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Chapter 51: Being Questioned

No wonder Huangfu Ruiling was so calm. He was already prepared. His household registration had been marked by the public security system. As long as there was any change, it would trigger the alarm. In other words, she had no way of changing her household registration.

So that was what Huangfu Ruiling meant.

Ye Leng'an gnashed her teeth with hatred, but there was nothing he could do. She cursed Huangfu Ruiling hundreds of times in her heart before she closed her laptop.

She had no other choice. Since there was nothing she could do now, she could only leave her name in Huangfu Ruiling's household register. However, to look on the bright side, she did not need to find a guardian for the time being. As for the future, she would think about it later!

On the other side...

Huangfu Ruiling, who had already left, was sitting in the back seat of the car. At this moment, he was closing his eyes in repose, different from when he was at Ye Leng'an's house. Although his eyes were closed, he was hard-edged.

Li Yi sat at the side, looking like he had something to say but wasn't sure he should.

"If you have something to say, just say it." Huangfu Ruiling kept his eyes shut, and a faint voice came out from her cold lips.

Li Yi was startled by the sudden voice, but he came back to his senses instantly. He knew that his master was talking to him. After measuring his words, he said, "Master, did you really decide to let Ye Leng'an treat Miss Yiran?"

No one knew how good Ye Leng'an's medical skills were. Moreover, according to their investigation, Ye Leng'an had never learned medicine from anyone. But now, his master wanted Ye Leng'an to treat Miss Yiran. Wasn't this child's play?

Huangfu Ruiling opened his eyes, and his hidden edge was revealed. "Are you questioning my decision?"

Li Yi felt as if he had fallen into an ice cellar when he heard that. If he hadn't been in the car, he would have knelt down.

"Master, I didn't dare to do so." Li Yi quickly lowered his head.

Huangfu Ruiling was too friendly at Ye Leng'an's house, which gave him the illusion that his master was easy to talk to. It seemed that he was really overconfident. He actually dared to question his master's decision.

Thinking of this, Li Yi's back began to break out in cold sweat. At this moment, he did not dare to raise his head at all, but he could feel the pressure coming from Huangfu Ruiling at all times. Especially in such a small space in the car, the pressure was even stronger, making it difficult for him to breathe.

In just a moment, Li Yi felt that he was almost out of breath. Finally, just before he could not hold on any longer, he felt that the pressure on his body finally disappeared.

Huangfu Ruiling remained silent and just closed his eyes again. No one knew whether he was resting or thinking about something.

It was very quiet in the car.

Li Yi didn't dare to say anything else and just stayed there quietly.

When Ye Leng'an returned to the classroom, she saw the hesitant look on Yuan Silei's face. Ye Leng'an knew what Yuan Silei wanted to say and couldn't help but frown slightly with an urge not to talk to her.

However, she still returned to her seat and sat down.

"Leng'an, I..." When Yuan Silei just opened her mouth, she was interrupted by Ye Leng'an.

"Silei, if you want to tell me something about that Ye family, then there's no need for you to start." Ye Leng'an's attitude was very firm. "You don't know what happened between us. So, I hope that you will keep away from it."

To be honest, she was a little annoyed by Yuan Silei's repeated persuasion. Her attitude was very firm, but unfortunately, Yuan Silei completely ignored it and chose to believe Ye Xiyuan's words.

"Leng'an, I'm doing this for your own good." Yuan Silei felt a little wronged by Ye Leng'an's cold indifference. "It's not a good thing for you to continue being like this!"

Ye Leng'an took a deep breath and glanced at Yuan Silei with determination in her eyes. "Silei, I cherish our friendship, and I don't want anything to ruin it. If you really treat me as a good friend, please respect my decision and stop talking to me about that Ye family."

"No, Leng'an, I..." Yuan Silei felt wronged. "Because you are my friend, I..."

"If you really treat me as a friend, then respect my decision." Ye Leng'an said,

Don't interfere with my decision under the guise of doing it for my own good." "I didn't." Yuan Silei widened her eyes in disbelief. "Leng'an, so this is how you've always thought of me."

"Anyway, that's all I have to say." Ye Leng'an felt that there was no way to continue communicating with Yuan Silei. "You only need to know one thing, and that is I will never return to that Ye family no matter what. And it's absolutely impossible for me and Ye Xiyuan to become so-called good sisters."

At this moment, a classmate came to tell Ye Leng'an that the principal wanted her to go to his office.

Ye Leng'an ignored Yuan Silei's aggrieved look and left the classroom..

Chapter 52: Accepting the Mission

Ye Leng'an knocked on the door and entered the principal's office.

"Principal, do you have something to ask me?" she asked while looking at Zheng Anyang who was sitting behind his desk.

"Have a seat first." Zheng Anyang gave her a nod.

After she was seated, Zheng Anyang handed her a document. "Take a look at this. We are preparing for the National Mathematical Olympiad. I hope you can sign up for this competition."

Ye Leng'an looked at the file and nodded her head. "Okay, I'm in."

Zheng Anyang continued, "We will first hold an examination at our school and select ten students to participate in the competition. Those who are selected will begin intensive training during the upcoming winter vacation."

"Training?" Ye Leng'an frowned slightly. "Do I have to participate in the training?"

"You don't have to participate in the training." Zheng Anyang obviously knew what Ye Leng'an was thinking, so he continued, "As long as you get first place in this exam."

Ye Leng'an nodded. "Deal."

