

## **G E D 2121**

### **Chapter 2121: You're Lying**

That was why the ninja was so frustrated.

As a matter of fact –

Right now, “Jun Linyuan” was indeed very weak... Feng Wu smiled wryly.

Of course, she couldn't tell anyone this secret, and decided to keep the ninja guessing. She was going to let the ninja continue to be misinformed.

The most important thing now was to obtain the revival list.

Feng Wu stared at the ninja. “Give me the list.”

The ninja stared back at Feng Wu. “Don't you have it already?”

Feng Wu smirked. “If you lie to us... Feng Xun, make sure he suffers for 81 days before he dies.”

By that, she meant that Feng Xun should keep peeling off the ninja's flesh.

No matter how tough the ninja was, he wouldn't be able to endure the torture for 81 days.

Therefore, the ninja could only grit his teeth as he glared at Feng Wu. “I only know the members of the Saturn Revival Team. I swear I don't know the rest!”

The Saturn Team?

Feng Wu raised an eyebrow.

She was an avid reader and knew what that meant.

In a long-lost ancient civilization, a month was divided into four seven-day weeks, and this civilization used a seven-star altar.

Seven gods were worshiped on the seven levels of the altar, which were the gods of the sun, the moon, Mars, Mercury, Jupiter, Venus, and Saturn.

The day of the sun was Sunday.

The day of the moon was Monday.

The day of Mars was Tuesday.

The day of Mercury was Wednesday.

The day of Jupiter was Thursday.

The day of Venus was Friday.

The day of Saturn was Saturday.

However, only a handful of people still remembered this information.

Therefore, when the ninja said that he belonged to the Saturn Team, it suddenly occurred to Feng Wu that there were six more of them.

Feng Wu smiled a little. "Are you saying that you don't have any contact with the other six teams?"

The ninja felt that he had just been struck by a thunderbolt.

Was the "crown prince" even human? How could "he" know that there were six more teams?

Seeing the look on his face, Feng Wu knew that she had guessed right.

The boss of the intelligence department of the Dongsang Kingdom was to be blamed for this. Why did he have to copy the names from an ancient book?

Feng Wu gave Feng Xun a warning glance.

Feng Xun nodded and smacked the ninja on the forehead. "The names of your team."

The ninja hesitated at first, but when he saw how confident "the crown prince" was, he lost all hope.

In the end, he gave them seven names.

"Is that all?" Feng Wu asked.

The ninja nodded. "The Saturn Team has seven members, including me."

Just then, Feng Wu received a message in her head.

It was about the tenth trial.

It read, "The Saturn Team, 6/10."

What?

That was to say, six of them were dead, and four were still at large.

Feng Wu narrowed her eyes. "How many of them are dead?"

Feng Xun said, "He just said that the Saturn Revival Team has seven members."

Feng Wu stared at the ninja. "Is that so?"

The ninja said, "Yes."

Why did he feel that "the crown prince's" eyes were so black and so frightening?

### **Chapter 2122: Do You Have a Death Wish?**

Feng Wu chuckled. "Six of the seven members are dead. So, you're saying that you're the only one left."

The ninja said, "Yes."

Liar!

Feng Wu smirked inwardly.

Had it not been for the note that the fairy had shown her, she wouldn't have been able to see through his lie. However, with the note...

Feng Wu glanced at Feng Xun.

Taking the hint, Feng Xun slid the blade of his dagger across the ninja's skin.

"Ah!"

The ninja screamed.

Feng Wu smirked. "You're lying."

The ninja finally believed that the "crown prince" knew everything about the revival teams.

"There are ten members on my team! Ten!" the ninja screamed.

Feng Wu said coldly, "That's the answer I want to hear. However, you just lied to me. That was interesting. Feng Xun, what do you think we should do?"

Feng Xun smiled. "He tried to hide three members from us. How about we take three more pieces from him?"

Feng Wu crossed her hands behind her back and nodded. "Go ahead."

"Ah!"

"Ah!"

"Ahhh!!!"

The ninja almost passed out from the pain.

The "crown prince" was as terrifying as "he" was said to be.

Recalling the signal he had just sent to tell his people that the crown prince was weak, he wanted to kill himself.

