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Chapter 311: Has Young Master Mu Taken The Wrong Medicine Today?

On the other hand, Luo Chenxi ignored Mu Yichen's darkened face and hugged the little dumpling tightly.

'My little dumpling is really too understanding, I haven't doted on her for nothing!'

Left without any other choice, Mu Yichen took a deep breath, turned around and entered the bathroom which was an en-suite to the first-class ward.

20 minutes later, Mu Yichen reappeared, freshened up this time.

On the other hand, the two people on the bed were already sound asleep as their similar looking little faces were pressed together, seeming extremely intimate.

At the sight of this, Mu Yichen's gaze instantly became gentle as he lifted the blanket and climbed onto the bed.

However, this time, he was not met with any retaliation. 'Very good!'

The corners of Young Master Mu's mouth curled up as he pulled the little woman and the little troublemaker, who had frightened him for the entire day, into his arms.

"Goodnight, my angels."

Then, he lowered his head and kissed Luo Chenxi on the lips before he himself closed his eyes and fell asleep.

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The next morning, in her daze, Luo Chenxi heard a childish voice.

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"Daddy, Big Sister's been sleeping for a long time again. Give her another kiss!"

Luo Chenxi quivered and immediately opened her eyes, only to see Mu Yichen and the little dumpling sat on the edge of the bed as they looked at her.

Furthermore, Young Master Mu had leaned forward slightly with a deep gaze as if he was about to do something bad.

'Thank goodness I woke up in time!'

Before Luo Chenxi could rejoice, she suddenly felt her body rise into the air because Mu Yichen had lifted her.

"Ah..."

She let out a hoarse cry and reached out to grab the man's shirt.

"Don't speak!"

Mu Yichen glared at her and carried her directly into the bathroom.

Then, Luo Chenxi sat on the toilet with a dumbfounded look.

Mu Yichen crossed his arms and looked down at her. "What's the matter? You haven't been to the toilet all night, so don't you feel anything? Could it be that you want me to help you take off your pants?"

Luo Chenxi almost choked.

'Are you serious?'

'How am I supposed to do my business when... There's literally a man standing right in front of me?'

Mu Yichen saw her expression and raised his eyebrows in confusion. "What's the matter? Are you constipated?"

'Constipated my *ss!!'

Luo Chenxi was so angry that she almost jumped up and her face turned red.

It was only then that Mu Yichen curled his lips and turned around to leave.

Then, Luo Chenxi heaved a sigh of relief and quickly finished up all her business.

Just as she was pulling up her pants, a certain man walked in again. This time, he was holding a new towel in his hand. He then rinsed it in front of the sink and wrung it dry.

After that, he lifted up Luo Chenxi's little face and carefully wiped it against her face.

Luo Chenxi could not speak and could only look at him in astonishment as countless question marks flashed through her mind.

'Has Young Master Mu taken the wrong medicine today?'

'He carried me to the toilet earlier and is now wiping my face...'

'Does he think that I'm the little dumpling?'

'Even so, the little dumpling would wash her face and brush her teeth by herself already, wouldn't she?'

Meanwhile, Mu Yichen had put down the towel and taken out his toothbrush. He squeezed some toothpaste on it and was about to stuff it into her mouth.

However, Luo Chenxi quickly grabbed the toothbrush and started to brush her own teeth.

Mu Yichen frowned and looked at the little woman standing in front of the sink with a worried expression on his face.

After witnessing that scene during the fire yesterday, he was riddled with an inexplicable worry, afraid that she would suddenly fall in front of him again.

Therefore, Mu Yichen would have wanted to do everything for her if he could.

In fact, he didn't even want her to lift a single finger...

After washing up, he ignored Luo Chenxi's struggle and carried her back to the bed.

After that, he picked up his phone and called Zhuo Feng. "Buy us three sets of breakfast and send it to the hos..."

Before he could finish his sentence, the ward's door was suddenly pushed open as Tan Yueru walked in. "Yichen, are Tang Tang and your wife awake? Why didn't you call home?"

Hearing her voice, Luo Chenxi was nervous and her body instantly froze.

She suddenly remembered that the little dumpling had sneaked out to look for her without her grandparents' knowledge yesterday, which ended up with them almost running into danger.

'Tan Yueru has never liked me, so she's definitely going to be furious this time!'

Chapter 312: I've Misunderstood You In The Past, Daughter-In-Law

Tan Yueru walked into the ward with a canister in her hands.

Then, Mu Yichen immediately stood up and stood in front of the bed.

"Mom, why are you here?"

Tan Yueru stopped in her tracks and glared at him. "What do you mean, you brat? My daughter-in-law is in the hospital, so can't I come and visit her?"

When he heard that, Mu Yichen widened his eyes in surprise, unable to speak.

Tan Yueru then pushed him away. "Move aside, don't make my granddaughter and daughter-in-law wait any longer for their food. They haven't eaten all night, I'm sure they're hungry! Will you take accountability if they starve?"

Mu Yichen was speechless.

'Madam Tan, your own son hasn't eaten all night as well, have you forgotten about him?!'

However, Tan Yueru didn't even look at him and walked straight to the bed.

When the little dumpling saw her, she immediately sat up in alert and hugged Luo Chenxi's arm before she pouted, "Go away, Grandma. Don't bully Big Sister!!"

