

## Chapter 1121: I Don't Agree

After he said that, Lu Xingzhi looked at Jiang Yao. "Is Cheng Jinyan married? Where did his son come from? An illegitimate child? A little b\*stard?"

After a pause, Lu Xingzhi continued to say, "He can't be Sun Xiaoshan and Cheng Jinyan's illegitimate child, right?"

"Impossible."

Gu Haoyu shook his head. "Even though the Sun family isn't wealthy, they're still a scholarly family. Their daughter wouldn't be able to do such a thing. Furthermore, Sun Xiaoshan has never been in good health, so she doesn't have the conditions to have a child."

Lu Xingzhi only used those words casually. He knew Sun Xiaoshan's situation better than anyone else. The Sun family's information was still hidden in the corner of his office. He was afraid that Jiang Yao would see it, so he did not bring it home.

Gu Haoyu and Luo Ruoran looked at each other tacitly and did not say anything. They had thought it was lucky that Lu Xingzhi had not been there when they saw the boy earlier that day. They did not expect their fears would come true.

They had left the hospital, but Lu Xingzhi still bumped into those two people in the restaurant.

They did not know how to comfort Lu Xingzhi when they saw the way he exploded.

When he saw Jiang Yao lowering her head to take a sip of water, Lu Xingzhi said, "Wife, our future son will definitely look better than that child!"

Jiang Yao was so shocked by Lu Xingzhi's words that the tea almost choked her. She coughed twice and glared at Lu Xingzhi. She gritted her teeth and cursed at him. "How old are you? You're almost 30 years old, not three years old! Tell me about Cheng Jinyan's investigation into me."

Jiang Yao guessed that Cheng Jinyan had paid attention to her, but she did not expect him to investigate her.

"Du Chen only gave me the news this afternoon. He said that someone paid a lot of money to investigate the Divine Doctor, but his people rejected it. Then, that person changed the target of the investigation to you," Lu Xingzhi said. "At first, he wanted to investigate the Divine Doctor, and then he wanted to investigate you. He probably found out that you're the Divine Doctor's student, so Cheng Jinyan probably investigated you to get information about the Divine Doctor. He wanted to find him that way."

Lu Xingzhi knew that Cheng Jinyan only wanted to look for the Divine Doctor, so he did not plan to take it to heart, nor did he plan to deal with Cheng Jinyan. However, he was unhappy about the recent incident. It was Cheng Jinyan's fault for bringing a child who looked so much like his wife to argue with him.

"It seems that he has a relative who is seriously ill," Jiang Yao said.

"I don't agree with that!"

Lu Xingzhi said, "Remember your identity. You are not a quack doctor who can treat anyone. You are my wife and also the Divine Doctor's student. You need to behave as such."

Gu Haoyu and Luo Ruoran quietly listened to Lu Xingzhi as he tried to stop Jiang Yao and Cheng Jinyan from contacting each other. However, it was the child's appearance that made Lu Xingzhi extremely unhappy.

Well, that was human nature.

Lu Xingzhi's possessiveness toward Jiang Yao had caused them trouble. He wished that Jiang Yao's mind was on him. He hoped that Jiang Yao's time belonged only to him, and he wished that Jiang Yao could only live in his world.

Therefore, when he saw someone who looked so much like Jiang Yao and almost exactly like the child he had imagined, he could not think of any positive thoughts. He was angry and unwilling.

He felt as if someone had taken his things and the things that belonged to his future child, even if they only looked alike.

### **Chapter 1122: Change It To Stamina**

It would have been fine if the boy had only looked like Jiang Yao, but there were still about 20 to 30 percent of him that looked like the other man.

"Alright."

Jiang Yao nodded. Lu Xingzhi was in a rage. Even though it had nothing to do with her, she still had to go along with his words. He was like an angry tiger, so she had to soothe his fur.

After dinner, Luo Ruoran and Gu Haoyu returned to Jindo City, while Lu Xingzhi brought Jiang Yao back to the army.

Even though Lu Xingzhi was unhappy whenever he thought of the little boy's face, he was in a good mood on the way home because Jiang Yao had promised him that she would not interfere with Cheng Jinyan's matters.

However, after he saw the little boy, he changed his mind about a daughter; he wanted a son urgently. He pestered her the entire night; he wished she could give him a son the next day so that he could show off that child to Cheng Jinyan.

