

## Lady gu 341

### Chapter 341: Song Shijing Is Here

“Investiture Of The Gods? How much did Qiao Rou spend to buy this book? She’s really rich!”

“That’s not a matter of money. She did it for the sake of the country and Li City University, so there’s a reason why the Qiao family and Gu Moling like Qiao Rou more. Qiao Rou is indeed more likable than Qiao Xi.”

After the leaders of Li City University expressed their gratitude to Qiao Rou, they handed her a gold-plated trophy.

“Miss Qiao Rou, thank you very much for your donation. Li City University is proud of you! The Rou Ling Building donated by Miss Qiao and Mr. Gu is currently under construction. After that, the facilities and equipment in the building will be available for the students’ use.”

There was thunderous applause.

Hearing everyone’s praise, Qiao Rou smiled.

Yes, she was a mistress, but so what? Was it wrong for Brother Moling to like an outstanding woman?

Now, the Qiao family’s public relations team had already made it seem that Qiao Xi was too useless, so Gu Moling hated her. Qiao Rou was too outstanding, which was why everything happened the way it did.

It was wrong for Qiao Rou to be a mistress, but she had donated 40 million yuan, after all. There was nothing to criticize anymore.

When the donation ceremony was about to end, Qiao Rou picked up the microphone and smiled.

“As a student of Li City University, I’m very proud. Although I’m in the entertainment industry, I still hope to do my best to contribute to my alma mater. I’ve indeed done something wrong. I’m very sorry, but I’m even more sorry for my sister. I hope you can forgive me.”

Her burning gaze landed on Qiao Xi as she waited for her response.

Now that the entire Li City University was backing Qiao Rou, could Qiao Xi still continue to create trouble?

Qiao Xi was silent for a short while, and her expression was indifferent. “Sister, I forgive you.

“Dad is right. I’m not outstanding enough, so the entire family, including my fiancée, likes you more. In the end, it’s because I’m too poor and can’t compare to you.”

Qiao Rou’s eyes were filled with delight.

Qiao Xi finally lowered her head. She finally knew that she could not compare to her!

This woman should have realized this a long time ago. She was just utterly lousy. Apart from her identity as the first wife’s daughter, she had nothing else. She should have been abandoned. She deserved it!

Qiao Rou smiled proudly. "Sister, I never thought that you were bad, but everyone likes outstanding people. I donated a building this time—"

"Miss Qiao." At this moment, a serious voice interrupted Qiao Rou.

Song Shijing walked in slowly with documents in his hand.

He ignored everyone's gazes. "I'm sorry, everyone. I didn't expect the ceremony to be nearly over. I'm late."

As Gu Zheng's special assistant, Song Shijing represented Gu Zheng. Everyone became nervous. Gu Moling stepped forward and said respectfully, "Assistant Song, you're here."

Song Shijing glanced at Gu Moling coldly and sneered. "I have something to ask Miss Qiao Rou in person."

Everyone was confused. Why was Song Shijing looking for Qiao Rou?

Could it be that Qiao Rou and Gu Zheng were related?

Qiao Rou was stunned for a moment and smiled happily.

Did President Gu send his special assistant here to praise her for her generosity? Would he look up to her or even like her?

She had donated such a large sum of money to Li City University. It was not strange for President Gu to personally thank her.

Qiao Rou glanced proudly at Qiao Xi. From today onward, she would be ranked in high society. She could completely trample on Qiao Xi then.

Gu Moling's lips curled into a smile. It had been the right choice to choose Rou Rou.

It was an unprecedented honor for Rou Rou to be looked up to by the president. Assistant Song was even here to thank her.

However, Song Shijing's next words left everyone dumbfounded.

"This matter is too serious, so our president came personally."

President Gu was here?

Everyone gasped.

Old Madam Qiao also stood up excitedly. "Rou Rou is simply our family's lucky star! She actually obtained the favor of Young Master Gu Zheng. Qiao Xi will never be able to compare to her!"

Qiao Rou smiled shyly. "Assistant Song, thank you for your appreciation. Can I invite my sister to the stage at this time?"

Song Shijing sneered in his heart. This b\*tch was really bullying Young Madam all the time..

Chapter 342: Can't Bring Trouble To My Family

Qiao Rou bit her lip. "Sister, I've let you down... I hope to make it up to you. All the women in Li City want to be favored by President Gu. Come on stage. Maybe President Gu likes simple women like you. Come on up, okay?"

Qiao Xi was angered to the point of laughing.

She was simple?

Qiao Rou was just trying to show off her success and trample on her. Her intentions were too obvious.

She wanted to tell everyone that although they were sisters, there was a world of difference between them. One was noble and outstanding, while the other was lowly.

Before Qiao Xi could answer, Song Shijing said, "Miss Qiao Rou, it's alright."

Qiao Rou smiled disdainfully. It seemed that Song Shijing looked down on Qiao Xi too.

She smiled smugly in her heart, but she looked troubled. "Assistant Song, don't misunderstand my sister. She's very good to me, but unfortunately—"

"I didn't misunderstand." Song Shijing frowned and sneered. "Miss Qiao Rou, why do you insist on letting Miss Qiao Xi go on stage?"

Qiao Rou was stunned. "This..."

"You want her to show her face in front of President Gu while he praises you?" Song Shijing asked.

Then, he curled his lips in disdain.

"But I never said that the president is here to praise you."

