

Chapter 121: A Confirmation Through Our Gazes, You're the Only Person I've Ever Kissed (1)

Xia Shangzhou: "Can you see what Boss is typing?"

Lu Benlai: "My glasses are down there."

Xia Shangzhou shoved Lu Benlai away and said, "Move aside, I'll do it instead."

Craning his neck forward, he strenuously read off Lin Jiage's laptop screen while muttering the words one by one, "That, is, my, family's, driver, and..."

"And what?" the anxious Lu Benlai urged.

"Don't talk, you're affecting my concentration..." Xia Shangzhou jabbed Lu Benlai with his elbow before continuing, "... Boss deleted the previous message. Was it not good enough? Oh, Boss started typing again. This time, he's typing... that car and the driver were specially arranged by my grandfather for Yaoyao's sake..."

"The heck, that line has a far deeper meaning than the one Boss just erased!" Lu Benlai exclaimed in astonishment.

Overwhelmed by shock, Lu Benlai's voice turned out to be a bit louder than he thought, and it disturbed Lin Jiage, who was in the middle of tapping on his keyboards.

The young man grabbed a pen by the table, and he forcefully tossed it behind him without even turning around. It accurately struck Lu Benlai's bed, causing Xia Shangzhou and Lu Benlai to dive back into their blankets fearfully, not daring to make any careless moves.

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Shi Yao didn't receive a response for the "Thank you" she sent to [111111].

Used to being ignored by [111111], Shi Yao's mood wasn't affected by the matter at all. Instead, she put down the phone, opened her closet, grabbed a packet of potato chips, and began munching on them with delight.

It was already midnight, and Leng Nuan and Jiang Yue were already asleep. He Tiantian had just switched off her phone when she heard some movements from Shi Yao's side, and she couldn't help but mutter grudgingly, "Shi Yao, just look at the time. I can't believe you're still eating. Aren't you afraid that I might poison one of your drinks?"

Shi Yao took a potato chip and offered it to He Tiantian, "Then, do you want one too?"

He Tiantian quickly covered her head with her blanket and replied gravely, "Tempting a person on a diet at midnight is an extremely shameless and immoral action. That's no different from torture to me!"

"Alright, I won't force you then." Shi Yao took back the potato chip and placed it happily into her mouth.

Shortly after she swallowed it, He Tiantian pulled down her blanket and sat upright before asking, “Yaoyao, are you staying up because of that forum thread? Do you wanna have a late-night chat together?”

Shi Yao: “It’s okay, I’m fine now. I’ll be turning in after I brush my teeth, so you should sleep soon too.”

He Tiantian: “Really?”

Shi Yao: “Really!”

He Tiantian: “Alright then. Don’t think too much about it and go to sleep.”

Shi Yao, whose cheeks were puffed up by the two potato chips she had just tossed into her mouth, nodded her head vehemently and replied with a muffled “Un un un”.

Taking another glance at Shi Yao, He Tiantian finally lay back down on her bed.

Soon after, her breathing grew deep and steady.

Everyone else in the dormitory room was already asleep. After Shi Yao had her fill of chips, she went to the bathroom to brush her teeth. However, instead of diving straight to bed like she’d told He Tiantian earlier, she headed towards her table and switched on her laptop.

Since it had already happened, she had no choice but to face it.

The ruckus on the forum had already gone on for an entire day, and that nosey crowd should’ve already had their fair share of fun gossiping. It was about time to wrap up this farce...

The silence that drifted around the school deep at night was a little terrifying.

Amidst the light snoring of her three roommates, Shi Yao sat in front of her laptop, moving her mouse from time to time.

It was only at five in the morning when Shi Yao finally stood up from her laptop and yawned. Climbing into her bed, it didn’t take long for her consciousness to drift off.

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Shi Yao had no idea how long she’d slept for, but she knew that it was far from enough. While her head was still fuzzy with drowsiness, she was jolted awake by Jiang Yue’s piercing scream.

Shi Yao took a look at her clock—nine a.m. She had only slept for four hours...

“Shhh, let me sleep a little longer,” Shi Yao muttered weakly before twisting to the side. Just as she was about to return to sleep, a thought came to her mind, and she added, “Help me bring some food back from the canteen when you guys go out for breakfast, thanks.”

“Eat eat eat, is your mind filled with nothing but food? Yaoyao, you need to see our school forum right now!” He Tiantian’s scream was even more piercing than Jiang Yue’s.

Shi Yao covered her ears and cried, “Yeesh, there’s no need to bother with the forum! I’ll deal with it after I wake up...”

