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Chapter 2051: His Royal Highness (9)

Holding the teacup, Jun Linyuan glanced at Feng Wu.

“Boss Jun, there’s nothing wrong with this game, right? We can use it to train our resilience and tolerance. Don’t you think so? A month isn’t long at all. It’ll be over before you know it.”

Feng Wu smiled and tried to persuade Jun Linyuan.

“Hm, I think I didn’t sleep well. My shoulders ache.” The crown prince stretched.

That couldn’t be any more obvious!

Feng Wu was too smart not to catch it!

So, she quickly ran up to Jun Linyuan and massaged his shoulders.

She was an expert medicine refiner, and not many people could find acupoints as accurately as she could.

Her massage was very comfortable.

“I feel so sleepy.”

Jun Linyuan rose to his feet and walked to the bed.

Feng Wu immediately followed him, for she had to stay within ten steps of him.

The crown prince smiled in satisfaction.

Feng Wu couldn’t look any more frustrated.

While Jun Linyuan went to sleep, Feng Wu had to sit by the bed.

Jun Linyuan mumbled, “If I’m happy enough, maybe I’ll give you the chance.”

Feng Wu asked, “What chance?”

The crown prince snorted. “Feng Wu, there’s no point in pretending anymore.”

Feng Wu asked, “What?”

The crown prince smirked. “If you make me happy, I’ll give you the chance to like me.”

Feng Wu was screaming inwardly.

Give me the chance to like you? Go to hell!

But she didn’t say anything.

She needed his help, so she had to do what he wanted.

She forced a smile. “Really?”

Jun Linyuan said, "Yes. I'll give you the honor of being in my presence."

Feng Wu snorted inwardly. She didn't want it at all!

But she still had to smile. "Thank you, Your Royal Highness."

The crown prince asked, "Why are you thanking me? Have I promised you anything?"

Feng Wu didn't know what to say.

Feng Wu wanted to punch Jun Linyuan when she saw how much he was enjoying this.

Jun Linyuan snorted. "Don't stop."

Feng Wu sighed. "Alright, alright."

Poor Feng Wu. Since she needed Jun Linyuan's help now, she couldn't say no, and had to keep giving him a massage.

And Jun Linyuan didn't wake up until that night.

Someone knocked on the door.

Feng Wu looked at the distance between the door and the bed.

It was over ten steps, so Feng Wu wasn't going to answer it.

"Boss Jun, Boss Jun, it's me!"

It was Feng Xun's voice.

"Come in." With a flick of Feng Wu's fingers, the door opened.

"Don't stop," the half-asleep Jun Linyuan reminded Feng Wu.

Feng Wu didn't know what to say.

Feng Xun was almost scared to death when he walked into the room.

"Feng Wu" was lying on the bed facing away from the door, while "Boss Jun" was sitting by the bed and giving "Feng Wu" a leg massage.

He was giving Feng Wu a leg massage!

Feng Xun's eyes widened.

He stared at Feng Wu in disbelief. "Boss Jun, you —"

Feng Wu gestured at him. "Shhhh... Be quiet."

Feng Xun couldn't stand it anymore.

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He had convinced himself that he would forget what Feng Wu had told him before, but seeing what "Boss Jun" was doing to himself, Feng Xun couldn't remain silent anymore.

So, he walked up to “Jun Linyuan” and dragged “him” away.

Feng Wu wasn’t used to Jun Linyuan’s spiritual essence yet and didn’t dare use it freely, so Feng Xun was able to drag her a few steps away.

She was almost ten steps away from Jun Linyuan, and she was alarmed.

“Stop!” She glared at Feng Xun. “Pull yourself together! What are you doing? You look like the world is going to end!”

Feng Xun was frustrated by those words.

“Boss Jun... I can’t bring myself to see you like this!” Feng Xun stared at “him.” “I just can’t!”

Feng Wu asked, “You can’t?”

Feng Xun said, “Boss Jun, you’re forcing yourself to do this. It’s not like you.”

Feng Wu was confused.

Glancing at “Feng Wu” on the bed, Feng Xun took “Jun Linyuan” by the arm. “Let’s talk outside.”

Feng Wu realized that Feng Xun didn’t want the other “Feng Wu” to hear what he was going to say.

