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Chapter 346: The person I like is right in this room

Leng Yixiu threw the card onto the glass coffee table, it was a seven of hearts.

Lin Yixun's heart tightened, Leng Yixiu's card was also higher than hers, the probability of her not being at the bottom was minuscule.

"President Leng, your card isn't the smallest, is it?" Li Yun'er smiled and urged Ouyang Hao beside her, "Ouyang Hao, stop dawdling."

Ouyang Hao curled his lips and turned over his card. At the moment the card flipped, Lin Yixun couldn't help but let out a long breath, not knowing whether to feel relieved or not, as Ouyang Hao's card turned out to be a two of hearts.

Now, even if Lin Yixun didn't flip her card, the answer was already clear.

Li Yun'er was overjoyed, "Haha, now you're at my mercy, truth or dare?"

"Either is fine, bring it on. I'm not afraid," Ouyang Hao smiled with a playful tone.

"Alright, then truth it is. Let me think, what should I ask?" Li Yun'er propped her chin on her arm, a thoughtful expression on her face. Her gaze drifted, wandering around Lin Yixun and Leng Yixiu before settling, "Is there someone you like among the people present?"

"What kind of question is that?" Mu Yi teased with a suggestive smile, "Yun'er, are you forcing him to confess to you?"

Li Yun'er just smiled and said nothing, her beautiful eyes fixed unblinkingly on Ouyang Hao, repeating, "I asked a question, now answer it."

Ouyang Hao's gaze lightly swept over everyone, lingering on Lin Yixun's face for a moment before quickly moving away to rest on Li Yun'er's face. His low, bewitching voice quietly said, "Yun'er, you already know the answer to that. Yes, among the people present, there is indeed someone I like."

Hearing this, Lin Yixun's heart couldn't help but clench. No matter how calm she tried to appear, the slight tremble in her body still betrayed her emotions. Leng Yixiu, sitting next to her, very keenly noticed this.

He slightly furrowed his sword-like brows and then placed his cold large hand over the back of Lin Yixun's hand. The man's cold temperature conveyed through Lin Yixun's hand spread all the way to her heart. She turned to look at the man beside her, whose face remained indifferent, but the slightly tensed corners of his lips told her that he wasn't in a good mood.

Li Yun'er felt slightly fluttered by his gaze, but quickly regained her composure. Two voices battled in her mind, one answer was her, and the other was another woman in the room. She wanted to confirm it herself, regardless of the others present.

"Who?" she asked softly.

Ouyang Hao's lips curved into a rascally smile, making his expression unfathomable, "That's the second question. If you want to know the answer, you'll have to wait until next time."

Li Yun'er thought about it, and according to the game rules, only one question was allowed at a time. Though she was reluctant, she had to give it up.

Sitting beside Li Yun'er, Mu Yi quietly nudged her shoulder, leaned in, and whispered, "Are you dumb? Why ask again? Isn't the answer obvious? Didn't you see how he looked at you? Who else could it be but you?"

Mu Yi's voice wasn't too loud or too soft, just loud enough for Lin Yixun to hear it all. Mu Yi wasn't wrong, Ouyang Hao's gaze towards Li Yun'er had indeed been "full of affection".

Lin Yixun only felt her heart aching with bitterness, wanting to get up and leave, but just as she gathered her strength, she felt a sudden force on her hand. She instinctively looked up and unexpectedly locked eyes with Leng Yixiu.

Chapter 347: President Leng, do you really like Miss Lin?

His gaze was very cold, but there seemed to be sparks in his eyes. Even though he didn't say anything, she could see the warning in his eyes. She thought that if she left halfway through, offending Leng Yixiu, the man might lose his temper on the spot, and it would be embarrassing for her.

She wasn't afraid of embarrassment, but she was afraid of losing face in front of Ouyang Hao.

Even though she was extremely unwilling in her heart, Lin Yixun had no choice but to brace herself and stay here.

This round ended with Ouyang Hao's truth, and the game of Truth or Dare quickly moved into the second round. Even though it was a ridiculously childish game, everyone present was full of interest. Even Leng Yixiu, who was always stern, didn't seem to have any intention of leaving halfway through.

