

Sidekick 1191

Chapter 1191 Nephew Pees on Jian Yiling's Pants

"Who told you about this?" Jian Yunnao asked.

"Brother Yuncheng!" Jian Yumin replied. "When it comes to eating food, you shouldn't forget about Little Dandan."

"Auntie... Auntie..."

Jian Dan cried out as soon as he saw Jian Yiling. He desperately tried to crawl over to Jian Yiling.

"Hey, I brought you here for you to steal food. You're not meant to be here to steal your auntie."

However, Jian Dan was unable to comprehend his father's words.

He only had eyes for his pretty auntie. He wanted a hug from her!

Jian Yumin had no choice but to leave Jian Dan with Jian Yiling. However, he still warned his son: "Don't you dare make a fuss. If you stop Yiling from eating, I will get your mother to deal with you when we get back home!"

Jian Dan was not at all intimidated by his father's words. Instead, he only seemed to care about his pretty auntie.

Even though Jian Yiling looked like a little girl herself, she knew how to take care of children.

In fact, she seemed to be even more professional than Jian Yumin and Luo Xiuen combined.

It appeared as though she had a lot of theoretical knowledge stored up.

"Da-da-da-da-da-da."

Jian Dan clapped and waved his arms. No one knew what the little boy was muttering.

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Once everyone finished eating, there was a smile on almost everyone's faces.

Jian Yiling was no exception to this.

Perhaps it was because Jian Dan was too amusing or perhaps it was because her brothers were way too kind to her.

When dinner was over, just as Jian Yiling was about to get up, she suddenly felt warm liquid soak her black pants.

This...

"Ahh! I was in a hurry! I forgot to put diapers on Little Dandan!"

As soon as Jian Yumin received the phone call from Jian Yuncheng, he rushed out the door with his son.

Jian Yumin did not pay attention to details. If he was looking after his son, everything was considered to be okay as long as his son was alive.

Jian Yiling looked down at her pants. To everyone's surprise, she wasn't upset. Instead, she laughed.

When the Jian brothers saw the smile on Jian Yiling's face, they felt that their entire world had lit up.

Jian Yunmo laughed and said: "Brother Yumin, it seems as though your son had come to collect your debt."

When Jian Yiling was young, she peed onto Jian Yumin's pants. And now, Jian Dan peed onto Jian Yiling's pants.

Was this karma?

An awkward expression appeared on Jian Yumin's face as he said: "Don't mention those things right now! Quickly send Yiling back home! It must be incredibly uncomfortable!"

Why were they all laughing? Yiling's pants were still wet! She must feel incredibly uncomfortable!

Jian Dan did not comprehend that he did something bad. Instead, he kept smiling.

"Why are you still smiling? I'll smack your butt when we get back! How dare you pee on your auntie's pants! Your milk will get confiscated!"

"Hehehe," Jian Dan giggled.

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During the weekends, Jian Yiling and Li Zhuojia attended the medical conference together as representatives from Lahaisen Hospital.

There were a lot of familiar faces at the conference. Jian Yiling had met these people at previous conferences.

However, there were a few new faces as well.

When Yun Song and the others saw Jian Yiling, they were all incredibly happy. During the break, they all went over to greet Jian Yiling. They also chatted about what happened during the past two years.

"Sigh, when you went missing, we were incredibly lonely," Elder Yun commented.

Then, Yun Song asked where Jian Yiling went in the past two years.

After they learned that Jian Yiling was stuck in a place for two entire years, they also learned that she never stopped doing research. Yun Song and the others hurriedly asked Jian Yiling what research she had been doing. Then, they asked her about the details of her research.

Chapter 1192: Scared of Competing

These elderly individuals were more interested in research than in anything else.

As they were discussing these things, a middle-aged doctor appeared next to them. This man only started attending this medical conference in the past two years.

He smiled and asked Jian Yiling about the incident he read online:

“Dr. Jian, are you scared of competing against Dr. Fei? Is that news true?”

Jian Yiling merely glanced at the other person.

Elder Yun hurriedly defended Jian Yiling: “What do you mean by scared? That’s definitely not the case. It’s just that Dr. Jian isn’t interested in competing.”

Being scared to compete and not being interested in competing were two completely different things.

