Stubborn Love 201

## Chapter 201: Mo Jiangye, Did You Cheat?

"Be obedient, Xiao Ruo," said Lin Jingxuan as he held her hands.

"Hubby, will you be going to the Blue Tower with that woman once you've recovered? Are you going to abandon me?"

His brows furrowed. "I won't be going there."

It was only after hearing this assuring answer that Xiao Ruo felt relieved.

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Meanwhile, at Wealth City Casino...

Countless gamblers surrounded the gaming tables amid billows of cigarette smoke.

Seated beside this crowd was Ye Erruo, who stared and counted the money before her over and over again. In exchange for her husband finding her a lawyer, she was supposed to attend an event with him, though she had never expected it to be a gambling event.

The game Mo Jiangye was playing, Baccarat, was very simple. The player's goal was to get a higher hand value than the opponent. The dealer beside him started dealing the cards between the two players. Fury burned in the eyes of the man opposite him as he eyed the money pile in front of Ye Erruo. Beads of cold sweat were dotting his forehead, and his hands were clenched tight.

Mo Jiangye calmly scanned the big, burly foreigner opposite him. He had won every round of the game so far, which had infuriated the foreigner so much that he wanted to rip him apart.

"You cheated," argued the man in a sinister voice.

Lounging against the chair, he merely raised a brow and smirked as he took a long drag on his cigarette and put his arm around the woman. His cocky behavior spoke volumes of his unruliness.

Suddenly, the couple happened to turn their heads to look at each other at the same time. A plume of smoke was exhaled from his mouth before it rushed toward her face.

Cough, cough, cough... She immediately choked on the thick, pungent smell.

"Ha..." A laugh escaped him as his eyes were filled with mischief and tenderness.

He then pulled her to her feet as he rose from his seat. "Let's go."

Bang!

The man behind him smashed his fist on the gambling table in outrage. "You're leaving? You want to leave after winning money?"

All at once, the people around them surrounded the couple.

"Keep a good eye on him. I want to find out how he cheated so I can chop off his hands."

Thwack! A knife was embedded on the table's surface.

Ye Erruo sarcastically remarked, "Don't gamble if you can't afford to lose."

"Shut your filthy trap, b\*tch."

"Sit down. Get back in your seats now," sputtered the man.

Squinting, Mo Jiangye pushed the pile of money forward before calmly taking a seat again. "Put down the same amount that I've placed and we'll play."

"Bring my money over."

One by one, several cases worth of cold, hard cash in red were poured onto the table.

"Open your eyes wide and watch properly how this chap cheats."

"Yes, Boss."

His eyes dimmed in ambiguity when he saw the cash on the gambling table.

"Deal the cards."

The dealer began shuffling the cards before he dealt them to the two players.

On either side of his opponent were two seductive women who were sprawled all over him. While flashing him fawning smiles, they lit his cigarette, massaged his shoulders, and peeled and fed him a banana.

Mo Jiangye silently turned his head over and shot his wife a look.

"What's wrong?"

"I'm thirsty."

The woman furrowed her brows as she poured a cup of water and placed it before him. She then curiously scanned her surroundings with her peripheral vision. It was her first time in a casino.

There were several other gambling tables not far away from them and, from time to time, shrieks of delight and howls of anguish could be heard in the background.

"What are you looking at?" He turned her head back to face him with his big hand.

"Nothing."

"My shoulders hurt," he added.

Ye Erruo arched a brow at that comment. She understood what he meant at once when she noticed the group of women clinging onto the foreign man. She curled her lips up into a smile as she stood up to stand behind him and massage his shoulders. "Where are you hurting?"

"Everywhere." His lips arched upward.

She started kneading his shoulders lightly as she leaned over and whispered into his ear in confusion, "Did you really cheat?"

He hasn't lost a single round since we entered this place...

# **Chapter 202: Teach Her How To Cheat?**

A smirk crept into his face as he held up the cards in his hand. "Take a guess."

Surrounding them were numerous eyes that were staring closely at the cards in his hand and his every action.

Seeing that they were being watched, she stared at the man and said in a voice that was audible only to the two of them, "You don't know how to cheat?"

"I do," he murmured back in a languid drawl. "I've been cheating all along."

