

Chapter 181: Leave Them To Me

“Young Master Lin is here too.”

“Lin Jingxuan?” Ye Erruo opened her mouth.

“That’s right, Madam.”

“You can all take your leave now.”

The servants instantly retreated from the room.

“I hope you won’t touch Lin Jingxuan and Gu Feirou.”

Mo Jiangye’s orbs darkened as he retorted sarcastically, “Why not? Is it because you can’t bear to see him hurt?”

The woman wrapped her arms around his waist with a sigh. “What makes you think so?”

“I want you to leave them to me.”

Lin Jingxuan had been making big money recently. Tens of millions of yuan had been rolling into his account daily. He was going to be rich!

However, did he really think that no one knew what was going on? The man had realized that he would not get his hand on the inheritance and had thus been secretly plotting to come up with other means of survival. As he made a show of fighting over family power, he was getting more and more involved in illicit affairs every day.

Regardless of his real intentions with Gu Feirou, her royal status had benefited him indeed. If that woman were to use her royal status to lend him weight at Lin Teng, then Mo Jiangye would be in for a fight.

Nevertheless, she trusted her man’s capability. Even with the Blue Tower’s support, his enemy only had a slim chance of wrangling Ling Teng away from him. He had a five-percent chance of success. Yes, that was how slim the possibility was!

Otherwise, Ling Jingxuan would not have had to make alternative plans to earn money through illegal means...

The only problem was, his alternative money-making scheme was digging his own grave. Very soon, she would be able to make him infamous.

In her past life, this man had joined forces with an underground mob to commit homicide and had walked away from this affair with hundreds of millions in remuneration.

At the time, that group of people had helped his power struggle against Mo Jiangye a lot too. How could she forget that?

Hence, she had instructed her senior to keep tabs on his accounts long ago. Ji Sichen was meant to report any unusual activities and, sure enough, the recent findings had attested to her suspicion.

After they had dinner, Mo Jiangye retired early. He was busy working on his laptop that day. In fact, other than when he ate, he spent most of his time hitting away on his keyboard.

He was supposed to wrap up some important business at the Blue Tower. He had cut short his trip too abruptly, however, so he could only resolve the remaining issues through telecommuting.

There were two machines on his desk. If he wasn't having a teleconference, he would be busy working on the other machine.

His original plan was to continue working in his study, but for some strange reason, he ended up in their bedroom instead.

By making up an excuse about needing a post-dinner walk to aid digestion, she went to play with Red Bean for a while. By the time she returned to the bedroom, it was past nine o'clock. He was having a video-conference when she walked in, so she quietly sneaked into the bathroom to have a shower. His notebook was still ringing when she came out of the bathroom.

She dried her hair with a towel as she headed for the dressing table. When she heard him utter a string of English words that rendered her clueless, she could not help turning her head over her shoulder to catch a glimpse of him in action. His unique voice was especially sexy when he spouted English, and he looked so manly when he was working.

He sensed her staring at him and looked up to meet her gaze. "Come over here."

A puzzled look crossed her face.

He then turned the laptop screen to face another direction before he said something into the machine. Somebody uttered an answer in English.

With the hairdryer in hand, he wiped her hair with the towel while skillfully blowdrying it at the same time. "Who told you to wash your hair? You have already washed it twice today!"

"..."

"Sister-in-law?"

A familiar voice was heard from the laptop out of the blue. She turned to look at the notebook beside them.

Chapter 182: I Will Kill You If You Wake Her Up!

"Xu Xu?" Ye Erruo's hand reached for his notebook as Mo Jiangye hastily restrained her.

"Are you that idle?" He warned her in a whisper.

"Yes, boss! Are you talking to me or sister-in-law?"

He shot a glance at the monitor without a word and continued to blow dry her hair. There was no way he would allow another man to catch her looking like this!

"What's wrong?"

“Ignore him,” he retorted gently. “In the future, don’t wash your hair before you go to bed at night. It’s not good for you!”

“Why is that?”

“There’s no particular reason.” After putting down the hairdryer, he used the towel to dry her hair again.

“You should have an early night. I’ll go to the study.”

She grabbed hold of his hand. “I’m not sleepy.”

A few minutes later, she was resting comfortably on his lap, wearing her headphones while leisurely swiping on the screen of her smartphone. The man had switched his meeting from video to audio mode by then. One of his hands was hugging her on the bed, while the other hand was busy typing away on the keyboard. The sound of fluent English spoken in his husky voice stood out in the spacious bedroom.

