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Chapter 1281: Tan Shuangshuang Came Knocking I

Tian Shen Manor.

At the Mu residence's backyard.

A young maiden was lounging on the soft couch as she rested her head in her hand. Her hair flowed like a waterfall, her clothes were red like fire. She was so beautiful that her looks could bring the whole city to its knees. She was unrivaled and magnificent.

"Xiao Qing."

Old Master Mu stood by the side a little flustered. He was silent for a long while before finally opening his mouth to ask, "I heard... you had enrooted the entire manor master's residence?"

He did not know what had happened.

All he knew was that two days ago, Feng Ruqing had said that she was going to bring Nan Xian back. In the end... not knowing how she had actually leveled out the entire chief manor.

Even the back mountain of the chief manor was blasted away.

"Yes." Feng Ruqing was sitting in a lazy position, as if she had no backbone, leaning against the soft couch. "It was destroyed by me."

The corners of the Old Master Mu's lips twitched.

He suddenly could not understand what kind of hatred did she and Gu Shi actually have that she would level out the whole chief manor.

It left Gu Shi with no place to live and he was shamelessly staying at Mu Residence.

"Did Gu Shi offend you?"

After thinking for half a day, Old Master Mu could only think of this possibility.

This little girl was one who would exact her revenge if one had enmity with her. It would definitely be that Gu Shi had offended her and in a fit of anger, she had destroyed the chief manor.

"Oh," Feng Ruqing said in disagreement. "Originally I had only planned to destroy Gu Shi's back mountain, but I did not think that I would overuse my strength and accidentally destroy the whole chief manor..."

Acc... Accidentally?

Exactly how accidentally did she manage to destroy the whole chief manor?

"Then... what about Nan Xian?"

Old Master Mu hesitated for a while before finally asking the question he desired the answer most to.

Feng Ruqing raised her brow. "He will find his way back."

The back mountain was destroyed.

Fang Zhu Mainland no longer existed.

Once Fang Zhu Mainland vanished, Nan Xian and the rest would return to Cang Yue Mainland.

However...

Once Fang Zhu Mainland was destroyed, they could only appear at a corner of Cang Yue Mainland. As to the exact location, she did not know. However, as long as Nan Xian and the rest were back on Cang Yue Mainland, they would naturally return on their own.

That was why she was waiting for him at the Mu family.

When Old Master Mu heard Feng Ruqing's explanation, he sighed in relief. His old face was all smiling. "Maiden Feng, when Nan Xian returns, we need to discuss your wedding."

"Alright." Feng Ruqing lazily stretched her waist. "However, I am a little tired now, and a little hungry. Help me to get the kitchen to prepare some food for me. I will take a rest after eating."

Perhaps these days were too exhausting, making her tired and hungry.

Now that she was relaxed, she could barely bear with it.

Old Master Mu looked at Feng Ruqing at a loss. "You have just eaten a whole table of good food... four hours ago."

Silence ensued.

"And after you finished eating, you fell asleep. You had just awoken."

'So...

'You are telling me you are drowsy and hungry again?

'This little girl... she was not that good at eating in the past.'

Silence once again ensued.

Feng Ruqing was quiet for quite a while. It seemed like lately... she had indeed been very easily worn out and very easily got hungry.

"Perhaps I have used up too much of my energy in my previous battle?"

Old Master Mu was even more confused. 'Were you not only ordering around your pot, oh... and that other guy in the green robe called Wu Yu who had been taken in by you?

'How many times did you personally take action?

'You are telling me that you are too tired because of the battle? You are just too tired ordering your people around.'

"Xiao Qing, you can't have fallen sick, have you?" Old Master Mu asked frowningly.

Feng Ruqing shook her head lightly. "No. If I had fallen sick, I would know. I am fine. Wait till I finish my food and sleep for a little while more. I'll be fine..."

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Old Master Mu felt relieved hearing Feng Ruqing say so. He did not say more and just left.

When he had just walked out the room door, the old housekeeper had already come forward to meet him.

"Master, Tan Shuangshuang is here."

"What is she here for?"

Old Master Mu's face darkened slightly.

He had never liked Tan Shuangshuang. He felt that she was a little fake, just like another Chen Qingyan.

However, she had indeed given birth to a child for Mu Ling. He was also too lazy to say too much.

