1781 Take it Back (1) The conversation between Han Jiang and Han Hui continued. "Brother, what did you mean by that earlier...?" Han Hui had a somewhat timid look on her face. "What did I say?" Han Jiang was puzzled. "You know, about not taking relationships too seriously and just focusing on money." "Oh, that," Han Jiang finally remembered. "It is what you heard." !! "But... Don't you and your girlfriend get along well?" Han Hui asked. "We do get along quite well, yes." "Then... Do you love her for who she is, or for her money?"

"Of course, I love her money!" Han Jiang looked at Han Hui as if she were a fool. "You're already in your

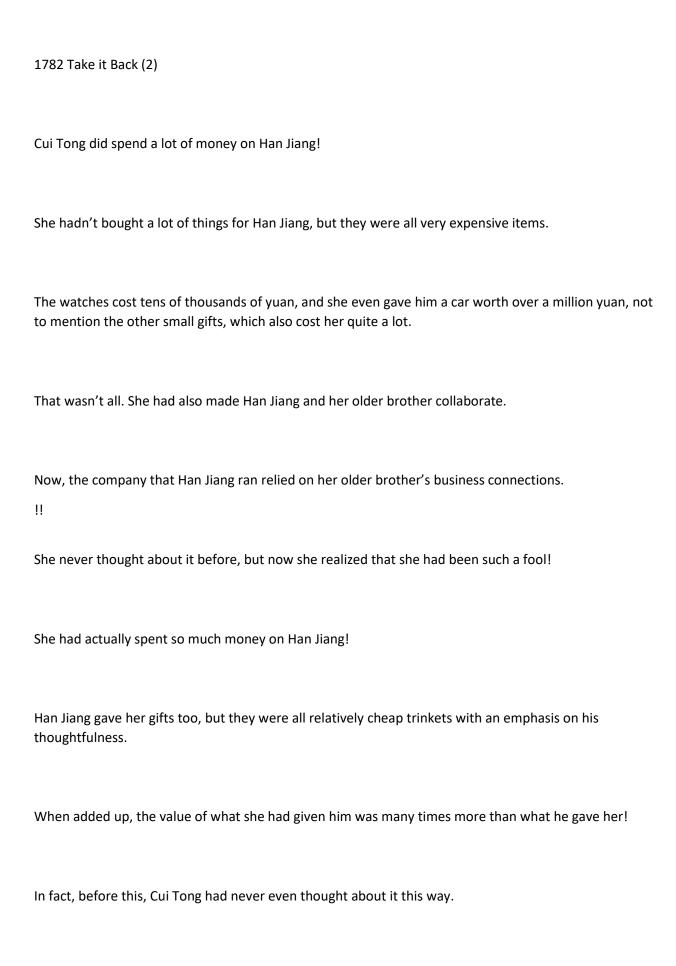
twenties, how can you still be so naive as to believe in love?"

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Han Hui bit her lip, "But…"
"There's no 'but'," Han Jiang shook his head. "Love is like a ghost. Everyone has heard of it, but has anyone ever seen it?"
"But there is still a lot of love in the world"
"Okay, enough of this nonsense." Han Jiang waved his hand. "Actually, I do believe in love. Just like now she and I are in love! She's beautiful, she's rich, and she can give me what I want. I love her a lot!"
"What if she runs out of money?" Han Hui asked.
"Run out of money?" Han Jiang laughed. "That won't happen. Her family is wealthy, after all. Even if her family goes bankrupt, she's still a famous celeb, and she can make a lot of money."
"So you're just with her for her money?" Han Hui asked.
"What else then?" Han Jiang looked at her speechlessly. "If she were broke and ugly, do you think I'd still be interested in her?"
Han Jiang spoke to Han Hui earnestly, "Just put your mind at ease. Let me tell you something from the bottom of my heart: men are much more practical than women! You women like to talk about love, but we're different. We're down to earth. As long as the woman can make our lives easier, it doesn't matte what she looks like."

Han Hui had a rather conflicted look.
In fact, she knew that most men were much more practical than women. It was just that Han Jiang was too blatant about it.
However, the conversation didn't end there.
Han Jiang went on to talk about the benefits he had gained from being with Cui Tong.
The hand with which she held her chopsticks was trembling.
She had just wanted to stand up when Xia Xibei grabbed her.
"Don't be rash," Xia Xibei shook her head. "It's a restaurant. We can't be seen making a scene."
Even if they had changed their faces, they would surely draw attention if they made such a big scene.
If people got to know that they could change their faces, it would bring even more trouble.
Before Cui Tong could cause a scene, Xia Xibei called the waiter over to settle the bill and pulled her away.

