

BOOT CAMP 1311

Chapter 1311: Camaraderie

The soldiers in the team knew that Ye Jian was going back today so they felt a little reluctant.

They trained together, suffered together, shouted together, ran together, and even wiped their tears together... Suddenly, it was time for them to separate. The originally happy scene turned gloomy as the warship got closer and closer to the port.

Big Whale rubbed his face. His eyes were bloodshot. He smiled and said, "I feel that the speed of the ship is a little fast today. It will reach the port soon. Ye Jian, I will send you to the car later."

"Let's send her together."

"Do you have any luggage to pack at the port camp?"

"Do you want to buy a few bags of sea specialty products? The Southern Province is not close to the sea. Buy a few bags of sea specialty products for your family to try."

The conversation finally lifted the gloomy atmosphere. The masculine faces of the soldiers were smiling brightly. They looked at Ye Jian with gentle and friendly gazes.

Although they had only known each other for less than two months, their relationship had already been established unconsciously. In addition, when the soldiers met with training that they couldn't get used to, Ye Jian would think of ways to solve it for them. They got along well with each other. She has not even left now, but some soldiers were already looking forward to their next reunion.

Ye Jian liked living in the military because she had a group of comrades who would go through thick and thin with her.

The port was right in front of them. Ye Jian smiled and replied to them one by one, "Someone will come and fetch me. There's no need to send me off. There are only two elders in my family and they don't like seafood so I won't bring them."

"I don't think it will be long till the next time we meet. Maybe I will suddenly come back one day."

Big Eel laughed and said, "Of course we must send you off. All of us can't go but we can choose a representative. Let our Captain Li do it. He will send our comrade Ye Jian off."

Let Demon King Li send her?

Ye Jian pursed her lips and smiled. With his cold expression, it wouldn't look like he was sending her off. Instead, it looked like he was escorting a criminal.

"Demon King is too serious. Walking alone with him feels like a police officer holding a criminal. Everyone, let me off. I don't want the person who came to fetch me to misunderstand that I made a

mistake in the team and caused Demon King to appear.” After two months of interaction, Ye Jian and the water ghosts could gather together to joke around.

As the captain, Li Jinnian always became the topic of the soldiers. They respected him and liked to talk about him secretly.

All the soldiers thought about that scene and couldn’t help but laugh. It was indeed similar!

The warship stopped at the port. Li Jinnian, the representative that his comrades were discussing, appeared in front of everyone. His cold gaze was fixed on Ye Jian’s face. Before he could speak, Big Eel picked up his diving equipment and prepared to get off the ship. He smiled and said, “Demon King, we choose you as our representative to send Ye Jian off.”

Everyone picked up their diving equipment and stood at attention. Ye Jian, who was wearing her army training uniform, stood at the front. She met Li Jinnian’s cold gaze and replied with a smile, “There’s no need to go through so much trouble. I only have this small bag. It’s…”

“Give it to me,” Li Jinnian interrupted her calmly. He walked over and bent down to pick up Ye Jian’s luggage that contained her undergarments and two sets of sportswear. When he looked up, there was a subtle smile in his eyes. “Don’t worry, I won’t send you on the boat like a criminal.”

He had heard Ye Jian’s teasing just now. Sometimes, this female soldier’s words were funny.

Chapter 1312: Overjoyed At His Arrival

The soldiers laughed even louder. They respected their captain and loved him. At the same time, they teased their cold but broad-minded captain.

Even if the soldiers called Li Jinnian a ‘demon king’, he was the ‘demon king’ that everyone acknowledged.

Ye Jian, who was caught red-handed, didn’t panic. She smiled as she looked at the camouflage luggage bag in Li Jinnian’s hands. She continued teasing him, “We have been training for almost two months. This is the first time that Demon King took the initiative to help his comrades with their luggage. If I knew this would happen, I would have brought my diving equipment along.”

“Hahaha, Demon King, why don’t you bring my diving equipment down to increase the weight? Don’t let Ye Jian feel pity.”

