

Chapter 1101: Catching Fish

Eat fish?

Nie Zehai and Shi Shuhang looked at each other, bewildered.

Shouldn't it be catching fish?

Was she that confident that she could catch fish?

"By the way, what kind of bait are we going to use?" Shi Shuhang asked.

To fish or catch fish, didn't they have to have bait? Without bait, what fish would be caught?!

Shi Shuhang looked around, but he did not find anything that could be used.

"I heard that you can use earthworms!" Nie Zehai also gave his opinion.

Although they hadn't fished before, they had heard of it from others.

However, was it hard to find earthworms at this time of the year?

"Earthworms?"

Shi Shuhang's face scrunched up together.

Weren't earthworms terrifying? Soft and slimy, so scary!

"We don't need earthworms."

Xia Xibei shook her head, then pinched a little something at the riverbank and put the basket into the water.

"No earthworms?"

Nie Zehai and Shi Shuhang looked at each other, both a little worried.

No bait and she just used a little flower?

Was this a game?

Xia Xibei ignored them and continued.

Nie Zehai and Shi Shuhang stood to the side, staring into the water.

"What can we do?"

"Wait."

Xia Xibei put the basket down, then stood up again.

In the basket floated a small flower. It looked... Pretty beautiful.

The river here was clean, so the fish below could be seen clearly, and they were swimming very leisurely.

Watching the fish swim around, Shi Shuhang was a little anxious.

“Will this work?”

Why didn't they go back and get some help?

Nie Zehai also thought so, but did not say it.

They had to wait for a while before they'd know if it worked!

They couldn't just say no right away. It would be demoralizing.

Xia Xibei ignored their thoughts and emitted her aura.

As soon as she dispersed her breath, she felt a little heat on her forehead, but did not care.

When she came out, she had already disguised her forehead, so she didn't have to worry about being exposed.

Although even now she didn't understand how the pattern worked, it didn't stop her from doing things.

As her breath drifted away, there was movement in the river.

“The fish are coming!”

Shi Shuhang was startled by the movement in the river, and immediately screamed in shock when he saw what was happening.

Everyone looked over at his voice, also stunned.

The previously calm waters rippled, and a school of fish quickly rushed over as if there were delicacies in front of them.

How were these fish so spirited on this cold day?

Moreover, these fish were quite stupid, right? There were so many people here!

Couldn't the fish see humans and be alert?

How did they dare to approach under such circumstances?

Were they not alert because there was no interference here?

Everyone watched these fish swim rapidly towards the side.

There were so many fish that if you caught them, it would take a long time to eat them all!

However, after these fish rushed not far from them, they stopped and began to scatter.

“Huh?”

Shi Shuhang and Nie Zehai were both disappointed.

What was this? Were the fish toying with them?

While they were disappointed, Xia Xibei squatted down and reached out her hand into the water.

The cold water gave her a jolt, but she didn't pull back.

Her hand wiggled in the water, and soon, a few very large fish swam over and into the basket.

Everyone on the shore was left speechless.

Chapter 1102: Catching Crabs

Everyone was stunned watching these fish go into the basket!

Holy cow! These fish were too stupid, right?

Did they really just come and throw themselves into the basket?

Was it because the fish here had seen so few people that they were so active?

What did Xia Xibei do?

There were many questions in everyone's mind; even the cinematographer was just as bewildered.

"How did you do that?" Shi Shuhang couldn't help but ask.

"By being confident!"

Xia had an innocent face.

The crowd was confused. Did she take them for fools?

"Okay, we caught the fish!"

Xia Xibei joyfully carried the baskets up.

There were four or five fish in the two baskets combined.

These fish were all very big, one was at least three or four catties. From the looks of it, they should be common grass carp.

The fish also waved their tails as they left the water.

The water splashed on their faces and woke them up.

"We really caught the fish!" Shi Shuhang cheered, rushing to Xia. "I'll carry it!"

"Wait..."

Without waiting for Xia Xibei to speak, Shi Shuhang's hand was already outstretched.

The next moment, a fish bounced up from the basket, then its tail whipped around and snapped hard at his face.

“Ouch!” Shi Shuhang shrieked as the fish swung its tail.

Had Xia Xibei not reacted quickly and grabbed the basket, the fish might have fallen back into the water.

This scene made everyone laugh.

Why was he so disliked by the fish?

“Hey, there are crabs here!”

Nie Zehai laughed, then saw a few river crabs appear by the rocks along the river.

Although the crabs were not very fat, they were already fist-sized.

“Crabs?”

Shi Shuhang’s face still hurt from being slapped by the fishtail, but he immediately looked over.

“Wow! It’s so big!”

“I’ll do it.”

Nie Zehai immediately ran over and reached out to try and catch these river crabs.

However, he had never done this kind of thing before, so it was not so easy.

If he hadn’t reacted and quickly drawn back his hand, he might have gotten caught.

“I’ll do it!”

Shi Shuhang also rushed over, however, he retreated just as quickly.

“OMG! These crabs are so mean!” Shi Shuhang snapped.

These river crabs were too fierce! He couldn’t stand it!

“I’ll do it,” Xia Xibei shook her head and sighed, then walked up.

“No, I...”

How could two grown men admit defeat?

The river crabs had offered themselves, so how could they still not catch them?!

When it was time to broadcast the show, they’d be ridiculed to death!

However, before they could finish their words, they came to an abrupt halt.

Xia Xibei’s hand reached out, and when she drew it back, there was already a river crab in her hand.

Surprisingly, this river crab did not open its claws!

In everyone's mind, caught crabs would open their claws, but this crab was too well behaved!

Shi Shuhang and Nie Zehai's eyes were wide with shock.

"How is it so obedient?"

Before they could figure this out, the next second confused them even more.

After Xia Xibei grabbed the crab, she pulled a strand of long, dry grass from the shore and tied it up.

Her movements were so skilled!

The place was quiet.

Everyone watched in silence as she grabbed and tied another crab.

Soon, there were a few more tied crabs on the shore.

"What the-"

Shi Shuhang just couldn't help it.

If he didn't remember that he was a star, he might have been unable to resist cursing.

Xia Xibei was too awesome!

Chapter 1103: Grilled Fish

"Sister Bei, did you use to be a fisherman?"

Shi Shuhang's expression was all twisted. He was really stunned by Xia Xibei.

Catching fish was one thing. Those fish were a bit silly, just rushing over to be caught, and Xia Xibei didn't seem to have much to do with it.

However, these crabs were just too much!

When they went to catch them, the crabs opened their claws.

Yet, when the crabs faced Xia Xibei, they were so obedient and gave up struggling.

It was quite a difference!

Shi Shuhang and Nie Zehai felt a little unbalanced.

Did these crabs treat different people differently?

"No," Xia Xibei shook her head. "I just lived in the countryside for a while."

She was not lying.

When she was a child, she lived with her grandmother in the countryside, where there was also a small river.

However, at that time, she did not go near the river, because she was afraid of it.

She learned how to catch crabs in the fantasy continent.

With her strength, it couldn't be any easier to catch a few crabs.

These small creatures had no spiritual intelligence, but they could vaguely feel Xia Xibei's aura, so they were very docile.

Well, docile or not, the crabs had to be their food.

"You're really something!" Shi Shuhang exclaimed. "I also lived in the countryside when I was a kid, but I never dared to catch crabs!"

Listening to his ramblings, Xia Xibei ordered, "Bring the basket over here."

Only when she reminded them of this did the two of them wake up, as if from a dream.

When they looked back, the basket was back in the water, but the fish inside had not escaped!

There were several big fish lying crowded in the basket, but they did not swim away!

The two men rushed over and lifted the basket up.

This time, Shi Shuhang was very careful, afraid that the fish would slap him with their tail again.

Xia Xibei had already strung up all the crabs, which looked very beautiful.

