

Crazy Wife 121

Chapter 121: Proposing Marriage to Whom? (3)

Elegance Lagoon Pavilion, in the reception room of the Heavenly Phoenix Academy...

"Miss, haven't you made up with Deputy Leader Ye?" Feng Da couldn't help asking when he walked to Leng Ruoxue's side. During the past two days, the tension between Deputy Leader Ye and their young lady had made things so tense that they didn't dare to speak loudly, and everyone was very cautious.

"He refuses to talk to me, so there's nothing I can do!" Leng Ruoxue said helplessly. *?Isn't Freak a little too petty? It's been more than two days, and he's still ignoring me.*

"Miss, men need to be coaxed. You are a woman, so you should give in to Deputy Leader Ye!" Feng Da said, thinking that he was being very fair.

When Leng Ruoxue heard Feng Da's words, she broke out in cold sweat. *?What does he mean by men need to be coaxed? What does he mean by women should give in to men?*

Why does this sound so uncomfortable to me? Isn't it the opposite?! I might not have been in love in my previous life, but you shouldn't lie to me like this!

"Miss, go and coax Deputy Leader Ye. He's easy to coax," Feng Da continued.

"Oh, alright!" She couldn't continue like this. She was really not used to having Freak not sticking to her!

Leng Ruoxue left the reception room and went straight to Freak's room.

She knocked on the door of the room, but no one answered.

No one? I didn't hear Freak going out.?Leng Ruoxue waited for a while and was about to leave when the door opened.

"What are you doing?" Leng Ruoxue couldn't help asking when she entered the room. *?Freak is really too abnormal.*

"In a daze!" Freak said coldly, his eyes still a little red.

"Are you still angry? I was wrong. Don't be angry, okay?" Leng Ruoxue coaxed patiently.

Freak lowered his head and didn't say anything...

"I'm talking to you. Did you hear me?"

Freak still didn't say anything...

"If you're not going to say anything, I'm leaving!" Leng Ruoxue threatened and turned around to leave.

She had just taken two steps when a pair of strong arms hugged her tightly.

"You're not allowed to go!" Freak said domineeringly as he hugged her even more tightly.

"You're ignoring me, but I'm not allowed to leave?" Leng Ruoxue said deliberately, but she was overjoyed in her heart. *?Hmph! Freak isn't the only one who can act.*

“You bullied me first,” Freak said aggrievedly.

“I...” Leng Ruoxue was about to say something when her grandfather interrupted her.

“Xue’er, someone from the Huo family is here.” Leng Qingtian knocked on Ye Chen’s door.

“Okay, Grandpa.”

“Freak, could the Huo family be here to settle scores with you?” Leng Ruoxue guessed. It would be strange if the Huo family would let Freak go after he beat up the genius young master of the Huo family to the point that his face flew all over the place!

“Okay, then you have to protect me,” Ye Chen said a little arrogantly. *Oh, Xue’er smells so good and feels so soft!*

“Let’s go take a look!” Leng Ruoxue said. *There are still three rounds before the individual competition is over. What does the Huo family want by sending someone here at this time?*

“Must we go?” Freak said reluctantly. How could he bear to leave when a beauty was in his arms? *Boohoo... This is such a bad time.* His patience for the past two days was all for this moment!

“Grandpa called us, so of course we have to go,” Leng Ruoxue said. *Grandpa won’t bother me unless it’s something important.*

“Alright then!” Freak said reluctantly, but he refused to let go of Xue’er. He hadn’t hugged her enough yet!

“Let go!” *How can we go out like this!*

“No! I haven’t hugged you enough!” Freak said willfully.

“Let’s go see what’s the matter first. I’ll let you hug me when we’re back,” Leng Ruoxue coaxed. *Why does Freak behave like a child at times?*

“It’s a promise!” Freak said happily.

“Yes, I said so.”

After leaving the room, they went to the reception room, where an elder sent by the Huo family was waiting for her.

“Lass, this is the Huo family’s first elder,” Elder Qiu introduced.

“Greetings, First Elder.” Leng Ruoxue greeted the tall and thin man, who was around 50 years old.

“Hehe, Miss Leng is too polite.” The Huo family’s first elder looked at Leng Ruoxue with satisfaction. Leng Ruoxue was no longer the Leng Ruoxue of the past. She was no longer the hateful simpleton! Who knew how many people were thinking of her. But only their young master was worthy of such a woman with both strength and beauty.

The Huo family’s first elder thought of his mission this time. He casually glanced at Ye Chen beside Leng Ruoxue and frowned slightly. Although Ye Chen was strong, he had no way to compare with their young

master in terms of identity and status. Therefore, he was very confident that Leng Ruoxue would definitely make the best choice after hearing his intentions.

“First Elder, what brings you here today?” Leng Ruoxue asked bluntly. Her time was precious, so it was better to get straight to the point.

“Hehe, Miss Leng, don’t be anxious! Listen to me slowly.” The first elder was very calm.

“First Elder, please speak directly. We have matches the day after tomorrow!” Leng Ruoxue said. What she implied was that he should say it quickly and that they didn’t have so much time to waste with him.

“Hehe, Miss Leng is an impatient person,” the first elder said with a smile, his expression very amiable.

“It’s good that First Elder knows.” Leng Ruoxue was losing her patience with this slow first elder.

“Hehe, it’s like this. General Leng, Miss Leng, I’m here today to propose marriage.” The first elder revealed his purpose. But his words were like a bomb that almost blasted the souls of everyone present out of their bodies.

“Pro-propose marriage? To whom?” Leng Qingtian stammered. *Am I hearing things?*

“Of course it’s Miss Leng!” the first elder said matter-of-factly.

“What?” Freak was furious when he heard this. *Does the Huo family treat me as a decoration? They actually came to propose marriage to my fiancée. They’re really going too far!*

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“What are you so excited about? Let the first elder finish speaking!” Leng Ruoxue hurriedly coaxed and pulled Freak, who was so angry that he wanted to beat him up.

Alright, I’ll bear with it! Let’s see what else this first elder has to say. Ye Chen endured his anger and glared at the first elder of the Huo family.

“Wait, First Elder, which Miss Leng?” Leng Qingtian was a little lost. He only had one granddaughter, and she was already engaged.

“General, you really like to crack jokes. Of course it’s Miss Leng Ruoxue! Don’t you only have this one granddaughter?” The first elder tried his best to ignore the glare directed at him.

“First Elder, I’m sorry! My granddaughter already has a fiancé,” Leng Qingtian explained.

“Hehe, General Leng, Miss Leng is so outstanding, so of course you should have a better choice. Don’t you think so?” The first elder directly ignored the fact that Leng Ruoxue had a fiancé and enticed her. He believed that no woman could refuse his proposal.

“I wonder who the better choice you are referring to is?” Leng Qingtian pretended to be stupid. After all, the Huo family was the biggest family on the Ling Feng Continent, so he didn’t want to offend them if possible. *The Huo family is too much. Who do they think they are?*

“Hehe, General Leng, if Miss Leng marries our young master, then she will be the future mistress of our Huo family. With such a noble identity, I believe all women will be envious of her,” the first elder said confidently.

“First Elder, is the young master you’re talking about Huo Qing?” Leng Qingtian asked.

“Of course. Our Huo family only has one young master!” the first elder said very clearly.

