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Chapter 1261: Revenge For The Wife

"Do I look like I have such bad taste?"

When Lu Jingli heard his brother say those words, he felt the pain even though his brother was not talking about him. Imagine what Su Yimo felt...

The way his brother treated any woman aside from Xiao Xi Xi was incredibly cruel...

Su Yimo stood there dumbfounded. She was in deep shock while Liang Biqin and Zhao Meixin were extremely confused as well. Of course, the management in Lu Tingxiao's company had interesting expressions on their faces as well.

There was a long silence, then discussions sparked in every corner of the venue.

In Glory World Entertainment, the oppressed staffs and artistes were unleashing their fury right now, unable to hold it in anymore.

"Wow! This...is the best drama of the year!"

"Our boss doesn't know Su Yimo at all. He doesn't know who she is!"

"Moreover, didn't you hear, Boss? He wouldn't even consider her!"

"Can I just say that our Boss is the coolest? Did you see Su Yimo's expression when her fantasy shattered? It was just her own fantasy all along! I knew our Boss wouldn't have such bad taste! He avoided women for so many years, and he wouldn't go for someone like Su Yimo!"

"But...I wonder what kind of girl could steal our Boss' heart!"

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"Huh, I've already felt something was not right before. As expected, Su Yimo must've gotten delusional. She imagined the plot of a romance movie happening to her, but he doesn't even know who she is!"

"Of course, someone like our Boss wouldn't know about her! She's just a little famous in the industry. Does she think she's really a goddess?"

Although both of them were first-class renowned celebrities, Su Yimo was still classified way behind the retired international star Leng Manyun. Everyone was dissatisfied to be placed someone as revolting as Su Yimo as she would use her so-called "supporter", who was Lu Tingxiao, anytime and anywhere. A lot of artistes were just glad to see that her "supporter" was non-existent anymore.

As for the media partners, they were all here for the big news tonight and juicy news indeed they got!

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With just a few words from Lu Tingxiao, the guests and media partners almost went crazy. Even Lu Jingli almost went mad as well.

Bro, I asked you come here to support me, alright?

Yet, the moment he arrived, he had taken revenge for his wife!

"Hey, she's an artiste from Glory World. Give me some face please!" Lu Jingli went up to him.

Although it just seemed like a casual conversation, it was meant to further clarify the relationship between Su Yimo and Lu Tingxiao, hinting that Su Yimo's advancement in career was just because of Lu Jingli's influence since Glory World Entertainment was his first company. On the other hand, Su Yimo had mistakenly thought that Lu Tingxiao had fallen in love with her. What a joke!

Chapter 1262: Boss' Taste

In the corner, Xiao Tao was brimming with excitement. She almost wanted to kneel before her boss.

"Ah...Bro Xi! Did you hear that!? Our Big Boss is really cool! Su Yimo must be so embarrassed this time! I'll see how she use her title as the 'lady boss of the Lu Corporation' in the future!"

Ling Zhizhi did not expect this to happen as well. It was like a wild rollercoaster ride.

So, this was all a misunderstanding! Lu Tingxiao did not know Su Yimo at all!

The Lu Corporation's leniency towards Su Yimo was simply just because she was from Glory World Entertainment?

But there were so many potential artistes previously, so why did they pick Su Yimo who was not known at that time, and provided her with so much?

"I think Su Yimo was just lucky. The company decided to support one artiste and that's it, yet she thought Lu Tingxiao was in love with her! Nonsense! I saw the Boss's expression. He did not look very happy just now. Su Yimo's going to get into trouble this time..." Xiao Tao mumbled.

Ning Xi just sat there quietly without saying a word. Xiao Tao asked her curiously, "Bro Xi, I realized that you're pretty calm about this. You don't even feel anything about everyone avoiding you. Could you have predicted the future and known about this already?"

Ning Xi looked at her man who was surrounded by journalists and laughed, "Because I believe our Boss wouldn't have such bad taste!"

