

Sweet Love 1421

Chapter 1421 How to face the so-called 'brother-in-law'...

If they were a couple, why was their child already seven years old?

Why had they not held a wedding yet?

Also, he went ahead and checked if the man and his sister were married and learned that they were not.

He did a background check on Mu Yazhe, too. While the latter's civil status was single, he had a son.

This son was protected extremely well by him, so no photos could be dug up about him.

However, according to the information he had received, the child was also seven years old.

It was hard for him not to think that there was a connection between him and Youyou.

He recalled Lisa bringing back a child who looked just like the boy. That child was probably that man's kid!

The female bodyguard said that the child and Youyou were identical twins.

If Mu Yazhe and his sis really did have two children together, and one of them had been acknowledged by the Mu family, what exactly was her relationship with him?

Secret lovers?!

The moment this thought crossed his mind, Gong Jie's heart began to burn with rage!

If she was indeed that man's secret lover, he would never let his sister be with him!

Regardless of the animosity between their two families, even with the fact that his sister was bearing such a humiliating title, he would never let her suffer this grievance!

However, seeing his sister's attitude, it did not seem to be the case.

Initially, he was doubtful if Youyou was indeed that man's biological son.

However, as he saw the picture of Mu Yazhe, he no longer had a place to be suspicious.

The father and son looked extremely similar, even more compared to the mother-son pair. One could tell with one look that they were kin.

If that was the case, what exactly happened when her sister was eighteen?

Were they together then?

Eighteen was still an age of purity. She should have been enjoying her youth with no worries, but why was she pregnant at such a young age?

It was so early!

Did something happen?

Perhaps...

Could it be that she was forced or bullied?!

The moment he thought of this possibility, he clenched his fists even tighter. He wanted to punch Mu Yazhe into smithereens!

D*mn it! The more he thought about it, the more frustrated he got!

His hatred for the Mu family had seeped right to his blood and bones. It was impossible to get rid of it.

Over the years, his father's words of how much he hated the Mus had largely influenced him.

Now, similarly, he hated that family right down to the marrow of his bones!

Therefore, when he learned about his sister and the Mu chap's relationship, he was at a loss. He did not know how to face that man whom he was supposed to call 'brother-in-law'!

That man had the blood of a sinner running through his veins.

His blood was tainted with wickedness.

D*mn it! He could not bring himself to accept the truth.

Even though he was still feigning unawareness in front of his sister, he was extremely conflicted at heart.

Gong Jie ran his fingers through his hair fretfully as his deep-set eyes lay buried within the shadows.

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Yun Shishi's schedule had returned to being hectic again.

The cast selection for 'Lethal Beauty' had finally gained some headway, but due to confidentiality, the four main leads and a few important supporting roles had to keep mum about the details. No one was allowed to leak it to others. Therefore, she did not know the actor or actress behind each role.

She only knew that there was Lin Zhi and Hua Jin. It went without saying that they would definitely be starring in the drama.

The other minor roles had not been confirmed and were still in the middle of selection.

This time was the moment for personal connections to come head to head with one another to fight for a role for the celebrities. They would fight over the roles, and some female celebrities with powerful backgrounds would even bring their respective production teams.

Chapter 1422 Threatening Letter

In this war without smoke, whoever had better support and stronger influence would get a chance to appear in the drama.

This was a cruel and practical world.

She suddenly realized how formidable her agent was.

She was a newcomer who managed to clinch a major role in 'The Green Apple', and now, there was 'Lethal Beauty'. Putting aside the topic of her ability, she knew, deep down, that she would not have appeared in these two top shows if not for Qin Zhou's resources.

Without the support from her agent and the director, she might not have appeared in that upcoming movie.

Similarly, her manager was so good that he almost got her the lead role in the drama.

Alas, she preferred the role of the supporting character with a villainous personality and wanted to tackle the challenge of depicting it. Her agent was, thus, a little disappointed with her decision.

She knew very well that this was what she wanted and would never regret it!

Acting was more than a job to her; it was her interest.

She looked forward to challenging every terse role.

