Hidden 1511

Chapter 1511: I'll Come Back If There's An Opportunity

When the people backstage at the international fashion show heard that there would be a mysterious guest tonight, everyone was looking forward to it and tried guessing the guest's identity.

"Could it be Austine from the United States?"

"Isn't Austine pregnant? I'm guessing it's Sister A. Sister A likes S Country's culture very much. She previously expressed that she wanted to come."

"You don't know that Sister A went to Australia, right? There's a conflict in her schedule. It definitely isn't her!"

"Who could it be?"

No one would have thought that at this moment, Su Bei was preparing backstage.

No one guessed her. It was not that they felt that she could not compare to Austine or Sister A. It was purely because she was already a movie queen and had never walked on a runway for a long time. Naturally, no one would expect her to go on stage again.

"Anyway, this mystery guest is even more famous than Sister Wen Wen. She's a legendary existence. She's definitely not someone to be underestimated. I'm really looking forward to it!"

"I'm looking forward to it! Actually, I can learn a lot from watching big shots walk on the runway!"

"Those big shots are really admirable."

At this moment, Jia Chen and Li Xinxin went on stage. It immediately caused a small commotion, causing the fans below the stage to be extremely excited.

Some fans were extremely happy to see such a scene.

It was foreseeable that after this fashion show, both of them would occupy the trending searches and their status would be greatly elevated.

When it was Sister Wen Wen's turn to walk on stage, she brought Jia Chen and Li Xinxin out again.

They walked behind Sister Wen Wen on both sides. This scene made things even more exciting.

This time, Sister Wen Wen displayed a very good performance. It was probably the best performance in her entire career

"Thank you, Sister Wen Wen!" As soon as she got off the stage, Li Xinxin quickly thanked her. "Sister Wen Wen, shall we drink tonight to celebrate?"

Sister Wen Wen nodded. "Of course, we have to celebrate. It's my treat."

In the future, she would be a respected senior in the supermodel world. She would spot talents and guide them. She would be incomparable to Su Bei.

Sister Wen Wen had already paid for the articles. She wanted to compete with Su Bei and secretly point out that no matter how successful Su Bei was, she was very selfish as she had never helped any juniors.

However, it was different for her. Not only did she improve herself, but she also guided her juniors.

In fact, there was nothing to compare. If Sister Wen Wen had the ability to be a match for Su Bei, why would she feel a need to compare herself to her?

However, many people did not have much ability to distinguish between the marketing gimmicks of marketing accounts and real news. As time passed, the content imposed on them by others would be deeply ingrained in their minds.

After Sister Wen Wen walked the runway, the fashion show was about to end. The audience below the stage also began to lose interest.

"Everyone, we've invited a mysterious guest tonight! She's a supermodel and a movie queen. Let's welcome Su Bei!"

The audience below the stage was immediately interested.

Su Bei had stopped walking on the runway a long time ago. Besides, other than when there were publicity events for her movies, she rarely stepped out into public. During this time when she was filming Split, other than coming out to deal with a few scandals, she did not appear at any other times.

Many fans missed Su Bei so much.

Many of these fans were below the stage. When they heard Su Bei's name, they stood up in surprise.

As the lights turned on and the music started, Su Bei appeared.

She was still the same as before. She was the undisputed queen of the runway. As soon as she appeared, everyone's eyes were fixed on her.

Some people were here for Sister Wen Wen, while others were here for Jia Chen and Li Xinxin. However, at this moment, they could not help but be attracted to Su Bei.

When Su Bei walked out, everyone noticed that she was accompanied by another supermodel. It was Mu Kai.

The people below the stage were all attracted by them and kept taking photos.

"Su Bei is indeed Su Bei. She hasn't been on stage for a long time, but she still has it!"

"How stunning! I didn't believe it when others praised her to the heavens before. Now that I'm lucky enough to see Su Bei on stage, I finally know why she reached the top of the world's top fashion shows."

After Su Bei and Mu Kai were done, they went straight backstage.

At this moment, there was already a clamor outside. The audience was shouting for Su Bei to come back.

Sister Wen Wen, Jia Chen, and Li Xinxin were all forgotten by the audience.

The reporters rushed backstage.

At this moment, Li Xinxin did not know that the mystery guest tonight was Su Bei. When she saw everyone rushing over, she smiled and said, "Sister Wen Wen is still changing her clothes. Everyone, you can wait for a while before coming back for the interviews. We'll definitely give everyone enough time."

"We're here to interview Su Bei! Where's Su Bei?"

Sister Wen Wen was changing her clothes backstage. She had planned to wait a little longer before coming out for the interviews.

Hearing that the reporters were looking for Su Bei, her face immediately darkened.

"That's right. Where's Su Bei? Can we interview her?"

"Of course!" A clear and elegant voice came from backstage.

Her slender figure appeared in front of everyone, and her long legs were like halos.

Her originally cold face on stage was now filled with a smile as she stood in front of the reporters.

"Su Bei!"

"Su Bei!"

Su Bei walked over with Mu Kai beside her. He was still in a daze. He never expected that the person who would appear with him today would be Su Bei.

When he saw Su Bei just now, his mind was blank. It was not until Su Bei reminded him before they went on stage that he came back to his senses and followed her.

At this moment, he was sighing in his heart. Su Bei was truly extraordinary. She was really a supermodel who deserved all her titles.

"Su Bei, may I ask what opportunity made you suddenly appear on the runway? As far as we know, you haven't been on the runway for a long time and have been busy filming movies. Do you have any plans to return to the runway?"

Su Bei had a bright smile on her face. Her trademark chestnut curly hair made her palm-sized face even more radiant. "I won't be officially returning to the industry. It's just that this fashion show gave me a chance to get to know many people in this industry for the first time. It's also a place where I've always dreamed of setting sail, so as long as there's a suitable opportunity, I'll return. For the event this time, I was invited by my former manager, Yue Ze, to be a special guest.

"As for Mu Kai, he's a promising young man. Now that he's under Yue Ze's guidance, I believe he'll definitely be able to showcase his strength and reach the top of the world!"

Chapter 1512: The Ship Will Live Forever

The reporters quickly asked, "Someone said that you came back this time to compare yourself to Sister Wen Wen. Is that right?"

"I don't want to compare myself to anyone. I also hope that nobody will compare themselves to anyone. We only need to focus on bettering ourselves. As long as we surpass ourselves, we'll definitely be better!"

"Seeing that you suddenly walked on the runway again, is it as the outside world says? Is there an issue with your marriage?" a reporter asked sharply.

Su Bei stared into his eyes. The reporter gulped. "I didn't say it. Someone outside said it."

Su Bei smiled. "Hubby, they're saying that there are rumors of our discord outside."

This sentence was obviously directed at the camera, and it was directed at Lu Heting.

The reporters were all amused by this response. From the looks of it, there were no issues with their marriage. The couple had a good relationship.

At this moment, Lu Heting was dealing with some matters in the company. Knowing that Su Bei had an event tonight, he habitually clicked on some videos about her.

He happened to hear this sentence and frowned slightly. Then, he saw the bright and relieved smile on the woman's face and smiled too.

His gaze seemed to meet the woman's in the video.

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The reporters had already gotten what they wanted, and Yue Ze saw them out.

Peace was restored backstage.

Li Xinxin clenched her fists. Were these reporters leaving just like that?

No one came to interview her and Jia Chen!

Was no one going to interview Sister Wen Wen either?

Yue Ze glanced at her and wanted to tell her that real popularity was not something that could be hyped up by herself or self-proclaimed. Sister Wen Wen was indeed good, but she was still far from being comparable to Su Bei.

Once Su Bei appeared, who could compete with her?

Sister Wen Wen came out from backstage angrily.

"Sister Wen Wen, Sister Wen Wen!" Li Xinxin followed Sister Wen Wen.

