

## Hidden 1441

### Chapter 1441: Madly In Love

One simple sentence solved the immediate crisis.

Lu Jingli was impressed at his brother's acting and his seduction skills. Then, he followed up, "Alright. I know you probably won't look at them. I'll take them all on my own, I guess..."

He then slipped away.

Anything to avoid Xiao Xi Xi now!

"Why are you here?" Lu Tingxiao held the girl's hand and asked as they walked into the house.

"I have a day off today. I was resting at home this morning and accompanying Sis Tianxin, so I'm here to accompany my son this afternoon! Is Little Treasure back yet?"

"He's back. He was just asking me earlier if he could visit you."

"Of course, you don't have to be wary of Sis Tianxin actually. I've already told her about us, so you can bring Little Treasure over anytime!"

"Okay."

Lu Tingxiao glanced behind him secretly. Lu Jingli had already vanished.

Just by hearing her footsteps, the little bun quickly sprinted down from the second floor. He jumped right into her arms. "Mommy!"

The little guy still acted pretty cool as usual. Although he could talk now, there was not much difference from before. When Ning Xi was not around, he still might not say anything throughout the day, but the moment Ning Xi appeared, he would surely greet her with a sweet sounding "Mommy", and every time he spoke to her he would definitely add the word "Mommy" in his sentence. What a sweet little guy!

Anyone who did not know them would never doubt their relationship as parent and child, and a lovely relationship at that.

"Little bun, look what Mommy brought you! Hehe..." Ning Xi opened the bag she had brought over. There was all sort of guns inside.

Of course, all of them were toy guns.

"You're too young and shouldn't play with real guns yet. I'll play water guns with you, alright?"

"Yes, Mommy, Little Treasure likes water guns!"

"Go and invite your father to play with us! It'll be fun with more people!" Ning Xi told Little Treasure.

The little bun hesitated for a while, then he went towards Lu Tingxiao. He looked up and said, "Together."

Ning Xi felt amused looking at how the little bun switched into his cool mode in an instant.

The little bun already had called his grandfather, his grandmother, and even his Second Uncle. He would also address strangers politely, but why was he unwilling to call Lu Tingxiao "Father"?

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Ning Xi played with Little Treasure the whole afternoon. After dinner, the both of them fell asleep, exhausted.

Lu Tingxiao looked at both of them with a gentle gaze.

Lu Tingxiao kissed the forehead of Little Treasure and Ning Xi, then he placed his palm on Ning Xi's eyes, her nose, her lips... All the way until her stomach... He was touching her ever so gently...

Before he met Ning Xi, he was not really expecting much out of his life, but ever since he met her, marriage, family, children... These things that he did not have high expectations of suddenly became so important all because of her.

As he thought about how she might be Little Treasure's biological mother, about how the girl he had fallen so madly in love with might have born a child for him before, his heart was filled with an indescribable warmth of bliss and happiness.

A child... His and her child...

#### **Chapter 1442: No Matter The Results**

At the same time, the little goldfish at the villa opposite was almost going crazy.

Although only a few hours had passed, it was a cruel punishment to make him wait with such a significant secret near him and not being able to see it.

As Lu Jingli was about to open the DNA test results, his brother finally called him.

"Come over."

Lu Jingli sprinted like an athlete when his brother summoned him, and he reached there swiftly.

Although his brother had called him, he was a little traumatized by Ning Xi this afternoon. Lu Jingli looked around carefully before entering the premises.

"Bro! Is Xiao Xi Xi asleep?" Lu Jingli asked in a low voice, still panting from the sprint just now.

"Mmm."

"Oh..." Lu Jingli carefully closed the door of the study room and locked it from the inside. He felt relieved and walked towards his brother as he wiped the sweat from his forehead.

Lu Tingxiao focused on the black suitcase Lu Jingli had with him.

Lu Jingli carefully opened the suitcase and took out a report from inside, placing it in front of Lu Tingxiao.