Jiang Yao waited for Lu Xingzhi to have his fill before she cursed inwardly for being a beast. Then she took a shower and rested in his arms. She waited for Lu Xingzhi to fall asleep before she entered the system space.

"Master, a warm reminder. Overindulgence is harmful to the body." The system admin reminded Jiang Yao when he saw her. He looked as if he had done something shameful.

Jiang Yao pretended not to hear him and said, "I'm going to make the medicine."

"Master, there is a medicine that can quickly relieve overindulgence in sex. Are you going to make that medicine?" the system admin asked with a thoughtful look.

So there was a medicine in the medical system that Lu Xingzhi had asked for a few times?

Jiang Yao pretended to be deaf and dumb as she entered the lab to prevent the system admin from disturbing her work. However, after she completed the medicine for the baby, she pulled out the drug that the system admin had mentioned and gave it a cursory check.

After she took a closer look, she realized the drug was fairly simple to prepare. It simply needed a few herbs to refine it. Jiang Yao decided to create the medicine after she thought about her pitiful waist. Then she applied the drug on herself before she left the lab.

The medicine in the system was very different from ordinary drugs. Jiang Yao felt so much better in just a short while.

“System Admin, has my favorability value increased?” Jiang Yao asked expectantly. “I’ve done a lot of good things recently.”

“Master, it has increased a lot recently. You can change it to a value. Do you want to change it now?” The system admin nodded with a gratified expression. Since her favorability value had increased, it meant that she had been doing good deeds.

“Change it.”

Jiang Yao did not even think about it. “Change it to stamina!”

She did not believe that the day would come when she would be able to push Lu Xingzhi beneath her and make him cry and beg for mercy!

It was never too late for a girl to take revenge!

Jiang Yao could not wait for that day to arrive!

It was already noon when Jiang Yao exited the system space. Even Lu Xingzhi had already gone to the kitchen to cook.

When he returned, he saw that Jiang Yao was still not awake. He thought about how he had indulged himself the previous night, so he did not have the heart to wake her up. He thought he would wake her after he was done with his cooking so that she could sleep a little longer.

Lu Xingzhi walked out of the kitchen with a spatula in his hand after he heard footsteps in the living room. He was dressed in a green military uniform with a small floral apron over his chest. Jiang Yao had purchased that apron when she went to the market. She even bought the largest one. She bought it in bad taste; she wanted to watch Lu Xingzhi put it on and cook for her.

### **Chapter 1123: Madam Chai Is Dead**

“You’re awake?” Lu Xingzhi held a spatula in one hand and stroked Jiang Yao’s hair with the other. His face was full of tenderness. “Go brush your teeth and wash your face before you eat. After lunch, we’ll go to Jin City in the afternoon to buy some things. It’s New Year soon.”

Jiang Yao felt energized. She nodded and asked, "Are you going to invite your comrades to the New Year's Eve dinner? Zhou Junmin and the others haven't settled down yet, and they don't have any vacation days to visit their families. You can invite them to join in the fun."

Jiang Yao scratched her head. "It's a pity that I don't know how to cook and can't help you."

"No need." Lu Xingzhi pushed Jiang Yao to the bathroom door. "It's just the two of us spending the New Year together this year. That's enough."

That was the first time he and Jiang Yao spent the New Year together. He did not want anyone else, and he did not like the fun either. As long as Jiang Yao was with him, it was enough.

Jiang Yao went to wash up, and Lu Xingzhi went back to the kitchen to cook. When Jiang Yao finished washing her face and came out, she heard Lu Xingzhi's phone ring. Lu Xingzhi was cooking in the kitchen, so he did not hear it. She took the phone and looked at it before she went to the kitchen.

"Your phone is ringing. It's a call from Yuan City." Jiang Yao handed it to Lu Xingzhi. As she looked at the oil in his hand, she asked, "Do you want to pick it up?"

"Pick it up and put it next to my ear." Lu Xingzhi nodded. When he realized that Jiang Yao was tiptoeing, he chuckled softly and bent downward. There was a hint of ridicule in his smile.

Jiang Yao pretended not to hear his laughter, but she still glanced at him and reached out to press his head down a little. Only then did she put the phone next to his ear.

The two of them were close, so Jiang Yao could hear everything the person on the phone said to Lu Xingzhi.