Jia Chen glared at Yue Ze with an ugly expression, then followed the two women out.

Only then did Mu Kai retract his gaze and look at Su Bei. He said, "Senior Su, it's really you. Can you give me an autograph?"

"Don't call me that. You're making me sound old," Su Bei said with a smile. "Give me the pen."

She quickly signed an autograph for Mu Kai.

"Su Bei, I really didn't expect you to be my partner today!" Mu Kai came back to his senses. When he saw the signature, he finally believed that it was really Su Bei. "Also, thank you for thinking so highly of me."

"It's because you're worthy of being looked after," Su Bei said with a smile. "Do a good job with Brother Yue Ze."

"I will!" Mu Kai had already made up his mind. He would follow Yue Ze and press forward.

This time, Yue Ze helped him get Su Bei to be his partner. He would be even more loyal to Yue Ze.

Yue Ze said, "Alright, it's getting late. I'll send Su Bei back. You should return early too. At the same time, your success this time is also thanks to President Su."

President Su? Mu Kai immediately understood that President Su must have helped him a lot this time.

On the internet...

Sister Wenwen had originally bought herself a spot on the list of trending topics so that she could compare herself to Su Bei.

However, with Su Bei's appearance tonight, such a comparison was meaningless.

In terms of professionalism, Su Bei completely crushed her.

As for guiding the younger generation... Su Bei's partner, Mu Kai, seemed to have completely crushed Jia Chen and Li Xinxin, who were under Sister Wen Wen's care.

Although he only walked for a short while and could not compare to Jia Chen and Li Xinxin's performance time, Mu Kai's performance was much more stable.

Moreover, his excellence had been verified.

He even walked with Su Bei, and this attracted a lot of attention.

On the internet, his reputation far exceeded the other two.

That night, the hot searches were all focused on Su Bei.

Su Bei became the top trending topic.

At this moment, Lu Group's official Weibo account published a post. There were only two photos.

In one of the photos, there was a photo of a pair of swans with their necks forming a love shape.

The second was a pair of an elderly couple.

When a dignified company's official Weibo account posted such content, everyone immediately thought of the reporter's question about Su Bei's marriage today.

Su Bei did not respond directly when she was asked the question.

However, Lu Group's response was timely and serious.

Su Bei's fans immediately reposted it. [What are you thinking about? Can't you see that nothing has happened between the couple?]

[Is there a problem with Su Bei going on stage?]

[The ship will live forever!]

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Jia Chen's face turned green with anger.

The glory that should have belonged to him was all snatched away by Mu Kai and Su Bei.

Li Xinxin did not know what to say. The two of them had spent a lot of effort and obtained top-notch resources, but this was the outcome.

Huang Liming was already showing an impatient attitude toward them. With a few big resources, one should be able to make a name for oneself even if there was not too big of an impact.

However, Jia Chen and Li Xinxin failed completely.

"No, if this continues, we'll be in danger," Jia Chen said. "Since we couldn't do any damage to Mu Kai even after sending people to beat him up last time, let's have the public be the judge of this!"

Li Xinxin said worriedly, "Are you crazy? You're the one behind that incident. If you do this, won't you be exposing yourself?"

"Who can prove that I did it?" Jia Chen asked.

Just as Mu Kai was in the limelight, a piece of news about him getting drunk and hurting a group of people suddenly appeared on the internet.

In the accompanying photos, he was seen punching and kicking fiercely. He knocked a few ordinary people to the ground.

Such news naturally ignited the entertainment world.

[He looks so gentlemanly on the outside, but there's such a violent side to him. It's so scary! I used to be a fan of his!]

[How terrifying! Will such a person engage in domestic violence in the future?]

[So everything was just a persona. His gentlemanly and elite image was fake!]

[Why isn't he in jail?]

These comments were a devastating blow to Mu Kai, who had just stabilized his career.

Senus also called to ask about the situation.

Su Bei handled things with Senus and sent the surveillance footage she had already obtained to him, telling him that the problem would be resolved soon.

Mu Kai sat in Yue Ze's office, feeling hurt.

The matter that he thought had been successfully resolved was now being hyped up like this. The outside world was scolding him, making him feel terrible.

Su Bei walked in and said, "You can't stand it?"

"No, President Su, I..."

"There are still many things that you have to face in this industry. You dared to fight back before, but can't you do it now?" Su Bei said.

Mu Kai's eyes lit up, then they dimmed. "No one has found the mastermind. Will anyone believe what I say?"

"Why won't they?" Su Bei asked.

Chapter 1513: Less Relationships

Su Bei used Su Lu's Weibo account to quickly refute the rumors. [Mu Kai has never caused trouble when drunk, let alone taken the initiative to hurt anyone. That night, someone deliberately provoked him. In order to protect himself and his friends, it was unfortunate he ended up injuring a group of people. If you don't believe me, you can look at the police records and the surveillance footage at that time. In addition, these injured people have also admitted that they were instructed by someone to hurt Mu Kai so that he couldn't go on stage. As for who did it, the police are investigating it now. I believe the law will definitely give everyone justice.]

Yue Ze and Nirvana Entertainment immediately reposted that Weibo post.

Mu Kai used to be an unknown figure in Sheng Tang Entertainment. After such an incident happen, who would listen to him?

Therefore, it was normal for him to be anxious.

Besides, his foundation was unstable now, and his fans were easily swayed. Naturally, he would attract criticism.

However, everything was different now.

Su Bei's statement to refute the rumors was firm and resolute. She quickly gathered Mu Kai's true fans.

Besides, there were also police records and surveillance videos. These were the best evidence. These were things that Jia Chen did not know about at all.

[We support you, Mu Kai! Using your fists against bad people to protect yourself isn't called resorting to violence. It's called self-defense!]

[Yes, my Kai Kai is the best!]

[This boxing technique is really cool. I only knew that Kai Kai had a strong physique, but now I know that he has really good techniques too!]

[He's so handsome that my ovaries are exploding!]

According to the clues posted on Su Bei's Weibo, many fans seemed to understand something. [I guess the person who got those people to provoke must be Mu Kai's competitor! They can't openly go against Mu Kai, so they resorted to such despicable methods. It's really disgusting!]

[I hope the police will arrest this piece of trash as soon as possible!]

[Who could have done such a thing?]

[Could it be Jia Chen? Mu Kai's only competitor is Jia Chen!]

[I thought so!]

It had to be said that the netizens' judgment was very accurate. They immediately determined the correct answer.

However, it was impossible for the police to judge a case like the netizens. There had to be evidence.

At this moment, Jia Chen was already in a constant state of panic.

He never expected that Nirvana Entertainment would have already resolved this matter without him knowing.

Now, the video and the statement given by the police could prove Mu Kai's innocence.

Not only was Mu Kai unaffected, but he also solidified his image. On the contrary, many people began to suspect him.

Huang Liming called him to his office.

"Jia Chen, Sister Wen Wen won't be walking with you on the next fashion show. You'll walk alone."

"Why?" Jia Chen was stunned. Without Sister Wen Wen, the attention on him would definitely be greatly reduced!

Huang Liming held his cigarette and blew out a smoke ring. He said, "Why do you think so? Your reputation hasn't even risen, but you're already embroiled in scandals. Sister Wen Wen doesn't want to have anything to do with you! Reflect on this carefully! When you're qualified, you'll have the chance to work with Sister Wen Wen again!"

Jia Chen walked out dejectedly.

Ever since Yue Ze left, no, ever since the incident with Nirvana Entertainment, his path seemed to have gone downhill.

There was no end to the downhill path.

He recalled that back then, Yue Ze had risked his life to prevent him and Li Xinxin from getting involved in the bad habits of certain managers. He did not allow them to drink with those people. Yue Ze was never once willing to compromise.

