

Chapter 1751: Rascals

"I'm not called Hey. How would I know who you're calling if you don't use my name?" he answered mercilessly, but he still picked out the green onions for her.

Jiang Yao was not very picky about food, but she did not like green onions. However, the cook there liked to add some scallions to the food.

"Of course, I'm calling you because you're beside me." Jiang Yao looked at him with a smile. Then, she said softly, "No matter how Ouyang Chenrui loiters in front of me and how he tries to gain my attention, he will never be able to compete with you. You are my husband and the person in my heart. It's meaningless for you to be jealous of him. After all, Ouyang Chenrui and I are not even good friends. It's not like how I am with Du Chen."

How could she think he would be happy to hear that she had a good relationship with Du Chen?

However, he was happy to hear her say that he was the one in her heart.

"If he bothers you, you can have Big Ke and Ah Lu beat him until he's scared. If that doesn't work, you can have Big Ke tie him up and send him back to Nanjiang City." After Lu Xingzhi finished speaking, his mood improved. Then, he pushed Jiang Yao's plate back toward her. "Finish it. Don't waste food."

Jiang Yao nodded and smiled before her eyes narrowed. Then, they sat next to each other and started eating.

The two had no idea how many soldiers envied them during that meal. Those soldiers suddenly wanted to find a partner.

After lunch, the sun had already set. The air outside was also slightly warmer. It was no longer as hot as in the afternoon when the entire land was like a barbecue machine.

Lu Xingzhi held Jiang Yao's hand as they slowly walked back. Those curious about Colonel Lu's wife had a field day that day.

The last time Jiang Yao returned to the army base, she did not go out since she was still in poor health. Not many people in the base had seen her. Colonel Lu was famous in the army base; that was why everyone was curious about his wife.

She had become an attraction. Many people pretended to pass by and took a few glances at her before walking away. They thought she did not notice them. "A bunch of rascals." Lu Xingzhi was so angry that his teeth hurt. If they were his soldiers, he would have scolded them. If they had the time to look at his wife, they might as well take the time to train themselves.

"Wait for me here," Lu Xingzhi said. He looked ahead and raised his hand to pat Jiang Yao's head. "Don't go anywhere. I'll be back in five minutes."

Without waiting for Jiang Yao to reply, he had already strode toward the dark corner in front of him. It did not take long for Jiang Yao to hear the cries of a group of people as she stood there. She almost burst out laughing.

He said that he would be back in five minutes. The cries only lasted for less than half a minute before they stopped. When Jiang Yao thought that Lu Xingzhi would be back as it had gotten much quieter there. When he returned to her, there was ice cream in his hand.

Jiang Yao had perfect eyesight. She recognized it was her favorite brand of ice cream. Her eyes almost lit up.

Did he go and buy ice cream for her?

Chapter 1752: I Didn't Eat It Secretly

It was too hot in the summer, and Lu Xingzhi was afraid that the ice cream would melt, so he ran back to Jiang Yao. When he was in front of her, he stuffed the ice cream into her hands. "Eat it quickly, or it will melt."

Jiang Yao smiled so widely that her eyes curled into crescent moons. She took a bite. The ice cream melted in her mouth and instantly swept the sultry summer heat and worries away.

"Why did you buy me ice cream?" Jiang Yao handed the ice cream to Lu Xingzhi. "Do you want some?"

Lu Xingzhi had no interest in girly food, but when he saw her small teeth marks on the ice cream, he changed his mind and lowered his head to take a bite of where she had bitten.

The milk-flavored ice cream was very milky. It was too greasy for Lu Xingzhi, but it was incredibly fragrant for Jiang Yao, who liked that flavor.

Lu Xingzhi said, "You can tell me if you want to eat it in the future, but you're not allowed to eat it secretly during the winter when I'm not here. It's hot in the summer, but you can only eat one a day. Eating too many popsicles is not good for your health."

"I will not eat it in the winter," Jiang Yao said, but Lu Xingzhi chuckled. Clearly, he did not believe her.

Jiang Yao immediately thought of what Xiao Gao and Old Yang had told her during the drill. Lu Xingzhi already knew what she had written in the paper crane, so he must have learned that she had secretly eaten a popsicle the previous winter, right?

She still remembered the first time Lu Xingzhi bought her an ice cream. It was around the same time that year. She had received her acceptance letter last summer, and he had taken her back to her village on his bicycle.