Mu Yi couldn't help but wink at Fei Yichen, "You all said this game was childish. See, actually, Truth or Dare can be quite fun, right?"

"Yes, yes, yes, whatever my wife says is right." Fei Yichen smiled dotingly.

"Okay, you two stop flaunting your love in front of us. Let's continue with the game!" Li Yun'er said.

Lin Yixun looked at the cards in her hand and frowned slightly. Why was her luck always so bad? Mu Yi was the first to reveal his card, a Jack of Hearts. Following him, Ouyang Hao also revealed his card, a Queen of Hearts. Clearly, his chances of winning were very high. As for Fei Yichen and Li Yun'er, they revealed a Seven of Hearts and a Nine of Hearts respectively. Now only Lin Yixun and Leng Yixiu were left.

Li Yun'er hesitated for a moment, then flipped open the card in front of her before Leng Yixiu. It was another Three of Hearts. Seeing this, Mu Yi couldn't help but laugh, "Yixun, it's really a coincidence, it's the same card again. It seems this Three of Hearts is really fated with you."

"Yes, yes, really fated." Lin Yixun forced a smile. This time she was afraid her luck wouldn't hold out.

"President Leng, since Yixun has already revealed her card, what are you hesitating for?" Li Yun'er said.

Leng Yixiu also flipped open the card in front of him. Seeing the number on the card, Fei Yichen's lips curled up with interest. It seemed that his little wife's suggestion for tonight did have some significance.

Sure enough, the good show was about to begin.

"President Leng, you and Yixun really have a good connection, both have a Two of Hearts." Mu Yi teased.

Lin Yixun stared at the Two of Hearts on the coffee table. Her tense mood did not relax at all. Her gaze wandered between Leng Yixiu and Ouyang Hao, and her palms started sweating.

Leng Yixiu smiled without speaking, raised his eyes to look at Ouyang Hao, and said in a deep voice, "Second Young Master Ouyang, do you have any questions to ask?"

"Then I won't be polite." Ouyang Hao's eyes rolled, and his gaze finally fell on Lin Yixun beside Leng Yixiu. He smiled and asked, "President Leng, do you truly like Miss Lin?"

Upon hearing this, Leng Yixiu's eyes moved slightly, but his face remained impassive. He turned his gaze to Lin Yixun beside him, and saw that she looked nervous, with a trace of unease and fear in her eyes. His gaze darkened.

"I still choose dare."

This answer was tantamount to revealing to everyone that he did not like Lin Yixun, but didn't want to embarrass her on the spot.

Everyone present was surprised, except for Lin Yixun. The most shocked reaction came from Ouyang Hao. The moment Leng Yixiu said he chose "dare," Ouyang Hao suddenly stood up from his seat.

Chapter 348: How about a 5-minute French kiss?

The water cup on the coffee table was knocked over by his sleeve, accompanied by the sound of breaking glass, the atmosphere in the living room suddenly changed. At this moment, Ouyang Hao regained his composure, the towering anger on his face flashed and vanished under his playful smile.

"Sorry, my foot was accidentally stepped on by Yun'er just now, I overreacted a bit. Let's continue, continue! Since President Leng chose dare, what suggestions do the people present have?"

"How about having President Leng French kiss Yixun for five minutes?" Li Yun'er suddenly spoke up.

"Isn't that a bit too much?" Mu Yi whispered.

"What's too much about that? We are all adults, what's a French kiss? We used to play even wilder games." Li Yun'er turned to look at Ouyang Hao, smiling, "Ouyang Hao, don't you agree?"

Ouyang Hao remained silent, arms crossed, with a playful smile on his lips, though his eyes were slightly cold. Just as Li Yun'er thought he was about to speak, he gave Lin Yixun a deep glance and said coldly, "Yes, we are all adults; a French kiss is nothing."

Lin Yixun had never imagined that one day Ouyang Hao would put her in such an embarrassing situation. Seeing his indifferent expression, she began to believe that in Ouyang Hao's heart, there was no place for her at all.

He had completely forgotten about her. Whoever she got close to had nothing to do with him!

At this moment, Ouyang Hao spoke again, "But, this way of playing is too cliché. How about we come up with something fresh?"