“Everything will be over by the time you wake up. Besides, you don’t have to deal with it anymore...”
When Jiang Yue spoke up to this point, He Tiantian seemed to guess what she was about to say, and the both of them spoke together with uncanny harmony. “... Lin Jiage already dealt with it for you!”

“Oh,” the sleepyhead Shi Yao replied calmly.

Five seconds later, she suddenly opened her eyes.

Lin Jiage... In a second, Shi Yao’s exhaustion disappeared without a trace. She quickly sat up, grabbed her phone, and entered the school forum.

Other than the ‘Female Student from G University Spends Each Night With a Different Partner’ thread, many new threads had popped up, and it looked like they were taking up quite a bit of attention as well.

‘Han Jing VS Lin Jiage, it’s obvious that the victor would be Lin Jiage!’

‘After three years of singlehood, Lin Jiage’s legendary girlfriend has finally appeared!’

‘Great, Lin Jiage is taken. With this, G University is finally mine!’

Amongst the series of new threads, Shi Yao saw a particularly concise and straightforward title:
‘Declaration + Explanation—’

This title... Who posted such a showy thread?

And for people to pay so much attention to... It must be because someone’s being flamed!

Shi Yao thought of this as she tapped into the thread.

The OP’s username was [1234567].

This name... isn’t it a little too simplistic?

Shi Yao was speechless for a moment before she scrolled down to read the contents of the post. [It sure is shocking to see that the students of G University are such Masters in Gossip. Alright, let’s not waste any time and move straight to the main point—]

Were they mimicking the intro for [Slaughter Lü Bu Bang Diao Chan’s] thread?

This OP sure is talented...

[The first picture: that car and the driver were specially arranged by my grandfather for Yaoyao’s sake.]

[The second picture: I have no idea what’s going on, but I trust Yaoyao.]

[The third picture: it’s not like this is the first time Yaoyao has been to my house, and even if I weren’t there, she could have just typed in the password for my house by herself. And as for the fourth picture, is there something wrong with two people having breakfast together?]

Upon seeing these explanations, Shi Yao suddenly realized that this was the very post that Jiang Yue and He Tiantian were referring to.

[Just how filthy must a person's heart be to view the world with such vulgar eyes? So, for that 'Female Student from G University Spends Each Night With a Different Partner' thread, I have nothing to say except this:]

Attached right beneath those words was a picture.

Taking a closer look, Shi Yao realized that it was a lawyer's letter.

And the contents of the letter was directed towards the G University's forum!

Shi Yao thought that the post would end right there, but who knew that there would be a row of bold words right beneath the lawyer's letter: [Whether Yaoyao is worthy of me or not, that is not something for you to say. I only have a few words to say to her here: the confirmation through our gazes, you're the only person I've ever kissed!]

Chapter 123: Please Call Me Professor, Bolded and Underlined (1)

There was a signature at the lower right corner: Lin Jiage, 21 April 2018.

The thread was posted at six o'clock in the morning, and in just three hours, there were already more than a thousand responses.

Other than a bunch of Lin Jiage fangirls crying over the attached status of their Adonis, there were some responses which were particularly interesting.

For example, a person who went under the username of [Good People Are Flat-chested] replied: [From this moment onward, please call me professor, bolded and underlined—

["The students of G University are actually Masters in Gossip"; for those students who've been criticizing others over a mere four photos, please take note—those words are directed right at you!

["That car and the driver were specially arranged by my grandfather for Yaoyao's sake." Please don't overlook the main phrases in that sentence—'my grandfather' and 'Yaoyao'. They've already met the elders of the family, and the elders are very satisfied with her, to the point of dispatching their driver just for her!

["I believe Yaoyao", pah pah pah, those words are a resounding slap on the faces of those joining in the bandwagon without any thought.

["She could have just typed in the password for my house by herself." What this sentence means is that she knows the password to Lin Jiage's house. Just a curious thought, does she know his PIN number as well?

["The confirmation through our gazes, you're the only person I've ever kissed!"... Single dogs, are you able to get this through your heads?]

Other than that, there was also another user who went by the name of [Bro, I Am a Loli, Date?] that commented: [Wow wow wow, Lin Jiage sure is arrogant. To actually send a lawyer's letter right on the

school forum, Lin Jiage is drawing his sword for his beauty! There's no more need for words—I'll bump 1 you up!]

The trio in Shi Yao's dormitory boasted a fighting power that didn't lose out to the fiercely debating crowd on the forums either.

He Tiantian: "The first time my Adonis pops up in the forum, and it turns out to be for Yaoyao, and Yaoyao happens to be my roommate. Suddenly, I feel as if the distance between my Adonis and me has been reduced by a lot!"

