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Chapter 1391: Family Master Dispute/ The Lancer Family's Backer

"I am the chief elder of this family. I naturally have this right!" Slade huffed.

"If I give up the position of the family master, can you both guarantee to keep Goode safe and sound?" Thomas sighed and asked helplessly.

"This-" Slade and Lecroft dared not to agree to Thomas's request! After all, no matter who was the family master, it was impossible for them to oppose the Butterfly Family just for Goode! This way, the position of the family master had become a hot potato. Who could take the position steadily?

"Hmph! Both of you are such ruthless and heartless people, how can you be fit to be the family master?" Thomas smiled coldly and looked at Slade and Lecroft. At this moment he didn't care at all. He didn't hesitate to fall out with his brothers.

"And you're suitable? Fine, you can protect Goode if you want, but you can't let our Lancer Family suffer any losses!" Lecroft said with a sneer, "If you have such an ability, we will definitely support you fully to be the family master!"

"You-" Thomas was fuming. He knew what Lecroft said was impossible. How was the current Butterfly Family easy to deal with? If he wanted to protect Goode, he would face revenge from the Buffon Family! The firearms business was destined to be unable to continue, "These years our Lancer Family has earned enough money. Even if we don't do firearms business, we can still do other business!"

"Other business? It is easy for you to say. What can make more money than selling firearms?" Slade sneered, "Don't tell me that it is selling drugs. Our family is a decent family; we don't do such illegal things!"

Thomas's face flushed red at Slade's words, "Now, the technology industry is also making money. The profit is not less than the sales of firearms. We can enter the technology industry!"

"Second Brother Thomas, isn't it easy to put it into words? The technology industry? Do you think we have people in the Lancer family who have been involved in technology-related industries? Do we have the ability to enter the technology industry?" Lecroft said sarcastically, "We have no one who has a high-tech background. If you rush into this industry, you will die off very quickly! You have to know that in this world, there are more than one or two families that are richer than us. Who doesn't know that technology makes money? But how many of them dare to rush into this industry blindly?"

Thomas knew that Lecroft was telling the truth and he sighed a little. But he was unwilling to give up on Goode. After all, that was his only grandson. Especially after his daughter's unfortunate death, he had poured his love for his daughter onto Goode. In other words, he would rather fight the Butterfly Family to the death than be a family master, and not hurt Goode even a bit!

Thinking of this, Thomas sighed heavily and looked at the two brothers who kept fighting him for the position of family master. He was really tired and felt out of place. *Did these two guys really think that it was so easy to be the family master?*

"I will say it right now. If one of you two can keep Goode safe and sound, I am willing to abdicate my place as the family master!" After Thomas came round to the idea, he gave up the position as the family master. Out of the issue, out of danger. Let them fight.

Thomas's idea was extremely tempting! Slade had the right to abolish Thomas's position as the family master per the ancestral rules. But, Slade as the chief elder of the family also knew that it was just an ancestral rule. It seemed to have great power, but the actual implementation was extremely difficult!

People from Thomas's line numbered the most in the current Lancer Family and their strength was the strongest. Although the chief elder Slade also had some heirs, he was still inferior to Thomas. After all, Thomas was the family master.

It would save a lot of trouble if Thomas abdicated of his own will. So Slade couldn't help but be tempted. Lecroft was also tempted as well.

The two old guys looked at each other and saw the burning desire in each other's eyes! Lecroft knew about Slade's desire to be the family master for a long time. So he didn't feel anything strange. Instead, Slade saw his third brother's desire to fight for the position of family master for the first time today. It was determined that he was not someone who would stay in his place!

Slade suddenly felt dreadful! In fact, Lecroft seemed to have a more legitimate claim to the family master seat than his son. After all, Lecroft, Thomas and himself were all children of the previous family master!

But Lecroft's only advantage was that he was still in his early middle-ages, the period of time where he was at his peak. He was only a few years older than Slade's son Kevithan.

If Lecroft were to fight, he would have more competitive strength than Kevithan! Slade could not help but have a headache after thinking of this. This was a miscalculation on his part! Originally, he thought that Lecroft sided with him today as he finally couldn't stand Thomas. However, he didn't expect that this boy had a disloyal heart from earlier on and that he had been patiently waiting for the right opportunity!

The opportunity had finally arrived! Thomas took the initiative to make way; it was not that someone else had usurped him. With that, everyone had the opportunity. Whoever could keep Goode safe would be able to become the new Lancer Family master!

However, the price of keeping Goode safe was to let the Lancer family decline in the near future. But who dared to bear this responsibility? Even though it was a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity, Slade and Lecroft were both heavily concerned because of this. Nobody dared to say anything!

At this time, there was no perfect way to protect Goode and keep the Lancer family from declining. Then, who dared to take up the position as the family master? Otherwise, the person who accepted this burden would become the sinner of the family, and the target of others. Their position wouldn't be stable even if they were to become the family master temporarily. They would be dragged down by others sooner or later.

Thomas felt an unspeakable pleasure looking at the careful Slade and Lecroft who didn't dare to speak up. *Weren't you both fighting for the position of the family master? Why aren't you fighting for it now?*

While both Slade and Lecroft were in a position where neither of them could speak up, a new voice echoed in the meeting room, "So as long as Goode is protected, then one can become the new family master?"

The people who were present at the scene suddenly had different expressions after hearing this sentence. This was because the person who spoke was the leader of the second generation of the family, Slade's son Kevithan!

Originally, while the best of the second and third generation of children were qualified to attend the family meeting, they rarely spoke. This was because the current family meetings were still the main battlefield between the family master and the two elders. There was no room for participation.

However, Kevithan had suddenly spoken at such an important meeting. Moreover, he wanted to win the position of family master. Suddenly everyone present was waiting to witness a good show!

Especially Lecroft's people, who looked at Kevithan like he was a fool. Lecroft was also secretly ecstatic. Kevithan was his opponent. Now that he had stuck his head out, it would only be temporary even if he won the position of family master. In time, if the family goes into decline, wouldn't he still have to abdicate?

However, Slade was shocked! Seeing his son rushing to stand out, he felt hatred in his heart! He sighed. *My son still lacks the patience and finally can't hold it in. However, what can he do after gaining the family master position this time? At the moment, the position is a hot potato. Whoever takes the position will not have a good ending!*

Slade's gaze revealed a hint of disappointment in his son, yet he suddenly found that Kevithan had nodded towards him with full confidence. Slade couldn't help but feel somewhat strange. His previous complaints about his son turned into doubt.

Yes. Logically, my son is not a reckless person. What is his intention in standing out at this time? Does he have his own plans? However, even if he has his own plans, this time is definitely not a good opportunity to stand out. This action is to Lecroft and Wich's advantage.

But Kevithan had already spoken out. Slade could not help even if he disagreed. It was too late to put Kevithan into order now.

Chapter 1392: Can I Finally Call Off the Engagement This Time?/ The Angry Wang Xiaoyan

"I agree as well..." Lecroft said helplessly. Even the family master had agreed, what else could he say?

It was as if Kevithan had already expected this outcome. He showed a complacent smile, cleared his throat and said, "Since everyone trusts me so much, then I shall take up this offer."

Lecroft was still feeling fine. He knew that his forces weren't as big as Slade's. He was self-aware now that Kevithan had gotten the support of the family master.

However, the one that felt horrible was none than Thomas's eldest grandson, Wich. He had already been appointed as the new family master by the family beforehand. However, the opportunity to become the family master had been snatched away by his uncle. His dream of many years to become the family master had been shattered just like that. Wich was aware that he wouldn't have any chance

to become the family master from now onwards. Even if Kevithan retired from the family master position, the next-in-line family master would be chosen from his few sons, who were the few cousins that Wich looked down on. He had even used his position as the first-in-line successor to the family master to bully and criticize them very frequently.

However, he knew that his position would be exchanged with them from now. He would, in turn, become the one to be laughed at now.

Wich's heart was filled with discontent after thinking about it. This caused him to also hate Goode. If it weren't for Goode, the Lancer Family wouldn't be involved in this incident, and he himself would not be as well.

However, he had no right to speak. If his grandfather had already decided on it, how could he change his decision? He could only fiercely stare at Kevithan, the person who had stolen his family master position.

Wich understood that this would be the last time that he participated in the family meeting., No matter how outstanding he was, he would never be able to appear in the meeting anymore. Because of his status as the grandson of the previous family master, the new family master would definitely never allow him to ever appear in the family meetings from now on.

Meanwhile, at Wang Songshan's study room in the Butterfly Family, Yang Ming smiled and looked at Wang Songshan and Wang Ruoshui. "How is it, Uncle Wang? This time, will you finally allow me to call off the engagement? Senior Wang Ruoshui, you won't invite me to another duel, will you?"

Originally, Wang Songshan and Wang Ruoshui were very excited by the ease at which the Lancer Family had succumbed to them, and were thinking about how to celebrate it. However, the expressions that appeared on their faces after hearing Yang Ming's words were very interesting.

"You... really want to call off the engagement?" Wang Ruoshui already knew about the events between Yang Ming and Wang Xiaoyan and knew about the conflict between the two. She also knew that everything had been planned by the two old troublemakers Wang Songshan and Fang Tian behind Yang Ming and her backs. Because of that, she felt a little weird when she heard that Yang Ming was still holding his statement of wanting to call off the engagement.

"Yep. Otherwise, why would I waste so much effort just to help you all?" Yang Ming blinked. *These two people can't be reluctant to call off the engagement just because of the strength I showed, right? If that is the case, then my plan has backfired.*

"Waste effort?" Wang Songshan rolled his eyes. He did not see how Yang Ming had wasted any effort. He had just made a phone call and settled everything like that. His way of speaking was also really prideful. It was as if he was begging, but ordering someone instead. How did that waste any effort? This was clearly just lending a helping hand – No, it was just lending a helping mouth. His hands did not even do anything.

"Yep. Eh, I also have a price to pay because of this." Yang Ming pretended to feel heartache and gave out a sigh. "You really think that I can make the Buffon Family listen to my orders by simply speaking to them?"