Seeing the little dumpling being so protective of her, Luo Chenxi couldn't help but smile as she lowered her head to kiss the little dumpling.

'I don't care what others think of me so long as the little dumpling's with me.'

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Unexpectedly, Tan Yueru walked in front of her and placed the canister on her bedside table.

Then, she took out a few steaming hot dishes from within.

After that, Tan Yueru smiled, "Daughter-In-Law! Look, here's some chicken porridge that I made especially for you. I've asked your doctor and found that you're only able to have a liquid diet since your

throat is injured. So, you wouldn't be able to eat the stewed ginseng chicken soup that I boiled for you initially. You'd be better off with some porridge for now."

Luo Chenxi's eyes nearly popped out of her sockets.

'Tan Yueru... Has taken the wrong medicine too?!

'Or am I hallucinating? Am I still unconscious since last night?

'Why are all of them behaving so abnormally?'

In fact, even the little dumpling was surprised as she tilted her little head and said, "Grandma?"

"Tang Tang, be a good girl now. Grandma's made you your favourite crystal shrimp dumpling."

The little dumpling looked at the crystal-clear shrimp dumpling and gulped.

However, she still remembered her duty to firmly defend her Big Sister, hence she sat on the bed without moving an inch.

When Tan Yueru saw this, she sat on the side of the bed and held Luo Chenxi's hand as she said very sincerely, "I've misunderstood you in the past, Daughter-In-Law. I guess I really am old and muddle-headed!"

"Ah?" Luo Chenxi was dazed.

"We've already seen what actually happened yesterday through the surveillance cameras. It was you who saved Tang Tang with your own life, so our family is very grateful to you! Also, Yichen has also explained to us about the real reason why Tang Tang was frightened that day and realized that we've really misunderstood you! I didn't expect that Bai Xinxin, the girl whom I've watched growing up, would turn out to be a monster! To think that she even framed you!

"Sigh, it's my fault for not being able to see people for who they really are!"

Tan Yueru looked annoyed as she shook her head and sighed. Then, she said, "I'm really sorry for everything I've done. But, whatever's happened was all my fault, Yichen has always stood by your side and almost had a falling out with me, his own mother! The feelings he has towards you are absolutely genuine!"

"Mom! What are you talking about?"

Mu Yichen's ears turned red when he heard those words, hence he interrupted her whilst feeling embarrassed.

Then, Tan Yueru turned her head and glared at him. "Why are you still here? We're having a women's talk, you may leave now!"

"I..."

Mu Yichen was utterly defeated, while Luo Chenxi couldn't help but burst into laughter.

'I finally understand what's happening now.'

'Tan Yueru must've seen through Bai Xinxin's true colors, so she's regretted her actions and has now especially come here to apologize to me.

'Actually, I'm not actually dissatisfied with Madam Tan.

'After all, when I myself heard what Luo Chenxin had done to the little dumpling, I was so angry that I even wanted to kill her.

'So, there's no way Tan Yueru wouldn't be angry since she's the little dumpling's grandmother.'

At that thought, Luo Chenxi smiled at the frowning man and gestured for him to leave first.

Thus, although Mu Yichen was extremely unwilling, he still turned around and left in the end.

"Daughter-In-Law, try this chicken porridge, I made it myself..."

Hearing the voice from within the ward, Mu Yichen stopped in his tracks.

Then, his expression instantly relaxed and a smile flashed across his eyes.

At that moment, Zhuo Feng walked over. "Eldest Young Master, Second Young Master Bai called several times a moment ago to ask about Miss Xinxin. What do you think..."

Chapter 313: As For Letting Her Go... That's Impossible!

The smile on Mu Yichen's face instantly disappeared.

"Tell him to stay out of this. There's no way I'm letting her go!"

"But..."

Zhuo Feng was extremely speechless.

'That's easy for you to say.

'However, this is Second Young Master Bai's sister that we're talking about, so how could he possibly stay out of it?'

At that moment, Mu Yichen's phone rang.

When he saw that it was Bai Shixun calling, he frowned and thought about it for a moment before he answered the phone call.

"Mu Yichen! What the h*ll are you doing? Why have you taken my sister away? What has she done to offend you? On account of the good relationship between our two families, please release her. I'll even compensate you for any of your losses," said an impatient Bai Shixun the moment the call was connected.

In fact, the moment Bai Shixun got home that morning, he had received news about how Bai Xinxin had been taken away by Mu Yichen.

Hence, he could not help but be struck with a headache.

As a childhood friend, he knew Young Master Mu very well, who would usually be calm and indifferent. However, once he got annoyed, he was more ruthless than anyone else and would do absolutely anything.

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Moreover, the Mu family were not to be trifled with, and they were not just ordinary businessmen.

Hence, Bai Shixun immediately panicked and called Mu Yichen.

However, in order not to wake Luo Chenxi up, Mu Yichen deliberately muted his phone, hence it took Bai Shixun a long time before he finally got through.

Then, Mu Yichen said in a deep voice, "How did she offend me? Heh, actually, she didn't really offend me, but she just left my wife in a fire and lied to me that my wife had already run away with the intention of having her killed in there."

Bai Shixun was immediately stunned, "What did you just say? Xinxin wanted to kill Luo Chenxin? It's true that she doesn't like Luo Chenxin, but she wouldn't harm her just because of that!"

