

**Chapter 1361: Don't Go And See That Woman Anymore**

"Aunt, this..." Lin Wenyu was filled with regret. How could she have thought that she would cause so much trouble for Su Bei?

It was fine if Lin Xiruo wanted to draw blood from the panda hat for a DNA test. If everyone went along with it, there would be no problem. They could just treat it as coaxing an elder.

However, Su Bei did not have any feelings for Lin Xiruo. She was not obligated to make her happy.

Lin Wenyu did not know what to do now. She could only look at He Xuyan for help.

"What? Even you don't believe me?" Lin Xiruo glared angrily, sounding a little childish.

Lin Wenyu had no choice but to go.

He Xuyan wanted to persuade her again, but Lin Xiruo refused to give up. When Lin Wenyu brought the kit over, she said, "Take mine first. I'll give my daughter a demonstration in case she's afraid of the pain. Xuyan, go get some candy for your sister. After you draw her blood, give her the candy. Daughter, don't be afraid. Your brother will get you some candy. We just need a little of your blood..."

At this point, He Xuyan felt a little regretful. He usually indulged his mother too much. He really couldn't bear to see his mother suffer, so he was even willing to do a DNA test for the panda hat.

However, it was fine to play along with a panda hat, but Su Bei was a living person.

Su Bei also realized that Lin Xiruo was very indulgent when it came to her daughter. Forget it, forget it. Since things had already come to this, she would just force herself.

She said to He Xuyan, "Director He, just let Wenyu draw my blood. You can also check my recent physical condition too."

Hearing this, Lin Xiruo smiled, then her heart ached as she said, "My daughter is still the best. But don't be afraid. It won't hurt very much."

Seeing this, Lin Wenyu had no choice but to take out a series of medical equipment. She really drew blood for Lin Xiruo and Su Bei before placing them back in the medical kit.

Lin Xiruo took a long time to calm down. However, she still refused to let Su Bei leave.

He Xuyan said, "Sister has gotten her blood drawn. We can't just wait here, can we? I'll take her out to get something to eat."

"Ah, then go quickly. Don't starve her," Lin Xiruo hurriedly said.

He Xuyan finally brought Su Bei away.

Lin Wenyu also took the opportunity to follow her out. She looked at Su Bei apologetically. "Su Bei, I'm really sorry. I didn't expect my aunt to suddenly fall ill."

“My mother usually has a soft spot for panda plushies and insists on testing their blood to see if they’re her biological daughter. I’m sorry for scaring you today.” He Xuyan was also very apologetic.

“Maybe it’s because I was wearing a panda hat that day and it left a deep impression on her.” Su Bei smiled. “Fortunately, it’s only a little blood. I can make up for it by eating something.”

Lin Wenyu said, “Don’t worry about that. No matter what, I’m a professional at the hospital. There’s nothing wrong with the blood extraction equipment. They’re all clean and harmless. The next time we meet, I’ll definitely treat you to a good meal to make up for the harm you suffered this time.”

“Then it’s settled. You don’t have to send me off. You can go back first. She’s still waiting for you to take care of her,” Su Bei said.

Lin Wenyu and He Xuyan sent her to the door and watched her leave before looking away.

They turned around and saw Qin Zufang standing behind them.

“Mom.”

“Aunt.”

Qin Zufang smiled and said, “Did you bring Su Bei to see Xiruo just now?”

“Yes, she even made a big mistake. Aunt treated her as her daughter...” Lin Wenyu said, “Fortunately, Su Bei was magnanimous and didn’t argue with her. That was how we calmed Aunt down. It must’ve been hard on her today.”

“She’s a good kid. Too bad...” She trailed off.

However, He Xuyan and Lin Wenyu understood. It was a pity that Su Bei was born in the Tang family, and Lin Shulian was an unpopular person in their family. Moreover, there was someone like Tang Yue in the Tang family. Su Bei must not feel good about her family’s indifference.

Qin Zufang wanted to take care of Su Bei, but she was in no position to do so.

Su Bei called a taxi. After getting into the car, she still thought about Lin Xiruo’s face. They all thought that she was frightened, but when Lin Xiruo hugged her, Su Bei didn’t reject her. She even yearned for that embrace.

She mocked herself in her heart. Perhaps it was because she had lacked a mother figure for many years and her relationship with Lin Shulian was relatively indifferent, so she treated Lin Xiruo’s embrace as warmth and valued it so much.

At night, she mentioned this to Lu Heting. He took her finger and whispered, “Does it hurt?”

“It’s alright. Lin Wenyu just symbolically drew a little blood. It’s nothing serious.”

“You’re the only one who would’ve done something like that, fooling around with someone with a screw loose.”

“I didn’t think too much about it at that time. I just felt sorry for her. Besides, I can understand that feeling. It reminded me of when I lost Gun Gun.” Su Bei’s voice was low.

Hearing her mention what had happened back then, Lu Heting's heart ached. He could empathize with her.

"Don't go and see that woman next time," Lu Heting said softly. At the mention of that woman, he couldn't help but frown. She had taken Su Bei's blood for no reason. If it weren't for the fact that she was crazy, Lu Heting would never let her go.

"Got it. I don't think we'll have much of a chance to meet after this."

"Alright."

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No one had any objections to Old Master Lin's inheritance being split equally.

However, Tang Yue felt that it was unfair. It was fine if it was He Xuyan and Lin Wenyu. They were from the Lin family, so they should have a share.

But Su Bei...

Although Su Bei was her younger sister and her mother's child, Tang Yue had never treated her as family or included her in her life.

If Su Bei hadn't come back, this huge inheritance wouldn't have to be divided into four parts. It would only have to be divided into three parts.

Tang Yue lowered her head and pondered, but there seemed to be nothing she could do about Su Bei now.

As she was thinking about it, she received a call from Ou Huanwei to meet her.

Tang Yue agreed.

She had invested her true feelings into Du Jinghao, but Du Jinghao had directly proposed to cancel the engagement because of Su Bei, which deeply affected her.

'I wonder what Ou Huanwei wants with me?'

They agreed to meet at a cafe. Ou Huanwei was already there when Tang Yue arrived.

When she saw Tang Yue, she said gently, "Yueyue."

"Aunt." Tang Yue sat down and placed her bag on the sofa.

"Yueyue, I asked to look for you because of Jinghao's engagement."

Tang Yue wasn't happy to hear that. "What about it?"

### **Chapter 1362: Take Advantage**

"Jinghao broke off the engagement of his own accord. I've already scolded him severely. How could he break off the engagement just like that? Not only will we not be able to answer to the Tang family, but

we'll also be embarrassed to face you," Ou Huanwei said gently. "Yueyue, don't worry. Jinghao has already said that he was just impulsive and didn't really want to break off the engagement. I came here to have a good chat with you."

Ou Huanwei's attitude made Tang Yue feel better.

Tang Yue said, "Aunt, I don't deny that there are some misunderstandings between me and Su Bei. However, she's also at fault for blowing things up and embarrassing me. After all, she's a female artist, so she's good at using all opportunities to consolidate her popularity and status. I won't say that I'm completely innocent in this matter, but it's true that I never really wanted to harm her in the beginning.

"Then there was the matter of her getting lost as a child. To be honest, I'd long since forgotten what had happened. It was just that I spoke too quickly at the time and wanted to show off for a moment. Actually, I was too young to have done anything like that.

"Unfortunately, the outside world only believes in Su Bei and refuses to believe me now."