"Ugh..." Xiao Tao had no rebuttal for this reason.

Xiao Tao saw Ning Xi was really focused when she looked at the Boss. In fact, she was so focused that there was a certain sweetness in her gaze...

Xiao Tao shook her head and cleared her thoughts. The Boss looked so handsome. Of course, any girl would have this expression.

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"Boss has no relationship with Su Yimo at all, so about the deal that Second Master mentioned, do we stand a chance now?" One of the female artiste piped up happily.

"Ahh! I'm so excited!"

"I want to dance with the Boss!"

"God, please bless me. Make him pick me!"

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At this moment, Su Yimo still stood frozen at the same spot. Zhao Meixin and Liang Biqin had to drag her to a corner.

Looking at the man who was far out of reach and the sneers around her, Su Yimo felt like the sky was falling.

"This isn't real... This isn't real... He loves me... He loves me so much..." Su Yimo's mind was not sound at the moment, and she kept mumbling to herself.

She had been creating this love fantasy for too long, totally deceiving herself...

Actually, she felt that things did not make sense from the start. That small seed of suspicion and greed grew bigger and bigger. In addition to the advantages she had gained from the rumors she had with Lu Tingxiao, she became deeply addicted to it.

She wanted to complete her perfect dream. Just as she was enjoying herself with the advantages she had gained from everyone, she also deceived herself. She had genuinely believed that this man truly loved her...

Until today, the dream was destroyed, forcefully crushed in front of everyone...

Chapter 1263: Now Taken

She really regretted it...

Why had she not been more careful? If she had, if she was just a little more rational, if she had not been so greedy, she could have continued to enjoy the halo of being "Lu Tingxiao's woman" and remained on her seat on the throne of the "future lady boss of the Lu Corporation".

But tonight, it was all over...

Zhao Meixin also regretted it thoroughly at this point. She thought that with Su Yimo's grace, Lu Tingxiao would not have embarrassed her publicly even if he was not actually interested in her. Yimo was still the nation's goddess after all. As long as his attitude had been slightly more ambiguous, they could still continue to go with the flow and cook up this rumor. Had they not been doing this all along since Lu Tingxiao was not the kind to pay attention to entertainment gossip and would not intentionally clarify anything?

Unfortunately, she would not have thought that Lu Tingxiao would be so cruel and leave no room for them. His single sentence of "Who are you?" was enough to crush everything they had planned for. Even his last reply to the reporters was enough to cast them eternal damnation...

The scariest thing was that CEO Lu looked like he was furious!

Zhao Meixin would never know what had gone wrong and how tonight had escalated to such a stage.

"Okay, to all friends of the media, just as my brother said, everything you said is a misunderstanding! I hope that everyone will stop believing such rumors in the future. After all, my brother is now taken. He's

also very happy and in love with his girlfriend. If it caused my sister-in-law to misunderstand, hehe, I'm afraid he'd need to kneel on the washboard!" Lu Jingli teased.

Lu Jingli's joke had caused a huge wave of sensation across the room!

The media would never have thought that shocking news would come one after another!

Hundreds of mics were hurled out by the reporters to Lu Jingli.

"Wh-what!? Second Master, are you trying to say that CEO Lu already has a girlfriend?"

"I wonder which lady is CEO Lu's girlfriend? Or is it someone in the entertainment circle?"

"Second Master, is what you're saying true?"

"Second Master, could you reveal a little bit more?!"

"Second Master..."

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Lu Jingli chuckled, "I'm not allowed to reveal too much about my future sister-in-law's identity, but I can tell you that they've been dating for almost a year and their relationship is very stable. I've been stuffed by all their display of affection!"

The media could never hope to get ahold of the woman's identity, so they could only attack from other aspects, and the mics all turned to Lu Tingxiao.

"CEO Lu, is Second Master telling the truth?"

"When are you planning to get married to your girlfriend?"

"CEO Lu has such good taste. I'm sure your girlfriend is very beautiful too!"

