

Mr Han 2041

Chapter 2041: You Had Better Spit It All Out

After all, they did accept money from this woman, that was why they let her in.

When this middle-aged woman heard Guo Yujie speak, she immediately said, "What nonsense are you spouting, you little b*tch?! Who's the person of unknown background here?!"

"Shi Xiaoya is the indecent person here!" The middle-aged woman pointed at Shi Xiaoya and said, "If you all work under this kind of indecent vixen, you won't learn anything good! Later, other people will think that you also learned vixen tricks from her to become a mistress and destroy other people's families!"

But who would believe her words?

Shi Xiaoya's boyfriend was Han Zhuoling.

This middle-aged woman, being with Han Zhuoling?

Hah!

And the staff in the work studio all knew Shi Xiaoya well. No one would believe this middle-aged woman's words.

But they could not stop her from saying such things.

The middle-aged woman had caused a ruckus all the way up here.

She stopped at every floor once and came out to shout, "Shi Xiaoya, you mistress, get the hell out of here!"

She then went up the next level and continued shouting.

She just went up and shouted like this all the way.

The size of the companies in this office building was not very big.

The biggest company occupied at most three floors.

Aside from that, it was mostly one company per floor.

Hence, all those people from the different companies had heard this middle-aged woman's words.

They seized the chance when they didn't have much work on hand to come up and watch the show.

At this moment, quite a number of employees from other companies had gathered outside the entrance to the work studio.

That was why the security officers had to struggle to squeeze in.

The employees in Shi Xiaoya's work studio were not going to believe this middle-aged woman's words.

But they could not stop those people from other companies, who liked to watch drama unfold, from making wild guesses about the situation since it did not concern themselves.

They actually felt that Shi Xiaoya only recently got together with Han Zhuoling.

Before that, it would not be impossible for her to have been together with a married man.

They could not judge a book by its cover.

And they also felt that, given how Shi Xiaoya could defeat so many seniors at such a young age and achieve the results she had today, and even having been Liu Jingping's student before...

It was impossible if she did not have any connections at all.

But she was very young and did not have much of a background. Where could her connections come from?

She must have definitely used some means to get them.

So, the things that this middle-aged woman said might not be entirely implausible.

Shi Xiaoya's face hardened as she said coldly, "Madam, I don't know you at all, much less your husband. I have a boyfriend myself. With my boyfriend as a comparison, I really won't take a liking to the average man. I don't know how outstanding your husband is for him to be even better than my boyfriend, such that I will take a liking to him."

"I know, your current boyfriend is Han Zhuoling, right?! Big Boss, Rich Young Master, what a famous man! If not for the news, I wouldn't have been able to find you here. You haven't been together with Han Zhuoling for long either. You and my husband's affair was a thing in the past," the middle-aged woman shouted loudly.

"No wonder you didn't really come and pester my husband anymore afterward. So it's because you found an even more impressive one." The middle-aged woman exclaimed loudly, "Don't think that just because you gradually stopped contacting my husband, I won't come and settle scores with you here! You spent so much of my husband's money before. You had better spit it all out now!"

The middle-aged woman wagged her finger accusingly in the air and said, "Even this work studio, my husband was the one who invested money for you to set it up!"

The people who came over from other companies to watch from the sidelines instantly felt "enlightened."

That was what they had said. Shi Xiaoya was so young yet could already come out and open a work studio on her own long ago.

As much as her makeup skills were outstanding...

Chapter 2042: A Slap in the Face

Where did she get so much money to set up her own office?

"What other things did I spend your 'husband's' money on? Say it all out. We can slowly calculate that." Shi Xiaoya scoffed.

The middle-aged woman had suspicions that Shi Xiaoya might be up to something when she admitted it so quickly.

But she had no brains to begin with.

These words had been taught to her by someone else.

So, she could not think of anything else and could only follow Shi Xiaoya's words to say, "You spent a whole damn lot! The apartment you are staying in was also bought by my husband for you! Your many luxury items were also bought with my husband's money! Even if you are with Han Zhuoling now, you're still not satisfied and never broke it off cleanly with my husband, just so you can still milk money off of him!"

Shi Xiaoya had journeyed thus far in her career and met many competitors; hence, she had offended quite a few people as well.

In a moment, she really could not think of who the mastermind behind this woman was.

Because there were quite a few suspects.

But no matter who it was, the mastermind was a little clever.

The mastermind knew to let this middle-aged woman only mention these big things that normal people could not afford to buy.