"Miss Qiao Rou, it's enough for you to be embarrassed alone. Why must you drag Miss Qiao Xi along? Do you want to drag Miss Qiao Xi along to take the blame for you?"

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The venue was silent for a few seconds. Everyone moved away from Qiao Rou in panic.

What?

Song Shijing said that Qiao Rou had offended President Gu?

Qiao Rou's heart skipped a beat, and her pale lips trembled slightly. "Assistant Song, did I hear wrongly? How did I offend President Gu?"

Her eyes widened abruptly. "Did my sister say something bad about me? There was indeed a misunderstanding between us, but President Gu and I—"

Song Shijing interrupted her coldly, "Do you need others to tell you what you've done?"

Everyone was really puzzled. Could it be that President Gu was also interfering in someone else's family matters? Even if Qiao Rou was a mistress, this did not seem to have anything to do with President Gu!

No matter what, today was Qiao Rou's donation ceremony. Why did President Gu have to embarrass Qiao Rou in public? Was it too much?

Old Madam Qiao and Qiao Zhenguo were trembling with fear. They hurriedly stepped forward and bowed. "Assistant Song, it must be a misunderstanding. Our Rou Rou has always been sensible. How could she have... offended President Gu?"

Song Shijing sneered. "You're Qiao Rou's father and grandmother? It seems that you're both involved in this too?"

Everyone was dumbfounded. What was going on?

Qiao Zhenguo asked in fear, "May I know what Rou Rou has done? Please tell me."

Song Shijing was silent for a while, then he sneered. "If the two of you don't know about this, then it must be Miss Qiao's own plan? Don't worry, family members shouldn't be blamed. Our president has always been fair. Whoever makes a mistake will be held responsible. You won't be implicated in this matter."

As soon as he finished speaking, Song Shijing clapped his hands and the police rushed in.

Everyone gasped. What exactly happened? President Gu even got the law-enforcement officers over?

Qiao Rou's face was pale. She took a few steps back in fear and hid behind Gu Moling. "Brother Moling, I didn't offend President Gu. Believe me..."

Gu Moling's face darkened. He did not believe that such a gentle person like Rou Rou would offend a big shot like President Gu. There must be a misunderstanding.

Gu Moling took a deep breath and stood up. "Assistant Song, I'm Gu Moling from the Gu family. Qiao Rou is my fiancée. There must be a misunderstanding in this matter. Please tell us what happened, Assistant Song."

No one could turn on their cameras wherever Gu Zheng went, but the reporters had forgotten to turn off the live-stream broadcasts. Even so, no one stopped them.

Since President Gu did not stop them, it meant that they were allowed to broadcast the scene. The reporters heaved a sigh of relief.

At this moment, a law-enforcement officer walked forward with a serious expression. "Miss Qiao Rou, you're suspected of embezzling a large sum of money. The evidence is conclusive. Please cooperate with us for an investigation."

The entire venue was silent for a few seconds. Everyone was dumbfounded.

What? Qiao Rou embezzled a large sum of money? It caused President Gu to personally come and question her?

### **Chapter 343: Qiao Rou Was Captured**

Gu Moling was also shocked. “Did Assistant Song make a mistake? Rou Rou is the daughter of the Qiao family. Why would she embezzle such a large sum of money? There’s no need for that!”

“Young Master Gu is being kept in the dark about it!”

Song Shijing said, “Sorry to trouble you, Officer Li.”

Officer Li walked in front of everyone and said seriously,

“Miss Qiao Rou...”

“Stop talking!” Qiao Rou shouted. An unprecedented fear overwhelmed her heart. She no longer cared about her image and rushed over. “I didn’t do it! I didn’t do it!”

Qiao Rou’s eyes were red, and her voice was hoarse. “Assistant Song, you’ve misunderstood. I...”

“Misunderstood? If it’s a misunderstanding, why are you so nervous, Miss Qiao?” Song Shijing gestured to Officer Li. Then, he looked at Qiao Xi, who was not far away, and then back at Qiao Rou.

“Miss Qiao, are you saying that I’ve misunderstood? If I didn’t have evidence, I wouldn’t have come here so rashly. You embezzled 40 million from my second young master’s account without his permission. Do you think we wouldn’t find out about this?”

“Our second young master doesn’t lack 40 million yuan, so he won’t even realize that he’s missing this amount of money from his account. But our president won’t allow anyone to bully his younger brother and snatch away his assets.”

Song Shijing’s words were like a thunderclap in everyone’s hearts.

Qiao Rou’s face was as pale as paper, and her eyes were filled with horror.

Everyone asked in disbelief, "Assistant Song said that Qiao Rou embezzled Second Young Master Gu's money?"

"Gu Yao is indeed not lacking in money. The Gu family dotes on him, and Gu Zheng also dotes on his younger brother. Let's not talk about 40 million, even 400 million is nothing to him. Losing a sum of money like that is nothing to him."

"But how did Qiao Rou steal the money?"

At this moment, someone reminded them, "Think about it carefully. Isn't the figure 40 million familiar?"

"Didn't Qiao Rou donate 40 million yuan to the university? She and Young Master Gu donated 80 million yuan in total. Now, President Gu is saying that Qiao Rou stole 40 million yuan from Young Master Gu Yao's account."

"It seems that Gu Moling's money came from an unknown source as well! What an adulterous pair!"

Everyone's cold gazes landed on Qiao Rou.

Qiao Rou held her breath, her mind in a mess.

