

Boss Mommy 451

Chapter 451 Reversal!

Dugu Xiao was immediately awakened from his drunken stupor.

He then rubbed his throbbing temples and hoarsely said, "I've withdrawn all my follow-up plans, what's the matter?"

The voice on the other end paused for a moment before speaking again, "Those people causing trouble on Weibo now, isn't it because of you?"

Weibo?

Dugu Xiao immediately opened Weibo and saw that the top trending topic was "#RichGirlFabricatesBigLies#".

Millions of people had clicked it.

The title read: "Several villagers reveal the truth about the kidnapping incident fabricated by a rich woman."

He clicked into the topic and saw several villagers being interviewed by reporters.

A reporter actually found the mountain where Shen Ruoqing was kidnapped all those years ago. Over the years, the mountain had developed well and was now accessible by car.

The villagers there were more well-informed, and it seemed that they had seen the interview with Shen Ruoqing, so one of them actually spoke out, "There were indeed six outsiders who came to our mountain back then. They even brought a rich girl with them, saying that she was there for research and scientific purposes. We didn't know what they were up to!"

"That's right, it was very mysterious at the time, and they didn't let us get close. They even said that the rich girl's research was toxic and that people would die if they got too close. They wouldn't take responsibility for these deaths!"

"About half a year later, the police suddenly came and all the bodyguards died! There was also a family in the village who was curious and wanted to see what the rich girl was researching, but they also died!"

"It was too frightening!"

"We just saw the news and wanted to come out and tell the truth. You have all been deceived! What human trafficking are these people talking about? The people in our mountain know that even if there were any such cases, the people being kidnapped would be college students. Babies can also be bought and so, but for an 11-year-old girl who hasn't even grown up, who would want to buy her?"

"That plot of land was bought by a scientist a long time ago and he was doing research there. How could he be trafficking women? She's just talking nonsense."

"Our village was impoverished in those years and couldn't afford to marry wives. We did like to buy wives back then, but now we are more developed and don't need to do that anymore. I can tell you the

truth. There were indeed human traffickers at that time, but those people weren't. They were dressed neatly and cleanly, looking like city people and not traffickers!"

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The villagers were all very simple and spoke sincerely to the camera. It didn't seem that they were pretending. Also, a person could lie, but how could an entire village say the same thing?

The internet exploded. Now, not only was Shen Ruoqing criticized, but Shen Yuansong and Zheng Yi were also blamed for it.

All netizens were angry, thinking this was a typical way of lying to absolve oneself of guilt!

Dugu Xiao stared at the news and his heart sank. "527, this isn't something I arranged!"

This matter occurred 13 years ago, so how could he have specially sent people to investigate it?

Also, he didn't know much about what had happened back then.

Listening to Dugu Xiao's words on the phone, Chu Cichen fell silent. "It wasn't you who arranged this?"

"I've stopped all subsequent actions! How could I hurt her again after I knew she was 518?!" Dugu Xiao said in a low voice.

Chu Cichen tightened his jaw.

Dugu Xiao said, "I'm coming to your house now!"

He hung up the phone directly after finishing his sentence.

Chu Manor.

In the living room, Chu Cichen looked at Shen Ruoqing who had bandages on her forehead. He then frowned and asked, "Is anyone still targeting you?"

Yesterday, Zheng Yi's endorsement had put the matter behind them.

Shen Ruoqing was released without charge, so there should be no follow-up punishment. But now, with the sudden change in public opinion and the reaction of the villagers...

Shen Ruoqing had fallen into a completely passive position!

However, Shen Ruoqing frowned as she stared blankly at the interviews of those villagers on Weibo. "I was clearly kidnapped back then. Why would those villagers lie?"

Chu Cichen furrowed his brows. Suddenly, a bold idea flashed through his mind. "Jingjing, have you ever thought that maybe the villagers didn't lie?"

Shen Ruoqing was taken aback and looked at Chu Cichen sharply. "What do you mean?"

Chu Cichen took a deep breath and said, "Perhaps in the eyes of those villagers, those traffickers were just conducting scientific experiments! Don't you think it was too easy for you to invent the No. 5 Neurotoxin back then?"

Shen Ruojing's eyes darkened.

Chu Cichen continued, "I don't know what happened to you back then. But how did you extract the No. 5 Neurotoxin while you were locked up in the underground cave?"

Shen Ruojing pursed her lips.

At the time, she was only eleven years old and her arm went numb after touching a plant. She then wanted to study what was inside the cave and see if it could be used to save her life.

When she was first kidnapped, besides being pressured at the start... things got better later on when she calmed down and chose to obey. She then asked them for some seemingly everyday things, and those traffickers gave them to her without asking questions.

Like batteries...

The radio she found at the time had a very low battery life, and she could only use it for a few days after discovering it.

So later on, when she asked those traffickers for batteries, they didn't ask her why she wanted the batteries and just threw two batteries down to her.

After that, she said she wanted to drink water from a glass cup and those people gave it to her too...

Why were those ferocious and sinister human traffickers treating her so well?

Yet, later on, when she was having a fever, they actually refused to give her fever medicine.

They had kept her there for half a year. If she really died from the fever, wouldn't they suffer a disadvantage?

The more Shen Ruojing thought about it, the more alarmed she became.

She faintly felt that everything that had happened back then was a scheme!

At this moment, her phone suddenly rang.

She started slightly and picked up the call. An electronic voice rang out, and this voice was very similar to the one who tried sowing discord between her and Chu Cichen back then. "Prof. Z, the Doom Organization greets you."

The entire room abruptly fell silent upon hearing that.

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Shen Ruojing's heart sank!

She suddenly realized something. "Was the No. 5 Neurotoxin actually created by you guys?!"

Chapter 452 Father's Secret!

The electronic voice laughed. "You are very intelligent."

Shen Ruojing abruptly stood up and a glint of cold light suddenly flashed in her eyes.

The No. 5 Neurotoxin was her nightmare since she was 11 years old!

She was entangled in that nightmare and felt guilty for 13 years. She was also unable to figure out how the formula for No. 5 Neurotoxin leaked out.

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The formula was simple and the extraction process was straightforward, otherwise, she wouldn't have been able to complete the extraction and condensation of the toxin in the cellar. But even so...

If no one mentioned anything, who would notice the underground plant rhizomes?

At that time, she was only 11 years old and couldn't understand these things. Captain Cui could not find anything either...

But now, Shen Ruoqing understood!

She clenched her jaw and subconsciously pressed the recording button. "Were you framing me?"

The electronic voice laughed. "Did you press the recording button? But even if you release the recording, will the netizens believe it?"

"..." Shen Ruoqing didn't speak because she knew that netizens would not believe it.

They liked to imagine that these rich second generations were fond of doing evil things and using various ways to shirk responsibility

Everyone would rather believe the rich were evil. No one would believe they were good people.

"Anyone can talk using an electronic voice, so I don't need to be careful about what I say." The electronic voice continued, "You can't survive in the country now, so why not consider joining our Doom Organization? We believe that you can lead us to develop even more powerful toxins!"

Shen Ruoqing's pupils contracted. "Impossible!"

"Don't speak like that. If you can't control the current public opinion, the only way out is to go abroad. Chinese citizens have a stronger sense of morality, and they will not accept you."

Shen Ruoqing clenched her jaw. "I believe that the innocent will ultimately be proven innocent by the special department! Captain Cui will be back in seven days, and he participated in the entire case back then!"