Soon, she left the principal's office.

The news of the Mathematical Olympiad Competition quickly spread throughout Sheng'an School. Many top students were eager to sign up for it. This Mathematical Olympiad Competition was national. If one could get a place in the competition, it would be of great help to the result of the college

entrance examination. Moreover, every year, such a competition would attract the attention of all the major universities. If one was lucky enough to catch the eye of those university professors, he or she might even be admitted to the university in advance and not have to take the college entrance examination.

Ye Xiyuan also knew about this news, and there was a glimmer of determination to win in her eyes.

"Xiyuan, are you planning to sign up for it?" Qian Gumeng held Ye Xiyuan's hand and said, "You are so good at maths. If you participate in the competition, you will definitely win the prize."

"That's right! Xiyuan, you have to participate in it. You're so outstanding and will definitely bring glory to the school! "

Other students also gathered around and praised Ye Xiyuan. Because in their eyes, Ye Xiyuan was indeed a very brilliant student.

In the beginning, they actually didn't like Ye Xiyuan. Although she was the real daughter of the Ye family, they thought she might not be able to adapt to the pace of Sheng'an High School after knowing that she grew up in that kind of environment.

However, Ye Xiyuan's performance was completely beyond their expectations. Not only did she have the demeanor of a young lady from a rich family, but she was also excellent in other aspects. In terms of academic performance, she was soon among the best in the class.

Most importantly, although Ye Xiyuan was excellent in all aspects, she was very humble and kind to everyone. She never looked down on others. Even when facing those poor and weak students, she was never arrogant.

Therefore, she quickly won the favor of everyone in the class. It was also because of this that everyone felt that Ye Leng'an sometimes had a really bad attitude toward Ye Xiyuan.

"Guys, that's enough." A flicker of pride flashed through Ye Xiyuan's eyes, but she looked humble. "Everyone will have a chance in this competition."

"Xiyuan, don't be so humble." Qian Menggu immediately held Ye Xiyuan's hand. "Teacher Ou from our school's Mathematics Team once said you were the most talented student she had ever seen in mathematics."

"Teacher Ou was just being polite."

Ye Xiyuan was really proud as she watched other people flatter her. The result didn't waste her painstaking efforts. Of course, it was also because of the help of the System.

"Beep! Mission triggered. Win first place in the Mathematical Olympiad Competition. If you win, you will get Beauty Pills. If you lose, you have to return the previous IQ addition. Do you want to accept the mission?"

Just as Ye Xiyuan exulted in her success, the System's mechanical voice suddenly rose in her mind.

She paused for a moment, not expecting the System to issue such a mission. She had to admit that the Beauty Pills were indeed very attractive to her. Although she felt that she was recognizably good-looking among the crowd, she would still grit her teeth in hatred when she saw Ye Leng'an's pretty face which was like a gift from God. If she could, she really wanted to use a knife to cut Ye Leng'an's annoying face.

Though her intelligence was already very high with the help of the System, she was not confident that she could definitely get first place. If she failed, the punishment would be...

For a moment, Ye Xiyuan was a little hesitant.

At this very minute, the System's voice rose up again. This time, it sounded more urgent.

"Do you want to accept the mission? Please make your choice. The System will take back the mission after ten seconds. Ten, Nine, Eight...Three, Two, One!"

"I accept the mission!"

At the last moment, Ye Xiyuan decided to accept the mission. The System had issued missions many times, but just a few of them would give rewards that added to her beauty. Therefore, she was reluctant to give up every chance..

Chapter 53: Saving His Life

At the Ye family...

When Ye Xiyuan returned home, she saw her parents and brother sitting in the living room. A young man sat opposite them.

The man was about 25 or 26 years old. He had fair skin, and his fitting suit revealed his perfect figure. His flaxen hair was stunningly beautiful. He had a chiseled face, looking indifferently handsome. Under his drooping long eyelashes, his deep eyes sparkled like black crystals. His tall nose and his beautiful lips showed off his nobility and elegance, but his handsomeness was one of a kind!

Just by sitting there, the man gave off a noble feeling. Even if he was deliberately restraining himself, it was still stressful.

Ye Li, Lin Wanqin, and Ye Anyun had the same feeling. They felt as if the person in front of them was a high and mighty emperor, and they could only bow down to him.

"Dad, Mom, Brother, I'm back." As usual, Ye Xiyuan greeted her family members first before glancing at the man as if she was just aware of his presence. There was a flicker of surprise on her face. "Why did you come to my house?"

"Xiyuan, Young Master Nangong came here today for you." Ye Li was the first to speak and looked at Ye Xiyuan dotingly. "Young Master Nangong said that you saved his life before, and he specially came to thank you today."

He was already quite satisfied with his daughter, Ye Xiyuan. After today, he would really take his daughter to heart.

The Nangong family was one of the four top families in the capital. Even if the Ye family was 10 times or 100 times stronger than it was now, it might not be able to get close to the Nangong family. In the capital, there were many people who wanted to get close to the four great families. The Ye family did not even need to think about the possibility. They were completely unqualified.

However, the young master of the Nangong family was sitting opposite him. How could he not be surprised?

When Young Master Nangong came to visit him today, he was still confused. But after knowing the purpose of his visit, Ye Li became delirious with joy. At the same time, he felt lucky to have his biological daughter back. Otherwise, it was not his place to be onto such a good thing today.