When had Gu Moling ever suffered such humiliation? He looked at Qiao Rou fiercely.

"Rou Rou, where did you get your money from?"

"I don't know... I don't know!" Qiao Rou's eyes were empty as she repeated, "That's my own money. My manager can testify for me. She said that the money is mine. I didn't know that the money belonged to Young Master Gu. I didn't know."

Gu Moling took a few steps back, feeling that the woman in front of him was very unfamiliar.

Song Shijing smirked. "Officer Li, let's arrest her."

Officer Li went forward and handcuffed Qiao Rou.

Qiao Rou wanted to resist, but her body was so stiff that she could not move. She could only cry silently. She was so weak that it seemed like a gust of wind could blow her over.

"I really didn't know! Don't... Don't arrest me! I'm innocent!"

Qiao Zhenguo wanted to save her, but because it was a live broadcast, he did not dare to disobey the police.

After Qiao Rou was captured, the atmosphere became awkward.

"Qiao Rou stole Gu Yao's money and donated it to the university to clear her name. Now that the truth is out, shouldn't she return the money to Young Master Gu Yao?"

"It's fine that the Qiao family indulged their illegitimate daughter and even let her be a mistress, but now, they actually did something illegal. Is the Qiao family blind? They treat a scourge's illegitimate daughter as treasure!"

"This illegitimate daughter is really shameless! First, she accused Eldest Miss Qiao of being a mistress. When she was slapped in the face by others, it turned out that she was the mistress. Then, she stole someone else's money and donated it to suppress Eldest Miss Qiao. She said that Eldest Miss Qiao isn't worthy of Gu Moling, so he chose her instead."

"I'm dying of laughter. In the eyes of the Qiao family, Eldest Miss Qiao is useless for not fighting back. Meanwhile, a scheming b\*tch like Qiao Rou is the apple of their eye!"

"Eldest Miss Qiao is so pitiful! Just now, she said that it's because she's not outstanding enough that her dad and grandma like her younger sister more. My heart aches for her."

“There’s one thing Eldest Miss Qiao is indeed inferior to Qiao Rou—shamelessness.”

### **Chapter 344: I’ve Given Up Hope On The Qiao Family**

Before Qiao Rou got into the car, her ears were filled with insults. She was so angry that she almost fainted.

B\*tch! I won’t let you off!

On the other side of the stage, the chancellor looked embarrassed.

He really did not expect that the money Qiao Rou donated was obtained illegally. If that was the case, this money could not be used anymore. However, the university had already accepted the money and the teaching building had already begun construction.

The chancellor said awkwardly, “Moling, I’ll refund half of this money to you. Qiao Rou’s name...”

Needless to say, everyone understood what he meant. How could a thief’s name be jotted down on Li City University’s records?

Gu Moling’s face was gloomy. He could feel that everyone’s eyes were filled with mockery. They were all mocking him for abandoning the daughter of a rich family and choosing a scheming illegitimate daughter.

At this moment, his mind was in a mess, and he stared coldly at Qiao Xi.

“Xi Xi.”

Qiao Xi raised her eyes. “Young Master Gu, you should be thinking about how to save your fiancée. Why are you looking for me?”

Gu Moling knew that today’s incident had caused him and the company a lot of negative effects. The losses would be even more immeasurable.

He frowned and forcefully suppressed his anger. “Xi Xi, you knew about this since a long time ago?”

Qiao Xi sneered and nodded.

Gu Moling’s heart ached. He questioned, “Then why didn’t you tell me? If I had known that Rou Rou’s money was stolen, I...”

Old Madam Qiao and Qiao Zhenguo looked fiercely at Qiao Xi.

“Yes, you knew about it so why didn’t you say anything? Did you deliberately want to watch our Qiao family make a fool of ourselves?”

Old Madam Qiao slammed the table with vicious eyes. “Bastard! If you had told us, the Qiao family wouldn’t have made a fool of ourselves in public?!”

Qiao Xi was not annoyed and smiled meaningfully. “Old Madam Qiao, I remember bringing it up.”

Old Madam Qiao’s expression darkened.



Qiao Xi's words were sonorous. "I reminded you not to talk about this sum of money. Gu Moling transferred 40 million from the company, but you don't know where Qiao Rou's 40 million came from at all."

Gu Moling instantly felt dizzy.

Yes, Qiao Xi had indeed said that.

Qiao Xi sneered. "You're blaming me for not telling you? Have you ever given me a chance? I reminded you that one time, yet you said that I was jealous of Qiao Rou and was spouting nonsense to slander her. Since you thought that I had wrongly accused Qiao Rou, then I had nothing else to say. Now, you're blaming me. Isn't this a little unreasonable?"

"Old Madam Qiao, I've already given up hope on the Qiao family."

Old Madam Qiao's body trembled as she collapsed onto the chair weakly.

Gu Moling stood on the spot in a daze as if he had been struck by lightning.

Qiao Xi had told them before, but they didn't believe her.

"Moling, this building..." the chancellor said awkwardly.

At this moment, Gu Yao said loudly, "Wait, let me say something!"

The chancellor's heart jumped. Qiao Rou stole Gu Yao's money and donated it to the university. The university had already accepted it. Would this man take his anger out on Li City University?

At the thought of this, the chancellor hurriedly said respectfully, "Young Master Gu..."

Gu Yao hurriedly ran up and glanced at Gu Moling coldly. "It's just a building. Qiao Rou donated my money, so it's considered my donation. You don't have to return the money."