Once the ninja completely surrendered, Feng Xun obtained much more information from him.

Feng Wu said, "Write it up in a report."

Feng Xun nodded. That was what he usually did.

Just then —

"Your Royal Highness —"

Gongshu Ji arrived.

Behind him was a team of 50 royal guards.

Feng Wu frowned because it had taken Gongshu Ji too long.

Gongshu Ji knew why the “crown prince” was displeased, and he immediately said, “We were stopped by a group of men in black on our way here and were delayed. That’s why...”

Who else would try to stall them?

Feng Wu snorted and made a mental note of it.

Hearing “his” snort, Gongshu Ji felt uneasy. The “crown prince” wasn’t someone he could offend.

“Your Royal Highness, who’s this?” Gongshu Ji studied the badly tortured man and was pleasantly surprised. “Is he a ninja of the Dongsang Kingdom?!”

Feng Wu nodded. She then told Feng Xun, “Take him back.”

Obviously, she wasn’t going to let Gongshu Ji have him.

Gongshu Ji rubbed his nose. If the “crown prince” wouldn’t give him the man, there was nothing he could do.

Jun Linyuan was badly wounded. Any slight move would make him cough violently.

Feng Wu had wanted Feng Xun to carry Jun Linyuan back, but she then realized that it was her own body and shouldn’t be held by a man.

With no other choice, Feng Wu had to pick Jun Linyuan up herself.

*“Cough!”*

Jun Linyuan coughed and stared at Feng Wu.

“Do you have a death wish?!” he shouted angrily.

He was the crown prince of the empire!

But Feng Wu had picked him up as if she was carrying a little girl...

The crown prince felt humiliated.

He wanted to kill Feng Wu with his eyes.

Everyone lowered their heads.

They decided that they hadn’t seen anything.

### **Chapter 2123: I’ll Call You Consort Ranmil**

Feng Xun dragged the ninja away. He patted Feng Wu’s shoulder and said sympathetically, “Boss Jun, I thought the two of you already passed this stage. It seems that your relationship is going nowhere. You have my sympathy.”

Feng Wu didn’t say anything.

Jun Linyuan was astonished!

Back in the courier station.

Feng Wu was going to report back to Emperor Wu to show some respect.

But Jun Linyuan snorted and said, "Go back to your room!"

Feng Wu didn't say anything.

Jun Linyuan kept his gaze on her, and Feng Wu had no choice but to take him back to their room.

Gongshu Ji went to report to the emperor.

"What? Jun Linyuan caught a ninja alive?!"

Emperor Wu was overjoyed!

However, he then realized that it shouldn't be difficult for Jun Linyuan to do that at all!

"Where is that ninja? Bring him here! I'll interrogate him myself!"

Gongshu Ji said, "Well, Your Majesty..."

Emperor Wu said angrily, "Bring him here!"

Gongshu Ji said, "Your Majesty, His Royal Highness took him away."

"Then tell him..." Emperor Wu stopped abruptly because he suddenly realized that Jun Linyuan had the ninja.

Anyone else would have followed the emperor's orders.

But not Jun Linyuan, the "defiant son."

The more he thought about it, the angrier Emperor Wu got, but there was nothing he could do to Jun Linyuan.

"Get out of my sight!" he said angrily.

Gongshu Ji let out a breath of relief and quickly walked away.

Before long, Wang announced, "Your Majesty, Consort Ranmil is here to see you."

Ranmil had arrived.

Emperor Wu had doted on Ranmil, both because of her beauty and her Enchanting Body.

But he remembered how Ranmil's trick had backfired and she had admitted in front of everyone that she liked Jun Linyuan... The thought made Emperor Wu hate her.

"I don't want to see her!" said Emperor Wu.

Wang went out of the room and told Ranmil, "His Majesty is busy. Consort Ranmil, please go back."

Ranmil bit her lower lip in frustration.

She wouldn't have come here if they hadn't caught the ninja, but now, Emperor Wu wouldn't even see her.

She stormed off.

She had her own room.

After she got back, Qingcao closed the door before looking at her.