She knew that outsiders had been guessing how exactly she was able to afford all these things at such a young age.

The things that the middle-aged woman pointed out were precisely the things that the onlookers had suspicions about.

So as long as she pointed them out, there would naturally be people who'd make a connection based on her claims, without this middle-aged woman bringing out any evidence.

Anyway, so what if she took out the lease contract, property deed, and various documents to prove that she was the owner?

This middle-aged woman could very well say that it was her "husband" who'd bought it under Shi Xiaoya's name.

But Shi Xiaoya was not anxious at all.

She heard the discussions outside that said, "Hearing it, it sounds quite true."

"Well, she's so young. Unless she's a rich second-generation heir, how could she be able to afford these things? But I've never heard that Shi Xiaoya was some rich second-generation heir. If she was, the news would have spread long ago."

"But Shi Xiaoya appears very calm and she doesn't look like she's panicking at all."

"She's probably putting on a strong front?"

"Who knows? Let's see what Shi Xiaoya says."

“Anything else? You can say it all at once,” Shi Xiaoya said very calmly, not at all affected by those discussions.

“Are these not enough?” the middle-aged woman shrieked in a piercing voice.

She turned to the crowd that was blocking the entrance and shouted loudly, “Look, just look! She’s admitting it now! She’s admitting it all!”

“Shi Xiaoya, you shameless sl*t!” the middle-aged woman spat. “I just want to let everyone see your true colors and let that current boyfriend of yours, Han Zhuoling, know too that you’re just a sl*t! Let me tell you, you ruined my family, so I won’t let you have a good life either! I want to let everyone know that you’re just a cheap sl*t! You can stop dreaming of marrying a good, rich, tall, and handsome man in your lifetime. For every man you find, I will go and tell him these things!”

“If you’re already done talking, then let me talk now,” Shi Xiaoya said calmly.

“Regarding this work studio, I really did not pay a single cent for it,” Shi Xiaoya said. “And no one invested money in me either.”

The middle-aged woman instantly seized the chance and said, “You all heard it, right?! I wasn’t wrong!”

“You are,” Qin Zigou said lazily. “Because this work studio is a property under my name to begin with.

“Wait, no. To put it more accurately, this whole office building, all of it belongs to me. I can choose whichever space I want to be my work studio.”

Chapter 2043: Where the Hell Did This Idiot Come from?

Qin Zigou stared coldly at the employees from other companies who were standing outside to watch the drama. “Including all the companies in this office building. As long as I am unwilling, they all have to get the hell out of here!

“Your husband paid for this?” Qin Zigou scoffed. “How much of a big shot is your husband for him to dare to use Master Qin’s properties—my properties—to brag pretentiously? What did he pay for? Can he even pay for this?!”

The middle-aged woman panicked. She stuck her neck out forcibly and said, “It’s yours just because you say so?”

“And is your husband the one who paid for this just because you said so?” Qin Zigou scoffed mockingly. “Call the property development company’s boss over! Ask him, to whom does this building belong?! Where the hell did this idiot come from, coming here to pretend to be the boss in front of me?!”

Even without Qin Zigou saying that, the property development boss had already come over when he learned that someone was making a scene here.

At this moment, he finally squeezed his way out from the thick crowd, jostling so much that one of the buttons on his suit came undone.

“Mr. Qin!” The property development boss quickly came over.

Speaking of that, Qin Zigou was actually his boss.

This building was Qin Zigou's. Which property development company to find, which security company to engage, that was all decided by him.

Not just the property development boss, the boss of the security company also came over. "Mr. Qin."

Qin Zigou pointed to that middle-aged woman and said, "What kind of ridiculous thing you guys let in. I left you guys in charge of this building, and this is how you ran it for me? If you can't handle it, get the hell out of here, ASAP!"

Being scolded by him like this, both bosses of the property development and security companies did not dare to make a sound.

"Mr. Qin, I will thoroughly investigate this matter when I get back! I will see who's the one who let her in! I definitely won't let such things happen again. Please give us another chance!" the boss of the security company said.

"After this issue is settled, I'll slowly settle scores with you," Qin Zigou said.

Afterward, he gestured towards the boss of the property development company with his finger and said, "You tell her, to whom does this building belong?!"

The property development boss quickly told that middle-aged woman, as well as the crowd watching the drama outside, "I am the boss of the property development company that manages this building. This building indeed belongs to Mr. Qin."

