

## **Mr Han 2501**

### **Chapter 2501: A Worthwhile Life**

Lu Man had never thought of such a good thing before.

In the past, she only thought of getting away from the Lu family and leading a good life with Xia Qingwei.

In the end, not only did she manage to get away, but she even met Han Zhuoli.

Then, after that, she thought that getting together with Han Zhuoli was already the Heavens taking pity on her after seeing how tragic her past life had been.

Yet she did not expect that she could also have a father like Wang Juhuai.

Wang Juhuai fulfilled all the wishes and dreams she had of a father.

Upright, nice, and an honorable role model for his children.

“Dad,” Lu Man called.

Wang Juhuai just felt that how Lu Man addressed him just now was worth a thousand pieces of gold.

“Aye!” Wang Juhuai also answered in an equally heartfelt and cherishing manner.

“Thank you, thank you for letting me have a father. Thank you for treating me like your biological daughter. I never thought that I could have such a wonderful and complete life in this lifetime. To be able to have such a good father like you as my role model, my pillar of support, and also my source of confidence.” Lu Man’s tears were welling up in her eyes, about to fall any moment.

Wang Juhuai also teared up as he said, “Don’t cry, we are about to go in. If you cry, you won’t look good.”

“Mm.” Lu Man nodded and smiled. She lifted her head up and blinked her tears away.

“As for me, I have a daughter and a son in this life, so it makes my life worthwhile too,” Wang Juhuai said with a smile.

Before Lu Man could say anything, the grand doors to the banquet hall opened.

Wang Juhuai brought Lu Man and walked in tandem with the beat of the Wedding March, walking slowly, step by step, towards Han Zhuoli.

The wedding this time had not been kept a secret to outsiders by the Han Family.

They’d left all the news publishing work for the wedding to Nan Yin.

So all the reporters present at the venue were all from Nan Yin.

Tang Zi also came.

But Tang Zi came as an invited guest and sat at the tables on the bride’s side.

When Tang Zi came and saw that he actually got assigned to be seated on the table where the bride's family sat and that he would be sitting together with Wang Juhuai and Xia Qingwei, he instantly felt stunned.

"Why... Why did you assign me to this table?" Tang Zi asked in surprise.

Xia Qingwei smiled and said, "Quickly, sit down. I have long treated you like my son. In the past, when I and Man Man were in so much hardship, it's all thanks to your help that we pulled through."

Xia Qingwei turned and explained to Wang Juhuai, "This is Fang Jingtang, Man Man's good friend. He's a reporter at Nan Yin now. I and Man Man both call him Tang Zi.

"In the past, when Man Man was going through hardship with the Lus and I had been seriously ill and relying on Man Man's money to barely survive, that period of time was really miserable for us, and we really had Tang Zi to thank for helping us back then. At that time, Man Man ran around everywhere to make money and could not stay by my side often. So everything else was all thanks to Tang Zi's help.

"He had also been very busy reporting on news, yet he helped Man Man to come and take care of me even while he was busy with news reporting." Xia Qingwei sighed and said, "During that period of time, if not for Tang Zi being around, life would only have been more difficult for us mother and daughter, and we might even... not have been able to persevere on."

When Wang Juhuai heard Xia Qingwei say that, his expression immediately turned somber.

"Many thanks to you," Wang Juhuai said with a somber expression. "If you don't mind, you can treat us like family from now on."

Tang Zi immediately said, "You're too polite. I am good friends with Lu Man, and friends should help each other. Anyway, during that period of time when Auntie and Lu Man were in such a difficult time, as a friend, of course I couldn't just stand by the side and watch without doing anything. Actually, I didn't do much. Auntie made it sound too serious."

Xia Qingwei smiled and shook her head. Wang Juhuai said, "Quickly, sit down. Don't stand on formalities with us here."

Lu Man had not invited a lot of people on her side.

### **Chapter 2502: Breaking My Heart**

At the main table, apart from Wang Juhuai, Xia Qingwei, and Tang Zi, there were Sun Yiwu and Ji Cheng—both had aided Lu Man tremendously on her path to success. She had helped them in return too and viewed them as her uncle and big brother.

They were seated together as Lu Man's family.

Robert and Hayer were also at the same table.

Lu Dongliu and many others from production teams occupied another two tables.

This had happened before Lu Man entered the venue.

Right now, Lu Man was slowly walking down the aisle on Wang Juhuai's arm.