“You are going to take one set of equipment anyway. Another set won’t make much difference. Demon King, take mine too.”

The soldiers, who understood what Ye Jian meant, laughed even louder. The last bit of sadness left with the laughter, leaving only the laughter of today.

When Li Jinnian, who didn’t like to laugh, heard his comrades teasing him, his cold expression broke for a split second. Even Ye Jian didn’t notice the faint smile on his face.

“Let’s go.” His voice was cold but Ye Jian heard it clearly. “It’s getting late.”

Ye Jian nodded. She didn't care about the small luggage in his hand and followed Li Jinnian to the deck.

"Let's go, let's go. Let's get off the ship. Brothers, clean up your equipment and get off the ship." Big Whale and Big Eel led a team each. They walked to the deck neatly and got off the ship one by one.

Xia Jinyuan's footsteps got bigger and faster. He saw a figure that he hadn't seen for two months coming down from the patrol ship. She stood together with the water ghosts in black diving suits. She was especially eye-catching in the army camouflage uniform. After Xia Jinyuan locked his gaze on her, it never left.

Ye Jian, who was standing in a line, turned her head and looked towards the pier. She saw a tall figure walking towards her. Her black eyes seemed to be shining brightly. Her beautiful face was blooming. It was so beautiful that Li Jinnian who was dressing the unit couldn't help but pause.

His gaze was as bright as the sun. She could feel the warmth in his eyes even from more than ten meters away.

Ye Jian felt warm in her heart. She stood straight and stopped looking at him from the corner of her eyes. She couldn't help but smile.

She guessed that the person who came to fetch her would be him.

No matter where she was, Captain Xia would always appear in front of her in time. He was like a lighthouse in the sea, allowing her to find the right direction at any time.

Xia Jinyuan felt Ye Jian's joyful gaze too. The smile on his handsome face got warmer. The coldness on his face disappeared. There was only gentleness left.

She was happy about his arrival, and so was he.

"Demon King treats Ye Jian differently. Look, he even helped Ye Jian carry her bag." The eyes of Big Shark, who didn't find any problems with Xia Jinyuan after rounds of probing, turned dark.

Major Xia and Ye Jian were just comrades? From what he said just now, that was an uncertainty.

However, since Major Xia didn't make it clear, he felt that their relationship was just that of comrades. Moreover, Ye Jian had just graduated from senior high. Judging from the intensity of her training and her studies, she didn't have much time to fall in love.

Most importantly, Ye Jian didn't even take an extra look at a man like Demon King Li. From this, it could be seen that she didn't have any thoughts about love... A capable and outstanding female soldier. Demon King Li's lifelong happiness can be settled in the near future!

Chapter 1313: Unwilling to Give Up

As a wedded counselor, Big Shark liked to prioritize the good resources to his military unit. The other counselors in the other military units had the same problem too. It was as if they had all undergone training and liked to be matchmakers!

Hence, he continued to be fearless and challenged Major Xia's bottom line again. "I have never seen him hold a female soldier's bag! There must be something fishy going on."

Xia Jinyuan was so happy that he was smiling. As he walked, he glanced at Big Shark coldly. "Don't think about things that you shouldn't. What you think about is impossible."

"Also, from what I know, Ye Jian already has someone she likes." Her boyfriend is right in front of you!

"That's impossible. She's only in university. How can she have someone she likes?" Big Shark shook his head. He was very determined. "With her outstanding results, she won't fall in love early in school. She has to train during the winter vacation and summer vacation. How can she have the time to fall in love early?"

Major Xia, I'm sorry. I just want to be the matchmaker for once!

Rubbing the wound at the corner of his mouth, the smile in his eyes was deep.

Xia Jinyuan's attention was on Ye Jian. As she got closer, her skin color could be seen.

Little Fox seemed to be tanned but she was energetic.

The tough training didn't make her withdraw. She persevered day after day. In the end, she became a rare bright pearl that came out of dust.

This was his little fox, the one and only girl that he loved dearly.

Big Shark even wants to match her with another man. He must be dreaming! This was impossible in this lifetime and the same in the next lifetime too!

