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Chapter 1741 Come To Dad's Side

Su Bei stuck out her tongue and smiled. "Everyone, please don't mind me. I'm just going to take a photo."

She took a photo for Lu Heting.

It was five or six in the morning in S Country. She thought that Lu Heting would only reply to her later, but who knew that he would reply instantly: [You look good.]

[Why are you up so early? You have to sleep well even if I'm not around.]

[Aren't you attending a business banquet today? That's why I'm waiting for you to send me photos.]

Su Bei couldn't help but laugh. [If I didn't send you any, wouldn't you have waited for nothing?]

[I knew you would.] Lu Heting typed confidently.

He was not physically by her side, but he was always with her in spirit, so she never had any regrets.

He Jiang hugged Lin Xiruo with one hand and reached out with the other. "Come to Dad's side."

Su Bei ran to He Jiang's side and said a few more words to Lu Heting before putting away her phone.

As one of the eight major consortiums in the United States, He Consortium held many business banquets every year.

This time, it was a business banquet held by He Consortium to celebrate the successful completion of their work in the first half of the year.

Many celebrities and friends of aristocratic families were present.

Su Bei was determined not to steal Xu Zhiqin's limelight tonight, so before she entered, she said to He Xuyan, "I'll be with Dad and Mom later. You and Zhiqin can go in first."

He Xuyan knew what she meant. If the matter of the daughter of the He family being present tonight became the highlight, Xu Zhiqin would receive less attention. Su Bei would not let this happen.

Although she said that she would be with He Jiang and Lin Xiruo, she might actually separate from their parents later and appear alone without snatching attention.

His sister had never been soft-hearted when facing enemies, but she was extremely gentle and protective of the people she was close to. No wonder so many people doted on her so much.

He and Xu Zhiqin quickly entered the venue.

"Mr. He!"

"Mr. He!"

As soon as He Xuyan's tall figure entered the venue, there were shouts all around.

He Xuyan nodded in greeting and introduced Xu Zhiqin to everyone. "This is my fiancée, Xu Zhiqin."

Xu Zhiqin greeted them politely and generously.

Everyone knew that He Xuyan had always been lukewarm and did not take anything or anyone to heart. It was rare to see him look gentle and smile today.

They looked at the woman beside him. She was wearing a decent nude dress. Her skin was smooth, and her facial features were gentle. She was natural and unrestrained. She indeed had the demeanor of a young lady from a wealthy family.

In particular, her temperament was a little like Lin Xiruo's. Seeing this, everyone could stop wondering why He Xuyan chose her.

"Hello, Miss Xu."

"Mr. He, you have good taste!"

"You two are a perfect match!"

There were praises all around.

He Xuyan introduced Xu Zhiqin to some of the higher-ups of the company, as well as some elders and friends who were family friends.

Wei Yuxin also appeared with a glass of wine in her hand. Seeing the two of them appear so intimately, her heart felt as if it was being clawed by a cat. It hurt, and her emotions were chaotic.

He Xuyan had brought Xu Zhiqin to a social event. It could be seen how much he valued her!

The matter of their marriage was as good as a done deal.

Xiao Xiaobai, who was standing beside her, reached out and held her arm. "Cousin, I think Xu Zhiqin is very ordinary. She can't compare to you."

"Don't talk nonsense. Be careful, or Aunt He won't be happy when she hears it."

Xiao Xiaobai pouted unhappily. Wasn't Aunt He the crazy woman who took a doll as her daughter?

However, she still shut up in the end and did not dare to act rashly.

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Indeed, Su Bei did not come in with He Jiang and Lin Xiruo.

"Dad, Mom, you can go in first. I won't be a third wheel," Su Bei said with a smile.

"I want to introduce you around too. I want to let those uncles who have shown off their daughters to me take a good look at my obedient daughter!" The smile on He Jiang's face couldn't get any wider at the mention of his daughter.

"I want to make a call to Lu Heting." Su Bei was afraid that if she followed them in and everyone came to her side, Xu Zhiqin would be a little embarrassed.

He Jiang snorted. "Didn't you just chat with him on WeChat?"

"WeChat is WeChat, while phone calls are phone calls!" Su Bei said.

He Jiang snorted and walked in with Lin Xiruo.

"Are you angry with your daughter?" Lin Xiruo asked with a smile.

"How is that possible?" He Jiang immediately denied it. How could he be angry with his daughter?

He was angry at Lu Heting for snatching his daughter away so early!

Otherwise, his daughter would still be his precious daughter. If she stayed by his side obediently, no pig would be able to take her away.

Lin Xiruo was amused by him. "Alright, Hubby. Su Bei is also obedient and sensible. She just wants Zhiqin to meet more people tonight. She doesn't want to steal her and Xuyan's limelight. Your daughter is so good. Why are you unhappy?"

Only then did He Jiang calm down. "Our daughter resembles you. That's why I said back then that there was no need to have that brat. I just wanted a daughter."

He Xuyan, who was socializing with guests, suddenly blushed. He suddenly had a feeling that his position in the family had been taken down by another notch.

Su Bei had indeed called Lu Heting. At this moment, he had just gotten into the car to send Da Bao and Gun Gun to school.

When the two munchkins heard Su Bei's voice, they naturally chattered.

After a while, Su Bei put down the phone.

She was deep in thought when she saw a familiar face—Lu Tianqing.

After Lu Tianging lost to Su Bei previously, she stopped her antics for a while.

She didn't expect to see Su Bei here.

Tonight, she was attending the He family's business banquet with her husband, He Yuan.

Back then, the He family moved to the United States. After the large family took root, they produced countless branches.

He Yuan was from one of those branch families.

He had some influence in He Consortium. This influence was indeed enough to shock many people.

However, it was nothing in front of He Jiang and He Xuyan.

Lu Tianqing held He Yuan's arm and walked over. She smiled and said, "I thought I was wrong, but it's really you, Su Bei!"

"I thought I was wrong too, but it is you." Su Bei smiled. She knew Lu Tianqing's identity and her affiliation with He Consortium, so it was normal for her to appear here.

"Why aren't you with Lu Heting? What are you doing here?" Lu Tianqing asked with a smile, but there was no smile in her eyes. "Oh, I forgot. I haven't heard any news about you and Lu Heting for a long time. With his identity, I don't know how many women he has around him. However, I'm sure you won't mind. You probably know that you have to bear such unhappiness as Mrs. Lu."

Chapter 1742 Why Can't I Know Her?

"I'm not too sure about that. You might be more experienced, so you'd know more about it," Su Bei retorted with a smile.

Lu Tianqing looked at her outfit and asked, "Could it be that you're here to attend He Consortium's business banquet?"

She did not know Su Bei's identity. Recently, there had been rumors in the He family that Lin Xiruo's daughter had returned. Many people were itching to know who it was.

However, with Lu Tianqing's identity, she wasn't qualified to enter the core group of friends from He Consortium, so she had never even heard of Su Bei's name. How could she think that she was that young lady?

In particular, Su Bei was dressed in a low-key manner today and deliberately hid her sharp edge. In Lu Tianqing's eyes, she looked like she had been abandoned by Lu Heting.