Han Zhuoli faced the slowly approaching Lu Man. When he went to fetch her just now at her bedroom, he got a delightful surprise when he laid eyes on her.

Now, she's here walking towards him, a lone beam of light focused on her while the surroundings were darkened.

As with his intentions behind his design, Lu Man's walk on the red carpet achieved the effect Qin Zigou wanted.

Her gown seemed to glow, the skirts lightly swaying with her steps, glittering in the light.

It was floaty and bright.

When Lu Man entered, Han Zhuoli's eyes weren't the only ones glued to her; everyone's gazes couldn't help but be drawn to her as well.

Particularly the female guests, whose eyes were practically stuck on Lu Man's gown.

Tang Zi was a guest today, and his colleague was in charge of publishing today's news.

Han Zhuoli and Lu Man's wedding caused a massive reaction and anticipation on the Net.

They wished to see how the wedding of the extravagantly rich was like.

Nan Yin had the rights to report on the wedding, so they did a live-stream of it.

It wasn't a video live-stream, but they could post photos.

They could even generate views this way.

"Quickly! Get a few more shots of Lu Man's gown!" Tang Zi's colleague ordered.

Everyone was furiously clicking the shutters even without his reminder.

The sound of shutters clicking rang out in that instant, almost drowning out the music.

The guests didn't stay still either. All posted the pictures that they took on the Net.

Especially the women present, all of whom were envious no matter their age.

"It's too beautiful. How's that gown actually designed! How I wish to have such a unique gown for my wedding too."

"The wedding gown's so pretty. I wonder who the designer is? Desperate for answers."

"Ah ah ah ah! I have to do another wedding. This gown's breaking my heart!"

"Young Master Han's pampering his wife on the next level."

"As a middle-aged person, I'm so envious. I have to find out who the designer is to help my daughter prep her wedding in the future."

"No exaggeration, but this really is a fairytale wedding. Everyone can't take their eyes off of Lu Man's gown."

“No photoshop as it’s live. The picture doesn’t look that good because of the lighting, but it really looks heavenly in person!”

Soon, Nan Yin also uploaded their photos.

Their professional photos were much better—clear and adjusted for lighting.

Because Han Zhuoli had said they could report the wedding, they had to make sure Lu Man was pretty in all the shots.

The netizens all wondered what brand the gown was when they saw the HD photos.

“I’ve searched a few big wedding gown brands and I didn’t find any matching this.”

### **Chapter 2503: Blessed**

“They must’ve found someone to design it especially for her. How would Han Zhuoli let Lu Man purchase ready-made ones?”

Finally, Wang Juhuai and Lu Man stopped in front of Han Zhuoli.

It was a short red carpet, but Han Zhuoli felt that it was too long.

Lu Man seemed to take forever to reach him.

Just like in their previous lives, when she took an entire lifetime and a fresh start to be with him...

He had waited a lifetime and finally found Lu Man.

Wang Juhuai recalled what he just said to Lu Man outside the doors and immediately had a feeling like his daughter was getting stolen by someone.

And he instantly understood how fathers felt marrying off their daughters.

He couldn’t bear to let her go and didn’t want to hand her over.

“Dad.” Han Zhuoli reminded Wang Juhuai to quickly hand Lu Man to him.

Lu Man turned and saw the reluctance on Wang Juhuai’s face.

And she couldn’t hold back the tears any longer.

She was also a daughter treasured by her father!

Seeing Wang Juhuai’s attitude, the guests were sure Wang Juhuai really saw Lu Man as his own daughter.

He used to help Lu Man with her work, and now, on her wedding, it’s Wang Juhuai sending her off and not Lu Qiyuan, her biological father.

A sweeping view of the venue held no results of Lu Qiyuan’s silhouette.

It seemed Lu Man really didn’t invite Lu Qiyuan.

And Wang Juhuai’s actions were so sincere and obviously couldn’t be faked.

Everyone sighed in their hearts, knowing of Lu Qiyuan and Lu Man's relationship and seeing how true Wang Juhuai was to Lu Man.

Her real father wasn't dependable, but at least she had Wang Juhuai. This Lu Man was rather blessed.

How was she not blessed?

Loved by Han Zhuoli, who's such a good and dedicated man. Who knew how many lifetimes worth of good karma was involved in that?

Everyone sighed in their hearts.

If they hadn't known about Wang Juhuai's and Lu Man's relationship, no one would know they weren't a real father-daughter pair.

