Chapter 761: Mean Director

In order to shoot the first scene well, they also found a dog.

As Xia Qinghan rode her bike over, the dog suddenly sprang out. She shrieked and the handlebars shook, her face terrified, then she rushed down towards the bottom.

"Cut!" Shi Huan shouted to stop, his expression not too pleasant. "Watch your expression! You're scared, but you're not seeing a ghost!"

The expression on Xia Qinghan's face froze.

She had felt that she had shot pretty well. She hadn't expected to be criticized by Shi Huan like this.

"Okay, I'll fix it."

Although she was unhappy in her heart, she still obediently nodded and admitted her mistake.

"Again! Action!"

Take two began.

As Xia Qinghan rode her bike, the dog passed by, and she shrieked, her face looking shocked.

"Cut!" Shi Huan frowned. "Your expression is too stiff!"

Xia Qinghan's face froze.

Wasn't her shot good enough?

"One more time!"

After trying several more times, the shot was finally done.

"Shuhang, you get ready!"

"Ok," Shi Shuhang nodded and prepared to start.

"Action!"

As Xia Qinghan screamed and rushed down, Shi Shuhang's eyes widened and he immediately dodged to the side.

However, the two still collided.

"Are you blind?! Can't you watch the road?!"

Shangguan Cheng was a rich young man with a not-so-good temper, and when he encountered such a thing, he immediately exploded.

Chu Tong was about to apologize when she heard the other party yelling at her, so she got anxious and began to argue with him.

"Cut!"

Shi Huan shouted again for them to stop. "Xia Qinghan, fix your angry expression. You're angry! You don't like him yet!"

Xia Qinghan was instantly embarrassed.

Shi Shuhang hadn't laughed yet, but he was also scolded by Shi Huan.

"You pay attention too! You are a man, not a shrew!"

Shi Shuhang's expression also froze.

After a morning of shooting, both people were lectured by Shi Huan several times and were ashamed.

They finally knew why others had said Shi Huan's temper was bad.

He was really mean! And he was really demanding!

Obviously, they thought they'd done a good job, but he still thought it wasn't enough and had to be fixed.

They were all getting a headache from his demands.

Wasn't this an idol drama? Why was it so demanding?

But what could be done? They still had to keep shooting.

Fortunately, although Shi Huan was a bit mean-tongued, it was still within their tolerance.

A whole morning had passed, and they had finally got a few shots.

The afternoon was Xia Xibei's shoot.

Xia Xibei played the supporting female character, Yu Qianjiang, who was the male lead's dream girl. She was actually just one day older than Shangguan Cheng, but Shangguan Cheng still had to call her Sister Qianjiang because she was a genius, outstanding in all aspects. People could not compete with her at all. At the same time, she was also a legend at this school.

Who knew what the scriptwriter was thinking, but Yu Qianjiang was the perfect goddess. Whether it was her family background or achievements, or any other aspect, she was better than Chu Tong. She was a true goddess.

However, this kind of goddess was just a supporting female in the drama.

The main character had originally liked her, but in the end, he was attracted to the "real" and cheerful Chu Tong.

Yes, this was a story about "true love."

Xia Xibei had a lot to say about this story, but who made the audience just like this kind of story?

If the character was too perfect, they couldn't identify with her and they would not necessarily like her!

However, in case the female sidekick stole the thunder of the female lead, Yu Qianjiang's part wasn't too big.

If it went well, Xia Xibei could be done with shooting in two weeks.

In the afternoon, Xia Xibei's scenes officially started shooting!

Chapter 762: Done in One Take

Xia Xibei's first scene was also shot with Shi Shuhang.

Yu Qianjiang also went to Shangguan Cheng's school and was two grades higher than him because she had skipped grades. At the same time, she was also the president of the student council and she was a perfect person.

When Shangguan Cheng was a freshman, Yu Qianjiang was already a junior and had started preparing to go abroad.

In the first scene, Shangguan Cheng heard that Yu Qianjiang was going abroad, so he came over to question her about it.

"Action!"

Yu Qianjiang was wearing a long gray dress that outlined her perfect figure. Her hair was down and the wind blew gently, swaying the hair across her delicate features.

She was holding a pile of books, her expression bashful, her steps calm.

"Yu Qianjiang!"

Shangguan Cheng rushed out from the side, furious and a little aggravated.

"Ah Cheng?" Yu Qianjiang stopped and looked up at him. "Did you need me for something?"

The heels on her feet were just five centimeters high, and she was 1.70 meters, which made her 1.75 meters. Shangguan Cheng was a little over 1.80 meters, so there was a bit of a height difference, and she had to look up at him.

However, her aura was not affected. Her eyes were calm and steady, and she looked powerful.

Shi Huan watched the scene from behind the screen and couldn't help but raise his eyebrows.

In front of the taller Shi Shuhang, Xia Xibei looked very dainty, but her aura was not inferior.

At this moment, Shi Huan seemed to see the "Yu Qianjiang" in the script, the perfect goddess that Shangguan Cheng adored but did not dare to approach.

Although Xia Xibei was beautiful, she was not too grown-up!

Previously, Shi Huan was worried whether Xia Xibei could give the performance he wanted, but she surprised him so much!

He didn't shout to stop, so Shi Shuhang continued to act.

"Why didn't you tell me you were leaving the country?" he questioned angrily and anxiously.

"I thought you knew."

"I didn't know!" Shangguan Cheng yelled in a low voice. "You didn't tell me anything!"

"If I told you, what could you have done?" Yu Qianjiang raised her eyebrows and regarded him as if he was an irrational brother. "I've applied to XK University in M. I've already received a letter of notification and will be going there next week."

Shangguan Cheng couldn't believe it.

"Next week? So soon?"

"Yes," Yu Qianjiang nodded. "Well, I have to go back first. I still have things to finish."

"Yu Qianjiang!"

"Call me Sister Qianjiang." Yu Qianjiang's voice was cool, and her entire aura became more powerful.

Without waiting for Shangguan Cheng to speak, she looked at her watch and spoke in rapid succession, "In five minutes, I need to go to the student union office and do a handover with them. After fifteen minutes, I have to see the director of the department. In forty minutes, I'm going to see the principal. In two hours, I have an appointment with someone from the company... If you have something to say, please finish in five minutes."

When she said that, Shangguan Cheng suddenly froze.

What could he say about this?!

"|-"

"If you want to apply to XK University, it's very simple. First, finish your four years of university courses as soon as possible, including the first and second majors. Second, participate in more campus activities. After that..."

These words turned Shangguan Cheng's face white, and he was struck by a strong blow.

"Cut! Good!" Shi Huan shouted for them to stop, praising the scene. "Xibei, good job!"

What he was most impressed with was that Xia Xibei had memorized so many lines!

This many lines would normally be divided into two scenes!

But she did it all in one take!

Chapter 763: Strong Contrast

Xia Xibei not only memorized these lines, but also performed them very well!

Generally speaking, it was easy for newcomers to "memorize" lines without emotion.

When you had to say such a long list of lines, it was like memorizing a book! The acting would either have no emotion, or a surge of emotion and seem too exaggerated.

The role of Yu Qianjiang was that of an aloof goddess.

To play aloof, it was easy to come across as having a frozen face. It was difficult to grasp the difference, especially for newcomers.

That was not true for Xia Xibei.

When she said her lines, there were subtle changes in her expression and eyes. Although her expression was indifferent, you could see that she was changing inside.

When she said her schedule at first, she was a little impatient. When pressed by Shangguan Cheng later, her eyes obviously softened a bit, but the gentleness flickered and quickly returned to indifference and a bit of dislike.

As a genius girl, she must be a little bit impatient when faced with such "stupid" humans.

But because this person was like a brother to her, growing up next door, she had a little more gentleness and patience with him.

These emotions were so subtle, it was difficult to master them.

Shi Huan originally thought that this shot would take a few more tries to complete, but it was done in one take!

Jiang Shenghe had referred a good one for sure!

"Very good!"

Shi Huan was demanding of the actors. If he encountered any bad ones, he would talk frankly and be very harsh.

However, if the actors performed well, he would not spare any praise.

"I didn't expect you to get through it in one take!"

"Thank you for the compliment," Xia Xibei smiled and said thanks.

"Shuhang, you did well this time too!" Shi Huan also praised him. "Your eyes had drama, not bad!"