After the cast for 'Lethal Beauty' had been selected, the kickoff ceremony would be held, and thereafter, she would have to get ready for the production.

However, before that, she would have to prepare for 'The Love Diary', a reality show where she had a major appearance.

It was a live reality show on Chengguang Channel, which featured imaginary love.

In the show, famous celebrities would form pairs of fictitious lovers to go through imaginary dates.

Within a week of broadcast, the first pair of fictitious lovers had quickly topped the charts for reality-show appearances.

She and Gu Xingze had been arranged to be the second pair. The program team held high hopes and ambition for this pairing and saw them as a guarantee for high viewership rating.

The script for this reality show was sent to her inbox two days ago.

To prepare her for this reality show, Qin Zhou made her cram the script and whipped up last-minute bootcamp training to cultivate her entertainment quotient.

In a reality show, it was not enough to look pretty. The participants had to be entertaining, such as generating a buzz, gimmicks, and jokes. Hence, a show like this would test the spontaneity and artistic ability of an artist.

She felt unwell the moment she got the script in her hand.

The thick binder was enough to make her go numb.

Flipping through the pages, she could see the attentive details highlighted by the team for her reference.

There were four segments in this program starting with the one on first love.

In here, the program had arranged the first meeting between the two imaginary lovers; this was where the two artists would kick-start the process of knowing each other.

The script for this segment was especially thick and heavy.

Although this was called a reality show, the characters were already pre-set by the program team. In this show, she was to act as an innocent campus belle—sweet and kind...

In other words, she was to be a silly and cute girl.

Like a dumb blonde...

Goodness. She was already a mother of two yet was given a role like this from the team; it felt like a joke gone wrong.

She took a look at the character design for Gu Xingze. His character followed the trope of a sensitive new-age man.

A SNAG[1]?!

Her face was void of expression by now...

The image of his typical, aloof look sprang into her mind.

This... Just take this as a young idol drama!

However, something terrifying happened before the production.

She received a threatening letter.

This was not new to her, though. Once rumors about the superstar and her started circulating on Weibo, she started receiving a number of threatening letters from his fans.

In fact, there were too many.

While she could only bow in amazement to his uber-popularity, she could not help but be astounded by all the weird and fanciful threats his fans sent.

[1] SNAG is an acronym for sensitive new-age man

Chapter 1423 May your family be buried in a fire.

There were those unimaginative ones who sent her penknives.

There were also those who turned her photo into an obituary, complete with a chrysanthemum for mourning and a string of blunt insults.

Some even threatened to die with her if she did not leave the man.

She threw all those letters into the dustbin after a glance.

Initially, she was slightly terrified when she received the creepy letters, but when those continued to pile up, she turned numb and would just directly throw them away upon receipt.

This threatening letter was different from others.

Mu Xi was the one to receive it first, and she opened it out of curiosity.

A strong bloody stench permeated the air the moment she opened the letter.

Sweeping a glance across the letter, she quickly realized that the words were written in blood; every stroke was etched deep onto the paper using blood which had long dried!

[Yun Shishi[1], you are a b*tch in heat...

[B*tch, if you keep pestering Xingze, you'll be cursed. May you be knocked down by car when you leave your house, be struck by lightning, and be chopped into pieces! Vile creature, may your family be buried in a fire...

[Xingze doesn't like you at all—he belongs to our galaxy and not yours... You leave him at once, or beware, acid will be thrown at your face.]

All kinds of derogatory terms could be read off the letter; the fan even threatened to disfigure her with sulfuric acid.

Her assistant's face turned ashen and her trembling hand dropped the letter to the floor.

She happened to pass by, and seeing the stricken look on the woman's face, she bent down and picked the letter up when it fell to the ground.

She glanced through the content too fast for the latter to stop her. The moment she saw the curse about her family being buried in fire, her face turned hot and furious.

With fury burning in her eyes, she crushed the letter into a ball and threw it into a nearby dustbin. Her chest heaved heavily from anger.

"That's too much! How could they do that? It's enough to threaten me, but now they're even cursing my family!"

Her voice trembled with anger as she spoke, and she tried to fight back the tears brimming in her eyes.

