

Priceless Baby 1691

Chapter 1691: He Already Made His Plan Beforehand

Little Tieniu didn't understand what the king was talking about and looked at him in confusion.

It was only after Jing Xi read this letter that she suddenly looked in shock at the man kneeling and Little Tieniu. Oh god, the letter Niuniu's dad wrote said that Little Tieniu was actually the little prince's older twin brother.

It turned out that Little Tieniu was also the king's son who had been swept away to Starstan three years ago in an accident.

Oh god...

Jing Xi almost fainted from shock after she read the letter. She really hadn't known she had been living with the king's younger brother and son all this while.

The Little Tieniu that had been calling her mom every day was actually a true and proper little prince.

The words Niuniu's father said last night about asking her to live in the palace...it seemed he already made his plans beforehand.

She remembered that he even said he wanted to send Niuniu to live somewhere better. The place he implied was probably the palace. There were already signs back then, it was just that she never noticed.

Huo Yunshen also stood up after she finished reading the letter. He said to her, "Jin Xiaoxi, you should understand now, right? Niuniu is my son, I need to bring him back to the palace. As for you... you can also come with him."

Huo Yunshen had already promised Mo Yutian he would take care of Jin Xiaoxi for the rest of her life so he would definitely do it.

Jing Xi shook her head, she knew very well that the king hated her very much. She would only cause him to become unhappy if she went so it would be better if she didn't. Living here was quite nice.

"Your majesty, as this is the case, then you should bring Niuniu back! I won't go and will keep on living here."

Jing Xi wanted to wait until Niuniu's father returned. She didn't believe he would just leave this letter and leave without saying goodbye.

Huo Yunshen saw that she didn't want to go so he didn't force her. He said, "I can give you a special privilege so that you may enter the palace whenever you wish in the future."

Huo Yunshen needed to reexamine Jin Xiaoxi right now. Just by the fact that she selflessly raised his son on his behalf showed that there was no way she would be a bad person.

Could what happened in the past all just be misunderstandings?

He gave her a royal medal of the Dragon Kingdom. It symbolized the privilege to pass through checkpoints.

Jing Xi took the medal. When she saw the drawing of the sun on the medal, a flash of light appeared in her head. It was as if something passed by in front of her eyes but she couldn't remember what it was.

"Thank you, your majesty. I will keep it well."

Jing Xi held the medal in her hand and thanked him.

"Niuniu, go home with dad!"

Huo Yunshen wanted to lead Little Apple away but Little Apple was not willing to part with his mother.

"I don't want to! I want my own dad! I want mom!"

He already couldn't find his dad and now the king suddenly said he was his father. It was difficult for him to accept this.

He broke free of Huo Yunshen's hand and ran back into Jing Xi's embrace, holding her tightly. "Mom, let's go find dad, okay?" Dad wouldn't abandon us!"

Jing Xi didn't know what she should do. Huo Yunshen stood at the door and looked at his son. When he saw how far apart he was from him, he couldn't help but feel sadness in his heart.

At the same time, he also understood why, before Mo Yutian left, he had repeatedly explained to Huo Yunshen that he needed to bring Jin Xiaoxi back to the palace. It was only she who could calm Little Apple.

"Jin Xiaoxi, why don't we go there together! If you don't go, Niuniu definitely also won't go."

In the end, Hou Yunshen gave her an invitation.

Jing Xi thought about it. He definitely needed some time to slowly get used to it. That's why in order to help this wandering little prince go home, she needed to at least accompany him back.

Chapter 1692: A Dream Come True

"Okay!" Jing Xi nodded as she stood up. "But I have to pack our stuff first."

"You can leave it. Everything in the palace is better," Huo Yunshen said, knowing that he could provide them with the best things.

"Thank you, but I still have to bring things that Niuniu is used to using or else he will get really uncomfortable with the new environment."

"All right."

Jing Xi did some light packing and took Little Apple into the palace's limousine.

The happiest to see Jing Xi and Little Apple arrive was Little Grape. He had been nagging Lan Yi to bring him to meet them, so when they came to him, he was really excited.

Lan Yi had already heard everything from Huo Yunshen. When she saw Little Apple, she immediately picked him up and hugged him tightly.

“Who could've thought that our prince was still alive... Thank God...”

Lan Yi always had a feeling that Xiao Tieniu resembled the king a lot but never voiced her thought because the king was still in pain.