She was fast asleep in his lap after a couple of hours. He stealthily put her headphones and cell phone on the table next to him, pulled the quilt over her snugly, and then got back to work after the call.

He finally finished what he was doing after two in the morning. When he looked down at the woman sleeping soundly in his arms, his heart melted at the sight of her gentle, peaceful face.

Thinking of supper, he went downstairs to grab a bite. However, when he returned to the bedroom to hug her to sleep, he noticed a red creature lying next to the woman’s pillow. His face sank instantly.

When did this d*mned thing appear?!

“Wuuu...” The little fellow blinked its big, beady eyes at the man a couple of times with a dazed look on its face.

Everyone working at the residence had been tense and nervous in the past few days because their mistress had gone missing. Now that she had been found, they were hoping to get a good night’s sleep. Alas, trouble erupted in the middle of the night!

In the living room, he interrogated his servant with an irate look. “Didn’t I tell you to dump this ugly dog out of the house?”

“M-Master... Madam told us to keep it for the time being.”

“How could this thing have found its way here? Is it smart enough to know where to go?”

“M-Master, Red Bean was kept in another room. It gave me the slip when I went in to clean the place. I looked for it for a long time, but I couldn’t find its hiding place.” To be fair, the servants had looked high and low for the dog in the vicinity many times, so they had been pretty sure that it had not escaped from the front yard, where it had been kept. How had the creature ended up in the room at the back of the house?

They could only consider themselves unlucky to end up in this predicament!

“L-Let me go up and bring it down now,” the maid stuttered.

The man could not be pacified. His face was frosty as he barked, “I’ll kill you if you wake her up!”

The servant shuddered. She was only going to take the dog away from her mistress. How would she wake the lady from her slumber?

The lights next to the bed were dim inside the room. There it was, curled up on the pillow next to the woman, sound asleep!

The servant cautiously walked up to the creature. She was about to pick it up when the dog flickered its eyes wide open all of a sudden. Its eyes shone warily and maliciously at the servant, and it looked ready to attack at any time.

As the maid approached, it bared and snapped its teeth at her outstretched hand.

“Ah!” The servant withdrew her hand hurriedly as she immediately covered her mouth with the other at the same time.

The man, who was standing not far away, looked at the maid as if he wanted to swallow her alive.

As for the little creature, it merely shifted and lay comfortably back on the pillow once more before glimpsing leisurely at the humans staring at it, its furry tail sweeping the side of its mistress’s face.

Chapter 183: It Is Either Me Or The Dog

“Red Bean...” By cooing softly at the canine, the servant tried to lure the dog away with a bone and a piece of aromatic, tantalizing meat.

Unfortunately, the creature was not enticed by the bone and the meat dangling before it.

When the man saw it wag its ugly tail across the woman’s cheek, he was so incensed that veins could be seen visibly popping up on his temples.

“Get me the gun,” he ordered angrily.

The servant was taken aback. Gun?

Another servant guessed his intention almost immediately and quickly went to fetch a tranquilizer gun equipped with a silencer.

The man took the gun and aimed at the dog, his eyes shooting daggers at the same time. He would make minced meat out of this dog tonight.

Woosh!

The doggie let out a loud yelp in pain.

The maid was standing beside the dog, so her face turned white as a sheet and she unconsciously turned to look at her master with a start.

Luckily, another servant was quick-witted and nimble enough to pull a blanket next to her to cover the dog.

“Throw it out! Pluck off its fur, skin it, and pound the flesh into minced meat,” he instructed them through gritted teeth.

“Understood.”

The dog’s distressed call, however, was loud enough to wake anyone who was sleeping deeply.

Wrapped inside the blanket, the creature struggled painfully for a while before it lost consciousness.

Right at that moment, Ye Erruo opened her eyes groggily to see the man with a gun in his hand standing by the bed, surrounded by dozens of servants.

“Y-Young... M-Madam...” The servant who was carrying Red Bean in her arms freaked out when she saw her mistress waking from her slumber.

“Mo Jiangye, what are you doing?”

“Get out!”

“Yes, sir.”

The servants hurriedly retreated with the dog in tow.

“Wait a minute.” She had caught sight of Red Bean in the servant’s arms.

“Get lost now!” His eyes glinted ominously.

All the servants dispersed out of the room in a second.

Frowning, she turned to the man and said, “Mo Jiangye, it’s very late. What are you doing instead of sleeping?”