When Yue Ze left, Jia Chen patted his chest and promised that he would go with Yue Ze to reassure him.

However, in the blink of an eye, he was convinced by Huang Liming to stay at Sheng Tang for better resources and a brighter future.

But now, everything was gone.

On the other hand, Mu Kai, who was suppressed by him and went unappreciated, got such good opportunities.

Was he really wrong?

Maybe he really was wrong!

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After Mu Kai's image was fixed, his work and resources stabilized.

However, Su Bei still had some unfinished business.

That was Vice President Hu's matter.

The words that Xu Zhiqin told Su Bei the last time were still ringing in her ears.

Su Bei was on guard.

When Su Bei came to work that day, the cleaners were still busy cleaning the place up.

"I'm sorry, Mr. Su. There was a power outage last night and there was ice in the fridge. It'll take some time to clean up the office today," the cleaners apologized.

"Got it." Su Bei sat down and looked out the window with a calm expression.

Gao Ban and Vice President Hu came in early to report on their work.

"President Su, I went to the film academy with the managers yesterday and spotted several good talents. I've noted all their names down. If we nurture them well, they'll definitely rise in the future." Gao Ban handed over the information excitedly.

Vice President Hu was uncharacteristically quiet and looked calm.

Su Bei looked at the information for a while and said, "This is not bad. If you can sign them, do it and nurture them well."

Gao Ban was very convinced by Su Bei now. Seeing that Su Bei had approved his list of talents, he said happily, "Okay, I'll do as you say."

Su Bei was in the midst of giving him instructions when there was a loud knock on the door.

Vice President Hu's expression changed.

He ran to open the door and saw a few police officers standing outside with police dogs.

Gao Ban's expression changed. "Police officers, why are you here?"

"Don't try to pull strings. We received a report that someone here is storing drugs, so we came to search."

The other party said in a very dignified manner.

Gao Ban was so scared that his legs went weak. "W-W-What... Do you have the necessary paperwork ready?"

"Are you questioning our ability?"

Gao Ban was so frightened that he wanted to leave, but he was stopped. "Sit down and stay in your seats. No one is allowed to leave the building."

Gao Ban complained in his heart. Could this be the work of an artiste who was courting death and brought something they shouldn't have brought to the company?

He had already repeatedly ordered that all artistes were not allowed to include in these. They were not allowed to touch or bring any drugs into the company. Otherwise, they would be banned!

Someone was courting death by bringing drugs here!

Gao Ban was so anxious that he scratched his ears and cheeks. He wished he could call all the managers over and deal with all the artistes one by one!

But at this point, there was nothing he could do. The police were standing right in front of him. It was too late to say anything.

Chapter 1514: Discovery!

Moreover, they were conducting such a big search. If they really found something, not to mention the artistes who were hiding drugs but even the entire company would be finished!

Gao Ban quickly looked at Su Bei and saw that the calm-looking young man was sitting calmly in his seat as if he was not worried at all. Gao Ban could not help but feel even angrier!

'President Su, you're too young to know the importance of this matter!'

If they were charged with this crime, they wouldn't be able to escape.

How could he still sit back and do nothing?

What about the employees? What about the company? What about President Su himself?

Su Bei stood up and said with a smile, "Since you're going to investigate, let's do it properly. Such actions are against the law of the country and harm our own interests. Naturally, we have to find the black sheep to give everyone an explanation!"

Vice President Hu hurriedly said, "Yes, yes. President Su is right. We have to investigate! We have to investigate it properly!"

The police started searching with the help of the dogs.

Outside the door, the other staff members were also very worried.

Especially Xu Zhiqin. She had vaguely sensed that Vice President Hu was probably going to deal with President Su, so she specially reminded him.

But President Su didn't seem to care at all.

As a manager, she knew that the people in Nirvana Entertainment were quite obedient. No one would hide drugs.

If the police really found something in the company, it would probably have something to do with Vice President Hu.

However, at this moment, she couldn't enter President Su's office and give him a reminder.

Besides, everyone was asked not to use their phones. She couldn't even send a message to President Su.

"Brother Yue Ze, will President Su be okay?" Xu Zhiqin asked worriedly.

"Nothing will happen. I trust him. He wouldn't have done such a thing."

Seeing that he was calm and not worried at all, Xu Zhiqin said, "He definitely wouldn't have, but it's hard to guarantee that others wouldn't."

"Don't worry, just wait and see," Yue Ze said.

Xu Zhiqin knew that it was useless to worry.

In private, she admired President Su a lot, especially his talent in painting. She liked his work very much and didn't want anything to happen to him.

But this situation was complicated.

Soon, the police gathered. "The entire company has been searched, but we didn't find anything. All the employees have also been arranged to undergo a urine test. We only have to search Su Lu and Hu Bing's offices now."

Vice President Hu still had a calm expression.

Soon, Su Bei's office was searched.

"Nothing here."

When Gao Ban heard this, he heaved a sigh of relief. Since the entire company and President Su's office were fine, there was no problem.

He immediately went to see Vice President Hu.

Vice President Hu looked surprised. It was obvious that he was shocked by something.

"Vice President Hu, what are you thinking about?" Gao Ban asked hurriedly.

"No whispering!" The police pointed at them.

Gao Ban quickly shut up. Vice President Hu's face darkened even more.

Throughout the whole process, Su Bei would occasionally glance at Vice President Hu's expression. Now that she saw his expression, she knew what to do.

She sneered in her heart. Did he really think she was a rookie?

After experiencing so many things, Vice President Hu's tricks were nothing in her eyes.

Soon, the drug dogs entered Vice President Hu's office.

Then, a noisy voice came from the other side. "We found something!"

"We found something!"

Vice President Hu was shocked!

The flesh on his face trembled a few times, and he looked extremely ugly.

Then, the situation developed in a direction that Vice President Hu could not have imagined.

"Hu Bing, you're found to be guilty of drug possession. You have to come with us! Su Lu, as the person in charge of the company, you have to come with us too!"

Vice President Hu was shocked. "I didn't do it. I don't know anything about drug possession!"

"We found the drugs in your office. Are you still denying it?"

"I'm being framed! I'm being framed!" Vice President Hu shouted.

Su Bei stepped forward and talked to the police for a while, asking them not to escalate the matter and let the other unrelated employees return to work for the time being.

The police agreed.

After all, there were also higher-level officers at the station who told the officers to try their best not to affect the company's work.

Vice President Hu was taken away, and Su Bei followed him.

Gao Ban was stunned. He had been so worried about his artistes, but it turned out to be Vice President Hu, whom he never considered to be the culprit at all.

When the group of people walked away, he still could not get back to his senses.

Xu Zhiqin was also stunned. She was worried about President Su being too young and him getting framed by Vice President Hu. Who knew that the person in trouble now was Vice President Hu?

Yue Ze quickly gathered all the employees and held a meeting. "Everyone saw what happened today. It has nothing to do with President Su or anyone else. The drugs were found in Vice President Hu's office. He definitely can't escape responsibility this time."

"What about us?" The artistes and managers were worried.

How could the company remain after such a thing happened?

"You don't have to worry. I knew earlier on that someone had reported Vice President Hu. He's been in possession of drugs for a long time. President Su will definitely give everyone an explanation and settle Vice President Hu's matter," Yue Ze said.

Hearing Yue Ze say that he already knew about this, everyone was finally relieved.

Moreover, things did not seem to be that complicated. If the company was really implicated, it would be impossible for everyone to sit here peacefully.

Yue Ze continued, "President Su has also asked me to speak for everyone. Let me make things clear first. No matter who it is, you can't touch these forbidden items. If you lay a finger on these things, your lives will be ruined! No matter what method you use or what your motive is, you can't have anything to do with drugs! If you're discovered, your contracts will be terminated, you'll be banned, and the police will punish you severely!"