"Yes." Su Bei did not hide it.

"Do you have an invitation? Why don't I bring you in?" Lu Tianqing asked with a smile.

Knowing that He Consortium and Lu Group had never done business together, the He family probably wouldn't have casually invited Su Bei. That was why Lu Tianqing deliberately asked.

Although she said she wanted to bring Su Bei along, she was just showing off her status.

In S Country, she had to respect the Lu family, but here, she felt like she was the master.

Even in front of He Jiang, she could still say a few words.

He Yuan had always let her be. Seeing that she was playing with Su Bei, he just watched from the side.

"Huh, I don't think I have an invitation," Su Bei remembered and said in frustration.

Lu Tianqing smiled and said, "Then you might really have to let me bring you in."

"Okay," Su Bei agreed.

Lu Tianging did not expect her to be so straightforward. She did not doubt Su Bei's intentions at all.

However, Lu Tianqing did not have any ulterior motives. She just wanted to show off in front of Su Bei.

Seeing that Su Bei really wanted to go in with her, Lu Tianqing pursed her lips slightly. If she really brought Su Bei in, wouldn't she be letting her off easy?

However, since she was the one who spoke first, it was not good to go back on her word now. It was better to bring Su Bei there and introduce her to some dissolute young masters. Not only could she make Su Bei suffer, but she might also be able to give Lu Heting an opportunity. It was not bad.

At this thought, she smiled and said, "Then let's go together!"

Su Bei was not stupid. How could she not know that Lu Tianging wasn't so kind?

She saw Lu Tianqing's eyes flicker and knew that she was up to no good.

However, how could Lu Tianqing possibly bully her when her parents, brother, and sister-in-law were here?

Su Bei stepped forward and was about to leave when a voice sounded. "Su Bei!"

A man with peach-blossom eyes walked over quickly. "Why are you here?"

Su Bei recognized him as He Juncheng, He Xuyan's friend. Previously, He Xuyan had said that she could look for He Juncheng if anything happened.

She grinned.

When Lu Tianqing and He Yuan saw He Juncheng, they hurriedly greeted, "Mr. Juncheng!"

He Juncheng's status in the circle was comparable to He Xuyan's. Although he was still inferior to Xuyan, he could easily crush He Yuan.

After all, He Yuan was only from the He family's side branch, but He Juncheng was the only son of the He family!

"Mr. Juncheng, you know Su Bei?" Lu Tianqing's expression revealed her uncertainty.

"Why can't I know her?" He Juncheng didn't like the sarcastic Lu Tianqing very much and spoke quite rudely.

"That's not what I meant, Mr. Juncheng." Lu Tianqing quickly hid her surprise.

Even He Yuan was extremely surprised.

"Let's go. I'll accompany you in." He Juncheng couldn't be bothered with the couple anymore and quickly left with Su Bei.

Lu Tianqing thought for a long time before saying, "When Su Bei was filming in the country, she was quite familiar with He Xuyan, so it's understandable for her to know He Juncheng."

"Next time, don't talk to Su Bei in that tone," He Yuan reminded her.

Initially, it did not matter if Lu Tianqing was really from the Lu family or not.

But now that she had lost that identity, He Yuan did not want to cause trouble.

Lu Tianqing did feel a little regretful. After all, she previously had a conflict with Su Bei. How could she give in just like this? She could not!

"Alright, the business banquet is about to start. Let's go over," He Yuan said.

They walked to the door together.

The security guard stopped them.

Lu Tianging handed over the invitation. "This is our invitation."

"I'm sorry, but your invitation is no longer valid."

"Why?" Lu Tianqing was shocked and angry.

How could she miss such a good opportunity?

What right did the security guard have to say that her invitation was invalid?

The security guard said, "No reason. It's just that the two of you can't go in tonight! Please leave!"

"There's no reason?!" If not for her pride, Lu Tianqing would have shouted.

"Perhaps you want us to 'invite' the two of you away?" the security guard said expressionlessly.

He Yuan pulled Lu Tianqing aside. "Alright, let's go!"

"He Yuan, you're also a member of the He family. Why can't we go in?" Lu Tianqing had already boasted in front of her husband's aunts. She said she would definitely attend the venue tonight and chat with He Xuyan and He Jiang.

Now, she had been slapped in the face before she could even reach the door.

He Yuan did not know why either.

However, he had an inkling deep down. The prestige he got from being a part of the He family was a lot more significant on the surface than it was in reality.

To put it bluntly, to He Jiang and the others, collateral relatives like him were just that and nothing more. They were far from being a family.

It was already not easy for him to get a prestigious position in a consortium. What else could he expect?

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Su Bei smiled and said to He Juncheng, "Mr. Juncheng, thank you for helping me tell the security guards to stop those two people."

"It's a small matter." He Juncheng smiled. "You don't like them?"

"Not really. I had some conflicts with Lu Tianqing previously. I just don't want them to appear at the scene tonight and embarrass my brother and sister-in-law."

He Juncheng smiled charmingly. "Why don't I have such a good sister?"

Su Bei smiled.

"You don't want to be with your brother and sister-in-law, nor do you want to be with your parents. Why don't you be with me, then?"

"No, I'm afraid that your girlfriend will be jealous."

"When did I get a girlfriend?"

Su Bei smiled again. "Then I'm afraid my husband will get jealous."

He Juncheng's peach blossom eyes were filled with doubt. "You really have a husband?"

"I really do." Su Bei did not hesitate.

"Oh!" He Juncheng spoke in an unwilling tone. "Who snatched you away back then? He's deliberately making things difficult for me!"

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He Xuyan and Xu Zhiqin socialized with the crowd.

A moment later, He Xuyan was surrounded by his uncles who wanted to talk to him about matters between men.

Xu Zhiqin, on the other hand, was surrounded by some aunts and cousins. Everyone was talking about makeup and clothes.

Chapter 1743 An Actress Is Indeed An Actress

The two of them were separated.

Wei Yuxin held her glass of red wine and took a sip from time to time. It seemed that Xu Zhiqin was still able to handle it without showing any fear.

Wei Yuxin smiled disapprovingly. An actress was indeed an actress. She was born to know how to socialize.

Besides, the people from He Consortium who came tonight all spoke the language of S Country. They did not cause any trouble for Xu Zhiqin.

Xiao Xiaobai said, "Cousin, I heard that Xu Zhiqin has always been promiscuous. I wonder if it's true? Does Mr. He not know anything about this?"

"Who knows? As you know, how many women in the entertainment industry are actually clean? No matter how dirty a woman is, she'll still be 'cleansed' in the end," Wei Yuxin said indifferently.

Xiao Xiaobai was really indignant. Her cousin was clearly better than Xu Zhiqin in everything, but in the end, He Xuyan chose Xu Zhiqin!

She said angrily, "Maybe Xu Zhiqin is the kind of person who specializes in seducing men. Maybe she's good in bed."

Wei Yuxin glanced at her. "I told you not to say those things. If Aunt finds out, do you think you'll have an easy time?"