Lan Yi turned to Little Grape and said in tears, “My prince, look! This is your brother!”

“What brother? I don't have a brother.”

Little Grape was dumbstruck.

“You do. Your brother was with you in your mother but you were separated when the two of you were born.”

Little Grape was still confused, unable to grasp what was happening. But he was happy that Niuniu could become his brother, as he had been wishing for it.

“Brother Niuniu! Did you hear that? You're my real brother now!” Little Grape exclaimed.

Little Grape hugged Xiao Tieniu who had just come down from Lan Yi's arms.

But Xiao Tieniu wasn't happy.

“Brother Niuniu, aren't you happy?”

“I'm worried that my daddy won't be able to find me if I'm here...”

Little Apple still had no idea that Mo Yutian had already left. He still thought that he was just playing for a while at the palace and would eventually go back before night.

“Don't worry about that! My daddy can call your daddy!” Little Grape comforted.

The two little boys still could not understand that they were actually twins and not from two different families.

Jing Xi then stopped in front of them and started to explain everything to them in an easier way.

“Little Prince, Niuniu, you both have the same mommy and daddy. Niuniu, Uncle King is your real daddy. This will be your home from now on.”

“Then where is my daddy?”

Little Apple still could not understand the situation and started to cry.

No matter how much the adults tried, they could not calm him down.

They could only hope that time would make him feel better.

In the end, Little Apple fell asleep, as he was worn out from crying.

Jing Xi's room was still the same, next to Little Grape's room.

Jing Xi returned to the palace, not as a nanny or a guest, but as the foster mother of the princes.

Huo Yunshen even prepared Little Apple's room before he arrived, setting it up just opposite Little Grape's room.

Chapter 1693: A Shred Of Hope

In order to keep Little Apple company at night, Jing Xi slept in his room. Little Apple slept deeply while in her embrace. At this time, she felt the door open, and a stream of light shot into the dark room.

Jing Xi turned her head and there was a bright light coming from a small nightlight. She saw Little Grape sneaking in while wearing pajamas, standing on the carpet with his bare feet.

“Is it you, little prince?”

“Auntie Xiaoxi!”

“Why haven't you gone to sleep?”

“I wanted to sleep with you like big brother Niuniu, can I?” Little Grape rubbed his bare feet against the floor, showing he felt slightly nervous about getting rejected.

“Of course, get in!”

After the little fella received permission, he quickly ran over and used the bed guardrail to climb up.

And so, Jing Xi had a child on both sides in her embrace.

In order to get Little Grape to fall asleep, she started to tell a story. Little Grape listened earnestly to the story while in her embrace.

Walking in the corridor outside, Huo Yunshen came over to see if his children were doing well. At this time, he realized Little Grape's bedroom was empty. The little fella wasn't there. He turned his head and saw the door on the other side was opened slightly.

He thought Little Grape had gone to play with Little Apple so he wanted to push the door open to take a look. However, he instead saw and heard Jin Xiaoxi telling the child a story with her gentle voice.

The story she was telling was vivid and interesting. Listening to it didn't feel tedious at all. Huo Yunshen finally understood why the children liked to be with her. Perhaps it was because Jin Xiaoxi would emit some sort of motherly warmth from her body.

He touched the door gently with his hands. He didn't push it open, but instead gently closed it for them.

Huo Yunshen walked extremely quietly in the night. He arrived in front of the room with a golden door, opened it, and walked in.

He stood in front of the cabinet, lit up a candle on the altar, burned an incense stick, and stuck it into the incense burner.

He lifted his head and fixed his gaze on the beautiful face of the woman in the photo frame. It was only after Huo Yunshen shed silent tears and choked on his emotions for a while that he steadied his emotions.

He whispered quietly to tell his wife, "Jing Xi, our Little Apple is back. He is really still alive! It is Mo Yutian who brought him back to my side.

"He grew up well and is very sensible. It is just a pity that he is very unfamiliar with me.

"I think perhaps he still needs some time to adjust. He will slowly get better."

In the quiet night, a lonely man held the woman in the frame, looked at her warm smile, and asked, "Jing Xi, are you still alive? Could you have been stranded in some uninhabited island like our son? You are definitely still waiting for me, waiting for me to find you, right?"

Huo Yunshen would not give up as long as there was still a shred of hope. After he came out of the room, he immediately gave the order.