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After Lu Tingxiao took revenge for the wife, he did not plan to speak again, but he was in a good mood at this moment and answered the reporters curtly, "It's true. Up to her. Beautiful."

The crowd was speechless.

Uhh, his answers were really concise!

As for the first question, it turns out that Lu Jingli was telling the truth! The rumors from before were true. Lu Tingxiao already had a girlfriend. However, that person was not Su Yimo who had been using his name to show off and swindle! No wonder CEO Lu had clarified it in public for the first time. He was afraid that the one back home would misunderstand and be jealous!

In regard to the second question about when to get married, CEO Lu actually said he would go with the girl's thoughts. This tone sounded like he had been entirely locked down by the woman.

As for the last question...beautiful! Oh, this loving yet proud tone!

Chapter 1264: Who Could It Be?

When they heard Lu Tingxiao's reply, the crowd all agreed with what Second Master had said, even they had been attacked by the sudden display of affection!

So much of the revealed information had been learned within only a few sentences of interviewing him!

As the No. 1 person on the leaderboard for the man that women wanted to marry the most, he had finally announced his unavailable status today!

Lu Tingxiao had a girlfriend! It turned out Lu Tingxiao liked women. In fact, the two had been dating for quite a while!

In that case, if it was someone in the entertainment industry, to have a boyfriend like Lu Tingxiao, that woman must be a powerful somebody in the industry by now!

After all, if Su Yimo could do as she wished in the entertainment circle just by borrowing Lu Tingxiao's name, what more Lu Tingxiao's actual girlfriend!

Who could it be?

Was it Leng Manyun who had previously retired?

That was not right. Leng Manyun was not young. In fact, she had retired to marry someone, and CEO Lu had not yet married his girlfriend...

Could it be that super popular singer from Polystar Records, Qu Jing, that skyrocketed to fame?

Or Meng Shiyi, the movie star who debuted with great opportunities, and was even rumored to have a strong support?

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All those who had risen to fame and had strong support behind them in the entertainment circle was speculated by everyone. Of course, most people still leaned towards hazarding the girlfriend being a socialite.

"Okay, since everyone is here, let's officially begin our celebration! That's right, next up is the segment you're all most excited for. We'll see who's the lucky one that'll get the chance for this dance!" Lu Jingli said this with enthusiasm.

Finally, it was time for the lucky draw. All the girls present were very excited. Someone in the crowd then said, "Wouldn't the lady boss be jealous if the Boss dances with another woman?"

Lu Jingli's gaze turned to a corner and said with a smirk, "How could it be!?! This is work! My sis-in-law is still quite understanding!"

Yet, the truth was...how could his brother dance with another woman? Hehehe...

Lu Tingxiao walked to the middle of the stage, then two ladies carried a big red box onto the stage.

Vice President Yi Xudong turned pale with fright when he saw it. He wanted to stop them but it was too late. On stage, the man's long fingers had unhurriedly picked out a strip of paper with a number on it...

The host carefully took the paper from the Big Boss, then he excitedly looked to the crowd and said, "Who will our lucky lady be? I will immediately announce this for all..."

"Stop with the suspense, quickly announce it!"

"What number!? What number!?"

"Number 7, number 7. Please be number 7, aaaah!"

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Under all the tense faces, the host slowly opened up the strip of paper, then said, "The lucky lady is...number 29! Who's number 29?"

The crowd buzzed and everyone looked at each other. Sadly, none of them were number 29...

"Yimo! It's you! You're number 29!" Zhao Meixin who had been gloomy, suddenly excitedly pulled at Su Yimo's arm.

Su Yimo then returned to her senses and looked pleasantly surprised at her number. "Is it...me?"

"Yes, Yimo!" Zhao Meixin did not care about everything else. She was afraid of losing this chance to turn the tables, so she quickly said aloud.

When Zhao Meixin spoke, there was a momentary silence across the crowd...

Su Yimo? How annoying!