"Young Master Nangong?" Ye Xiyuan looked at the man and then gave him a gentle smile. "So it's you! Actually, you didn't have to come here specially and you also don't have to take the previous matter to heart. It was just a piece of cake."

Seeing Ye Xiyuan's expression, the man, Nangong Xuyao, said with a smile, "It might be a small matter to you, but to me, it's a life-saving grace."

Previously, he was ambushed and assassinated because of the betrayal of the people around him. Even he himself felt that he would not be able to escape this calamity, but in the end, he was saved. What shocked him the most was that even the wound on his chest had healed. After some

investigation, he found out that the person who saved him was the daughter of the Ye family, Ye Xiyuan.

“You’re really too polite.” Ye Xiyuan also sat down without any restraint. She looked at Nangong Xuyao as if he was just an ordinary person. “Actually, anyone would do something to help when they encountered something like that. So, there’s really no need for you to come all the way here to thank me.”

A glimmer of interest flashed across Nangong Xuyao’s eyes. He did not expect her to be so calm after knowing his identity. Before he came, he had planned to give some benefits to thank her. However, after seeing his savior, he changed his mind.

“Anyway, I still have to thank you for saving my life.” Nangong Xuyao looked at Ye Xiyuan with a seductive smile on his face. “I wonder if Miss Ye is willing to give me this chance to repay you!”

Ye Xiyuan looked helpless. “Young Master Nangong, you...”

For a moment, she did not know what to say.

“Young Master Nangong, Xiyuan is this sort of person.” Ye Li quickly said, “She always likes to help others. She’s a good child. Therefore, you don’t have to care too much about it.”

Naturally, he wanted to get some benefits from the Nangong family. After all, as long as there were some benefits slipping through the Nangong family’s fingers, it would be enough for the entire Ye family to soar. However, he also knew how to play the long game. Between a one-time benefit and being able to get close to the Nangong family, he naturally would choose the latter.

Nangong Xuyao looked at Ye Li with disdain.

Although Ye Li tried his best to hide it, Nangong Xuyao could still see the greed in Ye Li’s eyes, so he naturally knew what Ye Li was planning.

However, he didn’t vent his anger on Ye Xiyuan because of his dislike for Ye Li. Instead, he felt that Ye Xiyuan looked much more innocent. She really didn’t care about saving his life at all and was not all talk..

Chapter 54: Ye Li’s Excitement

In the following time, Nangong Xuyao didn’t have much interaction with Ye Li, and his attention was mostly on Ye Xiyuan.

The more they talked, the more favorable his impression of Ye Xiyuan became. He investigated Ye Xiyuan before he came to the Ye family and had thought that growing up in such a family would make her more or less petty. However, he didn’t see small-mindedness in Ye Xiyuan at all. On the other hand, she was gentle, magnanimous, and knowledgeable, a real lady nurtured by a big family. However, she was not arrogant like the other rich ladies, and it was easy to get along with her.

Because Ye Xiyuan was strongly against accepting Nangong Xuyao's gift, Nangong Xuyao didn't push it. In the end, he invited Ye Xiyuan to have a meal with him in two days. This time, Ye Xiyuan did not reject him.

After Nangong Xuyao left, Ye Li and the others all heaved a sigh of relief. Although Nangong Xuyao said that he was here to repay Ye Xiyuan the favor of saving his life, he had such a powerful presence. Even if he just sat there, it was still stressful.

Ye Li couldn't wait to ask, "Xiyuan, what exactly happened? How did you save Young Master Nangong?"

Until now, he felt like he was dreaming. The Nangong family was a family that they could never reach. They couldn't even afford to offend a steward of that family. But today, Young Master Nangong came to his house as a guest.

As long as this news got out, countless companies would rush to the Ye family tomorrow asking for cooperation. How could he not be excited?

"It's just a coincidence." Ye Xiyuan smiled faintly. There wasn't much change in her countenance, as if she was stating a very ordinary matter. "If he hadn't come to our house today, I might have forgotten about this matter."

"Xiyuan! You're really my good daughter!" Ye Li couldn't hold back his laughter.

"I'm so proud of you."

Now, he really couldn't help but feel lucky that he had found his daughter. When he first saw Ye Xiyuan, he was already very satisfied. Even though she grew up in that kind of environment, she was still so outstanding. No wonder she was his biological daughter with his blood flowing in her veins.

Ye Xiyuan's performance during this period of time also made him think even more highly of her. Compared to Ye Lengan's good-for-nothing, Ye Xiyuan was much more outstanding.

However, he did not expect his daughter to give him such a big surprise. She saved the young master of the Nangong family by chance. This was simply a great opportunity for the Ye family.

"Dad! I really don't want anything in return." Ye Xiyuan looked helpless. "When I saved him back then, I didn't know who he was and didn't think about what I wanted from him either. I just didn't want to see a life disappear before my eyes."

"Good child, don't be anxious. Dad didn't say anything!" Ye Li shook his head with a smile. "Oh, Young Master Nangong invites you out for a meal in two days. You have to perform well, understand?"

Although he knew that Ye Xiyuan was very methodical in her actions, he still couldn't help but want to remind her. Young Master Nangong did seem to have a good impression of her, but he was unfathomable and his temper was unpredictable since he was from an aristocratic family. It was very likely that he would be smiling one second, but the next he would turn against a friend and become hostile.

It was indeed a good thing to be able to get close to the Nangong family, but if they were not careful, they might be doomed forever.