While she felt aggrieved and wronged, it was outrage she felt more than ever.

Her assistant studied her face carefully and tried to console her earnestly. "Shishi, don't take their words to heart! Those fangirls don't use their brains when they talk."

"How can I not take this to heart?" she retorted infuriatingly. "This person has overstepped the line by cursing my family. That is uncouth, isn't it!"

Addressing someone as a corpse and then reducing them into a dog in heat was too insulting for anyone to put up with.

She was not at the stage yet where she could calmly face any insults hurled at her face!

What she could not stand was the fact that the person had actually cursed her family as well!

She was very bothered, in fact!

Though not a superstitious person, anyone would feel the creeps if they were being cursed in this way!

She was used to the hate talk from the fans directed at her, but she would not stand anyone cursing her family!

Her assistant nodded sympathetically, still feeling the scare. "It's my fault. I shouldn't have opened the letter. I thought it was written by your fan and opened it out of curiosity. I didn't expect it to be a threatening letter..."

[1] The Chinese character for the word 'Shishi' here refers to a 'corpse' but pronounced the same as her name.

Chapter 1424 Ignore the Gossip

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"It's too much; it's just too much..."

Her face flushed in anger. Her hands balled up into fists with the knuckles turning white.

Her assistant hurriedly helped her to the couch. Sitting her down, she comforted, "Shishi, don't be mad. You are about to start production; it won't be easy to apply makeup on an angry, wrinkled face, you know?"

Mu Xi tried to humor her to no avail. She sat rigidly on the couch; her fists lay stiffly on her knees.

Her face was pale and white as a sheet of paper.

The assistant sighed sympathetically. After pouring some warm water, she passed the glass to her hands and said thoughtfully, "As an artist and a public figure, such things will continue to happen in the future! You must be prepared psychologically. You'll face malicious words, slander, gossip, and even threats every day or even every minute while in this industry! Not everyone in this world is kind. Besides, humans are selfish by nature, aren't we? Gu Xingze has such a huge fanbase. His official following is a billion, breaking the Guinness world record! That's still not counting those unregistered fans. With such a big fanbase, there are bound to be a few spiteful ones around."

She consoled her coherently.

The actress listened and her body gradually relaxed.

The junior continued. "Shishi, you face so many malicious speculations and slander because you are outstanding! Sometimes, an exceptional person will give off a glare that turns some people off, so you need not take this matter to heart! I'll get someone to check on the sender."

"It's not necessary." She forced herself to smile. "There's no need for that."

Just as what her assistant had said, there was no need to pay attention to the work of a malicious person.

There was no point in stupidly returning a bite from a mad dog, was there?

Composing herself again, she said neutrally, "Get Ding Ning to apply makeup on me now."

"Okay." Her aide smiled in return.

After consoling the actress for the last time, she quickly went out to find the stylist.

For this production, the director emphasized on the need for an innocent and pure look for her. She was to be the nation's campus belle in 'The Love Diary'.

Since this coincided with the release of 'The Green Apple' in the theaters, the program could tap on the movie's popularity.

Once her makeup was in place, she changed into a dress for a clean-cut look and got ready for the recording.

Along the corridor, she bumped into the superstar.

He wore a pure white shirt for this episode, which fit the image of a nation's prince charming.

She recalled his character design in the script as the SNAG and could not help smiling to herself.

His dressing was very fitting for the character design.

When he saw her, there was an instant look of captivation, which was immediately replaced by a calm demeanor.

"Have you memorized the script yet?" he asked brashly, his eyes looking gentle.

She nodded but then continued with a look of misery. "I thought that live reality shows are spontaneous but it turns out that there's a script to follow and even the dialogue is pre-written."

"Well, you can be spontaneous if the situation requires it," he explained.

She was surprised. "Really?"

Chapter 1425 The So-called Reality Show

"I seldom participate in reality shows, but when I do, I don't memorize the script."

After a pause, he added, "It's very dry and dull."

"You... don't follow the script, then?"

He answered laughingly, "I just glance through it. After roughly knowing how the show will be run, I go according to the flow."