His words were very serious, which showed how determined President Su was.

Everyone hurriedly nodded with lingering fear. No one dared to touch such substances. They all knew that if they touched it, their careers would be ruined!

Gao Ban did not care that Yue Ze had gone past him and was taking on an authoritative role to talk to everyone now. He nodded repeatedly and said, "Brother Yue Ze is right. Whoever gets involved in drugs will be kicked out of the company! Remember this! Don't blame me for being ruthless when the time comes!"

Chapter 1515: Call Her Treacherous?

"By the way, don't spread this news outside. It was done by Hu Bing alone and has nothing to do with any of us. If the rumors spread like wildfire, outsiders will slander all of us as well!" Gao Fan said again.

After hearing these words, everyone knew the company's stance on this. They also knew that this matter would not affect them.

As for spreading the news? Everyone was naturally not that stupid.

After the meeting, Gao Ban leaned over to Yue Ze and said, "Brother Yue Ze, are you sure President Su can handle this?"

To be honest, he was really unsure.

"What hasn't President Su handled before?" Yue Ze asked.

"That's true."

With that, Gao Ban calmed down.

Xu Zhiqin walked over quickly and asked, "Brother Yue Ze, did you really know about it from the beginning?"

"I did hear some rumors. This time, someone reported Vice President Hu, and it was a good opportunity to get rid of a problematic figure in the company. Zhiqin, contact the media. This matter can't be leaked. Although it was Vice President Hu who did it, it won't be good for the company if word gets out."

"Understood." Xu Zhigin immediately nodded and went to contact the media.

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At the police station...

Vice President Hu felt as if he had fallen into the deepest depths of hell.

He never expected such a situation.

He was someone that Mr. Weijian had personally poached to the company. He was experienced and more than qualified to be the vice president of Nirvana Entertainment.

After Su Bei stole the limelight, he schemed to eliminate her.

In terms of work, Su Bei very quickly gained a foothold and carried a strong reputation. He did not know where to start.

That was why he got some drugs from his friends and planted them last night.

In order not to leave any evidence behind, he chose to do it himself.

In order not to be caught by the surveillance cameras, he even turned off the power switch in the company. He sneaked into Su Bei's office in the dark and placed the drugs in a hidden corner.

Then, he anonymously reported Su Bei for hiding drugs in the office.

This morning, he specially went to Su Bei's office to report on his work. When he looked at the spot where he hid the drugs, he saw that there were no signs of the drugs ever being moved.

However, the police dogs did not find anything at all.

Instead, they found the drugs in his office!

The number of drugs was exactly as he had received.

Such an outcome made him wonder if he had entered the wrong office last night!

Now that the evidence was conclusive, he really could not defend himself.

Su Bei had already cooperated with the police and recorded her statement. She also did a urine test and an examination.

Seeing that her attitude was quite good and she spoke gently, coupled with the fact that she had nothing to do with the matter, the police treated her quite well.

Before Su Bei left, she came to see Vice President Hu.

When Vice President Hu saw her come over, he wished he could drag her over and question her.

However, the officers on both sides hurriedly pressed him back!

"Vice President Hu, I really can't believe that you would do such a thing!" Su Bei's face was filled with heartache. "There are rules in the company that needs to be maintained. I've always been worried that some young artistes would go astray and the consequences would be difficult to deal with! But I never expected that the one who made a mistake was not those youngsters but an experienced person like you, Vice President Hu! It really makes me feel regretful and shocked!"

Her words were sincere as if she really felt sorry for him.

The policeman beside her could not help but be influenced by her. He said, "Hu Bing, why aren't you telling the truth?! Look at the people in your company. Even youngsters have such an awareness. What about you? You made a mistake, yet you still want to quibble!"

"I really didn't do it..." Vice President Hu subconsciously opened his mouth, but he immediately choked.

How could he continue to defend himself?

It was impossible for him to say that he bought those drugs to frame Su Bei but his plan ultimately failed.

Just the fact that he bought drugs alone was enough for him to be charged with a heavy crime. Coupled with the fact that he had even tried to frame someone, the consequences he had to face would only grow more severe.

Besides, he didn't even have evidence.

Su Bei sighed and said, "Vice President Hu, you'd better be honest. I can't protect you from such a matter. Don't blame the company for not giving you a chance. You've violated the law of the country, so you can only be handed over to the country to deal with. I can only remove your position in the company according to the rules. I'm really sorry. I hope you'll take care of yourself, Vice President Hu!"

"Su Lu, how dare you fire me?!" Vice President Hu shouted angrily.

"I have no choice, Vice President Hu. Don't you see that I'm being put in a tough spot?" Su Bei said. "Cooperate with the investigation. If you can prove your innocence, the company will take back the decision. Otherwise..."

Vice President Hu was instantly discouraged. He was the one who bought those drugs. Now that the drugs were found in his office, how was he going to prove his innocence?

But how did all of this develop into this?

"Su Lu! You're too sinister!" Vice President Hu's facial features were distorted as he shouted at her.

Su Bei couldn't be bothered to listen to him. She got up and walked out.

He was calling her sinister? She had only chosen to protect herself!

She and Vice President Hu did not get along, and Vice President Hu was not convinced by her ability. She originally thought that he would resign and leave after a while. If he caused trouble, she would use it as a reason to dismiss him.

It would've been best if they could part on good terms. A person like Vice President Hu had all the right qualifications and experience. He'd be able to find a good job in any company.

Unexpectedly, he was too sinister. During this period of time, he had been obediently waiting for an opportunity to destroy Su Bei and completely eliminate his competitor.

As for Su Bei, she had just given him a taste of his own medicine.

At this moment, Lu Heting was also paying attention to this matter in his office.

Usually, he did not interfere in the small matters in Su Bei's work. He just let her be.

However, Hu Bing's actions were too serious this time. From the moment he found out, he had not kept his mind off the matter.

Especially today when Su Bei went to the police station. He immediately got up and went to the police station as soon as he found out.

"Mr. Lu, where are you going?" Lu Hang followed behind him and asked.

Lu Heting didn't say anything. He pursed his thin lips and pressed the elevator button. He had already told the other party that they couldn't bring Su Bei to the police station. Now that he knew that she had gone over herself, his aura was cold and oppressive.

Lu Hang hurriedly followed and rushed into the elevator. He said, "Mr. Lu, if you go over with such fanfare, won't others know that President Su Lu and Young Madam Su Bei are the same person?"

Chapter 1516: I Have No Reason Not To See Him

Lu Heting was unmoved. Lu Hang continued to persuade him, "When the time comes, Old Master and Old Madam will know that Young Madam is helping Mr. Weijian manage the company. At that time, Mr. Weijian's legs will be broken."

"So be it. Can't you accept it?" Lu Heting's face darkened.

"But you have to think about Young Madam. She has enough scandals. If she gets into another one now, what will the outside world think of her? Besides, aren't things good with her disguising as Su Lu now? An ordinary guy won't be criticized and he can do what he likes in peace. As Su Lu, Young Madam could even hold an art exhibition. How good is that? It's rare for her to live so freely. Also, I've already arranged for someone to go to the police station. No one will touch a single strand of Young Madam's hair!" Lu Hang promised as he spoke.

When the elevator reached the first floor, Lu Heting paused before pressing the button for the top floor again.

"Mr. Lu, are you not going anymore?" Lu Hang quickly asked.

"Isn't there a document that I have to sign?"

Lu Hang heaved a sigh of relief. He knew that bringing up the possibility of Lu Weijian's legs being broken wouldn't be convincing enough.

He still had to bring up Young Madam's name to ensure that Mr. Lu kept his reason.

"Okay, Mr. Lu. I'll prepare the documents immediately!"