“Dad, what nonsense are you talking about!” Ye Xiyuan pouted and said, “We’re friends, so we should treat each other with a simple state of mind. I may push him further away if I blindly fawn over him.”

Ye Li didn’t say anything else when he saw Ye Xiyuan’s resolute manner.

“Alright, Hubby, that’s enough.” Lin Wanqin pulled Ye Li’s hand and said with a smile. “Xiyuan is not a child anymore. She knows how to make friends. Besides, I think that Young Master Nangong was very nice to Xiyuan. He probably treated Xiyuan as a friend. It’s better not to make it complicated between friends.

She was a woman, so she was more sensitive when dealing with these problems. The reason why Young Master Nangong had a good impression of Xiyuan was because Xiyuan treated him level-headedly. Otherwise, even if she had saved his life, he wouldn’t have treated her so well.

Ye Anyun looked at Ye Xiyuan and suddenly said, “Xiyuan, do you like Young Master Nangong? I think he is well-disposed toward you. If this continues, there is a strong possibility that you two will have a relationship.”

He was a man, so he could tell that Nangong Xuyao was interested in his sister.

“Brother, you are talking nonsense!” Ye Xiyuan’s eyes widened as if she had heard something ridiculous. “We’re just friends.. It’s not like what you said! ‘

Chapter 55: Lin Wanqin’s Worry

“Take it easy. I didn’t say you would fall in love with each other soon.” Ye Anyun said with a smile, “I just want to remind you that if you like Young Master Nangong, you shouldn’t get too close to other boys. Otherwise, there might be a misunderstanding.”

“Brother, what do you mean?” Ye Xiyuan looked confused as if she didn’t understand what Ye Anyun meant.

“I’m talking about Deze.” Ye Anyun said directly, “Can’t you tell that Deze likes you?”

“Brother, stop it.” Ye Xiyuan said in shock, “We are just brother and sister. He only sees me as his younger sister.”

“Xiyuan, you’re still too young. You...

“Alright, stop talking,” before Ye Anyun could finish his sentence, Ye Li interrupted him. “Didn’t Xiyuan already say that? They are just brother and sister. Don’t make wild guesses here. your sister Isn’t such a person. she’s still young, so there’s no hurry.”

After that, he turned his head and looked at Ye Xiyuan with a gentle smile. "Xiyuan, since you've already said so, then don't get so close to Deze in the future. You can't ruin his marriage, right?"

Hearing Ye Li's words, Ye Xiyuan nodded in agreement. "Okay, Dad, I understand. I'll be more careful in the future."

"Alright, it's getting late. You should go upstairs and sleep early!" Ye Li urged with a smile, "You must be tired after a busy day."

Ye Xiyuan didn't say anything else and obediently went upstairs.

After Ye Xiyuan left the living room, Ye Li looked at Ye Anyun and warned him,

"Anyun, be careful when you speak in the future. There isn't an affair between your sister and Deze. They are just ordinary family friends." "Dad, what's wrong with you?" Ye Anyun frowned, confused.

"You just have to listen to me." Ye Li's attitude was a little unyielding.

Ye Anyun didn't know what his father meant, but he didn't ask further. He got up and went back to his room.

Soon, there were only Ye Li and Lin Wanqin left in the living room.

"Hubby, are you trying to pair Xiyuan off with Young Master Nangong?"

After being married for so many years, Lin Wanqin immediately guessed what her husband was thinking. "Do you really think this is realistic? Will the Nangong family like Xiyuan?"

It wasn't that she looked down on her daughter, but she had to open her eyes to reality. Although they were pretty wealthy compared to ordinary families, they were nobodies in front of the Nangong family. Therefore, she didn't think that Young Master Nangong was a good match.

On the contrary, she felt that Li Deze was the best choice for her daughter. The Ye family and the Li family were well-matched and had been friends for generations. Besides, Li Deze liked Xiyuan. This was a fact that everyone could see. If Xiyuan married Li Deze, she would definitely be cherished.

"I know what you want to say." Ye Li knew what his wife was thinking and said, "I'm a man too, so I can tell that Young Master Nangong has a good impression of Xiyuan. Many times, the relationship between a man and a woman begins with a good impression. I can see that Young Master Nangong isn't someone who can be manipulated at will. If he really likes Xiyuan, then Xiyuan will have a chance to join the Nangong family. Besides, Xiyuan will live a good life with that life-saving grace."

Lin Wanqin obviously didn't only look at the bright side. "But..."

"Alright, stop talking." Ye Li waved his hand. "I know you think Li Deze is a better choice. But you heard it just now. Xiyuan doesn't have any romantic feelings for Li Deze. If that's the case, isn't Young Master Nangong a better choice? I'm Xiyuan's father. I won't harm her."

After thinking for a moment, he continued, "Take Xiyuan to pick a few sets of jewelry tomorrow. Ever since she returned to our family, you haven't had the time to bring her to buy any expensive jewelry. In two days, she and Young

Master Nangong are going out for a meal. They definitely won't be going to any ordinary place. If she doesn't have suitable jewelry, I'm afraid she'll be laughed at."

Lin Wanqin knew that she couldn't win against her husband, so she nodded and didn't continue arguing.

Ye Xiyuan, who had already returned to her room, no longer looked innocent, and there was a smug smile on her face.

She did not leave anything behind when she took Nangong Xuyao away and settled him down. That was because she was confident that he would be able to find her easily. Only by acting like she didn't take it to heart could she attract his attention. Now, it seemed that her plan was very successful.