However, a few days ago, Tan Shuangshuang had ran away when she saw that things were not looking good for the Mu family when Qin Li brought people over to find fault with the Mu family.

If she had just ran away, that was fine. However, she had left behind her child who had just reached a full year. To say it nicely, she would not be able to support this child after she leaves and thus left him to the Mu family.

If that was just that case, then fine. However, before Tan Shuangshuang sneakily ran away, taking advantage of the Mu family's people trying to deal with Qin Li and not being free to care about other matters, she had actually stolen the Mu family's silver and spirit herbs!

Now... she actually dared to come back knocking?

The corner of Old Master Mu's lips curled up into a sneer as he said sarcastically. "Mu Ling has already been chased out by me. What more a Tan Shuangshuang? Make her get lost. Our Mu family only needs Suyi."

All these sons were so worrying, not even comparable to Suyi alone.

"However..." the old housekeeper hesitated for a second. "Tan Shuangshuang is crying and kicking a fuss outside. Would that not be a little not good? Why not... we secretly get rid of her and prevent her from causing a ruckus outside."

Old Master Mu's expression turned even uglier.

He really could not understand Mu Ling. Was Suyi alone not sufficient?

See the two concubines he brought back, which of them were easy to handle? All of them did not wish for his Mu family's harmony.

"Let's go. Bring me to see this Tan Shuangshuang."

Ever since Old Master Mu was clear headed, he had always stayed in the courtyard and rarely came out. He had never interacted with Tan Shuangshuang. Today, he wanted to see how bad Mu Ling's judgment was.

In reality, Chen Qingyan's matters could be blamed on Mu Ling, but regarding Tan Shuangshuang...

Mu Ling was more innocent than anyone else.

After all, he had never liked Tan Shuangshuang. If it were not because Suyi had poisoned him, he would not have had any relations with her, and not mention bringing her back to the Mu family...

Outside the Mu residence, a group of people had started to gather.

Standing outside the door was a maiden who was crying miserably.

Her face looked sad and her eyes were brimming with tears. Her pale face was very pity inducing.

Just like a blooming white lotus. Pure... and fake.

"Old Master Mu."

When she saw Old Master Mu walk out, Tan Shuangshuang's knees had slowly bent, knocking into the ground heavily as she wept silently.

Old Master Mu looked down at the maiden who was kneeling before him as his face remained cold and indifferent. His emotions were not the least affected.

"Old Master Mu, I know that the young master had done wrong. You chased him out of the Mu family, but... I had given birth to a child for the Mu family. My child cannot be motherless from young. I beg you, don't chase me away."

Old Master Mu sneered. "Back then, was it not you yourself who snuck away? Oh, and even stole my Mu family's things."

If it were not that everyone in the Mu family were trying to find a strategy to deal with the situation, and that even Elder Zhang at the spirit herb storage was also the same, how could she have successfully stolen from them?

The people who had originally sympathized with Tan Shuangshuang were stunned when they heard Old Master Mu's words.

Stolen the Mu family's things?

Was that not... thievery?

This maiden looked quite beautiful and was so pitiful. How come it turns out that she was a thief?

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Tan Shuangshuang froze. She clenched her fists tightly. She could not understand. After all, she had given this old man a grandchild. Why did the old man make things difficult for her in front of so many people?

If she was shamed, was that not also throwing the Mu family's reputation away?

"Old Master, I just wish to see my child. My child is still so young. Can you bear to let him live without a mother from such a young age?" Tan Shuangshuang spoke with great sincerity as her tears glistened in her eyes, portraying the desire of a mother wishing to stay with her child.

She was sure that a family clan such as the Mu family would definitely not let the child live outside. As long as her child was still at the Mu family, the Mu family would not chase her out!

Indeed, after the people present heard Tan Shuangshuang's words, they felt that her desire to be with her child was not wrong.

Her only wrongdoing was that she should not have stolen the Mu family's property and left the residence.

"Old Master, I will not compromise the position of the young lady in the Mu family." Tan Shuangshuang's gaze was full of sincere pleading. "I just wish to watch my child grow up. I guarantee that I will not be like Chen Qingyan, causing all kinds of trouble. I beg you, let me stay. Please? Besides staying with the child, I have no other requests."

From the beginning to the end, Old Master Mu wore a dark face. He looked at Tan Shuangshuang coldly.