“Is that so?” the middle-aged man asked. His eyes evidently did not believe in Jian Yiling’s words. “Well, it just so happens that I know Grandpa Li’s son. His son told me what happened. If you’re scared of competing against Dr. Fei, that’s totally fine. However, you shouldn’t say those things to Grandpa Li. It’s a very disrespectful thing to do.”

Grandpa Li’s daughters and sons were all well-known and well-respected individuals.

Grandpa Li’s eldest son just so happened to be friends with this middle-aged man.

And thus, he heard this news from Grandpa Li’s eldest son.

As someone who was in the medical profession, he felt bad to have such a person working in the same field as him.

It just so happened that he met Jian Yiling today at the medical conference. She was even attending as the representative of Lahaisen Hospital.

“This has nothing to do with you,” Jian Yiling replied indifferently.

“It indeed has nothing to do with me. However, I just simply feel sorry for Lahaisen Hospital.”

As he said this, the middle-aged man glanced at Li Zhuojia who was standing beside Jian Yiling: “What do you think Vice-Dean? Have you heard about this incident that happened amongst your doctors in the Beijing branch?”

“I haven’t heard about it,” Li Zhuojia answered. “However, it’s not important.”

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“Vice-Dean, you essentially take care of Lahaisen Hospital’s entirety. If you don’t treat your subordinates fairly and impartially, no one will be able to trust Lahaisen Hospital,” the middle-aged man said in a heavy tone. It seemed as though he was looking out for Lahaisen Hospital’s interests.

However, Li Zhuojia replied bluntly: “Lahaisen Hospital never claimed to be a fair and impartial place. In addition, we don’t care about what everyone else thinks of us.”

Lahaisen Hospital always had the attitude of come and go as you please.

Whether it was a doctor or a patient, if you wanted to come, then you could come. However, if you didn’t want to be here, no one would force you to stay.

And naturally, when you were in Lahaisen Hospital, you had to listen to their rules.

Evidently, the middle-aged man did not expect Li Zhuojia to say such things. As a result, he did not know what he was meant to say.

However, he did not dare to directly argue against Li Zhuojia. After all, he was the Vice-Dean of Lahaisen Hospital. Everyone in the industry respected him. Offending him definitely would not be a wise decision.

And thus, the middle-aged man turned around and walked away in a huff.

It seemed like he would grow white hair if he talked to these members from Lahaisen Hospital any longer.

Jian Yiling said to Elder Yun: "Let's go and discuss this in the lounge room."

"Sure, let's continue our discussion there," Elder Yun replied. He didn't want to deal with that person anymore either.

People who walked different paths wouldn't get along together.

After the medical conference ended, the middle-aged man went home and logged onto the most famous medical forum in China. He wrote up an article on Jian Yiling and criticized her behavior.

After he posted the article, the middle-aged man looked smugly at the article he had written. He thought the piece of writing was quite amazing.

Chapter 1193: Slapping Fei Qing in the Face (1)

Previously, someone had already published a news article about the competition between Jian Yiling and Fei Qing.

And thus, for such an article to come out right now, this was essentially pushing Jian Yiling into the eye of the storm.

The article said that Jian Yiling had an undeserved reputation and that there were no surgical cases to back up her expertise.

However, the article only remained on the Internet for two hours.

After two hours, the person who posted the article apologized for posting it. They also said that they were crazy to post such a baseless article.

This made the other users of the forum quite confused.

However, there were a few tall men in the middle-aged man's house. They looked rather scary.

"I already deleted the post. I've also apologized for my words. What else do you want me to do?" the middle-aged man asked with tears on his face.

What did he do to deserve this?

He just posted an article about Jian Yiling. He was merely analyzing the situation. However, in less than an hour, these people rushed into his home and began interrogating him.

And somehow, his parents, his wife, and his brother all lost their jobs.

Suddenly, everyone in his family became unemployed.

As everyone was facing unemployment, the middle-aged man began to panic.

He hurriedly apologized and hoped that these people would be satisfied with his apology.

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However, Jian Yuncheng, Jian Yunmo, and Jian Yunnao merely looked at the middle-aged man coldly.

Jian Yuncheng said to the man: "Your tears only fell once you saw the coffin. They're not worth anything."