Ranmil said angrily, "Not only won't Emperor Wu see me, he sent me back. I have an Enchanting Body! If he summons me to his bedchamber next time, I won't go!"

Qingcao gave her an indescribable look.

That look made Ranmil uneasy.

"Why are you staring at me?" Ranmil frowned.

Qingcao was smart and good with people. Therefore, Ranmil had been taking advice from her for years.

Qingchao walked to Ranmil's side, crouched down, and held the princess's hand without speaking.

Before Ranmil asked the question, Qingcao spoke.

"Princess, from now on, I'll address you as Consort Ranmil."

Ranmil stared at Qingcao in astonishment.

Qingcao had a solemn look on her face.

#### **Chapter 2124: Love and Hate**

"The moment you leave the grassland, you're Consort Ranmil of the Junwu Empire. Princess Ranmil doesn't exist anymore.

"Once we reach the Junwu Empire, you'll have no one to depend on. The only way you can survive is to gain the emperor's favor.

"Emperor Wu can tolerate the crown prince's defiance, but have you seen him tolerate anyone else? Everyone else has to show him their utter respect.

"My lady, your Enchanting Body is nothing compared with the dignity of an emperor. His Majesty was doing perfectly fine before you showed up."

Ranmil clenched her fists, her face very dark.

Qingcao knew that Ranmil didn't like to hear that, but she had to tell her the truth.

"The emperor tolerates His Royal Highness's behavior because the crown prince is irreplaceable. The empire can't afford to lose him!

"But my lady, you're not irreplaceable."

Consort Ranmil stared at Qingcao. "You!"

Qingcao took a deep breath. "Even if you're mad at me, I still need to say this. My lady, you think too highly of yourself. You're not that unique, and you shouldn't be too proud.

“Even our chieftain respects Emperor Wu, but you’ve been giving the emperor attitude. That’s very presumptuous!

“Haven’t you realized how bad things have gotten for you?”

“You showed your affection for the crown prince in front of everyone. As the ruler of an empire, what do you think the emperor will think? He has to face all the people!” said Qingcao.

“But I have the Enchanting...” said Ranmil.

“The emperor can live without an Enchanting Body!” Qingcao said loudly.

Ranmil glared at her.

Qingcao said, “You know very well that if things aren’t going well, Emperor Wu will abandon you.”

Ranmil said, “Qingcao!”

Qingcao said, “Therefore, your top priority is to gain the emperor’s favor and replace Empress Dugu. You need to give him a son that’ll inherit the throne. That’s the best way to get back at the crown prince, and will also be the best outcome for the Senal Grassland!

“My lady, you’re the hope of the entire grassland!”

“But you’re still angry at His Majesty!”

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Qingcao analyzed the current situation for Ranmil.

Ranmil clenched her fists and thought about it.

She had to admit that Qingcao’s words made sense.

Since she had chosen this path, there was no going back.

She and Jun Linyuan could only be enemies.

Instead of affection, she should think about what she could gain for the grassland.

She had been so silly before.

Moreover, she also had a secret agreement with the Dongsang Kingdom.

“So, what do you think I should do now?” Ranmil stared at Qingcao.

Qingcao said, “Make Emperor Wu like you.”

Ranmil said, “He won’t even see me.”

Qingcao smiled. “His Majesty must be missing your Enchanting Body now. Therefore, all you need to do is take some initiative, and you’ll have his favor again. However, you need to do something about the crown prince.

“You need to convince Emperor Wu that you don’t have any love for the crown prince anymore, nor do you hate him. You simply find him unpleasant.”

Love and hate were two sides of the same coin.

“I know.”

### **Chapter 2125: How Do You Know?**

Feng Wu and Jun Linyuan didn’t know of the change in Ranmil’s mentality.

Right now, they were engaged in a staring contest.

Feng Wu said, “I need to treat the wounds on my body. Close your eyes.”

The crown prince glanced at her. “Why?”

Feng Wu glared at him. “This is my body! If you don’t close your eyes, I’ll look at yours!”

Jun Linyuan said, “You’re so childish.”

Feng Wu said, “I’m going to wash you now, so you need to close your eyes.”

Not only did she have Jun Linyuan close his eyes, she also wrapped black cloth around his head several times to cover his eyes.

