

While Lin Yijia, who was wearing a casual T-shirt and loose jeans, looked relaxed, Lin Yijun, on the other hand, appeared a little worried.

She knew that Lu Chen was going to fight with the Zhang Family here today. Although she was still giving Lu Chen the silent treatment, she still cared for him deep down.

That was why she came up with an excuse to secretly come take a look at the martial arts tournament between Lu Chen and the Zhang Family.

Initially, she hadn't wanted to bring along Lin Yijia, but the latter insisted on following her, hence she could only let her be.

Meanwhile, Lin Yijia also brought along her best friend, Liu Lili.

They both thought that Lin Yijun was here to visit the Green Island Mid-lake Isle, so they didn't think much about it.

"Yijun, seems like you're still in a bad mood. Are you thinking about Lu Chen again?" Lin Yijia asked, seeing Lin Yijun's worried expression.

“No, it’s nothing.” Lin Yijun shook her head.

“Yijun, are you really going to divorce him?”
Lin Yijia asked again.

Today was the weekend after all, yet Lin Yijun came back with only Qiqi. Although she hadn’t said anything, both Lin Yijia and Wang Xue had guessed that she must have quarreled with Lu Chen.

While Lin Yijia kept quiet about the matter, Wang Xue kept badmouthing Lu Chen, advising Lin Yijun once again, to divorce him. After Wang Xue’s continuous persuasion, Lin Yijun, who was already in a bad mood, felt even more conflicted. The word ‘divorce’ kept floating around in her mind ever since.

After dinner, she requested for Wang Xue to babysit Qiqi before heading to the lake.

“I don’t know.” Lin Yijun shook her head, distressed.

From the moment she fell in love with Lu Chen until they got married and had Qiqi, she had never thought that one day she would part ways with Lu Chen.

But at this moment, she was really tempted to do so.

Lin Yijia sighed. There were times when she felt that Lu Chen was actually quite the decent man, especially when he appeared in time to rescue her from Wang Bao and the others back then. All she wanted to do at that moment was to hug Lu Chen and cry.

Because she was really frightened that day.

But whenever she thought of the fact that Lu Chen was messing around behind her elder sister's back, she was absolutely furious.

"Yijun, actually, mom is right. Since Lu Chen had betrayed you, you should file for a divorce. More importantly, you should do it now while he still has some money in his bank account. That way, you would still be able to get some of his wealth. If you get divorced after he has lost all his money, you won't get a single cent. You have to keep in mind that you still need money to raise Qiqi," Lin Yijia said.

"Exactly. Yijun, Lu Chen has done such a

horrible thing to you, why are you hesitating? With your beauty, you'd still have many admirers even if you're a divorcee," Liu Lili also persuaded.

"That's enough, I don't want to talk about this today. Let's go to the island and have a look." Lin Yijun shook her head, putting an end to the topic.

"Alright. There is a boat over there. Let's rent one." Lin Yijia nodded and walked to the boat rental shop.

In the evening, rays of the setting sun shone onto Biyang Lake, making it sparkle beautifully.

It was a pity that the countless people at Biyang Lake were not interested in enjoying such a beautiful scenery. Instead, everyone was staring anxiously at the entrance of Biyang Fountainhead, waiting for Lu Chen to appear.

They could have gone to Green Island straight away, but since the island now belonged to the Zhang Family, they had to purchase tickets in order to visit the place.

Moreover, the Zhang Family perversely

increased the ticket price to 500, giving off the impression that they were mad.

If Lu Chen didn't show up today, then the crowd would have wasted their tickets to the island. Thus, they decided to simply rent a boat for dozens of dollars and wait for Lu Chen to come before deciding whether to get the tickets.

Also, some of the people on the lake—Xie Weihao and his men—were City Council leaders. Since they didn't interfere when Lu Chen set the Zhang Family's Tower on fire and blew up the family's Blue Water Bay site, it would be awkward if they went to the island and met the Zhang Family now.

At the moment, the three girls came to the boat rental office and rented a small boat for 50. Then, they asked the boatman to bring them to the small island at the center of the lake.

Looking at the beautiful lake, Lin Yijia and Liu Lili took photos excitedly before posting them onto their WeChat Moments so that they could share it with their friends.

On the other hand, Lin Yijun stared at the

lake in a daze.

Although she despised Lu Chen for betraying her, she was still worried that he would lose and get injured tonight.

It didn't take long before they arrived at the island. But to their dismay, someone stopped them in their tracks.

"I'm sorry, but Green Island Villa is not open to the public today. You must buy a ticket if you wish to enter," the staff member said.