Wang Juhuai sighed, finally passing Lu Man's hand to Han Zhuoli. "I'm handing Man Man to you. I trust you'll treat her well. But I still got to say, no matter what happens, I'm still her dad!"

"Dad..." Lu Man called gratefully, her tears sliding gracefully down her cheeks.

A reporter at the side in charge of the live-stream quickly asked, "Did you film it?"

Looking at the photos wasn't captivating enough.

Only a video could touch the hearts of viewers.

"Got it."

"Okay, post the video later!"

"Alright."

Everyone watching this no longer had doubts about why Lu Man's called Wang Juhuai "Dad" naturally.

Their affection emerged from their interactions.

How could she distance herself from him when Wang Juhuai was so sincere?

Han Zhuoli held Lu Man's hand, promising Wang Juhuai, "Dad, Man Man's someone I've waited for for a long time. I'll only treasure her and treat her well this whole life."

Wang Juhuai nodded with a sigh. "I believe you."

Lu Man and Han Zhuoli stood together, and looking at them, Wang Juhuai thought they made a perfect pair.

Wang Juhuai got off the stage and returned to his seat beside Xia Qingwei.

Xia Qingwei's eyes were already swollen red from crying.

Wang Juhuai quickly passed her his handkerchief to wipe her tears with.

"I'm not worried that Man Man won't live well. I won't worry about Man Man if she's with Zhuoli. She'll only live more happily." Xia Qingwei sobbed.

## Chapter 2504: Did They Still Want Their Family Fortunes?

"I'm just feeling sentimental. My daughter's all grown up now. She used to be so small, like a tiny bundle. The memory's still clear as day in my mind, as if it was just yesterday.

"And Man Man grew up so quickly." Xia Qingwei dabbed at her tears. "She had suffered so much in the past, so she'll live twice as happily in the future. The two of us seemed so lost in the past, we couldn't even imagine a day like this."

Xia Qingwei smiled through her tears. "Who knew that one day, Man Man could marry a man she loves and not be controlled by the Lu family? And her husband loves her, pampers her, and protects her. She's got a husband who loves her, as well as good in-laws."

Xia Qingwei looked at Wang Juhuai. "And now, she's got a good father like you."

Someone who could be respected and seen as a role model, as her father.

Wang Juhuai held Xia Qingwei's hand and gently wiped her tears away.

Both turned towards the stage.

Han Zhuoli and Lu Man had finished exchanging their vows and were now swapping rings.

Han Zhuoli did not make any moving promises to the bride like people do in many other weddings.

Vows like they'd treat her well forever and such.

Because there was no need for it.

Han Zhuoli and Lu Man had long since used their actions to prove their feelings for each other, no need for words.

Much less speaking them for others to hear.

But even without words, the guests could feel the love between the two.

Even the netizens watching from the screens knew how good Han Zhuoli treated Lu Man.

The two didn't need flowery words to make themselves and others believe anything.

Han Zhuoli then kissed Lu Man on the lips afterward.

Things were finally settled, from getting the marriage certificates to the wedding ceremony today.

Han Zhuoli stood up straight, looking at Lu Man.

His wife was standing in front of him.

Han Zhuoli's gentle smile appeared on his face.

Wei Wucai, the groomsmen, and Yan Zhiqing with the bridesmaid had nothing else to do and went to sit at their tables.

If this was a normal wedding, the groomsmen and bridesmaids would've been made to drink.

But looking at the members, no one dared to force anything.

The bridesmaids aside, the groomsmen were all from the eight great families.

Chu Zhaoyang and the others were married and so couldn't be groomsmen. Hence, Han Zhuoli had picked the remaining bachelors from the eight great families.

They were from the Wei Family, Zhao Family, and two of Han Zhuoli's brothers.

This was such a magnificent team.

Who'd dare to offend this group of groomsmen?

Did they still want their family fortunes?

The groomsmen couldn't be offended, but neither could the bridesmaids.

Yan Zhiqing was Yan Beicheng's younger sister.

Her brother was watching out for her in this room too.

If it was some other female star who liked drinking, maybe they could have persuaded them to do so.

But not now and not here.

Shi Xiaoya was obviously not a candidate either.

Everyone knew of the cherished daughter of the Shi family.

And with Han Zhuoling at the side, a cold glance from him would make anyone shiver and not think of teasing Shi Xiaoya.

The other three girls didn't have impressive backgrounds.

But the guests were also not tasteless lechers intent on disturbing the bridesmaids.

And with Yan Zhiqing's and Shi Xiaoya's protection, the groomsmen wouldn't sit and do nothing if the ladies got bullied into drinking.

