

Crazy 781

Chapter 781: Incomplete Confession

In the monitoring room, Zhao Yu let out a prideful laugh and said, "My first sight of the crime scene made me doubt you. What a perfect crime!"

When Zhao Yu said this, all of the senior officials beside him were impressed by him. No one expected that the speech of this group leader from the Criminal Division would be filled with such wit and clever sarcasm.

"After I began my plan, the first person I killed was the actor Xie Hao!" As he spoke, Captain Dou began to smoke his fourth cigarette. "I picked up a knife from the crew's supplied, and after I cut Xie Hao's neck, he struggled for a bit, then died!"

He then added, "In order to leave a clue for the police, I used Guo Yihang's mobile phone to send one of Xie Hao's previous film pictures to Xie Hao's mobile phone via Bluetooth, while also changing the screensaver to it. Um... The next one I killed was Zhang Chenggong. His case was simple. I just pushed him off of the cliff. However, I was afraid that the USB would be damaged, so I stuffed the USB into his mouth and sealed it with tape."

Captain Dou went on, "Of course, after his fall, I went down to confirm his death before killing the others."

At this point, Captain Dou was extremely calm. Although he was talking about the murders, he was behaving like he was describing a very common thing. "Next... Was the makeup artist Qin Hao!"

Captain Dou smoked as he said, "He was not very difficult either. I went down the cliff with his body on my back, then drowned him in the water. I'm afraid that it was not easy to leave his clue after his body had gotten wet, so I wrote down the molecular formula before drowning him! Originally, I wanted to write 'cefuroxime' on him directly, but in order to make the clue a little more difficult, and also to show my chemical knowledge, I changed it to the molecular formula!"

He then added, "But... Whatever I wrote, my purpose was the same! I just wanted you to associate it all with Qiao Ruxue!"

After that, Captain Dou took a few more puffs from his cigarette before continuing, "But... The next one took a little more effort! In order to hang a person when you lack pulleys, it indeed poses some difficulties! The hardest and most difficult thing was dealing with Qian Jin, as that guy is very fat! When I began to tie him with ropes on the tree, he struggled violently, and I could only pull the rope and wait for him to die!"

He shook his head in remembrance. "At that time, I was worried that the branches would break or that that ropes would not be strong enough. It took me a long time to hang him!"

He exhaled heavily. "It was really hard, and I was sweating all over!"

After flicking a few cigarette ashes, Captain Dou said, "Um... Next, I went after that actress Li Qian! The role she played in the movie was rubbish, and she acted like a who*e. So... I wish I could have killed her as well!"

Captain Dou wore a sullen face. "Unfortunately, Li Qian's name was not on Guo Yihang's record, which showed that Li Qian and Qiao Ruxue had no contact. So, if I had killed her, I was afraid that it would have affected my plan! Of course, I didn't let her get easily though, as I hung her up on the tree too! I tied her with an extra rope, which saved her life, and there was also a ladder that I placed under her feet!"

Captain Dou then said, "After I handled Li Qian, I went after Zhang Yong! He was also not in the record, so I carried him to the garden and buried him alive, just leaving him a small hole to breathe through! The reason that I chose the garden is that the soil there is the softest on the whole island!"

Captain Dou pondered something for a moment, then said, "Actually, I knew very well that digging a pit to bury him alive would waste my precious time, but I still did it in the end! I can't say why. Maybe, it's due to my many years of criminal investigation, which had caused me to become quite OCD. Or... Maybe I wanted the police to turn their suspicious eyes on Zhang Yong. Anyway... That's what I did!"

"So... What about your choosing different methods to kill them?" Wu Xiumin asked. "Did you do that for the same reason?"

"Um... Yes!" Captain Dou answered simply, almost without thinking. "In my subconscious mind, if the victims died in different ways, it would make the case more difficult for you all to figure out! Specifically, it would be difficult for the police to determine the exact time and sequence of the deaths. Most importantly, it would... Ha ha... Even I feel ridiculous about this one..."

Captain Dou said nervously, "Um... The main reason why I adopted different methods of killing is that I wanted to try out these different methods of killing in order to obtain some experience, which I thought might help me solve some cases in the future. Ha ha... Doesn't that sound ridiculous?"

"Then..." Wu Xiumin thought for a moment, then raised her hand and asked, "What about the other two?"

"Okay, I'll go on and explain!" Captain Dou threw the butt of the fourth cigarette into the ashtray and drank some water. Then, he continued, "As for Cai Jinda, he was given a special way to die! After all, all of this happened because of him! So, I spared no effort in carrying him from the tents to the lighthouse. I then beat him to death with a stone! You are so smart, so you should be able to understand my purpose in this."

Captain Dou raised his head, then said, "I killed Cai Jinda under the lighthouse as a symbolic gesture. On the one hand, I wanted to avenge my father, who had guarded the lighthouse, and on the other hand, it was also a warning to the world that the lighthouse is ominous. So, hopefully, no one will disturb my family anymore!"

He then added, "I deliberately smashed Cai Jinda's face to make him ashamed of seeing anyone ever again, even in hell!" As he spoke of this, Captain Dou clenched his fists, while looking extremely excited.

Wu Xiumin quickly changed the subject and asked, "Did you intentional sparing Kang Leming's life?"

“Yes!” Captain Dou answered simply. “Before I started everything, I changed into Guo Yihang’s clothes and hat. Since I’m similar to Guo Yihang in shape, and it was so dark, even if there were survivors, I would have been mistaken for Guo Yihang! That’s also why I spared Kang Leming!”

Captain Dou said coldly, “I have been working in the front lines for so many years, so I know the importance of a witness! If I left a living mouth to identify Guo Yihang, it would naturally be very beneficial to my plan! It was a little risky, but I think it was worth it! However, that bast*rd Zhao Yu guessed right again!”

He shook his head. “When I went to the island, I parked the speedboat in a reef cave outside the windbreak. Then, I intentionally chased Kang Leming into the windbreak! That way, after stabbing him, I knew that I could just go to the reef cave to get my speedboat!”

Then, Captain Dou went on to explain, “Then, I drove the speedboat to the dock, tied my speedboat to the crew’s speedboat with ropes, and lifted Guo Yihang’s body into my speedboat and tied him with stones. Later, I drove the crew’s speedboat back to the shore, creating the impression that Guo Yihang had fled by speedboat. Then, I drove my own speedboat to the open sea and threw the body into the open sea!”

He continued, wide-eyed, “I know the sea around Quliang very well. The place where the body was dumped is deep, so it can’t be salvaged at all! What’s more, when the ocean currents pass, even if the body floats, it will follow the ocean currents...”

Bang!

Captain Dou’s words were not yet finished before the door of the interrogation room was kicked open. Zhao Yu rushed in from outside, pointed to Captain Dou, and shouted, “You scum! You still think you can fool us!”

Then, Zhao Yu rushed over to pound on the table and shouted, “You should be a scriptwriter! Where’s your mother in all of this? I don’t understand. She lied to you! Do you still want to protect her?”

Chapter 782: The Biggest Loophole

“What did I say?” Zhao Yu asked, while speaking to Wu Xiumin and the others. “You can’t give this fellow a break! See, in just two hours, he has already compiled a new confession!”

“Zhao Yu, I’ve confessed. What else do you want from me?” After hearing Zhao Yu, Captain Dou grit his teeth in fury.

“What do I want from you? Of course, I want the truth.” Zhao Yu’s tone was domineering.

“I’m telling you the truth. You can choose to believe it or not!” Captain Dou’s face turned red.

“I believe that your confession is true, but not complete!” Zhao Yu deliberately put his face close to Captain Dou’s as he said viciously, “You tell me... How far is it from Yongjin Island to the site where you dumped the corpse in the sea? How long did it take you to drive your speedboat there?”

“An hour!” Captain Dou answered without hesitation.

“Fuc*!” Zhao Yu first swore, then said, “Okay... So... First, you drove two speedboats to the shore of Quliang. Then, you stored the crew’s speedboat, then drove your own speedboat to dump the body! Let’s say it took you an hour to get to the dumping point. Then, that’s two hours for a round trip, plus an hour to the shore. Thus, you could have only done all of this in three hours at the fastest speed! Don’t forget, you still had to go back. Was there enough time and fuel?”

“Of course there was enough!” Captain Dou replied.

“Nonsense!” Zhao Yu waved his hand and said, “Although I failed in math in school, even I know that you couldn’t make it in such a short time! That night, you didn’t start until after midnight. Then, you killed seven people in different ways and spared three people. You didn’t have that much time...”

Zhao Yu then said, “I remember clearly... You said that you received the news around 7 o’clock that morning, then took the policemen to the island! So, you had to have completed all of the killings at least before 7 o’clock and returned to Quliang! Would it be possible for you to do all of that alone? I suggest you to tell the truth!”

Zhao Yu quickly added, “You didn’t drive the crew’s speedboat back to Quliang, but it was your mother, Liu Caiyun! She participated in your murder plot this whole time!”

“No, my mother had nothing to do with this at all! I did everything!” Captain Dou trembled as he denied his mother’s involvement.

Zhao Yu, however, insisted, “That old lady has already told us all about it. Why do you persist in denying it? Did you forget the video that was recorded by Xie Hao? It has been restored, and it shows that the long-haired woman that Xie Hao saw was Liu Caiyun!”

“It must be a mistake!” Captain Dou insisted.