The man before her did not show the benevolence he had when he was facing Feng Ruqing and Suyi. Even his gaze was chilling.

Tan Shuangshuang bit the bottom of her lip hard as she clenched her fists tightly. Seeing the old master's hard gaze, she felt a little suffocated.

However, she understood that...

She needed to persist. Only by doing so could she have a life of luxury and riches—by relying on the Mu family.

If she knew that the Mu family could overcome the difficulties this time, she would not have run away back then. Perhaps if she had not run away, Old Master Mu would have seen her in a different light, and might even have pampered her like he pampered Suyi...

Just as Tan Shuangshuang was thinking all kinds of nonsense, a familiar voice suddenly spoke from inside Mu Residence.

It was so familiar that her body could not help but stiffen.

"You speak as if you could affect Suyi if you entered the Mu family."

A slender figure walked out from the manor.

The young lady's hair was fluttering in the wind and she looked extremely beautiful.

The corners of her lips were lifted slightly as her half-hearted smile turned and stopped at Tan Shuangshuang.

“Xiao Qing, why have you come out?” Old Master Mu saw Feng Ruqing coming out from the door and frowned. His voice was full of love. “Did you not say that you were weary and drowsy? You should rest well. How is it that you need to manage these matters? Which blind person has informed you of this? I will go and break her legs later on!”

Feng Ruqing looked at Tan Shuangshuang indifferently. “Tan Shuangshuang and I could be considered old acquaintances. Since she has come to our doorstep, I cannot pretend not to see it either.”

Seeing Feng Ruqing’s familiar face, Tan Shuangshuang’s heart clenched in pain.

She could not understand. Why was it that they were both women but the heavens seemed to care about Feng Ruqing so much more?

Firstly, Feng Ruqing had a father who loved her deeply. She was also a princess and had even managed to obtain the fancy of the state preceptor.

If that was all of it, then it was fine.

Who would have thought that the state preceptor would actually be someone from the Mu family of the reclusive world?

She had originally thought that with the Mu family’s identity, they would not be able to accept Feng Ruqing. It was indeed so, Mu Ling and Chen Qingyan did not like her.

However... the young lady and the master of the Mu family pampered her and loved her, putting her in the palm of their hands.

She refused to resign!

She refused to resign to the fact that all the good things belonged to Feng Ruqing!

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Clearly... she was more outstanding than Feng Ruqing. Was it not?

In the past when they were in Liu Yun Kingdom, everyone liked her and snubbed Feng Ruqing.

When did it all begin... that everything changed?

Yes, it was after Feng Ruqing was divorced by her husband and had knocked herself to death.

After that, she became incredibly dazzling, stealing away the limelight that should have been hers, and even stealing away the heart of the man she loved!

When Tan Shuangshuang thought about the various things of the past, her expression was so twisted and her whole body trembled uncontrollably.

Old Master Mu acted like he did not see her as he looked at Feng Ruqing instead. “Oh? Why did I not know that you two were old acquaintances?”

“That is because... her father was an official of my father in the past. Oh, that’s right. Old Master, you should check first if her child is related to Mu Ling. After all... she had been with other people before.”

Rustle!

Tan Shuangshuang's face turned snow white. Her body trembled as she looked at Feng Ruqing in anger. "Feng Ruqing, I know that you are envious that Liu Yuchen had liked me and that he had divorced you back then. However, you cannot simply accuse me. My child is naturally the blood and flesh of the Mu family!"

Divorced?

This word was extremely sensitive.

Everyone turned to look at Feng Ruqing and the rest in surprise.

Tan Shuangshuang was previously with someone else? Was she attempting to taint the blood of the Mu family?

The maiden loved by the Mu family's Young Master Nan Xian... was also married before?

Old Master Mu's expression turned ugly. "What is going on?"

Tan Shuangshuang saw the old master's darkened expression and felt a jolt of happiness in her heart. She looked at Feng Ruqing rather viciously.

'You won't allow me to live well. So, I won't let you off too!'

That day, Tan Shuangshuang had hidden away after escaping and did not return. Furthermore, on the day of the battle, only the family clans who were present knew what had happened. However, those people were already taken away by Gu Shi, so the truth was not widely known.