Thus, even those who had some intent on doing so retired their desires.

### **Chapter 2505: Group of Singles**

Thus, the groomsmen and bridesmaids could return to their seats to eat peacefully.

Han Zhuoling and Shi Xiaoya could've gone back to the groom's table.

But Shi Xiaoya felt that there was something going on between Yan Zhiqing and Wei Wucai.

Interested, she dragged Han Zhuoling to their table.

She whispered to Han Zhuoling, "I think there's interesting going on between Wei Wucai and Yan Zhiqing. Let's poke our noses here a bit."

Han Zhuoling: "..."

He reckoned that because Old Mrs. Han always called Shi Xiaoya over for fun, her nosiness for gossip had finally been brought out by the elderly lady.

But since Shi Xiaoya wanted to see it, Han Zhuoling would accompany her.

The moment they sat, Old Mrs. Wei and Old Mrs. Han came together.

The two elderly ladies had just gone to the restroom.

Old Mrs. Wei even swore on the way that she wouldn't be alone with Old Mrs. Han again.

Oh no, rather, she wouldn't hang out with Old Mrs. Han alone again until her grandchildren found their partners.

That old lady was too infuriating!

On the way to the restroom, she had kept boasting of her two grandsons leaving bachelorhood behind.

Old Mrs. Han had said it this way, "Look at our family, we've really been busy recently. After Zhuoli's and Man Man's wedding, we have to start preparing Zhuoling's and Xiaoya's.

"Those two lads, either making me worry by being single at their age or holding their weddings at once."

"Haha." Old Mrs. Wei chuckled drily. "This is a good thing!"

"That's right, it's a good thing," Old Mrs. Han said. "So, regardless of how busy we are, we're happy and hopeful and especially energetic."

Old Mrs. Han paused before chuckling to Old Mrs. Wei. "You just haven't had the chance to experience the energy of being happily busy. But you probably needn't wait long since Zhiqian is not young. He wouldn't be taking years, would he? Should be soon, soon."

Old Mrs. Wei: "..."

She wanted to curse!

This wasn't something that could be solved upon reaching a certain age.

If things were this good, there wouldn't be so many old bachelors!

This bunch of old ladies was too infuriating!

They did not boast of wealth usually, for there was nothing worth mentioning.

Everyone's the same.

But they loved talking about grandchildren who got coupled up, or newborn great-grandchildren.

"Now our family's left with Zhuofeng. But no hurry there, he had only graduated this year. He's still young," Old Mrs. Han said relaxedly.

Old Mrs. Wei controlled her breathing.

*Today's a big day for the Han Family, Old Mrs. Wei told herself. Don't hold it against Old Mrs. Han.*



But before Wei Zhiqian and his brothers found their other half, she shouldn't contact Old Mrs. Han.

They finally returned from the restroom, and she had almost escaped Old Mrs. Han.

Both passed by the table of groomsmen and bridesmaids.

The youngsters saw the two old ladies and naturally greeted them.

Coincidentally, Old Mrs. Wei was moody and saw the group of singles...

Wasn't it a group of singles?

The married ones couldn't be a groomsman or a bridesmaid!

Look at this table of Han Family and Wei Family bachelors!

Old Mrs. Wei felt a headache coming on, seeing Wei Zhiqian and Wei Wucai.

### **Chapter 2506: He was Different from These Singles**

The brothers made up half of the groomsmen!

It's like they were not afraid of others knowing that there were many singles in the Wei Family.

She heard the two brothers greet her.

Old Mrs. Wei then responded angrily, "Bad!"

Wei Zhiqian and Wei Wucai blinked innocently, wondering what had just happened.

Old Mrs. Wei said in an angry tone, "This is a table full of singles. You two are part of this group and you are proud of yourselves? Do you think it's good to be groomsmen? Married people can't be groomsmen! Only singles can be groomsmen!"

Zhao Gushen felt speechless.

If this grandma wanted to scold her grandsons, she should just target her grandsons. Don't hurt the innocent ones!

Zhao Gushen felt as though he was being scolded as well!

Zhao Gushen raised his hand and scratched his nose as he quietly moved away from Wei Zhiqian and Wei Wucai.

Wei Zhiqian: "..."

Wei Wucai: "..."

Han Zhuoling was unhappy. He was not single. How could Old Mrs. Han group him with the singles?

He considered himself different from these singles.

He was not part of this group of singles.