"Lu Hang, be sure to update me about Su Bei's situation!"

Lu Hang quickly walked out and took a call. Then, he smiled and said, "Mr. Lu, Young Madam has already returned to the company. Other than Hu Bing, no one else in the company is affected."

Lu Heting pursed his thin lips tightly before letting the matter go and saying, "Give me the documents."

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When Su Bei walked out of the police station, Yue Ze came to pick her up.

Yue Ze knew her true identity, so he was not too worried that the company would be affected. He was just afraid that it would be difficult for her to deal with things if she came to such a place.

"Are you okay, Su Bei?" Yue Ze opened the car door for her and asked her to get in.

"It's fine now. Let's go give everyone an explanation," Su Bei said. "Since Hu Bing refuses to turn back, this outcome is what he deserves."

Yue Ze said, "I really didn't expect him to use such methods to compete in the workplace. You did the right thing. Otherwise, I wonder what he'll do in the future."

"How's everyone doing in the company?"

"I've comforted them and warned them," Yue Ze said.

A few days later, the results of the urine test that all the employees took were out. Everyone's results were normal. It could be concluded that no one else in the entire company was involved in this matter.

Seeing this result, Su Bei was completely relieved. She had been worried that Vice President Hu would drag others down with him.

Now, it seemed that he was not that crazy.

"Brother Yue Ze, pay more attention to this matter in the company in the future. No one must be ruined by such a thing."

Yue Ze agreed. "I'll definitely pay more attention to it. By the way, Su Bei, Director He wants to see you. Do you want to see him?"

"He wants to see me?" Su Bei found it strange. If he wanted to see her, he didn't need to make a trip to the company personally.

On second thought, He Xuyan did not know her identity now. She asked, "What did Director He say?"

"He said he wants to ask for a painting of yours. I thought that it would be good if we could build a good relationship with a big director like him, so I agreed for the time being. If you don't want to see him, I can see him on your behalf."

Su Bei recalled that Yue Ze still did not know that He Xuyan was her brother. He Xuyan did not know that Su Lu was her, so there were many blind spots in this situation.

She smiled. "Let's meet him. Even if Director He isn't a big director, he's a good person. I have no reason not to meet him."

"Okay, I'll make the arrangements."

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He Xuyan actually did not want to see Su Lu.

However, since his mother had spoken, his father would go against him if he did not fulfill his mother's request. He was placed in a very tough spot.

Lin Xiruo liked Su Lu very much and planned to buy a painting of his to collect. However, Qian Gouhua refused to sell a single piece. Lin Xiruo had no choice but to have He Xuyan step in.

Of course, she could handle this situation herself. However, as a big shot in the painting world, her influence was very great. Moreover, it would not be appropriate for her to request a young painter for one of his paintings. He Jiang also refused to let his wife experience these types of grievances.

The heavy responsibility naturally fell on He Xuyan.

He Xuyan was really troubled.

When he arrived at Su Lu's office, the ordinary-looking young man opposite him gave him a familiar feeling. He had a good impression of this young man.

"President Su, I took the liberty to come here today to ask you for a painting."

"You can contact my agent, Qian Gouhua, if you wish to ask for a painting. He's in charge of my work." Su Bei couldn't help but be surprised. Did her brother like her painting too?

Was it because her artistic standards were passable, or was it because they were related by blood, which was why he saw everything related to her through rose-tinted lenses?

He Xuyan smiled and said, "To be honest, I've already contacted Mr. Qian, but Mr. Qian said that your paintings are not for sale for the time being."

Su Bei smiled. Qian Gouhua knew that rare goods could be bought. Ever since the last art exhibition, there had been many people who wanted to buy her paintings, but he did not sell any of them.

He even said that they would be more valuable when she became more popular, so there was no hurry.

Su Bei asked, "Do you like my paintings?"

"Ahem." He Xuyan coughed. "Yes."

As he was not good at lying, He Xuyan stuttered when he responded.

He couldn't say that Lin Xiruo was the one who wanted her painting, right?

Su Bei could tell that it was her mother who wanted her painting. She just took a long detour and got things done this way.

However, her brother truly had no rights or status at home. He clearly didn't like her paintings, but he still came here and pretended.

"Then I'll prepare whatever you like." Su Bei smiled at him.

"Anything is fine," He Xuyan replied immediately. President Su was quite straightforward. He was in a good mood.

"Then do you plan to keep it or hang it at home? Or do you have any style you like?" Su Bei asked again.

He Xuyan coughed lightly. "Anything is fine. As long as it's your masterpiece, anything is fine."

Su Bei frowned and said, "That won't do. Your conditions are too vague. I won't be able to choose a suitable one for you."

"It's okay. I don't mind."

After teasing her brother enough, Su Bei reluctantly said, "Alright, I'll choose two paintings for you in a few days. You can come and get them then."

"What about the price?" He Xuyan naturally wouldn't take them for free. As long as it was reasonable, it was fine.

Su Bei seemed to be in a dilemma. "Actually, I don't know how to name the price."

Chapter 1517: Come To See Me

Su Bei didn't need to name a price as the paintings were to be given to her mother. She was just teasing He Xuyan.

"How about this? Why don't I give you the market price?" He Xuyan took the initiative to negotiate.

"Then you might as well give me some resources." Su Bei continued to tease him.

He Xuyan's face darkened. As a director, he had always been very demanding and was famous for being harsh. He cherished his reputation very much. Of course, he was unwilling to give up resources for paintings.

However, if he could not get the paintings, he would not be able to explain it to his parents when he returned. That would also be a headache.

He Xuyan's face darkened. "Can't you just name a price? I don't want to involve anything else. President Su, the price is negotiable."

Su Bei smiled and said, "Sure, but my manager won't agree. After all, everyone else will want to buy my paintings if they heard that I've sold some to you. What should we do when all the paintings in my art exhibition are sold? But if you offer up resources in exchange for them, others won't make requests when they can't afford the price. Director He, don't you think so?"

Although these words made sense, they were too shameless.

He Xuyan had thought that she was easy to talk to just now, but now he felt that she was too unscrupulous.

He Xuyan stood up and said, "In that case, forget it."

"Then I'm really sorry," Su Bei said.

He Xuyan turned around and left.

Su Bei touched her forehead. Her brother could usually negotiate things calmly, but when it came to his movies, he wouldn't have any hesitation.

Seeing that He Xuyan had really left, Su Bei quickly took out a painting from the drawer and followed him.

He Xuyan was walking out when he received a call from his mother. "How did it go? Was Su Lu willing to see you? Did you manage to get a painting?"

"Mom. I-"

"Were you put in a difficult position? That young man is talented, so it's inevitable for him to be a little arrogant. If he puts you in a tough spot, just say more nice things." Lin Xiruo's gentle voice interrupted him.

"It's not something that can be resolved with kind words." He Xuyan frowned.

Lin Xiruo's phone was snatched away by He Jiang. He said to him, "Can't you handle such a small matter that your mother instructed you to do? Why don't you just come back and inherit the family business, then?! You're just a director now. What's the big deal about being a director?!"

He Xuyan was most afraid of going back to inherit the family business. When he heard this, he was about to explode. "Su Lu promised me that he'd consider it. I'll bring a painting back to Mom soon!"

"That's more like it!" He Jiang said with satisfaction. "Remember, your mother prefers landscape paintings. She wants landscape paintings, not character paintings."

He Xuyan: "..."

He hung up the phone and leaned against his car door. His expression showed that he was troubled, and his dark eyes were filled with coldness.

A person like Su Lu was probably not interested in money. The only resource Su Lu wanted was not something he wanted to give...

As he was thinking, He Xuyan saw the calm-looking young man running out of the elevator. He rushed over and said, "Forget it, forget it. I'll give you this painting. I don't want the resources anymore. I was just teasing you."