Her beautiful eyes widened in disbelief and her hands, which were massaging his shoulders, wrapped around his neck at once as she leaned in against him and rested her chin on his shoulder. From the way she stared unblinkingly at the cards in his hands like the others, it seemed like she wanted to see through his trick as well.

All she saw, however, was Mo Jiangye and his opponent skillfully spreading the ten cards they each had on the table again.

A few minutes later, the dealer announced, "The winner is Mr. Mo."

"F\*ck." The man opposite them totally blew his fuse and smashed his fist on the table again.

The ladies around him seemed to be used to this sight and merely silently retreated to a corner so they would not antagonize him.

"Boss, either this chap is on a lucky streak or he is an experienced con artist. I was unable to see through his tricks," a scrawny man whispered into his ear.

"Are we still gambling? You don't seem to have any money left." Mo Jiangye picked up his wife's hand and kneaded it for a bit.

"Godd\*mnit! I've got no money?"

The foreign man's eyes blazed in fury as he removed the thick, chunky gold necklace, ring, and bracelet he was wearing and chucked them on the table.

"Is this b\*tch your woman? I'm playing the next round with her."

He wants to leave after winning so much money from me? Fat chance.

Ye Erruo grimly pursed her lips. "I don't know how to play."

"You don't know how to play? Nonsense. You're up for the next round, or else you guys can forget about leaving with a single cent today. You will only go after leaving a finger behind."

Mo Jiangye's countenance turned dark and vicious. The man was testing his patience each time he said the word 'b\*tch'.

He scoffed, "I'm adding five million to this money pile. What else do you have to add other than these gold dog chains? They aren't worth much at all."

"Watch your mouth, brat. Bring those over."

"Boss... You..."

"Bring them over."

Moments later, the man's underlings brought a few cases over. "The goods in these cases are worth several hundred million. I'm betting all of them today to play a round with the woman."

Mo Jiangye's deep-set eyes darkened. "What are these?"

His opponent replied, sounding irritated, "Cut the bullsh\*t. They're worth what I claim they are."

With a smirk, he pulled the woman behind him into his embrace. "Do you know how to play cards?"

Ye Erruo shook her head wildly as she stared at the big money pile before her. We'll be suffering a huge loss if I lose.

"No need to be scared when I'm around."

Her eyes lit up in glee. Will he be teaching me how to cheat?

"You've never played Baccarat before?"

"Nope."

"How about dice?"

"I've played that before."

He shot an obscure gaze at the goods, which were worth multiple millions.

"Alright, we'll play dice then."

"Dice? Ha ha ha ha... Dice it is." Their opponent burst into laughter heartily.

Dice was his forte.

The pessimistic woman meekly whispered, "I can only guess. You will shake the dice."

Anyone could play dice, as it was purely based on luck. One had to guess whether the total face value would be big or small.

Under the table, Mo Jiangye covertly pinched her thumb before pinching her little finger.

She understood the secret code right away and tacitly sent an eye signal to him that only the two of them understood.

Chapter 203: What Did You Just Say? B\*tch?

Soon, the staff responsible for the dice game had everything all prepped and ready. The man eyed Mo Jiangye with malice.

Just as they were about to start the game, someone frantically ran toward the foreign man and whispered something into his ear. With an ashen face, he cast a side-glance at his opponent.

"Keep the goods and leave."

"Yes, Boss."

Keep the goods?

Mo Jiangye's eyes sank. "How can you take back what you bet on the gambling table?"

"I don't want the money anymore." After beckoning to the underling beside him to quickly clear the goods on the table, the man tried to hastily retreat from the place.

However, just as they were about to reach the exit, the numerous guns pointing at them from the doorway forced them to slowly retreat.

Such a huge commotion seemed commonplace in the casino, as the people in there did not seem to be fazed at all. Instead, they swiftly cleared away their money and left through the side door.

"Come on. Behave and put down the items." Xu Xu walked in with a smile.

Meanwhile, at the gambling table, Mo Jiangye gulped down the water his wife had poured for him before rising to his feet and steadily approaching that group of people.

"Get out of my f\*cking way, or I'll shoot you all to death."

The group of ten, who were armed with guns while carrying three cases in their hands, guarded themselves against the people who had surrounded them.

"Boss, there are only ten people in here. There are ten other people and ten boxes of goods as well." Xu Xu and his men had surrounded that group of foreigners.