When the chancellor heard this, he was instantly extremely excited. "Young Master Gu, the teachers and students of Li City University will forever thank you. If you don't mind, can I take a photo of you and put it on the university's website?"

"Of course, but I have another question."

Gu Yao turned around and looked at Gu Moling in disdain. "If I donate to the university, will my name be next to this bastard's name?"

The chancellor choked.

Actually... that was the case.

Thinking about it, Gu Yao and Gu Moling had donated the same amount of money to build the teaching building. Of course, their names would be next to each other.

He could not use the name Rou Ling Building anymore. He had to change the word 'Rou' to 'Yao', which would become 'Yao Ling Building'.

Gu Yao felt disgusted at the thought of him and Gu Moling's names together.. "I don't want to be associated with this man!"

### **Chapter 345: The Romantic Yao Xi Building**

Gu Moling's face darkened. Gu Yao was humiliating him! He was the president of Xi Ling Corporation, after all, while Gu Yao was just a rich second-generation heir. What right did he have to look down on him?!

"After transferring 40 million yuan of the company's liquid assets, will the senior figures in the company let him off? He even cheated with his sister-in-law. How shameless! Is someone like him worthy of the surname Gu? It's embarrassing to have my name next to his!"

"Er..." The chancellor asked helplessly, "Young Master Gu, what do you think we should do?"

After all, Gu Moling had donated 40 million yuan to the university. He could not just ignore him.

Gu Yao thought for a few seconds. After all, the Gu family had too much money to spend. If he did not spend it, the money would all end up in Lu Yan's pocket, so spending money was a good thing.

"Gu Moling's 40-million donation will be canceled! The scumbag and b\*tch were supposed to make the donation. Now that Qiao Rou isn't donating anymore, why should he donate? I'll fork out 80 million yuan myself!"

Gu Moling's face darkened. "Gu..."

However, before he could speak, the chancellor rushed over warmly. "Young Master Gu, thank you so much! On behalf of the entire university, I thank you for your selfless contribution!"

Gu Moling immediately swallowed his words.

They were going too far!

Gu Yao smiled proudly and looked at Gu Moling in disdain. "You'd better quickly close the gap of 40 million in the company. That company was founded by Qiao Xi. You're squandering the company's funds like this. Are you even a man?"

"Hurry up and change the name of your company, Xi Ling Corporation. It sounds so uncomfortable. Why don't you call it a sl\*t corporation?"

Being humiliated by Gu Yao in public, Gu Moling's face alternated between red and white.

The chancellor asked, "Young Master Gu Yao, will the teaching building be named after you?"

Gu Yao thought about it. "Gu Yao Building sounds a little strange."

The chancellor said, "Then we'll call it..."

“Why don’t we add another person’s name?” Gu Yao smiled slyly. “Just add Qiao Xi’s name to it. It’ll be called Yao Xi Building.”

The chancellor nodded. “Sounds good! It’ll be called Yao Xi Building! Qiao Xi, come over quickly!”

Qiao Xi who was sitting at the side: “???”

Yao Xi Building?

She looked at Gu Zheng, who was beside her. Gu Yao might get beaten up after this.

However, the silly Gu Yao did not feel that something was wrong at all. He only thought that Qiao Xi had been bullied by Qiao Rou and wanted to stand up for her.

Didn’t Qiao Rou brag that she had donated a building? Then, he would use Qiao Xi’s name. If Qiao Rou knew about this, she would definitely vomit blood from anger!

Second Young Master Gu chuckled. “Qiao Xi, come quickly!”

Qiao Xi: “...”

At this moment, Gu Zheng chuckled. “Gu Yao has good intentions. Go ahead.”

That made sense. Why would Gu Zheng be jealous of his younger brother? Moreover, Gu Yao was good to her because of Gu Zheng, so Qiao Xi stood up and went on stage.

The chancellor was extremely excited. “Teacher Xi Xi, thank you very much. Unfortunately, Qiao Rou’s name is on the appreciation trophy. I can’t give you the trophy now, but we’ve already customized a new trophy. It’ll be sent to your office soon.”

Qiao Xi nodded.

Gu Moling trembled.

A mocking laugh sounded from the crowd. “Is Gu Moling regretting it so much now? When he was with Qiao Xi, his career was thriving and his family was harmonious, but he insisted on choosing an illegitimate daughter. Now, his reputation and company have been affected. He’s utterly embarrassed, right?”

Gu Moling gritted his teeth and glared fiercely at Qiao Zhenguo and Old Madam Qiao before leaving.

“Moling...” Qiao Zhenguo wanted to ask him to stay, but before he could finish, Gu Moling had already walked far away.

Qiao Xi could not help but smile when she heard the curses of the crowd. She was happy just because Gu Moling and Qiao Rou were embarrassed.

However, the words that followed changed. “But I think even if Gu Moling didn’t abandon Qiao Xi, it’s impossible for him to befriend Second Young Master Gu.”

Someone was puzzled. “What do you mean?”

“Don’t you understand? Second Young Master Gu is taking such good care of Qiao Xi. It’s obvious that he likes Qiao Xi! If he’s just an ordinary friend, how could he donate so much money for her?! Moreover, he even named the teaching building ‘Yao Xi’.. It’s really too romantic.”

### **Chapter 346: Second Young Master Gu Likes Qiao Xi?**

Everyone sighed. So that was how it was!