It was to go to the Black Sea and Sea of Soul in Starstan again. As long as an island appeared on the ocean, no matter how big or small it was, each one was to be searched once again.

Perhaps Jing Xi really was waiting for him in some uninhabited island?

Little Apple was still depressed as before on the second day he'd been home.

He kept saying he wanted to go find dad. However, Jing Xi had to explain to him many times before he finally stopped it. It was just that his mood became extremely depressed.

Afterward, it was only after Little Grape went to look for him and brought him to play with the Samoyed and other dogs that Little Apple slowly started to forget about looking for his dad.

Ying Bao came out from the room and heard that her little brother Little Apple had been found so she specifically went to look for him.

She saw a dark-skinned boy playing with Little Grape and some dogs in the garden. Was that child her little brother?

Ying Bao walked over curiously while examining him. Little Grape saw his sister come and introduced Little Apple excitedly. "Big sister, come and take a look. This is my big brother Niuniu."

After he finished speaking, he then introduced her to Little Apple. "Big brother Niuniu, this is my big sister Ying Bao. You also have to call her big sister."

Chapter 1694: Proof

Little Apple turned around and saw a beautiful little girl staring at him curiously.

Little Apple used to think that other than his father, he had no other family. But now, he had found his real father and had a sister and brother.

The little kid was confused about the sudden changes in his life.

"So, you are my little brother. Come, let your sister take a good look at you," Ying Bao said while waving at Little Apple.

Little Apple was a bit embarrassed and remained standing still.

Since Little Apple was not moving, Ying Bao walked towards him and continued to stare at him.

She then extended her hand and touched Little Apple's cheek.

"Since you're alive, that means mommy's alive too, right? She'll definitely come back," Ying Bao said as tears began to fog her view.

"Why are you crying?" Little Apple asked.

"Because I can't find my mommy..."

Little Apple was also sad because he could not find his daddy, but when he saw the girl crying because she couldn't find her mother, he felt that she was in more pain than he was.

The kind little boy reached his hand out and wiped the tears from Ying Bao's face.

"It's okay, I can't find my daddy either," Little Apple said, trying to comfort Ying Bao.

"But daddy is in his office..."

"Not Daddy King, but my daddy..."

Little Grape started to think of his father again, and his face turned sour.

Jing Xi realized the kids were in a dark mood and called them over.

"Hey! I have some fresh fruit cakes here! Anyone wants to try?" Jing Xi asked.

"Yes!" Little Grape was the first to raise his hand, and he ran into the dining room.

Seeing Little Grape running off on his own, Little Apple turned to Ying Bao and asked, "Should we go?"

"All right."

The three children sat by the table and began to feast on the fruit cakes and other snacks.

Ying Bao was feeling better after her long lost brother came back. It was as if a gentle wind had blown away most of her sadness.

She wondered if her mother would come back soon too.

She believed that as long as her mother was still alive, she would definitely return.

Ying Bao handed Huo Yunshen a DNA test report in the king's office. The report confirmed that Little Apple was indeed Huo Yunshen's son.

It wasn't that Huo Yunshen did not trust Mo Yutian, but he needed the report to include Little Apple in the royal family. It was proof.

Little Apple's real name had been decided the moment he was born. They named him Long Qinghan, a descendant of the Dragon family,

Huo Yunshen then asked Lan Yi to come to his office and he asked her how Little Apple was doing.

“The prince stopped crying,” Lan Yi said. “He's enjoying his snack with the little prince and princess.”

“That's good to hear.” Huo Yunshen nodded in relief. “I'm going to invite Ye Xun and my sister over for dinner tonight. Please make sure that the kitchen prepares their food too.”

“Yes, my liege.”

Chapter 1695: Such Great Fortune

The Triumph Palace was brilliantly lit at night and was a dazzling sight to behold.

Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan went in a hurry to have dinner. They immediately went over to take a look when they heard the good news that Little Apple was found.

“Where is Little Apple?” Ye Xun arrived at the imperial palace and asked everywhere about the child's whereabouts.

“Let's go take a look.” Ye Xun pulled Huo Sanyan by her hand and they went towards Little Grape's room together.

They arrived in front of the bedroom's door, knocked, and opened the door. Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan then saw the two children in the room.

One of them was Little Grape, the other was that nanny's son. They thought his name was...Niuniu, right?! Then where was Little Apple?

“His majesty is playing with the little prince in his bedroom.”