Since she was sweating profusely in the back seat of the bicycle, he took her to

the snack bar and got her some ice cream. He did not ask which one she wanted, but he got her favorite all the same.

At that time, Jiang Yao thought it was a coincidence.

Later, she found out that he knew her better than she had expected.

When they got home, Lu Xingzhi had boiled water for her shower because she was sweaty. After Jiang Yao went to take a shower, he took Jiang Yao's phone and called Big Ke.

At that time, Big Ke and Ah Lu must have been in the city. He also needed to know some things about her during his closed-door training.

When Big Ke received the call from Jiang Yao's phone, he heard Lu Xingzhi's voice over the phone. He was stunned for a few seconds before he snapped back to her senses. "Director Jiang is with Young Master Lu now?"

"Yes, she's with me in the army base," Lu Xingzhi explained briefly. Then, he asked, "Has anything happened during this period?"

He had wanted to know if Old Madam Lin had gone to harass Jiang Yao.

When Big Ke heard that question, he said, "Directory Jiang encountered so many problems that Ah Lu and I were annoyed on her behalf. Everything that you expected to happen had happened. YN's Master Sen and Master Zhu sent people to the country. They orchestrated a situation with your second uncle to force the Divine Doctor to appear. There was even a death. Fortunately, your family is fine. Finally, Director Jiáng was so angry that she told the public that the Divine Doctor had passed away."

The Divine Doctor has passed away? Was the Divine Doctor not his wife?

Lu Xingzhi had predicted that of the occurrences, so he made a lot of arrangements in advance in case she got hurt. However, it did not involve the Divine Doctor's death..

Chapter 1753: Keep An Eye On Her

Yes, Young Master Liang helped arrange it. There was a plane crash, so Director Jiang and Young Master Liang used that to announce that the Divine

Doctor had died in a plane crash when she was on her way home. Now that everyone in the world knows that the Divine Doctor has passed away, there is no more Divine Doctor in this world. However, it seems like Director Jiang doesn't regret that arrangement, Big Ke said.

Lu Xingzhi listened as Big Ke told him everything that had happened to Jiang Yao in detail. He thought that Jiang Yao's decision was the most appropriate arrangement.

The Divine Doctor's death could cut off everyone's crazy greed for the Divine Doctor's help and allow her to get some peace.

The Zhu family was involved in this matter. Ruan Yongjun's people killed Zhu Qjanlan. General Min Pang had taken over all the Zhu family's businesses in Zhu Jiu returned to the Zhu family in Ping City. They had fallen into a complicated internal conflict. Everyone is dissatisfied with the current Zhu family head. Everyone wants to replace him. And there's also the Qjan family in Jindo City," Big Ke said.

Big Ke explained what the Qjan family had done to Old Madam Liang and what they had stolen from Jiang Yao's research institute.

When Lu Xingzhi remained silent, Big Ke asked, Young Master Lu, what are we going to do now?

Lu Xingzhi said, "My wife has no reason to swallow her pride after being bullied to that extent."

Naturally, he had to do something, but he had no plans to do so at that moment.

"The Liang family will take care of the Qjan family"

The Ping City's Zhu family was also in Province A. Even though they had yet to gain a firm foothold there, the Zhu family had already lost one of their wings. Unfortunately for them, the internal conflict was not enough.

"Get someone to keep a close eye on the Zhu family. Let their internal conflicts reach a point where they can't resolve them peacefully. Then, after my

closed-door training is over, I will take care of the Zhu family.

He had not thought about what to do with them. He needed some time to consider and make arrangements

However, he would have to start his closed-door training again in two days. He would be cut off from all external communications. Therefore, he still had to wait until he finished his training before making any plans.

“She should be returning to the school the day after tomorrow. I will arrange for someone to send her back. You guys protect her well.” He felt as if he had not said enough.

“Keep an eye on her. If there is anyone with ulterior motives toward her, do what you have to do. Don’t be soft-hearted.”

His wife was so attractive that Lu Xingzhi felt that people like Ouyang Chenrui would be around her like annoying flies.

After instructing Big Ke to keep an eye on Jiang Yao and not let her eat any popsicles secretly, Lu Xingzhi hung up the phone. Big Ke shook his head and turned around to whisper to Ah Lu. “I feel like we’re becoming like old ladies. We’re helping Young Master Lu manage Director Jiang’s meals, drinks, and accommodation.”