A single piece of paper that felt as heavy as a mountain.

Lu Jingli still felt like this was surreal... Because this was just... Too fantasy-like!

After a long while, Lu Tingxiao did not seem to have any intentions of opening it and he became nervous. "Bro, what's wrong?"

Many things were going on inside Lu Tingxiao's head as if the item in front of him governed his life and his death.

Some time passed. Lu Tingxiao still did not touch the report, so Lu Jingli asked, "Bro, actually I think you're overthinking it. That bastard would never be you! This report will surely prove your innocence! If you're not looking, then I'll take a look! I've risked myself for it after all! I'll just take a look and not tell you, alright?"

Lu Tingxiao remained silent, so Lu Jingli went on and fingered the report. "I'm going to look now. I'm really going to look now. I promise if you're not going to ask me, I'll not say anything..."

Lu Jingli then quickly took out the report. He scanned it and locked his gaze onto the very last line.

"The genes underwent Mendel's Law inheritance and were processed through relationship identification. From the test results of 19 STR genes, Ning Xi's genes met the assumption of being Lu Qinyu's mother. The accuracy of their parental relationship is 99.99%..."

"According to the DNA analysis, the hypothesis of Ning Xi being Lu Qinyu's biological mother is proven true."

When Lu Jingli read the last line, even though Lu Tingxiao did not see it for himself and Lu Jingli did not say anything, he just knew Lu Tingxiao too well. From a tiny expression of his, he already knew the results of the report.

Ning Xi... was the real mother of Little Treasure...

"Bro, you... Why are you looking at me? I didn't say anything..."

Wordlessly, Lu Tingxiao accused, "But your eyes were yelling, 'Ahh! Oh my God, oh my God, Xiao Xi Xi is really Little Treasure's mother! The bastard that night was really my brother!'"

### **Chapter 1443: Little Treasure's Hero**

Lu Jingli was expecting his brother to be cleared of suspicion after the DNA report was out, then he could go all out to find the real bastard.

However, the moment he saw the results, he felt like he was shocked to pieces and regrouped back again.

Lu Jingli could not believe it. He looked at Lu Tingxiao like he was some sort of god...

"Oh my God, bro, you're too awesome! I thought your progress with Xiao Xi Xi was way too slow! After so long, you guys haven't even done it yet, but not only did you guys do it, your kid is now five years old! I've never been so impressed by anyone else! I would never ever say you're bad at wooing girls again! You're my idol, my superstar, my advisor in life..." Lu Jingli blabbered without any stopping in between his sentences.

As if that was not enough, he paced around the room and could not stop. "Oh my God! Oh my God! If Little Treasure knew about this, he would be mad happy! Xiao Xi Xi is really his mother, his real mother! It's actually real! Little Treasure is way too lucky!"

Lu Tingxiao pinched the space between his eyebrows as he extended his hand to his blabbering brother.

The excited Lu Jingli came back to his senses, and he handed over the report obediently.

Lu Tingxiao took the report and carefully looked through all the contents.

Although he knew about the results from Lu Jingli already, he still felt a strong impact when he saw the line "the hypothesis of Ning Xi being Lu Qingyu's biological mother is proven true".

The excitement level of a certain devil was no lower than the little goldfish.

It was her...

If he were to investigate five years ago, then would he have met her earlier?

As he was pondering, many thoughts passed through his mind.

After all the mumbling, Lu Jingli carefully observed Lu Tingxiao's expression, then he asked carefully, "Bro, well... Although it was my stupid idea, and I drugged you and picked that address, and I made you become a bastard for once...

"But... But these mistakes led you to Xiao Xi Xi! Not only was your chastity protected, your first time... Your child... Basically, everything belongs to Xiao Xi Xi! What a thing to be celebrated! Can it cover my demerits now?"

Lu Jingli then peeked at his brother again, adding shamelessly, "I actually think... My merit is higher in this..."

Hehe, it had to be the case! If his brother would not admit it, he would ask Little Treasure to support him!

