

Big Shot 451

## Chapter 451: Escape

Lu Zhu covered his injured abdomen with his hand and pulled Qiao Nian to the window.

Qiao Nian opened the window and glanced at the height. This height was no problem for her.

However, Lu Zhu was injured now.

Qiao Nian asked worriedly, "How are you now? Can you jump down?"

Lu Zhu nodded and said firmly, "I'm fine!"

He couldn't let Qiao Nian see that he was weak and exhausted.

Qiao Nian knew that they didn't have much time left. In a few minutes, the kidnappers would probably break in.

Moreover, Qiao Nian knew very well that Lu Zhu would definitely do it. She took a deep breath and jumped down without hesitation.

After Qiao Nian stabilized herself, she looked up at Lu Zhu.

At this moment, Lu Zhu's face was getting paler and paler, and his white shirt had almost turned blood red.

What made Qiao Nian most uneasy was that the bullet seemed to have hit Lu Zhu's heart.

At this moment, Qiao Nian's hands and feet were cold. Her heart skipped a beat.

However, before Qiao Nian could react, she heard the sound of the kidnapper kicking open the door.

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Qiao Nian had a bad feeling about this. She quickly shouted, "Jump!"

At this moment, Lu Zhu was standing by the window, barely breathing. His eyelids were getting heavier and heavier. He tried his best to see Qiao Nian's face clearly.

In a daze, he felt that Qiao Nian's face actually looked very similar to Lu Qi's.

Perhaps he had long treated Qiao Nian as his dead sister, which was why he had risked everything to protect her.

Qiao Nian looked at Lu Zhu, who was motionless, and her eyes filled with tears.

Standing at the side, Chen Shi shouted anxiously, "Eldest Young Master, quickly jump down!"

Lu Zhu's gaze landed on Chen Shi's face. With the last of his strength, he said, "Send her to Gu Zhou!"

As soon as Lu Zhu finished speaking, the kidnapper grabbed him.

Qiao Nian stood rooted to the ground as Lu Zhu closed his eyes and collapsed.

Her heart felt like it was being gripped tightly by an invisible hand, suffocating her.

Her heart hurt like hell. She hadn't felt like this in a long time.

The last time it hurt like this was when she found out that her child had died after she gave birth.

Could it be that Lu Zhu was dead?

No, that was impossible. Lu Zhu must have just fainted!

Qiao Nian instinctively wanted to save Lu Zhu, but was stuffed into the car by Chen Shi.

Chen Shi quickly got into the car and said angrily, "Qiao Nian, it's all your fault. If it weren't for you, this wouldn't have happened!"

At this moment, the kidnappers from upstairs were standing by the window, aiming their guns at the car.

Chen Shi stepped on the accelerator and drove away.

The bullet hit the car with a sharp noise.

Qiao Nian, who was sitting in the car, was now awake.

Only then did Qiao Nian notice that Chen Shi was actually the bodyguard who had come with Ah Rao.

She remembered that Chen Shi did not like her much previously.

Qiao Nian's gaze landed on the rearview mirror.

There were several helicopters hovering over the hotel.

The mercenaries took Lu Zhu away without hesitation.

Qiao Nian pursed her lips tightly. She would definitely save Lu Zhu.

"Give me Lu Zhu's phone number!" Qiao Nian's gaze landed on Chen Shi's face.

From the start, Chen Shi had looked down on Qiao Nian. He said angrily, "Why do you need a phone?"

"Those people want the Moon Goddess. I'll exchange the Moon Goddess for Lu Zhu!"

When Chen Shi heard Qiao Nian's words, he was slightly stunned. He hadn't expected Qiao Nian to be so loyal. A trace of disdain flashed across his eyes as he asked, "Then do you know who took him away? You still don't know what happened to Young Master..."

Chen Shi's eyes reddened.

However, Qiao Nian fell silent as well.

Qiao Nian thought for a moment. Before Lu Zhu had come to save her, he must have already investigated thoroughly. She asked, "Then do you know who instructed them?"

### **Chapter 452: The Third Young Master of the Lu Family**

"Jiang Chi!"

Qiao Nian was slightly stunned.

The name seemed familiar. She had heard it somewhere before.

"He's a legendary figure here and the person behind the monopoly of the Black Market. He can do whatever he wants here. If you want to save Eldest Young Master with your own abilities, it's ridiculous!"

After hearing Chen Shi's words, Qiao Nian finally remembered.

Jiang Chi was the Black Hell King of MY.

Most people wouldn't dare to provoke him.

However, he was the one who had provoked her first.

A trace of coldness flashed across Qiao Nian's eyes. "Tell me his phone number!"

When Chen Shi heard Qiao Nian's words, he looked impatient. He felt that Qiao Nian was the kind of young miss who stayed in her room. She had simply watched too many police dramas and didn't know anything. Yet, she was still fooling around!