Shangguan Cheng's love for Yu Qianjiang, his timidity in not daring to speak nor approach her, and his worship of her were all portrayed by Shi Shuhang to the fullest.

Obviously, his performance in the morning was not good enough, but this time, his performance was really good.

After being complimented by the director, Shi Shuhang's expression was complicated.

Could he say that these were all his true feelings?

Adoration, admiration, awe, timidity... It was all true!

He was totally impressed by her, especially when he thought of Xia Xibei's ferocious deeds before! Some people were happy and some were sad.

When Xia Xibei was praised, Xia Qinghan's expression darkened.

She had been lectured by Shi Huan all morning and had been criticized almost to the point of no return.

Xia Xibei, on the other hand, was complimented by Shi Huan!

What the hell?!

Obviously, they were all acting for the first time...

Oh no, for Xia Xibei, it was the second time. She had also filmed "Hongyan Chance," but she couldn't have improved her acting skills this much after just one show!

Yet Shi Huan's attitude towards the two of them was so much better than his towards her.

Xia Qinghan was suspicious. What kind of drugs had Xia Xibei given Shi Huan to make him praise her so much?

Sensing Xia Qinghan's resentful eyes, Xia Xibei looked over and flashed her a smile.

Xia Qinghan's face instantly turned even grimmer.

Was she provoking her?!

If they shot a scene together, she'd show Xibei what she was made of!

Luckily, the opportunity for them to shoot together arrived soon.

On the third day, they moved to a very gorgeous villa to shoot a party scene.

Shangguan Cheng and Chu Tong's relationship was getting better, so he invited Chu Tong to his birthday party.

Yu Qianjiang was also there at the party, and the two women had a crossfire.

For this shoot, Xia Qinghan had practiced a lot, just to crush Xia Xibei.

The story of "Garden of Youth" was very melodramatic and, so to speak, a bit cheesy.

However, the audience quite liked to watch this kind of show, while also complaining about it.

In the next few years, there would be no shortage of this type of drama.

It could be said that "Garden of Youth" started the trend of a new generation of cheesy dramas.

However, even if others tried to imitate it, they couldn't get it right, and one of the big reasons was that this drama had a big budget.

Shangguan Cheng was the offspring of a rich family and had a fortune.

Therefore, the Shangguan family's house was very luxurious and beautiful to match his status.

Later on, a lot of TV dramas were considered shockingly cheesy, mainly because they mostly spent the money on the actors, but ignored the set, costumes, and styling, putting the cart before the horse.

"Garden of Youth" was cheesy, but it was very well done in all aspects.

In order to show the wealth of the Shangguan family, the producers spent a lot of effort to rent the villa, so they had to finish filming the scenes in the villa before they could shoot the other parts.

This big villa was located in J city, which was very close to the imperial capital, but the land price here was much lower than the imperial capital.

However, there were many rich people in J City too, and this villa was the house of a certain rich person.

When they arrived here, the cast and crew were totally in awe.

This place was too luxurious!

Fountains, gardens, swimming pools, all kinds of facilities... They had no idea there were places like this one!

Xia Qinghan and Shi Shuhang were calm and not as surprised as the others.

Although the Xia family was not insanely rich, it was still a rich family. Xia Qinghan had also seen these types of villas, so she was naturally calm.

Shi Shuhang's situation was similar to hers, as he was also used to seeing it.

Listening to the admiration of the others, Xia Qinghan raised her chin haughtily, as if she was already used to such places.

She also glanced at Xia Xibei and sneered in her heart.

Xia Xibei was so poor, it was rare for her to see such a big house, right?

Xia Xibei met Xia Qinghan's smug look and her face remained unchanged.

This villa was indeed luxurious, but she had seen even more luxurious mansions.

The mansion in her second life was very large. Together with the medicinal garden and more, there were at least a thousand acres of land!

When she first came back to this life, she was a bit uncomfortable with how small her home was!

Xia Xibei calmly sat in the chair and let the makeup artist apply her makeup.

Looking at Xia Xibei's indifferent appearance, Xia Qinghan sneered to herself. She was pretending!

However, she did not say anything. When the shooting started and the two crossed paths, that's when it started!

The two sat quietly in their chairs and let the makeup artist color their faces.

When they were about to finish their makeup, a gentle voice rang out.

"Hanhan."

Xia Qinghan's eyes widened in pleasant surprise, "Aunt Xue!"

"Sister Xue?"

"Teacher Bai?"

The others were also stunned, then they greeted Bai Meixue.

At the sight of Bai Meixue, Xia Xibei also froze for a moment.

"Aunt Xue, did you come over to visit me?!"

Xia Qinghan ran over in surprise.

Bai Meixue first greeted the others politely, then asked her assistant to give snacks and drinks to everyone, before smiling at Xia Qinghan.

"No, I came over to shoot a scene."

"Filming?" Xia Qinghan froze for a moment, then was surprised. "How come you didn't tell me before!"

"So I could give you a surprise."

Bai Meixue's smile was very gentle.

Looking at the two faces that were so close and smiling brightly, Xia Xibei's eyes narrowed slightly.

They looked... A little similar!

Chapter 765: Speculation

"Sister Xue, you guys look alike when you smile! You're both beautiful!" someone said flatteringly.

These words made the women's smiles pause for a moment.

Bai Meixue reacted a little quicker and said with a smile, "Is that so? So many people say that."

"Am I as pretty as Aunt Xue? That's great! I want to be as pretty as Aunt Xue!" Xia Qinghan also said with a smile.

Others praised them again, and no one thought too much about it.

After all, there were so many stars in the entertainment industry who resembled each other.

People who weren't related looked alike too. There were even some people who had specifically made themselves look like big stars, so they could get more popularity.

The similarity between Xia Qinghan and Bai Meixue wasn't that over the top.

As Xia Xibei looked at the two, there was some suspicion in her heart.

In her previous life, Xia Qinghan and Bai Meixue both targeted her and kept setting traps for her.

Moreover, Bai Meixue was very good to Xia Qinghan, arranging all kinds of resources for her, and was more dedicated than her own parents.

This made Xia Xibei wonder if the two had some kind of special relationship.

With this thought, Xia Xibei's eyes changed slightly.

It was really a possibility!

Thinking about it, she had a few more thoughts in her mind as well.

"Teacher Bai." Xia Xibei walked over and greeted Bai Meixue. "Which character are you playing?"

Looking at Xia Xibei standing in front of her, Bai Meixue had mixed emotions, but her face did not reveal anything as she smiled.

"Zhong Lirong, Shangguan Cheng's mother."

"Wow! Then we'll have a lot of scenes together?!" Xia Qinghan was instantly happy.

The male lead's mother didn't want to see the ugly duckling and her son together, so naturally she had to use a little means to separate them, and there were quite a few encounters between the two.

Before, Xia Qinghan was worried, but now that she knew that the role was played by Bai Meixue, she was overjoyed.

With Bai Meixue's help, she would definitely get through it!

With Bai Meixue now by her side, she looked at Xia Xibei with a lot more confidence.

"That's good. Miss Bai, with your guidance, Qinghan can definitely make great progress!" Xia Xibei said with a smile.

The two first laughed, then frowned. Why did this sound strange?

"Okay, I'm going. You guys take your time and talk," Xia Xibei nodded at them and walked out.

After going out, she took out her phone and sent a message.

In the room, Xia Qinghan was annoyed and complained in a low voice to Bai Meixue, "Aunt Xue, she's too much!"

"It's okay, I'm here," Bai Meixue patted her hand and soothed her.

Soon, everyone was in their makeup and the scene had been set up.

This party was the first time Chu Tong faced such a world.

The clothes, the music, the crystal goblets... Chu Tong was like an ugly duckling in a flock of swans. She was so out of place that she was embarrassed by herself.

What panicked her the most was that the goddess in Shangguan Cheng's heart, Yu Qianjiang, had also returned!

"Sister Qianjiang!" Shangguan Cheng looked at Yu Qianjiang with

complicated eyes, a little stumped and nervous.

"Ah Cheng." Yu Qianjiang smiled and looked at them. "Is she your girlfriend?"

"No!" Shangguan Cheng immediately denied it.

As soon as these words came out, Chu Tong immediately stared at him with a look of disbelief.

"Cut!"

The director's voice rang out. "Xia Qinghan, you have to give some sad reaction! Show sadness!"