Wang Songshan and Wang Ruoshui couldn't help but look at each other after hearing Yang Ming's words. Indeed, what kind of existence was the Buffon Family? How could they show such a big reaction after hearing a sentence from Yang Ming? No one would believe that Yang Ming did not have to pay any price, unless Yang Ming was an existence much stronger than them. However, neither of them could see Yang Ming's special traits.

In fact, Yang Ming's biggest source of help was Fang Tian. The reason why Yang Ming could allow the Charles Family to succumb to him was also that he had used Fang Tian's name. If he wasn't the disciple of Fang Tian, then with the wits of Old Charles, how could he submit to Yang Ming so easily?

Both Wang Songshan and Wang Ruoshui's heart cleared up a lot after Yang Ming said so. Yang Ming had indeed paid a certain price.

Yang Ming said these words because he assumed that Wang Songshan and Wang Ruoshui didn't want to call off the engagement as they thought that his power was too big. Therefore, he tried to present the fact that it wasn't him that was strong; he had to pay a price. Moreover, Yang Ming did not think he had cheated them, because he had indeed paid a price. How could he let Old Buffon leave empty-handed after he came to the Butterfly Family just to find him? He had already taught him some new techniques, so he considered that as paying a price.

"Fine. But before you call off the engagement, please do meet my daughter one more time. At least make it a happy farewell." Wang Songshan felt a little sad for Yang Ming. After all, he had already wasted so much effort, without realizing that he couldn't call off the engagement. Who knew how gloomy he would feel after he knew about it.

"Meet one more time... fine." Yang Ming thought. According to his original plan, he had to meet her one more time before calling off the engagement. Moreover, he needed to announce to the public that both of their personalities weren't compatible, and resulted in a mutual decision to cancel the engagement.

"Then let's make it happen tonight. I shall make arrangements for it without further delay." Wang Songshan let out a sigh, but a feeling of smugness flashed across his eyes. It seemed that he was thinking about how hilarious it would be if Yang Ming met up with Wang Xiaoyan.

Yang Ming could keenly pick up clues about Wang Songshan and Wang Ruoshui's weird behavior. However, he did not notice anything inappropriate. So he just assumed that they felt a sense of pity now that Yang Ming wanted to break the engagement, and did not give deeper thought to the matter.

"Yanyan, go meet your fiancé tonight to discuss the engagement." After Yang Ming had left, Wang Songshan went into Wang Xiaoyan's room. Since the family matters were over, Wang Songshan felt relieved, and his face was also filled with smiles.

"Oh?" Wang Xiaoyan was slightly shocked for a moment. "Have the family matters already been settled? Must this matter really be discussed so soon?"

Previously, Wang Xiaoyan was very worried about the family's affairs after hearing about the situation from Wang Songshan. As she went back to her room, she was contemplating whether to give Yang Ming a call or not. In Wang Xiaoyan's opinion, only Yang Ming could settle this matter.

Although she knew Old Buffon herself, their relationship was just that of a master's wife and a disciple. Her words would not be as impactful as Yang Ming's. It would be more effective if Yang Ming were to directly give Old Buffon a call.

She didn't stay in the room for long before her father had come to find her to continue talking about the engagement. This caused Wang Xiaoyan to feel a little embarrassed. If it were any other time, Wang Xiaoyan would definitely want to rush the cancellation of the engagement. After all, she wanted to go back to China as soon as possible. However, now that her family was facing danger, how could she have the spare time to think about the engagement? Even though she was immature, she knew that she shouldn't be thinking about this kind of stuff.

"The problems have already been resolved." Wang Songshan smiled in a relaxed manner. "It's just been solved. There are no problems anymore."

"Resolved? So fast?" Wang Xiaoyan was shocked after hearing her father's words. "The Lancer Family gave in so quickly? What price did we pay?"

"We did not pay any price. In fact, the Lancer Family has also suffered a fairly big loss." Wang Songshan couldn't hold in his laughter when he thought about it, so he laughed loudly. "This Thomas dug his own grave. He told me that his firearms' supply distribution had been cut off by the factory. Now, his dream has come true. Not only did it come true, but it even exceeded his wishes."

"Dream come true? What does that mean?" Wang Xiaoyan was a little shocked. She couldn't quite understand what her father had just said.

"The higher-level supplier of the Lancer Family is the Buffon Family. This time, the Buffon Family has already canceled the rights of the Lancer Family to sell weaponry." Wang Songshan laughed. "Now this is fun. Thomas must regret that his own mouth has jinxed him to death."

"The Buffon Family?" Wang Xiaoyan's eyes were filled with disbelief and shock when she heard this name. *How could there be such a coincidence? The Lancer Family's higher-level supplier is the Buffon Family? Then how did my father let the Buffon Family help the Butterfly Family?*

"That's right. From now onwards, our family's firearms will be supplied directly from the Buffon Family." Wang Songshan said proudly. "The prices are not only cheaper than before, but the amount is also a lot more. The unfortunate one is only Thomas himself."

"Dad, as far as I know, the Butterfly Family has never been in contact with the Buffon Family, right?" Wang Xiaoyan felt a little weird and asked. "Then, how did you come in contact with the Buffon Family, and how did you let them help us?"

Chapter 1393: Go Back on Your Words/ Give Goode Up

Originally, when Chen Fei first saw Jing Xiaolu, he thought that she was merely Bao Sanli's relative or girlfriend and that the vice president position was merely a fake title gifted to her. However, Chen Fei knew that he had underestimated her after hearing Bao Sanli's words. With such a clever mind, it was not anything extraordinary to become the vice president of the company.

He stared at Jing Xiaolu in a praiseful manner, said "not bad", and continued listening to Bao Sanli's description. However, the "not bad" had already satisfied Jing Xiaolu. It meant that she was really

capable if she could receive Chen Fei's praise. Thinking about this, Jing Xiaolu smiled lightly without being conscious of it. Now that this matter had reached this phase, more than half of the problems had already been solved. At least, they wouldn't have to humiliate themselves in front of Yang Ming.

"President Bao, Vice President Jing, please wait at the resting room for a while. I still have other matters to attend to, and won't be able to accompany you two. However, I will give this contract to the recognition department to conduct fingerprint recognition. Once the results are out, I will bring it back here immediately." Chen Fei brought Bao Sanli and Jing Xiaolu into a resting room and told them.

Chen Fei was impressed with Jing Xiaolu ever since he knew that she was the one who the fingerprint problem. Naturally, his tone became more respectful as well.

"Okay, Chief Chen. You go ahead and do your stuff first. We'll just wait here. Don't mind us." Bao Sanli said immediately. As the bureau chief, Chen Fei must have a lot of work to do every day. Because of this, Bao Sanli would not ask Chen Fei to accompany him.

Chen Fei nodded and left the resting room. Bao Sanli and Jing Xiaolu were feeling very anxious about the report results and did not have any mood to visit the police station nor have a chit chat.

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In a day, the Lancer Family's business had received attacks on many different levels. Ever since the news had come out of the Buffon Family cutting off all business ties with the Lancer Family, almost all of the Lancer Family's business partners had cut their ties with them as well, and immediately announced that they would not do any business with the Lancer Family anymore. All of a sudden, the Lancer Family's firearm business had no buyers at all.

Originally, Thomas and Kevithan were still worrying about their shortage of supply as they had been selling much more than they could handle. They were planning to limit their supplies to the outside, and use it to sustain themselves for a while. After Kevithan managed to contact and acquire a lucrative project from his cousin Jetson who was working at Central, they would then dispose of all the firearms business that they have.

However, while they were preparing to temporarily limit their supplies, those businessmen that had firearms business with the Lancer Family decided to not show up to buy their products anymore, and were all doing their best to avoid them.

It should be known that excluding the special firearms given to Wang Songshan's Butterfly Family, other firearms were being sold everywhere in the market. The Lancer Family was not the only seller. Therefore, the Lancer Family's customers did not dare to offend the Buffon Family by continuing to buy goods from the Lancer Family. Instead, they all turned to other suppliers.

This was nothing compared to what happened next. A surprise inspection was performed on all licensed firearms shops. Since the Lancer Family had such a large scale business, it was unavoidable for tax evasion to occur. This was not a secret in the higher level of society. However, this time, someone came to trouble the Lancer Family.

After the investigation, not only had the Lancer Family's shops been seized, but they were also penalized a huge sum of money. This made the panicking Lancer Family be in even more trouble than they were in the past.

The most unacceptable part was that if the peripheral members of the Lancer Family went out to either buy daily necessities or to work in their shop, they would be attacked by unidentifiable mysterious people. Although the attacks were not lethal, those that were attacked were beaten until they were bruised.

At this point, the Lancer Family finally understood that Thomas offending the Butterfly Family was the biggest mistake he had ever made in his life. The continuous problems that arose caused Kevithan's good mood from acquiring the family master position to vanish instantly.

He hadn't even enjoyed the fun brought to him by the family master's authority and was already forced to exhaustion by these problems. Whenever he managed to solve something, another problem would arise. With all these problems compiling onto the Lancer Family, it made Kevithan unable to catch his breath.

The Lancer Family was forced to have a second family meeting in a day. For this meeting, the person sitting on the main seat had been changed to Kevithan. However, his facial expression was not any better compared to Thomas.

This was because the Butterfly Family did not only want to stop the Lancer Family's firearm business. Based on the stance the Butterfly Family took, they would come and haunt the Lancer Family no matter what business they did in the future.

Firearms shops being shut down; business partner's betrayal; and family members being attacked by unknown strangers. These all showed the Butterfly Family's determination to retaliate.

"Who knew that the Butterfly Family's revenge would come this quickly. They have already shaken the foundations of our Lancer Family." Kevithan sighed. He suddenly realized that promising Thomas to ensure Goode's safety was a mistake.

From the looks of it now, it seemed that the Butterfly Family would never let it go without achieving their goal. It was impossible for the Lancer Family to lose their firearm business solely for protecting Goode. From the Butterfly Family's actions, they were announcing that if they don't hand out Goode, they would not let them go.