“Ahhh!” He hurled her out of the bed. In the bathroom, as he used a wet towel to wipe her cheeks, he carefully examined her at the same time.

“Hurts...” She pushed away his hand along with the towel.

“What are you doing?” she asked.

His eyes were still fixed on her cheeks as she pursed her flaming-red lips in displeasure.

“What’s wrong?”

“Nothing. Go to sleep.” Upon saying that, he pulled her into his embrace and gently stroked her long hair.

“Just now, I saw Red...”

“Nothing’s going on. Go to sleep now.” Straightening his back, he picked her up in his arms and switched off all the lights in the room.

While he held her in his arms, he headed straight for the sofa to sleep.

Her lips twitched. She knew without being told that Red Bean had come into the room earlier and gotten into their bed.

While he sat on the sofa, he took a new set of quilts and wrapped it tightly around her before cuddling her to sleep.

“Was Red Bean here just now?” she asked with a faint smile while she hugged his waist and her legs entangled with his.

“Nope, you must have seen something else.” He caressed her silky, long hair from time to time.

“I saw it.”

His face sank. “You have to throw the dog out tomorrow.”

“Red Bean is adorable! Can I keep it at the front...”

“No way!” He cut her off without a second thought. “You can only have me or that ugly dog. It’s either me or the dog.” In his opinion, that creature’s presence would hinder him from getting intimate with her every day. Besides, he had no idea where it had come from, and the fact that the doggie had gotten close to his woman the moment it had seen her was already a big problem for him!

Her lips twitched slightly again. She had been rendered speechless. Fog clouded her mind as she pondered. Is he trying to compete with a dog now?

“Who do you want?” he asked hoarsely.

Chapter 184: Being Arrogant Yet Lovable

“Who do you want?” he asked hoarsely.

Ye Erruo curled her lips into a helpless smile as she hugged him around the neck. “Mo Jiangye, are you seriously asking this question?”

“Answer me.”

“You,” she replied with indifference.

“Say it again.”

“I want you, I want you, I want you!” Ye Erruo repeated it three times.

“You want me? Are you sure?”

“I am sure.” Ye Erruo felt helpless but also bemused.

“Hmph!”

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The man beside Ye Erruo was still sleeping when she woke up the next day at around 9 am. His arm was around her waist, and he unconsciously tightened it when she moved.

Helpless, she lay on his body and stared at his sleeping face unblinkingly for a long time until it was almost noon and Mo Jiangye woke up.

“What time is it?” He pulled her head down and gave her a soft morning kiss on the forehead.

“Around 11 am.”

“You didn’t eat breakfast again?” He furrowed his eyebrows as he glanced at her.

“I was waiting for you.” She left his embrace and got out of bed. After putting on her clothes, she was ready to head out.

“Mo Jiangye, do you know any lawyers with high authority.?”

“Hm?” Mo Jiangye’s pitch peaked near the end of the sound he made.

Lawyers?

What did she need a lawyer for?

“The Blue Tower person by Gu Feirou’s side, someone called Jing Xinze, is planning to sue my bar. I need to find a lawyer.”

Mo Jiangye paused all of a sudden. “Ha!”

The sound of sinister, soft laughter came from him as if it was coming from hell.

“I don’t!”

Ye Erruo was speechless.

She knew he was still angry that she had stopped him when he’d wanted to throw Lin Jingxuan into the river the previous day.

Given the current condition of Lin Jingxuan’s body, if he threw him into the river, he would definitely die. Dying in such a way was too easy a punishment for him!

Old Master Lin was still around, and Lin Jingxuan was his biological grandson after all. If he died all of a sudden, he would definitely investigate the matter. If that happened, it was not guaranteed that Mo Jiangye would not be implicated.

Since he considered power as important as his life, why should she end his? Instead, they should obtain all the company rights he had in the Lin Family so that he could not enter Lin Teng ever again.

The moment he no longer had anything in the Lin Family, he would definitely go completely astray with the underground mob and make dark deals such as taking money to exterminate others.

However, she had to deal with the lawsuit first. When she was done, she would hand over the information Ji Sichen had found on her behalf to Old Master Lin. When that time came, Lin Jingxuan would definitely be left with nothing. After all, Old Master Lin liked Mo Jiangye the most. Just a few words from him would be enough...

“Hubby.” Ye Erruo walked over to him, ready to suck up to him. “Help me look for a lawyer with high authority, please.”

There were many lawyers. As long as one had money, one would definitely find a lawyer. But would any random lawyer be able to beat Mo Jiangye’s lawyer?