While Lu Xingzhi was talking on the phone, the summer wind had cooled down a little, which had initially been stifling. It was already late at night, and dark clouds were already in the sky. Lightning danced on the distant mountains, and there was even the occasional dull rumbling of thunder.

Lu Xingzhi thought Jiang Yao would be afraid, so he waited for her outside the bathroom. As he listened to the sound of water, his mind was filled with the information he got from Big Danke, and he thought about his subsequent arrangements..

Chapter 1754: Her Scent

He wanted the entire Zhu family to disappear from Ping City. He wanted the Zhu family to cease to be prosperous. He wanted the Zhu family to be like stray

dogs.

The Zhu family had accumulated much wealth over the past hundred years. Lu Xingzhi wanted them to lose everything overnight

Every girl was more or less afraid of thunder, especially in the summer in the south. It was so loud that it sounded like an explosion.

Jiang Yao could see flashes of light through the gap in the bathroom window.

Coupled with the thunder, it was strange for such a night. It somehow

reminded Jiang Yao of the ghost movies she saw when she was younger

She hurriedly put on her pajamas and opened the bathroom door. She was

relieved when she saw the lights in the house. Just as she was about to run into

the bedroom to find Lu Xingzhi, a hand suddenly reached out and pulled her.

She was so scared that she almost screamed.

"I'm here." Lu Xingzhi could tell from her expression that she did not see him

leaning against the door waiting for her. As soon as she stepped out of the

door, she looked at the bedroom. She did not even turn to look at where he was.

He knew that she must be looking for him. She must have thought that he was

in the bedroom. Hearing his voice, Jiang Yao took a deep breath and patted her chest. "You

scared me to death. Can't you make a sound when you see me coming out of the

bathroom? Also, why are you standing here?"

"Waiting for you." Lu Xingzhi lowered his head and sniffed her neck. She

smelled fresh from the shower. It was the same with her hair, with a faint

lemon smell. He remembered that the body wash and shampoo were given to

Jiang Yao by Luo Ruoran.

"My wife smells so good," Lu Xingzhi said and kissed her neck. He found it

interesting when she shrank her as she was ticklish. He moved to the other

side to kiss her.

People said that ticklish women loved their husbands. Lu Xingzhi also

remembered a saying in his hometown-ticklish men were afraid of their

wives. Similarly, a ticklish woman would also love her husband.

Jiang Yao had heard that saying before, but she felt that it did not make any sense because Lu Xingzhi was not ticklish. Anyway, when the two of them quarreled, he would only tickle her when she was ticklish. There was no chance for her to counterattack him.

The rain grew heavier-the droplets were huge. They could hear the loud pitter-patter sound of rain.

Jiang Yao was standing at the bathroom entrance. Then, Lu Xingzhi carried her in his arms. She could see that a curtain of rain had formed at the corridor entrance. They would not be able to see such a beautiful scene in the new building

Jiang Yao looked up at Lu Xingzhi and said with a chuckle, "It seems like the fruit trees in the yard don't need to be watered tomorrow."

The weather will probably be like this for the next few days." Lu Xingzhi half-hugged and half-held Jiang Yao as he brought her into the bedroom. It looked like there would be no more thunder, so he was prepared to take another shower before going to bed.

However, he needed Jiang Yao to do something for him before that.

Lu Xingzhi let Jiang Yao sit on the bed. He turned around and opened the luggage bag he had brought back from the mountains. He took out the metal box that he had hidden at the bottom and walked toward Jiang Yao with it in his hand like a treasure. Then, he opened the box in front of Jiang Yao and took out all the papers he had opened. He placed them in front of her.

"I have opened more than half of the paper cranes. These are all the ones that I have seen. Help me fold them back, and please fold them properly. Then, put them in the drawer. I will take those that have not been opened yet." The closed-door training was not over yet; he would not be able to see her until it was over. He still had to rely on the paper cranes to spend every lonely night missing her..

Chapter 1755: Fold Them Again

“You’ve already opened it. Why do you still want me to fold it back?” Jiang Yao pinched the stack of paper and estimated that it was indeed two-thirds of it. “I don’t want to spend these two days folding these for you. Besides, folding a thousand paper cranes is very complicated, even if they are already creased. I won’t be able to finish folding them in two days.”

“I didn’t ask you to do it in two days.”

Lu Xingzhi was even more reluctant to let her work hard. “Take your time to fold them. You can even bring them to school. You can return them to me the next time I pick you up. or, you can bring them back when you come home to look at the fruit trees in the yard. Even if I’m not home, you can come back here as you’re my wife. No one will stop you.”

