

Priceless Baby 1741

Chapter 1741: Because Of A Miracle

"No, I just think... I initially thought if the queen came back, I could leave the palace at any time. I also wouldn't tell anyone about this child. Now that you told others, once the queen comes back and finds out about this, won't she feel hurt?"

Jing Xi felt that all women would feel sad and heartbroken if they knew their husband had a child with another woman.

She did not want to become a hindrance between the king and the queen and hoped the two lovers would be together in the end.

"She won't." Huo Yunshen looked at her with a confident gaze and said, "She will definitely not mind."

Jing Xi didn't know what she should say when she heard him say this. She lifted her head to look at the man but he had already turned around to look at the children.

She followed his gaze and looked over and saw the children playing very happily. Sounds of laughter could continuously be heard. The corner of Jing Xi's mouth also couldn't help but move up when hearing these joyous sounds.

After she spent a wonderful day with the children, she remembered she needed to attend the company's dance tonight. And so, she said goodbye to the king in advance before leaving.

However, just as she returned to the room, she found her room filled with shelves and the shelves were all filled with beautiful and gorgeous skirts.

Jing Xi looked at the brands and she remembered that she had seen them in magazines in the past. These were all part of a fashion line by a famous designer.

Why were all of these beautiful clothes in her room?

Just as she was feeling puzzled, Auntie Lan brought a group of people in.

Auntie Lan already knew about Jin Xiaoxi's identity. When she learned she was their queen, she became emotional for a long time.

It was no wonder she felt an indescribable familiarity the first time she saw her. It turned out she was their queen all along.

It was fine now. The queen accidentally came back and the children also slowly became lively under her care.

Moreover, the palace was no longer a cold winter but instead, it was as if spring had been ushered in.

This was all because of a miracle, because their queen came back.

Right now, however, until the queen regained her memory of who she was, they would still address her how they used to. "Xiaoxi, I heard you are attending a dance tonight so I brought stylists to help you dress up."

“There's no need for the trouble, Auntie Lan!”

Jing Xi didn't plan on putting on any makeup at all. She only planned to dress normally. With her face, there was no difference if she put on any makeup or not.

“There's no trouble.”

Auntie Lan followed the king's orders and waved her hand to ask the stylists to all come in.

After that, the stylists and makeup artists started to get busy. They put in a great effort, creating a beautiful hairstyle and also helping her put on a beautiful one-piece dress.

Jing Xi looked at herself in the mirror. If she didn't look at the scars on her face, she would probably also feel stunned by her new appearance.

“Auntie Lan, wouldn't it be too much if I went there dressed like this?”

Jing Xi felt a bit uneasy. She was afraid this might draw too much attention and provoke mocking stares.

Other people would definitely joke about how it was pointless for an ugly person to dress so beautifully.

“Of course not. You were originally very beautiful so it is well-suited.”

Auntie Lan praised her sincerely.

“Haha. Auntie Lan, you speak as though you know how I looked in the past,” Jing Xi said with a smile as she turned around.

“I just feel that a kind-hearted girl like you was definitely a very beautiful girl in the past. As they say, one's appearance is formed through their thoughts.”

Auntie Lan's explanation made Jing Xi laugh. “Okay, Auntie Lan. I should get going.”

“You can put this on later.”

Chapter 1742: Stood Out The Most

Lan Yi handed Jing Xi a mask and said, “Here, if you don't want to stand out too much.”

Jing Xi took the mask that was glittering and tried it on.

“Thank you. You're always so considerate.”

Jing Xi thanked her and left. She got in the palace's car and headed to the hotel that was hosting Kaidi's event.

The ball had already started when Jing Xi arrived.

Most of the celebrities that had signed with Kaidi were present.

The event was intended to celebrate Ye Fanxing's achievement of breaking the 10 million copies sold milestone.

Everyone was patiently waiting for the main character to arrive.

Lin Xianjing was also present at the event, not to congratulate Ye Fanxing, but to ruin her night.

