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Chapter 3181: Give Them a Taste of How It Feels to Have Your Secrets Exposed

She had to ensure that she would not be loathed by her current sponsor.

And so, she didn't dare to contact Luo Yonggang.

But she didn't expect those pictures to get out in the public.

"It's all a misunderstanding!" Lu Xiuse said hurriedly. "You know that I am dating someone. It's impossible for him to be your dad. If I was really your dad's mistress, I could have just asked your dad for help when this unfortunate thing happened. Why would I ask you?"

"The pictures came out. You were wearing clothes for different seasons, yet you are still lying to me?" Luo Qingxian said. "If this is the case, you should go ask my dad for help! I am incapable of helping you! I see you as a friend, but you are trying to become my stepmother?"

With this, Luo Qingxian hung up the call.

Honestly, she might have sounded angry, but she was not actually that mad.

She was just taking this opportunity to refuse helping Lu Xiuse.

If she didn't help her, Lu Xiuse might then turn around and criticize her.

Lu Xiuse would have no choice but to seek out her sponsor for help.

Even if her sponsor would temporarily not be providing her any work opportunities, he wouldn't watch Luo Yonggang, who was his business partner, get involved in matters related to her.

Actually, even if Lu Xiuse didn't say anything, Luo Yonggang would say something.

But Lu Xiuse wanted to take this opportunity to express her loyalty.

It was just as she had expected. Her sponsor wouldn't just watch these series of events unfold without doing anything. The moment he got her phone call, he granted her request.

He even said, "You finally know how to behave well."

Lu Xiuse let out a sigh of relief.

At least for the time being, she wouldn't be abandoned.

However, her sponsor was still not quick enough.

Before this issue was resolved, another set of photos was suddenly released.

The photos were of Lu Xiuse and her sponsor.

There were photos of them hugging and kissing in the room of a restaurant.

Photos of them going into a hotel.

Some of the photos showed them walking into a villa together.

One could tell what their relationship was with just one glance of these pictures.

In addition, the celebrity news social media account that posted these pictures even zoomed in on them and marked the small details.

The things marked were accessories that Lu Xiuse was wearing.

There were earrings, necklaces, bracelets, and rings.

“The necklace and ring are a set of accessories that a brand gifted to Lu Xiuse when she was attending their promotional event.”

“She bought this bracelet last month. The paparazzi followed her to the store and took pictures of her buying this bracelet.”

“The first time this watch appeared on Lu Xiuse’s wrist was three months ago.”

“These were things Lu Xiuse bought this year, which shows that Lu Xiuse started dating Yang Yixin this year. However, Yang Yixin has a wife of fifteen years, a daughter in junior high, and a son in sixth grade.”

“And so, Lu Xiuse and Yang Yixin are not actually dating. It’s just unknown as to whether Lu Xiuse started dating Yang Yixin or Luo Yonggang first.”

“However, according to the pictures, Lu Xiuse must have started dating Luo Yonoggang first. Nevertheless, the sixth picture of Lu Xiuse and Luo Yonggang was taken this year.”

“If the time was calculated correctly, the photo was taken around the same time as the photos of her and Yang Yixin. Clearly, Lu Xiuse is dating both Luo Yonggang and Yang Yixin at the same time.”

“We just don’t know who is being cheated on.”

Immediately, it caused another ruckus online.

True, the netizens were very much aware that many celebrities befriended some wealthy businessmen.

However, as long as those celebrities weren’t being reported for doing such things, they could still do a good job at maintaining their public image.

However, the moment they were exposed, the netizens, who were already aware of these things, could still feel disappointed.

“I thought it was disgusting enough when photos of Lu Xiuse accompanying men for drinks got leaked. This recent piece of news is incredible.”

“Lu Xiuse did so much shit, but she doesn’t feel ashamed to slander Yan Zhiqing.”

“Wait, aren’t you all curious about Luo Yonggang and his daughter Luo Qingxian?”

This comment opened up a new topic.

Immediately, many news articles about Luo Qingxian appeared online.

The articles reported that Luo Qingxian wanted to build her public image as a socialite and intended to advance into the entertainment industry.

“How can she call herself a socialite? Could any rich second-generation heir call themselves socialites? The term socialite gets used so much that it is going to lose its meaning.”

While information about Luo Qingxian was being leaked, someone immediately posted another bunch of pictures.

They were pictures of Luo Yonggang, Yang Yixin, and Lu Xiuse eating together.

At the dinner table, Yang Yixin and Luo Yonogang were both touching Lu Xiuse.

Both of them showed no caution. Each was holding one side of Lu Xiuse’s face and kissing it.

The picture was disgusting.

“Damn. That’s hardcore. Perhaps the three did the nasty together?”

“There must be some powerful figure targeting Lu Xiuse.”

“Lu Xiuse is not the only one being targeted. Don’t forget who Luo Yonggang is. He is Luo Qingxian’s father. Lu Xiuse and Luo Qingxian both slandered Yan Zhiqing. So much information on Lu Xiuse has been leaked that she is pretty much naked in the public’s eyes. But you must not forget about Luo Qingxian. Luo Yonggang is now involved in this matter because Luo Qingxian is the final target.”

“The people behind this are very particular. They didn’t leak any news about Luo Qingxian. If Luo Qingxian’s secrets were dug out as well, she would not appear this innocent.”

“Are all these news leaked not personal information?”

“Personal information? It’s not like these pictures were taken secretly within closed doors. People have seen them like this in public before. Back then, news about this might have been taken down, but now, they have resurfaced.”

“This person had leaked so many things we did not know about. Powerful! Amazing!”

“Luo Yonggang deserves this. It’s his fault for having fun outside. And now, his mistress is cheating on him.”

“She might not be cheating on him. Don’t you see how much fun the three are having?”

“Absolutely immoral. This is unbearable. Do these people have no shame?”

At this moment, at the set of the movie “Left Right” ...

Wei Wucai had handed over all of his work to his five subordinates.

Actually, he didn’t have to do most of the work. The people he had brought onto the set could easily handle those tasks.

If it wasn’t for Yan Zhiqing, he wouldn’t have had to come.

Yan Zhiqing was not filming. She was practicing her lines, so Wei Wucai chose not to disturb her.

He sat alone in the corner, wearing Bluetooth earbuds.

“Leader Wei, we have posted all the information.” A team member from the Shadowless group at the Mount Lan Compound was communicating with him through the earpiece.

“I saw it,” Wei Wucai said. “Well done.”

“We still have so much information on them. I sent all of them to you. Should we continue leaking their information?” the person asked.

“Keep it going,” Wei Wucai said ruthlessly. “They love exposing people’s secrets, don’t they? Then we will give them a taste of how it feels to have your secrets exposed.”

Chapter 3182: Incapable of Fighting Back

However, every rumor they spread about Yan Zhiqing was fake.

The news about Lu Xiuse and Luo Qingxian were true.

Wei Wucai stared at his laptop screen, which showed all the information about Luo Qingxian and Lu Xiuse that his teammate had sent him.

The news about Luo Qingxian mentioned the time when she was in college. She participated in many events and competitions and used her family’s money to force those stronger competitors out of those events and competitions.

These events and competitions were recorded in her resume. If people saw her resume without knowing anything, they would think that Luo Qingxian was a very impressive person.

Not only did she start from a point further down in the cycle of the race, but she was a smart and talented girl who worked hard. She was basically a winner in life.

As for those students who had been unfairly forced out of those events and competitions, they obviously felt bitter.

However, they eventually had to just suck it up because of different kinds of pressure.

Luo Qingxian thought that she did a good job at being secretive and that no one knew about it.

She had sealed the mouths of those people who had been wronged by her.

It had been so many years and not one of them had said a single thing.

Even she herself had forgotten about the disgusting things she had done.

She would read about those achievements of hers on her Wikipedia page and think that she had really worked hard to get them.

