

## Sweet Love 3071

### Chapter 3071: The Love Of Your Life (42)

“She—”

Gong Shaoying furrowed his brow as a thought flash across his mind. He suddenly became suspicious of this woman’s background and raised his voice sharply, saying, “Find out who she is!”

“Roger!”

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Two months later, Mu Yazhe held a 100th day banquet for Yueyao.

At first, there was some disagreement over the full moon and the 100th day feast.

Hua Jin said that a month after the baby was born, it was considered that a difficult period had passed. The parents would hold a full moon ceremony to celebrate the baby’s safe passing of the month, and hope that the baby would grow up healthy.

However, Mu Yazhe disagreed, his main point being the baby was only a month and still too young. He’d done his homework and held the opinion that newborns should not be heavily exposed to people. Everyone carried germs in their nostrils, even healthy people.

Of course he couldn’t bear to have Yueyao at the banquet.

Some germs were especially harmful to children.

At the 100th day banquet, the baby would have been 3 months old. However, even then, Mu Yazhe had repeatedly emphasized that during the banquet, the baby was not to be handled by the guests casually.

Everyone knew that ever since the arrival of the little princess, Mu Yazhe had turned completely from being a wife slave to a daughter slave!

There were not many guests invited to this banquet, and those who came were those who were on good terms with him. After all, not everyone would get to attend the 100th day banquet of Mu Yazhe’s number one sweet little princess!

He did a good job of protecting little Yueyao, and very few people had seen her prior to the 100th day banquet. Her father kept her hidden well indeed!

Wasn’t that the way it should be?

He did not want others to plot against his daughter. He could imagine them coming to see the baby, finding her very adorable, and then they would try to take advantage of the situation to get themselves associated to a wealthy family through an arranged marriage. However this wife of his, was not good at rejecting others. And if all these in-laws started to appear out of nowhere, how was he going to handle it?

However, there was simply no way out of the 100th day banquet.

Mu Yazhe was unwilling, but since there was nothing he could do about his daughter being coveted by others, he had to think of a way to filter the guests. Looking through the list, he dropped those who were mere acquaintances and those who had little business dealings with him!

This left them with a total of six tables of guests, all of them were close to Mu Yazhe and Yun Shishi. And although it was not a grand affair, the venue's layout was especially heartwarming.

The venue was set up in the theme of Sailor Moon, this being Yun Shishi's idea. After all, Sailor Moon was the first cartoon she watched when she was growing up and it made her teenage heart overflow. Hence, it left a deep impression on her. All little girls yearned to become Sailor Moon so that they could meet their own Tuxedo Mask.

She mentioned this thought to Mu Yazhe. As her man, he would naturally go with whatever she wanted.

Hua Jin was also very meticulous. He specially commissioned the pastry shop to set up a table filled with exquisite and beautiful snacks created to the theme of Sailor Moon.

There were quite a number of guests who came with their children. The moment they saw such a beautiful set up that at the same time looked delicious, the food was wiped out!

The 100th day banquet probably also marked the first official appearance of Mu Yueyao!

It was inconvenient for Yun Shishi to carry the baby. She sat at the head of the table and welcomed everyone's sincere blessings with a smile!

The guests knew that she could not see. They said that after the 100th day banquet, they would try their best to help her find a donor so that she could proceed with the cornea transplant!

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Having seen the rumored little princess, some of the female guests were extremely envious!

The baby was only 3 months old and had not grown into her looks, but already, she had ruby lips. Initially, she slept quietly, but after Gong Jie took her into his arms, the little girl seemed to have been startled awake for some reason. She opened her eyes and looked around curiously!

But even with so many guests surrounding her, she did not seem frightened. She did not cry or make a fuss!

By nature, she did not cry very much, so she earned praises for not being overly delicate!

A girl who was not overly delicate was a good thing.

Youyou seemed to be the most excited person at the banquet. He stood next to Gong Jie. Everyone who came to visit Yueyao said that this little girl would definitely be very beautiful when she grew up. He was very pleased when he heard this and proudly said, "Of course my sister will be beautiful when she grows up!"