"Okay, let's grill the fish!"

"Grilled fish?"

Shi Shuhang and Nie Zehai's eyes lit up.

"I want to eat!"

Grilled fish! Delicious grilled fish!

"But... How do we grill it?"

When it came to this kind of thing, the two of them were a little helpless.

They could only make instant noodles and boil eggs.

If they were given normal tools, maybe they wouldn't die of hunger, but grilling fish here? It was too hard!

"Um... Are we grilling the fish here?"

"Right," Xia Xibei nodded. "We can't cook it back at the house."

They had gone back to the house to have a look, and while there were cooking utensils inside, they weren't big enough.

They caught so many fish that it was impossible to cook them all there.

Moreover, she had looked around the area. There were some things here they could use to grill the fish.

"But... We don't know how!"

Both of them were helpless.

Who would have thought that suddenly it would be such a difficult task?

"Just listen to me."

Xia Xibei did not act polite with them, simply ordering them to do things.

The two men were sent out to find dry firewood.

To roast fish, firewood was needed.

Xia Xibei pulled out a knife and began cleaning the fish in the river.

The process of killing fish was a bit gory. Some people may not be able to watch, but the cameraman still filmed.

It could always be edited out later.

They were immediately stunned at the shot.

She was so skilled!

Xia Xibei dropped the fish on a rock in the river, making the fish faint, then she began to open the fish's belly with brisk and sharp movements. She threw the fish innards into the water and scraped off the fish's scales.

In a short time, she had cleaned several fish.

The cameraman was tempted to ask if she often killed fish at home.

Chapter 1104: I Brought the Lighter

After cleaning the fish, Xia Xibei went to the side, squatted down, and picked something up.

The photographer came over to take a look, smelling a familiar pungent scent.

This seemed to be a green onion!

Did this wilderness have green onions?

However, this question was not difficult to answer.

This was not far from the village. There could have been birds bringing green onions here, or someone had sown seeds to grow the green onions.

Xia Xibei's footsteps didn't stop there, she turned to another place, dug again, and unearthed a piece of something yellow.

Ginger?

The photographer was dumbfounded.

There was ginger here?

What the- Did the villagers farm everywhere? Didn't they have their own land?

How in the world did Xia Xibei know there was green onion and ginger here?

With the green onions and ginger, Xia Xibei didn't look elsewhere. She went back to the river, peeled the ginger with a knife, squeezed out the ginger juice, and smeared it on top of the fish to marinate.

By the time she was done with this, Nie Zehai and Shi Shuhang had also returned with firewood in their arms.

Looking at Xia Xibei, their eyes widened.

"You're so efficient!"

They couldn't help but give her a thumbs up.

Before, they were worried if it would really work.

However, Xia Xibei was simply amazing!

She was the god of cooking, right?

In the face of their praise, Xia Xibei smiled, but didn't say anything.

She had been living on her own for so many years! How could she not know how to cook?

In the past, when she lived on her own, she couldn't afford to buy too many ingredients, let alone waste them, so she had to force herself to learn how to make something taste good with limited ingredients.

Moreover, she even worked in a small restaurant! Cleaning fish was nothing. She had also cleaned chicken and duck.

However, she rarely cooked anymore.

She used to have to cook for herself, but now that she had help, she didn't want to work as much.

It could be said that Qiao Yanjue cooked more often than she did.

However, when she was free and in the mood, she would still cook.

Although she hadn't cooked for a long time, her skills were not rusty.

Besides, just because she didn't cook didn't mean she didn't do other things- like refining medicine.

The refinement of medicine was all about controlling the cooking time of the material, which was not as simple as cooking.

So, it was also a case of practice makes perfect!

They found an open place, cleaned up the surroundings to make sure it would not catch on fire, and then began to build a fire.

"Who has a lighter?"

Shi Shuhang's eyes looked at the photographer, but the photographer shook his head.

Even if they had a lighter on them, they could not lend it to them.

Shi Shuhang was instantly disappointed.

They were not going to make fire from rubbing pieces of wood together, were they?

"I have one here."

Xia Xibei had already pulled out a lighter.

"How do you have a lighter?!" Shi Shuhang was stunned.

It was hard to believe that she smoked!

Otherwise, who would carry a lighter?

"I got it from the place we're staying at now."

Xia Xibei glanced at him impatiently.

"Huh? We have a lighter there?"

Shi Shuhang and Nie Zehai looked at each other, both surprised.

How had they not noticed?

"There is one, in the kitchen." Xia Xibei answered as she lit the fire, "Didn't I just go in and look around? There was a big earthen stove, and there was also a lighter."

So, she brought the lighter with her.

The two men were even more surprised.

How could she have known to bring a lighter so early on?

She was too well prepared!

Did she know she could catch the fish and would need to use the fire?

Xia Xibei's performance really changed their perception again and again!

Chapter 1105: An Earthen Stove

In the village, the other two groups of guests were preparing to cook.

The houses every team lived in were about the same, not much better or worse.

After all, it was winter. They didn't want to get sick from the cold.

If something happened to the guests, the program team would be criticized by the fans.

However, the food all depended on the guests themselves.

They wouldn't die from skipping a meal or two, and they could always drink lots of water.

They could even lose weight!

They all knew what the show was like, so they could only try to get as much food as possible by themselves.

Cheng Yingni's group was the first to go up and pick the food, and they got a lot of ingredients.

These ingredients, as long as they were careful, could last them a day!

Although they had to stay here for three days, they believed that they would continue to have good luck after that!

Thinking about Xia Xibei's group, who had nothing, they felt even more thankful.

"You have good luck! We got first place! Otherwise, we would have to go hungry now," a male artist named He Liangjiang said to Cheng Yingni.

"Yeah, I'm so hungry!"

Another male artist named Zhao Xinyi also nodded and agreed.

Cheng Yingni laughed, "Don't worry! We will eat and drink well!"

"Right! Eat well and drink well!" they cheered.

Looking at them cheering, Cheng Yingni looked down, her eyes flashing a glint.

"Well, we have to cook now, or we'll get hungry later."

The three of them went back to their house and started cooking.

However, they were soon silent.

This was an earthen stove!

Nowadays, in this kind of society, how many people still used this kind of earthen stove?

Even Cheng Yingni, who was confident about winning, felt a headache coming on.

She was still very confident in her craft, and she had trained for a while before coming over.

She could guarantee that her skills would amaze the audience.

However, she forgot that the stove here was not a gas stove, but an earthen stove!

Who knew how to start a fire?!

The most troublesome thing was that there was not even firewood here!

In other words, they had to go and collect firewood by themselves to do so. Otherwise, they couldn't cook at all.

For a while, the three of them stared at each other with frustration.

"Um... Let's go and collect some dry firewood first!"

Although they had never used an earthen stove, they had seen it on TV and knew they needed firewood to make it work.

So, they went outside to the woods together and prepared to collect some firewood.

"Remember, we need dry firewood!" Wang Jiang reminded them.

He was a few years older than them and had been exposed to earthen stoves before.

Even if he hadn't used them, he knew a little bit about it.

Cheng Yingni and He Liangjiang nodded their heads, then started to look for dry firewood.

While they were looking for firewood, another group of guests came over.

Everyone looked at each other helplessly and couldn't help but shake their heads.

The program team was so mean!

Looking at the grass and trees all around her, Cheng Yingni complained madly in her heart.

If she had known, she wouldn't have come here!

Who knew this place was so backward?! There was not even a gas stove!

No gas stove! Not even an induction cooker!

Still, for her own purposes, she had to put up with it and perform better than Xia Xibei!

However, she wasn't worried about how Xia Xibei would perform.

Their group didn't even have a single green onion, so what could they eat?

Who knows! Later on, they might have to shamelessly beg for food.

It would be fun to watch then!