Feng Wu wanted to go outside, but she couldn’t walk beyond that ten-step distance. Thus, she could only look at Feng Xun in resignation and say, “We can talk here.”

Feng Xun pointed at “Feng Wu” on the bed.

Feng Wu said, “She’s asleep. Don’t worry.”

Feng Xun said, “Alright. I need to tell you something!”

Feng Wu said, “Do tell.”

Feng Xun hesitated, then gave “Feng Wu” an apologetic look. He then turned to Feng Wu and said slowly, “Boss Jun, you should be worried, because Xiao Wu... She...”

Feng Wu was very curious.

It seemed that Feng Xun was going to tell Jun Linyuan something behind her back.

She was curious about what he was going to say. She didn’t think that she had done anything worth blaming her for.

Moreover, she knew that Jun Linyuan was awake right now.

At that thought, she crossed her arms and said calmly, “Tell me. What about Feng Wu? What did she do?”

Feng Xun scratched his head. “She didn’t actually do anything. It’s just that she... she told me herself that she... She doesn’t like you! She’s in love with someone else!”

Feng Wu glared at Feng Xun!

He really was going to talk behind her back, but what he didn't know was that the "Boss Jun" he was talking to was actually Feng Wu.

Feng Wu snorted and stared at Feng Xun. "Do you think I care about that?"

Feng Xun was confused.

Boss Jun liked Feng Wu so much. Why should he care about that?

On second thought, he realized how proud Boss Jun was. So be it...

Right at that moment!

There was a loud thump.

They heard a noise from the bed.

Feng Xun looked up and met Jun Linyuan's eyes.

Holy crap!

Those eyes!

Feng Xun looked like he was about to cry when he turned to "Boss Jun." "Didn't you say that Xiao Wu was asleep? She's going to kill me!"

He ran off after that.

Feng Wu scratched her head and murmured, "Why's Feng Xun so afraid? He didn't say anything important."

She then turned around and sat by the bed next to Jun Linyuan.

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She was about to ask him about the game, when she saw his dark face. There was no warmth in his eyes.

Feng Wu felt her heart freeze. A chill ran down her spine.

"What's wrong?" She realized that her voice was shaking.

Jun Linyuan didn't say anything as he kept staring at her. The temperature in the room seemed to drop.

Feng Wu felt like crying.

Her body was only that of a Level 7 Spiritual Elder, and according to Jun Linyuan, it was severely injured. How could he radiate such intimidating energy?

And his cheeks were scarlet red!

Feng Wu wanted to speak, but she realized that she had upset him.

"Jun Linyuan, you —" Feng Wu started to say something.

“Cough, cough —”

Jun Linyuan was caught in a fit of coughing and couldn't stop.

Feng Wu immediately walked up to him and gently patted his back. She didn't realize how concerned she looked now. “Jun Linyuan, what's wrong? Why are you so angry? Please don't be mad...”

However, her words only made Jun Linyuan cough even harder.

He pushed Feng Wu away.

But he didn't have much strength, and Feng Wu quickly walked back to his side.

“Out!” Blood oozed out of the corner of his mouth as he stared at Feng Wu.

Feng Wu said, “Why are you so angry? What's wrong with you?”

Jun Linyuan said, “Get out! Now!”

He pointed at the door and glared at Feng Wu with his eagle-like eyes.

Feng Wu was confused. She didn't understand what had happened, but she couldn't go out now.

Feng Wu fell back until she was ten steps away from him. However, she felt that Jun Linyuan might roll to the other side of the bed, so she took a step forward.

She sat down on the ground and spoke to Jun Linyuan in a serious tone. “I don't know why you're angry, but I know that it must have something to do with me. I'm not going anywhere. I'll sit right here.”

Jun Linyuan gritted his teeth and glared at Feng Wu.

Feng Wu threw her hands up in the air. “I, I'll just sit here and reflect on myself. I'll try to figure out why you're angry. Is that okay? Please don't make me go away...”

The look on Feng Wu's face was so adorable that Jun Linyuan snorted and turned his back to her. Out of sight, out of mind.

Feng Wu secretly rejoiced.

Luckily, she had expected the possibility that he would roll away from her, and had taken a step forward. Otherwise, she would have failed the task by now.

