

Sweet Love 3871

Chapter 3871: A Perfect Match (63)

Hua Jin was rather taken aback by Liang Yin's words and continued, "I didn't expect you to speak with such depth. I always thought you had a simple mind."

Liang Yin looked at him angrily but said nothing.

The steaks were served. Sirloin steaks, medium rare, with some streaks of rawness still.

When Liang Yin saw the redness and asked, "How done is this?"

"Seventy percent."

"Isn't it too raw?"

"Not at all. The steak is very tender when cooked like this." With that, he took the plate of steak from her.

Liang Yin thought that he was snatching her steak and glared at him resentfully. The actor glanced at her as he sliced the steak, bit by bit, into ribbed strips. He knew well which parts were harder to chew, so he cut this into cubes. After this was done, he handed the steak back to her.

When Liang Yin saw this, she was a little surprised by this display of his gentlemanly side. It turned out that he had taken her steak so that he could slice it for her? Liang Yin was flattered.

Why did she have the strangest illusion? Now that the two of them were sitting in a western restaurant, they actually looked like a couple on a date.

The actor gave her a meaningful look. He had no idea what she was thinking. She was staring down at the steak nervously, her face flushed. Therefore, he thought that the heating in the room was too strong and walked over to turn down the temperature.

Before returning to his seat, he ruined the wonderful atmosphere with what he said next.

"Remember, put on your best performance tomorrow at the set."

Liang Yin was speechless.

He gave her a look of displeasure. "I'm treating you to a fancy western meal. Surely you couldn't bear for me to be kicked out of the crew, right?"

Liang Yin blushed and muttered, "It's not like I did that on purpose..."

The actor smiled at that. "I know, but no one knows what's going on. In today's society, it's all about the results, not the process. Whatever your reasons, you ultimately didn't do a good job."

As Liang Yin was deep in thought, the actor continued, "It's not like you can't do a good job. You're a good actor, aren't you?"

"Really?!"

“Uh huh...” He gave her a charming smile. “You have to believe that you’re very good. Don’t think you can’t do this. You were just nervous the other day.”

Liang Yin listened and nodded solemnly.

After the western meal, as Liang Yin and Hua Jin were walking back towards the hotel entrance, they started rehearsing her lines. As they approached the hotel room, they saw a girl crouching in the corner of the long corridor, crying. She was crying very sadly, with tears streaming down her face.

Liang Yin was about to step forward when the actor stopped her.

“What are you doing?”

“I’m just going to ask what the situation is.”

“Don’t go there.” Hua Jin warned her. “Mind your own business.”

Liang Yin was unimpressed and retorted, “She’s squatting here crying. Maybe she’s troubled by something. I’m just asking.”

She pushed past him and approached the girl. She crouched beside her and asked, “What’s the matter?”

The girl, who had been immersed in her sadness, jumped when she suddenly heard Liang Yin’s voice. When she saw that it was Hua Jin, she was shocked however she did not stop crying. In fact, she cried even harder.

Liang Yin helped her to her feet with some difficulty. As she did so, a sheet of paper fell to the ground.

“What’s this?”

Before Hua Jin could stop her, Liang Yin had already bent down to pick it up.

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Upon retrieving the piece of paper from the ground, Liang Yin realized that it was a medical report from the hospital.

When Hua Jin saw this, he immediately walked over and took the report from her. He looked at it and saw that it was a pregnancy report.

Alarmed, the actor asked her, “Who are you looking for?”

The girl said sadly, “He doesn’t wish to see me, and he doesn’t believe the baby I’m carrying is his...”

Sobbing and choking, she said, “I didn’t mean to pester him. I just wanted to ask him how we should resolve this matter. He thought I was going to create trouble for him. I loved him so much. How could I create trouble for him? But... but, for the sake of pursuing him, I’ve been deserted by everyone and left home. How could I go home and face everyone now? Boohoo...”

The girl was very pretty, with an adorable face that made her look like a character out of a comic book. Such a lovely girl was now in a sorry state.