Mu Yichen sneered, "Then, it seems that you've also been deceived by her acting! Don't worry, I haven't accused her baselessly. If I hadn't arrived in time, my wife would be a dead person now! So, tell me, how do you expect me to let her go?"

"But... That's impossible, isn't it?"

Mu Yichen couldn't be bothered to say more, "I'll have someone send you the surveillance video. But, as for letting her go... That's impossible!"

"What do you intend to do with her? Xinxin is still my sister after all."

Bai Shixun could hear the determination in Mu Yichen's tone and felt uneasy.

Mu Yichen then sneered. "Don't worry, she won't die. Plus, I guarantee that she'll be returned to you whole, there won't even be a single scratch on her."

"Yichen, what on Earth are you going to do?! Hello... Hello?!"

After hearing Mu Yichen say that, Bai Shixun became even more uneasy.

After that, Mu Yichen didn't say anything more and directly hung up the phone.

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In a secret property belonging to the Mu family, Bai Xinxin was being pinned down by three bodyguards as they arrived at the entrance of a basement.

Then, the door opened and the bodyguards pushed her hard from behind.

"Get in!"

"D*mn it, let go of me. Do you know who I am? My brother will definitely come and save me!" shouted Bai Xinxin as she struggled with all her might.

However, the bodyguards ignored her and continued to push her into the basement.

As the heavy door closed, the cries for help were instantly hushed.

After that, the few bodyguards sat down by the entrance.

“Brother Liang, don’t you think the Young Master is letting this woman off too easily? After what she’s done to the Young Madam, he’s actually just capturing her and locking her up in the basement?”

“Precisely, he’s letting her off way too easily!”

These bodyguards were all orphans adopted by the Mu family ever since they were young and were loyal to the Mu family.

Furthermore, they were usually responsible for protecting the little dumpling’s safety.

Then, after Luo Chenxi got married into the family, she was extremely generous and treated the little dumpling really well, thus she won the favor of all the bodyguards.

Hence, when they heard that Bai Xinxin almost killed the Young Madam, everyone was filled with righteous indignation and planned to “entertain” her properly.

However, Mu Yichen’s only order was to have her locked up.

After that, Brother Liang lit a cigarette and glanced at the few of them.

“Do you even know where we are? This isn’t an ordinary basement, but a detention room! There are no windows inside and it’s completely soundproof. So, do you know what this means?”

“Anyone in there would be in a situation where they can’t hear, see, or even touch anything. Under such circumstances where one’s senses are completely deprived, even if they’re a well-trained special forces army with a strong will, seven days is all it’s going to take to make them go insane.

“Plus, I don’t know how long the Young Master intends to lock her up. Anyway, she’s in big trouble now. If I were put in this situation, I’d much rather be beaten up.”

Chapter 314: I Thought You Love Big Sister The Most?

Hearing this, all the bodyguards present unanimously let out a shiver.

“T... That’s terrifying, isn’t it?”

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“Let me out, let me out!!” shouted Bai Xinxin as the heavy door closed behind her.

The moment the heavy door closed, Bai Xinxin immediately turned around and pounced on the door, banging at it with all her might.

However, the walls were all padded with custom-made cushions. Hence, no matter how hard she knocked, no sound was made.

In fact, Bai Xinxin’s own screams obviously sounded very weak.

After an unknown amount of time, her voice had become hoarse, but there was still no response.

Therefore, Bai Xinxin quieted down.

At that moment, she realized that her surroundings were covered in darkness, making everything seem endless without even a ray of light to be seen.

Furthermore, it was eerily quiet as if she was the only person left in the world.

Then, she started to do all kinds of desperate movements in the hopes of being able to make some noise.

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However, the only response she got was emptiness and silence...

Little by little, fear began to envelop Bai Xinxin and she even had symptoms of hallucination. Within the darkness, it was as if there were countless evil spirits pouncing at her.

“Stay away, don’t come here! Help!” she shouted desperately as she grabbed onto the ground.

As she did that, her nails had completely broken off, causing her hands to be dripping with blood.

However, she did not feel anything...

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On the other hand, Luo Chenxi had ended up staying in the hospital for five days.

Actually, with the injuries she had, there was no need for her to be admitted for that long. In fact, she could have been discharged the next day.

However, Young Master Mu was worried and insisted that she stay in the hospital for observation.

On top of that, Mu Yichen had even abandoned his work to accompany her by her bedside almost everyday.

He even set some ground rules for his woman, forbidding her from getting out of bed, walking around, or even talking.

Moreover, he even personally carried her to the bathroom when she wanted to shower.

Luo Chenxi tried to hold it in at first, but she felt that she was going to go insane.

‘I’m not a pig, am I?’

‘Even if I was, I should at least have the freedom to even snort twice!’

However, even if something were to have happened in the company, forcing Mu Yichen to leave for half of the day, he would still leave the little dumpling in the hospital.

Speaking of which, the little dumpling’s father seemed to have done something to brainwash her because she was extremely obedient toward him over the past few days, so much that she had even become a qualified supervisor.

As long as Luo Chenxi even silently lifted up her quilt and prepared to get out of bed, the little dumpling, who was playing with her jigsaw puzzles on the side, would suddenly look up.

Then, she would run towards Luo Chenxi and press onto the latter's legs.

"Big Sister, you mustn't move!"

Luo Chenxi tried to coax her, "Tang Tang, be a good girl now. Big Sister just wants to go out for a walk, so I definitely won't walk too far off. Come with me, ok?"