Chu Tong had thought that the two of them had a different relationship, but Shangguan Cheng denied it, so she would definitely be sad.

However, Xia Qinghan had just stared at him cluelessly!

Chapter 766: Crossfire

Xia Qinghan's expression looked a bit embarrassed after being lectured by Shi Huan.

She didn't expect that she would be the first one to be lectured!

Moreover, it was in front of Xia Xibei!

She took a deep breath, "Sorry, let's do it again."

Xia Xibei smiled and looked at her, making her even more embarrassed.

"Action!"

"Ah Cheng, is she your girlfriend?"

"No!"

Chu Tong's eyes changed slightly, and she couldn't help but bite her lips, her eyes were on the verge of tears

"Cut! No!" Shi Huan started to scold her again, "Chu Tong just has a crush on Shangguan Cheng right now. Even if he denied the relationship, she wouldn't cry! Understand?!"

He had already talked about it to her, so how come Xia Qinghan still couldn't grasp it?

"Forget it, just stop for now. Make sure you get this right!"

Being told so by the director, Xia Qinghan's face turned red with shame.

She was actually being disliked!

Shi Huan had no time to waste with her.

The rent of this villa was not low, and they had only rented it for two days, so of course they had to hurry up and finish the shoot!

"Let's shoot the next scene! Yu Qianjiang, Zhong Lirong, and Shangguan Cheng, get ready!"

At his order, several people took their positions.

When Yu Qianjiang came back, Shangguan Cheng followed her with mixed feelings.

As a mother, Zhong Lirong's attitude toward Yu Qianjiang was complicated.

She knew that her son had liked Yu Qianjiang before, but Yu Qianjiang had actually rejected her son! How could this be?!

So, Zhong Lirong's attitude towards Yu Qianjiang was very complex. She liked the girl, but she had to have a little resentment, anger, and a bit of displeasure toward her too.

Such complex emotions were not really that well expressed.

However, Bai Meixue's acting skills were good, so Shi Huan was not worried about her performance.

"Action!"

"Qianjiang, when did you come back?" Zhong Lirong pulled Yu Qianjiang's hand, smiling. "Why didn't you come over earlier?"

"Aunt Rong, I just got back."

Yu Qianjiang's face had an extra smile. "See, it happens to be Ah Cheng's birthday, so I came over."

"You're so thoughtful." Zhong Lirong had a warm expression. "Do you have a boyfriend now?"

"No." Yu Qianjiang shook her head. "I haven't found the right one."

"The boys around you are quite good!" Zhong Lirong's expression was complicated. "You are at the age where you should consider matters of marriage."

"I'm not in a hurry." Yu Qianjiang shook her head and smiled slightly, "Besides, I don't like men who are weaker than me."

These words made both Zhong Lirong and Shangguan Cheng's faces look unpleasant, as this statement included Shangguan Cheng as well.

Zhong Lirong's face seemed to say, "This is for your own good."

"Oh, girls don't need to be so strong. They need someone to take care of them-"

"No, I'm not interested." Yu Qianjiang drew back her hand, politely smiled, and interrupted her words. "I can do everything myself."

"That's not how it is... If your dad knew..."

"My dad would have supported me too." Yu Qianjiang's expression was slightly cold and her eyes were free of warmth. "You don't have to worry."

"Cut! Good!"

Shi Huan shouted for them to stop and nodded in satisfaction. "Good job!"

"Xibei, I didn't expect you to perform so well too!" Bai Meixue's smile was as kind as that of a benevolent elder.

"It's all because of everyone's help and support that I've made such progress." Xia Xibei smiled modestly. "I'll go and fix my makeup."

Shi Shuhang, who had been acting as a background, also said, "I'll go too!"

"Okay, you guys go."

When Xia Xibei left, Bai Meixue's smile disappeared and she became alert.

Chapter 767: Let's Just Get By

Looking at Xia Xibei's back, Bai Mei Xue's eyes were a bit gloomy.

In just a few minutes from the encounter, she had sensed Xia Xibei's acting skills!

The girl was obviously a teenager, but she had acting skills!

The role of Yu Qianjiang was not easy to master.

Aloof and domineering, if overdone, would look like facial paralysis and seem idiotic, the difference of which was very difficult to grasp.

Xia Xibei, a fledgling actor, had perfectly controlled her acting!

Bai Meixue admitted to herself that when she first started out, although she performed well, she did not have such strength.

She had gone through a lot of trial and error, as well as hard work, to have such acting skills.

But what about Xia Xibei? How on earth did she do it?!

Zhong Lirong was a successful, middle-aged socialite, and although emotionally complex, her aura was still strong. Shangguan Cheng did not even dare to speak in front of her.

Yu Qianjiang was half her age, but she was able to resist her aura and overpower her, which was remarkable!

In fact, during the shoot, Bai Meixue did not hold back her aura. She was trying to suppress Xia Xibei with her acting skills.

If she was overpowered, Xia Xibei would have had her hands full with Shi Huan.

However, Xia Xibei did not have a problem!

On the contrary, her shooting was very smooth, and they finished in one take!

For a while, Bai Meixue's mood was very heavy.

Not even she could hold down Xia Xibei, so how could Xia Qinghan do it?

Soon, Xia Qinghan and Xia Xibei met again.

The next scene was a confrontation between Yu Qianjiang, Shangguan Cheng, and Chu Tong.

Chu Tong knew that Shangguan Cheng liked Yu Qianjiang, so she had inexplicable animosity towards Yu Qianjiang.

However, after seeing Yu Qianjiang in person, the hostility in her heart disappeared, leaving only admiration and adoration.

She was such a perfect woman, simply a goddess in the hearts of men and women!

Shi Huan took the script and said to Xia Qinghan, "You have to show your admiration and fondness for Yu Qianjiang, and a bit of shame... Got it?"

"Got it."

Xia Qinghan lowered her head with a complicated expression.

He was asking her to show admiration for Xia Xibei?! This was really making things difficult for her!

"I don't care what grudges you have! In front of the camera, be professional!" Shi Huan swept a glance at them. "Understood?!"

"Understood!"

Several people nodded their heads in unison.

"Okay then, get ready to start!"

"Action!"

As the three of them met, Yu Qianjiang had a smile on her lips.

"Ah Cheng, is she your girlfriend?"

"No!" Shangguan Cheng immediately denied. "How can she be my girlfriend!"

"Shangguan Cheng!" Chu Tong was furious, gritting her teeth while her eyes became suspiciously wet. "I don't have time to be your girlfriend!"

Shangguan Cheng was about to retort but was immediately stopped by Yu Qianjiang.

"Ah Cheng." Her voice was slightly cold as she glanced at him. "Have you lost your gentlemanly manners?"

"I..." Shangguan Cheng immediately wimped out.

Watching Yu Qianjiang shut Shangguan Cheng up with one sentence, Chu Tong was surprised.

"Cut! NG!"

Shi Huan's voice rang out again with exasperation, "Xia Qinghan, I've told you, it's worship and admiration! She's not your family enemy! Show some professionalism!"

Xia Qinghan's face instantly turned red with anger and shame.

However, Xia Xibei raised her eyebrows at her as if nothing had happened.

Xia Qinghan was so angry that she gritted her teeth.

It was so humiliating!

After several more tries, they finally finished the scene.

Shi Huan sat in front of the screen and shook his head. "Forget it, I can't be too picky. Let's just get by!"

This comment almost made Xia Qinghan explode.

This was just getting by?!

Chapter 768: Shooting Together

After two days of shooting, Xia Qinghan almost died from anger.

In fact, she and Xia Xibei did not have many encounters. After all, they were shooting in the villa, and the two of them only had two or three scenes together.

Still, the few encounters still gave Xia Qinghan unpleasant memories.

Especially since every time the two of them were in the same frame, Shi Huan ended up scolding her.

As for Xia Xibei, she was the object of praise!

She was scolded and someone else was praised; it became a constant routine!

The crew and actors on the scene all knew that Xia Xibei's acting skills were good, while Xia Qinghan's acting skills had many faults.

Xia Qinghan's acting skills weren't that bad.

However, in contrast to Xia Xibei's perfect performance, Xia Qinghan's shortcomings became very obvious.

As she listened to the whispers of others, Xia Qinghan became so angry that her eyes turned red, and she walked faster and faster as she quickly returned to her room and closed the door with a bang.

After a few minutes, Bai Meixue went over and knocked on the door.