With this idea of watching a joke, Cheng Yingni found some dry firewood and went back to the house. However, once the firewood was found, making a fire with it was another matter.

It was not that easy to make a fire, even with a lighter!

Within a short time, everyone inside coughed frantically, and white smoke rolled out.

Chapter 1106: Cooking Is Difficult

Even with dry firewood and a lighter, it was hard to make a fire in the earthen stove, especially when some of the grass mixed in wasn't completely dry. It was a disaster!

Moreover, since they had never used an earthen stove, they simply did not know that they should leave a little space in the stove.

So, in a short time, thick smoke came out, choking everyone.

By the time they came out of the kitchen, they were covered in ashes and appeared a complete mess.

When they looked at each other, everyone was frustrated.

Their faces were covered in ash from the grass and firewood.

While their side was a mess, the other group was in a similar situation.

Soon after everyone ran outside, another group of members also came out, looking equally miserable.

Everyone looked at each other and smiled bitterly.

"How are you guys doing with the fire?" the other team asked.

"What do you think?" Cheng Yingni laughed bitterly, "I didn't think it would be so hard either!"

She did not mind showing weakness here. After all, this kind of thing was not something many people could handle.

Nowadays, so many people lived in the city, and they had never been exposed to these things.

"Then what do we do?"

"We have to find someone to teach us!"

If this continued, they feared they would burn the house down!

So, they could only look for help from the villagers.

Although the villagers could not offer them any help with food, they could teach them to build a fire.

With help from the villagers, they finally made the fire.

However, after making a fire, that did not mean that things were all good.

If they had a gas stove, they could control the fire and make a delicious meal.

The fire here did not seem to be under their control, flustering them.

They fumbled a lot before they came up with two dishes and one soup.

Moreover, they had wasted a lot of ingredients.

Looking at the charred food, they were all heartbroken.

Here, food was hard to come by!

They had originally thought that they could get two meals out of these ingredients; they did not expect only one.

Moreover, they didn't want to mess up the rice, so they chose to make porridge.

They could always add more water to the porridge. It would be hard to spoil that way!

By the time they were done cooking and ready to eat, two hours had passed.

Looking at the hard-earned meal, He Liangjiang wiped away a tear, "It's really not easy!"

"We had such a hard time! What about the other group?" Zhao Xinyi added.

They sounded quite concerned, but if you listened carefully, you could hear their gloating.

They had such a difficult time, so they did not believe that Xia Xibei's group would have it any easier!

"By the way, they don't seem to be doing anything over there!"

"It can't be that they haven't found anything to eat by now, right?"

Listening to their conversation, Cheng Yingni laughed, "Let's eat first, or it will get cold later. If they come looking for us, we can help."

"Yes, let's eat first! I'm starving to death!"

When he tried the food, He Liangjiang's eyes lit up.

"It's really good!"

"Eat more then."

Cheng Yingni held her rice bowl, looking very happy.

"Mmm!"

Everyone buried their heads in their bowls and ate.

In fact, the meal wasn't really that delicious, but they were famished after struggling for so long to get the food out.

When they finished eating, someone was at the door.

Cheng Yingni's eyes lit up.

Was this a call for help?

When they opened the door, they saw Xia Xibei's beautiful face.

"Have you guys eaten yet? If you haven't, we still have--"

"We have eaten." Xia Xibei interrupted her with a smile and put a basket in front of her. "This is for you guys."

Chapter 1107: Giving You Guys Fish

When Cheng Yingni looked down, a fragrance came to her nose, and the smile on her face froze.

In the basket was a rather large fish, and it was already grilled.

The fish was grilled to a golden brown and drizzled with green onions, and it smelled so appetizing.

"Hm..." Cheng Yingni was immediately stunned. "Where did this come from?"

Shi Shuhang came to the door, "We caught it in the river! Sister Bei grilled it!"

Shi Shuhang's voice was very proud.

If it wasn't for Xia Xibei, they wouldn't have such delicious grilled fish now.

Oh, there were also grilled crabs.

Who knew that crabs would be so delicious when grilled?!

As Shi Shuhang was thinking about it, he felt his already full stomach getting hungry again and he felt like he could eat another fish!

"You guys caught that in the river?!"

The two people behind them also came over, smelling the fragrant food, and were stunned.

"You caught the fish in the river?"

They were kidding!

How could they catch fish in the river?

They weren't lying to them, were they?

Maybe they got the fish from the villagers and came to show off in front of them!

However, this idea did not stand up to scrutiny.

The villagers would not give them such a big fish!

Moreover, the program team also said there could be absolutely no gratuitous ingredients from the villagers.

Even a piece of green onion had to be paid with labor!

How many things must be done to get such a big fish?!

“Where did you bake the fish?”

They clearly didn’t see any cooking smoke rising from that house of theirs just now.

“We caught the fish and crabs in the river, and roasted them by the river too.”

Shi Shuhang was very proud of himself and smugly stuck out his belly.

Xia Xibei’s skills were fantastic!

They had already polished off a few roasted fish.

Moreover, Xia Xibei also found sweet potatoes by the river!

Yes, sweet potatoes!

Everyone was amazed by her once again.

Everyone was also amazed by this little village.

Was there food everywhere along these small rivers?

What did they use their fields for?

Still Xia Xibei was even more impressive, since she knew where to find sweet potatoes!

Many people didn’t even know what sweet potato leaves looked like!

After eating the baked fish and sweet potatoes, they were all stuffed.

Even the cameramen who followed them ate a lot, and everyone had trouble walking.

The cameramen were also full of emotions.

They filmed so many episodes of the show and ate a lot of meals cooked by the guests, but none of it could compare to Xia Xibei’s cooking!

They now knew that Xia Xibei was a god of cooking!

The most impressive thing was her ability to find ingredients.

If others were to face her situation, they would have a headache.

Never mind catching fish, just making a basket was enough to stump them, and everyone could only watch as she grilled the fish.

After the fish began to roast, everyone realized that she had not only brought a lighter, but also some salt!

With heat and salt, plus a little ginger and onion, the fish were super delicious!

After everyone was full, Xia Xibei caught two more fish.

By then, everyone was silent.

She caught the fish so fast too, it was as if those fish came to her automatically!

The others went to try, but they couldn't even touch the fish's tails.

They thought that she caught the fish for dinner. Instead, Xia Xibei gave them to the other two groups!

This was a refreshing experience for the show!

Of course, it also changed the other guests' minds.

How could there be extra food here?

When Cheng Yingni saw Xia Xibei's smile, her heart shivered.

Chapter 1108: Speaking a Dialect

After Xia Xibei delivered the fish to the other two groups of guests, she successfully left them with mixed emotions.

Originally, they thought that Xia Xibei's group must be very miserable and had to be helped.

Who would have thought that, after a turn of events, they would instead give charity to others?!

Only after Xia Xibei and the others left did they start eating the fish.

When the fish got into their mouths, they all fell silent and looked revived.

It was so delicious!

They didn't know how Xia Xibei did it, but the outside of the fish was crispy, while the inside of the fish was tender and melted in their mouths.

The fish was marinated just right too. With no fishiness, the taste was just right!

This was more delicious than the various fish dishes they had eaten in the city!

After a moment of silence, everyone silently ate faster.

The camera recorded the scene faithfully.

He Liangjiang and Zhao Xinyi were not slow in their movements.

They had thought that Cheng Yingni's cooking skills were good, but after eating the grilled fish from Xia Xibei, they realized that they were really too young!

The fish was more than two catties. It was not very big, but not small either.

However, in a short while, it was finished by them.

After eating, they even patted their stomachs contentedly, the insatiable look on their faces very clear.

Only Cheng Yingni ate less, and her expression was not so good.

When she was facing the camera, her expression was still quite normal, but off-camera, her face darkened.