"No!"

The little dumpling refused immediately and called Young Master Mu. "Daddy, Big Sister is being naughty! She's said a lot of words, plus she even wanted to go out and play!"

Luo Chenxi was confused.

'What happened to you loving Big Sister the most?!

'This little dumpling must be a fake!

'Young Master Mu is definitely going to arrive within the next five minutes and is going to give me a whole lecture whilst pressing me on the bed.'

After this repeated for a few more times, Luo Chenxi had no choice but to stop trying to do as she wished.

After enduring for five days with great difficulty, the doctor declared that there was really nothing wrong with her after examining her, only then did Mu Yichen relax and agree to let her go home to recuperate.

This time, Tan Yueru and Mu Yunfeng personally went to the hospital and brought her back to the Mu family's villa.

In front of his parents, Mu Yichen's expression did not change as he carried Luo Chenxi up from the bed.

Luo Chenxi's face had turned red as she struggled, "Mu Yichen, put me down, I can walk on my own!"

"Behave yourself!"

In fact, Mu Yichen had actually raised his hand and slapped her butt, making a crisp "smack" sound.

Luo Chenxi instantly stiffened, not daring to look back at the expressions on both the elders from the Mu family.

Hence, she buried her face into the man's shoulder in frustration and suddenly realized that being an 'ostrich' was the happiest thing in that moment...

Chapter 315: Is This How You're Supposed To Talk To Your Sister-In-Law?

Hence, Mu Yichen sent her home.

Not long after, he received a call from Zhuo Feng, saying that there was an important matter at the company.

Luo Chenxi was overjoyed. “Darling, hurry up and go do your work. Don’t worry about me!!”

Mu Yichen looked at the little woman’s happy smile and narrowed his eyes.

Instead of leaving immediately, he turned around and walked towards her.

“What... What are you doing?!”

Mu Yichen lowered his head and bit her lips hard. “Be good and behave yourself at home. Don’t you run around!”

Only then did he turn around and leave.

When Luo Chenxi looked up, she saw Tan Yueru standing at the door laughing secretly, which caused her face to instantly turn red.

“M... Madam Mu...”

When Tan Yueru heard this, she glared at Luo Chenxi unhappily.

“Why are you still calling me Madam Mu? You’re the Young Madam of the Mu Family already, yet you’re still calling me that? Are you unwilling to forgive this old fool?”

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“No, no, no, of course not!”

Luo Chenxi quickly shook her head.

“Then, hurry up and call me Mom!”

Since Tan Yueru had already said up till that point, Luo Chenxi could only bite the bullet and call out, “Ahem... Mom?”

Tan Yueru immediately became happy and patted Luo Chenxi’s hand as she said, “Good girl!”

In the past when Tan Yueru still hated Luo Chenxi, she hated even the sight of her.

However, at that moment, she was liking her daughter-in-law more and more.

‘Not only is she good-looking, she’s also a famous designer, she’s literally got the best of both worlds.

‘Plus, she’s also had a good personality and has such a cute little dumpling.

‘However, the most important thing is that she’s able to control this tough-tempered eldest son of mine!

‘Mu Yichen has had a cold and strong personality ever since he was young and rarely listens to both his mom and dad.

‘However, he’s clingy and considerate when it comes to Luo Chenxin.

‘I’m actually so close to thinking that this son of mine is a fake!’

At the thought of this, she held Luo Chenxi's hand, "Daughter-In-Law, although Yichen usually has a bad temper, he really does care about you! The other day, during the fire, Bai Xinxin lied to us that you had already escaped. Even though all of us believed her, he refused to believe a single word of it. Moreover, without saying anything, he personally rushed into K's to save you..."

Immediately, Luo Chenxi's expression became serious because she had long wanted to know what had happened that day.

However, because Mu Yichen was always there, every time someone were to mention what happened that day, he would step in and interrupt them.

"Mom, was... Was it Mu Yichen who personally saved me that day?"

"Of course! When he arrived, the situation with the fire was already very severe, it was so bad that even the firemen didn't dare to go in, but he just rushed in without even a second thought! In fact, after he sent you to the hospital, the doctor even said that if you had arrived a minute later, you would be dead!"

Tan Yueru had spared no effort as she spoke up for her son, which left Luo Chenxi speechless for a long time.

Actually, she was afraid that her tears would fall the moment she opened her mouth.

She had been abandoned by her biological father ever since she was young and was thrown into an orphanage. Hence, she never thought that someone would actually risk his life to save her and place her life more important than his own!

Moreover, this person was the seemingly cold and heartless Young Master Mu...

Tan Yueru observed her expression and secretly gave herself a thumbs up!

'Although it's a little exaggerated compared to the truth, it's all worth it if I'm able to help my son secure his wife!'

After chatting for a while, Tan Yueru turned around and went to the kitchen to get some fruits.

Suddenly, the villa's door was pushed open from outside and in came Mu Weiwei as she dragged her luggage. She had even rushed into the house and seemed travel-worn.

When she saw Luo Chenxi on the sofa, her expression changed as she rushed forwards to scold her.

"Luo Chenxin, how dare you come back to the Mu Family! Tell me, what have you done behind our backs this time? Why is Sister Xinxin locked up by Brother?"

Mu Weiwei had been on a high school graduation trip for the past few days.