Chapter 1265: Amazing, My Brother!

Everyone looked dismally at the unfairness of the situation!

Anyone was better than Su Yimo!

"How shameless! Now that she's unsuccessful in bragging and swindling, she's turned to straight up seducing now?"

"The Boss dislikes her! Please don't dance with her! Anyone is better than Su Yimo!"

"But it's such an important occasion today. Many reporters are watching too. Second Master has already explained the rules. Even if Su Yimo rigged it, they probably can't change anything..."

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"Yimo, don't give up! With your beauty, no man would be unmoved. It's just a girlfriend. They're not married, so you still have a chance!" Zhao Meixin spoke to Su Yimo as she shot a mean look at the host.

The host was in Su Yimo's gang of supporters, and he was afraid that there would be changes, so he quickly continued, "Congratulations, Yimo! Could we please invite her..."

However, before he could finish, a cold voice was heard beside him, "Change it to someone else."

The host was stunned. He had been frightened by Lu Tingxiao's presence that his entire body shook.

Change to someone else?

Lu Tingxiao had actually ordered him to change just like that. He was not subtle about his hatred for Su Yimo at all!

"Oh! Long live the Boss!"

"Too cool!"

"This is how you need to treat people like her!"

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"You pick," Lu Tingxiao looked to the host and said.

The host dared not disagree. He swiftly picked out another number and after he looked at the number, the host almost fell to the ground as his knees gave way...

At the same time, the suspended high-definition camera had been guided to zoom in on the strip of paper...

On the huge screen behind him, a two-digit number was clearly shown on the strip of paper. It was 29! 29 again!

"Hey! How could there be two 29's?"

"Is this even a question? That box is definitely filled with number 29's!"

"Hahaha...Su Yimo is being humiliated big time tonight!"

"Could she be any more embarrassed tonight?"

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The Vice President Yi Xudong staggered up onto the stage and was terrified as he said, "I'm really sorry, CEO Lu. There's been a slight mistake!"

Then, he shot an angry look at the host. "What are you doing? How could you have gotten two of the same numbers?"

The host looked guilty, yet he could not defend himself.

Offstage, Zhao Meixin fell to the ground...

Over...

It was all over...

They had thought that this could be their chance to turn the tables, but who would have thought that it was the last straw to topple them instead?

She dared not think about how crushed Su Yimo's carefully crafted image of an elegant star would be after tonight.

After a short obstacle, Lu Jingli chuckled as he brought another box on stage, and to indicate fairness, he had even picked out multiple numbers to prove that they were all different, then he replaced the host's spot...

This time, everyone agreed on the fairness of the situation, and they watched with excitement as Lu Tingxiao reached into the box again...

"Oh, oh, oh, who could it be!? This time, it's really completely based on luck!" Xiao Tao held onto Ning Xi's arm excitedly.

On stage, Lu Jingli smiled sneakily as he took the strip of paper from his brother. He slowly opened it up and was ready to rig it to become Xiao Xi Xi, yet his eyes widened at this point...

Whoa!

Number 166!

My amazing brother! He actually managed to pick Xiao Xi Xi?

Chapter 1266: Totally Unfair!

It was already proven that the box was completely unrigged, but Lu Jingli had a pair of magic hands. No matter what number his brother picked, he could swap it with Xiao Xi Xi's number without anyone seeing...

He was much better than Yi Xudong!

This was not the first time Lu Jingli was doing this, so Lu Tingxiao knew about it as well.

As Lu Jingli was about to demonstrate his skills, his brother had actually picked Ning Xi's number on his own!

Bro, what luck!

Even the heavens are helping you. That's totally unfair!

Lu Jingli had invisible tears on his face as he looked at the number on the small piece of paper. "The number your dear boss picked is...number 166! Please welcome our lucky lady tonight!"

The camera shifted through the crowd and looked for number 166...

Ling Zhizhi was dumbfounded. It was Ning Xi!