Mo Jiangye flashed the tall, burly, blue-eyed foreigner a vague smile. "What did you just say? B\*tch?"

The man cast him a malicious glare in return. "Fancy a small fry having the guts to squawk at me. Wise up and get out of my way, or else... Boys!"

His gang whipped out their guns and grenades one by one.

"Now, scram."

"Oh, freaking sh\*t! How scary!" Xu Xu feigned a look of terror and let out a shriek.

As soon as Ye Erruo's gaze landed on the goods in their hands, she instantly understood that they were from the Blue Tower.

"Do they contain the same drugs as before?" She softly addressed this question to her husband, who was right beside her.

"Shut your \*ss, b\*tch! Shut the f\*ck up! The items in there are clean!"

Mo Jiangye's eyes turned frigid at once.

The moment his subordinate made an eye signal, the woman was immediately pulled into his embrace as he blocked her vision and stuffed her ears with something.

"AHH..."

Howls of agony, loud explosive sounds, and glaring lights filled the entire casino at once, only ceasing a few minutes later.

"F\*ck you!"

Bang, bang, bang... The casino descended into a state of chaos as countless bullets whizzed across the air.

The man immediately led his wife to a safe area.

Right in the middle of the vast casino stood that group of people, who were staggering unstably on their feet. They were blindly firing bullets in random directions as though they were unable to see anything.

"What happened to them?"

"They're now blind and deaf, sis-in-law." Xu Xu had somehow appeared mysteriously alongside them.

Bang, bang, bang... All they could hear now was gunshots.

In just a short time, the ten people had been taken down and their goods had been confiscated.

"Boss, they're the same goods as before," reported Xu Xu.

"Find those ten people and the ten cases of goods and keep them alive."

*Bang!* Mo Jiangye pulled out a pistol and fired a shot right in the middle of the blue-eyed man's forehead.

Xu Xu shuddered in fear. If I were to say anything bad about sis-in-law, would I die just like that as well?

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"Someone named Lin?" Ye Erruo's voice rose sharply.

"Uh... Yes, someone named Lin."

Ye Erruo furrowed her brows. The mention of the surname 'Lin' instinctively led her to think that Lin Jingxuan was peddling dangerous goods.

Mo Jiangye glimpsed sideways at her, naturally knowing who she had assumed the mastermind was.

He turned her head over. "You're not allowed to think of him."

What an imperious, tyrannical man.

"Take them all in for questioning. I don't believe that they're unacquainted with the ten other people," Xu Xu ordered.

"Understood."

The woman squeezed her brows together, feeling very curious about this Lin person.

"Just a second."

"What's wrong, sis-in-law?"

"Let them meet up with this Lin person."

"Huh?"

"Do it," ordered Mo Jiangye, who acceded to her request.

"I'll go make arrangements."

Taking her small hand in his, he told her, "It's not him."

Lin Jingxuan doesn't have the guts to do such a thing.

"That might not be true."

"Wanna bet?" The man started revealing the plot he'd had in mind for quite some time.

"Bet? What are we betting on?"

He then led her further into the casino. "If it isn't Lin Jingxuan who's buying this batch of goods, you will have to..."

"What will I have to do?"

He abruptly drew her close and enunciated each word slowly. "Have my baby."

He had talked big about his son growing bigger each day, so he naturally had to turn this rumor into reality as soon as possible.

"B-Baby?"

"Duh. How am I going to have a son if we don't work hard? Tell me, where is he going to come from? Hm? Besides..."

The woman pushed him away. "Besides what? Get lost."

With a backhand move, he grabbed hold of her hands. "Those guys already know that their sister-in-law is pregnant and have prepared their red packets. In a month or so, they'll be coming to visit their sister-in-law and their little chief."

Ye Erruo gritted her teeth. "Are you blaming me now? Who told you to lie? You should just tell them that I'm not pregnant."

Little chief? Isn't he getting way ahead of himself?

His lips lifted as he let out a low, throaty chuckle. "Who should I blame, if not you?"

"What kind of bet is this? I'm not betting with you." He was pressing against her so hard that she felt uncomfortable all over.

His eyes dimmed. "Are you sure?"

Xu, Xu, who had just walked over to them, immediately turned on his feet to give them some privacy.

"Boss, call me once you two are done talking."

