

Village Girl 261

Chapter 261: Doctor Zhang is Angry

Lin Laosan's heart was relieved when he heard Lin Shen. After that, he went to visit Lin Jiu.

However, he did not know that as soon as he left with his two sons, something had happened to Lin Shen's family.

Lin Shen was still smoking in the hall, but his eyes were wide open, and his pupils were bulging. His expression was one of disbelief.

When Lin Shen's grandson, Lin Jin, came back from the yard with water, he was shocked to see his grandfather in such a state. He threw the basin down and shouted in disbelief, "Grandpa, what's wrong? Don't scare me!"

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Lin Jiu was a little surprised to see Lin Laosan. "What wind blew you here?" His tone was sharp. It was to do with Lin Qi. Lin Qi's reputation was much higher than his younger brother's. Whenever there was a major event in the village, Lin Qi would always be consulted, but no one thought of Lin Jiu. Lin Jiu was annoyed because of it. However, ever since Lin Qi had been paralyzed, more villagers came to him.

It stroke his ego. He liked it when people kissed his ass. Lin Laosan knew exactly what to do. Since Lin Laosan had a favor to ask, he knew that he had to come prepared.

He wrapped some copper coins in a red cloth and handed it over to Lin Jiu, saying, "Uncle Jiu, this is a small gift for you. Please accept it!"

Lin Jiu's expression turned serious as he said sternly, "what are you doing? Are you trying to bribe me? Do you think I'd accept money from you?" However, his hands moved to accept the money. He placed the money on the table and said, "Tell me. What's the matter?"

Lin Laosan repeated what he had said to Lin Shen and said, "Uncle Jiu, I want to take back the ancestral home, but I've already handed the title deeds to that wretched girl under the village chief's coercion. I hope that Uncle Jiu can have my back as I move to take back my ancestral land and home."

Lin Jiu pondered for a moment before asking sternly, "What if you still can't take it back?" With Lin Yiwei there, the chance of Lin Laosan's failure was still high.

Three years ago, Lin Jiu chose to be neutral because his brother sided with Lin Laosan and he was pissed. However, he didn't want to side with Lin Yiwei either. Furthermore, Lin Laosan only bribed Lin Qi back then and not him. Therefore, Lin Jiu took a neutral stance and helped no one.

However, the jinx had recently gained some terrifying powers. She was like a ticking time bomb. But more importantly, Lin Laosan had come bearing present this time. Therefore, he'd side with Lin Laosan.

Lin Laosan didn't hide anything, "Uncle Jin, that wretched girl sold the big tiger and got so much silver. Some time ago, she sold a thousand-year-old ginseng for a thousand silver. This time, if we can't get the house back, we must make her buy it with money."

Upon hearing that Lin Yuelan had so much money, Lin Jiu's eyes lit up with greed. He said, "are you serious? She has more than a thousand taels of silver now?"

"Yes," Lin Laosan replied.

"How much do you want from her?"

"Three hundred taels!" In reality, it was 500 taels, but Lin Laosan knew that Lin Jiu was a greedy old man.

Lin Jiu's eyes narrowed. Then, he pushed the red cloth back to Lin Laosan and said seriously, "Take these back. In the future, you just have to remember your uncle Jiu's kindness." In fact, he was hinting to Lin Laosan that he wanted more. "Of course, I will do everything I can to rid the village of the demoness. If one death can save all, I'm all for it."

Lin Laosan was not satisfied, he had to bear with it for the sake of the bigger picture.

He said, "Uncle Jiu, I will never forget your kindness."

When Lin Laosan brought his two sons out of the house, Lin Daniu said indignantly, "Father, what does Lin Jiu mean by this? Do we really need him? Clearly, he wants more after he hears that we can get more money from the jinx!"

Lin Laosan looked around and heaved a sigh of relief when he saw that no one was around. Then, he lectured Lin Daniu with a serious expression, "eldest son, do you know that we're outside? What if someone overhears you? Do you want people to spread the word that the father of the future scholar is someone who disrespects the elders and speaks behind their backs? That will be extremely disadvantageous to Zong 'Er, and it might even affect his path to becoming a scholar master. Watch your words."

Lin Daniu immediately looked around in shock. Seeing that there was no one around, he heaved a sigh of relief and said softly, "Father, I know my mistake. I'll definitely be careful in the future."