Jiang Yue: "Yaoyao, you'd better come clean. What's your relationship with Lin Jiage? If you two aren't close, how could you possibly know the password to his house? If you're not close, how could he have possibly kissed you?"

Leng Nuan: "And if you're not close, why would his family prepare a driver and a car for you?"

Facing everyone's interrogation, Shi Yao, who hadn't recovered from her astonishment from the forum, replied in a daze, "I have no idea either."

"You don't know, your head! You just wait, we'll come back to interrogating you after we finish browsing through the forum!" Jiang Yue tossed a pillow at Shi Yao.

He Tiantian expressed her approval: "+1."

Leng Nuan approved the motion as well: "+2."

Shi Yao didn't say a word, turning to look at the phone instead.

She looked through Lin Jiage's post from top to bottom once again, and her mind finally slowly whirred into action.

Lin Jiage... clearly didn't want any kind of relationship between us, so why would he stand up to help me?

And it's one thing for him to help me, but to explain it in such a suggestive manner... it's making it look like we're in a special relationship!

Were the words of the forum crowd simply too awful that it woke up his sense of justice, so he decided to stand up to save a damsel in distress?

The more Shi Yao thought about it, the more plausible the idea sounded to her.

Or perhaps, it might be due to another reason instead...

But before Shi Yao could think deeper into the matter, He Tiantian's words suddenly interrupted her thoughts, "Yaoyao, Han Jing also spoke up for you in the forum. He said that it was only a normal gathering among friends that day, and there was a KTV next to the hotel."

Shortly after He Tiantian said those words, a call from Han Jing came in.

Shi Yao stared at her phone for a moment before picking it up.

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Han Jing: "Shi Yao, I just found out about the rumors on the forum, and I made a post to clear things up for you."

Shi Yao: "I just saw it. Thank you, Senior Han."

"There's no need to be so formal with me." Han Jing paused for a moment before asking with a gentle voice, "That... Shi Yao, are you feeling okay?"

Shi Yao knew that Han Jing was referring to the rumors on the forum, so she replied, "I'm fine."

"It's good to hear that..." After saying those words, Han Jing paused for a long moment before calling her name, "Shi Yao..."

"Hm?" Shi Yao replied. After a long while, there was still no response from Han Jing, so she asked once more, "Senior Han?"

"I..." Han Jing fell silent after saying that single word. Actually, he wanted to ask her if Lin Jiage was the one singing beside her on the night she called, but he couldn't muster the courage to ask the question. He struggled internally for a long moment but eventually chose to give up altogether. "... It's nothing. I still have a class to go to, so I'll be hanging up first. Bye."

"Bye, Senior Han."

After hanging up the phone, Shi Yao glanced at her three roommates huddling together as they browsed through the forum excitedly. Without saying a word, she lay down and closed her eyes, intending to make up for her lack of sleep.

Her overwhelming fatigue was causing her temples to ache in pain. Yet, when she closed her eyes, she found herself unable to fall asleep.

Her entire mind was filled with the words Lin Jiage had written on the forum.

Shi Yao had no idea how long her mind wandered around for before she was finally able to drift off into sleep.

She was woken up by the fragrance of a meal. Her three roommates had brought back some dishes from the canteen, and they were currently eating around a table while discussing the happenings on the forum with a phone in their hands.

Shi Yao climbed out of bed and saw that there was a portion for her on the table as well. She swiftly dived into the bathroom and washed up, then tore open a packet of wooden chopsticks and started digging in alongside the others.

"That Slaughter Lü Bu Bang Diao Chan is giving me a huge headache. She just posted another thread flaming Yaoyao."

"I saw that too! She said that Yaoyao looks uglier than Qin Yiran, and Lin Jiage has bad taste. Hah, all of Qin Yiran's photos have been photoshopped while Yaoyao's photo was taken using a camera phone, so

it's a given that the quality will be much lower. The fact that it still looks decent on a forum is already more than enough to prove that she's a knockout in real life, so how can you compare the two?"

"What? Did that guy just say that Qin Yiran looks younger than Yaoyao even though she's three years older? How can this guy lie so shamelessly? How does our Yaoyao look like an auntie?"

"Heck, I can feel that guy's malicious jealousy even across the screen!"

"Yaoyao, can you stop eating and pay more attention to what's happening around you? Even we're feeling bad for you!"

"I'll be done soon." Shi Yao raised her head and responded with four words before burying herself among her food once more.

After she was done, she threw her food container into the rubbish bin and cleared up the table before grabbing her phone and entering the school forum.