As for what the two said inside, the others did not know.

However, what everyone knew was that the two of them had a really good relationship.

Was it possible that when you looked alike, even your relationship would be much better?

The people had various thoughts. However, in the entertainment industry, it was normal for anything to happen.

Regardless of what they thought, people didn't dare to say it. They only dared to discuss it in private.

Xia Xibei didn't care about Xia Qinghan and Bai Meixue, and she didn't have time to mind them because she was going to shoot a commercial for Simu.

After requesting a leave of absence from the director, she went back to S City with Pan Yan and Gu Lan.

Just after arriving in S City, Xia Xibei received a call from Cui Tong.

"Are you in S City now?" Cui Tong asked.

"Yeah, I came over to shoot a commercial. You're here too?"

"Yes!" Cui Tong was a little excited. "I just finished shooting a magazine cover and had a day off, so I came over to look for you!"

After Xia Xibei left the set of "Hongyan Chance," the two of them hadn't seen each other.

The two of them stayed in touch on their cell phones and interacted with each other on their blogs.

Now that both of them were here, Cui Tong naturally wanted to see her immediately.

"Then come over, I'm not shooting until tomorrow."

Xia Xibei mentioned an address.

"Okay, wait for me!" Cui Tong enthusiastically hung up the phone.

Then, the three of them arrived at the hotel arranged by Simu.

In the elevator, Pan Yan was talking to Xia Xibei about the next day's schedule.

This time, Xia Xibei was not shooting by herself. There was also a male actor named Luo Xinkai.

Luo Xinkai was a popular male artist nowadays and had many fans.

There were both men's and women's brands under Simu. While its main focus was on women's clothing, men's clothing also had to follow suit.

They wanted to have male and female spokespersons to shoot a joint commercial so as to achieve better results.

The elevator quickly went up to the 15th floor.

As soon as the elevator door opened, Xia Xibei saw several people standing outside.

The man in the middle was tall and wearing a pair of sunglasses, with his chin slightly raised and looking arrogant.

When she saw Xia Xibei and the others, the middle-aged woman beside the man immediately smiled.

"You guys are here too."

"Sister Mei, you guys are so early."

Pan Yan walked out with Xia Xibei and Gu Lan, "Are you guys heading out?"

"Yes, we have an appointment."

The two sides exchanged a few words of courtesy, then Sister Mei said, "We're going out now, we'll talk later."

"Good," Pan Yan nodded.

After the elevator door closed, the smile on Xia Xibei's face disappeared.

Chapter 769: The Scum

Xia Xibei's expression was not very pleasant as she remembered Luo Xinkai's case.

Luo Xinkai was one of the most popular idols currently, with countless fans and handsome and dashing looks.

He was a gentleman in front of the camera and in front of his fans, but off-camera, not so much.

Off the camera, he was thoroughly promiscuous.

And he screwed his fans!

Yes, he liked to hook up with pretty fans the most.

In addition to fans, he also had a few girlfriends outside of the industry.

It could be said that he was a walking sperminator.

However, if someone walked more at night, they would inevitably meet ghosts.

About six months later, a girl revealed his cheating behavior. Everything was exposed in front of everyone.

It was only then that people realized that he had so many girlfriends!

The fans who supported him felt even more disgusted.

Although fans always liked to shout "hook up with me" or "sleep with me," when their own idol really wanted to sleep with them, many of them would feel disillusioned. This was not how their male god was supposed to behave!

Moreover, Luo Xinkai did not have a serious relationship with a fan. He simply spread a wide net for hookups.

This kind of thing would make people feel unhappy even if they were ordinary people, let alone a male god in everyone's minds.

When Prince Charming was scum, who would not be disgusted?!

At that time, this became a big deal because the first girl had a lot of real evidence, plus the media did not allow Luo Xinkai to clean up the mess.

Several more girls came out about their situations and things escalated instantly.

This incident made Luo Xinkai fall hard, and after that, his popularity fell to the ground.

When Xia Xibei came out of the elevator, she could feel Luo Xinkai's shifty gaze behind his sunglasses.

It made her feel sick.

In her previous life, because Zhuo Jingxu was stolen, Qi Yuntian didn't have the heart to take care of Simu, so there was no spokesperson for this.

Somehow, Simu found Luo Xinkai as a spokesperson!

This was a big change.

Pan Yan noticed that Xia Xibei was out of sorts and immediately asked, "Beibei, what's wrong?"

"Nothing."

Xia Xibei shook her head and didn't say anything.

Pan Yan and Gu Lan looked at each other but didn't continue asking.

They went into the room. After a while, Cui Tong also came over.

As soon as Cui Tong came over, she gave Xia Xibei a big hug.

"I missed you so much!"

Without waiting for Xia Xibei to speak, she began to complain.

"You don't know how tired I am these days! Every day I get up before five o'clock, and I can't even sleep at one o'clock at night..."

Xia Xibei listened to her complaints, nodding from time to time, then replying with "Oh, that hard?" or "Wow, it's really quite miserable."

With such a response, Cui Tong couldn't help but continue to talk.

However, this was also a sweet burden.

After all, if they were busy and exhausted, it meant they were famous.

It was no use trying to be busy if you weren't popular.

"I'll sleep here tonight!"

The more Cui Tong talked, the more excited she became. She patted the bed.

Pan Yan was speechless.

"Sister Tong, why don't we get you a room next door?"

"No need." Cui Tong refused. "I'll sleep here!"

Then, she glared at Xia Xibei.

"Is it because you don't like me?"

Xia Xibei rolled her eyes, "Forget it. You can stay if you like."

Anyway, this bed was big enough to accommodate two girls.

"Hee hee, you love me the most, Beibei."

"I'm sorry, but you are not the one I love the most," Xia Xibei denied decisively.

Cui Tong was left speechless.

Chapter 770: Advertising Script

In the evening, Cui Tong stayed in the room while Xia Xibei went out to meet with Qi Yuntian.

Qi Yuntian brought over Zhuo Jingxu.

When he saw Xia Xibei, Zhuo Jingxu immediately rushed over.

"Sister!"

Xia Xibei's heart melted upon hearing his baby voice.

"Xuxu."

Looking at the two of them hugging, Qi Yuntian shook her head helplessly.

"You haven't seen each other for days. How come he still remembers you?"

It had been more than a week since they last met.

Since he was a child, his memory should have faded a long time ago.

However, as soon as he saw Xia Xibei, Zhuo Jingxu immediately remembered her.

This convinced Qi Yuntian.

Was it the child's good memory, or was it because he was impressed with Xia Xibei?

"Sister Tian."

Xia Xibei hugged Zhuo Jingxu and greeted Qi Yuntian.

The two of them sat down. Qi Yuntian looked at her son, who was overjoyed in Xia Xibei's arms, and asked with a smile, "You've been in the cast for a while now, right? How is it going?"

"Yes," Xia Xibei nodded. "It's not bad. Everyone is treating me quite well. After filming this commercial, I'll go back and finish filming the rest of the scenes."

"That's good," Qi Yuntian nodded with relief. "Take a look at this first."

Xia Xibei held Zhuo Jingxu in one hand and took the document she handed over with the other.

This was the script for this advertisement.

Simu wanted to expand the brand's popularity, so she cared a lot about this advertisement.

Although neither spokesperson was very popular, as long as they worked together properly, they could create something.

Xia Xibei finished reading the script of this advertisement in one glance.

This script was quite simple and typical.

Xia Xibei and Luo Xinkai played a couple while wearing the clothes from Simu.

"What we are going to launch this time is the clothing for the autumn and winter seasons..." Qi Yuntian talked to Xia Xibei about the arrangement.

It was obvious that Qi Yuntian cared a lot about the advertisement and was aware of many details.

Simu was like her baby, so of course she cared.

This put Xia Xibei in a gloomy mood.

According to how it developed, Luo Xinkai's incident would explode in six months. In this case, it would also affect his endorsement of Simu.

More than men's clothing was affected. Women's clothing would also be greatly affected. After all, it was the same brand, so both woes and blessings were shared.

When girls went to buy something from Simu and saw that the spokesperson was Luo Xinkai, they would immediately get upset, then turn around and leave.

Who cared if the spokesperson for the women's clothing was Xia Xibei?

And Xia Xibei would also be implicated.

Advertisers watched the artist's ability to sell goods. No matter how this ability came about, if there were no results, it would not work.