Little Treasure would definitely support him if he knew the truth!

He would become the hero in Little Treasure's eyes!

Lu Tingxiao looked at Lu Jingli coldly.

He could not deny that Lu Jingli's words really hit the spot.

When he found out that the woman he had slept with was Ning Xi, he had to admit that... Somewhere deep inside his heart was excitement and relief...

#### **Chapter 1444: Too Dominant**

After what had happened five years ago, there was a thin wall between him and Lu Jingli. In addition to Lu Jingli's own guilt, he was always afraid of his brother and would never try to bring up the matter.

Up until now, for Ning Xi's sake, that matter was once again brought to the table.

And now...

Lu Tingxiao looked at his stupid little brother. He sort of felt that he looked alright...

"Bro..." Lu Jingli was a little freaked out by his brother's intense stare. "Can you say something? You're being pretty scary..."

Oh no! It was over! His brother might kill him for real!

Why did his gaze look so gentle? Was it his last time seeing him?

Lu Jingli quickly added on, "Bro, actually I think it's alright for Xiao Xi Xi to know about this. Although she might really hate the person and would love to kill him, if it's you... Everything will be different... Xiao Xi Xi likes you so much..."

Lu Tingxiao's eyes darkened as he heard Lu Jingli. Of course, he had thought about it before.

That was what he used to comfort himself with all this time.

However, neither did Lu Jingli hear nor see for himself how Ning Xi cried in despair when she was talking about what had happened in the past.

Every word... Every sentence...

They sliced his heart up like knives.

Damn it!

Lu Jingli had drugged him so much that he only had very blurry memories. All he knew was that a woman had entered and closed in on him, then he was not sure what happened after that...

He had actually injured Ning Xi, made her have a high fever... and she was even bedridden for two months...

He did not dare to think about what was going to happen.

Ning Xi always said he was her sunlight, but at this moment, he had become the source of her nightmare...

How could he tell her this cruel truth?

What would her reaction be after she found out?

No matter how powerful Lu Tingxiao was in the world of business, he could not predict this at all. He also could not tell if he would be able to bear the consequences.

Lu Jingli instantly knew what he was thinking. His face blushed a little as he said, "Bro, is it... Were you were too dominant that night... And Xiao Xi Xi suffered? That's why you're not telling her?"

His brother glared at him like a typhoon brushing over him.

Mother, save me!

Lu Jingli was trembling and he almost cried. "Fine, fine! It's my fault! I shouldn't have drugged you... But you always looked like you were indifferent towards sex... And our parents forced me... I couldn't help it..."

Lu Tingxiao looked through the report again and again, feeling both anxious and happy at the same time. After some point, he declared, "I'll tell her, but not now. I'll wait until everything is clear."

How did the person then become Ning Xi? How did the dead child become Little Treasure? Amidst all this confusion, someone definitely knew something...

Of course, apart from this, the most important thing was that his relationship with Ning Xi had just entered the best phase. Even he himself was taken aback by such a sudden shock, but he would not dare to tell her until everything was crystal clear...

#### **Chapter 1445: Dream Without Clothes?**

After Lu Jingli left, Lu Tingxiao looked through the report numerous times again before he put it away carefully.

He slowly opened the door to Ning Xi's room. The mellow lamp added a veil of tranquility over the mother and son; anyone who saw this scene would surely be affected by the gentle vibe.

Lu Tingxiao sat by the bed, tucking Ning Xi's hair behind her ears.

Little Treasure was hugging her and they were sleeping soundly. With her makeup removed, she actually looked really young.

Right, she was just at the tender age of a regular university graduate.

She was 18 when she had been pregnant, still a child herself and she had to face such a serious matter. Then, so many dramatic incidents kept happening. Had it been someone with weaker mental strength, the person would either break down or shut down completely.

In the documents Lu Jingli investigated, Ning Xi did try to commit suicide before...

Lu Tingxiao was really afraid. He felt a searing pain in his heart.