“Yeah! Second Young Master Gu definitely likes Qiao Xi!”

“Second Young Master Gu is a year older than Qiao Xi. The two of them are about the same age. Qiao Xi is good-looking and talented. Although Second Young Master is a little mischievous, he’s rich and handsome. Moreover, I’ve never heard of any rumors about him. I heard that he has never had a girlfriend. The two of them are compatible together!”

“Gu Moling was blind to abandon Qiao Xi. Who knew that Second Young Master Gu would take a liking to her? Second Young Master Gu has been single for many years and has been chaste for the sake of waiting for Qiao Xi to appear!”

Gu Yao: “?”

Damn! Was there a mistake?!

Qiao Xi and him?

Gu Yao was stunned, then his eyes were filled with horror.

‘Stop talking nonsense. Are you trying to kill me?!’

After the donation ceremony ended, Qiao Xi returned to Gu Zheng’s side. His thin lips parted slightly. “Are you happy?”

She was holding a gold-plated trophy in her hand. “Of course, I’m happy to have dealt with that adulterous pair!”

Gu Zheng chuckled. “Let’s go.”

After the two of them got into the car, Qiao Xi turned on her computer and logged into Black Tide’s account.

Gu Zheng looked up. “What are you doing?”

“Of course, we can’t let them off so easily.”

Qiao Xi’s fingers quickly tapped on the keyboard as the corners of her mouth curled into a smile. Then, she closed the laptop and leaned back in the seat to rest.

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At the Gu family’s old residence.

Gu Yao counted the money he had spent in the past few days with his fingers. After thinking about it, he had only spent 90 million yuan in the past few days. 80 million of it was donated to the university.

Gu Zheng had so many assets that he could not spend them all even if he worked himself to death!

Second Young Master Gu frowned and suddenly thought of something. How did that b\*tch Qiao Rou steal his money?

Although he did not manage his account, he had hired a professional team to help manage it. How could no one notice that he had lost 40 million yuan for no reason?

Gu Yao remained calm.

At this moment, Madam Gu, Huang Lilan, and Lu Yan walked in. Gu Yao pressed the remote control and pretended to be watching TV.

Lu Yan was gentle. "Ah Yao."

Gu Yao looked up and smiled innocently. "Mom, Brother Lu Yan."

The sharp-eyed Gu Yao immediately saw the luggage behind Lu Yan, so he asked in confusion, "Brother Lu Yan, are you moving here?"

Huang Lilan said with a smile, "Ah Yao, no matter what, Brother Lu Yan is Sister Qingyun's child. He's the legitimate young master of the Gu family. Letting him stay outside won't give others a good impression of the Gu family, so after your father discussed it with the Lu family, he decided to let Lu Yan move back to the Gu family. When the old master's birthday comes, he'll announce his identity in public."

Gu Yao's heart jumped, but he still looked calm. "Oh."

He suddenly stood up and asked in surprise, "Brother Lu, your watch looks a little familiar. I think Qiao Rou bought one before?"

Lu Yan remained calm. "This watch was casually bought. Who's Qiao Rou?"

Gu Yao narrowed his eyes. That day, he did see Qiao Rou buy a man's watch. At that time, he thought that it was for Gu Moling, but he did not see Gu Moling wearing it. Instead, it was Lu Yan who was wearing the same watch.

Could it be that Qiao Rou's money...

Gu Yao smiled foolishly. "She's a bad woman! Brother Lu Yan, don't keep in contact with her!"

Lu Yan nodded slowly.

Qiao Rou was indeed a bad woman, but she was still useful.

With Qiao Rou's help, he would obtain Qiao Xi sooner or later.

At the police station.

Qiao Rou was extremely nervous and sobbed weakly. "Dad, Grandma, please save me! I didn't know that the money was Gu Yao's... I never cared about the money. It was my manager who told me that the money was my salary, so I wanted to donate it. Why would I steal someone else's money?"

Xu Mei shed tears of heartache. "Rou Rou has been obedient and sensible since she was young. You must believe her! How could she have done such a stupid thing? Her manager must have deliberately harmed her. Rou Rou must have been deceived by someone!"

"We've already repaid the 40 million yuan. Rou Rou has also paid the price. Are they still going to send Rou Rou to jail?"

Old Madam Qiao sighed. "Moling isn't answering his phone.. He must hate Rou Rou and the Qiao family now. Even if we say that it's the manager's fault, no one will believe us!"

### **Chapter 347: Two Million? Who Are You Looking Down On?!**

At this moment, Qiao Zhenguo's face darkened. "I think there's someone who can help us."

Qiao Rou's eyes lit up with anticipation.

Qiao Zhenguo said helplessly, "Black Tide... She's a top hacker in the country. If she's willing to help us, this matter will be resolved."

Xu Mei gritted her teeth.

Black Tide?

That b\*tch took advantage of the situation last time and asked for the Qiao family's shares. She did not know how much it would cost to ask Black Tide for help this time.

The money all belonged to Rou Rou. How could they give it to an outsider?

Even if they looked for Black Tide, they could only give her two million at most. Anyway, how could Black Tide not consider the Qiao family's status?

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Qiao Rou was sitting in the living room eating fruits when a message suddenly popped up on her computer. It instantly entered the hacker network. Someone had sent a private message to Black Tide's account.

Gu Zheng smiled. "Business is good."

"It's all to earn money! How else can I support you?!"

She then clicked on Xu Mei's order.