When Lin Erniu heard this, he lowered his head and clenched his fists.

He didn't have a son. It was the reason why his stupid eldest brother could suppress him.

After Lin Laosan and his son left, Lin Jiu was about to get up and go back to his room to rest.

At this moment, a strong wind suddenly blew in the house, and the whole house seemed to be shaking. The strong wind blew everything in the house, including the chairs, tables, and cushions. Lin Jiu was old. Soon, Lin Jiu was blown off the ground. He landed with his head first.

By the time his family found him, the blood from his forehead had already covered his entire face. The blood had even soaked his clothes.

When they tested Lin Jiu's breathing, it had already stopped!

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Li Cuihua immediately blew up when she saw everyone criticizing and scolding her. She said angrily, "these are all the Lin family's ancestral property. The fact is set in stone even if we don't have the house deed. If you have an opinion, wait until the elders come. How can you scold me to shield an outsider? Are you crazy?"

Since Doctor Zhang had spoken, Li Cuihua could shed all pretenses of cordiality. She was angry at Doctor Zhang and even incited the other villagers to join her.

"He's an outsider. Other than his surname, who knows what his name is, what he does, and why did he faint at the entrance of our village three years ago? If it weren't for everyone's kindness in saving him and keeping him in the Lin family Village, he wouldn't be alive today!

"Just because he's a whack doctor, he dares to threaten the villagers here. Think about it. Since he dares to threaten me today, won't he threaten the rest of you tomorrow? After all, a large portion of you have even scolded or hit that wretched girl?"

Li Cuihua spoke with conviction, and some of the Lin family Village people were swayed.

What if Doctor Zhang really took revenge on them because of Lin Yuelan? What if he refused to treat them in the future? When it came to their own benefits, most of the villagers were fence-sitters, leaning to whichever side the wind blew.

At this moment, many people felt that Li Cuihua's words made sense. They started to favor her.

"Everyone, listen to me. Lan 'Er has mentioned to me that she can let bygones be bygones. Since that's the case, I will not bring up the past unless someone brings it up first. So don't worry." Doctor Zhang said very seriously. That was a perfect counter.

Doctor Zhang was quite a good speaker too.

The villagers were more inclined to believe Doctor Zhang.

Doctor Zhang had been in the Lin family Village for three years, and his character was clear. He was a kind and honest man who always kept his promises.

On the other hand, Li Cuihua was one of the most untrustworthy people in the village. She would find people to quarrel with every day. It was like she would die if she didn't argue with someone. Therefore, most people loathed Li Cuihua.

"Alright, Doctor Zhang, I believe you!"

"Doctor Zhang, I also believe you!"

Seeing that everyone was standing on Doctor Zhang's side again, Li Cuihua became anxious.

The crowd's attitude could very likely determine whether they could force Lin Yuelan to buy the ancestral home for five hundred silver or not. Li Cuihua needed the crowd to pressure Lin Yuelan to admit that the land and house still belonged to Lin Laosan's family. If she wanted to stay here, then Lin Yuelan had to pay.

Originally, Li Cuihua was confident that she could take back the ancestral home because everyone hated Lin yuelan, this jinx.

But what she had never expected was that Doctor Zhang would suddenly appear to disrupt her plan. Li Cuihua shouted, "Everyone, don't believe him. Do you know who he's protecting? That is the jinx of our village. Why would you believe him?"

The crowd was swayed left and right.

Doctor Zhang was annoyed by the shrew. He stopped trying to argue and said conclusively, "If you want to believe me, then believe me. But I'll say the same thing. Consider whether you still want me to consult your illnesses in the future."

After Doctor Zhang said this, everyone was immediately frightened.

However, before they could say anything, they heard a loud shout from afar.

"Oh no. Grandpa Jiu and Grandpa Shen have passed away!"

"What?"

This news was like a bomb.

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"Impossible!" Li Cuihua's face immediately turned ashen. 'If the two of them died, how are we going to get the money from that jinx?'

The first thing she cared about was not the deaths but money.

"Little Copper, why did Uncle Jiu and Uncle Shen suddenly..." Die.

Little Copper shook his head and said, "I don't know. However, the two elders passed away suddenly after Uncle Lin Laosan met them."

"What?"

All the gazes immediately turned to Li Cuihua with anger and disbelief, causing her to shiver in fear.