Then, the moment she returned that day, she heard that Bai Xinxin had been locked up by Mu Yichen for a few days already.

Hence, her first thought was that Luo Chenxi had done something bad again.

When Luo Chenxi heard that, she was slightly stunned because that was the first time she had heard about Bai Xinxin being locked up.

“Well? Were you unsatisfied with harming Tang Tang, so you came back to bully Sister Xinxin as well?” Mu Weiwei was furious.

However, before Luo Chenxi could even say anything, Tan Yueru’s stern voice came from not far away.

“Sh*t up! How dare you be so rude, Weiwei? Is this how you’re supposed to talk to your sister-in-law?”

Chapter 316: Have I Come Into The Wrong House?

Mu Weiwei was stunned as she widened her eyes and looked at Tan Yueru in disbelief.

‘Am I hearing things?’

‘My mom, who hates Luo Chenxin more than I do, has actually spoken up for her?’

“Mommy, I’m not being rude, she’s clearly gone too far! Mommy, did you know that Brother actually locked up Sister Xinxin? I asked Brother Liang and the rest of them, but no one was willing to tell me how Sister Xinxin is doing! So, it’s obvious that someone must have said something in front of Brother!” said Mu Weiwei as she glared at Luo Chenxi.

All she was just waiting for at that moment was for Tan Yueru to get angry.

‘I must’ve been too hasty with my tone just now, that’s why Mommy thought that I was rude.’

‘Now that she knows what this woman has done, Mommy will definitely be angrier than I am!’

As expected, Tan Yueru’s expression immediately changed when she heard those words. Then, she quickly walked over towards them.

Mu Weiwei sneered, “Luo Chenxin, now you know...”

The moment Mu Weiwei spoke, she instantly choked because right after Tan Yueru stopped in her tracks, the first thing she did was actually to pass the plate of fruits in her hand towards Luo Chenxi.

“Daughter-In-Law, try this mango. It’s especially flown in from Thailand and it’s delicious! If you like it, I’ll have someone send it to you regularly next time.”

Luo Chenxi quickly said, “Thank you, Mom!”

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“We’re a family now, so why are you being so polite? You’re finally able to return to a regular diet, so you need to replenish your body! You’ve lost so much weight from being hungry these past few days.”

Mu Weiwei was dumbfounded as she watched from the side.

‘Whaaat?’

‘Have I come into the wrong house?’

‘Usually, when I return home, I’m the one who’s greeted with fruits! What’s going on here?’

'What's happening today? Mommy's actually giving fruits to that vicious woman whilst casting her own daughter aside?

'Plus, it's even cut up so nicely!

'Even I've never been treated this nicely before!'

"Mommy..."

Mu Weiwei finally could not hold it in any longer and spoke again.

But this time, before she could say a word, Tan Yueru interrupted her.

"Weiwei, just look at you. You're about to graduate from high school and turning 18, which is an adult! Yet, why are you still so impetuous? What would others think if they saw you yelling at your sister-in-law? They'll think that we don't know how to educate our children!

"Also, have you clearly found out what's happened? You're lashing out at your sister-in-law without even fully understanding what's happened! When have you learned to have this kind of temper?"

Mu Weiwei's mouth was wide open and she was already beginning to doubt even her own life.

'Didn't Mommy hate Luo Chenxin the most?

'I've only been away from home for a few days, yet why has everything changed?

'Even my Mommy has rebelled?'

When Tan Yueru saw that Mu Weiwei just stood there, she frowned and said, "Hurry up and get over here! Apologize to your sister-in-law!"

Only then did Mu Weiwei come back to her senses and her face was filled with reluctance.

"But, Mommy... You... I refuse to apologize to this kind of woman! She's the one who's clearly at fault, what has she said to you guys? Why are you even on her side? Do you know that Sister Xinxin is still being locked up by Brother? Everyone in the Bai Family is literally going crazy right now!"

"I know, I know all too well!" Tan Yueru then snorted and said, "Bai Xinxin had it coming since she almost killed your sister-in-law. In fact, I also think that she should be locked up! It would be too easy for her to be locked up for just a few days. However, considering the relationship between our two families, this is the only choice we have."

Actually, Tan Yueru herself did not know that Mu Yichen had locked Bai Xinxin in the detention room.

However, she briefly explained everything that had happened that day.

After hearing it, Mu Weiwei still could not believe her ears. "But... That... That's impossible. Sister Xinxin is so kind-hearted that she would even take care of a stray kitten by the roadside if it was injured. So, how could she do such a thing?"

Chapter 317: Xi Xi, You've Actually Gotten Married Into A Rich Family!

Tan Yueru glared at her daughter.

“You’re such a blockhead! Bai Xinxin was just faking it! Come with me!”

After that, Tan Yueru dragged Mu Weiwei up the stairs.

Luo Chenxi guessed that they must have gone to watch the surveillance footage.

Even after she was done eating the mangoes, the two of them still hadn’t appeared.

Then, at that moment, Luo Chenxi’s phone lit up.

Fang Ziqian had sent her a WeChat message asking why she hadn’t heard from Luo Chenxi for the past few days.

Luo Chenxi thought for a moment before she told Fang Ziqian about the fire that she had encountered.

A few seconds later, Fang Ziqian called.

“Xi Xi, S... Stop scaring me! Why didn’t you tell me that you were involved in something as serious as a fire!! How are you now?”