"I know, and I believe in you. I know better than anyone else about the temperament and character of you and Su Bei. Su Bei has been in that circle since she was young and had no elders to discipline her. She doesn't get along with the Su family or the Tang family. Who can you blame? If only one person doesn't like her, then it might be a problem with that person. But countless people don't like her. Does everyone have a problem, then?

"It's precisely because I know this that I've never doubted your intentions. I've also always felt that you and Jinghao are the most suitable." Ou Huanwei's words were sincere.

Tang Yue said in a low voice, "But Jinghao has a prejudice against me now..."

"Don't be afraid. I'll definitely talk to Jinghao. As long as I don't cancel this marriage, no one can," Ou Huanwei said firmly.

She would never allow Du Jinghao to like a woman like Su Bei.

Therefore, even if Tang Yue had some flaws in her character, she would rather her daughter-in-law be Tang Yue!

No one could change that.

"Thank you, Auntie. At this time, only you will believe me."

"By the way, Yueyue, I heard that you have a share of your grandfather's inheritance?"

"That's what Grandpa left behind when he passed away. He split it equally among the children of our generation. Perhaps in the next few days, the legal team will take action," Tang Yue said. "Because it's an equal split, no one has any objections at the moment."

"Is Su Bei also getting a share?"

"She's my mother's daughter, so she's naturally getting a share." Tang Yue's tone was a little aggrieved. "Even if others say something, it can't change that."

Ou Huanwei suddenly asked, "Yueyue, when Su Bei came home, did you do a paternity test on her?"

Tang Yue was stunned by the question. Then, she said, "No, because when she had a conflict with Su Huixian, she was exposed to not be a child of the Su family. She was adopted. They even released a photo of her when she was adopted. That photo is identical to the photo of my missing sister. With that photo, Grandpa and Mom immediately acknowledged her as my missing sister."

"Just based on a photo?" Ou Huanwei sighed and said, "Then your family is too careless. No matter what, the Tang family is a prestigious family with a rich background. It's hard to guarantee that someone wouldn't take advantage of the situation to enter the Tang family."

Ou Huanwei's words pierced Tang Yue's heart.

Her fingers closed around the teacup, and she gripped harder.

Yes, Su Bei had relied on that photo to be acknowledged by their family. After she returned to the Tang family, she obtained a lot of things.

Now, not only could she obtain the Tang family's things, but she could also obtain the Lin family's things. She had really reaped all the benefits. And just by relying on a photo, she could obtain everything.

"Aunt, you've really reminded me. No matter what, the family should give Su Bei a paternity certificate. Otherwise, she won't be able to inherit the Lin family's inheritance."

Ou Huanwei smiled. "I just thought of that in passing. I didn't expect that your family really didn't do a paternity test. I thought that if such a big family wanted to acknowledge the child, they would definitely be more cautious. Otherwise, not only would they let outsiders take advantage of the loophole, but there would also be problems with the bloodline in the future. That wouldn't be good."

"I understand, Aunt. I'll do it. Aunt, please don't make a sound about it first. I'm afraid that if you alert Su Bei, she'll be on guard and bribe the doctor."

Ou Huanwei laughed. "Of course. This is your family matter. I'll pretend I don't know."

Tang Yue hurried home after being reminded by Ou Huanwei.

However, getting Su Bei's blood wouldn't be easy.

Still, it wouldn't be hard to get her hair.

Su Bei often had activities, so she had to tidy her clothes and hair in the dressing room.

Tang Yue also had a certain position in the Sheng Tang. Although Old Master Tang had already ordered her not to interfere in the matters of Sheng Tang, there were still people who would give her face when she went out.

Therefore, Tang Yue spent two days getting two strands of hair in Su Bei's dressing room.

It was much easier to get Lin Shulian's hair. Tang Yue easily obtained it.

She then quickly handed the samples to the doctor.

The doctors who were dealing with her now were a little afraid. They said, "Miss Tang, I have elders and children to take care of. I don't lack money either. Can you look for someone else to do this?"

No one was willing to risk their career being destroyed to endorse Tang Yue's credit.

"What do you mean? Did I ask you to do anything? Just do it according to the standard procedure."

The doctor hesitated. "Just do it normally?"

"Otherwise?" Tang Yue asked angrily.

The doctor relaxed. "Good. I'll get right on it."

The doctor could not be blamed for being paranoid. He knew about Tang Yue's argument with Su Bei previously and was aware of the ins and outs of the matter. He was afraid that Tang Yue would give him some difficult orders that would put him in a dilemma.

Since Tang Yue had said to do it normally, he did not have to worry anymore. He took the samples and went to do the test.

Tang Yue handed another set of samples to another doctor. She had to make sure the reports were as accurate as possible.

### **Chapter 1363: Why Is This Happening?**

If Su Bei really wasn't from the Tang family...

Then she would be the only one in the Tang family.

By then, how the inheritance would be divided was a small matter.

Most importantly, she would once again be the sole recipient of her family's love!

Everything she absolutely did not want to share with anyone else would become hers alone again.

She had already learned her lesson, so the test reports could not be faked. She had to base it on the truth, or she would lose all credibility.

Hence, she could only place all her hope on the test results now.

She paid for an expedited test, so she could get the results quickly.

When the results came, Tang Yue did not dare to flip through them.

She was afraid it would be a disappointing outcome.

Finally, she opened the file.

When those words appeared in her vision, a smile appeared on Tang Yue's face. She thought of Su Bei's hateful face and sneered. "I really didn't expect you to try to use such a trick to join the Tang family and take everything from me! If I hadn't been vigilant, I would've missed it! Su Bei, your schemes will end now!"

Su Bei received a call from the legal team asking her to be at the Lin family's house on time the next day.

"I'll be there on time," she responded.

Thinking that she might see Lin Xiruo again, for some reason, she felt a trace of anticipation.

It was a particularly strange feeling, and she forced it down, refusing to dwell on it.

The next day, she did not go to the Tang family to meet Tang Jianming and the others. Instead, she went straight to the Lin family.

However, she arrived at the same time as Tang Jianming, Lin Shulian, and Tang Yue.

This was also the timing that Su Bei had specially arranged for. It was just right. This way, she did not need to interact with Tang Yue or socialize with the Lin family.

“Su Bei, let’s go in quickly.” Lin Shulian held Su Bei’s hand.

Tang Yue stood at the side, hatred flashing through her heart. She had a lot to say about Lin Shulian. If she couldn’t even recognize her own daughter, was she worthy of being a mother?

When they arrived at the Lin family, everyone else was present.

The legal team was dressed in uniform and stood in a row behind Old Madam Lin.

Lin Wenyu winked at Su Bei, who smiled back at her.

Old Madam Lin also glanced at Su Bei. She had a good impression of Su Bei, but she had a lifetime of experience with Lin Shulian, the daughter of a mistress. Therefore, she couldn’t be too kind to Su Bei.

She said authoritatively, “Everyone is here. No one has any objections to what was said that day. In the past few days, the legal team has sorted out all the inheritance and liquidated it. Presumably, everyone has seen the documents and has no objections.”

Everyone nodded in unison.

Old Madam Lin looked around and said, “In that case, let the chief lawyer of the legal team, Lawyer Huang, distribute the inheritance to everyone. Then, we’ll have you sign the papers.”

Lawyer Huang was an older lawyer who was very capable. Although he was older, his eyes were bright and full of life.

He stood up and said, “According to the will left behind by Old Master Lin, there are four people who will receive equal shares of the inheritance. They are He Xuyan, Tang Yue, Lin Wenyu, and Su Bei. These four are all Old Master Lin’s grandchildren. At the moment, we have confirmed that there are no objections.”