"Then... What do you want us to do? Even if I did something wrong, you should give me a chance to correct myself!"

"I don't want to give you a chance," Jian Yuncheng replied. There was no pity in his eyes.

Even Jian Yunmo was not merciful: "You need to pay the price when you do something wrong. Giving you a chance to correct yourself won't erase the harm you brought to others. If saying sorry is sufficient, why would we need jail cells and police officers?"

When it came to protecting Jian Yiling, the Jian brothers would never show any mercy.

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Grandpa Li's surgery was scheduled for Friday afternoon.

Everyone who was free in the surgical department came to observe this surgery.

Naturally, everyone planned to stand outside the glass window to watch. They would make sure that they didn't disturb Fei Qing.

Everyone was here to learn. After all, such a difficult surgery would be incredible learning material for them.

Furthermore, this surgery was to be performed on special microscopic instruments. These instruments would not be used in the operations of ordinary hospitals.

Even though Fei Qing looked confident, there was still a hint of worry in her heart.

After all, she would not usually perform these surgeries. These surgeries had too much risk involved in them.

If something went wrong, the old man on the operating table would not be able to survive.

Jian Yiling also appeared outside the operating room.

When Jian Yiling appeared, everyone cast a strange look at her.

They did not know why she was here.

For some reason, they felt that she was up to no good.

Before Fei Qing entered the operating room, she saw Jian Yiling.

After a pause, Fei Qing asked with a small frown on her face: “Dr. Jian, are you here to watch me perform the operation?”

“Yeah,” Jian Yiling replied. There was no hesitation or discomfort in her voice.

Upon hearing this response, Fei Qing smiled and said: “Well, watch closely then.”

When the operation began, Fei Qing was as steady as ever.

The doctors and nurses outside the operating room all watched intently.

Fei Qing was definitely one of the most talented surgeons in the younger generation.

Her technique was steady and precise. It was incredible to watch her achieve this in such a difficult operation.

Everyone watching was impressed by her expertise.

Chapter 1194: Slapping Fei Qing in the Face (2)

The first half of the operation went relatively smoothly.

However, during the second half, the difficulty of the operation began to rise.

The lesion was located around the blood vessels and the trachea. Furthermore, the cancerous tissue was wrapped around two important vascular tracts. And hence, it had to be peeled off very carefully. Any mistake would be disastrous.

Fei Qing’s forehead was filled with beads of sweat.

The situation gradually became more and more urgent.

When the operation was two-thirds of the way through, Grandpa Li’s vital signs began to go down.

Everyone watching began to become worried.

“There won’t be any problem, right? The situation doesn’t look very good...”

“There shouldn’t be a problem. We should believe in Dr. Fei.”

“Dr. Fei hasn’t failed a surgery before. This shouldn’t be an exception.”

“But... I feel like this operation is quite different from the other ones. After all, the patient is very old. Furthermore, it’s an incredibly difficult surgery... The location of the lesion...”

Everyone was quietly discussing the surgery outside the operating room. This was because they knew their voices could not be heard by the people inside the room. And thus, they could express their thoughts without disturbing the people inside.

Jian Yiling also glanced at the vital signs. A slight frown appeared on her face.

After another ten minutes, the patient began to suffer hemorrhage. His heart beat and blood pressure began to jump all over the place as well.

The patient’s situation began to become dangerous.

Everyone inside the operating room tensed up as they attempted to save Grandpa Li.

Fei Qing's assistant asked for instructions.

However, Fei Qing herself was panicking.

When she looked at the numbers on the screen, Fei Qing's mind went blank for a moment.

It was normal for incidents to happen during surgery. However, Fei Qing had never encountered this situation before.

The patient's aorta and blood vessels were ruptured.

Furthermore, the patient's overall physical condition wasn't great.

Everyone in the operating room tried to carry out rescue measures.

This made the crowd watching outside become nervous.

"The situation doesn't look too good..."

"It's okay. We need to believe in Dr. Fei. She has sufficient experience to handle such a situation."

"That's right. Dr. Fei has done sufficient preparation for this surgery. She definitely prepared for such a situation. I'm sure she can handle this."

Everyone outside the window began to whisper to one another.

During this time, rescue measures were being carried out inside the operating room. However, Grandpa Li's vital signs continued to go down.