Hua Jin quickly realized what was going on. "You're pregnant?"

The girl covered her face in despair and made a stifled choking sound.

Liang Yin looked a little confused. She, too, took the report from him and glanced at it, startled.

Hua Jin asked the girl suspiciously, "Whose baby is this?"

"I can't say. I can't say..."

The girl cried, "I must not harm him. I must not harm him..." She spoke incoherently as she cried, it was hard to make out what she was saying.

While Liang Yin was confused, the actor, on the other hand, came to an understanding. "Does Tang Yu know about this?"

Liang Yin looked at him in surprise. Why did the actor mentioned Tang Yu's name out of the blue? Could it be that he was trying to find out something?

The girl's shoulders stiffened immediately, confirming Hua Jin's suspicion.

The child was indeed Tang Yu's.

Tang Yu's room was on the same floor as his. And this girl was holding the pregnancy report and crouching here crying so desperately. It gave cause for Hua Jin to guess that the girl had something to do with Tang Yu.

"What do I do, what do I do..." The girl shivered with fear.

The actor suddenly took hold of Liang Yin's hand and said, "Let's go! Leave her alone otherwise we'll get into trouble."

However, Liang Yin was worried. She looked around and could not bear to leave her here.

"It's not good for her to be here alone, is it? Why don't we send her home? Or send her to the hospital in the car..."

"I don't want to. Leave me alone!" The girl was still crying and screaming. She seemed unappreciative of the attempt to help.

Although Liang Yin couldn't bear to leave her like this, she eventually did so at Hua Jin's order. The actor pulled Liang Yin back into the room. After that, he instructed her to stay in the room to study the script and not go anywhere.

Liang Yin asked where he was going, and he said he was going to get the hotel manager to manage the girl.

Her heart warmed at that. Although Hua Jin had told her to mind her own business, he was not as cold as she had imagined!

"You do that."

The actor left the room.

Liang Yin felt a little sad when she recalled the scene of the girl crouching in the corner and crying.

Was that girl really pregnant with Tang Yu's child? It sounded as if Tang Yu wasn't acknowledging it and was shutting her out. How could Tang Yu be so cruel? The real Tang Yu was too different from the warm male idol in her heart.

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Liang Yin had never thought that Tang Yu was such a heartless man. Just as she was deep in her thoughts, Hua Jin returned.

She stood up nervously. "What about the girl? Has she gone home?"

The actor shook his head. 'I didn't see her when I went to the lift lobby. I went to the front desk and the manager said nothing about having seen her.'

"Could she have left?"

"How is that possible?" The actor said, "The manager had been standing by the main entrance of the hotel and he claimed that he had not seen the girl at all. I went to the back door and the security guard there said he hadn't seen her either."

"That's strange." Liang Yin said suspiciously, "Don't tell me she has gone into Tang Yu's room!"

The actor nodded. "It's possible! Tang Yu isn't stupid. He knows that if this gets out of hand, it's going to be bad for him. He won't let the matter blow up. His career is on the rise. It hasn't been easy for him to get his foot in, so he's not going to allow negative talk about him to go around at this point. If anything goes wrong, the investors will want to kill him."

"Investors?"

"Don't you know? All the popular artistes these days have investors behind them."

Liang Yin shook her head blankly.

"Anyway, you don't have to concern yourself with all these things. Memorize your lines and try to get through them tomorrow."

Liang Yin muttered, "I already know my lines."

"I don't think you're familiar enough with them."

The girl did not say much, but obediently picked up the script and memorized it seriously. She tried to put what had happened to the back of her mind and immersed herself in the script. It wasn't until very late into the night that she finally closed the script and went to bed.

She had promised Hua Jin that she'd get through this scene no matter what. She was familiar enough with the lines to know them by heart.

She only needed to overcome her nervousness and everything would be fine once she crossed this hurdle.

She was already freshened and ready when he entered the room.

Liang Yin arrived at the set and got ready for the shoot.

