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"I saw it clearly too, the woman in the photo is Xiao Su. Truly, you never know a person fully. How could she do such a thing behind Teacher Wen's back? How's Pengpeng supposed to face others in the future?"

"It was Xiao Su who did wrong; what does it have to do with a child? You shouldn't worry about it."

"I can't understand it. Teacher Wen is handsome, has a good job, and is very good-tempered. Why couldn't Xiao Su see the good in that, and why did she have that kind of relationship with her brother-in-law? Sigh! It seems like such a good family is likely to fall apart!"

"If you ask me, Comrade Wen lost his affection for his wife a long time ago. Just think about all the things that have happened in his family over the years. His wife has been no stranger to having affairs with Professor Kang, and he's slapped her more than once for that."

"It's said that Teacher Wen talked about divorce, but his wife didn't agree."

"She didn't agree in the past, but now she probably has no choice."

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Listening to the gossip floating by, Su Man's eyes filled with anger: "Are you all gossipmongers? Or did I dig up the graves of your ancestors, so you're all here discussing me?"

The gossip abruptly ceased.

But all eyes focused on Su Man.

Ha!

If you don't want people to gossip, then don't do things that give them something to talk about!

That was the unanimous thought of the onlookers.

"It seems everyone in this courtyard knows what kind of person you are." Su Qing sneered as he spoke, then continued, "If you don't want people to gossip about you, then don't do shameless things. Su Man, listen carefully. From now on, you are no longer my sister. If I find out you're up to your old tricks again, I won't let it slide like today."

Leaving those words, Su Qing turned away with a cold face and left.

"Go, go, go, let's head home before the stench of this vixen makes us faint." Some woman suddenly chimed in. In no time, the crowd of onlookers dispersed and returned home.

Su Man was so angry she gnashed her teeth.

A vixen? Saying she's a vixen, saying she's unbearable, damn it, they're all no good. She cursed those who insulted her to meet a bad end!

When someone called Su Man a vixen, Kang Li had already entered the courtyard with Luo Yanqing and Cai Xiufen.

"I never thought that bastard from the Zhou family would be so shameless, to get involved with his wife's sister like that. It's brought the whole of Aoli Village's reputation down in North City, such a disgrace!"

Cai Xiufen sat on the sofa, her face gloomy.

"Mom, you're giving him too much credit. As if someone like him could represent the reputation of the entire Aoli Village," Kang Li chuckled and shook her head, calming Cai Xiufen: "Don't think about how the neighboring villagers will see us. My dad won't consider him important."

Captain Kang looked at his precious daughter, his eyes showing some helplessness, but he didn't speak.

However, Cai Xiufen didn't let Captain Kang off easily. She asked, "Don't you have anything to say?"

"What can I say?" Captain Kang's tone was flat: "What that Zhou kid did is his and his family's shame, and it has nothing to do with our village."

Cai Xiufen: "That's easy for you to say, but if people know that disgraceful fool came from our village, and that he was once engaged to our Li Bao, wouldn't that tarnish Li Bao's reputation?"

"You're overthinking. He is he, Li Bao is Li Bao. My daughter has nothing to do with him."

Captain Kang felt his wife was simply overthinking.

"Mom, dad's right, you're overthinking. Not to mention I now have my own family, and Luo Yanqing and I have a harmonious marriage. Given my current status,

there's no chance of me having any connection with that person, so how could he possibly damage my reputation? Besides, I'm not someone to be trifled with. If he dares to stir up trouble, I'll show him why the flowers are so red."

Luo Yanqing also said, "Mom, I'm here. I won't let Xiao Li suffer any grievances."

"Alright, alright, it's my overthinking. I'll keep my concerns to myself," Cai Xiufen pretended to be upset, glaring at Captain Kang and Kang Li; then she said, "What do you think was going through that fool's mind, getting involved with his wife's sister? Isn't he afraid of his wife finding out and causing a divorce?"

"Seeking thrills, holding onto a fluke mentality, it's that simple."

Kang Li almost answered without hesitation.

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Seeing her parents and Luo Yanqing all looking at her, Kang Li awkwardly cleared her throat and asked, "Why is everyone looking at me like that?"

Captain Kang and his wife didn't say a word, and Luo Yanqing casually remarked, "Looking for thrills?"

"That's how I feel, is there a problem?" Kang Li looked innocent, tilting her head at Luo Yanqing. "When you've got money in your wallet but haven't seen much of the world, it's easy to be led astray by bad influences."

Luo Yanqing: "..."

"You better believe it. My gut tells me that so-and-so is mostly just after thrills. But dig deeper, and it's really because this person has fundamental issues; otherwise, he wouldn't do such a despicable thing."

To Kang Li, Zhou Weimin is like a dung beetle who is not much of a person, yet thinks highly of himself. Such a man would never have a chance to even come close to Kang Li before she crossed into this world, let alone to show up in front of her.

In short, Zhou Weimin is nothing to Kang Li.

And naturally, she doesn't take him seriously.

Based on this, Kang Li discussed Zhou Weimin now with a natural expression, and her tone was casual, devoid of any emotion, as if she were talking about something utterly trivial.

"I believe it. Anything you say, I believe."

Luo Yanqing had a smile at the corners of his mouth, his eyes exceptionally gentle.

"Can you tone it down a bit?"

Feeling her face warm under his unwavering gaze, Kang Li couldn't help but remind him.

"What's up?"

