

## Sweet Love 3531

### Chapter 3531: A New Addition (147)

There was only one word to describe it.

Youyou was warm. However, Gong Fan represented destruction.

Lisa could recall the time when Youyou joined the Hurricane Group, he had solemnly vowed, "Only by being strong enough can we protect those whom we want to protect!" However, when the pure and warm Youyou was sealed up forever, he returned as a cold and unfeeling youth.

"Only when one is strong enough will one not be controlled by others." Gong Fan, who had returned, was like a terrifyingly ambitious person.

"Master..." She looked up with a conflicted expression and mustered up her courage to ask, "Do you... still remember Yun Tianyou?"

In her memory, there was warmth in Yun Tianyou's smile. But now, when their eyes meet, the Youyou she knew had become so cold.

Gong Fan turned around expressionlessly and raised his handsome brows. "Who is Yun Tianyou?"

"..."

"Should I know him?"

"Have you forgotten? Not even a trace of memory?"

Gong Fan's voice was as cold as ice. "I don't remember this name." As such, he should be an unimportant person and not worth remembering.

Lisa's smiled weakly. "It's alright... since you don't remember."

She paused and said, "It's cold. Shall we go back to the room?"

As Gong Fan entered the room, Lisa shut the door to the balcony and stared at his back view thoughtfully.

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The next night.

At the hotel conference hall.

It was 7pm when Gu Jinglian arrived. On his way here, he had passed by the battle zone and it caused some delay.

When they arrived at the conference hall, the entire hall was filled with people in black suits. These were all the higher-ups of the Hurricane Group's North African market.

A boy in a black cloak was sitting at the table with his back facing him. The brim of his hat was positioned to obscure his entire face.

Gu Jinglian's subordinate alerted him that the boy in the black cloak was Gong Fan.

"Why... it's a child."

"I'm meeting him for the first time as well. I didn't expect him to be such a young child..."

Gu Jinglian was about to walk in when a subordinate grabbed him from behind and said anxiously, "President Gu, I'm worried that this might be an ambush..."

It was said that very few people had seen Gong Fan in person. Most people who had seen him in person no longer existed. One could imagine how ruthless this child was. He was simply like the angel of death.

"So what?" Gu Jinglian looked back and replied icily, "Ever since I stepped into North Africa, I've already entered the Hurricane Group's territory."

"..."

"Since we're already here, let's take things as they come." Gu Jinglian walked in and sat down at the table. Gong Fan heard footsteps behind him and slowly turned around. When he saw the man, he smiled frostily and remarked, "You're three minutes late."

"Oh?" Gu Jinglian raised an eyebrow but did not think much of it. "So, what punishment will there be for being late?"

"That depends on your performance."

The boy had a thin and cold voice. He raised his hand and a man beside him immediately walked over and handed him a document. Gong Fan slid the document across to Gu Jinglian and said in a quiet voice, "You should have already read through this agreement."

"Yeah, I've seen it."

Gu Jinglian's gaze fell on the document, but he laughed mockingly. "So... you invited me here not to negotiate, but to sign this document."

"Our time is precious, so there's no need to waste it."

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"Oh? Then, what if I will not sign it?" Gu Jinglian suddenly pushed the document away, his expression equally cold.

The boy raised his eyes slightly. His face was hidden in the shadows under the folds of his cloak and could not be seen clearly. The conference room was dominated by the people from Hurricane Group. Even so, Gu Jinglian appeared calm and composed as he sat at the table with Gong Fan.

Their auras clashed several times invisibly, and they were evenly matched.

Lisa, who was standing behind Gong Fan, looked at Gu Jinglian and felt that this man had the same aura as Gong Fan. Cold, ruthless, and even in this sort of atmosphere, his aura was not at all inferior.

Gong Fan said, "You must sign it."

