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Although the old Chinese ancestors had admonished long ago that money was a thing outside of the body, in fact, many people valued money more than life.

For her, her greatest pursuit is to make more money so that her family can continue to flourish.

If her offspring could become the second or third generation of the rich and continue to be rich for a long time, that would be the ultimate goal of her life.

Her ultimate goal in life is not to have any single offspring, but to be able to make the whole family complete a reversal of fate.

To put it plainly, it is to sacrifice me alone to make several generations happy.

Therefore, if she were to be killed at this moment so that her family would not be affected in any way, she would never have any hesitation.

But now, this matter had developed in the direction she least wanted to see.

It was that these foundations that she had worked so hard to build up would fall apart in an instant.

She shares the same opinion as Zhao Benshan when compared to the two situations of people dying without spending their money and people living without their money.

She feels that instead of being a tragedy, people dying without money being spent is a symbol of success, because the great families in the United States, which have been pa*sed down for hundreds of years, have invariably died without money being spent.

And the homeless people on the streets of America who cannot even afford to sleep in tents and have to huddle under bridge holes are, without exception, the cla*sic 'people alive, money gone'.

So, when all her efforts were reduced to nothing and all her business was destroyed, it was a real tragedy and a real disaster for her!

At this moment, Mei Yu Zhen was so distraught that after throwing up everything she could in her stomach, she sat down on the gra*s at the side of the road and cried with a headache.

The other three did not expect that this female demon, who had killed an unknown number of people, would sit so helplessly on the side of the road, holding her head and crying.

At a certain moment, Manchinshan's heart was more or less in a trance.

He had thought that someone like Mei Yu Zhen, who had a heart of stone and at the same time put life and death beyond her reach, would be fearless in her life.

He did not expect that she would not even be afraid of death, but she was most afraid of poverty.

However, in his heart, Manjinshan could not help but feel some pleasure at this moment.

He had long had a grudge against Mei Yu Zhen.

On the one hand, it was because this woman had absolute control over their little group, and never looked kindly on them, ordering them around and occasionally even scolding them.

On the other hand, it was because this woman made far more money than he did.

There were times when it was harder to watch others make money than to lose money yourself.

I would rather lose a hundred myself than see someone else make ten thousand.

Such was the case with Manchu Kinsan.

Although he is also making money alone in the United States, with his wife, children and grandchildren, all relying on him at home, his family, at home, is not quite as rich.

The cash he had given to his family one after another over the years was estimated to be around 10 million RMB.

In his opinion, this amount of money was enough for his family to live on, but it would not be as obvious as Mei Yu Zhen's, so although Mei Yu Zhen's family had been arrested, his own family was definitely safe.

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When he thought of this, he was even more pleased with himself and could not help but laugh: "Mei Yuzhen, Mei Yuzhen, you have your own f*cking day! You've been cursing me like a dog every day, and you've been a b*tch, but now you don't have the same bullying spirit as before. I don't mind that you're old and I want to be with you as a temporary couple to solve our physiological needs, but you still don't f*cking look down on me, now why don't you behave yourself?"

People say that a dead friend is not a poor friend.

This was the mentality of Manchinshan.

Moreover, he felt that originally, he had been jealous of Mei Yu Zhen for earning more.

And now, Mei Yu Zhen's a*sets were instantly cleared to zero, and he had overtaken Mei Yu Zhen in an instant, and in a crushing manner.

He said, "Sister Mei, as the saying goes, money is something outside your body, as long as you can keep the green hills alive, even if you don't have wood to burn. There must be a chance for you to rise again!"

Mei Yuzhen's eyes were hollow and lifeless as she choked out, "It's easy for you to say that, my twenty years of hard work has been wiped out once and for all! That means that everything I've done before has been for nothing! If I want to make back this lost money, it will take at least another 20 years, and how can I have so many 20 years left? I'm over 50 years old, I should have retired to my home country and taken care of myself! Now I've lost everything, even my husband and son have been arrested, if I'd known that, I might as well have stayed in the country and not come out!"

With that, she smacked herself twice and roared with emotion, "I have worked so hard for over 20 years, but in the end, it's all just a basket case Twenty years! What did I really want for me? What do I want?"

