

Fake Marriage 561

Chapter 561: Rich (2)

But even though he knew about this situation, even though he was on good terms with the Bo family, and even though Mu Huan had saved his granddaughter, he had had no intention of selling the land.

He also knew Meng Yueman's character. If not for this favor, she would probably have tried all sorts of ways to convince him to sell the land. With this favor, she would definitely not be able to say anything. Therefore, if he dared to return this favor, he had not been afraid that they would use it to make him sell the land.

But he had never expected that he, who had been so determined, would now want to give the land to someone for free!

And he felt that the gift was worth it!

"That's true." Bo Junyan smiled and stroked Mu Huan's head, his face full of pride.

Her brain spun fast and nimbly, and her thoughts were sharp. It did not take long for her to realize what it could mean that she had saved Dong Xuezhen's granddaughter.

Within such a short period of time, she had come up with the idea of letting the house stay standing through relating it to the temple. The temple was a popular tourist attraction, and she thought about how she could use the traffic at this scenic spot to build an antique tourist attraction street built on the Dong couple's personality. She had a rough idea of the couple's background, and when she thought about this love museum, she even used the influence of Old Madam Dong, who was once a movie queen, to convince Old Master Dong to agree. It was really good!

Bo Junyan had already thought of a better solution before this. Even if he didn't manage to buy the Dong family's land, not only would the losses be reduced to zero, but the profits from the development would also be higher. However, after his wife gave him such a solution, he would of course use it.

Meng Yueman looked at Mu Huan as well. Although she did not say anything, there was obvious admiration in her eyes.

Bo Junyan and Dong Xuezhen's positive praises made Mu Huan feel a little embarrassed. "All of you are too kind. This can't be considered my idea. I only thought of this because of what other people have done in the market..."

Mu Huan thought that even a museum for the broken-hearted could be so popular nowadays. Where tourist attractions were concerned, a romantic-themed dating museum would definitely be more popular. This was especially so for the Dong family's old residence, which was really good-looking. Whenever she passed by it, she would always take a few more glances. That was why she'd thought of such a plan.

Besides, she was just putting on an act and hoping for the best.

Nowadays, there were many antique street businesses that did not take off. If it weren't for Bo Junyan saying that it could work and that he could attract customers, she wouldn't have dared to think this way.

It had to be known that this place was easy to envision, and one could just think up beautiful outcomes. In reality, it could be very cruel and bitter.

To put it simply, she wanted to make the future a perfect one. And to achieve such a situation would be the most difficult. The difficult implementation would have to depend on Bo Junyan.

“It’s amazing that you can think of this after being inspired by other things!” Dong Xuezheng now felt that Mu Huan was good at everything!

Actually, Dong Xuezheng knew that the future might not be as good as Mu Huan had described. Hence, he had asked them to prepare a detailed plan and confirm the feasibility of the plan before he would sell it.

However, he believed that if Mu Huan could create such a huge plan, she would definitely make it real.

Mu Huan didn’t know what to say. She could only lower her head shyly.

She looked even more obedient now!

One could not help but wonder how such an obedient girl could have such capabilities.

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Especially Ling Wei.

To her, Mu Huan was only a first-year student. She was even forced to marry Bo Junyan by her grandma. How could a person like her, who could not even have her freedom, have such capabilities?

If she had such capabilities, why would she be forced to such an extent by her grandma? Why would she marry a stranger at such a young age just because she didn’t have any money? If she were to say that she matured after her marriage, she had been married to Bo Junyan for less than half a year. No matter how fast a person matured, it couldn’t be that fast, right?

Could it be that she was too scheming? Back then, she wasn’t forced to marry Bo Junyan but, instead, all of these were her tricks?

Otherwise, why would she suddenly be so capable and outstanding?

At this thought, Ling Wei’s gaze toward Mu Huan darkened.

This Mu Huan used to hide herself and pretend to be a harmless young girl, but in fact, she was very scheming!

It looked like there was no need to find a better opportunity. They had to do it now!