This part bothered Kevithan the most. His original plan was to let the Lancer Family give up their firearm business. He thought that the Butterfly Family would not be so forceful after the Lancer Family suffered such a loss. With this, they would be able to protect Goode. With Jetson's help, the Lancer Family could also prosper in other businesses, and their sales wouldn't be that far off compared to the firearms business either.

However, he never imagined that the Butterfly Family wanted Goode so badly. It was apparent from their harsh methods. Besides, this was just the start.

They were able to make such a big fuss in just a day. Who knew what lay ahead for the Lancer Family.

When Kevithan opened his mouth, Thomas already knew something bad was about to happen. How could Thomas not understand the Butterfly Family's goal in doing this? It seemed that if they didn't hand out Goode, the Butterfly Family would definitely not let them go.

"The Butterfly Family had suffered some grievances last time. I guess it's only normal for them to want to vent out their anger. After they have finished venting, everything will return to normal." Thomas had to say this for Goode's sake. "Let's endure this for the time being. If we don't endure this, our bigger plan would fail."

"Hmph. Thomas, your words are a little incorrect." Lecroft snorted. Kevithan and Thomas knew about the situation they were in, so how could Lecroft not know? "Everything will turn back to normal after they finish venting? Do you really think that this is the Butterfly Family venting? If they wanted to vent, the cancellation of our firearm supplies would already be enough. Do they really have to use all these underhanded methods? It's apparent that they won't stop their actions. If we don't hand out Goode, then they will keep on doing this."

Lecroft's words caused Kevithan's facial expression to worsen. If he agreed to Lecroft's points, then that meant that he would not be able to protect Goode, which also meant that he would not be able to keep the promise he made before becoming the family master. When the time comes, Thomas or Lecroft would be able to use this to criticize him, and he would not be able to refute them.

But if he didn't agree, then with the situation as it was now, the unfortunate one would still be him, the family master. They had reached the phase where the situation was uncontrollable. Even if there was a new project and a new business, with the way the Butterfly Family acts, they definitely wouldn't allow the Lancer Family to survive peacefully.

After letting out a long sigh, Kevithan could only say the truth. "The situation we are in right now is just like what you guys saw. As for what to do, let's all just have a vote. Do we choose to endure it a little longer, or do we hand out Goode...."

"Kevithan, what do you mean by that?" Thomas immediately interrupted Kevithan before he could finish speaking. "You must understand, the only reason why I handed the family master's position to you was because you agreed to protect Goode. Now, you want to hand him out. Do you really want to go back on your words?"

"I—" Kevithan was speechless. His face was a little red, and he couldn't talk at all. Indeed, in the morning, he had even vowed to protect Goode's life at all costs. And now, he was having a meeting about handing out Goode. Although it was a little unacceptable, the situation now was different from before.

Chapter 1394: Rich Imagination/ Who Are You

In the afternoon, all the disciples in the Butterfly Family started to become busy, because today was a special day. After all, it was the first meeting between their family's Miss Wang Xiaoyan and her future fiancé before they got engaged to each other.

However, since it was a meeting before the engagement, the whole family was very busy preparing. But they remained low-key toward outsiders. After all, this was considered as a private meeting, not an engagement ceremony.

Yang Ming couldn't help but feel nervous looking at the Butterfly Family's disciples busily setting everything up. He was here to call off the engagement, and the meeting at night was just a ceremony. How could it be so formal? Judging by the looks of it, it was as if he was really going to get engaged with her.

It is hard to imagine how these disciples might feel if they hear that I'm going to call off the engagement after meeting up with their family's Miss. Would they feel a sense of grief about working hard for nothing? Right now, they might not know that the so-called "meeting" is just a show.

From their point of view, their family's Miss was going to meet up with her fiance for the first time. It was a very important occasion, and naturally couldn't be neglected at all. It was reasonable for them to decorate the whole castle to become livelier.

Yang Ming smiled bitterly. These underlings were really pitiful.

Wang Xiaoyan felt the same emotions as Yang Ming. She felt bad seeing how everyone in the family was so busy preparing for this meeting. It was as if she had lied to them. Everyone in the family still knew nothing. It was very apparent that these people were sincerely feeling happy for her. After all, the marriage of the Butterfly Family's Miss was considered as something grand. However, Wang Xiaoyan was very clear that the meeting at night was simply just for show. She was clear about the final result.

Thinking of this, she was even angrier at the fiance that she hadn't yet met. He had only come here to call off the engagement, and yet he made everything so grand. It was really a waste of the Butterfly Family's labor force and resources.

If Yang Ming knew about the thoughts of Wang Xiaoyan, he would definitely not know whether to laugh or cry. He would think, How is this related to me? Do you think I wanted to come here to call off the engagement? I wouldn't come so far if I weren't forced to do so. Coming here is already giving your Butterfly Family face. If not, I could have called off the engagement with just a sentence, and I wouldn't have to come so far. Besides, I even helped your Butterfly Family to solve such a huge problem. You are not only ungrateful but still hold complaints towards me? How could you wrong me so much?

Wang Xiaoyan's heart felt a little sour when she opened the door and saw the sincere smile on each and every disciple of the Butterfly Family. This time, it seemed like she would have to disappoint these people. After giving out a sigh, she couldn't hold it in anymore and called the phone in her father's study.

"Dad, it's me, Yanyan." Wang Xiaoyan thought for a moment, and said, "I have some things to discuss with you about—"

"What do you want to discuss? Why are you stuttering so much? Just say it. You are my daughter. What's there that you cannot discuss with me about?" Wang Songshan's current mood was very good since Yang Ming had just helped him settle a big problem. He suddenly felt that it would be very fun after imagining his daughter's feelings when she met Yang Ming. Because of this, his face was filled with joy as he was talking to Wang Xiaoyan.

"Dad, I think that those disciples and servants... are a little too enthusiastic..." Wang Xiaoyan said. "It's just going to be a normal meeting at night, and it's also to discuss the cancellation of the engagement. There's no need to decorate the castle to be so festive..."

"Hehe, Yanyan, so you wanted to talk about this matter?" Wang Songshan thought, Of course, we have to decorate. You will naturally discuss the matter of marriage after meeting up with Yang Ming. Do you really think it is going to be canceled? But of course, he could not say this to her yet.

"Yeah. When I see the happy expression on their faces, I wonder if they know that everything is just for show. How disappointed will they be..." Wang Xiaoyan sighed.

"Silly girl. This is your first meeting with your fiancé. It's a big event!" Wang Songshan said. "Only a few of us know about the cancellation of the engagement Those servants and disciples all know nothing about it. This matter should never be leaked before you meet up with your fiancé. If not, what's the point of you two meeting up? This act is all for outsiders to see. We want to show that you two simply called off the engagement not because one side is persistent about it, but because you both felt incompatible after meeting up with each other."

"That's true..." Wang Xiaoyan also felt that it should be like that after listening to her father's explanation. "But my heart still feels very uncomfortable!"

"It's okay. Since everything has been decorated, then just consider it an early preparation for your engagement. After this is over, you can bring your little boyfriend back home to save us the trouble of decorating everything again." Wang Songshan laughed.

"Dad— I hate you!" Wang Xiaoyan felt a little awkward and scowled at him. However, she didn't have any problems with the decorations anymore. After all, Yang Ming would have to come in the future. She just treated this as an early preparation to welcome Yang Ming.

"Alright, alright." Wang Songshan said. "I have things to do now. Remember to dress up nicely. After all, the meeting at night is still considered as a formal one."

"I don't want to dress up." Wang Xiaoyan's mouth twitched. Girls dress up for their loved ones after all. Why should she dress up to meet a fiancé whom she had never met? She was also about to cancel the engagement. What if she dressed up too prettily and he started to have feelings for her? Wang Xiaoyan did not plan to dress up at all!

"You should at least look decent." Wang Songshan shook his head helplessly. "Don't disgrace our family. Who knows? Maybe if your fiancé sees how beautiful you are, he might regret calling off the engagement so hastily."

"I don't care how he thinks. Alright, I get it." Wang Xiaoyan replied displeasingly. In her heart, she was thinking about how to dress up to look horrible. What if her fiancé really started to regret it just like her father said?

If the fiancé really changed his decision and refused to call off the marriage, then many unnecessary problems would arise. Even if she insisted on calling it off, the Butterfly Family would be labeled as a family which doesn't keep their promises. Therefore, Wang Xiaoyan had already decided. I don't want to give you a chance to regret your decision. I want to let you think that calling off the engagement with me is a wise decision.

Tch tch, we'll wait and see. I shall allow myself to become your nightmare so that you won't ever want to see me again.

Yang Ming naturally felt the different atmosphere around the Butterfly Family in the guest room. He originally thought that they were going to decorate it very simply just for the sake of decorating. However, he never thought that the decorations would be so detailed. They even had a few private family tailors specifically measure his body measurements, wanting to promptly make a suit for him.

Yang Ming did not know whether to laugh or cry. Is this really necessary? It's just a meeting, and yet they are making a suit? Is this calling off the engagement, or proceeding with it?

Yang Ming could only helplessly go to the opposite room to find and talk to Fang Tian. "Old Man Fang, let me ask you, what is the Butterfly Family trying to do? Why are they making it identical to an actual engagement ceremony? Isn't this a little too grand?"

"Oh-" Fang Tian raised his head and looked at Yang Ming, but didn't reply to him.

"What oh? Old Man Fang, I'm asking you a question." Yang Ming became a little anxious when Fang Tian stopped talking after saying "oh". Is this guy trying to make a joke out of me?

"Oh?" Fang Tian looked at Yang Ming again and gave out another "oh". The only difference was that this "oh" was uttered in a confused tone.

Yang Ming widened his eyes and carefully assessed Fang Tian. He immediately figured out something was wrong. This old man has earphones stuffed into his ears! No wonder he couldn't hear Yang Ming talk at all.

Yang Ming was so angry that he almost spat out blood. So I was talking to a deaf guy just now? No wonder he only said "oh" and "oh". It was because he didn't hear what I said at all.