Aunt Mei, don't be impulsive! We still have a business to run, your priority now is to make more money, otherwise when your husband and son come out in the future, you won't be able to make a comeback if you don't have money!"

Manchinshan also nodded and said, "Yes, Sister Mei, the maximum sentence for money laundering is ten years, right? If you behave well and then reduce your sentence, you'll only be 40 or less than 50 years old, so it's not too bad! Besides, you still have eight, oh no, nine grandchildren, if you don't get your act together, what will they do in the future"

Hearing this, Mei Yu Zhen suddenly snapped back to her senses and muttered, "Yes I have to make money If I can make enough money, I'll emigrate to Southeast Asia and take all my children and grandchildren there step by step"

With that, she scrambled to her feet and urged, "Get in the car, get in the car! We have to get to Mexico as soon as possible!"

Manginshan nodded hastily and was about to a*sist Mei Yuzhen back to the car when his own mobile phone also suddenly rang.

He subconsciously took the phone out of his pocket and found that the caller was his daughter-in-law, and for just a moment, his heart was in his throat.

He did not dare to answer the phone, but muttered, "Why is my daughter-in-law calling too This This It can't be that something has happened"

Mei Yuzhen's pupils snapped shut and she blurted out, "Something must have happened!"

Manchu Jinshan immediately panicked, trembling, pressed the answer, and asked out of the blue, "Hai Haiying ah You Why are you calling at this time"

Before the words were finished, the daughter-in-law on the other end of the phone cried out with a cry and said helplessly, "Dad Mum and Xuemin have been arrested by the police. The police said they are suspected of money laundering The police say they are suspected of money laundering and that all the family's a*sets are to be seized What can we do? Can you come back as soon as possible and do something about it I really don't know what to do alone"

A moment ago, he was still laughing at Mei Yuzhen and watching Mei Yuzhen's jokes, but at this moment, he only felt a blackness in front of his eyes and lost consciousness instantly, falling straight towards the ground

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At one moment, he was watching Mei Yuzhen's jokes in his mind, but at this moment, he couldn't bear the sudden blow, so he instantly collapsed and lost consciousness.

The first thing that happened to him was that he fell to the ground and fell unconscious. He said helplessly while pinching his midsection: "Uncle, didn't you think clearly when you were advising Aunt Mei? How come you can't do it when it comes to yourself"

Seeing that Manjinshan was unconscious, Mei Yuzhen's mood seemed to have eased a little in her despair.

It was as if a person had fallen into an abyss and was in despair when suddenly another acquaintance jumped down.

This gave her heart a little comfort.

So, she said to Man Yingjie, "What's the use of pressing people so hard? He won't wake up even if you press his incisors out, so hurry up and pour some water on him!"

Man Yingjie looked at Sun Huina and said, "Go to the car and get some water, why are you still standing there?"

Sun Huina, who was also in a hurry, hurriedly went back to the car and got a bottle of water and handed it to Man Yingjie.

Man Yingjie poured the bottle of water over Man Jinshan's head and face, which woke him up from his coma.

As soon as he opened his eyes, he cried out in grief, "God has no eyes! You're killing me!"

Mei Yu Zhen looked at him and said coldly, "I won't talk to you anymore, the priority now is to make money first, everything else can be put aside first."

With that, Mei Yuzhen didn't wait for his response and said to Man Yingjie, "You go drive the car and let him rest in the back."

Man Yingjie nodded hastily and said, "Uncle, I'll pay you to get in."

He then got into the cab and started the car and drove on towards the US-Mexico border.

After the car drove out, Mei Yu Zhen, who was on the pa*senger side, said in a cold voice, "The more I think about this, the more I feel that something is not right."

Mann Yingjie asked her, "Auntie Mei, which aspect do you mean is not quite right?"

Mei Yuzhen spoke, "If it was just my family that was in trouble, then it's possible that the large amount of a*sets from unknown sources triggered the police's attention, but Lao Xu's family is thousands of kilometres away from my family, it doesn't make sense that his family is also in trouble, I suspect that there is some kind of inevitable connection behind the situation between our two families."

Manjinshan, who was sitting in the back row, blurted out, "Sister Mei, are you saying that the domestic police already know our true identities?!"