As she was trying to get into her character, she vaguely overheard some people talking.

“Did you hear? Last night, someone jumped to her death from the roof of a hotel.”

“Are you serious?”

“It’s true. I heard that she jumped off the roof edge and landed on it. I was told that she didn’t die instantly. She crawled to the door from where she fell, but it was locked from the inside. The girl was sitting there, bleeding. She wasn’t found until early morning.”

“Isn’t that too tragic? Why did she take it so hard?”

“I only heard about it. Early in the morning, when I was about to come to the set, I saw an ambulance rush over and carry the body out through the side door. Apparently, the hotel didn’t allow them to use the main entrance. It was considered bad luck.”

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The muttering in the background continued.

Liang turned to look at them, but they immediately fell silent and lowered their heads, not daring to discuss anything else. They went back to what they were doing.

The actor had just returned to the rest area when Liang Yin pulled him aside nervously.

‘Did you hear about what happened this morning?’

“What happened?”

“A girl jumped off the building.”

Liang Yin was worried and expressed her suspicion, “Could it be the girl from yesterday?”

The actor was slightly amused.

“Why are you so concerned about her?”

“After all, she was fine when we saw her yesterday. I can’t help but feel wistful hearing about this now.”

“You need to concentrate on what you’re doing. This scene is important today. Leave the rest to me.”

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Liang Yin nodded.

Hua Jin then stepped aside and made a call. He looked around and saw that Tang Yu was not around. Immediately, he smelled something fishy.

Tang Yu wasn’t on the set?’

Wasn't he involved in shooting a scene today?

Why hadn't he come?

Hua Jin asked around. One of the staff members said that Tang Yu's agent had called, informing them that having caught a cold yesterday, Tang Yu was running a high fever and had gone to the hospital to get a drip.

Hospital?

What a coincidence.

It didn't take long for Liang Yin to get ready for the shoot. As she waited, she kept psyching herself, trying to put aside all distractions as best she could, slowly guiding herself into the zone.

She got into her character.

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By the time her turn came, she was clearly in a different state. At this point, no one felt that she was Hua Jin, but a living, breathing Phoenix Deity.

When Director Gu saw this, even though Liang Yin's positioning was a little beyond the camera position, he really could not bear to interrupt her. Hence, he instructed the cameraman to quickly adjust the camera position and capture the scene.

Liang Yin was in excellent condition.

In the past, no matter what the reason was, actors would, without a doubt, be scolded for standing in the wrong spot. However, Liang Yin was in an excellent state of mind, in fact, better Hua Jin himself was, when he was personally shooting. The actor was stunned by her performance!

However, he was still a little nervous. He was worried that in the next second, Liang Yin would break down and lose this excellent state of mind.

The actor watched on tenterhooks, but the whole time, Liang Yin's condition was consistent. Especially that look in her eyes when she turned around, helpless but unable to bear it. Tears welled up in her eyes, but she would not allow them to overflow.

"I'm human, and you're a demon, there's a divide between us. You're the future king of all demons, whereas I'm an Onmyoji. We're destined to be irreconcilable."

When he heard the word "irreconcilable", Phoenix Deity turned his back. Tears streamed down his face.

This scene was amazing even in the eyes of Director Gu! This imagery was too beautiful!

The camera zoomed in and captured Phoenix Deity's disappointed and sad expression.

The female lead, Mu Qingge, was initially struggling with getting into her character. However, with Phoenix Deity being in an exceedingly good state of mind, even Mu Qingge was influenced and got swept along.

Scenes that Hua Jin was unable to pass with one take in the past, Liang Yin actually managed to pass them in a single take!

“Excellent! You’re in good form today, Phoenix Deity. But, Qingge, you didn’t get into it at the start.”

Because Liang Yin was in such a good state of mind, Director Gu could not bear to call a cut. However, the camera and the close-ups were all aimed at Liang Yin. So even if there were any problems, it would not be an issue to re-film these segments individually.