"Usually visitors don't need to buy tickets, right? Besides, how would you know that we won't be buying any tickets today?" Lin Yijia asked unhappily.

"Yes, but that was in the past. However, there's a special occasion today, so of course, you have to buy tickets to enter. If you are dissatisfied with that, you may come back another day," the staff member said.

"Alright, let's not make a scene here." Lin Yijun stopped Lin Yijia from further arguing about the tickets and looked at the staff. "We'll have three tickets, please."

"That's 1,500 in total," the staff member said.

"1,500? Are you crazy?" Lin Yijia immediately opposed the high price. This place is supposed to have free entry anyway!

"I already told you that today is a special day, so you can't enter for free," the staff lashed out impatiently.

"What special day? Why haven't I heard of it?" Liu Lili asked.

"That's because your social status is too low. Of course you haven't heard of it," the staff member mocked sarcastically.

Just as Liu Lili wanted to refute him, Lin Yijun said, "Let's go. We'll talk about this later."

Lin Yijun thought, It must be because of the martial arts tournament between Lu Chen and the Zhang Family that we have to buy tickets to enter Green Island. Seeing how grand the martial arts tournament was, she became even more worried about Lu Chen.

She wanted to call Lu Chen to dissuade him from coming as she felt that the Zhang Family only dared to make the martial arts tournament so grand because they were absolutely sure that they could defeat Lu Chen.

And although she knew that Lu Chen was good at fighting, in her eyes, he was only a good fighter, not a good martial artist.

It was because she had never seen Lu Chen practice martial arts before.

After all, Lu Chen practiced the Arts of Longevity, which was only a form of self-cultivation and did not emphasize on one's external skills at all. Naturally, that didn't include practicing boxing techniques every day like those Shaolin and Wudang [1] martial artists.

Hence, she didn't believe that Lu Chen knew anything about martial arts.

Lin Yijun then took out her phone, but ultimately decided not to dial Lu Chen's number.

After all, she understood Lu Chen well enough to know that others wouldn't be

able to change his mind once he had made his decision.

“What do you think is so special about today? Those few look like important and influential people. Some of them are wearing Tang suits, Chinese tunic suits and even ancient costumes. Could they be filming an ancient drama?” Nearing the villa, Liu Lili glanced around at the people talking outside the villa and bit her tongue.

Many important figures had already rushed over to the outskirts of the villa. Among them were a few extraordinary-looking middle-aged people with a dignified, calm attitude and a gleam in their eyes.

“Be careful with your words. They all seem like big shots to me,” Lin Yijun warned.

At this moment, the few extraordinary-looking people looked over to Lin Yijun and the others. Their cold stares alone were enough to make the three of them tremble.

[1] In contemporary China, Chinese martial arts styles are generally classified into two major groups: Wudang (Wutang), named after the Wudang Mountains; and Shaolin,

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named after the Shaolin Monastery.



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As they sensed the gaze from those people, the three of them were terrified and didn't dare to meet their eyes.

"Yijun, who are these people? They don't look very kind," Lin Yijia whispered softly.

"I've no idea too. Anyway, just watch your words," Lin Yijun said. Looking at their appearances, she also suspected that they were evil and probably had intentions to go up against Lu Chen. As such, she began to feel worried.

The three of them then moved to another side stealthily, keeping a safe distance from those people.

"Master, I heard that Master Dongfang is an expert in using his Inner Energy. Is that true?" As soon as Lin Yijun and the other two girls got closer to the crowd, they heard a young girl asked.

There were eight people in the group, consisting of three young girls, four young men and an old man.

The old man wore a loose blue Tai chi shirt, and he looked exactly like the old folks who practiced Tai chi in the park.

“Well, Master Dongfang is really a nationwide expert. Back then, when I went to Wudang Mountain, which was located in Hubei, to pay a formal visit to Master Guiyang, I witnessed Master Guiyang being defeated by Master Dongfang in a battle, after which even Master Guiyang had praise Master Dongfang for his expertise in Inner Energies,” the old man said.

“Then, Master, have you cultivated your Inner Energy?” the young girl asked curiously.

It would be awkward if it were someone else asking this question, and he or she would probably be scolded by the old man.

Instead, the old man laughed and said, “I don’t have the talent. Although I can easily beat five to six people at once, I don’t even know the basics in using my Inner Energy. To cultivate and apply our Inner Energy skilfully, other than having extraordinary talent, one must also have serendipity.”

“And the reason why there are not many masters of Inner Energy is that there aren’t many among the society who are fond of learning martial arts these days. Even if

they want to learn it, there's no faction for them to join in order to acquire knowledge on martial arts. Usually, they would just learn Taekwondo, which can only be considered as a more sophisticated form of boxing although it has the function of strengthening the body. The industry of martial arts in China fully depends on young people like you who are passionate about martial arts to foster and enhance further." The old man let out a sigh.