For Wan Long Temple, if they could find out about Mei Yu Zhen, they would naturally be able to find out about Man Jin Shan's background.

Manchu Kinsan was not actually his real name either.

His original name was Xu Mianxi, and unlike Mei Yu Zhen, he had been tricked into doing fraud in northern Myanmar some years ago to make a living.

But because of his love of alcohol, his brain was a little slow and his mouth a little dumb, and he was not very skilled in his business.

In the words of the Burmese boss at the time, not only did he not create any value, he was also a waste of f*cking food, and the only way to recover the cost was to cut off his loins.

At that time, he happened to meet Man Yingjie, who had just turned 20 years old and was also unable to make it in northern Burma. The two of them were afraid that one day their loins would be cut off, so they made a great effort to escape from the devil's cave.

After escaping, the two did not dare to return to their home country, so they found a way locally and smuggled themselves to the United States.

Unlike Mei Yuzhen, she had to pay enough money to the snakeheads to smuggle them over.

However, Xu Mianxi and Man Yingjie were penniless when they ran out, so they had to sign a loan shark agreement with a black-hearted snakehead in order to escape.

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The cost of smuggling them from northern Myanmar to the United States was US\$15,000, payable in instalments, with interest, for a total of US\$30,000 to be repaid to the snakeheads.

The snakeheads were not afraid that they would run away, because they did not take them directly to the United States, but to Mexico first.

As long as they were on Snakehead's ship, they were just like the slaves sold by the Europeans back in the day, and it was up to them to live or die.

If they obeyed, they lived until the ship docked, but if they didn't, they were strapped to their feet and thrown into the sea to sink.

The two men had only managed to escape with their lives, so they dared not disobey, and followed the ship all the way to Mexico.

Once they got off the boat in Mexico, they were forced to stuff their rectums with a few packets of contraband and then traveled from Mexico to the United States with false identities provided by the snakeheads.

According to Snakehead's price, the price for one shipment was discounted at US\$3,000.

If one does what one is told honestly and makes money to pay off what one owes, one can regain one's freedom.

If not, the Mexican gangs that work with Snakehead, as well as the American gangs, can have their bodies buried in the wilderness at any time.

The two men had no choice but to do as they were told.

It took two months and ten trips back and forth for the two to regain their freedom.

It was Mei Yu Zhen who was responsible for arranging for them to enter and leave the border, and for picking up the goods on the American side.

Mei Yuzhen had already made a name for himself and had met an Asian brother who specialised in dumping contraband from Mexico to the US and around the world, and had since become a "carrier" who found ways to help them move their goods.

Although Mei Yuzhen was a vicious person, she knew the importance of stability in her team, so she did not treat them badly when they were with her.

Xu Mixi worked relatively hard and had also secured some orders herself, so she had earned at least US\$2-3 million over the years, which was equivalent to RMB10-20 million.

Man Yingjie is younger and less likely to fool the middle-aged and elderly, so his income is relatively low, but even so, he has earned a million dollars over the years.

As for Sun Huina, who played his wife, she had just been taken on by Mei Yu Zhen a few years ago, and because she was the most marginal in the team, she did not earn much money.

At this point, Xu Mixi's mind became even more flustered.

He was afraid that not only would his a*sets be seized, but he might even have evidence of his crimes in the hands of the domestic police.

If that were to happen, he would never be able to return home again in his life.

So, he asked Mei Yu Zhen in a panic: "Sister Mei, you said we have never committed any crime in China, and we have not been back much recently, how could the police investigate us?"

Mei Yuzhen said in a cold voice with a grave expression, "It may not be that the domestic police have found us, and as you said earlier, we have never broken the law in China, and those people we tricked into bringing goods back to China do not even know our true identity, so in the eyes of the domestic police, we are transparent people."

Xu Jianxi couldn't help but ask, "Sister Mei, then what do you think is going on here? Why did the domestic police find our two families with such precision?"

Mei Yu Zhen said with a stern expression, "I think this matter must have been reported to the domestic police from the United States!"

"From the United States?" Xu Mixi blurted out, "We haven't offended anyone in the US either! Besides, I've known you for so many years, I don't know anything about your family situation, and I don't think you know much about my family situation either, so what kind of person would be able to provide such accurate information about us to the domestic police?"