When she removed his clothes and saw her own body, she couldn’t bring herself to keep looking.

Since when were there so many wounds on her body?

There were more bruises than she could count.

Her chest and abdomen had been cut and whipped. They were the marks of an interrogation...

The ninja had used the short period of time to torture “her.”

And those weren’t the only wounds...

Her back was badly burnt from the explosion.

And her arms and legs...

They were also covered with wounds.

Feng Wu almost burst into tears!

She didn’t want to imagine what her body would look like if all the wounds left scars.

Feng Wu drew in her breath. When Jun Linyuan heard it, he said, “Don’t worry. You won’t get scars.”

Feng Wu threw a dirty look at Jun Linyuan. “They all look so painful. How could you fight the ninja and still find an opportunity to inject him with the seed of the Magic Soul Vine?”

Feng Wu knew that she wouldn’t be able to do it.

It wasn’t that she had a weaker mind.



She was very confident in how tough her mind was.

However, she would pass out from all the pain.

But Jun Linyuan didn't.

When she saw him, he had been leaning on a slope, and looked like nothing had happened.

Despite all the wounds, he was able to smile.

"Does it hurt?" he said indifferently. "I don't think so."

Feng Wu said, "How could you not feel any pain?!"

Feng Wu had been a secret again in her previous life and had been trained to withstand pain, but she knew that she wouldn't be able to do better than Jun Linyuan.

The crown prince mumbled, "I've had pain ten times worse. This is nothing."

"What?"

Feng Wu didn't hear it clearly.

The crown prince wasn't the type to complain to other people. He would never show his weakness.

Therefore, he snorted, "Are you going to treat me or not?"

Feng Wu said, "Of course I will! This is my own body!"

Feng Wu had to admit that she was more impressed by Jun Linyuan now.

He was such a tough guy.

Suddenly, the crown prince asked in an indifferent tone, "How do you know about the revival list of the Dongsang Kingdom?"

Feng Wu asked, "What?"

Jun Linyuan said, "How do you know that there are seven teams?"

"And how do you know that three of them are still out there?"

Even though Jun Linyuan's eyes were covered, Feng Wu could still feel his intense gaze!

### **Chapter 2126: Untitled**

"How do you know about the revival list of the Dongsang Kingdom?"

"How do you know that there are seven teams?"

"How do you know that the Saturn Team still has three surviving members?"

Jun Linyuan stared at Feng Wu, looking rather intimidating.

Feng Wu said, "Ah..."

She wanted to slap herself.

How could she make such a stupid mistake when Jun Linyuan was around? She should have remembered how smart the crown prince was...

If she told him the truth, she would have to tell him about the fairy and the 12 Trials of Love, which in turn would lead to her beautiful master...

That was a consequence she couldn't bear.

Therefore, her only option now was...

"Do you really want to know?" She smiled at Jun Linyuan.

The crown prince glanced at her and snorted, hinting at her to go on.

Feng Wu moved closer and grinned. "No, I'm not telling you."

He grabbed her hand when she turned to leave.

Jun Linyuan's stare was very intense.

Feng Wu said, "Your grip doesn't hurt at all."

She looked down at her wrist.

Before, when Jun Linyuan was angry, his grip would be frighteningly painful even if he didn't deliberately use any force.

But now...

Feng Wu chuckled. "I'm living in your body now, while you're in mine."

"Your body is so strong that your grip can never hurt me."

"On the other hand, my body has been injured again. There's nothing you can do to me!"

Jun Linyuan looked at Feng Wu in resignation.

Feng Wu gloated. "Do you want to hit me now? Too bad. You can't!"

Jun Linyuan said, "You're so happy, aren't you?"

Feng Wu snorted. "Of course. I'm Jun Linyuan now."

The crown prince said, "Do you really think there's nothing I can do?"

Feng Wu smiled and said, "How do you think people will react if I go out as you and start cooking..."

She then turned to leave.

"Stop!"

Jun Linyuan glared at her.

He firmly believed that gentlemen should stay away from the kitchen. If people saw “him” cooking, Feng Xun would be the first to laugh at him.

He would be so humiliated!