Everyone in the crowd watching from outside instantly exclaimed in shock. The place where they worked every day was that person's property.

"Then... then I remembered wrongly!" the middle-aged woman said. "But Shi Xiaoya still lives off of men!"

"Fine if your property is yours, but why would you let Shi Xiaoya use it for free? Hah!" The middle-aged woman laughed mockingly. "Shi Xiaoya, you're really something, huh?! You just love using your body to exchange for these things!"

"Shut your pig mouth up! She and I are childhood friends! Our families are old friends! You go outside and ask around whether or not Shi Xiaoya and I had been collaborating with each other right from the start. When the two of us decided to be partners and open our own work studio, I had a ready and suitable place on hand, so I took it out for use. Could Shi Xiaoya lack this bit of money for rent? Idiot!" Qin Zigou scolded her without giving her face at all.

The crowd outside was puzzled.

"If Cris owns this building, it's clear that his family is not an average family. If she is childhood friends with him, and their families are old friends, could Shi Xiaoya's family also not be an average family?"

Shi Xiaoya continued to say, "The apartment that I stay in is a gift from my older brother. The properties there, you won't be able to afford."

“Pei! Your older brother gave it to you just because you said so? How expensive is that apartment for us not to be able to afford it?” the middle-aged woman spat.

“Given how the earrings you are wearing now are not made of real jade but of chalcedony, which can be bought for a hundred bucks from the jade accessories wholesale market...”

Chapter 2044: What You Had Just Said, Say It Again

“How the diamond ring on your hand is actually zircon, the same as your bracelet... How the so-called branded goods you are wearing are actually fake pieces from the night market, and how they are all low-quality fakes...” Shi Xiaoya said in a cold voice.

“Your husband is so rich, yet you’re wearing fakes from head to toe?” Shi Xiaoya asked calmly.

“Pei! They’re fake goods just because you say they are fake? I bought these all from exclusive retailers!” the middle-aged woman said.

Shi Xiaoya then said, “The foundation on your face is already looking cakey, and you have numerous dry lines on your face. Your smile lines and the corners of your eyes have creased to the point that they look as if they would crack. Although your fingernails are painted, your fingers are very rough. Your fingertips are rough and callused, with some cracks as well. This is a pair of hands that have been doing manual labor. Don’t tell me, your husband has money to give other women but treats you so miserly? Besides not letting you have the most basic skincare, he even forces you to keep doing manual work.”

The panic on that middle-aged woman’s face was especially obvious. She could only insist stubbornly, “I was poor when I was young. To help support his business, I could only work manual jobs outside!”

Shi Xiaoya shook her head. “But the cracks on your fingers have been formed recently. The thin calluses on your fingertips, as long as you don’t do manual work for a few years and slowly care for them, they will go back to looking as good as new. It will only look like this if you keep on doing manual work. Rich madams aside, even a madam from a normal household who only does housework usually would not have a pair of hands like yours.”

“As for the things you are wearing, whether they are fakes or not, do you dare to let someone come and inspect them? Fake goods will never be genuine goods. Even a high-quality fake good would still have many differences from a genuine good, much less these low-quality cheap fakes you bought from the night market,” Shi Xiaoya said.

“What a coincidence. I have all these things you are wearing in my work studio,” Qin Zigou said. “They have all been prepared for our customers.”

He paused for a moment and looked at the door before saying, “No one will think that I, Cris, would let my customers use fakes, right?!”

Of course no one would think so.

Everyone subconsciously nodded their heads at him.

Qin Zigou then instructed his assistant, “Bring over all the goods similar to what she is wearing right now.”

“Yes.” The assistant quickly got to it.

Actually, even without those goods being taken out, this middle-aged woman had already started to panic.

“I... I...”

Seeing her reaction, Shi Xiaoya said, “Spill it. Who told you to come here and slander me?”

“No one! You are just a cheap sl*t who goes around being other mens’ mistress. I didn’t say it wrongly!” the middle-aged woman insisted stubbornly.

But at this moment, anyone could tell that she was just putting up a strong front.

It looked like there was really someone who’d sent her to wrongfully accuse Shi Xiaoya.

“Who are you talking about?” A cold, icy voice suddenly sounded out at the door.

Shi Xiaoya realized only then that the discussions and chatter that had been going on at the door all along had unknowingly disappeared.

Shi Xiaoya knew who had come just based on the voice alone, even without looking.

When she looked over now, she saw Han Zhuoling standing right at the door.