However, she was still a little worried.

"System, are you really unable to find out who saved Nangong Xuyao?"

It was like an invisible bomb that could explode at any time..

Chapter 56: The Punishment

"The System can't find any information." The mechanical voice rose up.

Ye Xiyuan pursed her lips and couldn't help but curse in her heart. This system kept saying that it was amazing, but in the end, it couldn't even find what she needed. It seemed that this system was not omnipotent.

"Host, you have malice towards the System. After evaluation, you will be electrocuted for one minute as punishment."

Before Ye Xiyuan realized what was going on, she felt a sharp pain in her body. She immediately fell to the ground and curled up. She gritted her teeth, but she did not dare to make a sound, afraid that she would attract the attention of the people outside. It would be difficult for her to explain then.

Though it only lasted for a quick minute, it felt like ages for her. This was the first time she had been punished by the System. It was not pure physical pain, she felt as if her entire soul was stinging.

After the punishment ended, she couldn't get up for a while. She collapsed on the ground without any strength. Her clothes were completely drenched from the cold sweat.

"System, what is going on?" she asked weakly.

"Did you curse the System in your heart just now?" the mechanical voice asked. "As long as you harbor a trace of malice towards the System, the System will notice it and

punish you. This was the first time, and it was only a warning. If you continue to be malicious to the System in the future, the punishment will be doubled.”

After knowing the reason, Ye Xiyuan didn’t feel relaxed at all. Instead, a faint fear of the unknown rose from the bottom of her heart.

For a long time, with the help of the System, she had indeed changed a lot and gained the attention of most people around her. But now, she realized that she seemed to be an invisible existence in front of the System. The System even knew what she was thinking.

Moreover, this punishment also made her clearly aware of a fact. That was, in front of the System, she seemed just to be a nobody. As long as the System wanted, she could be eliminated at any time. She couldn’t help but shiver at this thought.

The System’s mechanical voice came up again as if it sensed her fear. “Host, you don’t have to be scared. As long as you don’t have any malicious thoughts about the System, the System won’t punish you at will. Moreover, it will help you reach the peak of your life. Of course, if you don’t want to, you can also unbind yourself from the System.”

Her heart skipped a beat when she heard the word “unbinding”. However, what the System said next made her completely dismiss this idea.

“Once the binding is removed, everything you obtained from the System will be taken back.”

She knew very well that the reason why she was able to get to where she was now, successfully chasing Ye Leng’an away and becoming a good daughter in her parents’ hearts, was all because of the System’s help. If she lost everything, she would be back to her old self. If she still couldn’t change everything after her rebirth, then what was the point of being alive?

“I won’t remove the binding.” Her tone was firm and with a hint of hatred. “I want to ruthlessly trample Ye Leng’an under my feet. I want her to become the mud to be stepped on.”

Once she thought about what happened in her previous life, she could not suppress the hatred in her heart. Even though she knew that the binding with the System was not as simple as it seemed, and she was asking a tiger for its skin, she did not care at all. She knew very well that without the help of the System, she would never be able to live so well. She was absolutely unwilling to give up everything she had now.

After thinking through everything, Ye Xiyuan got up from the ground, took a shower, and continued to do Mathematical Olympiad questions without sleep.

She was determined to win this competition.

Even though she was going to participate in the Mathematical Olympiad qualifier, Ye Leng’an didn’t take it to heart. She took another day off from school on the day she had agreed to meet with Huangfu Ruiling.

The form teacher drew a long face when she saw that Ye Leng'an asked for leave because Ye Leng'an had applied for leave quite a number of times during this period of time. She was critical of this, but since the principal had given the order, she could only obey.

She didn't know how Ye Leng'an managed to convince the principal, but she was disgusted by Ye Leng'an's actions. In her opinion, Ye Leng'an's grades were not the best. After the scandal of her family was out, she went even further instead of studying hard. What kind of future could she have?

Ye Leng'an didn't know what the form teacher was thinking, so she naturally didn't care.

After rejecting Huangfu Ruiling's request to pick her up, Ye Leng'an took a taxi to the agreed place. Looking at the luxurious nursing home in front of her, she was in a daze for a moment, but she quickly came back to her senses. Then, at the door, she saw the person who came to pick her up. It was Li Yi, who had been following behind Huangfu Ruiling..

Chapter 57: Being Called Into Question

Soon, Ye Leng'an followed Li Yi to a luxurious single ward. As soon as she entered, she saw Huangfu Ruiling sitting at the side.

"Here you are." A magnetic voice came up. Huangfu Ruiling looked up at Ye Leng'an.

When she met that piercing gaze, she couldn't help freezing.

His deep eyes were like the stars in the sky. When you looked at him, it's easy to get lost in it. You could almost see your reflection in his pupils. However, in fact, in his eyes, there was never a trace of you.

In just a moment, she had already regained her senses. She collected her thoughts and nodded at him.

Li Yi quickly came behind Huangfu Ruiling and pushed the wheelchair forward.

Huangfu Ruiling pointed at the person lying on the bed. "This is your patient today."

Ye Leng'an nodded and stepped forward. When she saw the person lying on the bed, she could not help but sigh in wonder even though she had seen many beauties before.

When she was in the cultivation world, she had seen countless beauties, and a lot of them were as beautiful as fairies, but she had never seen a woman as stunning as this person in front of her.