Xiao Tao was hopping happily. "Ah! Bro Xi! It's you!"

She was really lucky tonight. Not only could she witness Su Yimo's embarrassing moment, she had also won the lucky draw of the night.

Ning Xi raised her eyebrows, but she soon noticed that it must be a trick of Lu Jingli's.

The camera closed in on Ning Xi and the number 166 in her hand. The crowd was surprised.

"Wow! It's Ning Xi!"

"Although I'm not selected, somehow I feel glad that Ning Xi was selected!"

"Hahaha...of course! Su Yimo was trying to bully her before!"

"I think Ning Xi being the lucky girl is pretty nice. Lady Su's expression must be so fascinating!"

"But...I wonder if the Boss is happy this time. Maybe he might want to change?"

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"Oh, my! It's Ning Xi! As expected of the girl I recruited personally, just my luck! Come here quickly!"

After Lu Jingli's invitation, Ning Xi adjusted her dress a little and went up the stage.

Su Yimo stared at Ning Xi, she clenched her fists so tightly that her fingernails left on her palms. "How could it be Ning Xi!?"

"It must be rigged! It's impossible for it to be Ning Xi!" Liang Biqin was really bitter. "CEO Lu would never agree to dance with that witch! I bet not...since he doesn't even..."

Liang Biqin almost wanted to say "he doesn't even like you".

Under everyone's gaze, Lu Tingxiao suddenly moved. He adjusted his collar a little and walked down the stage towards Ning Xi.

Finally, they stood in front of each other, just two steps away.

Lu Tingxiao took a gentlemanly bow and extended his hand towards her.

Ning Xi looked at the cold-looking man in front of her. She was mesmerized for a while, then she gently placed her hands on the man's wide palm.

The music started playing and Lu Tingxiao led the girl to the dance floor. He put his hand around her waist, then started moving along with the music...

Lu Jingli remained silent. He had prepared a long, exciting speech to heat up the atmosphere.

How could you two start dancing right away?

Chapter 1267: Bad Hand!

Ning Xi thought there would be a lot of interacting events with the crowd, but she did not expect Lu Tingxiao to drag her to the dance floor right away.

"Umm...your brother looks like he has something else to say..." Ning Xi glanced at the appalled Lu Jingli.

"Ignore him."

"Okay..."

Under the large crystal ball, the man in the black suit was a fitting pair with the woman in the retro Oriental black dress as if they were a couple. Surprisingly, Ning Xi seemed unfazed in front of such a charismatic person like Lu Tingxiao...

As the saying went, the enemy of an enemy is a friend. A few female artistes whispered among each other. Although they were really envious, they did not really hold any ill intentions against Ning Xi...

"To be honest, from her outlook alone, I have no opinions about Ning Xi!"

"What an orchestra of beauty!"

"I'm so envious! I want to dance with the Boss too! Why aren't I as lucky as Ning Xi!"

One of the female artistes seemed like a fan of Ning Xi's. "Bro Xi wasn't really that lucky. She was ostracized by Su Yimo's gang and could only take on small-budget projects. Now that she's become famous, everyone avoided her just because of a few words. I think she deserved it. If not, I'll be questioning my life if Su Yimo could get her way!"

"Su Yimo won't be controlling us anymore!" Someone said.

Some people looked suspicious. "Even if the Boss didn't know anything about Su Yimo, Lu Jingli should know how arrogant Su Yimo was acting. I don't get why he was so lenient with her..."

"Maybe he's been unhappy about it for some time. If not, why did he recruit Ning Xi over to suppress her?!"

"Now, that's interesting. Since Su Yimo lost her title as the "Lady Boss of the Lu Corporation", can she beat Ning Xi?"

A slightly more experienced female artiste analyzed, "Even if we factor out Lu Tingxiao, Su Yimo has a solid foundation in the industry, so it's not easy for Ning Xi to replace her! But she's still young and has a lot of potential. Now that Lu Tingxiao has helped her out personally...we wouldn't know what could happen in the future!"