Xia Xibei's face was a little grim thinking about what might happen.

"Sister?" A soft and sticky voice rang in her ears, and Xia Xibei felt her face being touched.

She looked down and met Zhuo Jingxu's clear yet puzzled eyes.

"Sister!"

Zhuo Jingxu immediately got excited at seeing Xia Xibei looking at him.

Qi Yuntian asked with concern, "What's wrong? Are you tired? You don't look well."

"How long is the contract that Luo Xinkai signed?" Xia Xibei suddenly asked.

"What are you asking this for?" Qi Yuntian frowned but still answered, "He signed for one year."

Xia Xibei opened her mouth but just shook her head.

"It's nothing, just asking."

After absentmindedly talking about things and waving goodbye to Zhuo Jingxu, Xia Xibei went back to the hotel.

After ten o'clock, the door rang with a knock.

Chapter 771: Flirting at Night

"Who is it?" Cui Tong asked in a squeaky voice as she put on the mask.

This mask was a product from Hongyan Youth. Its hydration effect was superb!

The hydrating effect of one mask lasted for several days!

Of course, the price of this mask was also very spectacular.

However, Cui Tong had become a loyal fan of Hongyan Youth's products after using them, and any other big brands were given away by her.

Some skincare companies wanted her endorsement before, but she had refused.

She said, "My face is thanks to Hongyan Youth. It'd be a lie for me to

endorse other brands!"

Many stars operated in this way, using one product while endorsing another product, as long as they got paid.

Cui Tong did not want to do so.

Her family was rich and she didn't care about the endorsement fees.

Besides, even if she wanted to endorse anything, she would want to endorse Hongyan Youth!

It was a pity that the price of Hongyan Youth was still so high. It was essentially a custom model, and it was not available in large numbers, so there was no need for a spokesperson.

The advertising was all word of mouth.

Cui Tong had previously promoted Hongyan Youth to her friends, and after using the product once, everyone had become a fan.

How could she be a spokesperson for another brand?

Xia Xibei patted the lotion on her face and shook her head, "I don't know. I'll get the door."

When the door opened, her expression changed slightly.

"Hello, I'm Luo Xinkai."

Outside the door stood a tall, handsome man with seductive eyes aimed at her.

Luo Xinkai?

Cui Tong's eyes widened as she grabbed her phone and started recording.

Xia Xibei's expression was cold as she looked at the flirty Luo Xinkai at the door.

"Oh, hello. Is something wrong?"

Luo Xinkai was not repelled by Xia Xibei's coldness, smiling even more flirtatiously.

"Aren't we going to work together tomorrow? I wanted to come and get to know you so that we can collaborate better."

Cui Tong's cheeks twitched and she snickered to herself.

What did he mean by collaborate? This was a flirtation, right?

Due to the setup of the room and the one-way glass separating it, Cui Tong could see the doorway while Luo Xinkai didn't know there was someone inside.

Luo Xinkai had made sure that there would be no one else in Xia Xibei's room. After all, the agent and assistant had already gone back.

Of course, he was not worried that Xia Xibei would call others over.

If Xia Xibei agreed, then of course it would be best.

If not, then forget it.

"No, I'm ready to rest. After all, I have to shoot a commercial and I have to look good, right?" Xia Xibei smiled politely.

"I have a good way to make you look good!" Luo Xin Kai winked at her teasingly.

Xia Xibei froze for a moment, and when she reacted, her face instantly became upset.

"Thanks, but there's no need!" Her voice was cold. "Early to bed and early to rise will be good for your health. You should go back to rest."

Luo Xinkai was still not giving up, insisting, "It's okay, we are all adults..."

"Sorry, I'm not an adult yet," Xia Xibei retorted.

Luo Xinkai was instantly embarrassed.

He looked Xia Xibei up and down, his eyes lingering on her chest.

She didn't look like she was underage!

Xia Xibei's eyes narrowed dangerously, then she grabbed his shoulder and pushed him.

"I'm going to sleep, bye!"

After saying that, she stepped back inside and closed the door as soon as she could.

Luo Xinkai saw the door shut in his face, dumbfounded.

Soon, a pain in his body alarmed him.

Chapter 772: Going to the Hospital

Luo Xinkai felt an inexplicable current rattling around in his body, bringing intense pain. He couldn't even stand up.

He couldn't help but bend down and finally curl up, almost passing out on the ground. His face was all pale and cold sweat poured down from his forehead.

It wasn't until his agent came over and realized he had fallen to the ground that he was terrified.

When they were about to call an ambulance, the electric current in Luo Xinkai's body finally disappeared.

However, just in case, they still went to the hospital.

He spent all night there, but there was nothing they found seriously wrong with him!

As for that sudden electric current that came out of nowhere, even the hospital couldn't figure it out.

In the end, the doctor could only say that it was probably because he was very tired.

The person who had started it all closed the door with a stony face.

"This Luo Xinkai?" Cui Tong was lying on the bed and poked her head out. "Is he this desperate?"

"Huh," Xia Xibei sneered, her eyes cold.

Cui Tong was shocked by her expression and her scalp tingled.

This kind of gaze was too scary!

"Don't worry, he won't dare to come back!" Cui Tong immediately said. "I've recorded what just happened..."

"You recorded it?" Xia Xibei interrupted her.

"Right," Cui Tong nodded stiffly. "Does this... Have to be deleted?"

"Let me see."

"Oh."

Cui Tong handed over her phone.

Xia Xibei clicked on the video and her eyes got colder.

"I'll send it to my phone." She immediately clicked on the phone to do so. "I deleted it from your phone."

"Okay."

Cui Tong had no problem with it.

This was Xia Xibei's business, so naturally she should make the decision.

After getting this video, Xia Xibei contacted Tang Luo.

When Tang Luo suddenly received Xia Xibei's message late at night, she was startled.

After finding out her request, she was even more confused.

Xia Xibei asked her to hack into a girl's computer and get the photos?

Although perplexed, Tang Luo still nodded her head.

Xia Xibei only provided the girl's name and address, the rest was Tang Luo's business.

Xia Xibei remembered the girl's name because this matter was very sensational when it first broke.

Fortunately, this request wasn't too difficult for Tang Luo.

After half an hour, Xia Xibei's phone rang.

After tapping on the photos and seeing them, Xia Xibei coldly snorted.

Initially, she was still struggling with how to deal with Luo Xinkai's matter.

She didn't expect that he would take the initiative to provoke her!

So, she wouldn't be courteous!

She dialed Qi Yuntian's number.

"Xibei? It's so late, what's the matter?"

"Sister Tian, I have something to tell you."

Xia Xibei's voice took on a resigned tone.

Cui Tong was so scared that she almost dropped her phone.

Damn! This pathetic voice was really too scary!

When did Xia Xibei become such a dainty damsel?

"What is it?" Qi Yuntian said with concern.

"I just received a message," Xia Xibei sighed and walked into the bathroom. "I'll send it to you."

"Okay."

When Qi Yuntian watched a video and a few photos from Xia Xibei, she was stunned!

The protagonist in the video and photos was Luo Xinkai!

Moreover, the content inside was very explosive. If publicized, it would definitely cause an uproar.

"What is this?" Qi Yuntian's face darkened.

"I have another video."

Xia Xibei sent over the video recorded earlier.

Qi Yuntian was furious after watching it.

"Is he crazy?!"

Chapter 773: I'll Handle It

Qi Yuntian didn't expect that Luo Xinkai would go so far as to provoke Xia Xibei!

This was too much!

After Xia Xibei saved her son, Qi Yuntian treated her as her family's life-saver and sister.

She wanted Xia Xibei to cooperate with Luo Xinkai so that she could boost Xia Xibei's popularity. After all, Luo Xinkai was gaining momentum now. It would be good for Xia Xibei to work with him.

Who would have thought that Luo Xinkai would be such scum?!

He tried to hook up with an underage girl in the middle of the night!

He didn't give up even after Xia Xibei said she was underage! He was so immoral!

Qi Yuntian wanted to poke her eyes out!

He was obviously already with another girl, but he was still flirting around!

Qi Yuntian also knew very well that if the content was released, Luo Xinkai's reputation would be tarnished.

If their spokesperson's reputation was tarnished, their reputation would also be affected!

"Sister Tian, I'm not badmouthing him. It's just that with this kind of person... I'm worried that he would affect the development of Simu."