At the same time, when Shi Xiaoya looked over, he also looked at her and quickly walked in.

He stood beside Shi Xiaoya and even threw a glance at Qin Zigou.

Qin Zigou: “...”

What was the situation now? He was still in the mood to be jealous!

Qin Zigou pursed his lips and did not stoop to Han Zhuoling’s level of pettiness. He deliberately took one step to the side.

Actually, he was not standing very close to Shi Xiaoya to begin with. Han Zhuoling was just being petty and could not even stand this little bit of closeness between them.

When that middle-aged woman saw that Han Zhuoling actually came as well, she became scared.

And panicked even more.

“What you had just said, say it again,” Han Zhuoling said coldly.

Chapter 2045: Revenge

If Han Zhuoling was really seeking confirmation, no matter how stupid this middle-aged woman was, she could also sense that his tone was off.

He did not sound like he was curious about Shi Xiaoya’s past at all.

He sounded more like he was going to seek justice for Shi Xiaoya.

Although the middle-aged woman took the money, she felt that that money was not enough for her to take the risk in front of Han Zhuoling.

“You don’t dare to say it anymore?” Han Zhuoling said plainly.

His voice was not loud. But as long as Han Zhuoling spoke, no one dared to make a sound.

Not even whisper in hushed voices.

When Han Zhuoling stood here, his aura became even more imposing than Shi Xiaoya and Qin Zigou combined.

“The words you don’t dare to say here, you can go and tell the police, then,’ Han Zhuoling said coldly. “No matter who sent you here, don’t expect that person to save you.”

At the same time that Han Zhuoling said that, he took his phone out to call the police.

Afterward, Han Zhuoling was seen calling his lawyer.

He said something about slander and wanting to sue.

The middle-aged woman was uncultured and was actually just a country bumpkin with a shrewish personality.

Xia Yixin saw her quarreling with someone by the roadside and felt that her fighting power was very strong.

Xia Yixin did not have any hopes that these lies would really do anything to Shi Xiaoya.

But it would be very good if it could at least vilify her.

To seize the chance to make this incident public among those people who did not know better, as there would naturally be people who were willing to believe it.

She also did not hope that this matter would be able to make Han Zhuoling break up with Shi Xiaoya.

But as long as incidents like these recur, there would surely be a day when she’d have enough and want to break up.

And such things could make Shi Xiaoya too embarrassed to face other people!

How could the middle-aged woman have experienced such serious situations?

Usually, she also just scolded and quarreled with other people. She had never even walked past the doors of the police station, much less encountered lawyers or experienced being sued.

Hearing Han Zhuoling say all these, she instantly got scared until her knees turned weak.

When Han Zhuoling ended the call, the middle-aged woman made a last-ditch attempt and hollered, “I’m not lying! She was the one who seduced my man! She’s a mistress, a vixen!”

“Don’t worry, your husband will also be found. I want to see if he can actually afford to keep any mistresses.” Han Zhuoling scoffed mockingly.

Not long after he said that, the police officers arrived.

With everyone present in the work studio to witness, the police officers brought this middle-aged woman back to the police station.

Han Zhuoling and Shi Xiaoya naturally also went there.

Guo Yujie and Qin Zigou also went with them as eyewitnesses.

On the way there, Han Zhuoling was worried that among those people in the crowd, some would have taken videos and posted them online.

So he contacted someone at the first instance.

As long as someone spread videos regarding this incident, they would not be able to pass the check and could forget about posting it online.

“Do you have any suspects in mind for this incident?” Han Zhuoling asked. “That middle-aged woman isn’t smart and has no guts. She definitely got paid to do it.”

Shi Xiaoya thought about it and said, “I have met quite a fair share of competitors at work all this while. A few of them will resort to underhanded means. In the process of competing, they have used quite a few underhanded tricks. But that kind of competition is all in the past. Even if they wanted to take revenge on me, they won’t have waited until now to do it.”

“In the past, before I met you, wouldn’t it have been even easier to take revenge on me? Now that they know you and I are together, who would be so unthinking as to use this period to take revenge on me?” Shi Xiaoya felt that it was very illogical. “And anyway, recently, I’ve offended only three people.”

“One is Yuan Yina, the second is Jiang Yuhan, and the third one is—” Shi Xiaoya glanced at him and could not help but chuckle.

Chapter 2046: Handsome Men Spell Trouble

“Xia Yixin.”