Mei Yu Zhen shook her head with a very gloomy expression and said, "I don't know this either, but I always have a gut feeling"

Xu Mianxi was busy asking, "What intuition?"

Mei Yu Zhen said, "I feel that this matter, with that Ma Lan, seems to be somewhat related!"

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"Ma Lan?!"

When Xu Mianxi heard this, his entire body was stunned.

Immediately, he asked with an incredulous look on his face, "Sister Mei, do you mean that Ma Lan has ordered us out?! She She doesn't know our true identity either!"

Mei Yu Zhen said with a serious expression, "I do think that our family's accident is inseparable from Ma Lan's arrest, maybe it was because of her, but if you want me to come up with substantial evidence, I can't."

Aunt Mei, I think that Ma Lan is just an old hanger-on, so if she can fall for it so easily, she must not be capable of anything."

Sun Huina echoed, "Yes, Auntie Mei, Ma Lan doesn't look like a person with any real ability."

Mei Yu Zhen said coldly, "Do you remember her son-in-law?"

"Yes." Mangying Jie spoke up, "Isn't it that kid named Ye, Ye what's his name, Ye Chen?"

"Yes, that's him!" Mei Yu Zhen nodded heavily and said in a cold voice, "Now that I think about it, I always feel as if that brat isn't quite ordinary!"

Sun Huina C*cked her head for a moment and spoke, "Aunt Mei, apart from being handsome, there doesn't seem to be anything unusual about that brat, right?"

Mei Yu Zhen said with a grave expression, "I can't say exactly, it's just a gut feeling."

As she said this, she suddenly remembered something and took out the mobile phone she used to contact her family and quickly looked through it to see what was going on.

After looking for a long time, Mei Yu Zhen said with a puzzled look on her face, "Strange How come there is no movement at all"

Manchu Yingjie asked curiously, "What not a thing, Aunt Mei, what are you actually talking about?"

Mei Yu Zhen blurted out, "The matter of Ma Lan's arrest has not been reported by any of the media even now, this time Ma Lan was found to have over five kilograms of goods, which is a big case wherever it is placed, and there are so many news media in New York, this kind of thing will surely be reported first, but why can't any news report be searched at all?"

Man Yingjie asked, "What keywords did you search for, Auntie Mei?"

Mei Yu Zhen said, "I searched the keywords JFK, seized and contraband, but all I found were previous news, and there was even a report of less than 50 grams of contraband being found in these news. 50 grams is worth reporting on, why not five kilograms?"

Man Yingjie frowned tightly and muttered, "In that case, this is indeed a bit strange According to the character of the customs and police, they should hate the world to know about such a big case when they find out about it."

Mei Yu Zhen said very seriously, "This matter must have been artificially suppressed, and I think the person behind the scenes, should have something to do with Ma Lan!"

Saying that, Mei Yu Zhen added: "I know Ma Lan's situation, like you said, she is just an old hanger-on, she can't have any real skills and is stupid as hell, so the biggest suspect is her son-in-law who doesn't show his face or his face!"

"Crap" Mangying Jie smacked his lips and said offhandedly, "Should we talk to the top and ask them to look into that brat surnamed Ye?"

Mei Yu Zhen shook her head and spoke, "If he really is behind this, then his strength is absolutely terrifying, you have to know that not only was he able to suppress such a big news in the US, he was also able to find out about me and the old Xu family in China and tipped off the police;"

"Moreover, there is a very important premise here, that is, he must have already grasped the real identity of me and Lao Xu, so he can find out our family members through our real identity, so short of time he can find out the real identity of both of us, the energy behind this, may far exceed our perception"

Man Yingjie suddenly remembered something at this time and said in a daze, "That's not right Aunt Mei! If Ma Lan's son-in-law was really this powerful, then Ma Lan couldn't have fallen for our trick, just her kind of personality, if her son-in-law was this powerful, her tail would have been up in the air long ago, there's no way she could have even played along with you."

Mei Yu Zhen said very firmly, "This can only mean one thing, that this stupid Ma Lan has no idea what kind of person her son-in-law really is!"

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"Huh?!"