Han Zhuoling, feeling more superior than those singles, held Shi Xiaoya's hands. He lifted Shi Xiaoya's hand up and showed Old Mrs. Wei the engagement ring on Shi Xiaoya's left ring finger.

"Grandma Wei, I am innocent." Han Zhuoling shook Shi Xiaoya's hand twice and said, "I am engaged to Shi Xiaoya. I will be married soon. I am not single."

With this, he stood up, pulling Shi Xiaoya up as well, and he took a step back away from the table.

He then pointed at the table and said, "The remaining people at this table are the singles."

Everybody was dumbfounded.

Old Mrs. Wei: "..."

When did Han Zhuoling change his personality?

Old Mrs. Han exclaimed "aiyo" and clapped her hands. "My grandson is right!"

With this, she dragged Han Zhuoling and Shi Xiaoya while saying, "Let's go. You two should not be at this table. Sit at the main table with me."

"Alright." Immediately, Han Zhuoling nodded, behaving like a good kid.

As he left with Old Mrs. Han, he looked back and waved goodbye to the table full of singles.

Old Mrs. Wei: "..."

Everybody was dumbfounded.

"Hmph!" Old Mrs. Wei scoffed at the singles remaining at the table and said, "Aren't you all proud to be sitting at this table!"

With this, she left.

Everybody was dumbfounded.

They were just here to be groomsmen and bridesmaids! They did not do anything to provoke anyone!

They were innocent victims who were being mocked ruthlessly for no reason at all.

Wei Wucai sneered and commented, "Your big brother is so mean."

Han Zhuofeng thought Han Zhuoling was a little mean as well. How could he have just abandoned them while showing that he was superior for not being single!

Zhao Gushen said in a tone that seemed to be implying that he had been mistreated, "I think I am just an innocent person embroiled in this situation."

He said to Wei Zhiqian and Wei Wucai, "Old Mrs. Wei was scolding you two in the beginning. But then, it affected all of us."

Zheng Yuan and the three were initially outsiders, but they were unexpectedly also scolded indirectly by Old Mrs. Wei.

They did not know whether they should be sad or proud.

It was true that they were singles and they were quite sad about it.

However, they also... felt slightly proud that they could be scolded with the members of the eight great families.

They just did not expect that the people they considered high up in the air could act so down to earth during private conversations.

It felt as though they weren't actually considered superior and high-class by society. They were so friendly and easy to befriend.

"Yes!" Yan Zhiqing agreed with Zhao Gushen as she added, "You two are old single men who are experiencing difficulty with finding a girlfriend. As for the rest of us, we can easily stop living the single life."

### **Chapter 2507: The Pot Calling the Kettle Black**

Wei Zhiqian argued, "How can you say that? I don't mind you saying that you are not in a hurry to get in a relationship since you are young, but don't group Old Zhao with you all.

"He is also an old single man. He should not be in the same category as you guys," Wei Zhiqian explained.

Wei Wucai: "..."

Was that important?

Wei Zhiqian then continued saying, "Besides, is your young age the reason why you are single? You are all single because you can't find anyone! If all you youngsters were unable to get into a relationship, do you think the old ones can find someone?"

Everybody was dumbfounded.

This sharp tongue must be a genetic trait of the Wei Family.

It started with Old Mrs. Wei. Then, it was Wei Zhiqian. Lastly, it was Wei Wucai.

The members of this family were toxic!

Their words could stab you to death.

Most importantly, the words stabbed where it would hurt the most.

Zhao Gushen felt speechless.

He thought he was innocent. He thought the ones being scolded were just the members of the Han Family and the Wei Family.

He, whose surname was Zhao, was innocent.

There was also Yan Zhiqing, whose surname was Yan.

Speaking of that, Yan Zhiqing was also not considered young.

And so, Zhao Gushen secretly gave Yan Zhiqing a gentle jerk and asked, "Do you want to sit at another table? It's all members of the Han Family and the Wei Family at this table. There are too many members of the Wei Family and it's a little dangerous."

Yan Zhiqing gave it some thought and agreed with Zhao Gushen's reasoning. She thought about forcing Zheng Yuan and the others to sit at another table with her.

As the leader of Shadowless in the Mount Lan Compound, Wei Wucai had very good hearing. He had heard everything Zhao Gushen said.

Before Zhao Gushen and Yan Zhiqing could move, Wei Wucai gave Zhao Gushen a glare.

Zhao Gushen felt speechless.

Why was he glaring at him?