"Don't worry, Master. We will do our best to cultivate our Inner Energy one day!" The girl nodded her head.

"Oh right, Master. Are you familiar with that guy named Lu Chen?" one of the young men asked suddenly.

"Nope, I have never heard of him. However, he should have some skills since he dared to accept the challenge from Master Dongfang," the old man said while shaking his head.

"We have never heard of him too. Logically speaking, for someone who's able to accept a challenge from Master Dongfang, he must be a strong martial artist who's an expert in using Inner Energy as well. Even

so, we have never heard of such a person in Chongqing,” the young man analyzed.

Listening to their conversation, both Lin Yijia and Liu Lili were quite surprised.

“Yijia, are they talking about your brother-in-law?” Liu Lili asked, perplexed.

“How is that possible? Didn’t you hear them saying that the person is an expert of Inner Energies? Although I’m not sure about what they meant by that, I’m certain that it’s not my brother-in-law. Yijun, am I right?” Lin Yijia said while shaking her head.

The person that they were talking about is going to fight with Master Dongfang, how could that someone be my brother-in-law?

Although Lin Yijia knew that Lu Chen was good at fighting, she felt that the ‘Lu Chen’ mentioned by these people was probably some other expert.

“Beats me.” Lin Yijun shook her head, feeling slightly doubtful deep down.

These people look like they are from a martial arts club. How could Lu Chen be

connected to them?

If these people were businessmen and big bosses of some companies, she might believe that it was the Lu Chen she knew.

Looking at the old man who looked kind despite his extraordinary bearing, Lin Yijia asked boldly, "Excuse me, who is this Master Dongfang that you mentioned?"

Seeing the three beauties in front of them, the eyes of the few young men lit up.

"You don't know about Master Dongfang?" one of the young men asked.

Shaking her head, Lin Yijia then said, "Not really. I heard you guys said that he's an Inner Energy expert. May I ask what does that mean?"

"Inner Energy experts refer to those Martial Arts Masters who are very skillful in using their Inner Energy. Let me put it this way, these experts have a very strong Inner Energy within their bodies which makes them incredibly powerful. One blow from them could kill a living cow. If an ordinary person were to receive a punch from them, even if they don't die from it,

they would be seriously injured,” the young man said with some pride.

“What you’ve just mentioned is just the beginner level. A real Inner Energy expert is able to blow up a car with a punch,” another young man said.

“Wow! Are they that powerful? Are they able to fly as shown in the movies?” Liu Lili looked at the young man in astonishment. Never had the girls laid eyes on people like them, right now, they felt that he was exaggerating.

The old man laughed and said, “No one can fly nowadays, but an Inner Energy expert is indeed skillful. To say that smashing a car with only a punch would be an exaggeration, but it’s certain that an Inner Energy expert can easily defeat ten ordinary men at once.”

“Oh, I see.” Listening to the old man’s explanation, the three girls nodded their heads, taking in whatever the old man had just said. Exactly, if there’s actually someone who knows how to fly, he must have been on the news by now or even be protected like a national treasure by the country. Perhaps, he might even become

the study object of the research team.

“Master, do you think that man named Lu Chen would defeat Master Dongfang in a battle?” Lin Yijun asked.

“I have never seen Lu Chen before, but I can tell you that Master Dongfang is really marvelous. I’ve seen him smashing a stone which was more than 50 kilograms with just one blow. If Lu Chen is really one of our people in Chongqing, I don’t think he can beat Master Dongfang,” the old man shook his head and said.

“Exactly, that fella can never defeat Master Dongfang. Who knows? He might break both of his hands after receiving a blow from Master Dongfang, and even break his ribs after another few blows!” The young man interrupted the conversation. Obviously, they believed that Master Dongfang had the whip hand in winning the battle against Lu Chen, whom they had never even heard of.

Upon listening to the words from the young man, Lin Yijun trembled a little as she began to worry about Lu Chen.

“I can’t believe that they are actually

people who think Lu Chen can beat Master Dongfang. I'm afraid that you know nothing about Master Dongfang's terrifying strength." Just then, a few people walked over to them.

Having Tai chi clothes on them too, it was obvious that they were martial artists.

The few of them then sized Lin Yijun and the other two girls up and down. Although they were amazed by their beauty at first, very soon, they deviated their gaze.

"Master Guo, you guys are here too," a hunky man said to the old man.

The old man—Guo Wei—was the master of the Grand Mighty Martial Club in Chongqing, and the few youngsters were his apprentices.