The situation was very critical.

"Dr. Fei, what do we do now?" another doctor asked Fei Qing.

However, Fei Qing could not answer this question.

Countless possibilities appeared in her mind. However, none of them would be effective in this situation.

If this were to continue on, Grandpa Li would not live through this operation.

Everyone inside the operating room did not know what to do.

Similarly, everyone outside the operating room was equally as worried.

They could do nothing but watch.

After all, they couldn't help even if they wanted to.

Suddenly, the door of the operating room opened. Jian Yiling came in from outside.

She began to calmly direct people to carry out rescue measures as she disinfected herself and changed her clothes.

After she changed her clothes, Jian Yiling walked over to the operating desk and took the scalpels away from Fei Qing.

Then, the operation continued.

Everyone else in the operating room hurriedly began to assist Jian Yiling in the surgery.

Two hours later, the surgery was over.

Jian Yiling left the operating desk.

The patient's vital signs had stabilized. This meant they would not encounter any life-threatening situation for the time being.

Chapter 1195: Slapping Fei Qing in the Face (3)

The operation was very successful.

The nurses informed the patient's family about this good news.

Then, everyone's attention fell onto Jian Yiling who completed this incredible surgery.

Jian Yiling's face was calm and expressionless as she exited the surgery room.

It didn't seem like she was proud of her achievements.

In fact, she didn't even look at Fei Qing.

After the surgery was done, she changed her clothes and quickly left the operating room.

As everyone looked at Jian Yiling, a complicated feeling welled up in their hearts.

Those who speculated that Jian Yiling was afraid of competing against Fei Qing as she had no talent, were now ashamed of themselves.

It turned out that Jian Yiling had the real talent. She just didn't want to gamble with a person's life.

On the other hand, Fei Qing challenged Jian Yiling to this competition.

And yet, the operation nearly failed in her hands. The old man had almost died on the operating table.

Fei Qing did not know how she got out of the operating room and how she ended up walking back to her own office.

After she sat in her office for almost half an hour, she slowly came back to her senses.

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When she opened the WeChat group, Fei Qing quickly realized that everyone was complimenting Jian Yiling:

[No wonder Dr. Jian is part of Lahaisen Hospital's main branch! She's incredible!]

[I know right! Thankfully she was there today! She calmly directed everyone and completed this incredibly challenging case! It was absolutely amazing to watch!]

[From today onwards, Dr. Jian is my idol!]

[Dude, the situation was so tense today. I thought it was going to be the first surgery our hospital has failed. Thankfully Dr. Jian took over the surgery and saved the patient's life.]

[Yeah, she's absolutely insane! She literally dragged his life back from hell!]

[She's so talented!!!]

As Fei Qing read these messages, she felt as though these people were not just complimenting Jian Yiling. Instead, they were also making fun of her. People were definitely mocking her in WeChat groups she was not a part of.

All that glory that originally belonged to her was stolen away by Jian Yiling. Fei Qing's heart was filled with resentment.

As she no longer wanted to read the messages, Fei Qing angrily threw her phone onto the desk.

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Even though Zhang Yun was not a part of the surgical department, the news quickly spread all through Lahaiesn Hospital.

When Zhang Yun heard of this news, people around her asked her about Jian Yiling.

"Zhang Yun, you and Jian Yiling eat lunch together right? Do you guys know each other?"

"Sort of," Zhang Yun answered. However, she didn't want to one sidedly claim that she was really close friends with Jian Yiling.

"Ahh, I'm so jealous of you. You can get close to such a godly person."

"You guys aren't far away from her either," Zhang Yun replied with a smile.

"But we're not close to her. Introduce her to us next time you eat in the cafeteria!"

Upon hearing this, Zhang Yun could merely smile. After all, she really wasn't that close with Jian Yiling.

Jian Yiling only introduced her to this job because she saved her life.

And as they were both working here, they decided to occasionally eat lunch together and head off work together. But despite this, they didn't know each other that well.

Therefore, Zhang Yun did not know that Jian Yiling was that talented.

Chapter 1196: Brothers Actually Go Busking (1)

Zhang Yun knew that Jian Yiling was a great surgeon. But she didn't expect Jian Yiling to be that great.

As she was only an intern, she couldn't go watch the operation like the other doctors and nurses.