Jiang Yao did not know who the person on the phone was, but she could understand their conversation.

Yuan City's Madam Chai had been seriously injured by her cellmate in prison and was sent to the hospital. After that, she died without any chance of resuscitation.

The woman who used to be able to control everything in Yuan City had died in prison.

Lu Xingzhi talked on the phone for more than three minutes before telling Jiang Yao to take the phone. Then, with a natural expression, he continued to pour the dishes out of the pot.

Lu Xingzhi was calm. His mood did not fluctuate because of the phone call, but Jiang Yao was terrified when she heard it.

"That should be considered as killing the mother and protecting the child, right?" Jiang Yao poked Lu Xingzhi's arm.

The man told Lu Xingzhi that Madam Chai had been beaten to death by her prison mates with farm tools during an argument, but that was only on the surface.

In reality, Madam Chai was murdered.

The man told Lu Xingzhi that he had investigated the person who beat Madam Chai. He learned that the woman was sent to prison because she had done many illegal things in the underworld. She had been sentenced to life imprisonment. That woman had a son outside and had been living in poverty.

However, that son had recently received a large sum of money and had been eating and drinking everywhere. He had also found out that the son had opened an account at a bank with hundreds of thousands of dollars in it.

Before Madam Chai was beaten to death, one person had visited the woman in prison. It was a woman. She had sent the woman some food, a few books and said a few words to her.

That person went for a few days in a row. Two days before that incident, she did not visit again. When he investigated the woman who visited the person who did the deed, he learned that she had used fake information.

That person was nowhere to be found, nor was there any trace of her.

### **Chapter 1124: New Year's Eve**

Madam Chai had already been sentenced to death, but that person was still so anxious to take her life. How could one not be afraid?

Furthermore, Madam Chai was the one who had children with that person. Even though they were not husband and wife, they had lived together for such a long time.

That person could make a move just like that.

Lu Xingzhi filled a bowl of rice for Jiang Yao and said, "If his son threatens his future and life, maybe he will even send his son to hell."

"It's too scary." That cold-blooded person was even more terrifying and pathetic than Old Master Chen, who would always put his family first.

"He was afraid that Madam Chai would ruin him and his son. His son was sent out of the country the day after Madam Chai's accident," Lu Xingzhi said.

"What about you?" Jiang Yao paused and then asked, "What are you going to do?"

Lu Xingzhi shook his head and then urged Jiang Yao to eat. "Don't put other people's affairs in your heart and make it difficult for yourself."

Judging from Lu Xingzhi's attitude, Jiang Yao could not tell if Lu Xingzhi would listen to the story or if it were fake.

Even if it were fake, Lu Xingzhi would never tell her, so it was useless for her to ask about it.

Lu Xingzhi did not want her to see his overly rough and bloody side, so Jiang Yao tactfully did not press him.

Lu Xingzhi wanted to accompany Jiang Yao to Jin City, so he took a half-day off. He would be the mobile porter in case Jiang Yao bought a lot of things.

She did not buy much because Lu Xingzhi would be transferred to another unit soon, but he ate a lot.

Jiang Yao had thought that she had managed to reject Lu Xingzhi's request for her to go on stage. She did not expect Lu Xingzhi to trick her like that. No matter how much she refused, the two female soldiers from the Arts and Crafts Regiment still found her in the end. She could not even push them away. Fortunately, Mrs. Lin and Mrs. Yang were also on stage with the choir, so there was still someone to accompany her when she was sad.

Jiang Yao only rehearsed for two and a half days, but she cursed Lu Xingzhi in her heart. In the blink of an eye, it was already New Year's Eve. The military did not allow firecrackers. Even though there were no fireworks, it did not mean that there was no New Year. It was early in the morning, and everyone was in a festive mood in the family building. Every household was changing couplets and hanging more lanterns.

During the day, Lu Xingzhi's job was to help others write couplets at home. Jiang Yao was to receive their guests. However, when she chatted with the visitors, most of her attention was still on Lu Xingzhi. She looked at how he lowered his head to write the couplets and the majestic manner in which he waved his pen and ink; Jiang Yao felt a little excited.

Her man looked so handsome when he wrote the couplets!