“First Elder, if I remember correctly, Huo Qing should already have a fiancée!” Leng Qingtian said with some displeasure. *“This Huo family is really too much. Do they really think that their young master is in high demand?”*

“Hehe, General Leng, you don’t have to worry about that. Our patriarch said that after Miss Leng marries in, she will be of equal status with Miss Shui Xinran. They will both be the main wives. Having multiple wives isn’t a big deal for men, but the status of the main wife is unshakeable,” the first elder assured.

Sitting by the side, Ye Chen listened to the first elder’s self-righteous words and was so angry that he really wanted to send the first elder to see his ancestors. But Xue’er kept pulling him back, not letting him act rashly. *“Alright, I’ll bear with it. Anyway, I know that Xue’er definitely won’t marry Huo Qing.”* He was still confident about this.

“First Elder, does Huo Qing know about this?” Leng Ruoxue suddenly asked. She guessed that Huo Qing shouldn’t know because he wouldn’t humiliate himself with his proud nature.

“Erm... Don’t worry, Miss Leng. The young master will follow the patriarch’s arrangements,” the first elder hurriedly said. He thought Leng Ruoxue was afraid that the young master was unwilling!

Huo Qing really doesn’t know. Since he doesn’t know about this, why did the Huo family come to propose marriage at this time?? Leng Ruoxue pondered.

“First Elder, do you think marrying Huo Qing is my best choice?” Leng Ruoxue asked lightly, making it impossible to guess what she was thinking.

“Of course. Marrying our young master is the dream of countless women,” the first elder said very proudly.

“But I don’t want to!” Leng Ruoxue said nonchalantly, her beautiful face still expressionless.

“What? You’re unwilling?” the first elder couldn’t help exclaiming after being stunned for a moment. *“There’s... actually a woman unwilling to marry our young master. H-how is this possible??* He had always been confident about their young master’s charm, so he was totally unable to accept it when he heard a woman rejecting their young master.

“First Elder, do you have any questions?” Leng Ruoxue looked as if she was answering his doubts with as much sincerity as possible.

“Erm... why aren’t you willing? Our young master is the future patriarch of the Huo family and also a stunning genius. Such a man is the dream of all women.” The first elder really couldn’t understand.

"This young lady doesn't share a husband with others," Leng Ruoxue said bluntly. She was obsessed about cleanliness with men, and she wouldn't accept anyone who had been tainted by others.

"B-but it's only right for a man to have multiple wives and concubines," the first elder said as though it was obvious. The status of women in this world was actually not high, and most of them were just pawns of their families for marriage alliances. They had to rely on men to survive, so he was very confident that Leng Ruoxue would be very happy with the Huo family's proposal.

But was Leng Ruoxue an ordinary woman? Of course not!

"First Elder, may I ask why it's only right for a man to have multiple wives and concubines?" Leng Ruoxue said with some displeasure. She hated people who favored males over females the most.

"Because of the high status of men! In this world, the strong are respected, and almost all the strong are men," the first elder explained.

"So, according to what First Elder says, powerhouses with high status can have multiple wives?" Leng Ruoxue smiled faintly.

"Of course. It's only right and proper for powerhouses to do whatever they want."

"What level would be considered a powerhouse?" Leng Ruoxue asked.

"At least Spiritual Sovereign!"

"According to First Elder's logic, I can also have multiple husbands and concubines then!" Leng Ruoxue said matter-of-factly.

"You are a woman. How can you have such thoughts?!" the first elder said very disapprovingly. *The most important thing for a woman is to be virtuous. How can she have such absurd thoughts?*

"But it was First Elder who said that the strong are respected. Anything the strong want to do is right and proper." Leng Ruoxue repeated the first elder's words.

"But..." the first elder stammered.

"Could it be that First Elder doesn't think I'm a powerhouse?" Leng Ruoxue forcefully asked while staring at the first elder.

"B-but you're a woman!" the first elder said with a depressed face, unwilling to give up.

"There are differences between male and female powerhouses? First Elder, you have to change your way of thinking," Leng Ruoxue said earnestly.

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The first elder was speechless, very speechless. But he could see that he had failed his mission this time. Leng Ruoxue would absolutely never marry their young master as long as Shui Xinran was around. *What should I do?*

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In fact, deep down, he felt that Leng Ruoxue was more suitable for their young master than Shui Xinran. He originally thought that while Shui Xinran's talent was mediocre, she was still the eldest young lady of the Shui family and the number one beauty on the Ling Feng Continent. She was barely qualified to be the future mistress of the Huo family. However, not only was Shui Xinran not as strong as Leng Ruoxue, but she also paled in comparison in what she had the most pride in—beauty. *?Alas! Shui Xinran isn't worthy of our young master no matter how I think about it now.*

"Erm... Miss Leng, don't be in a hurry to decline this matter. In my opinion, you should consider it carefully. As for Shui Xinran, I have to go back and discuss it with the patriarch before we can make the final decision," the first elder said without giving up. He was even sure in his heart that if it weren't for Shui Xinran, Leng Ruoxue would definitely agree to marry their young master.

After hearing what the first elder said, Leng Ruoxue really didn't want to explain anything. It seemed that not only did the first elder not understand what she meant, but he even seemed to have misunderstood something...

After sending off the Huo family's first elder, Leng Qingtian and Elder Qiu found an excuse to go back to their rooms to rest. Only Leng Ruoxue and Freak were left in the large reception room.

"Xue'er, why didn't you let me talk just now?" Freak's face was full of dissatisfaction. If Xue'er hadn't been pulling him back, he would have beaten someone up just now.

"Don't tell me you want to beat up the Huo family's first elder like how you beat up Huo Qing? That old man is merely a messenger," Leng Ruoxue explained.

"Well, what you say is reasonable. Then I'll go beat up Huo Qing," Freak said very seriously after thinking about it.

"Why don't you just beat up the Huo family's patriarch as well?" Leng Ruoxue teased. *?Why does Freak like to beat people up so much?!*

"Okay, I'll listen to Xue'er," Freak said ingratiatingly. Then he turned around and walked out.

"Wait, where are you going?" Leng Ruoxue hurriedly grabbed Freak.

"Beat people up."

Hearing the succinct answer from Freak, Leng Ruoxue couldn't help but break out in cold sweat. *?Freak is really violent.*

"Damn Freak, stay still. All you know is to beat people up. The competition resumes the day after tomorrow. You can't beat them up now," Leng Ruoxue growled.

"Alright. I'll go and beat them up after the competition," Freak said obediently. *?Boohoo... Xue'er is so fierce! I'm scared!*

"..."

"Do you think you can beat up the Huo family just because you want to?" Leng Ruoxue glared at Freak. It was one thing to beat them up on the stage; the Huo family had to bear with it even though they were

angry. But it would really not be a wise move if they provoked the Huo family off the stage. Moreover, it would give the Huo family a good reason to attack.

"Then what should we do?" Freak looked at Xue'er aggrievedly.

"Freak, let's go back as soon as the competition ends. We'll deal with those people slowly in the future!" Leng Ruoxue suggested. They were really too weak now. Improving their strength was the most important task.

"Fine!" Freak said reluctantly.

"Good!" Leng Ruoxue caressed Freak's head like she was petting a pet.

"Xue'er." Freak looked at Xue'er with shining eyes and hugged her. *?Xue'er took the initiative to touch me again. I'm so happy!*

"Freak, let go of me!" Leng Ruoxue looked at Freak who suddenly hugged her. *?Damn Freak, I'm suffocating from you hugging so tightly.*

"I don't want to! You said you would let me hug you."