"Why?" Gu Jinglian glanced at the document and crossed his arms over his chest arrogantly. "I can't accept the unfair treaty on the document. The people of the Hurricane Group are capitalists and I, Gu Jinglian, am no different. Capitalists don't make meaningless transactions. It's your business if you want this piece of land. It's my attitude to not give it to you."

Gong Fan suddenly sneered and said unhurriedly, "The treaty on this document is not unfair to you."

"Meaning?"

The boy replied coldly, "There are many ways to deal with inequality. Similarly, there are many ways for me to get that piece of land. I can buy it, and similarly..."

There was a pause, and then he half leaned forward. Beneath the cloak, a pair of deep-set eyes stared back at the man. "I could raze your ammunitions factory to the ground in no time, too."

"..."

"Worse comes to worst," he said. "We'll blow this piece of land into rubble and reconstruct it."

"...Ha." Gu Jinglian furrowed his brows and narrowed his eyes. The corners of his lips curled into a mocking smile as he let out a sneer of contempt. "Are you threatening me?"

"It depends on what you think."

"You can't threaten me." Gu Jinglian mocked, "The Hurricane Group is very powerful. Why are you going against the Gu family? There are so many pieces of land in North Africa, why do you pick mine?"

"Cut the crap!" A man beside Gong Fan slammed the table and pointed angrily at Gu Jinglian. "You have to sign today's contract no matter what! Otherwise, don't even think about leaving..."

Before he could finish his sentence, Gu Jinglian gave an impatient signal with his eyes. The mercenary behind him immediately stepped forward and swiftly drew out their guns. He aimed it at the man's forehead and fired with a bang!

In less than a minute, the rude and arrogant man collapsed into a pile on the ground.

His blood continued to spread on the ground, dying it red. The man's eyes were wide open. Even in death, he maintained a furious expression.

Gu Jinglian said coldly, "When I speak, no one has the right to interrupt."

Gong Fan looked sideways dangerously and frowned slightly.

Behind him, the mercenaries of the Hurricane Group immediately raised their pistols and aimed them at Gu Jinglian's forehead.

The mercenaries behind Gu Jinglian, on the other hand, immediately raised their hands and aimed their submachine guns at Gong Fan.

In an instant, the two sides were at each other's throats.

However, Gong Fan, who was being pointed at by dozens of guns, remained motionless on the chair. There was no fear on his face.

Gu Jinglian was equally nonchalant as he leaned back in his chair casually. There was an extraordinary arrogance between his brows..

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Gong Fan glanced at the mercenaries behind Gu Jinglian from the corner of his eyes. He glanced sideways and signaled with his eyes as well. Lisa, who was behind him, immediately understood. Before all these mercenaries from the Gu family, she calmly walked up to the mercenary who had shot Gong Fan's man earlier. She grabbed his throat with one hand and twisted it with her knuckles!

The mercenary smiled mockingly! Standing in front of him, grabbing him by his throat, was but a ten-year-old girl. She was so petite, especially her hands, which were small and thin. Was this a joke?

Was she thinking of breaking his throat?!

It was too funny!

However, before a mocking laugh could come out of her throat, Lisa's fingertips suddenly broke the mercenary's throat with a twist!

The snapping sound was crisp and clear!

In the next second, before the mercenary even had a chance to resist, his body suddenly fell weakly against the wall and twitched violently before he stopped moving!

A killer who spared no mercy, she had taken the life of an adult mercenary with her bare hand. This young girl working under Gong Fan had such terrifying combat strength!

For a moment, everyone became even more vigilant. But then they saw Lisa returning to her place behind the boy, lowering her head and her gaze as the hostility on her face faded.

She was like a killing machine, on standby.

The person she recognized as her master was the silent young boy sitting in front of her.

Gu Jinglian narrowed his eyes slightly. At this point, Gong Fan's voice deepened as he said, "Gu Jinglian, you and I are both capitalists. Since we are capitalists, we'll never agree to a lousy deal."