The electronic voice laughed. "I see you still haven't realized the reality, so let me analyze it for you. The mountain was isolated back then, and the villagers inside were ignorant. They have been dealing with human traffickers all the time, and Captain Cui knew it. So when the girl with you reported the incident, Captain Cui didn't dare to alert the villagers around him because he was afraid that the villagers would come out and block him from rescuing you! Such things often happened in the backward mountain villages at that time. Even if they are the police, they have experience. They have to rescue people sneakily and can't make a big fuss, right? So Captain Cui never investigated the villagers around him, thus he had no idea that those people who died were not human traffickers at all. They were truly there for scientific research!"

Shen Ruoqing was shocked.

She had always thought that she was kidnapped by human traffickers because of Yun Xiu, a servant of the Yun Family who had adopted her mother, Shen Qianhui.

Therefore, after being rescued that year, she became more cautious toward Yun Xiu. But now, it seemed that she was already targeted by the Doom Organization back then!

She was disguised as being kidnapped by human traffickers by people from the Doom Organization and taken to the deep mountains, where she was thrown into the underground cave that had plant rhizomes that could be used to produce the No. 5 Neurotoxin...

The electronic voice laughed. "After we kidnapped you, we were observing you all along. We had developed the No. 5 Neurotoxin a long time ago, and we thought you would use it to save yourself by killing someone. But we didn't expect such a young girl to have such strong self-restraint. You only took two months to develop the toxin, and even though our people went into the underground cave many times, you never used the poison to escape. Unfortunately, in order to deal with someone like you who is so kind, we had to kidnap another girl.

"When you had a fever, we intentionally didn't give you medicine. After that, that girl actually threatened to suicide to force us to give you medicine, and we knew then that the time was right. Later, we deliberately said we would sell that girl, and she decisively said she would commit suicide rather than agree with us. And you...

"Hahaha, you didn't save yourself, but you couldn't watch her die! Hence, you handed over the No. 5 Neurotoxin to her, and you immediately became the creator of the toxin! Professor Z, how about that? Our plan was seamless, wasn't it? It's just a pity that you performed poorly when you returned to Sea City, which caused our organization to give up on you. But who would have thought that you secretly did so much? You are actually the famous Professor Z! Haha, the organization is now in desperate need of scientific talent, so join us! Doom welcomes you!"

Shen Ruoqing tightly clenched her fists.

She had been blaming herself and feeling guilty, which was why she had chosen to go abroad to join the Dark Web Organization and participate in their training. She had done so because she wanted to alleviate the harm caused by the No. 5 Neurotoxin!

But later, she found out that the toxin was uncontrollable. Hence, she worked hard and became Professor Z, just to develop an antidote for the No. 5 Neurotoxin...

Her eyes were red. But the heavy stone weighing down her heart had finally disappeared...

The No. 5 Neurotoxin was not created by her. She wasn't the creator!

She suddenly covered her eyes.

Tears flowed through her fingers...

But her voice was extremely calm. "Why? Why did you treat me like that back then?"

Why did they do that?

She was only 11 years old at that time, and she always hid her talents. Because of that, her exam results were always average.

She was only interested in biomedicine after reading some professional books at home!

The electronic voice paused and laughed. "Because your father has a secret."

Chapter 453 Clear Conscience

Shen Ruoqing's gaze sank for a moment.

"My father, Jing Zhen?"

Her tone was heavy as she asked, "What secret does he have?"

The electronic voice replied quickly, "This is a secret of our Doom Organization. If you want to know, you can join us. I promise to tell you everything I know."

Shen Ruoqing didn't hesitate and said, "Okay, I'll join you. Now tell me."

"..."

The response seemed to choke the other person for a moment. They took a deep breath and continued, "Prof. Z, we're not joking with you. Our organization has standards, and if you want to join us, you must demonstrate your sincerity first. For example, you could create a toxin that can kill 100 people invisibly. Only then would I recognize that you have joined us. Otherwise, you would be wasting my time if you're not fully committed to our cause."

Shen Ruoqing's previous words were just a ploy to test the other person. She knew that such a condition was impossible to fulfill.

Shen Ruoqing calmly said, "Thank you."

The electronic voice was surprised and asked, "Thank us for what?"

Shen Ruoqing did not reply but just looked into the distance.

Chu Cichen had been listening the whole time, and at this moment, he understood her thoughts.

For thirteen years, she had been plagued with guilt, but this phone call, despite the threats and taunts, helped her resolve her inner turmoil.

So, Shen Ruoqing now had a clear conscience!

The No. 5 Neurotoxin was not invented by her! She had never leaked the formula!

At this moment, Chu Cichen wanted to hold her and tell her that she had always been on the side of good, always in the light! She was never a devil, and she didn't have to feel guilty about it anymore.

Neither of them spoke, and the electronic voice broke the silence. "Don't you want to join us?"

Shen Ruoqing said, "No."

The electronic voice was surprised. "But you can't overturn the situation now. All the evidence indicates that the incident was a conspiracy, even if Captain Cui comes back and retrieves the case file, there were flaws in his investigation! He didn't question the locals, and it could be said that you staged it yourself!"

Shen Ruoqing calmly replied, "Does he have any evidence? It's been 13 years, and this matter is no longer clear. Chinese law requires evidence to convict a person of a crime, not for me to prove my innocence. So, I am still innocent."

The electronic voice asked in confusion, "But your reputation in China is already ruined! Those online criticisms are so heart-wrenching, and how many people have committed suicide because of depression?"

Hearing this, Shen Ruoqing laughed candidly. "When I was in Sea City, I was criticized for being useless and akin to a decorative vase. Do you really think that online criticism can shake me? You are underestimating me."

She had been criticized since she was young, so she might feel upset if she saw those online attacks. But she was already used to such things and no longer paid attention to them. The only thing that could shake her heart was herself!

At this moment, Chu Cichen spoke up, "There is someone who can prove your innocence."

Before he could finish, the electronic voice sneered. "Are you talking about the girl who was abducted with you back then? The Chinese people's thoughts are quite conservative. Even if a woman is sexually harassed or assaulted in the workplace, only a few people might say anything. Moreover, that girl was imprisoned for two months and even went to jail! With such a past, I think anyone would want to keep it tightly hidden. Do you think she dares to speak up?"

Chu Cichen remained silent, while Shen Ruoqing lowered her gaze and said to him, "I am just criticized by a few people, and the matter has passed. Don't involve others."

Rong Rong's life was going well. Moreover, she now had a boyfriend and had finally found the right rhythm of life.

No one would inquire about her past. As long as she didn't speak up, she could live this happy life forever. So how could Shen Ruoqing possibly make her speak for the sake of appeasing the anger of netizens?

After she said this, the electronic voice laughed and said, "You are still the same as you were back then. Since that's the case, I'll wait until you are unable to bear the criticism. Just know that the door to Doom will always be open for you."

After saying this, the electronic voice hung up.

Chu Cichen said, "I have arranged for people to suppress the trending searches, but they won't stop. They even hired troll armies to spread rumors privately, and some people are now criticizing us severely because our attempt of suppression has been discovered."

He had to let Shen Ruoqing know what was happening on Weibo.

He fell silent for a moment before saying, "Your grandpa's arch-enemy in the Science Association is also making trouble. He's now demanding Grandpa Shen to be expelled so that he can become the next president."

Shen Ruoqing rubbed her forehead and said, "I'll call Grandpa."

She took out her phone and quickly dialed the number.

After that, Shen Yuansong's steady and imposing voice came through the phone. "Jingjing, don't be afraid. I'm already tired of being the president, and I want to step down anyway. You also have a character that doesn't like such responsibility, so we don't need this! Who cares?"

Upon hearing this, Shen Ruoqing's lips slightly curled up and her voice deepened as she said, "Grandfather, the No. 5 Neurotoxin was not created by me. Someone framed me."

She knew that this was what Shen Yuansong cared about the most.