Xia Jinyuan walked closer step by step and carefully looked at the girl he liked. He replied slowly, "She can find the time to if she really wants to date. Besides, if she doesn't have the time, the person wooing her must squeeze out some time to accompany her."

Major Xia, who had good self-restraint, felt a little suffocated when he encountered situations where his girlfriend gets plucked out to match other men.

He was already being clear enough. If Big Shark didn't understand what he was saying... He wondered how he got married and even had a daughter!

Or was he playing dumb?

That's a huge possibility! Xia Jinyuan couldn't help but raise his vigilance.

Big Shark smiled mysteriously. "You're right. There's a time if you squeeze out some. Demon King Li is a self-taught man. He even squeezed time out to send Ye Jian off. There's something fishy, there's definitely something fishy!"

One had to admit that Big Shark was good at attracting hatred. Not only did he attract hatred for himself, he even dug a hole for Li Jinnian.

The small matter of helping his comrade to take her luggage became him squeezing time to woo his girlfriend. It was the simplest thing but it turned into something fishy in his eyes.

No matter how good Xia Jinyuan's self-restraint was, he was a little expressionless now. There was a deeper meaning in his deep black eyes. He glanced at Big Shark with a faint smile. "Big Shark, you seem to want to be a matchmaker very much."

It was his fault that he didn't show his emotions outwardly. The older he got, the more people couldn't tell what he was thinking. Even Big Shark, who was an ideological worker, couldn't figure him out.

Big Shark, who was worried about his comrade's future, didn't notice Xia Jinyuan's coldness. He laughed and replied, "No, I just feel that Ye Jian and Demon King Li are compatible."

Ye Jian was not bad. Demon King Li was not bad. Major Xia was not bad either. He would naturally help Demon King Li.

Chapter 1314: The Color of Love

Xia Jinyuan couldn't help but smile. What a good counselor. He thought that he had given up on probing but in actual fact, he still wanted to probe his relationship with Little Fox.

As he got closer and closer to Ye Jian, Major Xia stopped talking to Big Shark. He gave a faint smile and looked at Big Shark intently. When he saw that the other party was also smiling at him, the young major raised his eyebrows. His handsome face was calm and elegant.

Just you wait, Comrade Big Shark. We will meet on the battlefield in the middle of October!

When Big Shark saw this, the smile on his face got deeper.

Although he couldn't tell what his relationship with Ye Jian was, he was certain that Major Xia didn't want to pair Ye Jian to Demon King Li.

Unfortunately, the other party was too well-hidden. He didn't manage to gain anything from his probing.

Young people nowadays are all amazing. He was already 30 years old but he couldn't see through their thoughts... He couldn't even see through a young lady like Ye Jian!

The two groups of barefooted frogmen turned left and returned to the camp in an orderly manner with their diving equipment on their backs.

Big Eel and Big Whale, who knew Xia Jinyuan, gave him an old friend's smile and a look that said they would meet him later. They needed to bring the new frogmen back to the camp first.

Xia Jinyuan exchanged glances with them and looked at Ye Jian eagerly.

At a close distance, the eyes of this unyielding soldier turned sour. What tan? It was obviously sunburn!

The skin on the back of her neck was mostly rolled up until it reached her ears, revealing large areas of pink. There were even traces of blood in some areas. Those were the marks left behind by the friction of diving equipment.

Ye Jian seemed to feel his heartache for her. She looked up and smiled brightly. She shook her head gently to show that she was fine.

Looking at her bright smile, Xia Jinyuan took a deep breath to calm himself down.

“Long time no see.” Li Jinnian took the initiative to greet Xia Jinyuan as if he didn’t see their exchange of gazes.

“Long time no see.” Xia Jinyuan suppressed his heartache and smiled at Li Jinnian. Then, they reached out their hands and held each other’s hands. The moment they shook hands, the air around them turned heavy.

Big Shark gave a mysterious smile and looked at Ye Jian. Then, he narrowed his eyes. There was a hint of darkness in his eyes.