In other words, if you hurt one of my subordinates, you would naturally have to exchange this with one of your subordinates!

Gu Jinglian was slightly stunned to hear this. Then, his lips curled into a smile. "You're so young, but so arrogant and ruthless. That's really something."

Gong Fan sneered, "You dare to go against me? That's really something too."

His arrogant tone did not yield at all.

The two of them sat opposite each other. As their auras clashed, it was hard to tell who was stronger. Even though the scene was dead still, there was already a raging battle underway.

Gu Jinglian was the first to break the silence. "I wouldn't have come here if I had no confidence. This hotel has long been surrounded by people from the Hurricane Group. I don't suppose it's going to be easy for me to leave."

Gong Fan remained silent.

Gu Jinglian continued, "The reason why the Hurricane Group wants to acquire this piece of land in my hands is to develop Project Deva Eye. This piece of land is indeed the best choice for a test site, with its unique electromagnetic field. However, I will not sign this agreement. Of course, I don't have to worry about you razing my factory to the ground."

Gong Fan raised an eyebrow and asked casually, "Oh? Why do you say that?"

Gu Jinglian leaned closer to him and gave him a devilish grin. Then he said unhurriedly and clearly, "Because there are thousands of wires buried under this land. As long as you touch one, you will instantly detonate the explosives buried underground. At that point, like a domino, everything within a few hundred miles will be devastated."

After a pause, he said meaningfully, "Try blowing up one."

Gong Fan's cold and expressionless face finally gave way to a flicker of emotion.

He did not expect Gu Jinglian to have planted so much explosives underground.

How dare he..

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Gu Jinglian said casually, "Even if you spend a lot of effort to rebuild it, this explosion will definitely destroy the electromagnetic field here. This piece of land will be completely useless in that way. Although losing this amount of money would not damage the Hurricane Group, the electromagnetic field here is unique to this place in the entire world. Other than this place, there is no other magnetic field station."

Gong Fan narrowed his eyes slightly as a vicious aura grew around him. It froze the atmosphere and made it hard to breathe!

"How much explosives did you plant?"

Gu Jinglian gave a casual smile and replied, "Enough to sink an entire Atlantic island."

Impossible!

Explosives alone would definitely not be able to produce such a powerful force.

“It’s impossible, but you seem to have overlooked the fact that apart from explosives, this underground is rich with natural gas.”

A year ago, Gu Jinglian had already expected this. At that point, the Hurricane Group had already set its sight on this piece of land. After probing, it was found that the land was rich with natural gas and oil, and it became the target of many capitalists. Therefore, the man had buried tons of explosives in advance.

The explosives in itself were not scary. What was scary was the natural gas. Once that came into contact with explosives or open flame, one could be sure that no lives within a few hundred miles would be spared.

Instantly, the power play was reversed! Gu Jinglian now had absolute authority!

He was saying, in other words, don’t even have designs on this piece of land. You may openly snatch it from me. You may even raze it to the ground. We are prepared to take you down with us. The Gu family will merely lose a piece of land. However, the loss to the Hurricane Group will be the only electric magnetic field station in the world!

It had to be said that Gu Jinglian was very astute. He knew how to position himself advantageously, turning the situation in his favor when he had to.

Gong Fan was silent for a long time when he heard this. Suddenly, he curled his lips and let out a cold laugh.

“Rumor has it that the head of the Gu family is young but ruthless in handling matters. Today, I’ve finally experienced it.” Gong Fan paused and frowned slightly. “However, I heard that you have a seven-year-old son called Gu Chengze.”

Before he could finish his sentence, Gu Jinglian froze!

“Other than that, you also have a wife called Chu He. This Chu He’s background is not as simple as it seems. Apparently, she was Interpol’s former highest ranking anti-vice inspector. I didn’t expect her to be married to Beijing’s top criminal family. How ironic.”

Gu Jinglian’s eyes flashed coldly!