She quickly skimmed through the thread that her roommates were talking about. Most of the responses were about how her appearance was nowhere on par with Qin Yiran, and that Lin Jiage must be blind for choosing her. There were also those that went even more overboard, saying that her photos could be used for warding off evil, and they had no idea how Lin Jiage could bring himself to kiss her without puking...

Seeing that Shi Yao was looking through the forum too, He Tiantian hurriedly went up to her and complained, "Yaoyao, do you see that? Those people are really too much! This is unacceptable!"

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Shi Yao looked at He Tiantian and said, "You're right, there's no reason for me to put up with it!"

He Tiantian didn't quite understand what Shi Yao was saying, "What?"

Shi Yao flipped open her laptop as she replied slowly, "Didn't you say that it's unacceptable? Well, there's definitely no reason why I should put up with it..."

Shi Yao typed in her laptop password as she continued, "... Since it's unacceptable, then there's no reason to put up with it anymore..."

"Wait wait wait wait wait..." When Jiang Yue heard Shi Yao's words, she rushed over and said, "... Yaoyao, I don't quite get what you're saying. You said that there's no reason to put up with it anymore since it's unacceptable, but the problem is how are you going to stop accepting it? You're not going to confront [Slaughter Lü Bu Bang Diao Chan] and beat that guy up, are you?"

"You're right..." Shi Yao nodded earnestly.

He Tiantian: "Nani?"

Jiang Yue: "What?"

Leng Nuan: "Yaoyao, are you joking with us?"

"I'm not joking. I really know who [Slaughter Lü Bu Bang Diao Chan] is..." Shi Yao said as she clicked her mouse, and a series of screenshots appeared. "... This is the results I gathered from staying up late last night. I dug up all the threads the user previously posted in, and look. This is the user's previous username, [Qin Yiran Is The Campus Belle], and the one before it, [The Goddess Fears No One], and the one before that one..."

Shi Yao shot a glance at her roommates, who were staring at the screen with dumbfounded expressions, as she swiftly switched the pictures. "... This is the initial username they used to register on the forum, [Gorgeous Yiran], and look at her profile picture..."

Leng Nuan was the first to voice out, "Isn't that Qin Yiran?"

Shi Yao didn't respond to that question directly. Instead, she clicked on two photos and said, "Look at this photo. This is Qin Yiran's QQ ID 1 which I took from the school forum, and from that, I was able to find her QQ profile."

"This is her Qzone. Here's an auto-generated message from the system when she registered on the school forum... Based on this, I can be certain that [Slaughter Lü Bu Bang Diao Chan] is Qin Yiran. Since she used her QQ account to register on the forum from the very start, her information is all synced with her QQ account..."

While explaining, she flashed a couple more photos to show Leng Nuan and He Tiantian. "... This is Qin Yiran's account, and these are the threads and replies that she posted over the past two years. Take a look at this. When she was still a freshman, there was a senior who competed with her for the position of Campus Belle, so she posted a bunch of insults on the senior. There's also this: Lin Jiage and a female student organized the school's Annual New Year Banquet last year, and Qin Yiran posted a thread criticizing the female student's looks. And not too long after that, Leng Nuan competed with her for the position of Campus Belle and nearly overtook her, right? Qin Yiran was the one behind the threads flaming Leng Nuan..."

After showing her roommates all of the photos, Shi Yao turned around and to face them before continuing, "It's just as Jiang Yue said; I was initially planning to confront Qin Yiran with these screenshots. Of course, I don't plan on beating her up; I just wanted her to erase her thread. But, it looks like there's no need for that anymore. Since she's already gone this far, I think that it's only right for me to retaliate!"

The entire dormitory room was silent.

Not a single person spoke a word.

Shi Yao slowly blinked her eyes as she stared at her three silent roommates in bewilderment. "What's wrong with you guys? Why are you all staring at me?"

Leng Nuan was the first one to recover from her daze, and she shot a huge thumbs up at Shi Yao.

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Jiang Yue also swiftly recovered from her daze. As if she was staring at some bizarre life form, she assessed Shi Yao from head to toe several times before asking meekly, “Is your name... really Shi Yao?”

Shi Yao grabbed her student ID from the table and said, “Do you want to verify it?”

The last one to recover, He Tiantian, grabbed Shi Yao’s student ID and stared at the face identical to Shi Yao’s for a long while before exclaiming, “Yaoyao, so eating isn’t the only thing you’re capable of!”

“When I say that my expertise is eating, the word I use is ‘expertise’ and not ‘sole ability’!”

