking on the conditions inside. The Encyclopedia’s mystical boost was added in.

Without the original ingredients, he could only rely on luck.

However, these normal-grade little intelligence pills were actually quite effective too.

But Lin Fan had to create the perfect-grade pills because this was related to the task.

Another pill!

“Hey, this is a lot purer than the previous ones,” said Lin Fan in surprise as he fiddled with it.

Zhao Ming Qing said, “Teacher, could it be that after crafting so many, the medicinal strength is still remaining inside the furnace, creating even better grade pills as we continue?”

Lin Fan’s eyes gleamed, “That does make sense. Let’s carry on and see.”

“Okay.” Zhao Ming Qing had read about this in an ancient book.

He had studied Chinese medicine for ten years but this was the first time he had gotten involved in alchemy. He would be lying if he said he wasn’t curious. That moment when the pill took shape, in particular, made him incomparably delighted.

Another pill came out the furnace.

Lin Fan looked closely at it. “Ming Qing, it seems that what you said is really true. The more we craft, the better the pills become. This one is much better than the last.”

Zhao Ming Qing said, “Then we shouldn’t be too far from the perfect-grade pill that you talked about, right, Teacher?”

It was hard to say. Lin Fan said, “Let’s try it first. If we really are able to craft the perfect-grade pill, that would be best.”

Outside.

The driver looked at the sky. It was getting late. It was almost eight o’clock. Elder Zhao and Master Lin had been crafting for almost eight hours and they hadn’t even come out yet. This...sigh.

Suddenly.

A series of joyous sounds emanated from the inside.

“Haha, we’ve succeeded. Look, Ming Qing, we’ve succeeded!”

“Teacher, is this the perfect-grade pill that you talked about?”

“That’s right. Look, how is it? This is the result of our long hours of hard work. You were right. The medicinal strength was preserved inside all along until we finally produced a perfect-grade pill.”

The driver sneakily took a look. When he saw the scene inside, he was dumbfounded.

The old man and the young man were in each other’s embrace, crying tears of joy. This was a little f*cking scary.

He didn’t dare to look. He really didn’t dare to look.

Chapter 587: Opening of the Departmental Store

Lin Fan had a pill in his hand. It was gold in color. It was the well-concocted perfect-grade Little intelligence pill. He smiled broadly.

Zhao Ming Qing stood by his side, looking, “Teacher, is this the said perfect-grade little intelligence pill?”

Lin Fan nodded his head, “You’re right! This is it! Take a look at it, see if it’s okay.”

Zhao Ming Qing was shocked, “A golden, glossy outward appearance. This is the first time I’m looking at such a pill!”

“It’s for you.” Lin Fan handed the pill over to Zhao Ming Qing straightaway.

Zhao Ming Qing was so stunned that he didn’t even know where to place his hands. “Teacher, I...”

He was feeling extremely touched at this moment. He was completely lost for words. The perfect-grade little intelligence pill, whom Teacher Lin had painstakingly concocted, was unexpectedly given to him!

How could this not make him feel touched?

Lin Fan said, “Take it. From what I know, when people grow older, their brains degenerate. It’s no longer as active as before. What’s more is that you are learning Chinese medicine, which requires you to be flexible and to make many deductions. As your teacher, how can I allow your brain to lose its activeness?”

Zhao Ming Qing was left speechless. What Teacher said was true. When a person ages, his brain becomes less adequate. At times, what they could remember before might momentarily be forgotten.

“You can rest easy, There’s absolutely nothing wrong with his pill.” Lin Fan assured.

Zhao Ming Qing shook his head, “Teacher, it’s not that I’m doubting your pill. It’s just that I don’t know what to say! Thank you so much for your favor!”

Lin Fan smiled broadly. He didn’t even think much about this perfect-grade little intelligence pill. As long as he could concoct it, then it wasn’t that big of a deal.

But now, the most crucial moment had come.