She had no idea that the Mount Lan Compound was recording everything.

Wei Wucai swiped his fingers on the trackpad of his laptop, causing the screen to scroll downward.

There were pictures of Luo Yonggang with other women at the bottom.

Wei Wucai took a glance at all the pictures and realized that there were a lot of women.

Celebrities of different rankings and some models could be seen in the pictures.

However, these people had nothing to do with this and had done nothing to provoke him.

And so, Wei Wucai decided not to cause them any trouble.

He had no intention of exposing these people.

If these people became famous, these things would become part of their dark past.

There were some who were currently very popular. They simply had not been this famous back when they were dating Luo Yonggang.

If this news about them leaked out, their career would be severely affected.

Wei Wucai had no intention of causing trouble to those people who had never done anything to provoke him.

Therefore, even though it would cause a huge impact on the Luo Family if he were to release those photos, Wei Wucai did not do it.

Instead, he did some things and sent the information about Luo Qingxian taking the places of other students to his teammates.

“Expose these to the public,” Wei Wucai said.

Luo Qingxian had yet to resolve the matter concerning Lu Xiuse.

She was on her way to ask Mrs. Luo what they should do about this.

It was one thing to have another woman outside of marriage, but quite another if that woman was Lu Xiuse. The thought of it made Luo Qingxian feel disgusted.

Didn't Lu Xiuse threaten her?

If Luo Qingxian refused to help, she would tell the public that she was involved in this.

Although she had taken this opportunity to end her friendship with Lu Xiuse, there was still a chance of Lu Xiuse giving up on everything and exposing all the things she did to the public.

And so, Luo Qingxian wanted to discuss this with Mrs. Luo before Lu Xiuse did anything.

Since the relationship between Lu Xiuse and Luo Yonggang became known publicly, Mrs. Luo probably won't forgive Lu Xiuse easily!

Luo Qingxian prepared herself and went out with her phone and bag.

She did not live with her parents as she didn't think she would feel as free living with them. Therefore, she had moved out and was living by herself.

While looking down at her phone, she walked to the entranceway. She was changing her shoes when something new popped up on her newsfeed.

Someone had posted about how she had robbed other students of their places in events and competitions while she was in college.

In addition, she did this more than one or two times. She had done this so many times during her four years in college.

Her resume had indeed become very beautiful with all the things she had added.

However, people hate it when someone forcefully takes other people's places.

Those students whose places had been robbed by her were people with ordinary backgrounds. They were students who could only rely on their own effort to rise higher and to create a better future for themselves.

If their family had connections or power, why would they have allowed Luo Qingxian to bully them like this?

Most of them could only rely on schooling to create a better future for themselves.

They studied hard and managed to get themselves accepted into a prestigious college.

After all, Luo Qingxian's school had to be a prestigious college so that she could get more respect from others.

While they were in college, they tried to participate in so many activities so that more things could be included into their resume.

If possible, they would have gotten their masters and their doctorate degree.

They wanted to try their best to create a better future for themselves.

Yet these hardworking students had had their places robbed by Luo Qingxian.

These places in activities and competitions, as well as experiences, were extremely precious to these students, but they were irrelevant to Luo Qingxian.

She didn't actually care. She just wanted to build a good reputation for the future's sake.

Vanity had made her ruin someone else's future.

If she had done it on her own, there would have been no complaints. If she had done it on her own, the others would have accepted that they were not as good as her. In this case, having a good family was no indication that she didn't deserve it or that she should give the place away to someone else.

However, she was incapable and had only achieved it cunningly.

It was very dreadful of her to use inappropriate methods to take things that she didn't actually view as important but were extremely precious to other people.

This was especially so for the netizens who represented justice. When they saw this, they were immediately filled with such righteous indignation.

All of them moved to her page and started leaving berating comments.

Initially, Lu Xiuse had wanted to tell the public what Luo Qingxian had done. It started with the both of them doing this together, with Luo Qingxian being the instigator.

But now, something bad had happened to her. On the other hand, nothing happened to Luo Qingxian.

How could Lu Xiuse endure this?

She didn't think it was fair.

But before she even did anything, someone else had already done something to attack Luo Qingxian.

Lu Xiuse could easily tell that all these things that had happened were done to target both her and Luo Qingxian. These things were obviously part of Yan Zhiqing's revenge.

If not, why would she be the only one exposed to the public when Luo Yonggang had dated so many women?

She knew that many of the famous celebrities in the industry today had dated Luo Yonggang before.

Lu Xiuse gave it some thought and decided not to do anything since someone had already exposed Luo Qingxian's secrets to the public.

If people read the news she intended to release to the public, they would know right away that she had been the one who had hired someone else to release this news.

After what happened with Yan Zhiqing, Lu Xiuse now realized that she should leave room for mercy.

Just in case Luo Qingxian acquired evidence against her and used it to ruin her life even more.

As of now, she was incapable of fighting back.

If there was no need for her to personally ruin Luo Qingxian's life, she would try not to do it herself.

Luo Qingxian stared at her phone. Her hands were trembling.

Who did Yan Zhiqing hire to plot against her!

How did she even find secrets from such a long time ago!

Luo Qingxian changed her mind. Instead of looking for Mrs. Luo, she went directly to the office to see Luo Yonggang.

Now, it would be of no use to seek out Mrs. Luo for help to resolve this issue. Luo Yonggang had to be the one to solve this.

Chapter 3183: Is There a Need to Make Such a Big Deal Out of This Small Matter?

Luo Qingxian hurriedly drove to the company.

When she arrived at Luo Yonggang's office door, she saw his secretary and employees appearing very nervous.

When they saw her, they immediately greeted, "Miss Luo."

"Is my dad in there?" The moment Luo Qingxian asked this question, she heard an argument from inside the office.

"Luo Yonggang!"

The secretary whispered, "Mrs. Luo is here as well."

Luo Qingxian pursed her lips. Her family had embarrassed themselves even at the company.

Luo Qingxian hastily pushed open the door and stepped inside. She immediately saw Mrs. Luo, whose face was flushed with anger.

There were files scattered on the ground.

When Luo Yonggang saw Luo Qingxian, he immediately asked, "Why are you here?"

"Why else? It's because of the shameful things you have done!" Mrs. Luo said angrily. "Lu Xiuse and Qingxian are friends, but you did such shameful things with her friend. And you are not embarrassed to ask her why she is here?"

"Luo Yonggang, because of you, both of us feel extremely embarrassed!"

"When you first started fooling around outside of this marriage, I was mad and would argue with you. But I endured it all for Qingxian's sake. When we were out in public, I still pretended as though we were a loving couple.

"Later on, I finally realized something. You did something that hurt me and that is your fault. I can't torture myself for that. My anger and the issue of internal imbalance due to anger do not affect you at all. Instead, my body is the only thing that is being affected by this anger.

"Therefore, as long as I don't find out about it, I pretended as though they never happened. I lived my life happily. However, because of what happened between you and Lu Xiuse, everyone in this nation now knows about it.

"They are not stupid. They know that if you were able to date Lu Xiuse, you were definitely dating other people as well. And now, everyone who looks at me knows that I have been cheated on. Their expression when they look at me shows that I am a joke.

"Luo Yonggang, how can Qingxian and I show our faces in public anymore!"

"I only had fun with Lu Xiuse a couple of times. She is not my mistress." Luo Yonggang raised three fingers to the sky and swore to the heavens. "At that time, Lu Xiuse and Qingxian weren't interacting much. How could I have known that they would become friends? Am I the kind of person who would have a long-term mistress? If I had such money, I would just spend it on myself. Why would I spend it on women!"

This was the reason why Mrs. Luo had turned a blind eye to what Luo Yonggang was doing.

Luo Yonggang was very stingy.

Although he was the CEO of a big company, he was very selfish. He could never tolerate other people spending his money.