Scientists should have a spotless reputation throughout their lifetime. Even if everyone knew she was innocent, Shen Yuansong would still feel guilty if his granddaughter had developed a harmful toxin to society.

As expected, when she said this, Shen Yuansong's voice choked. He then exclaimed in surprise, "What? Really?!"

"Yeah, it's the Doom Organization. They set me up, trying to recruit me, but I refused."

"Good for you for refusing! The members of that organization don't deserve to be called humans! They're all psychotic and twisted, going against humanity!"

Shen Yuansong's voice was trembling, but then he burst out laughing. "Jingjing, as long as we have a clear conscience, we don't need to be the scientific association president!"

Shen Ruoqing fell silent and smiled. "Thank you, grandfather."

She didn't want to disturb Rong Rong, so this rumor would not be debunked in the short term.

As a result, she could not be elected in the imminent scientific association's presidential election.

She lowered her gaze.

Chu Cichen walked over and held her hand. "518, no matter what happens, I'm here for you."

Shen Ruoqing was slightly taken aback.

Suddenly, she reached out and hugged his waist.

For the past thirteen years, no one knew that she was the creator of the No. 5 Neurotoxin, and she had to carry the weight of the responsibility on her own.

Now, despite the storms outside, she had finally found her own peace within. "Chu Cichen, I'm very happy."

"Congratulations."

Chu Cichen held her tightly.

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At the same time, his gaze sank and he lowered his phoenix eyes.

518 was the best woman in the world and should not be misunderstood or criticized by others. Chu Cichen would never allow others to sully her!

Chapter 454 The Truth (1)

As the two embraced, they suddenly heard a rustling sound from outside the door. Shen Ruoqing then turned to face the door and looked over toward the warm voices, only to see three little heads peering at them from the doorway.

Chu Xiaomeng was the shortest, so her head was in the lowest position. She asked dumbly, "What are mommy and daddy doing?"

Chu Tianye's head was in the middle, and his little curly hair was particularly eye-catching. "Are they discussing how much inheritance to give us? But why are they hugging while talking?"

Chu Yu's lips twitched, but he silently cursed, "Ah, this is too much! Why does Mommy have to hug Daddy instead of hugging me?!"

While the three of them were lost in thought, Shen Ruoqing quickly pushed away Chu Cichen and coughed.

Chu Cichen also turned around and looked coldly at the door. He saw the three little ones jumping through the door upon realizing that they had been discovered.

Shen Ruoqing paused slightly. "Why have you guys returned?"

Chu Yu said, "I missed Mommy."

Chu Tianye said, "I came back to check on my bank card. I wasn't allowed to bring it to school, and I'm not at ease!"

Chu Xiaomeng stuttered, "I, I, I..."

Shen Ruoqing looked at her and said, "Tell the truth."

Chu Xiaomeng lowered her head, hugged her dinosaur plush toy, and said, "I...I miss my science book!"

Shen Ruoqing looked at the three little ones and directly called Dean Lin Yi in front of them. The phone only rang once and Lin Yi already answered.

She said in a calm voice, "Miss Shen if you hadn't called me, I would have called you. For now, let's not have the children come to school. The reporters heard some rumors from somewhere and gathered at the entrance, especially..."

She paused for a moment.

Shen Ruoqing asked angrily, "Especially what?"

Lin Yi sighed. "They heard from somewhere that all three of the children are geniuses, and that Xiaomeng loves to conduct scientific experiments. The crowd then cursed them at the entrance and said some nasty things... All the children in the kindergarten are still young and have been negatively influenced due to this, so..."

Shen Ruoqing lowered her eyes and said, "Thank you, Director Lin. I understand."

After hanging up the phone, she looked at the three children and felt a little guilty for a moment.

She was used to doing things on her own, thinking that she would not be afraid of online violence, but she forgot that her three children were still young.

She had forgotten how terrible online violence could be.

She then squatted down and meticulously noticed that both Chu Yu and Chu Tianye's clothes were dirty.

Although they had tried their best to pat the clothes clean, some dust still remained on them.

It looked like they had fought with the other children.

She lowered her gaze, reached out her two hands, and hugged Chu Yu and Chu Tianye into her arms. "Did someone say that mommy is not good?"

Chu Tianye was taken aback.

Chu Yu immediately hugged her neck and even imitated Chu Cichen's demeanor, gently patting her back with his small hands before saying, "Mommy, don't be sad. They don't understand you."

Chu Tianye also nodded. "Yes, they don't know anything at all. They're just a bunch of little brats who follow the reporters and talk nonsense. I'll give them a good beating and teach them a lesson!"

Chu Cichen also patted the heads of the two children. "Did you get hurt?"

"No, absolutely not!"

Chu Tianye raised his head. "All my girlfriends are helping me fight back! I kicked Bai Yitong five times in front of them!"

Everyone fell silent when he said this.

Then, Shen Ruoqing and Chu Cichen looked at Chu Tianye in unison. "Girlfriends...plural?"

Chu Tianye shrank his neck.

Shen Ruoqing stared at him. "Explain."

Chu Tianye coughed. "It's just that, I'm very popular and all the little girls like me, so I date a few of them."

"..."

Chu Tianye was a social butterfly and could mix well wherever he went. Upon hearing this, Shen Ruoqing twitched her mouth. "Why did you date so many of them?"

“Of course, to make money!” Chu Tianye looked at Shen Ruoqing. “I’m so fickle, and the parents of my girlfriends will definitely demand that they break up with me. At that time, they will come to talk to me.”

Chu Tianye coughed and deliberately lowered his voice, imitating a rough and gruff voice. “Chu Tianye, this is one billion, stay away from my daughter!”

After finishing his speech, Chu Tianye’s eyes gleamed and he said, “So, all my girlfriends are actually my money!”

Shen Ruoqing. “!!!”

Chapter 455 The Truth (2)

She rubbed her forehead and couldn’t help but ask, “When did you start reading the tyrant CEO romance novels?!”

Chu Tianye: “...”

At this moment, his phone suddenly rang a few times.

Chu Tianye took out his phone and after seeing the contents, his face immediately fell!

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Because all the messages on it were from his girlfriends:

“Chu Tianye, my parents don’t allow me to play with you anymore, let’s break up!”

Chu Tianye was almost in tears. “Wuwuwu, my girlfriends are all ignoring me!”

Chu Yu couldn’t help but say, “You weren’t sincere with them in the first place, so why are you upset?”

Chu Xiaomeng weakly spoke up, “He’s not upset about his friends, he’s upset about losing billions.”

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“.....”

The three of them went upstairs. Although they looked happy on the surface, Shen Ruoqing understood that ever since they entered kindergarten and received special training from Director Lin Yi, they had truly been living very happy lives.

Chu Xiaomeng didn’t reject going to kindergarten anymore.

Chu Tianye looked forward to going to school every day.

Chu Yu was even willing to leave his mother...

But at this moment, they had to withdraw from school and if the online turmoil did not stop, they might not be able to go to school again.

Shen Ruoqing lowered her head and sat on the sofa. After taking a deep breath, she took out her phone. She decided to see if anyone was criticizing the three children.

Although the topic had been taken down from trending, a search on Weibo revealed that people everywhere were discussing her situation.

Internet users were indeed all detectives, and they had self-righteously dissected the facts:

—It's impossible for all the villagers in the mountain village to be lying, so this is definitely a conspiracy by the rich young lady. She doesn't even value human life and produced a toxin to gain profits. It's just a transaction of money and power!

—I think they should produce the case file from that year to prove it to us, but actually, I feel that the captain who solved the case that year was also deceived!

—There's also that kidnapped young lady they made up. This person probably doesn't even exist! They made up this young lady because girls generally don't speak up in these situations and will choose to keep quiet. This is a permanent excuse for the young lady to never speak out, but in fact, there is no such person!