After responding to He Tiantian’s words, Shi Yao turned to look at her three roommates once more. When she saw the shock lingering in their eyes, she couldn’t help but think deep inside: This is so weird. It’s not like I did something that impressive, so do they need to look so amazed?

This was especially so for He Tiantian. When she said the words “Yaoyao, so eating isn’t the only thing you’re capable of!”, the tone used seemed to have a slight hint of ‘my young daughter has finally matured’ kind of feel to it.

While being perplexed over this issue, Shi Yao clicked into the school forum and began registering an account.

The trio finally recovered from their daze when they noticed her staring at the computer with a distressed look—she was struggling to come up with a suitable username.

“I always thought that my Yaoyao is just a Bronze, but she suddenly turned out to be a hidden Challenger 1 !”

“All of a sudden, Yaoyao suddenly transformed from a cute chibi figure into a gorgeous young lady!”

“In the past, I only dared to entrust food-related matters to my Yaoyao. But now, I finally understand how short-sighted I’ve been all this time!”

“Yaoyao, what are you doing now?” Jiang Yue suddenly noticed that the webpage on Shi Yao’s laptop was the school forum, so she leaned in to take a closer look.

“I’m registering an account...” Shi Yao replied. She paused for a moment before continuing, “... but I don’t know what username to use.”

He Tiantian: “Isn’t that simple? [Lotus Beauty He Tiantian], a cultured name with an air of antiquity!”

Jiang Yue: “Tsk, that doesn’t hold a candle to my [I Love Li Yifeng 2].”

Leng Nuan: “Have the two of you gone dumb? If you used your own WeChat username on the school forum, it wouldn’t even take half a day for the entire school to know who you are!”

Jiang Yue: “Then... what about [Li Yifeng Loves JY], with JY being Jiang Yue?”

He Tiantian: “Shameless... If that’s what you’re going for, then why not [LBHTT], the shortened form for Lotus Beauty He Tiantian...”

“You guys can stop fighting, Yaoyao already picked a name...” While Leng Nuan spoke, she leaned forward to take a closer look at Shi Yao’s computer before mumbling, “... Pan-fried Dumplings Xiaolongbao Lobster Ramen Barbecue.”

“...” Jiang Yue and He Tiantian fell silent for three seconds before glancing at one another and speaking with uncanny harmony, “That is so Shi Yao!”

While they were speaking, Shi Yao’s fingertips were already typing on the keyboard with incredible speed.

‘G University’s Campus Belle Qin Yiran Dreams of Slaughtering Lü Bu to Bang Diao Chan’

“Pft! Yaoyao, you sure chose a great title!” Jiang Yue couldn’t help bursting into laughter.

“Great? It’s mind-blowing!” While He Tiantian was halfway speaking, Shi Yao had already carried on to the main text: [It sure is shocking that G University’s Campus Belle Qin Yiran would dream of slaughtering Lü Bu to bang Diao Chan. Alright, let’s not waste any time and move straight to the pictures—]

Leng Nuan: “You guys are really going to squeeze every last drop from this joke, aren’t you? First, Lin Jiage, and now, Yaoyao. Hahaha, will everyone starting using this as their header whenever they post a thread in the school forum?”

“Since I’m going to get back at Qin Yiran, it goes without saying that I should do it in her style. This is how she likes to write posts, after all, I’m just going along with her preferences,” Shi Yao replied, and she began to upload the various screenshots she’d collected after a grueling long night staying up.

Chapter 127: She’s Not Worth Dressing Up For (1)

After uploading the series of screenshots, Shi Yao began typing on the keyboard once more: [First and foremost, I would like to clarify that I wasn’t planning on digging too deep into the user ‘Slaughter Lü Bu Bang Diao Chan’, I only found them yesterday by coincidence. All I can say is that the user is too careless, thinking that no one would find out who she is just by changing her name. However, she neglected the fact that when other users @ her while she’s using her other usernames, those tags don’t get updated to reflect her newest username 1 .]

[As a result, the screenshots above can prove that the user behind ‘Slaughter Lü Bu Bang Diao Chan’ is our Campus Belle Qin Yiran.] For this portion, Shi Yao specially enlarged the font and bolded the text. At the same time, she also changed the font color to a very striking shade of red.

[Over here, I would like to emphasize that I harbor no ill intentions against Belle Qin Yiran. It’s just that I find it interesting how our cold and distant campus belle—who despite appearing to be refined and graceful—turned out to have such heavy tastes. Even the names that she chose are truly indescribable. For example, Slaughter Lü Bu Bang Diao Chan, Qin Yiran Is The Campus Belle, The Goddess Fears No One...]