Su Bei listened casually and didn’t take anything to heart. She had never seen Old Master Lin before, and she had no feelings for him. She only felt guilty about getting his inheritance.

She casually looked at Lin Wenyu, who whispered to her, “Where are we going to eat later?”

Su Bei mouthed back, “We’ll talk about it after this matter is over. It looks like it won’t be over anytime soon.”

“Yes, yes.” Lin Wenyu nodded. “I’ll get my cousin to go too.”

Tang Yue stood at the side and saw Su Bei and Lin Wenyu whispering back and forth. She sneered in her heart. "It hasn't been long, but even Lin Wenyu is fawning over her now. So, Su Bei is also using her methods in the entertainment industry to deal with the Lin family? Unfortunately, the Lin family is not your family."

After Lawyer Huang finished speaking, Tang Yue stood up and said, "Grandma, Lawyer Huang, actually, I want to correct something here today. Originally, after I found out about this, I didn't dare to say anything for fear of causing unnecessary misunderstandings.

"But this is very important, and it's bad for everyone if we don't talk about it. Especially since I've had more than one person verify the truth of the matter."

Old Madam Lin said calmly, "What is it?"

"It's related to this inheritance."

A trace of impatience flashed across Old Madam Lin's face. "Tang Yue, didn't I say before that if you have any objections, you should mention them to the legal team in advance and resolve it as soon as possible? Why did you wait until now?"

"I'm sorry, Grandma. I was going to say it in advance, but I was afraid that something was wrong and specially verified it again. I'm only saying it now because I just received the final confirmation," Tang Yue said.

She was going to talk about Su Bei's background.

However, she already knew that the final verification was just an excuse to excuse herself.

Old Madam Lin had always hated Lin Shulian, and she disliked Tang Yue calling her 'Grandma' even more. However, it was not convenient for her to argue with a junior. She frowned and said, "Alright, go ahead."

"Grandma, it's by pure coincidence that I learned that Su Bei isn't of the Tang family's bloodline at all, nor is she my mother's biological daughter." She took out the paternity report and handed it to Lawyer Huang with both hands.

Lawyer Huang did not delay and reached out to take it. After reading it carefully, he handed it to Madam Lin.

The others couldn't help but be surprised. Lin Wenyu and He Xuyan looked at Su Bei worriedly. What was going on?

Su Bei had not been paying attention to what was happening. Now that she heard it, she subconsciously focused and understood what Tang Yue was saying.

She was slightly stunned herself, but she remembered that Tang Yue had always been full of tricks. She was already used to it, so she did not argue immediately. Instead, she waited for Tang Yue to perform.

With Lawyer Huang's explanation, Madam Lin understood the contents of the paternity test report. Her expression became even more serious. "What exactly is going on?"



Tang Jianming and Lin Shulian were also shocked. "Tang Yue, when did you get this report? Where did you get it from? Why didn't you tell us? How did such a thing happen?"

Old Madam Lin slapped the table heavily. The tea in the cup spilled everywhere, causing everyone to be shocked.

### **Chapter 1364: No More Su Bei**

Old Madam Lin said angrily, "Old Master Lin did say that he would distribute his inheritance to his grandchildren, but aren't you going too far?! You acknowledged a daughter out of thin air. Are you trying to make Old Master Lin miserable in heaven?"

Lin Shulian quickly defended herself. "Aunt, we really don't know about this. We definitely don't have such intentions, and we don't dare to let Dad be humiliated in heaven either! There must be some misunderstanding."

As the report was given by Tang Yue, Lin Shulian could not insist that her daughter had done something. She was in a dilemma and could only say that she was wronged. She could not side with anyone at will.

"What misunderstanding? Could this report be a lie?" Old Madam Lin threw the paternity report in front of Lin Shulian. "Open your eyes wide and take a good look!"

Lin Shulian hurriedly picked up the DNA test report and read it. She was anxious and angry, then her face turned pale.

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Tang Jianming pointed at Tang Yue and asked, "Tang Yue, tell me what's going on? Where did you get this report from? Is there any inside story?"

Because of what had happened the last time, Tang Jianming found it hard to believe that the test report his daughter took out this time was real!

"Dad, I'm not lying. This report is completely true. It was done by a renowned doctor and verified twice. The reason why I wanted to do this DNA test was that only the Lin family members are eligible for the inheritance this time. When Su Bei returned to our family, she didn't go through any formal identification at all. I specially tested her just to be safe.

"According to the test report, you can see that Su Bei is indeed not your and Mom's daughter. This fully demonstrates that it makes sense for me to have done the test. Grandma, didn't you say that Grandpa's inheritance is to be divided among his descendants? If we find a problem, we can't just ignore it, right?"

Old Madam Lin snorted and said, "Of course, we can't ignore it. Lin Shulian, what do you think? Could it be that because Old Master Lin gave you special privileges, you're trying to fool him?"

Subconsciously, she refused to believe Lin Shulian. Besides, the evidence was conclusive. Su Bei was not Lin Shulian's daughter.

Naturally, she thought that this was a daughter Lin Shulian had casually recognized in order to get more inheritance!

Not to mention Old Madam Lin, more than half of the people present would probably have such thoughts.

On the other hand, Su Bei was really stunned. She stood rooted to the ground in disbelief.

Wasn't she Lin Shulian's daughter? She wasn't from the Tang family either?

She suddenly recalled that when she was young, she was suddenly sent back to the orphanage one day after she was adopted by the Su family. At that time, everyone kept talking about her. "You're not from the Su family at all, and your surname isn't Su. You don't have parents."

While crying out, she clung to someone's hand. She struggled to accept reality. It was as if by holding onto someone, she could have a home.

And now, the same thing was happening again.

Her mind buzzed. Her relationship with Tang Jianming and Lin Shulian was not deep, but at least she knew that she had a father, a mother, and a family. She was not alone.

But reality hit her again, confirming that she was duckweed from nowhere.

Lin Shulian heard Old Madam Lin's suspicion and immediately swore to the heavens. "No, Aunt. Believe me, I would never do such a thing. I really wouldn't lie to you, much less to my dead father. I wouldn't do such a thing!"

Tang Yue stood up and said, "Grandma, my mother definitely won't lie to you. Think about it. It's a fact that my sister went missing back then. Many people know about it, and there's evidence too. My mother definitely won't lie to you, nor does she have the intention to get a bigger share of the inheritance."

"Yes, Tang Yue is right. How could I do that? The child back then really existed," Lin Shulian said loudly.

"You're innocent, she's innocent, and everyone is innocent. Could it be that I'm the one who did this?" Old Madam Lin roared.

Everyone was silent for a moment, too afraid to respond.

Tang Yue mustered up her courage and stood up to say, "Grandma, my mother is definitely innocent in this matter. It's hard to guarantee that someone didn't have ulterior motives. When they saw that the Tang family and the Lin family had wealthy businesses, they took advantage of this loophole. Back then, my mother kept a photo of my sister when she was young. It's hard to guarantee that someone didn't imitate the same photo and specially brought it to the Tang family. They claimed to be the Tang family's child and hid the truth from everyone. No one suspected anything, which led to what happened today."

She didn't mention Su Bei, but her intention to push the blame on Su Bei was obvious.

Lawyer Huang and the others also looked at Su Bei. What Tang Yue meant was that Su Bei pretended to be Lin Shulian's daughter and returned to the Tang family with a covetous eye, which resulted in today's outcome.