—Someone investigated her three children, who are also reportedly high IQ geniuses. Oh my god, are three freaks going to appear in the world in the future?

There were naturally also people speaking up for the children.

—Above poster, it is too much to say such things about other's children.

—She was only 11, still a child, when she committed the crime back then! Some children are just born bad and since their roots are bad, they are not worth defending!

—Let me spill the tea, her three children in kindergarten are monsters. I heard her two boys are violent maniacs. They knocked out a classmate's front teeth. But that classmate couldn't seek justice because of their family's power... And their little daughter has a mental illness. She basically doesn't speak in school. I heard she has autism, and people who are usually like this have antisocial personalities, right?

—Oh my god, they started being so vicious at such a young age?

—They are born bad people!

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Shen Ruoqing took a deep breath, clicked on the person's profile who revealed the information, and then operated her phone.

She thought it was Shen Wanying, who had a broken leg, but she didn't expect the IP address to be traced back to the Shen Family.

...It must be Shen Jiayi.

She sneered and sent the screenshots directly to Shen Jiayi.

Shen Jiayi immediately replied in fear. [I'm just telling the truth. What? Are you going to make trouble now? Let me tell you, if you create such a scandal, it will ruin the face of our Shen family. Do you still want to come back as the young miss of the Shen family? I think you're daydreaming! As for grandpa, how can he still help you after this? You don't deserve to be human! Let me tell you, grandpa has just contacted the ancestral hall of the Shen family and is planning to write you out of the genealogy. Now, the whole Shen family disagrees with you! So don't even think about coming back to the family!]

Shen Ruoqing stared at the content on her phone and lowered her eyes.

She then snorted in contempt.

At this moment, her phone started to vibrate violently for some reason. She immediately exited WeChat and found that she had received many text messages from netizens:

[Why don't you go die?]

[Disgusting dog stuff, your whole family should die!]

[You and your son should be hit by a car when you go out, and your daughter should be s*xually assaulted in the future!]

[Scum of the society! Go die, go die, go die!]

[Do you dare to go out? We, reporters, have surrounded your house!]

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Shen Ruoqing tightened her jaw and opened Weibo again, only to discover that someone had leaked her phone number, leading to many people sending her hateful messages.

She then took a deep breath and set her phone to not receive messages from strangers, before weakly throwing it on the couch.

At this moment, she finally realized the horror of online violence.

She thought that she could avoid it by not looking and not listening to it.

But as long as she lived in this world, she had to interact with people.

She took a deep breath and suddenly didn't know what to do.

She could choose to retire and isolate herself.

But what about her three children?

She looked at Chu Cichen again.

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So far, she had not received any impact from Chu Corporation on this matter, but all three of her children had been doxxed. So, how could Chu Cichen possibly escape?

The stock of the Chu Corporation must have dropped a lot in one day, right?

Her heart slowly sank.

Just then, the butler suddenly rushed in, his face complicated as he looked at Shen Ruoqing. "Miss Shen, Miss Rong has come!"

Shen Ruoqing's eyes darkened and she stood up suddenly. "Quick, let her in! There are reporters outside, don't let her get photographed."

She thought that Rong Rong came to comfort her.

But she didn't expect the butler to say, "Miss Rong won't come in. She said that thirteen years ago, you protected her. Now, it's her turn to protect you."

Shen Ruoqing suddenly understood what was going on and quickly ran out.

However, the Chu Manor was large, and there was a long distance from the living room to the door. Shen Ruoqing couldn't make it there in a short time!

She could only quickly open Weibo and saw that there were reporters live streaming.

In the live broadcast, Rong Rong stood there gently but firmly, with slightly red eyes, and spoke in a trembling voice, "Hello, everyone, I am Rong Rong. I want to tell you the story of how I was kidnapped by human traffickers thirteen years ago..."

Chapter 456 The Awful Truth!!

As soon as Shen Ruoqing heard this, she was almost going crazy.

She logged out of Weibo and called Rong Rong.

The phone rang for a long time without anyone answering.

Hence, she could only switch back to Weibo.

Rong Rong seemed to be organizing her thoughts. Her fists were clenched tightly because of nervousness, anxiety, and unease.

She finished her opening remarks but couldn't bring herself to reveal the most embarrassing part of her life in front of everyone.

At this moment, the reporter broadcasting the live stream was staring at the barrage of comments.

Suddenly, that reporter noticed something and asked in surprise, "Someone said that you, Miss Rong, went abroad thirteen years ago? How could you have been kidnapped?"

Going abroad was a cover-up that protected Rong Rong's remaining self-esteem all these years. But at this moment, she had to expose it herself.

She took a deep breath and said slowly, "I didn't go abroad. Thirteen years ago, when I was fifteen, I was abducted by the human traffickers. I was very scared at the time and only knew that they put me in a dark burlap bag and drove around for four or five days before arriving at the destination. Then they threw me into an underground cave that was 20 meters deep. It was there that I met Little Jing, Shen Ruoqing."

The reporters exploded with questions, “Miss Rong, are you telling the truth?”

“The young lady in the story that Shen Ruoqing told was you?”

“Does that mean those people were really human traffickers, not researchers? Are all the villagers lying?”

“There are wicked people in poor remote areas, so it’s not impossible!”

However, some of the reporters’ questions were more probing. “You were already fifteen at that time. Were you violated by them?”

This question made Rong Rong freeze.

(That’s how this society is, right? When women are harmed, everyone is always eager to gossip...)

She clenched her fists and raised her voice suddenly. “When I was brought in, Little Jing had been captured for half a year. She was skinny like a skeleton because the traffickers were afraid we would escape, and they only gave us one cornbread a day! Every time the traffickers came to deliver food and water, I could see that Little Jing was holding something tightly in the palm of her hand. I noticed it from the first day, but I didn’t know what it was. She never told me about it until later when those traffickers found a buyer for me and wanted to sell me...”

She closed her eyes, and her body trembled. She could barely hold herself up. But she knew she had to speak the rest of those words herself to clear Shen Ruoqing’s name!

She couldn’t fall.

She looked at the crowd again and said, “Little Jing advised me at that time, no matter what, I had to stay alive, only by being alive would there be a hope of escaping. The basement was 20 meters deep, and if we couldn’t eat enough for a long time, we would have no strength left. She hoped that after I arrived at the buyer’s place, I would coax those people to eat first and then find a chance to escape. She even made an escape plan for me...” Rong Rong laughed a little low here. “But I’m a coward. I couldn’t be as strong as she was. I couldn’t see any hope, so I picked up a tile and decided to commit suicide.”

As she spoke, she was recalling those dark days with a hopeless expression on her face, and the reporters watching were all holding their breath.

Even the people talking in the live chat at the moment were few.

This kind of silence made Rong Rong clench her jaw.

She pursed her lips and continued, “Then, when I was about to be taken away, Little Jing finally handed me the thing she had been holding in her palm all the time. Every time I asked her what she was holding, she would say that it was the gate for demons to enter the human world. I didn’t understand her words, but even when she was feverish and unconscious, I couldn’t pry open her hand to see what it was.”

As she said this, almost everyone had guessed what was in Shen Ruoqing’s hand.

Rong Rong laughed. “Yes, it’s No. 5 Neurotoxin, an incurable poison. It’s colorless and tasteless. Just touching it can take your life. Little Jing was kidnapped for seven months and always had a way to save

herself. But she was afraid that this thing would spread, so she would rather be trapped there and never use it. In the end, she used it, but it was because of me!”

At this point, Shen Ruoqing had run to the door.

She pushed the door open as a creaking sound rang out.

Rong Rong then turned to look at her.