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The rumors between Su Yimo and Lu Tingxiao had been cleared. After Lu Tingxiao danced with Ning Xi, it meant that people no longer had to avoid Ning Xi anymore!

All the photographers aimed their camera on Ning Xi. The people who had taken photos of Ning Xi just now were glad that they did. Those who were afraid of Su Yimo and had not taken any photos earlier started regretting it, so they seized the chance and took more shots now...

At midnight, at Platinum Palace, no.6.

The chat group was chiming non-stop. Jiang Muye ignored all of it as he knew they must be discussing the anniversary tonight.

The screen flashed with a big "GAME OVER". Jiang Muye threw away his controller angrily, then he lay down on the floor mat behind him.

Notifications still kept popping up on his phone annoyingly.

Finally, Jiang Muye opened the chat group. The latest message was a video, and Jiang Muye tapped on it.

In the video, right in the center of the dance floor, under the mesmerizing lighting, Ning Xi was waltzing with Lu Tingxiao. It looked just like they were in a movie...

Jiang Muye was miffed. He tossed his phone away and he slapped his hand hard. "Bad hand! Bad hand!"

He had already avoided the celebration this much, yet it was all futile...

Chapter 1268: Fateful Match

After they finished the dance, Lu Tingxiao made a short speech then passed the floor back to Lu Jingli and Yi Xudong.

"...a notable mention from last month, 'Dream Chaser' became a big hit. Ning Xi is the real unexpected winner of the industry this time..." When he was making the concluding speech, his cold and ignorant attitude towards Ning Xi was nowhere to be seen. He even specially mentioned her achievements in "Dream Chaser" and gave her a lot of encouragement as if he had become a totally different person.

If possible, of course, he wanted Glory World to produce more high-quality artistes.

Glory World Entertainment was fairly new, but they had caught up very quickly. Their overall level of artistes was very high, and they had a lot of amazing new recruits as well. Their sales numbers had been leading the charts compared to other companies, and they even surpassed the top company in the industry, Starlight Entertainment, but...they lacked charismatic and influential top artistes.

Starlight Media was the oldest in the industry. They had the classic and well-known Song Qiumin, Ding Shan, and Liu Yan. Although most of them were not active in the industry anymore, they helped to build the foundation of Starlight. Even the newer generation artistes like Ning Xueluo, Li Yueling, and Fan Luo were doing pretty well too...

Speedy Multimedia produced the dozen award winner, Song Lin, and had several best actors and actresses of the year award holders. Even the newly started Sunset Multimedia had a young best actress of the year achiever, Meng Shiyi...

Ever since Leng Manyun left Glory World Entertainment, they had a lot of new artistes, but none of them were influential enough to represent the company on their own. There were several instances when some of them received foreign awards before, but they were all best female supporting characters...

As for Ning Xi, Yi Xudong did not expect much from her. Because she was too pretty, it would be very difficult for her to get awards. None of the prominent award holders were chosen because of their looks. Having a slightly normal face would actually increase the chance of getting recognition, so the beautiful female artistes would need to make themselves look uglier on purpose to stand a chance. That was the unsaid rule within the community...

Take Su Yimo for example. She would never take on any jobs that would tamper with her image. After she had reached where she was at the moment, she would not really advance any further. The reason anyone was interested in Su Yimo was because of Lu Tingxiao...

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At midnight, after the anniversary celebrations, Lu Tingxiao and Ning Xi went back to the Platinum Palace one after another.

The moment Ning Xi reached home, she was welcomed with a passionate warm hug.

"Is Little Treasure asleep?"

"Mmm."

"You completed everything you had to?" Ning Xi looked at the man's tired face. He had rushed to the dinner right after he landed, probably having sped up his schedule and working overtime.

"Mmm." Lu Tingxiao was busy kissing her and probably did not really hear what she just said. He was focused on her lips...

She did not have the time to remove her makeup. Oddly, her regal look seemed like she was a cute little girl in his arms.