Chen Shi was a little annoyed by Qiao Nian's words, so he gave her the number.

Qiao Nian took out her phone and quickly wrote a string of codes. Then, she entered Lu Zhu's phone number.

Soon a map appeared on the page. On the map was a red dot moving in the opposite direction from them.

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Qiao Nian tried her best to remain calm. She pointed at the red dot on the screen and said, "This is Lu Zhu's location. Let's go after him now!"

Chen Shi was slightly stunned. Previously, he had thought that Qiao Nian was just asking for it casually. He had never expected that Qiao Nian would really be able to track down Eldest Young Master's location.

Qiao Nian's heart beat faster and faster. She tried her best to remain calm and analyzed, "I think they definitely won't take a corpse away. That would be harmful to him, so Lu Zhu must still be alive!"

“I’ve heard that Jiang Chi is the Black Hell King here. If I’m not wrong, these people should have followed Jiang Chi’s orders to take Lu Zhu away. I guess Jiang Chi had other arrangements. In that case, Lu Zhu shouldn’t be in danger. However, his injuries...”

Towards the end, Qiao Nian’s voice choked up a little, and it became difficult for her to breathe. She tried her best not to cry.

Chen Shi had also calmed down now. He had been too agitated just now.

Chen Shi tilted his head and glanced at Qiao Nian, who was sitting in the front passenger seat. He hadn’t expected Qiao Nian to be so smart.

Now was not the time to start an internal conflict. Their goal was the same: saving Lu Zhu. Therefore, he had to let go of his prejudice against Qiao Nian.

Chen Shi said solemnly, “I’d better contact Third Young Master first. Third Young Master controls all of the Lu family’s power in MY!”

Qiao Nian was a little stunned. She looked at Chen Shi in surprise and asked, “There’s still a third young master in the Lu family?”

It had to be known that she was already very shocked when she heard that there was a second young master in the Lu family. Now, there was another third young master for some reason.

“You don’t know?” Chen Shi asked, frowning slightly.

“Do I know the Third Young Master of the Lu family?” Qiao Nian looked at Chen Shi suspiciously.

Chen Shi pursed his lips, looking impatient. It turned out that Qiao Nian didn’t know anything.

In his opinion, the Third Young Master of the Lu family was a high and mighty god. He shouldn’t have lowered himself to be Qiao Nian’s bodyguard. This was really embarrassing for the Lu family.

However, at that time, Third Young Master had said that he had been entrusted with something by someone he was loyal to.

Chen Shi sighed. If not for the special situation, he definitely wouldn’t have told Qiao Nian about this.

However, saving Eldest Young Master was more important now.

After thinking about it, Chen Shi still said, “It’s that Ah Rao who came all the way here to be your bodyguard. He’s the third young master of our Lu family, Lu Rao!”

Qiao Nian was stunned.

She really did not expect Ah Rao to be the young master of the Lu family.

Gu Zhou had actually invited the Third Young Master of the Lu family to protect her.

Ah Rao actually agreed.

Moreover, Ah Rao had actually protected her well.

What shocked her was that there was really a Third Young Master in the Lu family. She had actually not found any information about this person before.

### **Chapter 453: Are You Serious?**

Lu Rao!

This name was really nice!

The Lu couple was too good at giving birth. Their three sons were all so outstanding!

The eldest was an entrepreneur, the second was a performer, and the third was a boxing champion.

Chen Shi hadn't expected Qiao Nian to be so shocked. Without thinking, he immediately called Third Young Master.

– I'm sorry, your phone you're calling is switched off. Please try again later!

Chen Shi frowned. It seemed that Third Young Master had already taken a plane back to An City. He could not contact him now.

At this moment, Chen Shi felt a sense of helplessness. If not for Third Young Master, he would not have known where the Lu family's power was, let alone how to save Eldest Young Master.

Qiao Nian quickly recovered from her shock. She took out her phone and made a call without hesitation.

"Hello?"

The man's lazy voice came through the phone.

Qiao Nian's expression was serious as she ordered, "Old Qin, I'm in MY now. I've encountered some troublesome matters. Send a few powerful bodyguards to me! Also, prepare some guns and explosives for me!"

There was a pause on the other end of the line, then a man's surprised voice said, "What do you want these for?"

Qiao Nian recalled how Lu Zhu had looked after being shot. She couldn't help but tighten her grip on her phone. "Of course I'll blow up Jiang Chi's lair! I'll take revenge and eliminate the evil for the people!"

In the driver's seat, Chen Shi was shocked. He stepped on the brakes in shock and looked at Qiao Nian in surprise.

She seemed to have really watched too many police dramas.

What did he mean by blowing up Jiang Chi's lair?

You're still talking about revenge and getting rid of evil for the people?