Lin Xianjing blamed what had happened with her dress on Ye Fanxing. She was not going to let Ye Fanxing take all the spotlight for herself after suffering such humiliation.

Just as Lin Xianjing was laughing from picturing how bad Ye Fanxing would look later, the door opened.

Everyone turned their heads and saw a tall and beautiful figure by the door.

The person wore a blue dress with diamonds as decorations. The reflected lights on the diamonds made them look like stars reflected on a lake.

The woman's hair was pulled back, and she had a purple mask on her face.

Only her starry eyes could be seen.

Everyone was attracted by the woman who just came in. Some gasped while the others just stared at her wordlessly.

They were all wondering who she was.

The woman looked like a goddess that could only be seen in oil paintings from the medieval period.

Jing Xi was shocked that everyone was staring at her the moment she entered the hall.

She thought that wearing a mask would help her blend into the crowd, but she became the one that stood out the most instead.

There was no way that she could turn away after entering the hall, Jing Xi could only walk forward.

She saw one of the colleagues she knew and greeted her.

“Ye Fanxing?” the colleague gasped when she heard Jing Xi's voice. “You're really Ye Fanxing?”

Perhaps because Jing Xi was always trying her best not to stand out, her colleague could not believe how pretty she looked.

People began to talk with one another, and soon, everyone learned that the woman in the blue dress was Jing Xi.

When Lin Xianjing learned about it, she almost spilled the wine in her hand. She pictured Jing Xi's face behind the mask and cursed at how Jing Xi had ruined the pretty dress.

Lin Xianjing recognized the dress. It was designed by one of the masters from Italy and was made explicitly for royalty. The dress that Jing Xi was wearing was one of a kind.

Lin Xianjing couldn't even start to imagine Ye Fanxing's background anymore.

Chapter 1743: Why He Came

Lin Xianjing wanted to go make fun of the ugly duckling. She came over with champagne and intentionally asked, "Is this our new popular artist Evening Star?"

The people around all said she was her. Lin Xianjing said again, "Nobody said tonight's dance was a masquerade ball. Are you intentionally trying to show off and attract people's attention by being the only one who is wearing a mask?"

"I didn't think that."

Jing Xi looked coldly at Lin Xianjing and didn't want to bother with her at all. The previous situation with her was very unpleasant so she now felt it was better not to get involved with such people.

She turned away and wanted to leave but Lin Xianjing blocked her path and intentionally tossed the champagne in her hand at her.

Jing Xi had previously spilled coffee at her and caused a social faux pas. Today, she needed to get payback for what happened last time no matter what!

Lin Xianjing thought she would be able to get the dress on Evening Star's body wet by throwing the champagne. But unexpectedly, Evening Star actually did a gorgeous three-hundred-and-sixty-degree turn and bent down perfectly.

Not one drop of the thrown champagne managed to touch her body. Instead, to maintain balance, she stretched out her arms and unintentionally slapped Lin Xianjing.

That sound was what you call crisp!

That sound was what was called loud!

Lin Xianjing was completely dumbfounded. She didn't know what exactly happened, only feeling a burning sensation on her cheek.

By the time she regained her senses, Evening Star had already lifted her dress and dashed away. She, on the other hand, stayed where she stood. She was so stunned by the slap that she turned into an idiot.

Before Lin Xianjing's old hatred had disappeared, she gained a new hatred. She couldn't help but want to find Evening Star again but her assistant promptly stopped her. She advised her to hold it for a while so as to not become a joke in other people's eyes.

Lin Xianjing had no choice but to grin and bear it. It was only after the company's deputy president asked her to speak with him that the previous awkwardness was alleviated.

Not long after, a commotion arose outside the door again. Quite a lot of people looked over again and saw a group of people walking in from the outside.

A group of people clustered around an extremely distinguished man. The man was also wearing a mask. It looked similar to the mask Evening Star wore.