The two men looked at her reaction and didn't say anything.

Meanwhile, Xia Xibei and the others went back to their house.

It was a relatively nice house in the village, with two floors!

The three of them chose their rooms and began to unpack.

The room was not big, but the quilt inside was quite thick, enough for them to rest well here.

After settling into the house, everyone went out for a walk.

It was now after three in the afternoon, and in a few hours, it would be time for dinner.

No one knew, however, where dinner would come from.

The crew hadn't even started making their demands yet.

Everyone knew that if they couldn't do what the crew wanted, they would really have to go hungry.

Shi Shuhang and Nie Zehai were glad that they ate a full lunch, so it was okay if they didn't eat at night.

One meal could last them a while!

Their stomachs were full and their bodies were warm.

They walked slowly along the village path, attracting the attention of many small children.

There were not many strong laborers in the village, as most of them had gone out to work, leaving only the elderly and the children.

However, the environment here was good, so those who stayed were doing quite well.

There was a reason why the TV program chose this place. It was not so poor that people would be depressed seeing the place, but it was also not too comfortable so the guests could still get a challenge.

"I was thinking, what about breakfast tomorrow?" Shi Shuhang said to Nie Zehai.

Nie Zehai could only shrug his shoulders, "We'll figure it out then."

Otherwise, what else could they do?

As they walked, Xia Xibei's footsteps suddenly quickened.

What was going on?

The two of them looked at each other and followed.

Soon, after turning down a road, a view opened up in front of them.

There was a large, open space.

There were many people gathered in the open space, all of whom were the village's middle-aged and elderly folks.

Everyone formed a circle, and in the middle was something large.

Everyone was sad and looked like they were going to cry.

Shi Shuhang and Nie Zehai followed Xia Xibei and quickened their pace.

When they got to the front, they were still confused because these people were speaking in dialect! The accent was too heavy for them to understand!

As they hesitated, Xia Xibei spoke up, leaving everyone stunned.

She was speaking their dialect!

Chapter 1109: Not a Veterinarian

This was a small village in the middle of the country with a unique accent.

It could be said that not many people understood the dialects here.

This kind of dialect was simply from another world to these celebrities, who were used to the national language.

So, everyone was stunned to hear Xia Xibei open her mouth and speak this dialect.

Never mind Nie Zehai and Shi Shuhang, even the villagers were taken aback.

The villagers saw how beautiful she was and couldn't help but look at each other.

Wasn't she the beautiful star who came here to shoot a show? How could she speak their dialect? Could she be someone from here?

A middle-aged man stepped forward and spoke in broken but understandable national language to explain, "This ox ate something and is not feeling well."

Only then did they realize that what was lying on the ground was an ox.

This ox should be in its prime and well taken care of by the owner's family, so it grew to be massive and fit.

This was a small and hilly mountain village, so it was very difficult to plow with machines, and they had to rely on the help of oxen.

So, this ox was a valuable asset to them, and to this village.

The ox was sick now, and everyone was anxious.

There were not many oxen in the village, and even if there were more, everyone would be anxious if something went wrong.

“So what should we do? Should we call a veterinarian?” Nie Zehai carefully suggested.

The middle-aged man shook his head, “Our village’s Uncle Zhuan is the best veterinarian, but there’s nothing he can do.”

If there was a solution, they wouldn’t gather here and worry.

Moreover, it would take a long time to find a veterinarian outside the village.

It was not easy to get in and out of here with the lack of transportation.

The ox had a trembling, weak, and pathetic appearance, who knew how long it could survive?

“Let me do it,” Xia Xibei stepped forward.

“You?” Everyone was taken aback. “Don’t be ridiculous, this is not a joke!”

Xia Xibei shook her head, “I can do it. I know what to do.”

This statement made everyone suspicious.

This is an ox!

She wasn’t a vet!

The ten or so older village elders looked at them, also a little confused.

They couldn’t understand the national language, so naturally, they didn’t know what Xia Xibei said.

Xia Xibei used the dialect again and explained what she meant.

This time, everyone was agitated.

“You want to try?” An old man stepped forward. “You know what to do?”

Xia Xibei nodded, “I do. I can try.”

“Don’t mess around!”

Nie Zehai couldn’t resist tugging on her shirt, “If you mess up...”

Oxen were a valuable asset to the people here, and although they could buy them another one, who knows if anything would go wrong with it?

It was not that they were cold-blooded, but this kind of thing was not something they could get involved in.

If they intervened and something went wrong, what could they do?

They wouldn't be okay just because they were stars. This was someone else's turf, after all.

"Don't worry, I am alright."

Xia Xibei smiled at them, did not wait for the others to react, then squatted down.

The ox was huge, and even after it fell to the ground, it was not small.

Xia Xibei squatted down and was just about overshadowed by it.

"Watch out!"

Seeing Xia Xibei really reach out to touch the ox's stomach, everyone was nervous.

Although the ox was uncomfortable, what if it kicked her?

Such a huge ox's hooves were not easy to deal with.

Xia Xibei was so delicate, she'd be broken if the ox kicked her!

Chapter 1110: Part-time Veterinarian

As everyone watched with worry, Xia Xibei moved calmly.

Her hand steadily landed on the ox's stomach.

To everyone's surprise, the ox did not move!

Just now, no one other than the ox's owner dared to get too close.

It was easy to be accidentally injured if they were too close.

Although this ox was docile, it was not feeling well right now. If it acted up, they couldn't deal with it.

They didn't expect that Xia Xibei, a pretty and delicate girl, would dare to touch it.

Moreover, the ox didn't even move!

This was amazing!

Could she really do it?

Someone also noticed that under Xia Xibei's touch, the ox's original uncomfortable grunting was also less frequent.

"She can really do it!" someone in the village whispered.

She seemed to be more skilled than Uncle Zhuan!

Everyone stared closely at her movements and watched her hand rub the ox's stomach for a while.

Rubbing and rubbing, rubbing and rubbing...

After a while, she suddenly raised her fist and struck down hard at a part of the ox's body.

"No!"

"Stop it!"

This time, everyone drew back a breath and hurriedly shouted.

Was she out of her mind?!

Treating the ox this way... Did she want to die?!

The faces of the villagers were even more ugly.

This was the way to deal with it?

This ox was already so miserable, yet she still punched it?

Nie Zehai, Shi Shuhang, and the show's staff had pale faces.

What was Xia Xibei doing? Was she on drugs?

Before they could pull Xia Xibei away, the ox suddenly raised its neck, then spat out a puddle of something to the side, creating a pungent smell.

The people next to it quickly darted away.

So disgusting!

A few people were a little slower in avoiding the vomit and were splashed on their feet, their expressions suddenly changing.

After spitting out this mouthful of stuff, this ox let out a cheerful grunt, then stood up from the ground!

"Crap!" Shi Shuhang couldn't help but let out a small shout, his eyes wide.

Nie Zehai's expression wasn't much better, equally dumbfounded.

The ox stood up, not even a bit uncomfortable, waved its tail at Xia Xibei, and rubbed its big head against her very affectionately.

Everyone was stunned by this scene.

She really knew what she was doing!

Moreover, this ox was too enthusiastic about her! Did it know she was the one who saved it?

Xia Xibei smiled and stroked the ox's head, "It's okay, don't eat random things in the future."

"Moo..." the ox cried out and continued to try to nuzzle her.

It looked very affectionate.

The villagers next to her were dumbfounded.

This girl was so capable!

"What the hell happened..." the village chief asked anxiously.

"Oh, it ate something bad and had indigestion, so I induced vomiting."

Xia Xibei's understatement made everyone's expression change.

Was it that simple?

It sounded simple, but it was so hard to do!

Who had the ability to help an ox vomit?

That punch just now, if it wasn't done right, not only would it hurt the ox, but also bring about a kick from the ox!