Many mothers were amazed by how precocious the boy was!

Xiao Xue was also fond of little Yueyao. Even though she had never been a mother before, she had maternal instinct. Moreover, Yueyao was such a cute baby that it made her want to hug and dote on her.

However, little Yueyao was a fussy little thing. When Xiao Xue reached out to hug her, the little one ignored her and snuggled deeper into Gong Jie's embrace. Gong Jie was over the moon when this happened!

What did this mean?

This meant that his little niece liked him and recognized him!

Watching this made Mu Yazhe jealous and upset.

Gong Jie even winked at him provocatively!

Many of the guests attending the banquet were Mu Yazhe's important business partners. Some of them were officials, while others were business dignitaries. When they saw Yueyao, they said meaningfully that they wanted to propose an arranged marriage.

Many times, this sort of arranged marriages would take place at 100th day banquets.

Some high-ranking officials and people of prominence were also interested in associating themselves with the Shengyu Corporation, but a certain arrogant man naturally did not want to use his daughter as a bargaining chip!

After all, what did the man hate the most?

Alliance by marriage.

His future son-in-law was really not up to him to decide. It had to be someone that Yueyao would take a liking to.

Even if the boy were a penniless lad, Mu Yazhe thought that he would not mind the boy's family background, and would accept him, as long as his daughter liked him.

After all, he was confident.

Of course, Mu Yazhe did not appreciate people trying to get close to his in-laws. However he had no intention of embarrassing anyone. His words were very tactful and he spoke in a half-joking manner. This way, he deflected them without turning the situation ugly for either party.

The 100th day banquet was lively. At the end of the event, when they were making their way home, the whole family coaxed Yueyao along the way, but they did not notice the odd expression on Youyou's face.

He deliberately curled himself up in the corner of the backseat. His limbs were cold and his face was slightly pale. His heart rate was extremely fast!

He carefully placed his hand over his heart. On that spot, it felt as though his heart was about to jump out!

He vaguely realized, this could possibly be because he had stopped taking his medicine; now he was getting palpitations!

Everything was fine until Youyou entered the house and the light illuminated his pale face!

Mu Yazhe was the first to notice his abnormality. He saw the boy clenching his fists tightly as if he was enduring great pain!

“Youyou, what’s wrong?”

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“Youyou, what’s wrong?”

Little Yichen exclaimed when he saw his brother’s face, “Youyou, why are you looking so pale?”

Mu Yazhe continued to interrogate him. “Did you secretly stop taking the medicine?”

How could Youyou not know how sharp his father was? Seeing that he could not hide it anymore, he lowered his eyes guiltily and mumbled, “I... I only stopped for a few days.”

“How dare you stop taking the medicine?”

Mu Yazhe questioned, “Don’t you know that you might get palpitations if you stopped taking your medicine...”

Halfway through his words, he could not bring himself to reprimand the boy anymore!

After all, following the arrival of Yueyao, he had to admit, his concern and love had all been diverted to Yueyao. As a result, he had neglected this son who had always been a rather quiet boy!

He had also guessed the boy’s motive for stopping the medication.

The boy clutched his chest with a pained expression. His eyes were slightly bloodshot as he mumbled pitifully, “I... I only want to carry my sister! But she doesn’t like the smell of Chinese medicine, right?”

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Yun Shishi’s heart ached when she heard that. She groped her way over and hugged Youyou as she sobbed, “Silly Youyou, why are you so silly?! You know very well that your body can’t do without medication, especially during the changing of seasons. You love your little sister, but there’s a long way to go yet, growing up with her!”

Youyou said hoarsely, “Mommy, Daddy, I know I shouldn’t have... I won’t do such silly things behind your back anymore!”

Seeing how earnest the boy’s apology was, the man could not bear to pursue the matter. Yun Shishi’s heart ached especially for him and she could not bear to reprimand him either!