Feng Wu’s eyes lit up!

And she was very pleased.

So, that was what Jun Linyuan was afraid of.

Before, Jun Linyuan was used to picking on her, but now, she finally could get back at him!

At that thought, Feng Wu didn’t find swapping bodies such a bad idea.

She said in a solemn tone, “Look at your wounds. I have to do something, or you’ll starve. Just wait here. I’ll be right...”

“Stop!” Jun Linyuan glared at Feng Wu.

Why was she so happy about the body swap now?

Feng Wu looked back at him. “Everyone has their secrets, and you’re no exception, right?”

By that, she meant that Jun Linyuan should stop trying to poke into her secrets.

Jun Linyuan glanced at her and said, “Fine.”

Feng Wu said, “What?”

Jun Linyuan said grumpily, “I’ll let you keep that secret for now.”

### **Chapter 2127: Untitled**

Feng Wu was elated and was happy to dodge the question.

“But —”

Jun Linyuan gave her a look and said, “You’ll be in charge.”

Feng Wu asked, “What do you mean?”

She had a feeling that something good was going to happen.

Jun Linyuan snorted and said, “The old man is concerned, and he doesn’t have that many capable men around him. In the end, it’ll become your assignment. I need to cultivate and won’t have time for this. You’ll be in charge.”

Feng Wu said, “Are you saying that... All the people on the revival list...”

“Kill them all!” The crown prince’s eyes shone.

Feng Wu was over the moon.

The thing Jun Linyuan wanted her to do was essentially the same as the tenth trial!

Feng Wu had been worrying about how she was going to catch all the lurking ninjas on her own.

However, Jun Linyuan had just given her the perfect opportunity! She was going to be in charge!

“But there are at least 70 people on that list,” said Feng Wu. “Six of them are dead, and we’ve caught one, but there are still 63 left. If they’re all working solo, it’ll be impossible to catch them all.”

Jun Linyuan glanced at her and said, “They all have to report to their superiors.”

Feng Wu said, “Are you saying that... That’s right. All seven teams must have a general leader. If we catch him, we’ll learn where the six teams are.”

Jun Linyuan gave Feng Wu an appreciative look.

Feng Wu rubbed her chin and murmured, “The most important thing now is to catch that leader, but who and where is he?”

She had no idea at all.

If they couldn’t catch the leader, they would have to catch the members one by one.

But there were over 60 of them, and they were likely scattered all over the empire. It would be like finding a needle in a haystack.

Feng Wu told Feng, “Bring me that ninja.”

She was going to interrogate him more carefully.

Feng nodded and left.

He returned in a short while with some bad news. “His Majesty is interrogating the prisoner himself.”

Feng Wu frowned. “Bring him here once His Majesty is done, then.”

Because of what Jun Linyuan said, Gongshu Ji didn’t take the ninja away, but that didn’t mean that Emperor Wu couldn’t interrogate him.

Feng Wu rubbed her nose. It seemed that Emperor Wu was paying a lot of attention to this as well.

While they were waiting, Jun Linyuan gave Feng Wu a thick book.

Feng Wu took it with both hands.

Jun Linyuan sat cross-legged without speaking.

But when Feng Wu saw the title of the book, she glanced at Jun Linyuan and smiled.

It was a book on the Dongsang Kingdom.

To be honest, Feng Wu didn’t know much about the kingdom.

Because the Junwu Empire suffered great losses in the war 13 years ago, almost everything about the culture of the Dongsang Kingdom was eliminated from the books.

Feng Wu hadn’t been able to find any books.

And she didn't know much about ninjas either.

This book was very helpful.

Jun Linyuan...

### **Chapter 2128: What to Do**

After reading the book, Feng Wu had a better understanding of the Dongsang Kingdom.

Emperor Wu had cut all ties with Dongsang for the past decade. As a result, most commoners didn't know much about that kingdom.

The Dongsang Kingdom was to the northeast of the Junwu Empire. Between them was the vast Peace Grassland.

The Dongsang Kingdom was less than one-tenth the size of the Junwu Empire. It was surrounded by the ocean on three sides apart from the grassland.

The kingdom had too little land for too many people, and its economy was quite advanced.