Who knew that her brother would run away so quickly?

Her mother was the one who wanted her painting. Would she be so stingy that she would refuse to give it to her?

He Xuyan was stunned. Su Bei was about to tell him her true identity when Xu Zhiqin got out of the car. When she saw them, she greeted, "President Su, Director He."

"Thank you." In an instant, He Xuyan had already taken the painting. He got into the car and drove away.

Su Bei was not in a hurry. Anyway, there were still many opportunities. She could just tell him next time.

Xu Zhigin was a little embarrassed. She felt that she had disturbed Su Bei.

Su Bei smiled and said, "It's nothing. Let's go upstairs together. I haven't thanked you for your reminder last time."

"I didn't expect the incident with Vice President Hu to be so big. Fortunately, you and the company were fine in the end," Xu Zhiqin said with lingering fear.

"It's okay. Everyone will just have to pay more attention in the future," Su Bei said.

Xu Zhiqin followed behind her and admired Su Bei from the bottom of her heart. She did not know how Su Bei resolved Vice President Hu's matter, but it was resolved very quickly and neatly.

Xu Zhiqin was even a little envious of her.

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After finishing her work at the company, Su Bei had some free time.

She made an appointment with Lu Heting to go to the Huo family to see how Lu Weijian was doing.

The two of them did not want to cause a big fanfare, so they arrived at Huo Corporation in disguises.

When they arrived downstairs, the receptionist stopped them.

"May I ask who you're looking for? Do you have an appointment?"

Lu Heting came to see Lu Weijian on a whim, so he didn't make an appointment.

Seeing that he didn't answer, the receptionist immediately said, "I'm sorry. You can't go in without an appointment."

Lu Heting took off his mask, and Su Bei winked at her.

When the receptionist saw Lu Heting and Su Bei, she was dumbfounded.

"Y-You guys..."

Lu Heting said calmly, "I want to go to Lu Weijian's office to take a look. Don't let him know."

"Oh, okay, okay." No matter how inexperienced the receptionist was, she knew the relationship between Lu Heting and Lu Weijian. She also knew where Lu Heting wanted to go. She had no right to stop him.

Lu Heting held Su Bei's hand and walked forward. Seeing that the receptionist was still looking at them blankly, Su Bei smiled at her.

The woman's face instantly turned red.

After Su Bei left, the receptionist patted her head in frustration and said, "Ahhhh, I forgot to ask Su Bei for her autograph! Boo-hoo!"

Without alerting anyone, the two of them went straight to Lu Weijian's office.

At the door of the office, Lu Weijian's assistant, Hong Jie, had just come out with a large pile of documents. When he saw Lu Heting and Su Bei, he said in surprise, "Mr. Lu, Young Madam! I'll inform Mr. Weijian about your arrival now!"

"No need." Lu Heting stopped him. "How's Weijian?"

"Everything is going well with Mr. Weijian's work," Hong Jie quickly said.

"Then go ahead with your work. Su Bei and I will go see him ourselves."

Hong Jie quickly opened the door for them before turning to leave.

In the bright office, Lu Weijian was lying on his desk, reading some documents. At times, he would frown. At other times, he would fall into deep thought.

Lu Heting knocked on the door.

Lu Weijian looked up and saw Lu Heting and Su Bei. His eyes lit up. He threw away the documents and ran over.

"Brother, Sister Bei Bei, you're here!" Lu Weijian's eyes lit up. "Why are you two so free to come and see me? Come in, come in! I'll get someone to bring you drinks! Hong Jie, make two cups of my best tea!"

Su Bei glanced at his office. It was imposing and bright. It looked good.

Chapter 1518: Can You Control These Two?

While Su Bei was looking at his office, Lu Weijian began to complain to Lu Heting, "Brother, you don't know this, but I have a lot of things to do every day. Those foxes in the Huo family are all difficult to deal with. Oh my, what sin did I commit that it made agree to stay? My surname is Lu, not Huo. Brother, do you think it's too late for me to quit now?"

Before Lu Heting could answer him, Huo Zhong, who had heard the news from the office next door, ran over. "Quit, my *ss. You promised me back then, but you want to quit now? That won't do! I haven't even left, yet you're thinking of leaving? No way!"

"Well, it's your fault for having the surname Huo!" Lu Weijian was unconvinced. "And did I say I was leaving? I was the one who dealt with all those people in the Huo family recently."

Huo Zhong clicked his tongue. "Without my help and support, would you have been able to handle it? Let's just talk about Second Brother Huo. He's extremely cunning and won't be swayed by force or persuasion. If I hadn't cooperated with you, would he have been willing to hand over his assets?"

Lu Weijian added, "Isn't it because I thought of a way and got you to cooperate that he was dealt with?"

"But in the end, I was the one who helped you get rid of him. When you were cowering, I was the one who led the way!" Huo Zhong said.

Lu Heting couldn't help but laugh. Were the two of them dealing with company matters or playing games?

Su Bei ran to his side and pulled his sleeve to get him to come to the side. "I didn't expect them to be in such high spirits. It seems that dealing with the Huo family's matters isn't as difficult as they previously thought."

"Two heads are better than one. These two people together are quite smart. Together, they're as smart as Einstein." Lu Heting glanced at them.

Seeing that his brother and Su Bei had already walked in another direction, Lu Weijian couldn't be bothered to argue with Huo Zhong anymore. He followed them and said, "Brother, Sister Bei Bei, you don't know how difficult it is to deal with the people here. They're really going to squeeze me dry!"

Huo Zhong also complained, "Su Bei, in order to deal with these people and things, I haven't played games for a whole week! A whole week!"

"You actually played games last week? Huo Zhong! You told me that you haven't played games for a month! I haven't played games for three weeks, but you played last week?" Lu Weijian jumped up.

Seeing that the two of them were about to argue again, Su Bei held Lu Heting's arm and said, "Hubby, the Huo family is in a state of disunity, and there's endless internal strife. What kind of person can solve these things and bring the company on the right track?"

Lu Heting understood what Su Bei meant. He pondered for a moment and said, "Generally speaking, only people with a strong sense of responsibility, outstanding ability, stable temperament, and agile minds can take on such a big responsibility."

Lu Weijian and Huo Zhong immediately stopped arguing and stared at the two of them.

"I think so too. What you said makes sense. Before Grandpa Huo passed away, he wasn't in good health, and there was no one in the family qualified to take over. Everyone in the Huo family wants a share of the pie, and no one is willing to look at the big picture. All of them have their own selfish desires. It's really not easy for people without great ability to handle such a situation." Su Bei agreed with Lu Heting.

Lu Heting nodded. "There aren't many such talents, but they're not exactly rare..."

Lu Weijian said, "Brother, Sister Bei Bei, I've already dealt with a lot of things in the Huo family. I've also reviewed some documents. Please check them! Although the Huo family's matters are very tricky, they're not very difficult to deal with!"

Huo Zhong said, "Yes, yes. Please take a seat. I'll bring my documents over for you to check. Actually, it's not that difficult to spend less time playing games. I can relax my eyes and won't stay up late so much. I'll also protect my cervical spine!"

The two of them went to collect their documents.

Su Bei couldn't help but purse her lips and smile. Lu Heting smiled and tapped the tip of her nose. "Only you can control these two people."

"They're capable to begin with. It's a waste not to show them the right path." Su Bei smiled brightly.

These two people were both duplicitous. Naturally, someone had to teach them a lesson to better display their talents.

However, Lu Heting wanted to check the results of their work.

He flipped through the documents that the two of them had brought over.

He looked up, and the two of them stared at him with expectant and wide eyes, looking like they were asking for praise.

"Not bad," Lu Heting said.

However, they both knew that his evaluation was very valuable, so even just these two words were enough to make the two of them happy for a long time.