Ye Jian was already standing beside Xia Jinyuan. The distance was a little close. She was so close that she could smell his refreshing and clean scent with just one breath. The smile on Ye Jian’s face got deeper. Her face became more beautiful too.

What was love?

Maybe this was love. Even when she smelled his scent, she felt sweet.

Facing his former strongest training competitor, Xia Jinyuan maintained his gentlemanly demeanor and greeted him politely, “Thanks for your hard work, Demon King.”

“I’m just doing my job,” Demon King Li replied calmly. He saw Big Shark on Xia Jinyuan’s left winking at him. He frowned slightly. He didn’t understand what Big Shark was trying to say.

Big Shark had many things to say. Seeing that he didn’t understand his painstaking efforts, Big Shark took the initiative to give him some advice. “Jinnian, I just found out from Captain Xia that he and Ye Jian will be flying at two in the afternoon. There’s still time. Why not have a meal first?”

Chapter 1315: Gentle Emotions of a Steel-like Soldier

“You’re the captain. Now that Ye Jian is leaving, you must have many things to say. You should say whatever you want to say during dinner. Don’t say what you want to say after she leaves.”

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It was a little quiet. The only sound that could be heard was the sound of waves hitting against the rocks.

Li Jinnian didn’t understand why Big Shark said all these. “It’s a 2 pm flight. It’s 11 pm now. It’s getting late.” He glanced at Ye Jian calmly and pursed his thin lips. “Also, I’ve said what I needed to say. Ye Jian, do you remember?”

Who said that there was nothing fishy? He had already said what he needed to say!

“You’ve said everything? That’s good, that’s good. Don’t leave any regrets.” Big Shark smiled brightly. He was known as the gentle and easy-going vice-captain.

Li Jinnian retracted his gaze and glanced at Big Shark. His gaze was calm but he warned him not to say any nonsense.

When Xia Jinyuan retracted his hand, he took a small step closer to Ye Jian. The distance between them was not even as wide as a fist.

Xia Jinyuan couldn’t help but laugh when he saw Li Jinnian warning his vice-captain with his eyes. “If there’s anything wrong with Ye Jian, feel free to point it out. Don’t feel burdened.”

“The army sent her to you for training so that she can improve. Also, based on my understanding of Ye Jian, she will accept criticism and work hard to reduce her shortcomings.”

His words brought the topic back to the training. The atmosphere was normal again.

Big Shark, who was warned, sighed secretly. Demon King, are you not tempted by such an outstanding female soldier like Ye Jian? Every time the eight new soldiers saw Ye Jian, their eyes lit up like lamps. They all wanted to show off their skills in front of Ye Jian.

Good for you! You only know how to criticize and correct her. There’s no gentleness in you at all!

“The female soldier that you sent over personally won’t be too bad. She has improved a lot in the past 50 days.” Li Jinnian didn’t say much. As he walked, he talked about Ye Jian’s training. After a while, the topic went to the match in the middle of October. “...Our side has been training hard. The new soldiers will go on stage together. If Ye Jian goes up, you need to adjust her schedule.”

Ye Jian couldn’t help but glance at Xia Jinyuan. Go on stage together? Adjust her schedule? What is it about?

“At the end of October, our team will have a match with their team. The army wants to apply for you to join.” Xia Jinyuan explained to Ye Jian, “It was decided a few days ago. In your case, the military still needs to discuss with the school.”

That meant that it was still unknown if she could participate. It would depend on the arrangement of the school and the curriculum.

Ye Jian didn’t have the right to decide this. She only had the right to know.

Hearing that, she nodded slightly.

The four of them walked side by side. It was very convenient for Xia Jinyuan to do some small actions secretly. He held Ye Jian’s hand and rubbed it lightly. Doing small actions with his hand, he spoke to Li Jinnian calmly as they walked. “We will try our best to apply for her to join us. We don’t want her to miss this opportunity.”

“Okay. If you need our help, call us anytime.”