Xiao Xiaobai went to the bathroom angrily.

A moment later, she came back and walked to Wei Yuxin's side. She saw the last thing she wanted to see.

Xu Zhiqin was talking to a blond man with blue eyes. The man's name was Liszt, and he was the son of a governor. He was the man Xiao Xiaobai had just met.

The two of them had just gone on two dates and had yet to officially confirm their relationship.

Xiao Xiaobai liked Liszt very much and was planning to go out on a few more dates with him to confirm their relationship. She wanted to date Liszt and get married to him!

Liszt was also learning the language of S Country for her.

Seeing Liszt and Xu Zhiqin talking, Xiao Xiaobai's face darkened.

She was about to rush up to Xu Zhiqin and question her when Wei Yuxin grabbed her wrist.

"Don't stop me!"

"Do you think there'll be no consequences if you go forward?"

Xiao Xiaobai looked around. Yes, this was the He family's home ground. If she went forward without any evidence, what would happen?

"What are they doing?" Xiao Xiaobai asked.

Wei Yuxin shrugged. "I'm not sure. I saw Xu Zhiqin accidentally bump into Liszt, and the two of them started chatting."

Xiao Xiaobai didn't doubt Wei Yuxin's words at all. She also didn't doubt Liszt's feelings for her!

Xu Zhiqin was really too scheming. She wanted to develop something with Liszt while keeping He Xuyan in suspense?

Wei Yuxin said meaningfully, "Xu Zhiqin doesn't know English or French. I was her interpreter before this. Liszt must be specially accommodating her for them to chat for so long."

Xiao Xiaobai felt even more upset. Liszt had specially learned the language of S Country for her so that he could communicate better with the elders in her family. Now, Xu Zhiqin had her eye on him.

Seeing that her face was red, Wei Yuxin reminded her, "It's useless for you to make a fuss. Only by letting everyone know Xu Zhiqin's true colors will she be dealt a blow. So think of a smart way to handle this!"

Since she had already mentioned it, Xiao Xiaobai naturally continued to think in the direction she had been guided in.

The more Xiao Xiaobai thought about it, the more she felt that Wei Yuxin's words made sense. If she didn't expose Xu Zhiqin's true colors tonight, she wouldn't be worthy of the surname Xiao!

She glanced around and happened to see a slightly familiar figure. That man's name was Davis. His family was very rich and specialized in playing with women. He was a man like Wu Zijing, especially when it came to Asian women. He had played with countless women.

However, he was generous, and so many women were willing to be with him.

More importantly, he did not know the language of S Country at all.

At this moment, Davis was looking in Xu Zhiqin's direction with infatuation in his eyes.

Xiao Xiaobai walked up to him, greeted him, and said in English, "Are you looking at that lady?"

"How beautiful and mysterious." Davis was not stingy with his praise. "It's just a pity that she seems to be engaged."

"You don't know this. Although she's engaged, she's just playing with He Xuyan. As long as a man spends enough money on her, she won't reject anyone!"

Davis didn't believe her, so Xiao Xiaobai took out her phone and found Xu Zhiqin's photo.

It was something she had stored in her phone before.

Back then, in order to get resources for Pan Hongsen, Xu Zhiqin had indeed drunk with others many times. Some people had taken photos of her from different angles. This news was clarified back in the country, and everyone knew that Xu Zhiqin was innocent.

However, to Davis, who did not know anything about the entertainment industry in S Country, these photos proved that Xu Zhiqin was an easy woman to deal with!

In the photo, Xu Zhiqin was holding a glass of wine. There were many different men around her.

Although they were not compromising photos, it could be seen that Xu Zhiqin seemed to be quite open-minded.

Davis was immediately interested. "So this woman is also the fiery type."

"Of course. Do you really think she can marry He Xuyan? The He family won't accept such a woman," Xiao Xiaobai added fuel to the fire.

However, Davis was someone who didn't care about anything else about a woman. Xiao Xiaobai didn't need to say anything more. He had already made up his mind.

"Why don't I introduce you to her?"

"Of course." Davis immediately stood up. For the sake of women, he would do anything. The more challenging and exciting the woman was, the better.

Xu Zhiqin had just finished chatting with Liszt when Xiao Xiaobai led Davis over.

"Zhiqin, let me introduce you to a guest of ours tonight, Davis. Zhiqin, do you speak English or French?" she asked with a smile.

Xu Zhiqin knew about her relationship with Wei Yuxin. Seeing that she had been with Wei Yuxin all night, she was a little vigilant. She said calmly, "I just speak a little. I'm not familiar with the languages. If there's a need, I'll use the translation software."

She took out her phone. "It's just that the software isn't very useful, but it's better than nothing."

"No need, no need. I'll be your interpreter."

Xiao Xiaobai said to Davis in English, "She said she's pleased to meet you."

Davis was overjoyed.

Xu Zhiqin's face darkened, but she did not show it.

Wei Yuxin had used this trick last time. Was Xiao Xiaobai still planning to use this trick to cause trouble for her?

No wonder Su Bei pretended to be ignorant and said that she didn't understand foreign languages at all.

Xu Zhiqin smiled and looked at Xiao Xiaobai sincerely to see what she wanted to do.

Chapter 1744 Beautiful And Mysterious Oriental Woman

"Zhiqin, Davis said that he wants to drink with you later tonight. Is that okay?" She asked Xu Zhiqin in the language of S Country.

"It's a little late. It's not appropriate, right? If we want to talk about work, we can meet during the day," Xu Zhiqin said.

Xiao Xiaobai said to Davis in English, "She said she'd be happy to. She can give you her phone number first."

Davis was used to flirting with women, so he immediately took out his phone. Every word Xiao Xiaobai said was a strong hint to him.

Xu Zhiqin also pretended not to understand and gave Davis her phone number.

"By the way, Davis, you can't let Zhigin drink with you for nothing. You should express your goodwill."

Following her words, Davis immediately gave Xu Zhiqin a huge sum of money.

He had always been like this. He was especially generous to the women he liked. He had never met someone like Xu Zhiqin before. He immediately gave her a big sum of money.

"Miss Xiao, what does Davis mean? Why is he giving me money? I can't accept it. It's our first time meeting, so how can I accept money from him?"

"It's okay. It's just a formality. It's just a courtesy that Mr. Davis is extending." Xiao Xiaobai immediately pressed the screen and accepted the money.

Seeing that Xu Zhiqin had accepted the money, Davis knew that there was a chance tonight. He could not hide his excitement and desire. He immediately sized up Xu Zhiqin with a lustful gaze.

"Davis, you can take Zhiqin out now. She said she's willing to spend a good night with you!" Xiao Xiaobai winked at Davis.

When Davis saw the wink, he felt that tonight's matter was settled.

He did not expect to be able to meet such a beautiful and mysterious Asian woman tonight. He was really lucky with women!

Xiao Xiaobai turned around and left. As soon as she left, Davis impatiently put his hand on Xu Zhiqin's shoulder.

After all, Davis never forced women, but Xu Zhiqin had just accepted his money.

Xu Zhiqin slapped Davis in the face!