“The fourteenth page of knowledge has been completed. 30 Encyclopedic points will be awarded.”

“The departmental store of the Encyclopedia has opened.”

“The departmental store has a total of four levels. The first level has been opened.”

“The fifteenth page of knowledge will temporarily remain locked.

“Mission announcement: Buy perfect-grade little intelligence pills from the Encyclopedia departmental store for the children at Nanshan Children’s Welfare Institute to consume.”

“Mission reward: Encyclopedic points +100, unlocking of the fifteenth page of knowledge, as well as drawing of a classification of knowledge.”

“Encyclopedic points: 405.”

Lin Fan was a bit skeptical. His mind was communicating with the Encyclopedia.

“That isn’t correct... The previous reward was to unlock the fifteenth page of knowledge. Why is it that it still hasn’t been unlocked even after completing it?” Lin Fan asked.

“It is a last minute mission, so as to not give rise to disagreements. At the same time, it is to otherwise reward you with a new classification of knowledge.”

Lin Fan had no other choice but to let it go. He currently had fourteen pages of knowledge and that was unbelievable. However, he felt that the Encyclopedia had a rather humane side to it. It knew that he recently did not pay enough attention to the Nanshan Children’s Welfare Institute and therefore had given him this last minute mission.

Not bad.

He had no other opinions.

“Teacher, what happened to you?” Zhao Ming Qing realized that his mind was slowly clearing up after taking the pill. However, what made him most surprised was when he realized that Teacher’s expression was rather serious and wondered what had happened.

Lin Fan came back to his senses, “Nothing. I was just thinking about some stuff. Since we have already concocted the perfect-grade little intelligence pill, let us go home for some rest!”

“Yes!” Zhao Ming Qing nodded his head. Today was a tiring but fruitful day.

They left the Alchemy Furnace in the warehouse. Even if someone tried to move it away, they wouldn’t be able to. Moreover, like what Lin Fan said, there isn’t much of a use for it anymore.

Back at home.

Lin Fan laid on his sofa, looking through the Encyclopedia’s departmental store. This was a new discovery, so he didn’t know what to expect.

Perfect-grade little intelligence pill: 20 Encyclopedic points.

Ba Gua Zhang skill pill: 10 Encyclopedic points.

Small-sized lucky halo: 100 Encyclopedic points.

Eagle vision: 200 Encyclopedic points.

Breathing underwater skill: 200 Encyclopedic points.

Primary strength amplification pill: 1000 Encyclopedic points.

Primary agility amplification pill: 1000 Encylopaedic points.

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Lin Fan's eyes were dazzling. The first page of the departmental store had simply too many items. Some of the items made Lin Fan dumbstruck. His heart was bursting with excitement.

These were items that the Encyclopedia's classification could not bring about.

As for the items in the first page of the departmental store, everything was beyond the understanding of our current capabilities.

Behind every item, there was the pricing. This attracted Lin Fan the most. He only had one thought in his mind and it was that he wanted everything so d*mn badly.

However, some of the items were very expensive.

He had to suppress his excitement. He thought about the task that was just announced.

It could be said that he would require a period of time to finish the task. It may not be very difficult, but in order to complete the task, he would require at least 6700 Encyclopedic points.

This was a very diverse task. Making a profit of Encyclopedic points was still a necessity.

However, what would the future be like if he allows the children to consume the little intelligence pill?

He didn't dare to think about it, neither did he want to.

All the talent was at the Nanshan Children's Welfare Institute. The thought of it was terrifying and shocking.

However, whatever they say, the talent would have to go through Lin Fan's education.

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In the villa.

“Old man, why are you back so late?” Zhao Shi was busy in the kitchen.

Zhao Ming Qing laughed, “Nothing much. I was concocting a pill with Teacher. It was very rewarding.”

Zhao Shi shook her head while laughing. Ever since this old man took Teacher Lin as his teacher, he has had a change in personality. It was as if he was becoming younger and younger. The house also became livelier.