Zhao Gushen really felt like this wedding ceremony was just a battlefield.

Wei Wucai said, "My brother is right."

Wei Zhiqian's tongue was too sharp, which was why he didn't even get a chance to show his ability with words.

However, he now knew why Wei Zhiqian could never get out of the single life.

He understood that Wei Zhiqian's situation was no better than his situation when it came to the single life.

If people knew what Wei Wucai was thinking, they would say, "Tsk! So you do know why you have been single?"

"You must find the true reason why you are single. Don't blame it on age and ignore the actual reason," Wei Wucai said with a faint smile.

Yan Zhiqing, being the hot-tempered one, thought to herself, *How could Wei Wucai laugh at me, the young one, when he is so old?*

Was Wei Wucai implying that she was single because no one liked her?

Yan Zhiqing suddenly stood up.

The atmosphere she emanated caused everyone at the table to feel fear.

Zheng Yuan and the other two quickly hugged each other, forming into a circle as they muttered, "Seni... Senior..."

However, their voices were too soft and Yan Zhiqing did not hear them.

Zhao Gushen secretly moved away from Yan Zhiqing.

This table was a battlefield and it was not safe at all.

Yan Zhiqing suddenly leaned close to Wei Wucai, ensuring that their faces were positioned on the same level.

She then pointed at herself on the nose and said, "Look at the face of Yan Zhiqing, your better! Do I look like someone whom no one likes? There are many who pursue me. I am single because I don't like any of them. Do you understand?"

Yan Zhiqing tilted her chin up and said, "Don't put me in the same category as you. I am not of the same level as you. You are the one who is finding it difficult to get out of the single life."

If Wei Wucai wanted to get out of the single life, he would need to watch his mouth first.

However, considering how things had played out at this table, it would be very difficult for him to guard his mouth.

Yan Zhiqing pursed her lips as she thought, *How could Wei Wucai laugh at me?*

This was basically the pot calling the kettle black.

Wei Wucai tapped the table twice and said, "You better keep your voice down. Not only are there reporters here, but there are also many guests. They are looking at you as you point at yourself on the nose and call yourself my better. Do you not care about your image?"

#### **Chapter 2508: Does the Food Taste Bad or Do I Look Bad?**

"..." Yan Zhiqing froze. She still had to take care of her image. She swung her hand and sat down. "Hmph!"

Although Shi Xiaoya followed Han Zhuoling back to the men's main table, her attention was still on Wei Wucai's table.

She did not know what Wei Wucai and Yan Zhiqing were fighting about, but it looked lively.

Han Zhuoling had just picked up some crab meat and placed it on Shi Xiaoya's plate when he saw Shi Xiaoya turning her head and looking at Wei Wucai's table while drinking her orange juice. He said in frustration, "Why do you keep looking at them? Does the food taste bad or do I look bad?"

"Pft!"

Shi Xiaoya did not expect him to say this so abruptly, and she almost spat out her orange juice.

But she could not spit out her orange juice.

So Shi Xiaoya immediately swallowed it.

Then, she choked. "Cough Cough! Cough Cough!"

Shi Xiaoya was coughing nonstop in agony. Tears even came out. The juice went into her nose and it was uncomfortable.

Han Zhuoling immediately patted her back. "What did I say to make you have such a big reaction? You're really..."

Seeing how Shi Xiaoya was so uncomfortable, Han Zhuoling also became worried. He poured her a cup of water. "Endure it for a while. Drink a few sips and you will feel better."

Shi Xiaoya coughed until her throat and nose were painful. She only felt better after she drank a few sips of water.

When the grandma at the same table saw that Shi Xiaoya was alright, she shook her head. She never would have expected that Han Zhuoling would be so bold now.

He could even say words like “does the food taste bad or do I look bad” in such a natural manner, so Shi Xiaoya was not to be blamed for choking on her drink.

Yet the culprit Han Zhuoling still looked innocent and did not think there was anything wrong with his words.

After the wedding, according to tradition, the hotel would give the newlyweds a free room to stay in.

But Lu Man did not want to stay in a hotel.

After going through such a nauseating event, she missed home even more.

She wanted to stay in their house with Han Zhuoli.

In their previous life, Han Zhuoli had stayed alone in the house and remained single until the end of his life.

Whenever Lu Man thought about the emptiness of the house during the time when she was floating around Han Zhuoli as a ghost, she would get flashbacks of the time when she was in this house.

When Han Zhuoli was sitting alone on the couch, she would get flashbacks of herself and Han Zhuoli sitting on the couch and watching television together.