Hearing the commotion, everyone immediately looked over and saw Xu Zhiqin glaring at Davis with a red face.

Davis covered his face with his hands, looking angry.

Xiao Xiaobai quickly moved to stand in front of Wei Yuxin.

Seeing such a scene, Wei Yuxin was secretly proud. Xiao Xiaobai was not stupid, after all. She knew how to do things. Xu Zhiqin's loss of composure on such an occasion would probably bring shame to the entire He family!

Xiao Xiaobai also pursed her lips and watched the scene in front of her.

She wanted to see how Xu Zhiqin would continue to pretend!

Anyway, no one could prove what she had done just now. In front of so many people, Xu Zhiqin's weaknesses would only be exposed, especially as she could not even speak English. It was even more embarrassing!

What would others think of her after tonight?

The He family would lose their reputation because of this. How could they treat Xu Zhiqin well in the future?

"Zhiqin, what's going on?" Lin Xiruo quickly walked over.

Before Xu Zhiqin could speak, Davis said, "I wanted to take her out to spend the night with me. She has already accepted my money, but she slapped me. How can that be?"

He spoke in English, and almost everyone present could understand him.

Everyone was in an uproar.

Xu Zhiqin actually accepted Davis' money and agreed to go out and spend the night with him?

Everyone knew that Davis was with a different woman every day. How could such a man win a woman's favor? Apart from sweet nothings, he could only rely on money!

Therefore, everyone tacitly agreed that the women who accepted Davis' money were basically in cahoots with him.

Although his actions were not worthy of praise, since both individuals were willing, others naturally would not say anything.

However, He Xuyan's fiancée was actually willing to spend the night with Davis!

Everyone was still shocked and found it very difficult to understand!

Davis said unhappily, "If she had refused to accept my money, of course, I wouldn't force her. But what's going on now? Did my money come from nowhere? I spent money so that she would have sex with me, not to have her slap me!"

Everyone looked at Xu Zhiqin with unfriendly eyes.

Lin Xiruo raised her voice. "Mr. Davis, what's going on? Please be careful with your words!"

He Xuyan also walked over quickly. When he heard Davis' frivolous words, the dark eyes in his eyes darkened, and his entire body had an extremely cold expression.

Xu Zhiqin quietly tugged at him, telling him not to worry. Only then did he calm down slightly.

He held Xu Zhiqin's hand, clearly protective of her.

Xu Zhiqin gently drew on his palm a few times, indicating that he didn't have to worry about this.

That was why He Xuyan did not forcefully interfere.

Otherwise, Davis would have been a dead man!

"Zhiqin, tell me what's going on!" Lin Xiruo said.

Only then did Xu Zhiqin say calmly in the language of S Country, "Mr. Davis came over to greet me. He said that he had some work to discuss with me. I agreed, so I added his contact information. But I didn't expect him to touch me, so I slapped him."

Most of the people present tonight understood the language of S Country, so they naturally understood Xu Zhiqin's words.

However, everyone was very suspicious of Xu Zhiqin. Why would she accept the money someone else gave her?

Was it right to accept a man's money on their first meeting?

No matter what, Xu Zhiqin seemed to be in the wrong.

Seeing that no one believed her, Xu Zhiqin seemed to be a little anxious and said, "Miss Xiao knows about it too. It's Miss Xiao Xiaobai. She's the one who introduced me to Davis!"

Xiao Xiaobai's mother, Bai Jinhua, and Xiao Xiaobai's aunt, Bai Ling, were standing there. When they heard that Xu Zhigin had linked Xiao Xiaobai to Davis, they were immediately unwilling.

Bai Jinhua immediately said, "Miss Xu, that's not right. We all know what kind of person Davis is. It's fine if you're friends with Davis, but why would you say that our Xiaobai has something to do with Davis?"

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Lin Xiruo frowned. "What do you mean? We haven't even figured out what's going on, but you're already picking on our family?"

"I wouldn't dare." Bai Jinhua didn't expect Lin Xiruo to have such a powerful aura after her recovery. She was immediately a little frightened.

It turned out that Lin Xiruo was just fine.

Bai Jinhua felt a little uneasy.

Bai Jinhua was Xiao Xiaobai's mother and Wei Yuxin's aunt.

Chapter 1745 Couldn't Be Bullied

Back then, the few of them tried their best to make Bai Ling He Jiang's wife.

Seeing that Lin Xiruo was sick, this group of people had caused a lot of trouble.

Bai Ling stood here flirtatiously tonight and looked at He Jiang affectionately. Did she really think that Lin Xiruo could not tell?

"Since it's related to Xiao Xiaobai, Xiao Bai, come over and tell me about it." Lin Xiruo's aura was very strong. Her current appearance made many people a little afraid.

If it weren't for this, no one would have known that she had recovered so well!

Xiao Xiaobai walked over and said softly, "Aunt, Davis wanted to get to know Zhiqin just now. I knew that Zhiqin didn't know English, and Davis didn't know S Country's language, so I facilitated their conversation. I didn't say anything else."

"You didn't say anything else?" Lin Xiruo asked seriously.

"I really didn't say anything. Zhiqin is the host, and Davis is a guest. If the host doesn't respond at all, it'll be the He family's loss of face, so I helped introduce them to each other. I really didn't say anything else," Xiao Xiaobai said pitifully.

When the others heard this, they understood. It turned out that Xu Zhiqin did not even know English!

He Consortium was rooted in the United States. Most of their businesses required them to converse in foreign languages. How could Xu Zhiqin dream of marrying He Xuyan if she didn't even know English?

Xiao Xiaobai continued, "I don't know why they did all this."

The more Xiao Xiaobai said that she didn't know, the more everyone let their imaginations run wild. Xu Zhiqin didn't know English, and Davis didn't know the language of S Country, but Xu Zhiqin still accepted Davis' money. It could be seen that Xu Zhiqin had done this a lot.

It was even possible that Xu Zhiqin and Davis were flirting with each other.

Sometimes, the things between men and women did not need to be communicated through words.

Body language alone was enough to make some deals.

Xu Zhiqin's face flushed red. "Miss Xiao, how can you say that? Didn't you say just now that Davis wanted to drink with me? I thought it was because he wanted to talk to me about work, so I asked him to meet me during the day in the future.

"After that, you said that he wanted to have my contact details, so I gave him my number. When I received the money later, I firmly refused. But you were the one who said that this was standard etiquette. I was worried that I would be rude to a guest of the He family, so I accepted the money.

"Why are you saying that you don't know anything now?"

There were no surveillance cameras here, let alone voice recorders.

Therefore, Xiao Xiaobai was fearless. "Zhiqin, how can you say that? I really don't know about this.

"I'm also very surprised to hear that the etiquette when meeting people is to receive such a big sum of money.

"I only introduced you to each other and casually said a few words. You can't blame me for this!"

Although Bai Jinhua was afraid of Lin Xiruo and did not want to offend He Xuyan, this matter concerned her daughter's innocence. She could not ignore it. She stood up and said, "Miss Xu, our Xiaobai has no grudge against you. How can you slander her like this? Bear the responsibility for what you did. Don't blame everything on Xiaobai after the matter is exposed! Our Xiaobai can't afford to bear so much negative stigma!"