However, after the operation, everyone was discussing how insane Jian Yiling was.

"Well, you still know her better than us. There's a team-building event next week. Could you help us invite her?"

As Jian Yiling was not technically part of Lahaisen Hospital's Beijing branch, she was not invited to the team building.

However, after today's operation, everyone wanted to know Jian Yiling a bit better. Most people unanimously wanted her to join them at the team-building event.

"Um... I will ask her for you. However, it's still her decision," Zhang Yun said softly. She did not dare to promise anything.

When it was time to leave work, Zhang Yun and Jian Yiling left together.

When they left, they noticed that a lot of people were gathered in a square somewhere not far away from the hospital entrance.

"What's happening?" Zhang Yun asked. Her curiosity made her look in that direction. "It seems as though someone's playing the piano."

Piano?

Upon hearing those words, Jian Yiling suddenly thought of something. She quickly walked in the direction of the crowd.

Jian Yiling would not typically walk toward crowds. However, the situation was different today.

Jian Yiling and Zhang Yun squeezed their way through.

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A grand piano was set up in the originally empty square.

A young and handsome pianist was playing the piano. His slim fingers flew over the piano keys.

The pianist was no other than Jian Yunnao.

Jian Yumin was also holding a microphone and singing a beautiful song.

The beautiful melody and singing attracted countless onlookers.

Everyone recognized that the person playing the piano was a young pianist who had recently become famous.

Meanwhile, the person singing was Xie Minyu, a former member of Jupiter who quit the entertainment industry a few years ago.

There was also a cracked bowl placed on the ground. Beside the bowl was a sign reading: Please donate money.

However, if they wanted to, these people could easily host a concert. Why were they busking here?

What was happening?

Why were they doing the same things as street performers?

If it weren't for the bodyguards protecting them, the crowd would have rushed forward already.

Zhang Yun tugged on Jian Yiling's arm and said: "I'm not dreaming right? My favorite pianist is playing in front of me?!"

When they were in Jinshui Village, Jin Jin had met Jian Yiling's brothers.

However, Zhang Yun hadn't. She only spoke to Jian Yiling a few times before she came to Beijing.

And during this time, she hadn't meet any of Jian Yiling's family members.

Whilst Zhang Yun was still shocked, Jian Yiling walked toward Jian Yumin and Jian Yunnao.

Even though the bodyguards blocked other onlookers from stepping forward, they did not stop Jian Yiling.

Jian Yumin and Jian Yunnao immediately saw Jian Yiling.

Jian Yumin quickly walked over and looked at Jian Yiling with gentle eyes. It was as though the song was specifically sung for Jian Yiling.

The only time Jian Yumin had such gentle and affectionate eyes was when he was singing.

It was unlikely for him to have such a gentle look on his face at any other time.

Chapter 1197: Brothers Actually Go Busking (2)

Some of the onlookers recognized Jian Yiling and Jian Yumin. After all, a while ago, they attended a reality show together. They knew they were cousins.

Furthermore, the lyrics of the song that Jian Yumin was singing were directed to his sister:

You are God's gift to us;

You are our angel;

You are the light we want to protect;

However, we didn't expect you to grow up so quickly;

We didn't want you to go through the wind and rain by yourself;

But time never stops for anyone;

Time took away your youthful ignorance and brought along trouble and mishap;

...

But may you have a safe and beautiful life;

We will always be here for you;

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This song was not available online. In fact, no one had heard this song before.

The reason for this was because Jian Yunnao recently composed the song and the lyrics of the song were filled in by Jian Yumin.

And hence, this was the first time it got played and sung in public.

Jian Yiling stared at Jian Yumin for a while. Then, she reached into her pockets and got out a few coins.

She didn't have a lot of pocket change.

After that, Jian Yiling walked over to the broken bowl and threw her coins into it.

The onlookers were very confused to see this.

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Was this their sister's acknowledgment?

For some reason, everyone unanimously thought that tomorrow's top Weibo news article would be: [Shock! Retired Idol Goes Busking! His Sister Sees This And Takes Pity On Him By Donating Her Pocket Change!]

After Jian Yiling threw the coins into the bowl, the other onlookers followed suit and began to throw money into there as well.