After typing the ellipsis, Shi Yao checked the message she’d just crafted one last time to confirm that there were no typos before clicking ‘Post’.

“Yaoyaoyaoyaoyao, aren’t you forgetting something? Why did you only reveal that it was Qin Yiran? Did you forget about how she attacked other people on the forum? You should send it together in the thread too!” He Tiantian said anxiously.

“Of course I didn’t forget about it, but this isn’t the time for that yet. Let’s wait for the post to blow up a little and have Qin Yiran feel a little uneasy. Then I’ll send out a second thread later tonight,” Shi Yao explained as she began to compose the title of her second thread: ‘G University’s Campus Belle Qin Yiran’s Deepest Secrets’ .

[It sure is shocking that G University’s Campus Belle Qin Yiran is actually a keyboard warrior. Alright, let’s not waste any time and move straight to the pictures—]

After which, Shi Yao uploaded the various screenshots of how Qin Yiran cyber-assaulted others using her other usernames. After which, she turned to the three roommates behind her and explained, “... By the time this thread is posted, the reputation that Qin Yiran built up with great difficulty will surely collapse. Think about it—the forum is usually more active at night. By then, there will surely be more people free to crawl through Qin Yiran’s history, and the people she flamed online won’t watch idly by either. They’ll definitely get on their keyboards to return the favor. What’s that saying again? Yes, ‘a collapsing wall will be pushed down by the masses’. So, the thread will only deal the greatest damage to Qin Yiran by then. Hmph, I stayed up last night just for her, so I’m definitely getting that back from her!”

“Yaoyao, I have only one word for you now—RESPECT. Utter respect from head to toe!” After hearing Shi Yao’s long explanation, He Tiantian bowed deeply to her.

“I always thought that Yaoyao is just a g-g-g-g-glutton, but you actually turned out to be a black-bellied g-g-g-g-glutton!” Jiang Yue said as she leaped forward to hug Shi Yao tightly. “Yaoyao, what should I do? I suddenly realized how dashing you are. Marry me!”

Leng Nuan: “In comparison, I suddenly feel that Qin Yiran is really just a paper tiger before our Yaoyao!”

Shi Yao evaded Jiang Yue’s fondling claws and replied with a soft tone, “I don’t know whether she’s a paper tiger or not, but there’s no way I’ll let Qin Yiran off the hook that easily!”

Chapter 128: She’s Not Worth Dressing Up For (2)

He Tiantian: “Ah? Yaoyao, isn’t this enough for a retaliation?”

Jiang Yue: “I think Qin Yiran should have already turned cold from all the stuff you prepared.”

“It’s none of my concern whether she turned cold or not. All I know is that she provoked me by saying that I’m not as beautiful as her and that my picture can be used to ward off evil. I don’t like fighting with other people, but since things have already reached this point, then we need to thrash this matter out once and for all. It’s not my style to leave a grudge hanging.”

Shi Yao explained as she picked up the mirror on the table and combed her hair. Following that, she stood up and scanned the room to find a spot with good lighting. After which, she turned to Leng Nuan and said, “Nuannuan, help me take a photo...”

He Tiantian was finding it a little hard to catch up with Shi Yao's flow of thoughts, "Why do you want to take a photo all of a sudden?"

"To post it on the school forum, of course," Shi Yao replied matter-of-factly.

Jiang Yue swiftly understood what was going on. "That's right! As long as Yaoyao snaps a beautiful photo and posts it on the school forum, it'll destroy all those rumors saying that Yaoyao is uglier than Qin Yiran. It's just that, Yaoyao, you should at least put on some makeup and switch to a beautiful dress before taking the photo..."

"It's fine..." Shi Yao waved her hand as she looked at the simple T-shirt and jeans she was wearing. "... This is good enough. Putting on makeup and changing clothes is too troublesome, I'd rather use that time and effort to eat another two slices of ham!"

After which, Shi Yao paused for a moment before adding, "Besides, there's no need for me to dress up just to deal with Qin Yiran!"

"That's true. Compared to Qin Yiran's unreal photoshopped pictures, the simplest and most natural photo definitely deals the greatest damage!" He Tiantian nodded in agreement.

Jiang Yue: "What are we waiting for then? Let's quickly take a photo for Yaoyao!"

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Last night, Lin Jiage didn't sleep a wink after sending his thread on the forum.

He couldn't quite put a finger on what kind of emotions he was feeling then. A little angry perhaps, and a slightly inexplicable feeling of heartache as well.

He sat in front of his laptop throughout the night, and countless thoughts concerning her would surface in his muddled head. He would wonder whether she had seen the comments on the forum thread, whether she was in misery at the moment, and whether she was asleep at this time...