Even if she was lying there quietly, the immortal energy from her couldn't be hidden.

She had an iconic oval face, faint eyebrows, a high nose bridge, small lips, and fair skin. Though she was pale-faced, it could not veil her natural beauty. She lay there quietly as if she was asleep, which made people wonder what kind of sparkle would be in her eyes when she opened them.

Looking at the beauty on the bed, Ye Leng'an couldn't help but sigh in her heart. It seemed to be true that beautiful women always came to a tragic end. Such an elegant and refined beauty could only lie there like a doll without a

sign of life.

There was a flicker of dissatisfaction in Li Yi's eyes when he saw the vacant look on Ye Leng'an's face. He couldn't help but remind her, "Miss Ye, aren't you going to take a look at her?"

He didn't trust Ye Leng'an, but he couldn't question his master's decision, even though he felt that it was too hasty. He was even more distrustful of her when he saw her behavior. Though Miss Yiran had striking good looks, Ye Leng'an was too unprofessional as a doctor.

"Oh, looks like you know medicine too!" Ye Leng'an said with a sneer, "Besides, your medical skills should be better than mine! Why didn't you cure her?"

From the very beginning, she had felt Li Yi's rejection of her. Now, he was still questioning her medical skills. This was really intolerable. Did he really think that she was willing to come here?! If Huangfu Ruiling hadn't had something on her, she wouldn't have come here.

Of course, she was also curious about this patient. After all, this was the first time she had seen such a strange illness.

"What nonsense are you talking about!" Li Yi wasn't a fool. He could hear the sarcasm in her words. "I just, just..."

"Since you know nothing about medicine, please don't speak casually," she said in a freezing cold tone. "Because that makes you stupid."

While she was speaking, she no longer concealed her power and directly used her spiritual energy to outstrip Li Yi. Although her cultivation base had not returned to its peak, her spiritual energy always stayed at the top.

Li Yi suddenly felt a strong pressure on his body, making it difficult for him to breathe. He was frightened. Clearly, he had never expected Ye Leng'an to possess such powerful spiritual energy. For a moment, when he saw the coldness in Ye Leng'an's eyes, he felt as if he was facing his own master.

"Please forgive Li Yi."

After a while, Huangfu Ruiling said, "I apologize to you on his behalf. I hope you can forgive him."

Even though he was apologizing, his attitude was not humble at all. She could tell that this man had never lowered his head to anyone.

She retracted her spiritual energy and looked at Li Yi indifferently. "Watch your attitude in the future. Remember, I'm not your subordinate. Next time, don't blame me for not reminding you."

She might not give face to others, but she still had to show some respect to Huangfu Ruiling.

Li Yi lowered his head and went silent.

"Li Yi, go back tomorrow." Huangfu Ruiling's indifferent voice came up. "Ask Li San to come over."

"Master!" Li Yi immediately knelt down. "I know I was wrong."

He didn't expect that his master actually asked him to leave. His master only kept the person he trusted the most by his side. That meant he was driven away. He did not expect the punishment to be so severe..

Chapter 58: Being Poisoned With Gu

Huangfu Ruiling's expression did not change. "Do you have any objections to my words?"

These words weighed heavily on Li Yi, making him break out in cold sweat. At the same time, he knew that he had made a mistake. Huangfu Ruiling never took back what he said, so he was pushing his master in another way.

"I didn't dare to do so." Li Yi's voice started to tremble.

At this moment, he was in a dilemma and didn't know whether he should stand up or continue kneeling.

"Didn't you want me to treat her?" Ye Leng'an wasn't interested in their show at all. Instead, she was very interested in the person on the bed.

Huangfu Ruiling didn't even look at Li Yi who was kneeling on the ground. He turned his wheelchair and brought Ye Leng'an to the bed. "She has been in this state since three years ago. All the doctors said that she was just asleep. In these three years, she has never woken up."

Ye Leng'an stepped forward and examined the person on the bed. She couldn't help but frown. She placed her fingers on the woman's wrist and began to take her pulse seriously with her eyes closed, attentively listening to the pulse.

A moment later, Ye Leng'an opened her eyes, her forehead knotting in a frown, and a flicker of confusion flashed across her eyes.

Without glancing at the person on the bed, Huangfu Ruiling asked directly, "How is she?"

At this moment, Li Yi was still kneeling on the ground. However, he also looked up at Ye Leng'an expectantly. Although he still had doubts about Ye Leng'an, he couldn't help but hold a trace of hope in his heart, hoping that she could cure Miss Yiran.

"She's asleep," Ye Leng'an said with perplexity in her voice. "The doctors' diagnosis was not wrong. Judging from her pulse and all the tests, she is just sleeping."

However, no one could sleep for three years without waking up. Therefore, there must be something wrong with her body, but ordinary examinations could not find out.

The hope in Li Yi's eyes immediately disappeared. At the same time, he felt dissatisfied with Ye Leng'an. If it wasn't for Ye Leng'an, he might not have been driven away.

Hearing Ye Leng'an's words, Huangfu Ruiling's expression did not change. He raised his eyebrows and asked, "What are you going to do next?"

"Can you guys go out first?" Ye Leng'an thought for a moment and said, "I want to do a private examination on her. It's not very convenient for you guys to be here."

She decided to use her spiritual energy to check the patient's physical condition. Since she couldn't see anything from the pulse, she would use spiritual energy directly.

Huangfu Ruiling did not object and pushed his wheelchair out.