In his opinion, if he had money that he could spend on others, he would rather spend it on himself.

Fortunately, he wasn't as stingy to his wife and daughter.

This was why Mrs. Luo had stopped quarreling with him.

Mrs. Luo would never tolerate it if Luo Yonggang was supporting other women with the family's money.

"The matter concerning me and Lu Xiuse happened a long time ago, but no one posted about it. Why did they post it now?" Luo Yonggang was not stupid.

He stared at Luo Qingxian and said, "It's such a coincidence that you and Lu Xiuse had your secrets exposed to the public after you and Lu Xiuse played tricks on Yan Zhiqing.

"Not only were the pictures of me and Lu Xiuse leaked out, but there were also news articles about you stealing other people's opportunities when you were in school.

"That was done so covertly. Besides the people involved, no one knew about it. In addition, we have bribed those people already. But now, even without those people, they still managed to find the files and the GPA rankings.

"They are obviously targeting you. They want to ruin your life." Luo Yonggang continued, "Actually, you are the reason why this happened to me. If they weren't targeting you, why would they have exposed my secrets to the public as well?

"And did you both notice that it only mentioned what happened between me and Lu Xiuse?" Luo Yonggang sneered and said to Mrs. Luo, "You know this. I have many women. Lu Xiuse is not the only one."

Mrs. Luo was furious. "Is this something to be proud of? How can you say that with such pride and such confidence? Don't you feel embarrassed?"

"I am speaking the truth. Calm down and listen to me," Luo Yonggang said. "I have had relationships with many women. They could even find Qingxian's dark past during her time in college. It's impossible for them to not have found out about the other women I have dated.

"But they didn't even post anything about that. They only posted the things that were related to Lu Xiuse and Qingxian. It's obvious that they are targeting Lu Xiuse and Qingxian. Therefore, I got involved in this because of them."

He then said to Mrs. Luo, "The reason why you got shamed this time is because our daughter had nothing to do and went to cause Yan Zhiqing trouble.

"Did you think you can easily make Yan Zhiqing's life difficult? Lu Xiuse was stupid. Are you stupid too? Who is Yan Zhiqing? Do you think her brother is useless?"

Luo Yonggang was so angry. "You have really grown up. You dare to provoke even the Yan Family. When you went to mess with Yan Zhiqing, why didn't you think about whether our family was powerful enough to compete with her family? Why didn't you think about asking me?"

"I am telling you, Luo Qingxian, if something bad happened to our family, it would be because of you! Don't come asking me to take responsibility. This is all because of what our good daughter had done!"

"We have pampered you since you were young, which is why you became reckless and did whatever you wanted to do. You didn't even realize your own flaws!"

"Stop blaming this on Qingxian!" Mrs. Luo said angrily.

"Whose responsibility is it? Is it mine?" Luo Yonggang said angrily. "I know you are mad at me for having other women. We can resolve this slowly in the future, but you have to admit that I was not the one who had caused this ruckus."

"Even at this old age, my scandals are being reported to the public." Luo Yonggang patted himself on the face as he said, "I have nowhere to hide my old face."

"If you are afraid of feeling embarrassed, why won't you control yourself? If you hadn't done anything, there would have been no chance of you embarrassing yourself," Mrs. Luo immediately responded.

Luo Yonggang took a deep breath. He sighed and said, "Fine. Fine. Let's just get this over with, shall we?"

No matter how mad Mrs. Luo felt, she knew that Luo Qingxian was indeed the cause of this.

"So now what do we do?" Mrs. Luo asked.

"I am not worried about Qingxian's secret being exposed to the public. Regardless, she is not someone who is working in the industry. All these things happened in the past. Since it happened in the past, there is no way for them to ask her to take responsibility for it. It'll just take time for people to stop paying attention to this. By then, if Qingxian wants to expand her career into the entertainment industry, she would be able to do so without any issues. We will have cleaned up her reputation by then and she can continue growing her career."

"I am just worried that Yan Beicheng will target the Luo Family next."

Mrs. Luo was shocked. "No way! If so, then Yan Beicheng is very petty. Is there really a need to make a big deal out of this small matter?"

Chapter 3184: Very Worried

"Yes. Qingxian and Lu Xiuse were the ones who had provoked Yan Zhiqing. However, this should still stay between the youngsters. It's the children's responsibilities. If the children are fighting, should the parents fight as well? And should they even seek out the child's family for revenge? Isn't that too much?"

"If it only concerns the younger generations, then they should be the ones to resolve it among themselves. When kids fight, the family shouldn't always get involved. They shouldn't cause trouble for

the other kid's family and the company of the other kid's family just because of that. That is bullying!" Mrs. Luo said, unwilling to admit defeat.

"Yes. If they want to bully people, they have the power to do so," Luo Yonggang said. "If Yan Beicheng didn't do anything about this, anyone would have trampled on Yan Zhiqing. If Yan Zhiqing had to solve things by herself without the family getting involved after she got bullied, then no one would be afraid of her. Who would care about her? If her family doesn't protect her when something happens, who would care about her family background? Even the Yan Family would be looked down upon.

"The issue that had happened to Han Zhuoling and his ex-wife was a matter concerning only the younger generations, right? However, the Han Family used the family's power and created a lot of trouble for the Xia family. As a result, the Xia family became what it is today. Do you think our family is more powerful than the Xia family?

"The eight great families value their reputation the most. How could Yan Beicheng watch someone bully his sister and not do anything? Even ordinary families wouldn't have such a good temper, not to mention Yan Beicheng. Anyone who bullies his sister is basically beating his face. How can he do nothing?

"I am just worried that he would punish our family as a warning to other people. By punishing our family, it will warn other people not to bully Yan Zhiqing." Luo Yonggang felt extremely stressed at the thought of this.

He couldn't help but grab his hair and scratch his head.

"This..." Mrs. Luo couldn't be bothered to scold Luo Yonggang anymore. She started panicking. "What should we do? If Yan Beicheng really targeted our family, what are we going to do?"

The Han Family's attack on the Xia family was already a legendary story.

This story had made a huge impact on many people.

When Mrs. Luo thought about what happened to the Xia family, she shuddered in fright.

"What can we do? We can only take Qingxian to apologize to Yan Zhiqing and promise that Qingxian will stay far far away from her. Qingxian will never provoke her again. If that still doesn't soothe their anger, we can give a public apology and let everyone know that Qingxian is scared and has admitted defeat."

"If... they are willing to stop, then I am willing to apologize," Luo Qingxian said. She didn't remain stubborn and didn't refuse to apologize.

She did feel terrified.

She didn't know how Yan Zhiqing had managed to find out about the things she did in college.

She couldn't even imagine what other things she could find.

At her age, she had done more than just a few bad things.

When she could rely on her family to behave in an insufferably arrogant manner, she thought that she was extremely powerful and that no one could win against her.

Because of that, she had bullied many people.

Not only did she hurt them physically, she had robbed their places in competitions, causing mental and psychological damage, which were equally as bad as physical damage.

“Let’s not delay it any further. We should go now,” Luo Yonggang said.

“Now?” Luo Qingxian said in shock.

“What? Do you not want to go?” Luo Yonggang’s face turned cold.

“No,” Luo Qingxian explained. “I was just surprised. Why are we in such a rush? We had just discussed this and made a decision. Don’t we need to make a long-term plan?”

Luo Qingxian continued, “If we rush over there, it will make it seem like we were forced to do so. And I am worried that something bad might happen because we are not fully prepared.”

Luo Yonggang sneered and said, “Are we not being forced to do this? Do we have to wait until Yan Beicheng does something to our family to be considered as being forced? By then, it will be too late.

“In addition, if we are going to apologize, why should we make long-term plans? We are just going to apologize sincerely, list our mistakes, and ask for forgiveness. What plans do you want to make? Unless you haven’t realized your own mistakes?”