Some threw in five dollars whilst others threw in ten dollars. There was even a hundred-dollar note!

After a short while, the bowl was full.

Jian Yumin sang and Jian Yunnao played a total of three songs before they decided to pack up and go home.

Jian Yumin picked up the bowl filled with money and walked over to the front of the crowd. Luo Xiuen was there.

Luo Xiuen was currently holding Little Dandan in her arms.

Jian Yumin handed the bowl to his son and said: "Little brat, look at your father's hard-earned money. I can buy you milk powder and diapers now."

"Auntie..." Jian Dan cried out. He completely ignored his father's words and completely ignored the bowl in front of him. He was only interested in his pretty auntie.

"Heck!" Jian Yumin cursed. His son didn't care about him at all.

Luo Xiuen also reprimanded her son: "You think about your auntie all day and every day. Don't you know how much you weigh? You're going to tire your auntie out if you want her to carry you everywhere! I'm even tired of carrying you right now!"

"Waaaaa...."

After being reprimanded by his mother, Jian Dan began to wail. He wanted his pretty auntie...

Then, he looked at his dad and his uncles.

However, none of them paid any attention to him.

Waaa....

After leaving the square, everyone headed off to a nearby restaurant.

Zhang Yun looked at Jian Yunnao and said in surprise: "Wait, you're siblings?!"

Zhang Yun then continued excitedly: "I really like the songs you've composed. Every song was incredibly sad. I thought..."

She thought that the composer going to be a depressed yet beautiful man.

However, the person in front of her did not look depressed at all.

But he was definitely beautiful! Every single Jian brother was either beautiful or handsome.

Was this genetics? If it was, it's definitely insane.

Jian Yunmo explained the situation for Jian Yunnao: "His songs were sad because he thought he lost someone dear to him in the past two years."

Everyone immediately understood Jian Yunmo's words.

After a pause, Zhang Yun also understood these words.

It turned out that her favorite pianist had been composing these sad songs because his sister had gone missing.

And she had saved his sister!

What a small world!

Ahh, the Jian family was really awesome.

Everyone had excellent genetics and amazing talent.

It was hard to not be jealous.

Chapter 1198: The Li Family Thanks Jian Yiling

The Li Family visited Jian Yiling.

"Dr. Jian, thank you so much for saving my father. I don't even know how to express our gratitude," Grandpa Li's eldest son said to Jian Yiling on behalf of his whole family.

At that moment, their attitude toward Jian Yiling had a one hundred and eighty-degree transformation.

"It's part of my job," Jian Yiling replied softly.

"No no, even if it's your job, you still saved my father's life. Therefore, you're the savior of our family," Grandpa Li's eldest son said as he bowed deeply at Jian Yiling.

A thousand words could not be expressed in a few simple words. However, the Li family knew they owed Jian Yiling a great debt of gratitude.

“There’s no need to be polite.”

“No no, there’s definitely a need.”

Then, the Li family brought out banners they custom ordered for Jian Yiling.

On them were written [Brilliant doctor], [Magical hands that bring back the dead] and [Kind doctor that helps citizens.]

Then, the eldest son of the Jian family left his contact information for Jian Yiling. He told Jian Yiling that she could contact him at any time if she needed help with anything.

When the Li family visited, Jian Yiling’s colleagues were also in the office. They applauded and cheered for Jian Yiling.

They all knew how precarious the situation was that day. Jian Yiling literally brought the old man back from the dead.

Furthermore, that operation was never Jian Yiling’s responsibility. Even if she stood on the sidelines and did nothing, no one would be able to say anything about her.

However, a person’s life mattered. Therefore, the Li family was indebted to Jian Yiling.

At this moment, Fei Qing passed by Jian Yiling’s office. She heard the applause and cheers from quite some distance away.

Fei Qing stood at the door for a while.

The applause and laughter inside the office were extraordinarily harsh to her ears.

Fei Qing quickened her steps and walked back to her office.

Bai Pingping came to Fei Qing’s office to look for her: “Dr. Fei, I just saw the Li Family. They gifted several banners to Jian Yiling. I saw some phrases related to being a miracle doctor.”

“I saw it.”

Why was Bai Pingping here to tell her about this?

Bai Pingping continued to speak to Fei Qing: “Dr. Fei, all of our colleagues are now saying that Jian Yiling deserves the number one spot in the surgical department.”