The corners of her lips twitched. "Are you looking for him? We're done here. You can just come over and speak with him."

He was just about to turn around when he heard his chief warning him. "Come over if you dare."

Cough...

"I'll help you keep a lookout."

"What lookout?" shouted Ye Erruo in frustration and embarrassment as she struggled against the man. Alas, given his strength, how could she possibly break free from him?

"Agreed?" Mo Jiangye asked.

"I don't want to have a child now," she said.

He interlocked his fingers with hers. "Why don't you want to have a child?"

Behind them, Xu Xu's ears perked. What did I just hear? Sis-in-law wants to abort the child? She doesn't want the child anymore? She's going to have our little chief aborted?

It isn't easy for our little chief to come about. How can he be aborted just like that?

Chapter 205: Having A Son Is Safer!

Why did things turn out this way? Little sister-in-law, you can't do that! Boss won't agree to that either!

He fretted anxiously but, at the same time, he dared not approach the couple. The only thing he could do was stretch his ears to listen further.

"Hey, tell me. Why don't you want a kid now?" After turning down his volume, he pressed the topic.

"It's... It's too soon to have a child now," she replied with furrowed brows.

"Too soon?" His pitch rose by a few decibels.

"Yes... that's right. If we were to have a child now, we'd need to spend all our time on the kid. This means that we wouldn't have any time to have fun, right?" she answered cautiously. This was not the first time they had discussed this matter, and she had already made her stance clear to him...

She was young and could not even take care of herself, let alone a child. To put it simply, it was too soon to have a kid.

Once a child came along, she would have to spend all her time and energy on the baby. Having a child now would mean losing her freedom early.

Her reply was loud enough for Xu Xu to catch its entirety.

Fun? They want to have fun? Are little-sister-in-law and boss refusing to have the child because they want to have fun?

This won't do!

Mo Jiangye pursed his lips and locked his gaze on her as he thought, *Is this the reason she doesn't want to have a child?* 

"You are still young and full of energy so there's no need to hurry, right?"

"Are you hinting that I am not up to the task?" His pitch had risen to a dangerous level as he studied her with narrowed eyes.

Not up to the task? What kind of task is he referring to? What could he not do? Darn! Don't tell me our boss cannot...

No... No... If our boss is impotent, that's all the more reason for little sister-in-law to have a child now. Otherwise, they will probably not have any children in the future!

Xu Xu continued to lean his ear against the side of the pillar, refusing to move. Images of the possible scenarios surrounding the conversation he had been eavesdropping filled his mind.

"I didn't mean that!"

"Then what were you trying to hint at? You must have had this thought deep inside! Tell me, what were you trying to tell me?"

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"Speak. What did you want to tell me?"

She pushed his arm away. Looking at him seriously, she said, "You have the final say. If you are saying it wasn't Lin Jingxuan, then it wasn't him. If you say it was him, then so be it. I won't argue or get into any bets with you. Your word counts. I mean it."

He sulked. "I..."

"You are capable. In fact, you are very capable... Exceptionally capable," she quickly added after her solemn declaration.

Her serious expression only made him feel worse.

"Alright, then we'll forget about having a child for now. We can raise a kid later in life," he concluded without mincing his words.

His follower, who had been eavesdropping on them, immediately objected.

"That won't do, Chief! How can you murder a youngling just because you want to have fun?"

The woman did not know what to say.

The man merely glimpsed obliquely at him and ignored his protest.

"Chief... Chief, hear me out. If you find the kid troublesome to care for, you can pass the child to your servants... No, no, we'll help look after the child. Your brothers will help take care of your kid!" Xu Xu tried to persuade him eagerly as he approached the couple.

The man sniggered. "Why would I let my son be raised by you or a servant?"

The woman, who was subdued, interjected. "Why must it be a son? Why can't we have a daughter?"

"A daughter would be fine. A daughter would be good. Little sister-in-law, we'll take care of the girl for you as long as you are willing to have a child."

His chief rebutted coldly. "A girl will be taken away by a chap when she grows up. If we had a son, I could teach him how to win over a girl instead. Having a boy would be safer."

He would prefer not to have a daughter...

#### Chapter 206: Are You Sure You Want Me To Wear This?

Xu Xu chipped in hastily, "That's right, having a son would be safer. Little sister-in-law, regardless of whether you have a boy or a girl, I'll take care of the kid, so you must deliver it, alright?"