Although Li Yi wanted to stay, Huangfu Ruiling had already gone out. Naturally, he could not stay in the ward.

When only Ye Leng'an and the person lying on the bed were left in the room, Ye Leng'an came to the bed again and stretched out her hand. Invisible spiritual energy gushed out from her fingertips and covered the patient on the bed. Then, it began to seep in.

Ye Leng'an controlled her spiritual energy and began to inspect the patient slowly.

The spiritual energy kept wandering inside the patient's body, but she did not find any abnormalities. When the spiritual energy reached the patient's brain, Ye Leng'an finally stopped, and there was a flicker of confusion in her eyes. Then, she closed her eyes to feel what the spiritual energy had detected.

After a long time, Ye Leng'an finally withdrew her spiritual energy. Then, she got up and opened the door.

Huangfu Ruiling pushed his wheelchair inside.

Li Yi thought for a moment, gritted his teeth, and finally walked in.

"How is it?" Huangfu Ruiling asked, "Is there a conclusion?"

"Yes." Ye Leng'an nodded. "I want to know if the patient went to any special places or met any strange people before she fell asleep."

Huangfu Ruiling frowned slightly. "I am not very clear about this. Tell me directly, what happened to her?"

Hearing Huangfu Ruiling's answer, Ye Leng'an was a little surprised. When he came to her for help, she thought that he had a close relationship with the patient. But now, it seemed like that was not the case.

From the beginning until now, she did not feel that he cared about this patient. Instead, he seemed not to be familiar with this person.

If that was the case, why did he ask her to help treat this patient?

Although Ye Leng'an was confused, she didn't show it on her face. She said directly, "If my diagnosis is correct, the patient must have been poisoned."

"Poisoned?" The one who exclaimed was Li Yi. He seemed to remember something and said anxiously, "Miss Yiran once went to the southern boundaries before she fainted."

Ye Leng'an seemed to have guessed something after hearing that. She nodded.

"That's right. She must have been poisoned there.."

Chapter 59: Having Dinner Together

Huangfu Ruiling nodded “Since you know the reason, are you confident that you can cure her?”

His tone was still as calm as ever as if he didn’t really care about Ye Leng’an’s answer and was just asking in a formulaic manner.

Ye Leng’an nodded. “Since we know the reason, she can be cured. However, there are only two ways to lure the venomous worms out of the patient’s body.”

The countenance of Huangfu Ruiling’s face did not change at all. But when Li Yi looked at Ye Leng’an, his eyes were glaring.

During these years, they had consulted countless doctors, but there was never a conclusion. But now, Ye Leng’an said there was a way to cure it. He couldn’t help but look forward to it.

Ye Leng’an continued, “The first method is to use medicinal herbs to make pills to lure the venomous worms out of her brain. And the second way is, if we can find the Gu King, we can use it to destroy the other venomous worms in the patient’s brain. But...

“But what?” Huangfu Ruiling raised his eyebrows. “Is there any difficulty?”

“Yes.” Ye Leng’an nodded. “No matter which method we use, it’s not simple. The first method requires a lot of herbs, but it is not that easy to gather them. The most difficult ones to obtain are the Yuanyang Flower and the Baizhe Wood. Yuanyang Flower can not be artificially cultivated and only grows in the wild. It takes ten years to grow and twenty years to bloom. Moreover, it only grows on the cliffs, especially the cliffs of the southern boundaries. As for the Baizhe Wood, it must be at least fifty years old. You can buy the other medicinal herbs at a high price, but only the Yuanyang Flower and Baizhe Wood can’t be obtained with money. Moreover, these two herbs are only available in the southern boundaries.”

Huangfu Ruiling nodded. “What if we choose the second method?”

“That’s even more difficult.” Ye Leng’an continued, “Although I don’t have a thorough understanding of the Gu poison of the southern boundaries, I do know that a Gu King is rare. No one is willing to bring out the Gu King. Moreover, if we want to lure the Gu King out, the owner of the Gu King must be present. Otherwise, if the Gu King loses control, everyone present may suffer.”

In fact, what she did not mention was that other than these two methods, she had a more convenient and faster way to lure out the venomous worms, which was to use her spiritual energy to take them out. However, this would consume a lot of her spiritual energy. After taking out the worms, she would probably not be able to recover for a long time.

Although she had promised to help save the patient, she would not sacrifice her health. Also, as to the patient lying on the bed at this moment, it was not worth doing so.

Huangfu Ruiling gave her a nod. "I got it. Write down the herbs you need. I will send someone to find them. However, after gathering the medicinal ingredients, I need you to help me make pills and lure out the venomous worms."

"Of course." Ye Leng'an nodded. "Since I've agreed, I'll naturally take responsibility until the end."

"It's getting late. Why don't we go have dinner together?" Huangfu Ruiling suddenly extended an invitation.

Ye Leng'an paused for a moment. She looked at Huangfu Ruiling and swallowed, subconsciously wanting to refuse, "I think..."

However, before she could finish her sentence, she was interrupted by Huangfu Ruiling. "I think you won't refuse my invitation! Anyway, we are a family! At least, we are on the same household register."

Her refusal died on her lips when she heard that. She forced a fake smile and said, "Why would I? It's my honor to have dinner with you."

In a restaurant on the top floor of a high-class hotel.

Huangfu Ruiling and Ye Leng'an sat opposite each other. The atmosphere was a little strange.