Luo Yanqing came back to his senses and asked innocently.

"Dad and Mom are sitting right here."

Kang Li casually replied.

"I know." Luo Yanqing still had an innocent look, completely unaware of how mushy his gaze at Kang Li was just a moment ago, filled with tender warmth, affection, and a faint smile. Captain Kang and Cai Xiufen saw it, and though they didn't say anything, they both felt that if they continued to sit there, they'd be too much of a third wheel.

With that, the two of them stood up and walked out of the living room, one heading to the kitchen and the other straight to the courtyard gate, intending to take a walk outside to make room for the 'you are the wind I am the sand' couple.

"See? It's all your fault!"

Withdrawing their gaze from the living room door, Kang Li glared at Luo Yanqing, "My parents have made room for us."

"I didn't do anything."

Luo Yanqing was very innocent.

"Are you sure?" Kang Li teased, "First you say mushy things, then you look at me with such lingering eyes. My parents must feel like they're the third wheel."

Hearing this, Luo Yanqing let out a low laugh, "So Mom and Dad left the living room together, leaving the space for you and me?"

"Can you stop laughing?" Glancing at him, Kang Li said, "My face is burning up, and I don't know how to face Dad and Mom now."

Yet, Luo Yanqing continued to chuckle, "What's there to be embarrassed about? We're husband and wife, and we're still young. That's why Mom and Dad went outside—they understand."

"Daddy, are you and Mommy whispering secrets?"

Guoguo's soft and milky voice came into Kang Li and Luo Yanqing's ears, and they soon saw their cute little girl padding over to them with her tiny legs.

"Yes, your daddy is whispering secrets to me."

Kang Li teased Xiao Guoguo.

"Can I hear it too?" Guoguo came into the living room and directly reached her little hand out to Luo Yanqing. Seeing this, Luo Yanqing picked up the little girl and sat her on his lap.

"Nope, can't hear it."

Kang Li smiled, continuing to tease Xiao Guoguo.

"Why not?"

Guoguo tilted her head in an adorable manner, making Kang Li's heart melt.

"Since it's a secret, naturally, a third person can't know about it." Kang Li suppressed a smile, maintaining a serious expression.

"Is that so?" Guoguo blinked and thought for a moment, then said, "But I'm Mommy and Daddy's little darling, can't I hear it?"

Kang Li: "No, you can't. The secret your daddy whispered to me is between us. If we tell you, how can it be a secret?"

"Okay, I understand now!"

Guoguo spoke in her baby voice, completely unaware that her mischievous mom was teasing her again. She turned around and looked up at Luo Yanqing, "Daddy, are you going back to work tomorrow morning?"

"Yeah."

Luo Yanqing nodded gently.

Guoguo: "I'm going to miss you, Daddy!"

Luo Yanqing nodded again, indicating he understood. Speaking of which, apart from Kang Li, Luo Yanqing might be able to say "I miss you" to her, but he wouldn't utter such words to anyone else, not even to the six kids at home and Xiao Loh En.

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It's not that I don't want to, it's that I can't bring myself to say it.

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At dawn the next day, Luo Yanqing was picked up by his private car, while Kang Li, after seeing Ming Rui, Ming Han, and Ming Wei off to school, also drove with the three little buns to Shuimu University.

Originally, she thought the days would pass plainly like this, but who knew that today, at noon, as Kang Li finished her class and hadn't yet left the classroom, she heard the campus broadcast blaring, and a

somewhat familiar female voice came through. This female voice was sharp, repeatedly calling her name, asking her to quickly go to the broadcasting room, or else be prepared to bear the blame of a life.

Kang Li looked calm and cold, standing at the classroom door, wanting to blurt out a curse.

"I'm Luo Mingrui's father. If you continue to use my son to create topics to cover up your own messy affairs, don't blame me for being rude to you!"

Luo Yanqing's voice was cold and calm, lacking any warmth, as he looked at Su Man, radiating a low-pressure aura.

"You..."

Su Man had just begun to speak when Kang Li coldly interrupted, "What 'you'? Please address my lover as Comrade Luo or Academician Luo. Of course, calling my lover Mr. Luo is also acceptable."

Upon hearing this, Su Man's mouth trembled with anger: "..."

"You all continue as you were. My lover and I will not disturb you." With that, Kang Li and Luo Yanqing returned to their courtyard gate to continue watching the drama unfold.

She hadn't looked at Zhou Weimin once, while Zhou Weimin, upon seeing Kang Li, felt his entire face burning, wishing he could find a hole to crawl into.

What had he been saying here, and what had his wife been saying here?

Now... how did the woman he once liked perceive him?

Zhou Weimin felt both bitterness and embarrassment.

Actually... he had always liked her, liked his former fiancée whom he had canceled the engagement with. But back then, he had foolishly thought being liked by an educated youth from the city was something to boast about.

Thus, he broke his promise and asked to call off the engagement.

At the time, he knew well what canceling an engagement would mean for a girl, yet he did it, eventually marrying the educated youth.

But he never imagined that upon seeing his former fiancée again, walking alongside her husband, the feeling inside him would be so bitter.

Regret was useless now, so he thought he must become outstanding, becoming as good as her husband, thinking perhaps then he might still have something to say in front of her.

Unexpectedly, while he thought he was doing well in business, planning to appear grandly in front of her one day, he received a call from his home yesterday, saying she had made quite a stir in the village, even attracting leaders from province, city, and county to welcome her back home.