"What new way?" Li Yun'er asked.

"How about we blindfold President Leng? Every woman present could be his kissing target, including the maids in the villa."

Fei Yichen finally couldn't stay calm, "My wife is married, she can't be included, right?"

"Of course not," Ouyang Hao said with a wicked smile, "but... to be fair, President Fei would have to sacrifice his charm."

The so-called sacrifice of charm Ouyang Hao mentioned was asking Fei Yichen to dress as a woman and join the contenders.

Fei Yichen, being a man, naturally looked unpleasant being asked this absurd request, but his young wife excitedly cheered, "Wow, I've never seen my husband dress as a woman before, I'm looking forward to it. Go, hubby!"

Fei Yichen looked a bit helpless, his gloominess dispersed, and he lovingly rubbed Mu Yi's head, though his gaze was dangerously intent, "I'm enduring this because of you, and I'll get my payback with interest later."

The last few words were heavily enunciated by Fei Yichen. Mu Yi quickly understood what he meant, her face turned red as she pouted, "So hateful! Scheming merchant!"

"All merchants are schemers!" The man chuckled in a low voice.

Fei Yichen was in a great mood. The probability of being chosen by Leng Yixiu was extremely low, and even if he was picked, he wouldn't be at a loss as a big man.

Li Yun'er frowned, "Ouyang Hao, isn't this a bit too much?"

"The more extreme, the more fun. A dare should live up to its name, otherwise, it's no fun." Ouyang Hao turned to look at Leng Yixiu across the room, smiling insincerely, "President Leng, don't you think so?"

Leng Yixiu's thin lips curved slightly, his gaze lingered on Lin Yixun's blank side profile for a few seconds before quickly shifting away, smiling meaningfully, "It does sound interesting."

Chapter 349: Dull Pain

As the host, Mu Yi felt that this way of playing was a bit too much, but considering it was just a game, he ultimately followed Ouyang Hao's suggestion and gathered all the maids in the villa, around ten in total.

Ouyang Hao got up from the sofa, folded his arms, scrutinized the maids, and asked with a smile, "Mrs. Fei, do you have any extra maid outfits?"

"There seem to be a few more in the laundry room."

So, except for the married Mu Yi, all the women present changed into maid outfits. To further confuse the audience, they all also tied their hair up high at the back of their heads.

According to the game rules, Leng Yixiu's eyes were blindfolded with a piece of cloth, and the women stood in a line. Perhaps coincidentally, the maids were about the same height as Lin Yixun, and their figures were similar too. Dressed in maid outfits, it was really difficult to tell them apart without careful observation, especially with blindfolded eyes.

To avoid Leng Yixiu recognizing any flaws, he was not allowed to touch the women's faces or bodies. If he wanted to identify Lin Yixun, he could only rely on his intuition.

The game rules were very strict. With twelve women standing in a line without shoes, Lin Yixun's chances of being recognized were only one in twelve. This made her breathe a long sigh of relief, but as she saw the blindfolded Leng Yixiu walking past one woman after another, step by step in her direction, Lin Yixun couldn't help but feel tense.

Every time Leng Yixiu approached a woman, he would stop in front of her for dozens of seconds. Apart from indifference, there was no expression on his handsome face.

Lin Yixun didn't know why he stopped in front of every woman. What she cared about was that Leng Yixiu wouldn't recognize her. Finally, the man came before her.

Lin Yixun's whole heart tightened, she forced herself not to make a sound, even holding her breath at that moment. Unexpectedly but understandably, Leng Yixiu only stopped in front of her for a few seconds before moving on to Li Yun'er.

As he approached Li Yun'er, Lin Yixun saw the man's eyebrows knit slightly, and his handsome face gradually moved closer to Li Yuner's, as though he was trying to capture something.

Li Yun'er stared at Leng Yixiu, afraid to breathe. She had a feeling she had shot herself in the foot and regretted proposing such a foolish idea in the first place.

She turned her gaze towards Ouyang Hao, hoping he would "save her" at this moment, but to her disappointment, Ouyang Hao was not looking at her.

Even though from another person's perspective, Ouyang Hao seemed to be looking at her, she knew very clearly that his eyes were always on someone else.