Lu Weijian immediately stood at attention. "Thank you, Brother."

Huo Zhong also bowed. "Thank you, Mr. Lu."

"Of course, my brother is praising me. What does it have to do with you?"

"Mr. Lu has always been clear about private matters. How could he only be praising you? He must be praising me!"

"My brother came to see me to check my work. Of course, he's praising me!" Lu Weijian said firmly.

Huo Zhong said, "Su Bei is very concerned about my situation. She must be here to see how the Huo family is doing. What does it have to do with you?"

Su Bei stood aside and fell into deep thought. How did these two manage to convince the employees in the company?

Could it be that they also argued like this in front of the foxes of the Huo family?

Lu Heting couldn't stand the noise and stopped drinking his tea. He said, "I still have something to do. I'll leave first."

"Brother, are you leaving just like that? I told the canteen to prepare first-class food for you guys!" Lu Weijian was disappointed.

"Mr. Lu, it's rare for you to come. Why don't you stay a little longer?" Huo Zhong invited.

Su Bei hurriedly said, "We'll come again next time."

"Then it's settled, Sister Bei Bei." Lu Weijian stared at the two of them eagerly.

Huo Zhong followed suit and sent the two of them into the elevator. "Su Bei, tell me when you're coming next time. I'll be waiting."

As soon as the elevator door closed, Lu Weijian pushed him away. "That's my brother and Sister Bei Bei!"

"Hey, who cares about your brother and Sister Bei Bei? They're the parents of my god!"

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Nirvana Entertainment.

At noon, Su Bei went to the canteen to get lunch.

On the big screen in the canteen, a popular drama was being played. Many people were eating while watching the drama.

Su Bei looked around and saw Xu Zhiqin sitting at the side. She happened to have work matters to talk to Xu Zhiqin about, so she went to her seat and asked, "Zhiqin, is anyone sitting here?"

Xu Zhiqin was in a daze. She was staring at the male lead on the big screen with deep resentment on her face.

Chapter 1519: Termination

"Zhiqin?" Su Bei called out again.

Xu Zhiqin came back to her senses and smiled blankly. "President Su."

"If no one is sitting here, I'll take the seat," Su Bei said.

"Yes, there's no one here. Please take a seat." Xu Zhiqin forced a smile.

Su Bei sat down. "Brother Yue Ze has something going on these few days, but Mu Kai is going to shoot an advertisement. He needs you to accompany him."

"Okay, I'll take care of it," Xu Zhiqin said.

After eating lunch in silence, Su Bei returned to the office and suddenly remembered that in the popular drama that was playing earlier, Pan Hongsen played the male lead. He previously had a scandal with Xu Zhiqin.

Strictly speaking, it was not a scandal. It was Pan Hongsen's girlfriend who publicly accused Xu Zhiqin of trying to seduce Pan Hongsen. At that time, this matter was a hot topic and Xu Zhiqin was also scolded badly.

No wonder she looked bitter when she watched the popular drama just now. Su Bei regretted her rudeness just now.

When she was there earlier, she completely forgot about that incident.

She calmed down and dealt with her work. Yue Ze handed some contracts to Su Bei.

At the moment, Mu Kai had received a lot of invitations, but some of them were competitions, while others had scheduling conflicts.

Su Bei said, "We can only bear the pain and refuse these opportunities. We can't accept everything."

"That's what I think too. Some of them have been passed to other artistes in the company, but some can only be rejected completely." Yue Ze adjusted his glasses.

Su Bei handed the documents back to him.

Yue Ze said, "I'm currently inspecting new artistes. Let Zhiqin accompany Mu Kai for this commercial shoot."

"Yes, I've already told Zhiqin."

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In the following days, Su Bei held a few more art exhibitions.

It had to be said that Qian Gouhua was indeed very capable.

He didn't do much publicity work using Su Bei's name, nor did he use many methods to hype her up. Even so, Su Bei's reputation as a painter was already soaring.

In a short period of time, she was hailed by the media as a promising young artist.

However, in Qian Gouhua's opinion, all of this was because of Su Bei's painting skills. It was precisely because of her own ability that she could go so far.

Her aura, which had never been contaminated by the cruel world of business, forged the foundation for her to become a top master in the future.

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Xu Zhiqin accompanied Mu Kai for the commercial shoot.

This commercial was for a watch brand in the country. They had taken a fancy to Mu Kai's elite style and planned to expand into a more mature market. They invited him to shoot a commercial and endorse their brand.

Mu Kai was already familiar with the process of shooting commercials. He went with Xu Zhiqin and waited for the shoot to begin.

However, Xu Zhiqin and Mu Kai had already been waiting for an hour.

Xu Zhiqin was a little anxious. Mu Kai still had other work to do. If things were delayed here, it would definitely affect things on the other side.

Hence, she went forward several times to urge the person in charge of the shoot to hurry up and start filming.

The other party replied, "There's nothing I can do. You'll have to wait a little longer. Brother Hongsen is still filming."

Pan Hongsen was the former spokesperson for this brand. This time, the brand was focusing on two markets. Pan Hongsen was hired to be the spokesperson to represent the brand's youthful image.

Mu Kai was the spokesperson for the brand's other market that targeted mature elites.

Pan Hongsen had been filming until now, which ended up making them go behind schedule.

Hearing his name, Xu Zhiqin's face turned abnormally red.

The hidden pain in her heart quickly rose again.

"Then how long do we have to wait? Can we finish filming before two in the afternoon? Mu Kai still has an event to attend. If we delay too much, we can't afford to wait here." Xu Zhiqin's tone could not help but become a little stiff.

The other party also had some objections. "This isn't something I can make a decision on. Since you're anxious, you can choose not to film it."

Artistes and managers had always been the ones to beg the brands. All of them were humble and would flatter the sponsors.

Xu Zhiqin also realized that her tone was a little cold. Before she could explain, the other party had already entered the filming studio.

Inside, Pan Hongsen was filming. He was currently a popular young actor, his drama was currently on air. Naturally, he was a little arrogant.

Apart from his manager, his girlfriend, Yali, was also with him today.

Although the person in charge of the filming crew was dissatisfied with Xu Zhiqin's attitude, he still rushed Pan Hongsen dutifully. "Hongsen, Mu Kai is still waiting to shoot outside. His manager said that he's busy in the afternoon and asked us to hurry up."

"Which manager dares to rush you?" Pan Hongsen asked casually.

"Xu Zhiqin," the person in charge said.

Pan Hongsen's assistant immediately mocked, "Mu Kai's manager was originally Yue Ze. This time, Xu Zhiqin suddenly came with him. I'm afraid she found out that Brother Hongsen was filming here, which is why she came. Is this woman here to seduce Brother Hongsen again?"

Hearing Xu Zhiqin's name, Pan Hongsen was indeed a little unhappy.

Yali also frowned and thought to herself, 'Xu Zhiqin is really shameless. She followed us here again.'

She said casually, "Maybe she didn't know we were here. Don't talk about it casually."

Everyone around nodded.

However, Yali was the one who publicly accused Xu Zhiqin of seducing Pan Hongsen back then.

"Hongsen, take the photos first. I'm going out for a drink. I'll also make a call," Yali said.

She walked out and called her and Pan Hongsen's manager. "Xu Zhiqin brought one of her artistes to shoot another part of this commercial. I don't think this is good for Hongsen's image. Everyone knows that Mu Kai is an elite. Does this decision mean that Hongsen isn't elite enough? If Mu Kai can shoot it, why can't Hongsen shoot it?"

"I'll talk to the brand and see if we can fight for a better chance." The manager felt that Yali's words made sense. In fact, the brand had suggested that Pan Hongsen shoot both parts, but the company felt that the price was not appropriate, so they rejected the offer.