These miscellaneous thoughts wrapped around his mind the entire night, and by the time he came to, it was already five in the morning. Stretching his stiffened body, he stood up from the chair.

Lu Benlai and Xia Shangzhou were huddled on a single bed, sleeping like pigs.

Lin Jiage took a trip to the bathroom before he lay down on his bed. He stared at the ceiling silently as he continued to think about the same thoughts as before. Eventually, unable to withstand the fatigue, he fell into a deep, deep sleep.

It was already past noon when he woke up once more.

Climbing out of his bed, he headed into the washroom to take a bath. When he walked out, one hand was wiping his head with a towel while the remaining hand clicked into the school forum.

His post was at the very top.

The second one was a new thread posted by [Slaughter Lü Bu Bang Diao Chan], and the title was 'Campus Adonis Lin's Taste Sure Is Hard to Accept' .

Casually tapping in, he saw how everyone was complimenting Qin Yiran for her great beauty which was peerless in the world while also insulting Shi Yao for being so ugly that it could even draw on the wrath of the gods...

You must be joking! Soft Bun is ugly, and Qin Yiran is pretty?

Those fools must not know how to spell the word 'pretty'!

Even if Qin Yiran were to download ten more pieces of photoshop software, she still wouldn't be able to compare to a single toe from Soft Bun!

But speaking of which, just who in the world is this [Slaughter Lü Bu Bang Diao Chan]? Why is she so bent on flaming Soft Bun?

Chapter 129: My Hands Kneaded the Earth Round (1)

While harboring such thoughts, Lin Jiage backed out of the school forum. Yawning lazily, he began typing swiftly on the keyboard.

There were some matters which one tended to overlook, but upon closer examination, they would turn out to be pretty astonishing.

By the time he obtained [Slaughter Lü Bu Bang Diao Chan]'s IP address, hacked into the school's network to investigate the coordinates of the IP address, and learned who the mastermind behind the matter was, he was taken aback for an instant. Soon after, he realized that there were various users who shared the same IP address as the mastermind, such as [Tearing Apart the Green Tea Bitch], [Why Cheapen Yourself]...

This is interesting...

The Campus Belle Qin Yiran, who was idolized by the entire school, was actually an active user on the school forum. It would be one thing if that were all she did, but she also used numerous accounts with shameful usernames to flame and bring down others.

And this didn't seem to be the most shocking news of all...

Tapping on his keyboard and continuing to browse, he eventually shook his head and clicked his tongue, "Tsk tsk tsk."

That campus belle sure was eccentric! Even for an informal poll on the forum, she still went to the extent of rigging the results in her favor!

No wonder she managed to claim the title of 'Campus Belle' every year! In the end, it turned out that the title was self-conferred!

If I made this public, there would be a good show to look forward to...

Lin Jiage tapped his finger on the keyboard, and the sound of a screenshot being taken rang out. Following which, he returned to the school forum webpage.

He was just about to register another account to announce everything he'd just uncovered when he noticed the arrival of a new thread— 'G University's Campus Belle Qin Yiran Dreams of Slaughtering Lü Bu to Bang Diao Chan'.

Oh? The person who named this thread sure is talented. Who could it be?

Lin Jiage subconsciously clicked into the thread, and he saw the name of the OP1 : [Pan-fried Dumplings Xiaolongbao Lobster Ramen Barbecue].

Suppressing his urge to spurt out blood, he swiftly looked up the OP's IP address.

He already had a vague idea who the OP was, but he still couldn't believe it. However, the result he received revealed that the IP address did belong to Shi Yao.

So, Soft Bun isn't just an ordinary Soft Bun who lets anyone pinch and knead her, but one who knows how to retaliate?

It looks like I didn't need to worry last night.

While thinking such thoughts, Lin Jiage went back to the school forum and browsed through Shi Yao's post.

[It sure is shocking that G University's Campus Belle Qin Yiran would dream of slaughtering Lü Bu to bang Diao Chan. Alright, let's not waste any time and move straight to the pictures—]

Not bad, Soft Bun's ability to adapt is pretty good...

Lin Jiage moved his mouse and carefully looked through each of the screenshots. The more he looked at them, the more astonished he became. It was only after he saw the last few sentences at the bottom of the thread that the edges of his lips slowly curled up.

Apparently, the little fiancée that his grandfather had prepared for him wasn't too bad. She had so many secrets about her that it left him deeply astonished.

Since Soft Bun had already uncovered that the culprit behind the matter was Qin Yiran, there was no need for him to waste his efforts registering another account to post his findings. However, there was still a need for him to add some oil to the blaze...