His mind and eyes were full of that one woman.

Leng Yixiu stayed longer in front of Li Yun'er than anyone else. Just when everyone thought he would kiss the wrong person this time, the man suddenly stepped back, returned to Lin Yixun, and in the shocked gazes of the crowd, wrapped his arms around Lin Yixun's neck and deeply kissed her.

Everything happened so suddenly that Lin Yixun hadn't reacted before Leng Yixiu had aggressively taken over. By the time she realized what was happening, it was too late to avoid.

All the air in her mouth was taken away, leaving Lin Yixun's mind in chaos. Yet, by chance, her eyes met Ouyang Hao's, and at that moment of eye contact, something in the deepest part of her heart was painfully pricked.

Chapter 350: Leng Yixiu, why did you forcefully keep me by your side?

Ouyang Hao didn't move his gaze, his lips curled into a faint smile. In his eyes, there was indifference and calm, mixed with disdain and sarcasm.

Lin Yixun couldn't help but feel a wave of sadness. Why was she here? Why did she, like a fool, let Leng Yixiu do such things to her in front of so many people?

But this wasn't what Lin Yixun cared about the most. What she cared about the most was that Ouyang Hao was also here. Over the years, she had faced too many cold stares, it seemed she had already grown used to it. Yet she realized that in this world, there was one person's cold stare she couldn't bear, and that was Ouyang Hao's.

Anyone in the world could look down on her, could belittle her, anyone but Ouyang Hao. Even if Ouyang Hao treated her with icy indifference, like a stranger, it was better than him looking down on her.

Summoning unknown strength, Lin Yixun pushed Leng Yixiu away and fled the villa hall rapidly. Her steps were swift, even though she was still in her maid uniform and barefoot.

But when she walked out the villa gate, her eyes were filled with confusion. It was only then that she belatedly realized that this was the outskirts of the city. The roads were barren, with not a single passing vehicle, only dim street lights standing lonely by the roadside, just like her current state.

Though she knew it was impossible to hail a cab here, Lin Yixun still didn't turn back. She walked step by step barefoot along the main road outside the villa, her mind involuntarily recalling the previous scenes, causing her heart to feel desolate.

Just now, she had indeed pushed Leng Yixiu away in front of so many people, embarrassing him. She could easily imagine that Leng Yixiu must be very angry right now. But she had no time to think about all that. She didn't know where she was going; she just wanted to escape from there, far away from Leng Yixiu, and far away from Ouyang Hao...

Suddenly, the sound of a car engine roared from behind, and the road in front of her was illuminated by two headlights. Lin Yixun didn't look back, she continued to move forward slowly, like an old woman.

The car slowed down and followed behind Lin Yixun. Seeing that Lin Yixun had no intention of stopping, it finally braked sharply and stopped in front of her.

With a loud slam of the door, a man got out of the car, grabbed Lin Yixun by the shoulders, and pulled her closer, furiously shouting, "Lin Yixun, where do you think you're going?"

Her shoulders hurt from Leng Yixiu's grip. Lin Yixun frowned slightly, slowly lifted her eyes, and gave a bitter smile, "I don't know either."

"If you don't know, then stop causing trouble. Come on, let's go back!"

At the words "go back," a look of agitation suddenly crossed Lin Yixun's otherwise gentle face. She struggled to break free from him and shook her head vigorously, "No, I'm not going back! I'm not going back!"

"If you don't go back, do you plan to sleep by the roadside? Lin Yixun, don't test my patience. Either you get in the car by yourself, or I'll carry you in."

Lin Yixun knew Leng Yixiu was serious, and she couldn't help but plead, "Leng Yixiu, please let me go, won't you?"

"Let you go?" The man sneered, "Lin Yixun, have you forgotten about our deal?"

"I regret it, can't I regret it?"

"Heh, regret? Your mother's illness was cured, and now you regret it? Lin Yixun, do you plan to break the bridge after crossing it? But Lin Yixun, don't forget, I'm a businessman. Businessmen don't make losing deals."

"Leng Yixiu, why are you doing this? You clearly have Cheng Ying. The person you love is obviously Cheng Ying. What sense does it make to force me to stay by your side?"