This also made a lot of sense to Qi Yuntian.

Luo Xinkai was such scum that he would definitely affect their brand!

"Where did you get this information?"

"I do not know." Xia Xibei's voice was innocent. "I suddenly received the message, and I don't know who sent it. Maybe my fans are worried about me, so they want to tell me the truth."

Qi Yuntian frowned, but did not doubt this statement too much.

Xia Xibei could not have found this kind of information, so it must have been sent by someone.

As for who sent it, she did not need to worry too much about it.

"Oh yes, that person also said that Luo Xinkai has his feet in several boats!" Xia Xibei was very angry. "He also came to harass me!"

"He is dating several girls?" Qi Yuntian's expression became even colder.

They had no say in a star's private life. As long as the stars were competent, they would be fine.

However, when a star's private life affected the advertisers' interests, then it wouldn't work out.

Qi Yuntian held back the anger in her heart and said to Xia Xibei in a warm voice, "Okay, I'll take care of it from my side. You get some rest."

"Good."

After hanging up the phone, Xia Xibei's eyes grew even colder.

Cui Tong didn't know what Xia Xibei had done while hiding in the bathroom, but she could tell that Xia Xibei's expression wasn't quite right.

"How is it?"

"Sister Tian will take care of it."

Cui Tong's eyes glittered and she wanted to say something, but just closed her mouth instead.

"Okay, let's get some rest." Xia Xibei got into bed and pulled up the covers.

"Aren't you worried?" Cui Tong couldn't help but ask.

However, when she asked this question, she immediately felt that she had made a foolish mistake.

With how strong Xia Xibei was, how could she possibly be worried?

Besides, she still had Qiao Yanjue by her side!

Although Cui Tong didn't understand Qiao Yanjue's situation, he was certainly not a typical person. He wouldn't let Xia Xibei be bullied.

In that case, what did she have to worry about?

"Okay, let's go to sleep." Cui Tong pulled over her own blanket and turned off the bedside lamp. "Early to bed and early to rise is good for your health."

That's what she said, but as she lay in bed, she couldn't help but talk to Xia Xibei about some secrets in the industry.

Cui Tong, with her temper, didn't have too many friends, much less a friend she could gossip with.

She was finally able to get along with Xia Xibei, so of course she couldn't hold back the urge to gossip and started chatting.

Xia Xibei didn't interrupt her and just let her talk, falling asleep to the sound of chatter.

Chapter 774: Ending the Cooperation

The next morning, Xia Xibei got up and heard some good news.

Simu and Luo Xinkai had ended their endorsement contract!

When she found out this news, she froze.

This happened fast!

Qi Yuntian was efficient! She settled the matter in just one night!

When she looked at the entertainment news, it was reported that Luo Xinkai left the hospital in the middle of the night.

The 6:00 a.m. news said that Luo Xinkai was suddenly admitted to the hospital late at night, and exhaustion was expected.

There was also a blurry photo below, where you could see Luo Xinkai and his agent beside him.

Luo Xinkai's fans all knew his agent, and once they saw the agent, they naturally knew that the matter was true. Immediately, there were many more distressed and caring comments.

[Brother is too tired, his company is too much! Give our brother some rest!]

[I'm heartbroken! Brother is going to be sick from exhaustion!]

[You can't wear out our brother to make yourself money!]

By seven o'clock, Luo Xinkai's microblog had an update.

[I've been too busy these days, and my body is starting to send out warnings, so I have decided to put off work and rest for a while. Don't worry, I don't have too many problems. Love you all!]

As soon as this update came out, fans immediately cried.

[Oooh... Our brother is so adorable. He's so tired, but he still told us not to worry. We also love you!]

[It's really time to rest. These days, his workload is too much. If he doesn't rest, we'd have to die of heartache!]

[I didn't think the stupid company was humane enough to let you rest! I have decided to scold them a little less in the future.]

After a while, another marketing account broke the news that Luo Xinkai and Simu had ended their endorsement partnership.

This left the fans stunned.

When did Luo Xinkai collaborate with Simu? And when did they end the cooperation? This was way too confidential, right?

However, this news did not cause too much concern. After all, Luo Xinkai had already said that he was too tired and needed to rest for a while.

So, it was okay to cancel the cooperation.

Of course, there were some sober-minded fans who raised doubts.

Even if you wanted to take a break, you didn't have to cancel the collaboration, right?

Simu was a good brand. Cooperation or anything else could be put on the back burner.

However, Luo Xinkai quickly posted other messages, successfully diverting everyone's attention.

Soon, the matter of Luo Xinkai's cooperation with Simu ended.

Xia Xibei watched this online news.

When she arrived on set and saw Qi Yuntian, she understood how this matter developed.

It turned out that it should be attributed to Xia Xibei's secret maneuver.

Qi Yuntian made the decision to cancel the cooperation immediately after knowing Luo Xinkai's true nature.

At this time, she found out that Luo Xinkai had actually gone into the hospital!

So, she used this matter to negotiate with Luo Xinkai's side.

Of course, Luo Xinkai and the others were not willing to cancel the cooperation like this.

It was Zhuo Yu who negotiated the ending of the cooperation. He showed Luo Xinkai the video that Xia Xibei had sent and seriously told them that if they did not agree, the consequences would be serious.

Luo Xinkai's agent, who was well informed and had heard about the Qi and Zhuo families, quickly conceded.

So, the reluctant Luo Xinkai was forced to use the excuse of his ill health to break the cooperation.

In the end, the two sides terminated the contract peacefully.

Chapter 775: Girlfriend's POV

The matter of Luo Xinkai seemed to end just like that. However, it also left a lot of after-effects.

For example, the advertisement shooting.

Previously, Xia Xibei and Luo Xinkai were scheduled to work together, but now that Luo Xinkai's contract had been terminated, how could that be shot?

They were looking for a new spokesperson for men's clothing, but it would take a few days.

Xia Xibei had her own work schedule, and it was impossible to wait a few days before shooting.

Moreover, the previously decided script would have to be redone. It would take a lot of time to come up with a new script.

When Qi Yuntian talked to Xia Xibei about this matter, she had a bit of a headache.

"I have an idea!" Xia Xibei's eyes lit up.

"Hmm?"

"We can do this..."

Xia Xibe smiled and put her idea into words.

"The Girlfriend POV?" Qi Yuntian was a little confused. "Will this... Work?"

"Let's try it."

Qi Yuntian thought about it and finally nodded, "Okay, then let's try it!"

If the finished product was not good, then they could change it!

Although time was a bit tight, it was not without room for revision.

So, each department acted quickly.

The director of this commercial was somewhat well-known. He thought he was going to shoot the cooperation between Xia Xibei and Luo Xinkai, but he didn't expect for Luo Xinkai to have his contract terminated, leaving only Xia Xibei. The script had changed too!

Although he was depressed, he wasn't the boss...

No matter how depressed he was, he had to shoot seriously.

However, when the shooting started, he was surprised to find that Xia Xibei was too good!

The director sat behind the screen, excited.

Xia Xibei's performance was well-coordinated and very good.

The commercial was shot in just one day.

Although the finished product would be on the TV station for less than a minute, everyone had worked very hard together for this minute.

After filming, the director smiled and said to Xia Xibei and Qi Yuntian, "Don't worry, the finished product will come out soon! I have a feeling that it will definitely wow the crowd!"

Xia Xibei smiled at the director and said, "Thank you, director. You've worked hard."

Xia Xibei and Qi Yuntian left the set after the shoot.

The director who stayed behind stroked his chin thoughtfully, his eyes glowing.

This shoot had given him so much inspiration.

So fans and viewers now liked this kind of thing?

A few days later, Xia Xibei, who was filming on the set, received a message from Qi Yuntian.

There was a video.

Clicking on the video and looking at herself, Xia Xibei couldn't help but freeze.

This was the first time she saw herself formally appear on camera. With delicate makeup and beautiful clothes, she looked completely different from the previous recording of the variety show.

The director had a strong mastery of the camera, capturing all the ideas she expressed before.

Shi Shuhang came over and asked, "What are you looking at? Wow, a commercial! Show it to me."

Xia Xibei clicked replay.

Shi Shuhang finished watching the full commercial and couldn't help but praise it, "You're too good in this ad!"

Shi Shuhang touched his wildly beating heart and admonished himself, 'Don't mess around, don't mess around. Sister Bei is not someone I could handle. Don't think about these impossible things.'