Of course, Luo Qingxian had not realized her own mistakes.

In her opinion, this happened because her family was not as powerful as Yan Zhiqing’s family.

Therefore, she lost and had no choice but to yield to Yan Zhiqing.

However, she knew what was the right thing to do. Even if she felt bitter, she was still going to apologize. She couldn’t allow her family to be crushed by the Yan Family.

“Of course I realize what I did wrong. I am deeply aware of it,” Luo Qingxian said immediately. “I will definitely apologize sincerely and not cause our family any trouble. Even if Yan Zhiqing wants me to kneel to her or however she wants to treat me, I will do it as long as she lets our family off the hook!”

She thought that Luo Yonggang would be touched by her speech and her good behavior.

But Luo Yonggang only responded with a nod while saying, “It’s good to think this way, but you shouldn’t think that it would be wrong for you to kneel, and don’t be thinking that you are sacrificing for the family.

“You have to be aware of one thing. The dangers that the family is encountering happened because of you. You are merely paying for the things you did. You shouldn’t make the family pay for what you did. You are not sacrificing for the family. If you hadn’t messed with Yan Zhiqing to begin with, we wouldn’t have had all these things to worry about.

“Therefore, you shouldn’t think that you are sacrificing for the family.”

Luo Qingxian nodded and said, “I know.”

Because of how cooperative she was, she was able to get the family to do many things for her since she was young.

“Alright. If you know, then you should leave,” Luo Yonggang said.

Luo Qingxian didn’t dare to say anything else. The three were just about to leave when...

Urgent knocks sounded at the door of Luo Yonggang’s office.

The knocks were rapid, obviously showing that the person knocking was in a rush.

Before they even said anything, the person who knocked had already pushed open the door and stepped inside.

The person was Luo Yonggang’s secretary.

“CEO Luo.” After the secretary entered the office, he didn’t even bother to greet Mrs. Luo and Luo Qingxian. He said urgently, “Our stocks crashed to a limit-down price.”

The manager also appeared beside the secretary.

“I expected this,” Luo Yonggang said. “Although it will be tough, we should be able to survive.”

As a listed company, their stocks followed the trend of the market.

Whenever the global economy was bad and during a financial crisis, things like this would happen.

But the company had always managed to survive.

Therefore, Luo Yonggang was not very nervous when he heard that the stocks had crashed.

As a corporation, they should be able to survive a crisis like this.

“What else? If it’s just this matter, we shouldn’t be this worried,” Luo Yonggang said in a deep voice.

Chapter 3185: How Would Wei Wucai Not Have Seen That?

The manager said, “Many of our clients have already suspended their collaboration with us. There is a delay on the renewal of contracts that we have already finalized. The clients who have signed a contract with us are holding up the shipment of the merchandise.

“Dong Yi, which has been working with us the longest, always gave us the lowest price in consideration of us being partners for such a long time. However, this morning, when our employees were talking to their employees about renewing the contract and the prices, they refused to give us a confirmation.

“I contacted the manager of Dong Yi and they replied that it was because there has been some adjustment with the company policies. The renewal of our contracts will be put on hold until the new policies have been established. As for the price...

“He refused to be straightforward with me. He just said that we will talk about the price when we renew our contracts.

“We have been working with Dong Yi for a long time. The products they give us are of good quality and the prices are very cheap. In addition, many of our customers overseas want products made by Dong Yi.

“We could seek out other companies and work with them. But then, we would need to restart the whole negotiation. The companies that offer good-quality products charge a higher price as well. It will not be as cheap as the price Dong Yi had offered us. This means that our profit would decrease by a lot.

“Nevertheless, many of our customers overseas do not accept other brands. Some of the customers who have been working with us for a long time will be asking questions if they see that we have changed our parts supplier. They will be asking us to provide them different types of testing data. If that happened, we would be spending a lot of time chatting back and forth, causing yet another delay.

“In addition, some clients used to be willing to work with us, but now, they aren’t even letting us make their products.” The manager sighed and continued, “It’s not yet time for us to finalize our financial report, but I have already asked someone to make a rough estimate. Based on the current situation, I am going to assume that there will be a loss of profit.”

The manager ended, “Anyway, it is going to be a huge loss.”

The manager was aware of why this was happening. The ruckus was all over the Internet.

The manager had experienced so many struggles. He naturally could guess that the person behind this was really targeting Luo Qingxian and Lu Xiuse.

And the person dealing with Luo Qingxian must be Yan Beicheng.

However, judging by the current situation, Yan Beicheng probably had not even done anything, but those people had already distanced themselves from the Luo family due to fear or the optimal chance to please Yan Beicheng.

This would be considered a surrender to Yan Hui Corporation.

Their actions were telling Yan Beicheng that the Yan Family still had the final say even if they were working with the Luo family.

And if Yan Hui could share any benefits in the future, maybe that corporation could keep them in mind.

There was no need for Yan Beicheng to beg for it to happen. Even without him doing so, the others had already done something in cooperation with Yan Beicheng.

The difference between the Luos and the Yans was equivalent to the difference between an ant and an elephant.

To have messed with Yan Zhiqing, Luo Qingxian must be as dumb as a pig.

When Luo Yonggang heard this, he could no longer sit still.

“I will not be explaining why this happened. I am sure you can already guess it,” Luo Yonggang said. “I am going to think of a way to solve this issue. You just have to prioritize keeping Dong Yi with us and deal with the other companies later on. Reassuring Dong Yi is the most important thing to do. You may be excused. We will be going out.”

The manager didn't say anything and went back to do more work.

Luo Yonggang then took Mrs. Luo and Luo Qingxian and headed towards the production set where Yan Zhiqing was filming.

It was soon going to be noon. Wei Wucai put his work aside and immediately went to see Yan Zhiqing.

He realized that he hadn't gotten a single chance to speak to Yan Zhiqing this morning.

He didn't even get to see her.

Wei Wucai thought it was so weird.

They used to see each other every day, from morning until night time.

Even when Yan Zhiqing was filming, he would watch from the side if he had nothing to do.

When she was resting, he would sit down beside her.

If she wasn't busy, he would chat with her. If she was reading her script or practicing her lines with another person, he wouldn't disturb them.

However, Wei Wucai was busy dealing with Luo Qingxian in the morning, so he didn't have time to bother Yan Zhiqing.

And now, he had finally gotten a break from work.

But whenever he looked over at Yan Zhiqing, he would see that she was busy.

She was either reading her script.

Or she was practicing her lines with the other cast members.

If not, she was closing her eyes and resting.

He could not even find a chance to go see her.

Despite the difficulty, he finally managed to finish all his work.

Yan Zhiqing had finished filming all her scenes in the morning, and other cast members were currently being filmed.

Yan Zhiqing finished her work in the morning and could rest earlier.

And so, Wei Wucai immediately headed towards Yan Zhiqing.

Although Yan Zhiqing refused to admit it, Fang Qiaohan knew that Yan Zhiqing was hiding from Wei Wucai.

Therefore, when Wei Wucai was walking over, Fang Qiaohan hurriedly warned, "Zhiqing, Wei Wucai is walking over here."

Yan Zhiqing was initially tired and about to fall asleep, but just as Fang Qiaohan had expected...

The moment Yan Zhiqing heard this, she was fully awake.

She hastily picked up her script. She looked left and right and noticed that Shi Xiaoya was not around.

She couldn't even use Shi Xiaoya as an excuse.

She then saw Wei Wucai walking towards her. If she were to get out of the van right now and left, it would be too obvious.

Yan Zhiqing quickly climbed to the second floor of the RV.

The RV was specially modified.

Back then, when she chose this RV, Yan Zhiqing had hired another designer to modify the interior into something she wanted.