His entire body exuded an irresistible nobility. Quite a few young women couldn't help but be completely love-struck. They looked over, screamed, and heart shapes emitted out from each of them.

Lin Xianjing also looked over towards the sound. She recognized that man with one glance. Wasn't that the man from the other day who made her wear one hundred outfits before she was allowed to go out?

He was definitely the person supporting Evening Star behind the scenes! She was able to guess it by looking at their masks.

The masked man came to the scene and Kaidi's President Huo Sanyan personally came to greet him. Moreover, he was brought to the most honorable seat.

All of the people there were guessing the man's identity. However, no one knew why he came.

Jing Xi sat in the corner and noticed him. She recognized he was his majesty the king. She was very shocked he came tonight to attend their company's dance.

He was even wearing a mask, making it very mysterious. In order to keep a low-profile and to prevent the king from discovering her, she promptly hid her own mask.

Not long after, a host came out and started to host tonight's dance.

He then started to introduce the reasons for tonight's dance and invited the main star on stage.

Beams of light fell on Jing Xi and the host read out her name, Evening Star, on stage. Her poster also appeared on the big screen as well as the names of her songs.

Jing Xi didn't know this dance was being held especially for her. Feeling bewildered, she was dragged onto the stage by her colleagues and arrived next to the host.

Chapter 1744: Walk Towards His Wife

The host praised Jing Xi first before starting to ask her questions, which Jing Xi managed to reply to naturally.

"Do you know how many of your new singles were sold in one day?" the host then asked.

"1000?" Jing Xi asked as she shook her head.

"You should add four more zeroes," the host smiled.

"10 million?" Jing Xi was utterly shocked by the number.

"You're right. You don't even know your own achievements, do you? I do hope that you can bring us more wonderful songs in the future. Now, please welcome our owner to present you with your award."

Jing Xi stood on the stage, wondering who the owner was. She always thought Kaidi belonged to Huo Sanyan.

Jing Xi wasn't wrong for the most part. Huo Sanyan was indeed the boss of the company, but most of Kaidi's stakes belonged to Huo Yunshen. The company was set up by Huo Yunshen for his sister with the hope that the company could one day become a conglomerate group.

Huo Yunshen slowly walked towards the stage as everyone stared at him.

It was then that everyone, including Lin Xianjing, learned that the mysterious man was the owner of Kaidi.

Lin Xianjing could not believe that she had let her chance of living a wealthy life go. If she had not fought with Ye Fanxing that day and walked out the door earlier, she could've run into the mysterious man first.

Huo Yunshen walked up to the stage and towards his wife. He handed her the award that belonged to her.

In his eyes, Jing Xi was like the brightest star in the whole galaxy.

He handed her the crystal trophy and gave her a hug.

"You look lovely today, Jing Xi," Huo Yunshen whispered.

He then let go of her as the podium that Jing Xi was standing on was raised slowly.

"..."

Jing Xi stared at the man below her as she tried to think of what the man had just said.

She thought he'd just called her Jing Xi instead of Jin Xiaoxi.

She wasn't sure, but she was convinced that he had said she was beautiful.

A surge of emotion gushed through her heart. She wasn't sure what she was feeling, but she could tell that she had felt that feeling before.

The podium continued to rise slowly until it came to an abrupt stop and tilted to one side.

There was no safety precaution for Jing Xi. She could feel the footing beneath her tilt, and she began to slip down the podium.

Everyone gasped as they looked at the blue dressed angel fell.

Everyone except for Lin Xianjing, who has a cunning smile on her face.

No one, including Jing Xi herself, could react to the sudden malfunction.

Just as Jing Xi thought she would hit the floor, a pair of arms reached out and grabbed her mid-air.

Chapter 1745: Thoroughly Investigate What Happened

After Jing Xi fell, her beautiful dress formed a graceful arc. The man held her, her body landing right into his embrace.

She held her chest, her mouth slightly opened, incessantly gasping for air. Her eyes were filled with panic.