Zhao Yu threw a pile of documents in front of Captain Dou’s face and said, “We haven’t been idle for the past two hours. Thanks to the monitoring camera near your home, we learned that you and your mother left the house that afternoon before the incident, and it was only at 9 a.m. the morning after the incident that your mother returned home... Alone!”

“What can this prove?” Captain Dou shook his head and said, “Maybe, my mother went to a friend’s house, or maybe she went fishing that night! Although we left together, we didn’t stay together...”

“Then, why did you say that you both were sleeping at home before?” Zhao Yu asked loudly.

Captain Dou hesitated, not giving a response.

“Alright!” Zhao Yu shook his head and said, “Captain Dou, those people closely involved in matters cannot see them clearly! You keep emphasizing how perfect your plan was, but you don’t even realize your biggest loophole.”

“Loophole?” Captain Dou didn’t understand what Zhao Yu was saying.

“Your biggest loophole is that you made a plan hastily! Did you honestly think any plan that you made in half an hour would be seamless? Don’t be silly! Think about it. The plan you came up with on the spur of the moment is so fragile that it couldn’t withstand a closer look at all!” Zhao Yu said.

Zhao Yu then added, "I admit that, if we can't connect the case with you and with the lighthouse murder from several decades ago, then maybe everything will be alright for you. But, once we are able to connect them, you lose! Your alibi, your means of transportation, your cigarette butts and your footprints that were left on the island will be your undoing!"

After hearing Zhao Yu's words, Captain Dou lowered his head silently.

"As I said before, your biggest mistake was in meeting me!" Zhao Yu said proudly. "You never expecting that I would come to handle this investigation alongside you! What's more, you didn't expect that I would associate the case with the old case from a few decades ago!"

Zhao Yu smiled with proud. "Let me tell you. I'm an expert in solving old cases! Have you heard of the Mianling Kidnapping Case or the Headless Female Corpses Case? I handled those too. So, it does not look good for you."

In the monitoring room, the others felt awkward when they heard Zhao Yu's self-praise. Although they had no doubt about Zhao Yu's ability, it was rare for them to have a leader who was so proud and somewhat arrogant.

"Ok, I admit that my mother was on the island too!" Captain Dou said in a weak voice. "After I killed Guo Yihang by mistake, she also panicked. She didn't know what to do! Then, when I decided to implement the plan, she wanted to stop me, but didn't succeed in doing so! Finally, she decided to help me and drove the crew's speedboat back to shore..."

Hearing this, Zhao Yu shook his head again and sighed. "Captain Dou, I can understand your feelings of responsibility as a son, but... What we really want to know is the truth, not to hear some made up story!"

"Zhao Yu! What else do you want to know? All I have to say is... My mother is old. Although she and I were on the island together, I really did everything! She just helped me by driving the speedboat away!" Captain Dou seemed panicked.

Zhao Yu shook his head again. "Then... Who helped you dig the pit for Zhang Yong? Could you really carry Cai Jinda to the lighthouse alone? Did Qian Jin struggle when he was being hanged? The autopsy report shows that, when Qian Jin was hanged, he died at once, and there was no sign of a struggle at all! Come on, Captain Dou, we're the Special Investigation Group, not a mere university club, so what Liu Caiyun has done will come to light eventually!"

Captain Dou frowned and seemed to be thinking carefully about something.

Zhao Yu smiled coldly and asked, "Are you doing the math in your head again? Let me help you. As seven people were killed, there is no doubt that the prime culprit will be sentenced to death, but what about the one who helped? That would mean at least 10 years, maybe even 20 years or life imprisonment as the sentence!"

Zhao Yu shook his head. "Liu Caiyun is already 61 years old. Such a sentence would mean that she would most likely die alone in prison. Captain Dou, as you are the captain of the criminal police, you should understand this! Besides, everyone is responsible for his own actions!"

As he was speaking of this, Zhao Yu became gloomy. “Guo Yihang had myocarditis, but myocarditis is different from heart disease, as with it, there is no possibility of suffering from a sudden death! Hence, how could you strangle him to death so easily?”

“You!” Captain Dou shivered when he heard his question.

Zhao Yu then said, “Our professionals have calculated that, under the lighthouse, the murderer hit Cai Jinda in the face with a stone with great force from 1.6 to 1.8 meters away from the ground. If one wanted to kill a man, he would have to lift the stone over his head! If that had been you, the height would have had to be more than 1.9 meters! Besides, the stone spun sideways in the air, so the murderer must be left-handed! You are not left-handed, but your mother is!”

Zhao Yu paused, then asked, “Captain Dou, do you still insist on hiding the truth that your mother Liu Caiyun was your accomplice?”

Chapter 783: Final Truth

“You’re wrong! It really has nothing to do with her!” Captain Dou’s voice trembled as he burst into tears. “I killed everyone! It was me! She just helped me drive the speedboat...”

Bang!

At that moment, Zhao Yu threw another pile of documents before Captain Dou. “Look at it for yourself. This is the psychological evaluation report that our psychologist compiled for Liu Caiyun. The testimony of your ex-wife is also there. Liu Caiyun clearly suffers from a serious mental illness and has a certain tendency towards violence! Your ex-wife has confirmed this. Regarding your mother, your ex-wife feels a deep fear that she and your child were in danger, so that is why she insisted on divorcing you!”

“No... No...” Captain Dou burst into tears as his whole body trembled. “It was not my mother! I did it all!”

“Leader...” Wu Xiumin came over to Zhao Yu and shook her head gently. She was trying to remind Zhao Yu that Captain Dou was very unstable, so they shouldn’t continue to interrogate him.

Captain Dou cried out bitterly, “Why did this happen? Mom!”

Just then, someone knocked on the door. Ran Tao excitedly pushed the door open, then ran up to Zhao Yu and whispered, “Boss, according to your instructions, we have shown Captain Dou’s confession video to the old lady. This time, the old lady finally confessed! Now, her confession should be the whole truth!”

Zhao Yu nodded and exhaled. It turned out that, in order to find out the truth as soon as possible, Zhao Yu had played the same trick on Liu Caiyun! In fact, from the beginning, his real focus had always been on Liu Caiyun. After all, he knew that Captain Dou was a criminal policeman, which meant that he could easily alter the real truth in his confession.

However, Liu Caiyun was different. As long as her psychological defenses collapsed, the police could get the most accurate confession from her. When Zhao Yu had used the trick for the first time, since Liu

Caiyun did not know the current situation of Captain Dou, she had insisted that she was the only murderer.

But now that she had heard that Captain Dou had confessed, she knew that it was impossible for him to get away with the crime. So, naturally, Zhao Yu knew that she would fall into a state of despair and be vulnerable. In this way, Zeng Ke was able to get Liu Caiyun to confess.

The night of the murder... 10:00 p.m... In the grass, somewhere outside the crew's tents on Yongjin Island.

"Mom! Didn't I tell you? Keep away from their tents!" Captain Dou complained in a low voice, "You'll put us in danger. Are you sure that Xie Hao didn't see you just now?"

"No! He didn't see me!" Liu Caiyun whispered. "When the man turned around, I had already run away! Didn't you give them a sleeping drug? Why hasn't it worked yet? Why aren't they asleep?"

Captain Dou explained, "The effect of the drug will not be effective until an hour from now. Moreover, the times when those people drank it were all different. So, we have to wait until at least midnight before we can start our plan! Listen to me. I can do this all by myself. Don't follow me, okay?"

"Good... Okay..." Although the old lady promised him, her eyes revealed her deep concern.

Two hours later, a figure burst out of Zhang Chenggong's tent! The man was so frightened that he ran straight towards the lighthouse. Then, Captain Dou also burst out of the tent and began to chase the man.

This man was Guo Yihang. As he ran, he occasionally looked back at Captain Dou. The distance between the two men was not small, so it was clear that Captain Dou could not catch up with him.

However, a person with long hair suddenly jumped out of the grass! As soon as she jumped out, she stretched out her hands to strangle Guo Yihang's neck!

"Ah!" Guo Yihang was so frightened that he yelled and stumbled to the ground. When he turned around, got up, and tried to run again, he bumped into Captain Dou!

Guo Yihang was frightened, so he picked up a stone and was going to hit Captain Dou with it. Captain Dou barely avoided the stone, and then they began to fight!

As they rolled around on the ground, Captain Dou's neck was scratched by Guo Yihang. In the end, Captain Dou strangled Guo Yihang!

However, just after he strangled Guo Yihang, there was a loud cry, "Get away!"

Captain Dou was shocked to see that Liu Caiyun had just raised up a big stone and was smashing it down with great force.

"No..." Captain Dou cried out as he released his hands.

Bang!

The big stone hit Guo Yihang's head, and with the splash of blood, Guo Yihang's head was deformed and his life had officially ended.

“Ah!” Captain Dou was so frightened that he fell to one side and could not believe the scene in front of him. As Liu Caiyun held the stone in both of her hands, she looked just like a devil!

At that time, Liu Caiyun struggled to lift the stone and was going to smash Guo Yihang’s head with it once again! However, Captain Dou rushed over and stopped her.

“No... Are you out of your mind? What are you doing?” Captain Dou cried out in vexation, while he quickly turned back to check on Guo Yihang. But Guo Yihang was already dead.

“Mom! You’re crazy! Why did you kill him?” Captain Dou shivered all over, then collapsed.

Liu Caiyun replied with a shiver, “He... He saw you and me just now! I had to do it!”