After this episode, Youyou resumed his medication. Although he could not get close to his sister for a period of time, he was ultimately glad and satisfied!

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A month after the 100th day banquet, Gong Jie sent someone to inform them that he had found a suitable cornea donor. This news made Mu Yazhe and Yun Shishi very excited and gratified. They only believed it after confirming it repeatedly.

Yun Shishi, on the other hand, was still a little worried about the risk of the cornea transplant. Some said that the surgery might not be able to restore sight, and there were also a few cases where the surgery failed. This made her rather anxious.

Hence, Mu Yazhe specially brought her to Xishan Temple to ask for a peace talisman.

On the day of the operation, the transplant process went very smoothly. After staying in the hospital for a few days, the time of removing the bandages finally arrived for Yun Shishi.

The next day, in the ward, the doctor drew the curtains to ensure it was not too glaring. He returned to the bedside and sat in front of Yun Shishi while Mu Yazhe and the two little lads stood by the side of the bed anxiously. Their faces were filled with anxiety and unease, afraid that their anticipation will be followed by disappointment.

Gong Jie, on the other hand, appeared very confident. The chief surgeon was from Hurricane Group's medical base. He was capable of saving a dying person. To him, this kind of surgery was nothing.

"Relax, don't be so nervous."

Yun Shishi nodded with a smile. She, too, felt uneasy, but she forced a smile on her face.

"When I remove the bandage, you can slowly try to open your eyes."

The doctor guided her in a quiet voice and carefully peeled back the gauze from her eyes.

As the gauze was removed completely, Yun Shishi could vaguely see a trace of light. The dark world that shrouded her for so long made it almost impossible for her to adapt to this glaring light. She could not help but shielded her eyes with her hands.

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"Don't rush, take your time! Next, try opening your eyes?"

The doctor encouraged her gently and patiently.

Yun Shishi nodded her head and took a deep breath. She opened her eyelids a little at a time. The medicine that had been applied to her eyes was still lingering and it smarted with a hint of burning pain, she tried her best to open her eyes to the limit. Her eyes, which had not been exposed for a long time, were now stimulated by the air, and caused her to tear heavily.

Faintly, a blood-red light suddenly appeared in her eyes, and a red fog filled her vision. In a flash, this light disappeared, replaced by a hazy and unclear scene.

Yun Shishi could not figure out what was going on with the red fog, but it was painful.

“Ouch! It hurts...”

She could not help muttering and subconsciously raised her hand to rub her eyes. When the doctor saw this, he quickly stopped her and warned her sternly, “Your eyes are still recovering. Don’t rub them with your hands or they might get a bacterial infection!”

Mu Yazhe panicked and asked, “Doctor, her eyes hurt. Is this... serious?!”

“It’s normal! Don’t worry; this is normal!” After reassuring him, the doctor turned around and gently said, “Shishi, come, take it slow... take it slow...”

Yun Shishi nodded and tried opening her eyes again. She could see overlapping images.

The snow-white curtains, the snow-white bedsheets, everything was so real. Her vision refocused. She saw the doctor’s unfamiliar face. At once, she felt terribly moved and overwhelmed by an indescribable joy!

Seeing the smile on her face, the doctor knew that her vision had been restored, so he gave Gong Jie an affirmative smile.

Gong Jie heaved a sigh of relief and happily hugged Mu Yazhe’s shoulders. His face was wild with joy, while Yichen was extremely touched. His eyes were already brimming with tears of excitement!

“Mommy, can you see?!”

Yun Shishi nodded with a smile. The doctor hurriedly gestured for them to quiet down. Turning around, he extended his hand to Yun Shishi and asked softly, “Tell me, what do you see?”

Even though she had regained her vision, it was still a little blurry. She blinked hard and tried to open her eyes again until the strong hand gradually became clearer and clearer.

“It’s a hand!” She answered with a smile.

Youyou nodded happily, and the doctor probed, “How many fingers am I holding up? Can you see them clearly?”