Little Copper immediately went to Doctor Zhang and said very respectfully, "Doctor Zhang, uncle village chief wants you to go and take a look."

Doctor Zhang nodded and said, "alright!" Then, he instructed Xiao Tong to stay at home and left with Little Copper.

Over one day, the Lin family Village lost two respected elders.

The four elders of the Lin family Village were Lin Qi, Lin Jiu, Lin Shen, and Lin An. Lin Qi was severely paralyzed, while Lin Jiu and Lin Shen died. This news shocked the entire Lin family Village.

The entire Lin family Village seemed to have lost all sunlight, and dark clouds loomed over the entire village.

To the Lin family villagers, the village elder was like their spine. Without their spine, what were they supposed to do?

“Why would Uncle Jiu and Uncle Shen suddenly die?” Lin Yiwei frowned and looked at the two old men in the coffin in the ancestral hall. He felt that it was unbelievable.

Lin Jiu’s grandson, Lin Jin, had a solemn and sorrowful expression on his face as he said, “Uncle Lin Laosan and his sons came to look for grandfather today. After that, I went to the well in the courtyard to get some water. I was going to boil some hot water for grandfather and make some tea to drink. But,” As he said that, he glared at Lin Laosan and said, “After I came back, uncle Lin had left, but my grandfather...”

Lin Shen’s eyes were wide open and his eyeballs were protruding. He had obviously died from shock.

Lin Jin immediately questioned Lin Laosan angrily, “Lin Sandou, what did you say and do to my grandfather? Why would my grandfather...” As he spoke, he was about to rush over and wave his fist at Lin Laosan, but he was stopped by the crowd.

Lin Sandou was the real name of Lin Laosan. Lin Laosan’s two sons were so scared that they hid in a corner, not even daring to breathe.

That was because Lin Jiu and Lin Shen’s families had surrounded them.

Lin Laosan’s expression was serious, but his eyes revealed the panic in his heart. He also didn’t expect tragedy to strike the moment he left the two elders’ home.

Before he left, they had promised to help him get back his ancestral home. So what had happened? It was fine if they died normally, but that was not the case. One died of fright, and the other died covered in blood!

Lin Laosan countered, “I didn’t say or do anything to him. I merely asked them to back me up so that I could take back my ancestral home!”

“Impossible!” Lin Jin didn’t believe him at all. “My grandfather was scared to death the moment you left. You must have something to do with this!”

Lin Laosan found it hard to defend himself. This was too much of a coincidence.

Lin Jiu’s people also said, “my father fell to his death after you met him. His room was messy as if there was a dispute and a fight. Lin Sandou, tell me, did you quarrel with my father?”

“No, I didn’t!” Lin Laosan had brought his sons to beg for Lin Jiu’s help, so why would he quarrel with him?

Lin Xiaofeng, the youngest son of Lin Jiu, immediately said indignantly, “I clearly heard you telling my grandfather that you need him to prove that Lin Yuelan is currently illegally occupying your home. But my grandfather didn’t want to do something against his conscience, so you quarreled with my father, didn’t you?” That was technically what Lin Jiu said. His grandson merely missed the tone used by his grandfather. Plus, Lin Xiaofeng rather believed in the good character of his grandfather than otherwise.

Hearing Lin Xiaofeng, Lin Laosan's brows were tightly knitted together. He shouted sternly, "Lin Xiaofeng, don't you slander me. I did ask your grandfather to help me, but he agreed on the spot. We didn't quarrel at all."

Lin Xiaofeng was furious. He shouted again, "Lin Laosan, I heard everything with my own ears. How am I slandering you?"

In truth, Lin Xiaofeng's memory was swayed by Little Green. Little Green made it so that Lin Xiaofeng only remembered the good part of his grandfather, which was not that hard to do. This was Lin Yuelan's idea. The goal was to make her enemies fight among themselves.

The crowd was confused by the different accounts, but everyone seemed to be more inclined to believe Lin Xiaofeng's side. After all, both elders' deaths had to do with Lin Laosan and his two sons.

Lin Daniu stuck out half of his head. "You're talking nonsense. Your grandfather had agreed to help us, but he requested that we give him more money."

Lin Daniu was really stupid. His words had tainted the character of the village elder.

It was true, but no one liked to hear that.