Ning Xi felt a little itchy, so she pushed him away. "Right, Lu Tingxiao, I've been wanting to ask you just now. When you picked the number, did Lu Jingli do any tricks to it? Or did you?"

The man looked at her solemnly. "Nope, it's you."

"Huh? What do you mean?" Ning Xi was confused.

"I picked your number."

Ning Xi opened her eyes wide. "What!? No way! Are you for real?"

"It's real."

"So, you guys were planning to do something, but you picked my number instead? It's fate! My dear, we're a fateful match indeed!"

"Mmm."

Chapter 1269: Something Major Happened!

The next morning, all the entertainment tabloids in the newspapers and magazines as well as the Internet headlines all featured the shocking news from Glory World Entertainment's anniversary celebration!

Su Yimo's public relations team had to work overtime and find ways to stop the flow of information through media, yet their efforts were to no avail. Without Lu Tingxiao backing her up, Su Yimo was just another artiste in the entertainment industry...

Even a more famous artiste's life and death were within the control of the media.

Furthermore, with last night's situation, Lu Tingxiao had made it clear that he had intentionally clarified the rumors. All of them would obviously fight to be on his good side.

Early morning, at the pantry in the Lu Corporation, Ye Ying had arrived a little late today. After she put down her bag, she took her mug to the pantry and immediately heard excited chatter.

"What's with the excitement today?"

When they saw Ye Ying, someone immediately gripped her excitedly and said mysteriously, "Director Ye, you still don't know!? Something major has happened!"

"What? What happened?" Ye Ying asked.

One of the secretaries replied, "Yesterday, at Glory World Entertainment's anniversary celebration, our Boss publicly announced that he already has a girlfriend! In fact, they've been dating for a long time, and their relationship is going steady too!"

"What?" Ye Ying was so shocked that her hand shook and the coffee in her mug sloshed violently. She questioned, "The Boss really went public with Su Yimo?"

When they heard Ye Ying's words, everyone in pantry spurt out in laughter. "What!? The exact opposite! The Boss publicly turned Su Yimo down and said he didn't know her at all. He even said that he wouldn't have such bad taste!"

Ye Ying was even more bewildered now. She was stunned for a long time before reacting, "W-What!? If it's not Su Yimo...then who is it?"

"I don't know, the Boss is keeping it a tight secret. He didn't reveal anything, but we do know that the Boss really pampers her. Last night, we were attacked by huge displays of affection! You can see for yourself!" One of the secretaries passed a newspaper to Ye Ying.

Ye Ying quickly put down her mug and impatiently flipped through it.

All the media did not dare to reveal too much of Lu Tingxiao's news. They did not even attempt to put a single picture, but they did describe last night's events vividly as if it was a novella. There were many twists and turns like a roller coaster...

"Who are you?", "Should I know you?", "Is my taste that bad?". Just three of these sentences were enough for one to imagine the strong presence that man had last night...

Whoa!

She had been carefully serving Su Yimo all along but the woman had been bragging and swindling about nothing from the start?

When she finished reading it, Ye Ying almost puked blood. At the same time, she was incredibly grateful that Lu Jingli had told her not to rush into signing the contract with Su Yimo.

After she put down the newspaper, Ye Ying walked swiftly back to the office in her high heels and immediately called Ning Xi's manager, Ling Zhizhi.

Earlier in the tabloids, even with Su Yimo stealing the show, Ning Xi still managed to garner most of the reports.

Even though there were no pictures in the report, it had substantially mentioned how Su Yimo tried to rig the lucky draw, yet was rejected by Lu Tingxiao on the spot before he picked Ning Xi for the dance...

This dance was not just a simple dance. It further clarified Lu Tingxiao's attitude towards her.

"Hello, is this Ning Xi's manager, Ms. Ling? Hello, I'm the Creative Director of the Lu Corporation, Ye Ying. Our corporation is going to shoot a commercial soon, and we'd like to invite Ning Xi over for an audition..."