Yang Ming immediately advanced and pulled Fang Tian's earphones away. He frowned and placed the earphones into his ears. He wanted to find out what was so attractive about it that caused Fang Tian to listen so relishingly.

"Zhang San took the sword and slashed toward Wang Ermazi..."

Storytelling? Yang Ming's expression turned weird. You can even hear the mainland's storytelling broadcast in Europe? That is truly something.

"We're on the other side of the globe. Isn't your signal too strong?" Yang Ming's eyes opened wide. He was truly shocked.

"This is an Ampishuang [1]. It was given to me by Dong Jun." Fang Tian rolled his eyes. "Your imagination is really rich, much richer than that of Fishman II..."

"Ampi Shuang? What's that?" Yang Ming was dumbfounded. He stared at Fang Tian strangely.

"You haven't even heard of it before?" Fang Tian looked at Yang Ming in disdain. He took out a small square-shaped object from his shirt and shook it in front of Yang Ming. "You see this? You can download the stories into this and listen to it whenever you want to. You can listen to any parts you want to as well..."

When Yang Ming saw the item on Fang Tian's hand, he suddenly fainted to the ground because it was actually an MP3.

Ampishuang? You're too powerful, too shocking. Yang Ming thought to himself. This old man's imagination is the one that's rich...

Chapter 1395: Mystical Appearance/ Looks Very Familiar

"What the? Who are you?" Fang Tian pushed Yang Ming aside and went into the room to take a look. However, the room was empty. He turned around and looked at Yang Ming. The more he stared, the more familiar he looked. He blinked his eyes in doubt. "You—"

"I am Yang Ming!" Yang Ming rolled his eyes. However, the sunglasses were covering his eyes, so Fang Tian could not see it. He didn't have Yang Ming's ability to look through stuff.

"Pfft—" Fang Tian almost laughed out loud when he heard Yang Ming's voice. His eyes widened while looking at the horribly dressed Yang Ming. "You're really Yang Ming?"

"It's me...." Yang Ming smiled bitterly. He knew that no matter who saw his appearance now, even if it was someone he was close with, they would have the same reaction of not believing their own eyes like Fang Tian.

"How can you dress like this?" Fang Tian was shocked for a moment. Since he was an assassin, his mental state, as well as his ability to accept things, was stronger than others. However, he was still shocked by Yang Ming.

"It's all thanks to my previous actions. I presented myself to be too powerful when I was helping the Butterfly Family to solve their problems. I'm really afraid that the little princess of their family will develop feelings for me, so I decided to dress up like this." Yang Ming shrugged and helplessly said, "Like this, no matter which woman looks at me, they will not fall for me. It is already good enough if they don't hate me at all."

"Your tactic is really something... *gaga!*" Fang Tian started to laugh like a duck after hearing Yang Ming's explanation. It was as filthy as one could imagine it to be.

"Old man, what are you laughing at?" Yang Ming already felt wronged for his current appearance. After all, he was supposed to be a handsome guy. Since when had he become a punk? He even dressed up as a punk with such bad taste. The only thing which was lacking was the tag on his face saying "I'm a Bad Guy".

"Nothing, nothing ..." Fang Tian was thinking about what Yang Ming's reaction would be when he met Wang Xiaoyan. He thought, *This is too fun!*

"Nothing?" Yang Ming pouted. "If you want to laugh, then go ahead and laugh enough now. Don't laugh after that. If not, they will be suspicious of something."

Yang Ming knew that it was inevitable for Fang Tian to laugh out loud, so he decided to hold it in and let him laugh to his heart's content. If not, who knows what will happen.

"I'll stop laughing. You brat, I haven't asked you yet. How did you get to know the people from the Buffon Family?" Fang Tian stared at Yang Ming. He was the King of Assassins after all, so he was able to control his emotions. The process of him calming down after laughing out loud just took a few seconds.

"Hehe, I helped you to get a grand disciple... After a few days, when he comes and visits you himself, you'll understand." Yang Ming laughed smugly.

"Grand disciple? Is this true?!" Fang Tian was shocked. "Every generation of the Kings of Assassins would only decide to accept and nurture a disciple to become their heir when they wanted to retire. You haven't even graduated, and yet you already have a disciple?"

Yang Ming rolled his eyes: "I just accepted a disciple. Who said that I will let him inherit my place? He's just an insignificant disciple after all. Didn't you also accept Dong Jun as your disciple?"

"I see; you scared me to death." Fang Tian was not so worried when he heard that it was just a normal disciple. After all, the more he cared, the more he would be worried about it.

"Yeah, and he's also a core person in the Buffon Family." Yang Ming smiled. "You'll know when the time comes."

Fang Tian smiled and did not say anything anymore. He led Yang Ming to the direction of the restaurant...

"Yanyan, are you done or not?" Wang Songshan was so anxious that his eyes looked tired. *There is only twenty minutes left for the meetup, so why is she not out yet? Even if she wants to dress up as an angel, does she really have to take such a long time?*

"Gosh, dad, why are you in such a hurry?" Wang Xiaoyan was currently applying eyeshadow while looking at the mirror. *Yep, not bad. I look like a female delinquent now.*

Looking at the tattoo sticker on her hand, Wang Xiaoyan guessed that it was about time, so she tore it down. *Yep, not bad. It looks like the real deal.*

"How can I not be in a hurry? Open the door quickly and let father enter. Aren't you delaying a little too much?" Wang Songshan was anxious.

"Alright, alright. I'll be done right away." Wang Xiaoyan answered while putting on a light-colored jacket. Her current appearance was really like that of a female delinquent, which made her look really extra and informal. If a man were to meet her, he would most likely not have any sort of feelings for her at all.

Wang Xiaoyan's plan was to ensure that her fiancé does not fall for her when they meet up later. If not, he would persist in marrying her. Many problems could be avoided if he hated her at first sight.

"Ka..." Wang Xiaoyan opened the room's door and walked out in a pair of high heels. The heels were extremely tall, so she swayed as she walked out. If not for her exceptional balance from being an assassin, Wang Xiaoyan estimated that she couldn't even use this pair of heels.

"Holy crap! Who are you?" Wang Songshan's eyes widened looking at the woman who was taller than him that had appeared in front of him. He didn't know how to react. "Where is my Yanyan? Are you her hired makeup artist?"

"What makeup artist?" Wang Xiaoyan didn't know whether to cry or laugh when she heard her father's words. "Dad, it's me."

“Ga? Yanyan?” Wang Songshan’s voice was like an old duck. He immediately made a “ga” sound and stared dumbfoundedly at the woman in front of him. It was as if he had become empty-minded.

“What’s wrong? Isn’t my make-up very nice?” Wang Xiaoyan was very proud of her work.

“Cough—cough—” Wang Songshan blanked out for a moment, and finally coughed fiercely. “Yanyan, what are you doing? Why did you dress up like a female delinquent?”

“Oh? You also think that I look like one?” Wang Xiaoyan was very proud after hearing her father’s words. It seemed like her makeup was quite successful.

“You... did it intentionally?” Wang Songshan finally saw the silhouette of his daughter from this woman’s figure.

“That’s right. It’s intentional.” Wang Xiaoyan admitted it very frankly.

“You... why did you do this?” Wang Songshan didn’t understand his daughter’s actions. “You took so long to dress up, just to dress up like this?”

“Yeah, what’s wrong?” Wang Xiaoyan thought, *Actually, I already finished dressing up a long time ago. I just used the remaining time to fix everything. If I came out early, you would just ask me to go back and dress up again. Now, I came out because time is running out. Even if you are reluctant, you have no choice.*

“You—” Wang Songshan became extremely angry. “How could you do this to your appearance? Won’t it shame our Butterfly Family’s name if others see your face?”

“What’s wrong with being shamed?” Wang Xiaoyan didn’t bother about it. “I’m just afraid that my so-called fiancé wouldn’t want to call off the engagement with me after he sees my face. It will be such an inconvenience if he is as persistent as Goode. Can’t you see that I’m trying to save you from troubles?”

“You made this horrid face just for that?” Wang Songshan’s expression became dumbfounded when he heard Wang Xiaoyan’s reason.

“That’s right. He has already been engaged to me from before. Since his master is your old friend... and aunty... So, if they really don’t want to call it off, and our Butterfly Family has to do so, wouldn’t that be troubling ourselves?” Wang Xiaoyan said. “With this, many troubles will be saved if he hates me by just looking at my appearance. A normal guy will not like my appearance after all. My reputation doesn’t matter. Since I already have a boyfriend, it doesn’t matter anymore.”

“...” Wang Songshan was speechless. He never expected Wang Xiaoyan to have this mindset. *Whatever, just let her be.* If the guy Wang Xiaoyan was going to meet tonight was someone other than Yang Ming, then Wang Songshan would rather let her be late and force her to dress up again no matter what. However, he just let her be since the man she was meeting was Yang Ming.

It will be really entertaining when this brat finds out later that her partner is Yang Ming... gaga... Wang Songshan started to secretly scheme against his daughter.

Chapter 1396: Being Tricked/ Study the Engagement Cancelation Now

"I have waited for you for quite a while. How high exactly is your horse?" Wang Xiaoyan didn't think much of it even though felt that the presence of the person in front of her was somewhat familiar. The only thought in her heart was to make it quick and call off the engagement right after they met. So, the worse the impression she left on her fiancé, the better.

Wang Xiaoyan crossed her legs and sat on the chair carelessly. She raised the cigarette in her hand to her lips, then took a puff. She kept the smoke in her mouth for a while and then blew it out.

Wang Xiaoyan was already an assassin who was good at faking. She mimicked the act of smoking to perfection. If it were anyone else, they would definitely be fooled into thinking that she really was a heavy smoker. But who was the person in front of her? It was the big assassin Yang Ming, who was the best at observing details!

Although real smoking and fake smoking looked similar, they were actually quite different. In real smoking, the smoke would be sucked into the lungs, so the chest would expand. Whereas for fake smoking, the smoke would enter the mouth and stay there, and would not be inhaled into the lungs; it would stay in the mouth instead. So, the chest would naturally not expand. One could see the truth of the matter as long as they could notice this small detail.