“I won’t look.”

"Find one for me." She hugged him around the neck and kissed the corner of his lips.

"There's none." He lowered his gaze and shot a glance at her.

"Lend me a lawyer from your company."

"No." He gave her a smile that was not quite a smile.

"Then I am going to use money to find one."

"We have no money."

"Yes, we do."

"We have no money."

"I am going to use my own money, not yours."

"Money you got where? Your entire being belongs to me, so where would you get money?"

She was already his, so her money belonged to him too.

"Hubby."

"Don't call me that." He pulled her paws away from his body in an arrogant yet lovable manner.

Chapter 185: A Man Who Cared A Lot About Her

"Don't call me that." He pulled her paws away from his body in an arrogant yet lovable manner.

"..."

"I want to eat dog meat today," he said faintly.

Ye Erruo widened her beautiful, big eyes. "I thought you couldn't touch dogs?"

"I feel like eating that red furry fella's meat," he said through gritted teeth.

At that moment, Ye Erruo finally understood. He was still thinking about Red Bean.

"You will kick Red Bean out today, far away from here. You can toss it wherever you like," she said mercilessly.

Mo Jiangye bit his lips. "You do not want to take care of it anymore?"

"I can't afford to take care of it, so I'll stop," Ye Erruo said helplessly.

"Will you take care of any dogs in the future?"

"You can't touch dogs, so of course I won't." Red Bean had been an accident... But for some reason, she had felt close to it. Moreover, Red Bean was so obedient and dependent on her. It loved her and she did like the dog from the bottom of her heart too.

Mo Jiangye's expression improved drastically as he hummed in acknowledgment.

"Will you find me a lawyer now?" she asked testily once more.

Mo Jiangye stared at her. "We will talk about it when you throw the dog out!"

After lunch, Mo Jiangye was holding onto Ye Erruo as they stood in the middle of their manor. Red Bean had a leash around its neck, and the servant was pulling the dog along almost as if she was dragging it to make it walk.

The little fella's eyes remained on Ye Erruo as it kept turning its head around to bark at her. It seemed to know what kind of situation it was in. It knew it was clearly being sent away, so the dog's barks were exceptionally loud and tragic. Everyone around could hear its mournful cries.

Mo Jiangye was elated to see how it was barking.

However, he was also irritated by how reluctant the dog was to part with his woman.

"Couldn't you just get the servant to take it out in secret? Why did you make me watch it leave?"

Mo Jiangye sneered, "I wanted to let this ugly dog see your face one last time."

It would no longer have the chance to see her!

The ugly dog had better treasure this moment! He wanted to make it feel all frantic by seeing his woman but being unable to run to her. It felt so great for him!

Ye Erruo rubbed her forehead. She had never thought his overbearing possessiveness could reach such a terrifying level. How could he be so calculative with a dog or take revenge against it?

A normal person would have found his actions that day childish. To put it crudely, he was an idiot!

However, it was because he cared about her to the core that he was so possessive of her. He cared about her so much that he saw anyone who treated her well as someone who was going to steal her away. He cared so much that even a pet that treated her well also seemed like someone who wanted to take her away from him. How had she managed to find a man who loved her so deeply?

The man beside her was currently staring furiously in the direction of the huge doors while venting his anger. He looked petty and adorable at the same time.

The sound of Red Bean's barks grew further and further away as its little body was dragged out until it disappeared beyond the doors.

When the doors finally closed, a delighted, victorious glint flashed across Mo Jiangye's eyes!

"Mo Jiangye, are you a Scorpio?" Ye Erruo looked at him softly. That zodiac sign was extremely possessive.

Mo Jiangye's eyes darkened when he saw her gentle gaze. "What?"

"When is your birthday?"

"You do not know when my birthday is?" His expression darkened further.

In an instant, his expression became extremely ugly, as he was ready to explode!

Ye Erruo felt increasingly guiltier. She had not cared about him in the past, so how could she have known when his birthday was? Plus, she had never seen him celebrate his birthday before and had never heard Bo Yu or any servant mention it either.

“I do not have a lawyer and I can’t find one either.” He turned his head away and walked off.

Chapter 186: What Kind of Benefits Do You Want?

“I do not have a lawyer and I can’t find one either.” He turned his head away and walked off.

“Mo Jiangye...” Ye Erruo followed after him hurriedly and hugged his arm.

“Give me a lawyer.” She determinedly held onto his arm and refused to let go.