Lu Xingzhi was the one who took care of the dinner on New Year's Eve. Jiang Yao only ordered the dishes and then commanded at the side. If it were any other person with a bad temper, they would have been angry. However, Lu Xingzhi continued to smile; he did not feel annoyed or scared at all.

His fifth brother was right; Lu Xingzhi had spent all his patience and tolerance on Jiang Yao.

After Jiang Yao had spent enough time in the kitchen, she hopped out of the kitchen. As she waited for the meal to be ready, she called her roommates to wish them a Happy New Year. Even Zhou Xiaoxia, who was in Yuan City, had called her.

That New Year was especially interesting for Jiang Yao, but it was a dull one for the Zhou family. The Zhou family had one less person at their New Year's Eve dinner compared to last year.

When she received the call from Jiang Yao, Zhou Xiaoxia was staring at the empty seat in the house. Her mood lifted when she got the call. "I had planned to call you at midnight to wish you a Happy New Year. I did not expect you to call me so early. Happy New Year, Jiang Yao."

That blessing contained countless sincerity and gratitude for Jiang Yao.

Jiang Yao did not try to persuade Zhou Xiaoxia to return to Nanjiang City. However, when she thought about her studies, she slapped her head in frustration. "Oh, right! Xiaoxia, if you don't want to leave Yuan City, you shouldn't give up on your studies either!"

Chapter 1125: To Give Birth Or Not?

"Even though there are no medical universities in Yuan City, there are medical schools there! You can transfer to the medical school and study there. After you graduate, you can still be a nurse! If you are willing to go to Jindo City, then you can attend lectures at Jindo City Medical University!"

Before Zhou Xiaoxia could say anything, Jiang Yao said, "Don't worry about the transfer. If you are willing to go, I can help you settle it!"

Yuan City was basically under Lu Xingzhi's control. A school transfer was not a big deal.

However, a transfer to Jindo City Medical University might need the help of Lu Xingzhi's brothers. Jiang Yao was willing to do that for Zhou Xiaoxia better.

When she heard Jiang Yao's words, Zhou Xiaoxia was surprised. It was not that she had not thought of going to Yuan City's medical school, but her family had no connections there. It was almost impossible for her to transfer there.

As for Jindo City Medical University, Zhou Xiaoxia did not even consider it. She did not get into medical school, so it was useless to rely on Jiang Yao.

"I want to go to the medical school in Yuan City. Jiang Yao, thank you," Zhou Xiaoxia replied without much consideration. She knew that it would be more promising for her to go to medical school to continue her studies and look for a job after graduation than to look for a job then.

"Okay, then I'll help you with that." Jiang Yao chatted with Zhou Xiaoxia for a while. After she hung up the phone, she ran back to the kitchen and looked at Lu Xingzhi, who was still making dumplings. She called out to him and said, "I need your help with something."

"Tell me." Lu Xingzhi took a dumpling and waved at Jiang Yao. When she walked forward, he handed the vegetable dumpling to Jiang Yao. "Try it."

Jiang Yao opened her mouth and took a bite from his hand. Before she could taste anything, she heard Lu Xingzhi ask her, "Is it raw?"

Jiang Yao replied, "Yes, it's raw. It's not cooked yet. Cook it again."

After she said that, she saw Lu Xingzhi stood still and looked at her with a burning gaze. She looked back at Lu Xingzhi in confusion and pushed him. "Put it back and cook it for a while more."

Then Lu Xingzhi moved. He threw the dumplings that Jiang Yao had bitten back into the pot. However, the smile on his face grew deeper. He said in a low voice, "Yes, give birth to a son, or even a daughter."

Jiang Yao was dumbfounded as if she had been struck by lightning. That guy had many tricks up his sleeve; what else could she do?

He asked if she wanted to give birth; was he waiting for her reply?

"What did you say just now?" Lu Xingzhi turned around and kissed Jiang Yao on the cheek before he asked that question.

"Help me get Zhou Xiaoxia to the medical school in Yuan City. I believe you can do it." Jiang Yao giggled and kissed Lu Xingzhi as she tiptoed toward him. When he nodded with a slight smile, she left the kitchen happily.

He was not unhappy with her request. His indulgence in her made her feel indescribably moved.

The army's party was scheduled for the third night of the New Year, and the Lu and Jiang families had specially set off for Jin City one day earlier to join the party and watch the military Arts and Crafts

Regiment's performance. Of course, the Lu and Jiang families looked forward to Jiang Yao's performance on stage.