Ling Wei had got someone to investigate Mu Huan carefully. However, all she found out was that Mu Huan had been working as a part-time worker since she was young. She didn’t think much of those odd jobs. She felt that such a young girl who had been working from a young age while also studying shouldn’t have any capabilities, but Mu Huan had them in spades!

She must be sly and scheming!

Ling Wei, who came from a wealthy family, naturally didn't like the jobs that Mu Huan had dealt with in the past. However, it was those odd jobs that had made Mu Huan who she was now. As she had done many things since she was young, she had met many people and encountered many situations. Furthermore, because she had often had to deal with many sudden incidents, her reaction speed was naturally faster than that of normal people.

This was especially so when she was working at Know-All Agency. She could be said to have taken on all sorts of cases, and she knew how to customize a special plan based on someone's character and family matters.

Furthermore, she had always been someone who looked deep inside others to earn money. Hence, she was very good at figuring out people's hearts and adapting to situations. Just by looking at how she was able to survive by Bo Junyan's astute side until now without revealing her true capabilities, one could tell that she was capable.

As for why Mu Huan did not have the money and was forced to such an extent by her grandma, it was because she lacked the capability to break free.

That was because of her social circle. In the past, Mu Huan was a high school student, and her living environment made her mostly poor. She couldn't even come into contact with rich people, and she didn't even know that she could come up with such connections.

There was once an agency that conducted a long-term research and followed the growth of three children. One was a child from the countryside, another was from an ordinary family in an ordinary city, and the third was from a wealthy family in a big city.

The first had been smart since she was young and had good grades. However, because her family was poor, she got married after graduating from junior high school. The child who came from the ordinary city also did well in their studies. They even managed to get into a key university. After graduation, they even found a good job. However, under the pressure of the high housing prices, he had to support his family and return loans. He had a hard life every day.

Lastly, the one who came from a wealthy family in a big city had received the best education since he was young. When he was young, he was willful and didn't want to go to school, so he withdrew from school. Then, when he wanted to study again, his family sent him abroad. After he returned to the country, his parents invested in him and he started a company. He didn't work as hard as the other two, and he wasn't even as smart as them. However, he still led a better life than them. In fact, he was even a better person than them.

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This long-term research shows that people who stand at different starting lines achieve different things.

Now, because of Bo Junyan, Mu Huan's status was completely different from before. In the past, she was outstanding in that other category, but now that she was in another racetrack, she was only capable.

It wasn't that she suddenly became outstanding.

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Dong Xuezheng stayed at the Bo family's residence until late into the night before leaving. When he left, he looked at Meng Yueman who had sent him out and was filled with envy. "Yueman, you're really blessed! You have such a good son and such a good daughter-in-law! You're not like me, who had three sons. All of them give me a headache! Three daughters-in-law, and not one..."

"Come now. All three of them are quite capable..."

Meng Yueman and Dong Xuezheng praised each other for a while before Dong Xuezheng got into the car and left.

After he left, Meng Yueman looked at Mu Huan and reached out to stroke her head. She praised, "What a good child."

She was very satisfied with Mu Huan's performance today, and she liked this daughter-in-law even more.

Ling Wei's eyes darkened at Meng Yueman's compliment and show of fondness.

This feeling of being replaced bit by bit was really terrible!

Especially since she had been with him for so many years, yet it had taken Mu Huan such a short time...

"Thank you, Mom. I'll definitely work harder in the future!" Mu Huan was exceptionally happy to be praised by her mother-in-law!

Seeing her like this, Meng Yueman couldn't help but give a faint smile. "It's getting late. You're still injured. Go and rest early."

"Okay, Mom, you should rest early too!"

Bo Junyan picked her up and returned to the main house.

Meng Yueman looked at their backs and could not help but sigh. "Junyan has changed so much..."

"That's right." Ling Wei sighed.

Meng Yueman, who was about to say something, did not say anything when she thought of Ling Wei's personality. She only patted Ling Wei's shoulder. "You should go and rest early too."

With that, she left.

As Ling Wei watched them leave one by one, leaving her alone, she suddenly felt a little desolate. All her life, she had always been the center of attention wherever she went. Now, why did it turn out this way...