"But you're hugging me too tightly," Leng Ruoxue said helplessly.

"Hehe! Xue'er, let's do something bad tonight!" Freak suggested with a devious smile as he loosened his arms.

"Where?" Leng Ruoxue asked curiously with raised brows. *?Doing bad things! I like them!*

"Xue'er, the Huo family has too much money to spend, so I think we should do something 'good' and spend some on their behalf," Freak said very kindly. Since Xue'er didn't want him to come openly, he should come secretly. After all, this marriage proposal made him feel uncomfortable, so he had to take revenge!

"Then let's go late at night!" Leng Ruoxue said after some thought. Robbery and whatnot were the most enjoyable.

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It was late at night, and most people were sleeping soundly.

Leng Ruoxue looked up. It was pitch-black. She didn't expect even the heavens to take care of them. It was cloudy tonight, and such weather was the best for doing bad things.

While everyone was sound asleep, Leng Ruoxue and Freak quietly left the Elegance Lagoon Pavilion. They sat on Quill's back and flew to the Huo family's main residence. In her arms lay two small and cute foxes, one black and one white, and a small golden 'snake' coiled around her wrist.

With a face full of black lines, Leng Ruoxue looked at Dazzle and Rise, feeling a little helpless. She didn't know if these two little fellows were bored to death, but they were so excited when they heard that they were going to do something bad! They immediately signed up to participate.

After reaching the Huo family's main residence, Quill found a secluded place and descended...

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About an hour later, the two humans and four beasts left the Huo residence in satisfaction.

“Freak, what was the powder you blew into Huo Yi’s room?” Leng Ruoxue asked curiously while sitting on Quill’s back.

“Medicine!”

“Of course I know it’s medicine. I’m asking what medicine it is.”

“A type of medicine that can cause a man to lose a certain function...” Freak explained very ambiguously. This kind of thing shouldn’t be explained too clearly. Anyway, he wouldn’t let anyone who dared to have any ideas about Xue’er off.

“...” Leng Ruoxue was speechless. *?It can’t be what I think it is! Freak is too cruel!*

Soon, they returned to the Elegance Lagoon Pavilion.

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The next day, Leng Ruoxue and the others went to the restaurant downstairs for breakfast.

Just as she found a seat and sat down, she heard the discussion from the table beside her.

“Hey, did you hear? The Huo family was robbed last night. Not only were a lot of valuable things stolen, but a fire was also set off. I heard that at least a third of the Huo family’s mansion was burned away. What a pity! The Huo family’s mansion is even more luxurious and extravagant than the imperial palace of our South Dusk Empire,” Passerby A said with a mysterious expression.

“Your news isn’t the latest. It’s outdated,” Passerby B said disdainfully.

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“What’s the latest news?” Passerby A asked curiously. He just heard the news this morning. How did it become outdated so quickly?

“The latest news is...” Passerby B looked around carefully. “The Huo family’s patriarch, Huo Yi, has become impotent,” Passerby B said very quietly.

“Ah! Is this true?” Passerby A couldn’t believe it.

“It’s absolutely true. The news is absolutely reliable,” Passerby B said solemnly.

“What a pity for his many concubines.” Passerby A felt great pity.

Listening to the two people’s whispered discussion, Leng Ruoxue was really speechless. *?Where did these two clowns come from? They actually dared to talk about the Huo family’s patriarch in the Huo family’s territory. But how did this news spread so quickly? It seems to have spread in just one night.?* Thinking of this, she deliberately glanced at Freak, who had a very calm expression.

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In the Huo family’s main residence...

In the main hall, Huo Yi, the Huo family's patriarch, sat in the main seat with a gloomy face. On both sides of him were sitting the elders of the Huo family.

"Elders, tell us the results of your investigation!" Huo Yi said coldly with a livid face.

"Patriarch, according to my investigation, the news that you... you can't perform was spread from a servant of the Xu family," the elder sitting in the second row on the left said carefully.

"Xu family!" Huo Yi gritted his teeth and frowned. His handsome face was full of anger. *?How dare the Xu family provoke me? Hmph! I won't let them off.*

"Patriarch, there's also evidence that the theft of our treasury was done by the Xu family," another elder said. He found a Xu family token on the path not far from the treasury, and that path happened to be the one people had to take to get to the treasury.

"The Xu family is really too despicable," the elders said one after another. Everyone's face was extremely angry. The loss of the treasury was an enormous loss for their Huo family!

"Patriarch, Elders, don't jump to conclusions yet. What if someone framed the Xu family? Wouldn't we have fallen into their trap?" the first elder reminded calmly. For some reason, he felt that something was amiss.

"First Elder, you are too kind. This Xu family has been at odds with our Huo family for a long time. They must have done it," a more fiery-tempered elder roared.

"Patriarch, it's very likely that the Xu family is behind this, but we should still consider it at length."

The elders discussed and expressed their views.

"Elders, calm down. I understand your intentions, but the most important thing now is the Academy Competition. We will talk about the other things after the Academy Competition is over." Huo Yi made the final decision. The Academy Competition was related to the number of spots for the Creek of Affinity Mystic Realm, and it was of the utmost importance.

After hearing Huo Yi's words, all the elders fell silent.

"First Elder, is Leng Ruoxue really unwilling to marry Qing'er?" Huo Yi asked with a displeased face while looking at the first elder.

"Yes, she said she doesn't want to share a husband with others," the first elder said, but he was also a little displeased. He had already reported to the patriarch when he returned yesterday, but the patriarch actually asked again today.

"Ridiculous! It's normal for a man to have multiple wives and concubines. Why can't she accept it?" Huo Yi roared furiously. *?This Leng Ruoxue really doesn't know how to appreciate favors.* ?The main reason why he was willing to send someone to the Leng family to propose marriage was actually for the final competition. He didn't want his best son to lose to a woman.

"Patriarch, I personally think Leng Ruoxue is more suitable to be the mistress of the Huo family than Shui Xinran. Please consider it carefully!" the first elder repeated his proposal.

“No! The marriage with the Shui family can’t be canceled,” Huo Yi denied directly. No matter how outstanding Leng Ruoxue was, she couldn’t compare to the Five Great Families.

Seeing how insistent the patriarch was, the first elder had nothing else to say.

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In the reception room on the fifth floor of the Elegant Lagoon Pavilion...

“Lass, the competition resumes tomorrow,” Elder Qiu said.

“Yes.”

“Lass, are you confident?” Elder Qiu continued asking.

“Yes.”

“Lass, can’t you say a few more words each time?” Elder Qiu looked at Leng Ruoxue with some bitterness.

“Of course.” There were two words now!

“...” Elder Qiu was helpless.

“Elder Qiu, just ask me what you want to know.” Seeing his pitiful appearance, Leng Ruoxue decided not to tease him anymore.

“Lass, have you heard about the Huo family?” Elder Qiu probed.

“Yes. I heard some people talking about it while we were eating downstairs,” Leng Ruoxue said lightly.

“Then this matter... this matter has nothing to do with you, right?” Elder Qiu said while looking at Ye Chen.

“Of course it has nothing to do with us. It’s the Huo family! How can small families like us afford to offend them! Right, Grandpa?”