Zhao Shi was packing up in the kitchen, but suddenly, she asked, “Old man, I don’t know where the knives in the house went to. I’m going out to buy one. Can you just wait for awhile, dinner would be ready soon.”

Zhao Ming Qing didn’t think much about it and answered, “Aren’t the knives above the refrigerator? You put it up there a year ago, saying that you were afraid that our grandson would touch it. Don’t you remember?”

Zhao Shi went to look above the refrigerator and was stunned for a moment, “Hey, old man! How did you know? I remember that you hardly concern yourself with such matters.”

“Wife, it was what you told me previously. You...”

Suddenly, Zhao Ming Qing also stunned. He wasn’t happy because he remembered where the knives were put, but rather, he realized that something wasn’t quite correct.

How did he know where the knives were kept?

But he clearly remembered that his wife had told him about this before. All he had to do was to look through his memories and he would remember it.

However, he was already so old. How could he still remember such things? Even if he was a youngster, he probably wouldn’t be able to remember it.

Frightening!

Could it be because of the perfect-grade little intelligence pill that Teacher handed to him?

Thinking about it, Zhao Ming Qing suddenly realized that that was probably the case.

“Old man, what happened to you?” his wife asked urgently. The old man was a little weird today. Did something happen to him?

Zhao Ming Qing waved his hands, “Nothing, nothing. I just simply remembered it.”

Zhao Shi also didn’t think much about it and continued her work in the kitchen.

However, to Zhao Ming Qing, something life-changing had just occurred.

“Teacher, what kind of pill did you concoct? How could you possibly give such an important pill to me for consumption? This...” Zhao Ming Qing was so touched that he was on the verge of crying.

Chapter 588: What do I do? I’m too welcomed!

At Cloud Street!

Lin Fan tidied up the area. He was getting ready to go to the Honors Ceremony. This would only be his second time going to such a ceremony. It still felt good.

If it were normal people, they would definitely be scared of this and that. They would be scared of the criminals coming to find them once again for revenge. However, Lin Fan wasn’t scared. If they dared to come, he would take them on and he would once again be successful. After which he would be able to get a Good Citizen Award, which would feel good.

Fraud Tian was smoking a cigarette. With a look of doubt, he shouted, “Looks like it is time for you to be in the limelight again.”

When he watched the previous Honors Ceremony, he was filled with envy. The feeling of a million pairs of eyes staring at you is one to be envious of. He wanted to go as well, but he couldn't.

Who asked him to not have the ability to solve a case.

Lin Fan laughed and calmly said, "This limelight is not one that one is able to achieve simply by dreaming of it. There are many hidden dangers behind it all."

Fraud Tian replied, "I would rather these dangers so that I can get that limelight."

"Hehe." Lin Fan was extremely proud. "Then you need to be hardworking. However, I feel as though you are rather uncertain. After all, you weren't able to solve the latest big case."

"Haha." Fraud Tian didn't dare to say anymore. This b*stard was too much of a show-off. How could I, a Tian, not have such capabilities?

Wu You Lan worriedly asked, "Brother Lin, you really don't intend on getting the monkey costume ready?"

Lin Fan waved his hands, "What monkey costume? Is that my style? It's about time I leave. I'll make a move first. I'll bring back the award to let you all have a touch."

Fraud Tian was elated, "That is a good idea. I'll go online to check for a suitable restaurant."

"All you know how to do is to eat. Let's go get the award, Elder Dog!"

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At the grounds of the Honors Ceremony.

In front of the doors.

Liu Xiao Tian was waving his hands, "Master Lin, over here..."

There were many police cars parked outside. The big shots of the Shanghai police force had arrived. Scorpion was a wanted fugitive throughout the entire nation. If any city's police force were to be able to capture Scorpion, it would be a huge mission success! If Scorpion was caught in Shanghai, it would mean a huge deal to them.