“You’ve already looked at it. Why do you still want them folded again? Can’t you leave it like that?” Jiang Yao noticed that he had used the word return.

Were those paper cranes divided between him and her?

Did she still have to return them to him?

“I want to be able to look at them again. You have to keep them as they were when you sent them back to me.” Lu Xingzhi was especially serious about that.

“I was meticulous when I read it. I did not damage any of them. I remember the contents. I won’t have to open them again in the future.”

He had read the contents of every note at least ten times. He was born with a good memory, so he remembered everything.

“What about the footprints on it?”

Jiang Yao found the evidence to expose Lu Xingzhi’s words. “You stepped on the paper cranes I gave you?”

Lu Xingzhi stood up immediately. “I’m going to break Xiao Gao’s feet right now

Jiang Yao hurriedly hugged his waist and dragged him back when she realized he was serious. She did not know whether to laugh or cry. “Im joking! I’m joking!

“You’re not angry? Lu Xingzhi was skeptical. He felt Jiang Yao had a right to be angry. After all, the footprints on the paper crane were real.

“I’m not angry.”

Jiang Yao shook her head.

Since Jiang Yao was not angry, Lu Xingzhi felt relieved. After handing the things to her, he changed his clothes and went to the bathroom to take a shower. He could not wait to hold his wife and start reliving what he had done in the morning.

He did not have much fun in the morning. Lu Xingzhi was ready to let himself have a good time.

It had been almost half a year since she was injured, and she was always flirting with him without taking responsibility. Lu Xingzhi was worried that Jiang Yao would ruin him. It was rare for him to have her company during his days off. He would feel sorry for himself if he did not take back what he had lost.

It was an amazing night for Lu Xingzhi. The cool breeze blew past, and it made every pore on his body feel comfortable. With every movement his delicate wife made, he wished he could die on her.

Even though the two days were meant for him to rest, Lu Xingzhi had been very busy.

When Jiang Yao woke up the following day, Lu Xingzhi had already left the house. He left a note on the bedside table, telling her that he had gone to attend the morning training. After that, he had to go straight to the meeting. He had already arranged for her breakfast from the cafeteria. He told her to leave the dishes in the kitchen after eating and wait for him to come back at noon to make lunch before washing them.

Jiang Yao curled her lips after reading the note. Did he think she was a child who could not do anything?

Although she could not cook, she could still wash the dishes.

Chapter 1756: I Need To Borrow It

After putting the note into the drawer, Jiang Yao looked at the time on her phone. It was already past nine in the morning. No wonder he brought her breakfast.

At that time, he should have gone to the meeting after his morning training.

She had slept so soundly that she did not even know when Lu Xingzhi had left.

'Who was to blame for that?

It was all because of someone who had overindulged last night!

Jiang Yao also had to help herself out of bed to wash up. Since Lu Xingzhi said he would be back at noon to cook for her, Jiang Yao decided to get some food in the city.

If Jiang Yao were uncomfortable in the army base, it would be because she did not know anyone there.

At least she had Mrs. Lin in the Jin City army base. However, she did not know anyone there.

She had seen Colonel Ye's wife next door, but she knew they would not get along. She did not know if she could get a car out to the city at that time or if she could get a ride home after that.

Zhou Weiqi used Lu Xingzhi's car in Jin City as the latter was too lazy to bring it with him. He had planned to buy another car in Luo City, but he did not have the time to do that yet.

Jiang Yao wanted to buy a car for herself when she returned to school. Just as Lu Xingzhi had said, she would be free during the summer vacation. If she chose to stay in Luo City, she could find the time to go back to the army base to water the trees in their home. It would be convenient for her if she had a car.

Jiang Yao put the idea at the back of her mind as she prepared to go out and ask someone about a ride into the city. She did not expect to bump into someone outside her house when she opened the door.

"Mrs. Lu, are you going out? It's so hot outside. Where are you going?" It was the old woman who lived two houses after Colonel Ye's house. Jiang Yao had heard Liang Yueze mention a big family living in that house, but she could not remember their surname.

Well, no matter what their surname was, it would not be wrong to address them as Old Madam.

"I'm going to buy some vegetables. Did you want to speak to me, Old Madam?" Jiang Yao replied with a faint smile because she remembered Liang Yueze had mentioned that the old woman liked to gossip. She was not well-liked in the military compound because she always took advantage of others.