“But... Why did you have to kill him?” Captain Dou scratched his head in despair.

Liu Caiyun said with cold eyes, “If I didn’t kill him, he would have exposed us! Plus... Even if we destroyed the film that they made... It wouldn’t be long before they came back to reshoot it. But, if someone dies, we can stop them from shooting it again.”

Captain Dou said remorsefully, “If they really want to shoot the film, they can change to a different island or change to a different lighthouse! So... Why did resort to killing people?”

Liu Caiyun retreated a few steps as a look of despair appeared on her face. Captain Dou scratched his head again, then began to turn over Guo Yihang’s body.

Liu Caiyun squatted down and asked, “Will the police find us?”

“Mom, I am the police!” As Captain Dou searched the body, he soon found a USB, a speedboat key, and a Samsung mobile phone in Guo Yihang’s pocket.

He then muttered, “I had a fight with him. He has my DNA under his nails. How could they not find me?”

Only then did Liu Caiyun realize that she had made a terrible mistake.

“The body must be disposed of! This place must also be cleaned up, and no blood can be left here!” As Captain Dou spoke, a message appeared on the screen of Guo Yihang’s mobile phone. Captain Dou quickly opened his mobile phone to check its contents.

As the mobile phone needed a fingerprint to unlock it, he used Guo Yihang’s cold, dead finger. When he read the message, he was greatly surprised. After a brief glance at it, he finally understood why Guo Yihang was in Zhang Chenggong’s tent in the middle of the night.

“What shall we do about this?” Liu Caiyun was anxious.

Captain Dou said, “You clean up the bloodstains. Leave the dead body and the stone that you hit him with here. After I delete the copies of the film, I will take them to our speedboat and discard them in the open sea!”

He then added, “As long as the police can’t find the body, they can only file the case as a disappearance, not a murder!”

Captain Dou sighed for a long time, then pointed to Guo Yihang's mobile phone and said, "Fortunately... This man had already wanted to run! A little bit later, I'll drive our speedboat to the open sea to throw the body there, while you drive their speedboat back to Quliang, making it look like that Guo Yihang fled. In this way... Maybe we will stand a chance of getting away with it..."

After he finished speaking, Captain Dou looked over Guo Yihang's backpack, then pulled a signal gun out from it.

"Oh... Ok... Good!" Hearing this, Liu Caiyun seemed hopeful, and she began to deal with the corpse and the bloodstains according to Captain Dou instructions.

Captain Dou returned to the tents to deal with the film copies. A quarter of an hour later, Liu Caiyun, who was still dealing with the corpse, heard a noise and saw Captain Dou run back from the tents with a panicked face.

However, before Liu Caiyun could open her mouth and ask any questions, Captain Dou reached out to unbutton Guo Yihang's clothes.

"What on earth are you doing?" Liu Caiyun asked.

"Mom! Are you wanting to get away with this or not?" Captain Dou asked, while shivering all over.

"Now... I can be sure that we can!"

Chapter 784: A Devil Thought

A crime was being committed quietly on Yongjin Island amid the dark night. Xie Hao's neck had just been cut by Captain Dou. He fell to the ground and struggled painfully, while his eyes were scarlet red and his neck was gushing blood.

At the entrance of the tent, Captain Dou and Liu Caiyun stood silently, watching Xie Hao struggle as he grew weaker and weaker until he could no longer move. Next, they worked together to push Zhang Chenggong down the high and steep cliff.

Qin Hao, the makeup artist, was held under the water by Captain Dou. Although he struggled painfully for quite some time, he finally stopped moving altogether.

In order to hang Qian Jin on the tree, Captain Dou stood under his feet and held him, while Liu Caiyun tied the rope firmly to the tree. They then ran the rope over the tall tree's branches, then hung Qian Jin from the tree. He kicked his legs and struggled, but he soon stopped breathing before he even really knew what was going on.

When it was Li Qian's turn to be hanged from the tree, Captain Dou put a ladder under her feet. Burying Zhang Yong had required a lot of strength, as it had necessitated that a hole be dug. It took about ten minutes to dig the big pit that was used to bury Zhang Yong alive.

Next was the screenwriter Cai Jinda. Cai Jinda was fat, but they still carried him to the lighthouse. At this time, Liu Caiyun did not show any mercy to him. She picked up a big stone and smashed his head with all of her strength, killing him with just one hit.

After all of this was done, only Kang Leming was left. In order to leave a witness, Captain Dou stabbed Kang Leming to wake him up, then ran after him into the windbreak before finally stabbing him again, while making him mistake Captain Dou for Guo Yihang!

In this way, all ten of them were finished, leaving only the final finishing touches to the plan. Captain Dou went to the windbreak and drove the speedboat back to the dock.

The mother and son carried the wrapped body of Guo Yihang to their speedboat together. Then, Captain Dou drove the speedboat to the open sea to throw away the body, while Liu Caiyun drove the crew's speedboat back to Quliang.

As Captain Dou knew the monitoring system of Quliang very well, he asked Liu Caiyun to drive to a beach that didn't have a monitoring camera. He then told her to hide there in a public toilet until dawn.

Meanwhile, Captain Dou drove his speedboat to the open sea, where he dumped Guo Yihang's body, along with his belongings and the stone and knife into the sea, thus destroying the evidence!

When Captain Dou hurried back to Quliang's seaside to park the speedboat, it was only about 7 o'clock in the morning. He forced himself to calm down, and then, as if nothing had happened, he had breakfast and went back to the police station to work!

As he expected, as soon as he returned to the police station, he received news of the murder on Yongjin Island. So, he immediately organized a group of people to go to the scene of the crime.

In Captain Dou's words, when he arrived at the crime scene with the other policemen, he rechecked the whole crime process carefully and found no obvious flaws in his plan or execution of it. At that time, he was confident that no one would suspect him at all, but unexpectedly, in the end, that was just a fantasy.

Current day... At 1:30 a.m.... In Bureau Chief Wang's Office

After obtaining Liu Caiyun's confession, the truth of the case was basically clear. At this moment, Bureau Chief Wang was discussing the follow-up procedure with Zhao Yu and the others.

"Thank you!" Bureau Chief Wang held Zhao Yu's hand tightly and complimented him, "This is all thanks to you! If you hadn't come, I'm afraid that this case would have turned into a stalemate. So, on behalf of our Quliang Police Station, I thank you!"

Zhao Yu said, "It was not a big deal. Actually, I like these difficult cases! Ha ha..."

Bureau Chief Wang sighed and said, "To be honest, I really didn't expect that the truth would be like this. After all, Captain Dou was competent and experienced. How could he do such a silly thing?"

"Right..." At this point, Zhao Yu asked him curiously, "Bureau Chief Wang, I suddenly remembered one thing. When you were aboard the vessel, you were on Captain Dou's side, but later, why did you change your mind? Was it because of the DNA comparison file?"

"Hmm..." Bureau Chief Wang held his cup of tea as he said, "Well... To tell you the truth, I was really angry with you at first. Even after I knew Captain Dou was the child of the lighthouse keeper, I couldn't believe that he could be the murderer! What's more, the way that you were so aggressive in handling the case infuriated me, so I told on you secretly! Um... Now that I think about it, it's quite embarrassing."

“Don’t worry about it, as I’ll tell on you to your leader tomorrow morning, and then we will be even!” Zhao Yu said.

Hearing this, Bureau Chief Wang’s face changed instantly. Zhao Yu was the leader of the Special Investigation Group, and now that the case had been solved, his complaint about Zhao Yu was harmless. But, if Zhao Yu said the same things about him, he would surely be in trouble!

“I’m just joking! Look at yourself! Haha! Now, let’s talk about the case!” Zhao Yu laughed, but Bureau Chief Wang was still sweating.

“Um... I didn’t think much about the DNA results! But, at that time, I suddenly remembered something else!” With that, Bureau Chief Wang unlocked his mobile phone and showed Zhao Yu a picture.

He then said, “I remembered that, many years ago, I drank too much with Captain Dou, and while we were drunk, he told me one thing...”

Zhao Yu took a look at the photo and saw a fair-skinned, lovely-looking girl.

Chief Wang then continued, “Before Captain Dou became a policeman, he had a girlfriend in the army. That’s the girl. They even thought about getting married, but unexpectedly, the girl got a break in the entertainment industry. After that, the girl changed and their relationship was no longer perfect. In order to get roles, the girl slept with many men, which hurt Captain Dou a lot.”

With that being said, Bureau Chief Wang pointed to the photo and said, “I found this picture on the Internet. Now, this girl has become a social butterfly! I think this was never easy for Captain Dou to get over.”

Bureau Chief Wang blew his tea to cool it a bit more, then said, “It is because of this that I started to have doubts about Captain Dou!”

“Oh... ” Zhao Yu nodded and said, “Well... Captain Dou has always been sensitive, so when he found out about Qiao Ruxue’s experience, he must have had empathy! So, at that time, his hatred for Qian Jin and the others was raised in his heart.”

“Leader!” Wu Xiumin said, “When I was talking to Captain Dou, I found that he had a serious tendency towards paranoia, anxiety, and violence, which was mostly formed during a state of long-term depression. Therefore, I think that the psychological problems of Captain Dou may be more serious than Liu Caiyun’s!”

“Like mother, like son!” Zhao Yu shook his head and sighed. “If a mother doesn’t get off to a good start, no matter how good her son is, he will inevitably be affected by it!”