Even though they weren't the ones who caught him personally, what was the difference? He was still caught in Shanghai anyway.

Lin Fan said, "I'm not late, am I?"

Liu Xiao Tian was in a good mood. He looked very smart wearing the police uniform. "Nope, you aren't. Even if you did arrive late, it wouldn't matter. There are many people who walked past me that want to get to know you."

Lin Fan laughed, "Why would they want to get to know me? I simply sell scallion pancakes!"

"Haha!" Liu Xiao Tian patted Lin Fan on his shoulder, "Master Lin, stop teasing around. Who else sells scallion pancakes like yours? However, there is an interesting event. Nowadays, there's always a picture of you pasted on the front of those mobile carts selling scallion pancakes on the streets. The previous government official that I worked with previous would often tell me that, whenever he saw such carts, he couldn't bear to do anything to them. All he could do was to talk to them nicely and come to peace with them. It was a lot better than the old times."

Lin Fan burst out laughing. This was just too pretentious. Since when did he become so capable? Could it be that he had become the idol of those mobile carts?

At this moment, someone appeared in the distance. When he saw Inspector Liu talking to Lin Fan, his eyes lit up.

"Inspector Liu..."

Liu Xiao Tian looked over, "Hey! Inspector Huang!" Thereafter, he introduced, "Master Lin this is Inspector Huang from the Jiayi District!:"

Inspector Huang arrived before the two of them, and immediately greeted, "Master Lin, I have been looking forward to meeting you for a very long time! I never thought that someone so young could be so capable. Many youngsters in my center hold you in high regard!"

Lin Fan laughed, "Inspector Huang, you're too kind."

The three of them chatted for a while longer, then Inspector Huang proceeded in before them.

Liu Xiao Tian tapped Lin Fan, "Inspector Huang might not have said it, but he certainly has this idea. Because of you, now the people from the various districts are all so envious of me. This pressure is too much!"

Lin Fan had no other response, "What can I do then? No one asked you to be so familiar with me. I'd always look for you when I have a situation."

Liu Xiao Tian felt that he became extremely lucky after getting to know Master Lin. Not only did he switch from a government official to become a policeman, he also got promoted from a mere policeman to the position of an inspector!

The rate of promotion could be said to be frightening.

However, he felt that this wasn't because of his own capabilities, but rather, it was due to Master Lin.

"Inspector Liu, is this individual Master Lin?" At this moment, a middle-aged man walked over. The dark-skinned man looked very energetic and was filled with vigor.

Liu Xiao Tian went forward to approach him, "Chief Qin, this is Master Lin who arrested Scorpion."

"Master Lin, this is the Chief of the Special Action Group of the Drug Enforcement Team. He is both brave and knowledgeable. The number one bane of drug abusers! He is an awesome person who has solved many huge cases!"

Chief Qin laughed, "Inspector Liu, you may have gone overboard flattering me. It is merely my responsibility. However, I admire Master Lin. We have been following Scorpion for a very long time, but we never had a lead. I never thought that Master Lin would be able to take him down in one motion. Respect, respect!"

Lin Fan politely said, "Chief Qin, you are over-praising me. As a good citizen with a sense of justice, whenever I meet someone that's up to no good, my first instinct is to immediately catch him! Our Shanghai is an internationally well-known city, how can we let allow these people to tarnish our image?"

Chief Qin said, "Master Lin, I have come with a request but I'm not sure if you would be interested in it."

Lin Fan immediately shook his head, "I'm not interested." He knew what Chief Qin meant, but he also knew that whatever he said would not be good.

"Chief Qin, what you're doing isn't right. You can't be this outright when asking someone for a favor. Moreover, Master Lin also has his own business. Catching criminals is only his side job." Liu Xiao Tian also knew what Chief Qin wanted. He knew that it wasn't only Chief Qin that had this idea, but rather the entire Drug Enforcement Team.