Its population consisted of a single ethnicity. Because of that, they were a very united people.

They had a great military force, and they were brave and good at fighting.

They were quick learners.

They valued martial prowess above all else and weren't afraid of death.

When they set their sights on a target, they would do everything they could to fulfill it, even at the cost of their own lives. It was also the reason why the Junwu Empire lost so miserably 13 years ago.

Had it not been for Master Linghu, the entire Junwu Empire would have been turned into a wasteland.

Feng Wu closed her eyes when she finished the book.

She could still see every word in her mind.

When she opened her eyes again, she had fully remembered the behavioral patterns of the Dongsang people.

Just then, she heard a voice outside. "Your Royal Highness."

"Yes?" Feng Wu raised her eyebrows. "Feng, come in."

If Feng was here to alert her to something, it had to be serious.

Feng came in and looked from Feng Wu to Jun Linyuan. He then said, "His Majesty went to interrogate the ninja."

Feng Wu nodded. "You've told me that already."

"The prisoner is... dead." Feng smiled wryly.

"What?" Feng Wu frowned. "How did that happen?"

Feng went on smiling wryly. "His Majesty is coming this way. Your Royal Highness can ask His Majesty yourself."

Then, footsteps came from outside.

Emperor Wu had indeed arrived.

The door was slammed open.

The emperor walked in.

Feng Wu frowned.

*Thump!*

The dead body was tossed onto the ground.

Feng Wu checked the log in her head, and it said that the Saturn Team task was 70% completed.

That was to say, the prisoner was really dead.

Feng Wu and Jun Linyuan looked at each other, and both seemed displeased.

Feng Wu stared at Emperor Wu.

Jun Linyuan almost got himself killed in the process of catching this man, but the emperor killed him!

Emperor Wu had been quite intimidating at first, but the look in Feng Wu's eyes made him uneasy.

He cleared his throat. "He's dead already. Are you going to blame me now?"

Feng Wu stared at Emperor Wu. "I caught this prisoner."

Emperor Wu waved him off. "That was why I interrogated him myself. You hurt him too badly. I only used a little force, but his bones broke and he dropped dead. Why did you have to injure him so badly?"

Feng Wu looked at him in resignation.

"Your Majesty, are you saying that you don't need to take any responsibility at all?"

"And I'm the one to blame?"

Emperor Wu said, "Why do you care about the result so much? He's dead now. What do you think we should do?"

*Why do you care about the result so much??* Feng Wu couldn't believe that question. Was the emperor joking?

"I didn't kill him. How should I know what to do?" Feng Wu smirked.

### **Chapter 2129: Inheritance Jade Ring**

Emperor Wu said, "If you hadn't injured him so badly, he wouldn't have died. So in the end, you're the one who killed him. You need to take responsibility!"

Feng Wu didn't say anything.

Why was the emperor so unreasonable? She hadn't even blamed him for killing the prisoner yet!

After all, Feng Wu wasn't Jun Linyuan.

Jun Linyuan would have stormed off by now, but Feng Wu only looked at Emperor Wu in resignation and asked, "What do you want?"

What?

Emperor Wu looked at the "crown prince" in amazement.

He was sure that his son would tell him off, which was why he had blamed "Jun Linyuan" first. Since when was the boy so mild?

"Take care of it!" Emperor Wu smirked. "How dare they try to assassinate me?! Find me the leader in ten days. Otherwise, I'll hold you responsible!"

After that, Emperor Wu turned to leave.

Ten days? He had to be joking!

Feng Wu immediately said, "No."

But Emperor Wu wouldn't take no for an answer. He headed for the door without looking at Feng Wu.

"Father."

Just then, the second prince arrived.

Emperor Wu could have left the room, but the second prince blocked his way.

The prince then knelt down on one knee and said, "Father, please give me a chance!"

Emperor Wu was so frustrated.

Why would this silly boy block his way now? It was the worst timing!

The second prince had no idea what his father was thinking. He said loudly, "Father, please let me find out who's behind the assassination!"

Why would someone want that task? Feng Wu couldn't help but look at the second prince.

Emperor Wu also looked at him in resignation.