Besides the simple kitchen and the shower in the RV, Yan Zhiqing had also requested for a tiny living room, a couch, and a dining table to be added.

Back then, when she bought this RV, she bought it with the intention of making her life easier when she was filming.

At least she would be able to eat more comfortably during meal times.

And so, Yan Zhiqing had demanded that a dining table be added to the RV.

She wanted a foldable table that could be stored away.

Normally, when the table was folded, it would hang right near the ceiling.

When it's needed, she would put the table down.

All of it was controlled by a remote. It was simple and convenient.

Besides that, the vertical space in the back of this camper van was split into two.

The bottom level was a closet that allowed Yan Zhiqing to conveniently store some clothes that she normally needed to change into.

It was especially convenient in the winter for storage of down jackets and coats.

There was a mattress on top of the closet. It was a small single bed.

There was a very simple staircase on one side of the closet, which made it very convenient for Yan Zhiqing to climb onto the bed.

At this moment, Yan Zhiqing moved as fast as she could from where she was in the RV to the tiny bed on top of the closet.

She placed the script over her face and pretended to have fallen asleep.

Fang Qiaohan was speechless.

It was so obvious. Did Yan Zhiqing think that Wei Wucai would have not been able to tell that this was intentionally done?

Fang Qiaohan could only force herself to step out of the van.

At this moment, Wei Wucui walked over at the same time.

“Is Zhiqing inside?” Wei Wucui asked.

Fang Qiaohan nodded and said, “Yes, but... she is sleeping.”

Chapter 3186: Almost Crashed into Wei Wucui

Fang Qiaohan forced an explanation. “It’s because she slept really late last night, then came to shoot earlier than usual today. She slept for only four hours! And now that she could take a break after the morning’s intense shoot, she’s taking advantage of it.”

Knowing Yan Zhiqing’s circumstance, Fang Qiaohan decided to help her whether Wei Wucui saw something or not.

“She wanted to stay awake and look at the script before lunch, but unexpectedly, she fell asleep pretty quickly,” Fang Qiaohan struggled on.

But the more she explained, the guiltier she felt in front Wei Wucui’s stare.

She could only give a dry chuckle.

Wei Wucui said nothing, his expression unchanging.

But Fang Qiaohan felt particularly stressed.

Did Wei Wucui believe her? Judging from his reaction, it didn’t seem so.

Fang Qiaohan almost gave up and let him into the van.

Only to hear Wei Wucui say, “Then let her rest well.”

Wei Wucui glanced into the van but couldn’t see Yan Zhiqing.

He then turned and left.

Wei Wucui frowned. The niggling doubt he’d had since morning had grown.

Yan Zhiqing was avoiding him.

But he didn’t understand, why was it so?

He recalled yesterday’s events, even going through every single frame of their interaction like it was a movie.

Every second was filtered in Wei Wucui’s brain.

But even so, Wei Wucui noticed nothing wrong he did that would have caused Yan Zhiqing to avoid him.

Even the distance he kept from Yan Zhiqing was a considerate one to avoid making her uncomfortable.

Hence, Wei Wucai felt a bit wronged.

Why was Yan Zhiqing avoiding him?

He thought about it and decided to ask Shi Xiaoya.

In the whole production set, Yan Zhiqing's best friend was Shi Xiaoya.

If there was really anything the matter, Yan Zhiqing would turn to her.

But Wei Wucai felt slightly disgruntled.

He thought he was Yan Zhiqing's best friend.

He was Yan Zhiqing's best "gay pal," after all.

To Wei Wucai, this best "gay pal" status was better than the usual best gal pal.

Anything you couldn't tell a girl best friend, you could tell a gay best friend.

Moreover, it wasn't easy to find a gay bestie.

So by right, Yan Zhiqing shouldn't be hiding from him.

Wei Wucai carried this doubt and turned towards a certain direction.

But after taking a few steps, he saw a security officer walk towards Yan Zhiqing's car.

He then turned back.

Fang Qiaohan was still outside the vehicle.

She was about to greet the guard when she saw Wei Wucai returning.

So she lowered her voice to ask the security officer, "Is anything the matter?"

She paused, then added, "Zhiqing's sleeping."

The security officer understood and lowered his voice as well. "That Miss Luo from last time is here again with her parents."

The security officer knew very well about the things between Lu Xiuse and Luo Qingxian even without going online.

"They wish to see Miss Yan," he continued.

Hearing this, Fang Qiaohan knew it wasn't something for her to decide. "Let me ask Zhiqing."

Wei Wucai quirked a brow.

Why didn't Fang Qiaohan wake Yan Zhiqing when he came?

Now that Luo Qingxian's whole family was here, she was going to wake up Yan Zhiqing?

So this meant he wasn't as important as Luo Qingxian?

Now Wei Wucai was very unhappy.

But this was him being willful.

Were the situations the same?

The Luo family clearly came because of what transpired today.

They naturally wouldn't care about disturbing Yan Zhiqing.

But Wei Wucai did.

Even if Fang Qiaohan wanted to wake Yan Zhiqing, Wei Wucai wouldn't have let her, would he?

Fang Qiaohan also noticed the unhappiness on Wei Wucai's face.

She gave a dry laugh and quickly went into the van.

She griped internally, why did Wei Wucai have to walk so slowly?!

And why did he return after leaving!

Fang Qiaohan hid in the van, and now that Wei Wucai couldn't see her, she heaved a sigh of relief.

She wondered how stressed Yan Zhiqing must be, being so close to Wei Wucai.

Fang Qiaohan approached the wardrobe and tapped Yan Zhiqing, who was on the bed beside it.

"Zhiqing, Luo Qingxian and her parents are here."

Yan Zhiqing sat up, frowning. "Whatever for?"

"Probably to plead with you?"

She continued, "Lu Xiuse and Luo Qingxian were so clearly targeted, even Luo Yonggang was affected. Even if Luo Qingxian is a fool, Luo Yonggang is not. He must know it's because of you."

"But Young Master Yan's really capable, managing to dig out Luo Qingxian's ancient history. Luo Qingxian herself likely couldn't even have expected it. She must have gotten a huge surprise."

"I don't think that was done by my brother," Yan Zhiqing said unnaturally. "It's more likely Wei Wucai."

Fang Qiaohan didn't know Wei Wucai's involvement in the Mount Lan Compound, so she was surprised.

"My goodness. Then isn't he beyond impressive? How did he find out? How much time has passed? Even if he pulled an all-nighter, he worked too fast!"

She went on to ask, "And Luo Yonggang's matter was also done by him?"

Yan Zhiqing had said Wei Wucai found out about Luo Qingxian's stuff.

Though Yan Zhiqing didn't seem like she had proof, her tone of certainty was enough for Fang Qiaohan.

Since Luo Qingxian's issue had been dug up by Wei Wucai, then...

Luo Yonggang's might also have been found out by him.

Indeed, Yan Zhiqing nodded. "Likely."

Yan Zhiqing walked down the stairs. "But let's not talk about this. Since the Luo family is here, let's go and meet them."

"It doesn't matter if they came to plead or apologize, we can't let them into the set. They may not find themselves embarrassing, but I sure think they are." Yan Zhiqing spoke as she walked to the door. "We'll just meet them at the entrance."

By now, she was already at the door.

Fang Qiaohan then remembered that Wei Wucai was just outside.

She was about to call out, "Zhiqing, Wei..."

But it was too late.

Yan Zhiqing already got off the vehicle.

And the moment she got off, she almost collided with Wei Wucai.

Wei Wucai quickly grabbed her by the shoulders and steadied her.

"Be careful."

He stared at her face, checking if she was injured.

Only to see Yan Zhiqing lowering her eyelids and avoiding his gaze.

Chapter 3187: Feeling Much Better

Yan Zhiqing gave a quick smile. "Thanks."

Wei Wucai narrowed his eyes.