The two adults were still looking for Little Apple. After they came in and looked through the entire room, they still couldn't find Little Apple.

Ye Xun pulled Little Grape over and asked, “Grape, tell uncle, where is your big brother? Where is your big brother, Little Apple?”

Little Grape pointed with his hand and said, “He is my big brother.”

Ye Xun was speechless. “...”

Huo Sanyan was speechless as well. “...”

One could imagine how shocked the two adults would be. Both of their mouths were opened wide as they looked in shock at that dark-skinned and skinny fella.

He was the Little Apple who had escaped from the calamity and disappeared for three years?

Wasn't he just the nanny, Jin Xiaoxi's, son?

Could it be that this woman had adopted Little Apple?

Oh my god!

In a split second, Ye Xun's eyes became wet. He took Little Apple into his embrace and choked on his emotion, unable to say anything.

It was such great fortune to be able to find the child after so many years!

Huo Sanyan also felt so moved that she started to cry. She came over to embrace Ye Xun and the child. All of their hearts were brimming with emotion.

It was only Little Apple who was completely dumbfounded. He could not understand why these adults would have such a reaction when they saw him.

He was not familiar with them at all.

Ye Xun let go of Little Apple and then reexamined the child's face in detail. He said to Huo Sanyan, "Yanyan, take a look! I told you his countenance looked like big brother's. You didn't believe me when I suspected it back then!"

"I believe it! I believe it now!" Huo Sanyan touched the child's face and had an obvious happy smile. However, she shed even more tears.

"Apple, I am your Uncle Ye Xun, understand? From now on, Uncle Ye Xun will also love you like I love Grape. Be good and don't be afraid!"

Ye Xun realized Little Apple was shy with strangers and wanted to avoid him. He had no choice but to keep on appeasing him.

Huo Sanyan saw the child was still quite afraid of them so she said, "Ye Xun, don't force him to get close. It will be fine once he becomes familiar with us after we visit him more times in the future."

"Okay." Ye Xun had no choice but to let go of Little Apple. After Little Apple was free, he quickly ran and hid behind the sofa.

"Let's go, we should let the children play here and not bother them."

Huo Sanyan asked Ye Xun to leave and the two of them exited the room.

Ye Xun was still thinking after he went outside. When he thought of something, he suddenly said, "Yanyan, Little Apple and Mo Yutian fell off the cliff together and they both lived. I heard from big brother that they drifted to a small island in Starstan and lived there for three years. They met Jin Xiaoxi there. Don't you think that Jin Xiaoxi is very strange?"

"How is she strange? She is signed on as a singer in our company."

"I'm not talking about that. What I am saying is she looks really like Jing Xi when looked at from the back and also feels similar to her. Could she be Jing Xi?"

It turned out that the first one to suspect Jin Xiaoxi's identity was Ye Xun. Perhaps it was because his suspicion about Niuniu had been confirmed right now and proved that his guess was correct.

“That can't be possible! If it were Jing Xi, my brother would have definitely been the first to recognize her.”

Chapter 1696: The Only Thing She Wants

Huo Sanyan thought of Jin Xiaoxi's scar and denied what Ye Xun had just said.

“No, I think the scar is the reason boss can't recognize her,” Ye Xun said, voicing his opinion as a man.

“Why's that?” Huo Sanyan asked.

“Because he loved Jing Xi too much and his memories of her were from when she still hadn't gone missing. No one could ever replicate or replace Jing Xi's beauty. He might've stopped believing his own judgment after seeing so many fake Jing Xis.”

Ye Xun paused and continued, “Let's take you for example. No matter how much I love you, I could never recognize you instantly if your face changed.”

Huo Sanyan was stunned.

“But it's impossible, right? For Jing Xi to become like that? I can't believe it.”

“See? Even you have the same reaction. What makes you think that it would be any easier for boss?”

“Then... What should we do?”

Huo Sanyan was starting to believe Ye Xun's theory.

“What can we do? There's just no way for him to believe she's Jing Xi unless she stands in front of him with her original face,” Ye Xun said. “But... What if, just what if...we assume Jin Xiaoxi is Jing Xi... All we have to do is prove that with her hair or nails, right?”

“But if it's really her, why hasn't she reconciled with my brother yet?”

“Would you do that if your face was ruined?”

“No,” Huo Sanyan replied as she thought of herself being in the same shoes as Jin Xiaoxi. “I would rather kill myself.”