She funded road construction, not just for the village but to build a major road from the village to the county. Mr. Jiang even followed up by extending the road from the county to the provincial city. Furthermore, Kang Libao, his former fiancée, also funded the construction of a new primary school in the village and a factory in town...

The more he listened, the more shocked and uneasy Zhou Weimin felt as his mother spoke over the phone.

Compared to his former fiancée, his so-called success in business was nothing but a joke.

Zhou Weimin wiped his face hard, trying to calm his mind, then looked at Su Qing: "If you want to make a fuss, go ahead, but I'm leaving."

"You can't go!"

Grabbing Zhou Weimin, Su Qing said, "You and my dear sister must clarify the matter between you two for me."

"I have nothing to say."

Breaking Su Qing's grip, Zhou Weimin took strides and left.

"Zhou Weimin!"

Su Qing shouted in pain after Zhou Weimin, but he didn't pause, continuing forward.

With eyes full of hatred, Su Qing turned her gaze back to Su Man and said, "It doesn't matter if you don't admit it, I'll show this photo to your husband and see what he'll do."

"I said it's not me, sister. I'm your blood sister. No matter how despicable I am, I wouldn't do something so vile as to ruin your family."

"Qingqing, why don't you trust me? I've worked hard in business to plan for our family, how could you think so badly of me? Do you know you're ruining your sister-in-law, ruining her family this way?"

Zhou Weimin's eyes filled with disappointment as he looked at Su Man's hand under Su Qing's foot, ignoring others' gossip, he pulled Su Qing away, freeing Su Man's hand.

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"Sister... you really misunderstood me. There's nothing between me and Brother-in-law, and besides, there are plenty of people in this world who look alike. You can't just blame me because Brother-in-law took a photo with another woman..."

With a face swollen like a pig's head, Su Man cried hysterically.

"You think I'm blind?" Su Qing raised the photo again. "Everyone, take a good look and help me see if the scumbags in this photo are really my husband and my sister!"

Zhou Weimin's face was as black as the bottom of a pot.

Suddenly, Su Man knelt in front of Su Qing: "Sister! I'm begging you, please don't do this to me, okay? The woman in the photo really isn't me. If you don't believe that there are people who look alike, just take a look at that kid Luo Mingrui next door and Teacher Shen's husband Xiao Jin from our courtyard. They aren't father and son, but they look alike..."

"Mom, you're really overpraising that person. Someone like him representing the face of our Aoli Village?" Kang Li chuckled and shook her head, comforting Cai Xiufen, "It's not just about how people from neighboring villages would see it; my dad would never take him seriously."

Captain Kang glanced at his precious daughter, his expression somewhat helpless, but he didn't say anything.

Yet Cai Xiufen didn't let Captain Kang off the hook. She asked, "Don't you have anything to say?"

"What can I say?" Captain Kang's tone was flat: "That Zhou family's boy did such a thing, it's a disgrace to himself and his family, and it has nothing to do with our village."

Cai Xiufen: "You make it sound so easy. What if people find out that bastard came from our village and he was once engaged to our Li Bao? Wouldn't that ruin Li Bao's reputation?"

"You're overthinking it. He's him, and Li Bao is Li Bao; my daughter has nothing to do with him."

Captain Kang thought his wife was purely overthinking.

"Mom, Dad is right, you're indeed overthinking. Not to mention I now have my own family, and Luo Yanqing and I have a harmonious marital relationship. Just by my current status,

there's no chance for me to interact with that person, so how could he tarnish my reputation? Besides, your daughter isn't a pushover; if he dares to make false connections, I'll show him why flowers are so red."

Luo Yanqing also said: "Mom, I've got this, I won't let Xiao Li suffer any grievances."

"Alright, alright, it's me who's overthinking it. I'll put my heart at ease by listening to you all." Cai Xiufen pretended to be displeased, glancing at Captain Kang and Kang Li both. Then she said, "So tell me, what exactly is that bastard thinking, getting involved with his wife's sister? Isn't he afraid his wife will find out and divorce him?"

"Seeking thrills, holding onto a lucky mindset, it's that simple." Kang Li almost blurted it out without thinking.

Seeing her parents and Luo Yanqing looking at her, Kang Li awkwardly coughed a couple of times and asked: "Why are you all looking at me like that?"

Her parents remained silent, while Luo Yanqing softly uttered: "Seeking thrills?"

"That's what I think. Is there a problem?" Kang Li looked innocent, tilting her head at Luo Yanqing, "Once the wallet's filled, yet never seen much of the world, a slight temptation from bad elements can easily lead you astray."

Luo Yanqing: "..."

"You better believe it, my intuition tells me that guy's mostly just looking for excitement. But if you dig deeper, it's probably because he has issues of character; otherwise, he wouldn't do something so despicable and shameless."

To Kang Li, Zhou Weimin was no more than a dung beetle, clearly not much, yet feeling good about himself. Men like him, if it was before Kang Li crossed over to this world, he wouldn't even have a chance to show his face in front of her, let alone get close.

In short, Zhou Weimin was nothing to Kang Li.

So naturally, he wasn't on her radar.

Because of this, when Kang Li spoke of Zhou Weimin now, her expression was quite natural, and her tone calm, without any emotion, like discussing a common occurrence.

"I believe you, I believe everything you say."

Luo Yanqing's mouth curled into a smile, his gaze extraordinarily gentle.

"Can you mind yourself a bit?"

