

“Stay in the car and don’t get out.” Lee Seongbong shook his head when he saw that his butler was about to get out to open the door for him. “I’ll go in myself.”

He opened the door and stepped out. He looked steady from the back, but he couldn’t hide the nervousness on his face.

If it was that man, then bringing bodyguards with him was meaningless. But if it wasn’t that man, bringing bodyguards was still meaningless because he was in Seoul!

He didn’t want any of his subordinates to witness anything embarrassing that might happen later.

“Hello, is the principal of the academy in?” Lee Seongbong walked up to the door and bowed. He was very polite and smiled at the person standing at the door. “I’m the head of the Lee family, and I would like to see the principal of the academy. Could you let him know that I’m here to see him?”

It had been many years since he behaved this humbly.

“Wait here.” The person at the door just glanced at him and didn’t seem affected by the words ‘head of the Lee family’ at all.

Lee Seongbong nodded and just waited by the door. He didn’t dare to be angry.

Since the other party treated him so flippantly even after he had stated who he was, he had a feeling that it was really that man!

The man at the door came back after a while.

“Big Boss is in the tea room, come in.”

“Thank you.” Lee Seongbong clasped his hands together politely and walked in. Every step he took felt heavier than the last.

This feeling became even stronger as he approached the tea room!

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Lee Seongbong reached the tea room and took several deep breaths.

“Is that...Mr God of War?” he asked quietly as he bowed and lowered his head. His voice was filled with respect and didn’t dare to be impolite at all.

“Come in,” said a voice from the inside.

Lee Seongbong immediately shuddered and his face instantly paled.

It was him!

He had heard this voice before. Even though it had been many years, he still remembered this voice!

Lee Seongbong felt like his heart was going to leap out of his mouth.

He quickly walked in.

After he opened the door to the team room, he saw Jiang Ning seated inside. The fragrance of the tea filled the room, but he was in no mood to wonder if the tea was nice to drink or not.

“Greetings, Mr God of War!” Lee Seongbong immediately fell on one knee and was extremely respectful.

“Take a seat,” said Jiang Ning.

Lee Seongbong nodded. “Thank you so much.”

He sat down cautiously and he was so tense that he didn’t know what to say and where to begin.

He didn’t say anything and neither did Jiang Ning. He just made tea and poured a cup for Lee Seongbong.

Lee Seongbong quickly used both hands to receive the cup.

“Sir, the Lee family does not mean to offend you at all,” said Lee Seongbong after a long while. “I hope you will not be angry.”

“Offend me? It seems you did,” said Jiang Ning mildly. “Are you talking about Lee Moonsaeng? But he’s not really worth much. Or are you talking about Black Dragon Society? They’re not worth much either.”

GULP.

Lee Seongbong laughed a little awkwardly.

If his secretary were here, he would have been so shocked to see how the almighty head of the Lee family was so nervous and uneasy in front of Jiang Ning!

“The Lee family is not worth enough to make you angry,” said Lee Seongbong. “Others may not know how the Lee family became what it is today, but I know that all of this is thanks to you.”

Jiang Ning shook his head.

“It has nothing to do with me.”

“Yes, yes, yes. You are always right. I have been rude. Please forgive me.”

He picked up the teacup with both hands and drank it down as an apology.



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If Jiang Ning said it had nothing to do with him, then it had nothing to do with him.

Jiang Ning had killed Lee Seongbong's long time opponent only because that opponent was stupid enough to stretch an arm into China, so of course Jiang Ning killed him off.

It was true that Jiang Ning had not done this for the Lee family. The Lee family ended up profiting from this action, but they wouldn't dare to claim that Jiang Ning had done it for them.

Lee Seongbong was very uneasy. Even though he was normally the almighty head of the powerful Lee family, he didn't have any confidence to face Jiang Ning.

He knew how powerful this young man was. This man could crush the Lee family to powder anytime!

"Sir, I have already disowned Lee Moonsaeng, so he is no longer part of the Lee family. He deserved to be killed." After some thought, Lee Seongbong added on, "Even if you didn't kill him, I wouldn't have let him off either."

"I will not allow anyone to cause you any trouble," he said as he nodded.

"You are a benefactor to the Lee family and a distinguished guest to the Lee family. Since you have arrived in Korea, then the Lee family ought to have treated you with respect and seriousness. I hope you can forgive the Lee family."

He had put himself at the lowest level possible.

Nothing was more important than survival. Talking about advancement instead of survival was pure stupidity.

“As for Black Dragon Society, the Lee family is indeed the one backing them. But after many years, it has grown out of hand and difficult to control, and that’s how we ended up with someone as foolish as Park Daeseong,” he continued. “I will discipline them strictly and clean them out. Nobody will ever harass your academy ever again.”

“Also about Lin Group – since Lin Group is connected to you, then Lin Group is a friend of the Lee family. Since Lin Group wants to enter the Korean market, the Lee family will not do anything to block its advancement. If you need us to, the Lee family will do everything it can to help Lin Group.”

This was as good as putting his head on the floor. Lee Seongbong had really humbled himself to the lowest possible position.

Even if Jiang Ning were angry, he would find it hard to find fault.

Lee Seongbong had lived long enough to know how to use self-punishment to his maximum benefit.

At the same time, he also understood Jiang Ning’s capabilities well. He knew that the Lee family could offend absolutely anyone in the

world except Jiang Ning.

“Since you’ve put it that way, then if I continue to be upset with you, it’ll make me look petty.”

Jiang Ning refilled Lee Seongbong’s tea and Lee Seongbong immediately used both hands to receive the cup respectfully.

“Forget it. As long as you don’t irritate me and you don’t become greedy and want something you have no right to own, then I will not make things difficult for the Lee family,” he said calmly. “The Lee family is not worth my effort.”

“Yes, yes, yes.”

Lee Seongbong was delighted to hear these words.

For the first time, Lee Seongbong felt that being disdained was such a wonderful thing.

If someone else dared to say something like to him, he would have killed that person on the spot!

But since it was Jiang Ning who said it, then that made him more excited than anything else.

His family was going to survive this.

“I will take my leave and not disturb you anymore. If you are free, you can drop by the Lee house, we welcome you anytime.”

Lee Seongbong wanted to ask why Jiang Ning wanted to do in Korea.

He wanted to ask if the Lee family could be of any help.

As long as it could make Jiang Ning leave Korea as soon as possible, he was willing to pay any price.

But it was clear that for as long as Lin Group had not fully entered Korea's market, Jiang Ning would not leave.

So Lee Seongbong knew that if he wanted Jiang Ning to leave so that he could take a breather, the best way was to help Lin Group gain a strong foothold in Korea.

He walked out cautiously with light footsteps and didn't dare to make a single sound because he was afraid of ruining Jiang Ning's mood.

After he had stepped out of the tea room, Lee Seongbong realized that his entire back was covered with perspiration!



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