Rong Rong stood there, but her slender body seemed as sharp as a blade, seemingly carrying an indestructible courage!

Shen Ruoqing knew that she was too late.

Rong Rong had said everything that needed to be said...

She just looked at Rong Rong with slightly red eyes and saw Rong Rong giving her a sad smile in return.

“Little Jing urged me in every possible way, telling me to run if I had a chance and not to use the toxin unless it was absolutely necessary. She told me how to handle the toxin properly and warned me not to let it leak out... But when the traffickers took me to their room, I found out it wasn’t the day of the transaction, rather, they wanted to...”

Rong Rong fell silent for a moment before continuing, “With that toxin in my hand, I had confidence. But because Little Jing treated it so seriously, I knew I couldn’t use it recklessly. I didn’t plan on using it, but that night, they wanted to take advantage of me... I was terrified, which was why I decided to poison them.”

Shen Ruoqing was stunned. She had no idea about this part.

When Rong Rong was taken by the human traffickers, all Shen Ruoqing could hear from upstairs was a burst of laughter.

Then it became quiet until the next day when Captain Cui’s team received a report and came to the scene to rescue her from the underground cave.

She asked Captain Cui’s team about it, but they didn’t say much and only said it was Rong Rong’s privacy.

But now she realized that there was such filth in the situation.

Rong Rong must have been forced to the extreme by those people, which then led her to use the toxin.

Her eyes turned red

Rong Rong felt as if she was standing naked in front of everyone. She clenched her fists and her body kept trembling.

She looked up at the reporter and saw both pity and distrust in their eyes.

Sure enough, a reporter spoke up, “How can we believe you? What if you are lying to clear Miss Shen’s name?”

Rong Rong seemed to have been prepared for this.

She smiled bitterly and said, "Don't worry, the story isn't over yet. After I killed the human traffickers, I was so frightened when I happened to encounter a family of six who was responsible for delivering food to those traffickers. I saw them freely entering and exiting and mistakenly thought that they were working with the traffickers. In order to escape, I killed them..."

The crowd was shocked by her words.

Rong Rong continued, "Killing the human traffickers was justifiable self-defense, but killing the six villagers was excessive and accidental manslaughter. Therefore, I was sentenced to 13 years in prison."

Her knuckles turned white from her tight grip.

She then took out the court's judgment and the release papers from her pocket, slowly holding them out. "These are the undeniable black marks in my life, the evidence of what I just said!"

Suddenly, the crowd erupted.

No one had expected Rong Rong to confess so thoroughly.

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For Shen Ruoqing's sake, Rong Rong tore open her wounds that were slowly healing, displaying them thoroughly in front of everyone.

Chapter 457 Looking For Jing Zhen

Rong Rong held the proof in her hands and used the truth of those unbearable 13 years to prove that Shen Ruoqing was telling the truth.

She looked at the reporters in front of her and spoke clearly, "She would rather be imprisoned for seven months than use this toxin. However, in the end, she gave it to me! I remember clearly that I followed her instructions and destroyed the remnants of the toxin. I don't know how the formula was leaked.

"I also had no idea that when I was trapped in prison for 13 years, Little Jing was also 'trapped' by the toxin for 13 years!" Rong Rong's eyes were red.

"If you must find a person to take responsibility, I'm the person you guys should look for! It was my toxin, and all of this has nothing to do with Little Jing!"

There was a long period of silence next.

Shen Ruoqing walked up to Rong Rong and hugged her tightly. She could feel Rong Rong's body trembling and could sense the courage it took for her to say so much.

She gently patted Rong Rong's back. After that, she felt Rong Rong's body seemingly soften, and her entire weight was leaning on her.

Shen Ruoqing remained silent.

After a while, someone suddenly started clapping, and scattered applause broke out before the rest of the people joined in.

For a moment, all the reporters here were applauding her. The barrage of comments was also going crazy,

—Ah ah ah, what a deep sisterhood, I am deeply moved!

—Wuwuwu, Miss Rong, you are not a coward!

—If this happened to me, I would never come forward! You only see her courage now, but you can't see all the troubles she will face after this!

—Yes, how will she live after this? Will her family, relatives, friends, and colleagues look down on her because of this?

—This is clearly not her fault! But this society is unfair to women!

—I feel so sorry for this little sister. I am willing to give her kindness, but I don't want to become like her...

—Admirable courage!

—I'm the only one paying attention. Is what Miss Shen said all true? So that's why rich second-generation kids are so easily kidnapped when they were young? They also have a hard life, don't they?

—I believe it now, I believe it! I'm crying for Miss Rong's courage!

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Shen Ruoqing helped Rong Rong into the house. She then made her sit on the sofa and poured her a glass of hot water.

Rong Rong was still trembling as she held the glass in her hand.

Her entire being seemed a bit numb.

At this moment, the butler came to report that someone from the Rong family had arrived.

Shen Ruoqing looked toward Rong Rong.

Rong Rong nodded and Shen Ruoqing said, "Let them in."

When Mother Rong came in, her face was ashen.

She rushed to Rong Rong and raised her arm. But just as she was about to slap her, Shen Ruoqing stepped in front of Rong Rong.

Mother Rong glared at Shen Ruoqing with hatred and loathed her to the bone.

If it weren't for Shen Ruoqing, Rong Rong wouldn't have come out like this.

However, Mother Rong didn't dare to vent her anger on Shen Ruoqing, so she had to direct all her anger at Rong Rong. "Rong Rong! I said, there's no need to talk about the past! Now that everyone knows, what face do we, the Rong family, have left in the capital?!"

Rong Yue also sighed. "Sis, you're too impulsive. How could you expose such an ugly thing to the public? Even if you wanted to help Miss Shen clear her name, you could have just gone to the judicial authorities as a witness in private. How could you reveal all the scandals and dirty laundry in front of the reporters?!"

Shen Ruojing suddenly looked at her. "Did Rong Rong do anything wrong?"

Rong Yue was taken aback.

Shen Ruojing's voice was firm. "From the beginning to the end, it's not Rong Rong who did anything wrong. It's those human traffickers! The scandals and dirty laundry belong to them, not Rong Rong! She is the victim!"

Rong Yue bit her lips. "But sister will definitely be discussed and ridiculed by others. And Dr. Xu... Dr. Xu will definitely not want her anymore!"

Mother Rong cried out. "Yes, Miss Shen, you were young then and were only eleven years old. Besides, you have status and background, so no one will care about your six months imprisonment experience. But Rong Rong is different! Not only will she be bullied now, but she also spent 13 years in jail! She is a woman, and her reputation is more important than anything else!"

As soon as she finished speaking, Mother Rong's phone rang.

She took it out and glanced at it. After that, she immediately looked at Rong Rong. "Look, Dr. Xu is calling. He must be breaking up with her!"

Mother Rong answered the phone and even deliberately turned on the speakerphone. Dr. Xu's voice then came from the other end. "Auntie, I couldn't reach Little Rong on her phone, so I called you. There are a few things I want you to tell Little Rong for me."

Mother Rong's eyes were red. "Okay, you can say it."

Rong Rong also looked up and stared at Mother Rong's phone.

Dr. Xu could overlook her past, but as a man, he would also be subject to discussion for having a girlfriend who had been to prison and been abducted. She wouldn't blame him for breaking up with her.

But just as she thought of this, she heard Dr. Xu's voice coming from her phone. "Tell her that I was wrong before. It's good to let go of the past and face the future, but it's even better to face the past with courage. She looked so beautiful in the live stream today. After she has calmed down, remember to call me back. I will always be there."

Rong Rong's pupils slowly dilated as she looked at her phone in disbelief.

Mother Rong was also stunned.

Even Rong Yue was shocked and envious of Rong Rong.