Could this matter be resolved so easily?

If Jiang Chi could be eliminated like this, why would he be called the Black Hell King?

On the other end of the line, Qin Chuan was also stunned for a few seconds. He stammered, “You... you’re serious?”

“I’m not in the mood to joke with you now. Cut the crap. I’ll send you an address now. Get them to come and find me!” Qiao Nian said anxiously.

Hearing Qiao Nian’s words, Qin Chuan was certain that she wasn’t joking. Hence, he said, “Okay!”

Chen Shi couldn’t help but steal a glance at Qiao Nian’s phone. On the screen was the name—Qin Chuan!

At this moment, Chen Shi looked as if he had been struck by lightning. He was charred on the outside and tender on the inside, and his brain had crashed.

After a long while, Chen Shi gradually regained his senses.

As he had expected, the man’s voice on the other end of the line sounded a little familiar. However, he had never expected that man to be Qin Chuan.

In MY, if Jiang Chi was the Black Hell King, then Qin Chuan was the White Jade Emperor.

The two of them were evenly matched.

In the past, they had minded their own business.

This was because if both sides attacked, it would only result in both sides suffering.

However, what puzzled Chen Shi was why a big shot like Qin Chuan would listen to Qiao Nian.

Thinking about it this way, Third Young Master had just been Qiao Nian’s bodyguard for a few hours. Now, it didn’t seem so embarrassing anymore.

After Qiao Nian hung up, she instructed Chen Shi, “Hurry up and follow them. If the signal breaks, we won’t be able to catch up!”

At first, Chen Shi had looked down on Qiao Nian. But now, without any hesitation, he nodded and said, “Okay!”

As long as he could save Eldest Young Master safely, so what if he was ordered around by a little girl like Qiao Nian?

If anything happened to Eldest Young Master, even if he committed suicide to apologize, he would still be blamed.

Without hesitation, Qiao Nian took out a box from her pocket. Inside the box was the Moon Goddess that the mercenaries wanted.

She had already promised her grandmother that she would bring the Moon Goddess back safely.

However, something had happened. In order to save her, Lu Zhu had been seriously injured and had been taken away by Jiang Chi's men. She could only exchange the Moon Goddess for Lu Zhu because his life was more important!

At that time, after saving Lu Zhu and sending him to the hospital, she could think of a way to snatch the Moon Goddess back.

#### **Chapter 454: Beg for Mercy**

Jiang Chi lived on the highest mountain in MY. Standing in front of the French windows in the living room, he could look down on the entire MY.

This villa was about the same size as the Gu family's residence in An City. The only difference was their renovation style.

The Gu family's villa was decorated in a luxurious and modern European style.

However, when Jiang Chi's villa was entered, it gave off a dazzling feeling. It had a very strange name: Ghost City.

Jiang Chi was the ruler of Ghost City.

Jiang Chi walked to the middle chair and sat down. It was a chair made of pure gold and engraved with dragon patterns. The dragon patterns were lifelike and intimidating.

Jiang Chi sat there calmly, his phoenix eyes narrowed slightly. He looked down on everyone like a high and mighty king.

At this moment, the leader walked in with the three of the robbers. They no longer looked as majestic as before. Their eyes were filled with fear as they said shakily, "Master Jiang, I'm sorry regarding Moon Goddess. We didn't manage to get it back this time. Qiao Nian ran away..."

Jiang Chi placed his hand gently on the railing and tapped it twice. A snake crawled out from behind the chair.

The little snake lay quietly in Jiang Chi's palm, flicking its tongue from time to time.

"This time, you guys caused quite a commotion!"

Although Jiang Chi's tone was calm and sounded like he was talking about something that had nothing to do with him, the killing intent in his eyes was obvious.

The leader and his three subordinates were so frightened that their legs trembled and they knelt on the ground.

The leader said fearfully, "Chief Jiang, it's our fault. Qiao Nian is too cunning. We didn't expect her to..."

"Did you shoot?" Jiang Chi interrupted the leader mercilessly.

The four men were slightly stunned and looked at each other. For a moment, they did not know what Jiang Chi meant by asking this!

Their orders were to bring the Moon Goddess over, regardless of anyone else's life or death.

What made them feel strange was that after Lu Zhu was injured, their orders were to bring Lu Zhu and Qiao Nian back alive.

When they received this order, they had a bad feeling.

They had almost killed Qiao Nian.

If they really killed Qiao Nian, even if she didn't die, Jiang Chi would skin them alive.

The leader pursed his lips slightly and said carefully, "Chief Jiang, our orders are to get the Moon Goddess and kill Qiao Nian!"

During this period of time, they had arranged to listen to Song Yue.

Hearing the leader's words, a cold glint flashed across Jiang Chi's eyes, and his hand involuntarily tightened around the green snake.