Being stared at by the man, Kang Li's face heated up, reminding him involuntarily.

"What's up?"

Luo Yanqing snapped back, asking innocently.

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"Then can we say it to Guoguo?" Xiao Guoguo came into the living room, directly reaching her small hand out to Luo Yanqing. Seeing this, Luo Yanqing picked the little girl up and settled her on his lap.

"No way."

Kang Li smiled with her eyes, continuing to tease Xiao Guoguo.

"Why not?"

Xiao Guoguo tilted her head, making Kang Li adore her even more.

"Because it's a secret, and naturally, it can't be known by a third person." Kang Li suppressed a laugh, her expression looking quite serious.

"Is that so?" Xiao Guoguo blinked her eyes, thought for a moment, and said: "But I'm Daddy and Mommy's little darling, can't I listen?"

Kang Li: "No. The secrets between your dad and me remain a secret if told to you, then how would it still be a secret?"

"Alright, I got it."

Xiao Guoguo, in her baby voice, said, completely unaware of her mischievous mom teasing her again and again. At this point, she turned around, looking up at Luo Yanqing: "Daddy, are you going back to work tomorrow morning?"

"Yes."

Luo Yanqing nodded lightly.

Xiao Guoguo: "I'll miss you, Daddy!"

Luo Yanqing nodded again, indicating he understood. That being said, apart from in front of Kang Li, Luo Yanqing could say "I miss you" to no one else, not even to his six cubs and Xiao Loh En at home.

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The next morning, as the day faintly dawned, Luo Yanqing was picked up by his private car, and after Ming Rui, Ming Han, and Ming Wei went to school, Kang Li also drove with the three Bun kids towards Shuimu University.

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Upon hearing this, the department head casually asked, "Do you have any conflict between you?" Yet, as the words left his mouth, he realized something was amiss. But before he could explain, Kang Li's clear and emotionless voice spilled out: "It's not that I have a conflict with the other person, it's that the other person has a habit of troubling me."

"Xiao Kang, I'm truly sorry; my previous question was very inappropriate, and I hope you forgive me."
The department head's face was apologetic, but Kang Li gently shook her head, her face showing no sign of displeasure, and she said, "It's alright."

The department head only felt more regret towards Kang Li, knowing her to be a very amiable colleague. Not only did she receive high praise from both teachers and students during her teaching tenure at the school, but even as a student here, everyone — teachers and classmates alike — held her name in high regard.

How could someone like her possibly have conflicts with others?

Sigh! The department head lamented inwardly, blaming himself for being somewhat rash — it was truly thoughtless!

Reflecting on this, the department head considered the bigger picture and couldn't help but say, "That woman's emotions are very agitated; she has a controlled knife in her hand and insists that you should go to the broadcasting room, Xiao Kang, what do you think..." He was in a difficult position, but what could he do?

"The police can handle it."

Kang Li remained unmoved and offered her suggestion.

"The police have been contacted, but the broadcasting room's door is locked from the inside. The other party has said that if she doesn't see you within her specified time, she will jump out of the broadcasting room window," the department head said, pausing briefly before continuing with a deep expression, "The broadcasting room is on the fifth floor; if she really jumps, something serious will happen."

"Can I resolve this issue?"

Kang Li said, "Ever since I got married and moved into the house allocated by my husband's unit in the residential compound, that Lady Su has been occasionally troublesome to me. To be frank, our households are close to each other,

but I'm not fond of socializing, so there is hardly any interaction with Lady Su, nor have I ever initiated incidents with her. Yet I'm constantly being targeted by Lady Su,

frequently spreading rumors and causing trouble in the residential compound, tarnishing my reputation. I've reprimanded her; the most severe occasion involved the police taking her away, but with very little effect.

Today she suddenly came to our campus and is hoisting a meeting request via broadcast. If my guess is correct, she almost certainly suffered a severe blow before coming to our campus and, as in the past, lacks introspection, attributing her sufferings to me. Director, I really have no patience for dealing with people like that."

By now, the department head was clear that there was nothing to criticize about Kang Li not meeting Su Man. Yet, without resolving the broadcasting room matter, it certainly couldn't be let be. He moved his lips and said, "But..."

Before finishing his sentence, he saw Kang Li stand up, "Alright, I'll go with the director; some matters are better thoroughly resolved."

However, she didn't immediately exit the office but picked up a landline phone to make a call to Director Song.

Upon finishing the call, Kang Li looked at the department head and said, "Let's go."

"That call you just made..."

The department head wanted to ask if the call was related to Su Man but stopped halfway without voicing it.

"Lady Su's husband works in the same unit as my husband. Now that an incident has occurred with Lady Su, I felt it was necessary for her husband to be informed."

Upon hearing Kang Li's words, the department head asked, "Did you call the unit of that female colleague's husband?"

"Yes."

Kang Li nodded.

Research institute.

Director Song felt overwhelmed ever since receiving a call from his wife a week ago, saying that Wen Siyuan's wife, Su Man, was caught having an improper relationship with her brother-in-law by her own sister, who caused a big scene at their compound. His wife queried about whether to inform Wen Siyuan about the matter.

At the time, he was at a loss, unsure how to broach such a sensitive subject with Researcher Wen. But after hanging up, and thinking it over thoroughly, he summoned Researcher Wen to the office and briefly relayed the incident.

After all, Researcher Wen had the right to know, even if his current work couldn't afford disruption. But with turmoil on the home front, considering Director Song knew about it yet concealed it, his explanations would be ill-received once Researcher Wen eventually found out.