Luo Chenxi comforted her with a smile, “Don’t worry, I’m fine now, alive and kicking in fact. Relax.”

She deliberately hid it from Fang Ziqian a few days ago because she was afraid that she would worry.

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“How can I not be worried? You... You... You’re the one who’s too calm about this! Have you been discharged from the hospital? Would it be convenient for me to visit you tomorrow morning?”

“Hmm, I think so...”

Luo Chenxi then gave Fang Ziqian the Mu Family residence’s address.

“There will be guards at the entrance of the residential area, so call me when you get here.”

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There was a moment of silence on the other end of the phone call.

Luo Chenxi then asked, “Qian Qian, are you still there?”

“F*ck, I just realized that you’ve actually gotten married into a rich family, Xi Xi! You actually live in Cloud Lake Villas!”

The corner of Luo Chenxi’s mouth twitched. “Didn’t you already know about this a long time ago? Alright, I’ll be waiting for you tomorrow morning then.”

After that, she hung up the phone. At the same time, Tan Yueru and her daughter were walking down from upstairs.

Mu Weiwei now stood in front of Luo Chenxi with her face flushed like a pig’s liver.

After holding it in for a long time, she finally said, “Sister-In-Law, I’m sorry!”

After saying that, she turned around and ran back to her room.

Luo Chenxi was stunned for a moment before she reacted and could not help but laugh.

'She really is a little girl indeed, she's so easily embarrassed!'

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The next day, Mu Yichen had a meeting at the company in the morning.

After breakfast, he kissed his wife and daughter on the face before he left the house.

Since Young Master Mu did not allow Luo Chenxi to go out, Tan Yueru was now the one who sent the little dumpling to kindergarten.

However, the little dumpling could not bear to leave her Big Sister, so she ended up being late after dawdling for a long time.

Hence, Luo Chenxi had no choice but to coax her by saying, "Don't you want to see Brother Shaoxuan anymore?"

Finally, the little dumpling got off her reluctantly.

Tan Yueru could not help but laugh when she saw this. "Daughter-In-Law, you know about this Shaoxuan child as well? Sigh, Tang Tang has always preferred good-looking people, I really don't know who she picked that up from."

When she heard that, Luo Chenxi covered her face...

Just as the two of them were about to leave, the doorbell suddenly rang.

Luo Chenxi then hurriedly said, "That's my friend."

Then, Fang Ziqian entered the door and stopped when she saw Tan Yueru and the little dumpling standing by the door.

In fact, Fang Ziqian had met Tan Yueru before when she was by Bai Shuxun's side previously.

Hence, she knew that Tan Yueru was the number one noblewoman in T City, and she was also Luo Chenxi's mother-in-law.

Therefore, she was a little nervous, afraid that her visit would cause trouble for her best friend.

Unexpectedly, Tan Yueru saw her and smiled warmly. "Are you my daughter-in-law's friend? You're so pretty!"

Then, Luo Chenxi walked over and winked at Fang Ziqian.

"Mom, this is my good friend Fang Ziqian. Ziqian, this is my mother-in-law and this is Tang Tang, who's the cutest in our family!"

After that, Luo Chenxi bent down and picked up the little dumpling. "Hurry up and greet Auntie Fang!"

The little dumpling looked at her curiously. "Hello, Auntie Fang!"

Fang Ziqian's eyes widened as she couldn't believe what she had just seen.

When Luo Chenxi had told her about the substitute marriage, she thought that the moment Luo Chenxi got married into a rich family, she would live in fear everyday.

However, now that she looked at Luo Chenxi, she thought that the latter literally looked like a little princess at home!

Chapter 318: Have You And Young Master Mu Actually Fallen For Each Other?

'Especially the little dumpling, she's so cute!

'How could there be such a cute little angel in the world?'

Hence, Fang Ziqian kept staring at the little dumpling.

On the other hand, the little dumpling blinked her big eyes and looked at Fang Ziqian for a while. Then, she suddenly leaned over and snuggled Fang Ziqian's face.

"Auntie, you smell so nice!"

'Since she's Big Sister's friend, she must be a nice auntie!'

Immediately, Fang Ziqian was stunned. She felt so happy that she was about to faint!

Luo Chenxi smiled and shook her head before she handed the little dumpling over to Tan Yueru.

"Earth to Qian Qian! Tang Tang's already gone to kindergarten. Are you sure you want to continue standing by the door in a daze?"

It was only at that moment when Fang Ziqian returned to her senses. "She... She's Young Master Mu's daughter?"

"That's right." Luo Chenxi nodded.

"She's so cute! Young Master Mu is so aloof and Luo Chenxi is such an extreme beauty. So, I really couldn't tell that they were able to give birth to such a little cutie. I'm so envious of you!"

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Luo Chenxi gave a faint smile. "Didn't you say last time that I was so pitiful since I was going to be a stepmother??"

"Pitiful my *ss! ! You're a complete waste of my sympathy!" Fang Ziqian then said excitedly, "Can I have a dozen stepdaughters like her?"

Luo Chenxi then dragged her to the reception room on the second floor and poured her some tea.

Fang Ziqian looked around and lowered her voice. "Seriously though, Xi Xi, have you and Young Master Mu actually fallen for each other for real? Although, it would be pretty good since the Mu Family are treating you so well. In that case, why don't you just play along with the fairy tale and... Become the Young Madam of the Mu Family for real!"