Mo Jiangye hugged his woman's waist. As he walked away with her, he commented expressionlessly, "Not going to keep the kid."

Let him take care of the kid? Hmph! He can go and raise his own kid if he's that desperate!

"Little sister-in-law..."

The woman told him with a smile, "I'm not pregnant."

Xu Xu was stunned on the spot. Not pregnant? That could not be true! She had to be pulling his leg. She was lying so she could secretly abort the child.

This is illegal! Illegal! Boss, this is illegal!

She could only smile at his look of disbelief. "I'm really not pregnant."

The man retorted coldly, "The fetus is unhealthy and has to be aborted."

Was he trying to claim his son? He could stop dreaming. That would never happen!

"Mo Jiangye!" The woman stopped her man from saying anything else.

Why is he making his man worry?

After shooting a glance at her, he asked, "Why do we have to lie to him? We have to abort the fetus because it's unhealthy. Xu Xu is like a family member. We don't need to lie to him."

Xu Xu was hurt when he heard that. "So little sister-in-law lied to me because I'm not considered a family member?"

"That's not true."

"Xu Xu, do you believe me or him? I'm really not pregnant," she told him in all seriousness.

The young chap gazed back and forth between her and his boss.

"I trust our chief."

"..."

Cocking his brow, the man retorted, "Oh, she's not pregnant."

"Little sister-in-law..."

The woman ignored his plea and refused to look at him.

"Little sister-in-law, I actually trusted you right from the start," he told her hypocritically.

He he! What a man!

The back door of the casino was at the deepest end of the hall. Outside the back door, their car and chauffeur had been waiting for some time.

Xu Xu, who was following them, was crestfallen. Their boss and his wife were too playful. That was such a bad joke!

Just as they were about to get in the car, Mo Jiangye suddenly grabbed hold of Ye Erruo.

"What's wrong?"

He held her hand and led her to a mall next door.

"Welcome!"

Xu Xu looked at his boss quizzically. "Boss, are you going shopping to buy something for yourself?"

Instead, his boss swiftly led the woman by the hand to a mannequin in a long, baby-pink frock. "Look at this."

He had eyed this dress from far. It suited her well and went hand-in-hand with the pink diamonds she had.

Ye Erruo looked up with a raised brow. Indeed, the dress was fabulous. While walking to the back of the mannequin, she asked with a smile, "Are you getting this for me?"

The man nodded.

The store assistant, who was standing aside, quickly stepped in to prevent them from touching the dress. "Sir and ma'am, this dress is one of a kind. It is a limited edition piece of the 'MTR' series. Its price is 25,880,000 yuan. Can you kindly confirm that this is what you want?"

Looking displeased, Xu Xu cut in. "Boss, where's your credit card? Give her all the cards that you have. The black, the red, and the blue one! You have cards in fancy colors!" That should give her a shock. There was no way his boss could not afford a dress!

"Sir, I think you have misunderstood my intention," the store assistant whispered.

"Get this for me!" Mo Jiangye ordered icily.

"I'm very sorry, sir, but this dress can be a hassle to take on and off. I'll get our professional staff to come over and bring the dress down while you pay in the meantime."

His face sank immediately.

Ye Erruo reached out and turned the back of the mannequin so he could have a look. "Are you sure you want me to wear this?"

The back of the frock was a mesh of hollow lace that revealed a woman's sexy back curves in an alluring way.

The man pulled her hand and walked out of the shop without a word.

# **Chapter 207: Our Wedding Rings**

"Hey, boss. Why did you walk away? That dress was so pretty!" Xu Xu could not comprehend his reason for walking away.

The woman followed them with a smile. She knew he would never agree to let her wear a low-cut dress like this.

The store assistant snorted in disdain as she used the feather duster to dust the spot Ye Erruo had just touched.

"Wait a minute, Mo Jiangye." The woman caught hold of his hand.

"What is it? Do you want that dress? I don't have the money to buy it for you." He declined coldly.

Xu Xu, who was standing beside him, cocked his brow when he heard that and silently made his way to the cashier...

Her lips twitched but she said nothing. Instead, she led him to the ring section next to them. This was a place where couples could customize their wedding bands.