Xiao Xiaobai also looked distressed as if she had suffered a huge injustice. She wrinkled her nose aggrievedly.

Bai Ling comforted her niece and said to Lin Xiruo, "Madam He, no matter what, Miss Xu is the one who gave her number to Davis, and she's also the one who received the money. This is evidence. If our Xiaobai did something, you have to bring out the evidence for that too, right?"

Everyone felt that what Bai Jinhua and Bai Ling said made sense.

Xu Zhiqin was the one who did all those things. Otherwise, she wouldn't be accused.

Moreover, her phone was also in her hand. It was impossible for someone to deliberately use her phone to contact Davis, right?

Xu Zhiqin must have deliberately seduced Davis, but because of the language barrier, there was a conflict and everyone knew about it. That was why she pushed the blame on Xiao Xiaobai and tried to wash her hands clean of it.

Bai Jinhua said indignantly, "Although our Bai and Xiao families aren't rich, it's impossible for our daughters to be bullied. If you can produce evidence, then show it! But if you can't, then even if we're facing He Consortium, we can only use an egg to crack this stone!"

He Jiang had walked to Lin Xiruo's side at some point. Bai Ling's eyes could not help but be attracted to him.

Back then, when Lin Xiruo was sick, Bai Ling had really embarrassed herself in front of He Jiang. Even though she had the support of the Bai, Xiao, and Wei families, she did not manage to attract his attention at all.

She was only in her early 40s now and was younger than Lin Xiruo. She still had such delusions in her heart and was unwilling to live a mediocre life. She had gotten married twice and divorced twice. Her heart was still with He Jiang.

She stared intently at He Jiang and said, "Mr. He, you're the head of He Consortium. I'm sure you'll give us a reasonable explanation!"

He Jiang did not look at her but said to Lin Xiruo, "Xiruo, what do you plan to do?"

From the looks of it, no matter how Lin Xiruo dealt with it, he was on her side.

On the other hand, Lin Xiruo was obviously biased toward Xu Zhiqin. Everyone could not help but feel that it was unfair.

However, He Consortium was a big company, so what if it was unfair?

Lin Xiruo looked at Xu Zhiqin calmly and asked, "Zhiqin, do you have any evidence of what Xiao Xiaobai did and said just now?"

They couldn't get an answer from Davis. He was just obsessed with Xu Zhiqin, but he wasn't involved in the matter at all.

Xu Zhiqin seemed to be deep in thought.

Bai Ling couldn't help but say, "Of course, the dignified He family can do whatever they want in this matter. No matter what the outcome is, we can only accept it. But I believe that justice is in the hearts of people. We have nothing to fear!"

Xu Zhiqin smiled coldly. No wonder the Bai family was so shameless. Back then, they even dared to seduce He Jiang in front of Lin Xiruo!

Xu Zhiqin said, "What if it's really proven that Xiao Xiaobai deliberately misled Davis and me?"

aBai Ling said, "It's become obvious that some people really don't like us sisters. They don't even like our children, so they're deliberately treating us like this. Well, we have nothing to say!"

Chapter 1746 Time To Give Me An Explanation

They all knew that Bai Ling had indeed almost replaced Lin Xiruo.

Back then, Lin Xiruo's condition was very serious. Everyone thought that it was certain that Bai Ling would join the He family.

At that time, many people tried to please Bai Ling.

However, what happened after that was clearly not what everyone had expected.

Now that Lin Xiruo was better, was Bai Ling really going to cause trouble?

Bai Ling's words took up all the moral high ground!

No matter how this matter was resolved tonight, if others mentioned it in the future, they would probably say that Xu Zhiqin was in the wrong. She was weak and promiscuous. She did not have the ability yet dared to flirt around. Secondly, they would say that Lin Xiruo was unfair and specially took the opportunity to suppress the Bai family.

Everyone was discussing.

Xu Zhiqin suddenly thought of something and said, "Oh, I think I turned on a recording app just now. Everyone, give me a moment while I look for it."

Xiao Xiaobai's face darkened.

How was that possible? She had stared at Xu Zhiqin's phone earlier and did not see any recording app.

Xu Zhiqin took out her phone, raised it high, and clicked on the play button.

Voices sounded, and everyone heard the contents word by word.

Xiao Xiaobai said, "Zhiqin, let me introduce you to a guest of ours tonight, Davis. Zhiqin, do you speak English or French?"

Xu Zhiqin said, "I just speak a little. I'm not familiar with the languages. If there's a need, I'll use the translation software. It's just that the software isn't very useful, but it's better than nothing."

Xiao Xiaobai said, "No need, no need. I'll be your interpreter."

Xiao Xiaobai continued, "She said she's pleased to meet you.

"Zhiqin, Davis said he wants to drink with you later tonight. Is that okay?"

Xu Zhiqin responded, "It's a little late. It's not appropriate, right? If we want to talk about work, we can meet during the day."

Xiao Xiaobai then spoke to Davis, "She said she'd be happy to. She can give you her phone number first.

"By the way, Davis, you can't let Zhiqin drink with you for nothing. You should express your goodwill."

Xu Zhiqin was then heard saying, "Miss Xiao, what does Davis mean? Why is he giving me money? I can't accept it. It's our first time meeting, so how can I accept money from him?"

Xiao Xiaobai responded, "It's okay. It's just a courtesy that Mr. Davis is extending."

Xiao Xiaobai continued, "Davis, you can take Zhiqin out now. She said she's willing to spend a happy night with you!"

As the recording was played, Xiao Xiaobai's face turned paler and paler.

Everyone was in an uproar. It turned out that Xiao Xiaobai had deliberately misled Davis!

Xu Zhiqin chatted with Xiao Xiaobai in a business-style manner, while Xiao Xiaobai was simply vicious. Just from her voice, one could tell how scheming she was.

Xiao Xiaobai's last sentence continued to resonate. "Davis, you can take Zhiqin out now. She said that she's willing to spend a happy night with you!"

These words were vicious, and they sold Xu Zhiqin out!

Xu Zhiqin said calmly, "Everyone, my English isn't very good, so I'm working hard to learn it. That's why I downloaded an English learning and translation app. I wanted to communicate better with people, but who knew that I would end up recording these words? Fortunately, I have this app with me. I can clear my name and clarify the situation with solid proof. Mr. Davis, Miss Xiao Xiaobai, can you both remember what happened just now?"

While Davis was listening to the recording, someone was explaining to him what Xu Zhiqin actually meant.

After hearing this and knowing the whole story, he immediately apologized to Xu Zhiqin and He Xuyan. "I'm sorry, Miss Xu. Mr. He, I made a mistake. I'm sorry!"

He was indeed a spendthrift and liked to play with women, but he had always made sure the women were willing. He would never force anyone, let alone use despicable methods to fool women.

Knowing that Xiao Xiaobai had done such a thing, he snapped, "Miss Xiao, it turns out that you deliberately misled me and caused me to misunderstand Miss Xu! Shouldn't you give me an explanation now?"