Now the ox had vomited, and it was okay!

This effect was too immediate!

Shi Shuhang moved towards Xia Xibei and looked at the ox warily.

"Is it... Okay?"

"It's fine now." Xia Xibei smiled and stroked its head. "Once it vomited, it was fine."

Shi Shuhang exclaimed, "Sister Bei, tell me! What else can you do?"

He couldn't believe she was a veterinarian on the side! She was awesome!

Chapter 1111: Invited for Dinner

"I lived in the country when I was a kid and have seen other veterinarians work."

Xia Xibei used this all-purpose excuse once again.

Others felt that this statement was a bit absurd. However, could there be any other explanation?

In the crowd, someone shouted something.

Nie Zehai could not understand it very well, but the words probably meant that the ox had eaten the wrong grass on the mountain, and that was why it was like that.

Now the ox had spit it out, so it was all right.

That middle-aged man, the village chief, came up and said joyfully, "Thank you!"

The ox was their village's treasure. How sad it would be if something happened to it!

"You're welcome," Xia Xibei said with a smile. "I just happened to be able to help, so I did."

"I still want to thank you! This is no small thing!" the village chief said happily to Xia Xibei, speaking in the broken national language.

Others gathered around and thanked her too.

The village was small, so everyone was very united. When the ox was in trouble, everyone was equally worried.

The owner of the ox, an old man, was so happy that he said something to Xia Xibei.

Nie Zehai and others could not understand, but they saw Xia Xibei shaking her head and saying something in reply.

However, it was obvious that her refusal was not accepted.

Then, an old lady came out and pulled Xia Xibei towards the front.

"Hey!"

Shi Shuhang and Nie Zehai both got anxious.

What was this?

Fortunately, the village chief helped explain.

"The ox belongs to Uncle Shun and Auntie Chunhua's family. So, to thank the girl, they want to take her home and invite her to dinner!"

Dinner?

Nie Zehai and Shi Shuhang instantly looked at each other with surprise in their eyes.

Xia Xibei couldn't refuse the kindness of these old people, so she had to turn around and bring her team partners along.

So, the two of them followed with great enthusiasm.

This was great! An extra dinner!

They were still struggling with where to go for dinner. Unexpectedly, someone delivered the food to their door!

The show had a rule that villagers couldn't offer help to the guests without compensation.

However, Xia Xibei saved one of their oxen!

This ox was so big that if it was sold for meat, it was worth a lot of money.

Of course, they didn't raise oxen for meat, but for farming.

Although there was not much need for cattle now, if something happened to this ox, it would be a big loss for the village!

It would be the equivalent of Xia Xibei saving someone's car.

In this case, if the host family invited them for a meal, it was perfectly normal!

Even the program team couldn't find the words to refuse. How could they stop people from being grateful?

So, the cameramen looked at each other and also followed.

They muttered to themselves, this Xia Xibei was too awesome. She was really the legend of variety shows!

They previously thought that Xia Xibei couldn't do much on their kind of show.

After all, this kind of program was not just about testing strength and luck. You had to actually complete the task in order to get food.

However, once she arrived, she gave everyone a chance to eat grilled fish.

Then, she helped people cure their ox and got dinner!

It simply made people envious and jealous!

When they arrived at the older couple's house, the couple brought out all the delicious food stored in the house.

There was homemade bacon, salted fish, and more. They were offering their most sincere thanks!

Chapter 1112: Stuffed

If Xia Xibei hadn't strongly refused, the elderly couple would have used every bit of food they had to serve her.

In the end, they still made a table full of dishes.

In addition to that, other families in the village also sent dishes.

The food soon filled up the table.

They had mixed feelings seeing all the food.

Although this place was very remote and backward, the villagers' enthusiasm made it impossible not to be moved.

The director's team also had a headache.

They had shot so many episodes, but this was the first time they encountered this kind of thing.

Who would have thought that the guests had such skills?

Moreover, it was too much of a coincidence, as if the program team had arranged it!

However, they swore they were not capable of arranging such a plot!

Even if the program team wanted the villagers to be less enthusiastic, they simply could not say anything to them.

If they dared to say anything, they were quickly scolded by the villagers.

The villagers were thanking their benefactors for saving their lives. What did it matter to the program team?

In the end, the director's team was defeated and had to stay far away.

Xia Xibei, Nie Zehai, and Shi Shuhang were welcomed to the table and treated with hospitality.

After the initial panic, Xia Xibei quickly got the hang of it.

She ate whatever was served to her, then gave them a thumbs up and complemented their skills.

She made the elderly couple smile with her praise of the meal, and the wrinkles on their faces bloomed like flowers.

They had very few young people here, and even fewer young people as beautiful as her.

A pretty girl like Xia Xibei who could also heal oxen... How incredible!

Moreover, she spoke the dialect here!

During the visit, the village chief came as well and asked Xia Xibei about the dialect.

Xia Xibei replied that she used to have neighbors who spoke this dialect.

Everyone was surprised by this answer.

Just because a neighbor spoke it didn't mean she could learn it as well!

Generally speaking, when people went to other places, they chose to blend in there, unless they were with their relatives. Then they'd use their own language.

If you interacted with other people, it was definitely with a common language.

Xia Xibei's neighbors must have been the same way and could not have taken the time to teach her to speak this dialect.

That meant it probably only took her a little time to learn this language that she didn't normally use, and to be able to speak it so well was amazing!

Even Nie Zehai and Shi Shuhang were stunned.

The two of them exchanged helpless glances while eating.

This time, the show seemed to be dominated by Xia Xibei.

The two of them didn't seem to play much of a role!

They really didn't have much of a presence!

But what could they do? They still had to rely on Xia Xibei for food!

Smiling helplessly, they bowed their heads and ate.

Xia Xibei ate the food that everyone added to her bowl, not refusing anything, which made everyone's smile deepen.

They didn't expect that a skinny girl could eat so much!

Well, it was a blessing to be able to eat!

By the end of the meal, Nie Zehai and Shi Shuhang were stunned.

They had both stopped eating, but Xia Xibei was still eating!

What kind of stomach was this! A black hole for a stomach?

When they finally finished eating, after some more courtesies, Xia Xibei and her team left the place.

"They are really too enthusiastic!"

Xia Xibei had a lingering look of fear on her face.

These villagers were really too enthusiastic... So enthusiastic that she almost couldn't stand it.

The program team also had a headache on their side.

They had prepared for the afternoon tests.

The guests had to pass these tests to get dinner, but this group was already full!

So there were only two groups participating in the test.

Cheng Yingni, who was waiting to challenge Xia Xibei, was confused.

Where was everyone?

Chapter 1113: Midnight Travel

Xia Xibei's group did not have to participate in the next round of the competition, and the program team had no problem with it.

In fact, their group already had enough interesting content, and the program team could get a lot of content out of it without them having to participate in the competition.

In the evening, after separating from the others, Xia Xibei went back to her room to rest.

A show camera was also installed in the room, but to protect privacy, it was not facing the bed. The camera could also be turned off at night when you went to sleep.

Ten minutes later, the lights in Xia Xibei's room had been turned off, and everyone assumed she had fallen asleep.

After all, there were no events at night, the internet connection was not good here, and it was still very cold, so it was good to go to bed early.

The celebrities didn't have much time to rest, and everyone was willing to go to bed early.

Everyone else had already gone to bed, so naturally they didn't suspect Xia Xibei.

Unbeknownst to anyone, she took off her heavy jacket and wore only a relatively light, snug outfit, then opened the window on the second floor and jumped out directly.

She landed lightly on the ground without making a sound.

After looking around for a while to make sure there was no problem, she quickly ran in the direction of the mountain.

She picked up speed as the wind whistled past her ears.

She was wearing only a very thin set of clothes that would not affect her movement.