Gong Fan observed his reaction with seriousness and became interested. “Why? You seem to care about them?”

Gu Jinglian didn’t say a word. His eyes were cold and filled with vigilance.

“Gu Jinglian, with your status, I’m surprised that you got married and had children.”

Gu Jinglian remained silent.

“Rumor has it that the head of the Gu family is heartless and cold.”

Gong Fan leaned against the back of the chair and said indifferently, “With your status, if you have any weakness, they will only get in the way. Do you need me to get rid of them for you to prevent future trouble?”

Gu Jinglian said coldly, “How dare you!”

Gong Fan said casually, "I'm just doing this out of goodwill. So that these people don't get in your way. Given your identity, such weaknesses will only become your stumbling block."

"..."

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Pausing for a moment, Gong Fan lazily propped his chin on his hand and indulged in Gu Jinglian's livid expression. He continued unhurriedly, "Look, if I were to use your wife's and son's lives to threaten you into signing this agreement, would you sign it or refuse to sign it?"

His seemingly calm tone was filled with threat!

Gu Jinglian glared at him, as he gradually clenched his fists! Behind Gong Fan, the sound of a gun being loaded could be heard! If he were to make any moves, he would definitely be killed immediately!

"You're threatening me."

"That will depend on whether you take it as such."

Even if they had to fight to the death, Gong Fan was determined to acquire this test site. The success of Project Deva Eye depended on whether the land could be successfully acquired. Hence, this agreement was not just any agreement to Gong Fan.

Gu Jinglian laughed coldly. "Why should I believe you? Will you let my wife and son off after I sign this agreement?"

Compared to the Gu family, the Hurricane Group was more ruthless and unscrupulous! So what if he signed the agreement? Since Gong Fan had found out about Gu Chengze and Chu He and even knew their movements, he could pose a threat to them anytime and anywhere! Even in this immediate situation, if he were to sign the agreement, he might not get out of here alive.

Before this negotiation, Gu Jinglian and Gong Fan both had their own chances of winning. They were very confident that they could win this 'battle'!

However, they had both miscalculated. Gong Fan did not expect Gu Jinglian to have planted explosives throughout the piece of land. And Gu Jinglian did not expect Gong Fan to have investigated Chu He and Gu Chengze's background within such a short time!

In the face of the Hurricane Group, which was like an overlord, the Gu family's final bargaining chip did not seem very convincing!

Gu Jinglian slowly closed his eyes.

It was lonely at the top.

With his status, falling in love was no different from touching the door of death.

The thing they feared the most when they were involved in such bloodbath situations was to have the enemy grab their Achilles' heel. This weakness could be fatal!

Hence, he had always kept a distance from women. Even though he had had women in the past, he never had feelings for them! He knew very well that if he were to reveal his true feelings, his weakness would undoubtedly be exposed.

"Despicable."

"Yes, I am despicable." Gong Fan laughed coldly. "Would this be your first encounter with the way of the Hurricane Group? I've never bragged about being a gentleman and would resort to unscrupulous means to achieve my goals. This is my way of handling things."

His gaze fell on the agreement again. "Sign it."

"..."

"Don't worry, I don't like to shoot people in the back. Sign it and I'll let you leave North Africa safely."

Gu Jinglian laughed out of anger and gritted his teeth. "Then how should I thank you?"

He took the agreement, held the pen in his hand, and looked at the agreement column. "To permanently release ownership of 500 acres of land at Murphy Road..." The man's eyes instantly turned red with anger!

"Why? Are you unwilling to accept this?"

Gong Fan raised his eyebrows nonchalantly. "Look at that. What an angry expression. But I like it a lot."

He especially liked the look of humiliation and anger on a powerful man.

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Lisa stood behind Gong Fan. Every word he uttered did not sound like something a human would say. Even an emotionless killing machine like her shuddered upon hearing these words!