Lucky! It was lucky his majesty the king caught her. Otherwise, she would've broken her leg and fractured her arm today.

Huo Yunshen exchanged gazes with her before helping her out. He led her down the stage back to her seat.

At this time, Huo Sanyan had already asked the people responsible for the dance to investigate the cause. When she saw Huo Yunshen and Jing Xi come over, she said apologetically, "I'm sorry. I didn't know something like this would happen. Xiaoxi, are you alright?"

Huo Yunshen was very upset. However, one couldn't tell because he was wearing the mask. He didn't say anything. Jing Xi replied, "I'm fine, President Huo."

"That's good. I already asked people to investigate the cause. Go ahead and sit!"

After Huo Sanyan asked the two of them to sit, she went up on stage and gave a short speech. She declared they would definitely thoroughly investigate what had happened just now.

Lin Xianjing was below the stage. She felt a bit fearful, fearful that they might find out it was her. However, since what was done was done, she could only force herself to act calmly.

After Huo Sanyan gave her speech, a few other awards were given. What followed was the free dance session where everyone was free to dance with their partners.

A very nice melody sounded out and quite a few people went onto the dance floor to dance.

Huo Yunshen summoned up his courage and asked, "Jing Xiaoxi, do you want to dance with me?"

"I'm sorry but I don't know how to."

Jing Xi rejected him without even thinking.

Huo Yunshen felt that Jing Xi might've forgotten she knew how to dance. She danced so well in the past.

He remembered the first time she danced in the small town in southern Estan. She danced a passionate dance and won first place that night...

If Jing Xi didn't know how to dance, that meant there might not be anyone who knew how to dance.

Right now, not only was the woman beside him not willing to dance with him, she even introduced others to him. "Our company has many beautiful young girls. Why don't you invite any of them to dance? If you are too shy to ask, I can help you invite them for you."

Huo Yunshen couldn't help but lower his head to look at her. She really filled his belly with anger. Did she really think he just really wanted to dance?

He just wanted to dance with her and accompany her to regain the feelings of the past they had together.

Huo Sanyan was sitting beside Jing Xi. She heard their conversation just now. She encouraged her, "Aren't you guys going to dance?"

Jing Xi replied, "It is not really convenient for me to dance right now."

Huo Yunshen understood what she meant. She was worried about the baby in her belly. "It's fine. Just dance slowly."

Jing Xi still shook her head. "President Huo, I don't feel very well. Can I take leave and go back now?"

Huo Sanyan couldn't see her face but she guessed it was because of the shock she received just now. Otherwise, her hands wouldn't be so ice-cold.

"Okay! Then you go ahead and head back!"

Jing Xi thanked her and then said goodbye to the king before lifting her skirt and leaving hastily.

After Jing Xi left, Huo Sanyan said, "I feel embarrassed. It's all my fault for not doing enough preparation. I swept away your spirits. What do we do now?"

The two of them had initially planned to use tonight as an opportunity for Huo Yunshen to have a romantic dance with Jing Xi. They wanted to see if it could help Jing Xi regain some memory. But now, she had already left.

She asked him what they should do but what else could they do?

Chapter 1746: Not Enough

"I'll go back too," Huo Yunshen said and quickly chased after his wife.

Jing Xi came out from the hotel and looked for the car she came in, only to realize it wasn't in the parking space anymore.

Thinking that the driver had left, she planned to hail a cab back to the palace.

But seconds into waiting for a cab to pass by, a super luxurious car stopped in front of her. The window rolled down, and behind it was a man with a mask on.

"Get in," the man ordered.

"..." Jing Xi recognized the king's car and shook her head. "Thank you for your offer, but I'll take a cab back."

"Do you have money?"

"Of co..." Jing Xi then realized that her handbag was not with her.

Just as she was about to go back to the event to look for her bag, Huo Yunshen raised her bag up in his hand.

"Your bag is here, get in."