How could there be someone like Mu Huan in this world?

She was clearly nothing like Ling Wei, yet she was so outstanding.

Also, did Ling Wei's life go in the wrong direction when she decided to leave Bo Junyan?

Suddenly, a voice broke the silence.

Huo Li, who had appeared out of nowhere, looked at her and swore, "Sister Ling Wei, I will forever be on your side!"

Under the moonlight, the boy was exceptionally serious, making Ling Wei smile.

“Forever? There’s no forever in this world.”

How could there be an eternity in this world? If there was an eternity, she wouldn’t have come to this stage and wouldn’t have had to fight with a little girl or be at a disadvantage.

“I can promise you my life!” Seeing that she didn’t believe him, Huo Li hurriedly raised his hand and made an oath.

He would really stand on her side forever!

Ling Wei smiled and said, “It’s getting late, go and sleep.”

With that, she turned around and left.

That back view, despite being lonely and desolate, was still elegant.

Huo Li looked at her back and clenched his fists!

He had to find a way to chase Mu Huan away!

No one could make his Ling Wei suffer!

Upstairs...

“Hubby, Mom praised me just now!”

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Mu Huan had received a lot of praise since she was young, but Meng Yueman’s praise made her exceptionally happy!

Even after returning to her room, she was still excited and in high spirits.

“Yes.” He did hear that.

“Tell me, why am I so awesome? I’ve been liked by Mom so quickly? Am I a genius? Am I too awesome?!”

“Yes.”

“A genius who’s more formidable than you, right?!”

Bo Junyan: “...”

“Look, only your IQ is high, but your EQ isn’t! I’m so excited while talking to you, so just give me a reply. If you show you’re excited while talking to me, I’ll definitely praise you for being so happy, and I won’t repeat myself again! I’ll lift you up even more! I’ll make you happier!”

Bo Junyan: “...”

“I’m as good as you—I’m so nice, so smart, so outstanding, and I’m such an outstanding wife. Why aren’t you proud? Why don’t you praise me more?”

Bo Junyan: "..."

She was already in this state. Was there a need to praise her?

"Sigh, I'm so envious of you for being able to marry me!"

Bo Junyan: "..."

"Fine! I'm not talking to you anymore. I'm going to video-call Xiao Meng and let her praise me!"

Bo Junyan: "..."

Mu Huan really video-called Li Meng because she was too happy about being praised by her mother-in-law. She was so happy that she had to vent it. Otherwise, it wouldn't be good because she won't be able to sleep.

Li Meng chatted with her for a while.

"Mu Huan, do you know that narcissism is a sickness?"

"I know, but I have to be a little sick! If I don't have any problems, I'll be envied by the heavens for being too perfect! People must always have some shortcomings!"

Li Meng: "..."

Bo Junyan: "..."

The next morning...

Bo Junyan handed a card to Mu Huan, who had just woken up.

Mu Huan looked at the card in his hand in a daze. "What is this?"

"It's a card with your name. The password is the day we registered our marriage."

"What am I to do with this card? Didn't you give me your card already?"

"This is the money you earned this time. It's your money, not mine. From now on, you can spend it as you please." Bo Junyan could clearly feel that Mu Huan no longer drew a clear line with him and had invested more feelings into him, and she was beginning to rely on him slowly.

However, she rarely spent his money. The number of times she had used the card up until now could be counted on one hand. Two of times were even meant for him.

"My money? When did I earn it?" Why didn't she know?

"This time, you convinced Uncle Dong to sell land to earn us money."

"We're husband and wife. It's my duty to do this for you. Why are you so polite? You don't have to give me my commission!" Mu Huan was used to collecting money in Know-All Agency in the past. She instinctively thought that he was giving her the commission because she had convinced Elder Dong successfully.

Bo Junyan looked at her and smiled. "This isn't a commission. It's money that you should get. Don't people say that brothers should settle scores openly? It's the same for a husband and wife. Also, the country is promoting the economic foundation of a wife. You must be fully employed, lest others say that you don't have any financial income and rely on your husband to support you.