Why was it that even though her sister was in such a state, there were still men devoted to her?!

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In the end, Rong Rong was brought home by her mother.

Although Mother Rong was angry, she also cared about her daughter.

Plus, Dr. Xu didn't mind, so Mother Rong's anger subsided somewhat.

When Rong Rong was leaving, Shen Ruoqing said in front of Mother Rong, "Sister Rong, my home is always open to you. If you're not happy, you must tell me."

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Rong Rong nodded.

After watching her get into the car with Mother Rong, Shen Ruoqing slowly lowered her gaze.

She took out her phone and called Lu Hui. "Help me pay attention to Sister Rong's every move. If she receives even the slightest injury, tell me immediately!"

Rong Rong had risked her reputation and future for Shen Ruoqing, so she also wanted to give Rong Rong some assurance.

After hanging up the phone, Shen Ruoqing was about to walk toward the parking lot when a Volkswagen suddenly stopped beside her.

Chu Cichen was sitting in the driver's seat without a bodyguard and looking at her. "Going somewhere?"

Shen Ruoqing's eyes flickered. "Do you know where I'm going?"

"If I'm not mistaken, you're going to the filming set."

Shen Ruoqing immediately went to the other side of the car and got into the passenger seat. "Yes."

She was going to the filming set to ask her father Jing Zhen about his secret!

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Chapter 458 Jing Zhen's 'Family'

Currently, Jing Zhen was filming in the capital, playing a small role as a mafia boss in a movie filled with action scenes.

As Shen Ruoqing and Chu Cichen parked their car and made their way inside the filming set, they could see the martial arts instructor teaching the actors various fighting moves, while the rest of the extras were diligently learning. Hence, shouts of "hey" and "ha" echoed from all directions.

Jing Zhen had finally gained some popularity and charm after playing this small role as a guest star on the set.

The director was so impressed with his performance that they added more scenes for him throughout the day. Shen Ruoqing had heard from her mother that Jing Zhen was complaining every day, saying that if they kept adding more scenes, he would soon become the main character.

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Despite their guest roles, the director gave Jing Zhen and Shen Qianhui special treatment, including their own rest area.

Shen Ruojing then went straight to Jing Zhen's dressing room, where she knocked on the door and walked in. After that, she saw Shen Qianhui lying on the couch and reading the script.

Shen Qianhui wore a slim, long sweater that perfectly complemented her curves while also revealing her snow-white ankles.

Although she was almost fifty years old, her figure had not changed at all. Moreover, she had no white hair.

Her silky, black hair was pinned up with a hairpin, giving her the air of a lady in a painting.

As soon as she noticed someone coming in, she immediately put her legs down and wore her cotton slippers.

When she saw Shen Ruojing, her eyes lit up slightly and she said, "Jingjing, what brings you here?"

Shen Ruojing looked around and asked, "Mom, where's Dad?"

Shen Qianhui smiled gently, her eyes full of trust. "Your dad said he's been recognized a lot lately, and he's afraid of being followed by fans. So, he went to find some bodyguards."

Shen Ruojing was a bit speechless at the innocent nature of her mother. She asked, "Where did he go to find bodyguards?"

After a moment of thought, Shen Qianhui said, "I forgot the exact location, but he said he would find a few tough ones at a fighting venue."

Shen Ruojing immediately understood. The only underground fighting event in the capital for the past two months was the one held by the Valor Gate! She turned to leave and said, "Oh, then I'll go find him."

Shen Qianhui was reluctant to let her go. "Why are you looking for him? The crew's dinner is about to be delivered. Won't you have a meal with me?"

Shen Ruojing replied expressionlessly, "No, thanks. Father has been getting a bit famous lately, and I'm afraid he might be recognized by fans. I'll go check on him."

Whenever Shen Ruojing mentioned her father, her mom would turn into a compliant 'little white rabbit'. And as expected, Shen Qianhui nodded. "Alright."

After leaving the rest area, Shen Ruojing walked toward the parking spot with Chu Cichen.

On the way, Chu Cichen hesitated to speak until they got into the car.

Unable to stand his behavior anymore, Shen Ruojing directly asked, "Just say it if you have something to say."

Chu Cichen cleared his throat and asked, "I noticed the way Uncle and Aunt interact with each other... Do you also like this type of pretty boy?" He thought of Song Chen, who was lying in the hospital bed with a face that looked exactly like his, innocent eyes, and an overall weak and fragile appearance.

(Could it be that Jingjing likes that type?)

Shen Ruojing immediately refuted, "No."

Chu Cichen continued to inquire, "Then, between the wolf and the little puppy, which one do you like more?"

Shen Ruojing was somewhat speechless. She suddenly turned her head and said slowly, "Between 518 and Shen Ruojing, who do you really like?"

Chu Cichen immediately looked ahead with discomfort flashing in his phoenix-like eyes. "It's not the same. They are all you."

"In my eyes, they are all you too," Shen Ruojing replied.

Chu Cichen felt a lump in his throat and wanted to say, "He's not me." But he didn't say it in the end.

As they approached the fighting arena, Shen Ruojing suddenly said, "I've been busy recently, I don't even know if Chen, the fighting champion, has replied to me or not. I wonder if he will come to our fighting arena?"

After speaking, she took out her phone. She still had an unfinished task assigned by Master Hong. Also, Champion Chen could be considered her idol. She really wanted to compete with him.

Their last email exchange was two weeks ago. Shen Ruojing's final message to him was met with a reply that said, "I'm sorry, your compliments are insincere and cannot move me."

Shen Ruojing rubbed her chin, lost in thought. Chu Cichen then casually asked, "Do you really like Champion Chen?"

Shen Ruojing nodded and said more than usual, "You know, the physical abilities of Chinese and foreign people are different. White and black people in foreign countries tend to pursue muscle building, but we Chinese are more reserved. Therefore, even though Chinese martial arts have spread overseas, it is still rare to find Chinese people in foreign fighting rings. Some people even ridiculed us for being weak and easily knocked down by the wind. But then, Champion Chen appeared. He is the only fighting champion in China. He has brought glory to our country, so of course, I admire him!"

Chu Cichen raised his lips slightly and said, "Hmm, I also think he's very capable."

Shen Ruojing glanced at him and felt things were quite inexplicable. This guy was jealous just now, but now he seemed to have fully recovered.

They soon arrived at the fighting ring. She ignored Chu Cichen and took him directly inside.

At this moment, they were in the VIP lounge of the fighting ring. Jing Zhen was lazily sitting there, and his peach blossom eyes stared at the stage as he sighed silently, "None of these fighters are any good!"

Old Master Bai, Bai Wei, respectfully sat next to him and immediately replied when he heard this, "They are all amateurs, so they naturally won't be able to get good-enough results to join Valor Gate. Why don't you simply tell your family how many guards you need? I'm sure they can provide as many as you want."

Upon hearing this, Jing Zhen glanced at him, and Bai Wei immediately shut his mouth.

He really didn't understand why Jing Zhen wanted to hide his identity and become a little soft rice by marrying into his wife's family. Did the big shot like to be dominated?

As he pondered, he heard Jing Zhen say lazily, "Aren't your four major families very capable? Why is it so difficult to find some people from the Valor Gate to be bodyguards?"

Hearing this, Old Man Bai Wei was also helpless. "We are not in the same faction as the Valor Gate, and the Valor Gate is not an ordinary martial arts sect. They are very strict in accepting disciples, and many of them were only accepted because some elders in their families were also part of the Valor Gate. Also, the Valor Gate doesn't like to get involved in any organizational disputes, and they cannot be bought with money..."

Jing Zhen was about to say something else, but when he turned his head, he saw Shen Ruoqing bringing Chu Cichen in.