He had never felt such a strong desire to hold her in his arms before... He wanted her to merge into one with him...

Lu Tingxiao quietly carried Ning Xi up and placed her in his bedroom.

Although Lu Tingxiao had been very careful, Ning Xi still woke up when she was laid down on his bed.

Because Lu Tingxiao gave her a sense of security, Ning Xi let down all her guards. She opened her eyes and realized that Lu Tingxiao had brought her back to his bedroom but she had no issues with it. She rubbed against Lu Tingxiao comfortably. "Mmm... My dear..."

"Mmm." Lu Tingxiao did not take back his hand which was supporting Ning Xi's head. He just lay beside her like that.

Ning Xi snuggled closer to the man. "Why aren't you asleep yet?"

"I miss you. I dreamt of you."

Listening to his loving voice, hearing him say that he missed her while she was just in the room beside him, she felt really loved. She smiled as she opened her eyes.

Her eyes were like the stars in the sky, ever so beautiful. In addition to her half-awake state, she seemed really seductive...

Just then, Ning Xi's severe habit of flirting started. She looked at the man beside her and whispered, "You dreamt of me? With clothes on... Or without?"

Suddenly, the man's eyes darkened. As Ning Xi was still talking, he kissed Ning Xi roughly...

Ning Xi's neck felt tickled and she laughed as she was trying to avoid him. "That tickles!"

Lu Tingxiao slowly kissed the girl's collarbone and traced further down. He looked up slightly and saw the girl's smile as well as the complete trust and love she had in him, making him fall for her even more...

When they had just known each other, he noticed Ning Xi was really against relationships and when he could not suppress himself, he would resort to pretending like he had sleepwalking issues in order to get closer to her.

Fortunately, now not only was she comfortable, she was totally used to being intimate with him.

Lu Tingxiao felt really touched and grateful, but at the same time, his worries still lingered...

#### **Chapter 1446: Sex Scene With The Devil**

Such acknowledgment filled Lu Tingxiao's heart to the brim with melted emotions and contentment. At the same time, he obviously had his secret concerns.

However, the worry that had just appeared on his face was disrupted.

The room door was pushed open, then they saw Little Treasure with his puffed-up cheeks as he stood angrily at the door. His little face had an expression that said, "You are despicable! Stealing my mother again?"

Lu Tingxiao found the spectacle comical and he waved to his son. "Come over."

The little guy was obviously not willing, but he could care less when he saw his mother. He instantly ran over.

His short legs took quite an effort to climb up the bed, and Lu Tingxiao chuckled a little as he pulled his son up, placing him in the middle.

Ning Xi swiftly forgot about the father once she had her son beside her. She hugged and kissed her dearest little bun, while the little bun also hugged his mother and shot a warning look towards his father behind him.

Lu Tingxiao's brows hiked up. He watched his son with a pensive look, suddenly feeling a little anticipation. If the little guy knew that Ning Xi was his biological mother, if he knew that he had been the love child of both him and Ning Xi, what would his reaction be like?

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In the next few days, ever since Ning Xi had returned to her usual state, the entire team's progress started to soar.

It was worth mentioning that almost every time Meng Shiyi acted with Ning Xi, she would do a few bad takes. If it was a minor hiccup, it would be three to five takes. However, if she performed really badly, it would go up to more than ten takes, and almost every time it was Meng Shiyi's fault.

Even though the final cut that was produced at the end was exceptionally good, when the two were contrasted, Ning Xi and Meng Shiyi's acting skills could immediately be measured up to see who was worthy and who was not.

Perhaps because the last time Ning Xi had recorded the video that made her more careful, Meng Shiyi had unexpectedly not caused any more trouble and was unusually content with her place.

Ning Xi was obviously delighted with the peace and quiet too.

Apart from the first time that she had intentionally overshadowed Meng Shiyi in the scene, in all the scenes after that, she performed very seriously. However, once she started to take things seriously, her acting skills would naturally soar. If Meng Shiyi could not keep up, many of the effects in the plot would not be executed to their full potential.