That once-sunny and pleasant boy called Youyou seemed to have disappeared from this body. Now, this extremely mature nine-year-old child in front of her, was more like a sick and paranoid Demon King! He looked at every "loser" with greedy indulgence.

Ever since he became Gong Fan, his ways had become cold-blooded and devoid of any emotions. However, for some reason, she used to despise Youyou for being too soft-hearted. He always looked innocent and harmless, which made her feel that she was an out-and-out demon who killed without batting an eyelid.

But now that she was facing this boy Gong Fan, she suddenly missed that bright smile. Every time she thought of Youyou, she would feel a sense of warmth! Although, coming back to reality, she knew that Youyou was gone forever!



Lisa looked disappointed.

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After Gu Jinglian signed the agreement and sealed it with his handprint, it was generally acknowledged that he had been defeated in this smokeless war.

He actually lost to this child!

He was most unwilling!

He had lost, and it was a crushing defeat!

Ever since he became the head of the Gu family, he had never been disadvantaged this way.

He had always been a high-spirited man, but under the influence of some unknown emotion, he actually signed off on this agreement.

He could have resisted signing it. However, Gong Fan had used Gu Chengze and Chu He to threaten him... He could not ignore it.

Perhaps, it was just as he had said. At some point in time, a certain concern had taken root in his heart and now it had become his most fatal weakness!

After Gu Jinglian signed the contract, someone came over to take it away and passed it to Gong Fan to take a look.

Outside the window, the evening breeze suddenly blew, causing his hat to be swept off. The cloak fell over his shoulders, revealing his elegantly handsome face. The look in his eyes was cold and indifferent, as though it was laced with frost.

The moment Gu Jinglian saw his face, he was stunned! This face was extremely familiar!

... Yun Tianyou?!

He recalled the time when Shengyu Financial Group held a press conference. At that time, Mu Yazhe, who was already the chairman of Shengyu Corporation, had gathered over a hundred media reporters and announced Yun Tianyou's identity there and then.

Gu Jinglian had, coincidentally, seen this news. In the camera, Yun Tianyou stood beside Mu Yazhe with a smile on his face, just like a polite little gentleman. And now, as the scene and person in his memory overlapped with what was before him, the faces matched perfectly!

... Yun Tianyou?!

"How could that be?"

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Gong Fan looked up with slight displeasure.

"How troublesome."

The mercenaries behind him immediately stepped forward and opened fire. In an instant, green smoke filled the air. The row of mercenaries behind Gu Jinglian fell to the ground in a pool of blood!

Gong Shaoying had ordered that no one who had seen Gong Fan was to get away alive.

One of the mercenaries walked in front of Gu Jinglian, raised his arm, and aimed the Desert Eagle at Gu Jinglian's temple.. He turned to look at Gong Fan. As soon as the master gave orders, he would immediately pull the trigger!

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Seeing that all his mercenaries had been gunned down in less than half a minute, Gu Jinglian's face was filled with shock and anger!

One of the mercenaries walked in front of Gu Jinglian, raised his arm, and aimed the Desert Eagle at Gu Jinglian's temple. He turned to look at Gong Fan. As soon as the master gave orders, he would immediately pull the trigger!

"Master, how should we deal with this person?"

Gong Fan raised his eyes coldly and said with little expression, "I've said to let him leave safely."

The mercenary immediately put away the Desert Eagle and returned to Gong Fan's side.

Gong Fan said, "You may go."

Gu Jinglian was extremely surprised. He'd actually let him go?

Gu Jinglian pursed his lips, his eyes filled with disdain. "Don't play tricks. Could it be that the moment I turned around, there will be a gun pointing at me?"

Gong Fan replied calmly, "No one will shoot."

Gu Jinglian was flabbergasted.

"I will stick by my words. This is also one of the principles of a capitalist."

Gu Jinglian raised his eyebrows, stood up abruptly, and remarked, "You said it."

With that, he turned around and walked towards the door.