At that thought, Feng Wu became a little worried.

Although it was an unreasonable task, it had started, and Feng Wu would finish it at all costs.

The problem now was that measuring the distance with her steps wasn't accurate enough. What if something went wrong? Feng Wu couldn't afford that mistake.

So, the best way was...

A rope!

She could find a rope and tie herself to Jun Linyuan. That way, as long as the rope wasn't removed, they would always be within ten steps of each other. Yes! That was it!

But to do that, Jun Linyuan had to agree to play that game with her.

At that thought, Feng Wu was filled with complaints toward Feng Xun.

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If Feng Xun hadn't intervened, Feng Wu knew that she would have coaxed Jun Linyuan into playing the game by now.

But why was Jun Linyuan so angry?

Sitting cross-legged on the ground, Feng Wu rested her chin on her right hand and was deep in thought.

Jun Linyuan had clearly gotten angry after Feng Xun showed up.

What did Feng Xun do?

Nothing, really. He only said one thing.

He said that Feng Wu was in love with someone else. Was it possible that Jun Linyuan was angry because of that?

Why should he be?

If Jun Linyuan was really angry because of what Feng Xun said, it meant that he wanted Feng Wu to like him.

The thought made Feng Wu jump to her feet.

She wanted to question Jun Linyuan, but on second thought, she felt that even if Jun Linyuan wanted her to like him it still wouldn't prove anything.

People like Jun Linyuan were all very possessive. Everyone had to like him, regardless if he liked them or not.

At that thought, Feng Wu pouted and stared at Jun Linyuan.

The look in Jun Linyuan's eyes was still very cold.

Feng Wu didn't know what to say.

She didn't want to indulge him, but she still needed his help...

But now...

Knock, knock, knock —

Someone knocked on the door.

Feng Wu's stomach lurched. Feng Xun hadn't come back, had he?

She asked, "Who is it?"

Granny Gong's voice rang out. "Your Royal Highness, the farewell banquet held by the chieftain is going to start soon. His Majesty has sent Master Gao to invite you."

A farewell banquet? Jun Linyuan wasn't the type of person to attend such an event.

"I'll decline the invitation if Your Royal Highness doesn't want to go."

Master Gao was on Jun Linyuan's side and always wanted what was best for him.

From what he knew about the crown prince, the latter wouldn't be interested in such a banquet at all.

Granny Gong thought the same.

So did Feng Wu. She then said, "Tonight, I —"

However, Jun Linyuan sat up before Feng Wu could finish.

Feng Wu looked at him in confusion.

Jun Linyuan walked past her without giving her a glance.

He walked past Feng Wu in an arrogant manner.

Feng Wu didn't know what to say.

She couldn't calm down when she thought about the ninth trial.

Without thinking, she followed Jun Linyuan and walked three steps behind him.

They were very close.

They walked out of the tent and Jun Linyuan suddenly stopped. He then turned to stare at Feng Wu.

Feng Wu gave him an innocent look.

Jun Linyuan said, "Don't follow me."

He then quickly walked away.

Feng Wu was exasperated!

The ninth trial!

She followed him without saying a word.

Jun Linyuan walked faster and faster until he looked like he was flying.

Feng Wu was right behind him, fearing that she would break the ten-step rule.

She was determined that Jun Linyuan had to play that game with her, and she had to tie herself to Jun Linyuan. Otherwise, it would be too dangerous!

"Can't you understand what I said?" Jun Linyuan halted, turned around, and stared at Feng Wu.

Chapter 2055: Romantic Company (1)

Jun Linyuan stared at Feng Wu. "Didn't I tell you? Stop following me!"

Crossing her hands behind her back, Feng Wu looked around and said, "I'm not following you."

Jun Linyuan smirked. "You're not? Then what are you doing now?"

Feng Wu looked ahead and said, "I'm just savoring the view. I'm not following you."

Jun Linyuan studied Feng Wu for about three seconds, but she just wouldn't meet his gaze.

Jun Linyuan snorted and turned to walk away.

As soon as he started walking, Feng Wu followed him.

And she stopped when Jun Linyuan did.

Jun Linyuan was speechless.

"Feng Wu, do you find this amusing?" Jun Linyuan stared at Feng Wu.