“This is negligence on our part! If I had noticed Captain Dou’s mental problems earlier, maybe there would have been no crime at all!” Bureau Chief Wang blamed himself.

Wu Xiumin then said, “So, for criminal police, the annual psychological assessment cannot be underestimated! Once the police become mentally ill, the consequences are more terrible than for those of ordinary people!”

“So true!” Bureau Chief Wang sighed. “In the future, I must learn from this lesson. There cannot be a second Captain Dou! Oh, by the way, is it possible for this case to enter the closing stage?”

“It’s all right as far as procedures go,” Zhao Yu said. “Except, for your Quliang police station, there seems to be an old case that has not yet been settled. Why don’t you take this opportunity to close it now, too?”

“Oh...” As soon as Bureau Chief Wang patted his head, he suddenly remembered. “You mean the old lighthouse murder case?”

Chapter 785: DNA

“Leader, I think there should be no problem.” As Zeng Ke stood outside Liu Caiyun’s interrogation room, he asked Zhao Yu, “Liu Caiyun’s psychological defense has collapsed, so she should be telling us the truth, right?”

Ran Tao, who was beside him, nodded and said, “The Yongjin murder case alone is enough for both the mother and son to be sentenced to death!”

“But...” Ran Tao shook his head and asked, “As the lighthouse keeper is already dead, and so is Cai Xiangbin, even if Liu Caiyun tells the truth, it’s not like it would matter...”

“That’s not true!” Zeng Ke said, “If the lighthouse keeper was killed by Liu Caiyun, that means that Cai Xiangbin has been wronged! Although these people have already been killed, at least their names can be cleared. How can you say that it doesn’t mean much?”

“Well, perhaps something in the film touched a nerve for Liu Caiyun?” Ran Tao guessed. “So... I think that Liu Caiyun is the real murderer! Think about it... Cai Xiangbin was a survivor who had just suffered a maritime accident. Even if he had not been seriously injured, he could not have raped Liu Caiyun because he loved her.”

He shook his head. “And... if Cai Xiangbin killed a person, then would he wait for the police to catch him on the island? Moreover, why was he still sleeping when the police caught him? And... Why did he insist that he was innocent after he was arrested?”

After Ran Tao said all of this with great certainty, he asked, “Well, Zeng Ke, shall we make a bet? Boss, will you join in?”

Zhao Yu glared at Ran Tao and asked, “Where’s my dog?”

“It’s in the car!” Ran Tao hurried to explain, “I couldn’t walk into the People’s Police Station with such a big dog, could I? Rest assured, that fellow is eating, peeing, and sleeping comfortable! Its life is way more comfortable than mine!”

“Leader! What do you think about the lighthouse murder?” Seeing Zhao Yu frowning, Ran Tao took the opportunity to change the subject.

“I think that it is not necessarily Liu Caiyun!” Zhao Yu thought for a moment, then asked, “Do you remember that Captain Dou’s confession mentioned that, when Liu Caiyun returned to the island, she was particularly relaxed? Think about it... If the lighthouse keeper was not good to her, Liu Caiyun should have had the opposite feeling of being on the island.”

“Oh...” Ran Tao didn’t expect this line of thinking.

“Hey...” Zeng Ke took the opportunity to make Ran Tao look like a fool, “still wanna bet, Ran Tao?”

“Um... Boss!” Ran Tao scratched his head and ignored Zeng Ke’s words. He then turned to Zhao Yu and said, “I don’t quite understand one thing...”

Zeng Ke gave a disdainful boo and thumbs down gesture to Ran Tao.

“I thought the whole case over again just now!” Ran Tao solemnly said. “I think that Captain Dou’s plan was really perfect, as there are almost no flaws! Although he and Liu Caiyun had no alibi and sailed across the sea that night, in fact, we actually can’t convict them because of that!”

Zeng Ke added, “I’ve been in the Forensics Department before. I know that, if there are no obvious features on the cigarette butts or footprints, it’s impossible to calculate the precise time that they were left at the scene! That is to say, even if we can prove that the cigarette butts and footprints near the scenes belong to them, they still cannot be used as valid evidence because they cannot tell the precise time!”

“Yes, that’s what I meant!” Ran Tao agreed. “If Captain Dou and Liu Caiyun refuse to admit everything, we might not have any other ways to prove their guilt! So... How did our boss’ plan work?”

Zhao Yu snorted coldly, but his face looked excited. “Of course my plan worked. Otherwise, how could I be worthy to be your team leader? In fact, I played a psychological game on them!”

Zhao Yu proudly said, “Since I started to doubt Captain Dou, I knew as long as we couldn’t find Guo Yihang’s body, we couldn’t do anything to Captain Dou! So, I decided to take some risks and use a series of strategies to disrupt his and Liu Caiyun’s strategy!”

Zhao Yu snapped his fingers as he said, “The videos that Xie Hao recorded, why Li Qian pointed a gun at Captain Dou, why Zhang Yong jumped out of the vessel, and how Zeng Ke edited the videos and so on... These things were all carefully designed by me! My goal was to make Captain Zou buckle under the pressure!”

Zhao Yu grinned. “When he messed up, he subconsciously believed that he must have left some major loopholes. Then, I chased him like a mad dog! Before he could calm down and think any more about it, he had already exposed himself!”

“That’s terrific!” Zeng Ke said. “To be honest, I was frightened when I was on the command vessel as I saw the way that you spoke.”

“But...” Zhao Yu continued, “The most lethal flow was the DNA comparison results! Speaking of this, it was all really thanks to Gao Facai! Although Captain Dou’s identity seems to have nothing to do with the case, once Captain Dou knew that he was not the lighthouse keeper’s child, he couldn’t bear it!”

Zeng Ke agreed, “Captain Dou even wanted to commit suicide at the lighthouse!”

Bang...

Suddenly, the door of the monitoring room was smashed open by Bureau Chief Wang, who ran out in a hurry, then shouted, “Liu Caiyun was...”

As he shouted, he urgently ordered the policemen beside him, "Quick... Call an ambulance!"

"Ah?"

Zhao Yu was surprised and rushed into the interrogation room. Liu Caiyun lay on the ground, painfully twitching and vomiting. Her situation appeared to be extremely urgent.

A policeman on duty, who was unaware of the situation, rushed forward and suppressed Liu Caiyun, while yelling, "Don't move!"

Wu Xiumin shouted, "Quick, untie her collar and belt!" As she spoke, she opened the first aid kit next to her and forced a roll of bandages into Liu Caiyun's mouth.

At this time, Liu Caiyun kept twitching her body and rolling her eyes, as if she had lost consciousness.

"Wow... It seems that... It's incontinence..." the policeman who was untying her belt cried out.

"Don't panic!" Wu Xiumin quickly took out a syringe from the first aid kit, then skillfully prepared the medicine and injected it into Liu Caiyun.

Soon, Bureau Chief Wang came in with the medical staff, who then took Liu Caiyun out on a stretcher and sent her to the hospital. Wu Xiumin rubbed her forehead, which was filled with sweat.

She then reported, "It may be neurotic epilepsy! What carelessness! Liu Caiyun has not been registered as having this, and I don't know her medical history at all."

"Then... Has she confessed?" Zeng Ke asked.

Wu Xiumin shook her head. "The minute I mentioned the case, she couldn't stand it! It was all so sudden! However, I injected her with a tranquilizer, so she should be calm! But, her mental state is rather worrisome!"

"Leader Zhao, there you are!" Gao Facai, who was accompanied by his beautiful student, suddenly appeared at the door.

Zeng Ke saw the beautiful student and blushed.

"What happened? The ambulance is coming," Gao Facai asked, while pointing outside.

Only then did Zhao Yu tell Gao Facai everything that had just happened.

"Now that the murder has been solved! There's no need to push so much!" Gao Facai said. "As for the old case from a few decades ago, take your time with it! I have a DNA comparison here. Maybe it will be of some help to you!"

With that, Gao handed a document to Zhao Yu.

"Thank you very much!" Zhao Yu then remembered the fake document issue and said quickly, "If you hadn't done me a great favor, Captain Dou would not have confessed!"

"Leader Zhao, this document is also about Captain Dou, but..." Gao Facai frowned as he spoke, "this may be more shocking than the false one was!"

Zhao Yu took the document curiously and looked it over carefully. When he saw the report, he was stunned. All of the people were, of course, curious.

“Are you sure that this is correct? There is no mistake?” Zhao Yu asked.

Gao Facai nodded. “I’m 100% sure! I didn’t believe it either, so I redid it three times! Captain Dou and Cai Jinda are not cousins, but are brothers!”

Chapter 786: The Fourth Same One

“Brothers?” Ran Tao’s head felt fuzzy. “So... If Captain Dou and Cai Jinda are brothers, that means that Cai Jinda’s father and Liu Caiyun...”

Zhao Yu suddenly thought of something, too. “Liu Caiyun and Captain Dou...”

“It took me so long to come to this conclusion because I was comparing the data between them as well!” Gao Facai nodded, then said, “Liu Caiyun is Captain Dou’s mother. This is true!”

“Wow, the case from a few decades ago was very complicated.” Ran Tao shook his head. “Liu Caiyun had an affair with Cai Jinda’s father? The poor lighthouse keeper!”