Mu Qingge was also a little surprised. Just the day before yesterday, Hua Jin had been scolded by the director till he was bawling.

His condition today was unexpectedly good. He actually passed in one take! It was incredible!

Hua Jin walked over, also pleasantly surprised by Liang Yin’s performance today.

For once, he wasn’t miserly with his appreciation of her. “You’re really in good shape today,” he complimented her. “Even better than I expected.”

Liang Yin was still in her character and had trouble coming out of it. She clutched her sleeves tightly and felt the choking heaviness in her chest. It made her feel terrible.

She said sadly, “I feel so burdened inside, it’s awful. As if a ball of cotton has been stuffed down my throat.”

She was too entrenched in the character. Because she had to fully immerse herself in the role, for a long time, she could not get out of it.

With an aching heart, Hua Jin put an arm around her shoulders. “If you feel sad, cry and let it out.”

She leaned on his shoulder and allowed her emotions to flow, so that she could vent it all out.

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Hua Jin had not expected Liang Yin to immerse herself so completely into her character. After crying for a long time, she finally resolved the tangle of emotions inside.

Mu Qingge walked over with red eyes and gently patted her on the shoulder. “You did a great job today, Hua Jin!”

Director Gu came over as well and said, “Rest well for the next two days and adjust your emotions! This particular scene has already ended.”

Liang Yin nodded.

By the time the actor led her away from the set, he was still visibly shaken. “Liang Yin, your performance today was simply unexpected. It was even better than I had imagined.”

Liang Yin said solemnly, “I’ve accepted your posh western meal treat. I have to stop encumbering you.”

“Ha!” The actor smiled. “You think a Western meal will buy you off?”

“That’s right. This is the best meal I’ve ever had. I didn’t do anything to deserve this. I can’t accept your kindness for nothing.”

Liang Yin paused as something came to mind. Her expression turned grave. “Have you heard? There were rumors today that a girl jumped from a hotel building. Could it be the girl from yesterday?”

Hua Jin frowned and shook his head. “Well... I’m not sure. For one thing, I’ve not seen a photograph of the deceased. For another, I’ve not seen a case report. So I’m really not sure about this.”

“Well ... why don’t you ask around?”

“These are troubled times. Don’t pry, in case you get into trouble.”

“Fine, I understand.” Liang Yin did not say anything else.

Upon returning to the hotel, Hua Jin ordered takeout for Liang Yin and went back to his room right after that. On the way back to his room, he saw that Tang Yu and his manager had returned. He stopped in his tracks and looked at Tang Yu silently.

The other man looked at him, too, but for some reason, there was a wariness in Tang Yu’s expression. He had been discussing something with his agent, but when he caught Hua Jin’s glance, he suddenly fell silent.

Hua Jin narrowed his eyes and smiled momentarily. Turning to Tang Yu, he commented, “I didn’t see you on the set today. Where were you?”

Tang Yu grew even more wary of Hua Jin’s sudden concern. Instead of answering his question directly, he avoided it and said in half-jest, “Why are you suddenly so concerned about me? In the past, your attitude toward me wasn’t like this. You acted as if you had a grudge against me and that we were great enemies.”

Hua Jin smiled. “How can I support another artiste in the presence of my artiste? I didn’t see you on the set today. I heard you were unwell and running a fever?”

“A little. I went to the hospital and got a drip. I’m feeling better now.”

Seeing that Tang Yu was bantering meaninglessly with this junior assistant, the manager was displeased. “Alright, stop talking nonsense with her. Go back to your room and lie down.”

Tang Yu and his manager returned to their room. His eyelids started twitching violently as an ominous feeling grew within him!

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“Brother Ting, do we really have to do this?” They were back in the room, and Tang Yu felt inexplicably uneasy.

His manager, Brother Ting, glared at him disapprovingly. “Otherwise? What’s done is done. Are you looking for even more trouble rather than thinking of a way to wash this off your hands?”

“But... I don’t think it’s a good idea to offend Hua Jin!”