He was now sure that Yan Zhiqing was hiding from him.

See how Yan Zhiqing didn't dare or was unwilling to look him in the eyes.

His mere suspicion from before had now been confirmed.

He just didn't get how he had offended Yan Zhiqing.

Wei Wucai released her without further expression.

Yan Zhiqing quickly turned towards the security officer, seizing the chance to blatantly not look at Wei Wucai.

"Luo Qingxian and her family's outside?" she asked.

"Yes. The production crew can't allow them in, so we stopped them outside. But they insist on coming in, creating a scene. We asked them what they wanted, and they said it's something we can't handle and insisted on seeing you," the guard said honestly without further embellishment.

In truth, the Luo family had a worse attitude than the guard had described.

They wanted to apologize to Yan Zhiqing.

But to them, the only apology to make was to Yan Zhiqing and no one else.

They did not even care much for the security officers.

Much less explain themselves to the guards.

Basically, they were snobs.

“Understood,” Yan Zhiqing replied. “I’ll follow you out.”

She went on to explain, “The production crew have their rules. They can’t make an exception for me. And all three wanted to enter at once? Should they create a scene, it would disturb the orderliness of filming. That’s outrageous.

“I’ll talk to them at the entrance. I won’t make things hard for you all.”

The security officer sighed in relief before saying gratefully, “Thank you so much. We won’t know what to do otherwise.”

If Yan Zhiqing had asked for the Luo family to be let in, should they have allowed the three in or not?

They’d have to ask Wu Mosen, and wouldn’t that cause conflict between Wu Mosen and Yan Zhiqing?

What if Wu Mosen became dissatisfied with how troublesome Yan Zhiqing was?

And if, because of this, Yan Zhiqing hated them, how unfortunate would that be?

When he came over, the security officer had been extremely tentative and worried, unable to make up his mind.

Who knew his worries were all for nothing.

Yan Zhiqing was really considerate.

And with this comparison, Luo Qingxian appeared even more detestable.

One was rude and looked down on others.

The other was thoughtful and considerate.

And if one were to talk about backgrounds and families, Yan Zhiqing had a much higher status than Luo Qingxian did.

And if Yan Zhiqing didn’t have the nasty habit of being snobbish, what did the Luo family have to be so arrogant about?

If they were really that good, then don’t come and plead for Yan Zhiqing’s mercy!

With Luo Qingxian’s family as a contrast, the security officer felt that Yan Zhiqing was an angel.

The Luo family utterly had no class.

Yan Zhiqing smiled. "It's nothing. I can't break the production crew's rules. Let's go."

Right then, Wei Wucai said, "I'll go with you."

Yan Zhiqing instinctively turned to look at him.

Now she really couldn't avoid him.

But Yan Zhiqing didn't shy away from Wei Wucai's eyes this time.

She knew it'd be too obvious if she avoided his eyes again.

Hence, she resisted the instinctive urge to look away from him.

"I can go by myself."

Since she had decided to avoid him, she shouldn't owe him too much.

Wei Wucai said impassively, "The Luos outnumber you. Though they're here to ask for mercy, I've got a feeling you'd reject them."

Yan Zhiqing's gaze wavered. Getting her intentions figured out by Wei Wucai was a bit embarrassing.

With a quirk of his lips, Wei Wucai continued, "And then they'd probably keep pestering and harrasing you."

"There are so many security officers around," Yan Zhiqing said.

"They're rather restricted, and I'm a much better fighter than them." Wei Wucai's tone finally got lighter. "I'll also be more assured if I follow you."

Yan Zhiqing finally calmed down somewhat after avoiding him all morning.

Seeing him smile like that, and seeing how protective he was of her, it made Yan Zhiqing's heart skip a beat once more.

She quickly turned around before she could blush.

She then tried to answer in an unaffected voice, "Then thank you."

Wei Wucai had felt wrong all over after not speaking to her all morning.

Now that they'd finally spoken, he finally felt as before.

It was only a morning's worth of time, but Wei Wucai felt it had been a long, long time.

He instantly felt much better after the morning's unhappiness; this was the kind of interaction they should have.

As long as Yan Zhiqing didn't avoid him, he was good.

As Yan Zhiqing walked forward with her back to him...

Wei Wucai seized the chance to take a huge step forward.

Yan Zhiqing's two steps barely matched his single step.

Hence, Wei Wucai quickly followed her.

Yan Zhiqing had no idea he was almost touching her back.

"Alright," Wei Wucai suddenly spoke behind her.

Wei Wucai had even purposely lowered his head, his lips almost grazing her ear.

Much more, he lowered his voice, making it all hoarse and seductive.

Though it was a simple "alright," it had been spoken slowly and delicately right beside Yan Zhiqing's ear.

For a single moment, Yan Zhiqing could even feel the heat from him.

Yan Zhiqing's ears twitched and she suddenly took two massive steps forward.

She also covered her ear with her left hand.

The electric current and ticklish sensation caused by his voice was still buzzing at the tip of her ear.

After dashing forward, she instantly turned around to look at Wei Wucai behind her.

But unexpectedly, he was standing at least five feet away from her, as if he was never near her.

Yan Zhiqing blinked, stunned.

Unbeknownst to her, Wei Wucai had immediately retreated to where he was after speaking.

He was so quick that everyone thought their eyes had played a trick on them.

Hence, when Yan Zhiqing turned around, Wei Wucai appeared as if he hadn't moved an inch and stayed an appropriate distance from her.

"What's the matter?" Wei Wucai even posed a picture of innocence, like he didn't know why Yan Zhiqing had had such a reaction.

Chapter 3188: Didn't See a Thing

"No-nothing." Yan Zhiqing kept her hand up and turned around.

She had a head full of questions.

It felt so real just now. Was it just her hallucination?

Or... was it because she had missed the way they used to talk, and so she imagined this?

Yan Zhiqing couldn't understand. She did really feel it, but what she saw the moment she turned around was totally different.

Seeing Yan Zhiqing's confusion, Wei Wucai didn't explain and pretended that nothing had happened.

Yet all of this had been observed by the silent Fang Qiaohan at the side.

Fang Qiaohan's eye twitched. She debated whether to tell what actually transpired to Yan Zhiqing afterwards.

She felt that if this kept on, Yan Zhiqing would be walking into the traps laid by Wei Wucai.

But if she secretly told on Wei Wucai to Yan Zhiqing, she'd look like a gossipmonger spreading tales about Wei Wucai.

And when Wei Wucai and Yan Zhiqing got together in the future and Yan Zhiqing recalled today, would she think she was trying to ruin their relationship?

Hence, the hesitation on Fang Qiaohan's part.

As she walked towards the entrance, she finally decided not to tell.

This was just Wei Wucai's trick, nothing big.

He wouldn't hurt Yan Zhiqing.

Moreover, it could frankly count as flirting between them.

Who was she to interfere?

Having thought this through, Fang Qiaohan decided to forget what she had witnessed.

Wei Wucai naturally wouldn't dismiss her.

He took in her shock, her indecisiveness, and her calmness.

Shock, because she saw how he had approached Yan Zhiqing and retreated.

Torn, probably on whether or not to tell Yan Zhiqing the truth.

And calm resolve, likely because she had thought things through.

As for what that was, Wei Wucai had no certainty.

But seeing the calmness on her face, it seemed likely she was going to pretend she saw nothing.

Thinking for a moment, he then approached Fang Qiaohan.

Fang Qiaohan saw him and quickly whispered, "I... didn't see a thing. I won't say a thing."

Wei Wucai raised his brow. He hadn't said anything.

Why did she look so afraid of him?

But Wei Wucai was still satisfied, getting the answer he wanted.

As for whether or not Fang Qiaohan was scared of him, Wei Wucai didn't bother with such small matters.

And so they walked like this towards the entrance. Past the gates, they could see the Luo family being blocked outside.