The daughter looked around, and her pair of peach blossom eyes which were similar to his immediately locked onto him. She then walked toward him.

Chapter 459 Father, Stop Pretending

As Shen Ruoqing approached, Jing Zhen immediately tensed up and gestured to Bai Wei. "Quickly, quickly, don't let her know we're together."

Bai Wei. "??"

He immediately lowered his head and sat far away from Jing Zhen.

At the same time, Bai Wei couldn't help but sigh silently in his heart.

He was already a seventy-year-old man, and besides bowing his head in front of Shen Yuansong, he was always revered no matter where he went. When had he ever been so embarrassed?

He really didn't understand what the big shots were playing at...

When Shen Ruoqing approached, this was the scene she saw.

An elderly man quickly dodged to the side, sitting a little further away from Jing Zhen. At the same time, Jing Zhen pretended to be calm and was looking at the fighting ring with a worried expression on his face.

She walked over to Jing Zhen and called out. "Father."

Jing Zhen immediately looked at her. "Jingjing, you came just in time. Quickly come help Father choose some bodyguards!"

“...”

Shen Ruoqing was silent for a moment. She then simply sat next to him and asked, “Why are you here to choose bodyguards?”

“Of course, we have to choose the best!” Jing Zhen looked at her and lowered his voice. “I’ve been a little too popular lately, and even when I post on Weibo, there are five thousand comments. I’m afraid some fans will hurt me.”

Shen Ruoqing simply watched his act.

She naturally understood why Jing Zhen was looking for bodyguards. The Doom Organization was targeting them. Even Chu Cichen had increased the number of guards protecting the Chu family, and the Shen family had also added a guard team recently.

After all, Jing Zhen and Shen Qianhui were the only ones who worked outside, and there were many people around them, making them easy targets.

Moreover, when Doom captured Shen Ruoqing in the past, it was related to her father. Now, with them knowing Prof Z’s identity, they were even less likely to let them go...

As Shen Ruoqing thought, a voice suddenly came from nearby. “Huh? Big Brother? Sister-in-law? What brings you here?”

Chu Cimo walked over and saw Jing Zhen at a glance. He wasn’t sensitive to things like identity, but he knew that Jing Zhen was Shen Ruoqing’s father, so he didn’t look down on this small-time actor like others did and politely greeted him, “Uncle, you’re here too?”

Jing Zhen was about to speak when Chu Cimo suddenly saw the old man two or three people away!

He immediately showed reverence and hurriedly walked over. “Grandfather, you’re here too!”

Bai Wei, who didn’t want to be seen, coughed and could only walk over and smile at Jing Zhen. “Idol, you’re here too!”

“Idol?” Chu Cimo was confused.

Old Master Bai said, “I’m a fan of Teacher Jing!”

Afraid that everyone would ask him which of Jing Zhen’s dramas he had watched, Bai Wei quickly turned the topic to the point. “Teacher Jing, why are you here?”

Jing Zhen smiled and said a little embarrassedly, “I want to find two disciples from the Valor Gate to be my bodyguards.”

“Poof!”

Chu Cimo almost spat out his saliva, jokingly saying, “Do you think the Valor Gate is a security agency? Also, there aren’t many Valor Gate disciples in total, are you dayd...”

Before he could finish saying the word “dream”, Old Master Bai kicked him, causing Chu Cimo to almost bite his tongue.

Old Master Bai then glared at him.

Chu Cimo really didn't know any better. How could he talk to a big shot like that?

Why did Bai Shanshan have to find such an unproductive and lazy man?!

If it weren't for the fact that the two of them had gotten their marriage certificate and had a child, Old Master Bai would have wanted to take Bai Shanshan back home and choose another partner for her.

He quickly looked at Jing Zhen. "Teacher Jing is so popular now, so he should really find a professional bodyguard. How about we try to find someone from Valor Gate to take care of it?"

He came here today to accompany the big shot to find someone. If they could find someone with good martial art skills and a clean background in the fighting ring, that would be great. Hiring someone privately was only a matter of price.

Unfortunately, the people who had stepped into the ring couldn't catch the big shot's eye.

The real experts were all hidden in Valor Gate!

So he was prepared to accompany Jing Zhen to find someone from Valor Gate to take care of it. After all, with the Bai family's identity, even if Valor Gate didn't send anyone, they would at least meet with them and give them a chance.

Otherwise, if the big shot wanted to see someone from the Valor Gate's administration without revealing his identity, they would definitely be turned away!

But as soon as he said that, Chu Cimo finally had a chance to show off in front of Bai Shanshan's grandfather. He immediately shouted, "I know someone in their administration, Grandfather. I'll take you to see my Fifth Brother!"

After speaking, he walked to the side. "He's here, follow me!"

Old Master Bai's face turned black again. He was about to reprimand Chu Cimo for talking big, but he saw Jing Zhen nod slightly and immediately became nervous.

(What's wrong with this stinky kid? Why is he showing off here?)

Chu Cimo, a rich second-generation son without any abilities, could have a relationship with Valor Gate?!

But the big shot had nodded, so Bai Wei could only follow Chu Cimo's lead and ask in a low voice, "How do you know someone from their administration?"

Chu Cimo scratched his head.

He had been here for half a month, participating in the fighting matches. Also, he had made it to the top five, and if he could win first place in the fighting competition and rejoin Valor Gate, his status could be elevated. But right now, he didn't want to say anything.

He just coughed and said, "I often come to watch the matches, and after a few times, I got to know the administration!"

After speaking, he added, "Grandfather, although Valor Gate really won't get involved in the struggle between the four major families and has never sent any bodyguards to the four major families in recent years, don't worry, I will have the Fifth Brother arrange for two people for you."

His Fifth Senior Brother had some status within the sect.

He could easily find two outer disciples or some other senior brothers who wanted to make extra money on the side. They could just appear beside Jing Zhen and Chu Cimo under the guise of being friends.

This matter could be easily accomplished.

However, Old Master Bai didn't believe him and asked, "You're so familiar with the person in charge of Valor Gate?"

He naturally was. In fact, he was so familiar to the extent that if he hadn't left Valor Gate back then, he would be in charge now! Chu Cimo grinned and shouted in the distance, "Fifth Senior Brother!"

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A sunny-faced man wearing Valor Gate's practice uniform heard the call and immediately looked over. He ran here and asked, "Junio...Cimo, what brings you here?"

Old Master Bai didn't think too much about it, as even an outsider would choose to address a Valor Gate disciple with "Fifth Senior Brother" if they knew the title.

He remained silent and planned to wait for Chu Cimo to be refused by this "Fifth Senior Brother" before he would propose to meet their "Grand Martial Uncle".

After all, Bai Wei and Old Man Hong were of the same generation, so after making the request, the current "Grand Martial Uncle" would definitely not dare to refuse.

While he was thinking about this, he saw Chu Cimo hooking his arm around the Fifth Senior Brother's shoulder and whispering, "My eldest brother's father-in-law is a celebrity and needs two bodyguards. Do you have any senior brothers who are short on cash and can do a short-term job?"

Old Master Bai shook his head. This brat was too impatient. Were they so familiar to the extent that they could make requests like this as soon as they met?

Shen Ruoqing, Jing Zhen, and Chu Cichen followed Chu Cimo. Shen Ruoqing knew that with Chu Cimo's identity as the "little junior brother", this matter could be handled easily.

While Chu Cimo was chatting with the Valor Gate disciple, Shen Ruoqing approached Jing Zhen and said, "Father."

Jing Zhen nodded. "What's up?"

Shen Ruoqing looked into his eyes and asked sharply, "What secrets do you have with the Doom Organization?!"

Jing Zhen was about to continue acting.