As if she had heard the cruelest words in the world, Ma Lan blurted out, "How can you let me out of the hospital so soon? If I'm discharged, won't I have to go to the detention center?"

The female doctor said apologetically, "I'm sorry, Ms. Ma, what are the arrangements after you are discharged from the hospital? I really don't know, you'll have to ask the police."

Ma Lan cried, "Doctor, it shouldn't be difficult for you to give me a certificate of seriousness, right? Just do me a favour and give me a certificate, I can't stand the torment of the detention centre with my old bones."

If I give you such a certificate, the police will definitely find other doctors to review it. If they find that my certificate is false, I will never be qualified to practice medicine again."

Ma Lan said: "What you said is just a matter of probability, not necessarily something will really happen, just take pity on me and help my old bones I've been in a detention center before, I had a leg broken in there, I don't know what kind of environment it is, if I go in there again, I might really be bullied to death"

The female doctor shook her head repeatedly and said offhandedly, "Sorry, Ms. Ma, this is a matter of principle, I really can't help you."

Gritting her teeth, Ma Lan blurted out, "Doctor, how about this, why don't you just break another rib of mine, if I break two ribs, you can't kick me out of the hospital again, right?"

The female doctor said awkwardly, "Ms. Ma, if I really did that, it wouldn't be a matter of revoking my medical qualifications, it might be possible that I would go ahead of you, and then we might both be cellmates in prison."

After that, she immediately changed the subject and said, "By the way, Ms. Ma, you want to have milletfed liao ginseng and lobster congee for breakfast, right? I'll go and arrange it now, you wait for a moment."

After saying this, the female doctor did not wait for Ma Lan to say anything, then she hurriedly turned around and left the ward.

As Marashi was desperate, James White, New York's top criminal lawyer, knocked on the door and walked in, smiling when he saw her, and asked, "Ms. Ma, did you have a good rest last night?"

As soon as she saw the lawyer enter, Marlane's hope was immediately renewed and she hurriedly asked, "Lawyer White, I heard from the doctor that I was to be discharged at noon today, what is this all about?"

James White explained, "The police have reviewed your medical records this morning and met with your attending doctor. According to the feedback from your attending doctor, the police believe that you no longer need to stay in the hospital, so you will be discharged at noon today."

Ma Lan blurted out, "If you are discharged from the hospital, do you have to go into a detention centre? I don't want to go into a guardhouse!"

James White said seriously, "Ms. Ma, I understand your feelings, but first of all, you must know what you are suspected of, carrying more than five kilograms of contraband out of the country, if you are convicted of this crime, you will never be able to walk out of prison. If you don't even want to go to the guardhouse, then I can only say that you are thinking a little too much, or thinking a little too optimistically."

Once Marashi heard this, he hurriedly said complimentingly, "Lawyer White, you alone scolded that large group of police officers yesterday, you are a top barrister with great ability at first glance, think of another way for me"

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James White said seriously, "Ms. Ma, I will do my best to help you clear your name, but this point you just mentioned, I really can't do anything about it, I have already met with your pretrial judge, the other side made a request is no bail, so you definitely have to go to the detention center for a period of time, the specific stay depends on how long the police can catch that Chen Liping, and that Zong Qihua."

Ma Lan dropped to the bottom and choked out, "If they are never caught, won't I never get out of here?"

James White explained, "If they are never caught, I will do my best to plead you innocent, but it may take a little longer, so please understand."

When she saw that James White was not relenting, she knew that she would have to go into custody today, and she was already in despair.

After her last experience, she was really afraid of places like detention centres.

Especially this time, she was in a foreign country where she was unfamiliar with the United States, so she was even more frightened of the American detention centres.

But she never dreamed that if Ye Chen wanted to, he could have asked James White to get a medical certificate for Ma Lan and keep her in the hospital.

If he could catch Mei Yu Zhen as soon as possible, Ma Lan might not even have to wait until she was in the guardhouse and would be completely cleared of suspicion.

But Ye Chen felt that if that happened, Ma Lan would definitely not learn a lesson.

That was why he had specifically asked Fei Jianzhong to tell James White not to keep Ma Lan in the hospital for too long and to send her to the guardhouse today.