Mo Jiangye glanced at her coldly. “What kind of benefits do I get for finding you a lawyer?”

The corners of Ye Erruo’s lips twitched. “What kind of benefits do you want?”

He curled his finger, indicating that she should lean closer.

Puzzled, Ye Erruo leaned her head closer as Mo Jiangye whispered into her ear.

“Is that okay?”

Ye Erruo raised her brows. “Of course. No problem.”

He wrapped an arm around her waist as they walked to the dining hall.

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It was three days later when Lin Jingxuan woke up again.

Gu Feirou had been by his bedside for days, watching over him. When she saw him waking up, she was so emotional that she almost burst into tears.

“Brother Jingxuan, you’re awake!”

“Xiao Rou.”

“Brother Jingxuan, you scared me to death. I thought you...” She held his hand in hers and began to cry.

“Princess, please watch your health,” Jing Xinze reminded her.

“If you want my health to be good, then kill Ye Erruo! Gouge her eyes out!” she yelled furiously.

Jing Xinze bit his lips. “We have already sued them, princess.”

Gu Feirou was unsatisfied. “Sued them? Can you win a legal battle against Mo Jiangye?”

Who was Mo Jiangye? Was there even a person in H Nation who did not know him? Who would dare to treat him with disrespect?

“Princess, rest assured. The representative this time is the entire Blue Tower. The queen knows about your grievance and sent over the most prestigious person from the Blue Tower. There isn’t a lawsuit that he can’t win,” Jing Xinze said solemnly.

Gu Feirou sobbed. "What if we don't win the lawsuit?"

To Mo Jiangye, Jing Xinze was nothing!

"Princess, how can a person who only has intellect in business be on par with people from the Blue Tower like us?"

As he was lying down, Lin Jingxuan's expression turned ugly. "Go out and quarrel if you must."

"You have disturbed Brother Jingxuan! Get out!" Gu Feirou scolded Jing Xinze.

Jing Xinze bit his lips, ultimately deciding to head out quietly.

"Brother Jingxuan, you have no idea! While you were unconscious, Mo Jiangye's men kept me locked up for days! They didn't give me any food or water!" She complained, looking aggrieved.

"It's all because of that b*tch, Ye Erruo! Why didn't she drown to death?"

Lin Jingxuan's head hurt, and it hurt even more while he heard her rambling away and complaining. "Alright, Xiao Rou, stop talking. Apart from locking you up, did Mo Jiangye do anything else to make things difficult for you?"

"No, he didn't. I am the Blue Tower princess. He wouldn't dare touch me. Previously, when he brought you into the manor, a warning letter was sent in to scare him and he immediately released us obediently."

Lin Jingxuan furrowed his brows. Mo Jiangye was scared of the Blue Tower? He had almost killed Ye Erruo, yet he had let him off that easily?

He reached out and pinched the spot between his brows. He had never thought that Ye Erruo would have the guts to kill someone, especially him! Plus, she had done it with confidence. She had stabbed him with almost no hesitation. What a malicious woman! If he couldn't get that pair of broken shoes, Mo Jiangye could forget about getting his hands on them too. One day, he would ruin her.

"Cough, cough..." As Lin Jingxuan began to cough, Gu Feirou immediately poured him a cup of water.

"Let's go home," he commanded.

"Go home? Brother Jingxuan, your body has yet to recover. It would be dangerous if you moved around."

"I want to go home!"

Helpless, the doctors at the Lin Family residence spent a huge amount of effort to bring Lin Jingxuan back home.

When they were back at the Lin Family residence, Lin Jingxuan asked for a small, desolate castle. Apart from a few fixed doctors and servants, no one else was allowed to go near him. Even Gu Feirou was not allowed to visit him easily...

Chapter 187: Untitled

In the huge room, Lin Jingxuan lay on the bed. Beside him, “Ye Erruo” was wiping his palms until they sparkled, clear tears continuously falling from her eyes.

Lin Jingxuan looked askance at the tear-stained face of the beauty beside his bed. “Xiao Ruo, does your heart ache to see me injured?” he asked faintly.

“My heart hurts. Xiao Ruo’s heart hurts a lot. Why were you so careless? Who hurt you? Xiao Ruo will not let her off.”

“Ye Erruo” knelt by Lin Jingxuan’s bedside.

There were all sorts of supplements on the table beside them. Whenever he was hungry and wanted to eat, “Ye Erruo” would attentively take care of him as he ate.