“Yes, Xue’er is right. We can’t afford to offend the Huo family, nor do we dare to,” Leng Qingtian said in agreement.

*You don’t dare to offend them? You even dared to refuse the Huo family’s proposal, and you still dare to say that you don’t dare to offend them??*Elder Qiu snorted in his head.

“Elder Qiu, I didn’t expect you to be so gossipy,” Leng Ruoxue teased.*?Has this old man been too idle recently?*

“Hehe! I’m just curious! This is the most popular topic in Lunar Capital now,” Elder Qiu said.*?Huo Yi is really pitiful.*

“Elder Qiu, we are leaving after the competition. You should prepare!” Leng Ruoxue reminded.

“I’m going back to my room.” Leng Ruoxue turned and left the reception room.

“Xue’er, wait for me.” Freak chased after her.

“Old Leng, who do you think did it?” Elder Qiu pestered Leng Qingtian again after Leng Ruoxue left.

“How would I know? Don’t they say it’s the Xu family?” Leng Qingtian said without interest.

“Don’t you want to know the truth?” Elder Qiu asked, unwilling to give up. *Why do I feel that this matter has something to do with that girl?*

“No.” Leng Qingtian turned and left.

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“Old Leng, don’t go! Let’s keep chatting!” Elder Qiu shouted from behind, but no one responded.

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The next day was the seventh day of the individual finals.

“Xue’er, there seem to be more people watching the competition today than the previous few days,” Feng Moran said as he looked at the sea of people in the audience while sitting on the side and waiting for the matches to start.

“Yes, the competition ends in three days. If you don’t watch it now, you’ll have to wait three years,” Leng Ruoxue said understandingly. The matches these three days should be the most intense, and accidents might happen at any time.

After six rounds of the finals, Leng Ruoxue was temporarily ranked first in the individual competition with a flawless record. Ye Chen and Huo Qing were tied in second place, while Mu Li and Feng Moran were in third and fourth. Theoretically, the five of them were the most powerful contenders for the championship.

Leng Ruoxue’s remaining opponents were Huo Qing, Ye Xiao, and Pang Sen. And her opponent today was Ye Xiao.

Leng Ruoxue was the last to go on stage today. In the first four matches, Ye Chen, Huo Qing, Mu Li, and Feng Moran won.

The last match was Leng Ruoxue versus Ye Xiao.

After hearing the referee’s words, Leng Ruoxue slowly walked onto the stage, and Ye Xiao came up from the other side.

“You are a woman, so I’ll let you begin first,” Ye Xiao said very gracefully, even though a few of his teeth had been knocked out, making him speak weirdly. But he was still an elegant gentleman when he wasn’t speaking.

“Then I won’t hold back.” Leng Ruoxue directly launched an attack after speaking. She wanted to end the battle quickly so that she could go back to sleep.

An enormous mass of fire-attribute spiritual power rushed toward Ye Xiao. The pitiful genius young master of the Ye family was blasted off the stage before he could even defend himself.

Leng Ruoxue won!

“Uh! I didn’t do it on purpose.” Leng Ruoxue’s face was full of innocence as she looked at Ye Xiao, whom she knocked off the stage with one move. *?I really didn’t expect him to be so weak!*

“Miss, didn’t you still throw him off the stage even if you didn’t do it on purpose?”

“Alas! This young master of the Ye family is really pitiful. He keeps encountering monsters.”

The audience all looked at Ye Xiao with sympathetic eyes. How pitiful! He was being carried away again.

“Xue’er, you’ve already won seven matches in a row. That’s great.” Freak hurried to Leng Ruoxue’s side as she walked down from the stage.

“Freak, let’s go back! I want to sleep,” Leng Ruoxue said sleepily.

“You’re sleeping so early?” Freak was a little surprised. *?What time is it now? Boohoo... I still wanted to go out with Xue’er!*

“Yes, I didn’t sleep well last night.”

“Then let’s go back!”

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Back at the Elegance Lagoon Pavilion, Leng Ruoxue went straight to her room to sleep. The next day, Leng Ruoxue emerged from her room refreshed after a good night’s sleep.

There was no suspense on the eighth day of the finals. Leng Ruoxue and the others each defeated their opponents.

The ninth day of the finals was also the last day of the individual competition.

After today’s matches, the champion of the Academy Competition would be born. Leng Ruoxue, Ye Chen, and Huo Qing were the strongest contenders for the championship.

Leng Ruoxue’s last opponent was Huo Qing, and Ye Chen’s last opponent was Pang Sen. But everyone present knew that Ye Chen’s victory against Pang Sen was set in stone if nothing unexpected happened.

The match between Leng Ruoxue and Huo Qing was the biggest highlight of the day, so everyone was looking forward to seeing an exciting battle.

In the VIP seats...

“Brother Huo, are you alright?” a middle-aged man sitting beside Huo Yi asked with concern.

“Do you think that I’m not?” Huo Yi’s face darkened with displeasure. *?Is Feng Miao planning to laugh at me? Outrageous!*

“It’s good that you’re fine. I was really afraid that you would become like what the rumors say!” Feng Miao said with a chuckle.

“Brother Huo, your Huo family suffered a big loss this time, right?” Shui Zhen, the acting patriarch of the Shui family, asked with concern. Although the Five Great Families appeared to be harmonious on the surface, they all secretly hoped that the others would suffer misfortune.

“That small loss is just a drop in the bucket to our Huo family. It’s not worth mentioning,” Huo Yi said indifferently. He knew that these people definitely wouldn’t let him go since he came to watch the competition. It was such a rare opportunity to ridicule him. *?Hmph! I wouldn’t have come if it wasn’t the last day.*

“Brother Huo, money is just worldly possessions. Your body is the most important,” the black-robed man said with pursed lips.

“That’s right. I wonder how Ye Xiao is doing? His injuries aren’t light!” Huo Yi retaliated. Not everyone could laugh at him.

“Xiao’er’s health is very good. Thank you for your concern, Brother Huo.”

While the patriarchs of the Five Great Families were fighting openly and covertly in the VIP seats, the competition began.

“Dear guests and spectators, today is the last day of the Academy Competition. Therefore, to show fairness, today’s matches will be held simultaneously, and admitting defeat is not allowed. The competition officially begins.” The host announced the rules of today’s matches.

After that, the referee gave the order for the five groups to go on stage at the same time.

The last matches of the finals started on five arenas at the same time. However, not long after, the winners of the other four arenas were determined. But Leng Ruoxue and Huo Qing had yet to really start fighting.

On the stage...

Leng Ruoxue was puzzled as to why Huo Qing wasn’t in a hurry to attack.

“Can we begin?” Leng Ruoxue asked lightly. She didn’t want to waste time.

“Are you in a hurry?” Huo Qing looked at Leng Ruoxue calmly.

“Yes, let’s begin quickly! Stop wasting time.” Leng Ruoxue frowned impatiently. *?Nonsense. How can I not be in a hurry?*

“Alright, let’s begin!” Huo Qing could see Leng Ruoxue’s impatience, but he really didn’t know how he had offended her and why she hated him so much. Thinking of this, he felt a little depressed.

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“Take this!” Leng Ruoxue didn’t beat around the bush and directly used ‘Feather of the Fire Phoenix’. A beautiful blazing tail feather flew toward Huo Qing.