At this moment, James White saw the desperate expression on Ma Lan's face and spoke up to comfort her, "Ms Ma, your son-in-law is already helping you find connections to solve the case as soon as possible, so you don't have to worry too much, you should be able to get out after 10 days and a half months in the detention centre."

Ma Lan knew there was nothing else she could do but wait, so she nodded gently.

Although she had a lot of reluctance in her heart, she could only resign herself to her fate at this moment.

James White saw that Ma Lan was in a depressed mood, so he spoke again, "Ms. Ma, when you go to prison, I will arrange for our staff to deposit enough money in your prison account so that you can buy as much as you need in there, and in addition, in prison, when it is time to release, you can call your family, and then you can call your You can then call your daughter and son-in-law."

Hearing that she could call the outside world, Ma Lan's mood eased a little.

Since her arrest, she had missed her daughter and son-in-law, but apart from the first phone call she had made with them, she had not had the chance to contact them again.

So, with a sad face, Ma Lan said to James White, "Lawyer White, please tell my son-in-law that he must do so as soon as possible, whether my old bones can return to China alive or not depends on him"

James White nodded and said seriously, "Don't worry Ms. Ma, my mobile phone is with the police at the gate, I will contact your son-in-law once I get it back."

Saying that, James White added, "By the way Ms. Ma, remember to have the hospital prepare a hearty lunch at noon, after lunch the police will take you directly to the guardhouse, I have a lot of related work to deal with, so I won't be coming in between."

Marlane asked in a rush, "Which prison will I be sent to, Counselor White?"

James White replied, "Ms. Mar, at the judge's request, you will be sent to Bedford Hills Correctional Facility in upstate New York."

Marlane pressed, "Is the correctional facility not as serious as a prison?"

"No." James White explained, "Despite its name, the Correctional Facility is actually the only women's prison in all of New York dedicated to felons, and suspected felons"

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"Felon?"

When Ma Lan heard these three words, she was shocked and said, "Lawyer White, can you think of a way to go through the back door and give me a new detention center?"

James White said helplessly, "Sorry Ms. Ma, this is the rules of the New York judicial system, with the charges you are currently suspected of, Bedford Hills Correctional Facility is the only place you can go at this time, this is not something I can fix, I am a lawyer, I have to work within the framework of the law, not to break it."

Maran, flustered, asked, "Lawyer White, do you have a prison bully in the United States? It's the kind of person who is the biggest in the prison and bullies whoever she catches."

"This" James White said awkwardly, "As far as I know, in any country, in any prison anywhere, there should be such a phenomenon, but you don't have to worry too much, generally speaking, as long as you don't go and provoke those jailbirds, those jailbirds will not start any conflict with people of your age, besides, after you go in, you can call me if you have any problems, and I will arrange someone to solve them."

Hearing James White say that, Marashi was sort of slightly relieved.

She thought about what happened to her last time she was in the detention centre and thought to herself, "Last time it was mainly because of the two enemies, Old Lady Xiao and Xiao Weiwei, that that prison bully Zhang Guifen changed her ways to bully Old Mother!"

"If it wasn't for those two b*****ds, that dirtbag Zhang Guifen wouldn't necessarily have taken the initiative to find me!"

"I'll try to keep a low profile when we get to this American guardhouse, I think there shouldn't be any problems either."

At this point, James White looked at the time and said, "Ms. Ma, I have some business to attend to, so I'll leave now.

"Fine, fine." Marlane nodded in a panic.

James White reminded again, "By the way Ms. Mar, don't forget to eat well for lunch, as far as I know, because the council has been cutting the prison budget, the food inside the prison is really not very good, and even if you have money you can't buy everything."

Ma Lan was busy saying, "I know say anything at noon, I have to let the hospital prepare a full meal for me!"

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Noon.

After enjoying a sumptuous lunch comparable to a full Han Dynasty banquet, Ma Lan was taken away from the hospital by the police.

As a result of Marashi's alleged transport of up to five kilos of contraband, she will be sent to the Bedford Hills Correctional Facility in Westchester County in upstate New York, as requested by the judge.

This is the only women's prison in New York that is designed to house felons, or suspected felons.