Chapter 264: Lin Laosan's Family is a Jinx

As the saying goes, one shouldn't speak ill of the dead.

However, Lin Daniu was tarnishing the reputation of the Lin family Village elders.

If Lin Jiu really did ask for a bribe, then it would be a big scandal. If this matter were to spread, how would the other villagers view the Lin family Village?

Even the villagers in the village would look at them with contempt and humiliation. How could Lin Jiu's family accept this?

"Lin Daniu, shut up!" Lin Yiwei's face darkened as he scolded, "Listen to what you're saying!" He was also scolding Lin Laosan. "What ancestral home? Who doesn't know that the thatched house was originally prepared to be used as a pigsty?" Lin Yiwei exposed Lin Laosan's family's purpose in one sentence. "Now that you see that Lan 'Er is rich, you're thinking of ways to ask for money, right?"

"Lin Laosan, three years ago, you coldly and heartlessly cut off all ties with Lan 'Er. Now, what face do you have to ask for a little girl's money?" Lin Yiwei was very angry as he said this through gritted teeth.

However, Lin Laosan did not feel guilty at all. He said sternly, "Chief, I know you're biased towards that girl. Even if that place was meant to be made into a pigsty, it still belongs to my family. In the past, we pitied the girl and gave the house to her. But now, since she has become rich, she won't show filial piety to her grandparents. In that case, why can't I take back the house and the land?"

"Bullshit!" Lin Yiwei chided him sternly, "Lin Laosan, since when did you pity the girl, and who was the one who caused her to end up in that pitiful state? Now that she's starting to make some money from selling the tiger and ginseng, you're all thinking about her money. Now you want to be acknowledged as her grandparents and parents again? Don't you feel guilty? Aren't you afraid of being cursed by the girl?"

Lin Laosan's face and ears were red from Lin Yiwei's scolding. He was embarrassed and angry. He had lost all his face because of Lin Yiwei.

Just as he was about to refute...

"Oh, I remember now," Lin Duan, the grandson of the Lin Qi, suddenly said. "Brother Daniu came to see my grandfather before my grandfather became paralyzed."

Everyone looked at Lin Laosan and his son with even more surprise. They even looked at them with a peculiar light.

"Little Duan, speak clearly. What exactly is going on?" Lin Yiwei asked sternly when he heard that Lin Laosan and his son had something to do with Lin Qi's accident.

They all knew that Lin Qi was suddenly paralyzed in bed, but they didn't know the details.

Lin Duan thought for a moment and said, "I don't know why Brother Daniu was looking for my grandfather that day. However, I heard brother Daniu mention Lin Yuelan and drowning her."

"I know," Lin Duan's father, Lin Dabao, suddenly slapped his head and said loudly, "Some time ago, there was a rumor in the village that the girl had an ambiguous relationship with a few men from outside the village, and they even lived under the same roof. So, Lin Daniu must be looking for my father to use my father's hands to punish that girl by drowning or something." Then, he was filled with anger towards Lin Daniu. He shouted, "Lin Daniu, what did you tell my father?"

In the past, he had never thought that Lin Qi's paralysis would be related to Lin Daniu. However, now three of the elders who met an accident were related to Lin Laosan's family.

Lin Daniu was usually a smug and arrogant person who disdained talking to these villagers because he was the father of the future scholar. But now, his face was pale, and his expression was flustered. His eyes were looking around in panic.

However, he would never admit that he was related to the fact that Lin Qi was paralyzed.

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Lin Daniu straightened his neck and said, "I only asked him how we should deal with the jinx for doing such an immoral thing. When I was there, Grandpa Qi was still fine. Now that he's paralyzed, what does it have to do with me?"

When Lin Dabao heard Lin Daniu's words, he was really angry. "How dare you say it's unrelated to you? Look at this. Your family has gone to visit three people. Two are dead, and one is paralyzed. You guys are simply jinxes!"

There was no doubt that Lin Laosan's family didn't kill the elders. However, they were definitely involved in the accident that happened to the few clan elders. They had to take responsibility for this!

Lin Laosan's face darkened when he heard the word, jinx.

"Lin Dabao!" Lin Laosan shouted angrily, "You've gone too far!"

"How have I gone too far?" Lin Dabao didn't back down at all. "The truth is right here."