However, Yang Ming didn't distinguish whether this young girl was smoking for real deliberately. He just discovered it by accident. He couldn't help but tease, "You don't even know how to smoke, yet you're still putting on an act. It's incredibly ridiculous. Do you have brain damage?"

Although Yang Ming's words could also be described as vicious, he was not afraid to offend this little princess of the Butterfly Family. Yang Ming's original intention was to offend this little princess as much as possible. It was his best strategy for both of them to argue once they met. It would also ensure that he could cancel the engagement successfully.

"Hey, you dare to say that I have brain damage!" Wang Xiaoyan stood up quickly and pointed at Yang Ming furiously. "I think you're the one with brain damage!"

As Wang Xiaoyan stood up with too big an action and was also not used to the super high heels underneath her feet, she somewhat lost her balance suddenly. Although she was an assassin, it was still extremely difficult for her to maintain her posture under a sudden rage. She fell backward at once and her butt sat onto the ground. It was extremely funny!

"Hmph—" Wang Xiaoyan made a sudden girly exclamation. It was so painful that she ground her teeth...

"En?" Yang Ming was stunned as he heard Wang Xiaoyan's girly cry! *Why is this sound so familiar?* It's like... It's like the moaning sound a certain woman of his would make at a certain moment. It refreshed Yang Ming's memory...

Yang Ming took off his sunglasses and looked carefully at the face of Butterfly Family's little princess! Previously, Yang Ming had come over intending to cancel the engagement. He only wanted to become enemies with the Butterfly Family's little princess. So, he didn't even look closely to see what she looked

like! This was because regardless of whether she was as beautiful as a fairy, or extremely grimy, it would have nothing to do with Yang Ming!

However, Yang Ming began to pay attention to the person in front of him after. He couldn't help but be shocked at a glance. Although this woman's appearance was beyond recognition in the clouds and mists of her makeup, the base underneath that complicated makeup was indeed somewhat familiar. It was in fact extremely similar to the owner of that moan!

Yang Ming used his special ability to ignore her disguise directly. The two glass balls in his hand fell to the floor as soon as he saw the true face of the person in front of him. He couldn't help but blurt out two words. "Yanyan—?"

Wang Xiaoyan was covering her little butt. She was so hurt that she gritted her teeth. In her heart, she was even more upset with the fiancé in front of her. Just as she was about to stand up and resume quarreling with him to vent the hatred in her heart, she heard him call her name out all of a sudden. He even called her so intimately. Wang Xiaoyan was so close to exploding from anger!

Can you call me Yanyan? Who are you to me? Only the people closest to me can call me this. Who are you? Wang Xiaoyan was about to refute, but she suddenly felt that this 'Yanyan' had an indescribable familiarity, *It's like... It's like...* When Wang Xiaoyan thought of this, she lifted her head immediately to look at that fiancé of hers. At a glance, she couldn't help but panic!

Yang Ming had already taken off his big sunglasses. Although he was still a baldy and his clothes were hopelessly horrible, anyone who knew him would naturally be able to tell that the person in front of them was indeed Yang Ming.

"Yang Ming?!?" Wang Xiaoyan looked at the man in front of her in disbelief. How was it that the fiancé she hated so much looked so similar to Yang Ming? Besides the hair and his choice of clothes that were seemingly different, everything else was simply carved out of the same mold! Wang Xiaoyan didn't see his look clearly before as the sunglasses he was wearing covered most of his face. She couldn't care less! In her mind, this person's appearance had nothing to do with her. It had nothing to do with her now and it would definitely not have anything to do with her in the future. So what was the point of looking anyway?

As a result, Wang Xiaoyan didn't pay attention to this person's appearance at all. Even if she felt that his voice was a little familiar, she didn't think further. Wang Xiaoyan's preconceived evil thoughts had already made her extremely hateful toward this fiancé, so how could she have the heart to even analyze whom his voice sounded like?

However, Wang Xiaoyan had to pay attention to the man in front of her after Yang Ming called her nickname. The so-called attention was really just anger. How can this name be called by anyone? *At home, besides father, Butler Mu and the aunt I just met, only my best friend Zhao Ying and my boyfriend Yang Ming from outside can call me this.*

The person in front of her had actually called her this, so how could Wang Xiaoyan not be angry? So she looked up at this man. But Wang Xiaoyan didn't expect that she would be immediately dumbstruck with just a glance. *Are there really people who look so alike in this world?*

The reason why Wang Xiaoyan didn't confirm immediately that the person in front of her was Yang Ming, was because the Yang Ming now and the Yang Ming in her heart were complete opposites! One was a handsome man whose face always had a bad-boy smile, and the other was basically the villain of ancient soap operas! The dumb evil bully that would be tortured by the protagonist!

"Er... You're really Yanyan?" Yang Ming saw that the Wang Xiaoyan in front of him actually knew him and was more certain in his heart. Although Yang Ming had already found that the person in front of him was exactly the same as Wang Xiaoyan through his special ability earlier, this image was totally different after all. Wang Xiaoyan and he had the same thoughts. They both didn't dare to confirm. It was only when she recognized him did he dare to be certain that the person in front of him was Wang Xiaoyan!

"Er... You're really Yang Ming?" Wang Xiaoyan was also dumbfounded! The person in front of her was exactly the same as Yang Ming regardless of how he looks or the tone of his voice. Wang Xiaoyan wouldn't believe if it was said that he wasn't Yang Ming! This was because she had never heard of anything like Yang Ming having an identical twin brother.

"Wang Songshan? Wang Xiaoyan? What! Wang Songshan is your dad?" Yang Ming said these two names again silently and suddenly felt like he had been tricked! *These two share a father-daughter relationship?*

"Yang Ming? You're the King of Assassins' apprentice? That fiance of mine?" Wang Xiaoyan didn't care about her little butt that was still mildly painful and got up from the floor directly. She threw aside the cigarette in her hand and kicked the two high heels off her feet. She let out a long sigh of relief. "If I knew it was you, I wouldn't be pretending like this. It's so tiring!"

"It seems... The person you mentioned seems to be me, right..." Yang Ming smiled bitterly. "I had to fake even more. What a blunder. When have I ever pretended to be a bully..."

Wang Xiaoyan and Yang Ming were both not stupid. On the contrary, they were extremely clever. Otherwise, they wouldn't have been able to reach the peak among assassins! In an instant, they both understood the current situation! Both of them had been played! Or should it be said that they had been tricked by the two elders!

Fang Tian and Wang Songshan knew that he was familiar with Wang Xiaoyan, yet they still made such a big show. The purpose was to make them embarrass themselves! It would be understandable if Wang Songshan didn't know Yang Ming. Yet it was impossible for Fang Tian to not know Wang Xiaoyan!

Yang Ming took Wang Xiaoyan to see Fang Tian before he went to Vietnam, and Fang Tian also knew Wang Xiaoyan's name! Now that he thought about it, Fang Tian had also said some strange words like 'very good' at that time. It turned out that they had other profound meanings! He must have realized Wang Xiaoyan's identity at that time; he just didn't say it!

Yang Ming was furious, but there was nothing he could do. These two old guys were simply childish. No wonder they always said that he would regret it if he were to cancel the engagement; It had another deeper meaning!

Chapter 1397: By Whose Means/ Diverting a Crisis with Words

Wang Songshan and Fang Tian's faces reddened when Wang Ruoshui scolded that they 'have no shame'. Indeed, it was inexcusable for them as elders to play such a joke on their juniors.

Fang Tian especially didn't dare to make another sound and lowered his head after being scolded by Wang Ruoshui. It was as if he had just been bullied. Although Wang Songshan hated Fang Tian's cowardice secretly, he had no choice but to solely stand up for the plan that they had both discussed. "Ruoshui, don't be angry. It is because these two juniors didn't recognize our good intentions. We had set such a blissful engagement for them, yet they didn't appreciate it. So, Old Fang and I just wanted to teach them a lesson! Ruoshui, you saw it too. Our little friend Yang Ming was so determined in canceling the engagement before this!"

Wang Songshan said secretly. I'm sorry, little friend Yang Ming. I can only transfer the blame to you. Otherwise, I will be scolded. I must save myself ah.

Sure enough, Wang Songshan's move had turned the tables. He had transferred the blame onto Yang Ming without leaving a trace! As Wang Ruoshui heard this, she thought about Yang Ming's various behaviors in calling off the engagement before. She became angry immediately. Indeed, this kid really didn't know how to appreciate a favor. She kindly wanted to let her niece marry him, yet he rejected desperately. He even suggested a ridiculous idea like having a draw in their fight just to achieve his purpose. Wang Ruoshui was still thankful as he had helped the Butterfly Family through a tough obstacle afterward. It's just that once she thought about Yang Ming's intentions, there was not a single bit of gratitude left at all. The reason was simple; Yang Ming's intentions were not pure. The reason he had helped the Butterfly Family was just because he wanted to call off the engagement!

"Yang Ming, how is my niece not good enough for you?" Wang Ruoshui raised her eyebrows at Yang Ming immediately when she thought of this, "You wanted to call off the engagement by every means possible? Now that you've seen that my niece is your beloved, you no longer want to call it off? What is the rationale for this? How is it possible for our Butterfly Family to accept this? Do you think that our Butterfly Family is easy to bully? That it is up to you whether to call it off or to proceed with the engagement? Don't you think that you've attached too little importance to our Butterfly Family, as well as I, Wang Ruoshui? By whose means do you dare to be so arrogant?"

Wang Songshan didn't expect that his simple sentence would make Wang Ruoshui so upset. He looked at Yang Ming and said in his heart. I didn't think that my sister's temper would be so explosive. Pray for yourself!

Wang Ruoshui's last sentence, "By whose means do you dare to be so arrogant" was obviously directed at Fang Tian. Fang Tian lowered his head immediately the moment Wang Ruoshui said this sentence. He didn't even dare to breathe out loud.