The driver opened the door for Jing Xi, and Huo Yunshen invited her in.

Jing Xi could only sigh and get into the car.

She was sitting in the same row as the king, and she felt pressured.

"Thank you for saving me tonight," Jing Xi said, trying to break the awkwardness.

If not for Huo Yunshen, she might've been gravely injured from the fall.

“Do you think a thank you is enough?” Huo Yunshen asked without turning his head to look at Jing Xi. Of course Jing Xi knew it wasn't enough, but there was nothing else she could offer.

“What should I do then?” Jing Xi asked.

“Well, for starters, my arm hurts.”

Huo Yunshen extended one of his arms and shook it up and down. He even frowned to show that he might have a fracture.

Jing Xi knew that catching someone falling from such a height might cause some injuries. Now that Huo Yunshen was implying that he was hurt, she felt responsible.

“Let me have a look.”

Jing Xi gently pulled Huo Yunshen's hand towards her and began to check on his arm.

Huo Yunshen realized that even though Jing Xi had lost her memories, she had still retained her understanding of Chinese medicine that she'd learned before.

“Good, I don't think there's any fracture,” Jing Xi said after checking Huo Yunshen's right arm.

Huo Yunshen then extended his left arm for Jing Xi to check.

As Jing Xi's hand ran down Huo Yunshen's arm, he could feel a sting near his elbow.

Huo Yunshen took a deep breath, as it hurt a lot.

“Look's like this arm is hurt. I think you should get an X-ray for that.”

Huo Yunshen knew that it probably was only a muscle tear, but he still agreed to go to the hospital seeing how worried Jing Xi was.

They then went to the hospital for an X-ray and handed the report to Huo Yunshen's doctor.

“My liege, the muscles on your left arm are torn. You'll have to rest for a while,” the doctor said.

Since Huo Yunshen and the doctor were alone, Huo Yunshen pulled the doctor closer and whispered something that made the doctor's eyes widen.

Jing Xi was waiting for Huo Yunshen outside until he came out with a cast on his left arm.

“The bone in the king's left arm had a slight fracture. He'll have to rest for a least two months,” the doctor told Jing Xi.

“I see. Thank you so much, doctor.”

Chapter 1747: Wanted A Yard After Getting An Inch

Jing Xi was full of guilt when she heard the king's bones were fractured. She quickly took the initiative to come over to help him.

Huo Yunshen took the opportunity to put his right hand on her shoulder and left while holding onto her.

At this time, Jing Xi was just like a naive little sheep. She didn't even know she was being brought away by the big bad wolf, Huo Yunshen.

Once they arrived at the palace, Huo Yunshen's light 'fracture' had escalated to 'severe injury.' Jing Xi helped him back to his room and asked him to lie down to rest.

"I'm used to bathing before I sleep." Huo Yunshen was not willing to lie down while wearing those clothes.

"In that case, wait for a while. I will go call someone to help you bathe."

"No! You are my personal assistant. You are responsible for helping me bathe."

Huo Yunshen took his undeserved gain for granted and wanted a yard after getting an inch.

Jing Xi never agreed to become his personal assistant. However, he was injured because of her so she would naturally need to take responsibility until the end. She said, sounding like she wanted to negotiate, "Your majesty, why don't you wait for a while for me to go change my clothes then I will come back again to serve you, okay?"

There was no way she could work while dressed in such a gorgeous dress!

"That's also fine."

After Huo Yunshen agreed, Jing Xi went back to the opposite room. She took off her clothes, carefully hung them up, and changed into clothes she usually wore. She took off the mask and put on a surgical mask before going back.

"Your majesty, I will help you go fill up the tub right now!"

"Okay."

After she received his permission, Jing Xi went into the bathroom to fill up the tub.

Once the bathtub was filled, Jing Xi came out to ask him to go take a bath.

They stood outside the bathroom and Jing Xi carefully took off his coat, paying close attention to his left arm so it wouldn't be injured further.