“That’s right. Uncle Qi was paralyzed after Daniu visited him. My grandfather and Grandpa Shen also died after you guys visited them. This is the truth!” Lin Dafeng almost shouted.

Lin Qi, Lin Jiu, and Lin Shen’s family surrounded Lin Laosan and his sons.

“Lin Laosan, you’re a jinx! Now that you’ve killed my father and the others, you’re not getting off easy! My grandfather’s coffin is right here. You have to pay for his funeral!” This was the furious roar of Lin Jiu’s son, Lin Changfeng.

“That’s right. You’ll pay my father’s funeral expenses too!” Lin Changmin said sternly.

“And the fee to care for my father.” Lin Dabao said loudly, unwilling to fall behind. “Otherwise, I’ll send my father to your house!”

One by one, they threatened Lin Laosan to pay. Li Cuihua valued money as much as her life, so she wouldn’t agree to this.

She immediately rolled to the ground, crying and scolding, “You people are crazy. Why should my family pay for the funerals and care? They didn’t die because of my family. They died in an accident. What does it have to do with my family?”

“Hmph, Li Cuihua, do you think that this can be settled by making a scene? Facts speak louder than words! Today, you have to agree with our demands. Otherwise, we’ll send these three elders to your house!” Lin Changfeng said angrily.

Li Cuihua’s face was pale with fear.

If they didn’t pay, were they really going to carry the two dead people and the crippled old man to their house?

How was their family going to survive then?

Lin Changfeng’s words silenced the entire ancestral hall.

Immediately after, a weak voice was heard. He said, “Didn’t you all realize something? Anyone who wanted to harm Lin Yuelan would suffer a calamity. Lin Qi promised Brother Daniu to drown her, Lin Shen and Lin Jiu agreed to help them take back the ancestral home. However, Uncle Lin Laosan went to look for Grandpa Lin An too. So why is he unharmed?”

As soon as he finished speaking, everyone’s eyes turned to Lin An.

Lin An furrowed his brows and narrowed his eyes. “I didn’t agree to their request!”

As soon as his voice fell, everyone suddenly had a bad feeling.

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On Mount Da Ao, Lin Yuelan stood on the largest and tallest tree branch, her sharp eyes looking at the Lin family Village’s ancestral hall.

“Little green, what’s the situation now?” Lin Yuelan asked the green vine around the tree trunk.

Little Green’s sharp bud bent forward as if it was looking into the distance.

Then, the crisp voice said, “master, Lin Laosan’s family is now surrounded by a few other families. They want them to pay for the funeral fees. Lin Qi’s descendants are also asking Lin Sanniu and the others for the care fees. Lin Laosan has no choice but to give it to them now. Otherwise, the two coffins and Lin Qi will move to his house.”

When he said these words, he clearly excited. This would be something for Lin Laosan’s family to argue about for a while.

It could really be said that he had suffered a double loss.

They failed to get the money from Lin Yuelan, and they had to pay others money.

The corners of Lin Yuelan’s mouth curled up, and her expression was obviously joyful. She said, “I didn’t expect the effect to be so good!”

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Little Green’s two green leaves immediately fanned up, and the tips swayed back and forth. “That’s right, that’s right.” Then, his two leaves seemed to close together like he was thinking.

Lin Yuelan raised her eyebrows and asked, “Little Green, is there a problem?”

Little Green immediately shook his head and replied, “No. It is just that in the ancestral hall, people came to the realization that the three elders’ accidents appeared to be related to you.”

Lin Yuelan asked again with a smile, “and then?”

Little Green tilted his sprout and continued, “then, someone immediately exclaimed, ‘that girl has the protection of the King of Hell. No one should bully her, or there will be retribution!’”

Lin Yuelan chuckled, “this is great. No one will dare to come and cause trouble in the future!” Of course, that included Lin Laosan’s family.

Although they were unwilling, they had to be careful because they would be in trouble whenever they wanted to harm her.

“This is great!” Little Green closed its two leaves as if he was clapping his hands.

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In the end, Lin Laosan had to pay three taels of silver for each family’s funeral, and he had to pay Lin Qi’s family five taels of silver. This had almost cost the Lin family half of their savings. Li Cuihua was so angry that her heart ached.

However, that was just a small matter. The bigger issue was the rumors that Lin Laosan’s family was filled with jinxes. Anyone who was asked by their family for help would face a great disaster. Their family would always produce jinxes.