"Here you are, Xie! Where's your master?" Guo Wei looked at the hunky man and asked.

"My master has something else to do so he will arrive later. Anyway, he is not coming here to watch the battle. I believe that the guy named Lu Chen will be beaten into a pulp by Master Dongfang as soon as

he goes up on stage. In fact, my master is only coming to pay a formal visit to Master Dongfang,” the hunky man named Xie said.

“Not only that, I’ve heard that Lu Chen has completely offended the Zhang Family today. If he dares to come here, he would surely be beaten to death by the Zhang Family!” another well-built man added.

“Oh, based on your tone, it seems like you guys know who Lu Chen is. Who is he exactly?” Guo Wei asked curiously.

The rest of the people also turned to look at them with curious gazes.



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“Lu Chen is just a businessman. I heard that he runs a supermarket, but that guy is really ruthless,” said the big man with the surname Xie.

“What? Lu Chen is just a supermarket owner?” Guo Wei looked at him in surprise. He couldn't believe his ears; he felt that today's trip might be in vain.

The Zhang family declared this decisive battle as if it was the battle of the century. They thought that Lu Chen was also an expert of Inner Energy like Master Dongfang. They did not expect him to just be the owner of a supermarket. In that case, there was nothing more to expect from this battle.

Obviously, it would end up with Lu Chen being carried down once he went up on stage.

“Yes, that's why my master didn't bother coming here,” said the burly man surnamed Xie.

Guo Wei and the others were disappointed.

More importantly, in order to watch this

battle, they each spent 500 on tickets. At this moment, they all felt that they were cheated by the Zhang family.

“Excuse me, you said that Lu Chen had completely offended the Zhang family to death just now. What do you mean by that?” Lin Yijun looked at the man surnamed Xie and asked.

The man surnamed Xie looked at Lin Yijun and sneered. “Lu Chen has probably offended Zhang Daoren, the eldest son of the Zhang family. Hence, Zhang Daoren brought some men with him and destroyed Lu Chen’s supermarket to pieces this morning. However Lu Chen was also gutsy enough to quickly call hundreds of people from the underground forces to burn the Zhang Family’s mansion. I heard that he also blew up a few newly-built buildings in Blue Water Bay, which is owned by the Zhang Family. The Zhang Family has also declared that they would not tolerate the presence of Lu Chen in Chongqing any longer. It has gotten to the point where neither would back down as long as the other is still standing. Hence, it doesn’t matter whether Lu Chen can beat Master Dongfang tonight. As long as he shows up, he will not be able to leave.”

“I guess he thought that he could fight very well because he has been with the underground forces for a long time, but he is nothing in front of Master Dongfang. I think Master Dongfang can crush him with just a finger.” Another burly man sneered.

“H-H-How could he be so impulsive...”
Bewildered, Lin Yijun’s face turned pale and she staggered.

“Sis, what's wrong? Are they really talking about my brother-in-law?” Lin Yijia hurriedly held Lin Yijun and asked in surprise.

“Well, at the charity appreciation banquet yesterday, I personally heard someone from the Zhang family say that Lu Chen is coming to the battle today,” Lin Yijun said weakly.

Although she knew that Lu Chen was the boss of Yi Qi Technology, the Zhang family, as a prestigious family, was deeply entrenched in Chongqing. How could Lu Chen beat the Zhang family?

Worse still, he could lose Yi Qi Technology to them too.

After burning the Zhang Family mansion and blasting the Zhang Family's estate that cost more than a few billion, the Zhang Family would definitely not leave the matter at that.

Why is he so impulsive?

Lin Yijun suddenly regretted that she went to Qiqi's grandparent's house early this morning. She felt that it was because of her impulsive decision today that affected Lu Chen's mood and made him decide to do such an impulsive thing.

"When did Lu Chen open a supermarket?" What Lin Yijia was more concerned about was Lu Chen opening a new supermarket. As for the grudge between him and the Zhang family, she didn't think twice about it, nor would she show any concern over it.

"I don't know. I only heard from him a few days ago. This is not right. I have to call him and stop him from coming." Lin Yijun said and took out the phone to call Lu Chen.

The call was soon connected, and Lin Yijun asked, "Lu Chen, where are you now?"

“I have something to do at Biyang Lake. I’ll go home later.” Lu Chen replied. He thought Lin Yijun had returned home.

“Go back immediately! Don’t show up! There are many people in the Zhang Family who want to deal with you!” Lin Yijun said hurriedly.

“Are you also at Biyang Lake?” Lu Chen was silent for a moment before asking.

“Yes. Go away now, and we will go back soon too,” Lin Yijun said.