Fortunately, a few hours later, "Full Steam Ahead" also started showing. After watching this installment of their performance, although Shi Shuhang still found Xia Xibei very tempting, he had been dominated by her performance in the program and did not dare to think otherwise.

Chapter 776: The Show Airs

Two weeks had passed since the recording, and this episode of the program recorded by Xia Xibei and Shi Shuhang was finally going to be aired.

Due to the matter of catching the traffickers and saving the children, this episode of the program was deeply concerning to everyone.

This was especially the case for the fans, who desperately appealed to the program team to hurry up and air this episode.

However, how could the program team be so obedient?

The more anxious people were, the calmer the show producers were. This way, they could better pique the fans' interest!

However, before the broadcast, they also showed some small clips from time to time to help keep the fans' interest at the highest level.

Finally, on the day of the broadcast, everyone sat on their chairs with their cell phones in front of the TV or computer, waiting for the start of the episode.

[I bet a packet of spicy strips that Sister Bei will slay the whole scene!]

[I bet two packs of spicy strips that Sister Bei will slay the whole scene!]

[I bet five packs of spicy strips that Sister Bei slay the whole field!]

[Holy crap! If you all bought this, then who will lose?!]

The fans were excited before the show even started.

By now, Xia Xibei had participated in several shows, and her performance had always made people's jaws drop.

She had earned the title "Queen of Variety" because her performance was really amazing.

The show had not even started, but everyone's confidence in her was

already bursting.

There was nothing to be afraid of with Sister Bei around!

With this thought in mind, everyone clicked on the TV.

After the commercials, the show officially started, and everyone had only one thought in their minds: Indeed!

During the first segment, watching Sister Bei hit the key so quickly, and watching the others trying for half a day yet still unable to reach even the edge of it, everyone was dumbfounded.

[She's really Sister Bei! So awesome!]

[This is too hard! Who can get it?]

[Can't you give others a chance to live?]

When the other guests came around and asked how they got it, Xia Xibei's answer made the viewers in front of the screen shriek with laughter.

[Aiya, I know every word, but I can't understand them at all!]

[This is contempt from the top scholar, right? It's horrible!]

[Hahaha! The other guests' faces looked horrible, and this answer is too damn cruel! Who can understand it?]

[Other guests: Who am I? Where am I? What am I doing?]

[Shi Shuhang is also confused, there is really no need for him to be here!]

[Sister Bei is Sister Bei!]

People were posting and commenting madly.

Everyone's attention was on Xia Xibei. As for the other guests, they were all ignored. After all, the contrast was too tragic to bear!

After a commercial, the second segment started.

After watching Xia Xibei help Shi Shuhang put on his disguise and change their looks, everyone was stunned again.

[Crap! Sister Bei's technique is awesome! No wonder no one recognized them before!]

[I couldn't recognize them even if they were on the street.]

Soon, it was the scene where the guests had to be supermarket cashiers.

[Aaaaahhhhhhh! I can't believe I didn't recognize this was Hanghang! I'm guilty!

[Hahahaha... The fans who bought things earlier were his fans, right? But they missed him! They must regret it!]

[Hanghang and Sister Bei's clothes are too inconspicuous! Who can recognize them?]

[Hahahahaha... Other guests have been found out! Their disguise skills are not good!]

The pop-ups on the screen were full of laughter, complaints about the other guests' skills, and admiration for Xia Xibei and Shi Shuhang. It was a lot of fun.

Soon, the program came to the segment of making money.

This segment once again set off a climax.

Chapter 777: Sister Bei's Performance

The guests on "Full Steam Ahead" were usually young idols, and the lively and interesting content attracted many young viewers.

The show had a lot of segments that everyone could experience, so it was very relatable.

For example, throwing the hoop.

They wondered how long it would take them to succeed if they were in the show.

Another example was the show making the guests go out and make money with their bare hands. Everyone's first reaction was also to go get a job.

Therefore, when people saw Xia Xibei choose to play that time game to make money, they were shaking their heads.

Many people had played this game. After all, many stores now used various means to attract customers.

However, not many people had won vouchers or free purchases when playing this sort of time game.

[This is all a scam! I've played it before, I can't win at all!]

[I've played it too! The store has settings! This is a waste of time!]

[See, she didn't win! Don't waste time! Go think of something else!]

Although this was an earlier recording, there were still people who were genuinely calling on the two people to change their minds.

The guests in other groups were so smart; they were working part-time

and didn't even think about these "devious ways."

If they wasted time like this, wouldn't they have thrown away all their previous advantages?

On the screen, Xia Xibei was still languishing in line.

Seeing her standing in front of the board again, everyone couldn't help but sigh. Wasn't this a waste of time?!

Before they finished sighing, the bright red number made them explode.

[Crap! I can't believe she really won!]

[She really won! The store didn't lie? Is the store that honest?]

[She got a 500 yuan voucher! Amazing!]

Looking at Xia Xibei exchanging the 500 yuan voucher for 450 cash, everyone was admiring her so much.

[She has earned more than 400 in a short time! How can others catch up?]

When people saw Xia Xibei and Shi Shuhang spend money to buy game coins, the corners of everyone's mouth twitched.

They hadn't made enough money yet, and now they're playing?

The pop-ups were filled with comments again.

But soon, Xia Xibei's action transformed everyone's opinions.

Everyone was dumbfounded watching her catch so many dolls.

[Genius! A genius!]

[It's awesome! Sister Bei is amazing!]

[I'm kneeling! I spent more than 20 coins before and couldn't catch a single doll! Sob...]

[A doll for 20?! So cheap! If I had been there, I would have bought it! This is a doll that Sister Bei caught!]

[I want one too! Why I was not there?!]

While everyone was discussing the dolls, the camera panned and an exciting soundtrack played while everyone saw Xia Xibei start running like wild.

[Are the human traffickers coming?!]

[Exciting! The human traffickers are coming!]

On the screen, Shi Shuhang also followed and rushed over.

By the time he rushed to the front, he arrived just in time to see Xia Xibei snatch the child from the trafficker's hands.

[Crap! Awesome! This skill! She's awesome!]

[Ahhhh! Sister Bei is so incredible!]

[Such a cute child... How could the traffickers do it? They deserve the death penalty!]

[She just took one look and remembered the person! And her analysis is spot-on. She's not just a top scholar, she has the brain of God!]

[The mom is so beautiful. When her child was lost, she must have been devastated! Luckily the child was found!]

[The human traffickers deserve to die!]

[Be careful! I heard there are gangs behind these traffickers!]

Chapter 778: Liking Another Idol

The details of the human traffickers' incident finally satisfied everyone's curiosity.

Everyone's impression of Xia Xibei was also better.

The ones who ignored their own safety to help other people were really good people!

Of course, there were some haters who said this was a PR stunt by the program team.

However, as soon as this statement came out, it was immediately refuted by everyone.

[When did our Sister Bei get such power that the program team would hype her like this? And with human traffickers! You really think too much of our sister Bei, and too little of the other guests!]

[Although I'm not a fan of Xia Xibei, I really don't think this is hype. What kind of show would be so stupid as to use this kind of thing to make hype?! Wouldn't they be afraid of being scolded to death?]

[Have you forgotten? The police also issued a notice on this matter! Are you stupid and blind? Or can't you read?]

[Please, are the police also cooperating with Sister Bei's stunt?! I now know that Sister Bei's background is so unbelievable! I'm a fan!]

[There are really people who are so mentally limited that they think of such things as a stunt. Is the world too dark, or is your life too hopeless and filled with fake things?]

[It's not that Sister Bei is doing a stunt, it's that your kind of thinking is so disgusting! So other people's bravery is fake, and only your limited mind is real?!]

Fortunately, there were not many such sayings, and they were quickly drowned out by a different tide.

Anyone with a discerning eye knew that this matter could not be a stunt.

Moreover, there were quite a few people present at that time. Who would be so stupid as to hype this kind of thing?

The trafficker was almost beaten to death!

Which background actor would be so desperate?

Because of these arguments, Xia Xibei was in the top searches again before the show finished.

The topics of #XiaXibeiIsbrave, #XiaXibeiFullSteamAhead, and #XiaXibeiCatchesHumanTraffickers immediately landed on the top of the list.

As for Xia Xibei's partner, Shi Shuhang, he was more or less ignored by everyone.