Every day with Meng Shiyi just trying to keep up with Ning Xi and wanting to overthrow her consumed almost all her energy.

As for Guo Qisheng, seeing the two female leads really go all in to bring the show to greater heights was exactly what he had been hoping for.

Even when she acted with Yun Shen, Ning Xi could be at peace with herself and call him "Father".

On the contrary, it was the scene with Lu Tingxiao today that really made Ning Xi slightly nervous...

Mmm, that was right! It was finally time for Yun Huang and Liu Yan's sex scene.

This plot in this scene was Yun Huang being infected by the charm poison, so she wanted to look for her beloved, Ling Xiao, to detoxify, then take advantage of the situation to sleep with him. She did not think that she would coincidentally witness Ling Xiao's emotional confession to Leng Aoxue. In fact, he had nervously completely cleared himself of any relations with Yun Huang in front of Leng Aoxue.

Yun Huang felt unbearably hurt and firmly left Xuanji Palace Mountain, forcing herself to drag her tortured body that was on the verge of being possessed by the poison as she walked muddleheaded into the dangerous jungle of wicked beasts...

Right at this moment, the shadow guardian Liu Yan appeared, and next up... was the erotic sex scene between the both of them in the mountain caves...

"Oh! I'm so nervous! Ah!" Ning Xi covered her face and looked bashful.

She had never even rolled in bed sheets with the devil in real life!

She would never have thought that their first time would be in a show!

Jiang Muye watched Ning Xi's expression that displayed her clear excitement yet she was pretending to be innocent from the sidelines and his face turned dark.

In reality, after seeing the scene arrangements for the day, he did not look happy at all.

Bloody hell! This was really karma. Back then, Lu Tingxiao had to watch his intimate scene with Ning Xi before he stormed off. In the blink of an eye, it was his turn to watch Ning Xi and Lu Tingxiao act out an intimate scene, and it was even a sex scene! A sex scene!

Still, Jiang Muye could not help but look towards a few different directions. It seemed like there were people with more miserable reactions than his!

### **Chapter 1447: Control The Scale Well**

"Ning Xi, Mingyu, come here, the two of you. I want to run through the scene with you!" Guo Qisheng waved and called them over.

"Have you familiarized yourselves with the script?"

Ning Xi and Ke Mingyu nodded together.

"You not only have to be familiar with it. You must even mull over it completely. This scene is a very important turning point in terms of Yun Huang's feelings. It's important to portray the character's change of heart, reflecting the character's personality, and not on how erotic the sex scene will be shot.

"We're a reputable drama crew. We don't need to rely on sex scenes to attract eyeballs, so we won't need to shoot the scene so explicitly. Just remember that later when you're shooting it. You must treat it with a professional attitude. You must control the scale well... Understand?"

Guo Qisheng's expression was a little stern when he said this. In fact, he put emphasis on looking intently at Ke Mingyu when he spoke.

In the past, there were male artistes who had taken advantage of intimate scenes to cozy up to female artistes, especially those as popular and pretty as Ning Xi. It would be more likely for her to encounter such a situation.

Out of Guo Qisheng's protectiveness over Ning Xi, he naturally emphasized warning Ke Mingyu to let him know what should and should not be done.

"Understood." Ke Mingyu nodded.

"Mmm!" Ning Xi echoed.

Sigh, this scene was indeed quite a test of her professionalism... The director was not wrong in bringing this up!

"The two of you have collaborated once in 'Dream Chaser' before. Coincidentally, you save time in trying to break the ice, so let's strive for a one-take! Avoid at all costs what I mentioned earlier... The main effect that I want to portray is the character's internal struggle... I want substance... I want sex without the obscenities..."

Guo Qisheng rattled on in concern for quite a while before he finally let them go off to prepare.

It was not long after Ning Xi and Ke Mingyu left that Mo Yuxiu strolled to Guo Qisheng.