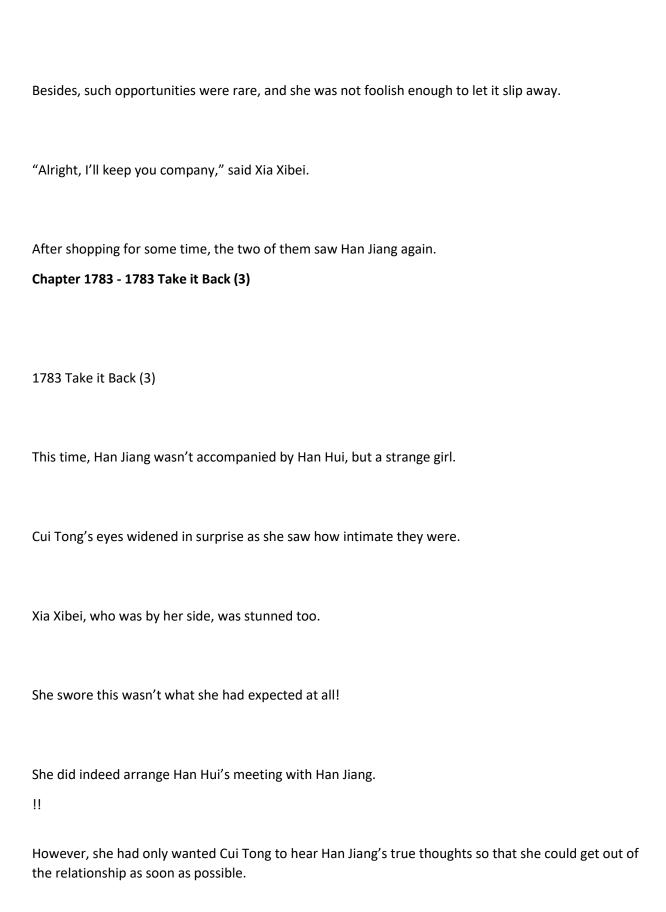
It wasn't until they left the place that Cui Tong finally crouched down and let out the tears she had been holding back.
Xia Xibei crouched down beside her and patted her back, silently comforting her.
The passers-by glanced curiously at the scene, but no one paid much attention.
With so many people around, nobody really had time to care if strangers were laughing or crying.
After a while, Cui Tong regained her composure.
She wiped her tears away and looked at the people passing by, grateful that she wasn't famous enough for her crying to make the news.
"Alright, let's go," said Xia Xibei, leading her to the parking lot.
Once they were in the car, Xia Xibei asked her, "How much have you spent on him?"
Her query put an awful look on Cui Tong's face. Chapter 1782 - 1782 Take it Back (2)



Based on Han Jiang's temperament, she assumed he came from a big family and lived a very luxurious lifestyle.
People like him wouldn't lack money.
Therefore, she never thought that Han Jiang would cheat her out of her money!
"Isn't he from the Han family?" Cui Tong muttered to herself, in disbelief.
"He's from the Han family, but there are many people in the Han family," Xia Xibei glanced at her. "The Han family has lots of children, and not all of them are well-off."
They did have basic pocket money.
A few tens of thousand yuan a month would be a very large sum of money for an ordinary person.
For them, however, the offspring of the rich, it was petty and pathetic!
Therefore, they had to find other ways to make more money, either by working in the company or starting their own business.
Now, it seemed that Han Jiang did not choose to work in the company but instead started his own business.

However, he had been using Cui Tong as a stepping stone while starting his business.
"I've been such a fool!" Cui Tong cried, covering her face. "He's gone too far!"
She never expected that Han Jiang had approached her all along with such a mindset!
That was way too much!
After Cui Tong finished crying, Xia Xibei asked, "So what are you going to do now?"
"What am I to do?" Cui Tong was a bit confused. "I- I-"
"Don't you want to break up with him?" Xia Xibei asked.
"Of course not!" she shook her head right away.
"Then, do you want to get your money back? Or just let him get away with it?"
"Well" Cui Tong asked, with some doubt, "Will I be able to get it back though?"
Although she had a lot of money, she wasn't a fool. She sure enough wanted her money back!

"It's up to you," said Xia Xibei, shrugging. "It depends on how determined you are."
If Cui Tong wanted to get her money back, she could help.
"Well We'll see about that," Cui Tong hesitated, biting her lip before making a decision.
Xia Xibei smiled and said nothing more.
She might appear nonchalant, but Cui Tong was, in fact, rather soft at heart.
Despite her anger at Han Jiang's deception, she understood that taking her money back was a difficult task.
"What do we do now? Do we go shopping or head back?" Xia Xibei asked once Cui Tong had calmed down.
"Let's go shopping!" Cui Tong declared fiercely. "I need to go on a spree! I'll spend my own money, myself!"
Shopping was her way of soothing her wounded soul.
Only through shopping could she feel relaxed and happy.