"What they're saying is true. It's hard working as a full-time wife, but you're not even done studying yet!

"So, you have to take this money. This is yours."

"Okay." Mu Huan felt that what he said made sense, so she was about to put the card away. Just as she was about to put it into her wallet, she instinctively asked, "How much did I earn from this assignment?"

"500 million."

Mu Huan's hand, which was holding the card, suddenly trembled! "What did you say?"

"500 million."

Mu Huan: "...!!!"

Crap!

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500 million! 500 million!

This rich man was too stimulating!

"No... No... How did I... how did I earn 500 million?" Even if it was a free gift, it was only about 400 million. Furthermore, it was not a free gift. It was sold at half price!

"That piece of land was originally discussed at 460 million. You saved me 230 million by slashing half the price. And since the Dong family is selling the land, the project does not have to lose more than 300 million. Originally, I'd wanted to pay you more than 500 million, but since you're a family member, I elected that you give a discount to the company and have you receive only 500 million yuan." Bo Junyan's expression was one of disbelief.

Mu Huan: "..."

F*ck... She didn't know what to say!

After a while.

"Hubby... Hubby... Isn't the detailed proposal not given to Uncle Dong yet? What if he feels dissatisfied and doesn't sell the land?"

"He will definitely be satisfied with the detailed proposal."

"What if! If he's not satisfied, then wouldn't you have given me the money for nothing?!" He didn't have to give her the money in the first place, but he was actually giving it to her before this matter was even settled!

"You're my wife, and you can't escape."

“Don’t trust me so much. I might really be able to take the money and escape!” Five hundred million! With 500 million yuan, what was there for her to worry about in her life?! Who else would she be afraid of?! She could totally be a carefree and unconcerned person!

“Let me see if you can escape.”

Mu Huan: “...”

“You deserve the money, but if you don’t want it, I’ll donate it.”

Mu Huan immediately clutched the card in her hand tightly and shook her head vigorously. “Don’t donate it! Don’t donate it! I’m so poor! I need money urgently!”

Gu Chenyi had bought so many pieces of jewelry last time, and he had donated it just like that. If he were to say that he would donate 500 million, she would go crazy!

What he said made sense. She should be able to feel at ease!

Bo Junyan smiled and caressed her head. “Alright.”

Mu Huan looked at him and could not help asking, “Is this money really mine?”

“Yes, it’s really yours.”

“I’m really going to take it that it’s mine!” Although Mu Huan had fallen in love with Bo Junyan now and wanted to spend the rest of her life with him, accidents would always happen in life. Sometimes, things would not turn out as good as you think.

Hence, no matter how rich Bo Junyan was, that didn’t mean she was as rich. Now with money in her hands, she would always have an additional layer of protection!

“Yes.”

Mu Huan: “...”

Since that was the case, this was really her money!

After Bo Junyan let go of her to put on his clothes, Mu Huan held the card in her hand. Her hands were trembling when she thought about the 500 million yuan inside!

What the f*ck! She had truly become rich overnight!

In the past, when she was exhausted to the point that she could no longer hold on, Mu Huan could not help but dream to the sky, thinking about how good it would be if she could become rich overnight! This way, she would not have to worry about anything and would no longer have to be so tired.

After that, every time she snapped back to her senses, she would laugh at herself. She was actually thinking about becoming rich overnight. Why didn’t she just wish for gold to drop from the sky and tire her hands?

It would be easier to rob a bank than to get rich overnight.

Never would she have thought that she would really get rich overnight!

Just like that...

Just like that, without warning, she had 500 million! Just like that, she became a millionaire and no longer had to worry about money!

Crap...!!!

Why did this feel so surreal?!

How could she really become rich overnight?!

How could one really become rich overnight?!

Was she dreaming?

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Perhaps everything was just a dream. And when she woke up, she might still be the high school student who had to work hard all day to keep living.

At the thought of this, Mu Huan suddenly pinched her thigh hard.

When Bo Junyan came out after putting on his clothes, he saw this scene.

He frowned and asked, "What are you doing?"