[Customer Requirement: Help Qiao Rou clear her name.

[Cost: 2 million.

[Note: Help my daughter clear her name as soon as possible. If you don't succeed in two days, don't even think about getting this two million yuan!]

Gu Zheng sneered. Madam Qiao was really funny!

Two million was nothing to Qiao Xi. There were many people who wanted to do big business with her, but she did not even have the time to accept their orders.

Qiao Xi swallowed the apple in her mouth. "Two million? She's looking down on me! Previously when she asked me to help, Qiao Zhenguang directly gave me the shares. This time, Xu Mei is only offering me two million!"

She paused for a moment, then smiled. "Actually, there's nothing good about shares. After all, the Qiao family has been ruined by Qiao Rou. It's uncertain if they can continue operating. As expected of the Qiao family's beloved daughter!"

Qiao Xi smiled craftily as she suddenly had a good idea.

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Xu Mei knew that no one would believe that this was all done by Qiao Rou's manager. How could Qiao Rou not have participated in it at all? Hence, she had to find a top hacker and provide some strong evidence.

She had to prove that Qiao Rou did not have the money. Her manager had to do something to help Qiao Rou recover.

The only person who could do this was Black Tide, so Xu Mei could only ask for help.

Moreover, Black Tide was someone who cared about money. Once she saw that the reward was two million, she would definitely accept the order. Hence, Xu Mei was not anxious.

At this moment, Xu Mei's phone rang. She quickly picked it up and heard a cold female voice. "Is this Madam Xu Mei?"

"Yes, are you Black Tide's assistant? Why didn't Black Tide call me directly?"

"Miss Black Tide asked me to convey her message." The female voice smiled meaningfully.

"Miss Black Tide said that you're looking down on her by offering her two million yuan. She's a top hacker in the country. Could it be that you think she's only worth two million yuan? Miss Black Tide can easily get an order of five million yuan. She won't lower herself to do such low-paying jobs."

The call was immediately hung up after that.

Xu Mei's expression darkened.

After being humiliated, she was so angry that she lost her mind. She had never been wronged like this before. She clicked on Black Tide's chat window and cursed.

“So what if it’s only two million? Do you think you’re so rich?! You’re just a stupid geek who plays on the computer! How much more do you want? Rou Rou is already so pitiful. Can you bear not to help her? You’re a b\*tch! You want the money? Go die!”

Qiao Xi clicked on the voice message and heard Xu Mei’s roar. She was not angry in the slightest and only smiled coldly.

Gu Zheng frowned. “Are we just letting it go?”

“How is that possible?” Qiao Xi raised her eyes to look at Gu Zheng, then begged gently, “Senior, can you help me?”

The corners of Gu Zheng’s mouth twitched. This girl was definitely up to no good.

An hour later, all the members of the hacker network received Mo Yuan’s order—

[No one can take on the Qiao family’s job.]

Mo Yuan’s order instantly spread throughout the entire hacker network. All the members received this news.

The hacker organization had two major parties. One was Dark Net Organization, while the other was Star, which Qiao Xi was in. The two parties were black and white, and they were like fire and water.

Once this news spread, the people from Dark Net were puzzled.

“What’s Mo Yuan doing? He’s not letting anyone take on the Qiao family’s job? Although Mo Yuan is an international top hacker, we’re members of Dark Net. Why should we listen to him?”

### **Chapter 348: Boycott The Qiao Family Online**

The leader of the Dark Net asked in confusion, “Did Mo Yuan say why?”

“I heard that the Qiao family offended Black Tide.”

The leader frowned deeply. “Pass down my orders. Whoever dares to take on the Qiao family’s order is going against me. They actually dare to offend Black Tide! They have to pay the price!”

Everyone knew that Black Tide was the treasure of all the big shots in the hacker network.

Hence, the leaders of the two major parties released the news at the same time. No one was allowed to take on the Qiao family’s order. Everyone knew that Black Tide was the favorite of the hacker big shots. They would not offend the big shots in the industry just to take on a job.

Xu Mei found some famous hackers in the industry through her connections, but what made her angry was that when these people heard that they were going to be helping Qiao Rou clear her name, they all refused. Xu Mei sat on a chair in the police station and was so angry that her face looked ferocious.



At this moment, Qiao Zhengguo walked over and sighed. "Rou Rou... won't be able to come out for a while."

"My Rou Rou! Is there any way?"

Qiao Zhengguo looked troubled. "We can only look for Black Tide. We'll get the manager to take the blame for Rou Rou. Since the money has been returned, we don't have to go to jail. At most, our reputation will be affected. It doesn't matter if a manager's reputation is good or not. Our Rou Rou's reputation can't be affected at all.

"We have to find Black Tide to help us alter the evidence as soon as possible.

Qiao Zhengguo took a deep breath. "We have to prove that Rou Rou didn't steal this money. Otherwise...

"Fortunately, I saved Black Tide's contact number. I'll call her immediately."

Xu Mei's face turned pale.

Black Tide had humiliated her so much, but in the end, she still needed that b\*tch's help?

Before Xu Mei could refuse, the call was connected.

Qiao Xi leaned against the sofa and unhurriedly turned on the voice changer. Her voice was cold as she said, "Mr. Qiao, what's the matter?"

"Miss Black Tide, do you still remember who I am..." Qiao Zhengguo was very respectful.

"Then I'll be straightforward. My daughter was framed, so we want to ask you—"

"Mr. Qiao, take a guess at why I remember you." Qiao Xi did not listen to him and interrupted him impatiently.