At this moment, the green snake's body tensed up in pain and it spat out its red tongue. Even though it was in so much pain, it did not dare to bite Jiang Chi.

The temperature in the room instantly dropped.

"Have you forgotten who your master is?!" Jiang Chi glanced at the four of them coldly.

The four of them were not idiots. When they heard Jiang Chi's words, they instantly realized that Song Yue must have deliberately spread the news, causing them to make a mistake.

"Master Jiang, it's all our fault. Please spare us!"

The leader prostrated himself on the ground devoutly, begging desperately.

The other three lay on the ground, not daring to look up.

Jiang Chi completely ignored what they were saying. His gaze landed on the green snake in his hand and he said, "Xiao Qing, have you been starving recently?"

With a gesture from Jiang Chi, Xiao Qing climbed down from the chair and slithered towards the four people kneeling on the ground.

When Xiao Qing came to the four of them, its eyes stared greedily at the food in front of it.

The four of them instantly understood. They suppressed the fear in their hearts and handed their hands to the green snake.

The green snake bit down without hesitation. The venom between its teeth entered a man's body through the wound. Its eyes narrowed slightly as it tried its best to swallow a man's blood.

The green snake was not greedy. After a while, it bit another person.



## Chapter 455: Cruel Means

In less than eight minutes, the four men had been paralyzed by the poisonous snakes. One by one, they fell to the ground, their eyes rolling back in their heads as they convulsed.

The people standing at the side couldn't bear to watch anymore and lowered their heads even more.

This punishment was the punishment that everyone in the ghost city feared the most.

It had to be known that once one was poisoned by a snake, it was equivalent to walking through hell and suffering all kinds of torture in the eighteen levels of hell.

This was nothing. If he died, it would be easier.

However, when the victim was about to approach death, Jiang Chi would still give him the antidote.

He would let them be dragged straight back from the eighteenth level of hell. Let them remember for the rest of their lives what it meant to be in so much pain that they wished they were dead.

Some people would say that it was better to just die. However, when a person really experienced death and came back to life, they would cherish the opportunity to come back to life.

Jiang Chi looked at Xiao Qing that was slithering towards him with satisfaction. Those people were really stupid. They were not as smart as his Xiao Qing.

Jiang Chi's gaze landed on the woman not far away. The woman instantly understood. Then, she walked to the four of them with a small leather suitcase and took out a syringe to inject the antidote for the snake poison into their bodies.

The four people who had been twitching instantly stopped twitching. Their eyes gradually focused. If they wanted to return to normal, they would need to recuperate for a while.

Although they had been detoxified after being poisoned, every rainy day and winter in the future, their entire bodies would hurt so much that they would wish they were dead.

It was the price for them to disobey Jiang Chi.

Jiang Chi gently stroked Xiao Qing's head and raised his eyebrows slightly. His gaze landed on Song Yue, who was behind the screen.

"Miss Song, was this scene exciting?"

The servants at the side immediately removed the screen, and Song Yue faced Jiang Chi.

Song Yue was so frightened that her legs went limp. She sat on the ground and looked at Jiang Chi in fear.

This man was simply a demon. He was too terrifying!

Jiang Chi's gaze landed on Song Yue's face. It was as if he was not looking at Song Yue but at a piece of trash. He asked, "Now it's your turn. How do you think I should punish you?"

Song Yue immediately got up and knelt down in front of Jiang Chi. Her eyes were filled with fear as she said with pale lips, "I'm sorry, Mr. Jiang. It's all my fault. I just wanted to help you bring the Moon Goddess over..."

"And then use my people at will to get rid of a thorn in your side? Hmm?"

Jiang Chi's last word rose slightly as he looked at Song Yue coldly.

Song Yue was so frightened that her face turned pale. She had not expected Jiang Chi to be such a terrifying person. Actually, she was also very innocent. She just wanted to snatch her man back. What was wrong with that?

If she was wrong, she should have killed Qiao Nian herself, not asked Jiang Chi's men to do it.

However, Song Yue did not dare to say it out loud.

She knew in her heart that if she said it, all that awaited her was death.

"I've already said before that my people have to listen to me. Otherwise, they can only be punished!"

Jiang Chi spoke calmly, as if he had no intention of threatening Song Yue at all.

However, Song Yue was already extremely afraid. Her gaze landed on the green snake in Jiang Chi's hand, and she was so frightened that tears were flowing out.

Jiang Chi nodded gently at Xiao Qing.

Xiao Qing, who had eaten its fill and was about to rest, suddenly opened her eyes and looked into Song Yue's eyes.

Song Yue was immediately frightened. Before she could cry out, she saw the green snake slithering towards her.

When the green snake bit Song Yue, it did not attack her hand, but directly bit her lower body.

The tearing pain immediately spread, and Song Yue fainted.