Therefore, nobody knew clearly that the Mu family was able to overcome the threat they were facing because of Feng Ruqing.

The current Tan Shuangshuang still insisted on her thinking that Feng Ruqing was just the same as her. That she was a woman who had to rely on other people to survive.

"Old Master, I guess you don't know. Back then, Feng Ruqing was promised to another and was even married for a while. Her ex-husband was Liu Yuchen. However, Liu Yuchen disdained her for being fat, so he pursued me. However, Feng Ruqing held this vengeance against me, targeting me at every possible chance. In reality, I had never thought of fighting with her for a man. It was Liu Yuchen's own wishful thinking."

Tan Shuangshuang paused a moment before continuing, "I indeed frequented the Liu family, but I went there to see Lady Liu. It was not related to Liu Yuchen. Feng Ruqing thought that I was trying to get close to Liu Yuchen and had ordered people to beat me up. She was also extremely unfilial. In order to stop Liu Yuchen from taking in a concubine, she had angered her mother-in-law to the point that she fainted. Liu Yuchen was a filial son, so he divorced her for his mother."

As Tan Shuangshuang was telling the story, she looked at Feng Ruqing once again as the cruelty in her eyes increased.

This was Feng Ruqing's own undoing. If she had not brought up the past and slandered her for attempting to taint the blood of the Mu family, she would not have brought up her past like this.

Seeing the old master's expression becoming increasingly ugly, Tan Shuangshuang spoke again, "Old Master, if such a person is to be allowed to stay in the Mu family, there will definitely not be peace. I think the young lady also does not wish to have such a daughter-in-law in order to prevent her from fainting out of anger. After all, she has done such things before."

The whole street was silenced by Tan Shuangshuang's words.

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Old Master Mu's face was so dark that it was a little scary. Even the people who were standing around him could feel the cold, dark aura.

Feng Ruqing did not say a single word from the beginning to the end.

"You said that that person... is called Liu Yuchen?"

After a while, the old master's old, deep voice spoke.

Tan Shuangshuang felt a jolt of happiness in her heart as she nodded and said, "That's right. It is Liu Yuchen from Liu Yun Kingdom."

"Alright," Old Master Mu said coldly. "Old Housekeeper, take a thousand taels of silver and give it to Liu Yuchen of the Liu family."

Tan Shuangshuang was a little stunned as she looked at the old master in confusion.

The old housekeeper was also at a loss. "Master, this..."

"Go and thank him. Xiao Qing is such a good maiden. We have to thank him for divorcing her. Otherwise, where would our family's grandchild have an opportunity? I guess one thousand taels might not be enough. Go and prepare two thousand taels. We need to thank them!"

Tan Shuangshuang's expression changed.

Why were the reality and her predictions... a little different?

'Should Old Master Mu kick Feng Ruqing out? A woman who has been married before, why does the Mu family not disdain her?'

As if not seeing Tan Shuangshuang's expression, Old Master Mu wore a serious expression as he continued, "Housekeeper, go and check if Tan Shuangshuang's child is related to the Liu family. Since Xiao Qing has already said so, then it should not be wrong. You also said that you frequented the Liu family. I do not care if you were there for Lady Liu or Liu Yuchen. You are definitely related to the Liu family in some way. If I find out that somebody tries to wrong my Mu family... Hehe..."

Tan Shuangshuang's legs went soft and she almost crumbled to the ground.

She and Chancellor Liu... no, the previous chancellor's matters were widely known in Liu Yun Kingdom.

If Old Master Mu went to investigate, then everything would be exposed.

Even if the child was really Mu Ling's, the old man might not believe it either.

In that moment, Tan Shuangshuang finally understood what it meant to pick up a brick and drop it onto her own foot. Cold sweat was dripping down her back, drenching her spine.

"Old Master, I..."

She wanted to defend herself, but a cold, elegant voice rang from inside the manor, like a cold wind that blew past, so cold that she shuddered.

"Qing'er has always been a filial child. It is just that some people were disrespectful just because they were older. Considering that they were seniors, they tried to suppress her and had thus disrespected her." Suyi slowly walked out of the door. Her expression was indifferent. "Too bad, she did not see what identity she had. My family's Qing'er is a princess. Such a foolish old lady had actually wanted her to show filial piety? How ridiculous. If it were me, I would definitely have given her a good beating! It could be seen that my family's Qing'er was still merciful to that old lady."