"Then I'll wait to hear from you," Yali said.

The corners of her lips curled up. This time, she was not targeting Mu Kai but Xu Zhiqin.

If things went her way, Xu Zhiqin would've lost an opportunity for Mu Kai. Would Nirvana Entertainment let her have it easy?

Xu Zhiqin was already anxious from waiting outside. It was almost noon, and no one had come to film the commercial that was supposed to be filmed at nine o'clock.

"Mu Kai, wait a moment. I'll ask again." Xu Zhiqin rushed over.

She walked around and finally found Manager Liu of Tianya Watch.

Manager Liu walked out with a regretful expression and said, "Miss Xu, I'm sorry. Tianya plans to terminate our contract with Mu Kai this time. Please leave. We'll send the termination letter to your company when the time comes."

Xu Zhiqin's mind went blank!

Terminate the contract?

"Why?" she asked in surprise. "Did we do something wrong?"

Chapter 1520: Go For Wool And Come Home Shorn

"I'm sorry, this was a decision made by the company." Manager Liu did not give a detailed reply.

However, he knew that it was because Pan Hongsen's manager had called to reopen the discussion. He even gave their brand a good rating.

In addition, Pan Hongsen had a popular drama that was currently being broadcasted. With his popularity rising and a discount on the rate, it was naturally a better choice for the brand to hire him alone rather than have him be joined by Mu Kai.

Moreover, this time, Pan Hongsen had also decided to stick a faux beard on and cooperate with the shoot in order to present an elite image better.

However, he could not tell Xu Zhiqin this.

Xu Zhiqin was stunned.

Su Bei first received an apology call from Tianya Watch. The other party said a series of things about the company's decision after extensive research and told her that the contract with Mu Kai would be canceled.

Of course, there were also some hints that said, "Miss Xu Zhiqin also embarrassed herself in front of the studio."

Then, Su Bei received a call from Xu Zhiqin.

"Come back first," Su Bei said.

Xu Zhiqin felt very guilty when she brought Mu Kai back.

The people in the company had also heard the news and looked at her differently.

Nirvana Entertainment had already promoted and announced Mu Kai's participation in Tianya Watch's commercial today. Now that Tianya Watch had suddenly terminated their contract with Mu Kai and decided to go with Pan Hongsen alone, it naturally caused a heated discussion.

Some insiders had already started to expose the news. [There were supposed to be two brand ambassadors for Tianya Watch? One was Pan Hongsen, and the other was Mu Kai. In the end, Xu Zhiqin took the initiative to take Mu Kai to the shoot using her identity as a manager. What was her motive? It must be for Pan Hongsen! Of course, he was unwilling. Even Tianya Watch felt that the scandal back then was demeaning. In order not to affect their work, they replaced Mu Kai! Xu Zhiqin went for wool but came home shorn!]

[Xu Zhiqin is getting more and more shameless. In the past, she secretly seduced Pan Hongsen. Now, she's using her work to do the same thing. Who can stand this?]

The comments also criticized Xu Zhiqin. [Where does this put Yali?]

[That's right. My heart aches for Yali!]

[I also feel sorry for Pan Hongsen. Is harassing a man not called harassment?]

[How can that b*tch still be active in the entertainment industry? No wonder this industry is getting more and more chaotic!]

[I heard that she's currently in Nirvana Entertainment and hasn't achieved any results. The moment she appeared, she ruined Mu Kai's work opportunity.]

[Who did Mu Kai offend? He's being wronged!]

[My heart aches for Mu Kai! Please don't let such a manager take care of Mu Kai anymore! Where did Yue Ze go?]

[Please come back, Yue Ze!]

Xu Zhiqin was in low spirits when she arrived at Su Bei's office.

Su Bei had already asked others to comfort Mu Kai. He was not in a good mood after losing his opportunity for no reason.

"Zhiqin, what happened this time?" Su Bei asked with a frown. She had seen many rumors on the internet but only wanted to hear it from Xu Zhiqin's own mouth.

"I'm sorry, President Su. I messed up. The person in charge of today's shoot kept delaying our shoot, and my tone got a little bad..."

Su Bei nodded. "You're usually not a bad-tempered person. Why were you like that today? Did something affect you?"

"I..." Xu Zhiqin hesitated.

"Just tell me. If I don't know what problem you're facing, how can I help you solve it?"

Looking into Su Bei's honest eyes, Xu Zhiqin could not bring herself to talk about her private matters.

"Zhiqin, Tianya Watch hinted to me today that Mu Kai was replaced because of you and Pan Hongsen. If you don't tell me the truth, I really won't know how to help you," Su Bei said as she stared into her eyes.

Xu Zhiqin lowered her head and finally looked up. "Okay, I'll tell you. Mr. Su, this was what happened..."

Five years ago, Xu Zhiqin and Pan Hongsen were a couple when they were students at an art school.

They met and fell in love.

The two of them then entered the entertainment industry together and signed a contract with the same management company.

Xu Zhiqin acted in a movie and was nominated for the Best Female Lead Award back then. She was quite famous and quickly made a name for herself. Pan Hongsen also began to appear in front of TV screens.

However, it was not easy to become famous in the entertainment industry. Even if one had some achievements, it might not be easy to get more opportunities.

Their popularity fluctuated a bit. Xu Zhiqin relied on her first movie and kept receiving invitations to work on new productions. However, Pan Hongsen's luck was a little bad and he did not receive any good opportunities.

Although Xu Zhiqin also tried her best to help Pan Hongsen, as a fledgling young artiste, she could not help much.

Pan Hongsen was in dire straits. Because he did not have any work, he drank wine every day to drown his sorrows.

Xu Zhiqin saw it and was anxious.

In the end, Xu Zhiqin saw the potential of being a manager. For Pan Hongsen's sake, she gritted her teeth and gave up her smooth-sailing career. She changed careers without hesitation and started to look for opportunities for Pan Hongsen.

After that, Pan Hongsen became famous, and she became the woman behind him.

Initially, she thought that this was the turning point in their fates.

However, there was a scandal between Pan Hongsen and Yali. Xu Zhiqin told him that it was inevitable for such news to spread in this industry.

But later on, things got more and more out of control...

Pan Hongsen left with Yali's manager. The two celebrities worked together and announced their relationship, winning many blessings.

As for her, the manager who had single-handedly made Pan Hongsen famous, she became the 'woman who would do anything to harass Pan Hongsen' that Yali mentioned.

Yali even said in public, "Actually, Hongsen has always been very hardworking, but in the workplace, it's inevitable for him to encounter some forms of harassment, especially from the people closest to him who arrange jobs for him. It's caused him a lot of trouble. Later, he had no choice but to jump ship. This way, he won't hurt the other party's face and feelings, but he'll also be protecting himself to the greatest extent."

The person Yali was referring to was Xu Zhiqin.

Just like that, Pan Hongsen attributed the termination of his contract to Xu Zhiqin. He also dealt with the claims saying he was ungrateful to his former company by blaming everything on Xu Zhiqin's sexual harassment!

Not long after Xu Zhiqin became an actress, she became a manager. Naturally, she did not have many fans, and not many people spoke up for her.

At that time, Xu Zhiqin finally realized things. All these years, as the person closest to him, she had been busy getting resources for him. She had endured countless grievances and hardships. In the end, she was not even left with a single photo of the two of them together.

As for the photos from long ago, they had all been deleted and were difficult to find.

It was only then that she remembered that he had always refused to take a photo with her or go out on a date with her. In fact, he had already laid the foundation for his betrayal.

They were clearly once lovers, but he had made her out to be an annoying pest.

From then on, Pan Hongsen and Yali received a lot of sympathy. Their fans sent abuse hurling her way while the couple shared a sweet relationship. From then on, the couple gained a lot of fans.