Fortunately, she did not have any other significant problems other than that.

However, not everyone thought the same. Some did not take kindly to people taking advantage of them unnecessarily, especially when it involved their homes.

'The old lady said, "The hoe in my house is broken, so I wanted to borrow one from you."

“We just moved here, and we haven’t bought all the things yet, so we don’t have a hoe.” Jiang Yao smiled amiably. “Old Madam, why don’t you ask Colonel Ye’s family? They probably have one since they planted something in their courtyard too.”

“You don’t have it? Then how do you plant the trees in your yard? Oh, right! I heard that you didn’t plant vegetables. How wasteful! Why don’t you rent the empty space in your yard to my family? Since you don’t use it, we will give you a few bucks a year to rent the space.”

Then, the old lady asked again, “Oh right, I forgot to ask you what your job is. I heard that you were in poor health and went back to your hometown to recuperate.. Have you recovered? Are you going to live here in the future?”

Chapter 1757 - Return Home As Soon As Possible

If Jiang Yao had not known about that old woman’s character, she would have laughed out of anger. Was she not embarrassed to ask that? She even wanted to rent another person’s land for a few bucks. The old lady must have asked her about their jobs because she wanted to know if they had money. Did she think they would steal her vegetables?

“Old Madam, I don’t want to rent our land. I’ll just grow some vegetables. I still have something to do and have to go out for a while. Please excuse me, Old Madam.” Then, Jiang Yao calmly locked the courtyard gate and walked away.

She had dealt with people like Mrs. Ge, so she was already immune to such neighbors. She did not think badly of them.

No one could control what kind of person other people wanted to be.

After Jiang Yao left the family area, she asked a passing young soldier and learned about a parking lot about 500 meters away. A bus would pass by in half an hour. Then, she thanked him and went in that direction.

The sun was already very warm at 9:30 in the morning. Moe was in her backpack, and he complained about her intention to suffocate him.

‘Moe was surprisingly lazy in the summer. Unless it was time to eat, he could sleep all day long.

It was as if he was hibernating in the summer.

The parking lot was about 500 meters away, but Jiang Yao walked for 15 minutes. When she arrived, a few people were waiting at the bus stop. Jiang Yao did not recognize them. Therefore, she did not know if they were some soldiers’ family members or villagers from a nearby village.

She put her backpack down and placed it in the shade so that Moe could cool down for a while. At that moment, someone greeted her.

“You came from the army base? You have family there? I’m guessing you must be related to Colonel Lu.” A young woman took the initiative to speak to Jiang Yao. “I’m also a soldier’s family member. My husband is in the 3rd Regiment. I live near the old hospital. Yesterday, I heard that Colonel Lu’s wife had

returned home. Many people saw her. They said that she was gorgeous. When I saw you, I felt that the compliment was directed at you.”

‘When Jiang Yao realized that her smile was very gentle, she immediately fell in love with that person.

It was easy to tell whether a person’s praises were sincere or not.

A sincere person would smile with their eyes, just like that woman who spoke to her.

“Yes, my husband is Lu Xingzhi.”

Jiang Yao nodded to confirm the other party’s guess.

Jiang Yao was about to tell the other party her name when the phone in her backpack rang. Then, she heard a soft curse. She did not know where Moe had learned it from. She knew he would cut that call if he could.

It was Mr. Liang. When she saw the phone number, Jiang Yao immediately picked it up and said, “Uncle Liang.”

“Jiang Yao, if I remember correctly, your second brother is one of the tea merchants who went to YN a few months ago, right? He should be a member of YN’s Tea Merchants’ Association. I received news that YN might be going to war soon. Call your second brother and tell him to come home as soon as

possible.” Mr. Liang did not bother to exchange pleasantries with Jiang Yao. “The news came from YN. Master Sen suffered a significant loss and fell out with the current government, so he might use that excuse to occupy YN.”

“Tunderstand, Uncle Liang. I will call my brother.” Jiang Yao did not need Mr. Liang to explain further to know that she could not spread the news. What she could do was to ensure that Jiang Lei returned home safely.

However, she also believed that the country would also protect the safety of the tea merchants in YN. Mr. Liang had told her in advance because he wanted Jiang Lei to come back early so that his family would not worry when the war started. Furthermore, the earlier he returned home, the earlier he could withdraw his workforce and money from YN and reduce as much losses as possible..