Luo Chenxi didn't expect her to say that and was stunned for a moment.

Then, the smile on her face disappeared before she shook her head. "Xi Xi, you... You're thinking too much. Mu Yichen and I... It's not what you think it is."

"It's not what I think it is?" Fang Ziqian frowned, "I saw him at the entrance of SL Group the last time and I could tell that he definitely has a good impression of you. As for yourself... Would you dare to say that you don't like Young Master Mu? You may be able to fool everyone else, but not me!"

Luo Chenxi immediately fell silent.

'Recently, Mu Yichen and myself have become more and more intimate with each other.

'Also, I feel a little more shocked whenever he looks at me.

'In fact, from the moment he rushed into the fire to save me, I've realized that he's just being stubborn.

'But...'

Fang Ziqian then said again, "Are you worried about the substitute marriage? Young Master Mu literally risked his life to save you, so I think he should be able to accept such a minor matter. Why don't you find an opportunity to explain it to him. Or, if you really have concerns, you could talk about it after Auntie Lu's surgery.

"Anyway, you mustn't miss out on such a fine man just because of those weirdos from the Luo Family, right?"

However, even after Luo Chenxi remained silent for a long time, she still shook her head in the end.

"Qian Qian, you don't understand..."

'What I've hidden from Mu Yichen isn't just my identity as his substitute bride.

'There's also... Four years ago...

'I'm not worthy of being together with Young Master Mu at all!'

"Xi Xi, what are you..." said Fang Ziqian, who wanted to persuade her again.

However, at that moment, Butler Chen's surprised voice came from downstairs.

"Second Young Master Bai, why... Why are you here at this time? Young Master is still having a meeting at the company!"

Bai Shixun changed his shoes and walked in with familiarity.

"I know. I'm not here to look for Mu Yichen. I'm here specifically to look for his wife. Where's your Young Madam? She should be at home, shouldn't she?"

"Yes, but..."

Butler Chen was a little dumbfounded.

'What's going on?'

Bai Shixun then said, "Go on and inform your Young Madam that I'll be waiting for her in the reception room."

Chapter 319: You'd Be Better Off Being Merciful Than To Dwell On The Mistake Any Further!

Bai Shixun often visited the Mu Family, that was why he was very familiar with the environment.

Without waiting for Butler Chen's response, he went upstairs.

On the other hand, the women in the reception room heard footsteps approaching from the door.

Then, Fang Ziqian's expression changed immediately. "Oh no! Why is my boss here?!"

Luo Chenxi was a little surprised as well, but she quickly reacted. "He's probably here because of Bai Xinxin. Qian Qian..."

Before she could finish, Fang Ziqian had already jumped up from her seat. "Oh no, I have to find a place to hide!"

'Ever since Bai Shixun caught me at the last runway show, he hasn't even gone to a single bar. Instead, he would watch me work everyday and wouldn't approve my leaves.

'In fact, even the human resources manager has been warned by him.

'Yesterday, I heard that Bai Shixun had something to do that morning and couldn't come to the company, so I took the opportunity to skip work.

'However, I didn't know that Bai Shixun's so-called "something to do" was actually the same thing as mine. We're both here to see Luo Chenxi!'

"Wait, Qian Qian..."

Luo Chenxi wanted to hold her back, but Fang Ziqian immediately scurried behind the sofa, squatted down and even signaled for Luo Chenxi to remain quiet.

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Before Luo Chenxi could say anything, the door was already pushed open.

"Luo Chenxin, how... How did you..."

Bai Shixun was stunned when he saw that there was already someone in the reception room.

Luo Chenxi quickly gave a dry laugh and explained casually, "Ahem, I saw that this room was quieter, so I planned to sit here and read for a while. Second Young Master Bai, why have you suddenly come here? Yichen isn't at home today..."

"I know," Bai Shixun replied in a deep voice.

In the next second, an exquisite gift box appeared in front of Luo Chenxi.

"Miss Luo, I came here especially to look for you today. I want to apologize to you on behalf of my sister."

Bai Shixun had already seen the surveillance footage of the fire.

Therefore, the blatant truth was placed right in front of him. 'No matter what, the Bai Family is in the wrong.'

Not only did Mu Yichen refuse to let Bai Xinxin go, Bai Shixun was also unable to locate where Bai Xinxin had been locked up.

After thinking about it, he could only make a move on Luo Chenxi.

Then, he cleared his throat and sincerely said, "Miss Luo, I already know what happened that day. I'm very sorry that my sister had such a devious idea and almost caused your death in the sea of fire. On behalf of the entire Bai Family, I apologize. Here's a small gesture, although it can't make up for the harm you've suffered, it's a small token of the Bai Family's gratitude."

Luo Chenxi was stunned for a moment.

'I hadn't expected for Bai Shixun to be so polite.

'In the past, Second Young Master Bai had been giving me quite the stink eye every time he saw me. Furthermore, he'd spare no effort to ridicule and scorn me. Even in front of Mu Yichen, he wouldn't say anything nice to me.

'But now, he's suddenly being so nice to me...

'There's no such thing as a free lunch in the world.'

Luo Chenxi thought for a moment before she said, "Young Master Bai, you're too polite. What happened that day is already over. Even if Bai Xinxin is at fault, she's the only one to be blamed. Plus, Yichen will never hold a grudge against the Bai Family because of such a small matter. Don't worry."