### **Chapter 456: Old Grudge**

She hadn't fainted from the pain, but from shock.

Jiang Chi stood up coldly and looked down at Song Yue.

This woman was too ambitious and jealous, so she wanted to kill his woman. In that case, he would make sure that she could never be a woman again!

Jiang Chi said lightly, "Let's go and see Lu Zhu now!"

The green snake was very human-like. It seemed to know what Jiang Chi was talking about and quickly slithered towards him, obediently submitting at his feet.

Jiang Chi bent down slightly and picked up the green snake, placing it in his palm.

Song Yue, who was lying in the hall, was bleeding all over the ground. There was also a hole in her lower abdomen and her uterus was damaged.

When Jiang Chi walked to the side hall, there was no longer the luxury of the main hall. There was only silence.

Perhaps it was because it was so quiet that it felt eerie.

The room on the left was where Lu Zhu was.

At the thought of Lu Zhu, Jiang Chi's eyes instantly turned red with hatred.

Lu Zhu!

It was all Lu Zhu's fault!

If it weren't for Lu Zhu, his younger brother wouldn't have died.

Jiang Cheng.

His poor brother.

When the mercenary saw Jiang Chi walking over, he nodded slightly.

"Is he dead?" Jiang Chi asked coldly.

"Still breathing!"

"Keep him alive. If he dies, you won't be able to live either!" Jiang Chi ordered ruthlessly.

He wanted to make Lu Zhu's life a living hell.

Boom!

Suddenly, there was the sound of artillery fire outside!

Jiang Chi frowned. He looked over and saw that half of the sky was lit up by flames through the French windows.

In an instant, the fire was gone again, and smoke billowed.

At this moment, a young mercenary quickly walked in and reported, "Chief Jiang, Qiao Nian is now holding a rocket launcher and blowing up the central hall. The central hall has collapsed!"

Jiang Chi frowned and asked hesitantly, "Who did you just say?"

"Qiao Nian."

After the mercenary said that, he quickly lowered his head and did not dare to say anything else.

If it were an ordinary person, they would have directly started fighting with him. However, this time, it was Qin Chuan's men.

They had never expected Qiao Nian to be related to Qin Chuan.

Moreover, Jiang Chi had previously said that he absolutely could not hurt Qiao Nian. He could only come over to report about her.

The mercenary originally thought that Jiang Chi would be angry, but he did not expect the corners of Jiang Chi's mouth to curl up.

Jiang Chi was handsome. When he smiled, people couldn't take their eyes off him.

Everyone found it unbelievable.

Jiang Chi rubbed his chin gently, his eyes filled with surprise.

The woman he liked was completely different from those beauties.

Jiang Chi's smile gradually disappeared. His gaze landed on the mercenary's face and he said, "Let her in now. If she's hurt at all, you won't be alive anymore!"

"Yes!"

Jiang Chi said to the mercenaries guarding Lu Zhu's door, "Keep an eye on him now!"

"Yes!"

Jiang Chi walked out happily. He wanted to personally welcome his smart and beautiful princess.

Jiang Chi walked out.

At this moment, outside the hall.

Qiao Nian stood rooted to the ground coldly and ordered loudly, "There are still three minutes. If they don't send Lu Zhu out, I'll blow up Jiang Chi's house! I'll send them to hell!"

"Yes!" everyone replied loudly.

Their hearts surged.

From a long time ago, they had known that they had two masters. One was Qin Chuan, and the other was the legendary Miss Qiao.

In the past, they had been a little unconvinced with Miss Qiao, but now that they had seen her today, they only had admiration for her.

Actually, they were not afraid of Jiang Chi. Moreover, both sides were of similar strength. In the past, when there were conflicts, they would at most negotiate.

However, it was different for Miss Qiao. She directly asked them to fire their cannons.

To be honest, they had long wanted to do such an exciting thing.

One mountain couldn't contain two tigers. They should have fought Jiang Chi long ago!

### **Chapter 457: Excitement**

Today, Miss Qiao was like a majestic god of war. She held a cannon and blew up Jiang Chi's house, starting the first attack.

This was simply too awesome!

At the side, Chen Shi was already so shocked that he could not speak. He could only stand there quietly and witness all of this because he felt that he could not interfere at all.

Chen Shi couldn't help but wonder if they were filming a police film.

Qiao Nian glanced at the watch on her wrist and said coldly, "It's time to light the fire!"

Beside Qiao Nian, Su Han nodded. Just as he took out his lighter and was about to light it, the door to Jiang Chi's hall opened.

A white-haired man of about fifty walked out of the hall. This person was the butler of the Ghost City, Jiang Wen.

With a modest smile on his face, Jiang Wen walked up to Qiao Nian and bowed slightly. He said politely, "Miss Qiao, Master Jiang invites you in to have a seat!"