Chapter 1758: I Remember You

“Have you been feeling much better lately? My mother has been asking about you. She has been feeling better ever since she started taking your medicine. She also slept well at night and had a good appetite.”

Mr. Liang did not hang up immediately after talking about serious matters. Instead, he asked

about Jiang Yao’s health. After all, she had suffered severe injuries. He had not had the time to visit Jiang Yao in town while she was recovering.

“Don’t worry, Uncle Liang, I am good. I’m not in Nanjiang City now. I’m in Luo City. I followed a professor from our school to Luo City.” Jiang Yao was also happy when she heard that Old Madam Liang was in good health. “Next time, if Old Madam Liang comes to the south, I’ll definitely bring her to see

some nice scenery. Last time, I had too many things to do. I felt regretful that I couldn't bring her around."

"Luo City?" Liang Yueze might have known about that, but Mr. Liang did not. Mr. Liang thought that it was a piece of good news—she would be close to Lu Xingzhi.

Mr. Liang was amused. That young couple had a good relationship, and he was envious.

He had two sons. The older one seemed to have a good relationship with his wife, but anyone could see it was only an act. His younger son had even lost his wife, who had since remarried.

He would be satisfied if one of his two sons could be like Lu Xingzhi and Jiang Yao.

After hanging up the phone, Jiang Yao called Jiang Lei to inform him about the news. Jiang Lei was in YN, so he already knew about the situation.

"Even if you didn't call me, I'm already making preparations to return to the country in the next two days. We do feel that the atmosphere here is starting to become tense. We don't like going to the city center. We'd rather hide in the countryside. It's only a matter of time before they start fighting." Jiang

Lei had already made all the necessary arrangements in the past few days.

"That's good."

Jiang Yao nodded and told Jiang Lei that she was not in Nanjiang City. He seemed quite busy—he had been talking to other people while he was on the phone call with her. So, Jiang Yao hung up to not continue to disturb her brother.

Jiang Yao did not notice that the entire bus stop was staring at her while she was on the phone. Some people were staring at her face, while others were staring at the phone in her hand. Some were even trying to eavesdrop on her call.

At that time, a phone was quite rare. One could say it was a luxury item. Some people were even reluctant to buy a black-and-white TV. So, those people were envious when they saw Jiang Yao with a phone that only a big boss could afford.

"I finally remember who you are!"

A boy about the same age as Jiang Yao pointed at her and shouted, "Miss Jiang! You're the new Miss Jiang from our university!"

Before the boy continued to speak, he pushed the people in front of him and ran toward Jiang Yao.

"Miss Jiang, I'm also a student at the university. I saw you the day I went back to school! I also saw you with our medical graduate students. I heard them calling you Miss Jiang. I didn't expect to see you in the army base!"

Jiang Yao heard the boy's words and asked, "Are you Colonel Ye's family member?"

Chapter 1759: Can't Compare

“Yes!” Ye Jianguo nodded repeatedly. “I heard that you’re Colonel Lu’s family. Then we are neighbors! I didn’t expect it to be such a coincidence!”

“Ye Jianguo, what do you mean? Are you saying that Colonel Lu’s wife works at your school? Or is she also a student at your school?” an older woman asked Ye Jianguo curiously.

“I heard from my schoolmate that this year’s medical school’s postgraduate supervisor is a professor from Nanjiang City Medical University. That professor was also a postgraduate supervisor. How can our university compare to Nanjiang City Medical University? They are on the same level as Jindo

University and Jindo Medical University. Our university can’t compare to them.”

Ye Jianguo’s words were direct. It did not sound like he loved her university. “I heard that those who graduated from Nanjiang Medical University would always get a good job after their graduation. Many hospitals would want them. Our school isn’t that popular. Miss Jiang is a professor’s assistant, right?

That should count as working for the Nanjiang City’s Medical University, right?”

Assistant? Those illiterate older women did not understand it. However, their perception of Jiang Yao changed when Ye Jianguo said that Colonel Lu’s wife worked for Nanjiang City’s Medical University.

Initially, they were just sizing her up, but after that, they had a feeling that she was unattainable. They were also complaining in their hearts—no wonder a young girl like her could afford to use a cell phone.

They would have been very impressed if she were only a primary school teacher or a middle school teacher. Colonel Ye’s daughter was a teacher at a huge primary school, and many people envied her for that.