Feng Wu shrugged. "Huh? What do you mean?"

Jun Linyuan rolled his eyes at her.

While the two of them bantered back and forth, the others were astonished.

Especially Granny Gong.

"Since when did His Royal Highness become so clingy? Has he finally understood his feelings?" Granny Gong murmured to herself. She then looked to Feng Xun for affirmation.

Feng Xun smiled bitterly and shook his head.

Seeing the suspicious look in Granny Gong's eyes, he could only say, "I'm just worried that His Royal Highness is becoming too sentimental."

Granny Gong said, "What do you mean?"

Feng Xun shook his head. "To be honest, I'm as baffled as you are."

After that, he quickly walked toward Jun Linyuan and Feng Wu.

Granny Gong turned to Feng. "What's Young Lord Feng getting at?"

Feng said, "It's hard to say..."

"Hm?"

Granny Gong looked at Feng in confusion.

She usually had a clear head, but not today.

Why was everyone so hard to understand today?

But Feng wasn't going to give her an explanation.

In fact, Feng was only guessing himself.

At the farewell banquet.

The night wind on the grassland was quite cool.

The seats were arranged in a circle.

Emperor Wu was given the host seat.

On his left was the chieftain, and the empress dowager was on his right.

Empress Dugu was further down the line.

Before, she would have been displeased with the arrangement, but when she offended the empress dowager last time, Mrs. Dugu, her sister-in-law, had given her a few lessons. Ever since then, Empress Dugu had learned to say things to make the empress dowager happy.

And so far, it had been quite effective.

At least, the empress dowager didn't give her attitude whenever they met. Sometimes, when the old lady was happy, she could be quite nice to Empress Dugu.

"Jun Linyuan" sat one seat further down next to Empress Dugu.

Next to "him" was the second prince.

As for "Feng Wu," she was only a common princess, and was too far down to be seen.

As before, Emperor Wu's people sat on the east side, while the people of the grassland sat on the west.

The banquet had already started when Jun Linyuan and Feng Wu arrived.

A bonfire was burning in the center of the banquet, and everyone was smiling.

Jun Linyuan frowned. He didn't like events like this and had only come this way to frustrate Feng Wu.

Chapter 2056: Romantic Company (2)

Therefore, Jun Linyuan immediately turned away from the crowd when he saw them.

Of course, Feng Wu followed him because of her task.

The two of them were going to walk away.

But they had forgotten how eye-catching they were.

When they showed up, the others were bound to notice them.

Lord Mu was the first to spot them.

"Your Royal Highness —"

He quickly walked toward "Jun Linyuan."

His voice immediately attracted everyone's attention.

Even the people who had been dancing stopped and looked in Feng Wu's direction.

"Look! It's the crown prince of the Junwu Empire!"

“He’s so handsome!”

“I hear that he’s so powerful and has become a master cultivator at such a young age!”

Dugu Mengxi gave Jun Linyuan a jealous glance.

He had thought that only women of the Junwu Empire would be infatuated with the crown prince. As it turned out, women of the grassland were the same.

They were much louder, as if they were afraid that the crown prince couldn’t hear them.

Dugu Mengxi looked in the second prince’s direction involuntarily.

As expected, the second prince’s face was darker than a cloudy sky.

Dugu Mengxi sighed inwardly.

Before the crown prince arrived, the second prince had been doing fine. He had engaged in a logical and cohesive debate with the older prince of the grassland.

Everyone applauded him.

The officials and teenagers of the grassland all sang his praises.

But —

Dugu Mengxi wondered why His Royal Highness had to come.

As soon as he arrived, everyone else fell to the background, as if they were transparent.

Standing there, he looked like a landmark that towered above everyone else.

No one was even comparable with him. Dugu Mengxi didn’t know where to begin to vent his frustration.

The crown prince was about as popular among men as Feng Wu was among women.

Dugu Mengxi was glad to see the two of them leave, but —

Lord Mu had quickly run to their side. He wanted to pat “Jun Linyuan” on the shoulder, but then he recalled that the crown prince was a neat freak.

Lord Mu’s hand stopped halfway and turned into an inviting gesture.

“Your Royal Highness, everyone’s been waiting for you.”