Thinking so, Lin Jiage turned to the deeply asleep Lu Benlai and Xia Shangzhou and shouted, "Golden Resplendence, interested?"

With barely a moment wasted between the question, the duo on the bed sprung up simultaneously and replied, "Interested!"

Before Lin Jiage could continue speaking, Lu Benlai and Xia Shangzhou had already spoken up together with uncanny harmony, "Daddy!"

Chapter 130: My Hands Kneaded the Earth Round (2)

While typing on his laptop, Lin Jiage spoke calmly, "Register a new account on the school forum and help me bump up a thread. Once this is over, I'll bring you to Golden Resplendence, and we'll soar to the peak of the world!"

"Yes, Daddy! Don't worry, bumping up threads is my forte!" Xia Shangzhou replied as he leaped out of bed and dashed into the bathroom to wash up.

Lu Benlai swiftly followed suit.

Before long, they were both sitting in front of their laptops. "Boss, send us the thread link."

Lin Jiage sent them the link to the forum thread.

Xia Shangzhou swiftly scanned through the thread and asked, "Boss, were you the one who posted this thread?"

Lin Jiage browsed through Shi Yao's thread with another satisfied smile as he replied calmly, "It wasn't me. It was sent by that freshman who was rumored to be in a relationship with me."

"Oh, so it was sent by my mommy," Lu Benlai said as he registered an account. "Even more reason for me to bump it up."

So it was sent by my mommy ... Those seven words left Lin Jiage's heart blossoming inside. "Two nights for you at the Golden Resplendence!"

Xia Shangzhou turned to glare at Lu Benlai before directing puppy eyes towards Lin Jiage, "Why is he the only one staying for two nights? Boss, you're too biased. This is unfair. You only love Little Lailai and not me..."

At this point, an epiphany suddenly struck Xia Shangzhou, and he quickly changed his words, "Daddy, rest assured! I'll create three thousand accounts to bump up mommy's post right now!"

Lin Jiage: "Two nights for you too!"

"Deal!" Xia Shangzhou replied gleefully. A moment later, he suddenly halted the typing on his keyboard and asked, "Little Lailai, what username are you going to use for your account? Look at my name, isn't it cool? 'I Have An Imperial Harem of 3000'."

Lu Benlai: "My username? I'm going with 'My Hands Kneaded the Earth Round'."

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Hugging a family bucket 1, Shi Yao relished in the food in her hands while keeping a close look on the happenings on the school forum.

Accompanying her at the side were her three roommates.

Of the four of them, He Tiantian and Jiang Yue were the noisiest. Words shot out from their mouths ceaselessly.

"Did that fellow really just say that 'it's just a name, there's nothing to make a fuss over'? Is he trying to help clean up Qin Yiran's reputation? But then again, it's so delightful to see so many people criticizing

Qin Yiran too, saying that she's feigning loftiness and that they were utterly appalled by the names she chose."

"Yeah, especially for the [I Have An Imperial Harem of 3000] guy. His replies can easily become a classic saying. Look at this one, 'Campus belle, wake up. You don't have a pole, so even if you slaughtered Lü Bu, how do you plan on banging Diao Chan?' "

"Hahaha, the replies from [My Hands Kneaded the Earth Round] are pretty hilarious too. 'The mister above me, I think you have a typo there. It's not 'campus belle' but 'campus farce'!" "

Hearing those words, even Leng Nuan couldn't help bursting into laughter. She turned to Shi Yao, who was busy devouring the chicken in her hands, and asked, "Yaoyao, isn't it about time to post the second thread? Someone said that Qin Yiran already deleted her last thread."

While munching on her chicken, Shi Yao replied with an 'Mm' and a nod. She quickly finished up her chicken before wiping her hands with a piece of tissue. After that, she opened up her laptop and sent out the thread that she'd composed beforehand.

At this time, there was usually a forum administrator online to approve of the posting of the thread, so it didn't take long for it to surface in the school forum.

Just like Shi Yao had predicted, the school forum truly came to life in the night. Right after the thread was posted, it took a mere half hour for it to become the hottest topic.

"Who could have thought that Qin Yiran would have flamed so many people over the past few years?"

"Know a man but not his heart. She usually carries herself with poise and treats people so nicely, but in the shadows, she mercilessly stabs them in the back. She's truly a terrifying person!"

"..."

While everyone was gathered around Shi Yao's thread to join in on the commotion, [My Hands Kneaded the Earth Round] suddenly revealed another, more shocking piece of news beneath the thread.