Next to Suyi were Feng Tianyu and his wife.

Originally, Tan Shuangshuang was already feeling cold. Her heart was shaking when she saw Feng Tianyu and his wife walking out together. She was so frightened that she had almost lost consciousness.

Why did no one tell her that His Majesty and the empress would be at such a place...

"Your Ma... Majesty... Empress..."

Tan Shuangshuang was quivering.

Feng Tianyu clasped his hands behind his back. His gaze was fierce and sharp like a knife. "Liu Yuchen disdained the fact that my daughter was a two hundred fifty pound beauty, leaving her to keep watch over an empty room for so many days. It was only by luck that the state preceptor Nan Xian is wise and has been loving her since she still weighed two hundred and fifty pounds. What are you? How dare you slander my daughter here?"

Feng Ruqing who was originally supposed to be happy suddenly felt ripples in her heart.

'Can you guys not mention the words 'two hundred and fifty'?'

Was her reputation not important?

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Suyi disapproved of what he had just said. "You don't have to keep mentioning 'alone in an empty room' repeatedly just to let us know that she is not married to Liu Yuchen. This matter will taint Qing'er's reputation. Besides, I am not overly pedantic. As long as Nan Xian likes her, I'll love her too."

Feng Ruqing was speechless.

She was about to cry.

'Initially, no one would have noticed the words "alone in an empty room", but you've just brought them up again. Are you afraid that people won't know about it?'

Did no one really care about her reputation?

One angry voice could be heard among the crowd on the street.

"In my opinion, Liu Yuchen has bad taste in women. Maiden Feng is so perfect, why should he divorce her and leave Maiden Feng alone in an empty room for such a long time?"

The words 'alone in an empty room' deeply pierced Feng Ruqing's nerves.

When she looked up, she saw that the one who was talking in the crowd was someone that she knew.

Zhuge Jia of the Zhuge family.

It seemed like she was already fine...

She was sold to a brothel, but unharmed due to her timely rescue. Otherwise, Zhuge Jia would not have recovered so quickly.

Fortunately, not many people knew about this, so she did not suffer any deeper injuries.

Initially, it should have been a happy moment for her, but all good feelings suddenly disappeared when Feng Ruqing heard what Zhuge Jia had said.

"Yes, yes..." Another girl continued, "Maiden Feng is so nice and strong. If I were a man, I would still like her even if she's two hundred and fifty pounds."

"Mu Ling once even wanted me to be Nan Xian's concubine. I once thought of accepting it, but I didn't after seeing that Maiden Feng had already known about it. They are in love and perfect for each other. No one can break them apart. The women trying to seduce Nan Xian are all sluts. It is as if they've never seen a man before. Maiden Feng is such a great woman..."

"And the ones who have left her alone are scum!"

"But hasn't Master Nan Xian been leaving Maiden Feng alone too? Otherwise, why hasn't she gotten pregnant yet? If Master Nan Xian does not leave her alone, then there must be something wrong with him."

Feng Ruqing was speechless.

'Please, can you guys stop saying this?'

Did they ever think about her reputation?

Feng Ruqing suddenly realized that she had been often feeling sleepy and hungry lately.

Could it be that...

She frowned and shook her head.

'Impossible...'

It was only that one time in Haitian Kingdom that... Did Nan Xian probably make it?

No, it was impossible. She was just overthinking it...

At this moment, Tan Shuangshuang's face was already dark, and her eyes were fierce.

She had not been here long, but she knew how famous Nan Xian was in Tian Shen Manor.

But... Should they not be insanely jealous of Feng Ruqing? Why were they still fangirling over her?

These women... They were crazy.

Both were women. What would they get from admiring her? With connections and status that one had, one could easily break them up! Feng Ruqing was not good enough for Nan Xian!

"Ahem..." Feng Ruqing cleared her throat and hurriedly interrupted them as she saw that those girls were going to continue their arguments. "Enough, there's no need to talk about the past. Old Master, let's check first whether that child is the Mu family's or not. Otherwise, we will send that child back to the Liu family

Chapter 1287: Tan Shuangshuang was Beaten Up I

After hearing her words, the old master Mu hesitated for a moment before turning to her, expressionlessly. "You mean, Tan Shuangshuang's child really belongs to Liu Yuchen?"