Li Jinnian also felt that this was a good opportunity for Ye Jian. Also, he wanted to see her performance on the battlefield. A young female soldier who had already performed missions at such a young age should have a good performance on the battlefield.

Chapter 1316: Little Hands

Ye Jian struggled a little when her hand was held. She didn't manage to shake him off so she let him be. The two of them were very close and only had their little fingers hooked around each other. It was hard to see... anything out of the ordinary.

Forget it. They hadn't seen each other for more than 50 days. She couldn't help but want to hold hands too.

She secretly curled her pinky as she listened to him chatting with Li Jinnian seriously. His side profile was so handsome that it was almost perfect like jade. When he spoke seriously, the corners of his lips would purse slightly and his eyebrows would become colder.

When he smiled, the coldness disappeared. It was like a branch that was covered by the spring breeze. It was so soft that she couldn't help but want to raise her head to touch his eyebrows and feel the warmth of the spring breeze in her heart.

She might have looked at him for a bit too long. As he spoke, Xia Jinyuan noticed her gaze and looked over. He saw the love in Ye Jian's eyes. This gaze... Xia Jinyuan felt exceptionally happy. Even his heart felt sweet.

Xia Jinyuan used his slender fingers to wrap Ye Jian's hand tightly. He held it tightly until his thin lips curved up uncontrollably.

He was in an exceptionally good mood.

"...After it's done, if possible, we can have an interactive training to improve the chemistry between the two teams." Li Jinnian looked straight ahead and said in a low voice as if he didn't know anything, "With two to three months of training, we will be able to hold our ground against the Americans."

When Xia Jinyuan opened his mouth again, his voice was so soft that Li Jinnian and Big Shark couldn't help but glance at him. Facing their gazes, Major Xia didn't panic at all. He replied in a clear and serious tone, "Two to three months is a bit difficult. If we combine the winter training, it might be better."

Looking at the serious Xia Jinyuan, Ye Jian silently shifted her gaze to the front... Comparing mental fortitudes with Major Xia was a loss. Comparing thick skins with him was a loss. Comparing guts... was probably a loss too!

He held her hand and poked his pinky into her palm from time to time. He kept making small actions in private but he could still maintain a stern expression!

In front of them was the camp. Two sentinels were standing at the pier and keeping watch. Xia Jinyuan had to stop his small actions and let go of Ye Jian's hand.

As she released his hand, Ye Jian seemed to hear his reluctant sigh.

Big Shark, who received a warning, pursed his lips and sighed secretly as well. It seemed like... Major Xia had some relationship with Ye Jian. The two of them kept exchanging glances with each other. No one could interfere with their relationship.

It took only ten minutes to reach the campsite from the military port. Xia Jinyuan understood Ye Jian's training situation and talked to Li Jinnian about the match in mid-October. When bidding farewell to the navy commander, they chatted for another ten minutes before leaving.

The military jeep started moving towards the heliport. Li Jinnian watched as the two of them left. He only retracted his gaze after the jeep drove out of his sight. Then, he looked at Big Shark coldly. "Big Shark, you spoke too much today."

"Sigh, I just felt that Ye Jian... was quite compatible with you." Big Shark took off his military cap and touched the top of his head with one hand. His voice was a little hoarse. "It's not easy for us to find a partner and you're not good at coaxing girls... We have to settle this."

"Although Ye Jian is young, she's calm and composed. Her personality is not bad either. She's able to do everything. She's not afraid of hardships or bloodshed. She's also a soldier... Both of you will have many common topics to talk about and will understand each other's difficulties too."

"Jinnian, I feel bad."

Chapter 1317: Many People Chase Her!

Big Shark's sigh reflected the sorrow of many instructors who were concerned about their soldiers' lifelong happiness.

His "I feel bad" summarised every instructors' thoughts.

It was extremely difficult to find a partner, and even more so for Special Forces soldiers like Li Jinnian! Sometimes, if they found a partner, they might not be able to pass the political trial or their family members.