"Director Guo."

"Yuxiu, do you need me for anything? Are your scenes for the day finished?"

"I do have something to bring up. I think that the next scene between Ning Xi and Ke Mingyu is a little inappropriate," Mo Yuxiu spoke with a cold expression.

Jiang Muye had been staring at Mo Yuxiu right from the start. Now that he saw this situation, he immediately straightened his back and perked up his ears as he looked over. Oh, it looked like someone finally could not help it! Very good! He did not need to make a move!

Jiang Muye's mind was still thinking about when they had shot "The World", including that man-made rain and the many intimate scenes that had been deleted. Helplessly, he did not dare to take revenge...

"Oh? How is it inappropriate?" Guo Qisheng immediately asked.

Guo Qisheng was a director that was very patient at listening to other people's opinions. Mo Yuxiu's status in the crew was no less than the male lead, so Guo Qisheng rather valued his opinions.

"Yun Huang is one of the female leads, yet she has intercourse with someone apart from the male lead. Many viewers may especially find storylines like this a taboo. Director Guo, are you sure that later when it's released, this storyline won't crumble Yun Huang's image and the entire plot?" Mo Yuxiu articulated with a serious expression that said, "I am completely considering this on behalf of the crew and definitely do not have any selfish motives".

Guo Qisheng muttered to himself for a while after he listened to the man. "When the novel was first made into a series, this part was indeed the storyline that created the most controversy among readers. Many readers expressed that they could not accept Yun Huang getting together with someone apart from the male lead..."

Mo Yuxiu immediately said, "So, when we adapt it into a television series, can't we make some changes to this part of the storyline?"

"Changes?"

"Even if you arrange the second male lead to be with Yun Huang, that would definitely create a better effect than Liu Yan. Even though the second male lead, Nan Gongchen, and Yun Huang are arch-enemies in the series, their relationship later is actually quite ambiguous when they fight. Many readers liked this pairing. Wouldn't the effect be even better if you just changed it to a love-hate relationship?" Mo Yuxiu suggested without batting an eyelid.

#### **Chapter 1448: How Dare You Ruin My Happy Occasion?**

On the side, when Jiang Muye heard this, he instantly cursed!

Bloody hell! This Mo Yuxiu was terribly sinister! He actually wanted to seize the opportunity to immediately make the female lead and the second male lead a couple!

I have yet to even speak as the male lead!

Guo Qisheng could understand why Mo Yuxiu would make such a suggestion. Such an alteration would also be very beneficial to him. Then, the number of scenes and his status would not be very different from the male lead's.

The content would actually be rather enriching if he adapted the series to have two pairs of couples. It was not as if he had not thought about this before. However, when he considered the needs of the original work, he tried not to make too many changes to the storyline, plus one more very important reason which was...

Before Guo Qisheng could speak, Ning Xi had slowly strolled over. Her gaze indistinctly skimmed over Mo Yuxiu. "Teacher Mo, your words are wrong. Where there is controversy, there'll be attraction and a hot topic of conversation. When this storyline started a huge war in the book review forums when the novel was first made into a series, the degree of people talking about it was off the charts. It was also exposed to become a television series. It is a highly anticipated part of the plot by the many readers who were unhappy with the male lead. As long as it is handled well, this part of the storyline will be carefree and uninhibited.

"Besides, Yun Huang's character is free and unruly. Forget about worldly etiquettes! Even the heavenly law is a load of crap to her. Would she care about things like chastity? I think you've viewed the female lead's make up a little too narrowly!

"The initial ending of this series is that Yun Huang will experience much sorrow until she comes to accept everything, then she lets go of the love that restricts her, regaining herself in the process. She and the male lead will forget each other in this world, and she travels to ends of the world with her sword. That's Yun Huang! When she is dead set on loving you, she can even sacrifice her life, and when she doesn't love you, you're nothing! Yet, now you want to change her into becoming someone who falls in love with the second male lead between fighting and having sparks fly. Such a change to Yun Huang's character would be the real reason it crumbles! Teacher Mo, don't you think so?"