"I'm just checking. Am I dreaming?" It hurt! This meant that it's real! She really became rich overnight!

Bo Junyan: "..."

Why wasn't she this excited when he gave her his card last time?

"I really got rich overnight!" Mu Huan said excitedly as she looked at Bo Junyan.

Bo Junyan was about to say something when...

Mu Huan rolled around happily on the bed.

Just as Bo Junyan was about to stop her, she sat up in pain as though she had been pricked by a needle.

Bo Junyan reached out and picked her up. "Are you that happy?"

She had forgotten about the injury on her back.

Mu Huan conveniently put her arms around his neck. Despite the pain, she was still smiling. She was like a ray of light, bright and dazzling!

"Of course I'm happy! I became rich overnight!" For a poor person, there was nothing better than this to be happy about!

"You've already become rich overnight when you married me." After their marriage, they had a couple's shared assets.

"That's different!"

“How is it different?”

“You were the one who made the money, not me. You said that I earned this money! This is the first time I’ve made so much money, so it’s a must that I’m very happy! It’s just like how even if the parents’ money will eventually be the child’s, the child will definitely be happy when he’s earned money using his own capabilities at work!”

“That makes sense.” Bo Junyan smiled and lowered his head to kiss her. “Will you be resting at home today?”

“My back no longer hurts. I’m going to the laboratory today.”

“Get up, then. I’ll send you to school.”

“Okay.”

At noon, Wu Xingye came to the school to look for Li Meng.

“You’re here just in time. Didn’t we agree that you’ll treat us to meals for two months? You haven’t even invited us yet. You’re treating us this afternoon!” Li Meng looked at Wu Xingye.

“Why else would I have come over during lunchtime? It’s so I can treat you guys to a feast!”

“Oh, how nice of you, huh? Since when did you become so generous?” Li Meng sized him up.

“I’m generous because I have money.”

Li Meng: “...”

Alright! This was the truth!

“Where’s Xiao Huan?”

“She went to the laboratory.”

“Hurry up and call her. Let’s see if she’s going or not. If she’s not, let’s go eat. I’m a little hungry.”

Mu Huan was feeling hungry. She took off her white coat and was about to go out for a meal when she received a call from Li Meng. Hence, she went to the place where the two of them were waiting.

“Where are we going to eat? It has to be a good place. We’ve eaten almost everywhere,” Li Meng said as she thought about it carefully.

“Didn’t Qiaoxi open a Michelin three-star restaurant last time? Let’s go there and eat. It’s not a place where we have to queue for an appointment on Saturday,” Mu Huan said. Last time, she had asked Li Meng to treat her to this. After they’d returned, she had been too busy to try going there.

Li Meng immediately agreed. “Sure! Sure!”

Wu Xingye said, “You two big-bellied kings, going to eat at that kind of place? Are you guys planning to eat me into bankruptcy? Can’t we just eat something practical?!”

The food at such a high-end restaurant was only a mouthful per serving. Since the two of them could eat so much, they might not be full even after eating ten servings there!

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“Didn’t you just say that you’re generous simply because you’re rich? We haven’t even eaten anything and you’re already complaining!” Li Meng said disdainfully. This slap in the face was too fast!

“Of course I’m complaining! Where are we going to have a meal that can satisfy the two of you? Paying 10,000 yuan isn’t enough! I’m going to have to spend 10,000 yuan each time to treat the two of you to two months’ worth of meals!” Their meal would surpass his budget!

“You promised two months’ worth of meals, but you only have this much budget!”

Wu Xingye was about to open his mouth when he got interrupted.

“You don’t have to feel the pinch. It’s my treat this time! Feel free to order whatever you want to eat! Have fun and eat until you’re full!” Mu Huan said generously.

The two of them looked at her at the same time. “Why are you being so generous?”

“That’s because Sister is super rich now!” Mu Huan had gone straight to the laboratory today and had not yet had the chance to show off her wealth to Li Meng!

“What’s wrong? Why did you suddenly become super rich?” Yesterday, they were still having a headache over the budget for opening a restaurant!