After all, they had been trying to follow the trail of Scorpion but always made no progress. However, Master Lin managed to take him down in such a short period of time. How can such ability not attract the attention of others?

Liu Xiao Tian waited for Chief Qin to leave, then shook his head, "Master Lin, you have to take it easy. This Chief Qin is too direct in asking people for favors."

Lin Fan replied, "He indeed does come on a bit strongly. However, it's of no use. I'm not someone that is so easily roped in."

Liu Xiao Tian laughed. What he said was true. If Master Lin was so easily roped in, he would have stopped selling scallion pancakes long ago.

After a period of time, Lin Fan got the feel of the place. There were many celebrities around.

The inspectors and bureau chiefs of various districts all smiled at him in an attempt to get closer to Lin Fan.

Some of them were very blunt and they immediately talked to Lin Fan.

If he were to discover another criminal in the future, they wanted to be notified instead of Liu Xiao Tian.

At this moment, not only was Lin Fan left speechless, even Liu Xiao Tian was helpless.

Chapter 589: That is rather stunning

In the hall!

Reporter Chu Yuan was getting his equipment ready. However, when he heard that Master Lin had once again solved another case, he became extremely anxious.

He worshipped Master Lin. From what he can tell, Master Lin wasn't one to concern himself with trivial matters and liked to uphold justice. Hence, he requested for guidance, as well as an interview.

He looked around he didn't manage to see Master Lin. It seems he hasn't arrived.

At this moment, the discussion the reporters around him had caught his attention.

"Hey! This interview is pointless."

"Indeed! What's the big deal about this Honors Ceremony? However, this Master Lin is really amazing."

"I feel that it's rather ordinary. It seems that he is probably just blind luck."

Chu Yuan listened to their conversation for a while, but after a while, he couldn't take it anymore. He retorted, "What you said is wrong! What kind of blind luck are you talking about? Master Lin is an amazing person! Do you even know what he did in the past?"

"You speak as if you know what happened."

Chu Yuan replied, "Let me tell you, Master Lin had once cracked down on a human trafficking group, rescuing hundreds of children. He even took these children into his own care. As for the Starlight Film School incident, Master Lin defied the threats and violence and continued to fight for justice on Weibo for a female student. What's more..."

Regarding Lin Fan's past achievements, Chu Yuan can be said to be an expert, not leaving out a single detail. It was as if the events all happened to him personally.

If Master Lin were to know that he has a first-rate fan, he would feel rather apprehensive and wonder what this chap was thinking. It couldn't be that he had fallen in love with Lin Fan?

One other reporter even changed the way he addressed Chu Yuan, "Brother Chu, is everything you say true?"

Chu Yuan took a glance at him, "Of course it's real! As a reporter yourself, do you not watch the news?"

The other party awkwardly shook his head, "I was brought over to Shanghai from another place, so I don't quite understand the situation here in Shanghai."

Chu Yuan lowered his head, "I suggest you go and look up this news. You will definitely like Master Lin after reading them. Such a person like Master Lin is hard to come by. There's sort of an indescribable charm about him."

The rest of the crowd nodded their heads. If what Chu Yuan said is true, then Master Lin is truly a hero. He is definitely much better than those that are currently seating in the hall.

Chu Yuan was feeling pretty good about himself, for he has once again spoken out for his idol.

Suddenly, the hall became very quiet.

He knew that the Honors Ceremony was starting soon. He looked intently in front of him, with his cameras all pointing towards the stage, waiting for Master Lin to appear.

This time, catching Scorpion had a huge influence.

Scorpion was the number one drug lord who had control over many big leads. After interrogation, it revealed a number of questions. Originally, according to the police's intention, it was to continue to hide it and secretly control these clues so as to lure and arrest more criminals.

However, because the arrest operation that night was already exposed by the reporters, it wasn't much of a surprise.

Because of this, there wasn't a need to hide anymore. They may as well had blatantly put out to intimidate these drug traffickers.