At the same time, there was another shocking revelation.

People shouldn't seek trouble with Lin Yuelan. Otherwise, the King of Hell would take revenge. After all, the villagers could witness what had happened to Lin Qi, Lin Jiu, and Lin Shen.

One of them saw his dead wife and became paralyzed. One was scared to death. One was pushed by a ghost and fell to his death.

The rumors continued to spread. The King of Hell protected Lin Yuelan. This further proved that Lin Yuelan had indeed been sent back by the King of Hell. It also proved what Lin Yuelan claimed before. Those who bullied her would be taken by the King of Hell.

After this incident, Lin Laosan's family would not have a moment of peace.

Every day, Li Cuihua would argue with Lin Laosan, and he would beat and scold the others. She needed to find a channel to vent her anger after losing half of her money.

She couldn't find the jinx to beat up anymore. She couldn't scold the other villagers because they quickly hid away from her. Therefore, she could only vent her anger on her family. Lin Sanniu's family was her main target. Lin Sanniu was still fine. After all, he was the main labor force of the family. Li Cuihua didn't dare to kill him, but it was different for Chen Xiaoqing and the other two children.

In addition to scolding them for being bastards and bitches, she would hit them with wooden sticks.

The heart-wrenching cries came from Lin Sanniu's home every day, but Lin Sanniu didn't dare to say anything.

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Because Jiang Zhennan had requested for his scars to be removed, Lin Yuelan had gone to the mountains to extract some of the life force.

This life force was extracted from the plants in the forest. They were then transmuted by Little Green. Of course, Lin Yuelan was careful not to harm the natural balance of things. She didn't want to kill the plants.

She would use the life force to remove Jiang Zhennan's scars.

She took a look at Jiang Zhennan's centipede-like scar. Firstly, the wound was not treated in time. Secondly, the wound had cut down to the superficial nerves. In the modern world, with advanced medical technology, the scar could only be removed with plastic surgery.

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In this life, she had to use Little Green's life force to fade the scar and then apply some medicine to it.

In the small thatched house, Lin Yuelan took out all the tools and said to Jiang Zhennan, "masked uncle, are you ready? Once I start, there's no way I can stop, okay?"

Doctor Zhang, who was standing at the side, was a little confused. He said, "girl, who would like to have an ugly scar on their body for no reason? Moreover, the scar is on his face."

Doctor Zhang didn't know about the conversation between Lin Yuelan and Jiang Zhennan. She said that the scar was a symbol of his heroism, and he liked that. Lin Yuelan felt like he was going to wipe away a meaningful symbol, so of course, she had to confirm with him.

After Jiang Zhennan took off his mask, his facial features were sharp and well-defined, but the wound from his left forehead to the corner of his left eye made him look ruthless and sharp. Coupled with the outrageous aura that he exuded, he looked like a demon who had walked out of hell.

Doctor Zhang had only heard that the War God wore a mask because his scar was extremely hideous. Women would shriek and tremble when they saw it, and children would cry when they saw it.

However, after seeing the scar, he frowned.

'Is this scar the one that is so scary that many women and children? People sure like to exaggerate.'

However, when Doctor Zhang looked at the scar, he frowned again. The wound was not treated in time. The flesh had scabbed. It was very hard to treat.

He asked worriedly, "girl, are you confident?"

This girl had only been studying medicine for half a month, and the first case she had was such a challenge.

Lin Yuelan smiled with confidence, "don't worry, Grandmaster! In any case, it can't get any worse."

Doctor Zhang choked and immediately broke out in cold sweat!

This girl was treating the great general as a lab rat.

Then again, the girl's talent was amazing. She could finish learning things in a day while others took a month to learn. Doctor Zhang was amazed by the progress she had made.

When Jiang Zhennan heard this, he only pursed his lips and smiled slightly. He did not show any signs of anger.

Lin Yuelan looked at the scar on his face and said, "big brother Nan, I have to cut off the lumps on your face first and then apply some medicine to them. You have to endure the pain!"

Jiang Zhennan raised his head and said to Lin Yuelan very firmly, "I have been on the battlefield for more than ten years. What kind of injury have I not suffered? What kind of pain have I not endured? It's just a minor flesh wound. I can take it, Miss Yue 'Er, don't worry!"