After the Lu and Jiang families arrived at the Tianjin Airport, the army sent men and cars to pick them up. Jiang Yao stood at the barrack's entrance and waited. She was shivering because it was too cold.

### **Chapter 1126: Annual Family Visit**

She could feel her parents' anticipation before she went home. She watched as the military car slowly returned to her line of sight. She watched as Jiang Lei stuck half his head out of the car and waved at her.

"Dad, Mom!" Jiang Yao jumped and waved at Jiang Lei like a three-year-old child. "Jiang Lei!"

The car stopped in the open space. Jiang Lei was the first to jump out of the car and ran all the way to Jiang Yao. Then, he stood in front of Jiang Yao and raised his hand to pat the ball on Jiang Yao's hat; he smiled and said, "You changed into a new hat and scarf? Last time, it was pink. This time, it's so red. They all look good! My sister will look good in anything!"

"Xingzhi bought them." Jiang Yao did not know where Lu Xingzhi got those things. Anyway, he brought them home on New Year's Eve; he said he bought them for her for the New Year. Red was a festive color.

Other people's wives wore red cotton-padded jackets during the New Year, but Jiang Yao wore a red hat, scarf, and gloves. Compared to the pink one, Jiang Yao liked the red one better, so she gladly accepted it. She wore it on the first day of the New Year.

"Ah, so that's how the barracks look like." After she got out of the car, Mrs. Jiang walked beside Mr. and Mrs. Lu. Then, she turned around and said to Mr. Jiang, "The snow here is beautiful. It's not like the south. Even if it snows, it's only white on the mountain top. We can't see such a beautiful snowy scene in our village."

It had started snowing in Tianjin a few days ago, and it was getting heavier in the past few days. One could say it was as white as snow. Therefore, the southerners were shocked by the snowy scenes in Tianjin.

When Jiang Yao went to Tianjin during the winter vacation, she hoped it would be a snowy day. However, when it snowed, Lu Xingzhi stopped her from going out. He was afraid that it would be too cold for her.

Of course, he was terrified that the child in her stomach would get cold.

However, there was no child in her stomach yet. Lu Xingzhi thought that his child might come at any time, so he had to keep an eye on her at all times.

Lu Xingzhi and Jiang Yao were the only two people in the tiny house. So, the couple thought that their home was very spacious. However, when the Lu and Jiang families came, the house became very crowded.

When Lu Xiaoxiao entered the house, she hated the things in it. One moment, she despised the simple furniture, and the next moment, she disliked the tiny house. Then, she turned around and prompted



Jiang Yao. "If he asks you to live in the army again, don't foolishly agree to live in a place like this next time."

"You silly girl." Second Uncle Lu raised his hand and patted Lu Xiaoxiao's head. "If you think like that, I'm afraid that Father will have to support you for the rest of your life. Most likely, you won't be able to get married."

"You'll probably get a refund even if you get married," Jiang Lei added from the side.

Lu Xiaoxiao glared and snorted. Since there were elders around, she did not quarrel with Jiang Lei. She would compromise for the sake of her sister-in-law's family.

Even though it was the New Year, Lu Xingzhi was still relatively busy and needed to be on duty. Therefore, Jiang Yao spent the entire afternoon bringing her family around the barracks. Mrs. Lin and Mrs. Yang called her away to the final rehearsal before dinner, and the guests from the two families were transferred to Zhou Junmin's hands.

Jiang Yao followed Mrs. Lin into the auditorium and saw a group of female soldiers from the Arts and Craft Regiment who were almost ready. All of them were giggling and laughing. When they saw another person enter, they greeted them.

Jiang Yao did not know how to put on her makeup, but she had to put some on if she wanted to go on stage. She resigned herself to her fate and allowed a few female soldiers to help her with that.

#### Chapter 1127: Get On Stage

It was already time for dinner after Lu Xingzhi finished his work. He dashed over to the cafeteria after learning that Zhou Junmin had brought his family there. When he noticed a large table full of people, he looked around and asked Lu Xiaoxiao, "Where is your sister-in-law?"

"Isn't Sister-in-law going on stage tonight? She was called to go put on makeup," Lu Xiaoxiao responded.