An older couple beside Luo Qingxian was peering in through the gates.

The lady would occasionally vent her anger on the security officers. "You are really making things up to suit yourselves. Aren't you just guarding the gates? Who are you to stop us from entering!"

"We're not some common people. We're also people with status! You think we'd go in to make a scene? We're here to talk to Yan Zhiqing. We don't care about who's inside filming what!"

"You think we rarely see such actors? They're the ones licking our boots. We're not interested in them at all, much less would we leak anything about the filming. We've seen more than enough of this in our daily lives. It's nothing to us!"

"So what need is there for you to stop us!"

"You've never interacted with people of our status, so you naturally won't think about the people we usually interact with. The stars and celebrities you all care about are nothing to us! Us going in won't affect the production crew at all."

The security guards all watched Mrs. Luo's performance silently.

But they'd already rolled their eyes internally countless times.

They'd never seen someone so self-important.

This whole family really treated themselves too seriously.

No wonder Yan Zhiqing targeted them.

If it were up to them, it was best if Yan Zhiqing did not forgive Luo Qingxian.

Seeing their attitude now, it's clear they did not realize their mistake.

They were merely scared and forced to bend their heads to Yan Zhiqing.

And once she forgave them and they had overcome this challenge, they'd surely be acting as before.

This was a family of unreasonable people.

They thought themselves high and mighty and looked down on the security officers, and unknown to them, they were looked down upon by the officers.

Even Yan Zhiqing couldn't stand it and quickly went over.

She first told the security officers, "Sorry for the trouble caused."

"It's fine, it's fine," a security officer quickly answered.

The ones causing trouble wasn't Yan Zhiqing but the three outside.

Seeing Yan Zhiqing, Luo Qingxian was about to open her mouth.

But she saw that Wei Wucai was here too.

Following Yan Zhiqing like a puppy.

But just as Yan Zhiqing was about to exit the gates, Wei Wucai suddenly took a big step and went in front of her.

He blocked Yan Zhiqing like a bodyguard.

Was he afraid they'd eat her up?

Luo Qingxian was furious, her eyes shooting daggers.

If this was in the past, she'd have been disgruntled because she thought Wei Wucai had nothing to his name, not even a proper job. It was only because he rejected her that she clung onto him and refused to give up.

But now, she really had her sights on him.

Knowing Wei Wucai was the boss of the famous Ledepic More made him shine like gold in her eyes.

Wei Wucai wasn't an unaccomplished man anymore.

He was successful, handsome, and rich, and he had the backing of the Wei Family.

Wei Zhiqian even went out of his way to come out and clarify that Wei Wucai was a member of the Wei Family. This showed that he wasn't as invisible to the family as he had originally stated.

Even more so, he was very important, or at least, he had a good relationship with Wei Zhiqian.

If anything happened, Wei Zhiqian would be willing to help him.

Everything changed now that he himself was capable, further supported by the Wei Family.

If she was with Wei Wucai, the eight great families would consider their relationship with the Wei Family should any of them want to target the Luo family.

They wouldn't be as passive as they were now.

Luo Qingxian felt the unfairness.

Yan Zhiqing could be so arrogant precisely because she had the Yan Family, and the seven other families were on good terms with them.

Otherwise, why would the Luo family be bullied?

This was particularly unfair.

So she yearned to be with Wei Wucai even more.

And seeing how Wei Wucai was clearly protecting her now, Luo Qingxian hated Yan Zhiqing even more.

Yan Zhiqing didn't expect Wei Wucai to block her. Raising her eyes, all she could see was his wide shoulders and back.

She couldn't even see the Luo family.

Chapter 3189: This Lil' Wretch

Her view was completely blocked by Wei Wucai.

Yan Zhiqing sighed, lightly poking his back.

Wei Wucai turned, saying, "It tickles."

Yan Zhiqing felt speechless.

Did he want her to scratch his back for him or what?

"You're blocking me," she said.

Wei Wucai was speechless.

This little wretch. Wasn't he being considerate for her safety!

"At least let me see them," Yan Zhiqing said. "You're blocking me so well that I can't even see them."

Wei Wucai was speechless.

He then shifted slightly to the side.

He needn't be so worried, though.

No matter what the three Luos did, Wei Wucai was more than enough to react and deal with them.

But because he cared too much, he was so anxious.

The security officers opened the gates from inside and the couple walked out.

Yes, they could speak through the doors.

However, it would seem like the Luo family was visiting a prisoner.

That's be too weird.

The moment Yan Zhiqing stepped out, Luo Yonggang spoke. "Hello, Miss Yan. I'm Luo Qingxian's father, Luo Yonggang."

Luo Yonggang took out a name card and handed it to Yan Zhiqing.

Before Yan Zhiqing could move, Wei Wucai had already snatched his name card away.

Without even looking or letting Yan Zhiqing read it, he slipped it into his pocket.

He planned to throw it away afterwards.

Yan Zhiqing didn't need to see another guy's name card.

Yan Zhiqing gave a bland greeting. "Hello, Mr. Luo."

Yan Zhiqing knew what Luo Yonggang did. But she wasn't from the business industry, and so she didn't greet him as CEO Luo like the others did.

Why give him face?

"It's our first time meeting. Who could have expected it'd be here under these circumstances? It's truly a regret," Luo Yonggang said. "We specially picked this time, considering it's the early afternoon and your work shouldn't be interrupted. It's lunch time as well."

"Miss Yan, would you do us the honor of having a meal with us?"

"And this must be Mr. Wei. I've long heard of your name. You're really a handsome young man," Luo Yonggang said. "Why don't Mr. Wei join us too?"

Luo Yonggang had no inkling of the one-sided love-hate relationship Luo Qingxian had towards Wei Wucai.

He only thought Wei Wucai and Yan Zhiqing seemed to have a good relationship.

Who knows? They might be dating.

Inviting only Yan Zhiqing wasn't good. It'd make him look selfish and rude.

Moreover, Wei Wucai obviously wasn't thrilled about letting Yan Zhiqing go alone with them.

But Luo Yonggang's suggestion coincidentally met Luo Qingxian's goals.

"It's alright." Yan Zhiqing gave a bland smile. "Our lunch break is very short. Once it's finished, we'll be filming immediately, so it's inconvenient to eat out."

"If Mr. Luo has anything to say, here is fine."

She glanced at the three. "I was about to dig in, but Xiao Liu came to find me unexpectedly and said you all insisted on seeing me. I was told you won't leave otherwise and even wished to force entry."

Xiao Liu was the security officer who went to inform her.

Xiao Liu didn't expect Yan Zhiqing to recognize him and couldn't hide his smile any longer.

"Our production crew's rule is that non-related personnel are unable to enter, no matter how high your status. I can't let others have a hard time just because of my personal affairs, much less trouble Director Wu," Yan Zhiqing said. "So I haven't eaten anything yet and came out."

"You three insist on seeing me, so why don't you cut to the chase? If you're really considerate and think I'm tired from filming, you should let me go back earlier. Who knows? I might still get to eat some hot food. Another 30 minutes and I've got to shoot."

Yan Zhiqing had painted it clearly.

Everyone was busy. It's not that they couldn't eat out but that they had no time to do so.

Luo Yonggang was just talking about how they chose the afternoon break to see her, like they were really considerate.

Thus, Yan Zhiqing directly said that if they were to keep harassing her, it would interrupt her work and make her miss lunch.

And they called this being considerate of her and wanting to apologize?

This was making things difficult for her.

Yan Zhiqing's words clearly erased all good intentions from Luo Yonggang's words.

Luo Yonggang paused, finally appraising Yan Zhiqing fully.

He had never interacted with Yan Zhiqing, so he knew nothing about her.

Before he came, he had assumed Yan Zhiqing was just a young lady.

Though she was in the entertainment industry, because of the Yan Family, she was well-protected and not exposed to the negative side of things.