His heart was very frail. He had to stay bed-ridden and he was not allowed to move his arm casually. Therefore, his eating, drinking, and excreting activities were all taken care of by Xiao Ruo.

“Who hurt me? Ha!” He laughed softly.

As he stared at that aggravating face, he wished he could punish her and show her what he was made of.

“Stop weeping,” he said coldly.

“Ye Erruo” stopped crying immediately.

“You hurt me, so how do you plan to make it up to me? How should I punish you?” He looked at her with a sinister gaze.

“Ye Erruo” was somewhat astute so she instantly understood where his injury had come from.

She was here, forever only someone’s substitute. She would always be in someone else’s shadow.

“Then how would you like Xiao Ruo to make it up to you?”

While he looked at her obedient expression, an indescribable feeling filled his heart. He had no idea when this unwillingness he felt had begun. He had no idea when he’d begun to lose his patience with Gu Feirou and lose the freshness of their relationship.

He could not reconcile himself with the fact that Ye Erruo had become Mo Jiangye’s woman. He could not handle the fact that she had messed up his life, causing him to constantly think about trapping her at his place.

He constantly thought about seeing her.

He wanted her to leave Mo Jiangye and return to his side.

“How about you punish Xiao Ruo 10,000 times first, alright? Your body is still weak, and your injury is serious. You can’t personally punish Xiao Ruo yet. When your injury heals, you can punish Xiao Ruo however you like,” she said sweetly.

“When Hubby Xuan gets better, I will make it up to him. Whatever you want Xiao Ruo to do to compensate you, Xiao Ruo will do it.”

Lin Jingxuan's face was pale as he coldly listened to her talking while kneeling down beside him.

"Is that alright?" She acted as coquettishly as she had in the past.

He shot a glance at her. "Apologize to me 10,000 times."

Xiao Ruo was stunned. She then began to apologize pitifully over and over again. She continued on and on without stopping.

In the empty bedroom, only the sound of a woman apologizing could be heard. Lin Jingxuan closed his eyes as he rested, listening to her repeated apologies comfortably until Xiao Ruo's voice went hoarse.

Her apologies sounded exactly as if he was listening to the real Ye Erruo apologize.

The fury in his heart unknowingly dissipated as his mood gradually calmed down.

Not only did she look extremely similar to Ye Erruo, but even her voice was almost the same. She was really his treasure.

Upon seeing that Lin Jingxuan was not speaking, Xiao Ruo thought he had fallen asleep. Just as she was about to stop for a while to drink some water, she was frightened by his sharp glare, which was filled with warning.

"Xiao Ruo is thirsty. I want to drink some water. Is that okay?"

"Continue!" he said unhappily.

Helpless, Xiao Ruo could only continue to apologize. She knelt until her knees went numb, but she couldn't move even if she wanted to.

Chapter 188: The Seal Was Equivalent To The Ancient Emperor's Heirloom Seal

In the Lin Family residence, Lin Jingxuan continued to listen to the apologies of "Ye Erruo" contentedly.

Meanwhile, in the L district, Gu Feirou was currently seeking justice on Lin Jingxuan's behalf. They had found a person with the highest authority in H Nation.

"Miss Ye Erruo, Miss Gu claims that you imprisoned her for three days and abused her. Now, we need you to compensate Miss Gu for psychological damage and nutrition fees..." The judge began to read out a bunch of fees.

"Where's the evidence?" The person beside Ye Erruo spoke up.

The person who had come with Gu Feirou fished out a folder that contained footage of Gu Feirou staying in the manor for three days.

The judge took the folder containing the "evidence" and looked at it quietly.

"Miss Ye Erruo kindly invited Miss Gu Feirou as a guest for three days. Everyone in the manor can testify to that. In these three days, Miss Gu Feirou was allowed to move around freely in the residence. This..."

"You are to compensate Miss Gu for all her losses," the judge said loudly.

"On what grounds?" Yao Tiao was so angry that she could explode.

Just as the person beside Ye Erruo was about to speak, the judge lifted the folder and took the A4-size papers out sheet by sheet. Every paper had a gold printed design on it.

“On what grounds? On these grounds!” A finger pointed at the gold printed design.

The lawyer beside Ye Erruo initially wanted to speak out but instantly stopped the moment he saw the design.

It was used by the Blue Tower Royalty. If one had to use an example, one would say that the seal was equivalent to the ancient emperor’s heirloom seal. It represented supreme power and privilege.