Su Bei woke up from her thoughts and looked up to see everyone looking at her.

Before she could say anything, Lin Wenyu ran over and stood beside her. "Su Bei would never do such a thing! I believe her!"

He Xuyan also stood up from beside Old Madam Lin and said lightly, "Grandma, as far as I know, when Old Master Tang and the Tang family went to acknowledge Su Bei, Su Bei was completely out of the situation. She grew up in the orphanage and would go back and forth from the Su family, so she didn't know about the Tang family's existence at all. Recognizing her was something that the Tang family did on their own. Even if there was a mistake, it was the Tang family's fault. The blame can't be pushed to Su Bei."

Lin Wenyu nodded vigorously. "Yes, yes, yes, that's what I want to say too! If there's a mistake, we can correct it in time, but we can't blame it on Su Bei. That's too unfair!"

Hearing He Xuyan and Lin Wenyu's words, Su Bei also understood what everyone was discussing. She said calmly, "Yes. When Grandpa came to acknowledge me back then, I was completely at a loss and didn't know that I was related to the Tang family. Besides, I had no way of knowing about the photo of the little girl that the Tang family lost back then. How could I have imitated the photo?"

Seeing that He Xuyan and Lin Wenyu were both speaking up for Su Bei, Tang Yue couldn't go overboard. She couldn't keep pushing Su Bei into a corner to push the blame onto her. She could only say, "Then no matter who's the party who overlooked it, it's impossible for Su Bei to have anything to do with this inheritance. We can postpone the investigation to know who's the party at fault, but we can't split the inheritance into four parts today. We can only split it into three parts."

### **Chapter 1365: Su Bei Is Just An Imposter**

Old Madam Lin was very dissatisfied with everything that was happening in front of her. Her expression was terrifyingly dark. Lin Shulian was causing trouble everywhere. Because of her existence, nothing in this family was peaceful.

She said slowly, "In that case, Lawyer Huang, bring all four of them over to do a round of DNA tests. We can't let others say that our Lin family is unfair. We'll talk about the inheritance when all the conclusions are out. As for Su Bei..."

In fact, Old Madam Lin had always had a good impression of Su Bei. Now that Su Bei was not Lin Shulian's daughter, she felt a little better. Even her tone became gentler when she spoke to her, "Su Bei, if we find out that you're really not Lin Shulian's daughter, you don't have to worry. I'll naturally get someone to investigate what exactly happened. I won't slander you for no reason."

"Thank you, Old Madam," she said softly.

Tang Yue felt a flash of pleasure.

Lin Shulian looked away and lowered her head, not daring to look up at Su Bei.

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The Tang family.

Old Master Tang sat on the sofa, his fingers trembling.

“How could it be? Which doctor did the test? Was it tested repeatedly?”

He could not accept the conclusion that Su Bei was not his granddaughter.

Tang Yue said softly, “We’ve already checked and verified it. Lawyer Huang from the Lin family also took our blood for verification again. The first person they’ll check is Su Bei.”

Old Master Tang looked at Su Bei, and his heart ached. Su Bei had not spoken much since she came back. Since she was not from the Tang and Lin families, she had no right to speak.

Previously, she had no feelings for Lin Shulian and Tang Jianming. At that time, she had always thought that she had not developed any feelings for her family because she had not lived with them since she was young.

Now that the truth was out, she understood what was going on.

Old Master Tang sighed. “Su Bei, I’m really sorry. This matter was my oversight. At that time, I only saw a photo of you when you were young and insisted that you were the missing child of the Tang family. Coupled with the fact that your age was a match, I didn’t even do a paternity test and directly acknowledged you, causing you a great deal of harm. I’m really sorry. Please accept my apology.”

He rose with the aid of his cane and was about to bow and apologize.

Tears welled up in Su Bei’s eyes. She quickly reached out to support him. “Grandpa, don’t say that. I know that your concern and love for me are sincere. I don’t blame you for this. Don’t blame yourself too much.”

Lin Shulian avoided her gaze and said guiltily, “I’m also responsible. At that time, I didn’t suggest doing a paternity test and just directly brought Su Bei back. If I had known, I would’ve done a paternity test. I wouldn’t have given Su Bei unnecessary hope. Now, I have to take it all away.”

Su Bei didn’t want to blame her. In the end, it was a human oversight, but not an intentional one.

“Forget it, Aunt. Don’t blame yourself. Maybe the photo itself of me. I spent a lot of time in the orphanage. Maybe photos of other children ended up in my hands,” she said. “This is the address of the orphanage. If you want to try looking for her, try there.”

She carefully placed a note with an address on it on the table and placed a teacup on it. She would treat it as her way of repaying Old Master Tang’s last kindness.

“Su Bei...” Old Master Tang really wanted to acknowledge Su Bei as his granddaughter, but he didn’t think Su Bei would agree.

Tang Yue immediately said, “Grandpa, I’ll go to the orphanage soon. I’ll definitely find my sister.”

Old Master Tang did not comment.

Tang Yue said again, "Su Bei, since you're no longer a member of our family, shouldn't you return the mall to us?"

"I never intended to ask for these things anyway." Seeing Tang Yue's anxious expression as if she was afraid that she would take those things for herself, Su Bei really found it funny. "I'll get a lawyer to come over tomorrow and liquidate all the assets. I won't take a single cent from the Tang family."

"Su Bei, I'm not targeting you. It's just that these things should be given to my sister. When I find my biological sister, I'll definitely give them to her. I'm only thinking of my sister. You can understand, right?" Tang Yue said hypocritically.

Su Bei couldn't be bothered with her. She just said to Old Master Tang, "Grandpa, I'll leave first."

"I'll send you off," said Old Master Tang while leaning on his walking cane.

"No, Grandpa. Take care of yourself."

Su Bei turned around and walked toward the door. In fact, it wasn't that she wouldn't miss him. Although she didn't have a close relationship with him in this family, Old Master Tang had really given her a lot of love and care. He was really like a biological grandfather to her, making her enjoy a rare sense of kinship.

It was something she rarely enjoyed back then.

In the future, she would have to return all of it.

"Su Bei," Old Master Tang called her name again.

Su Bei immediately turned around. "Grandpa?"

"Su Bei, will you come back to see me?" Old Master Tang cried.

Su Bei held back her tears. "I will. You can go back first."

She turned and hurried out.

Tang Yue's face was filled with pleasure. She raised her exquisite nails and rubbed them carefully. She blamed herself for being too careless. If she had known that Su Bei was only an impostor, she wouldn't have thought of those methods to deal with Su Bei in the past.

'I just knew it!'

Compared to Lin Shulian and Old Master Tang, Tang Jianming was not as emotional. After Su Bei left, the couple did not say much.

Tang Yue went forward to support Old Master Tang. "Grandpa, you have to take care of yourself. We still have to look for my biological sister."

Old Master Tang was unmoved. He was still very concerned about Tang Yue abandoning her younger sister.

When Su Bei went out, Lu Heting's car was already waiting outside.

He had originally arranged with Su Bei to pick her up after she was done with the inheritance matters.

Su Bei had been busy all day and had yet to tell him about her background.

After she got into the car, her eyes reddened, and tears finally fell.

Lu Heting's eyes instantly darkened, and the ruthless aura on his body swept across the entire vehicle. His voice also lost its warmth. "What happened? Who did it?"

His fingers gripped the steering wheel so tightly that his knuckles turned white as if he wanted to crush the neck of the person who bullied Su Bei.

He reached out to hold Su Bei's hand, and the force of his fingers softened. He used his fingers to wipe away the tears on her cheeks.