At the same time, her forehead was faintly glowing, and her primordial qi was running through her body, allowing her to maintain such a speed while not being afraid of the cold.

Her destination was this not-so-high mountain.

Today, while treating that ox, she had noticed something.

The ox had indeed eaten something that was not well digested, causing it to become sick.

That badly digested item, after being vomited out, confirmed the suspicion in her mind.

It was the one-leaf grass. After the ox ate it, it was not digested and could not be expelled from the body according to the normal channels, only removed via an incision.

Therefore, she could only use violent action to force something out.

The one-leaf grass was not really special; the treasure was something near the one-leaf grass.

In the vicinity of the one-leaf grass, there was usually a spiritual plant that looked similar but had a few more leaves than it: the multiple-leaf grass.

The multiple-leaf grass was a low-level spiritual plant with a good effect on the human body, provided it was handled properly.

Of course, just because there was one-leaf grass didn't necessarily mean there was multiple-leaf grass, but Xia Xibei felt the scent of the multiple-leaf grass on the ox earlier.

That was why she came to the mountain at this time.

Her speed was so fast that even if someone was walking outside at the time, they would think they were hallucinating or had encountered a ghost.

Her feet seemed to be stepping on the wind, and she quickly reached the foot of the mountain.

It was dark outside, the moonlight in the sky was dim, the surrounding trees were shadowed, and the cold wind blowing made one afraid.

In addition, there was the sound of birds and insects from somewhere in the dark, which was also very creepy.

However, Xia Xibei was not affected by any of this.

She stood in place and closed her eyes.

As her breath dispersed, the sound of flapping wings rang out and many birds appeared.

They flew excitedly in Xia Xibei's direction, as if there was some kind of delicacy ahead.

When they reached the front, Xia Xibei withdrew her breath, her hand lifted, and some birds landed on her arm.

Several of the birds were very affectionate to her.

She tapped their little heads and told them the reason for her coming here.

The little birds chattered as if they were saying something.

Soon, they flew in a certain direction.

Chapter 1114: Sleepwalking

Led by the little birds, Xia Xibei quickly leaped through the forest, as light as a bird, and soon reached her destination.

It was a big tree halfway up the mountain.

Under the tree, there were some very ordinary-looking weeds.

Even if people came during the day, no one would notice its existence.

However, at this time, it looked different from other weeds.

Xia Xibei took out her cell phone and shone a light on it, then she saw that it was faintly glowing at the rhizome.

However, when the light was turned off, it reverted back to its previous ordinary look.

It was indeed a multiple-leaf grass!

Xia Xibei was very happy.

Still, instead of digging it up immediately, she let it stay where it was and returned to the house.

Although she was fast, more than an hour had passed by the time she got back to her room.

People had fallen asleep.

Everyone was quietly asleep, except for some of the staff who stayed behind to keep watch.

Xia Xibei quickly climbed up to the second floor and entered her room.

This was a remote mountain village, so thieves did not patronize it, and there were no windows with guards, which facilitated her movement.

She returned to her room and everything was as usual.

That was right, no one would come here at this time of day.

However, she soon stopped.

She sniffled, and a faint scent lingered in the air.

The scent was so faint that if one wasn't paying attention, one might think it was the scent of flowers wafting in from outside, although there weren't many flowers in bloom anymore.

However, Xia Xibei did not let it go.

She sniffled, her face a little gloomy.

Someone must have been here just now.

She followed the smell and soon found a bit of ash in the corner.

If you were not paying attention, you'd think it was the residue left by the mosquito incense.

She picked up the ashes, brought them to her nose and smelled them, then couldn't help but sneer.

As she frowned, there was a movement outside the door.

Someone was opening the door!

When she closed the door earlier, she had locked it, but now it was opened!

It should be the person who slipped in just now. Was it an attempt to cooperate from the inside?

She frowned and immediately went to the door.

When the door opened, the person who walked in made her expression change.

It was Shi Shuhang!

Xia Xibei's face immediately turned ugly.

What did he want in the middle of the night? Something nefarious?

However, she quickly understood.

Shi Shuhang was not acting normal!

His eyes were still closed!

However, it was as if he could see around him, and the obstacles around him could do him no harm.

He walked forward mindlessly as if he was sleepwalking.

Rather, it was as if he was attracted to something.

Soon, he walked to the bed.

Then, he pulled back the covers and crawled in.

After watching this scene, the corners of Xia Xibei's mouth twitched.

He was possessed!

She walked over and looked down to see that Shi Shuhang had fallen asleep.

Then, she smelled another scent on the quilt.

This smell was the culprit that drew Shi Shuhang here!

Xia Xibei grabbed his wrist, touched it for a while, and finally figured out the situation.

He had indeed inhaled the incense that could control his mind.

Xia Xibei's eyes lowered and her expression became cold.

Who did this? What did they want?

This kind of incense was not easy to make, and they just used it on them?

What was certain was that if Shi Shuhang slept here until the next day, it would be a problem.

Two celebrities, while recording a show, slept in the same bed?! This would be big news in the entertainment industry!

Chapter 1115: Breakfast Delivery

The next morning, Shi Shuhang couldn't help but grimace when he woke up.

"What's wrong?" Nie Zehai came out from the next room, and seeing this, couldn't help but ask, "Are you okay? Or are you not used to sleeping on these beds?"

Actually, these old-fashioned beds were very good, and they kept you warm!

Although there was no mattress, they were padded with several layers and were both soft and comfortable.

“No,” Shi Shuhang looked confused and shook his head. “It’s just that my head feels swollen, and my body hurts a little, like I was hit with something.”

It felt like he had hit something hard, like a rock, so he felt awful.

“Weren’t you sleeping on the bed? How come you bumped into something. Did you sleepwalk?”

“No way!” Shi Shuhang immediately shook his head. “I don’t sleepwalk!”

That was what he said, but he seemed to have some impression that last night, he had walked out in a daze, and then... Walked back in.

No! No! No! This must have been a dream! He wouldn’t sleepwalk!

Besides, a person who sleepwalked couldn’t remember what happened before!

Shi Shuhang shook his head and shoved the strange thought away.

Xia Xibei also came out of her room, saying, “Good morning!”

“Good morning! Did you sleep well last night?”

Seeing Xia Xibei coming, they greeted her too.

“It was fine.” Xia Xibei looked normal. “How about you guys?”

“I’m fine too.”

“I’m... Okay.”

Shi Shuhang didn’t have the heart to complain in front of Xia Xibei.

He had felt that he would become like this because of Xia Xibei.

This thought made his heart flutter and he hurriedly shook it off.

He really thought too much!

“That’s good.” Xia Xibei’s face did not look different. “Then let’s go. We have to make breakfast soon.”

It was a new day, and they had to prepare a new breakfast.

However, before they went out, someone came in.

It was the same elderly couple from last night.

They were carrying a basket with porridge, steamed buns, and marinated vegetables, which they must have gotten up early to prepare.

The three of them hurriedly stood up.

“Why have you brought food for us?”

The elderly man smiled at Xia Xibei and said something.

That meal last night wasn't enough to express the gratitude in their hearts!

After the two argued for a while, Xia Xibei looked to the director and got reluctant permission from that side.

However, the director also told the elderly couple that this was the last time, and that they couldn't send any more food after that.

If they sent food again, the show would not be able to continue.

If the show couldn't continue, Xia Xibei and the others would have to leave.

Hearing the seriousness of the consequences, the couple reluctantly left.

Looking at the sumptuous breakfast on the table, the three looked at each other, then started to eat.

While they were eating breakfast, the other two groups of guests came over and were shocked to see them eating breakfast.

“How come you guys have breakfast to eat?”

Hadn't the recording started yet?

Did the program team give them special treatment?

The director of the show was also speechless. Why would they do that?!