“I know!” Fei Qing exclaimed. She didn’t need Bai Pingping to tell her about this. There was no need to stress this point.

These comments did not just exist inside Lahaisen Hospital’s Beijing branch. Similar remarks were also all over the Internet.

It seemed as though the Li family took the initiative to promote Jian Yiling’s name.

And even if Jian Yiling asked the Li family to promote her name, either way, the public now had an overwhelmingly good opinion of Jian Yiling. They all thought that Jian Yiling was better than her.

Bai Pingping attempted to comfort Fei Qing: "Dr. Fei, don't feel too bad about this. Grandpa Li's case was definitely a fluke. She only completed a third of the surgery. You completed two-thirds of it! She just finished the surgery off!"

"I'm alright," Fei Qing emphasized. She didn't want others to see her being depressed over her failure.

"That's good," Bai Pingping said. Then, she gave Fei Qing a suggestion: "Apparently, our colleagues invited Jian Yiling to the team building event next week. The location of the team building event is at West Mountain Lake. I heard that Jian Yiling doesn't know how to swim."

Bai Pingping was evidently hinting at something.

"What kind of thoughts are you thinking?"

"I don't mean anything else..." Bai Pingping hurriedly explained.

"Don't try to use me as your gun. I know you hold a grudge against Jian Yiling after you were humiliated by her," Fei Qing directly said to Bai Pingping.

The expression on Bai Pingping's face became awkward as she said: "I really didn't mean anything. Jian Yiling only said a few words to me that day. I wouldn't take it to heart. I was just afraid that you would be in a bad mood. That's why I came over to comfort you."

Chapter 1199: Fei Qing Gets Demoted (1)

"I don't need comforting."

"Alright, I will go back to work then," Bai Pingping said as she hurriedly left.

After Bai Pingping left, Fei Qing's face completely sank.

In front of others, she could still pretend to be fine. However, when she was facing herself, she couldn't convince herself not to think about that incident.

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Every month, Lahaisen Hospital's Beijing branch would host a meeting.

All the doctors would come to the hospital's largest conference room.

The person presiding over the meeting was Li Zhuojia, the Dean of Lahaisen Hospital's Beijing branch.

In the first half of the meeting, each department would report their work and give a summary of what happened and what was happening.

On the other hand, the second half of the meeting was used for discussion.

Unlike other hospitals, the workload at Lahaisen Hospital was not that packed and intensive. This meant that there was sufficient time for the doctors to do research and learn.

When the meeting was about to end, a colleague suddenly asked Li Zhuojia: "Vice Dean, Jian Yiling is from Lahaisen Hospital's headquarters. Is she now part of our branch?"

If she was now part of the Beijing branch, in some sense, it would be a demotion.

Li Zhuojia paused for a moment before he swept his eyes over everyone seated in the room. Then, his eyes fell on Jian Yiling: "Well, that depends on what she wants."

After everyone heard Li Zhuojia's words, they immediately understood that Jian Yiling's position in Lahaisen Hospital's headquarters was not touched.

However, that was understandable. After Grandpa Li's surgery, everyone knew about Jian Yiling's medical expertise. They knew why she was a doctor from the headquarters and why Fei Qing could only be a doctor from the Beijing branch.

Even though they were both outstanding surgeons, there was still a gap between them.

Some people subconsciously directed their attention to Fei Qing.

When she sensed the gazes of everyone around her, Fei Qing's face stiffened. She did not dare to look up at everyone else.

Near the end of the meeting, Li Zhuojia announced: "Finally, I want to make an announcement."

Li Zhuojia's tone was serious. When everyone heard him speak like this, they knew that the final announcement was important.

And thus, they all looked toward him.

"Our hospital decided that Fei Qing will no longer be the chief physician of our surgical department. She will now be demoted to a general surgeon," Li Zhuojia announced.

As soon as this was said, the entire conference room went silent.

Everyone looked toward Fei Qing.

Fei Qing sat frozen in place.

Her ears were buzzing and it seemed as though everyone was mocking her.

Someone asked: "Vice Dean, who will replace her then?"

To some degree, everyone thought that Jian Yiling was going to be taking Fei Qing's spot.