Lord Mu was an extrovert, which was why Emperor Wu had made him in charge of the logistics.

Jun Linyuan never compromised for anyone, and no one could affect him.

Except for one person.

He wanted to go, but he heard the empress dowager’s voice at that moment.

She arrived with Granny Lan and was asking, “Is Junjun here? Is that you, Junjun?”

The crown prince was such a relentless and intimidating figure that it was so strange to hear someone calling him by his nickname.

But if that someone was the empress dowager...

The second prince's face had already darkened. Hearing the empress dowager's affectionate tone, he gritted his teeth.

Chapter 2057: Romantic Company (3)

Seeing the empress dowager walking toward them, Feng Wu tugged Jun Linyuan's sleeve.

Jun Linyuan threw her hand off.

Feng Wu tugged his sleeve again.

Jun Linyuan snorted.

Seeing their interaction, Lord Mu had a strange look on his face.

That...

That wasn't right!

According to Mu Yaoyao, the crown prince only treated Feng Wu as a toy and would forget about her as soon as he was done with her.

But judging by what was happening now...

She wasn't any toy. It looked like she was quite dear to him!

They looked like a happy young couple... "Feng Wu" was giving "Jun Linyuan" attitude, but "His Royal Highness" was patiently appeasing the girl.

"He" tugged at the girl's sleeve, and "she" brushed "him" off.

"He" tugged "her" sleeve again. How patient.

Lord Mu had been a teenager once, so of course, he could understand. They looked like all other loving young couples.

He sighed inwardly.

Mu Yaoyao, you little fool. Who were you trying to fool? His Royal Highness likes Feng Wu a lot.

Despite his conflicted feelings, he had to smile.

Feng Wu tugged at Jun Linyuan. "Don't act like a baby. Her Majesty the empress dowager is here. Come with me."

However, Jun Linyuan only glanced at her and turned to leave.

Feng Wu was astonished!

That left a bad impression on Lord Mu.

He found “Feng Wu” so arrogant!

Lord Mu stared at “Feng Wu” and was displeased. Who did “this girl” think she was? Unbelievable!

However, at that moment —

An idea suddenly struck Feng Wu.

She noticed the arrogance in Jun Linyuan’s demeanor.

Every time she tried to give Jun Linyuan an order, he didn’t react well, but when she softened her tone, most of the time he would oblige.

Was that true?

If that was the case, it meant that she knew how to manipulate Jun Linyuan.

That thought made Feng Wu rejoice.

Of course, she didn’t let anything show.

She took Jun Linyuan’s hand and spoke in a pitiful tone. “Are you really leaving me?”

Hearing this, Jun Linyuan immediately softened and stopped walking.

It really worked!

Feng Wu was so excited that she almost wanted to dance.

Oh my... Could she control Jun Linyuan’s temper now?

Before, she only thought that she could bend Jun Linyuan’s will in this way, but she didn’t know that it could be so effective.

“Will you come with me?”

Feng Wu was playing the role of Jun Linyuan now, and she had been invited by both the empress dowager and Lord Mu. It would be so embarrassing if she left right now.

Jun Linyuan gave Feng Wu a meaningful look.

And he didn’t try to leave again.

Feng Wu was singing inwardly.

She was so happy to have learned more about Jun Linyuan!

By then, the empress dowager had reached Feng Wu, and everyone was looking in her direction.

The empress dowager took Feng Wu’s hand and said affectionately, “Junjun, did you sleep well?”

Chapter 2058: Romantic Company (4)

Feng Wu immediately said, “I’m well-rested. Thank you, Grandmother.”

“You’re always so formal. Why can’t you be more casual around me?” The empress dowager was happy to see “Jun Linyuan” and immediately took “his” hand. “Come. Sit with me.”

She then snorted. “Someone was behaving like the smartest man in the room while you were away. He actually thought that he could win a debate. Hmph!”

Feng Wu knew who she was talking about. Only the second prince would be criticized like this.

The empress dowager then tried to lead Feng Wu away.

She had no idea that the “Jun Linyuan” she was talking to was actually Feng Wu.

Feng Wu sighed inwardly. She could go with the empress dowager, but what if Jun Linyuan wouldn’t go with her?