Behind him, one of the mercenaries gritted his teeth when he saw that Gong Fan was letting Gu Jinglian go. His hand reached for, and tightly gripped the gun strapped to his waist, then he drew it and loaded it! He aimed the steel cold muzzle of the gun at Gu Jinglian's back and pulled the trigger, ready to fire at any moment!

Bang!

A gunshot rang out behind him.

Gu Jinglian stopped in his tracks and looked sideways. From the corner of his eye, he saw that the mercenary who was waiting for an opportunity to launch a sneak attack had fallen to the ground, clutching his wrist that had been shot. That man's eyes widened in disbelief as he looked at Gong Fan!

"Master, if we let the tiger return to the mountain, it will definitely become a threat in the future!"

Gong Fan leaned back lazily in his chair, his fingers casually tapping on the table. His expression was clearly impatient.

"You don't have to teach me what to do."

"He is Gu Jinglian. The Gu family is big and powerful. If... we let him leave North Africa... the consequences would be unimaginable!"

"Shut up!" Gong Fan said coldly, "If you continue to spout nonsense, die."

The mercenary shut his mouth in shock, not daring to say anything else.

Gu Jinglian left without looking back.

Gong Fan stood up slowly, put on his hat and walked towards the door.

Lisa immediately followed.

In the car, the two of them sat quietly.

She turned to look at Gong Fan's side profile and clenched her fists tightly. At the thought of how cold and emotionless he was at the negotiation table, she hesitated.

She suddenly ventured to speak a name, "...Yun Shishi."

Gong Fan's expression did not change in the slightest. He turned around with a slight frown on his face. It was obvious that he felt unfamiliar with and puzzled by the name that had been brought up.

"What?"

"Master, do you remember this name?"

Yun Shishi...

Gong Fan frowned and pondered for a moment before asking flatly, "Should I remember this name?"

The girl was taken aback and did not know how to react.

Gong Fan asked again, "Who is she?"

"She is..." Lisa hesitated. Seeing that Gong Fan had completely forgotten Yun Shishi, her heart started to ache for some reason.

He said, "If it's someone meaningless, I naturally won't have any impression of it."

Then, he looked out of the window.

Looking at his cold side profile, Lisa frowned and clenched her fists. At that moment, she made up her mind...

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Gu residence.

Lying on the bed, Chu He rested her head on her arms as she looked at the night sky. Her thoughts were in chaos. Oddly, her eyelids suddenly twitched.

After Gu Jinglian left, she had inexplicably suffered from insomnia for two nights. She tossed and turned until midnight before she would fall asleep. When she woke up the next day, she went to work early and returned home exhausted. At night, she had insomnia again for no reason!

It had been like this for the past two days, and she was exhausted from the torture.

For some reason, she had a bad gut feeling.

The day following Gu Jinglian's departure to North Africa, the news reported that the battle in North Africa was gradually expanding and the peacekeeping force was showing signs of intervening.

Since the war began, North Africa has been divided into three regions. One was the war zone, one was the neutral zone, and the other was the peace zone.

However, the war had now spread to the neutral zone, and the Gu family's factories were all located in the neutral zone. If the firing zone spread, it would probably affect the Gu family's businesses.

It was said that several airports in North Africa had been blown to ruins. All flight routes had been closed and international traffic ceased! This meant that many people could not leave North Africa by plane. If they did not leave in time, they would become sacrificial objects for war.

This war had caused heavy casualties to the civilians, and the foreigners had already begun to evacuate. Many people from developed countries left early.

The Chinese side had also started to evacuate the Chinese. Many Chinese factories in North Africa had now been evacuated, leaving behind empty buildings. The Chinese were all gathered at the national embassy, awaiting evacuation orders.

The naval force responsible for the evacuation was already rushing towards several major ports in North Africa and was expected to complete the evacuation within three days.

Then... what about Gu Jinglian?