She had brought someone else's child to his Mu family and treated the Mu family like a fool?

"No..." Feng Ruqing said indifferently.

It was only then that the old master Mu was quietly relieved.

They were in front of a large crowd, after all. If others knew that his Mu family was being treated like a fool and his son was already happy to be a father, then all of his family's reputation would be lost.

However...

Whether Tan Shuangshuang had fooled the Mu family or not, there was no way he would let her set foot in the Mu family!

"She and Liu Yuchen are innocent. Both of them were once in love but didn't get together, as for her child..." Feng Ruqing paused for a moment. "The child belong to Liu Yuchen's father."

Tan Shuangshuang had just gotten up from the ground when she coldly heard Feng Ruqing's words. Her feet trembled as she almost fell back to the ground.

Then, she steadied her footing and rushed toward Feng Ruqing in anger.

"Feng Ruqing, what exactly have I, Tan Shuangshuang, done to offend you to the point where you want to harm me like this? Why are you everywhere? In Liu Yun Kingdom and even when you come to Tian Shen Manor... Do you envy me for living a good life?" Feng Ruqing had already snatched Liu Yuchen from her. It was so hard for Tan Shuangshuang to find a good place here, and now she was going to destroy it too!

Why did Feng Ruqing have to brutalize her like this?

Before Tan Shuangshuang was able to reach Feng Ruqing...

Feng Ruqing had stretched out her leg, and kicked Tan Shuang Shuang's body fiercely, sending her flying out of the way.

She rolled a few times and landed among the crowd helplessly. Her small face turned pale was soaked with tears.

If this had happened in the former Liu Yun Kingdom... Feng Ruqing would have definitely been criticized by these people who saw her accusing Tan Shuanghuang.

But now...

Tan Shuangshuang did not see any feeling of pity or anger toward Feng Ruqing in these people's eyes.

Everyone subconsciously stepped out of the way, leaving her alone on the ground...

Feng Ruqing walked toward Tan Shuangshuang and stopped in front of her.

She looked down at her condescendingly. "You said I harmed you, did I... Force you to sleep with Liu Yuchen's father?"

Tan Shuangshuang trembled. "It's your fault. I would not become like this if you didn't take away my father's position. And if you hadn't demonized me in front of Liu Yuchen and caused him to misunderstand me, I wouldn't have been forced by Chancellor Liu to commit myself to him."

Feng Ruqing suddenly laughed out loud.

What a burden to bear...

It was the first time she had seen someone sacrificing themselves and making such a moralistic statement.

"Your father is forcing my father to punish me only because he is the grand tutor. But he has forgotten that my father is the emperor, and he is just a minister!" Feng Ruqing stepped hard on Tan Shuangshuang's chest. "Tan Shuangshuang, you've never thought of your own accusations. Liu Yuchen and I have long parted ways, but both of you had always bothered me! If you haven't reminded me of your existence repeatedly, what are you to me?"

Tan Shuangshuang raised her pale face and shook her head hard.

'No...

'That's not true...

'Obviously, it was Feng Ruqing's fault. She was the one who lusted after and had deliberately seduced Liu Yuchen, and then she had dumped Liu Yuchen after she saw that Master Nan Xian was better...'

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Why was she the only one to be blamed in the end?

“Tan Shuangshuang...” Nalan Yan looked at Tan Shuangshuang with a cold and expressionless gaze. “Have you forgotten that you have slandered my daughter when we were in Liu Yun Kingdom back then? Qing’er is right. Who the hell are you guys? Nalan Yan’s daughter doesn’t need to stoop to beg for a man’s mercy!”

Tan Shuangshuang bit her lower lip and said no more.

She looked at the young girl who was being loved and protected by everyone. Thinking of how alone she was right now, Tan Shuangshuang’s heart was dripping with blood, and jealousy almost drove her mad.

She did not understand why the gap between her and Feng Ruqing was so wide. She was also a human.

The ones that Feng Ruqing met were all people who loved her dearly.

In comparison...

The people she had ever met were just scum!

So was Liu Yuchen, Chancellor Liu, and also Mu Ling!

‘Why is god so unfair to me?’

Tan Shuangshuang’s face was miserable as she took a few steps backward. She looked at the Mu family’s yard that she could no longer step into, and finally chose to leave.