After the explanation, they were envious.

“I can't believe the villagers gave you breakfast! This is too nice!”

However, as envious as they were, they did not have a share of the food.

The elderly couple prepared food for only four people.

The three of them shared all of it, which was just right.

As Cheng Yingni watched them eat as if nothing had happened, she couldn't help but reveal an odd gaze.

She looked around carefully, but did not notice any change in others' expressions.

She was puzzled.

Didn't they say there would be a good show today? How come there was no problem at all?

Chapter 1116: Completing the Task

Xia Xibei didn't ignore her surroundings while she was eating.

Therefore, she quickly caught Cheng Yingni's reaction.

She also confirmed the suspicion in her mind.

The person who had made the move was connected to Cheng Yingni!

Only, what kind of grudge did they have and why did she do such a thing?

Xia Xibei mulled it over in her mind, but did not show her thoughts.

After they had their breakfast, the program team gave up and decided that the guests didn't have to compete for breakfast.

This made the other two groups happy that they could finally have a relaxing breakfast!

Thanks to Xia Xibei's group, too!

After breakfast, the group started to prepare for lunch.

This time, they needed to help the villagers and get tokens from them.

The more tokens, the better the lunch ingredients.

If they didn't perform well, there was nothing they could do.

This time, Shi Shuhang and Nie Zehai held their heads up high.

They felt that if they got help from Xia Xibei, they could win effortlessly.

The others were also very envious after knowing what happened last night.

Sure enough, following the right person was the best!

They were still suffering from the torment of the program team before, while Xia Xibei's team members just won without trying!

This time there were several tasks.

They could choose to help the villagers carry in water, plow the fields, or help feed the pigs.

Xia Xibei's team chose to plow the fields.

Cheng Yingni's group chose to carry water, while the other group chose to feed the pigs.

Although it was not planting time yet, the show always gave the guests something to do.

When Xia Xibei and her team arrived at the field, they felt the ground shake a little.

When they looked up, the ox that Xia Xibei had saved yesterday came running over excitedly.

Nie Zehai and Shi Shuhang almost backed up as they watched it rush in front of them.

This ox was so big!

If it couldn't brake, it would be the end.

However, the ox soon stopped and was very excited about Xia Xibei.

If it wasn't so big, it might have rubbed up against Xia Xibei.

It was too enthusiastic!

After that, no one could make the ox leave.

So, because of the addition of this ox, the task was quickly completed.

The ox was great at plowing, and it only took half an hour for them to finish the task!

If it wasn't for their lack of skill, they could have been even faster!

The program team was helpless.

This was an exceptional performance!

However, the program team had not forbidden anyone to get aid from animals before. After all, these pampered guests wouldn't know how to work with animals!

The ox wouldn't normally listen to them either!

So, when Xia Xibei came out strong, they were helpless.

They were going to let the guests work for two hours, but now it was all ruined!

The villagers who gave Xia Xibei's team their chips were also very generous and gave them all the chips they had, expressing their satisfaction.

Looking at the chips in their hands, the team was happy, and Nie Zehai and Shi Shuhang even hugged and cheered together.

Sure enough, with Xia Xibei, they always won!

After completing their task, they walked back proudly and met Cheng Yingni's group.

They were carrying buckets of water on their shoulders and working hard.

Xia Xibei watched as Cheng Yingni passed by with two buckets of water. Xia Xibei's expression was still as her hand moved and a small stone immediately flew to Cheng Yingni's knee.

"Oops!"

Cheng Yingni felt a pain in her knee and couldn't help but fall to the ground.

At the same time, two buckets of water fell on her.

It was so cold that her face immediately turned white.

Chapter 1117: Bad Impression

In fact, the two buckets of water that Cheng Yingni carried were not much, adding up to the weight of a single bucket. After all, she was a delicate girl, and could not afford to carry such a heavy burden.

However, the two buckets of water poured on her body brought about the same effect.

Although there was no snow here, the temperature was in the single digits.

In this case, it was terrible if your body got drenched.

Cheng Yingni shivered as if she had fallen into an ice cellar, and suddenly her face was pale.

The others also rushed over and helped her up.

“Is everything okay?”

“Quick! Go change your clothes!”

On this cold day, if she froze, it would be a problem.

Cheng Yingni had a lot of fans and they were quite active.

Although it was her own fault that she fell, the program team didn't want to see this happen.

Soon, Cheng Yingni was helped back to her room.

After changing her clothes and drinking some ginger tea, she felt a little better and the coldness in her body had faded away. However, she was still a little stiff.

Only then did she have time to think back to what had just happened.

She was obviously walking fine, and there were no rocks on the road, but then her knee seemed to have been hit by something, so she fell down.

Who did it?

At the same time, others were also suspicious.

However, what everyone suspected was not what other people had done, but what Cheng Yingni was up to.

She was just carrying water. The distance she walked wasn't far, and everyone else was fine, so why did she suddenly fall down?

After the fall, she did not have to continue working, so it was indeed a relief for her.

That was a good idea!

So, while Cheng Yingni was unaware, everyone had already characterized this matter.

The program team was also a little upset.

Why did she suddenly fall flat on the ground? What was she trying to do?!

Although some of the guests were reluctant to participate in these tasks, they still gritted their teeth and persevered. Anyway, they were only here for a few days, and it would be over soon.

Even if she wanted to find excuses to be lazy, she didn't have to play like this!

She could easily make herself sick, and the fans would have to riot again.

As people figured this out, the show's team's impression of her was greatly diminished.

On the contrary, everyone had a better impression of Xia Xibei.

She was here to win, and she easily won all the challenges.

She had something worthy of attention!

Moreover, her performance was so good that when it was broadcasted afterward, it would definitely attract attention!

The team then understood why Xia Xibei's on-air time was always quite long.

Before, they thought there might be something wrong with it, but now, they all understood that it was because of her strength!

Her performance was so wonderful, and there wasn't much worth watching with the other guests, so why not give her a little more footage?

Just her catching and baking fish was enough for one episode!

After that, the process of treating the ox could also be edited into a great segment.

Xia Xibei, who was admired by the team and other guests, was very low-key and modest.

Sometimes, it was good to be high-profile and arrogant, but it was also good to keep a low profile as needed.

Another day passed, and at night, Xia Xibei did not go out again.

She was lying quietly in bed and breathing calmly, as if she had fallen asleep.

After half an hour, after everyone had fallen asleep, there was finally a movement in the room.

Her breathing remained the same, and the man came in.

The man approached carefully, confused.

He didn't seem to hear Xia Xibei's breathing last night...

Chapter 1118: An Eye for an Eye

The person who came was a man in black. He moved carefully with a slightly confused expression.

Last night, after he arrived here and set up the drugs, he left straight away because he still had to rush to Shi Shuhang's room.

Due to coming and going in a hurry, he didn't make sure if Xia Xibei was in bed.

Now that he thought about it, it seemed like there was no one on the bed at that time!

However, when he got up the next day, Xia Xibei was indeed in the room!

There was a lot of confusion in the man's mind.

He obviously did a good job last night, so how come there was no movement this morning?

Originally, Xia Xibei should have been lying in the same bed with Shi Shuhang, and then be discovered by others.

At that time, their "love affair" would be exposed and they could only suffer the consequences.

However, Shi Shuhang woke up in his own bed today, and Xia Xibei was also fine.

This really confused the man.

What went wrong?

However, no matter what, tonight must be a success!

Absolutely no more failures!

He walked over to the bed and finally determined that Xia Xibei was indeed in bed last night, only that her breathing was too weak, so he accidentally overlooked it.

Since the person was in the room, it would be easy to take care of.

He once again took out the incense from before and lit it.

After doing everything, he went out of the window again.

He did not know that just as he left, there was an additional ghost-like figure behind him.