Feather of the Fire Phoenix was the upgraded version of Flame Feather, and it was hundreds of times more powerful. But she didn’t unleash her full strength. Otherwise, it would be difficult to say whether Huo Qing would still be alive or not.

Huo Qing looked at the tail feather flying toward him. The little feather looked cute, but he didn’t dare to let his guard down at all. He hurriedly used Fire Cloud Curtain to block the attack. At the same time, he released Blazing Cloud Mountain to attack Leng Ruoxue...

As the giant flame cloud attacked Leng Ruoxue, the tail feather entangled with Huo Qing suddenly changed directions and instead entangled the flame cloud coming toward Leng Ruoxue...

However, because the flame cloud was too big, the small tail feather could easily attack it. But the flame cloud couldn't capture the naughty little feather...

The audience and the people in the VIP seats looked at the giant flame cloud that seemed to be being teased on the stage, and a few drops of cold sweat dripped down their foreheads uncontrollably. This was really too strange!

At this moment, the little feather on the stage began to spin around the giant flame cloud, and its speed became faster and faster. Then it rapidly rushed inside the flame cloud...

With a 'bang', the two clusters of spiritual power exploded in a violent collision!

Since both of them used fire-attribute spiritual power, when the two clusters of spiritual power collided, the resulting explosion shot straight into the sky, illuminating the entire sky red above the stage...

"Ah!" This scene stunned the audience below the stage. *?T-this is too powerful!?* Fortunately, a barrier shielded the audience. Otherwise, the explosion would have definitely killed people.

The audience felt the power of the explosion, but what they felt was merely a drop in the ocean.

On the stage, Huo Qing felt the explosion stronger than anyone else. He swallowed the blood that rushed into his throat and stared at Leng Ruoxue in disbelief. *?Is this her true strength?*

"Do you want to continue fighting?" Leng Ruoxue asked indifferently. She knew that Huo Qing had been injured by the spiritual power collision just now. If she were Huo Qing, she would choose to admit defeat. But she wasn't!

"Please enlighten me!" Huo Qing's fighting spirit was strong. How could he admit defeat? Although he had lost that move just now, he still wanted to continue fighting. It wasn't easy to find a strong opponent like Leng Ruoxue.

"Okay!" Since Huo Qing wanted to continue fighting, she would accompany him to the end...

The spiritual power on the stage constantly danced and violently collided from time to time. In addition to the red fire-attribute spiritual power, there were also green wind-attribute spiritual power and light blue water-attribute spiritual power mixed in. The battle between the two of them also shifted from the stage to midair...

All the audience held their breaths and stared at the two of them, afraid of missing a single move...

Amazing! Too amazing!

This is definitely the most exciting battle of the Academy Competition!

This trip was really not in vain!

All the spectators thought in unison.

After a long time, the two of them stopped in unison...

“You are a rare good opponent!” Huo Qing said excitedly. He liked to challenge himself, so he had very high standards for himself and his opponents, and ordinary geniuses were not qualified to be his opponents.

“Likewise.” Leng Ruoxue was also very satisfied with her opponent, Huo Qing. At least, Huo Qing would not feel inferior because his opponent was stronger than him. Instead, he became braver as he fought, becoming stronger when facing a stronger opponent. This was very rare in real battles.

“Although I lost this match, I hope I’ll have a chance to fight you again in the future!” Huo Qing said in high spirits. It wasn’t easy to find a good opponent, so he planned to pester Leng Ruoxue.

Upon hearing this, Leng Ruoxue broke out in a cold sweat. *What? Hasn’t he had enough? This Huo Qing is definitely a battle maniac.* It was a very scary thing to be entangled by someone like him. Suddenly, Leng Ruoxue felt a little regretful, regretting not using her full strength just now...

“Referee, I lost!” Huo Qing took the initiative to say to the referee.

The referee hiding in the distance nodded and then walked to the center of the stage with lingering fear.

“Leng Ruoxue wins!” the referee shouted. *Heavens! The strength of these two people is too terrifying.*

In this way, Leng Ruoxue became the champion of the Academy Competition with a perfect record. Ye Chen was second, and Huo Qing only came in third.

After the individual competition was over, the Academy Competition came to an end, and the ranking of the top ten academies was officially announced.

The Heavenly Phoenix Academy won the Academy Competition with absolute superiority. The Rising Dragon Academy was second, the Lunar Shadow Academy was third, the Flying Bird Academy was fourth, and the Land Shine Academy was fifth.

In the Academy Competition this time, the academies in the top ten also won spots to enter the Creek of Affinity Mystic Realm.

There were a total of 200 spots to enter the Creek of Affinity Mystic Realm, of which:

First place, the Heavenly Phoenix Academy, had 50 spots.

Second place, the Rising Dragon Academy, had 40 spots.

Third place, the Lunar Shadow Academy, had 30 spots.

Fourth and fifth places, the Flying Bird Academy and the Land Shine Academy, each had 15 spots.

The sixth to tenth places each had 10 spots.

“Everyone, please calm down. The most exciting moment is coming. Next, let’s welcome the envoy from the Creek of Affinity Mystic Realm to the stage to present the awards to the winners!” After the host announced the names of the winners, the award ceremony began.

As representatives of the various academies, Leng Ruoxue and the others waited on the stage.

“What thing is an envoy from the Creek of Affinity Mystic Realm?” Leng Ruoxue asked Freak beside her curiously. *?The Creek of Affinity Mystic Realm hasn’t even appeared yet, yet an envoy is here. How boring.*

“This uncle is not a thing!” A childish voice rang in their ears before Freak could say anything.

A palm-sized ball of purple light appeared on the stage. The ball of light seemed to be glaring angrily at Leng Ruoxue while circling around her.

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Leng Ruoxue looked at the purple ball of light that kept flying around her and was a little puzzled. *?What the heck is this thing? Why is it revolving around me?*

“Stop! Stop spinning!” Leng Ruoxue ordered. This little thing was making her dizzy.

The purple ball of light reluctantly stopped and glared at Leng Ruoxue. *?Hmph! Let’s see if you still dare to look down on this uncle!*

It’s actually a big butterfly!? Leng Ruoxue only saw it clearly when the purple ball of light stopped. In the ball of light was a butterfly emitting purple light. It was about the size of a palm and very gorgeous, with silver spots of light dotting its purple wings. But those small black eyes were staring at her unfriendly!

This little thing even has a grudge against me. Leng Ruoxue couldn’t help laughing slightly. *?But what is this little thing? A spirit beast?*

“Are you a spirit beast?” Leng Ruoxue asked as she grabbed the beautiful big butterfly.

“This uncle is not a spirit beast. I am a sprite! Do you understand what sprites are?” the butterfly protested.

“I don’t understand. Sprite? Never heard of it.” Leng Ruoxue didn’t give it any face. She really had never heard of it!

“You... you, girl! You’ve pissed this uncle off!” the butterfly said angrily. But its tender voice sounded cute no matter how she looked at it.

“Girl?” Leng Ruoxue was stunned. *?Did I hear it right? This big butterfly called me girl!*

“Yes, girl. Smile at me, and this uncle will spare you and not blame you,” Uncle Butterfly said very generously.

Leng Ruoxue was at a loss for words. *?Am I being taken advantage of? Damn it! How dare it call itself an uncle in front of me! How dare it ask me to smile!*

In fact, it wasn’t only her. The others on the stage also felt the same.

Is this guy really an envoy of the mystic realm? Why does it behave like a hooligan?