It couldn't be helped. They were Special Forces soldiers. Their other half's family had to be clean. Their family members had to be clean. This was to ensure the personal safety of the Special Forces soldiers and the confidentiality of the country's classified information.

As a Special Forces soldier, Ye Jian was the best choice for male soldiers like Li Jinnian. It was normal for Big Shark to want her.

A soldier carried the responsibility of protecting his country. He held a gun in his hand during the day. When it was late at night, he would think about 'her' in the distance and think about 'her' thinking about him.

The jeep was so far away that he couldn't even smell the exhaust. Big Shark retracted his gaze and looked at his comrade who had such deep thoughts that even he couldn't understand him. He lowered his voice and asked, "You... really don't have any thoughts?"

“What do you want me to think about?” Li Jinnian responded in a cold tone.

Big Shark was most worried about his indifferent attitude towards everything except training. He didn't know what to do.

“If I can make you have thoughts, I would've done it long ago! Why didn't you grab the chance? Not Ye Jian? Come, tell me why not her. Why didn't you have any thoughts?”

The anxious counselor's face turned red. Fortunately, his skin was too dark to see it. “I don't believe that you don't have any thoughts when such a beauty is standing in front of you!”

He had to get to the bottom of this. If not, he wouldn't be able to eat or sleep!

Thoughts? What thoughts? Thoughts about the female soldier under his command? Li Jinnian pursed his thin lips. He didn't change his tone under Big Shark's gaze. “You're thinking too much.”

Big Shark was asking for trouble by letting a reserved person talk about their thoughts about girls.

The words “you're thinking too much” killed Big Shark's next attempt at persuading him. He didn't come back to his senses for a moment. After a while, he stared at his comrade who was still maintaining a cold expression. Big Shark felt helpless. “Jinnian, how can you continue like this? Can you lower your standards? You don't even have feelings for Ye Jian. I really wonder if you don't have feelings for any girls.”

It wasn't easy for him to find a female soldier who was compatible with him in every aspect. Yet, he said that he was thinking too much!

Li Jinnian turned around and walked towards the military port. He looked at the reinforced concrete walls. As he listened to the sound of the waves hitting the shore, a face that was even more stubborn than a male soldier's flashed past his mind. A faint smile appeared on his face.

The female soldier was good. Even if he had any thoughts, it was useless.

Xia Jinyuan sent her here personally and picked her up personally out of his busy schedule... This meant that if he wanted to do something, it would only add to his troubles.

The female soldier was good. But she already had a beloved by her side.

“I really don't understand you. Major Xia said that there's nothing between him and Ye Jian. You also said that you don't have any feelings for Ye Jian... No, when I go back, I have to ask the single soldiers in the team and see how they feel about Ye Jian! I don't believe that such an outstanding female soldier doesn't have a male soldier chasing after her!”

Chapter 1318: All Will Be up to Fate

Big Shark muttered to himself behind him. Li Jinnian paused for a moment and walked into the military port without turning back.

If Big Shark were to worry about her, would Ye Jian not have male soldiers chasing after her? With Xia Jinyuan around, who would dare to go after her?

It was uncertain whether Xia Jinyuan had feelings for Ye Jian or not.

Li Jinnian didn't remind his vice-captain. He understood him too well. He was someone who wouldn't give up until it was too late. When he realizes that something is wrong, he will stop.

Li Jinnian didn't have any other feelings towards Ye Jian. He just admired her. There were no romantic feelings between them.

An outstanding female soldier was eye-catching, but how could he like her just because she was outstanding?

Big Shark didn't think too much about it. He just wanted to solve the issue of his comrade's marriage. As the saying goes, the more you care, the more worries you will get.

The door of the military port behind him closed slowly. Li Jinnian, who was wearing a navy training uniform, walked under a tall and huge coconut tree. He seemed to have thought of something and turned around. His gaze landed on Big Shark's injured mouth. "How did you get the wound on your mouth?"

Somehow, Li Jinnian felt that this injury... might have something to do with Xia Jinyuan.