However, she did not expect Han Jiang to have another girlfriend!
She was simply stunned to see how intimate they were!
Han Jiang had just dined with Han Hui, and then he went on shopping with this girl right after?
What a hectic schedule this man had!
Cui Tong was fuming with rage.
She was already infuriated by the things Han Jiang said, but she didn't confront him then and there.
Han Jiang's words were hurtful indeed, but she had still put up with it.
However, the fact that Han Jiang was a two-timing cheater was intolerable!
Nevertheless, to avoid getting it wrong, she still walked over while holding her anger.
Han Jiang did not notice Cui Tong standing right behind him.
Cui Tong had a different face, so he wouldn't notice at all.

He was busy choosing and buying clothes for the pretty girl, enjoying their time together.
Moreover, he seemed very patient.
He picked out a piece of clothing from among the clothes and handed it to the girl, smiling, "This one suits you best!"
The girl took it and smiled, "Thank you, darling! You're the best!"
While speaking, she gave Han Jiang a kiss.
She had caught him red-handed!
She wanted to rush over and slap Han Jiang, but was held back by Xia Xibei.
Xia Xibei shook her head at her, gesturing with the phone in her hand.
Cui Tong took the hint. Holding back her anger, she took her phone out too.
The two of them pretended to be picking out clothes while taking photos of Han Jiang and the girl.

The more photos they took, the paler Cui Tong's face became.
If it weren't for the mask covering her face, she wouldn't be able to conceal the look on her face.
She found that Han Jiang was incredibly patient with this girl.
When he was with her, he never paid this much attention!
As she thought of it, Cui Tong bit her lip so hard that it almost bled.
After a while, they followed the two to other stores and took many more photos, from various angles and without missing any of their interactions.
As she watched them come out with their bags, Cui Tong was filled with hatred, grinding her teeth.
"I spent so much money on him, and then he goes on to spend it on another woman! Isn't that just fantastic!"
She gritted her teeth and spat each word with hatred.
After obtaining all the evidence, Cui Tong wanted to just go and give Han Jiang a slap in the face, but Xia Xibei stopped her.



Chapter 1784 - 1784 Take it Back (4) 1784 Take it Back (4) Han Jiang and his new girlfriend were having a great time shopping and enjoying each other's company. Suddenly, his phone vibrated. "It's not work calling you back, is it?" the girl pouted, unwilling to be interrupted. "No, I'm with you today!" Han Jiang playfully booped her nose. "Don't worry." !! He pulled out his phone and opened the message. It was from an unfamiliar number.

He was about to delete it, but curiosity got the best of him and he opened it.

Could it be some kind of scam?

When he saw the picture that popped up, his pupils contracted and his heart skipped a beat.
It was a photo of him and the woman beside him, in an intimate pose.
Holding hands was the least of it! There were even pictures of them kissing!
It was clear from just one look that they were in a relationship.
He quickly scrolled down to read the message, and his face went white as he did.
"If you don't want these photos to fall into your girlfriend's hands, buy them for five million."
Five million yuan?!
Han Jiang's expression grew even more grim.
He might as well kill himself!
He did have that much money with all his assets added up, but why would he give five million to some stranger?!

However, the threat in the message made him very uneasy.
It meant that the other party knew that Cui Tong was his girlfriend!
If he was caught cheating, Cui Tong would definitely break up with him.
Han Jiang had many girlfriends before, but none of them had money, at least not as much as he did.
Without money, how could they possibly afford to spend money on him? He even had to spend on them.
So in the end, he had to break up with them.
Girlfriends like Cui Tong were hard to come by. At least, she was the first he had found who had both money and beauty and was also very generous.
Han Jiang didn't like his family's conventional way of acquiring wealth.
What was the point of gathering resources through cultivation with hearths?
He wasn't interested in that kind of thing!
This was no longer a world that valued strength, but wealth!

What was the use of gathering resources if he didn't practice cultivation? That would be totally worthless!
Even if he could live an extra few decades through cultivation, so what?
He preferred to live his life freely and without constraints.
Unfortunately, the money his family gave him was not enough for him to live as freely as he liked.
That was why he chose to be with Cui Tong after having observed her for a while.
Besides giving him many gifts, she also introduced him to her older brother.
The Cui family was wealthy and had provided ample resources for his company.
One could say that all the money he made was thanks to the Cui family.
Perhaps he could even secure access to more of their resources in the future.
However, he never expected to be caught in the act of cheating.