"Let's make a pair of wedding rings," she told him. While hugging his arm, she studied the different ring designs displayed inside the glass cabinet. It was rare for them to step into a mall in the first place, so she wanted to enjoy this time with him.

There were a few young couples sitting next to them. Some were going for average designs, while the rest wanted more extravagant ones. An ordinary ring could be customized within an hour, while complicated designs would take three hours. Customized designs could only be ready at a later time.

"Which one do you like?" She pored over the designs with a serious look.

His orbs turned a shade darker as he hugged her from behind. "Our wedding bands will be ready soon."

She was startled. "Wedding bands?"

"Yes."

"But we can wear this design for the time being." He then led her to the luxury section.

The designs and patterns there were obviously more high-class than the ones they had seen earlier.

"Sir and ma'am, are you here to customize your wedding bands?"

"I would like to take a look at this..." The woman pointed to a diamond in a light lavender shade inside the transparent display cabinet.

"Miss, this is a rare diamond. It is the only one in S City. A deposit of ten million yuan is required before we can use this diamond on a wedding ring. You can choose the ring design after paying the deposit. A fee of five million yuan is needed when the ring is made with the diamond." The store assistant continued to explain politely.

"Is the deposit compulsory regardless of the ring we want?"

"Yes, ma'am."

She retrieved her finger. Her man had not brought any money. Furthermore, there was only one diamond in this color, so they could not make a pair of wedding bands with it.

A black card was dumped on the counter without a warning. "Cut that piece of diamond into two for a pair of rings."

The girl became enthusiastic at the sight of the card.

"Sir, this diamond is very hard, so cutting it would require..."

"I don't care how you do it. Just cut it in half for a pair of rings." He pushed the card toward her.

"Sure, no problem!"

The woman turned around and glimpsed at him. "I thought you hadn't brought any money with you today?"

He dipped his eyes at her and replied. "I only have enough to buy the rings."

"Sir and ma'am, please leave your address. We'll send the rings to you when they are ready."

The man told her sternly, "I'll give you two hours."

"Sir, we can do that in two hours but it'll be a hasty job. The result may not be good enough."

He held his woman's soft fingers in his hand and slowly spread out her palm. "It doesn't have to be exquisite as long as it's comfortable," he replied hoarsely.

The shop assistant was taken aback. It doesn't have to be exquisite?

"We'll only need to wear them for two days so I need them ASAP."

The woman was speechless.

The shop assistant could not help sighing to herself inwardly. This man planned to wear a ring that cost more than a few million yuan for two days only. This was a person they could not offend at any cost!

"Sir and ma'am, please wait here." She hurried back to her work station.

"What do you mean we'll only have them for two days?" she whispered to him.

He planted a light peck on the back of her palm. "Our wedding bands will be ready by then."

A box appeared out of the blue right before their eyes.

"Little sister-in-law, I got the dress for you."

#### **Chapter 208: Untitled**

"Little sister-in-law, I got the dress for you."

Ye Erruo widened her beautiful, big eyes. The faint pink packaging was extremely exquisite and beautiful. He turned around and looked at Xu Xu. "Why did you purchase it?"

Xu Xu was confused by his reaction. "Boss, you didn't bring money with you so I helped you purchase it." How could they not buy what their sister-in-law liked?

In a split second, Mo Jiangye's face darkened. His gaze was fixed on the packaging as he said in a sinister manner, "Do you have so much free time?"

"Boss, didn't you like this dress? It will be stunning on sister-in-law. Plus, sister-in-law... Uh..."

Xu Xu stopped talking, shocked by Mo Jiangye's icy gaze. "Uh. It's nothing, boss. This is a gift for meeting my sister-in-law. You do not have to return the money to me."

Mo Jiangye reached out and grabbed the bag. He then asked dubiously, "Do you like this dress?"

His question seemed to be directed at Ye Erruo yet also at Xu Xu...

The corners of Ye Erruo's lips twitched. "It's alright. I can't say I love it, but I do not hate it either." She could not say she liked it, or he would get more jealous. She could not say she disliked it either, as the dress was not cheap. Xu Xu had bought it for her with kind intentions. Did he really think Mo Jiangye had not bought it because he did not have the money? How could he not have known their boss's train of thought?

"Can this dress be returned?" she asked softly.