After she successfully communicated the audition details to Ling Zhizhi, Ye Ying felt refreshed and energetic.

At that moment, her phone rang.

It was Zhao Meixin.

Chapter 1270: Fell From Pedestal

"Hello, Director Ye?"

"Ms. Zhao, you're calling pretty early. Is there anything you need?"

"Well, I just wanted to ask when our Yimo should sign the renewal of her contract. Also, Biqin's commercial! It's been many days. Logically, it should be time to sign the contract,"

When Ye Ying heard this, she sneered. This Zhao Meixi! How dare she mention this!?

She was the Creative Director of the Lu Corporation headquarters. Everyone in the circle were courteous her, except for Zhao Meixin who used her position to bully others, even going overboard with requests in their time of collaboration. Now that she knew Su Yimo was not even the Big Boss's woman, she did not need to care to be courteous.

"Huh, Ms. Zhao, I'm very sorry. The double endorsement fees previously requested was really just too outrageous, and Ms. Su's influence for our products during her endorsement hasn't been that fantastic, so we've already decided to use other artistes. As for Liang Biqin...Ms. Zhao, you know well enough about the online reviews Liang Biqin received for her movie. How could we let a rat's feces ruin the pot of porridge if we've made huge investments in this ad? It's best to have some self-awareness!"

After she kept it in for so long, she could finally release it all in one breath. Ye Ying had really not given any face to Zhao Meixin.

"You..." On the other end of the phone, Zhao Meixin was about to explode, but she probably remembered that times were different now, so she suppressed her anger and said, "Director Ye, what do you mean? Haven't we already discussed these things earlier? Yet, now you want to go back on your words?"

It was best if she did not mention it, but now that she did, Ye Ying was more offended. "Without my Boss's name, you fully know yourself how much your artiste is worth! Our Lu Corporation is not a rubbish hub!" Ye Ying finished and hung up.

At a certain high-end villa in Imperial, for the entire night, Su Yimo, Zhao Meixin, and Liang Biqin did not sleep a wink. Since the night before, they had been coming up with plans and making calls, but the situation had still progressed to such a dire stage.

Zhao Meixin was worried that any delay would bring trouble. The moment it was working hours, she called Ye Ying to talk about the contract, but she never expected this response...

She thought that only Biqin's commercial gig would not hold up at most, but it never occurred to her that even Su Yimo's contract renewal was a lost cause.

"How's it?" Su Yimo asked.

Zhao Meixin looked gloomy as she responded, "That god damned Ye Ying! She's taking advantage of the situation. Not only did we lose Biqin's commercial, even your contract won't be signed..."

"How could this be!? Those people are too much!" Liang Biqin was exasperated.

Su Yimo clenched her fists hard. In just one night, her everything had turned upside down. All those who used to fawn over her were beginning to avoid her.

Ever since she had risen to fame, she was carefully treated everywhere no matter where she went, but now that she had fallen from her pedestal, how could she bear this grief?

Then again, she had forgotten that all of this was never hers to begin with.

When she saw that Su Yimo looked increasingly upset, Zhao Meixin pinched the space between her brows and said, "Yimo, don't be too sad. Even without Lu Tingxiao, you're still Glory World Entertainment's A-lister..."

"Huh, A-lister..." Su Yimo sneered.

What A-lister? Now, she was just a joke in Glory World Entertainment and the entire entertainment industry!

Zhao Meixin knew that without Lu Tingxiao's halo, their loss was huge. The entertainment industry had strong competition, and Su Yimo was not young. Without any backup, she could be replaced if she was not careful.

No! She had made it to her position with hard work and she would not allow everything to be over just like that!

Zhao Meixin cleared her throat and softened her tone as she leaned closer to Su Yimo and advised, "Yimo, we must move on. The situation's already like this. The most important thing is to quickly think of a resolution. I've just helped you set a dinner appointment. It's with Rong Xin Real Estate's boss..."