Lu Xingzhi arched his brow. Only then did he realize his wife had been asked to perform on stage. Jiang Yao had chastised him several times for that.

He had been busy all day, so much so that his head was spinning. He had forgotten Jiang Yao was performing on stage.

Jiang Yao would not eat with them that night because the actors would have their food at the auditorium.

He sat beside Lu Xiaoxiao, Lu Xingzhi took out his phone and dialed Jiang Yao's number, but no one answered. She must have been agitated at the prospect of going on stage, so she did not answer his call.

"Did your sister-in-law complain to you today?" Lu Xingzhi asked, holding the phone in his hand. "Yes!" Lu Xiaoxiao nodded repeatedly. "Sister-in-law said you always control her and not let her play in the snow! Oh, she also said you lied to her and insisted on making her, a tone-deaf person, be embarrassed on stage!" Lu Xingzhi touched the tip of his nose and then looked at Lu Yuqing. "Sister, did you bring the camera?"

“Do I dare to forget what you specifically reminded me to do?” Before they left, Lu Yuqing received a call from Lu Xingzhi, reminding her to buy some films and bring the camera with them.

Lu Xingzhi nodded and checked his phone again. He lowered his head and ate the food in his bowl as the gala performance started. “I will go and get the camera. Then, I’ll go see Yaoyao, Mom, Dad, and Second Uncle. You guys eat. Then, I will ask Zhou Junmin to take you to the auditorium,” Lu Xingzhi said.

Lu Xingzhi rushed home, grabbed his camera, and then dashed back to the auditorium. Many people had already arrived at the hall early that morning. After he asked the other performers, Lu Xingzhi went backstage and found Jiang Yao and her group.

It was not that Jiang Yao did not answer the phone when Lu Xingzhi called her. She was not that mad; she did not want to get a call and get angry again. She simply did not hear the phone ring.

There were a lot of people backstage. It was very noisy because everyone was chatting and waiting for the show to begin.

Jiang Yao was assisting members of the Arts and Crafts Regiment in putting on makeup for the children about to perform on stage. As they looked at the children applying blusher and lipstick, she and Mrs. Lin almost burst out laughing.

When Lu Xingzhi discovered Jiang Yao, he noticed that his wife was smiling so brightly that she resembled a flower. He was not in a rush to get in there. Instead, he stood at the door for a few minutes, checking to see if Jiang Yao was in a good mood before he walked in with the camera.

“Yaoyao,” Lu Xingzhi repeatedly said before Jiang Yao heard him. Mrs. Lin was the one who first noticed Lu Xingzhi; she nudged Jiang Yao and gave her a hint before Jiang Yao realized that. She smiled at Lu Xingzhi and said, “Ah.” She only gave him a cursory response before she lowered her head and continued to apply makeup to the child.

### **Chapter 1128: Many People Were Investigating**

Jiang Yao’s speed with makeup was exceptionally fast. It was clear that she was already getting the hang of it.

Lu Xingzhi, who was standing behind her, asked, “Why are you here so early?”

“It’s not early. It’ll start in half an hour.” After a pause, Lu Xingzhi asked, “Where’s your phone? I called you just now. Did you not hear it?”

“The phone is in my jacket pocket. It’s hanging over there now. There’s a heater backstage. It’s very hot to wear a jacket. Did you call me? I did not hear it. What’s the matter?” Jiang Yao waited until the child in her hand was done with her makeup before she straightened her back. She looked at the camera in Lu Xingzhi’s hand, then at Lu Xingzhi without saying anything.

Lu Xingzhi had asked Lu Yuqing to bring the camera. After Lu Xingzhi had called Lu Yuqing, she had told her about it. Anyway, that guy seemed to be deliberately waiting for her to make a fool of herself so that he could take a picture of her.

“It’s okay. You do your thing. I’ll wait outside.” Lu Xingzhi shook his head. His gaze swept across Jiang Yao’s face for a few seconds, then he smiled and left.

It was good; Jiang Yao was not angry. It was as if she was still enjoying herself backstage. In that case, he would not have to worry about her ignoring him when they go home that night.

Lu Xingzhi was very satisfied with that. Therefore, he could still lower his head and text as he sat in the chair in front of the stage.