The people of the Blue Tower Royalty had the power to deal with anybody, regardless of whether they were innocent or not. As long as the seal was used... they could be incomparably savage.

Such a seal was not something that one could come across casually at any time.

“What is that thing? Just because of a few broken flowers, you chose to only listen to their side of the story and extort us?” Yao Tiao asked furiously.

The judge paid no attention to Yao Tiao’s ignorance. “Mr. Zhang, is there anything you would like to say?”

Mr. Zhang was the lawyer Mo Jiangye had allowed to come with Ye Erruo. Therefore, he was no stranger to the seal.

He furrowed his eyebrows and said softly, “Miss Ye, it would be a little troublesome to settle this privately for you. For now, we can only accept this...”

Ye Erruo nodded her head.

Gu Feirou, who was radiant with delight, couldn’t hide the glee on her face. It had been that simple? Just a few pieces of paper had smacked her in the face? That was it?

Sadly, these smacks had been rather light. She should have beaten her until she was swollen.

“Mr. Zhang?” The judge called out again.

Bang! Suddenly, the huge doors swung open.

Mo Jiangye walked in languidly. “You are asking my woman to compensate you with money? Come on, tell me. How much is the compensation?”

Lawyer Zhang, who was sitting beside Ye Erruo, stood up abruptly. Boss’s woman? What the heck?

“Mo Jiangye, why are you here?” When she’d headed out earlier, he had still been extremely busy with work. Was he already done?

His eyes turned cold as he looked at the person on the stand with a sinister gaze.

“Come on. Repeat what you said earlier,” he said eerily.

The other person shivered under his sharp glare. “Who are you? How did you get in?”

This wasn’t a place anyone could enter easily.

“Repeat it!” Mo Jiangye’s voice turned icier.

“Miss Ye Erruo imprisoned Miss Gu Feirou. Therefore, the compensation fee for her losses will amount to 15 million. According to...”

Suddenly, the judge stopped speaking in fear.

Straight ahead, a gun was pointed right at the center of his forehead.

Chapter 189: Go On, Speak!

“Go on, speak! Why did you stop?” asked the man icily.

“What are you thinking of doing?” The other party was looking at him in fear now.

Bang!

“Ahh!” Gu Feirou quickly ran to hide aside.

A stone shard pierced the hat sitting on the man’s head high above.

Wide-eyed, the fellow stared at him in disbelief, too shocked for words!

Mo Jiangye retrieved the rock and passed it to his lawyer without a word. While scooping the woman beside him into his arms, he retorted, “I didn’t send you here to resolve the matter only with words.”

She had been gone for the entire afternoon. There had been no sign or news of her, and neither had she picked up his calls or returned his messages. He’d thought he had lost her for good.

Ye Erruo was speechless.

It was Lawyer Zhang’s turn to look shocked. “I-I didn’t know she was our sister-in-law.”

When did our boss get married? When did that happen? Why was I not informed?

The man narrowed his eyes in thought. *You didn’t know she’s my woman?*

This sudden realization made him feel terribly upset!

He thought about it further and it occurred to him in an instant that many people actually did not know her identity.

His business connections, those from the medical arena... The more he thought about it, the more people he counted. His forehead creased into a frown. He had too many networks to consider.

The people he knew came from all kinds of professions, and there were too many to count. Although he did not need to inform everyone, some of them would definitely need to be told. Yes, they needed to know that this woman, Ye Erruo, belonged to him.

Jing Xinze escorted Gu Feirou to a safe place before glancing at their lawyer and whispering, “He is Mo Jiangye.”

There was only disdain in the lawyer's eyes; it was obvious that he did not take his opponent seriously. He strode over to the judge, took the documents with the stamp, and paced toward the man. "Mr. Mo, do you recognize this seal?"

The man glimpsed at the gold-colored motif and retorted brashly, "Is it a pattern of a dog's tail?"

Ye Erruo did not know what to say.

"Pfft..." Lawyer Zhang almost vomited blood upon hearing his boss's comment.

D-Dog's tail? A pattern of a dog's tail?

Only their chief could come up with such a remark. Although... the motif did resemble a wagging dog's tail.

The other chap became haughtier. From the look he gave the man, it was apparent that he found it contemptuous to explain further.

In an arrogant tone, the chap added leisurely, "This is the seal of the Blue Tower Royalty. Mr. Mo, do you understand what this seal represents? If you don't, I have to spend some time to explain the implications to you."

The man seemed to be forcing a smile on his face as he replied, "Then may I trouble you to spend some time explaining it?"