Once Ning Xi expressed all of this, with every word sounding justified and sensible, she practically stifled Mo Yuxiu's face with frustration as he could not say a single word. He could only grit his teeth and glare at her. "You..."

Ning Xi returned his glare unhurriedly instead.

Hehehe! How dare you try to ruin my happy occasion?! I am so going to kill you!

As he watched the gunpowder between the two main actors' become increasingly dense, and they looked like they were about to start arguing, Guo Qisheng quickly tried to smooth things over. "Okay, okay, I'm very glad that you guys can seriously discuss the plot like this, but for this part of the storyline, let's still follow the original work! I forgot to tell you guys that for our script, it's okay to change the small details, but we can't change any of the central themes at all..."

"Why not?" Mo Yuxiu frowned.

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Not too far away, one of the cool-looking bodyguards nervously walked to the white-haired man and leaned into his ear to say something.

Yun Shen's expression instantly turned cold.

There was a drop of cold sweat across the bodyguard's forehead. "I'm sorry, Boss. I've checked. The ones who bought the copyright to this series is actually the Lu Corporation, and they have requested the crew not to change any of the central theme's storyline, or else, they will revoke the rights to the script..."

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"Lu Corporation?" At this moment, Mo Yuxiu also heard about the same thing from Guo Qisheng and he instantly frowned.

He could not figure out why the Lu Corporation would buy this script out of the blue.

He had only heard of them investing, but not about paying to buy the script, then letting others shoot it. There were no benefits at all!

Could it be that someone from the top management was a loyal reader of this novel and wanted to satisfy their feelings or something?

Ning Xi blinked. She looked in shock towards Ke Mingyu's direction.

Jiang Muye was completely speechless too...

Bloody hell! I consider you savage!

His uncle actually controlled the script from its source! Others had done a little harm, yet he had retaliated all the way.

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### **Chapter 1449: You're The Cure**

After the minor incident, the shooting finally started.

All the scenes today would be shot in the indoor studio, which was decorated as an ancient forest with a strong magical aura. Of course, it was just an initial set up; the special effects would be added post-production.

"3, 2, 1! Lighting, rainwater, be prepared... Action!"

As the clapperboard announced that they were rolling, Ning Xi who was standing in the forest went into her acting mode instantly.

A drizzle started falling. It was late autumn now, and the cold rainwater fell like little daggers, but none of that could compare to the pain she felt from witnessing what had happened a while ago.

She had been a little devil back then, and she had grown up to be a big devil. She only did things on her own accord and was never ever concerned about anyone. However, she had never felt this way before, her mind faltering all because of one person.

Ning Xi's crimson outfit was all wet and it stuck onto her body with her hair pasted on her face. She was covering her agonizing torso and walked aimlessly without knowing where she was going.

The rain fell on her like icicles, but her insides were burning from the charm poison.

At last, she could not hang on any longer and started to lurch forward.

Just before she landed, a dark shadow blitzed through the trees and held her up. "Master!"

The girl's body was burning up and she was unconscious.

Liu Yan did not have time to think. He just brought her to a cave nearby to take shelter from the rain.

There were no split angles in this scene as it was a single-view scene. The videographer followed them into the cave while wheeling the camera on a trolley.

Liu Yan put Yun Huang on a pile of dry grass. He checked her pulse, then his usually calm eyes started to waver after a while.

Charm poison was incurable...

The only way to curb the effects was to have... sex...

If not, she would lose herself and be destroyed!

However, out of respect towards Yun Huang, he would never be able to do something like that.

Ke Mingyu was nodding his head, performing very well. All his character's struggles were expressed with just his eyes.

At that moment, Yun Huang woke up.

Ning Xi opened her eyes, her blur vision preventing her from seeing who was in front of her.

Liu Yan asked, "Master, how do you feel?"