Su Han's first reaction was to refuse. "No!"

Jiang Wen's expression changed slightly when he heard Su Han's words. In the Ghost City, he was second only to one person, and no one had refuted him for a long time.

Qiao Nian looked at Jiang Wen coldly and went straight to the point. "I've already brought the Moon Goddess over. I can also hand it over to Jiang Chi personally, but you have to let Lu Zhu go first. If I don't see him, I won't go in. Jiang Chi can forget about getting the Moon Goddess!"

When Jiang Wen heard Qiao Nian's words, he smiled and explained, "Miss Qiao, it was all a misunderstanding previously. Master Jiang never wanted to hurt you. It's just that the person who gave this order was a guest of our master."

Jiang Wen clapped his hands gently.

Two mercenaries walked out. They carried out Song Yue, who was covered in blood and had fainted, and threw her at Qiao Nian's feet.

Qiao Nian lowered her eyes slightly, her gaze landing on Song Yue. She frowned slightly.

Jiang Wen smiled and said, "Our Master Jiang values etiquette the most. Miss Song Yue had secretly given an order to kill you, and it had already frightened Miss Qiao and caused Mr. Lu Zhu to be seriously injured. Therefore, our Master Jiang has already punished her and even instructed her to be handed over to you to deal with!"

Qiao Nian's expression remained unchanged. Before coming here, she had already hacked into the hotel she had been staying in and checked the surveillance cameras. Song Yue had indeed interacted with the four mercenaries.

However, what Qiao Nian did not expect was that Song Yue would actually be willing to work for Jiang Chi for her own selfish desires.

One had to know that Jiang Chi was known as the King of Hell. What was so good about asking a tiger for its skin?

It was simply stupid.

Although Qiao Nian didn't believe Jiang Wen's words, her tone was more polite than before. She said, "Since there's a misunderstanding, please ask Mr. Jiang Chi if he can send Lu Zhu out. If that's the case, we'll go our separate ways in the future."

When Qiao Nian said the last four words, she dragged out the last syllable.

The threat in her words could not have been more obvious.

If Jiang Chi attacked Lu Zhu, don't blame her for being rude.

Jiang Wen felt a slight chill. He had not expected this little girl to be so calm. Not only was she not afraid of them, but she was also threatening and warning them.

She was indeed an interesting little girl.

No wonder Master Jiang treated her differently.

Jiang Wen was only stunned for a moment. Then, he revealed a gentle smile and said with a troubled expression, "Actually, it's also our teacher's intention not to send Mr. Lu Zhu out. Mr. Lu Zhu's injuries are very serious now, and the doctor is on the way. I'm worried that if we send him out now, his injuries will worsen!"

When Qiao Nian heard Jiang Wen's words, her heart couldn't help but skip a beat. A sense of helplessness instantly welled up in her heart.

## **Chapter 458: Risking Her Life**

Jiang Wen was right.

At the side, Chen Shi's heart was in a mess. This was simply a stalemate!

What should she do now?

Chen Shi looked at Jiang Chi's villa worriedly.

"I can save him!" Qiao Nian said without hesitation.

Hearing Qiao Nian's words, Chen Shi's eyes reddened.

He had always looked down on Qiao Nian, but he had never expected that at such a critical moment, Qiao Nian would risk her life for Eldest Young Master!

Jiang Wen smiled gently and said, "That's for the best. Mr. Lu will be saved!"

Su Han knew that no one could change Qiao Nian's mind, so he stopped persuading her. His gaze landed on Jiang Wen's face, and he threatened coldly, "Butler Jiang, please tell Mr. Jiang that if our Miss Qiao is harmed in any way, Master Qin will definitely flatten the Jiang family!"

Jiang Wen agreed calmly.

Qiao Nian knew very well that if she went in now, it might be very dangerous, but there was no other way.

She could only bet that Jiang Chi was afraid of Qin Chuan.

If Lu Zhu died because of her, she would never be able to eat or sleep in peace for the rest of her life as she would be living in guilt.

Qiao Nian followed behind Jiang Wen and walked into the resplendent palace.

At this moment, Chen Shi's phone rang. When he saw that it was Gu Zhou, he quickly picked up. "Second Young Master."

"Where's Qiao Nian?"

The man's voice was hoarse with anxiety.

Chen Shi wasn't aware of the relationship between Gu Zhou and Qiao Nian. He said, "In order to save our Eldest Young Master, Miss Qiao entered the Ghost City alone."

For some reason, Chen Shi felt that the silence on the phone was a little suffocating. He did not dare to make another sound.

"How long has she been in there?" On the phone, Gu Zhou's voice was hoarse, as if he was enduring it.

Chen Shi's heart was in his throat. He pursed his lips slightly and said, "It hasn't been five minutes since she entered."