Holding his head high, the chap put on a pair of white-colored gloves and, after shooting a serious look at the gold-colored seal, started his lecture. "This motif..."

Bang!

The hall went silent in an instant. Before he could say another word, the chap fell backward ramrod-straight to the floor.

Jing Xinze looked at the Blue Tower's most prestigious man in disbelief...

Lawyer Zhang blew at the smoke wisping from the gun barrel in his hand and said, "Now, he won't need to spend any time explaining."

Those who dared to act conceited before their boss knew no better!

It was true that the Blue Tower was not easy to deal with. However, if anyone were to offend their chief, be it the Blue, Yellow, or Red Tower, that party would have to be eliminated. This was not impossible even if they were a powerful opponent.

Those who knew their chief knew his temperament too. The man was not someone to trifle with. Those who did not know would end up in a terrible state.

His chief furrowed his brow in displeasure. As he held his woman's head close to his chest, he told his man, "You scared her."

His chest was too stiff and hard for her head to be comfortable. "Mo Jiangye..."

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Chapter 190: Come And Meet My Lover

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Clinging to her head, Ye Erruo pushed him away as she shot him a glare. "What do you think you are doing?"

He caressed her head and consoled her. "I was afraid this might have scared you."

Lawyer Zhang slowly shifted himself sideways until he was standing in front of the dead man on the floor. He was trying to shield her from the ugly sight with his body.

Yao Tiao was still in shock as she gulped down nervously her saliva. This was the first time she had met someone as high-handed as this.

"Why didn't you pick up my call?" Mo Jiangye asked his woman. If she had answered his call, he would have allowed her to gallivant the day away as long as she returned home at night. However, if she ignored his calls, he would unconsciously think that she had walked away from him again.

"Yao Tiao had my phone, so I didn't get your call."

Her friend panicked the moment the man turned his gaze on her. Instantly, she shoved her bag at Ye Erruo. "Here, here. Take it. You can have it."

She hurriedly threw the entire bag at Ye Erruo. Antagonizing Boss Mo would be problematic, but to die accidentally would be so... unjust.

His woman pursed her lips in displeasure and gave him a shove at the same time. "Look at what you've done."

"It wasn't me," he answered solemnly.

Not far from them, Jing Xinze stood and looked at the group furiously. This man is too insolent!

"Mo Jiangye, you have killed the representative of the Blue Tower. Are you openly declaring war against our royalty?"

The man did not reply. He merely busied himself adjusting Ye Erruo's collar. Nobody could bully his people or act conceited in front of him or her. No one was allowed to offend his woman or gossip behind her back. He would protect her with all he had for the rest of her life. As long as he was around, the Blue Tower would be no exception.

"We can have lunch now. What do you want to eat today?" he asked his woman softly while ignoring his enemy's taunts.

"Let's have roast duck, Chief! This place is a long way from home. Surely, you'll let me have a good meal before I leave?"

The woman stole a sidelong glance at the dead man lying on the floor and twitched her lips. "Let's have roast duck then."

It appeared that there was no need for her to make a personal trip to the Enchantress Bar in the first place. Her man was powerful enough to uphold her.

Thus, the group walked away from the scene nonchalantly to have lunch.

Gu Feirou, who had long expected this outcome, was incensed and jealous at the same time as she watched them walking away. What does Ye Erruo have that makes a man like Mo Jiangye love her so much?

“Didn’t I tell you that you wouldn’t be able to beat this man? Getting someone from the Blue Tower was unnecessary. You have just slapped your own face with this move. This is Mo Jiangye’s territory, not the Blue Tower’s! Next time, make sure you know what you’re getting into before you plot, alright?” She stomped off after shoving her guard aside.

Jing Xinze’s face was cold and sullen as he glanced at the man on the floor before catching up with his charge.

Meanwhile, at the roast duck place...

Lawyer Zhang was hurdling over his laptop on the side as they waited for their meal.

“Alright, Chief. Everyone is present now,” he told his boss.

“Good.”

“Is anybody coming?” asked Yao Tiao.

The lawyer turned the monitor to face Ye Erruo all of a sudden. “Come on, show your respect to your sister-in-law,” he said into the laptop.

“How are you, sister-in-law?”

Waves of voices could be heard from the machine.

Her hand, which was holding a cup, jerked momentarily as she saw the bobbing heads covering the screen...

Mo Jiangye put his arm around her shoulders and took her into his embrace as he introduced them.

“Come and meet my lover.”