After she took off the coat, she still needed to take off the shirt. Jing Xi unbuttoned the shirt and his muscular chest was exposed. Her entire body felt uncomfortable.

She really wanted to escape from this place but she couldn't do anything. She could only tell herself in her heart that she needed to persist. She should just treat him as a piece of art, a mannequin.

She summoned up her courage and took off all the clothes. Right now, the only thing left on the king's entire body was a pair of black boxer shorts.

A certain place looked to be full of power and grandeur. Jing Xi's face had already gone completely red a long time ago. She was burning hot and feeling feverish. She pulled her eyes away and said, blushing with shame, "Your majesty, I'm done. You can go wash up now."

Huo Yunshen stared at her shy appearance. In his heart, he wanted to laugh, but instead, he said calmly, "It seems there is still one piece left."

"..." Jing Xi was really about to go crazy. It was just one small piece. Couldn't he take it off himself?

Only his left hand was injured. His right hand was still fine, right?

"Your majesty, can't you take it off yourself?" Jing Xi discussed it with him.

"Why?"

Did he need to ask why?

Jing Xi really wanted to shove him away. She hardened her heart and advised herself. With great difficulty, she squeezed out a smile and said, "Your majesty, it is still better for you to do such private matters with your own hands."

Huo Yunshen didn't want to continue to make it hard for her. Teasing her to this point was enough. He took off the last piece of clothing right in front of her.

The stimulating scene made Jing Xi quickly cover her face. Huo Yunshen pursed his lips and laughed lightly. "What is there to be embarrassed about? Haven't you seen it before?"

"..." How could he ask so directly? Jing Xi felt uncomfortable all over her body.

After a while, she heard the sounds of water dripping and she knew he had already gone into the bathtub. Jing Xi let out a sigh of relief. She initially wanted to go and wait outside but she heard his voice again. "Jing Xiaoxi, come in!"

Jing Xi was taking steps towards the door when she asked, "Your majesty, you can bathe yourself, right? If you need anything, you can just tell me and I will help you get it!"

"I need you... to come in!"

He said it again and emphasized the words.

Chapter 1748: Naturally Attracted

Jing Xi had no choice but to enter the bathroom.

She tried her best to avoid looking at the king and asked, "What else do you need?"

"Help me wash my body."

"But... I..." Jing Xi was on the verge of breaking down. Huo Yunshen was asking for the impossible.

“My arm's hurt,” Huo Yunshen hinted.

Jing Xi took a peek at the man's arm, and indeed, the arm was still wrapped in a plaster cast. Since it seemed really inconvenient, Jing Xi convinced herself to help Huo Yunshen.

She walked towards the bathtub and did not notice there was a puddle of water on the floor. She slipped and fell into the bathtub.

Jing Xi screamed as water splashed all over the bathroom.

She struggled to get up and wiped the water off her face. The mask she was wearing had fallen off as she stared at the man awkwardly.

“I... I'm so sorry...”

She then tried to stand but slipped once again, this time falling into the man's arms.

Jing Xi even felt like she had touched something she shouldn't have. Embarrassed by her actions, she quickly jumped out of the bathtub.

She was completely wet. Her clothes were sticking to her body, tracing along her perfect body. Huo Yunshen couldn't help but think how cute Jing Xi was when she got all panicked.

There was no way Huo Yunshen could hold himself back with what he was looking at.

Not giving Jing Xi any chance to escape, Huo Yunshen grabbed her by her waist and pulled her back into his arms and into the bathtub. He stared at her for a while before lowering his head and kissing her.

It was as if time had stopped when their lips touched.

Jing Xi was in awe. Her eyes were wide open as she stared at Huo Yunshen's eyebrows.

The kiss was gentle, like the wind.

Huo Yunshen poured all of his feelings into the kiss, and Jing Xi could feel them. Her heart was beating really fast. Her brain was telling her to leave but her heart was attracted by the kiss.