"Alright, what's the situation now?" Chen Shi explained everything that had just happened.

Gu Zhou thought for a moment and said, "There's no signal on her phone now. If she doesn't come out or contact you in another half an hour, just fire! I'll be there soon!"

When Chen Shi heard Gu Zhou's words, his breathing tightened. He didn't understand why Gu Zhou and Qiao Nian were so decisive.

However, when Chen Shi thought of how Gu Zhou was about to arrive, he felt at ease.

Jiang Chi could offend one family, but he couldn't offend the Lu, Qin, and Gu families at the same time.

It was three to one. Jiang Chi had no chance of winning.

At this thought, Chen Shi's uneasy heart gradually relaxed.

Without hesitation, he replied, "Okay!"

In the Ghost City.

As soon as Qiao Nian entered the Ghost City, she realized that there was no signal on her phone. Something must have interfered with the signal, preventing her from contacting the outside world.

Although she was a good hacker, she did not have the time or energy to crack the firewall of the Ghost City now.

Qiao Nian glanced around. This place was heavily guarded, and there were mercenaries in almost every corner. It would be difficult to escape. If she brought the seriously injured Lu Zhu with her, it would be even more difficult!

However, after entering, Qiao Nian's heart gradually calmed down.

Qiao Nian knew in her heart that Qin Chuan would never let anything happen to her. She also believed that Gu Zhou would definitely come and help her!

Qiao Nian followed Jiang Wen to the most luxurious room. There was a sandalwood fragrance everywhere, making one feel as if they were in a paradise.

Jiang Chi really had the time and energy to build luxurious rooms here.

Qiao Nian looked up and saw a chair with dragon patterns engraved on it.

Qiao Nian felt that if this was ancient times, Jiang Chi would be a tyrant and a king who dominated an area.

"Miss Qiao!"

She heard a gentle, gentlemanly voice.

Qiao Nian tilted her head and saw a handsome man.

### **Chapter 459: What Relationship?**

The man's face seemed to be the most perfect masterpiece in heaven. It could be said to be beautiful.

He was wearing a light pink shirt with two buttons unbuttoned. His muscular chest was vaguely visible, and he looked indescribably sexy.

His beauty was comparable to Lu Nian's.

The only difference was that he had a pair of beautiful blue eyes, which made him look even more flirtatious.

He should be the legendary Black Hell King, Jiang Chi.



Qiao Nian's expression didn't change. She couldn't be bothered to make small talk. Instead, she asked, "Where's Lu Zhu? I want to see him."

Jiang Chi had only seen Qiao Nian on screen before. This was the first time he had seen her up close. Even though her gaze was unfriendly, it didn't affect his feelings for her at all.

Her skin was smooth, and her eyes were clear. The corners of her eyes were upturned, and she looked a little cunning. Her red lips were slightly pursed under her exquisite nose.

She only stood there coldly, but she was still able to vividly express the words 'unparalleled beauty'. She was like a sweet candy bar.

Even though he didn't like candy, he could feel the sweetness from her.

Qiao Nian was indeed the woman who had moved his heart.

Jiang Chi's thin lips parted slightly as he asked, "What's your relationship with Lu Zhu? Are you his woman?"

Qiao Nian was slightly taken aback. She hadn't expected Jiang Chi to ask such a question.

However, when she thought about it, she understood that in order to save her, Lu Zhu had risked his life to block the bullet for her. Now, in order to save Lu Zhu, she had entered the Ghost City alone.

If she told others that she and Lu Zhu were just ordinary friends, probably no one would believe her.

Moreover, she did not want to tarnish Lu Zhu's reputation.

"I'm his adopted sister," Qiao Nian replied calmly.

A gentle smile appeared on Jiang Chi's face. "So you're only his adopted sister!"

As soon as he finished speaking, Jiang Chi seemed to have realized something. He frowned again and asked, "What did you say? You're his adopted sister?"

Qiao Nian didn't understand what Jiang Chi meant now. One moment, he was happy, and the next, he was angry.

However, Qiao Nian still nodded and said, "Yes."

Jiang Chi's expression turned even uglier. His blue eyes were like a vast ocean, making one involuntarily fall into them.

Qiao Nian wasn't in the mood to care about Jiang Chi's feelings. She looked up at him and asked, "Where's my brother?"

Jiang Chi's expression changed slightly. Hearing Qiao Nian call Lu Zhu "Brother" so naturally, he really believed that Qiao Nian and Lu Zhu didn't have such a dirty relationship.

A trace of jealousy flashed across Jiang Chi's eyes. Why did Lu Zhu have such a good sister like Qiao Nian?

Qiao Nian didn't hear Jiang Chi's answer. Frowning, she asked again, "Where's my brother?"

This time, Qiao Nian emphasized her words.