However, upon listening to his recount, Wen Siyuan showed no change in expression, nor did he mention returning home to handle the situation, only responding with a simple, "Thank you, Director, for informing me. I've got it."

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Then he turned away from him and left decisively.

Now, just a week after that day, Comrade Su, Researcher Wen's spouse, has caused trouble again, and this time went to his goddaughter's university and demanded to meet her.

What an insane person!

Rubbing his temples, Director Song picked up the speakerphone and called Luo Yanqing's project team. About fifteen minutes later, two tall and upright figures appeared in Director Song's office.

"Alright, let's talk as we walk."

Director Song got up from his office chair, intending to go to Shuimu University with Luo Yanqing and Wen Siyuan.

"Did something happen to Li Bao?"

As they left the office, Luo Yanqing asked Director Song.

Upon hearing this, Director Song first looked at Wen Siyuan, then at Luo Yanqing, and said gravely, "Xiao Wen's spouse went to Shuimu University at noon, carrying a controlled knife. She is currently alone in the broadcasting room, using the broadcast to force Li Bao to meet her..."

Without any concealment, Director Song revealed all he knew.

Luo Yanqing: "Did Xiao Li call you?"

"Yes."

Director Song nodded and then said, "After the call with Li Bao, I contacted you and Xiao Wen, thinking both of you should go over."

Turning his gaze to Wen Siyuan, Director Song asked, "What are you planning to do about your Xiao Su? I heard from Li Bao that they've already called the police at Shuimu University, to prevent any harm to the students and faculty.

Moreover, your Xiao Su is very agitated. Something significant must have happened to her today, as she threatened to jump out of the fifth-floor window of the broadcasting room."

Wen Siyuan pressed his lips in silence.

Director Song sighed and continued, "I don't know what exactly is going on between you and your spouse that has turned your life into this state, but I hope you can think it over and resolve it as soon as possible. Do you understand my meaning?"

"I understand." Wen Siyuan nodded, then heard Director Song continue, "You and Little Luo both know, given the nature of your work, you can't afford any distractions. If home affairs aren't well managed, it's bound to affect your concentration at work."

Wen Siyuan nodded again.

Luo Yanqing: "Why did she go to Shuimu University? And why insist on seeing Xiao Li?"

"Li Bao didn't say." Director Song shook his head and then spoke, "But I think Xiao Wen's spouse's matter definitely has nothing to do with Li Bao."

Luo Yanqing's expression was icy, and his voice was cold: "There are Lili's classes from Monday to Friday, and since Luo Mingting and others have to attend kindergarten at Shuimu University until Saturday afternoon when the kindergarten finishes, Lili will take them back to the courtyard. From a timing perspective, she and Teacher Wen's spouse basically have no interaction on a daily basis, which leaves me puzzled. What on earth is Teacher Wen's spouse thinking, insisting on troubling Lili?"

Though he was speaking to Director Song, Luo Yanqing's gaze was exceptionally cold and detached when it swept over Wen Siyuan.

Wen Siyuan was not oblivious, and he could not ignore the glaring coldness, but he didn't know what to say.

Because no one knew Su Man better than he did.

It was simply jealousy and resentment that made Su Man always at odds with Kang Li.

As for being constantly cheated on, Wen Siyuan was already troubled and didn't care anymore.

Previously, when he failed to divorce Su Man after being cheated on, it was partly because Su Man would spread rumors and use his and Kang Li's reputation against them. To prevent Su Man from backfiring, plus their son Wen Peng was still young, he ultimately chose to endure, maintaining a nominal marriage with Su Man.

But he never expected Su Man to disgrace herself by getting involved with her own brother-in-law. As the saying goes, don't exploit what's close by, yet Su Man not only messed around outside but even dug into her elder sister's relationship.

This is simply moral degeneration, utterly despicable!

It seems he must divorce no matter how indifferent he is to the numerous betrayals, trying to keep Su Man as a mother for their son Wen Peng. He's estimating that this time, even the person next to him won't let today's matter be brushed over easily.

With this thought, Wen Siyuan got into the car and sincerely told Luo Yanqing, "I'm sorry." His family's messy affairs constantly entangled Comrade Kang Li, which truly felt somewhat unfair to her.

Luo Yanqing said coldly, "No need. I just hope you can resolve your family's troubles and not involve innocent people anymore."

Wen Siyuan's lips twitched, and he took a deep breath, responding, "I will resolve it as soon as possible."

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Shuimu University.

Outside the radio room.

"I'm here, say what you want to say."

Kang Li, accompanied by the department head, arrived at the radio room and glanced at the three police officers guarding the door. Her expression was emotionless, her tone filled with indifference.

"What's the rush?"

Su Man's sharp voice came from the radio room.

Hearing this, Kang Li once again wanted to curse.

Is this a joke on her?

Telling her to get to the radio room ASAP or else there would be a suicide, making her responsible. Damn it, do they think she has no temper?

But given the current situation, no matter how angry Kang Li was, she had no choice but to hold back.

The reason?

If her words provoked Su Man, escalating her already fragile emotions, and she really jumped from the building, Kang Li might indeed end up carrying a life on her conscience.

Even if it wasn't her fault, there would definitely be public pressure.

Because, generally, people sympathize with the weak. Even though Su Man's conduct was deplorable and despicable, if she ended up losing her life because of Kang Li's words, uninformed people would inevitably verbally attack her.