Yun Shishi focused her attention, but at that moment, that blood-red light appeared in her eyes again. She frowned and focused her gaze again. Her vision suddenly became clear.

Unbelievable!

She could really see!

For a moment she was too surprised to speak.

When the doctor saw that she did not react for a long time, he could not help but repeat worriedly, shaking his hand. “How many fingers are these? Can you see them clearly?”

Under everyone's worried gaze, she immediately reacted. She looked at the doctor's hand again and said slowly, "Five..."

Noting that she had seen it clearly, the doctor nodded in satisfaction. Mu Yazhe's heart finally settled down.

"Then, try to hold my hand." The doctor was calm and gentle.

Yun Shishi responded with a dull "Mmm". She reached out to grab his hand, but her eyes became dry and she subconsciously reached out to rub it again

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However, the doctor mistakenly thought that her eyesight had not fully recovered. He hurriedly stopped her hand that was reaching for her eyes, and warned her softly, "Don't touch your eyes with your hands!"

Yun Shishi was still in a daze. "Why... do my eyes hurt?"

The doctor sighed when he saw her confused expression. He patted her shoulder gently and comforted her. "It's okay if you can't see clearly after the surgery. Your vision will gradually recover!"

She could not help feeling a little disappointed. "Will the operation fail?"

"No! If you are able to see, it means that the surgery was successful!"

The doctor could see that she was a little disappointed and dispirited. He patted her shoulder comfortingly, stood up, and told her a few more taboo matters before turning to leave the ward.

Hua Jin rushed out of the room and ran after the doctor. Following behind him, he anxiously asked, "Doctor, can her vision be restored to what it was like before?"

The doctor stopped and turned around to patiently explain, "Don't worry! Some people will have a period of recovery after surgery. Since she can see my fingers clearly, it means that her eyes are recovering well. Don't worry too much."

With the doctor's reassurance, Hua Jin heaved a sigh of relief.

In the ward, Yun Shishi was still in a daze after the doctor left.

In just a few moments, her vision gradually became clear and focused.

She lowered her head as if she wanted to verify something again. She tried her best to focus on her hand, but it became blurry again. She tried widening her eyes, but after a while, they became sore.

"Do your eyes still hurt? Can you see more clearly now?"

Mu Yazhe sat by the bed and reached out his hand with a worried expression. "Can you see clearly?"

Yun Shishi did not know whether to laugh or cry at his response. She smiled helplessly, yet her heart was filled with bitterness. She replied with a smile, "Of course I can see clearly! It's just that the distance between us changed too quickly, and I couldn't focus on time."

"The doctor said that her eyesight will gradually recover. Brother-in-law, you don't have to worry," Hua Jin consoled.

The smile on Yun Shishi's face gradually faded as she looked at Mu Yazhe's familiar handsome face. She was overwhelmed with emotions!

To be able to see him again was such an emotional moment! She knew better than anyone how much he had sacrificed all this time!

There was nothing more mentally and physically challenging than suffering. Even though it had only been a few months, Yun Shishi had matured significantly and realized that happiness did not come easy!

Tears welled up in her eyes as she stood up and hugged him tightly. She said to the man, "It's great to see you again!"

Mu Yazhe's heart was filled with happiness as she threw her arms around him and held him tightly. He was gratified as the fatigue he had suffered in the last few days turned to a hint of sweetness!

This was an emotional moment for him even as he gently caressed her back.

"Do you want to see Yueyao?" the man asked her.

She immediately nodded. "Yes!"

Gong Jie turned around and walked to the crib ahead of Mu Yazhe and picked up the little princess. Little Yueyao was sleeping soundly, and did not respond when he picked her up. She nestled in his arms, sleeping soundly!

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When Yueyao was born, Yun Shishi felt a great sense of regret for not being able to see her. Nevertheless, in her heart and mind, she tried to picture the child's facial features!

She had imagined Yueyao to have a pair of expressive eyes that is dark, sparkling and misty. She had doubted Mu Yazhe when he said that the child had her eyes. After all, it was a common belief that a daughter should resemble her father!