“Don’t tell me you became rich overnight?” Wu Xingye raised an eyebrow.

“That’s right! I’ve become rich overnight!” She had definitely become rich overnight!

Wu Xingye: “...”

Li Meng knew that Mu Huan would always say whatever she wanted. If she said that she became rich overnight, then she must have really become rich overnight. This made her extremely curious. “Why did you become rich overnight?”

“Last night, I helped Bo Junyan convince someone to sell their land and earned a huge sum of money for it!”

“How much is a large sum?”

Mu Huan reached out and slapped him.

“Five hundred thousand?” Because they knew that money earned from Bo Junyan would definitely not be a small sum, the two of them started off at a very high starting point of 500 thousand.

Mu Huan shook her head.

“Five million?”

Mu Huan shook her head.

“It can’t be 50 million, right?!” Li Meng and Wu Xingye shouted in disbelief.

Mu Huan shook her head.

“F*ck! Are you trying to say 500 million?!” Wu Xingye exclaimed.

“I don’t think so...” Li Meng was just about to wonder aloud how convincing a person to sell their land could earn her 500 million when...

Mu Huan nodded.

“Yes, 500 million!”

Li Meng widened her eyes in shock. “...!!!”

Wu Xingye: “...!!!”

Crap!

She really got rich overnight!

Suddenly, Li Meng squatted down and hugged Mu Huan’s thigh tightly. “Goddess Huan, from now on, I’m your leg accessory. I’ll go wherever you go. You’ll always be my true love!”

Wu Xingye looked at her with disdain and said, “Look at how useless you are!”

“That’s right, I’m such a good-for-nothing! If you’re so successful, then go away...” Li Meng waved him away.

“I’m sorry, I’m as useless as you!” After saying that, Wu Xingye looked at Mu Huan with a flattering expression. “So then, can I have a taste of the 85-year-old Lafite today?”

“I want to drink more than a few bottles!” Mu Huan said.

Wu Xingye shook his head. “Look at your nouveau riche temperament. Seriously...”

Li Meng continued, “I really want to be like you!”

Mu Huan smiled and grabbed Li Meng. “Let’s go eat!”

It felt so good to be a nouveau riche! She had to eat a big meal!

“Alright, I’m going to eat well today!” Li Meng hugged her arm.

The three of them chatted and laughed as they went to eat.

After dinner, Mu Huan looked at the two of them.

“I have to focus on scientific research now. I’ll depend on the two of you to settle the issue of the restaurant. There’s no need to limit the amount of money to spend. I’ll pay for the excess.” Mu Huan was already more generous now.

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“That won’t do. We’ll settle scores with each other. No matter how good our relationship is, it’s better to be clear about money. Otherwise, you’ll lose your only two good friends if you spoil us,” Li Meng said.

A person's heart would never change, and habits were especially scary. If Xiao Huan were to always be the one giving, they could end up enjoying it too much. In time, they could become too used to her generosity, and their hearts would slowly change. They could forget and never give back.

"I know, I haven't finished yet. This money needs to be returned with interest. Give me more when the restaurant earns money!" Mu Huan knew that no matter what kind of relationship one had, one had to have a balance. If one wanted to maintain it forever, one couldn't be overly biased and preferential.

"You have to ask for interest below the market price!" Li Meng said with a smile.

"Of course!"

Just as they were about to part ways, Mu Huan looked at them and said, "Both of you know that I'm now very rich, and this money belongs to me. So, no matter what happens in the future, you have to come to me. Don't think of other ways to solve your problem. If you want to borrow my money, I'll want you to return it. It's not like anything's changed. Don't hold on to your pride so much that you can't let it go."

She was going to be very busy and wouldn't have the time to pay attention to them. She hoped that they would take the initiative to talk to her about anything. She didn't want them to act like Wu Xingye did before, when he didn't tell her about what had happened at home and went instead to gamble.

"What do you mean by pride? I don't know what that is! I don't have that thing!" Li Meng said.

Mu Huan looked at Wu Xingye.

Wu Xingye immediately said, "That thing has long been crushed and thrown away by me!"