“He offered himself up. All I can say is that he came looking for trouble. Wait for the PR firm to make a statement! Whatever it is, let’s shift the focus on this.”

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Tang Yu said nothing more. He knew he had no choice but to risk offending Hua Jin this time. There was no other way. The actor asked for it by being nosy. The entertainment industry was like that. It had to be done for self-protection.

“I’ve reminded you before that you have to manage your relationships with women. Besides, you had almost been caught by the paparazzi many times. Remember, you’re not the same person you used to be. Now, you’re a commodity, and your value is on the rise. If your reputation is ruined because of these things, can you afford to pay the penalty? If this happens again in the future, you’re on your own!”

Tang Yu stiffened and braced himself. “Got it, Brother Ting.”

“Alright, rest early!”

Tang Yu suddenly stood up nervously. “Brother Ting, are you sure it’s okay? Hua Jin is Qin Zhou’s man, and Qin Zhou is a high-ranking member of Huanyu. Huanyu has Sheng Yu behind it. Are you sure we can stand up to them?”

“Don’t worry! We won’t fight him to death! In the end, it’s just a way to divert the public’s attention!”

Although Tang Yu was still a little worried, he nodded.

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The next day.

Early in the morning, a post dominated the headlines of various entertainment portals.

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“Hua Jin’s illicit love affair exposed? Pregnant girlfriend jumps off a building, mother and child dead?”

“Popular young artiste’s scandal exposed!”

“Mystery girl jumps off hotel building housing the crew of ‘Demon Eyes’?”

“Deceased suspected of arguing with Hua Jin before death. Did it trigger the tragedy?”

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Early in the morning, this news undoubtedly went off like a bomb for the entertainment industry.

Many media outlets pointed fingers at Hua Jin.

Did he have a secret lover?’

Jumped off a building while pregnant?

This news was simply appalling!

Hua Jin's public image had always been that of an innocent idol. He was well known nationally and popular with the audience in general. He had won a huge fan base with his good looks that made him more beautiful than a woman. He was one of the few high-quality idols in the entertainment industry, from the perspective of his fans and audience.

Everyone in the circle acknowledged him as the next Gu Xingze.

Gu Xingze was no longer around.

Gu Xingze's former status in the entertainment industry was the pinnacle and unchallenged, his popularity was sky high.

After his death, it was difficult to find a successor for a while, but many people believed that before the next "Gu Xingze" appeared, Hua Jin was best placed for this role. However, when such a shocking scandal came from such a beautiful idol, not to mention fans, even the public who were not fans would not believe it.

"How is that possible? How could Hua Jin have a secret relationship? It must be the production team trying to create publicity!"

"Previously, in order to create hype and exposure, some unscrupulous production teams actually hyped up the scandal between Yun Shishi and Hua Jin! After they had been warned by Yun Shishi's husband, they deleted the news overnight, clarified and apologized. They didn't dare to do it again for a long time. Now, they've forgotten the lesson!"

"I heard that Hua Jin and Yun Shishi are sworn siblings. How dare they bully our Master Jin? They are obviously out to offend Shengyu and Huanyu!"

"This is too much. In the past, there were rumors that our Master Jin was gay and only liked men. Now, a secret relationship has appeared out of thin air? The rumors have exploded!"

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The news reported that a girl had jumped to her death at the hotel housing the "Demon Eyes" crew.

Although it looked like an unremarkable report, for some reason, both the media and Weibo marketing accounts pointed fingers at Hua Jin and said that he was involved in the girl's suicide.

Some media outlets released insider information that the girl and Hua Jin were lovers. The girl was a fan of the actor. In an instant, the news of Hua Jin sleeping with his fans spread like wildfire.

On the Internet, there was also a storm brewing.

Hua Jin sleeps with his fans?

You're kidding me.

None of the fans believed it.

There were even extreme fans who humiliated this girl, saying that she was a disgrace to the fans and smeared her reputation.