“Then you guys should go back first, I have something to deal with tonight,” Lu Chen said.

“Can’t you deal with the matter between you and the Zhang Family after tonight?” Lin Yijun demanded angrily.

“I will tell you something when I go back tonight. This time I will tell you everything,” Lu Chen said. To be honest, he was incredibly upset when Lin Yijun ran away from home today. He had decided to tell Lin Yijun everything. Otherwise, his family would be torn apart before he could find Madam.

"You are not going to listen to me, are you?" Lin Yijun said solemnly.

"Don't worry, I think nothing of the Zhang family, and they are no match for me." Lu Chen was a little touched by Lin Yijun's anger. After all, they were husband and wife. Even if they were fighting, he could still feel Lin Yijun's concern.

"Fine! If you want to die, so be it. I don't care about you anymore!" Lin Yijun said and hung up on him.

Lin Yijia and Liu Lili looked at each other, not knowing what to say.

"Miss, is Lu Chen your husband?" asked the man surnamed Xie.

"Yes." Lin Yijun nodded absentmindedly.

"I think you should stop him from coming. Otherwise, I think it would be a problem for him to even return alive tonight. Even if the Zhang Family doesn't kill him, most probably he will have to lie in a hospital bed for the rest of his life," the burly man said kindly.

The Zhang family was a real veteran

family. They had a good relationship with many martial arts clubs. Hence, the Zhang Family did not need to get their hands dirty; they could destroy Lu Chen by just inviting a few fighters.

Although it was a society with rule of law, and everything must go according to law, it only applied to ordinary civilians. If the Zhang Family had made the decision to assault Lu Chen, nothing would happen to them even if Lu Chen was killed by them.

The Zhang Family was sure they had the ability to keep a murder in the dark.

Moreover, Lu Chen had burned the Zhang family's mansion and bombed the Zhang family's real estate.

If the burly man hadn't said anything, she would have been a bit calmer. But, once he pointed out what was going to happen, Lin Yijun was even more upset. And since Lu Chen didn't listen to her advice, she didn't know what to do except worry.

"Sis, why don't we call the police. If the Zhang Family's mansion was really burned down by Lu Chen, the Zhang Family will definitely not let him go tonight." Lin Yijia

added when she realized the seriousness of the matter.

“Don’t waste your energy. Regardless of whether it was the case of Zhang Daoren smashing Lu Chen’s supermarket or Lu Chen burning the Zhang Family’s mansion today, the police did not care. They must have acquiesced to the grievances between Lu Chen and the Zhang family and let them settle their matters themselves,” said the hunky man.

Lin Yijun nodded, thinking that if such a big incident happened today, and the police hadn’t been dispatched, then they must have acquiesced to the grievances between Lu Chen and the Zhang family, and their revenge would be useless.

The police would definitely not come.

“Forget it, you guys can only pray for the best.” The big guy was not a person who would hit a man when he’s down. Anyway, he and his gang were just here to watch the fun. No matter what happened to Lu Chen and the Zhang Family, it had nothing to do with them. The most that they would do was buy a pack of melon seeds and quietly watch the show from the sidelines.

“Master Guo, let's go in first.” The burly man greeted Guo Wei and the others, and walked into the villa first.

“Try your best to persuade him to leave,” looking at Lin Yijun’s desperate look, Guo Wei said, then walked into the villa with a few apprentices.



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“Sis, what should we do? The police won’t help, and Lu Chen won’t listen to you. Looking at this situation, there’s a high possibility he will be severely injured today!” Lin Yijia also said worriedly.

“Or we could wait for him in the villa and decide what to do later. We can’t do anything here,” Liu Lili said.

There were several gates leading into the villa, and they didn’t know which gate Lu Chen would use to enter, so it was best to wait inside.

“Ok.” Lin Yijun nodded, thinking that it was the only thing that they could do now.

The three of them then followed everyone else into the villa.

By the time they entered, the villa’s compound was already crowded, and Lin Yijun even saw a lot of big bosses whom she knew. These people were talking and laughing, but almost all of them were talking about Lu Chen.

“Lu Chen donated one billion yesterday. I thought he had a big heart, although he just owns a supermarket. I didn’t expect

him to be so reckless.”

“That’s right. Even if Zhang Daoren smashed his supermarket, he shouldn't have been so impulsive. If they had just discussed the matter, maybe the Zhang family would have compensated for his loss. Now look at what he has done. He has completely offended the Zhang Family. Not only will he not get any compensation, he has also completely ruined himself.”

“Sigh, he is still too young after all. Everything was ruined on the spur of the moment.”

Everyone sighed.