Wu Xiumin said, “Captain Dou’s confession mentioned that, after Cai Xiangbin’s accident, Cai Xiangbin’s family came to harass Liu Caiyun on the island. Would that be the same time that something bad happened?”

“It’s unlikely...” Ran Tao said. “Cai Xiangbin was sentenced to death because Liu Caiyun said that he had raped her! Would Cai Xiangbin’s family dare do anything to Liu Caiyun? In that case, if Liu Caiyun sued them again, wouldn’t all of the men in Cai Xiangbin’s family go to prison? Maybe... There are some other possibilities?”

Zhao Yu pondered this a moment, then said, “Like... Cai Xiangbin slept with his sister-in-law? Maybe Cai Jinda is Cai Xiangbin’s son, and Captain Dou’s father is also Cai Xiangbin!”

“My God! What did you just say?” Ran Tao shook his head. “I can’t even stand to think about that! Cai Xiangbin really is a bada*s, hooking up with his sister-in-law and having a child with Liu Caiyun, too!”

“In theory, it’s possible! It’s a pity that Cai Xiangbin and Cai Jinda’s father are not alive, so we can’t get their DNA data!” Gao Facai said.

“From the point of view of time, both scenarios are possible!” Zeng Ke kept his eyes on the beautiful female student beside Gao Facai as he spoke earnestly, like a professional, “According to the date of Captain Dou’s birth, it coincides with the time when Cai Xiangbin raped Liu Caiyun! But, if after that, Cai Jinda’s father also went to the island, his being the father is also possible!”

“But... I prefer the first possibility!” Wu Xiumin said. “Before, I was responsible for investigating the lighthouse case. According to my understanding, I think that Cai Jinda is not Cai Xiangbin’s son. Firstly, Cai Xiangbin was a seaman, who worked on other people’s fishing boats. Cai Jinda’s parents were engaged in processing fishery products, and the couple often stayed at home and were inseparable. Therefore, Cai Xiangbin would have had a difficult time hooking up with his sister-in-law.”

Wu Xiumin went on, "Secondly, Cai Jinda's father was the eldest son, while Cai Xiangbin was the fourth son in his family. The age difference between them was 13 years. Cai Jinda's mother was the same age as his father, so it seems far-fetched that Cai Xiangbin would fancy a sister-in-law, who was 13 years older than him!"

Then, Wu Xiumin asked, "Thirdly, have you seen what Cai Jinda's mother looked like?"

"Ha ha... You have no experience in this kind of thing!" Ran Tao said. "It doesn't matter what she looked like! In this matter, Cai Xiangbin might have still been seduced by his sister-in-law. Cai Xiangbin was young and strong, after all."

"What? It sounds like you have experience in this kind of thing," Wu Xiumin commented. "It seems like you did this a lot, too, didn't you?"

"You..." Ran Tao blushed.

"Hmm..." Zhao Yu quickly interrupted them, "Would it be possible that Cai Jinda's father had an affair with Liu Caiyun before Cai Xiangbin's accident?"

"That's not likely!" Wu Xiumin immediately answered. "I learned that, before the accident, Cai Xiangbin's family and the lighthouse couple had no contact with each other! However, according to the relatives of the keeper, the keeper did have some problems with sexual performance. Otherwise, he and Liu Caiyun would have had children long ago!"

Zhao Yu shook his head and sighed. "Alas! I never imagined that there would be another secret inside the secret!"

"If only Cai Jinda had a sibling!" Gao Facai said. "We can then at least test to see if he really his so-called father's child!"

"No. Cai Jinda is the only child!" Zeng Ke shook his head.

Ran Tao advised. "Well... We can just ask Cai Jinda's mother. The old lady must know!"

"Fool... What would you say if you were her?" Wu Xiumin shook her head. "But... As Cai Jinda's father died less than five years ago, if we opened his coffin, we might be able to extract some viable DNA tissue!"

"That's too much trouble, isn't it?" Zeng Ke shook his head. "Besides, even if it proves who is whose son, it has nothing to do with the case. We still wouldn't know the truth about the old lighthouse case."

Zeng Ke's remark was right. Zhao Yu thought the same, so he nodded and said, "So, the key point is that Liu Caiyun recovers soon, so that we can get this information from her. Xiumin, as you are a psychologist, we need your help."

Wu Xiumin nodded. "I'll go to the hospital..."

"Ran Tao..." Zhao Yu took the opportunity to say, "It's quite late. How can you let her go alone? Hurry up, you two go there together."

"Oh... Okay..." Ran Tao agreed, but looked very reluctant.

Zhao Yu then turned to Zeng Ke and said, "I have something urgent to do now. Come here..."

After Zeng Ke came over to Zhao Yu, Zhao Yu whispered something to him.

"I'm afraid it's not right to do that..." Zeng Ke hesitated.

Zhao Yu scolded him, "I am responsible for whatever happens!"

"Okay..." Zeng Ke nodded. He first looked at the beautiful student, reluctant to leave, then hurried away to carry out Zhao Yu's instructions.

"Leader Zhao!" At this time, Gao Facai addressed Zhao Yu, "Officer Wu is right. The corpse is less than five years, so it can still provide some effective DNA. If it is really necessary, we can open the coffin. I can help!"

"Ha ha... Thank you! But..." Zhao Yu said with a laugh, "It's not necessary! Rest assured, so many of the people involved are still alive, so solving this case won't be a difficult thing."

"Um... So... You've got a plan?" Gao Facai asked.

"It's very simple. We'll know the answer in the morning!" Zhao Yu laughed and said, "Rest assured. You are the first one I will tell!"

"Good... Then we'll come over tomorrow and celebrate with you!" Gao Facai bowed, then left.

After that, Zhao Yu went to Bureau Chief Wang and explained in a few words to him. Then, he left the Quliang Police Station and went back to the hotel to sleep.

As soon as he opened the door and entered the room, a voice came from his brain's system, "Ending."

As a result of his solving the island murder case, his completion of the Gen Li hexagram had reached an astonishing 187%. He had also gotten 20 Invisible Browsers, which was a very fruitful harvest!

The case was over, and normally, Zhao Yu shouldn't open a new hexagram before having a good rest. However, in order to know the truth of the old lighthouse case, he opened a new hexagram.

Zhao Yu was surprised by the new hexagram. Unexpectedly, he had opened another Gen Li hexagram!

Chapter 787: Blood Test

Why?

As Zhao Yu sat on the bed, many questions swirled in his head.

This was the fourth time! The system had been showing exactly the same "Gen Li" hexagram for four consecutive days!

Zhao Yu placed great trust in the systems' hexagrams. In fact, if it had not been for the hexagrams, he would not have been so sure that the murder case was related to Captain Dou.

But, now that Captain Dou had confessed his guilt, he had to wonder... What did the system mean by giving me another Gen Li hexagram, which represents a friend?

After careful analysis, Zhao Yu felt that there should be no big problem with the Gen part of the hexagram, since the current island murder case was over and they had made some new progress in the old lighthouse murder case. Therefore, the Gen hexagram indicated that, within the next day, there would be even more progress in the old case.

However, the Li part of the hexagram's meaning was unclear. He wondered...

Will I make new friends again? Or... Does it still represent Captain Dou? Is there anything else that has not already been confessed by Captain Dou?

Zhao Yu was very tired, but after seeing the incomprehensible hexagram, he couldn't help but think about it. A few minutes later, he examined the location of the new side adventure, which was also confusing.

The side adventure pointed to somewhere that was 500 kilometers away, not in Quliang at all! And... The time for the side adventure was 8:15 in the evening.

Oh my god!

What the heck is this?

Why does the side adventure have to take place 500 kilometers away?

Are new crimes taking place?

But...

"Ah, hero, please accompany me in pursuit of my dream..."

Suddenly, Zhao Yu's mobile phone rang abruptly. As Zhao Yu was thinking hard about these things, it startled him. He looked down to see that the screen showed an unknown number.

Who is this?

Zhao Yu looked at his watch. It was almost three o'clock in the middle of the night. Who would call me at this crazy time of night?

Zhao Yu could not help but regret opening the new hexagram. He instinctively realized that such a late call could not be a good thing. Maybe, it is an emergency that needs immediate action!

However, the phone kept ringing. So, he finally pressed the answer button.

"Hello, who is this?" Zhao Yu asked.

"I heard that you solved another big case. Congratulations." There was a cheerful woman's voice on the other end of the phone.

After hearing her voice, Zhao Yu jumped up from the bed. "Miao... It's you!"

Zhao Yu had no idea that Miao Ying would be calling him at this time. Since he had returned from New Zealand, Zhao Yu had been looking forward to Miao Ying's making contact with him, so he was ecstatic when the phone finally rang!

Miao Ying's laughter came from the phone. "Wow, you didn't even use your swear words! It seems that being a leader has changed you! Have you become civilized?"

"Holy shi*! Honey, where are you? You're back? Has everything been settled? I missed you so much!" Zhao Yu expressed his feelings eagerly.

"Ha ha ha ha..." Miao Ying laughed and said, "Don't worry. It's almost all settled! I can come back in two days! You haven't touched the Beiqian Devil Case yet, have you? It seems that I can catch up with it!"

"Great! I just settled the Yongjin Island murder. When you come back, let's go to Beiqian together and catch the murderer!" Zhao Yu was very excited.

"Um... How is everything going? Have you been causing a lot of trouble?" Miao Ying asked.

"What do you think of me? I am a gentleman. How could you think that I always cause trouble?" Zhao Yu asked.