This surprised Yun Shishi for a bit as she lamented inwardly, A born actor, indeed. All it takes is a glimpse of the script for him to act according to the character requirements.

"Go get ready for the recording." He reminded her before going into the makeup room to do his hair.

The woman proceeded to the recording site, which was still in the middle of being set up.

For the first chapter, First Love's Heartbeat, the recording site was at a beautifully furnished café. According to the script, she would meet Gu Xingze for the first time here where they would spend time understanding and interacting with each other by making desserts, cakes, and coffee to create a loving afternoon tea session.

Uh...

It was a very romantic segment.

She felt indignant when she saw this.

When would Mu Yazhe be able to do some romantic surprises for her?

It seemed that, other than that one romantic date at Huxin Island, there were no more of such surprises.

What an unromantic man!

She sighed inwardly to herself.

In fact, she really wished that she could participate in this segment with her man instead of the superstar.

Having not a bit of feelings for the superstar, it was tough for her to take part in such a reality show and act out the role of a passionate lover!

Did her man know that she was taking part in this show?

If he saw the program broadcast, that man would definitely be jealous again!

The woman, however, snorted inwardly. She could not wait for the program to air on screen and let him learn the textbook example of a warm and considerate man from the show!

Get jealous; get jealous!

She looked forward to seeing his jealous look!

An unromantic blockhead!

Unwittingly, half an hour had passed. After the set was built, the directors announced the official start of the recording.

“‘The Love Diary’ Scene 1, Chapter 1, Action!”

According to the script, the two first encountered each other in a café for a date.

Each gave a gift to the other for their first meeting.

While the man prepared a limited-edition crystal necklace, which he would personally put around her neck, the woman prepared a ‘failed’ cake for him.

It was a ‘failure’ because the cake was not well-made and even a little burned.

This little prop was prepared by the production team. According to the script, she specially baked a cake for their first meeting, but due to her inexperience in baking, not only did she scald her hand, the finished product was a failure, too.

As she shyly presented the cake to him, she looked up to him and said regretfully, "This is my first time baking a cake, so... it seems to be a failed product!"

The camera then zoomed in on her hand, which had a plaster on a finger.

The man opened the gift box. The content, a failed cake, was captured on camera.

The camera panned on her guilty and shy face, giving her another close-up.

Chapter 1426 True Feelings Revealed

The camera panned on her guilty and shy face, giving her another close-up.

Gu Xingze, then, reached out and lightly dipped his fair finger into the cake before putting it in his mouth for a taste. A tender smile instantly spread across his face as his eyes, which were seemingly filled with stars, fell on her reddening face.

"Thank you. The cake is delicious; I like it very much!"

As soon as he spoke, Yun Shishi looked at him in astonishment and disbelief.

"It's clearly a failed product..." she mumbled dazedly.

The man was not bothered. Picking up a small slice of the cake, he took a satisfactory bite at it with such tenderness. "It's very sweet!"

Embarrassed, she immediately asked, "Are you comforting me?"

"Nope."

"I'm sure it tastes awful; some areas are even burned. Don't force yourself to eat it if you find it awful. I'll feel guilty if you do so."

He glanced at her affectionately. "I'll like anything you make yourself."

The woman was surprised by his answer.

He then solemnly said, "I'll eat this all up!"

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As the recording gradually progressed, after a brief exchange, the two went behind the counter and began to make desserts and coffee.

Of course, the purpose of it was to create the best ambiguous and romantic scenes.

In a particular scene where she was standing at the side of the counter as she carefully beat the egg yolks, he suddenly gave her a back hug from behind and held her hands to beat the eggs together.

This scene was especially romantic. With post-editing, it would surely be as aesthetically beautiful as an exquisite MV.

Holding her half in his embrace, he carefully held her wrist and helped her beat the egg yolks.

The actress, meanwhile, shyly dipped her head to hide her rosy cheeks.

After they were done making the desserts, it was time for them to enjoy their creations.

Naturally, the desserts they had made could not be eaten.

They were done for the sake of the show—hence, the taste was awful.

The production team served the couple the desserts prepared prior to the recording before they continued the shoot.