Xiao Xiaobai's face was as pale as her name was called out.

All eyes were on her, piercing through her like an arrow.

They really did not expect a rich young lady to do such a vicious thing and frame others!

Fortunately, Xu Zhiqin reacted quickly and slapped Davis before things got more serious. If she really walked out with Davis, what would happen? Everyone felt a lingering fear just thinking about it.

"I... I was just joking with Miss Xu... I meant no harm..." Xiao Xiaobai tried her best to defend herself.

Lin Xiruo was so angry that her face was ashen. Her gentle face was filled with anger at this moment. She said coldly and angrily, "So this is the upbringing of the Bai family and the Xiao family. They taught Miss Xiao such a life principle! You can joke about men and women and even destroy someone else's life, huh?! How good! Now, I want to know how the Bai family and the Xiao family plan to give me an explanation!"

Bai Jinhua and Bai Ling had just sworn that Xiao Xiaobai wouldn't have made a mistake. Now that the evidence was in front of them, their expressions changed. They didn't dare to insinuate anymore. They hurriedly said, "Madam He, Xiaobai was wrong. Xiaobai shouldn't have made such a joke! I'll definitely educate her well!"

Bai Jinhua raised her hand and gave her daughter a big slap!

She had offended Lin Xiruo just now as she insisted on protecting her daughter despite having no evidence.

Now, even if God were here, she wouldn't be able to protect her daughter.

Bai Jinhua slapped herself. "I'm also responsible for not raising my child well! Please forgive me, Madam He!"

Bai Ling also symbolically slapped herself. "I'm also responsible. Madam He, I seek your understanding!"

Although she was talking to Madam He, her eyes were on He Jiang.

However, He Jiang only looked at Lin Xiruo and not her.

Lin Xiruo said indifferently, "The person you framed and offended is Zhiqin. Shouldn't you apologize to Zhiqin?"

"I'm sorry, Miss Xu!"

"I'm sorry, Miss Xu!"

Xu Zhiqin stood in the crowd. The timidity she had pretended to display just now was completely gone. She actually looked a little like Lin Xiruo. She said to the few of them, "You made such a big mistake. Is a small apology enough? I don't accept such an apology!"

"Miss Xu..." Bai Jinhua was shocked. "Miss Xu, I'll educate my daughter when I get back. Please forgive her for her ignorance!"

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Chapter 1747 Bullied People To Their Deaths

"She's already 25 years old. Why are you still bringing up her being young and ignorant? Can she hurt others just because she's young and ignorant? Is being young and ignorant a shield to avoid punishment after doing bad things?" Xu Zhiqin was really angry.

She knew English and French, so she deliberately hid her skills to teach Xiao Xiaobai a lesson.

What if she didn't understand?

What if she hadn't turned on the recording app in time?

What if it was another innocent girl who encountered such trouble?

The consequences were terrifying!

When these people did bad things, they bullied people to their deaths. When they apologized, they did it casually.

How could she forgive them so easily?!

Xu Zhiqin said sternly, "You framed me today, but you're expecting me to forgive you so easily? Then should I forgive the next person who frames me? This time, her plan failed, but what if an accident had really happened? Who would compensate me if my life was ruined?"

"Miss Xu, calm down." Bai Jinhua was no longer angry. "We're really sorry."

Lin Xiruo's and Xu Zhiqin's expressions were extremely cold. Clearly, it was impossible for them to calm down.

As for He Xuyan, his eyes were deep. His handsome face, which had always been void of emotions, was even more terrifying.

"Cousin, help me say something!" Xiao Xiaobai shouted at Wei Yuxin.

Wei Yuxin had tried her best to reduce her presence. When she heard Xiao Xiaobai calling her, she hated Xiao Xiaobai to the core. She didn't even do a good job, yet she still wanted to implicate her.

She came forward and said gently, "Xuyan, why don't we forget about this matter? How do you want to punish Xiaobai? I'll go back and punish her."

However, Xiao Xiaobai was dissatisfied with her pleading. "Cousin, I didn't do anything wrong! Xu Zhiqin seduced Liszt before, so I used Davis to joke with her!"

"She seduced Liszt?" He Xuyan's eyes were exceptionally deep. "Liszt is a guest tonight. I asked Zhiqin to help entertain Liszt. In your eyes, she was seducing him?"

Xiao Xiaobai was also stunned. Wei Yuxin was the one who told her that Xu Zhiqin had seduced Liszt.

"Cousin, you said it! You said that Xu Zhiqin deliberately approached Liszt to seduce him! That's why I hated Xu Zhiqin so much and made a move!" Xiao Xiaobai immediately questioned.

Wei Yuxin's face also turned pale. She cursed Xiao Xiaobai in her heart for being stupid!

"Xiaobai, stop joking. Why would I say such a thing?"

"You were the one who said that Xu Zhiqin bumped into Liszt and started chatting with him! You insinuated that she did it on purpose!"

"I didn't say such a thing. You might have remembered wrongly. Zhiqin was just helping Xuyan entertain Liszt." Wei Yuxin naturally refused to admit it.

Xiao Xiaobai was very angry. "How can you do this? You've always liked Mr. He and have investigated Xu Zhiqin's background thoroughly. You said before that when Xu Zhiqin was in the country, she hooked up with many men. When you went to S Country, you saw it with your own eyes! You even told Grandma He about these things! It's precisely because I believed you that I thought Xu Zhiqin was that kind of person. I believed you when you said she was hooking up with Liszt!"

Xiao Xiaobai's words caused an uproar.

"How can Wei Yuxin say that without any evidence?"

"She saw Xu Zhiqin hook up with many men with her own eyes? What did I just hear? Mr. He has good eyesight. How could he turn a blind eye to such a thing? Is this how rumors are spread?"

"She even went to Old Madam He to say these things. When the daughter of the Wei family couldn't win fair and square, she chose to use such despicable methods in private!"

Everyone did not know Xu Zhiqin well to begin with. They naturally would not stand on her side and speak up for her.

On the other hand, Xu Zhiqin had already proven her innocence and retaliated against Xiao Xiaobai. Unknowingly, everyone was on Xu Zhiqin's side.

Therefore, if there were any more conflicts, they naturally felt that Xu Zhiqin was in the right.

Besides, Xiao Xiaobai was Wei Yuxin's cousin, so it was credible for her to testify against Wei Yuxin.

Xiao Xiaobai had no choice but to exclude herself and continue, "Also, if I remember correctly, Mr. Davis is a friend of yours, right? Otherwise, with his status and the He family's strict rules, how could he openly appear at a business banquet?"

Wei Yuxin's nostrils flared, and she kept taking deep breaths. For a moment, she couldn't tell what Xiao Xiaobai was thinking. She was afraid that Xiao Xiaobai would say more horrible things.

She really hated Xiao Xiaobai, but there was nothing she could do about it.

The others couldn't help but discuss. "Davis was invited by Wei Yuxin!"

"It seems that Wei Yuxin really planned to treat Xu Zhiqin like this from the beginning."