Qiao Zhengguo did not understand. Although he was annoyed, he still had to show some respect to Black Tide. After all, whether he could save Rou Rou depended on Black Tide.

He suppressed his voice. "Miss Black Tide, please enlighten me."

"Why don't you..." Qiao Xi smiled meaningfully. "...ask Madam Qiao, Xu Mei?"

Suddenly, she seemed to have thought of something. "I'm sorry, I was wrong. Madam Xu Mei isn't Madam Qiao. After all, both of you aren't married yet."

Qiao Zhengguo abruptly turned around and looked fiercely at Xu Mei.

Xu Mei panicked and lowered her head guiltily.

Qiao Zhengguo pretended to be calm. "Miss Black Tide, you... What do you mean? Rou Rou..."

"So what if it's only two million? Do you think you're so rich?! You're just a stupid geek who plays on the computer! How much more do you want? Rou Rou is already so pitiful. Can you bear not to help her? You're a b\*tch! You want the money? Go die!"

A sharp female voice came from the phone, scaring Qiao Zhengguo.

Qiao Xi said slowly, "Mr. Qiao, does it sound familiar?"

Qiao Zhenguo was stunned for a moment, his mind in a mess.

"I really pity you, President Qiao. You're under so much pressure but you married a shrew."

Qiao Xi changed the topic. "Maybe you like women like her. This is your family matter. I can't interfere, but..."

Qiao Zhenguo's heart trembled.

Black Tide's voice was extremely cold. "But I can't take this lying down! Mr. Qiao, is Xu Mei looking down on me by offering two million yuan? Does your Qiao family think that two million yuan is enough to bribe me? Or do you think Black Tide is worth this price? I don't lack this money. Moreover, since Madam Xu Mei scolded me so severely, I have no reason to help you."

Qiao Zhenguo's hand that was holding the phone trembled slightly. "Miss Black Tide, you've misunderstood. This..."

Before he could finish, Qiao Xi hung up.

Qiao Zhenguo held his phone and was stunned for a moment. He looked at Xu Mei fiercely and roared, "You stupid woman! Do you still want to save Rou Rou? You offered Black Tide two million to help us? How dare you?!"

### **Chapter 349: I Want Shares**

Xu Mei explained in a panic, "Zhenguo, I wanted to save some money. I didn't know the market price and thought that two million was enough. I didn't expect hiring a hacker to cost so much money. I... I did it all for you!

"Actually, it's okay. Even if we can't get Black Tide, we can get someone else. Didn't Moling leave us a few hackers' contact details? I don't believe that only Black Tide can help us!"

Qiao Zhenguo calmed down. When he thought about how Black Tide was not showing him any respect, he was also angry. Since that was the case, he would not look for Black Tide again to avoid being humiliated by her.

The two of them picked up their phones and made a few calls. However, whenever the other parties heard that they were Li City's Qiao family, they all hung up rudely.

When they contacted the last person, Qiao Zhenguo could not help but say, "The offer price for this order is already very high. Why aren't you accepting it?"

The other party snorted in disdain. "Mr. Qiao, you offended Black Tide and the entire hacker network. Do you think anyone will accept your order?"

"Instead of wasting time on us, why don't you quickly apologize to Black Tide?!"

Qiao Zhenguo's face was pale. Xu Mei asked anxiously, "Zhenguo, what's going on? They..."

Smack!

Qiao Zhenguo raised his hand and slapped Xu Mei hard.

“You jinx! Of all the people you could offend, you just had to offend Black Tide! Listen to what you’re saying. You’re just a shrew in the market! How did I marry a woman like you?! If Yunqiu were still around, she would definitely be able to handle all this trouble!

“Previously, it was Yunqiu who helped me manage the company, discuss business, meet clients, and do public relations. I didn’t have to worry about anything. What do you know? You only know how to spend money to create trouble for me! This time, you’ve offended Black Tide. You might offend someone else next time. Do you want to kill your daughter?”

Xu Mei widened her eyes in disbelief. They were filled with sorrow and anger.

Yunqiu? It had been so many years, yet Qiao Zhenguo still remembered that b\*tch. He even compared her to that b\*tch.

Before Xu Mei could retort, Qiao Zhenguo waved his hand in disgust. “Get lost! I don’t want to see you!”

Qiao Zhenguo suppressed his anger and calmed down before calling Black Tide again.

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Qiao Xi looked at the caller ID and waited for a while before answering the call unhurriedly.

“Miss Black Tide, I apologize on behalf of Xu Mei. I’ve already reprimanded her. She’s a shrew. I hope you won’t stoop to her level. Rou Rou needs your help. As long as you agree, the price can be negotiated.”

Qiao Zhenguo said obsequiously, but there was silence on the other end.

He waited anxiously. After a long time, he heard a cold laugh.

Qiao Zhenguo was on edge. He was so nervous that his palms were sweating.

Black Tide said slowly, “Mr. Qiao, do you think I lack money?”

Qiao Zhenguo’s heart skipped a beat as he explained in horror, “Miss Black Tide, that’s not what I meant. As long as you can help Rou Rou, our Qiao family will definitely repay you in our next life!”

“Next life? Mr. Qiao, are you joking with me?”

Qiao Xi mocked. “What’s the point of talking about your next life if you owe someone a favor in this lifetime? Not to mention, a wicked family like yours might not have a next life.”