Liu Yan quickly stood up when he realized Yun Huang was not replying.

The moment he was leaving the vicinity, there was a cold voice behind him. "Where are you going?"

"To find a cure for you."

The so-called "cure" was to find a man.

With a deep, rumbling laugh, she hooked Liu Yan's belt with a wet finger, pulling him back. Liu Yan fell to the ground carelessly.

Ning Xi held one of her arms in front of the man. Her expression was very different from her numb coldness just now. She was overflowing with seductiveness, and even her voice sounded alluring. "Heh, a cure? Aren't you here now?"

The three people who were watching this scene were speechless.

Every crew in the studio felt the sudden drop in temperature around them...

"Cut!" Guo Qisheng suddenly yelled out at this moment.

Jiang Muye felt like his heart was on a rollercoaster. This was extremely exciting.

After the director said "cut", Ning Xi and Ke Mingyu stood up and stopped their acting.

### **Chapter 1450: Real Kiss or Fake Kiss?**

Guo Qisheng frowned and went up to them. He thoroughly thought about what to say. "Ning Xi, your expression isn't right. The person you like just confessed to another woman and wants to avoid you. You're in despair... Although you're seducing Liu Yan while being controlled by the charm poison, you're behaving as clear as sky inside. Your eyes should show more despair... but weren't you acting too naturally just now?"

Ning Xi coughed lightly and touched her nose. "My bad. I'll be more careful."

Guo Qisheng then went up to Ke Mingyu after he was done with Ning Xi.

She mumbled out of Guo Qisheng's earshot, "Damn it, I was too excited and wasn't able to contain myself..."

Although Guo Qisheng missed it, the three people who were resting nearby heard her!

Yun Shen remained silent.

Jiang Muye was speechless.

Mo Yuxiu was shocked!

What did he just hear? He had just found out something interesting!

He had received zero results after so many days of thorough observation. Could Ning Xi's man... be Ke Mingyu?!

"Mingyu, for now, your part is fine, but the scenes later on are the main feature, so stay focused..."

As Guo Qisheng was speaking to Ke Mingyu, Ning Xi suddenly thought of a question. She went back and asked, "Director Guo, for the kissing scene later, are we kissing for real?"

When she asked this question, the three guys nearby were once again taken aback.

Guo Qisheng thought about it, "Well, I guess..."

He was about to suggest manipulating the angle like how they did it in "The World", but Ning Xi interrupted him as if she was showing off her professionalism as an actor, "Director Guo, I think we should do it for real! Yun Huang and Meng Changge have different personalities. If it's a fake one, I won't be able to exhibit Yun Huang's personality fully and that will dampen the effect we intend to show the viewers!"

Since Ning Xi offered this solution herself, Guo Qisheng could not wish for anything better. He was really touched by Ning Xi's professionalism and patted her on the shoulder. "Alright, thanks for the hard work!"

Somewhere nearby, Jiang Muye almost crushed his sunglasses in his hand. You bastard, how shameless! So shameless!

They always used an odd angle to avoid actually touching when she was acting with him, but when it came to his uncle, she requested to do it for real on her own!

Director, please wake up. Wake up! This bastard is doing it for her own self-interest!

"Okay, if there's no problem, then we'll continue! The front part is fine. Let's continue from inside the cave!" Guo Qisheng told every department to get ready again.

"3! 2! 1! Start!"

"Where are you going?" Yun Huang asked.

"To find a cure for you."

"Heh, a cure? Aren't you here now?"

The water droplets on Yun Huang's finger dripped onto Liu Yan's collarbone. Her finger reached for his collar and she unbuttoned it...

"Master, no." Liu Yan's expressionless eyes seem to be full of panic.

Yun Huang felt a sharp pain and her expression changed. Her eyes were full of bloodlust now. She choked the man and demanded, "What now? Even you dare to defy me?"

She released all her anger on the person in front of him because she knew that no matter how she treated him, he would never leave her.