She was still on the ninth trial.

Feng Wu looked eagerly at Jun Linyuan.

She already knew him a little better than before.

She knew that she couldn’t talk to Jun Linyuan in a commanding tone, because he was a very rebellious teenager and thought that he was the greatest man on earth.

Therefore, she had to try to bend his will by using tricks, such as talking in a softer tone. It would work much better than trying to force him.

As expected —

When Feng Wu gave Jun Linyuan a pleading look, he snorted.

Feng Wu then walked up to him and took his hand. “Come. Sit with us.”

She wished that she had a rope here to tie him to her waist.

That way, she wouldn’t have to worry about the ten-step distance anymore.

The crown prince rolled his eyes at Feng Wu and reluctantly followed her.

But now —

The crowd was utterly baffled.

The empress dowager was the most astonished because she was the closest to them.

The two of them...

How could her Junjun do this?

Did they have no respect for her at all?!

The empress dowager’s face darkened, but she couldn’t bring herself to get mad at “Jun Linyuan.” Therefore, she lashed out at “Feng Wu.”

The empress dowager’s eyes were as sharp as blades as she stared at “Feng Wu.”

But what she didn't know was that her dear grandson was actually Feng Wu.

"You frivolous girl! Behave yourself!

"And you!" The empress dowager gave her grandson a frustrated glance. "Have you forgotten where you are? Where do you think you're taking her?!"

Feng Wu's stomach turned. Gosh, the empress dowager was angry.

Why? Feng Wu then saw that the old lady was staring at her and Jun Linyuan's clasped hands.

Was that it?

The empress dowager glanced at Empress Dugu. If she wasn't there, the crown prince would be sitting next to the old lady.

But seniority came first. Empress Dugu was still the crown prince's titular mother, and even the empress dowager couldn't make Empress Dugu change her seat.

Therefore, she just gave Empress Dugu a dirty look before she pulled Feng Wu away. "Here. Sit next to me. Let's chat."

The second prince had had a great debate just then, and had impressed a lot of people. Therefore, the empress dowager wanted to show "Jun Linyuan" some favor so that some people wouldn't get the wrong idea.

However...

Feng Wu didn't care about that at all. She was only trying to finish the ninth trial.

Chapter 2059: Romantic Company (5)

Therefore, when the empress dowager wanted to make Feng Wu sit next to her, Feng Wu kept looking back at Jun Linyuan, fearing that he would be too far away from her.

The empress dowager found that very frustrating.

She pinched Feng Wu's waist and lowered her voice. "Jun Linyuan, have you lost your mind?!"

That hurt.

Feng Wu was almost in tears, and looked at the empress dowager in confusion.

The empress dowager said angrily, "Look around you! You're a man; you should act like one! Women are disposable! I see that you can't get that girl out of your head. I can have her killed!"

Feng Wu didn't know what to say.

She gave the empress dowager a strange look.

If she really did that, she would kill her favorite grandson.

Seeing how unperturbed “Jun Linyuan” looked, the empress dowager was even angrier. “Jun Linyuan, are you trying to give me a heart attack?!”

It seemed that she was genuinely angry now.

Feng Wu looked over her shoulder to calculate the distance. If she sat next to the empress dowager and Jun Linyuan sat in the crown prince’s seat, they wouldn’t be over ten steps apart. So, she decided to coax the old lady.

And that was something she was good at.

She took the empress dowager’s hand, smiled, and said softly, “Grandmother, you’re an eagle who soars in the sky, and that girl is just an ant. An eagle would never let an ant bother her.”

The empress dowager seemed very pleased to hear that.

Feng Wu went on. “Grandmother, you’re an adult, and she’s just a kid. Why let her affect your mood?”

The empress dowager looked away. “What if I let her affect me?”

Feng Wu sat down next to her and peeled an orange for her. “Sure, sure. Elderly people are just like children. In that sense, you’re the same age as Feng Wu and even younger than me.”

Jun Linyuan probably didn’t know what his grandmother liked to hear, but Feng Wu did.

As expected, the empress dowager chuckled when she heard that.

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After that, the atmosphere seemed to lighten up a lot. However, the empress dowager wasn’t going to forgive her grandson yet.