How stupid could he get? He had given the task to Jun Linyuan, so of course, it would be a very difficult one.

Undercover agents were the most difficult to find.

Therefore, he stared at the second prince and asked, "What did you say?"

The second prince said solemnly, "Father, please give the task to me! I'll do my best and uncover the truth! I'll find the culprit in ten days!"

Feng Wu gave the second prince a strange look.

If she couldn't be that sure, how could he? Didn't he know how difficult the task was?

"He can have it." Feng Wu smiled.

"No!" Emperor Wu glared at Feng Wu.

Although the "defiant son" often upset him, he had to admit that Jun Linyuan was very capable.

The second prince might be an obedient son, but he was nothing compared with Jun Linyuan.

"Father—" The second prince gave Emperor Wu a pleading look.

Growing impatient, Emperor Wu waved his hand. "The two of you will work on it. You'll have time until we reach the imperial capital. The first one to solve the case will win, and the winner..."

He played with the jade ring on his thumb and smiled. "I'll give him the Inheritance Jade Ring!"

The second prince was surprised.

It wasn't just any ring. Without it, even if a prince could take the throne, he wouldn't be considered the right and proper heir.

### **Chapter 2130: Untitled**

The Inheritance Jade Ring?

The second prince's stomach lurched.

If he could have it, the chance of him inheriting the throne would be...

At that thought, the second prince immediately bowed and said, "Yes, father."

Emperor Wu glanced at "Jun Linyuan." "Although you're the crown prince, don't think that you're bound to become the next emperor!"

Jun Linyuan didn't say anything.

But Feng Wu frowned.

Jun Linyuan was quite willful, but that didn't mean that Emperor Wu couldn't do anything about it.

Emperor Wu had been indulging Jun Linyuan because he felt sorry for Jun Linyuan's late mother and for not being around when Jun Linyuan was little.

Had it not been for that, no matter how talented Jun Linyuan was, Emperor Wu would never allow Jun Linyuan to challenge his authority.

Jun Linyuan wouldn't be able to behave in such a reckless way.

"The throne is mine right now. It'll be yours only if I give it to you. Don't blame me if I give it to someone else." Emperor Wu gave "Jun Linyuan" one last look before he turned around and left.

Seeing this, the second prince couldn't hide his excitement.



After Emperor Wu left, he stared at “Jun Linyuan” and smiled. “My dear brother, the throne will only be yours if our father gives it to you.”

He left after that.

Once they were gone, Feng Wu asked unhappily, “What did Emperor Wu mean? Was he not going to let you inherit the throne?”

This whole time, Jun Linyuan had been sitting cross-legged on the ground and repairing Feng Wu’s body.

“The damage is too severe.” Jun Linyuan didn’t answer her question.

Feng Wu sat down in front of him and looked distressed. “Forget about cultivating already! You may not be the crown prince anymore!”

Other people would have been so worried.

But Jun Linyuan...

He didn’t even open his eyes.

Not only that, he was also breathing normally, and only nodded indifferently.

Feng Wu was anxious. “Didn’t you hear that? Your father is encouraging your brother to compete with you!”

Although the second prince had asked to be part of the investigation, if Emperor Wu hadn’t given his tacit agreement, the second prince wouldn’t have shown up at that moment!

“Him?” Jun Linyuan only smiled indifferently.

Feng Wu clenched her fists and said, “I know you don’t like the second prince and feel that he’s not good enough to be your rival, but Jun Linyuan, you’re too proud!”

Jun Linyuan went on cultivating as if he didn’t hear her.

Feng Wu said grumpily, “If you’re Emperor Wu’s only child, no matter how willful you are, you’ll still be his only choice.

“But that’s not the case. You still have other brothers!” Feng Wu stared at him. “Yes, they’re not as talented or smart as you are, but they’ll follow your father’s orders.

“If you’re an emperor, which son will you choose? An obedient but mediocre one, or a talented but arrogant one?”

“The latter,” Jun Linyuan said without hesitation.

That almost rendered Feng Wu speechless. She took a deep breath and said, “That’s because you’re a wise ruler. What about your father? He’s not as subjective as you are. He likes whoever makes him happy.”