The atmosphere became awkward.

Qiao Zhenguo gritted his teeth. He heard Black Tide’s mockery but did not dare to retort.

Qiao Xi lay on the sofa and turned on the loudspeaker. “President Qiao, I’m a practical person. I don’t like empty talk. Do as you deem fit.”

Qiao Zhenguo gritted his teeth. “Miss Black Tide, you want...”

“The shares.” Qiao Xi went straight to the point. “Since Xu Mei offended me, I want all the shares in her hands.”

“Why would Xu Mei have...”

“You don’t want to give them to me?” Qiao Xi’s voice suddenly became icy-cold as she spoke firmly.

“After your first wife died, all the liquid assets fell into Xu Mei’s hands. Xu Mei bought 6% of Qiao Corporation’s shares with this money. Are you trying to deceive me?”

Qiao Zhenguo widened his eyes in disbelief.

Impossible! How did Black Tide know about this? Old Madam Qiao and Moling did not know this secret, so how did Black Tide know?

### **Chapter 350: Let Her Be The Scapegoat**

“President Qiao, I only have one request. I want Xu Mei’s shares! If you don’t agree, I won’t care about Qiao Rou’s matter and you can forget about finding someone else to take on the job.”

Qiao Zhenguo was just about to open his mouth to refuse, but when he heard Qiao Xi mention Qiao Rou, his mind instantly buzzed.

Miss Black Tide just wanted shares, so he agreed!

As long as he could save Rou Rou, everything would be fine.

Although 6% of the shares was a lot, it was nothing compared to the wealth Qiao Rou had. Moreover, they still had a lot of Yunqiu’s assets so this wouldn’t affect them.

“President Qiao, I want Xu Mei’s shares. Is that clear?”

Qiao Zhenguo looked up at Xu Mei.

Xu Mei shuddered. She had only heard a few words, but she knew they were talking about the shares.

No, what right did Black Tide have to get her shares?!

Black Tide, this b\*tch! How dare she?!

“Zhenguo, I don’t agree. No...”

Qiao Xi laughed with ridicule. “Alright, then save Qiao Rou yourselves...”

“You have to!” Qiao Zhenguo roared angrily. He gritted his teeth and shouted, “Stupid woman, it’s all because you offended Black Tide that you caused the entire hacker community to not dare to accept our Qiao family’s order. If we can’t clear Rou Rou’s name, the Qiao family will be finished!”

Xu Mei’s face was deathly pale. Her nails dug into her palms, causing her to tremble in pain. She had never felt such despair and anger before because she had always stood on the victor’s side. Back then,

she forced Yunqiu to hand over her shares and give up her position as Madam Qiao. She had never thought that one day, she would be despised by others.

“Black Tide! You b\*tch! You want to kill me! You...”

“You still dare to scold her? You shrew!” Qiao Zhenguo raised his hand and gave Xu Mei a slap.

Then, he said respectfully into the phone, “Miss Black Tide, don’t worry. I’ll definitely hand over the shares I promised you. As for Rou Rou...”

“Of course, I can save Qiao Rou, but the matter has blown up too much. It’s not that easy to clear her name. We have to find a scapegoat.” Qiao Xi paused for a moment and said indifferently, “Otherwise, how can we explain why Qiao Rou donated money of unknown origin?”

The moment Qiao Zhenguo heard the word ‘scapegoat’, he thought of Qiao Xi and blurted out, “I have another daughter...”

“You mean Qiao Xi?”

Qiao Xi was not annoyed, and her voice was still calm. “Qiao Rou wrongly accused her of being a mistress. It’s all over the news yet you still want to push the blame to her. Do you think anyone will believe you? President Qiao, don’t think that only the Qiao family has brains. You shouldn’t treat others as fools. But I have an idea...”

Qiao Zhenguo was instantly delighted. “Miss Black Tide, feel free to tell me.”

Qiao Xi’s voice was calm, but each and every word pushed Xu Mei into a sea of fire. “Why don’t we let Mrs. Xu Mei be the scapegoat? For the sake of your daughter’s future, I believe Mrs. Xu will agree. Mrs. Xu Mei was the one who stole money to donate to Qiao Rou. This conclusion sounds more realistic. Moreover, Mrs. Xu Mei is a mistress. The news of her mistreating Qiao Xi has already spread. Her reputation has long been ruined.”

Xu Mei’s body stiffened, and she felt as though her blood was flowing in reverse.

Qiao Xi asked slowly, “President Qiao, what do you think of my idea?”

She leaned lazily against the sofa and closed her eyes slightly, recalling the scene back then.

The Qiao family was invited to a banquet held by a family.

Qiao Rou ran around and accidentally broke the little master’s toy. Then, everyone in the Qiao family helped her cover up the truth and blamed it on her.

This was what they said—

“Xi Xi, your sister has always been obedient. Everyone likes her, so her reputation can’t be ruined. But you’re different. You didn’t have a biological mother to educate you. Even if you make a mistake, they won’t be able to bear to criticize you.”

Hence, she became a scapegoat and was pushed to the ground by the little master. The Qiao family hugged Qiao Rou and comforted her, but no one cared about whether she was in pain or not.

Later, when she came back from the countryside, they said, “Xi Xi, Rou Rou and Moling are so compatible. Moreover, your status is not good enough for the young master of the Gu family. Only Rou Rou, who has been pampered since she was young, is worthy of Moling.. You have to be understanding.”