However, the two rarely sat down properly. Sometimes, Han Zhuoli would lie on her shoulder or her lap and Lu Man would sometimes lean in his arms.

However, during the life in which she fell unconscious, Han Zhuoli was the only one that she kept thinking about.

When Han Zhuoli sat in the dining room to eat, Lu Man would get flashbacks of herself sitting opposite Han Zhuoli in the dining room.

She would get flashbacks of herself chatting and joking with Han Zhuoli. She saw herself talking to Han Zhuoli. Such a warm scene. So different from the cold scene of Han Zhuoli being alone.

When Han Zhuoli woke up in the morning and went to the dressing room to pick his clothes, tie, and watch, Lu Man thought of how she went to the dressing room with him every morning. She would even touch him accidentally while changing sometimes.

Every time she touched him, he would pull her into his arms.

He would do that while saying, “You are flirting with me early in the morning.”

He would say that while kissing her.

In every corner of Han Zhuoli’s house, there was a memory of them.

The more she watched Han Zhuoli being alone, the more flashbacks of them being together emerged. These flashbacks were unstoppable.

Therefore, when Lu Man had woken up, she wanted to stay at home whenever possible. The house was a place filled with memories of her and Han Zhuoli.

### **Chapter 2509: Next to Each Other**

But the two had to return to the hotel room to get changed.

Lu Man also had to remove her heavy makeup, or else she would feel like there was a layer of paste on her face. Her skin could not even breathe.

Lu Man and Han Zhuoli returned to the guest room. Lu Man removed her makeup and took a shower.

After changing her clothes, she felt fresh and relaxed.

“Holding a wedding is really tiring.” Lu Man sat in the front passenger seat. Next to her driving was Han Zhuoli.

“Thankfully, we did not need to prepare a lot for our wedding; most of them were done by others, but it was still so tiring. If we had to prepare everything by ourselves, we wouldn’t have been able to move due to exhaustion,” said Lu Man, slouching on the seat.

Because weddings in the north were always held at noon, after picking up the bride in the morning and having the wedding at noon, it would end in the afternoon.

At night, there would be an appreciation party.

Its purpose was to thank the close friends who came to help during the wedding.

Han Zhuoli and Lu Man would then give Wei Zhiyian and the others, who were groomsmen and bridesmaids, a treat.

During the appreciation party at night, Han Zhuoling and Shi Xiaoya were the first ones to arrive.

Right after, Zheng Yuan and the other two also arrived.

Shi Xiaoya waved her hand and dragged Zheng Yuan and the other two to come with her. All of them then gathered with Lu Man and started chatting and gossiping.

Han Zhuoling already knew that Shi Xiaoya wanted to share what had happened between Wei Wucai and Yan Zhiqing.

Han Zhuoli and Lu Man had been busy during the day because of the wedding, so they had no idea what had happened.

Han Zhuoling sat farther away on purpose and talked to Han Zhuoli, giving space to these best friends to gossip.

Regarding the matter of Old Mrs. Han teaching Shi Xiaoya how to gossip, Han Zhuoling had no comments.

On the contrary, he saw that when Shi Xiaoya was gossiping, she smiled slyly from time to time, and it was adorable.

Lu Man was so surprised and took a breath as her eyes glowed.

Han Zhuoli thought that gossiping was really the best way for best friends to build their relationships.

Even Lu Man, who ranted that she was tired in the afternoon, became energetic after hearing these pieces of gossip.

“You’re saying Wei Wucai and Zhiqing...” asked Lu Man in surprise and joy. She could not even stop herself from smiling. “This is really.... I did not see that coming at all.”

“Hey, hey, hey, I am just guessing, so it might not be true,” Shi Xiaoya explained immediately. “I saw that the interactions between those two were quite interesting. Zhiqing is usually calm, but she exploded whenever she interacted with Wei Wucai.”

Lu Man nodded. “Wei Wucai is not the clingy type.”

“Exactly, but he was so clingy to Zhiqing. It feels just like...” Shi Xiaoya could not find the right words to describe it. “Anyway, you will know when you see them later.”

After a while, Zhao Gushen arrived.

Then, Yan Zhiqing also arrived.

Wei Zhiqian and Wei Wucai were the last ones to arrive.

Because Yan Zhiqing was the last one among the ladies to arrive, she naturally sat at the lower corner among the ladies.

Lu Man and Han Zhuoli sat next to each other, and Shi Xiaoya and Han Zhuoling did the same.