With a change of expression, Kang Li walked two or three zhang away towards the stairwell.

Having finished talking to the university's security staff, the department head came over to Kang Li: "Which Comrade Su did she ask to come meet her?"

Kang Li shook her head: "I'm not sure." Even if she knew, she didn't want to get involved in this mess.

But after a moment of silence, Kang Li asked the department head: "Didn't the police try to stop her?"

Department head: "How could they not? If we don't get her under control, it's like having a time bomb at our school. But finding the right way to handle it is difficult."

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Su Qing sat directly on the sofa, arms crossed, her expression exceptionally cold.

"You have to go whether you want to or not!" Mother Su gave Father Su a look and then grabbed one of Su Qing's arms, trying to drag her outside.

Su Qing was already hurt by what Mother Su had said earlier. At this moment, she was even more heartbroken and said decisively, "Do you want to sever ties with me? Fine! From today on, if you don't acknowledge me as your daughter, I won't acknowledge you as my mother either!"

"Qingqing, let's talk about this later. Right now, your sister's life is hanging by a thread. If we're late and she really jumps, what do you want me and your mother to do?"

Father Su earnestly tried to persuade Su Qing to temporarily set aside her grudge against Su Man. However, Su Qing pretended not to hear. With no other options and wanting to prevent his younger daughter from doing something foolish, Father Su could only help Mother Su drag Su Qing out the door.

Meanwhile, Zhou Weimin received a call from Su Man in his own small office, so enraged that he angrily grabbed the cup in front of him and smashed it on the ground.

Because of the previous uproar caused by his wife Su Qing, he had stopped contacting Su Man. But yesterday afternoon, Su Man called him, saying that since they had been together at one point, they should have one last meal together to end things on good terms.

His response was that he wouldn't go.

The other party said she would wait for him at the designated state-run restaurant until it closed. If he didn't show up, she would cause trouble at his house, making his life unbearable.

Zhou Weimin never intended to divorce. Moreover, Su Qing had not spoken to him because of the matter with Su Man and even refused to cook for him or allow him to sleep in the same bed. Considering all this, he finally gritted his teeth and decided to end things with Su Man for good.

But he didn't even finish the meal before he found himself feeling dizzy.

Yes, he had drunk some wine, but his alcohol tolerance shouldn't have made him dizzy after just a few sips.

When he woke up this morning, he found himself lying in bed with Su Man.

Just as he opened his mouth to ask why, there was a loud "bang bang bang" on the door.

Then, he realized he was in a motel, watching his wife, Su Qing, dragging the yet-to-be-dressed Su Man out of the motel, slapping her face in the street.

He wanted to explain but didn't know how to start.

Not wanting to be seen as a spectacle, he didn't get involved with Su Qing and her sister.

But he really didn't expect Su Man to value face so much that she didn't want to live anymore.

Forcing him to be there, otherwise, she'd jump, making him carry the weight of a life on his conscience.

Chapter 1638

Zhou Weimin was on the verge of losing his mind.

To hell with dignity, if he really cared, why bother hinting at him, getting involved with him in an ambiguous way, the two entangled together?

Agitated, he rubbed his forehead and lit a cigarette, taking a heavy puff only to start coughing incessantly, clearly choking on the smoke.

Kang Li nodded.

The research institute.

Director Song was overwhelmed. A week ago, he received a call from his wife saying that Wen Siyuan's wife Su Man had been caught having an improper relationship with her brother-in-law by her own sister, who then caused a huge scene in their compound, asking him whether to inform Wen Siyuan.

He was distressed to the point of despair, unsure how to broach the topic with Researcher Wen. But after hanging up, deliberating over it, he nonetheless called Researcher Wen to his office and briefly explained the situation.

After all, Researcher Wen had the right to know; even though he couldn't afford to be distracted from his work, a domestic issue like this was serious enough that if Director Song knew and kept silent, it would be hard to explain himself later should Researcher Wen find out.

However, after hearing out Director Song, Wen Siyuan's expression did not change at all, nor did he say he needed to go home to deal with the issue, only responding with, "Thank you for informing me, Director."

Afterward, he straightforwardly turned and left.

Now, only a week has passed since that day, and Comrade Su, Researcher Wen's spouse, has caused another commotion, running to the university where his foster daughter teaches, demanding to meet her.

What a senseless lunatic!

Pinching the bridge of his nose, Director Song picked up the office microphone, dialed the number for Luo Yanqing's project group, and about fifteen minutes later, two tall and imposing figures appeared in Director Song's office.

"Since you're here, let's discuss as we walk."

Director Song rose from his office chair, intending to head to Shuimu University with Luo Yanqing and Wen Siyuan.

"Did something happen to Li Bao?"

Once they were out of the office, Luo Yanqing asked Director Song.

Hearing this, Director Song first glanced at Wen Siyuan, then looked at Luo Yanqing with a heavy face, saying, "Xiao Wen's spouse ran to Shuimu University at noon, carrying a controlled knife, alone in the broadcasting room, and is using the broadcast to force Li Bao to meet her..."

Without holding back a bit, Director Song disclosed everything he knew.

Luo Yanqing: "Did Xiao Li call you?"

"Yes."

Director Song nodded and continued, "After speaking with Li Bao, I contacted you and Xiao Wen, thinking you both need to go there."