Some fans even thought nothing of Hua Jin sleeping with his fans, that it was a benefit for fans and a privilege not available to others. They even said that this girl must be using her life to bring shame to Hua Jin.

Initially, casual readers held a wait-and-see attitude on this matter. It was unknown if these comments were made by real fans or just brainless comments posted deliberately by trolls. However they caused Hua Jin to be caught in a whirlpool of public opinions overnight. All at once, the actor was being shoved into the limelight.

On the internet, fans, idiot fans, anti-fans, fake reviewers, media outlets, and various marketing accounts were in their own factions, each holding their own opinions. They created an uproar. Many fanatical fans rushed to the Weibo sites of the exposing media organizations and insisted that they were smearing Hua Jin's reputation. They hurled all kinds of insults at the media.

They all started with good intentions. However, the methods of these fans were inevitably a little extreme, so much so that the media caught on and bombarded them.

Early in the morning, the actor was awakened by a phone call from his manager.

"What the hell is going on, Hua Jin?"

As soon as Qin Zhou opened his mouth, he fired off the question angrily.

Why did this suddenly happen? Hua Jin was a person who knew how to handle things appropriately. Logically, he would never get himself into such trouble.

Sleeping with fans?

Lover jumping off a building?

Mother and child dead?

What sort of trashy news was that!

Hua Jin was bewildered initially but quickly realized what had happened. It was about the girl.

Jumping off a building?

Was it reported in the press?

But... what did that have to do with him? How did he get associated with this matter?

Wasn't this... Tang Yu's business?

Unless...

"Could Tang Yu's team be creating trouble?"

Qin Zhou sounded skeptical. "Did you two have a dispute?"

"I wouldn't call it a dispute. It's just that I've been giving the kid an attitude on set."

“Why have you been giving him an attitude?”

“I just don’t like the way he does things! He sleeps with fans and doesn’t take responsibility after sleeping with them. What kind of thing is that?” He paused for a moment before continuing, “Let me see what the Internet says first.”

“Your Weibo must have crashed by now. However, don’t log into your account or make any comments. Be careful not to be taken out of context and create even more unfounded stories.”

“I got it.” He hung up and went online to check out how things had progressed.

After an afternoon of brewing, the online discussions had culminated in an unreasonable battle of public opinion. The actor’s army of fans was so powerful that they offended several media outlets at once. The fans firmly believed in their idol’s character and insisted that their idol would not make such a low-level mistake.

Things got so heated up that several marketing accounts were loudly claiming that they were going to release the concrete evidence in the afternoon. Before Hua Jin had the chance to find out what the so-called “concrete evidence” was—Liang Yin was suddenly taken away.

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Liang Yin was to be taken to the police station for investigation. Hua Jin dashed to Liang Yin’s room just as she was being led away by the police. The reason they took her was that she was the last person who saw the deceased alive. Upon seeing Hua Jin, the police recalled that he, too, had appeared in the surveillance footage. Hence, they took him with them as well.

The actor was taken away with Liang Yin for investigation. He did not return to the hotel for a day and a night.

Meanwhile, in the afternoon, the media, pissed off by the fans, scrambled to release solid evidence. It was said, after the police did a site survey, that all the evidence pointed to a suicide.

Unlocking the deceased cell phone which had fallen to the ground, they found a memo inside that said: *?Baby, Mommy is sorry!*

The police suspected that she was pregnant. Later, following the Coroner’s autopsy report, this was confirmed. As to how far into pregnancy she was, this required further diagnosis through amniocentesis.

Originally, this was a straightforward suicide case that would not have attracted the media’s attention at all. Perhaps at best, it would have occupied an unnoticeable corner of the page. Every year the number of suicides climbed in a straight line graph. Not everyone who jumped would be given any attention. However, because of the hotel involved, the police needed to establish when the deceased had entered the venue and whom she had interacted with before she committed suicide. Hence they had to retrieve the surveillance footage from the hotel.