“Are you going to let the girl sit in your seat?” The empress dowager stared at Feng Wu.

Feng Wu cleared her throat. “Grandmother, what do you mean...”

The empress dowager said, “Isn’t she a princess? She has her own seat! Tell her to go back there!”

Feng Wu looked around...

Where did the princesses sit? The seats were so far away, where she probably wouldn’t be able to hear Jun Linyuan and the others talk.

Feng Wu said, “Grandmother, if you insist, I’ll have to sit with her.”

“You —” The empress dowager stared at Feng Wu and was furious.

Feng Wu smiled and held the empress dowager’s hands. “There, there, Your Majesty, don’t let her upset you. We’ll ignore her.”

The empress dowager said, “How can I? She’s still sitting there! Does she think that she’s the crown prince?!”

Feng Wu cleared her throat.

Other people saw it as well.

And some wanted to create trouble more than others.

They were just waiting for the empress dowager to finish criticizing “Feng Wu.”

The second prince and Empress Dugu looked at each other, and both were pleased.

Chapter 2060: Romantic Company (6)

The second prince and Empress Dugu looked at each other. They didn’t expect that Jun Linyuan would become so foolish as to offend the empress dowager over a girl.

Jun Linyuan was so proud and unapproachable that they thought “he” was going to quarrel with the empress dowager in public this time.

Empress Dugu secretly rejoiced. Having spent years talking about Jun Linyuan behind his back, she had finally driven a wedge between the father and son. If Her Majesty the empress dowager abandoned Jun Linyuan as well, the second prince would have a much better chance.

At that thought, Empress Dugu pricked up her ears and listened.

But both she and other opponents of Jun Linyuan were disappointed. Jun Linyuan would never relent, but Feng Wu was much more flexible.

Feng Wu took the empress dowager’s hand with a smile and said, “Of course. I’ll tell her off when I go back. How about that?”

The empress dowager glanced at her “grandson” and asked, “Why are you so docile today?”

Feng Wu’s stomach lurched. Had the empress dowager noticed something?

Meanwhile, Jun Linyuan couldn’t help but glance at Feng Wu as well.

He found the girl too naggy to sound like him.

However, she had made the empress dowager very happy, so Jun Linyuan didn’t say anything.

He simply couldn’t be bothered to do such things.

Feng Wu smiled at the empress dowager. “Grandmother, don’t you like me this way?”

The empress dowager snorted. “I hope you mean it. I know you too well. You’re a little outlaw out there. What can I do when your own father can’t do anything?”

Emperor Wu walked over to them, glanced at his son, and asked the empress dowager, “Did Jun Linyuan upset you again?”

“Of course not!” Although the empress dowager scolded Jun Linyuan, she wouldn’t let Emperor Wu say a harsh word to her grandson. “Junjun didn’t do anything. Please don’t tell him off!”

Emperor Wu rubbed his nose in embarrassment.

Since the empress dowager had scolded him, he had to get back at his son for it.

Therefore, Emperor Wu stared at “Jun Linyuan” with a dark face. “Where have you been? Don’t you know that there’s a farewell party? Is this how you show your respect to the chieftain?”

Seeing that the empress dowager was going to retort, Empress Dugu rose from her seat and interjected with a smile, “Your Majesty, please don’t be mad. His Royal Highness must have had a tough time in the tombs, and it’s only natural that he should need some more rest. We should be glad to see him.”

Emperor Wu said, “He’s not the only one who went into the tombs. Why is he the only one tired? Who does he think he is? He’s not the emperor yet, and he’s already behaving like one!”

That was a serious accusation.

The second prince immediately interjected, “Your Majesty, my brother is more capable and took more responsibility in the tombs...”

“What hardship did he go through in the tombs? What responsibility? Tell me about it!” Emperor Wu was genuinely angry.

Seeing this, the empress dowager didn’t know what to say.

The second prince gave it some thought, and then smiled bitterly. “Because my brother is much more capable than us, he didn’t walk with us, so I really can’t say... But he got Miss Feng Wu out, didn’t he?”

Emperor Wu smirked. “He didn’t find the seed of the spirit source, nor did he save Wuxia. He only saved an outsider and won’t acknowledge his faults. Jun Linyuan, you just won’t repent, will you?!”