If he continued to stay in North Africa, his life would be in danger.

Even though, admittedly, he was a rather tough man, even the most powerful mercenary was no match for him. However, this was an era of firearms. No matter how tough one's body was, it would not be able to withstand cannon and bullets.

Chu He had asked Butler Fu about Gu Jinglian, but Butler Fu informed her that the communications had been cut off and there was no way to contact the person in charge of the factory.

There was no news...

This meant that there was much uncertainty around Gu Jinglian's situation.

Chu He was upset. Oddly, while she obviously hated this man, yet at this juncture, she was actually worried for him! Chu He turned around and hugged the pillow. She closed her eyes and forced herself not to think too much.

The door was suddenly pushed open.

Butler Fu rushed in anxiously and said in a panic, "Chu He! Something's happened!"

Startled, Chu He sat up on the bed and looked at him in a daze. When she noted Butler Fu's panicky expression, her uneasiness grew!

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"What is it?"

"I received news that the Gu family's business in North Africa has been taken over by the Hurricane Group. All the employees who stayed behind in the factory have been driven out! I also heard that... all the mercenaries who were accompanying Old Master are... dead!"

"Dead!?"

"Uh huh."

Butler Fu nodded and said in a trembling voice, "I heard that the old master signed an agreement. When the negotiation ended, the dozens of mercenaries that he brought along were all killed on the spot..."

Chu He was dumbfounded.

"What should we do? Chu He?! The signal has been cut off. We have no idea where Old Master is..."

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"Why did he sign that agreement?!" Chu He was a little puzzled. "Gu Jinglian mentioned this to me. He said that he would never give this industry over to Hurricane Group no matter what. Why did he sign the agreement?"

The muscles on Butler Fu's face twitched violently for a moment. He clenched his fists and said with some difficulty, "...the informing subordinate said that Hurricane Group had issued threats using your and Baby Chu's names. If he didn't sign the agreement, you'd be in danger. Old Master... Old Master might have been worried about you guys, so..."

Chu He was stunned when she heard this. Her lips twitched and she said in disbelief. "That's impossible, right?! Gu Jinglian is... such an arrogant person. How could he give up such a huge industry for Baby Chu and I?!"

Butler Fu sighed. "Chu He, you may not realize it, but the onlooker sees more clearly! In Old Master's eyes, you're different from others! Perhaps you think Old Master is arrogant and aloof, but in my opinion, ever since Baby Chu came to the Gu family, Old Master has really changed significantly!"

Chu He was speechless for a moment.

"Even though Old Master might not be like other men who are fathers and might not be so gentle and patient, but... he cares about everything that may potentially harm Baby Chu! Master is not good with words, but that doesn't mean that he... is not a good father!"

"..."

Butler Fu continued, "Old Master really cares about Baby Chu! That's why he forced you to sign that agreement back then and threatened you into giving up the custody rights of Baby Chu! But you insisted on not signing it. Old Master could have forced you into it, but he took to heart the relationship between Baby Chu and you, and quietly accepted you into the Gu family residence and even got a marriage certificate with you! Perhaps it's hard for you to believe that a man like Old Master would fall in love with a woman! But in my opinion, he treats you differently from others! Perhaps, you're really special to him! Old Master's personality makes him different from others, he's not the sort to fall in love! But a person like him will never allow anyone to threaten his family..."

Chu He's lips trembled! She suddenly stood up, but her expression was surprisingly calm.

"Butler Fu, have all the airports in North Africa been destroyed?"

"Are you going to North Africa to look for him?"

"Answer my question first!"

Butler Fu was stunned and immediately nodded. "Yes..."

"Then, how else can we get to North Africa?"

"By freight route—" Butler Fu said, "The Gu family has a batch of firearms that are about to be transported to North Africa. However, it's a one-way trip... There's no return route."

"One-way trip?"

"Well, it's hard to get in and out of North Africa right now. The situation is tense. This freighter was sent by the North African forces, so it's just a one-way route."