“Damn butterfly, who gave you the guts to tease my fiancée?” Freak was completely enraged after hearing what the butterfly said.

“This girl is your fiancée? How about this, name a price. This uncle has taken a fancy to her,” Uncle Butterfly said calmly.

“Rise, come out and teach it some manners,” Leng Ruoxue beckoned indifferently. What did this damn butterfly think she was? She had to teach it a lesson!

“Master, I’m here.” After coming out of the Heaven and Earth Bracelet, Rise enlarged a little. He then coiled around the butterfly that dared to tease his master and threw it directly into the sky. He then caught it, flung it, and caught it countless times...

“Ah! Fun! Fun! Come on! Come on!” After being tossed a few times, the butterfly found it interesting. But after countless times, it couldn’t take it anymore even though it had wings...

“Ah! Ah! Ah! Stop, stop. That’s enough. I don’t want to play anymore!” The butterfly thought they were just playing with it!

“Rise, stop!” Leng Ruoxue said helplessly.

“Yes, Master.” Rise threw the dizzy butterfly aside, transformed back into a bracelet, and wrapped around Leng Ruoxue’s wrist.

“Uh... This uncle feels so dizzy!” The butterfly flew up unsteadily and came in front of Leng Ruoxue.

“Girl, your beast is too disobedient,” the butterfly complained, obviously not having learned its lesson yet.

Ye Chen grabbed the butterfly and squeezed it as hard as he could, wanting to crush it into pieces. But the butterfly was only a sprite and didn’t have a physical body, so Ye Chen was only wasting his energy.

“Freak, why are you competing with it?!” Leng Ruoxue was a little speechless. *?This butterfly is merely a spirit body, but where did it learn to behave like a little hooligan? Was it born like this?*

“Xue’er, I’ll leave this guy to you to deal with.” Freak thought about it. *?That’s right. No matter how hard I squeeze, this butterfly won’t know that it hurts.*

“Hurry up and present the awards! Don’t waste our time,” Leng Ruoxue ordered as she took the butterfly.

“Girl, you have to be gentler. The girls serving this uncle these few days are much gentler than you,” the butterfly said earnestly with an expression that said ‘I’m doing this for your own good’.

“Hurry up and present the awards!” Leng Ruoxue couldn’t bear it anymore and roared. *?This butterfly really deserves a beating.*

“Alright, since you’re so anxious... Alas! This uncle is too kind,” the butterfly said with emotion.

“There are a total of two hundred spots for the Creek of Affinity Mystic Realm this time. Now, I will begin to give you the qualifications to enter the mystic realm,” the butterfly said seriously.

Then it started spinning again, and countless petals drifted toward Leng Ruoxue and the others...

After a while, the petals disappeared, and a petal mark appeared on everyone's wrist. In addition, Leng Ruoxue and her group had a few more petals in their hands...

"Alright, this uncle has given you the qualifications. When the mystic realm opens, you can enter with this," the butterfly said. It finally completed its task.

After the awards ceremony, Leng Ruoxue and the others walked off the stage.

"Why are you following me?" Leng Ruoxue looked at the butterfly following her step by step with a headache.

"You are the biggest winners of this competition, so the task of taking care of this uncle is yours," the butterfly said matter-of-factly.

"Find someone else," Leng Ruoxue said coldly.

"Girl, you can't be so heartless! If you don't take care of me, this uncle will be sleeping on the streets," the butterfly said pitifully.

"You are a butterfly. Just find a small corner to hide in, and you won't sleep on the streets," Leng Ruoxue said without any sympathy.

"That's right. The Lunar Shadow Academy will be happy to take you in," Freak suggested. *?This stinky butterfly probably learned bad things in the Lunar Shadow Academy.*

"Of course, you don't know how good they are to this uncle. They served me good wine, good food, and good girls every day. But now, this uncle wants to follow you all and get you to serve me!" The butterfly's stubborn temper also came up. *?Hmph! The more they don't let me follow them, the more I want to follow!*

Even when Leng Ruoxue and the others returned to the Elegance Lagoon Pavilion, the butterfly refused to leave and followed Leng Ruoxue wherever she went!

Chapter 128: The Lecherous Envoy of the Creek of Affinity Mystic Realm (3)

"How long do you want to follow me around?" Leng Ruoxue roared furiously. This perverted butterfly actually wanted to follow her to the washroom.

"This uncle wants to follow you all the time," the butterfly said seriously. Its mission was to follow and make sure that it found someone pleasing to the eye. Now that it found this girl, who else would it follow but her?

"I'm going to the washroom now. You can't follow me!" Leng Ruoxue hollered.

"Why?" the butterfly didn't understand. Couldn't it go there?

"No reason. Wait here and don't follow me in!" Leng Ruoxue ordered.

"Oh, alright then!" *?This girl seems a little angry. Uh, so scary!*

Afterward, Leng Ruoxue went straight to the reception room, where everyone was.

“Tell me! How should we deal with this little thing?” Leng Ruoxue said helplessly as she looked at the butterfly who also flew in.

“Xue’er, just let it be if it wants to follow you!” Leng Qingtian said with some amusement. He could see that his precious granddaughter was about to break down because of this beautiful butterfly.

“Lü Tao, Cui Zhu, you two take care of it!” Leng Ruoxue said to her two maidservants. The two of them seemed to have had too much free time on their hands since they came to the Southern Dusk Empire.

“Yes, Miss.”

“Just follow them from now on,” Leng Ruoxue said to the butterfly.

The butterfly circled Lü Tao and Cui Zhu twice before flying back to Leng Ruoxue.

“I don’t want them! They’re not sexy enough,” the butterfly said very honestly.

“You’re just a butterfly! Why do you want them to be sexy?!” Leng Ruoxue roared furiously.

“It’s good for the eyes!” The butterfly’s small black and shiny eyes emitted a lustful glow.

“Grandpa, do you still think we should let it follow us?” Leng Ruoxue said weakly.

“Erm... Erm...” Leng Qingtian didn’t know what to say. He had underestimated how perverted this butterfly was.

“Lass, there’s nothing we can do if it doesn’t leave!” Elder Qiu said sympathetically.

“Perverted butterfly, why do you insist on following us?” Leng Ruoxue couldn’t help asking.

“You are the champions of this Academy Competition, so of course I have to follow you,” the butterfly explained.

“Just because of this?” Leng Ruoxue didn’t believe that it really wanted to follow them just for this reason.

“Yes!”

“Then follow Elder Qiu! We’re all together, and he’s an elder of the academy.” Leng Ruoxue sold out Elder Qiu without hesitation in order to escape from this perverted butterfly.

“Lass...” Elder Qiu looked at Leng Ruoxue aggrievedly. *Boohoo... How can you do this?*

“I don’t want to. I’m not interested in old men.”

“Then you insist on following me?” Leng Ruoxue was so angry. There were so many people, but why was it sticking to her?

“Yes!”

“Then what benefits will I get if I let you follow me?” Leng Ruoxue said while looking at the perverted butterfly schemingly. Since she couldn’t get rid of it, she would feel very uncomfortable if she didn’t fish for some benefits for herself.

“You will benefit greatly if you let me follow you,” the butterfly said proudly, so smugly that she couldn’t rebuke anymore.

“Tell me about it. If it satisfies me, I’ll let you follow me around,” Leng Ruoxue enticed.