“That's normal. But since she hasn't killed herself yet, there's only one answer left.”

Ye Xun continued to analyze if as if he were Sherlock Holmes.

“What's that?”

“She must've lost her memory. She can't even remember who she really is.”

“...”

Huo Sanyan found that she was completely believing Ye Xun's story.

“Then that's great! It means that she really is still alive!”

Tears began to fall from Huo Sanyan's eyes as she thought of Jing Xi still being alive, living next to them.

“Don't cry yet, this is all just my speculation. We still have to do a test to prove my theory.”

“That's easy. She works under me. Getting her hair is not even a challenge.”

“Good! Oh! And remember. We shouldn't tell boss until we are sure.”

“I know! If she really is Jing Xi, I'll make sure to return her to her former glory before putting her in front of my little brother.”

That was the only thing that Huo Sanyan wanted to do.

While they were discussing what to do next, Jing Xi came and told them dinner was ready.

Hearing Jin Xiaoxi's voice, both Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan turned to stare at her.

Chapter 1697: Already Couldn't Wait

Jing Xi came forward and took the initiative to greet them. “Officer Ye, President Huo, I was just about to come to ask you guys to eat. Please head to the dining hall!”

Ye Xun used his arm to nudge Huo Sanyan. Huo Sanyan regained her senses and replied, “Oh...oh. We will go immediately.”

Jing Xi smiled and nodded. She then pushed open the bedroom door to call the children.

Huo Sanyan stared at Jin Xiaoxi's back but she was asked to leave by Ye Xun. He also reminded her, “Can you not be so obvious? Even if we are suspicious, we need to pretend as if nothing happened. Can you do that?”

“Of course I can. I've already performed very naturally.”

Ye Xun criticized her without holding back. “Come on, your acting is so bad.”

“It's not like I'm an actress.”

Ye Xun walked in the front and Huo Sanyan followed beside him. Perhaps she didn't even notice it herself but the chemistry between her and Ye Xun was something that could only arise from being married for many years.

At the dining hall.

Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan couldn't stay calm ever since that idea came to their heads. Although both of them acted as if nothing happened, both of their hearts were full of excitement and anticipation.

Not long after, Jing Xi walked into the dining hall while holding a child in each hand.

Huo Sanyan started to pat Ye Xun's legs excitedly again, reminding him to look. Didn't they look like a mother with her two children?

Ye Xun was speechless. He asked her to be calm but she just didn't listen. It made it so that he had to immediately press down and steady her hand.

Both of the princes sat down, and not long after, Huo Yunshen also arrived.

Huo Yunshen greeted them when he saw them, sat down, and looked at his two children. He mainly asked Little Apple, "Niuniu, do you like it here?"

Little Apple nodded. "I like it."

"Dad asked someone to prepare gifts for you guys. You will be able to see them after the meal." Huo Yunshen wanted to create a comfortable environment for the child. He wanted to let him slowly get used to life at the palace.

"Dad, what gifts?" Little Grape asked curiously.

"It is a surprise. If I tell you now it won't be a surprise anymore," Huo Yunshen said.

Wanting to see the presents earlier, Little Grape said to his big brother, "Big brother Niuniu, let's eat faster when we eat. We will go look at the gifts after we finish eating, okay?"

"Okay." Little Apple nodded.

Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan were also looking at Little Apple. It was only his skin that was a bit dark. However, when they looked closely, his facial features and countenance had a remarkable resemblance to Jing Xi.

Once he grew up and changed a bit, he would undoubtedly be a handsome man.

The servants served the food very soon and everyone started to eat.

"Brother, I really want to congratulate you on finding your son." Huo Sanyan congratulated him sincerely.

Ye Xun lifted his wine cup and said, "Big brother, I congratulate you! The hard times are over, the good times are just beginning!"

"Thank you."

Huo Yunshen also lifted up his wine cup and they clinked their cups. They raised their heads and drank these cups of wine. This was truly worthy of celebration.

The two children ate very quickly and left the table soon after. Little Grape already couldn't wait to go see the gifts his dad had prepared for them.

After the children left the dining hall, the adults continued to eat and chat. Huo Yunshen wanted to go to Estan soon. He planned on bringing Little Apple so the elders could see him.