But as for Xia Yixin, Shi Xiaoya had truly been implicated by Han Zhuoling in this case.

If not for him, she would not have provoked Xia Yixin.

Hearing this, Han Zhuoling could not help but pinch the space between his eyebrows.

This little girl, she was even using Xia Yixin to tease him!

“After Yuan Yina left Survivor, I heard that she actually established her own work studio, and her career improved to a level better than how she did previously,” Shi Xiaoya said.

Han Zhuoling naturally would not continue following up on a small fry like Yuan Yina.

Shi Xiaoya also did not specifically follow up on her.

They were all in the same industry and were competitors.

Actually, even without her asking around specifically, she could also learn of Yuan Yina’s situation.

She'd heard that Yuan Yina seemed to have hooked up with a sugar daddy, and that was why she could have such a development.

However, Shi Xiaoya still retained her judgment since she did not see it for herself.

After all, there were too many so-called "rumors" nowadays.

She was an example herself. There were people who spread rumors that she had a sugar daddy too in the past.

So she could relate to such things. In situations where there was no proof, Shi Xiaoya would not make such guesses about Yuan Yina.

"As for Jiang Yuhan, I'm not too sure. I think there's been a period of time when I haven't heard about her situation," Shi Xiaoya said.

"Jiang Yuhan can't take on any dramas or activities now, but she had kept quite good ties with a rich businessman since the past. Even if she can't take on any jobs now, she still has that rich businessman to support her financially, so she actually won't need to worry about not having enough money to spend," Han Zhuoling said. "But aside from that, she can forget about forging a career anymore. It would be impossible even if that rich businessman invests in her."

Because he would not allow it.

"Actually, Yuan Yina's issue had already passed for quite some time. She would not resort to taking revenge on me only now. But there's still a possibility that it's her. When you chased her out of Survivor back then, we were still not together yet. You were the one who chased her away, so by right, she should not be pinning the blame on me. But now that we've publicly announced our relationship, it's hard to say whether she would pin the blame on me because of that, so she is still a suspect."

"But the one you suspect the most is still Xia Yixin." Han Zhuoling finished her words for her.

Shi Xiaoya nodded. There was nothing that could not be said. "After all, she only just looked for me recently. Judging from the current situation, my conflict with Xia Yixin is slightly bigger," Shi Xiaoya said.

She paused for a moment and glanced at Han Zhuoling before she mumbled, "Handsome men spell trouble."

Han Zhuoling: "..."

When Han Zhuoling heard her say that, he could not find any words to rebut.

Because, it did seem like it had something to do with him.

Whether it was Yuan Yina or Jiang Yuhan, and much less Xia Yixin.

Yuan Yina wanted to seduce him, but he chased her away, yet he fell in love with Shi Xiaoya and they became a couple now.

Same for Jiang Yuhan.

Xia Yixin wanted to get back together with him, but Shi Xiaoya was the obstacle getting in her way.

Thinking of it, they were all suspicious, and they were all linked to him.

Han Zhuoling then felt a little guilty now and said awkwardly, "Don't worry, I will find out who it is."

Shi Xiaoya huffed, but the corners of her lips were smiling, which showed that she did not really get unhappy just because of this.

When they reached the police station, they explained the situation in detail.

Lawyer Wu also rushed to the police station.

As Han Zhuoling wanted to sue that middle-aged woman, the police had to file a report.

That middle-aged woman indeed could not stand the scare and just blurted everything out. "I... I indeed received instructions from someone, but I really don't know who that person is."

Chapter 2047: These Are the Basic Qualities Necessary for Quarreling on the Streets

"She gave me a sum of money, saying that after I do this, she will give me the remaining half of the money."

That sum of money would not allow her to do anything big in B City.

But it was enough money to cover a few years of this middle-aged woman's pay.

"I... I was just thinking, isn't it just coming to scold someone? I'm good at scolding people. And smearing their reputation when you scold them, isn't that the most basic mode of doing it?" When quarreling on the streets or quarreling with women, all kinds of dirty words could be used on the other party, and all kinds of groundless accusations could be hurled at them.

These were the basic qualities necessary for quarreling on the streets.

Even the police officer laughed in anger from hearing that.

This matter even needed a basic mode of operation.

"I... I really didn't think that the situation will become so serious. I thought that I was only scolding someone, I..." The middle-aged woman tried to justify herself.