However, since he said that, she had imagined them to be very pretty!

Yun Shishi was confident in her own genes and had a rough idea of what her daughter might look like!



But when Gong Jie carried Yueyao and placed the child in her arms, she could not help feeling excited when she saw little Yueyao's sleeping face!

Good heavens!

This was her daughter!

She had a pretty face, the tiniest nose, and a little mouth. Her facial features were very tender, but it was also starting to take shape. The child was in fact a little different from what she had imagined!

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However, one thing was not unexpected.

The little girl's eyelashes resembled her father's. They were long, thick, and naturally curled!

Just by looking at Youyou and Little Yichen, one could tell that the genes for Mu Yazhe's long eyelashes were especially strong.

"Yueyao, Mommy can finally see you!"

Yun Shishi smiled in relief. As she smiled, the corners of her eyes inevitably became damp!

This child had not come easy!

Everyone had worked very hard, including this little fellow. When she was at her lowest, the child tenaciously continued growing.

Her heart throbbed slightly, yet it was moved to the point of palpitating. She was moved by the strength of the little life before her, and she was also moved by the care and love that everyone had showered on her.

Little Yueyao, who was in her arms, opened her eyes groggily. The people around her surrounded Yun Shishi, laughing and making remarks. This startled the baby, and the moment it was startled, she couldn't get back to sleep. Feeling aggrieved, the baby's eyes reddened. Sparkling teardrops appeared and wet her eyelashes as she started to weep pitifully!

She did not cry loudly. Her face was scrunched up and her mouth was wide open, revealing her pink gums that bore no signs of teeth. The baby's tongue was curled from crying!

"She's crying!"

Yun Shishi was shocked. She did not expect that Yueyao would cry in her arms!

However, from the looks of it, this little fellow seemed to be a little shy and did not like to be carried by her!

By the time she was two months old, Yueyao had already begun to recognize people. However, during this period, Yun Shishi did not have many opportunities to carry her as she had to prepare for surgery. She had to get an injection, sometimes, according to the doctor's instructions, she would drink some important tonics to recuperate. Given that she had the smell of medicine on her body, she naturally avoided the little one!

At the same time, Youyou was bitterly drinking Chinese medicine alongside her. The pitiful mother and son pair could only watch as Mu Yazhe carried the little princess in his arms!

Other than Mu Yazhe, Gong Jie and Hua Jin also carried her.

Gong Jie had been staying here ever since Yun Shishi gave birth. He had planned to return to Hurricane after accompanying her through the confinement period.

And in the end?

He stayed!

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Although Gong Jie said that he wanted to accompany Yun Shishi throughout her confinement period, the truth was that his soul had been completely stolen by little Yueyao. He had endless patience when it came to the little one and his days revolved around her. Hurricane had contacted him several times, hurrying him to return to the base, but he ignored them. Instead, he'd be carrying the baby all day long, refusing to let go of her even after she had fallen asleep. He even said to Mu Yazhe, "Look! Yueyao looks like me too! She'd definitely have my eyes when she grows up! Yes!"

Mu Yazhe found his words disagreeable, but Gong Jie was not wrong though. Yueyao's eyes did resemble his indeed!

Mu Yazhe had no idea that Gong Jie was this fond of kids. He'd very quickly disappear the moment Mu Yazhe wanted to carry Yueyao!

The man was instantly displeased and said, "My daughter isn't a toy! Why are you carrying her every day?"

"Because I love Yueyao!" Gong Jie said.

"If you like kids, can't you just get one of your own?!" He snorted.

Youyou added, "That's right. The woman who wants to give birth to Uncle's child must be sent from here to Paris, France."

Gong Jie snorted. "No matter whom the mother may be, the child can't compare to my Yueyao!"

His words inevitably pleased Youyou and Mu Yazhe, this cocky father and son pair!

The man had a glib tongue for sure!

However, it wasn't that he was trying to brown-nose anyone. Initially, it had been his intention to spend more time with Shishi upon his return. But when he saw how lovable his niece was, he could not help but hold her all the time, refusing to let go for even a short while!