Alas, the surveillance footage revealed that the girl had had direct contact with Hua Jin before her death. In the footage, the girl had entered the hotel and made her way to the floor where Hua Jin’s

room was. Somehow, she had been crouching in the corner of the corridor, holding her face in her hands and crying for a long time.

Until the actor and his assistant appeared on the screen later.

Surprised to see the girl crouched in the corner, Hua Jin went to her and held out a hand to help her up. The assistant behind him, however, was wary.

As soon as the girl saw Hua Jin, she suddenly appeared very excited and animated, as if she was desperate to express herself. However, the assistant behind him clearly disliked this girl and had repeatedly asked Hua Jin to ignore her. Except that the actor seemed undecided, a little hesitant. He looked at the girl, and seemed unable to bear it.

From an outsider's point of view, it seemed that he had some inexplicable bond with this girl.

The media imagined that the two had some sort of relationship in the past. But that was only the media's interpretation. But with the wide exposure that the video gained and the excessive interpretation of the media, it became quite convincing.

With the media giving direction, the story unfolded that way.

The girl was a fan of the actor. By chance, during a visit to the set, their eyes had locked and over time, the girl became his bedmate. According to investigations, the girl had been to the film studio many times and the last person she saw was Hua Jin.

The actor seemed to have shown concern towards her. However, the assistant behind him was clearly worried that this matter would blow up. Hence she kept urging Hua Jin to return to his room. He turned around and even spoke righteously to the girl.

Because the video did not include an audio track, the media interpreted that the assistant was threatening her.

Hua Jin was at the peak of his career. If someone were to use her pregnancy to blackmail him, it would definitely cause great damage to his reputation. Therefore, the assistant wanted to settle this matter privately.

Perhaps Hua Jin's coldness had disheartened the girl. In the end, she chose to jump.

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Originally, Hua Jin's fans had stubbornly believed that the incident had nothing to do with their idol. However, after Hua Jin and Liang Yin were taken away by the police for investigation, the rumors became even more brazen!

Everyone agreed that Hua Jin was definitely involved in this matter given that he was taken away by the police. On this basis, the idea of Hua Jin's involvement in this matter emerged among the people. Those who were led by the majority's suspicions and imagination wondered if there was more to the story.

Could it be that Hua Jin really slept with his fans?

Did the girl and Hua Jin really have that kind of relationship?’

Was the child she carried really Hua Jin’s?

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At this point, Hua Jin and Liang Yin were being interviewed at the police station. For the time being, there was no way they knew about the rumors that were spreading like a raging fire in the outside world.

Still, Qin Zhou would never let this fester. He issued a lawyer’s letter, and Huanyu’s officials also issued an official announcement. In short, the core idea was:

1: Someone hired keyboard warriors to spread rumors and deliberately defame Hua Jin.

2: An innocent person feared no repercussions.

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3: Huanyu was not keeping silent, but they were collecting evidence, not limited to evidence of false rumors. When the opportunity presented, they would reserve the right to pursue the case legally.

4: Huanyu will not let off anyone who had caused hurt to the relationship between Hua Jin and his fans!

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It had to be said that Huanyu’s statement was absolutely authoritative and oppressive! In essence, the message was that once the truth of the matter was announced to the public, Huanyu reserved the right to take legal action against those who had spread the rumors and defamed the actor.

Qin Zhou’s method was especially ruthless. His strike was preemptive, and it was a big splash of ice water at a very critical moment in the festering affair.

In the meantime...

At the police station, Hua Jin and Liang Yin were separated to cooperate with the police in taking statements.

The police had summoned them because they were the last people to have seen the deceased alive. Although, it had been tentatively concluded that it was a suicide case, not homicide. After surveying the scene, there was no possibility of anything other than a suicide. However, it was still necessary for the police to investigate the truth of the matter.

Now, some marketing accounts were slandering Hua Jin, saying that the forces backing him had already stepped forward to suppress this matter. In order to prevent the scandal from spreading, Huanyu had already used many methods to stop the situation from developing further.