"This Master Lin is really godly. He was so successful in taking down the human trafficking group the previous time. Never would I have thought that he would be able to take down Scorpion this time as well!"

"Indeed! If only Master Lin was a police officer. It would really be something with these two huge successes in his bag."

"However, I would say that the inspector of this city district, Liu Xiao Tian, is really lucky to know a friend like this. From what I heard before, whenever something happens with Master Lin, he would inform Liu Xiao Tian at moment's notice. Why haven't we met anyone like this?"

"Say no more, say no more... It looks like this time there's someone from the above coming down. With the success of Scorpion's arrest, it has caught the attention of the people above and it seems they want to present the award."

The representative of the police force went up on stage and reported the situation over the past week, and at the same time, he explained the Scorpion situation.

"Please welcome Lin Fan up on stage! This is the hero from the citizens who cooperate with the police force!"

At this moment, Chu Yuan's attention was fixated on the stage. Master Lin had finally arrived.

At the backstage, Lin Fan looked at Elder Dog Nicholas, "Elder Dog, it's our turn to go on stage! I have helped you to get on stage this time, don't you dare take it for granted!"

There was a thunderous round of applause. The policemen were all clapping for him

There were many whispers amongst the leaders.

“This Master Lin looks so young!”

“Don’t look down on Master Lin just because he’s young. Even though he’s not a cop, he has provided many contributions. Even our professionals aren’t comparable to him.”

“He managed to sabotage the human traffickers the previous time, and now he has caught the drug abusing Scorpion. Out of these two events, which of these aren’t considered as a huge case?”

Lin Fan went on stage. Elder Dog squatted by his side. “Good evening everyone, I am Lin Fan. This is only my second time on stage, so I’m still rather nervous.”

The audience erupted in laughter.

The policemen passing by the Honors Ceremony knew that Master Lin was a smooth talker and was very arrogant.

The ordinary people who come here would be hoping to wear the monkey suit. However, Master Lin is not one of them. He didn’t wear it at all. He even called out for the criminals to come and seek revenge on him.

They were a little stunned by that.

Lin Fan took the microphone and said, “Even though I may be an ordinary citizen, but being the just and good-natured citizen I am, when dealing with criminals, I am never lenient. Just a while ago, Inspector Liu Xiao Tian passed me a piece of paper with an unclear picture of Scorpion on it. At that moment in time, I asked Inspector Liu if this was a joke. With such an unclear picture, how was I supposed to catch him? However, Liu Xiao Tian said this.....”

Liu Xiao Tian sat below the stage. He originally only planned on watching Master Lin present himself. He didn't know that Master Lin would bring him into the matter. This made him extremely shocked.

Even to the point that he felt like crying.

Master Lin had once again recognized his efforts.

Looking at this, the leaders from the other districts were both envious and resentful towards Inspector Liu. Why couldn't they meet someone like Master Lin? This Liu Xiao Tian was simply too lucky.

Lin Fan was speaking with much assurance on stage. He wasn't a single bit nervous. "The success of catching Scorpion is down to three heroes. Firstly, it is me. Secondly, it's the dog squatting at my feet, Elder Dog Nicholas. Thirdly, it is Inspector Liu Xiao Tian. Of course, the entire indispensable police force is also to thank! Please, I would like to welcome Inspector Liu up on stage. After all, this Honors Ceremony is not only for me, but it is for the entire police force. However, I hope it isn't a problem allowing Inspector Liu to represent the force."

Liu Xiao Tian was sitting below the stage. He was completely stunned. Should I go up or should I stay seated?

This was a difficult decision.

Such a huge amount of credit, and yet Master Lin is throwing it onto himself. Was he out to kill him?

"Let us welcome Inspector Liu!" Lin Fan announced.

The audience applauded.

Liu Xiao Tian finally understood. He had no choice but to go up on stage. He mustered all his courage. He could feel his heart beating. He was inwardly very excited, but yet nervous.