“You’ll know when the time comes. I won’t tell you now.” The butterfly kept her guessing.

“Fine. If you don’t satisfy me by then, you’re dead meat,” Leng Ruoxue threatened.

“Don’t worry. You will definitely be satisfied.” The butterfly’s face was like that of a charlatan.

“Elder Qiu, I had an agreement with the principal. These are the seven spots to enter the Creek of Affinity Mystic Realm. Keep them safe.” Leng Ruoxue handed seven flower petals to Elder Qiu.

“Okay. Oh, right. Lass, let’s stay for another day tomorrow and go back the day after tomorrow,” Elder Qiu said as he took the exquisite flower petals.

“Alright.”

“Elder Qiu, this should be Cong Min’s. I’ll give it to you now!” Leng Ruoxue took out another petal. Although Elder Qiu was Grandpa Lin’s trusted aide, she knew very well that he might not necessarily have the chance to obtain a spot to enter the mystic realm. After all, there were too many complications in the academy.

“Lass, thanks!” Elder Qiu was touched as he took the petal and put it away.

“Okay, I’m going to sleep. You can all go now!” Leng Ruoxue couldn’t stand the grateful look in Elder Qiu’s eyes, so she quickly turned around to leave the reception room.

“Xue’er, wait for me.” Freak chased after Xue’er.

“Old Qiu, I’m also going to sleep.” Leng Qingtian patted Elder Qiu on the shoulder.

“Old Leng, I...” Elder Qiu didn’t know what to say.

“Ah! Don’t cry!” Leng Qingtian looked at Elder Qiu’s slightly moist eyes and hurriedly left.

“You all...” Seeing everyone leave the reception room, Elder Qiu couldn’t help feeling slightly helpless. *Alas, I owe that lass even more now.*

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“Xue’er!” Freak chased up to Leng Ruoxue’s room.

“Freak, aren’t you going to sleep?” Leng Ruoxue asked as she was about to enter the room.

“Xue’er, we haven’t been together for a long time!” Freak said aggrievedly.

“Rubbish!” *Isn’t this guy a little too exaggerated? We meet every day.*

“Yes! Xue’er, chat with me for a while before sleeping!” Freak pleaded, his expression resembling an abandoned puppy.

“Hmph! Pretending to be pitiful! So evil!” The shiny butterfly following Leng Ruoxue became disgruntled before she could say anything.

“Pfft!” Leng Ruoxue couldn’t help laughing. *?Looks like Freak has met his match.*

“Damn butterfly, scam to the side!” Freak roared.

“Xue’er, this damn butterfly bullied me!” Freak immediately looked at Leng Ruoxue pitifully after roaring at the butterfly.

“Alright, stop arguing. Come in. I’ll chat with you for a while,” Leng Ruoxue said helplessly. *?Freak loves pretending to be pitiful in front of me.*

“Okay.” Freak glared at the butterfly triumphantly and then followed Leng Ruoxue into the room.

Chapter 129: The Lecherous Envoy Of The Creek of Affinity Mystic Realm (4)

“Girl, sleep with me!” said the butterfly, unwilling to be left out, as it flew to Leng Ruoxue.

“Get lost!” Ye Chen furiously slapped away the butterfly, who wanted to take advantage. *?I haven’t even enjoyed the benefit yet, so how can I let this stinky butterfly get it so easily?*

After being slapped against the wall, the butterfly flew back, stopped in front of Leng Ruoxue, and persuaded her. “Girl, this man is too barbaric. Change him!”

“Stop arguing. Get out if you continue!” Leng Ruoxue said unpleasantly. *?These two fellows are really...*

“We’re not arguing!” the two said in unison, extremely well-behaved.

“Whoever’s making a fuss, get out.”

“Okay.” The two nodded non-stop.

“By the way, butterfly, let me ask you something. Can the ownership of the spots into the Creek of Affinity Mystic Realm be transferred?” Leng Ruoxue asked curiously.

“Of course not. But ownerless spots can be transferred, so you have to protect the ones in your hands. Someone might snatch them away!” the butterfly reminded.

“Got it.” Leng Ruoxue nodded. She would distribute the spots in her hands tomorrow to avoid others from having designs about them.

“Xue’er, how do you intend to distribute the ten spots in your hands?” Freak asked curiously.

“Of course, they are for our own people—Grandpa, Big Brother, Lü Tao, Cui Zhu, and the others,” Leng Ruoxue said after some thought. In addition to her family, they were her subordinates.

“Freak, do you have anyone you want to give one to?” Leng Ruoxue asked.

“I don’t!” Freak said indifferently.

“The Ye family will probably come to look for you,” Leng Ruoxue guessed. No one knew that she had spots for the mystic realm yet, but she wouldn’t be able to hide it for long. She believed that they would definitely come to look for Freak after they knew.

"It's useless even if they look for me. I don't have any means I don't have any!" Freak said nonchalantly. He didn't treat the Ye family as family.

The two of them chatted for a while. Seeing that it was getting late, Leng Ruoxue chased the reluctant Freak out.

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The next morning, Leng Ruoxue just woke up when someone knocked on her door.

"Why are you here so early?" Leng Ruoxue asked when she opened the door and saw Freak standing outside.

"Xue'er, we're going back tomorrow. Let's take a walk on the streets!" Freak looked at Leng Ruoxue expectantly.

"Okay, I want to go on the streets!" the butterfly said from beside Leng Ruoxue.

"We're not bringing you!" He only wanted to go with Xue'er and didn't want a third wheel.

"Tch! That's not up to you!" the butterfly provoked.

"Wait for me," Leng Ruoxue said while ignoring the sparks flying between the two.

After freshening up simply, Leng Ruoxue and Freak informed her grandfather and then left the Elegance Lagoon Pavilion.

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"Freak, it's almost time. Let's go back!" Leng Ruoxue was a little tired after walking for nearly half a day.

"Okay." He didn't have any specific destination in mind. He just wanted to spend some time alone with Xue'er, but there was the third wheel.

The two of them returned to the Elegance Lagoon Pavilion, ate in the restaurant downstairs, and then went upstairs.

"Miss, the president of the Beast Trainer Association is here," said Lin Yuan, who had been guarding Leng Ruoxue's room, after seeing her return.

"The president of the Beast Trainer Association? Why is he here?" *Did he come for Rise and Dazzle?*

"I don't know! But the great general and Elder Qiu are with him."

"I'll go take a look." No matter what his purpose was, she wasn't afraid of anything that might happen.

"I'll go with you," Freak said quickly.

"Okay."

They walked to the reception room together.

"Grandpa, we're back," Leng Ruoxue said directly after entering the reception room. Her gaze turned to the old man sitting next to her grandfather.

The old man was about sixty years old, slightly chubby, and looked very amiable. He was wearing a long blue-grey robe and sitting leisurely beside her grandfather. After seeing Leng Ruoxue, he looked at her thoughtfully.

“Xue’er, this is Master Sui, the president of the Lunar Capital’s Beast Trainer Association!” Leng Qingtian said while shooting glances at his granddaughter.

“Hello, Master Sui!” Leng Ruoxue said politely.

“Miss Leng is now the most popular genius on the Ling Feng Continent. You do live up to your reputation! General, I’m so envious of you!” Master Sui looked at Leng Ruoxue with appreciation and then turned to Leng Qingtian.

“Hehe, Master Sui flatters us.” Leng Qingtian was very pleased with himself!