At a time like this, if she did not leave, what else could she do?

When the Mu family found out the truth about everything, they would kick her out anyway, right?

She had just taken a few steps back when a stern voice suddenly came from behind her, making her tremble, forcing her to stop.

“So, you want to escape after insulting my daughter?”

Feng Tianyu had his hands behind his back. His face was cold and stern. “Tan Shuangshuang! Qing’er is the ruler, and you are her people. You’ve humiliated her in public, shouldn’t you be punished for this crime?”

It had been nearly two years since she had left Liu Yun Kingdom.

These two years had made Tan Shuangshuang almost forget that she was still a citizen of Liu Yun Kingdom.

As for Feng Ruqing, she was still a noble princess.

Hearing these words from Feng Tianyu, Tan Shuangshuang stiffened and slowly turned around. Her voice trembled. “Your Maj... Your Majesty...”

“Master Mu...” Feng Tianyu ignored Tan Shuangshuang and said, “Today, I will borrow someone from your Mu family. Guards! Come and whip Tan Shuangshuang one hundred times. After that, send her back to the Liu family along with her child!”

Tan Shuangshuang raised her head in fear.

After leaving the Mu family, she had finally been able to stay with the other family in Tian Shen Manor using her beauty.

But...

Would Feng Tianyu really kick her out of Tian Shen Manor and send her back to the Liu family?

No! Absolutely not!

Lady Liu would beat her to death!

"No, don't!"

Tan Shuangshuang finally felt afraid and threw herself at Feng Tianyu's feet helplessly. "Your Majesty, please don't send my daughter and me to the Liu family. Please, Lady Liu will kill me."

Feng Tianyu looked down expressionlessly at Tan Shuangshuang, kneeling at his feet. "When you first provoked my daughter, did you ever think of... The price you'd pay!"

Tan Shuangshuang's body stiffened.

She was so overwhelmed by jealousy that she did not carefully think about it until Feng Tianyu spoke. Now, she felt weak and fell onto the ground helplessly.

If only... She had been able to keep her mind calm and make the right decision, perhaps... She would not have made such a stupid mistake.

Unfortunately, there was no turning back for her, and her life would now be a tragedy.

The men of the Mu family had already carried Tan Shuangshuang away.

A few moments later, her heart-wrenching screams echoed throughout the manor.

Chapter 1289: Boy or Girl? II

No one among those who were present sympathized with her anymore.

Feng Ruqing yawned once again, somewhat lazily. "Father, Mother, I'm a little sleepy. I'll go and rest for a while. Call me when Nan Xian has come back."

Suyi looked at Feng Ruqing with some concern. "Qing'er, have you been feeling a bit ill lately? You are always tired."

'And you're eating a little too much...'

Previously, Qing'er had never eaten this much, so why had she changed so much recently?

"I'm fine."

Feng Ruqing smiled. "I'm just too tired lately, so I'll just rest for a while."

She turned around after finishing speaking and slowly walked out to the Mu family's yard.

Nalan Yan silently gazed at Feng Ruqing. She always felt that... Her daughter seemed to have changed a bit lately.

And she could not tell what was happening to her.

"Old Master, I have something to report." The old butler paused for a moment and said, "Maiden Feng has been eating too much lately. We can't let her like this." The old Master Mu glanced over and growled. "What do you mean Little Xiao Qing has been eating too much? Do you think my Mu family can't afford to feed a girl? Will the Mu family become poor if she eats a little too much? Old Butler, I never thought you'd be such a cheapskate!"

The old butler was speechless. He looked at the old Master Mu's angry old face and said carefully, "But... Two days ago, Maiden Feng has eaten all the meals in the kitchen. I had to prepare the meals in a rush again so that the others don't starve.

"And yesterday... I had purposely prepared a meal for two, but it didn't take long before Maiden Feng finished them.

"Oh, and today... She ate a whole cow! Old Master, I'm not stingy. I'm worried that Maiden Feng might be sick, even a pregnant woman can't eat this much."

The old Master Mu was stunned.

He only knew that her appetite had recently increased, but how could she have eaten so much?

What if her body exploded?

A cold light flashed in Feng Tianyu's eyes as he fiercely lifted his hand and picked up the old butler's lapels.

"What did you just say?"

'Pregnant?'