And nobody dared to bully or take advantage of her, or let her get involved in the dark side of things.

The people who dared to bully her, like Lu Xiuse, didn't they all become nobodies?

Because she had never experienced these hardships, it had always been smooth-sailing for Yan Zhiqing.

Hence, Luo Yonggang thought that Yan Zhiqing was surely a naive girl, inexperienced and easy to deal with.

If she were to really get scared into submission and get taken advantage of, there would be no one to blame but Yan Beicheng for overprotecting her.

Who knew Yan Zhiqing would be a tough nut to crack?

This lass was too wily. A tough cookie.

Luo Yonggang hid his contempt and was still smiling. "My apologies. I didn't think things through.

"It's because I didn't know your job well enough, so I had no idea you all have such tight working schedules.

"Frankly, after knowing this, I should be meeting you on another day, but truly, the circumstances don't allow me to!" Luo Yonggang said with a troubled face.

"So why don't you state your intentions?" Yan Zhiqing said patiently.

Rather than saying all this useless fluff, wasn't it better to hurry and finish speaking and save her time?

Luo Yonggang removed his smile and put on an extremely serious face before saying gravely, "Miss Yan, we're here today to apologize. I know that whoever exposed the news today, mine or Qingxian's, they have to do with you.

"I'm not here to blame you, nor do I dare to, much less create trouble. I even know very well, Qingxian and I are facing such trouble because of Qingxian herself.

"She caused trouble for you and you're merely retaliating." Luo Yonggang continued with a sincere expression, "Indeed, it wouldn't make sense if she kept up her bullying and you did nothing.

"We've got nothing to say about your retaliation, and we take responsibility.

"It's just... our losses are indeed great. Qingxian is being attacked and I..." Luo Yonggang sighed. "I can't face anyone anymore."

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"Indeed, doing those things is wrong at my age, but I also need my face!

"Being the butt of jokes at my age, my family being in chaos, fighting with my wife. I did her wrong, but I want to live my life with her, and I've never thought of divorcing her. I was thinking that no matter how many women I had, my home would always be there. My wife will always be my wife, and no one can replace her.

"She didn't know about those affairs, and now it's all been exposed..." Luo Yonggang wiped his face with regret. "She says she wants to divorce me, and Qingxian refuses to speak to me. My home's in shambles."

Wei Wucai raised his brow. Worried that Yan Zhiqing would be bluffed by him, he said, "Mr. Luo is here to apologize, yes?"

Luo Yonggang was taken aback.

He was here to apologize to Yan Zhiqing, but what's that got to do with Wei Wucai?

Why did he have to cut in?

But he still nodded. "That's right."

"You're here to apologize, yet you're still lying to Zhiqing. Is this the kind of sincerity you show when apologizing?" Wei Wucai said coldly.

Luo Yonggang was upset. "Mr. Wei, I haven't offended you, have I? Why are you maligning me? When did I lie to Miss Yan!"

"You said Mrs. Luo had no idea of your affairs, and she wanted to divorce you. But based on my understanding, it isn't so," Wei Wucai replied.

Luo Yonggang's heart lurched. What did Wei Wucai know?

He heard him continue, "You've been playing outside with countless women, and Mrs. Luo knows this very well."

No matter what, Mrs. Luo knew she had to be on Luo Yonggang's side right now. "Lies! I didn't know a thing! I only found out from today's news."

She snarked, "Things even I didn't know about, how could you know it better than I do?"

Wei Wucai ignored her and turned to Yan Zhiqing. "I have pictures of Mrs. Luo catching him red-handed, as well as of her fighting with Luo Yonggang about those women. The third-party is there too, so I'm not maligning them. There've been quite a few times this happened with different women, and Mrs. Luo caught them in the act.

“But because of how frequent things got, even Mrs. Luo got tired, so she didn’t bother anymore. As long as he kept his affairs away from her eyes and unknown to her, she pretended to be clueless. As long as her status as his wife wasn’t threatened and that Luo Yonggang didn’t give any money to his partners, Mrs. Luo didn’t care at all.

“And hence, both have been living rather peacefully these last few years. Even if it got exposed on the news this time and Mrs. Luo saw it, it’s just a simple fight. After all, this isn’t Luo Yonggang’s first time and Mrs. Luo is long used to it.” Wei Wucui smirked.

“As for divorce, that’s impossible.”

“You... you liar!” Mrs. Luo fumed.

“I believe him,” Yan Zhiqing said. “His words can’t be false.”

Though he knew Yan Zhiqing likely spoke due to her confidence in his reports, hearing her declare her trust in him unhesitatingly made him really happy.

“You... How can you trust him so much? He’s just lying!” Mrs. Luo panicked.

“I just trust him,” Yan Zhiqing said without further explanation.

She didn’t want to expose Wei Wucui nor explain anything to the Luo family.

What’s the use of explaining it to them?

They’re not worthy of hearing it.

Wei Wucui liked her tone even more. He liked her complete and implicit trust in him regardless of reason.

And he knew that keeping the reasons mum was actually her protecting him.

She’s unwilling to reveal his matters.

It felt really good to be protected by her.

But experiencing it was enough. Wei Wucui didn’t want the Luo family to keep harassing her because of this.

Wei Wucui offered, “Because Mr. Luo, your affairs, as well as Luo Qingxian’s, have been exposed by me. I know about not only the exposed news but also about many more undisclosed information.

“Mingcheng Jiayuan residential area. I believe Mrs. Luo is no stranger to that place? Mr. Luo seems to have a habit. As long as he has a new partner, he’d move her there. No matter how many women it has been, how many years have passed, his habit has never changed. In the beginning, didn’t you, Mrs. Luo, go there to catch him in the act?

“Thriftiness is such a rare trait. No wonder Mrs. Luo stopped making a fuss. He’s so thrifty about his expenses that you don’t really care. Isn’t that right?” Wei Wucui smiled.

Mr. and Mrs. Luo’s expressions both changed at once.

They thought he was just spouting nonsense. Who knew he really knew!

“Do I need to report the date and time the first time Mrs. Luo went to catch him red-handed? I can be precise down to the seconds,” Wei Wucai continued.

“No need! No need!” Mrs. Luo instantly said.

Even if she hadn’t opened her mouth now, Yan Zhiqing would have known from their expressions.

Yan Zhiqing seized the chance to speak. “I see how you lied to me!”

With that, she turned and made to leave.

Luo Yonggang didn’t dare touch her, but Mrs. Luo made a grab at her.

But she was instantly blocked by Wei Wucai.

Wei Wucai actually knew so much about them, and they didn’t know how much more he knew.

Mrs. Luo was truly afraid of him.

Hence, even if she was stopped by Wei Wucai, Mrs. Luo didn’t dare to say anything to him.

“Miss Yan!” Luo Yonggang quickly said. “Qingxian is here today to apologize!”

“Just now... I might have exaggerated slightly, but it’s to earn your forgiveness. We don’t mean any harm. After I found out what Qingxian had done, I had reprimanded her at once.

“She also knows she’s done wrong and is here to apologize. Miss Yan, please forgive her this once. I swear there won’t be another time.”

Luo Yonggang turned to his daughter. “Quick, say you’re sorry!”

Luo Qingxian didn’t show any unhappiness; no matter what, they had to get over this hurdle first.

The future was long.

Hence, she bowed without hesitation. “Miss Yan, it’s my fault. I shouldn’t have ganged up with Lu Xiuse and targeted you. I swear, there won’t be a next time. Whether by myself or with others, I won’t cause you trouble again. I’ll stay far away from you and leave you alone.”

She continued, “Miss Yan, please forgive me this once.”

“Alright, I forgive you.” Yan Zhiqing nodded.

Even Luo Yonggang was stunned. Yan Zhiqing was unexpectedly decisive?