If Cui Tong and her family found out about his actions, he would be in trouble!
Though he wouldn't suffer physical harm, the consequences would be too much to bear.
Without someone like Cui Tong, where else could he find a girlfriend who was both rich and willing to spend money on him?
Furthermore, if the Cui family withdrew their support, his company would be done for.
He absolutely could not let this stranger reveal what had happened!
Still, he sent a probing message: "I only have one girlfriend. What are you talking about? Beware, I'll call the cops on you!"
Soon after, he received a reply.
When he opened the message, a photo of Cui Tong appeared.
It was clearly a photo taken from the internet, but the sight of her face made Han Jiang's blood run cold.
The stranger actually knew! Chapter 1785 - 1785 Take it Back (5)

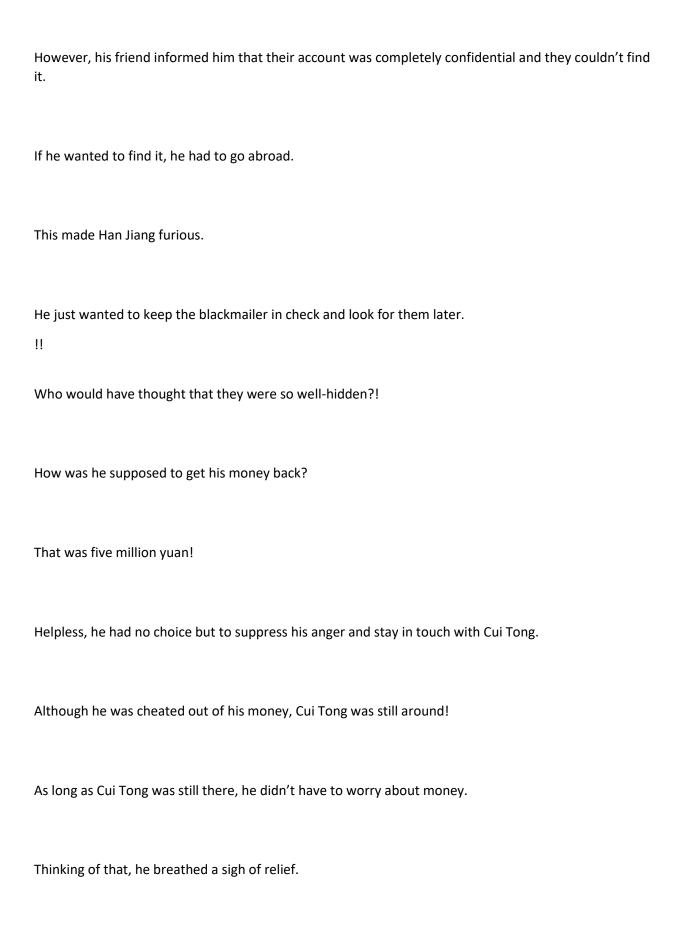
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Since the blackmailer wasn't lying and was truly posing a threat on him, he had to make a choice.
He gritted his teeth and sent another message.
"I don't have five million, only one million."
Even that felt too much!
However, if he sold the watch that Cui Tong had given him, he could get that money back, and he wouldn't feel as bad.
Soon, he received another message from the blackmailer: "No, five million it is! You have one day's time to transfer the money to this account. Otherwise, you two are through!"
When he saw the account number below, Han Jiang felt a surge of excitement.
As soon as he saw the number clearly, however, his excitement died down immediately.
It turned out to be an overseas account!

So scammers nowadays were operating on overseas accounts? That was outrageous!
How was he supposed to investigate this?!
However, this also meant that the blackmailer had come prepared.
He looked around, wishing he could catch the person who was secretly capturing his photos and threatening him.
Unfortunately, he couldn't find anyone suspicious.
Five million yuan!
It would hurt to cough up that much money!
Yet, the blackmailer's tone was very firm. If he refused, they really would inform Cui Tong!
She would definitely blow up if she found out.
Cui Tong wasn't someone who could be easily fooled.

As he thought about the possible consequences, Han Jiang eventually gritted his teeth and decided to give in.
After all, being with Cui Tong would bring him much more than just this sum of money.
As long as he held on to Cui Tong, money would come in a steady stream.
So, it was okay to bleed a little!
However, he still sent a message to the blackmailer: "I'll give you the money, but if you betray me, you're dead!"
"Don't worry, we have professional ethics."
When he saw the message, Han Jiang breathed a sigh of relief.
The girl came out wearing a different outfit, and seeing Han Jiang looking at his phone with such an intent look on his face, she asked with concern, "Dear, what's wrong?"
"Go away!"
Han Jiang was in a bad mood and waved his hand, pushing her away.