Bai Shixun paused and said again, "Miss Luo, if your anger has subsided, could you ask Yichen to release my sister on my behalf?"

Luo Chenxi couldn't help but frown.

"Second Young Master Bai, to be honest, I've just found out that Bai Xinxin has been locked up by Yichen just yesterday. Plus, he wouldn't listen to me about this kind of thing, so it'd be useless even if I told him to. You're Yichen's childhood friend, why don't you go to him directly?"

'I'm no Saint Mary. Bai Xinxin almost killed me, yet I've still got to beg for mercy on her behalf?

'That's impossible.'

Bai Shixun pursed his lips, "I do know I'm forcing you to do the impossible. However, Miss Luo, you must know that the relationship between the Bai Family and the Mu Family is being placed right here and you're still going to have to meet us in the future. Furthermore, based on your family background, it will not be easy for you to hold onto the position of Young Madam Mu. So, offending the Bai Family any further will not do you any good. You'd be better off being merciful than to dwell on the mistake any further!" said Bai Shixun, whose tone had now become heavier.

He planned to take advantage of Mu Yichen's absence and force Luo Chenxi to give in.

Then, Luo Chenxi's face darkened.

However, before Luo Chenxi was able to speak, an angry voice came from behind the sofa.

"Bai Shixun, are you really that shameless? It was clearly your sister who almost killed someone. How dare you even think of threatening the victim?"

Chapter 320: I Even Thought That We'd Come To A Tacit Understanding By Now...

Bai Shixun was shocked when he saw his secretary suddenly appear from behind the sofa.

Fang Ziqian also realized that she had been impulsive and accidentally exposed her whereabouts.

Hence, the scene immediately became a little awkward.

Then, when Bai Shixun regained his senses, his face was as black as the bottom of a pot.

"Fang Ziqian! Why are you here? Aren't you supposed to be working in the company?"

Fang Ziqian choked for a moment. "I... I've applied for a leave! Plus, you're not at the company anyway, so of course I have the freedom to apply for a leave!"

As she said that, Fang Ziqian simply walked to Luo Chenxi's side and stared at Bai Shixun unceremoniously.

"You, on the other hand, took advantage of Young Master Mu's absence to come here and threaten his wife. What's the meaning of this? She almost lost her life, yet you're expecting her to forget about everything with just a few nice words and a little gift? Do you think that Chen... Xin is that easy to bully?!"

Bai Shixun was so angry that his stomach hurt because the personal secretary that he hired at three times more than the market price was actually criticizing him!

This made him even angrier than Mu Yichen refusing to let Bai Xinxin go.

"Fang Ziqian, this is between me and the Mu Family, you've got no right to meddle in this!"

After that, he suppressed his anger and turned to Luo Chenxi, trying his best to soften his tone. "Miss Luo, please don't mind me if anything I've said just now has offended you in any way. However, Bai Xinxin is my one and only sister and our parents passed away early, thus we've been looking out for each other since we were young. So, I can't just ignore her."

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Luo Chenxi pursed her lips.

"Second Young Master Bai, I've already said that I really can't interfere in this matter. So, you'd be better off looking for Yichen to talk about it directly."

Bai Shixun could see that she was determined and knew that it was only going to be a waste of effort if he pressed on.

Hence, he could only turn around and leave.

Fang Ziqian looked at his back and her anger was still lingering. "I told you that my boss isn't a decent person! Why can't he differentiate between right and wrong? Plus, he's still got the audacity to come here and threaten you. You should hurry up and give Young Master Mu a call and complain about this!"

Luo Chenxi then frowned. "Qian Qian, what are you doing out here? This is the Mu Family's villa, so Bai Shixun couldn't actually do anything overboard here. Now look what you've done, wouldn't you get in trouble when you go back later on?"

Although Fang Ziqian was a little nervous, she still said, "What's he going to do to me? It's his fault to begin with, so I'm only siding with reason!"

After that, she chatted with Luo Chenxi for a while more before she left.

Then, right after she left the villa, she was suddenly met with a strong force who grabbed onto her wrist and dragged her to a small road around the corner.

Fang Ziqian was initially shocked, but when she clearly saw the person in front of her, her face immediately turned black.

"Bai Shixun, what are you trying to do?"

"Fang Ziqian, that's quite some nerve you've got there now. Not only did you sneak out behind my back, you even dare to come against me deliberately?"

Bai Shixun raised her chin as he said that, forcing her to look at him directly as he felt an unspeakable frustration in his heart.

'Even though Fang Ziqian has always been against me since the first day she became my secretary.

'Today, she's made me feel particularly uncomfortable.

'I even thought that we'd come to some kind of tacit understanding by now...'

"Since you're friends with Luo Chenxin, then you should go up to her and say some nice things to get her to agree to let Xinxin out."

Fang Ziqian was feeling a little guilty at first, but when she heard this, she immediately became furious.

"Bai Shixun, in your dreams! I won't plead for the woman who almost killed my best friend! Let me go!"

She struggled hard, trying to shake the man off.

However, Bai Shixun held her wrist tightly and refused to let go. "Promise me first... F*ck!"

His face suddenly twisted because Fang Ziqian had actually stepped on him fiercely!

In fact, she was wearing stilettos at the time, so that step of hers almost broke his bone.

"You d*mned woman, come back!"

When he saw that Fang Ziqian was going to run, he endured the pain and chased after her.