Lu Xingzhi wanted to contact Zhou Weiqi. The Jiang and Lu families would only stay in the barracks for the night. After breakfast the next morning, Jiang Yao would bring them to Jindo City. He needed Zhou Weiqi to accompany them, and he also called Big Ke and Ah Lu. They were also in Jindo City. When Jiang Yao and the others arrived, Big Ke and Ah Lu would protect them secretly.

Zhou Weiqi's New Year was spent with the Liang family. On the second day of the New Year, he shamelessly went to the Zhan family to celebrate with them. There were not many people in Jindo City who did not know about Zhou Weiqi's matter. Zhan Qiuhe's parents were very soft-hearted. Once Zhou Weiqi arrived, they treated him with good food and drinks. Zhou Weiqi was so happy that he did not even want to leave.

Halfway through his text message, Du Chen suddenly called his cell phone.

Of course, Du Chen's call was not to wish him a Happy New Year. Instead, he gave Lu Xingzhi a long list of names. It was related to Jiang Yao.

"Currently, no one else knows that Young Madam Lu is the Divine Doctor, but many people know she is the Divine Doctor's student. Many people in Nanjiang city are looking into the Divine Doctor's student, and some people in the vicinity of Yuan City are also doing the same. There are also people looking into Province A, Jindo City, and Jin City. Many people don't know that the Divine Doctor's student is Young Madam Lu, so to prevent more people from focusing their attention on her, she needs to keep a low profile as much as possible during that period."

Those were all messages that Du Chen had sent. He remembered Jiang Yao's kindness toward him, so he would spare no effort to help her.

"I got it." Lu Xingzhi thanked him before he hung up the phone.

Back then, Jiang Yao only did what she wanted to do. He did not expect Du Chen to owe Jiang Yao a favor. However, Du Chen had helped her a lot, so Lu Xingzhi thanked him willingly.

After he ended the call with Du Chen, Lu Xingzhi sent Zhou Weiqi a text message. He asked him to get someone to inspect all the places Jiang Yao was to go the next day. He needed to ensure that Jiang Yao and his family would not be harmed.

### **Chapter 1129: Performance As A Memento**

If it were not for the fact that he was stuck in the army, he would want to accompany them personally.

At seven o'clock sharp, the banquet in the auditorium officially began.

The choir performance that Jiang Yao participated in was eighth in the program. It was not very early, nor was it very late. It could be considered as a bit of luck.

When Jiang Yao first went on stage as a representative of the freshmen, she was not that nervous. She was not the lead singer for that choir performance, but she was so nervous that her palms were sweaty.

At that moment, she really wanted to take Lu Xingzhi outside and beat him up.

Jiang Yao was nervous while she was backstage, but Lu Xingzhi was the exact opposite. He was looking forward to it.

After the host announced Jiang Yao's performance, Lu Xingzhi immediately ran to the first row with his camera. He looked at the Chief, then casually stood in front of the Chief with the camera in his hand. He turned around and said, "I'm just going to take two photos and sit back down. I won't keep you from watching the show, Chief."

The Chief was dumbfounded.

The man sat there and observed Lu Xingzhi's body until the end of the show. When Lu Xingzhi was about to leave with the camera in his arms and a smile on his face, the Chief said, "You took quite a long time to take two photos. You must have made your wife look like a fairy, right?"

"That is a choir. Just listen to it with your ears. After all, your wife is not on stage, Chief," Lu Xingzhi replied firmly. "My wife is a celestial immortal."

After he finished speaking, he carried his precious camera and strode away from the stage. As soon as he left, the Chief laughed. "So he's the only one in the world whose wife is a celestial immortal!"

Commissar Wang chuckled. The Chief's leniency toward Lu Xingzhi could be said to be indulgent. However, if it were anyone else in front of the Chief, they would not have done such a thing.

The man had blocked the Chief's line of sight for the entire program duration just to take a few photos of his wife on stage. He even boasted shamelessly that the Chief could listen to the choir with his ears.

Others might not know how Jiang Yao was arranged to go on stage, but Commissar Wang knew very well that Lu Xingzhi had acted selfishly. He just wanted to see his wife's appearance on stage. To achieve that goal, Lu Xingzhi had used many methods.

Jiang Yao had just changed her clothes when she left backstage. Then she saw Lu Xingzhi at the entrance; he was waiting for her. Many people were still changing their clothes, so Lu Xingzhi did not go in to wait for her.