Yang Ming scolded silently. This woman Wang Ruoshui is taking out all her anger toward Old Man Fang on me. Who did I offend? How am I so unlucky? This is a disaster.

It seems that if I don't cut the knot and settle this quickly, Wang Ruoshui will always be huge trouble! Whenever she is reminded of this in the future, she will always use it as an excuse to take it out on me. How can I put up with that? If things go south and she forces me to compete with her, will I still be alive? Yang Ming really couldn't do much to someone who was Fang Tian's old lover and Wang Xiaoyan's aunt!

Originally, Yang Ming already had huge scruples. Now, she had another layer of identity as Wang Xiaoyan's aunt. This meant that she was also his aunt. Yang Ming could only be treated as a punching bag if he were to compete with her. How could he possibly fight back?

Therefore, Yang Ming had to resolve this huge trouble once and for all. Otherwise, his future will be finished.

Of course, it was impossible to finish this matter once and for all by defeating Wang Ruoshui directly. Yang Ming's idea was to convince Wang Ruoshui wholeheartedly and not give her any chance to argue back. She also must not be able to reason against it.

This was indeed a little difficult to handle. Yang Ming's strengths lay in fighting and killing people, but he couldn't use them at this moment. It really gave Yang Ming a headache. Since he couldn't battle with martial arts, an IQ battle would have to do.

"Yang Ming, why don't you say something? By whose means do you dare to deceive us to this extent?" Wang Ruoshui snorted and questioned intensely when she saw that Yang Ming was silent and his expression was changing erratically.

In Wang Ruoshui's opinion, the only so-called means of Yang Ming was Fang Tian. It would be settled as long as Yang Ming said Fang Tian's name. She would then drag the old brat Fang Tian into this and settle them at once!

Wang Ruoshui had accumulated deep grievances with Fang Tian. Although there were some changes in the past two days, how was it possible for a heart's resentment to be resolved just like that? Yet Fang Tian was still obedient toward her, making it hard for her to find an excuse to get angry! In fact, Wang Ruoshui was hoping that Fang Tian would be a little firmer so she could cry and make a fuss at him. This would be a little more relieving. However, Fang Tian didn't let her achieve her wish!

So, Wang Ruoshui deliberately directed the flame onto Fang Tian while she was teaching Yang Ming a lesson. Her anger would be transferred successfully onto Fang Tian as long as Yang Ming cooperated. Yang Ming would only be an innocent victim.

How could Yang Ming know about Wang Ruoshui's complicated thoughts? Yang Ming was somewhat scared seeing her stare directly at him! Hearing that she had directed her anger deliberately onto Fang Tian, Yang Ming actually thought that she wanted to take it out on both the teacher and the apprentice together! Yang Ming said in his heart. No matter what, Fang Tian is still my master. I am usually disrespectful toward him, but at crucial moments, I have to be loyal. I can't just sell Fang Tian out like that!

Moreover, Old Man Fang and Wang Ruoshui's relationship was complex. It was established that the two of them would end up together. So, it was hard to guarantee that Fang Tian and Wang Ruoshui wouldn't team up and denounce him after a few days if he were to sell Fang Tian out now.

That's right! As Yang Ming thought about Fang Tian and Wang Ruoshui's relationship, the lightbulb above his head lit up! He had thought of a solution!

A graceful arc swept across the corner of Yang Ming's mouth. "To say whose means I'm depending on... This is inappropriate to mention, right?"

“What’s not appropriate to say?” Wang Ruoshui snorted, “Just say whatever you have to say!”

“Then... I’m really going to say it, okay?” Yang Ming pretended to be nervous. “But... This really isn’t appropriate to say!”

“Yang Ming, say it quickly. As a grown man, what are you dilly-dallying about?” Wang Ruoshui was a little impatient upon hearing Yang Ming repeating himself. She glared at him and scolded.

“Alright then, I’m going to say it...” Yang Ming sighed and shrugged.

Fang Tian’s face turned pale as soon as Yang Ming opened his mouth. He scolded silently, You kid are too unfaithful, aren’t you? Can’t you just take the shot for me? You’re actually thinking of shifting Wang Ruoshui’s anger onto me? Aren’t you too disrespectful? What’s the use of having you as my disciple?

“Are you going to say it? Spit it out!” Wang Ruoshui said anxiously.

“Actually, the reason why I have no fear and seem to not be worried about anything is that I have someone supporting me. They are incredibly powerful. No one in the whole Butterfly Family would dare to offend them! Uncle Wang, even as the master of the Butterfly Family, you can’t too!” Yang Ming shook his head as he said this. “If you see this person, you will also have to give way!”

Everyone present was stunned at once when they heard Yang Ming’s words. However, Wang Songshan and Wang Ruoshui’s faces showed anger. They could somewhat guess who Yang Ming’s support was!

Is it someone from the Buffon Family? Someone who the Butterfly Family’s master Wang Songshan did not dare to offend could only be someone from the Buffon Family, right? However, even if this is the case, how can I maintain my face as the Butterfly Family’s master now that you have said this in front of so many people? Where do you even put our Butterfly Family?

Although Wang Ruoshui had questioned Yang Ming intensely earlier, she didn’t have any bad intentions. She just wanted to teach Fang Tian a lesson. The so-called ‘by whose means’ was obvious to those smart people that Wang Ruoshui was directing it to Fang Tian!

However, she didn’t expect that Yang Ming would actually bring another person into this. Wasn’t this obvious bullying? Even if the Butterfly Family really couldn’t offend people from the Buffon Family, he couldn’t just say so, right?

“Yang Ming, who is this person that you’re talking about?” Wang Ruoshui’s face froze and her tone dulled.

Fang Tian’s forehead was also sweating with anxiety. He said in his heart, Yang Ming is indeed too young. How can he bring up external forces in this situation? How should the Butterfly Family consider this?

Nobody was more anxious than Wang Xiaoyan! If these words of Yang Ming had offended her father and her aunt, how could she possibly end up with Yang Ming in the future? How could she face her family?

Chapter 1398: Chen Fei’s Impression of Jing Xiaolu/ Towards Jiangyan

At noon, Chen Fei brought the results of the evaluation. Everybody could see that Chen Fei attached great importance to this matter. His speed was so fast that even Bao Sanli and Jing Xiaolu were a little surprised.

Jing Xiaolu took a deep breath nervously. Although the long-expected result should be similar to their assumption, life was full of uncertainties. No one could guarantee that there would be no accident. Hence Jing Xiaolu was still very nervous at this moment.

Bao Sanli was not at ease either. Yang Ming was not at home while there was a big slip-up. Although this matter was led by Jing Xiaolu, he was the CEO. He was responsible for checking the contract, not to mention that he signed it last. When it comes to responsibility, he was accountable for more than half of it! Previously, there was an incident in which a few of his loyal team members absconded with funds. It caused Bao Sanli to be in fear and trepidation for a while. Although Yang Ming did not hold onto and make a fuss out of this matter, Bao Sanli himself was agitated.

Therefore, he was afraid that he would do something wrong again. However, you attract what you fear. He was already careful, yet heaven suddenly sent a great opportunity in the form of cooperation with the Jiangyan Group. He thought that he could shine in front of Yang Ming once this business deal was facilitated. He would have made a contribution and made up for his mistakes. Although it was a good idea, he did not expect that the other party would trick and disadvantage them right after signing the contract.

Therefore, the fingerprint identification had become the key to whether the whole thing could be solved! If Jing Xiaolu had deduced right, she would have a bargaining chip during her negotiation with the Jiangyan Group. After all, she had evidence in her hand. Even if the other party did not agree to change the contract, it could be resolved by legal means.

"Chief Chen, how's it going?" Jing Xiaolu stood up anxiously, looking at the report that Chen Fei brought in.

"Vice President Jing, as expected, Xu Xiaobin's fingerprints were not on the page in question." Chen Fei handed the evaluation report to Bao Sanli and turned to talk to Jing Xiaolu.

Chen Fei admired Jing Xiaolu. In the beginning, he thought she was promoted by depending on her relationships. Now, they had met face-to-face. The evaluation report explained that Jing Xiaolu was a competent person.

"Really!" Jing Xiaolu took the evaluation report from Chen Fei and read the results of the fingerprint identification. She heaved a sigh of relief. A large stone pressed against her heart was finally lifted. With this report, everything could be discussed!

"Of course it is true. You have the potential to be a criminal police officer!" Chen Fei smiled, responding to Jing Xiaolu. However, he felt contrite after speaking. Although Jing Xiaolu was already a vice president even though she was young. It seemed a bit wrong to talk to her with the tone of an elder. In this world, capability first, and age was secondary. So, he said a little embarrassed, "Vice President Jing, I'm sorry. I unconsciously treated you as a child. You are almost as old as my daughter, so I casually said it..."

"It's fine!" How could Jing Xiaolu care about this? Jing Xiaolu was ecstatic that Chen Fei regarded her as a child. Otherwise, it would be very awkward if she and Chen Fei kept using "Chief Chen" and "Vice President Jing" while chatting with Sister Chen Mengyan!

Therefore, Jing Xiaolu waved her hands, "Actually, Sister Mengyan and I are classmates. We normally have a good relationship! I won't be used to it if you call me Vice President Jing! Why don't you just call me Xiaolu, and I will call you Uncle Chen?"

"Oh? You and Mengyan are good friends?" Chen Fei was slightly stunned. He looked at Jing Xiaolu pensively. It had to be said that Chen Fei's observation skills were keen. He noticed some problems through Jing Xiaolu's use of "Sister Mengyan".

She must be familiar with Yang Ming since the Ming Yang Company was actually a company controlled by Yang Ming behind the scenes. Jing Xiaolu was working there as a vice president, and she and his daughter, Chen Mengyan, were classmates. Moreover, the way she called Chen Mengyan... all of this proved that this girl seemed to have a close relationship with Yang Ming.

"Yes," Jing Xiaolu did not set up her defenses. Although she knew how to scheme, she couldn't have thought that Chen Fei had noticed some problems at this moment, "Sister Mengyan and I are close friends. We often go shopping together."