A female police officer said coldly, "Just scolding someone? If just scolding someone could earn you so much money, if this was really such a good deal, everyone would be doing it. Will your turn ever come? What did that person ask you to scold about, don't you have any idea at all? You use this kind of matter to smear a woman, do you know how much hurt this would cause other people?"

The female police officer scoffed. "Just scolding someone?"

Another male police officer could tell that this middle-aged woman was just a reckless and gutsy person and said, "Don't treat scolding other people as a light matter. You didn't ask properly before you came to casually scold, casually bully, and casually smear someone?"

“Do you know that a few days earlier, an incident happened? An old lady went to the wet market to buy some fruits. When she brought them back home, she felt that the fruits were not sweet enough, so she went back to the wet market every day to scold the boss of that fruit stall. But this was not enough, she even dragged her old partner along with her to stand outside the door to their house to scold them. In the end, they scolded the boss until he had a mental breakdown. He took a knife and just hacked her old partner to death. He stabbed him dozens of times until the man became a muddled pile of blood and flesh, almost turning the old man into minced meat.

“You really think that nothing will happen when you are just scolding people? Life is short, nobody can be sure that nothing will happen at all. You are lucky, you met a mentally strong and calm person. Or else, if she got driven crazy by you, she could have done anything. If you really want to continue living well, stop doing such things from now on. Or else, who knows when you will meet with mishap?”

The middle-aged woman gaped and tucked in her neck, feeling a little scared and jittery.

It was not actually because of what the police officer just said.

Actually, much more of her fear came from Han Zhuoling.

She did not know what Han Zhuoling was planning to do to her.

As she already felt the fear, no matter what the police officer said now, it would be enough to make her scared.

“Now they want to sue you for slander,” the police officer said. “You think you will be fine after just slandering someone? Let me tell you, casually fabricating and spreading lies, and any act that degrades another person’s character or spoils their reputation will count as slander.

“Think about it yourself, whether those words you said earlier count as that! Once you have been convicted, you can be sentenced for up to three years of fixed-term imprisonment,” the police officer said.

The middle-aged woman was scared out of her wits. But the police officer was not really scaring her; he was just saying the truth.

“This... Is this really so serious?” the middle-aged woman asked fearfully.

“What do you think?” the female police officer said. “Usually, when you quarrel with people on the streets, no one really understands the law well, so no one will really do anything. But this time, the things you said are way too severe. And those two people are not people who don’t know anything at all. They naturally will not let you off so easily. You spoke so horribly of a fine lady, you think they will let you off?”

Chapter 2048: You Are Harming Someone’s Life Like This

“You said those things in front of so many people. Word of it will definitely spread around. How do you expect a lady like her to face other people outside like this? Those are just ridiculous lies you made up! Doing that will ruin a person’s life forever! So many girls could not withstand the pressure from discussions and rumors online that they chose to kill themselves instead. You are harming someone’s life like this, do you know that?” the female police officer continued to say.

"I... I just didn't think it will be so serious..." The middle-aged woman shrank back a little.

Whether she really did not think of it or not, anyway, she just had to speak in a softer tone to get pity.

She was not really dumb to the core to continue insisting stubbornly now.

"Whether you thought of it or not, anyway, they are going to sue you now," the male police officer said.

"You said that someone instructed you to do it. Tell us who this person is. If you say it honestly, your sentence can be lightened much more. Those two want even more to catch the mastermind behind this. Compared to the evil intentions of the mastermind, you were only instructed by someone, so the situation will not be as serious for you."

"But I really don't know!" The middle-aged woman was about to cry. "If I knew, would I not say it?"

"You don't even know who the other party is and you dare to accept money from that person?" the female police officer asked coldly.

This person was really stupidly gutsy. It could be said that ignorance knows no fear.

Seeing how she was behaving, it seemed as if she would dare to accept any amount of money.

This time, the money was little. If the amount of money was a little greater, it could be possible for her to commit murder.

The middle-aged woman shrank her neck inwards and said, "She wouldn't give me money otherwise! She didn't let me ask so much. Anyway, as long as I did what she said, she will give me the money."

"Then how do you both contact each other? How can she be sure that you won't not do the job after taking the money? And how did she give you the money?" the male police officer asked.

"She knows where I live," the middle-aged woman said. "She's keeping an eye on me to make sure I complete the task. The money is transferred through a bank account to me."

"Tell us the bank account number, we will naturally have a way to find out," the male police officer said.

"Er... I have to look for it. Can you pass me my phone to take a look?" the middle-aged woman said.