Shifting his gaze to Wen Siyuan, Director Song asked: "What's your plan regarding your spouse Xiao Su's situation? I heard from Li Bao that Shuimu University has already called the police to prevent Xiao Su from causing harm to faculty and students."

Moreover, Xiao Su is very agitated; something big must have happened to her today. She's threatening to jump from the fifth-floor window of the broadcast room."

Wen Siyuan pressed his lips, remaining silent.

Director Song sighed, saying again: "I don't know the details of your marital problems, how it got to this point, but I hope you can sort them out quickly, do you understand my meaning?"

"I understand." Wen Siyuan nodded, then listened as Director Song continued: "Both you and Little Luo are aware that you cannot afford to be distracted with your work given its nature; if your family affairs aren't resolved properly, it will inevitably affect your ability to focus professionally."

Wen Siyuan nodded again.

Luo Yanqing: "Why did she go to Shuimu University? And why does she wish to see Xiao Li?"

"Li Bao didn't say." Director Song shook his head and spoke up: "However I feel Xiao Wen's spouse's issue certainly has nothing to do with Li Bao."

Luo Yanqing's expression was cold and her voice icy: "From Monday to Friday Lili has classes, and because Luo Mingting and his siblings attend kindergarten at Shuimu University until Saturday afternoon, Lili only brings them back to the compound when school ends; from a timing perspective, she practically has no regular contact with Teacher Wen's spouse. This leaves me bewildered, why on earth would Teacher Wen's spouse insist on causing trouble for Lili?"

Although these words were directed at Director Song, Luo Yanqing's gaze was particularly cool and distant when it swept over Wen Siyuan.

Wen Siyuan wasn't insensitive, he could feel this, but he didn't know what to say.

Because no one understood Su Man better than him.

It was nothing more than jealousy and misplaced anger, causing Su Man to repeatedly clash with Kang Li.

As for his continuous cuckolding, Wen Siyuan no longer cared, it was simply troubling.

But given the current situation, no matter how angry Kang Li was, he had to endure it.

Why?

In case anything Kang Li said provoked Su Man, causing her already precarious emotions to further deteriorate, if she rashly jumps in desperation, it might really cost her a life.

Even if she's not at fault, the public pressure would certainly be overwhelming.

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The department chair finished speaking with the school's security personnel and approached Kang Li, asking, "Who else did Comrade Su call to meet her?"

Kang Li shook her head: "No idea." Even if she knew, she wouldn't want to get involved in this mess.

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Chapter 1639

"How have I been bad to those three brats? How have I not tried? Why can't I compare myself to you? Bitch, everything I am today is because of you, don't deny it. If you hadn't appeared in the courtyard, if you hadn't appeared in my life, I would be living better than anyone!"

Su Man screamed hysterically.

"Is that so? Have you really been good to Wen Yue and her sisters? If you truly cared for them, would they not call you 'mom'? If you really had them in your heart, would you call them brats?"

Kang Li's voice was cold, tinged with sarcasm: "Have you tried hard, are you sure? If you really tried hard, why didn't you even complete your diploma and get expelled by the school?"

Su Man's eyes flared with anger: "Shut up! Shut up! How dare you mock me?"

"Mock you? No, no, no, I'm just stating the facts. Lady Su, why don't you admit it? Because you weren't diligent enough in your studies, you were inconsistent, and it led to your expulsion. Because you weren't attentive enough in life, it caused the constant noise and arguments at home. Moreover, you emphasize that I shouldn't have appeared in the courtyard, shouldn't have appeared in your life,

Lady Su, are you living by the sea, controlling the sky and earth and also determining where others should live and whether they should appear around you?"

Kang Li sneered: "Besides, I've made it very clear before, my family and my lover have homes in the courtyard, if not in my home, where should I live? As for becoming your neighbor, is that something I can decide?

Lady Su, I suggest you drain the water from your brain, or listening to you, I start to doubt your intelligence. Lastly, let me address your claim that what you are today is because of me."

After a slight pause, Kang Li's tone was noticeably colder: "Did I force you to cheat within your marriage? Were you forced by me to mess around with your brother-in-law? Lady Su, instead of blaming heaven, earth, and others, why not reflect on yourself and find the reason within?"

"Ah! Ah! Ah... I'm going to kill you! No matter how eloquent you are, I am what I am today because of you! You are nothing but a peasant, what right do you have to come to North City? You deserve to die! Bitch, you're a bitch!"

"Slap!"

A crisp sound.

Kang Li bypassed the police officers blocking Su Man and her mother, grabbed Su Man in front of her, and slapped her across the face from both sides.

Everyone froze in shock.

"Bitch, who are you cursing? Speak up!"

Kang Li's eyes were sharp with a chilling bitterness, she held Su Man by the collar, staring directly into her eyes, her voice ice-cold without a trace of warmth: "I've tolerated you to the utmost, Lady Su, do you think I have no temper and you can manipulate me at will?"

You've repeatedly slandered me, if it weren't for Comrade Wen, I would've been impolite to you long ago! But you took my good temper as a weakness to bully, today I solemnly warn you, don't provoke me again!"

Withdrawing her hand, Kang Li ignored Su Man's murderous stare.

At this moment, Su's mother exclaimed, attempting to go up and fight Kang Li, but was firmly held back by Father Su.

"A father's fault for not teaching his daughter, both of you don't seem unreasonable, why raise a daughter so devoid of humanity?" Kang Li directed her gaze at Father and Mother Su: "As parents, you can spoil your daughter, but the outside world and society have no obligation to coddle her!"