Ye Xun would be stationed at the border for a while and he might have to be away from Huo Sanyan for some time. Huo Sanyan, on the other hand, would be working hard to run the company. Each of them had their own lives and own busy careers.

After the meal, Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan had initially planned on going back. However, Huo Yunshen asked them to go to his study. He wanted to see them, as he had something to talk to them about.

Chapter 1698: Completely Shocked

A huge indoor playground was built in the royal garden. The building was built with glass to mimic the effect of a greenhouse.

The temperature inside was regulated throughout the whole year so the kids could play in it whenever they wanted.

Jing Xi brought the two little princes to the playground and the kids were delighted to finally get to play in it.

Little Grape went in first while Little Apple stood outside the door, peeking his head inside to check the surroundings. When Little Grape noticed that Little Apple was not following, he turned back and pulled his brother in.

Playing with Little Grape made Little Apple temporarily throw away his shyness and forget that he had to look for Mo Yutian. A smile slowly returned to the little boy's face.

Huo Yunshen was pacing back and forth in his office.

Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan were sitting on the couch staring at him. Huo Yunshen's expression told them that he was mustering a thought, preparing to tell them something.

The couple looked at each other, wondering what was wrong with the king.

"So, what are you going to tell us?" Huo Sanyan finally gave in and asked.

Huo Yunshen finally stopped moving and said, "Sis, Ye Xun, I know this might be hard to believe, but I think Jing Xi is still alive."

Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan looked at each other again as they were thinking the same thing too.

"If Little Apple is still alive, then it means she must've drifted somewhere else, right? And she couldn't come back because the place is too underdeveloped," Huo Yunshen continued. "I've already sent someone to search the Dark Sea and the Soul Sea. I will turn every rock upside down until I find her!"

Huo Yunshen was determined to find his wife this time.

"But what if Jing Xi is here? On this land?" Ye Xun suggested. "What if she's near you?"

Ye Xun wanted to signal for Huo Yunshen to look at people around him, especially Jin Xiaoxi.

Huo Yunshen was the best example of someone who was too involved and couldn't see what was happening around him.

Huo Yunshen turned to Ye Xun and said, "I don't care where she is. I'll find her as long as she's still alive."

Upon feeling Huo Yunshen's determination, Ye Xun stood up and patted Huo Yunshen's shoulder.

“Did you call us here to tell us this? We'll always support the choice you've made, no matter what,” Ye Xun said.

“No, that's not only it...,” Huo Yunshen said. He also wanted to tell them about what had happened between him and Jin Xiaoxi.

“And?” Huo Sanyan asked.

“I kind of am in a trouble...”

“What trouble?”

“That Jin Xiaoxi...”

Huo Yunshen then told them how he had sex with Jin Xiaoxi and that she was now pregnant with his child.

Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan could not believe what they were hearing.

As time passed, they were more certain that Jin Xiaoxi was Jing Xi.

Jing Xi was the only woman Huo Yunshen had touched in his entire life, and yet he went to bed with Jin Xiaoxi.

The couple wondered if fate was doing its magic.

“Hey! Give me some ideas!” Huo Yunshen scolded when he saw Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan with their mouths wide open.

Chapter 1699: Hadn't Yet Confirmed Her Identity

Huo Sanyan regained her senses and she didn't know if she should be happy or sad. She blurted out, “Congratulations, my brother!”

“Why are you congratulating me? What is there to congratulate? I've betrayed Jing Xi! How can I justify myself to Jing Xi? I've left an unremovable stain on my life, but you congratulate me?!”

Huo Yunshen couldn't help but explode.

Huo Sanyan didn't think he would have such a big reaction. She became so scared that she didn't dare to speak, and looked to Ye Xun for help.

They hadn't yet confirmed Jin Xiaoxi's identity so Ye Xun advised her to keep calm and not get excited.

“Brother, don't be anxious. We can understand how you feel after something like this has happened. Let's just plan for right now. You have no choice but to take responsibility for it. After all, the child is innocent.”

Huo Yunshen didn't say anything and stood in the study. He lifted his head to look somewhere, thinking gloomily.

He realized that looking for advice from Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan was of no use. They didn't help him figure out how to solve this problem but actually even encouraged him to accept the child.

In the end, Huo Yunshen waved his hand gloomily. "Okay! You guys head back! Let me cool off by myself."

Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan didn't waste any time. Both of them said their goodbyes and left the study.

After they went out, the two of them started to investigate Jin Xiaoxi's background.