"When you return to the port, spar with Major Xia for a while. He will beat you up within 15 minutes." The wound at the corner of his mouth turned green and red. He touched it lightly and gasped. "I need to look for the cooks to find some boiled eggs. I didn't feel much pain just now but now that you mentioned it, I feel a little pain."

It was indeed related to Xia Jinyuan.

As for the reason, Li Jinnian didn't really want to ask.

Ye Jian was brought here by Xia Jinyuan. If Big Shark wanted to be a matchmaker, he would have to find out more about Ye Jian from him... and the result of that would be getting beaten up.

After not sparring for a few years, Xia Jinyuan was still the same as before. He was ruthless and vicious and no mistakes could be found.

Li Jinnian pursed his lips and patted his comrade's shoulder. "Be careful of the match in mid-October."

"I don't understand you guys." Big Shark seemed to have understood something. He shook his head and walked towards the cafeteria step by step... He wanted to fight for Demon King Li but the other party didn't need it.

Since that was the case, it will be up to fate.

However, he could tell that Major Xia treated Ye Jian differently! As for the reason, he couldn't find out anything even after probing for the whole day.

Big Shark pressed the corner of his mouth and sighed. What was he worrying about?

Demon King was right. He should be careful during the competition. There is no limit to how vicious Major Xia's soldiers can be!

It was close to noon, and the navy soldiers that came back from training had already gathered. The sound of the horn floated out of the military port along with the sea breeze. Sitting in the car, Ye Jian raised her head and looked at the sea. The 50 days of frogmen training has ended just like that.

"Are you feeling reluctant?" Xia Jinyuan held her hand in his palm the moment he got into the car. He controlled himself and didn't pull his little fox into his arms. He looked at the sunburn on the back of her neck. He didn't dare to hold her hand tightly... He was afraid that he might hurt her.

The car turned a corner and the mountain blocked Ye Jian's view of the sea. She retracted her gaze and smiled lightly as she held his hand. "I've lived here for more than 50 days. Of course, I will feel a little reluctant."

Chapter 1319: Proud Like Her

"They took good care of me. They knew that I came late so they took the time to train with me so that I could catch up with my comrades. Captain Xia, I'm lucky to be able to meet them."

They threw themselves into the sea and felt the silence of the water. They carried weights on their backs and ran along the beach. When they were about to drown, their comrades pulled them up in time. They ran together against the morning sun and stepped on the water. Then, they stepped on the morning sun and laid on the beach, exhausted. They let the sea wash their bodies.

They lived together for more than 50 days. The memories they shared were unforgettable.

Ye Jian was used to being alone in her past life. In this life, she seemed to be making up for the regrets she had in her past life. No matter where she was, she would meet many people and many things. She would always be able to remember precious scenery.

He looked at her as she talked about the training in detail. When she mentioned the water ghosts, her eyes were bright and beautiful. Her smile was gentle like the sunlight that shone on leaves, full of vitality.

Xia Jinyuan listened to her quietly. There was a warm smile on his handsome face.

His little fox has grown up and changed a lot.

In the past, there was only indifference on her face. She was like an injured little beast that no longer believed in others. When he spoke to her, there was only vigilance in her black eyes.

When they first met, this little girl was so bold and full of 'thorns'. She didn't believe anyone and looked around with a gaze that didn't belong to her age. She was very calm and cold.

He was worried that she might be too cold, too indifferent, and not suitable for the masses. He had talked to Uncle Chen about this before.

Until now, he believed that as long as his little fox was willing, she would be able to gain goodwill, friendships, and the love of her comrades.

His little fox has grown up. He didn't have to worry about whether she was used to the military unit or whether she could interact with the soldiers.

Little Fox, who had grown up, finally had a bright smile in her eyes. She was no longer cold and indifferent. She no longer rejected him. Now, there was something that could make her happy. She had comrades that she missed and a goal that she could persevere on.

"I'm very grateful for their help. If it wasn't for them, I would have been criticized by Demon King Li frequently. With such a group of comrades by my side, I will be happy no matter how tired I am." Ye Jian's eyes were shining brightly. Although she had turned tanned and thin, her voice was like a musical note jumping under the sun when she spoke. It was full of energy.