On stage.

“Good evening colleagues and leaders.” Upon arriving on stage, Liu Xiao Tian immediately tried to suppress his anxiousness and display calmness instead. He was an inspector. If he showed any signs of nervousness, it would definitely leave a bad impression of himself on the leaders sitting below.

Furthermore, he could not claim all the credit for himself.

Chapter 590: Are you up for it?

“What Master Lin just said, I dare not take full credit for. Being able to arrest Scorpion this time is not only because of the police force but even more so because of Master Lin. If not for him, we wouldn’t be successful without having even a single lead. At the same time, during the process to arrest Scorpion, the policemen had put in a great deal of hard work. Hence, this Honors Ceremony should be for the entire police force, as well as Master Lin!” Liu Xiao Tian didn’t dare to boast that this arrest operation was entirely due to their hard work and had nothing to do with the others seated in the hall. If he were to say it, he would definitely be flamed by the other leaders.

Applause

The audience began applauding and acknowledged what Liu Xiao Tian presented. However, in their hearts, they knew that this success was entirely due to Master Lin. If it weren’t for him, there wouldn’t even be a game to play.

Lin Fan laughed, “Inspector Liu is too humble. I’m not part of the organization, but from what I can see, Inspector Liu is a good inspector. He does things with his heart and soul. Previously, being someone that didn’t care about other people’s business, I was also touched by his actions. He inspired me to play my part in upholding justice.

As expected, what Liu Xiao Tian feared the most has come.

Master Lin started to go overboard in commending him.

However, he didn’t know why, but he was feeling good about it.

The policemen below the stage also laughed. They weren't a single bit unhappy. To them, this wasn't an Honors Ceremony, but rather it was an opportunity for the policemen to integrate with the citizens, building a platform for solving cases to be more streamlined.

Lin Fan continued to compliment Liu Xiao Tian.

Liu Xiao Tian then began to push his contributions to one side.

Following Liu Xiao Tian's intentions, mistakes are mine, but the contributions are everyone's.

Elder Dog Nicholas was squatting beside Lin Fan. However, after blinking his eyes, he stretched out his paws and laid down on the ground, motionless. These humans are so interesting. They have so much bullsh*t to say.

Each second ticked by.

Liu Xiao Tian wanted to cry but showed no tears. He didn't care about the situation anymore and bluntly said, "Master Lin, say no more. At this rate, you're going to make me into a saint. How am I going to work with my colleagues in future?"

"Haha..."

At this moment, the audience burst into laughter. Even the leaders were laughing, as though they had no intention of blaming anyone.

Lin Fan also laughed, "Okay, then I wouldn't speak anymore. I'm just trying to give you some credit."

The Honors Ceremony this time can be considered to be a new and fresh experience.

Thereafter, a leader went on stage. "During this operation to arrest Scorpion, Master Lin had a huge contribution. After much discussion, we have decided to award Master Lin with 200,000 dollars!"

Chu Yuan was videoing the entire situation from below the stage. His face was filled with joy. Such an Honors Ceremony had only been held twice and both times were because of Master Lin.

It wasn't as though there weren't any Honors Ceremony previously. It was only that during those ceremonies, the atmosphere was always very serious. No one dared to breathe.

After which, there was a group photograph session.

The schedule had run to an end, and the Honors Ceremony was also coming to an end.

End of the ceremony.

Liu Xiao Tian couldn't help but say, "Master Lin, you have praised me too much this time. I wouldn't dare to slack off in future."

Lin Fan laughed, "Inspector Liu, the capable people should be doing more work."

"Master Lin, I suggest that if you want to leave, you should leave soon. If you wait any longer, I'm afraid it would be too late," Liu Xiao Tiao said.

Lin Fan replied, "What do you mean?"

Liu Xiao Tian pointed at a distance, "Take a look for yourself! Look at how many people are looking for you?"