"For the time being, it's not yet determined. I will conduct an assessment next month and then decide," Li Zhuojia replied. "Dr. Fei can choose to participate in the assessment. If Dr. Fei excels and proves that she has the ability to continue being the chief physician of the surgical department, then she will be promoted back to her original role."

Even though Li Zhuojia said that it was not yet determined, everyone felt that Jian Yiling had a higher probability of becoming the chief physician of the surgical department.

After the meeting ended, the colleagues began texting in their WeChat groups. They were discussing next month's assessment.

[Everyone needs to work hard for next month's assessment. Even though Jian Yiling's incredible, we all still have a chance!]

[Yep, we still have a chance to prove ourselves! However, I don't think it's possible to beat Jian Yiling. She's too strong.]

In the past, they only heard about Jian Yiling's medical expertise. However, everyone in Lahaisen Hospital's Beijing branch now knew that she deserved the incredible reputation she had.

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[I feel like the so-called assessment is just a way for Jian Yiling to convince everyone that she has the skills to become the chief physician of the surgical department.]

[Well, what can we do if we're not convinced? Even though she's younger than us, she is much more talented than us. I feel like no one will be against it if she actually becomes the chief physician of the surgical department.]

[Ahh, I still feel bad for Dr. Fei. Even though she's not as skilled as Jian Yiling, she's still one of the best surgeons amongst all the doctors out there. She's just slightly worse than Jian Yiling.]

[That can't be helped. After all, a mountain can't accommodate two tigers. Furthermore, after that incident, I feel like Dr. Fei may no longer want to stay at Lahaisen Hospital.]

[But you get so many benefits from working at Lahaisen Hospital. No hospital in this country can give such a high salary and such generous treatment. Furthermore, it's so prestigious to say that you're working here.]

[Yeah, that's definitely the case. Lahaisen Hospital's headquarters holds so much authority in the medical field. Even though we're not part of that branch, the Beijing branch isn't bad either. It's an honor to work here. That's why I don't think Fei Qing will want to leave. Even if she's no longer the chief physician of the surgical department, she can still enjoy the benefits she can't get if she decides to work somewhere else.]

[That's true. If she continues to work here, she might get a chance to meet the super-duper talented doctor from our headquarters!]

Most doctors were proud to be working here.

Being a part of this hospital was an amazing opportunity and also a recognition of their abilities.

When someone heard that you were working at Lahaisen Hospital, respect would instantly appear in their eyes.

And thus, everyone's attitude towards next month's assessment was very serious. Even if they couldn't get promoted, it was a good opportunity to test out what they learned. They could see where they were improving on and also what things they should work on.

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After she returned back to her office, Fei Qing slumped down onto her table and began crying.

Even though she was thirty years old, she was crying like a thirteen-year-old child.

She never felt so bad before.

Everyone was probably laughing at her.

But she didn't want things to be like this. She accepted the surgery because she thought she could complete it. She thought she could succeed in the surgical operation.

And the risk... She thought it was within her control.

She didn't expect things to turn out that way.

She remembered when she passed the interview for Lahaisen Hospital. Everyone was so happy and proud of her. They were more proud of this achievement than when she got accepted into the top medical university in China.

Her father even invited her relatives to celebrate her achievement.

Not long after, she stood out amongst the other surgeons and became the chief physician in the newly established Beijing branch.

That was definitely an honorable achievement for her.

Her parents were so happy to hear that news. They told everyone they met about her daughters' achievements.

Her friends and relatives all came over to congratulate her when they heard about this news.

However, she now got demoted. How was she going to explain this situation to her family, relatives, and friends?

Fei Qing did not know what to do. All her negative emotions turned into tears and she cried uncontrollably.

Fei Qing knew in her heart that even if she got demoted, it was impossible for her to leave Lahaisen Hospital.

There was no better place for her to go after leaving Lahaisen Hospital.

The medical technology and the benefits of working at another hospital were not comparable to Lahaisen Hospital's.

After crying for a while, Fei Qing remembered that Bai Pingping mentioned that there was a team-building event next week.

If Jian Yiling wasn't there for the assessment, no one could threaten her position, right?

Fei Qing clearly knew that the only one in Lahaisen Hospital's Beijing branch who could perform better than her was Jian Yiling.