It couldn't be helped that Xia Xibei's performance was so outstanding that Shi Shuhang had become a minor player. Even his fans couldn't help but

change their idol.

[Sister Bei is too handsome! I'm becoming gay for her!]

[Did Hanghang twist his ankle? I hurt for him!]

[Crap! How does Sister Bei have this ability? She can fix Shi Shuhang's foot just like that? That's awesome!]

[Sister Bei is so awesome!]

[I'm sorry, I have to switch my idol!]

The pop-ups were screaming like crazy. They didn't know that Shi Shuhang was also watching the pop-ups at this time.

Shi Shuhang's heart was so tired looking at the fanfare for Xia Xibei on the pop-ups.

Before the show aired, he was already mentally prepared.

Although he was mentally prepared, he was still very heartbroken watching everyone's discussion.

In this recording, he had become a complete accessory.

When it got to the later part of the show, Xia Xibei, the game king, slayed the whole show by herself. As Shi Shuhang looked at the pop-ups cheer crazily for Xia Xibei, his heart got even more tired.

He turned his head to Xia Xibei and said, "Shouldn't you buy me dinner?"

"Why should I treat you to dinner?" Xia Xibei raised her eyebrows.

"Have you posted your ad yet?" He asked instead of answering.

"Not yet, I'm ready to send it."

"Send it."

Xia Xibei looked at him suspiciously, then used her own account to post the advertisement for Simu.

Then, Shi Shuhang picked up his own phone and retweeted Xia Xibei's post.

[Sister Bei can be salty and sweet, she's slayed me! She's charmed me! (The ad is sent, remember to buy me dinner.)]

These updates immediately added oil to the hot frying pan!

Chapter 779: Endorsement Ad

Xia Xibei actually had an endorsement!

She hadn't said a word, but she already shot the commercial?

When Xia Xibei sent out the video, not only did Shi Shuhang retweet it, but

Simu's official blog also followed suit.

[Your girlfriend is here!]

Everyone clicked on the video with curiosity.

In the video, Xia Xibei changed several times, and without exception, the clothes were beautiful.

Of course, this was not the point.

People could not take their eyes off of what was in the ad.

At the beginning of the video, Xia Xibei opened her eyes in bed. Obviously free of makeup, her skin was still crystal clear, so people were mesmerized.

She was sleepy at first, then smiled. Her eyebrows arched, she opened her mouth to say good morning, then leaned over, as if to give you a kiss.

She sat up from bed, and just as she touched the clothes, she blushed. She glared at the camera and tossed over the towel next to her, dimming the screen.

The view changed. Xia Xibei was styled casually, her hair loosely pulled back as she stood in the kitchen cutting fruit.

Seeing the camera coming, she tilted her head and smiled at the camera...

After seeing the ad, people finally understood what the official blog meant.

This was indeed a girlfriend's perspective!

Xia Xibei's every move was as if she was flirting with her boyfriend, making people's hearts rejoice as they watched.

[Wow! I want to fall in love too! So sweet!]

[This angle is so sweet!]

[It's really salty and sweet! Sister Bei is so sweet! So sweet that my heart is melting! She's too good-looking, right?]

[I've always known that Beibei was gorgeous, but this ad is too beautiful! I feel like I'm turning gay for her!]

[Goddess! The goddess of my heart! If I had a girlfriend like this, I'd wake up laughing!]

[The commercial is so beautiful! It captures the beauty of Beibei's face!]

[What's so great about this commercial? I only just watched it a few times and turned it off.]

[Ooooh! Beibei is a girl with a thousand faces! She was so tough when she saved the kid, but here she is so sweet! Oooooh!]

[Is this an ad for Simu? Simu's clothes are so beautiful! I want to buy them!]

[Buy! Buy! Buy! I want to wear the same style!]

Fans were stunned by Xia Xibei's performance.

The Xia Xibei in this commercial was so beautiful and sweet! Watching her smile, everyone couldn't help but show a smile too.

She was the only one in the picture, but still, everyone could feel the sweetness of being in love, giving people the urge to fall in love.

Moreover, Simu's clothes were really very nice to look at.

Everyone was also heckling on Shi Shuhang's blog.

[You advertised for Sister Bei, make her treat you to dinner!]

[Yes, make her buy you dinner! We must get our treat!]

[You can't just let it go without her buying you dinner!]

[When did you guys get so close?]

[I heard you guys are filming together?]

Taking advantage of this opportunity, the official blog of "Garden of Youth" also sent out a post.

[Let's meet our actors, Shangguan Cheng @ShiShuhang, Chu Tong @XiaQinghan, and Yu Qianjiang @XiaXibei...]

Their photos were included below.

Although they were all stills, they were all shot very beautifully.

Fans were shocked, they really were filming!

Although there was gossip from the set before, the official blog and the actors had not said anything, so people were not sure.

Some shows would promote the show before they even started shooting.

Meanwhile, some shows were promoted only after filming, while "Garden of Youth" was filmed for some time before it was promoted.

However, looking at the sequencing of these photos, people couldn't help but wonder, why was Xia Qinghan the female lead?

Chapter 780: Tramp

[No way? Xia Qinghan is the female lead? That's ridiculous!]

[Oh no! What's wrong with the cast?]

[Sister Bei is much more popular than this Xia Qinghan, so why isn't she the main actress?]

Someone tried to keep the comments under control.

[Don't say such things, don't bring haters to Sister Bei.]

[Yes, Sister Bei knows what's best. Let's just support her new show!]

While this was said, people still found it hard to believe.

If you compared the two's popularity and various strengths, why was Xia Xibei not the female lead?

It wasn't fair!

Fortunately, there were not too many of such remarks, and they were quickly controlled by Song Jialin and others, so they did not continue talking.

No one was meant to always play the female lead; even Xia Xibei could not play the female lead all the time.

If this kind of talk was allowed to continue, it would affect Xia Xibei instead.

Although such remarks quickly disappeared, they still made Xia Qinghan very heartbroken.

As she watched Xia Xibei's popularity rise again, she became so angry that her chest hurt and she could hardly sleep at night.

The most annoying thing was that Xia Xibei actually had an endorsement, and it was a good one!

Meanwhile, she still had no endorsement!

Now that she was even further behind Xia Xibei, how could she not be angry?

After holding her temper and finishing the scene, Xia Qinghan returned to her room.

If it wasn't for the fact that this was not her own place, she would probably have smashed it up.

In the midst of her anger, her phone rang. To her surprise, it was a call from Zhang Yiqi.

"Qiqi."

"Qinghan, how is it going?" Zhang Yiqi's sweet voice came from the other end.

"It's okay."

Zhang Yiqi heard Xia Qinghan's displeasure and immediately asked, "Who bullied you?"

Without waiting for an answer, she understood.

"It's Xia Xibei, right?"

Xia Qinghan sighed and her face turned grim, "Don't mention her!"

Her mood soured as soon as Xia Xibei was mentioned.

Zhang Yiqi didn't start cursing with her, she just smiled as she reassured her, "Don't be angry, I have good news for you."

"Good news?" Xia Qinghan perked up a little.

"Oh well..." Zhang Yiqi laughed even more happily. "The kind of good news that will definitely make you happy!"

"What is it? Just tell me!" Xia Qinghan became anxious after being teased.

"It has to do with Xia Xibei."

Xia Qinghan's eyes widened. "It's about her? What kind of good news is that?"

Zhang Yiqi let out a smug laugh, "If she had a scandal, would you think it's good news?"

"A scandal?" Xia Qinghan's eyes widened and her heart jumped. "What do you mean by that?"

"I have some very powerful photos here!" Zhang Yiqi laughed. "Just you wait, soon there will be a good show!"

"What good show? Just tell me!" Xia Qinghan was anxious.

Zhang Yiqi refused to answer, insisting, "Don't be anxious, you'll know tomorrow! Wait until tomorrow, you will know!"

No matter how Xia Qinghan begged, Zhang Yiqi had the same answer, so she finally gave up.

However, Xia Qinghan's mood also improved, and she was a lot more

curious too.

What exactly would happen?

With these things on her mind, Xia Qinghan was a bit distracted during the shoot the next day. She was scolded by the director several times before she started to concentrate.

By the afternoon, some sounds of commotion came.

"Xia Xibei! You tramp! Come out here!"

Here it comes!

Xia Qinghan was overjoyed.