How could his little girl be pregnant when she was still an innocent girl?

What the hell did that bastard Nan Xian do to her?

The old butler trembled. "I mean is, what if Maiden Feng got sick..."

Feng Tianyu gritted his teeth and said, "Next sentence!"

"Oh, even a pregnant woman can't eat that much!"

The old butler's words caused Suyi and Nalan Yan to look at each other.

They recalled all Feng Ruqing's reaction in the past two days, and a possibility suddenly rose in their hearts...

Suyi's face was full of joy, but Nalan Yan's was cold. If Nan Xian were here, she would probably have chopped him into pieces.

She had agreed to the engagement all because of her daughter.

But that did not mean that... She would let her daughter get married this soon!

After all, there was a difference between getting engaged and getting married!

"Ahem!" After seeing the reactions of Nalan Yan and Feng Tianyu, Suyi hurriedly restrained the joy on her face and smiled elegantly. "Let's confirm it first! Let's see if Qing'er is really pregnant and if she is... If you agree to marry Qing'er to Nan Xian, I'll agree... To send Nan Xian to you so you can drill him for a few days."

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Well, she hoped Nan Xian had a thicker skin, or else... He might come back battered and bruised...

Feng Tianyu sneered. "If I find out what Nan Xian has done to my daughter, I'll break that bastard into a million pieces! He should be glad when I agreed to this marriage, but that kid is so daring to touch her first?"

"Let's go see Qing'er."

Without saying more, Nalan Yan turned back and walked inside Mu Manor.

The old housekeeper was confused. He was just casually wondering out loud, why did these people make it seem as if Maiden Feng was really pregnant?

Besides, he was clearly saying that... Even a pregnant woman could not eat this much.

"Master, this... Will it be alright?" The old housekeeper was worried.

The old master laughed. "What are you worried about? Little Xiao Qing will be fine. It's only Nan Xian... I hope he will not come back soon, at least until his in-laws have cooled down... Otherwise... He might just lose his life."

The old housekeeper was startled, and he kept having a feeling that... He had made a big mistake.

"Oh..." The old master smiled sinisterly. "Fortunately, I have given birth to two sons. If I had a daughter, I'm afraid I would be just like this couple. I'd fight anyone who dares touch my daughter!"

Every father with a daughter was prepared to fight to the death for their daughters' happiness and chastity.

And so did he.

The old master was suddenly a little sad as he turned to Suyi.

Suyi and Mu Ling were no longer together, and her position in the Mu family was no different from being his daughter...

If some brat abducted Suyi... He would also fight that man to death.

"Lady Suyi, Master, what do you say... If Maiden Feng really was pregnant, would it be better to have a boy or a girl?" The old housekeeper smiled and asked.

Suyi smiled. "I like girls, well-behaved and sensible, just like little Qing Han. Fu Chen is also well-behaved, but I will always prefer girls. If it turns out to be a boy, I'll probably just let him be like Nan Xian. I'll give him the freedom that he wants, and I won't miss him if he does not come home."

The old butler was speechless.

Why did he suddenly feel that Master Nan Xian was miserable as a child?

His father was in love with the people who had hurt him, forcing him to leave the Mu family, and even his mother... Would not miss him.

"I'm not like you." The old master sighed. "I loved that little girl, but... As you said, you will not miss your son if he doesn't come back. With a girl, it is different. You always feel that something is missing when she leaves, like when you walked away from the Mu family back then."

He paused and continued, "Having a boy, you may always dislike him, just like I dislike Xiao Qingyin, but... When he's going to be a son-in-law to someone, I don't have to worry about anything. Men are stronger, and it's okay for them to get beaten up.

"Girls are different, you'd worry about whether she'd meet scums in the future, whether she'd be willing to listen to you and leave that scum, whether she'd be bullied after getting married... You'd be worried about her and you'd be unable to sleep... There's so much to worry about a little girl."

Like Feng Tianyu now...

Maybe he was even thinking of killing Nan Xian!

If his little girl wanted to marry and have children in the future, he would probably still feel the same.

It was heartbreaking to think about it!

Suyi lowered her eyes and said after a moment of silence, "It doesn't matter, I trust Qing'er and Nan Xian. Whoever dares to bully our little girl will risk their entire family being annihilated for sure! I don't believe anyone would dare to bully her!"