"Alright, then, you guys go to the market. I'm going back to the laboratory."

After separating from the two of them, Mu Huan was about to take a cab back to school when she saw a famous jewelry store across the road. She recalled that Bo Junyan's mother had given her a greeting gift, so she should also return some gifts.

Hence, she walked toward the store.

This store was indeed well-known and had many precious items.

When Mu Huan took out a diamond necklace and looked at it, the girl who was next to her while checking out a bracelet looked over.

"That diamond necklace looks really good!"

"Yes, it does." Mu Huan nodded.

"However, this doesn't suit your age. I think this necklace suits older people," the girl said.

"I'm just buying for an elder."

"Are you buying it for your mother? Your mother is so fortunate to have such a filial daughter!"

Mu Huan smiled without saying anything.

“Darling, come over here!” The girl next to her turned to look at a man who was looking at a ring not far away.

The man quickly walked toward the girl.

The girl immediately hugged the man’s arm flirtatiously. “Look, she’s so young and yet she’s already buying such an expensive diamond necklace for her mother. My mother has worked so hard to raise me, yet I haven’t bought anything for her. Why don’t you let me pick a necklace for her too?”

“Didn’t you just buy your mother a present last time?”

“Last time is last time, isn’t it? Why don’t you buy another one...” the girl said coquettishly.

“Fine... fine... I’ll buy it. You can choose whatever you want!” With that, the man looked at the counter employee and said, “Bring over all the necklaces that are suitable for elderly people. It’s fine!”

Seeing this, the counter employee felt that they were going to make a big sale today and hurriedly brought over more and better items for the two to pick from.

Because the counter employee had brought out more, Mu Huan put down the necklace to see if there was anything better.

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Mu Huan really saw something better. Because she picked up something else, the girl next to her picked up the diamond necklace that she had looked at just now.

After that, the girl took a few necklaces that Mu Huan had looked at and placed a few of them in front of her. It seemed like she had picked those ones.

Just as Mu Huan had picked out two necklaces and was about to pick one more...

The man who had gone to make a call came back. “I have an urgent matter to attend to. We have to go now. We’ll come over again another day.”

“Go on, I’ll continue picking. Just leave the card here.” The girl waved him away.

“You have to come with me for this matter. Be good and I’ll go out with you again next time!” The man put down the necklace in the woman’s hand and dragged her away.

After they left, Mu Huan called Bo Junyan and asked him whether her mother-in-law liked sapphires or rubies.

“What’s wrong?”

“I came out for a meal with Xiao Meng and Xingye. Then I thought about how I haven’t bought a gift for Mom yet. I’ve just earned a huge sum of money from you, so I wanted to buy some gifts to show my filial piety to Mom,” Mu Huan said naughtily.

“Mom has liked jade for the past few years. She should be very happy if you bought an exquisite jade accessory. She has too many diamonds and gemstones.”

Mu Huan: “Alright, thank you, Hubby!”

Since her mother-in-law did not like gemstone and diamond necklaces, Mu Huan did not choose any of them. After hanging up the call and apologizing to the counter employee, she got up and left. She knew about a jade shop. The master's carving skills were very good, and the carvings were lifelike. Her mother-in-law would probably like them.

The counter employee thought that they would make a big sale today, but in the end, not a single one was sold.

Hence, she put away the diamond necklaces that she had just taken out in frustration.

As Mu Huan walked, she took a few more glances at the other jewelry. Just as she was about to reach the door...

Suddenly, she heard the counter employee scream, "Stop her! Stop her!"

The security officers at the door immediately stopped Mu Huan.

Mu Huan turned around to look.

The counter employee ran out and said, "I've already reported the case. You can't run anymore!"

"I'm running? Why should I run?" Mu Huan was baffled.

"The gemstone necklaces you looked at earlier have been changed into fake ones!" the counter employee said as she grabbed Mu Huan's arm tightly to prevent her from running away.

Mu Huan frowned. "Is this a new scam? You're such a big store, and you're still doing this? Or have you changed ownership, and now, this place is a black shop?" Mu Huan had heard that this shop was an honest one. She didn't expect that she would be accused of swapping their things after simply looking at a necklace!