Xu Xu was taken aback. "Why would you want to return it? It can't be returned, sister-in-law."

"Do you like it a lot?" Mo Jiangye asked.

"[..."

"I am not asking you." He cut her off.

Upon seeing his boss looking at him, Xu Xu was stunned. "Are you asking me? I think it looks really nice."

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"Oh. What part of it looks nice?"

Xu Xu was completely befuddled. "A pale pink dress will look really pretty on sister-in-law. No, to be specific, sister-in-law would look great in anything."

The more he said, the darker Mo Jiangye's expression became.

Ye Erruo reacted in time. "How much is this dress? 25.88 million yuan, right? I will transfer you the money later."

"There's no need to, sister-in-law! Why are you acting like I'm a stranger?"

Ye Erruo took Mo Jiangye's hand and said softly, "It's already been bought. I will only wear it for you when we are home."

Mo Jiangye bit his lips strangely as he raised the bag by both its straps and asked again, "Do you really like this dress?"

The stares made Xu Xu feel uncomfortable. He felt as if something was wrong.

"I... I like it. It is rather pretty."

"Ha!" Suddenly, Mo Jiangye let out a soft laugh and his gloomy eyes flashed with a scary glow.

"What? What is wrong, Boss?"

"Wear it and let me see how pretty it is."

"What?"

Ye Erruo grabbed the box from his hands. "That's enough. Give Xu Xu the money. This dress is pretty, so I will wear it for you when we're home."

How could he allow other men to buy clothes for her? Although it was a bit revealing, wearing it at home would absolutely not be an issue!

Mo Jiangye took back the dress and looked at Xu Xu as he said, "Put on this dress and let me see how nice it looks."

Ye Erruo was just about to speak when he added with a scarily hoarse voice, "If you want to wear dresses, I will bring you around later to buy some that will satisfy you. If you want to wear this dress, why not wear lingerie instead?"

Ye Erruo pushed him away, feeling angry from embarrassment. "You... You!"

Mo Jiangye smirked. "Do you still want to wear this dress?"

"..."

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"No."

"Mo Jiangye."

"I am here, Baby Ruo. I will buy you new clothes later."

He tossed the dress to Xu Xu. "Put this on in the dressing room and let me see how pretty it looks."

Xu Xu's eyebrows formed a tight line. What had he done wrong? How had he provoked their boss again?

"Boss... Are you serious?"

His voice turned icy. "Do you think I am messing around with you?"

Xu Xu wanted to cry but could not form tears. "I can't do it, Boss. What did I do wrong for you to punish me like that?"

"Change."

"My body cannot afford to wear a dress that is worth millions."

All of a sudden, he had a brilliant idea. "I'll just let sister-in-law wear this dress. The money... Boss, you have to reimburse me for it! I bought it on your behalf. You can't let someone as poor as me pay for it. When you get home, have sister-in-law wear it for you. The dress is one size. It will be a waste if I damage it with my rough, well-built body. Isn't that right, sister-in-law?"

He looked at Ye Erruo pleadingly. His understanding of Mo Jiangye's possessiveness had been renewed.

Their boss never used to be like that! He had changed!

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"I am giving it to sister-in-law. I still have something to do. I wasn't done questioning those people earlier. Didn't you want to know who Lin is? I will help you find out right now. Don't forget to return the money to me."

Ye Erruo looked at the dress in her arms. "Remember to return the money to him later."

Mo Jiangye was unhappy as he tossed the dress aside. "You are not allowed to wear it."

"Alright, alright. I will not wear it."

Suddenly, he changed his mind. "Wear it for me when we are home."

When she was done wearing this dress... she would wear some new clothes for him to see. Wouldn't that be pleasing?

Ye Erruo raised her brows and gave him a smile that was not quite a smile. "Sure, but don't you do anything funny."

"I wouldn't," he said solemnly.

"Why do I not believe you?"

He narrowed his eyes dangerously. "You do not believe me?"

"Sir and miss, our jeweler would like to invite you two over to have a look and confirm your ideal ring designs."

The employee walked over with a smile, enviously staring at Mo Jiangye. Where had she found such a charming rich man?

Ye Erruo released her grip on Mo Jiangye's collar as they held hands and walked to the back of the shop.

"Can it be done in two hours?"

"Yes, miss."

"Are you hungry?" he asked gently.