Father Su was left speechless with shame.

Mother Su glared daggers at Kang Li, as if her eyes were poisoned, but Kang Li pretended not to see.

"You hit me? Bitch, how dare you hit me?"

Coming to her senses, Su Man shouted at Kang Li again.

The next moment, Kang Li struck her with a slap: "I'm not hitting you, I'm teaching you to be a human!"

Seeing Su Man getting hit, Su Qing felt very satisfied and stepped forward saying: "You're blaming Comrade Kang for your situation, Su Man, is this blameworthy?"

Since childhood, you've sweet-talked mom and dad to make them like you, making them spin around your finger. Among our siblings, they have always favored you, raising you to appear pure and kind on the outside, but in reality, you are selfish, malicious, and extremely vicious. Comrade Kang is absolutely right, you are what you are today because of yourself, no one forced you to cheat while married, no one forced you to destroy my family and get involved with your own brother-in-law."

Chapter 1640

With eyes full of hatred and anger, Su Qing gritted her teeth and said, "Ten years ago you schemed against me once, and ten years later you've wronged me again. I just want to ask, in your heart, do you ever see me as your sister?"

"Sister? What makes you my sister? You're nothing but a self-righteous fool!" Even though Su Man's face was swollen like a pig's head, making her eyes nearly squinting, she still refused to give up on the verbal altercation. She mocked Su Qing, "The marriage proposal from the family wasn't what you wanted. I fancied it, so why can't I make plans for myself?"

Seeing Su Qing's face looking unpleasant, Su Man continued, "It's been ten years, and if you can't keep your man in check, is it my fault?"

Kang Li watched coldly from the side, observing as the sisters Su Man and Su Qing fought like dogs, while Father Su and Mother Su stood there motionless, unsure of how to step in and tell their daughters to shut up. She only felt that this family was laughably ridiculous and couldn't be bothered to waste any more time witnessing Su Man's farce.

Turning around, Kang Li was about to leave the broadcast room, but then she noticed inadvertently that the broadcast was still on.

Seeing this, she pursed her lips, considering whether to turn it off. Unexpectedly, a teacher whispered something to the department head, who then walked over in a few strides to turn off the broadcast speaker.

Everyone saw this scene, and so, collectively, they were momentarily stunned. However, Su Man's immediate reaction was to scream "Ah, ah, ah."

Kang Li knew why the other party did this.

But she only wanted to say: Serves you right!

The broadcast room was opened by Su Man herself, and she didn't expect the broadcast to remain on, so she can just accept her bad luck!

"Xiao Li!"

Suddenly hearing Luo Yanqing's voice, Kang Li was a bit surprised at first, but soon she understood.

Raising her eyes to look towards the broadcast room door, what met her sight was Luo Yanqing's tall and slender figure.

"Are you okay?"

Luo Yanqing walked over with his long legs.

"I'm fine."

Kang Li shook her head lightly: "Did Godfather tell you?"

"Yes."

Luo Yanqing nodded.

Kang Li thought to herself: Just as expected.

Actually, when she was talking on the phone with Wen Siyuan, she suspected that when Wen Siyuan informed Luo Yanqing, he would also say a word to Luo Yanqing.

Given how much this person cared about her, it wasn't surprising that he would come to Shuimu University.

Inside the broadcast room, it was quiet for only two or three minutes before Su Man and Su Qing started arguing again.

At this point, Kang Li was led outside by Luo Yanqing holding her hand. Upon seeing Wen Siyuan and Director Song, Kang Li gave them a greeting and then stood together with Luo Yanqing and Director Song.

As for Wen Siyuan, he entered Dr. Guan's office.

About three to four minutes later, a figure came over from the staircase.

Kang Li saw the person and didn't change her expression, but the other person's expression was somewhat uneasy.

"Li Bao."

This voice was from the newcomer, who was greeting Kang Li.

"Please call me Ms. Kang."

In a light and casual tone, Kang Li looked at the other person coolly.

Zhou Weimin pursed his lips, and after a moment of silence, he spoke: "We're from the same village, do you need to be so distant with me?"

Yes, the newcomer was Zhou Weimin.

He originally didn't want to make this trip, but after much deliberation, he was ultimately afraid of being blamed for someone else's death and facing public pressure, so he decided to come to see Su Man.

"I'm sorry, if possible, I hope we weren't from the same village, and I wish I never knew you."

Kang Li didn't leave Zhou Weimin any dignity with her words, which undoubtedly made him feel very humiliated, but he couldn't say anything in rebuttal.

Because the moment he stepped into Shuimu University, the broadcast had played the voices of Su Qing and Su Man, and they had mentioned him.

Even if they didn't say his name, his presence here must have made it easy for those present to guess who he was.

With this in mind, no matter how he responded to this ex-fiancée standing in front of him, it wouldn't change the impression of those who were now fixedly staring at him.

Having cheated in marriage, and the affair partner was his sister-in-law.

Without needing much thought, everyone here must be secretly despising him, finding him shameless and unworthy of being a husband.

"Zhou Weimin! When that bitch Su Qing hit and scolded me, why didn't you help me?" Su Man, tightly grasped by Mother Su, asked sharply the moment she saw Zhou Weimin as they walked out of the broadcast room.

Zhou Weimin looked apologetically: "I'm sorry. Although you were the one who approached me initially, I didn't restrain myself, so since both of us were wrong, we have to face the consequences together."