Anyone who had attended the appreciation dinner yesterday would know who Lu Chen was. After all, as a small supermarket owner, he donated one billion, ranked only after Yi Qi Technology and the Four Great Families. At that time, it created an astonishment among the audience.

Even his presence had completely surpassed the Four Great Families. His popularity was only just behind Yi Qi Technology.

Especially the speech that he gave which not only upheld the status of those who had not donated much at the time, but also gained consensus from many people. At that time, many people had a good impression of him.

They didn't expect him to do such an absurd thing today. He was practically destroying his future with his two hands.

No matter if it was the burning of the Zhang Family Tower or the blowing up of the Zhang Family's properties, it was enough to make the Zhang family go after him for a lifetime.

"But I must say, Lu Chen is really the most courageous young man I have seen in the past few decades. Although he is too impulsive, it made people see his boldness."

"That's right. Even people from the underground forces can't be too outrageous nowadays. Who dares to be as crazy as Lu Chen?"

These big bosses had no knowledge on martial arts, but when they talked about the grievances between Lu Chen and the

Zhang family, they sounded like experts.

The reason they came to watch the battle tonight was also because they had heard about the three major incidents that had happened today, which were all related to the Zhang Family and Lu Chen. Therefore, rather than watching the match, they were here to witness how the Zhang Family and Lu Chen resolved their grievances.

However, none of them were optimistic about Lu Chen's success.

After all, everyone knew how great the strength of the Zhang Family was. It was a prestigious family with a profound background after all, thus it was normal that no one was optimistic about Lu Chen's prospects.

Lin Yijun was even more worried and afraid when she heard that everyone was not optimistic about Lu Chen winning.

If anything bad happened to Lu Chen, what should she and Qiqi do?

“Master Dongfang is here!”

Upon hearing that, the crowd began to

chatter. They all saw Dongfang Long, who was wearing a Taoist gown with hair like a Taoist priest, walking onto the high platform in the compound, surrounded by family members of the Zhang Family.

As soon as Dongfang Long came out, his aura overwhelmed the entire compound, taking everyone's breath away.

This high platform had been temporarily erected for the battle tonight. It was more than one foot high and more than five meters wide.

Dongfang Long walked up onto the high platform, not even looking at the crowd. He sat cross-legged on the high platform, and then closed his eyes to refresh himself while waiting.

Everyone was shocked when they saw Dongfang Long make an appearance. The people from the martial arts hall respected him and longed to befriend him. Although those businessmen did not know him, his strong aura seemed to weigh heavily on the crowd.

"Sis, it's obvious that he is a master. Can Lu Chen beat him?" Lin Yijia looked at

Dongfang Long. His unrelenting aura made her very uncomfortable.

Of course, Lin Yijun also felt that Dongfang Long was different. She also felt the imperceptible pressure that he seemed to place onto her.

Alas, Lu Chen didn't want to listen to her, and she couldn't do anything.

And when she saw the confidence on the Zhang family members' faces, she became more and more dejected.

"Yijun, look at the back. There are a lot of people with knives and sticks. Are they all going to surround and beat Lu Chen?" Lili suddenly pointed to another courtyard and asked in surprise.

Lin Yijun and Lin Yijia turned their heads and saw that the yard next to theirs was full of people. There were at least one or two hundred people, each of them holding a knife or a stick in their hands, their gazes as sharp as knives.

Lin Yijun trembled and almost fainted.

Does the Zhang Family want this huge

crowd to beat Lu Chen to death?

“Grandpa, how confident do you think Lu Chen is?” Chen Churan asked, standing next to Old Master Chen obediently.

Old Master Chen shook his head. Although last time Lu Chen had defeated Han Tian with just a punch, when he saw Dongfang Long make his appearance, he also lost his confidence in Lu Chen.

He felt the demeanor and aura of a true martial arts master radiating from Dongfang Long, which could not be felt from Lu Chen, Han Tian and the others.

Dongfang Long was undeniably a master. It only took one look at him to know that he was a real martial arts expert.

If he was to judge based on his imposing manner alone, he could not find any master as strong as Dongfang Long in the whole of Chongqing, nor in the National Wushu Association.

“What should we do? Lu Chen burned the Zhang Family’s mansion and blew up the Zhang Family’s properties in Blue Water Bay today. If he loses, the Zhang Family

will definitely not spare him. Grandpa, why don't you think of a way to help him?" Chen Churan said eagerly.

Old Master Chen looked at Chen Churan, and noticed her subtle concern for Lu Chen. He teased, "Why? Did my dear granddaughter fall in love with that kid?"

"Grandpa, what nonsense are you saying? He is married," Chen Churan flushed and commented shyly.