"It turns out that Xiao Xiaobai was just used by Wei Yuxin. I knew it. Xiao Xiaobai doesn't like Mr. He and doesn't expect to marry into the He family. What good will it do for her to treat Xu Zhiqin like this? It turns out that the instigator and the biggest beneficiary is Wei Yuxin!"

"It's really a little..."

"Have you forgotten that Wei Yuxin's mother had also used such tricks back then? How else could she have entered the Wei family when she was a mistress?"

"No wonder. This kind of thing must run in the Bai family. Do you know that the two sisters even planned to let Bai Ling replace Madam He?"

These people were worried about Wei Yuxin's identity before and did not dare to say these things out loud.

But now that she had done such a thing, no one would give her any face.

When Wei Yuxin heard that her mother was brought up and her identity had been exposed, her expression became even more vivid.

At this moment, Lin Xiruo had already regained her composure. She said to Xiao Xiaobai calmly, "Let's not talk about Wei Yuxin for the time being. Let's just talk about you. You made a big deal out of the relationship between a man and a woman and almost hurt Zhiqin. You also almost made Mr. Davis a rapist. The consequences of this matter are serious. I can't deal with it alone. Let's just call the police!"

Xiao Xiaobai was so scared that her face turned pale. "Aunt, no!"

It would be over if they called the police!

If it were anything else, it would be fine. At least she could use her connections.

However, judging from the He family's attitude, Xiao Xiaobai would definitely be left with a record.

With a criminal record, many things would be inconvenient for her in the future! If word got out, it would also be very unpleasant!

However, Lin Xiruo was unmoved.

Xiao Xiaobai saw Liszt in the crowd. The man she liked and who had gone out on two dates with her was looking at her.

"Liszt, help me!"

Liszt shook his head. In fact, he was interested in her and thought that they could continue their relationship. However, what happened tonight made him give up on that idea.

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Chapter 1748 Unstoppable

The woman he liked did not have to be beautiful, but she must not have a bad character.

Xiao Xiaobai was in despair. She now had to pay a huge price for a moment of anger!

Lin Xiruo couldn't be bothered to look at her. She said to Davis, "Mr. Davis, please stay and cooperate with the police."

Naturally, Davis did not want to be charged with sexual harassment or even rape. Even if they called the police, he could clear his name with Xu Zhiqin's evidence. Naturally, he agreed immediately.

Bai Jinhua, Bai Ling, and the others all begged for mercy for Xiao Xiaobai, but soon, the police arrived and took them away to cooperate with the investigation.

Xiao Xiaobai's body almost went limp, but she was still mercilessly taken away.

As for Xu Zhiqin, He Jiang had communicated with the police for a while, so he could naturally make an exception.

"Yuxin!" Lin Xiruo turned to Wei Yuxin.

When Wei Yuxin heard this, her body involuntarily trembled. She tried her best to squeeze out a smile, but this smile was not much better than her crying face.

"Aunt." Wei Yuxin bit her lip.

Lin Xiruo smiled and said, "I really can't accept you calling me 'Aunt'."

Wei Yuxin was even more terrified. She called out again, "Aunt."

Her voice became softer and weaker.

"You call me 'Aunt', but you instigated your cousin to deal with my future daughter-in-law. You've made me very terrified, making me wonder if I've done anything to let you down all these years," Lin Xiruo asked gently.

"N-No." Wei Yuxin gritted her teeth and clenched her fists.

The only thing she was sorry about was that Lin Xiruo was on Xu Zhiqin's side and did not choose to help her.

There might even be a lot of talk about how Wei Yuxin had joined forces with her mother, aunt, and cousin to push Bai Ling to He Jiang.

Wei Yuxin was only in her teens at that time, but she already had such thoughts. It was really terrifying.

Others also knew what the Wei and Bai families had done previously and could not help but deeply admire Lin Xiruo.

Unexpectedly, after Lin Xiruo recovered from her illness, her top-notch aura returned and she wasn't at a disadvantage at all.

Moreover, when it came to settling old scores, she was polite and calm. She was soft but tough. It was unbearable!

Everyone even suspected that Xu Zhiqin had deliberately fallen for Xiao Xiaobai's trick just now to seek revenge for Lin Xiruo!

When the mother-in-law and daughter-in-law joined forces, they were simply unstoppable. Their combat power was explosive.

Many people were so frightened that they trembled. They were glad that they hadn't taken advantage of Lin Xiruo's illness to step on her back then. Now, looking at her imposing manner, not only did she have the powerful Lin family of S Country backing her up, but she also had He Jiang and He Xuyan protecting her from both sides. And there was Xu Zhiqin, whose combat strength wasn't weak either. It would be a futile attempt no matter who tried to go against Lin Xiruo.

"Since I didn't do anything to let you down, how could you harm my daughter-in-law like this?" Lin Xiruo said with a sigh. "If something had really happened to Zhiqin, not only would her reputation be damaged but Xuyan's reputation too. The entire He Consortium would be criticized!"

Wei Yuxin's body trembled even more.

Lin Xiruo's words were simply heartbreaking!

As He Xuyan's fiancée, if something really happened to Xu Zhiqin, it might cause He Consortium's reputation to be damaged and the company's share price to fall!

No one could afford this.

Most of the guests tonight had to rely on their cooperation with He Consortium to make a living!

Who would want to see something go wrong with He Consortium?

For a moment, even the people who didn't pay attention to her just now looked at Wei Yuxin differently.

Wei Yuxin straightened her expression. "Aunt, I did have some opinions about Zhiqin, but it's all in the past. I just didn't pay too much attention to some things when I mentioned them to my cousin in

private. I know I was wrong. Aunt, Xuyan, Zhiqin, I don't expect your forgiveness, but I know my mistake. I won't talk casually in the future. Even if I'm jealous, I won't say anything."

As expected of a member of the Wei family. She still had the ability to handle emergency public relations.

She immediately made it seem like she was just jealous and didn't pay attention to her words in private.

As a result, she was not the one who made the mistake. She only said that about Xu Zhiqin in private because she loved He Xuyan too much. This was not a big problem.

As expected, the expressions of the others softened.

"As for Xiao Xiaobai, I'll get my aunts to take good care of her. I won't let her appear in public anymore."

After admitting her mistake, she proposed a solution. Wei Yuxin's move was indeed quite good.

How could Lin Xiruo not understand what she meant?

She smiled and said, "I'm satisfied that you're so sensible. I'll also talk to Xuyan's grandma about this. The Wei family has educated their children well. Grandma He will definitely be happy to hear that."

Wei Yuxin's expression changed again.

The person she relied on was Old Madam He, who indeed doted on her.

If Old Madam He heard about this... she could imagine the consequences.

She secretly clenched her fists. Lin Xiruo was really not easy to deal with!

"Don't blame me for saying a few more words to you as our two families are long-time friends. As an elder, when I see that there's something wrong with the juniors, I definitely have to show some concern. Otherwise, if word gets out, people will say that I'm occupying a high position but not doing anything. They'll criticize the upbringing of our He family," Lin Xiruo said with a smile.