“Is Master Sui here for me?” Leng Ruoxue asked directly while looking at him.

“Yes, I came specially to look for Miss Leng.”

“May I know why Master Sui is looking for me?” Leng Ruoxue probed.

“I’m here to invite Miss Leng to join the Beast Trainer Association!”

“Master Sui, you must be mistaken. I’m not a beast trainer!” Leng Ruoxue said calmly. She didn’t want outsiders to know that she was also a beast trainer.

“It doesn’t matter. You’ve already obtained our association’s treasures. As the president, I won’t be able to explain myself to others if you don’t join our association,” Master Sui said with a smile, his eyes carrying a trace of scheming.

“Master Sui, I won those two spirit beasts from Princess Huangfu Yu. They are the spoils of our competition. Moreover, if I remember correctly, Huangfu Yu is your disciple, right?” Leng Ruoxue asked lightly with a smirk.

“Yes, she is my disciple. But those two spirit beasts are from our association!” Master Sui stressed.

“What does that have to do with me? Master Sui, you should look for Huangfu Yu. Besides, it’s only right for a master to clean up the mess caused by their disciple,” Leng Ruoxue said bluntly without giving face. What she implied was that he shouldn’t even think about scheming against her!

“This... Huangfu Yu has already turned into a fool,” Master Sui said while suppressing his anger. In fact, before he came, he had thought of the many responses that Leng Ruoxue could make, but he didn’t expect her not to give him face.

Chapter 130: Criminal? Are You Referring To Me? (1)

“Master Sui, Huangfu Yu becoming a fool isn’t my fault, is it?” Leng Ruoxue said with a spurious smile.

“Could it be that Master Sui is also someone who can’t differentiate right from wrong? As her master, you can’t escape the blame now that Huangfu Yu became a fool, right?” Leng Ruoxue continued.

“Erm... Erm...” Master Sui’s forehead was full of cold sweat. He had been famous for many years and had always been respected. No one had ever dared to criticize him so directly, but he couldn’t deny that what Leng Ruoxue said was right. They had indeed spoiled Huangfu Yu.

“Master Sui, please forgive me for not being able to join the Beast Trainer Association. If you have any doubts about the ownership of the two spirit beasts, please look for the person responsible,” Leng Ruoxue said bluntly.

“Miss Leng, please reconsider!” Master Sui refused to give up.

“I have considered it thoroughly. I am not a beast trainer, so I am not qualified to join the Beast Trainer Association. Master Sui, you don’t have to trouble yourself.” Leng Ruoxue directly made things clear.

“Sigh! Alright then, I won’t force you. However, Hu Bin from your academy should be able to join our Beast Trainer Association, right?” Since Master Sui couldn’t convince Leng Ruoxue, he could only shift his target to Hu Bin.

“Master Sui, even though all Beast Trainer Associations are under the main Beast Trainer Association, Hu Bin is from the Eastern Lagoon Empire after all. It’s really not appropriate for him to join the Beast Trainer Association of the Southern Dusk Empire,” Leng Ruoxue said after some thought. Whether or not Hu Bin wanted to join the Beast Trainer Association depended on Hu Bin himself. How could they decide for him?

“Erm... I can speak to the president of the Beast Trainer Association in the Eastern Lagoon Empire. All of this won’t be a problem as long as Hu Bin is willing to join our association,” Master Sui promised.

“Master Sui, we are really grateful that you are so enthusiastic. But it is really inconvenient for Hu Bin to join the Beast Trainer Association of the Southern Dusk Empire, so we can only appreciate your good intentions.” Leng Ruoxue was a little impatient. *Why is this old man being so difficult? Can’t he understand the tactful refusal?*

“Miss Leng, I think it’s better to ask Hu Bin for his opinion on this matter! What if he agrees?” What he implied was that she was just an outsider, so how could she decide for him!

“Alright! Freak, please invite Hu Bin over.”

“Okay, wait a moment.” Freak turned and left the reception room.

Before long, Freak returned, followed by a young boy.

“Hu Bin, this is Master Sui, the president of the Southern Dusk Empire’s Beast Trainer Association.” Leng Ruoxue gave a simple introduction.

“Hello, Master Sui.” Hu Bin bowed. Master Sui was a grandmaster in the beast trainer world, and he had heard a lot about him.

“You don’t have to be so polite. Hu Bin, I’m very satisfied with your talent in beast training. I want to invite you to join our association and take you in as my disciple. What do you think?” Master Sui said to Hu Bin amiably and threw out a big bait. He believed that no beast trainer could refuse his offer.

Hu Bing's delicate face was full of astonishment. Master Sui had a very high status in the beast trainer world. To an ordinary beast trainer, becoming Master Sui's disciple was absolutely a cause for celebration!

If he had such an opportunity in the past, he would have definitely been so happy that he wouldn't be able to sleep. But he wasn't happy at all now, or perhaps it could be said that he was very calm.

"I'm sorry, Master Sui. I'm very grateful for your kind intentions, but I can't join the Beast Trainer Association of the Southern Dusk Country. Moreover, I don't intend to join any Beast Trainer Association," Hu Bin said with certainty. He wanted to follow Leng Ruoxue forever, so there was no way he could join any association. Furthermore, he didn't think that he would be able to learn more by joining an association than following his young lady.

"Hu Bin, do you know what you're saying? As a beast trainer, no one will recognize your status if you don't join the Beast Trainer Association." Master Sui was no longer calm. The conditions he offered were so good, and countless people dreamed of it! He never thought that Hu Bin would actually refuse.

"Master Sui, I've thought it through. Thank you for your kind intentions." With that, Hu Bin directly left the reception room.

"Elder Qiu, are you going to let the students of your academy joke about their future?" Master Sui turned his head and said angrily to Elder Qiu.

"Master Sui, these students aren't children anymore. They won't joke about their future. Moreover, our academy can't force students to do things they don't want to do, right?" Elder Qiu said somewhat helplessly.

"Furthermore, I think you should have heard that our academy's Liu Yan also declined the invitation of the Alchemist Association a few days ago. Alas, these children! Their wings have hardened, and they are no longer restrained by our academy," Elder Qiu continued. The expression on his face was very helpless, but he was thinking about how much better it was to follow that girl than to join any association! If he wasn't an elder of the Heavenly Phoenix Academy now, he also wanted to follow that girl.

"Sigh. If that's the case, I won't force you. Goodbye," Master Sui said in defeat. Today was probably his most humiliating day since he became famous. He hadn't achieved a single thing he wanted to do!

"Lass! You've completely offended Old Man Sui this time!" Elder Qiu couldn't help reminding after seeing Master Sui off.

"So what? It's impossible for me to join the Beast Trainer Association. He should think of ways to solve the problems caused by his own disciple," Leng Ruoxue said without much sympathy. In fact, she knew very well that there would definitely be trouble when Huangfu Yu took the two spirit beasts from the Beast Trainer Association. That was why she asked Huangfu Yu to write the contract when she was competing with her. Moreover, those were internal affairs between Huangfu Yu and the Beast Trainer Association. She didn't want to participate, nor did she want to be used by others.

"Old Qiu, Xue'er will take care of it. Don't worry." Leng Qingtian spoke up for his granddaughter.

“Alright then. But you have to tell me if there’s really any trouble. I’m a Spiritual Supremacy now after all,” Elder Qiu said very loyally.