Chen Fei nodded, smiled slightly, and said, "Alright, I'll call you Xiaolu in the future. You can just call me Uncle Chen, no need to be so formal."

Chen Fei had likely figured out the relationship between Jing Xiaolu and Yang Ming. Although he felt a little uncomfortable, he was not furious. Chen Fei was clear about the women around Yang Ming. Besides his daughter, there were also Lin Zhiyun and Zhou Jiajia.

It was ridiculous to let his daughter share her husband with other women. Chen Fei naturally did not agree with it. However, Lin Zhiyun and Zhou Jiajia's situations were exceptional, which made it difficult for Chen Fei to say anything!

Chen Fei was clear about the enmity between Lin Zhiyun and Yang Ming; he had personally handled the case. Chen Fei was also clear about how Yang Ming was inexplicably framed and how Lin Zhiyun was involved. Therefore, it could be concluded that both Yang Ming and Lin Zhiyun were victims!

Also, Lin Zhiyun had finally given up pursuing Yang Ming's responsibility and closed the case; Yang Ming had dodged a bullet! Otherwise, he might have spent time in prison.

Lin Zhiyun's reason for closing the case was ridiculous, saying that she had arbitrarily reported the case because they had a fight as boyfriend and girlfriend...It would likely be outrageous if this was told to others. It was because of Lin Zhiyun's final thought that Yang Ming was saved.

So, it was inappropriate for Chen Fei to say anything when Lin Zhiyun reappeared beside Yang Ming in college. Chen Fei gave all the decisions to his daughter. As long as his daughter didn't say anything, then Chen Fei wouldn't say anything either. Anyway, aren't they still young?

As for Zhou Jiajia who appeared after that, Chen Fei had no reason to interfere! This girl's deeds and methods had even made him cry!

Moreover, Zhou Jiajia was injured for Yang Ming because of Chen Fei's case! If he had not sent Zhou Jiajia to Wang Xifan's house to be an undercover agent, how would her life have been in danger? How would she block the shot for Yang Ming?

Therefore, because this girl had helped him solve a big case and blocked a shot for Yang Ming, Chen Fei really couldn't say anything! Not even a word! He couldn't say anything! A person shouldn't be ungrateful to a friend!

Chen Fei would have been ungrateful if he had an opinion on Zhou Jiajia. To make Yang Ming leave Zhou Jiajia was also being ungrateful towards her. Chen Fei chose to be silent in his dilemma. As long as his daughter had no opinion and was happy, everything was fine!

Younger generations will do fine on their own. Chen Fei finally accepted the situation and moved on. Why should I care so much? Aren't I only afraid that Chen Mengyan will be at a disadvantage and be aggrieved? Since my daughter didn't say anything, what else can I say?

So, Chen Fei was just a little uncomfortable with Jing Xiaolu's appearance but he let it go. Since she was a good friend with Chen Mengyan and seemed to, attach great importance to Chen Mengyan from her tone, Chen Fei would not say anything.

"Okay, Uncle Chen!" Jing Xiaolu's eyes narrowed into a line, elated.

Chen Fei couldn't figure out what Jing Xiaolu was thinking, so he didn't continue with this topic, "Do you need my help for the rest of the matter?"

"I won't bother you anymore." Bao Sanli knew that this kind of matter would be resolved faster if someone in the justice system like Chen Fei came forward. However, he was unwilling to cause more trouble for Chen Fei. After all, the other party was not from Song Jiang City, but from Jiangyan City. Besides, the Jiangyan Group was the largest private enterprise in the province. No one would believe that they did not have any background or network. Therefore, it would cause trouble for Chen Fei if he came forward and encountered the other party who could use their formidable background to suppress him. "The other party is someone from the Jiangyan Group. They are not so easily coerced, so it is better to negotiate through normal means first. If that does not work, we will use legal means."

"I understand. If you have any difficulties, call me again." Chen Fei nodded. Chen Fei knew what Bao Sanli was worried about, but he was not afraid of anything. It was reasonable for him to intervene. After all, Ming Yang Security Company belonged to the subordinate enterprises of his bureau, so it was also considered to be his duty.

Chapter 1399: He is a Dog/ Liu Family's Liu Huamei

After checking Xu Xiaobin's ID card and confirming that there was no problem, he glanced at Jing Xiaolu and her group's license plate. After confirming that it was from Song Jiang, he nodded and let them go! He couldn't help but be a little moved especially when he saw the license plate number of the BMWX5 driven by Jing Xiaolu; Song B88B88. These people had the ability to become the company's partners, so his attitude became better.

"Please go ahead, but you need to follow me to register at the front desk first," said the security guard.

"No problem." Xu Xiaobin nodded and took Jing Xiaolu and the others into the company's lobby.

After making a simple registration, Xu Xiaobin, Jing Xiaolu, and the others were about to take the elevator, but the elevator door opened unexpectedly. Liu Jifei was accompanying a man as they came out of the elevator.

Liu Jifei appeared flattering, seemingly fawning over someone. On the other hand, the man walked in front of him elegantly. This man with his nose in the air seemed indifferent to Liu Jifei's words.

"Xu Xiaobin, why are you here again? Didn't I tell you to return to Song Jiang?" The man frowned immediately when he saw Xu Xiaobin after exiting the elevator, "As the manager of the group's Song Jiang branch office, how can you be absent without leave? You have failed your duty!"

"Vice President Liu... I..." Xu Xiaobin was stunned. When he came to the group's headquarters and gave the mobile phone recording to Liu Zhenan, Liu Zhenan had deleted the recording. He didn't think much of it at the time, but after he went back and had Jing Xiaolu analyze it, Xu Xiaobin began to suspect that there was something fishy between Liu Zhenan and Liu Jifei. Seeing Liu Zhenan and Liu Jifei walking together, with Liu Jifei smilingly fawning all over Liu Zhenan, there was a sudden click in Xu Xiaobin's heart. It seems that Jing Xiaolu is right. Liu Zhenan is inclined towards Liu Jifei. Whatever stabilizing the situation or having internal unity is all nonsense! I was almost fooled by these scoundrels! Thinking of this, Xu Xiaobin was immediately angered in his heart and his tone chilled, "Vice President Liu, these are the people from Song Jiang's Ming Yang Security Company. They have important matters to report to the group's senior management."

"Oh?" Liu Zhenan did not expect that these people brought by Xu Xiaobin were actually from the Ming Yang Security Company, and secretly snorted. This Xu Xiaobin has likely discovered that I was protecting Liu Jifei, and has begun to double-cross me. He actually brought the people of the Ming Yang Security Company to the headquarters to report the situation. What intention does he have?

However, the children of a distinguished family like Liu Zhenan were usually very prideful; he didn't even put the Ming Yang Security Company in his eyes! While it was true that the other party might be one of the largest companies in their city, it was not worth mentioning in the eyes of the colossus Jiangyan Group. He took a look at Bao Sanli and the others with an arrogant icy gaze and only paused at Jing Xiaolu for a few seconds as she slightly interested him. This is a beautiful woman, if only I can get her on my bed... Liu Zhenan planned to find out about Jing Xiaolu with this idea in mind.

"You are from the Ming Yang Company?" Liu Zhenan asked plainly, "Do you have anything?"

This aloof attitude made Bao Sanli so angry that he really wanted to slap him. This one really deserves a beating. Who does he think he is? However, Bao Sanli kept in mind the overall situation and said calmly, "Vice President Liu, right? I'm Bao Sanli, the CEO of the Ming Yang Security Company. Shall we find a quiet place and talk about it in detail?"

Bao Sanli's words were very clear. We have important matters to talk to you about. Of course, it is impossible to discuss it while standing at an elevator door. If I really want to show the evidence in public, I'm sure no one would be happy about it.

However, Liu Zhenan didn't seem to appreciate it at all. Maybe he didn't understand it, or he didn't bother to respond. He just said faintly, "If there's anything, just say it here. I will give you ten minutes. I have to go for lunch."

“Xu Xiaobin, screw you. You who double-crossed your employer, what intention do you have in bringing people from the Ming Yang Company to the headquarters?” Liu Jifei jumped out without waiting for Bao Sanli and Xu Xiaobin to respond. He was very qualified as a lackey; the moment his master spoke, he ran out to bite, “Do you not want to work here anymore?”

Liu Zhenan naturally found it inappropriate to say such vulgar words. Although he was a petty person, he was very hypocritical in public and would not easily tarnish his reputation.

However, Liu Zhenan appreciated Liu Jifei for speaking up for him and cast him a look of approval. He was satisfied with Liu Jifei as a lackey.

Liu Jifei was stunned by Liu Zhenan’s approval. He was as proud as a peacock, “And you, stinky floozy Jing Xiaolu, don’t you know how to behave after getting together with a nouveau riche [1]? Do you think that you are so capable after becoming a vice president? Go to hell! Let me tell you, my backer is Vice President Liu Zhenan. It will take only a matter of minutes to screw you over. Do you know who our Brother Nan is? He is the grandson of the group’s chairman Father Liu!”

Liu Jifei had Liu Zhenan’s support, so he was not afraid of Xu Xiaobin, Bao Sanli, Jing Xiaolu and the others. He was even more fearless after knowing that Liu Zhenan had deleted the phone recording in Xu Xiaobin’s hand!

He had a better ability to discern someone’s thoughts from their body language. Previously, he saw Liu Zhenan’s contemptuous glance at Bao Sanli and others; he only paused at Jing Xiaolu for a longer time, and his gaze changed from his previous contempt to desire!

As a man, Liu Jifei knew very well under what circumstances a man would have this gaze. Liu Zhenan undoubtedly had desires for Jing Xiaolu. Well, since I couldn’t get a hold on this girl, I will let Liu Zhenan, a person with a background, get her. This can be considered as seeking revenge for before! In addition, I have timely pointed out Jing Xiaolu’s background and also won the favor of Liu Zhenan.

Liu Zhenan heard Liu Jifei’s brief account of Jing Xiaolu’s background and even felt that Liu Jifei was a talented person. He has keen eyesight and keen awareness in day to day matters! He could immediately detect that I was interested in Jing Xiaolu, and timely pointed out Jing Xiaolu’s background. It seems that I have to promote him in the future.