"When does it leave?"

Butler Fu finally couldn't take it anymore. "Chu He, don't take the risk!"

"Tonight or tomorrow night?!"

"To... to... tonight..."

Chu He raised her brows and said, "Prepare my luggage. I'll leave tonight."

Butler Fu was shocked. "Are you crazy?! Going to North Africa now is too risky!"

Chu He said firmly, "I want to bring him back!"

"No! It's too risky! Chu He, don't be too rash!"

Chu He said calmly, "I'm very calm. I know what I should do and shouldn't do.. So, you just need to prepare my luggage and leave the rest to me."

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Just as Butler Fu was about to say something, Chu He suddenly turned around, grabbed his collar and said in no uncertain terms, "Butler Fu, let me tell you, although I may not be Gu Jinglian's match in terms of skills, but in terms of experience, I once crossed the battlefield alone and safely took the hostages away from the center of the war zone! When I was on a mission, I was pursued by the enemy. I was seriously injured but I still managed to make it through the rainforest... Before I joined the Interpol, I also joined the peacekeeping force. I'm very familiar with the terrain of North Africa. My experience is something that Gu Jinglian cannot compare to!"

Butler Fu was so frightened by her hostility that he didn't breathe another word.

Chu He stared at him and suddenly laughed coldly. "Why? Do you think I want to take this risk? It has nothing to do with me if Gu Jinglian were to die in North Africa, however he's Baby Chu's father and now that there's no news of him, I can't just sit by and do nothing!"

"How will you find him?" Butler Fu asked, "There is fighting everywhere in North Africa. How are you going to find him? How are you going to bring him back?"

"It's true that North Africa is huge, but if you say that Gu Jinglian is in neutral territory, then at least the scope has been defined. If a war breaks out, then other than the shelter station, the embassy, and the Prime Minister's residence, we can locate him by eliminating them one by one."

Butler Fu was confused by this information, however, seeing how confident Chu He was, he thought that she probably would be able to bring Gu Jinglian back safely, so he nodded reluctantly.

"If you don't have full confidence, don't take any risks! It's a pity... I'm just a bag of old bones. I really can't help much!"

Chu He smiled and said casually, "All you need to do is to stay here and take good care of Baby Chu!"

"For sure, I'll take good care of Baby Chu!"

"You said that the Hurricane Group used Baby Chu and me to threaten Gu Jinglian into signing the agreement." After a pause, Chu He continued, "In order to ensure Baby Chu's safety, he won't go to school for the time being. Just apply for leave from the kindergarten."

"Okay."

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Butler Fu packed her luggage and walked to Baby Chu's room.

In Baby Chu's room, Chu He quietly walked to the side of the bed and bent over slightly. She looked at the sleeping child and frowned. She was actually reluctant to part with him!

She caressed his forehead and closed her eyes and planted a kiss on his forehead. "Goodnight, Baby Chu!"

Hopefully, the next time she would say goodnight, it would be with Gu Jinglian!

She silently swore to bring Gu Jinglian back, for the sake of Baby Chu.

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The freighter, which was supposed to depart at 3am, set off an hour earlier.

Chu He caught up with the freighter ahead of time. Carrying a huge battlefield pack, she boarded the ship heading for North Africa.

This freighter would take four days and four nights to reach their destination. However, this was the fastest way to transport the goods.

The airway had been cut off. Apparently, all the rail tracks had been blown to smithereens by the resistance army during the war. Airports, cargo transports, except for sea transport, were in a state of total paralysis.

Even four days and four nights was the most optimistic estimation. If they were slow, they might not reach North Africa's neutral zone even in a week. Once they reached the port, they would have to pass through the crossfire of war to enter the neutral zone.

However, Chu He was confident because she was already familiar with the terrain of North Africa.. Even if the whole area was blown to ashes, she could roughly navigate it by heart.