"Even if he is married, he could still get a divorce. As long as you don't mind, he can have your hand in marriage. The Chen Family members are not stick-in-the-muds." Old Master Chen laughed.

"Grandpa, this is a dire situation, and you still have the time to joke around. Look at what the Zhang Family did; they have arranged for at least one or two hundred people to surround this island. It seems like they will not let Lu Chen leave regardless of whether he wins or loses," Chen Churan said.

"Don't worry, you all have underestimated Lu Chen. Since he dared to do what he has done, and agree to the fight, he definitely

has confidence in what he is doing. If he really loses against the Zhang Family, I will come out to help him. The Zhang Family still dares not to fight head-on with the Chen Family," Old Master Chen said confidently.

The Chen Family was a veteran family with roots dating back to a few hundreds years, and the foundation of the Chen Family was definitely greater than the other three families. Thus, he was quite confident with it.

"Alright." Chen Churan nodded, letting go of the worries in her heart. Thinking about the previous joke made by her grandfather, her heart jumped inexplicably faster.

"Han Tian, do you think that bast*rd, Lu Chen, will chicken out?" Zhang Daoren frowned after a long time of waiting for Lu Chen to appear.

The Zhang family had set up such a big trap today. It could be said that it was so seamless that Lu Chen would have nowhere to escape. They were just waiting for Lu Chen to fall into it.

If Lu Chen chickened out, wouldn't their

efforts be wasted?

Han Tian also frowned. He had specially invited his seniors. If Lu Chen didn't show up, wouldn't he have made his senior come for nothing?

“He is here! Lu Chen is here!”

At this moment, a big man ran into the villa and shouted.

Everyone turned and looked at the gate of the villa.

Then, all of their eyes widened; they couldn't believe the scene before them.



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Lu Chen hadn't come alone.

He brought his men to eat and drink to their hearts' content before bringing them back to the Sakura Nightclub for a nap so they were well rested and in top condition.

The men—close to three hundred of them—disembarked noisily onto shore. They each held knives and sticks, causing countless inhabitants of the Green Island Villa to tremble in fear.

“Weihao, Lu Chen brought so many people. Is he planning to start a mob fight?” the secretary standing beside Xie Weihao asked, wide-eyed.

Xie Weihao's eyes were just as round as the secretary's. He suddenly felt as if things had spun out of his control.

He was having difficulty controlling both Lu Chen and the Zhang Family.

If the three incidents earlier today hadn't happened, he would still be able to maneuver between them. However, regardless of whether it was the Zhang Family smashing up Lu Chen's supermarket or Lu Chen setting the Zhang

Family Tower on fire, both incidents had left irreconcilable rifts between the two parties.

“Weihao, should we inform Director Xu so that he can call in enforcements to control the situation?” the secretary asked worriedly.

If the two parties just went at it, they would leave countless injured or dead in their wake.

Besides, there were still so many people on the island, most of them wealthy and famous members of Chongqing’s society.

If they got hurt, the situation would be irreparable.

Deep furrows formed between Xie Weihao’s brows. He didn’t want such a big mess on his hands when he had only just risen to the rank. His stint in Chongqing would be a total waste if that happened.

He was only here for brownie points on his track record so that he could get promoted back in Beijing.

Why was Lu Chen such a bother?!

Xie Weihao thought about it for a moment. In the end, he still fished out his phone and personally made a call to Lu Chen.

The call was put through very quickly, and Xie Weihao addressed Lu Chen in a very serious tone. "Lu Chen, I've only just been appointed here, and I don't want to see any out-of-control situation."

"Xie, relax. I know where to draw the line. And I brought my men here mainly to deter the Zhang Family from ambushing me. I promise you that my men are only here to serve as a warning and that they won't start a fight," Lu Chen replied.

"Alright, I'll believe you this time." With that, Xie Weihao hung up.

I made my meaning clear. Lu Chen is already here with his men and it will be difficult if not impossible to stop him. However, if Lu Chen disappoints me, this will be the last time I ever trust him, he swore to himself.

"Weihao, what did he say?" his secretary asked.

"He said that he won't start a fight," Xie

Weihaio repeated.

“What if the Zhang Family starts the fight? Can he control the men from the triads?” his secretary asked nervously.

Xie Weihaio hesitated but finally came to an answer. “I believe him.”

The secretary sighed to himself, thinking that Xie Weihaio would probably get in trouble because of Lu Chen.

However, since Xie Weihaio chose to believe Lu Chen, he couldn't very well say anything.

“Then should I make a call to the Zhang Family to give them a warning?” the secretary inquired.