Before he had asked, she had still been fine. Now that he had, Ye Erruo did indeed begin to feel a little hungry.

"What time is it?"

"9 pm." Mo Jiangye glanced at the watch on his wrist.

"What would you like to have for dinner?"

Ye Erruo held his arm and leaned her head on his shoulder as they walked. "I am not sure. Anything would be good. Let's just eat whatever there is."

With an arm around her waist, he protected her carefully while placing a call with his free hand.

Their intimate actions were a cause of envy for the employee beside them.

"We are here, sir. This way, please..." The employee opened the door for them.

The light in the room was dim. Mo Jiangye unconsciously hugged her closer to him, afraid that he would lose her.

Suddenly, a bark was heard and a soft red furball came scuttling out.

Mo Jiangye instinctively hid Ye Erruo behind him. By reacting extremely fast, he kicked the red furry creature away.

Oh, oh, oh...

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Smack! The lights in the room were suddenly turned on.

The furry fella on the floor was whining painfully.

It was a dog with the same fur color as Red Bean, but it was not Red Bean.

"I am sorry about that, sir. I am really sorry." The employee hurriedly went forward to pick up the animal.

Ye Erruo immediately pulled Mo Jiangye behind her, far away from the dog.

"Our technician is right behind there. Please head in first." The employee carried the fella out apologetically.

Inside the store was another room. Mo Jiangye's expression became extremely poor.

"Are you missing that dog? Are you still thinking about that ugly dog?"

Ye Erruo was speechless. "It is not that I miss Red Bean. It's just that this dog looked like Red Bean. Are you alright?"

She worriedly inspected his skin. She let out a sigh of relief when she did not see a red rash appear.

He said faintly, "You still remember its name."

"You are really jealous all the time."

Mo Jiangye furrowed his eyebrows. Was he?

"Let's go." Ye Erruo held him as she walked further into the room.

The room was spacious and several technicians were busy working.

"Nice to meet you." A specialized technician walked over to receive them.

Half an hour later, Mo Jiangye and Ye Erruo confirmed their ring designs and headed back to the mall.

When they walked out, someone was already waiting for them with food.

"Burrito?"

There was a huge burrito with two cups of porridge.

"Mhm!" Mo Jiangye's gaze softened. This used to be her favorite food in the past.

He held her hand as they shopped around in the huge mall. The rings would still take some time before they were ready.

Ye Erruo held the porridge in one hand and the burrito in another. They are as they walked, Mo Jiangye holding her close to his side. Even though it was almost 10 pm, there were still many people in the mall.

Mo Jiangye took her first to find a lingerie store.

How could Ye Erruo not understand what he meant by doing this?

"Mo Jiangye, are you for real?"

Mo Jiangye's fussy gaze scanned all the garments in the shop. He stared at them in displeasure. Ugly... They were all ugly.

"Sir, is there anything you need?" The store assistant fixed her gaze on Mo Jiangye.

Mo Jiangye took Ye Erruo's hand before turning around and leaving.

He took her to a few more shops but did not see anything that satisfied him.

"I am tired. Let's not buy anything else. Let's just head back."

Mo Jiangye raised his brows as he turned his gaze to the woman beside him.

All of a sudden, he took out his phone and made a call. After he spoke a ton of fluent English, Ye Erruo became suspicious. He spoke too fast and with such a soft voice...

In front of them, they could hear continuous cheers and shouts made by a bustling crowd.

Curious, Ye Erruo walked over. There was a candy floss store, and many candy floss sticks had been placed on the huge empty ground. Many couples were competing to see who could finish a huge candy floss stick to win a ragdoll and not be charged for the candy floss. Those who could not finish would have to pay double the price of the candy floss.

Many couples gave up after eating half. Firstly, it was too sweet so they could not continue eating it after having a certain amount. Secondly, the candy floss was indeed large. About five to six candy floss sticks as big as balloons were suspended in the air.

"Mo Jiangye, do you want to eat it?"

"What is this?"

Ye Erruo went forward and found a candy floss stick. She tore a small piece and placed it in Mo Jiangye's mouth. "Is it sweet?"

Mo Jiangye furrowed his eyebrows. It melted immediately in his mouth like sweet silk...

"Is it sweet?"

Mo Jiangye stared at her. "Not as sweet as you."