"It's not us! It's you, you're the thief!" said the counter employee as she grabbed her clothes.

"You can't spout nonsense accusations however you want!" Mu Huan's gaze turned cold as she flung the counter employee away forcefully.

When the security officers around her saw this, they immediately wanted to go forward and grab her. However, when they were swept away by Mu Huan's icy glare, they instantly stopped moving.

They didn't know what was going on either. The girl in front of them looked delicate and gentle, but they didn't dare to go forward and catch her.

Just then, the manager arrived upon receiving a message. "What's going on?"

"She looked at a few necklaces. When I was packing them up again, they've turned into fake ones!" the counter employee said while pointing at Mu Huan. The texture of real diamonds and fake diamonds were different. Hence, even if they were made exactly the same, she could tell that something was amiss with just one look!

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The manager looked at Mu Huan, but when he saw her face, he frowned. This girl looked like a high school student. How could she have changed their necklaces? Hence, he looked at the counter employee and asked, "Are you sure?"

"How could I have made a mistake?! I've worked in the store for more than ten years, and I can pick out the real and fake necklace with just one touch!" The counter employee did not expect that the manager would not suspect this young lady. He even asked if the employee had made a mistake. She was so anxious that her eyes turned red!

The manager gestured for someone to bring those over and took a closer look. It was indeed fake. He looked at the counter employee and asked, "Were there any other guests with her just now?"

The three diamond necklaces that had been swapped out looked as if they were real. From their appearance, it was impossible to tell that they were fake. If it weren't for the fact that the person who was in charge happened to be the most experienced counter employee in their store, they would have let the person go!

To be able to create such an identical fake necklace in advance, this wasn't something just any person could commit. She must have an accomplice!

"Yes. Just now, a man and a woman were picking with her. The woman said that this young lady was picking a diamond necklace for her mother to be filial, so she also wanted to pick a necklace for her mother. The man generously asked me to take out more and better ones so that the woman could pick whatever she wanted. I saw that they were dressed decently and thought that they were going to buy them, so I took out all the items for them to pick. When this young lady saw that I had taken out more, she also picked from among them. After a while, the man picked up a call and said that something urgent had happened, so he didn't buy anything and forcefully dragged the woman away. The moment they left, this young lady called someone and said that her mother didn't like diamonds and liked jades. She said sorry that she didn't buy anything and would have to leave. When I checked the necklaces, I found out some of them were fake ones!"

The counter employee roughly explained the situation.

"Have only the three of them touched these necklaces?"

"Yes, only the three of them!" the counter employee said affirmatively.

When the manager heard this, he confirmed that this was a crime committed by a gang. Hence, he turned to look at Mu Huan again and thought to himself, Indeed, one shouldn't judge a book by its cover. Such a young lady would actually do such a thing. However, she must be a newbie. Otherwise, she wouldn't have been stopped. Thinking of something, he said, "Young lady, I think you've been used by someone. Otherwise, they wouldn't have left first and left you behind. It's best if you tell us all their information. If you can help us get the items back, we won't hold you accountable."

The necklaces were definitely not with this young lady. The goods had been transferred away by her partner. If they wanted to get back the goods in the shortest time possible, they had to break through using this young lady.

Mu Huan had initially thought that the store was a black shop, but the expression on the counter employee's face did not look like it was fake. Furthermore, on careful thought, there was indeed something wrong with the woman who was looking at the necklace beside her. She picked up everything that Mu Huan had seen and taken a look at. Furthermore, if the shop assistant wasn't involved, the other party must have planned and prepared everything beforehand.

When they saw her coming in, the other party made use of her and picked out necklaces with her. This way, not only would they be able to complete the stolen mission, but they would also be able to make the shop suspect Mu Huan and buy time to escape.

They actually dared to make use of Mu Huan and even wanted her to take the blame! She really wanted to have a do-over and find the two of them to give them a good thrashing! Didn't they know that harming someone like this could cause people to die?!