His girl was grateful, loyal, and amazing, wasn't she?

The smile at the corner of his lips became even warmer. Even his eyes were filled with gentleness.

"We won't be apart for too long. If your school agrees to the match in the middle of October, you can come and participate. At that time, you will fight as a navy frogman. We will test your training results and send your results to the military... Little Fox, the sky that belongs to you, the life that belongs to you, has just begun."

He didn't ask Ye Jian if her sunburned skin hurt. It hurt. Why wouldn't it hurt? He had been sunburned before too. It was so painful that he couldn't sleep properly at night.

This was something every soldier would experience. She wasn't the only one.

His little fox wasn't so weak. A little fox that wasn't easily defeated had her own pride. Her pride told him that he didn't need to care about this injury.

Chapter 1320: Why Isn't She Leaning?

Xia Jinyuan forced himself to shift his gaze away from the back of her neck. He maintained his smile and said, "If the school doesn't agree, you can come over during the winter vacation."

Her palm had become rougher too. There was even a thin layer of calluses on her palm. Xia Jinyuan used his fingers to gently rub the calluses that represented her hard work. His gaze was gentle as he looked at the beautiful face who displayed a tougher and tougher expression after experiencing all kinds of hardships. His low voice was like the sound of a zither. "We will meet again someday. It's just a matter of time."

Ye Jian's heart felt sweeter than honey. She pursed her lips and smiled, "Why do you always treat me like a child? It's normal for us to meet and part. I'm not so fragile that my mood will be affected because of separation."

“Also, after seeing the interaction between the army and the navy, I feel that we will have to work together in the future. We will train together and we will meet one day. Just wait for that day to come.”

In her past life, she only stayed in one place for a few months. Reunion and separation were normal for her. She had already faced separation calmly.

However, in this life, she met her comrades who selflessly helped her. Every time they separated, she felt a little sad.

Xia Jinyuan squeezed her hand. Sitting in the back seat, he glanced at the navy soldier who was focused on driving. With a faint smile, he changed the topic. “We will have a chance to meet again. We will reach Hongkou Airport at 6 pm. Do you plan to travel overnight and reach home? Or do you want to rest tonight and rush home early tomorrow?”

It took almost eight hours to drive from Hongkou City to Shuikou Village. The main reason was that it took six hours to get from Shuikou Village to this city and two hours to get to this city from Hongkou City. That was why it would take eight hours.

Ye Jian didn’t hesitate and replied, “We can go back to this city from Hongkou City first and rest for the night. We will wake up at around four in the morning tomorrow.” The sky was bright in summer and there was already a faint morning light around four o’clock.

“Sure, I’ll listen to your arrangements.” Xia Jinyuan agreed completely. He saw that there was still more than an hour before they reached the heliport. He looked at the dark circles under her eyes and whispered, “Have a rest. I’ll wake you when we reach.”

Although the road from the military port to the heliport was winding and rugged, it was all an asphalt road. Driving steadily with a little swaying would indeed make one feel sleepy.

Ye Jian woke up at four in the morning to finish her last morning training. She laid on the back seat with her head on the pillow. Within five minutes, she fell asleep with a smile on her face.

Four minutes and eight seconds later, she fell asleep. Xia Jinyuan squinted his eyes and looked at the sunburn below her ears. If it wasn’t for the severe sunburn on the back of her neck, it wouldn’t be a problem for them to drive back to Shuikou Village overnight.

Also, why was this little fox’s sleeping position so disciplined? She didn’t move after laying on the pillow... Why didn’t he see her swaying her body until she leaned on his shoulder?

With the navy soldier in the car, Major Xia wouldn’t blatantly take advantage of the female soldier. He could only wait for Ye Jian to sway and lay on his shoulder.

In the end, Ye Jian’s sleeping posture was too honest. Additionally, the navy soldier drove steadily. After waiting for more than ten minutes, Xia Jinyuan decided that since she didn’t come over, he would go over.