Nowadays, many people believed in the term “shady deal”. People with power and influence could even interfere with justice.

Netizens can be simple-minded, generally speaking. When they hear the wind, they assume that the rain is coming.

Only a few of the netizens were rational. After being incited like this, it was inevitable that they would suspect that Hua Jin had a powerful backer and that there was a conspiracy behind the scenes.

But...

"A fact is a fact, no matter how many times you ask." Liang Yin said calmly. "That day, I saw her crouching in the corridor and crying. I don't know what happened. Out of concern, I went over to ask."

"Is this the first time you've met?"

"Yes. It's the first time I've seen her."

"No previous contact of any kind?"

"No." ❖

"I heard rumors that she was your girlfriend?"

"Comrade, you too use the word 'rumor.' It's just a rumor. I didn't know her at all. The rumors have it that she was pregnant with my child. But I believe we can find out whose child it was. I believe that through DNA testing, we can identify the child's biological father."

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Liang Yin was very calm and went with the flow. No matter what the police asked, her answers were reasonable and unambiguous, she spoke clearly. After all, this had nothing to do with her in the first place. She was just telling the truth.

Although there was an element of nervousness, she had to answer properly. If she didn't answer well and the police misunderstood her, she would be causing trouble for Hua Jin.

Meanwhile, the police had finished their investigation with Hua Jin. He detailed the conversation he'd had with the girl to the police, including the incredible tale of the relationship between Tang Yu and the girl.

"I suspect that Tang Yu has something to do with this girl's death." Hua Jin did not hesitate to say, "You're in the process of an autopsy, aren't you? The pathologist might as well take evidence from that fetus in her belly. Maybe we'll find a strong lead."

He was very calm. Even without Qin Zhou backing him, the fact was he had nothing to do with this matter. Therefore, no matter how many statements they took from him, Hua Jin's answers had very clearly delineated the responsibilities. And for some reason, some of the information around the police department's investigation had spread.

At first, the rumor that the girl was pregnant at the time of suicide was only hearsay. But part of the police department's and pathologist's files had gone out and confirmed that the girl was pregnant.

On the other end, some people became restless.

At the hotel.

In the hotel room, Tang Yu was looking at his manager, pacing back and forth anxiously. He said worriedly, "Brother Ting, what should we do? It seems the girl was really pregnant. Could it really be my child?!"

The manager turned and glared at him somewhat angrily. "Wouldn't you know best whether it's your child or not?"

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"Well, how should I know? And how can I be sure that this woman isn't trying to push the blame to me? I've only slept with her once. How should I know whose child this is!? Of course I can't admit it!"

Tang Yu had been hoping for a fluke, that the girl was not pregnant at all. Initially, he had received a call from this girl. On the phone, the girl had stammered that she was pregnant and asked him what she should do.

Tang Yu did not even remember who she was or what she looked like! He then questioned who she was and what her motives were. The girl's heart broke when he turned hostile! In fact, this girl called Su Ning was one of Tang Yu's loyal fans.

In order to pursue her idol, she did not hesitate to go against her family's wishes. She stopped going to school and traveled to the film studio to visit. Unexpectedly, through a series of chance events, she ended up in the hotel with Tang Yu.

It was an eventful night. She hadn't expected something like this to happen between her and Tang Yu.

However, that night, Tang Yu was drunk. When he woke up and found her lying beside him, he instantly realized the seriousness of the matter.

He had actually... brought an unknown girl back to the hotel!

Fortunately, this was not discovered by the reporters. In addition, he was not that well-known at the time. Therefore, he negotiated with the girl. The purpose of the negotiation was nothing more than to prevent this night with the girl from becoming a stumbling block after he became famous.

The girl felt disappointed. It was not as though she asked for anything. She only said, "I'll make myself scarce from now on, you won't see me again."

Tang Yu was rather surprised. He did not expect this girl to not raise any conditions. Thus, he gave her a random sum of money and instructed her to get herself some morning-after pills.