Although the total amount was only tens of thousands of yuan, looking back now, it was still enough to make his heart ache!
He first called a friend to check on the account.
As expected, it was an overseas account, and finding the account holder would take even more time.
At least they hadn't discovered anything when he transferred the five million yuan.
Seeing a large chunk of his account balance disappear, he felt like he couldn't breathe.
It took him a while to sit up straight, with an icy look in his eyes.
If the blackmailer dared to breach confidentiality, he would make sure that they begged for his mercy! Chapter 1786 - 1786 Let's Break up
1786 Let's Break up
After transferring the money, Han Jiang didn't stop looking for the blackmailer.



However, he didn't expect Cui Tong to be unavailable when he tried to make plans with her.
Well, Cui Tong was a celebrity with a packed schedule, and they rarely had time to spend together.
After this happened twice, he began to realize that something was not right.
They hadn't seen each other for nearly a month!
Hadn't Cui Tong wanted to meet him at all during this time?
He found it very strange and went to Cui Tong's company to ask about it.
When he arrived at the company, he happened to see Cui Tong coming out.
There she was!
Later, he asked Cui Tong's assistant and learned that Cui Tong had been taking a few days off.
If she was on break, why wouldn't she meet with him?
He couldn't help it and went directly to Cui Tong.

She didn't look very pleased when she saw Han Jiang.
However, thinking of the money that she managed to get back, she forced a smile.
"Why didn't you meet me?" Han Jiang seemed somewhat grumpy.
Seeing that, Cui Tong couldn't help but sneer, "I think we can't get along, so let's just break up."
"Break up?!" Han Jiang was shocked.
This came out of nowhere, and almost made him jump.
"What are you talking about?! Why would you want to break up with me?!"
"Because I don't like you anymore," Cui Tong said, "and I'm so busy that we don't have time to meet each other. It's better to break up."
"No way!" Han Jiang shook his head instantly.
He had just been cheated out of so much money, how could he break up with Cui Tong at this point?

Cui Tong knew exactly what he was thinking and scoffed, "I didn't want to be so harsh. If you don't wish to embarrass yourself, then let's break up in peace."
"What are you talking about?" Han Jiang's heart skipped a beat as an ominous feeling crept up on him.
"I said we'd better break up in a peaceful way to save your face," Cui Tong said before closing the door.
Han Jiang panicked and grabbed her, "Explain to me, why are you breaking up with me?!"
Cui Tong looked at his handsome face and felt nauseated from the bottom of her heart.
She shook off his hand and took out her phone. "You can see for yourself!"
On the screen of the phone was a photo featuring him and another girl.
The two of them appeared very intimate in the photo, like a couple in love.
That stunned him.
"How did you get this"
Did that blackmailer take his money and send the photo to Cui Tong? Or were they working for Cui Tong?

In that case, did the money end up in Cui Tong's hands?
There was a precarious look in his eyes as the thought occurred to him.
Cui Tong sneered, "It was sent to me by someone I don't know, but they seem to know about us." Chapter 1787 - 1787 Thick-skinned
1787 Thick-skinned
Cui Tong had an awful look on her face as she stared at Han Jiang with icy, furious eyes.
"Do you know how much money I spent on this photo?" She spoke before he could answer, "I spent 500 grand just to get this settled!"
Five hundred grand?!
Han Jiang's heart skipped a beat.
That was a tenth of 5 million! !!

"That person knew that you and I were in a romantic relationship and sent me this photo, saying that if didn't pay up, they would reveal everything and embarrass me!"	fΙ
Han Jiang's eyes went wide. What did she mean by embarrassing her?	
"My boyfriend found someone worse than me and is so intimate with her! If this gets out, I'll be so embarrassed!" Cui Tong continued, genuinely enraged. "I didn't want to explain everything so explicitly so I told you we couldn't get along and had to break up. Since you are so reluctant, let's smooth this out first!"	
Cui Tong looked at Han Jiang, "Tell me, how do we deal with this? I've given you dozens of gifts and spent so much money on you, and yet you went and spent it on some other woman Now, you have to pay me back!"	О
Pay her back?	
Han Jiang was taken aback.	
There was no way he would do that!	
He had already given all that money away. How was he supposed to pay Cui Tong back?	
Even if he hadn't, he still wouldn't give it to Cui Tong.	