Next to Lu Man were Zheng Yuan, Han Leilei, and Pan Xue.

Yan Zhiqing naturally sat next to Pan Xue.

On the other side of Lu Man was Han Zhuoli, Han Zhuoling, and Shi Xiaoya.

Naturally, Han Zhuofeng sat next to Shi Xiaoya, his prospective sister-in-law. When Wei Zhiqian and Wei Wucai arrived, they sat next to Han Zhuofeng.

In the end, Wei Wucai and Yan Zhiqing were sitting next to each other.

Wei Wucai: “...”

Yan Zhiqing: “...”

After being told about them by Shi Xiaoya, Lu Man could not help but secretly observe Wei Wucai and Yan Zhiqing.

**Chapter 2510: Good Temper**



Lu Man didn't dare to observe blatantly. She could only pretend that she was eating. And so, she ate quietly and did not say anything.

Coincidentally, Shi Xiaoya was doing the same thing.

The two were observing so attentively that they could only eat the food in front of them.

Han Zhuoling and Han Zhuoli thought that they would still be eating even if it was just plain rice in their bowl.

And so, they did their part and put more food on their plates.

Shi Xiaoya and Lu Man did not even know what was on their plates. They were just shoving food in their mouths.

Wei Zhiqian, who was at the side, complained, "You have no idea how sad we were today. All the groomsmen and bridesmaids were sitting together at a table. This was completely normal. Yet my grandma said with a contemptuous tone that we were a group of singles and that this was a table full of singles.

"Brother Ling was so mean. He announced that he was not single and left with Xiaoya." Wei Zhiqian continued with a pained expression, "So what if we were a table full of singles? Are we the ones to be blamed? We don't want to be single either."

Yan Zhiqing felt very speechless as her mouth twitched.

She was thinking that Wei Zhiqian shouldn't use the word "we" if he couldn't find a girlfriend. His use of words made it seem like it was difficult for her to get out of the single life too.

Shi Xiaoya cleared her throat and asked Yan Zhiqing, "Zhiqing, what type of guys do you like?"

Yan Zhiqing didn't hesitate when she answered, "Good-tempered. He must let me win and coax me. When I am angry, he shouldn't be angry. No matter how angry he might be, he should always try to reason with me. He must never leave out of anger."

Yan Zhiqing propped her face on her hands as she said, "I care most about the personality. Besides this, I don't have other requirements."

Wei Wucai lifted his brow as he thought to himself, *The fact that Yan Zhiqing can describe it right away indicates that she has been thinking about it for a long time.*

"What a coincidence! Xiao Cai also wants someone with a good temper," Wei Zhiqian said with a smile.

Yan Zhiqing said with a fake smile, "He has to find someone with a good temper. His sharp tongue can easily piss off a girl. If the girl tolerates him and stays, she must have an extremely good temper. Such a girl is not easy to find."

Wei Wucai took a sip of his beer and said, "Without even thinking, you could describe the type of boy you like. This means you took your time thinking about this. You didn't look like someone who has a heart for marriage."

“Take your bullsh\*t away! If I want to date someone, of course I would have a type that I like. This is not something you need to think about. It’s been decided a long time ago!” Yan Zhiqing said angrily.

“With your hot temper, you would need to find someone who has a very good temper too.” Wei Wucai sighed and said, “It would be very hard for you too.”

“You don’t have to worry about whether or not I’ll be able to find a boyfriend.” Yan Zhiqing went “hmph” as she argued.

Wei Wucai laughed and said, “I will find my gentle and cute girl.”

Yan Zhiqing could only laugh in response to his statement.

Wei Wucai laughed as well.

Lu Man was trying to watch both of them at the same time. Her one pair of eyes was not enough for this observation of two individuals.

She whispered to Shi Xiaoya, “They are basically enemies.”

“But they are quite funny and playful, aren’t they?” Shi Xiaoya said with a happy smile.

Lu Man thought about it and agreed as she continued watching the interaction with Shi Xiaoya.

When the appreciation ceremony ended, everyone left, one after the other.

Because they all drank, they were picked up by their drivers.

As Wei Wucai was rarely in B City, he did not have a driver.

Wei Zhiqian then sent Wei Wucai back to his place before he went home.

Wei Wucai came out of the car and stepped past the gate of the villa. As he walked into the courtyard, he noticed that the lights in the house were still on.

However, it wasn’t very late as it was only around 9 PM. It would be normal if his parents were still awake.