In the next two months, the child began to recognize people. Gong Jie carried her all the time so little Yueyao recognized him. Whenever she cried, the man would go over and coax her. Then she would laugh and giggle. Her voice was clear and melodious like a wind chime.

Little Yueyao was extremely picky. Other than Mu Yazhe and Gong Jie, she would not let anyone else carry her!

Hua Jin had not carried her much. With Mu Yazhe and Gong Jie getting in his way, it was as though he had no human rights. He was hoping that he would have a chance when the two got tired of carrying the girl!

Eventually, he realized that even if these two energetic men carried the baby with just one arm for an entire day, their arms might not be too sore!

Then the chance finally came for Hua Jin to carry her. The sudden change of person made little Yueyao feel uncomfortable and she cried even harder. At that moment, Gong Jie came up with another excuse to take the little one over and gently coax her. Her face was like a cloud that had been lifted to the sun!

Because her eyes were red from crying, when she smiled, she resembled a pear blossom bathed in rain. It was as if there were countless stars hidden in her eyes. Surely, her smile would melt the heart of the coldest person!

She loved to chew her own hands, as though some delicious food had been smeared on it. When she smiled, she liked to put her little finger in her mouth and inevitably, she'd drool.

Gong Jie would claim that the little one must be drooling over his beauty!

Youyou called him shameless, but Gong Jie ignored the boy, thinking that he had only said that out of jealousy.

However, in terms of looks, this family was top-notch. A family with good genes would give rise to good looking children, dragons and phoenixes among men. These words stood true.

The more Yun Shishi looked at her daughter, the more satisfied she was. Little Yueyao, on the other hand, was crying profusely.

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However, little Yueyao cried even harder. She waved her chubby little paws around as she looked innocently in Gong Jie's direction, as though she wanted him to rescue her!

Gong Jie could not bear to see this, but he also hoped that his sister could carry Yueyao for a little longer. However Yueyao was crying so badly that his heart ached and even his liver seemed to tremble. Hence, he smiled and said, "Sister, let me carry her!"

Yun Shishi nodded and did not insist. She handed Yueyao back to him.

After all, she had a long way to go and there would be many opportunities to spend time with her daughter. There was no hurry.

After a considerable length of time, Yun Shishi could finally see their faces clearly. Gong Jie, Youyou, Little Yichen, and Hua Jin – she could finally see them again, although it felt like a lifetime had passed!

Youyou suddenly threw himself into her arms and hugged her tightly.

“Mommy, can you see Youyou clearly now?”

She hugged him and nodded. “Yes, yes! I can see clearly now.”

Little Yichen too, ran up to her. Like the little treasure he was, he blinked, and made a pitiful face.

“Mommy, what about me? Can you see me clearly too?”

She pouted coquettishly. “Yes! You’ve gained weight and look like a little meatball!”

Looking up, she suddenly caught sight of Hua Jin from the corner of her eye. He walked over slowly with a gratified look in his eyes and a faint smile. She suddenly got off the bed and hugged him gently.

“Thank you, Hua Jin!”

“Mommy hugged Uncle Hua Jin. Shouldn’t she give Daddy a big hug too?”

Hearing this, Mu Yazhe turned his face away awkwardly. He had turned strangely red!

This was a little awkward indeed!

He was still not used to being too intimate with her in the presence of other people. He felt that he would be laughed at!

When Yun Shishi saw this, she sneaked over and tugged at the corner of his shirt. She even cleared her throat primly.

“Ahem. Sir, will you turn around?”

Mu Yazhe raised an eyebrow. He did not know what she was doing and turned around with a puzzled look. Suddenly, Yun Shishi threw herself into his arms and hugged his waist tightly.

It was so exquisite and strong. She held him for a long time, refusing to let go.

His lips curled helplessly into a smile!

She lifted her head to look at him; she just could not get enough of his face!

The first thing she saw when she regained her vision was him. It was the happiest thing!