They found Jin Xiaoxi in the new playground in the garden. Huo Sanyan nodded at Ye Xun and walked towards Jin Xiaoxi. She then patted her shoulder.

Jing Xi felt someone pat her so she turned her head around. She saw that it was her company's boss and greeted him. "President Huo!"

"We will be going back soon and I wanted to tell you something before we leave. Don't forget to come to the company tomorrow morning. The company scheduled for you to take pictures for the poster for a new song," Huo Sanyan said as a pretext.

"Okay, President Huo, I understand," Jing Xi promised.

After Huo Sanyan met with her, she left with Ye Xun.

In the garden, the two children were playing very happily on the playground.

Ying Bao heard the children's laughter and followed the sounds to the garden. She saw her two little brothers playing from afar.

Jing Xi saw her come, so she went over to say, "Princess, do you want to join them and play with them?"

In actuality, Jing Xi had seen that the little princess was too reclusive so she hoped she could become happy.

Ying Bao shook her head. "That is a game for children. I'm not a child anymore."

"But you are not that old. You are still a child. Come and play, princess. Even adults can play on the playground. You can as well!"

After showing some initial resistance, Jing Xi had already pushed Ying Bao to the playground's entrance. She encouraged her, "You can go in after you take off your shoes. Try it! Go and accompany your two little brothers!"

Ying Bao didn't say anything. She turned to glance at her, took off her shoes, and then went onto the playground.

Her two little brothers saw her and both shouted at her to come and play. Although Ying Bao wasn't interested at first, after she played for a while, she felt that the playground was quite fun.

It had already been a long time since she had played so happily on the playground.

On the other side, not long after Ye Xun and Huo Sanyan left, Huo Sanyan also came out from the study. He wanted to go and see if the children had seen the new gift.

When he arrived at the garden, he heard the children's laughter from afar. He glanced at the glass playground and he could see the silhouette of three children.

Huo Yunshen was very startled. Even his daughter Ying Bao was inside. It had already been a long time since he'd seen her joining in on any games. Did the sun rise from the west today?

Huo Yunshen came closer and Jing Xi heard footsteps behind her. She turned around to look and saw it was his majesty. She immediately greeted, "Your majesty!"

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Huo Yunshen nodded and averted his gaze from Jing Xi. His eyes were focused on the kids that were playing.

"The kids love your present," Jing Xi said. "Look at how happy they are now."

"That's good."

Being able to hear his daughter's laughter again soothed his heart.

Little Grape noticed his father was there and slid down the slide.

He ran to the door and shouted, "Daddy! Join us!"

"I'm fine. You kids have fun," Huo Yunshen replied.

"But, I want daddy to play with us!" Little Grape begged.

"Why don't you go? The kids need you," Jing Xi urged.

"But... I..."

Huo Yunshen wanted to say that it would be weird to play in the playground as a grown man and a king.

"No one will laugh at you," Jing Xi said. "You can forget that you're a king and be a father when you're with them."

Huo Yunshen could not find any fault in Jin Xiaoxi's words. He took off his shoes and went onto the playground.

Little Grape was happy that he got his father in but that wasn't enough for him.

"Auntie Xiaoxi! Come on!"

"No, thanks. I'll wait outside." Jing Xi smiled.

"Come on!"

Even Little Apple ran over to get his mother to join them.

“Mommy, come play with us,” Little Apple said.

Jing Xi had no choice but to join them.

Huo Yunshen finally got the chance to play with his children. It was as if he had gone back to his past when he was happy.

Jing Xi also played with the kids.

She even took videos in secret to record the happy moment.

When they were finally satisfied, the kids were tired and hungry.

As soon as they left the playground, Jing Xi went to prepare snacks for them.

Huo Yunshen enjoyed his time with the kids. It might have even been the happiest he'd been in the past three years.

He completely forgot that he was a king and played like a kid.

Huo Yunshen unintentionally looked at Jin Xiaoxi, wanting to thank her, but his pride was stopping him from doing so.

Jing Xi suddenly remembered that Huo Sanyan wanted her to head to the office tomorrow and asked Huo Yunshen for permission.

“Is it okay if I leave around noon tomorrow? I have to go to the company,” Jing Xi said.

“Yes. You don't have to inform me next time, just let Lan Yi know.”

“Okay. Thank you.”

Huo Yunshen left after that and the kids continued to play on the playground.