Her words were sharp.

Anyone with discerning eyes could tell that she was mocking the Wei family for wanting Bai Ling to replace her.

Taking up an empty slot?

Even if the slot was empty, it was not something the Wei and Bai families should covet!

How could Wei Yuxin not understand what she meant?

Every word hit Wei Yuxin hard in the heart!

Lin Xiruo's every word was said with a smile.

But every sentence could be interpreted with countless meanings.

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Moreover, Lin Xiruo had clearly retaliated against all the grievances she had suffered all these years!

"Thank you for your advice, Aunt," Wei Yuxin said in a low voice.

"You're welcome. This is what I should do." Lin Xiruo smiled and said, "In the future, you and Zhiqin have to get along well. Let's not mention the past conflicts anymore. As for the Wei family's business, you have to take good care of it. This is the foundation of a family. Zhiqin, let's go over there."

Wei Yuxin was shocked again when she heard Lin Xiruo mention the Wei family's business.

Chapter 1749 Have You Calmed Down?

Although the Wei family was as famous as the He family and they were similar in the eyes of the outside world, only the people in the Wei family knew the truth. As there were too many conflicts in the family and Wei Yuxin's ability was much weaker, there were actually many internal problems.

Lin Xiruo's words naturally shook Wei Yuxin's heart.

She understood that Lin Xiruo had also seen through the problem in the Wei family.

As for her, it would probably be extremely difficult for her to catch Lin Xiruo's eye in the future.

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Offending Lin Xiruo meant marrying He Xuyan was a distant dream for her.

Disappointed, Wei Yuxin sat down in her chair.

Xu Zhiqin held Lin Xiruo's arm and smiled. "Okay."

Lin Xiruo chuckled and said, "I haven't been so happy in a long time. Tonight has been great."

"Aunt, you're really elegant when educating people." Xu Zhiqin admired her. This aura was enough to make those who thought that Lin Xiruo was easy to bully retreat.

"You gave me a good opportunity. I was just wondering how to teach those people from the Bai and Wei families a lesson. They even dared to scheme against my husband and son!"

Lin Xiruo was usually gentle, but she was not easy to provoke.

At this moment, she was in a good mood! Especially when she saw Bai Ling and the others being taken away by the police!

Xu Zhiqin smiled. "Actually, it's all because Su Bei asked me to disguise myself well before. She pretended to be ignorant in front of Wei Yuxin, which made Wei Yuxin think that we didn't know English or French at all, so she planned to use that to scheme against us."

"Su Bei is also smart." Lin Xiruo was deeply proud of her daughter!

Su Bei did not appear just now because she was watching the show from the side. When she saw that the matter was almost resolved, she appeared. "Mom!"

"Are you tired?" Lin Xiruo smiled. "If you're tired, go back and rest early."

"The banquet hasn't ended yet. Can I leave early?" Su Bei asked with a smile.

"You're my daughter. Who dares to say anything bad about my daughter?" Lin Xiruo replied domineeringly.

Su Bei smiled happily. It was good to have her mother dote on her.

He Jiang stood at the side, feeling emotional. His wife used to be gentle and capable. Now, she had completely returned to her old self.

He had been worried about her mental illness for many years and thought she needed time to recover. Now, it seemed that she was completely fine.

"Since our daughter is going back to rest, let's go back too, okay?" He Jiang went forward and hugged his wife's waist, his tone loving.

"Okay."

He Xuyan left with Xu Zhiqin.

He Jiang and Lin Xiruo returned to the He family's mansion. Facing Lin Xiruo like this, the smile on He Jiang's face remained faint.

The phone rang, and he picked it up. "The Bai family should learn their lesson. Go make the arrangements."

"Are you afraid that the Bai family hasn't suffered enough?" Lin Xiruo asked with a smile.

"Of course, I can't be merciful to the people who made my wife angry." He Jiang went forward and hugged her. "Have you calmed down?"

Lin Xiruo sighed. "Others have been coveting my husband for so long. How can I calm down?"

"I'm honored to hear that my wife is jealous over me." He Jiang's feelings for her had not changed at all.

He had no impression of what the women from the Bai family looked like.

Chapter 1750 I'm Not Lost

All these years, He Jiang had only protected the person he loved and waited for her to recover. He was willing to do anything for her.

God had not let him down. What he had hoped for had become reality. He could regain all his happiness.

Lin Xiruo's eyes were watery. "It's not their fault. It's all my fault. All these years, I've made you suffer and worry. I didn't share your burden at all and made you..."

He Jiang lowered his head and kissed Lin Xiruo passionately. It was just like many years ago when he first kissed her. He was loyal and knew they had a future together. He hoped that many years later, the person beside him would still be her.

As long as it was her, what did it matter if he suffered a little? It was all for this moment of sweetness.

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He Xuyan and Xu Zhiqin returned to the villa.

If Xu Zhiqin hadn't held him down tonight, Wei Yuxin and Xiao Xiaobai would probably be dead now.

"Don't let the Bai family and Xiao Xiaobai come out of the station so easily," He Xuyan reminded his assistant.

"It's already been handled. Don't be angry anymore." Xu Zhiqin smiled and comforted him.

"Did Davis do anything to you?"

Actually, it happened in a public place, so nothing could have happened.

However, He Xuyan's eyes were a little red. He did not want her to be hurt in the slightest!

Xu Zhiqin said softly, "Su Bei and I had already expected that Wei Yuxin and Xiao Xiaobai would scheme against us. When Davis came over, I knew what Xiao Xiaobai was going to do. After Xiao Xiaobai left and before Davis' hand could touch my shoulder, I slapped him. I was never at a disadvantage."

He Xuyan reached out to hold her palm and brought it to his lips. "I should be the one resolving these things. You've suffered."

"No, Aunt helped me solve it." Xu Zhiqin smiled. "I'm very satisfied with how much you and Aunt dote on me. Besides, it's good that Aunt got the chance to humiliate the Bai family in public. She must've accumulated a lot of resentment over the years."

He Xuyan thought of his mother's matters and felt guilty.

It turned out that many people had tried to snatch his father away from his mother, but he was so focused on his career that he ignored this.

He felt guilty for not protecting the people he cared about.

"Zhiqin, if I stop being a director in the future, will you still find it interesting to be with me?"

"What are you saying?" Xu Zhiqin reached out and held his face. "Am I only with you because you're a director? Mr. He, do you not know how charming you are?"

He Xuyan smiled. "Isn't it because you admire my talent that you noticed me?"

"It's true that I admire your talent, but it's also true that I'm liking you more and more. Mr. He, no matter what you do in the future, I'll only be yours."

He Xuyan's eyes lit up. He lowered his head and kissed her. "I'm also yours."

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Lin Xiruo didn't take the initiative to tell Old Madam He about Xiao Xiaobai and Wei Yuxin.

However, Old Madam He naturally found out about it.

When she heard this, she was furious. "Such a thing actually happened! They used the relationship between a man and a woman to frame others! How have the Bai and Xiao families educated their children?!"

He Xuyan and Xu Zhiqin sat at the side without saying anything.