This scene required them to feed each other food.

Scooping up a mouthful of a dessert, the superstar delivered the spoon to her lips.

All the while that Yun Shishi was acting, she was silently thinking about the number of threatening letters she would receive once this reality show segment was aired.

His fans were definitely going to send her knife blades!

She could not help shuddering in fear at the thought of this.

Gu Xingze was fully focused during the recording. Every look was precise as he vividly portrayed his role of a warm and considerate man.

The woman, too, portrayed her role of a pure campus belle very well.

Like a couple who had fallen in love at first sight and confirmed their relationship status, pink bubbles seemed to be constantly emitting from them; they really had the feel of first love!

It was just that the superstar's acting seemed too realistic and on point that the artist before him had a hard time telling whether it was real or not—whether he was just acting or actually revealing his true feelings!

The hidden tenderness in his deep-set eyes seemed to be pouring out when he gazed at her affectionately!

She could not help feeling stunned; her heart pounded thunderously at his affectionate gaze.

Chapter 1427 You are my keyword. 1

She could not help feeling stunned; her heart pounded thunderously at his affectionate gaze.

Suddenly, he gave her a quizzical look and a gentle smile. "Do you like music?"

She nodded. "I like it very much."

"Shall I sing you a song?" he asked.

Yun Shishi's face lit up in surprise. "Eh? Is that okay?"

"Yes! I specially prepared a song for you. It's Heavenly King Lin's song and I wish to sing it to you."

With reddening cheeks, she clapped her hands eagerly. "Alright!"

The setting was at a café. Inside, a grand piano was placed on the romantically decorated music stage. Gu Xingze slowly took his place before it.

Somehow, when the superstar sat before the grand piano, his gentle side profile instantly glowed and his elegant temperament became apparent.

No wonder he was the king of acting and soulful prince of love songs. Tenderness rippled in his gentle and delicate eyes when he dipped his head slightly.

He placed his fair hands on the monochrome keys; his beautifully long and slender fingers, which seemed to be carved out of jade, should belong to an outstanding pianist.

He turned his face slightly and gave her a deep look.

Her entire body stiffened as she felt something poking at her heart. The loving tenderness in his eyes was apparent.

This was no act.

It felt so real to be that.

Her heart suddenly ached.

He gradually started to play the piano. Along with the jingling piano sounds, his soft and magnetic voice flowed out gently.

"Love yourself and someone will love you

This optimistic saying

Happiness feels so real

I can't find the right adjective

Silence is concealing this overflowing passion

All that remains are interjections

The sense of peace when you say my name..."

He played the song so wholeheartedly that every note seemed to be engraved in the listeners' souls, causing their hair to stand on end and goosebumps to appear on their skin.

His voice sounded so gentle and beautiful. At the emotional part of the song, his gaze lowered with a slight frown and his thin lips slowly parted to harmonize with the melancholic and affectionate piano sound. The listeners could not help feeling the urge to burst into tears.

"The fallen leaves pen out a poem

Time is slipping but our story has just begun

This is the first time

I've experienced love that can be generous yet selfish

You're my keyword

I'm not sure if the best way to love is a verb or a noun

I long to tell you my deepest feelings

But I've forgotten the words

There's a time for everything, even for tears and laughter

I'm not afraid of unspoken subtexts..."

Through the microphone, his mellow and slightly languid voice, which needed no post-rendering, was already very textured.

Someone once commented that his voice had a mystical draw to it. Just listening to it once was enough for the listener to be deeply fascinated and feel mushy on the inside.

That particular song was a very sad love ballad, which Heavenly King Lin performed at the Golden Song Awards.

Gu Xingze's cover of the song had his uniqueness.

The entire set fell into silence.

Even the directors were deeply engrossed in the song.

The song was so well-sung!

This was also why no one dared to refute his well-deserved title of King of Songs at the Golden Song Awards.

His vocals were simply perfect!

Cast and crew alike could not help but indulge in it.

Chapter 1428 You are my keyword. 2

This song was not in the script at all.

It was Gu Xingze's arrangement.

Not even the director expected him to prepare a song for Yun Shishi. Still, the recorded outcome would certainly be excellent.