They did not expect that Colonel Lu’s wife, who looked younger than Colonel Ye’s daughter, Ye Xueli, had a job that was hundreds of streets ahead of her.

“So, you are Colonel Lu’s family? Do you know Colonel Ye’s daughter, Ye Xueli? She’s teaching at Luo City Primary School. Her salary is very high. She receives so much money a month, and there’s also a bonus every year. She even has three months of vacation a year and two days off a week. Look at how comfortable her life is, how well she dresses every day. How much do you earn a month? You can afford a cell phone, so you must make a lot, right?”

Those women were curious about Jiang Yao’s salary.

‘When Ye Jianguo heard that, he cut her off. “My sister’s job? She’s just an elementary school teacher. How can she compare? Look at how well my sister dresses. Her monthly salary is spent on clothes, shoes, bags, and cosmetics. Sometimes, her salary isn’t even enough, so she still has to ask my dad for it.”

Jiang Yao glanced at Ye Jianguo. A 20-year-old boy was thoughtless. She thought she was fortunate to have been the youngest in her family. She would strangle him to death if he were her brother, especially if he would ruin her reputation with outsiders.

Ye Jianguo did not know what Jiang Yao was thinking, but he continued to say, "The teachers in our school receive 100 bucks a month, and some even get several hundred. Nanjiang City is much richer than our city. Nanjiang Medical University is also a key national university, so their teachers' salaries are definitely higher than ours.."

Chapter 1760: My Husband's Family Is Rich

"A hundred bucks a month? Is there more? Then won't Colonel Lu's wife's salary be higher than his?" Those people had awkward expressions on their faces.

They thought that a man was strong. No matter how capable a woman was, she could not beat a man. It was customary for a man to earn a high income at home. It was abnormal for a woman to do better than a man and make more money. That couple would suffer because of that.

No man would like a woman who was better than them, and no woman would like a man who was not as good as them.

"I don't know how much our teachers earn, and I'm not a teacher either. I'm just a graduate student who just passed the entrance exam. I'm my teacher's assistant, not an employee of the school. My teacher pays my salary. A new assistant like me does not earn much, but I don't care how much money it is.

After all, I am still a student." Jiang Yao quickly explained as she looked at those people who seemed like they wanted to turn her pockets inside out to see how much money she had.

Those people did not want to steal her money; they were just too curious about other people's personal matters.

That was normal, but Jiang Yao was a little conflicted.

She did not like people asking her personal questions, and she would never ask others how much money they earned in a month.

That was not polite.

"Really?"

These ladies obviously do not believe you. If you don't have much money, can

you afford to use a cell phone? The phone bill costs a lot per month, right? How can Colonel Lu spend money like that?"

Jiang Yao thought for a moment and could only give them another explanation.

"My husband's family is rich."

Then, she smiled as she waited for the bus to arrive. She wanted to let them know that she did not lack money to spend. Otherwise, everyone would pay attention to Lu Xingzhi's salary and wonder where she got her money.

Jiang Yao's answer instantly made everyone quiet down. It was a little heart-wrenching for those who still had problems purchasing daily necessities.

Those with financial problems would naturally develop a kind of envy and jealousy toward the rich. Therefore, they all felt they were a little out of place with Colonel Lu's wife, just like the gap between the rich and the poor.

Jiang Yao did not care about their opinion, but she was clear where everyone stood on that matter.

The bus arrived at the station a few minutes later. After everyone got on the bus, Ye Jianguo stood beside Jiang Yao and continued to talk to Jiang Yao. She

was the only one not affected by Jiang Yao's words.

"Are you going to school or somewhere else?" Ye Jianguo asked. "I'm going back to school to find someone. If you are heading there, we can go together."

"I'm going to the market to buy some vegetables. I'm not going back to school."

Jiang Yao shook her head. She was glad that she was not going back to school.

Otherwise, with Ye Jianguo's noisy personality, she would be annoyed all the way.

When the bus reached the downtown area, the sun was already shining so brightly that people could barely open their eyes. Jiang Yao asked for directions and went straight to the first market.

Ye Jianguo, who was supposed to head to school, turned around and went to Ye Xueli's dormitory to look for her.

Even though they had the same parents, Ye Xueli and her younger brother Ye Jianguo did not have a good relationship. Ye Xueli had always thought that her younger brother was a little silly. He could get along well with their stepmother and another younger brother at home. She felt that Ye Jianguo was not someone who would stand on her side.