"You still want to play tricks now?" the female police officer said. "Since it can be found on your phone, then we won't need you to provide it."

After the police officers were done questioning her, they went to explain the situation to Han Zhuoling.

In the end, the moment they came to Han Zhuoling and Shi Xiaoya's room, they saw that Mo Jingcheng was actually there as well.

Both officers were stunned for a moment before they both greeted immediately, "Deputy Director Mo."

Mo Jingcheng had been promoted to the position of Deputy Director now, and he was the youngest Deputy Director to date.

Mo Jingcheng nodded. "I heard that there is a case involving my younger sister-in-law, so I came to take a look."

Everyone glanced at Shi Xiaoya and Han Zhuoling and immediately recalled that Mo Jingcheng was especially close with the few from the eight great families. They understood immediately.

Originally, with Han Zhuoling around, they were already treating the case with great importance.

Now that Mo Jingcheng had come, they would naturally treat the case even more seriously.

“What did the other party say?” Mo Jingcheng asked.

The two of them then said what they had gotten out of the middle-aged woman.

“It will be easy to check as long as we have the transaction history,” the male police officer said.

Mo Jingcheng nodded. “If you need any help from my side, just let me know.”

Of course, they would not dare to.

If they could not even crack such a small case, won't they become a joke?

And they did not just need to investigate, they needed to investigate fast, and do it well.

Han Zhuoling glanced at the time. They needed to hurry over to Sheng Yue to attend the 100-day baby shower.

Chapter 2049: When Can You Also Let Me Rush Home to Keep the Children Company?

“Then I will have to trouble you all for this,” Han Zhuoling said politely.

Afterward, he, Shi Xiaoya, and Mo Jingcheng left the police station together.

“I will keep an eye on this, don't worry,” Mo Jingcheng promised.

“Okay.” Han Zhuoling smiled and said, “I'll have to trouble you for this.”

“We're brothers, there's no need to be so polite,” Mo Jingcheng said casually. “You both have to hurry over to the 100-day baby shower, right? I need to hurry back home as well. I promised to keep the children company tonight.”

When Han Zhuoling heard that, he instantly felt a little longing for it. “Then you should go quickly.”

Mo Jingcheng said goodbye to the two of them and left.

After Han Zhuoling and Shi Xiaoya got on the car, Shi Xiaoya fastened her seatbelt but realized that Han Zhuoling did not start the car immediately.

She turned to look curiously and noticed that Han Zhuoling was looking at her.

Shi Xiaoya felt it was strange. “What's the matter?”

She looked down at herself in confusion, but there did not seem to be anything inappropriate. Anyway, she did not notice any.

She then touched her face and was about to open the mirror in front to take a look when she heard Han Zhuoling say, "There's nothing on your face."

Shi Xiaoya then retracted her stretched-out hand and asked him in confusion, "Then why do you keep staring at me?"

"Just now, Mo Jingcheng said that he promised to go back home earlier to keep his children company," Han Zhuoling said.

Shi Xiaoya: "..."

So?

It couldn't be... couldn't be what she's thinking, right?!

Right after that, she heard Han Zhuoling say, "When can you also let me rush home to keep the children company?"

Shi Xiaoya instantly felt so embarrassed that she was at a loss for words.

This man was like a bulldozer, booming loudly as it charged ahead, without any hint that it was slowing down.

When they had just been together for a few days, he had already started thinking about marriage.

They could be considered to have been together for a period of time now. Although it was not considered a very long time, at least the two of them were cohabiting.

Their marriage was nowhere near in sight, yet he had already started thinking of wanting children.

How was Shi Xiaoya supposed to answer that?

Was she supposed to set a time for their wedding first?

Luckily, Han Zhuoling did not seem to insist on hearing an answer from her.

After saying that, he started the car.

Shi Xiaoya sat quietly in the passenger's seat, thinking about Han Zhuoling's words. She also could not help but start looking forward to it.

She secretly glanced at her abdomen and could not help but raise her hand to poke it.

Being pregnant with Han Zhuoling's child. Even though she was just thinking about it now, it still felt sweet to her.

Suddenly, an inspiration came to Shi Xiaoya, and she turned to look at Han Zhuoling at once.

Her widened eyes really made her look very shocked, which made Han Zhuoling unable to help but be distracted and glance at her.

"What's wrong?" Han Zhuoling asked strangely.

"We..." Shi Xiaoya was so shocked that her lips were trembling a little.