She held his face in her hands and looked at him properly. Her gaze was constantly focused on him, and she finally saw his face more clearly.

He was handsome, as ever. She gazed at his high nose bridge, and thin lips. After his experience with Yueyao, his temperament had settled down and his rough edges had been smoothed!

Yun Shishi’s lips curled upwards as she inched closer to him. She stood on tiptoe and before she could take the initiative to kiss him, the man smiled indulgently. Taking advantage of the situation, he grabbed her waist and bent down to kiss her.

This kiss was like a long-lost reunion, a perpetual yearning!

It was too odd.

Although they had been together every day, she nevertheless felt that it had taken forever before she could finally see him again!

This kiss was familiar yet strange!

Yun Shishi was grateful to be able to see the world clearly again!

At this moment, a sigh rose from the bottom of her heart!

It was truly a blessing to have him in her life!

She hugged him and pressed her lips against his. "Mu Yazhe, it's so good to have you by my side."

#### Chapter 3079: The Love Of Your Life: Happiness, To Be Continued

The sun was setting.

A week after she was discharged from the hospital, Yun Shishi sat under the setting sun with Yueyao in her arms, lazily watching the skies turn dark.

Youyou and Little Yichen were by the side, surrounding their little sister. Youyou was in charge of telling fairy tales while Little Yichen was making funny faces at the bundled up baby.

She laughed to herself. She did not know if this Youyou, or his younger sister, for that matter, could understand the stories he told her. She only saw the wide-eyed baby curiously looking at Youyou's mouth opening and closing. From time to time, he would let out a clear and melodious laugh that was as pleasant as a silver bell!

"Mommy, little sister is laughing! Could it be that she understands my story?" Youyou became excited.

Little Yichen said, "Little sister is too young to understand! She must think that you look funny, so she laughed!"

Youyou was so angry that he raised his fist, ready to punch him.. "What do you mean by funny?! Mu Yichen, you better make it clear!"

Mu Yichen made a face at him and turned to run away. Youyou threw down his book and ran after him, and they started fighting in the huge backyard.

Yun Shishi's heart overflowed with happiness just by looking at this pair of clowns!

Suddenly, there was the sound of an engine coming from outside the door.

Little Yichen said excitedly, "Daddy must be home!"

With that, the two little guys ran out of the door to welcome him. Yun Shishi recalled that this morning, Mu Yazhe had whispered into her ear, "Today, I'll go settle the wedding program."

At that time, she was in a daze and only mumbled a few words before falling asleep again.

Now that she thought about it, he must have settled the details of the wedding with the wedding planner!

Yun Shishi walked over with Yueyao in her arms, only to see Mu Yazhe, Gong Jie, Hua Jin, and a few other unfamiliar men standing outside the door, chatting casually with each other.

It was the sharp-eyed Gong Jie who first spotted Yun Shishi and waved. "Sister!"

Mu Yazhe looked towards that direction and saw Yun Shishi making her way slowly towards him. She was carrying Yueyao in her arms under the setting sun. The weather had turned cold, and she was wearing a knitted jacket. Her expression was peaceful, and her beautiful hair was draped over her shoulders. From time to time, it would brush against her shoulder, and the breeze would lift the corners of her skirt. There was a quiet charm about her.

She smiled faintly and called out, "Hubby!"

The man walked towards her. He was a handsome man, no matter which stage of life he was in, his exquisite look was timeless!

He was bathed in the glow of the setting sun, and the golden hue lit his tall and slender figure, making him look as elegant as a god!

Mu Yazhe walked closer and took Yueyao from her arms. At this moment, Yueyao was already sound asleep with her eyes closed like a sleeping angel.

He studied her with a gentle gaze as she leaned lightly against him. The quiet scene awed the wedding photographer!

The photographer immediately raised his camera and took a photo of this beautiful moment.

"The sunset is really beautiful!"

As the photographer looked at the photos in the camera, he suggested with a smile, "Why don't you take a family portrait? This is a rare opportunity!"