There are nearly 1,000 inmates in this prison, ranging from murder and arson to robbery and drug trafficking.

After being brought to the prison, Ma Lan first handed in her personal belongings, then completed a series of entry checks at the request of the prison guards, and then received her prisoner number in this prison: Prisoner No. 1024.

Finally, at the request of the guards, Ma Lan changed into prison clothes and was led into the cell block by the guards.

Although she was in a foreign country, she was familiar with the process.

At this moment, she was thinking about the kind of friends she would meet.

The last time she had been in the prison, she had met Old Lady Xiao and Xiao Weiwei, as well as Zhang Guifen, who was stronger than an ox.

Those few days were comparable to hell for her.

This time, she only hoped she could meet a few normal people.

Following a few prison guards into the cell block, the guards led her directly to cell 12.

After arriving at the door, the guards yelled through the thick iron barred door and shouted inside, "Everyone get up and form up immediately!"

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Ma Lan padded her feet and looked inside, only to see that cell 12 was at least a hundred square metres in size, and the whole cell was divided symmetrically into two sides by a low wall, also about one metre high, with an aisle in the middle and a semi-open space constructed by low walls on both sides.

In this semi-open space, there is a small single bed on each side.

At this moment, the inmates inside were resting, some lying on their beds and others sitting at the end of their beds talking to others.

Only after hearing a yell from the guards did the group slowly get up and come out, lining up in the middle corridor to the inside.

The guard didn't rush to open the door, but counted the number of people outside and made sure everyone was lined up before saying over the intercom, "Open door number 12."

As soon as the words were spoken, the heavy iron grille door opened automatically.

Two guards with batons took the lead and went in, while the other two guards escorted Ma Lan and followed behind.

Once inside, Ma Lan was taken by the guards directly to a group of female prisoners.

The female inmates, who were of different skin colours and ranged in age from 18 to 60 years old, were looking at Ma Lan with contempt or provocation.

In their eyes, this yellow woman, who was in her fifties, looked like an unlucky person who was easy to bully.

The prison guard pointed at Ma Lan and said to the crowd, "She is number 1024 and will live in this cell block from now on."

Ma Lan stiffened her head, waved her hand at the crowd and said with a forced smile, "Ha Hello"

No one paid any attention to her, but many of them looked at her with interest, and there seemed to be some evil intentions in their eyes, which made Ma Lan somewhat nervous.

One of the guards pointed to an empty bed and said to Marashi, "1024, you will sleep in this bed from now on!"

Ma Lan nodded in a hurry.

The guards didn't say much, and after settling down, they turned around and left the cell.

As soon as the guards left, a white woman with red hair and about thirty years old came to Ma Lan with her shoulders clasped and asked contemptuously, "Hey, newbie, report to everyone, what did you come in for?"

"Huh?" Marashi was slightly stunned and stammered, "I I came in because I came in because"

When the woman saw that Ma Lan was stammering and not getting to the point, she immediately reprimanded angrily, "I'm telling you, I'm the biggest in this prison cell, whatever I ask, you answer; whatever I say, you do, otherwise, watch out for me beating the sh*t out of you!"

Ma Lan shivered in fear and said hurriedly, "I I'm carrying contraband because"

The woman frowned and asked her, "Carrying contraband? How much did you bring?"

Ma Lan hurriedly said, "Brought five kilos"

"Crap!" The woman said in surprise, "Five kilos?! Are you sure you're not fooling me?"

Ma Lan hurriedly said, "I dare not I am telling the truth"

The woman looked Ma Lan up and down for a moment and asked, "Are you a drug dealer?"

Ma Lan hurriedly shook his head, "I am not"

The woman asked again, "Then are you working for a drug dealer? Or are you a member of some kind of gang?"

Ma Lan, fearing that the other party might misunderstand her, hurriedly shook her head again, "No no I'm innocent I was tricked into taking my luggage on the plane and was caught in a daze... ..."

The woman was relieved to hear this, and looked at Ma Lan with a contemptuous smile, and slapped her across the face, causing Ma Lan's eyes to glaze over.

Ma Lan let out a yelp and was about to ask her why she had hit her when she heard the woman say, "I thought you were some big shot, but you're just a stupid pig who's been tricked into being a mule!"