Jing Xi could feel her strength leaving her body as she collapsed into Huo Yunshen's arms while closing her eyes.

They kissed until Jing Xi was almost out of breath. It was then she realized what was happening, and she pushed Huo Yunshen away.

Both of them were breathing heavily. Jing Xi was panicking and was too embarrassed to look at the king.

She quickly climbed back out from the bathtub and ran out of the bathroom.

Huo Yunshen's eyes traced Jing Xi silhouette as she ran. He couldn't help but smile warmly as he recalled how cute his wife looked.

Jing Xi ran back to her room and slammed the door behind her.

She couldn't believe that she had almost lost herself in the man's kiss.

She had never even thought that anything would ever happen between her and the king. But the king's actions told her otherwise.

Her head was in chaos.

She wondered if it was because she looked like the king's late wife.

Unable to find an answer, Jing Xi took a deep breath and went to look for a set of clean clothes.

Chapter 1749: The King Requested It

It was only after she casually brushed her hair and tidied herself up that she went back to the king's room again.

She was much more careful this time compared to just now. She peeked her head inside first and found he was still inside the bathroom. She didn't dare to go in. Instead, she just stood outside the door and asked directly, "Your majesty, are you done bathing?"

"Yes."

She could hear the sounds of water dripping again. She guessed his majesty the king had probably come out from the water.

A beautiful man stepping out of the bath...

The image of the king walking out of the water naked suddenly emerged in her head again... Ahhh!!! She was about to go crazy... What kind of nonsense was she thinking?

Jing Xi felt upset and smacked her own head. She forced herself to calm down. Sure enough, she soon saw the king come out. However, he only had a white towel around his waist. His arms were still hanging beside him as before.

She figured he probably couldn't put on the bathrobe by himself. She needed to help him to put it on. Always swaying around half-naked like this in front of her wasn't good, right?

Jing Xi summoned up her courage and asked, "Your majesty, do you need to change into a bathrobe?"

"Sure."

Jing Xi ran over to the cabinet to look for the bathrobe and then came over to help him put it on.

However, just as she ran over and was face to face with him, he suddenly dropped the towel around his waist. Jing Xi was caught off guard by this action and thought he wasn't wearing anything underneath. She was so frightened that she covered her eyes and screamed.

"What are you screaming for? I am wearing something underneath."

"..." Jing Xi forced herself to turn her face around and secretly peeped. Sure enough, she saw he was still wearing black boxers underneath.

Fine, it was she who thought too much.

After helping him put on the bathrobe, Jing Xi asked considerately again, "Your majesty, are you hungry? What do you want to eat?"

They both had gone to attend the dance and neither of them had their meal. Jing Xi felt she was hungry so she asked if he was also hungry.

"Yeah, make two bowls of braised pork noodles," Huo Yunshen said indifferently.

"Oh, okay. I will go to make it immediately."

Jing Xi didn't think much about it. She thought the reason the king asked her to make two bowls was that he was very hungry.

Not long after she went to the kitchen, she came back with two bowls of hot braised pork noodles.

"Your majesty, I will place them here on the table. Is that okay?"

Huo Yunshen got up and walked over to eat. Jing Xi saw him start to eat so she prepared to leave. "Your majesty, take your time, I will head out fir..."

"Sit down!"

Huo Yunshen interrupted her words straight away. Moreover, he ordered her to sit down.

"Huh?" Jing Xi was stunned. Did he ask her to sit down?

"Sit down and eat with me."

Huo Yunshen pushed one of the bowls in front of her. Jing Xi was in fear and dread. It was only after she glanced at him and saw he wasn't joking that she dared to sit down.

He saw she was being cautious so he explained, "I prefer to eat with others."

Jing Xi heard this and thought of something Auntie Lan said before. She seemed to have heard that the king didn't really like to eat with others.

He would usually only eat with the children. Other times, he would always eat alone.

However, since the king requested it right now, she had no choice but to sit down respectfully and eat with him.