Obviously, the two of them were just a few meters apart, but he couldn't sense Xia Xibei.

Moreover, he was not so vigilant that he knew that there was a person behind him who shouldn't be there.

Xia Xibei followed the man and saw him enter a room from the other side.

That room was Nie Zehai's.

After a while, he came out of Nie Zehai's room too.

Looking at the man in black leaving, Xia Xibei entered Nie Zehai's room with a cold gaze.

Inside the room, Nie Zehai was sleeping.

It was so cold, and outside the comforter was another world.

He didn't even know that someone had come into his room and that there were two visitors.

Xia Xibei walked over and found a bit of incense next to his bed.

It smelled the same thing as what was on Shi Shuhang yesterday.

However, the incense had just been lit and Nie Zehai hadn't inhaled it yet.

Xia Xibei took the incense and went out the window again.

Cheng Yingni's house was a little distance away from them, but it was nighttime and there were no streetlights, so no one noticed her.

Soon, Xia Xibei arrived at Cheng Yingni's house.

Cheng Yingni's room was relatively remote and quiet, so no one would disturb her here.

Xia Xibei went inside and lit the incense.

Then, she went to the other end of the house.

That was the last place where the man in black had disappeared.

She went in silently, and the man in black was already lying on the bed.

In the darkness, she looked down at the face and curved the corners of her mouth.

This young man was Cheng Yingni's assistant, and he was a little handsome.

Although with this man's strength, there was no way he was just a mere assistant, but what did it matter?

Xia Xibei re-lit the incense that the man had placed in her room and tapped a few more acupuncture points on his body to make sure he was unconscious before leaving.

After this was done, she did not sleep but began to cultivate.

The next morning, when she woke up, there was already a commotion outside.

Listening to the discussion outside, she smiled.

Chapter 1119: Great Gossip

It was around seven o'clock in the morning and time to start the next task. However, there was a situation outside.

From outside came the sound of everyone's chatter, with a little hidden excitement.

When Xia Xibei left her room, Shi Shuhang came over with a gossipy expression.

"Do you know what's going on?"

"What?" Xia Xibei asked with appropriate interest.

"It's crazy!"

Shi Shuhang really wished he could gossip with her for three days and nights.

The corners of Xia Xibei's mouth twitched.

The more time she spent with Shi Shuhang, the clearer his true nature became.

This kid was a big gossip!

Xia Xibei was speechless! Why did she feel like she was surrounded by these kinds of people?!

They said that people were divided by groups, so how come there were always such gossipy people around her?

Could it be that she was also a gossiper?

Oh no! No way!

Even if she was, she was the one who made gossip material for others! She was the woman at the top of the food chain!

Shi Shuhang, who did not know Xia Xibei's wandering thoughts, cupped his hands and whispered into her ear, "Something big has happened!"

"Something big? What is it?"

"Over there! Ah- A love affair is exposed!"

Shi Shuhang's eyes seemed to light up.

People were usually curious.

Moreover, this curiosity also depended on the importance of the matter.

This time it was no small matter, which was why Shi Shuhang was so excited.

"Whose love affair?"

Xia Xibei looked innocently bewildered.

"Cheng Yingni!" Shi Shuhang tsked. "Do you know who her boyfriend is?"

“Who?”

“Just guess.”

“I’m not guessing.”

“It’s her assistant!” Shi Shuhang didn’t withhold information as he said with an excited face, “It’s the assistant who came with her!”

This time, to record the show, some artists brought their assistants, and some did not.

Xia Xibei was the one without an assistant.

She was used to being self-sufficient and could handle many things on her own.

Three days of recording would pass quickly, and this show was rather challenging. One had to be self-reliant, so there was no point in finding an assistant to come over.

However, Cheng Yingni and the other female artists both brought assistants to help them take care of some things.

The other female artist’s assistant was also female.

“So, that assistant is her boyfriend!” Shi Shuhang’s eyes glowed. “I was wondering why she brought a male assistant over! So that was why! She couldn’t be apart from him!”

Xia Xibei looked at his gossipy expression, and the corners of her mouth twitched a little. She could not help but suggest, “How about you become a gossip blogger instead of a celebrity?”

With their celebrity status, they knew many people’s gossip. If he broke some of the news, it would be absolutely eye-catching.

There was no middleman to earn the difference too!

Unexpectedly, Shi Shuhang really nodded his head with resignation, “I actually really want to start an account as a gossip blogger to break the news. But my dad won’t let me.”

Xia Xibei was incredulous at him. He really had this idea?!

If his fans knew he was so gossipy, she wondered if they would be disillusioned?

Who could stand it when their dream man was so gossipy?!

Meanwhile, things were starting to develop outside.

This morning, the show was ready to start recording, so the artists had to get up.

Cheng Yingni did not show up, so people knocked on her door but did not hear anything, they opened the door but no one was inside.

After a long search, they found her in her assistant’s bed.

So, the situation started to ferment.

Chapter 1120: Caught in the Act

In the room, Cheng Yingni froze and her body chilled.

She didn't know why she ended up in her assistant's bed when she was clearly lying properly in her own bed!

Although the two of them were fully clothed and nothing substantial had happened, it didn't make much of a difference.

Were they just talking in the same bed?!

In everyone's opinion, the two of them were together.

Moreover, she brought her boyfriend here to record the show with her in order to be with him.

Who wouldn't know about their "love" after today?

The assistant at her side was first confused, then horrified.

Both of them had ugly expressions.

The director also rushed over and shooed the onlookers away.

"Get back to work! Don't talk nonsense!"

After shooing the onlookers away, the director looked at Cheng Yingni, his face not too pleasant.

"Yingni, this personal matter can be left for a more private time. For now, let's just record the show first. Okay?"

The director also cursed in his heart.

If Cheng Yingni wanted to play house with her boyfriend, she should have gone home!

With the door closed, who knew what they did?

However, they came here to show their love! That was not appropriate, right?

The village environment was so harsh, and the two of them were still in the mood? It was incredible.

Cheng Yingni said in a previous interview that she was single and that she would not date until she was 25-years-old.

Her fans were happy for her.

Who would have thought that after only a few days, she would have proved herself a liar?!

"Director, I am not..."

Cheng Yingni wanted to explain.

They weren't boyfriend and girlfriend at all! She also didn't know when she came to this bed.

What was even scarier was that they were both sleeping so deeply that they had no idea what was happening outside!

If it weren't for that, they wouldn't have been caught in bed.

"Okay, I understand," the director interrupted her, squeezing out a smile. "Anyway, just record the show properly now. Let's talk about the rest later.

"You go wash up first, we have to start recording or we'll be late."

After saying that, he headed out.

Looking at the director's departing back, Cheng Yingni felt her body losing strength, sitting down on the bed with a disheveled look.

The assistant next to her had a similar expression.

Unlike Cheng Yingni's despair, he felt more of a chill down his back.

It was clear that he had done the job well yesterday.

When he got up today, it was supposed to be Xia Xibei and Nie Zehai who were caught in the act.

When these two were caught in bed, it would be hard to hide it.

It would be even better if it was discovered that she and Shi Shuhang were also having an affair!

In that case, his purpose would have been achieved.

Who could tell him why it was he and Cheng Yingni who were caught in the end?

He felt as if there was a big unseen hand behind him that was changing their trajectory, and it sent chills down his spine.

The room was dead silent.

A while later, Cheng Yingni woke up as if from a dream and pointed at the assistant, cursing, "Whose side are you on? !Who told you to do this?!"

The assistant was very innocent, "I didn't..."

"You son of a bitch! You are ruining me!"

Although there were no reporters here, there were so many people around.

Could this news be kept private?

When it got out, she would definitely be affected.

Thinking of this, she was chilled and didn't care about her assistant. She simply rushed back to her room.

She hurriedly found her cell phone and dialed a number.