"Are you hungry?" That was the first sentence Lu Xingzhi said when he saw Jiang Yao leaving the stage. He did not praise her for singing well, nor did he compliment her makeup and clothes. Instead, he asked her if she was hungry.

That man was too practical. He only cared about her food and clothing.

However, he was also the one who got her onto the stage. Fortunately, Jiang Yao felt that she could handle that performance, so she did not give Lu Xingzhi any troubling expression. Instead, she took the camera in his hand out of curiosity and asked, "How long will it take for the photos to be developed?"

"I'm not free right now. It'll probably take another year," Lu Xingzhi said. "I'll send a copy to your school after it's developed."

Jiang Yao nodded and followed Lu Xingzhi back to his seat to watch the other performance. It was probably because of her feelings for the army. Compared to the Arts and Crafts Regiment performance, Jiang Yao realized that most of the people in the military were looking forward to the performance as well.

Mrs. Zhu's flute solo amazed many of the audience, and the children's dance also made everyone laugh happily.

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Jiang Yao looked at her family members who were watching the program seriously, then whispered to Lu Xingzhi. "In the future, our children will learn calligraphy and foreign languages from you, learn the piano from Sister, and learn to dance!"

"Sister-in-law, it's so pitiful to be your child," Lu Xiaoxiao said. "Their schedule is even tighter than their father's."

Jiang Yao did not expect that Lu Xiaoxiao would hear her and Lu Xingzhi's private conversation. Lu Xiaoxiao even replied to her so casually. She touched the tip of her nose in embarrassment and said, "Your brother's calligraphy and foreign languages are excellent. I also play the piano well. Look at those dancers; they have such good figures!"

When Lu Xiaoxiao and Jiang Yao brought up that topic, Mr. and Mrs. Lu said, "Indeed. After a child is born, you have to develop their interests and hobbies from a young age. If they have those interests and hobbies, then they won't spend time on other things. It's also the right way to guide the child on a better path from a young age."

"But if the child doesn't like them, then don't force them to do it; it's useless. It's still up to the child's interests and hobbies." Jiang Jie smiled. "Just like you and your second brother. Since you were young, you liked to study, so our parents did not need to urge you to do that. You would study very consciously, but your second brother would not. He doesn't like to study, so no matter how hard our parents urged him, it would not have much effect."

Lu Xingzhi thought for a long time before he asked Jiang Yao, "Does Cheng Jinyan's son know those things as well?"

"Then he wouldn't be Cheng Jinyan's son, right?" Jiang Yao shook her head. "That was also the first time I've seen that child. I don't know what kind of relationship he has with Cheng Jinyan. In any case, the two of them look a little alike, so they must be related by blood."

How would Jiang Yao know about other people's children?

She had just casually made a comment, but she did not expect it to become a common topic after Lu Xiaoxiao heard it. They did not even watch the performance.

Jiang Yao felt that it would not be wrong to leave the education of her future child to Lu Xingzhi. If she wanted to be a loving mother to her child, she would let Lu Xingzhi be the stern father. In any case, Lu Xingzhi was such a person that people would respect at a glance.

The performance of that evening party lasted for three hours before it ended. Everyone was still beaming with joy after it had ended. The military families held the young actors' hands and laughed happily.

Other than Mrs. Zhu's flute solo, the other programs could not be considered good due to the hastily arranged program. Everyone, however, was paying attention to the atmosphere and liveliness. They observed the familiar faces on the stage, and no one said anything negative.

The next morning, Lu Xingzhi went out early for morning exercises as usual. Jiang Yao took her family to the military's bus station in Jin City to take a bus to Jindo City to meet up with Zhou Weiqi and the other two.

As it was the Chinese New Year, the number of buses had decreased. The one-hour bus ride to Jindo City had been changed to only three buses in half a day.

After Jiang Yao bought the tickets at the bus station, she handed them to Mrs. Lu for safekeeping. She and Lu Xiaoxiao went to the snack bar at the bus station entrance to buy water for everyone.

After they left the waiting hall for a few minutes, Jiang Yao did not expect a van to come from the side of the road suddenly. Then, a few people got out of the vehicle. They were well-prepared. After they got out of the car, they walked toward Jiang Yao and Lu Xiaoxiao and covered their noses with a towel. Then, they quickly dragged her and Lu Xiaoxiao into the car without saying a word.