### **Chapter 1366: Can't Be My Sister**

"It turns out that I'm not a member of the Tang family," Su Bei said with a heavy nasal voice.

"Who said that? Is there any proof?" His voice was distinctly hostile.

"They've already done a verification report. When Old Master Tang came to acknowledge me previously, he never did a paternity test. He made the decision based on the photo in my hand, which is identical to the photo in their house. However, when we were splitting the inheritance today, I was confirmed to be unrelated to Tang Jianming and Lin Shulian."

Lu Heting immediately understood. He pressed her head against his chest and said, "You still have me, Da Bao, and Gun Gun. You have a family and a home."

A faint smile appeared on Su Bei's face, but she couldn't stop her tears. "I understand. All of you are very important to me, and I can't bear to lose any of you. But Grandpa is also very important to me. I really treat him as family..."

"I understand. He's a very good elder," Lu Heting said softly. "In the future, we can visit him too."

"Actually, if there wasn't any hope, I wouldn't feel disappointed. I'd just pretend that I never had any of these things in the first place. I'd have regrets, but I'd get used to it. It's better than suddenly losing everything. Even though the Tang family isn't any better and there are many regrets and discomforts, Grandpa... He's really a very respectable old man." Su Bei's voice was filled with disappointment.

Lu Heting hugged her and rested his chin on her hair. His heart ached for her.

But a home with warm elders was indeed the hardest thing to get. Even he could not really give it to Su Bei.

"Actually, it's good. At least I don't have to deal with Tang Yue's tricks anymore." Su Bei began to comfort herself.

Lu Heting touched her hair with heartache. She always comforted herself when she was sad.

Lu Heting said in a low voice, "Yes, losing that home doesn't mean anything. You can still find your original home. This time, it might be the warmest home in the world."

Su Bei looked up, and there was a smile in her red eyes. "Yes, everything is possible before we find my family. Perhaps I have a serious father and a loving mother in my family. Our family will be very happy without any scheming."

"That must be it."

"But now that I have you guys, I'm satisfied enough." Su Bei's mood had completely improved. The disappointment she felt when she left Old Master Tang vanished due to Lu Heting's presence. "Having you is the best home. Anyway, even if I have parents, I'll still be with you guys most of the time. I'll spend most of my life with you guys."

"Yes," Lu Heting replied softly.

He bent his fingers to wipe away her tears. He found a tissue and wiped away the moisture from her eyes.

Su Bei leaned on his shoulder again. "You can't choose your first family in life. You can only accept it. But the other family is your own choice. You'll definitely like all of us. That's good too, isn't it?"

"Yes. In this family, all of us want to be with each other," Lu Heting repeated softly.

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When Ou Huanwei found out about Su Bei, she couldn't help but clap her hands.

"That's great! I didn't expect Su Bei to really be an impostor. I was just giving Tang Yue a suggestion to investigate Su Bei's background, and she really found out the problem," Ou Huanwei said excitedly.

"Now, Tang Yue is not only the only daughter of Tang Jianming and Lin Shulian but also one of the three legal heirs of the Lin family. A third of the inheritance..."

Du Jinghao lowered his head and ate, pretending not to hear anything.

"Jinghao, go look for Tang Yue today and say that your marriage isn't canceled."

"Mom, I've already said that I can't be with Tang Yue after the kidney donation incident. I don't want such a mother for my future children."

"I already said that it was a misunderstanding. Think about how scheming Su Bei is. She was the one who planned everything. She's not even a member of the Tang family and almost cheated a large amount of inheritance. How much can you believe—"

"Mom!" Du Jinghao interrupted her forcefully.

"Are you still thinking about Su Bei? Let me tell you, it's impossible for our family to accept such a daughter-in-law!"

Du Jinghao put down his chopsticks. "I'm full."

"Huh, Jinghao? Jinghao? Where are you going?"

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On the other hand, Lin Wenyu went to do a DNA test for Su Bei and Lin Xiruo. However, it was just a formality. It was impossible for her to really do a DNA test.

He Xuyan hurried over.

“Is Aunt feeling better?”

“Much better. It’s just that she keeps asking about the test report,” He Xuyan said while frowning. “She got anxious when I said more time was needed.”

Lin Wenyu took a report and said, “Sign this. I just printed this out. Even if Aunt has sharp eyes, she might not know that this is fake.”

In any case, she had made many copies for Lin Xiruo and was familiar with everything.

However, if people found out that she had helped do numerous DNA tests for her aunt and panda plushies, it would really be a joke.

Now that she had to do a test for Su Bei, Lin Wenyu naturally couldn’t really do it. She just printed a copy of the contents to brush off Lin Xiruo.

However, she was really worried about her aunt’s health. If this continued, something would go wrong sooner or later.

He Xuyan took the printed document from Lin Wenyu and signed it. “Alright, that’s it. Su Bei can’t be my sister. The report naturally shows that there’s no blood relation between the two of them.”

“However, Su Bei is really quite pitiful. It wasn’t easy for her to return to the Tang family, and Tang Yue later kept finding trouble with her. Now, even the Tang family isn’t her real home. Sigh.” Lin Wenyu sighed softly. “She still has to be slandered now. Fortunately, Grandma got someone to investigate. Back then, Old Master Tang and Lin Shulian confirmed that Su Bei was from the Tang family. They didn’t do a paternity test and directly acknowledged her. If that wasn’t the case, who knew how many more attacks Su Bei would have had to endure?”

He Xuyan thought of Su Bei’s face, and an indescribable emotion flashed across her face. He wanted to do something for her, but he couldn’t do anything.

“I’ve asked around. Old Master Tang and Lin Shulian both want to acknowledge Su Bei as their adopted granddaughter, but because of Tang Yue, it can’t be done,” Lin Wenyu said. “It’s fine. If Su Bei is really adopted by them, it’ll still be troublesome for Su Bei. It’s better for her not to have such a family.”

### **Chapter 1367: Leave No One Behind**

He Xuyan didn’t say anything else. She picked up the document and turned to leave.

Lin Wenyu sent Su Bei a WeChat message and didn’t mention this matter again. She only asked her what she planned to eat and if she wanted to go shopping together.



Su Bei replied: [Let's meet up next time. I have something to deal with in the next two days.]

[Alright then. We'll contact each other again once you're free.] Lin Wenyu knew that she might indeed be busy. She still had some matters to settle with the Tang family, so she didn't disturb her anymore.

She placed Lin Xiruo and Su Bei's blood samples in the medical kit at the side and shook her head. She hoped that her aunt's condition would get better soon. That way, she wouldn't have to keep doing fake DNA tests.

He Xuyan took the documents and returned to the Lin family.

When Old Madam Lin saw what he was holding, she asked worriedly, "Is Xiruo's condition still not under control?"

"Grandma, Mom was much better before and didn't relapse for a long time. But this time, the illness came very suddenly. She keeps making a fuss about wanting to find my sister, so the situation isn't too clear."

"Well, she hasn't fully recovered since that incident. I'll have to ask you to be more forgiving."

"She's my mother. It's the least I can do." He nodded.

Old Madam Lin continued, "I heard that you guys drew Su Bei's blood?"

"Yes, Mom's illness was a little serious at that time. She kept pulling Su Bei, so..."

"It wasn't easy for that child either. She was displaced as a child. What's rare is that she can still maintain her kind nature. Take care of her when you have the chance. Speaking of which, the things she experienced in her life isn't her fault, but she has to take on so much. Things got messy that day, and I didn't have time to speak to her alone."