Next, they exchanged recent news. Miao Ying told Zhao Yu that the financial war had begun, and because they had taken the initiative, they had caught the other party by surprise. For some time to come, the other party would be too busy worrying about themselves and have no time to fight back!

Therefore, Miao Ying family's overseas mission had ended, and it would only take a few days for them to return home. Moreover, Miao Ying said that she had prepared a surprise for Zhao Yu! After Zhao Yu had joked that the surprise had better not be that his future father-in-law had prepared another bottle of red wine for him, they laughed.

Later, they chatted about the case. Zhao Yu gave a full account of his heroic deeds in the Yongjin murder case. Miao Ying was fascinated and hated not having been there.

"In that case, what are you going to do to identify their relatives and find out whose sons they are?" Miao Ying asked curiously.

Zhao Yu laughed. "I've arranged for them to take a blood test!"

"What's that?" Miao Ying asked.

But, Zhao Yu only told her that it was a secret, so Miao Ying scolded him, "You dare to keep secrets from me? You are a dead man when I get back!"

"Okay! We can fight 300 rounds, both in the bed and in the bathtub!" Zhao Yu took the opportunity to make a long, hot speech, which made Miao Ying scold him even more.

The next morning, Gao Facai did not break his promise. He took his beautiful student to the Quliang Police Station to visit Zhao Yu.

However, as he had come quite early, Zhao Yu hadn't arrived yet, so they had to go to the reception room and wait for him, while drinking tea. The beautiful student named Zhang Peipei was a great assistant.

"Mr. Gao, I don't understand. Why did you provide Zhao Yu with that false document?" Zhang Peipei asked. "If Captain Dou had not confessed, it would have caused us to be in so much trouble!"

“What false document?” Gao Facai asked her calmly. “The result of my test proves that Captain Dou and Cai Jinda have a close blood relationship. Facts prove that they are brothers!”

“I don’t mean that! If... Um... If Captain Dou is really the child of the lighthouse couple, will you help Zhao Yu to cheat?” Zhang Peipei asked him solemnly.

“Ha ha...” Gao Facai suddenly laughed, “Peipei, you are still young. You will need more experience to understand!”

“I’m worried about you!” Zhang Peipei said earnestly, “Although the result turned out to be ideal, I am very disgusted with Zhao Yu’s methods! Teacher Gao, we have solemnly vowed to be responsible for our own actions. How can we act recklessly? If you fake evidence, it’s a crime!”

“Ha ha...” Gao just smiled and said, “Peipei, you’re right!”

“But... What do you think Zhao Yu will do today in order to identify Captain Dou and Cai Jinda?” Zhang Peipei asked.

“Um... I don’t know!” Gao Facai answered her simply.

Hearing this, Zhang Peipei frowned and said, “I think we should still focus on Liu Caiyun.”

Just after Zhang Peipei finished speaking, there was a sudden noise outside the door. It was Zhao Yu’s voice.

Gao Facai made a gesture to Zhang Peipei, then put down his cup and went out the door. He saw that Zhao Yu was pulling two middle-aged men as he was walking quickly to the interrogation room. The two men had been beaten badly and had blood on their faces.

“Gao Facai! You’re here.” When Zhao Yu saw Gao Facai, he greeted him in a hurry.

“Leader Zhao, what are you doing?” Gao Facai asked before he looked at the two men, neither of whom he knew.

Zhao Yu pointed to the two men and said, “I wanted to do a blood test to identify Cai Jinda and Captain Dou, but I didn’t expect that they would quickly go ahead and tell me the truth! Therefore, Captain Dou and Cai Jinda’s relationship has already been clarified!”

“Oh?” Gao Facai and Zhang Peipei were confused.

Zhao Yu said pointing, while still pointing to the two men, “This is Cai Jinda’s second uncle, and the other one is his third uncle! They have just explained that, after Cai Xiangbin was sentenced to death that year, their eldest brother went to Yongjin Island more than once to negotiate with Liu Caiyun!”

He then added, “Once, after they couldn’t come to an agreement, Cai Xiangbin’s eldest brother did something horrible to Liu Caiyun! Therefore, the answer is clear... Cai Xiangbin’s eldest brother is not a cuckold. In fact, Captain Dou and Cai Jinda are both Cai Xiangbin’s eldest brother’s sons!”

“This...” Gao Facai sighed in his heart, truly realizing for the first time that Zhao Yu was really a badas*! After all, such a complicated thing had been solved with his fists!

Chapter 788: Emergency Order

“So, our first guess was right!” Zhao Yu said. “Because Cai Xiangbin’s family had done terrible things to Liu Caiyun, she wanted to take revenge! That might be the reason why she wanted to kill Cai Jinda.”

“Mr. Gao!” At this time, Zhang Peipei couldn’t stand listening to Zhao Yu anymore, so she whispered in a low voice, while pulling Gao Facai’s sleeves, “You see? How can he do this? He’s going against the rules.”

“Huh?” As they were all in such close proximity to one another, of course, their conversation did not escape Zhao Yu’s ears. He bluntly said to Zhang Peipei, “Who are you to criticize me? How am I going against the rules?”

“Hmm...” Zhang Peipei stepped back from Zhao Yu in fear.

“Peipei...” Gao Facai quickly went in front of Zhang Peipei, but the stubborn girl still spoke to Zhao Yu with an attitude of total disobedience, “You beat them! Tortured them... Extorted a confession!”

Zhao Yu stared at her with his evil-looking eyes. Zhang Peipei had no reaction, but the two men who were beaten were shivering all over.

“Well, you are just an assistant, so how dare you question me?” Zhao Yu began to roll up his sleeves.

“Leader Zhao...” Seeing that things were not going well, Gao Facai urgently tried to calm Zhao Yu down.

“Come on...” Zhao Yu said, while he pointed to the two men. “Let those two tell the truth. Come on... Talk!”

When Zhao Yu roared at them, they shook all over.

Cai Jinda’s second uncle nodded his head nonstop as he said, “We fell from our bikes, and it had nothing to do with this officer!”

“Yes!” The third uncle nodded his head and agreed. “We cooperated with the police. When this officer came to talk to us, we took the initiative to explain it all!”

The second uncle’s nose was still bleeding as he said, “My eldest brother really went too far! What he did to Liu Caiyun is really shameful.”

“Yes!” Another man wiped the bloodstains from the corners of his mouth, then said, “Thanks to the police’s investigation, we now have the truth!”

“Alright!” Zhao Yu said impatiently. “Hurry up and go to the interrogation room to put on record exactly what happened that year.”

After that, he deliberately walked up to Zhang Peipei. Then, without saying anything, he snorted and turned away.

Zhang Peipei was frightened to death, so she trembled violently. She had never seen a policeman like Zhao Yu before.

A few minutes later, in the police office.

“Group leader? Is it really that simple?” Zeng Ke scratched his head and asked. “Cai Jinda’s second uncle and third uncle know what happened, so you just moved your fists and solved everything? We even were thinking of opening the coffin yesterday!”

“They confessed that after Cai Xiangbin’s sentence, they and their eldest brother went to the island to negotiate with Liu Caiyun and ask her to dismiss her charge!” Zhao Yu said. “But, Liu Caiyun refused, insisting that the murderer was Cai Xiangbin! Later, when their negotiation didn’t go well, things got out of control!”

Zhao Yu then went on, “While they were arguing and pushing, Liu Caiyun’s clothes were torn. Then, when the three brothers saw that, they pushed Liu Caiyun down on the ground and did that horrible thing to her.”

He shook his head. “After that, they worried that Liu Caiyun had their liquid in her, so they forced her to clean herself up and threatened to come back later if she disagreed with their proposal. My guess is that Liu Caiyun knew then that she had to flee Yongjin Island right away!”

“Oh my!” Zeng Ke was shocked. He then asked, “Since they made her clean their fluids from herself, is it possible for Liu Caiyun to have gotten pregnant from this assault?”

“The two brothers said that, after the first time, the eldest brother might have come to the island secretly again without them,” Zhao Yu said. “But, that’s just speculation!”

“Although the eldest is definitely guilty, the two brothers are hardly innocent!” Zeng Ke clenched his fists angrily. “After all, that’s rape!”

“Captain Dou is the eldest one’s child, so at least we can confidently say that the eldest is guilty!” Zhao Yu said. “When I gave them the blood test, the third brother insisted that he didn’t participate in the rape, but just offered some help!”

He shook his head. “But, the second one was different. That fellow’s eyes didn’t look right. Although he refused to admit his guilt, we should interrogate him carefully!”

“Okay. I will inform Bureau Chief Wang to submit him to a strict interrogation to make sure that the facts are clear!” Zeng Ke said. “Even if the crime was committed decades ago, they still cannot be allowed get away with it!”

“It’s alright. Wu Xiumin has already talked to me!” Zhao Yu said. “Liu Caiyun’s situation has been stabilized. So, it won’t be long before the interrogation can continue! As long as she is willing to tell the truth, none of them can get away!”

“Wow... Also, I wonder how Captain Dou would react if he knew that he killed his brother?” Zeng Ke asked.

“Well... He has to face it sooner or later!” Zhao Yu said. “Let’s get down to business. Do you handle what I asked you to do?”

“Oh, team leader! Don’t you believe in my ability yet?” Zeng Ke smiled slightly as he spoke, “Not only have I finished the task without leaving any trace, but I even made it look like an accident!”