After completely throwing away my suspicion of her, it turns out that Jing Xiaolu is only a woman who sold her body for a higher position. This type of woman is the easiest to get. As long as I have something that she has a high interest in, how can I be afraid that she will not run into my arms?

“What are you talking about? Boy, repeat your words if you dare, otherwise, you should apologize immediately. Do you believe that I won’t kill you?” Bi Hai saw Jing Xiaolu being scolded and was immediately unwilling! He knew the relationship between Jing Xiaolu and Yang Ming and knew that he was rapidly promoted to his current position only because Ge Xinyao and Jing Xiaolu were good friends with Lin Zhiyun. Therefore, he would naturally be the first one to stand up when Jing Xiaolu was bullied.

“Who are you?” Liu Jifei squinted at Bi Hai and looked at Bao Sanli mockingly, “President Bao, right? What kind of people do you have in your company? What qualities do they have? They even threaten people?”

"Bi Hai!" Bao Sanli took a deep breath and scolded Bi Hai. The shame they suffered today would be paid back in double. But now, they were in others' territory. Great plans could be ruined by just a touch of impatience. Yang Ming wasn't around to handle the situation, so Bao Sanli couldn't allow any accidents to happen. He could only endure it at this moment, "Vice President Liu, the one beside you is also not a high-quality talent, right? Using swear words again and again, he doesn't seem to be much better!"

"Ha! Who told you he is a person? He is my dog!" Liu Zhenan laughed after hearing Bao Sanli's words, "Do you expect a dog to be proper?"

Bao Sanli, Jing Xiaolu, Bi Hai, and Xu Xiaobin were all stunned. They didn't expect Liu Zhenan to describe Liu Jifei like this! These were words that Bao Sanli couldn't say. Bi Hai was his brother and friend. Although they had a subordinate relationship, Bi Hai couldn't be called a dog!

It would be okay if Bao Sanli or Bi Hai were referred to as Yang Ming's dog because it was not an insult, but a glory. However, Liu Zhenan obviously wasn't at that level. He was just a fool. Bao Sanli felt that he didn't even have the qualifications to be Brother Yang's dog, so he thought that this Liu Jifei was even more foolish for fawning over and courting Liu Zhenan's favor; he even began to secretly despise Liu Jifei.

As expected, Liu Jifei did not become angry and was just like a dog; he just didn't bark.

Chapter 1400: The Psychology of Jealousy/ Secretly Compete

Liu Huamei had just discovered this loophole recently. Previously, Liu Zhenan had not been so unbridled and did not violate any rules; it was only in the last month that he began to separate the bill. To say that there is no expert guidance behind this, with my brother's IQ... Liu Huamei laughed disdainfully.

Does he think that I can't figure out this low-level method? Liu Huamei decided that she would raise and fix this loophole at the next board of directors meeting, and stop Liu Zhenan in his way.

The phone rang while she was thinking hard about how to exchange words at the meeting. Liu Huamei habitually and politely answered the phone. Although her mind was occupied and she didn't want to be distracted by other matters, her tone of speech was not affected in any way.

"Director Liu, I'm Xu Xiaobin, the head of the group's Song Jiang Branch Office. Are you free now?" Xu Xiaobin asked carefully.

"Song Jiang Branch Office? Xu Xiaobin?" Liu Huamei was stunned. She carefully searched for the name in her head, but she did not have any impression of it. I should not have dealt with him before! Moreover, the office was not under her management. In theory, she should have no business relationship with this Xu Xiaobin. However, since the other party had looked for her specifically and he was a person within the group, Liu Huamei would naturally not ignore it, "Is there anything I can do for you?"

"Director Liu, this is the case. Our group has cooperated with a local security company in Song Jiang. The other party has a lot of dissatisfaction with our company in terms of the contract. They want to discuss it with the senior management of the group..." Xu Xiaobin said carefully.

"Oh?" Liu Huamei had heard about the cooperation the group recently had with a local security company in Song Jiang to set up a new bank escort company. However, why does the other party want to look for me to discuss the issue? I am the Director of the Finance Department and I am responsible

for the company's finances. Even if there is a problem, you should report it to the president or vice president, right?

When he noticed the doubts in Liu Huamei's words, Xu Xiaobin quickly explained, "Director Liu, are you free now? Some things need to be said in person to make it clear..."

Xu Xiaobin especially emphasized and accentuated the word "in person". With Liu Huamei's ingenuity, it was likely not difficult to hear the problems.

Sure enough, Liu Huamei raised her eyebrows unconsciously after hearing Xu Xiaobin's words, and keenly noticed a trace of peculiarity. Xu Xiaobin, as the company's expatriate office manager, did not look for Liu Zhenan or Liu Hua to report the situation but looked for her instead. This inevitably appeared peculiar...

"Alright, come up. I'll wait for you in the office." Liu Huamei hesitated but agreed. Although she did not want to have a direct conflict with Liu Hua's side, her uncle and two cousins had been getting more outrageous recently! They even went against her at the expense of the company's interests. Liu Huamei could not bear with it anymore!

Liu Huamei could understand if this rivalry did not damage the family's interests. She had become accustomed to it by growing up in such a family. She did not fight for power and remained patient and accommodating for Liu Family's benefits, but Liu Hua still wanted to crowd her out from the Jiangyan Group. Liu Huamei could not tolerate this!

If Grandpa was not still alive, I would most probably... Liu Huamei sighed. Her father was lying in hospital with his life or death uncertain, and her mother was a delicate woman who shed tears beside her father's bed every day. The family relied on Liu Huamei to sustain it. Liu Huamei strove for vindication; she didn't do it for anything else. I am also a member of the Liu Family, and I'm also the eldest granddaughter of the main family. Why can't I have a place in the Jiangyan Group?

However, the current situation was not very optimistic. No matter how strong her personal ability was, Liu Huamei's status today was maintained under the support of Liu Jiangyan. If Liu Jiangyan took his last breath today, then it was likely Liu Huamei would be removed from her Financial Director position tomorrow.

Sometimes, Liu Huamei really felt like she was mentally exhausted, but there was nothing she could do about it. She didn't want to fight for power, she just wanted to get the share that she deserved, but the other party wanted to be ruthless.

Liu Huamei smiled bitterly. If I didn't behave too strong and talented, would Liu Hua's people still deal with me this way? But if I behaved weakly, I might not even be able to hold on to the shares, right?

Liu Huamei was keenly aware of something after listening to Xu Xiaobin's words. What he wanted to report had probably hit the wall through normal channels, which was why he looked for her instead.

Liu Huamei could figure out that Xu Xiaobin was using her discord with Liu Hua's people to make her help them, but so what if she knew it? If the matter reported by Xu Xiaobin was really a big matter related to the company, then Liu Huamei would unhesitatingly stand out even if she knew that she was being used. This was the fundamental difference between her and Liu Zhenan!

Liu Huamei's foundation was for the sake of the company! It was fundamentally different from Liu Hua, Liu Zhenan, and Liu Zheqiao. This was one of the reasons why Grandpa Liu Jiangyan supported Liu Huamei! It was not only because of Liu Huamei's ingenuity. No matter how clever she was, if she was doing it just for herself, then Grandpa Liu Jiangyan would not be at ease giving her the foundation that he had worked hard to create for half a lifetime!

"Dang dang dang——" There was a clear knock on the door. Liu Huamei placed the report in the drawer, then raised her head and said, "Please come in!"

"Director Liu!" Xu Xiaobin respectfully walked in with Jing Xiaolu and Bao Sanli. Bi Hai and the others stayed at the lounge beside the company's lobby.

They had previously brought many people to prevent Liu Zhenan from playing tricks, but the target had become Liu Huamei. Xu Xiaobin had naturally heard a lot of the company's rumors about this talented and devoted woman, so there was no need to take so many people up. On the contrary, it would not look good. Liu Huamei would feel that their purpose was not genuine, and it might be disadvantageous for them in this matter.

Xu Xiaobin dared not have the slightest contempt for the little girl in front of him who might not even be twenty years old. Age doesn't matter, talents come first. Xu Xiaobin carefully began to introduce, "I'm Xu Xiaobin, the head of the group's Song Jiang Branch Office. This is Bao Sanli, the CEO of Song Jiang's Ming Yang Security Company, and this is their vice president, Jing Xiaolu."

"Oh?" Liu Huamei did not expect that the other party was made up of a CEO and a vice president. This lineup could be said to be quite formidable! Liu Huamei had also previously inquired about Song Jiang's Ming Yang Security company. Although Liu Huamei did not pay too much attention to the company's tyrannical nature, she did not underestimate them either! Especially since the other party's individuals were all considered as characters that could make decisions. Liu Huamei quickly got up to greet them. She smiled and stretched out her hand, "Welcome, President Bao, Vice President Jing!"

Liu Huamei would naturally omit the prefix "vice" in vice president if Jing Xiaolu came by herself. But, the CEO of the other party had also come, so it wasn't appropriate to do so.

Bao Sanli was surprised that the legendary director was a little girl in her twenties, but he did not show it. He shook her hands politely and said, "Director Liu, I've bothered you."

Liu Huamei didn't feel that anything was wrong with Bao Sanli, but she was shocked when her gaze fell on Jing Xiaolu! It is already a miracle for me to take the position as the company's Financial Director at the age of twenty. The other person seems to be about the same age as me, but she is already a vice president?

Although the size of the Ming Yang Security Company was much smaller than that of the Jiangyan Group, Liu Huamei intuitively felt that this girl could not be underestimated!

Did this other person also rely on her father to be promoted? However, I can find out about her ability in a while. Nonetheless, it was unknown why Liu Huamei had a faint hostility to the equally beautiful Jing Xiaolu.

This kind of hostility did not mean that she had any opinions about the Ming Yang Company represented by Jing Xiaolu, but only towards Jing Xiaolu herself! This was purely the jealousy that arises when a beautiful and capable woman saw another equally beautiful and capable woman!