Youyou thought this was a good idea and clapped his hands, "Goody, goody! A family portrait! Daddy, let's take a family portrait!"

The couple exchanged glances and nodded.

Under the shade of the tree, the glow of the sunset was mottled.

Yun Shishi and Mu Yazhe stood in the middle with Yueyao in their arms. Flanking them, Hua Jin and Gong Jie were each carrying Little Yichen and Youyou. They beamed at the camera.

"1..."

"2..."

"3...smile!"

The photographer commented, "Isn't our bride-to-be beautiful?"

Everyone said in unison, "Beautiful!"

Being sandwiched in the middle, Yun Shishi could not help blushing. She looked at the camera and smiled shyly.

The photographer made an OK gesture and showed them the photos. Seeing that Mu Yazhe did not bother to look, she asked, "Aren't you going to take a look?"

"That's not necessary!"

He put his arm around her shoulders and lowered his head to whisper, "I only wish to look at you."

Yun Shishi looked at him and her smile became even more radiant!

That was because... she knew that her happiness was to be continued!

### **Chapter 3080: Innocence 1**

Prologue

"At the end of the day, kinship is a really strange thing.

It is the fetters that bind two people tightly together.

At the same time, it also places a cruel chasm which is impossible to cross, between two people.

When I was young, I used to feel fortunate to have such a doting elder brother who treated me as the apple of his eye. I thought I was the most blessed girl in the whole world.

Now that I've grown up, I hate the fact that the same blood flows within me and the man whom I love with my whole being.

We've traveled the same road, loving each other all that way, and erred all that way.

From ignorant affection and girly adoration, to a strong desire for us to be together always, to the time that the things of the world barged in and heartlessly pulled us apart.

How far away is forever?

Eternity can exist in a single thought.

Even a lapse of judgment can result in shame.

Dongyu, do you know that even though the world is huge, I have nowhere to go and no one to rely on?

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Whether it is God or anyone else, who can explain to me what love is? If no one can explain it clearly, then why can't I fall in love with Dongyu?

It's been a long time since I left home, since I left the country. But up to now, I've not been able to resolve this question.

For many years, I had searched for the balance between love and Dongyu, until I received news of the sudden marriage—

“Xiachun, let me tell you some good news. Your brother is getting married soon. When are you coming back?”

On the other end of the phone, her father’s voice sounded old and uneasy. He spoke carefully, “Come home. Everyone misses you... your mother, I, and... and your brother. Everyone misses you...”

At that moment, I took a deep breath. It was like an explosion. My mind was a complete blank.

This piece of news, which brought much joy to the whole family, had sent me to the deepest part of hell.

Holding the microphone tightly, I was silent for a long while before I tried my best to bring my trembling voice under control. “Okay...”

After hanging up the call, I realized that the back of my hand was already covered in blood.

Father said to return home. That was home but it was also not home.

I also never thought that reality would be so cruel. So cruel that one moment, one would be in heaven and the next moment, it’s hell.

I once regarded him as my entire world, but I never thought that this world that was once warm and cozy, would collapse like the clouds of the past.

Moreover, so suddenly...

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The next day, I booked a flight home.

I knew that going home would not be a wise decision this time round.

I’d waited so long and this was the sort of news I got. I thought, even if I were to give up, I should give up more thoroughly.

I wanted to see him for myself. If he was truly happy, then I should try to let go of this unforgettable relationship.

The moment I got off the plane, I suddenly felt a stinging sensation at the tip of my nose. Looking at the sea of people before me, I felt a sharp pain in my heart and tears welled up in my eyes.

I walked through the crowd with difficulty, but my footsteps were very slow. Every step I took, I would stop. From time to time, I would pass by strangers.

I still remember eight years ago, when I left this city with a heart devoid of all hopes, it was the same scene.

The travelers who were in a hurry, sad family members parting ways, turning back for that one last look before they left. Everything seen through those eyes were painted in a shade of grey.

Now setting foot on this land again, this city seemed to have changed significantly.