In actuality, the reason Huo Yunshen asked her to make two bowls was that he wanted to ask her to sit down and have a bowl. She worked so hard every day that she couldn't eat her three meals on time. He really felt sorry for her.

While the two of them were eating the braised pork noodles, it made Huo Yunshen suddenly think of the past. While in Shengshi Yujing, every time Huo Sanyan finished sweeping up, they would always make and eat noodles.

How warm and wonderful those times were.

Jing Xi didn't feel anything special while eating the noodles she made. The only thing she felt was that the braised pork was a bit greasy. Perhaps she couldn't stand smelling grease because she was pregnant.

She couldn't hold it in and wanted to throw up so she quickly used her hands to cover her mouth. Huo Yunshen saw this and asked, "What is it? Do you want to throw up?"

Chapter 1750: Weirder

"I'm sorry. I don't think I can stand the smell of the meat," Jing Xi said.

"Give them to me then," Huo Yunshen said as he pushed his bowl to Jing Xi.

Jing Xi hesitated for a while before moving the meat in her bowl to Huo Yunshen's. At the same time, Huo Yunshen gave all his vegetables to Jing Xi.

Jing Xi was a little surprised and raised her head to look at Huo Yunshen, only to find the man had already gone back to eating.

Jing Xi appreciated the gentle gesture from the king. She thought that he could've been a really lovely person if not for his temper.

The man suddenly raised his head and looked at Jing Xi. Jing Xi quickly turned away as if she was being caught for spying on him.

They ate their bowls of noodles quietly. Huo Yunshen quickly finished his bowl, but Jing Xi could only finish half of hers.

Huo Yunshen noticed it, and he pulled her bowl to himself and finished it for her.

Jing Xi was so shocked that she almost turned to stone. She could not believe that the king was actually finishing her leftovers.

The king just seemed weirder and weirder lately to Jing Xi. It was as if he was not a king to her anymore.

Jing Xi waited until Huo Yunshen finished the food and cleaned the table.

"Jing Xiaoxi, come to my room later," Huo Yunshen ordered as Jing Xi left.

"Okay."

Jing Xi left the dining room and let out a sigh of relief. She then went on to check on the kids.

The two little boys were drawing with their sister, and they were really focused on it.

It looked like Ying Bao was the teacher as she helped the two little boys with their own drawings.

Seeing how focused the three children were, Jing Xi decided not to interrupt them. She quietly closed the door and went to the king's chambers.

A piece of soft music could be heard inside Huo Yunshen's room. Jing Xi could even smell hints of a lavender candle in the room too.

The atmosphere was romantic.

The king's request to her was simple. He wanted her to read him a book.

Jing Xi opened the book and started to read.

Even though Jing Xi's voice had changed, Huo Yunshen was still enchanted by it.

After a couple of dozens of minutes into reading, Jing Xi began to feel sleepy.

She started to let out small yawns from time to time. But since the king did not say she could stop, she continued reading.

Yet, she could not win against her sleepiness in the end and fell asleep by the bedside.

The reason for Huo Yunshen playing soft music and lighting the candle was so Jing Xi could get some good rest.

He then carried Jing Xi to the bed carefully and took her shoes off.

Huo Yunshen looked at his wife lying on the bed, and he felt excellent. He touched the scar on her face gently and the sight of it still hurt him.

He still blamed himself for everything that had happened to Jing Xi.

Vowing that he would help her regain her looks, he prayed to God that she could recover her memory soon.

Come back to me, my love.

Huo Yunshen planted a soft kiss on her cheek and lay down beside her.

But just as soon as he lay down, the door opened, and in came Little Grape.

"Daddy..."

"Hanghang? What's wrong?"

"Is Auntie Xiaoxi here?"

Huo Yunshen had guessed that his son was there to take his woman away from him.

He quickly covered Jing Xi with his sheet and said, "No. Hurry up and go back to sleep, okay?"