Lin Fan gazed in that direction. It was already enough just looking at it. Even Chief Qin and other leaders were in that crowd, and they were all looking for him.

"Okay, then I wouldn't wait any longer. I'll take my leave. Please don't let them disturb me," Lin Fan waved. He then picked up Elder Dog and boarded the car, leaving this place.

Not long after Lin Fan left, the crowd came before Liu Xiao Tian. "Where did Master Lin go?"

Liu Xiao Tian replied, "He just went home."

The crowd felt a pang of regret. They didn't think that Master Lin would just leave them like that.

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Lin Fan was elated. 200,000 dollars in his hand. Elder Dog laid on the seat beside him. He was motionless and had an expression of peace.

At this moment, Zhao Mingqing called him. Ever since he had taken the pill, Lin Fan didn't know what was the situation with his discipline. However, the perfect-grade little intelligence pill wasn't so simple. It would definitely have produced many unbelievable effects.

Zhao Ming Qing was rather advanced in his age. His mind was slowly becoming less and less active. However, with this little intelligence pill, it shouldn't have been much of a problem. His mind would definitely be more active than the youngsters.

"Ming Qing, what is it?"

"Teacher! The little intelligence pill is too incredible. I can remember many things that I've previously forgotten!"

"Is that all?"

"No, there's more. Even though I have not achieved photographic memory, but I've realized that whenever I'm reading a book, the content would be very deeply engraved into my mind. Teacher, I'm afraid this little intelligence pill is simply too incredible."

Zhao Ming Qing didn't know what else to say. He took the pill two night before, but he already experienced so many changes the day before. It had already left him speechless.

The pill that his mentor had concocted was too godly, and this made him feel a little scared.

Lin Fan laughed, "It's not simple. The effects of the perfect-grade little intelligence pill shouldn't only be like this. Go and ponder over it. Moreover, your mind should be more active now. It would be of great help to your studies of Chinese medicine."

"Thank you so much, teacher." Zhao Mingqing was extremely grateful.

He was already so old. He had studied Chinese medicine for such a long period of time, so addressing him as 'Master' isn't too much. However, he felt that he would be able to compete with the younger generation.

The younger generation was careful yet bold. They were willing to put up a fight.

However, at his age, his train of thoughts was more rigid and less reasonable and he didn't dare to use medication in excess. Therefore, even though he might theoretically be more knowledgeable, in practice, he loses out.

Lin Fan laughed, "There's no need to thank me. You are my student, of course, I have to let you improve. In the event that I contract a disease in future, I can always come to you. That's right, what's the situation regarding the distribution of the Chinese medicine foundation training materials?"

"Teacher, right now the materials are in the last stage of filing. It'll be readily distributed to the Chinese medicine schools within the nation soon."

"That's good to hear. Tell me when the distribution begins."

He was thinking about the Encyclopedia. He wasn't very skilled in earning Encyclopaedic points. If the distribution of the materials is successful, he may be able to earn a fortune of points.

After putting down the call, Lin Fan headed to Cloud Street.

When he reached Cloud Street, he was met with firecrackers set off by the business owners. It was as if they were celebrating for him.

"Little boss, it seems that this time you have once again done a huge deed."

"We all know that you attended the Honors Ceremony. Amazing!"

"Our Little boss is a God!"

Lin Fan smiled proudly, then proceeded to humbly wave at the business owners.

“It’s a small matter, a small matter. It’s not worth the mention.”

To Lin Fan, it is indeed a small matter. However, to the business owners, it is a huge deal.

Our Cloud Street is capable of producing heroes!

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At night.

At Qingtian Bay.

This was the street racing heaven. But it was also a terrifying place.

Many did not dare to come here in search of excitement. However, to some people, if they didn’t look for excitement, their lives would be boring. Especially when they had nothing to do during the day. The day would feel as if it were a year.

“Young Chang, are you up for the next round? If not, I’ll go,” A young man said. His appearance radiated a kind of arrogance.