Huangfu Ruiling sat there quietly. He seemed to be looking at Ye Leng'an but also seemed not. Ye Leng'an, on the other hand, ignored his gaze and stared at the tablecloth in front of her, as if she was very interested in the patterns on it.

Li Yi did not follow Huangfu Ruiling here, so there were only two of them sitting there in silence. In this quiet restaurant, there was a bizarre atmosphere between the two of them.

Ye Leng'an sighed in her heart. If she had known it earlier, she would not have agreed to have dinner with him no matter what he said.

Now, she felt that this meal would really give her indigestion. She did not know why he suddenly asked her out for a meal.

At this moment, she suddenly heard a familiar voice.

"Brother Nangong, the environment here is really good." The silvery voice was full of the vigor of a young girl. "I've never been to such a place before! "

"As long as you like it. The food here is very good. Try it later. If you like it, I'll bring you here next time."

Ye Leng'an raised her eyebrows and looked in the direction of the voice. She saw a familiar figure slowly walking into the restaurant. It was none other than Ye Xiyuan..

Chapter 60: His Trust

At this moment, Ye Leng'an couldn't help but sigh. It was a small world here!

She didn't expect to meet Ye Xiyuan at the restaurant. It seemed that it was really not suitable to go out today!

"Why? Did you see someone you know?" Huangfu Ruiling also noticed Ye Leng'an's sudden change.

"Um." Ye Leng'an nodded and said in a playful tone, "However, she is not someone I know. To be precise, she is an enemy! There's deep hatred between us."

Huangfu Ruiling was surprised.

Although Ye Leng'an seemed to be joking, he could still hear something strange in her words. Moreover, what surprised him the most was that Ye Leng'an, who was always calm and collected, seemed to have a ripple in her emotions when she saw that girl just now.

"Why? You don't believe me?" Ye Leng'an raised her eyebrows. "Or do you think that such a well-behaved girl will never harm others?"

"I believe you." Huangfu Ruiling raised his head and looked at Ye Leng'an, his voice filled with trust. "I believe whatever you say."

His understatement weighed heavily on Ye Leng'an's heart. At the same time, it caused a stir in her feelings.

In her first life, Ye Xiyuan kept framing her and crushing her. But everyone around her didn't believe her words. Because in their eyes, Ye Xiyuan was a kind and obedient fairy and would never do such a thing. Even her former best friend would rather believe Ye Xiyuan than her.

However, Huangfu Ruiling, who had only met her a few times because of her household registration, said that he believed her.

Huangfu Ruiling remained calm at Ye Leng'an's gaze as if he just said something casually.

On the other side, Ye Xiyuan also noticed Ye Leng'an's presence.

Ye Leng'an and Huangfu Ruiling were the most eye-catching people in the restaurant.

Although Huangfu Ruiling was sitting in a wheelchair, it didn't affect his striking good looks and noble mien. Even though he was just sitting there quietly, it was impossible to ignore him. People even overlooked the fact that he had disabled legs given his domineering aura.

Ye Leng'an, who was sitting opposite him, was not overshadowed by his excellence. Instead, they complemented each other. She was ethereally beautiful with careless languor, which was also hard to disregard.

No matter which of them appeared alone, he or she would be the focus of attention in the crowd. Now that they showed up together, it was even more eye-catching.

It was also for this reason that Ye Xiyuan easily noticed Ye Leng'an's presence the moment she entered the restaurant.

When she saw Ye Leng'an, Ye Xiyuan's heart couldn't help but flutter. At this moment, she didn't want to meet Ye Leng'an at all, especially when Nangong Xuyao was also here.

Although she believed that Nangong Xuyao wasn't the kind of person who was easily enthralled by others' beauty, Ye Leng'an was exceptionally beautiful, and it was easy for him to be attracted.

She had only known Nangong Xuyao for a short time. Although she saved his life, they were not that close to each other. She hadn't captured Nangong Xuyao's heart yet, and she didn't want anything to happen at this time.

Ye Xiyuan wanted to pretend that she didn't know Ye Leng'an, but Nangong Xuyao had already noticed that something was wrong with Ye Xiyuan. He said,

"You know her, right? Let's go over and say hello!"

"No, I don't want to." Ye Xiyuan subconsciously stopped him, but she soon realized she had overreacted. She quickly lowered her head and said with a frown, "There's some misunderstanding between us, so it's not convenient for me to go over. Besides, she's with her friend now, so she probably doesn't want to see me. I think we shouldn't disturb them."

Ye Xiyuan lowered her head, and there seemed to be a trace of grievance in her tone, but she stubbornly didn't want anyone to notice it.

Watching the change of countenance on Ye Xiyuan's face, Nangong Xuyao already had a bad impression of Ye Leng'an before officially meeting her.

He gently patted Ye Xiyuan's back and comforted her, "Since you don't want to go greet them, we'll pretend we didn't see them!"

After that, Nangong Xuyao brought Ye Xiyuan to a spot further away from Ye Leng'an and Huangfu Ruiling.

After sitting down, Ye Xiyuan let out a sigh of relief. When she looked up at Nangong Xuyao again, her eyes were filled with gratitude. "Brother Nangong, don't you want to ask me what happened?"

Nangong Xuyao looked at her and smiled gently. "If you want to say it, then I'm all ears. But if you don't want to tell me, I won't ask."

He had already done a thorough investigation before finding Ye Xiyuan. So, he naturally did not ask further now..