He Xuyan nodded. "Okay, I'll keep that in mind."

"Let's go and see Xiruo together."

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Su Bei had obtained the Jingbei Square from Old Master Tang.

Because of her proper management, the overall economic situation here was really good and three more outlets were opened.

What Tang Yue wanted Su Bei to return was these things.

Su Bei took some time off to come here and look around.

Knowing that she was coming over, Zhuo Liping had been waiting all morning. As the direct manager of these malls, Zhuo Liping contributed a lot to the malls' prosperity.

He was dressed in a formal suit. His thin figure looked very gentle, but his aura and demeanor were still formidable.

“Su Bei, you haven’t been here for a long time. I’ve sorted out all the receipts. Take a look first. Also, I have to report to you about the various important matters here.” Zhuo Liping was a very responsible person. Before they could exchange pleasantries, he carried over the things that Su Bei needed to check.

With just a glance, Su Bei could tell how meticulous he was.

“Okay, I’ll read them later. I’ll go walk around the mall first.”

“I’ll go with you.” Zhuo Liping put down the documents.

Su Bei glanced at the documents on his desk. She could tell that he still had a lot of work to do. There were a lot of employees waiting at the door outside too. They had something to report to him.

“No, I’ll just wander around myself. You go on with your work.”

Zhuo Liping was a person who prioritized his work. Hearing Su Bei’s words, he didn’t insist and said, “Alright. In that case, I’ll report to you about my work during this period of time during lunch hours later.”

“President Zhuo, I heard that you’re busy on weekends and refuse to rest. You have to rest. Don’t drag your body down because of work and lose your personal life.” Su Bei couldn’t help but remind him with a smile.

Zhuo Liping gave a quick, embarrassed laugh. “I’m used to it.”

“Then I’ll go take a look around. I won’t disturb your work anymore.” With that, Su Bei put on her sunglasses and covered her eyes, revealing only a small portion of her face. She turned and walked out.

She really could not bear to return this mall to the Tang family. Not to mention the effort she had spent, Zhuo Liping had also done a lot for this mall.

He had really done everything he could to achieve his current results.

After returning the mall, there was a high chance that Tang Yue would be the one managing it in the future. According to Tang Yue’s working style, the first person Su Bei would feel sorry for was Zhuo Liping.

As she walked, she saw Tang Yue wandering around the mall with a few people.

“Take a good look at this mall. After we take it back, it might be handed over to you to manage,” Tang Yue said to the people around her.

Su Bei couldn’t help but rub her forehead. Tang Yue really refused to relax at all. Last night, Su Bei said that she would return the things to her, and today, she had brought people to take a look.

Old Master Tang would most likely hand over the mall to Tang Yue. Even though it was difficult to praise her character, she was Tang Jianming and Lin Shulian’s only daughter. No matter what, Old Master Tang could only rely on her.

“These businesses will be handed over to you later. Jingbei has been developing rapidly in the past two years. The development and construction of the mall must catch up to the overall economic situation.

When you go back, take out your planning reports and think about how to push the mall's development to a higher level," Tang Yue said.

A person standing behind Tang Yue asked, "President Tang, as far as I know, the turnover and profits of Jingbei Square in the past two years have been outstanding. After we take back this mall, will the old employees still stay? Or will we arrange for newbies to take over everything after we take office?"

Tang Yue was smiling, but she was really happy. Everything here belonged to Su Bei, and Su Bei was also the one who promoted the staff. When the mall returned to her, would she still use the previous staff?

Naturally, the answer was no!

How could she keep Su Bei's people in her territory?

She smiled. "Since you'll have to manage the mall when the time comes, we can't keep the old employees. Do you think they'll still be able to work in peace if the leadership above has changed?"

Actually, that person wanted to say that the change of leadership would not affect the work of the low-level employees. There was no need to make such a big change.

However, since Tang Yue had already said so, that person did not have any objections. He smiled and echoed, "President Tang, you've always been very considerate. If we want to replace them, we'll definitely have to replace all of them. When the time comes, we'll replace all the people here and leave no one behind."

Tang Yue nodded. "Okay, I'll leave this to you."

When Su Bei heard all of this from not far away, she couldn't help but frown. Jingbei Square had survived through a very difficult phase in order to get its achievements today. The employees had worked hard together to obtain such results.

### **Chapter 1368: Just Do As I Say**

The situation had just stabilized and everyone's future had just turned for the better. However, Tang Yue was actually planning to replace everyone here?

Then what about the price those people had paid before?

Su Bei composed herself. No, she couldn't just return all this to Tang Yue.

Everyone's efforts could not be stripped away by Tang Yue just like that.

Thinking of this, Su Bei turned around and left. Tang Yue saw Su Bei's back and looked at her seriously for a while. She couldn't help but smile and say, "So she's here today. She still can't bear to part with everything the Tang family has, right? That's right. It's so hard to work outside. How can it compare to all this that doesn't require hard work?"

The people behind her also looked at Su Bei's back. Now that the higher-ups knew that Su Bei was not from the Tang family, some of them sighed. Meanwhile, the people who followed Tang Yue were also

excited about the rich profits that they could soon obtain. They could not wait to take over everything that belonged to Su Bei.

After saying goodbye to Zhuo Liping, Su Bei was about to leave.

Zhuo Liping had not had time to report to her. For a workaholic like him, it was a real pity.

Su Bei called Old Master Tang.

Old Master Tang immediately told her to come over.

When she arrived at the Tang family, it was different from before.

Su Bei stood at the door and paused for a moment before walking in.

“Su Bei, come in quickly.” Old Master Tang personally came over and welcomed Su Bei in.

“Grandpa.” Su Bei stepped forward and helped him sit down.

“Sit down, sit down. Butler, pour coffee for Su Bei.” Old Master Tang’s smile was loving and bright. He really liked Su Bei. Even if she wasn’t a child of the Tang family, he still treated her as his granddaughter.

“Grandpa, I came here today because I have a presumptuous request.”

Old Master Tang picked up his teacup and put it down without drinking. “You’re being too distant.”

Su Bei was amused by his words. After laughing, she said seriously, “Grandpa, after I returned to the Tang family, I obtained the operation rights of Jingbei Square. At first, I wanted to return you the operation rights. However, after thinking about it carefully today, I realized that the results of Jingbei Square were not easy to come by. Not only me but hundreds of employees had worked hard to achieve it.

“We’ve struggled for a long time to get to where we are today, and they have to rely on this job to support their families and go for their pursuits. I think their work is bound to be affected if the management of Jingbei Square changes.”

Old Master Tang nodded. “You’re right. When the time comes, no matter who gets Jingbei Square, there’ll be unrest. Everyone’s work will definitely be affected. What do you plan to do?”

“Grandpa, can you sell Jingbei Square to me directly?” Su Bei knew that this request was a little too much, but she couldn’t turn a blind eye to her employees’ interests.

She did not want to negotiate with Tang Yue either. Even if Tang Yue agreed to let all the employees stay, she would definitely humiliate them in a different way.

Actually, Su Bei didn’t know most of these employees and wasn’t familiar with them, but she did not want them to be victims of her battle with Tang Yue. No matter what, Su Bei couldn’t look past this.

Therefore, buying Jingbei Square was the only way to protect them.

Old Master Tang could understand everything that Su Bei was thinking.

He thought for a while. "Su Bei, you took over the management of Jingbei Square when it was in danger. You should have the right to own it. I should give it to you for free because it belonged to you long ago. Without you, there wouldn't be Jingbei Square today.