However, the blackmailer whom he gave the money to was shameless enough to spill the beans to Cui Tong after he told him not to do so!
Now Han Jiang was in a dilemma.
"I counted that I've spent a lot on you, a few million yuan in the least. Give me 3 million back and we'll call it even. That's a discount for you since we've been together for a long time!"
Three million?!
Han Jiang was shocked.
It was true that it wasn't as much as five million, but he couldn't even come up with that much money right now!
"Tong, don't do this. It's just a misunderstanding," he said, feigning a smile. "Someone is slandering me! I don't even know that girl! It's all photoshopped! They did it to trick you and ruin our relationship!"
Cui Tong sneered inwardly.
The photo was genuine and Han Jiang was just too good at talking, even in his predicament.
"Ruin our relationship?"

"Exactly!" Han Jiang thought she might have been softened by his words, and he got excited.
"You see, there are many software now that can produce such images, right? You know how I feel about you, don't you?" Han Jiang explained hastily, trying to persuade Cui Tong not to break up with him.
"Ha!" With a cold sneer, Cui Tong took out another photo. "So you're saying that all of these are fake?"
Han Jiang looked at the photo and cursed silently, but nodded nevertheless, "Of course they are!"
He was furious.
"No way, I have to catch this guy! I can't let him get away with this!"
Without waiting for Cui Tong's response, he said, "I'm leaving now, so you can calm down a bit, and we'll talk later about this."
Then he hurriedly left.
As for the breakup that Cui Tong had mentioned, he acted as if it had never been brought up.
As she watched him leave, Cui Tong felt that it was such a joke.
She couldn't believe how thick-skinned he was!

Chapter 1788 - 1788 Gathering

1788 Gathering
"So, he still doesn't admit to breaking up?" Xia Xibei listened to Cui Tong on the phone and found it quite unbelievable.
"Yeah!" Cui Tong snorted. "That idiot really thought I would believe what he said! He refuses to break up no matter what!"
"How's he reacting now?"
"Nothing much. He just keeps saying he's still investigating the blackmailer, and sending me those disgusting texts every night!"
If it were during the honeymoon phase, it could have been their form of intimacy.
Right now, it was nothing but nauseating.
Cui Tong was extremely disgusted by the lovey-dovey words that Han Jiang said to her.
He was really good at coming up with those words out of thin air, but it was also because of his smooth talking that he had deceived her so much!

Cui Tong absolutely would not continue to be with Han Jiang.
It was just a pity that Han Jiang had been avoiding her in person lately, afraid that she would bring up the breakup.
In his view, as long as he didn't agree to break up, they were still a couple.
That way, he wouldn't have to pay back the money.
Cui Tong knew his intentions too well.
"Anyway, I won't be with him anymore!" Cui Tong finally said.
"Yeah, don't ever," Xia Xibei nodded.
"Oh, by the way, I've told the company about canceling the contract."
"You've told them?"
Xia Xibei wasn't very surprised.

There was still a little over a month left, and it was indeed time to clarify the situation.
Whether to renew the contract or cancel it, it had to be made clear at this time in order to make the next step.
"Yes," Cui Tong nodded.
"The company agreed too. Today, some colleagues will get together to celebrate some of their birthdays, and it will also serve as a farewell for me."
"A gathering?" Xia Xibei's heart skipped a beat.
"Will everyone from your company get together?"
"Who will be there?"
"Hmm… Let me think. There's Zhao Jinqin, He Xuanran…"
The names Cui Tong mentioned put an awful look on Xia Xibei's face.
She remembered that these were the main people involved in that incident!