“Good... That’s good...” Zhao Yu thought for a moment, then said, “Oh, I heard that Bureau Chief Wang contacted the Marine Police to salvage the body of Guo Yihang!”

“Um... Yes! Although the chance is slim, according to the procedure, no matter how difficult it is, they need to try to salvage it! Bureau Chief Wang went to the Marine Police last night!” Zeng Ke waved his hand as he spoke, “Maybe this morning, we should take Captain Dou to identify the position?”

Zhao Yu shook his head and sighed. “Seven lives lost... I didn’t expect that it would be such a sad story.”

As often occurred after the completion of a case, Zhao Yu could not find a clear right or wrong point in this isolated island murder case. The deceased victims did all kinds of bad things, while the murderer’s motive for killing almost seemed justified. Regardless, the crime was heinous and horrible!

Looking at it solely from the perspective of the legal system, Zhao Yu could differentiate right from wrong, but if he looked at it from the perspective of morality, Zhao Yu felt confused.

Suddenly, Zhao Yu’s mobile phone rang. It was Chen Zhuo, the liaison officer, calling.

“Leader Zhao! We’ve just received emergency orders!” As soon as the call went through, Chen Zhuo’s impatient voice was heard over the phone, “You must return to the Criminal Division to report before 8 o’clock tomorrow morning! Please note that all members of the Special Investigation Group must be present!”

No way! Zhao Yu thought of his hexagram as he asked, “What’s the matter? Didn’t I tell you? I’m still at the finishing stage, as there’s another old case that hasn’t been cleared up yet!”

“Rest assured. It’s a good thing!” Chen Zhuo said. “Tomorrow morning, the Criminal Division will hold a grand press conference regarding the closure of the Headless Female Corpses Case! This is the largest conference that has been held by the Criminal Division in the last 10 years. Leaders at all levels will come to participate. As our biggest star, you can’t miss it!”

“The Headless Female Corpses Case? A press conference? What do you mean?” Zhao Yu frowned. “Can’t they wait for two days?”

“My God, what are you talking about...” Chen Zhuo had just asked this, when a woman quickly grabbed the phone from him and said to Zhao Yu over the phone, “Zhao Yu! I am Jiao Guofeng. Hurry up and put down any work at hand, as tomorrow morning, you must return to the Criminal Division!”

She then added, “Also, as the team leader, you have to prepare a speech, mainly about the Headless Female Corpses Case. Make your team members write it for you if you have to, then send it to me immediately!”

“Division Chief Jiao?” Zhao Yu heard Jiao Guofeng’s familiar voice. Only then did he realize that tomorrow’s conference must be quite important.

She then said, “Zhao Yu, I first want to congratulate you on breaking the Yongjin Island case, but the final work will be handled by their local Provincial Office!” Division Chief Jiao said. “You and your people must come back now. The Headless Female Corpses Case has been listed as a super-large case countrywide, and it has always attracted the attention of many people. Therefore, your detective skills have won great honor for our Criminal Division.”

She went on, "The Bureau Chief is very happy. In fact, he specially prepared this grand press conference to announce the results to the outside world. Tomorrow, the Publicity Department, TV stations, the largest news platform, as well as relevant units will all be in attendance. So, be sure to prepare your speech! Zhao Yu, you and your Special Investigation Group are going to be famous!"

Zhao Yu then asked without hesitation, "Then, is my promotion on the agenda?"

Chapter 789: All the Way North

Zhao Yu's Land Rover speeded along the expressway, heading north. The sky was grey, and it appeared as if a blizzard was brewing. There were very few cars on the expressway, as well as very few people outdoors.

"Ran Tao, you talk too much!" Zhao Yu said to Ran Tao, who was in the backseat.

As he drove the car, Zhao Yu then added, "Now, you should take a nap, as it will be your turn to drive this afternoon!"

Ran Tao said helplessly, "Poor me. I have nothing else to do these days except to drive and walk the dog!"

Tycoon, who was also in the car, seemed to understand him and barked twice.

"What a pity!" Wu Xiumin complained. "Based on the information from this morning's observation report, Liu Caiyun's condition has stabilized! If we could stay, we should be able to find out the whole truth! I am afraid that those people coming from the Provincial Bureau don't understand the case well enough and won't know how to talk with Liu Caiyun."

Zeng Ke then asked, "Why don't they inform us in advance when the Criminal Division is going to hold such a grand press conference? I still have a lot of work left, and my report on this case is difficult to complete!"

After hearing him complain, Zhao Yu said, "The report should be easy! As long as you highlight my positive image, revealing me as noble, heroic, and invincible, as well as recording how much I love my job and devote myself to my work, such as forgetting to eat and sleep, uniting my colleagues, and putting my life aside, it should be perfect!"

When the other three heard Zhao Yu's conceited words, they were too embarrassed to say anything.

"But, let's talk about the conference..." Zhao Yu licked his lips and said, "In fact, Chen Zhuo did tell me about it earlier, but at that time, I was busy with the case so I didn't take it too seriously! I didn't expect it to be so big!"

Despite Zhao Yu's confident and somewhat domineering attitudes to others, once he was placed under the spotlight, he often felt uncomfortable. The reason for this might be that he was accustomed to doing shady things in his previous life.

So, when he was suddenly exposed to the public, he felt at a loss for how to act. He always felt that those who brought attention to him had bad intentions and wanted to expose him.

“But, it’s a great thing!” Ran Tao said. “After all, we have made a great achievement! Boss, think about it... Besides awards, how much of a bonus do you think that we might get this time? I’ve always wanted to buy an Audi Q5. Do you think that is possible?”

“Listen at yourself! You want to get it for attracting girls, right?” Wu Xiumin took the opportunity to tease him. “You forget what we do! I just found three long, purple hairs on the seat. I remember that kind of hair. Let’s guess who has been in this car!”

“What the heck? Wu Xiumin! Why can’t you be nice to me?” Ran Tao stood up straight and then explained to Zhao Yu, “Boss, you have to believe me. It’s all for work! That day in Jinhai, in order to get Qiao Ruxue’s confession, I had to give her a ride. We really didn’t do anything! You know me. if I really want to do anything with a woman, it would be at a hotel. I’d never dare to mess around in the boss’ car!”

Ran Tao knew that Zhao Yu was very particular about his car, so he tried his best to explain, while sweat beaded up on his forehead.

“I found the hair under the cushion, which means that Qiao Ruxue must have been lying down...” Wu Xiumin continued to tease Ran Tao. “You’re disgusting, as there was even a dog in the car, which means that you were doing it with Qiao Ruxue in front of our leader’s dog! I dare not even think of it!”

“Ran Tao!” Zhao Yu pounded the steering wheel, which scared Ran Tao. Zhao Yu then roared, “Don’t you share good things, like details, with your buddies? How was Qiao Ruxue? Good figure? What’s her number?”

“Ewww...” Wu Xiumin rolled her eyes.

In this way, they joked around with each other as they headed toward the capital. It was 1,200 kilometers from Quliang to the capital. As they started at 10 a.m., even if they drove very fast, they wouldn’t arrive there until nighttime.

This time, Zhao Yu finally understood the instructions of the system. He roughly calculated that, at 8 p.m., their car would happen to pass the location that had been indicated. It turned out that the system had planned everything, knowing that they would have to travel today.

However, this trip was different from ones before. Although the Yongjin murder case was already solved, much of the closing work had not yet been dealt with because of the rush.

Hence, along the way, they were concerned about the progress of the case. In particular, they were eager to know the results of Liu Caiyun’s interrogation.

The interrogation experts from the Provincial Bureau had arrived at the Quliang police station at noon, so even if the interrogation went smoothly, the results would not be known until it was dark.

Before leaving, Zhao Yu had already told Bureau Chief Wang that, no matter what progress the investigation made, he should report it to him immediately. Bureau Chief Wang followed his instructions and sent the information of today’s work.

Upon receiving the information, Zhao Yu saw that he had guessed right. Cai Jinda's father and his second uncle had both participated in the violent attack against Liu Caiyun. However, Cai Jinda's father did it more than once, which resulted in Liu Caiyun's becoming pregnant with Captain Dou.

Although his third uncle did not take off his trousers, he was also involved in the crime, so he was also guilty, but lesser so than the other two. Of course, this kind of crime, which happened more than 30 years ago, needed to be handled differently via a lot of procedural red tape.

However, Cai Xiangbin's brothers would eventually be punished by the law. No matter how many years had passed, they still had to pay for their actions.

On the other hand, after Captain Dou had identified its position, the local Marine Police force had sent professional submarines to salvage Guo Yihang's corpse. Unfortunately, the local seabed topography was too complex, so they were finally forced to give up the search before finding it.

Although Guo Yihang's body was not found, the facts of Captain Dou's and Liu Caiyun's guilt were conclusive. Thus, the mother and son had to accept their fair punishments.

In addition to these things, as the case was clear, the Chaohai Police Station had been cooperating with family members to claim the bodies. Although Zhao Yu was not there himself, he could imagine what a tragic scene it was! Even though Qian Jin, Zhang Chenggong, Qin Hao and the others had done bad things, it was still sad that their lives had ended in such a way.