"However, you know Tang Yue's personality. She must think that I'm too biased toward you. If I give it to you directly, I'll cause you trouble. Therefore, selling it to you is the only way. I'll sell it to you."

"Grandpa, it's already my honor that you've agreed to sell it to me." Su Bei's eyes flickered. She was very touched that Old Master Tang still cared about his relationship with her. "After taking your things, it's natural I should pay. This is a matter of course. You don't have to feel guilty."

"Su Bei, you should have a share in all of this." Old Master Tang blamed himself.

"Grandpa, let's get a lawyer here and settle this now."

Old Master Tang immediately asked his assistant to call his personal lawyer and ask him to come over.

Soon, Old Master Tang's personal lawyer arrived.

Old Master Tang instructed, "When Jingbei Square was given to Su Bei, it was a mess, so let's set the price according to the original price."

"Grandpa..." Su Bei wanted to say that he didn't need to do that. He could just set it at the current price. After all, it was something that belonged to her grandfather.

However, Old Master Tang interrupted her firmly. "Just do as I say. You also need to take a salary for all the work you've done. How can I deprive you of the fruits of your labor? I'll talk to Tang Yue about it."

Seeing that he was unusually insistent, Su Bei could only accept it.

The lawyer quickly set the price. This price was according to the price at that time, but it was not a small sum. Fortunately, Su Bei had a lot of savings now, so she could still afford to pay it.

Just as Su Bei was about to sign, footsteps suddenly came from outside the door. Tang Yue rushed in.

"Grandpa!"

She quickly walked over and said, "Grandpa, are you going to sell Jingbei Square? If that's the case, since Su Bei is qualified to buy it, then as your biological granddaughter, I must also be qualified to compete for it and buy it, right?"

"Tang Yue, you know what Jingbei Square was like back then. Su Bei deserves it."

"But Grandpa, Su Bei is an outsider. Aren't you afraid that outsiders will gossip if you give it to her like this? I'm afraid you can't even buy a floor of Jingbei Square with this amount of money, right? What will the outside world say about Su Bei when they find out?"

"Tang Yue, you!" Old Master Tang was so angry that his heart hurt.

Su Bei took a step forward to help Old Master Tang up, but Tang Yue rushed over to help him up. She pushed Su Bei away and said, "Grandpa, I didn't mean to anger you. I just don't want to see people gossiping outside. As you know, Su Bei's identity as an artist can easily trigger negative comments. If you give her something so casually, it won't be good for her reputation."

Her ability to exaggerate was really impressive.

Only Tang Yue could say such a thing.

### **Chapter 1369: I Really Did My Best**

Su Bei immediately sneered and said, “Miss Tang, you must be joking. Grandpa is just grateful for my contribution to Jingbei Square back then, so he wants to give me some preferential treatment and let me get the operation rights of Jingbei Square. Where would the gossip come from? Why are you imagining things? Why? Are you going to say that my reputation will turn bad? What would people have to say about my relationship with Grandpa? Grandpa is almost 80 years old. Do you think the outside world can gossip about us?”

Tang Yue choked.

Of course, she couldn't dare say anything about the topic of gossip because she was the one who imagined everything herself.

“Su Bei, I'm just reminding you out of kindness. You don't have to be so aggressive, right?” Tang Yue softened her tone.

“Others are already gossiping about me. What's wrong with me asking a few questions in return? If I want to seek clarification, does it mean that I'm being aggressive? What about those gossipers, then? Besides, I don't know any outsiders who are bored enough to spread gossip. If any gossip spreads, can I reasonably assume that it was spread by the people here?” Su Bei stared at Tang Yue and asked. Her usually smiling eyes were filled with oppressive coldness.

Tang Yue was momentarily unable to answer.

She could only say, “Well, I also want to run Jingbei Square. As a member of the Tang family, shouldn't I also have some competitive spirit in me? Don't I have priority?”

Old Master Tang was also furious at Tang Yue's attempt to spread gossip just now. At this moment, he said angrily, “Su Bei has always been in charge of Jingbei Square, so she naturally has the priority—”

“Grandpa, why don't we do this? We'll talk about it after Miss Tang has thought it through. If she wants to take over Jingbei Square, it's not impossible. However, she has to quantify all the contributions I've made for Jingbei Square with real money and compensate me with enough money. Miss Tang, how about that?” Su Bei didn't want to make things difficult for Old Master Tang and directly changed the approach.

Tang Yue naturally could not take advantage of her in this way. Jingbei Square's value had already skyrocketed. The money she had to pay might make her heart ache.

As expected, Tang Yue revealed her displeasure. “That originally belonged to our Tang family. Now that I want it back, I have to pay you? Are you trying to scam me?”

“The lawyers and the financial team will naturally give you an answer as to whether I’m scamming you or not.” Su Bei stood up and said, “In two days, whether you pay me or I pay you, we’ll see what the lawyers and the financial team say about the ownership of Jingbei Square!”

After saying that, she ignored the exasperated Tang Yue and walked up to Old Master Tang. She said softly, “Grandpa, please don’t make things difficult for yourself. I believe the lawyers will come up with a fair explanation. Have a good rest first. I’ll leave first.”

She straightened her back, then a cold glint flashed across her eyes. “Miss Tang, please think carefully. I won’t ask for anything that shouldn’t be mine. But I won’t give up on what’s mine!”

With that, she strode away with her long beautiful legs and turned to leave. Her back was beautiful and determined.

Old Master Tang closed his eyes and sighed. Su Bei was definitely not an ordinary person. He was very optimistic about her future. He had already tried his best not to let Tang Yue offend Su Bei.

But Tang Yue... Old Master Tang had really tried his best!

Her heart ached. Su Bei had not received much affection from the Tang family in the first place. However, she was even forced by Tang Yue to deal with all kinds of things.

Tang Yue bent down and said gently, “Grandpa, I don’t have to fight with Su Bei, but I don’t want everything in the Tang family to fall into the hands of outsiders. I want to protect the Tang family.”

“Forget it, go and rest,” Old Master Tang said weakly.

Now that Su Bei was no longer a member of the Tang family, he had really lost the right to take care of her.

Tang Yue said, “Then you should rest well too.”

“Wait a minute,” Old Master Tang said. “Aunt Wang, who’s in charge of serving coffee in the kitchen, doesn’t have to work here anymore from today onward.”

Tang Yue was stunned for a moment before she understood something. Old Master Tang had figured out that it was Aunt Wang who informed her.

Tang Yue had given Aunt Wang money and asked her to notify her whenever Su Bei came home and if anything happened.

Tang Yue could come back in time to stop Su Bei from signing the documents because of Aunt Wang’s tip-off.

Old Master Tang must have realized it at a glance. After all, his assistant and lawyer were his trusted aides. The only suspicious person was Aunt Wang.

“Grandpa, I’ll ask her to leave,” Tang Yue had no choice but to agree. However, this didn’t matter. After Su Bei left the Tang family in the future, she wouldn’t need Aunt Wang to be her informant anymore.

After the matter at Jingbei Square was resolved, Su Bei had nothing else to take away.

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Lu Group Building.

In Lu Heting's office.

He stood on the top floor and looked out the window at the sunlight. Lu Hang was standing behind him.

"If the Tang family takes back Su Bei's Jingbei Square, sell the Twin Towers Mall immediately," Lu Heting instructed.

"Yes," Lu Hang replied.

The Twin Towers Mall was a mall that Lu Group had immediately built beside Jingbei Square.