She could not help but be entranced and moved as she silently listened to the song while gazing up at his gentle side profile. Fragmented memories flashed before her eyes.

Suddenly, she recalled him standing before her, clutching her shoulders uncontrollably as he carefully probed, 'Is it impossible for me?

'Must it be him? Couldn't it be me?

'I can do whatever Mu Yazhe is able to do! I can provide you with whatever he can provide. Those that he can't give or promise you, I can offer them to you, too.

'So, couldn't it be me?'

His gaze was so fragile that it seemed as if it could burst like a bubble upon touch.

'Shishi, I really like you.

'You don't have to avoid me deliberately!

'Like and dislike are two distinct things; I don't like to suppress my feelings.

'I like you; should you change your mind, I'll be here waiting. I'm not forcing you to like me, so you need not avoid me like this, okay?

'At least, allow me to like you. Let me silently protect you...'

She returned to her senses at this point, feeling unconsciously emotional from his singing.

She could hear the love hidden in his heart from his voice.

Her heart suddenly ached and felt constricted.

She could feel his determination to protect her silently.

She recalled how he would usually treat her with somewhat indifference and aloofness. His gentle smile was also one from a senior to a junior.

However, nothing could mask that bleak misery in his singing voice.

She knew then, the man never truly let go of his feelings for her.

By burying those feelings deep within, he hoped that she would not feel burdened by them.

Mu Xi, on the sidelines, was also shocked.

He sang so passionately that all his feelings were poured into the lyrics; those eyes, in particular, brimmed with emotions. She reckoned that he had someone in his heart whom he loved dearly!

"The hidden meaning of the song is a special noun

The fallen leaves pen out a poem

Our story is starting to unfold

This is the first time

I've experienced love that can be so generous yet selfish

You're my keyword..."

Gu Xingze stood up at the end of his song with his gaze on Yun Shishi, only to see her eyes moisten.

A tear rolled down her cheek when she blinked.

She gradually regained her senses and was surprised to find herself moved to tears.

He walked toward her and picked up a napkin to dab the tears away.

She looked up smilingly at him and applauded. "Thank you! You sang so well that I was moved to tears..."

His lips curled up helplessly as he stroked her head, looking at her with loving eyes. "Little fool."

The actress' assistant could not help screaming uncontrollably at this!

Ah, ah, ahhhh! Xingze has such an explosive boyfriend charm!

How gentle he is!

Woo... woo! Should such a perfect Greek god sing a song for me, I'd surely wake up laughing!

Chapter 1429 Simply Too Torturous for the Singles

Even the directors fell silent, caught off guard by his sudden song.

They did not expect him to sing and play a song for Yun Shishi, but the overall outcome of the show would not be bad still.

It was a buzzing scene, in fact. They could easily win the top spot in ratings with that.

Throughout the entire recording process, Mu Xi was present as a bystander and felt that she was forced to watch the on-screen couple put on a full display of affection on their 'first date'!

How suffocating.

They seemed to be showing off their love to everyone.

This reality show was simply too torturous for the singles.

For a single like her, it hurt to watch the entire recording. That scene of the superstar wiping her artist's tears away, in particular, dealt a direct blow on her heart!

As if she got poked hard in the heart, she felt hurt and jealous.

It was the dream of many girls to be in a relationship with the nation's god.

Ahhhhh...

Heavens!

Xingze is really handsome!

He's really gentle!

When he played the piano, his side profile was oozing with charisma!

A look from him could instantly kill her!

With her hands on her face, she nearly screamed in excitement!

How envious she was of her charge!

Despite knowing that it was just a reality show and an act, the assistant remained obsessed with his tenderness!

He looked at Yun Shishi with such tenderness!

Her heart melted as she watched the scene and bit her sleeve in bitterness. She was suddenly very envious of her artist...

The first recording of 'The Love Diary' came to a smooth finish.

At the very end of it, there were two other segments to be recorded and that was the 'Love Whisper'.

Both celebrities would each enter a little black hut to watch clips of the show, be interviewed, and reveal their experience, as well as thoughts, about their 'first date'.