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She lowered her eyes and directly confronted him, "Father, don't pretend anymore. The Doom Organization contacted me and said that I was kidnapped because you have a secret."

Jing Zhen. "..."

Chapter 460 Being Targeted Deliberately!

Shen Ruoqing didn't look at Jing Zhen.

Perhaps it was because he had played too many supporting roles over the years and had become accustomed to faking his emotions, even if you looked into his eyes, you couldn't tell whether he was being genuine or fake.

She just waited quietly for his answer.

Jing Zhen was silent for a moment and sighed. "Little Jing, there are too many people here. Let's talk outside."

Shen Ruoqing looked around and indeed, it was not a good place to ask questions. She nodded in agreement.

Jing Zhen continued, "Can Chu Cichen handle this? Since you know about the Doom Organization, you know they will come looking for me. Only with the protection of Valor Gate's experts can I feel at ease about your mother."

It turned out that it was to protect Shen Qianhui.

Shen Ruoqing nodded. "I understand."

Valor Gate did not participate in the struggles of international organizations, nor did it easily participate in the struggles of the Four Great Families. Last time, when Shen Cong had come to cause trouble for the Chu family, he had only looked for Chu Cimo and the other juniors. If the eldest martial brother found out, he would not spare these troublemakers.

Hence, Shen Ruoqing didn't say much about the matter back then. If Chu Cimo took action, it shouldn't be a problem to find a few skilled people.

Sure enough, as she thought of this, she heard Chu Cimo's Fifth Senior Brother say, "Protecting a celebrity? That's not a problem! How many people do you need?"

Chu Cimo then looked at Jing Zhen. "Uncle, how many people do you need?"

Jing Zhen thought for a moment. "Two... three... four people!"

Chu Cimo looked at his Fifth Senior Brother. "Four people, is that okay?"

"Sure!"

Old Master Bai. "??"

He was confused and pulled Chu Cimo over to ask, "You're giving the big..."

The word 'shot' was suddenly changed. "...celebrity a bodyguard, but it can't be an outer disciple. It has to be an inner disciple. This is no joke!"

Chu Cimo then looked at his Fifth Senior Brother.

The Fifth Senior Brother nodded. "Okay!"

Chu Cimo then looked at Old Master Bai again.

Old Master Bai. "..."

He looked at his son-in-law and suddenly felt like he didn't know him at all.

Could it be that stupid people have good luck?

(Does this useless Chu Cimo have a unique charm in interpersonal communication?)

Chu Cimo's Fifth Senior Brother smiled and said, "I'll go arrange it for you right away, wait for me!"

As he turned to leave, he heard his Fourth Senior Brother's sarcastic voice. "Hey, Fifth Junior Brother, what are you going to arrange?" Chu Cimo turned his head and saw the first and Fourth Senior Brothers walking toward them.

When he saw the Eldest Senior Brother, Chu Cimo's pupils shrank!

As a junior brother, he had been praised for having the demeanor of their esteemed junior martial uncle. But the Eldest Senior Brother had always suppressed him, even forcing him to leave the sect in the end.

After so many years, he finally saw his Eldest Senior Brother again.

Chu Cimo's Fifth Senior Brother stopped his steps and respectfully bowed. "Eldest Senior Brother!"

The Fourth Senior Brother then questioned him, "Fifth Junior Brother, what are you doing? Are you going against the rules of our ancestors and being okay to act as a bodyguard for someone else? You must have eaten a bear's heart and a leopard's gall! Eldest Senior Brother, we caught him in the act. This matter must be dealt with seriously!"

The Fifth Senior Brother became nervous. "Fourth Senior Brother, what are you accusing me of? Didn't you also follow Shen Cong and act as his bodyguard before?"

The Fourth Senior Brother sneered. "Do you have any evidence? Without evidence, you can't slander people here. What bodyguard? I was just making friends with Shen Cong!"

The Fifth Senior Brother was choked up.

Nowadays, there were more and more inner disciples.

Everyone wanted to earn some extra money, so they were willing to take on some short-term work. As long as it didn't involve a struggle between noble families, the elders would turn a blind eye.

The Fourth Senior Brother had acted like Shen Cong's dog before, helping the Shen family make things difficult for the Chu family. He definitely accepted Shen Cong's money.

But the Fifth Senior Brother had no evidence, and now he was caught in the act by the Eldest Senior Brother.

Chu Cimo's Fifth Senior Brother's face turned ashen with anger. "Fourth Senior Brother, don't go too far!"

"How am I going too far?" The Fourth Senior Brother raised his chin and said with a smile, "Eldest Senior Brother saw everything. Eldest Senior Brother, what do you say?"

Chu Cimo's Fifth Senior Brother also looked at the Eldest Senior Brother.

The Eldest Senior Brother looked about thirty years old, and he was the son of the second senior uncle. He was also the most powerful disciple of their generation.

As he couldn't stand the Fifth Senior Brother who was involved with Chu Cimo, he narrowed his eyes and said with his hands behind his back, "Fifth Junior Brother violated the rules of the sect. You will be punished by kneeling in the Reflection Hall for five days and nights and copying the sect rules one hundred times!"

The Fifth Senior Brother was immediately angry. "Eldest Senior Brother, you're biased! Who among the disciples doesn't know that Fourth Senior Brother has received many benefits from Shen Cong?! Why do you only punish me and not him?"

The Eldest Senior Brother made a fair appearance and said, "If you can provide evidence that Fourth Brother violated the rules, I will punish him in the same way! But do you have any?"

Of course not!

No one was a fool. Even when they earned money, they would only take cash!

Chu Cimo's Fifth Senior Brother was angry. "His daily expenses are displayed clearly, so how can he live so extravagantly on the meager allowance given by the sect? Isn't this enough evidence?"

The Fourth Senior Brother chuckled. "Can't my family give me money?"

"You're from an ordinary family! Where did you get so much money from?"

"What's wrong with being from an ordinary family? My great-great-grandfather left us some gold bars. Is that not okay?"

This was just shameless.

The Eldest Senior Brother continued to ask Chu Cimo's Fifth Senior Brother, "Do you have any evidence?"

The Fifth Senior Brother. "..."

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Chu Cimo couldn't bear it anymore and stepped forward to stop his Eldest Senior Brother. "Elder Brother, just target me if you want to. Why make things difficult for Fifth Senior Brother? I will kneel for five days for him."

The Fourth Senior Brother immediately sneered. "Wow, is this a display of brotherly love?"

The Eldest Senior Brother then shot the Fourth Senior Brother a glance, frightening him into silence.

After that, the Eldest Senior Brother turned to Chu Cimo and asked, "As a non-sect disciple, what qualifications do you have to kneel in the Reflection Hall?"

Chu Cimo's sore spot was struck and his expression immediately changed!

Hence, he tightened his jaw and clenched his fists.

However, his Fifth Senior Brother pulled his arm and whispered, "Just endure it for now. I'll kneel, and when you win first place in the boxing competition and rejoin Valor Gate, we'll show the Eldest Senior Brother who's the boss."

Chu Cimo took a deep breath and patted his Fifth Senior Brother's shoulder. "You've suffered."

"Don't worry about it. We've both kneeled for ten days before."

The Fifth Senior Brother chuckled. "I just don't manage to help you out with your request."

Chu Cimo's eyes turned slightly red, but he didn't say anything.

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No matter what, he had to win first place in this fighting competition!

After half a month of training here, his fighting skills had reached a high level!

Just as he was thinking of this, he suddenly heard the Eldest Senior Brother say, "But you paid Old Fifth to make a mistake, and this is something that violates our rules, so..."

The Eldest Senior Brother looked serious, but his eyes revealed a cunning light. "Your qualification for the fighting competition has been revoked!"