Jiang Chi's phoenix eyes narrowed slightly. He asked with a smile, "Are you that concerned about him?"

"Are you talking nonsense? He's my brother!"

Qiao Nian looked at Jiang Chi as if he was a fool.

At this moment, Jiang Chi suddenly thought of his brother who had died tragically.

Even though his younger brother had already left the world for three years, he could never forget him.

"I can bring you to see Lu Zhu, but I have to bring you somewhere else first!"

A trace of surprise flashed across Qiao Nian's eyes. She didn't understand why Jiang Chi was doing this, but she still followed behind him.

Jiang Chi led her to the back hall. Qiao Nian saw a pure white praying room that looked very holy.

Someone as cold-blooded as Jiang Chi actually believed in God?

Qiao Nian didn't reply.

When the mercenary opened the praying room door, a gust of cold air instantly hit her. Qiao Nian couldn't help but shiver.

Qiao Nian looked up and saw that the praying room was surrounded by ice. White cold air filled the air. Even the cross in the middle of the praying room was carved from ice.

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Beneath the cross was a coffin made of ice.

Qiao Nian followed Jiang Chi in. He stopped in front of the ice coffin.

Qiao Nian looked at Jiang Chi in confusion. Following his gaze, she saw a man lying in the coffin. That man's face was identical to Jiang Chi's.

However, that man's face was snow-white and lifeless. He looked like he had been dead for many years.

He was beautiful. Beautiful as a picture.

He lay in the ice coffin like a sleeping beauty.

Jiang Chi held back the tears in his eyes and looked at the person in the coffin. He said softly, "He's my younger brother, Jiang Cheng."

Qiao Nian could tell that Jiang Chi's voice was hoarse. Standing beside him, she could also feel the grief emanating from his body.

It was rumored that the Black Hell King was heartless. It seemed that the rumors could not be completely believed.

“Three years ago, Jiang Cheng followed your brother to An City, but I didn’t expect that this trip would be the last one. When I saw him again, I realized that all his bones and tendons were broken. He must have been tortured inhumanely before he died!”

Jiang Chi held back his tears and tilted his head to look at Qiao Nian with eyes filled with bloodlust and hatred. “Your brother caused my brother’s tragic death. It’s only fair that I let him go down to accompany my brother now!”

Qiao Nian met Jiang Chi’s eyes, which were filled with hatred. Her expression faltered slightly. It turned out that Jiang Chi had no intention of letting Lu Zhu live.

Qiao Nian’s heart jumped to her throat.

However, she could not believe that someone as gentle as Lu Zhu would be so ruthless to Jiang Cheng.

Could it be that Jiang Chi had misunderstood something?

At this thought, Qiao Nian paused.

She did not know why she trusted Lu Zhu unconditionally.

Qiao Nian pursed her lips slightly. She knew that she couldn’t say this out loud, because that would anger Jiang Chi and only make Jiang Chi kill Lu Zhu sooner.

Qiao Nian lowered her eyes slightly. After some thought, she instantly thought of a solution.

“If you’re not lying to me, I think my brother deserves to die too!”

When Jiang Chi heard Qiao Nian say this, he was slightly stunned. The hatred in his eyes gradually disappeared. He hadn’t expected Qiao Nian to say this.

If it were anyone else, they would definitely deny him without hesitation.

Jiang Chi’s expression returned to normal, and his heart seemed to soften a little. In fact, he had been waiting for Lu Zhu to die. As long as Lu Zhu came here, he would definitely let Lu Zhu stay in the praying room to accompany his brother and lie there forever.

It was too lonely for his brother to lie alone in the praying room.

Seeing that Jiang Chi’s mood had improved a little, unlike earlier when he couldn’t wait to kill Lu Zhu immediately, Qiao Nian heaved a sigh of relief and asked, “I want to see my brother. I want to ask why he wanted to kill your brother!”

Qiao Nian’s gaze landed on Jiang Cheng’s face, and her eyes darkened involuntarily.

She knew the pain of losing her family. She also wanted to help Lu Zhu and Jiang Chi resolve the misunderstanding.

Although Jiang Chi and Jiang Cheng looked identical, in her opinion, Jiang Cheng seemed to be more gentle.

Jiang Chi must have protected Jiang Cheng very well, which was why he looked so innocent.

“Do you believe in reincarnation?” As Qiao Nian spoke, she looked up at Jiang Chi.

Jiang Chi met Qiao Nian’s gaze and shook his head gently.

He was the ruler of the Ghost City. He had never believed in ghosts or gods, much less that there was reincarnation in this world.

Qiao Nian stared intently into Jiang Chi’s eyes, her beautiful foxy eyes narrowing slightly.

If Jiang Chi really didn’t believe in reincarnation, he wouldn’t have sent someone to snatch the Moon Goddess.