After watching the clips, the actress expressed her feelings.

"As a senior, Xingze is a really gentle person! He's very concerned for his juniors, too.

"I remember the first time I met him in the production team; he's very concerned and gentlemanly toward me. To me, he's a heavenly king—the national male god. Sometimes, it can be quite stressful to work with him, but he always takes care of me so that the stress can be erased totally. It's a pleasure to be working with him.

"Actually, I was rather nervous during the first recording of this show, but I ended up feeling more surprised during the first date. Especially when he sang that song he played on the piano, it left me pleasantly surprised! I didn't expect him to prepare a song for me specially. I was surprised and moved."

At the end, she made a heart with her hands and said, "I love you, Brother Xingze!"

The lines were all scripted with the key points highlighted by the production team. For this particular segment, she carefully memorized them to heart.

Just like that, the recording smoothly came to an end.

When she stepped out of the studio, her assistant pounced on her with bitter tears. "Shishi, I'm so envious of you!"

The artist broke out in a cold sweat. "What's the matter?"

Mu Xi changed the topic. "You must have saved the universe in your previous life to be able to record this reality show with Xingze! Hmph! But the thought of you soon becoming the nation's enemy once the show is out, I feel satisfied again!"

Chapter 1430 A Big Project

Yun Shishi gave her assistant a side-eye. "I'm going home now."

The latter immediately said, "Hold on; you still have another mission for tonight!"

"What?"

It turned out that Qin Zhou had inserted a last-minute activity in her already tight schedule. She would have to go to the recording studio tonight and complete an arduous task.

The post-production of 'The Green Apple' had finally entered its final segment, post voice-over.

In general, for teen flicks, such as 'The Green Apple', professional voice-over actors were tasked with dubbing out of consideration for the artists' accent, script-reading skills, character's plot setting, et cetera.

Many artists failed to deliver their lines properly while others had different accents, like Beijing or Jiangnan accent, which would be out of place when reading the lines.

Lin Fengtian, however, thought that the main leads had decent skills.

She, in particular, spoke in standard Mandarin and had a strong foundation in line reading; hence, it was not a problem to give her this job at all.

Her gentle and clear voice was music to the ears and, more importantly, matched her character's setting very well. As such, the director decided to simply give up on voice-over actors and let her complete the post dubbing work with her voice.

With the movie running two hours long and Yin Xiachun having over three hundred lines, this job was a considerably huge project.

After specially seeking out a voice-over teacher, he then left her in the recording studio. She spent the next three days working on it.

He estimated that it would take about three days to complete everything.

The mother of two specially applied for work leave from home, stated her reason, and guiltily apologized to her sons.

Knowing that their mother could not come home for the next three days because of work, Youyou felt depressed and heartache for her.

Ever since she resumed working, her schedule had been packed full, and with the movie nearing its release, she would probably have to fly all over the country.

He heard that his mother recently accepted another filming contract and would soon be joining another production crew.

With Mu Yazhe busy regarding the finishing stage of acquisition of the Meng Group these past few days, the man always returned home late.

As such, the twins could only pitifully 'live and depend on each other'.

In the end, the originally three-day work dragged for a week.

She was not a professional voice-over actress, after all. Although she delivered her lines well during acting, that was because she injected emotions into them. With the filming having long ended, she failed to adjust her emotional state at once. In addition, due to Lin Fengtian's strict working and nitpicking attitude, the three-day job protracted to a week.

Before the poor artist could settle herself after receiving a scolding from the director, she got put on the plane to Italy by Qin Zhou to rush and attend the Milan Fashion Week.

While on the plane, she did not understand the purpose of this trip.

He calmly explained, "I'm bringing you to watch a show."

"Watch a show?" Her eyes widened in surprise. "Boss Qin, I have yet to catch a proper wink in these past three days!"

With that, she pitifully pointed to her dark eye circles and cried out in grievance, "Can you see my eye bags? See these?! I haven't slept for a day and a half! If this continues, I'm likely to die from overwork."

The manager pushed her head down and gave a lackadaisical response. "It's not that grave; don't you worry."