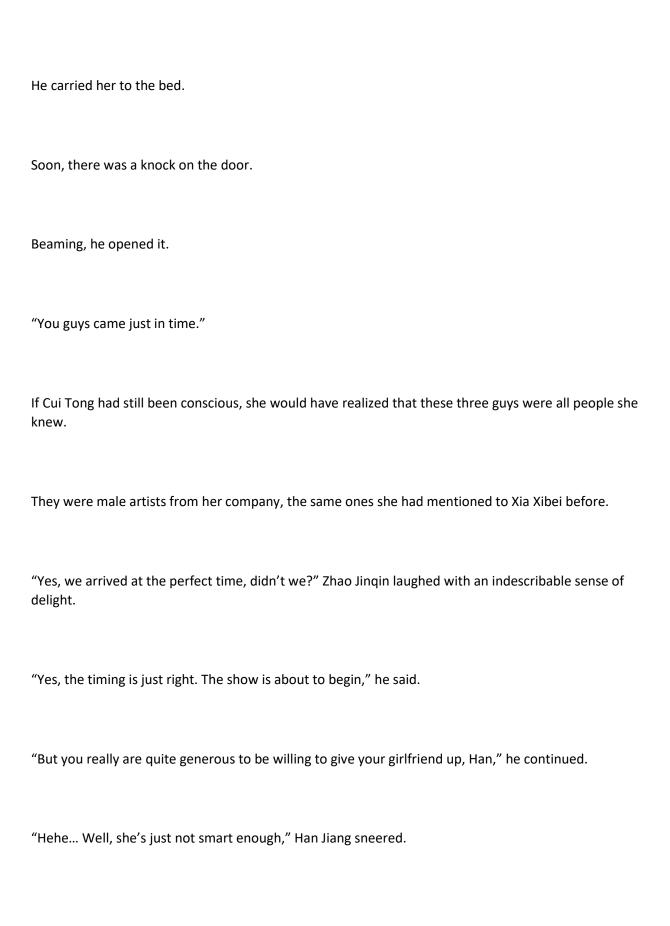
They had secretly taken indecent photos of girls and then used these photos to threaten them, making them do even worse things.
Many girls were forced into submission because of these photos and had no choice but to obey.
Now, Cui Tong was going to have a gathering with them
Xia Xibei felt it was dangerous.
"Where are you having the gathering?"
"Oh, it's around Wan Zhou Square."
"Okay."
"What do you want to do?" Cui Tong was puzzled.
"Nothing, I'm just asking. If you guys had fun, we can hold our events there next time."
"Okay, I'll let you know how it went when I come back," Cui Tong nodded, convinced.
Xia Xibei had a grave look when she hung up the phone.

Although those people had caused quite a bit of trouble, they wouldn't dare to mess with simply anyone.
At least not someone like Cui Tong, who was a VIP. They should know their limits.
If Cui Tong decided to make a scene, they wouldn't be able to take it.
However, Xia Xibei couldn't shake off her worries.
Those scumbags did not have a conscience, and who knew what kind of depraved things they were capable of doing.
Even if they didn't dare to harm Cui Tong, if they were left unchecked, they could still target other girls.
That was not a good thing!
With these thoughts in mind, Xia Xibei finally made up her mind. Chapter 1789 - 1789 Totally Nuts (1)
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After hanging up the phone, Cui Tong set off with her colleagues to the destination.
Upon arrival, she was a bit surprised to see so many people there.
The environment was pleasant indeed.
She could tell Xia Xibei about it later and suggest their company hold events here in the future.
Today, many people came to the scene because Chuan Yi Entertainment was a large company with several hundred employees.
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Each department had dozens of people, and although not everyone came today, there were still over a hundred people.
These were people she had collaborated with, so they were also there to bid her farewell.
Looking at these familiar faces, Cui Tong found it heartwarming.
They were all her colleagues, after all.
When other people came over to toast, she took a sip each time even though she didn't accept every offer.

Her agent and assistant were on the side, not drinking, but enjoying the food and drinks.
After a round of toasts, Cui Tong's phone rang.
When she took it out and saw who it was, her smile disappeared instantly.
It was Han Jiang.
He texted her, asking to meet and talk about breaking up.
Cui Tong didn't want to deal with him, but this matter needed to be clarified.
Even though Han Jiang didn't want to break up, she could ignore him. However, it was time to put an end to the matter.
Moreover, the meeting place Han Jiang proposed was nearby.
So she looked around and decided to go.
She told her agent and then got dressed and left.
She didn't notice that a few people in the background left too.