Once upon a time, Zhao Yu had the same mentality as Captain Dou, believing that, since he was a law enforcement officer, he had the right to use evil means to right wrongs. Now, he fully understood that, as a law enforcer, what he needed to do was to treat the problem objectively and fairly and maintain a healthy mentality instead of acting on impulse! Otherwise, once he had an evil thought, the consequences would be catastrophic, just like what had happened with Captain Dou!

It was approaching evening and a light snow began to fall. It melted the moment it fell on the ground, so it did not affect their driving.

Along the way, Zhao Yu let Ran Tao drive his car, while he slept comfortably in the back. As the car drove along smoothly and quickly, they were within the scope of the side adventure before seven o'clock.

Zhao Yu looked at the map. The place was called Fengdian, which was a county in Wenxi City. They were still more than 300 kilometers away from the capital. At Zhao Yu's request, Ran Tao drove the car off of the expressway and into the county.

Zhao Yu knew that, since it was in such a small county town, which was so far away from Quliang, the side adventure had nothing to do with the case. However, since the hexagram was a Gen Li again, he still had some vague excitement about it. He honestly didn't know what he would encounter this time.

Chapter 790: Distant Truth

"Hotpot chicken?" Zeng Ke shook his head and said, "This is the first time I've heard of it! Is it delicious?"

"We also have hotpot chicken in Qinshan, but it looks different!" Zhao Yu looked at the pictures on the menu and said, "Ours is a kind of pot soup that is used for health purposes. This seems very spicy!"

“Hey!” Ran Tao pointed to the menu and said, “This is a special dish from Wenxi! The chicken is fried before it’s stewed. It tastes really great. It is said that it was adapted from a Sichuan dish. In the whole northern region, Wenxi makes it the best.”

“Then... Is it spicy or not?” Zeng Ke asked. “I can’t do anything too hot, okay?”

“Sir, we have a Yuanyang pot. It’s a two-flavor hotpot, which is half spicy and half braised with brown sauce. You can have a try!” the waiter said enthusiastically.

The hotpot shop was named 0317. Zhao Yu carefully compared its location with the map.

Apparently, the side adventure would happen here at 8:15 tonight. That timing was good for Zhao Yu, as he could eat while he was waiting for the side adventure to take place.

“Well, let’s have a Yuanyang pot then!” Zhao Yu snapped his fingers and placed his order, also getting some cold dishes and beer.

“Boss... Um...” Ran Tao saw Zhao Yu ordering alcohol and wanted to say something, but finally dismissed the idea.

“What?” Zhao Yu glared at him. “You are the one who must not drink, as you will need to drive later!”

“Boss, please! I’ve been working all day. Last night, I was in the hospital watching Liu Caiyun and didn’t sleep at all!” Ran Tao complained.

He then pointed to Wu Xiumin and said, “Wu Xiumin can drive. Also, since she does not drink, that works out perfectly! We can just let her drive later.”

“No! Ran Tao, remember our division of duties! You are a field worker, and I am a psychologist. So, it’s your job to drive!” Wu Xiumin wouldn’t let Ran Tao shirk his responsibilities so easily.

Zeng Ke quickly grabbed a bottle of beer and drank a big pulp. He then said, “My driver’s license has limitations on it, one of which is that I can’t drive at high speeds!”

“Shame on you!” Ran Tao put his beer aside gloomily and glared at Zeng Ke.

Meanwhile, Zhao Yu looked around. The hotpot shop was not small and was well decorated, but because of its remote location and the snow outside, there were not many diners in the lobby.

Just behind them was a table of six or seven diners, all of whom were tall and strong. They behaved gracefully as they drank and talked softly.

The hotpot chicken was served in an old-fashioned copper pot on a charcoal stove. As such, it took some time for the waiter to ignite the stove.

“Leader...” Wu Xiumin said, “You’ve been studying five outstanding cases for quite a long time, so don’t you know where Fengdian is?”

“Fengdian?” Zhao Yu didn’t follow her. “What about it?”

“Do you really not know?” Wu Xiumin shook her head, then said, “The Baishan Reservoir! This reservoir is under the jurisdiction of Fengdian County! One of the five outstanding cases, the Baishan Reservoir Dismembered Body Case, happened here!”

“Oh...” Zhao Yu then remembered it and said, “Finally, the murderer turned out to be the forest ranger, right? Does he have some mental problem?”

“Yes,” Wu Xiumin said. “Moreover, the details of the case have been kept secret by the police.”

“Why?” Zeng Ke asked. “If the case has already been solved, why would there be any secrets that can’t be publicized?”

“Um... I tried to ask this same question too!” Zhao Yu said. “But, I failed to get permission to look into the matter further. I only was told that the case had been broken by a person with a special ability!”

“Wow! That is mysterious!” Zeng Ke laughed. “If someone with a special ability can solve cases, why do we need a Special Investigation Group?”

“Hmm...” This made Zhao Yu wonder if his Miracle System was his special ability.

“Anyway, the case is solved!” Wu Xiumin said, “Now, there are only three of the five outstanding cases left. And, in speaking a strict sense, the Devil Case is not even a real outstanding case!”

“Well, there’s absolutely something wrong with the Devil Case!” Zhao Yu said. “Otherwise, it would not have been written down in the yellow notebook!”

“Yes! Nine of the deceased fell and died in the same way. In terms of the timeline, it is definitely problematic!” Zeng Ke agreed.

During their conversation, the waiter had brought the steaming hotpot to the table. The aroma of the hotpot chicken smelled wonderful, which greatly increased their appetites.

“Wow, it’s delicious...” Zeng couldn’t help but exclaim.

Bang!

At that moment, the front door of the restaurant opened and two people came in from outside. One was a middle-aged man, who was dressed in a woolen suit and appeared to be about forty years old.

He had dagger-shaped eyebrows and looked very energetic. He was tall and had closely cropped hair, and at first glance, one could tell that he was unusual.

Behind him was a stubborn-looking young man, who was slightly shorter. In terms of his moves and expression, the tall man was clearly his superior.

After they entered the hotel, they went straight to a small table in the corner. The young man reached out to the waiter and ordered a pot of hotpot chicken.

“I haven’t had authentic hotpot chicken for a long time!” the middle-aged man said, while he took off his woolen suit and revealed a plaid shirt underneath it.

“Sir, would you like beer or white wine?” the young man asked.

“Ha ha ha... Beer, as that goes best with hotpot chicken!” The middle-aged man smiled brightly, while he asked the waiter, “Hello, do you have any cold beer?”

“Wow, as there is snow flying all over, I can’t believe that you can still drink cold!” The waiter laughed. “If you insist on this drink, I can only take a few bottles out and freeze them for you...”

After that, they looked at each other and laughed.

Seeing this, Zhao Yu thought that it would be rude to interrupt them, so turned back. Now, with an hour to go before the side adventure happened, he began to wonder what would happen and who would be involved.

“Come on... Have a try!” At this time, Zeng Ke helped Zhao Yu pour vinegar sauce and put a large piece of chicken in it.

Just as Zhao Yu was about to try this piece, his mobile phone rang. So, he had to put down his chopsticks and checked his phone. He was immediately startled.

“Um... Team leader, what’s wrong?” Zeng Ke saw that something was wrong, so he asked, “What happened?”

“No!” Zhao Yu shook his head gently, then put his mobile phone on the table and said, “Liu Caiyun has confessed! This... It’s her confession! All of the facts of the lighthouse case are now clear!”

Everyone was shocked and rushed to the mobile phone to look at it.

“Oh my god! How could this be?” Wu Xiumin sat down dejectedly after reading it. “If I had thought of 100 possibilities beforehand, I would still never have guessed...”

“Yes.” Zeng Ke’s was also a grave face. “Why did this happen? I can’t guess either!”

Zhao Yu picked up a bottle and had a gulp of wine. “Cai Xiangbin, you can now rest in peace!” he muttered.

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35 years ago at Yongjin Island.

The night was silent. The shining lights on the lighthouse shone on the vast sea, pointing out the correct course for the passing ships. In the lounge that was under the lighthouse, there came the sound of a man and a woman gasping.

Liu Caiyun was pressed down by Cai Xiangbin. Her body twisted and writhed. On the one hand, she didn’t want to betray her husband, but on the other hand, she couldn’t resist the burning desire in her heart and body.

Liu Caiyun had lived on the island with the lighthouse keeper for six years after she married him, but during these six years, although she lived comfortably, she never had gotten the taste of a passionate orgasm that a woman should have.

This was because the lighthouse keeper had been injured in his childhood and had no male sexual functions. So, besides his inability to have children, this condition affected even his most basic abilities.

Before he got married, the lighthouse keeper did not tell Liu Caiyun about this serious problem. For this reason, he felt ashamed, guilty, and sorry for his wife.

Although Liu Caiyun, who had never been seen an outsider on the island, was not happy with it, she just accepted her fate in sadness and silence. However, after they rescued the young and handsome sailor from the sea, everything seemed to have changed.

In fact, when Liu Caiyun and her husband rescued Cai Xiangbin from the sea, she did not have any special feelings towards him, but later, when she was helping Cai Xiangbin change clothes, she accidentally saw his body. It was during that glimpse that Liu Caiyun, who was a beautiful young woman, and Cai Xiangbin, who was a vigorous young man, saw an opportunity.

So, they had a brief and dubious relationship. Subsequently, the lonely Liu Caiyun, while her husband was asleep at night, would quietly come to Cai Xiangbin's room and have sex with him.

However, Liu Caiyun never expected that her husband had never really fallen asleep, but had followed her and had seen everything!