The construction was extremely fast, so operations also began extremely fast. It happened to coincide with the development of that area, so the two shopping malls developed quickly. They were both the best in the industry.

As the two malls competed with each other but also promoted each other, they were called the Twin Towers Mall by the outside world. This reputation even overshadowed the original name given by Lu Group.

Lu Heting also liked that name very much.

If Tang Yue took Jingbei Square, the remaining mall would be meaningless to Lu Heting.

Lu Hang also knew very well that although the Twin Towers Mall was developing very well, once Mr. Lu sold it and withdrew his investment, the outside world would keenly sense that Lu Group was not optimistic about this area. At that time, the Twin Towers Mall would face huge risks.

He couldn't help but sigh in his heart. Mr. Lu was really angry on behalf of his woman. The entire economy of that district would probably be affected.

However, no one was to blame for this. If anyone was to be blamed, it was Tang Yue for being too aggressive. She was too greedy.

During dinner that night, Su Bei said, "I went to Jingbei Square today. I've decided to buy it. I won't return it to Tang Yue."

"If you like it, you can buy it." Lu Heting actually couldn't bear to part with the Twin Towers Mall either, mainly because he liked the name. "Is there a problem?"

"Tang Yue wants it too. She refused to let Grandpa sell it to me at the previous price," Su Bei said. "But if it's really based on my contributions to Jingbei Square, she can't afford it."

### **Chapter 1370: Treating Rumors As The Real Deal**

"So it's a stalemate now?" Lu Heting lowered his eyes and asked.



“Well, now the lawyers on both sides are calculating the price. Tang Yue refuses to take any losses, but I’m confident that I can have the final say. She definitely won’t buy it at a high price. But that’s also to say that I might have to pay a little higher than the estimated price.”

Lu Heting looked at her. “You just don’t want to make things difficult for Grandpa, so you chose not to fight with all your might. You’d rather spend more money.”

Lu Heting saw through her thoughts. Su Bei smiled. “After all, I don’t really have a position. Grandpa is in a dilemma because he cares about me. I can’t ignore his feelings.”

“Let me handle this for you,” Lu Heting said calmly. “In the simplest way.”

“The lawyer will talk to Tang Yue again. If it doesn’t work out, we’ll do it your way, okay?”

“Alright, but Tang Yue doesn’t let things pass so easily.”

However, before Su Bei and Tang Yue could talk about Jingbei Square, Su Bei’s background was exposed and posted online.

The fact that Su Bei was not of the Tang family’s bloodline quickly caused widespread discussion.

This was originally Su Bei’s private matter, and very few people would discuss it. If Tang Yue, a member of the Tang family, hadn’t caused trouble a few times, no one would have bothered to care about this.

When Su Bei saw the news, her gaze turned cold.

Needless to say, she knew that Tang Yue was the one who did it. Now that Su Bei was not a member of the Tang family, Tang Yue, as the only daughter of Tang Jianming and Lin Shulian, was also a little unscrupulous. It was as if she knew that she would be forgiven no matter what she did. Grandpa would never do anything to her, so she did not need to hide anymore.

As expected, there were bad comments on the internet, hinting that Su Bei had deliberately tried to get the identity of a Tang family member. Now that the truth was found, the Tang family wanted to get back the stuff they had given Su Bei previously.

Su Bei naturally had competitors in the circle. After this incident, many anti-fans took the opportunity to make a big fuss and mock Su Bei for being an imposter.

[I already knew that she couldn’t be a rich young lady. It’s the Tang family’s fault for being blind enough to be deceived by her.]

[Sure enough, a commoner will always be a commoner. Even if she tries to climb up the social ladder, she can’t become a princess.]

However, Su Bei’s fans were not weak either. They quickly suppressed these comments. [Su Bei is Su Bei. She doesn’t need to rely on the Tang family to achieve anything. We like Su Bei not because of the Tang family!]

[That’s right. Su Bei’s own ability is enough for her to stand out in the industry. Others can’t take advantage of her even if they want to. I think you should just save it.]

Qiao Mei quickly lowered the trending topic.

Tang Yue naturally swore in front of the Tang family that Su Bei's matter had nothing to do with her.

"There are many people who know about it. I know that if something happens, I'll be implicated. Why would I be so stupid as to get involved and be discussed?" Tang Yue denied ever doing such a thing.

"In any case, it's not Su Bei's fault," said Old Master Tang. "Since we did something wrong, it's our fault. We should take responsibility."

He asked his assistant to come over and personally record a video of him. He said earnestly in the video, "The elders were the ones who made a mistake in this matter. Back then, we were the ones who took the initiative to look for Su Bei and express that we wanted to acknowledge her as our family. This was our mistake. Please don't criticize Su Bei. I sincerely apologize to Su Bei and everyone again."

Lin Shulian could not sit still anymore. She recorded a video and explained the entire situation.

Before they posted it, Tang Xinru also made a simple explanation and recorded a special video to clarify for Su Bei.

When the Tang family came forward one after another and coupled with the fact that even the elders had recorded videos, which was something they were unfamiliar with, to clarify the situation, they obtained the unanimous understanding of many people.

[So the elders in the family made a mistake. I see. The elders of the Tang family are really sincere. I knew it. It's impossible for Su Bei to do such a thing herself.]

[The elders have really made things clear. It can be seen from their words that they dote on Su Bei. I can only say that Su Bei must be an obedient and sensible child to be doted on by the elders. Otherwise, things wouldn't have been resolved so easily.]

[That's right. The people from before were simply trying to slander Su Bei. Even if she's not a member of the Tang family, it's still a family matter. The Tang family wouldn't have been swayed by Di Xing Media's public relations. If such a family takes the initiative to say it, it must be the truth.]

[That makes sense. I can tell that Su Bei is a very good person. I even heard through the grapevine that the elders in her family want to acknowledge Su Bei as their adopted daughter. However, because Tang Yue objected, this matter was put on hold.]

[Well, all I can say is that they're not fated to be family. That's a shame, but there's nothing to say about it. It's someone else's choice.]

[Tang Xinru was just Su Bei's cousin before the truth came out, yet she said so many things on behalf of Su Bei. Everyone, disperse. It might just be a misunderstanding.]

This matter was finally resolved quickly.

Because the Tang family was the one who spoke up for Su Bei, even if there were any rumors or gossip in the future, Su Bei would not be implicated.

It could be said that this was a direct measure to cut off public opinion.

They directly endorsed Su Bei's credit.

The person who was angriest about this was Tang Yue.

She really couldn't understand why her family wanted to help Su Bei.

What right did Su Bei have to receive so much concern? It was fine if Tang Xinru helped her as Tang Xinru had a competitive relationship with her. If she helped Su Bei, she would gain benefits from it.

It was fine if Old Master Tang helped Su Bei as well. He had always liked Su Bei, and Su Bei had always flattered him!

But what about Lin Shulian? She was his biological mother! Why did she help Su Bei clarify?

She really could not forgive Lin Shulian for what she had done.

Lin Shulian explained to her, but she did not listen at all.

She bit her lip hard, unable to contain her jealousy.

When the butler brought the medicines over, Tang Yue took them and said, "I'll go give them to my mother."

The butler didn't doubt her. He handed her the medicine with both hands. "This is Madam's nutritional supplement. She has to take it according to the course. Please remember to remind Madam, Miss."

"Got it." Tang Yue picked it up and watched the butler leave. She replaced one of the medicines before sending them to Lin Shulian.

The lawyer was ready for Tang Yue and Su Bei to discuss the matter regarding Jingbei Square.