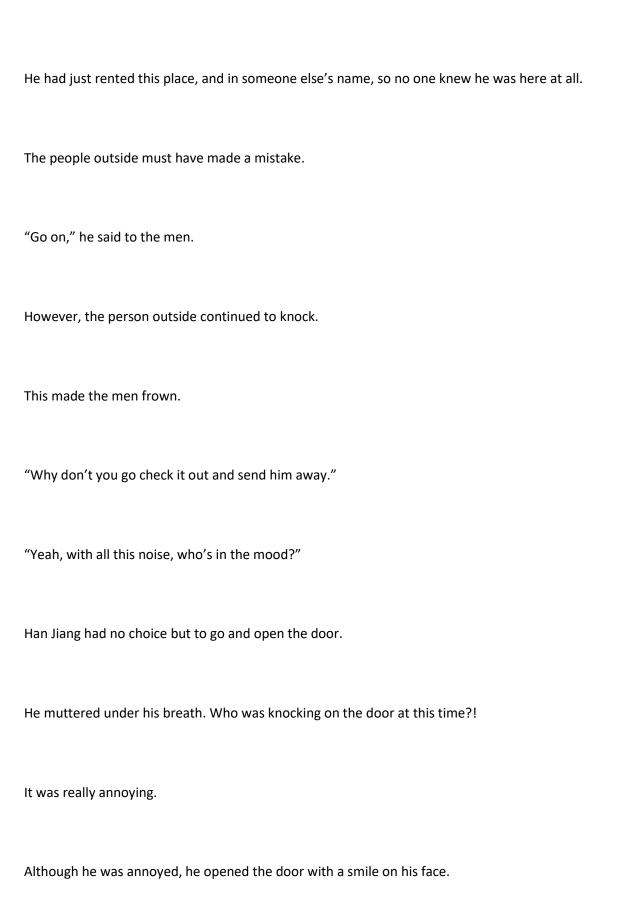


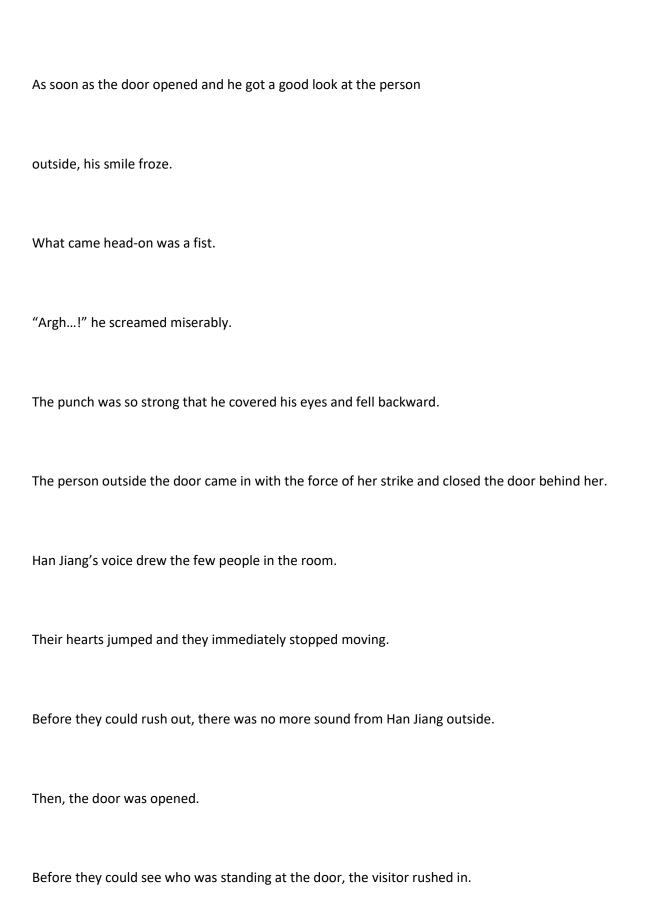




If he let these people do something to Cui Tong and later threatened Cui Tong with this evidence, she wouldn't dare to break up.
If Cui Tong still wanted to break up, he could use this to prove his innocence.
It wasn't him who was cheating, but Cui Tong who cheated first.
In this case, when it came to the media, there would naturally be a lot to talk about.
This kind of news would definitely attract a lot of attention.
As for the Cui family behind Cui Tong, there was nothing to it
The Cui family was indeed rich, but when it came to power, the Cui family was no match for the Han family.
He believed that even if he did these things, the Han family would protect him.
Anyway, no matter how he planned it, the situation would not be any worse.
At least he'd be better off than he was now, when he didn't have the money to pay back Cui Tong.

As for these people, they were Cui Tong's colleagues and were used to doing these things. They were more experienced and knew how to shut Cui Tong up.
Having found a partner, Han Jiang naturally wouldn't hesitate.
Anyway, he would never give the money back to Cui Tong and then break up with her!
The more he thought about it, the more beautiful it seemed, and Han Jiang's smile got brighter.
The men looked at each other and smiled, took out the cameras they brought over, positioned themselves, and prepared to start filming.
Han Jiang's smile got even bigger as the men's hands were about to touch Cui Tong.
The next second, there was a knock on the door.
"Who is it?"
The men were taken aback.
"It's probably a mistake," Han Jiang shook his head.





In a few moves, the three men were dazed and lay on the ground.
They simply did not expect that the person coming was so ferocious.
They did not have the strength to fight back at all.
When the men got up from the ground, they finally saw the face of the visitor clearly.
However, the face was that of an unfamiliar woman.
"Who are you? You're trespassing!" He Xuanran shouted.
"What do you want?!"
They were all anxious.
However, their anger and anxiety did not stop the visitor's movement.
The visitor checked Cui Tong on the bed and was relieved to know she was okay and that her clothes had not been removed.

She ignored their nervousness and woke Cui Tong up first.

Cui Tong covered her head and opened her eyes, instantly shocked.