“Yes, do.” Xie Weihaio nodded. He wouldn't bother calling the Zhang Family personally.

At the same time that the secretary made a call to the Zhang Family, Lu Chen and his few hundred men reached Green Island Villa and quickly surrounded it.

With his head held high, Lu Chen walked into Green Island Villa, accompanied by Du

Fei, the Three Marquises of the Water Margin, and Liu Zixiu.

When the people in Green Island Villa saw that the entire place had been surrounded by the mafia, the way they looked at Lu Chen changed; their gazes now carried a hint of fear.

Even if Lu Chen had been a nobody in their eyes, right there and then, a ridiculous thought crossed their minds.

Tonight, all of our lives are within his grasp!

The Zhang Family members all wore ugly scowls when they saw that Green Island Villa had been surrounded by hundreds of men.

Lu Chen had still found out about their plan although it had been carried out entirely under wraps.

In that instant, they even suspected whether there was a mole within the Zhang Family.

“Grandfather, what do we do? The m*therf*cker came prepared!” Zhang

Daoren cried out, aggrieved.

Zhang Shengqiao looked extremely displeased. He glanced over at Dongfang Long—who was still meditating on the stage without any sign of having been disturbed by the ruckus outside—and was suddenly filled with confidence.

“Don’t worry about him and wait for Master Dongfang to make mincemeat of him first,” Zhang Shengqiao ordered.

Beside them, Zhang Xingquan nodded and angrily announced, “The Head of the City Council’s secretary gave me a call earlier. We’ll need to wait until after they have their match.”

How could he not be enraged? Xie Weihao had allowed Lu Chen to invoke havoc on the Zhang Family, yet turned around and had given them a warning when they wanted to get retribution. He was blatantly belittling the Zhang Family!

However strong you may be, this is our territory. Xie Weihao, you may be a powerful man, but you’re still vulnerable here. Do you really think that the Zhang Family can be belittled like that? Zhang

Xingquan ground his teeth as he seethed with fury.

“Grandfather, it’s as you expected. Lu Chen came prepared!” Chen Churan cried out joyfully.

Old Master Chen smiled, truly glad for Lu Chen.

I just knew that Lu Chen isn’t average.

Of course, even if Lu Chen hadn’t come prepared, even if he loses to the Zhang Family, I’ll still give him a hand.

Though if that happened, I would no longer hold Lu Chen in such high regard.

And after that, the Chen Family would no longer look highly upon either Lu Chen or even Yi Qi Technology.

“Yijun, look! Lu Chen brought so many men with him! His men outnumber the Zhang Family’s by far!” Lin Yijia’s eyes were round as saucers and her heart pounded loudly in her chest from the shock.

In that instant, Lu Chen was a hero, a veritable dragon in her eyes.

Liu Lili covered her mouth in shock, unable to believe her eyes.

Isn't Lu Chen just a guard?

How did he amass such a large crowd?

Could he be a mafia boss?

Lin Yijun was also struck dumb for a moment before she exhaled a long breath. What Lu Chen had done today had made her see him in a new light.

However, at the same time, she couldn't deny that her understanding of Lu Chen was pitifully limited.

Her heart ached.

He's my husband! she cried out inside.

But why does it feel as if he's becoming more and more of a stranger?

Just then, Lu Chen and his small entourage entered the compound. He laughed heartily at the sight of the fear on the faces of the men in the compound, then announced loudly, "Don't be alarmed, the men are just here to watch my match."

As for the toys they're holding? It's just so that they can pose with them when we tour Biyang Lake later."

The audience all felt like rolling their eyes. Do you f*cking think we're children?

Watch your match? !

They're probably going to rush and attack us later!

And are you blind, or do you think that we're blind? The gleaming machetes that they're wielding are toys?

Are the toys in your home all shiny machetes and knives like that?!

"Oh, my. What's that look about? You don't believe me? Alright, they're actually just here to deter some unsavory characters. You are all Chongqing's famous and wealthy, so no one would dare to harm even a hair on you. On the contrary, if someone does try to harm you, my men will immediately come to your defense," Lu Chen declared with a smile.

Although Lu Chen spoke nonchalantly, his words eased the tension in their hearts. As

long as Lu Chen didn't stir up trouble, it would be fine.

On the other hand, the Zhang Family nearly became apoplectic at Lu Chen's explanation.

He brought a few hundred men to our territory to deter unsavory characters?!

It's as good as a public accusation that we're the unsavory characters!

"Are you that Lu Chen they spoke of? The one who defeated my junior brother, Han Tian?"

At that moment, Dongfang Long, who had been meditating on the stage, finally opened his eyes, which shone like beacons as he directed them toward Lu Chen.



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