Of course, she was just shocked, not scared.

Because she trusted Han Zhuoling.

“Seems like we’ve not been using contraception all this time...” Shi Xiaoya was so shocked that she almost turned into a dumbstruck rock. “I... I also forgot to take birth control pills afterward.”

Han Zhuoling heaved a sigh of relief. “Luckily, you didn’t take that. Taking that isn’t good for your body.”

As he said that, he said in a self-reproaching manner, “It’s also my fault, I actually forgot to take precautions.”

What forgot?

How conscientious and detailed were this man’s thoughts? There was never a time when he was careless or thoughtless.

Actually, he was harboring his own little designs secretly.

If they really had a child, Shi Xiaoya would not be able to delay it even if she wanted to. Their marriage would be set in stone.

But at this moment, he sounded so apologetic when he said it, as if he really did not think of it.

That night, he just thought of... that thing...

Chapter 2050: Aren’t You Going to Propose?

It was understandable that he forgot too, right?

Even Han Zhuoling had times when he made mistakes.

After all, he was human. It would be impossible for him not to make any mistakes at all.

Although, out of her understanding of Han Zhuoling, Shi Xiaoya still harbored suspicions in her heart. She simply had a feeling that actually, Han Zhuoling was purposely not taking precautions.

But since he said that, she would just believe it.

Originally, Shi Xiaoya was about to believe it.

And yet, she heard Han Zhuoling continue saying, “Since that’s the case, then we can just forget about taking any precautions.”

Shi Xiaoya: “...”

Right after that, she heard him continue to say, “Anyway, we are going to get married. Previously, when we went to father-in-law and mother-in-law’s house, we already said that we will discuss marriage matters after the new year.”

Shi Xiaoya: “...”

“In this case, since today is Yijun’s 100-day baby shower, it won’t be appropriate for us to discuss other things. After all, Yijun is the highlight of today. Tomorrow, we can go back to the family home first and

discuss with the elders about the marriage. The day after, I can go back home with you to discuss it with father-in-law and mother-in-law.”

Shi Xiaoya: “...”

Haha, he definitely did not take precautions on purpose.

And she actually almost believed him just now.

She was still too innocent.

Han Zhuoling held Shi Xiaoya’s hand and said expectantly, “How’s that?”

It was rare that First Young Master Han actually had such moments when he felt nervous.

He was very afraid that Shi Xiaoya would not agree.

Even though it was not obvious on the surface, he was actually really so nervous right now that he wanted to swallow continuously.

“...” Shi Xiaoya asked softly, “Aren’t... aren’t you going to propose?”

Han Zhuoling: “...”

He almost stepped on the brakes to stop the car.

Luckily, he still managed to hold it in.

Han Zhuoling really did not do it on purpose. He probably wanted to marry her so much, to the extent that he actually forgot this most important segment.

No matter how unfamiliar with it he was, he also knew of the importance of a proposal.

This was not just a formality. This was a form of respect, a way of expressing how much the other party means to you in your heart.

Of course, this was not to say that the grander the proposal, the more it showed how much the other party means to you.

This was not a proportional comparison.

If your financial conditions do not allow for it, and you cannot prepare a very grand wedding, could it be that the other party did not matter in your heart?

Not so.

The important thing is not how grand the scene was; it’s the thought that counts.

Even if there was no surprise or grandeur to it.

A solemn proposal to ask, though, that should be present.

Han Zhuoling scolded himself deep down. He was really going too overboard!

He glanced around and found a spot where he could stop the car by the roadside.

“What’s wrong?” Shi Xiaoya asked him, feeling strange.

“Xiaoya.” Han Zhuoling was nervous because he did something wrong.

And it was to his most cherished lady.

He felt unprecedentedly nervous, even more nervous than just now when he told her about the marriage discussions.

Shi Xiaoya was staring at him feeling perplexed, and her eyes were filled with question marks.

But being stared at by those huge eyes of hers made Han Zhuoling feel even more guilty.

“I’m sorry,” Han Zhuoling said.

“What’s wrong?” Shi Xiaoya got a scare from his serious expression and said, “You... You’re suddenly behaving like this, don’t scare me! What happened?”

Shi Xiaoya had wild thoughts running across her mind as she thought about it. It could not be that he regretted mentioning marriage to her, right?

Or else, why did he suddenly have such a reaction the moment she mentioned a proposal?

He even said sorry.

The moment a man says sorry, that means that he did something untoward to you.