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In this space, only the three of them were present, and Guo Bing and the others were guarding outside, so he believed that no one could eavesdrop on their conversation.

Therefore, Jiang Zhennan had no qualms about revealing his identity.

Lin Yuelan nodded and said, "If that's the case, I'll start now!"

There was no anesthetic yet, so Jiang Zhennan could only endure the pain of his skin being peeled off and his flesh being scraped.

Lin Yuelan took out a sharp knife and used wine to disinfect it. Then, she pointed it at Jiang Zhennan's face and began to slowly cut down from the corner of his forehead to the bottom of his left eye.

Blood dripped down from his forehead and the corners of his eyes. However, Jiang Zhennan did not even frown. He just sat there calmly and seriously.

Lin Yuelan was very fast. In just a moment, she had removed and flattened the meat lumps in the scars.

Doctor Zhang looked at Lin Yuelan's clean and neat movements and was slightly surprised. Then, he nodded with a smile.

After Lin Yuelan had cleaned the wound, she immediately washed it with warm water, then applied the prepared medicine to Jiang Zhennan's wound and bandaged it.

After the last piece of cloth was tied, Lin Yuelan immediately smiled and said, "it's done!"

Doctor Zhang squinted his eyes slightly and stared sharply at the bandage on Jiang Zhennan's head. He asked with some doubt, "girl, is this all?"

He had never seen anyone bandage their wounds like this.

However, he knew that Lin Yuelan had secrets from the future, so he didn't question her too much.

Lin Yuelan nodded and said, "yes, it's done! However, the bandage has to be changed once a day. After ten days to half a month, the scar should be healed."

"So fast?" Doctor Zhang was shocked. He had thought that such a wound would take at least a year and a half to recover. He didn't expect that it would only take half a month to recover. She wasn't joking with him, right?

Lin Yuelan naturally understood Doctor Zhang's surprise, but that was the truth.

She nodded and said, "yes, it's just that fast!"

What she didn't tell him was that her medicine was imbued with Little Green's life force. It accelerated healing.

Jiang Zhennan's face was bandaged, so he could no longer wear a mask.

At the same time, he couldn't do heavy-duty work because it might pull at his wounds. Therefore, he had to stop helping with the clearing of the wildlands.

This made Guo Bing complain for a while, saying that the boss wanted to be lazy, so he thought of treating the scar at this time.

In fact, Jiang Zhennan really could not be lazy. Lin Yuelan immediately dragged him to pick and pinch grapes.

Chapter 268: I'm Abandoned Again

Jinyun Pavilion was recruiting a lot of people. They were preparing for the grand opening in a month's time.

After Jinyun Pavilion closed down for renovation, the manager, Li Huaisheng, was in a better and better mood. The smile on his face grew more and more.

Firstly, it was because of the decorations of the shop. He believed that the shop was definitely one of its kind in the world. The decoration was bright and beautiful, bright and spacious. At first glance, one couldn't help but feel happy.

Secondly, the finished clothes that were sewn by the sewing master and the embroiderers made people's eyes light up. There were elegant and modern styles, and there were all kinds of clothes that were suitable for all kinds of people.

There were clothes for noble women with power and influence, the kind of elegant and dignified young ladies, and even the delicate and elegant daughter of a small family.

If such beautiful and stunning dresses were not liked by women, then there would be no clothes in the world that women liked.

Thirdly, his wife's condition gradually improved. At the very least, she would not forget him. This was what he was most happy about. The pain of being forgotten by one's lover was very intense.

Li Huaisheng was in a good mood. He looked around the shop again, looking at the clothes that had been hung up and the cloth on the counter. He wanted to see if they were placed properly or if there was any place left behind.

Then, he saw a dress hanging in the display window. It was a little crumpled and wasn't done properly. He immediately opened the display window and stretched out his hand to smooth it. Then, he said to the staff, "Take a good look again and see if there's anything wrong."

"Yes, shopkeeper!" The five shop assistants immediately responded.

Although the shop wasn't big, there was no surveillance camera like in modern times. In order to prevent people from taking advantage of the situation, they had to have many eyes.

In addition, in order to serve her customers better, Lin Yuelan spent a lot of money. A small shop had hired seven people, including the shopkeeper.

It was hard to find a shop like this in An Ding County or even the bustling capital, let alone Ning An Town.

The workers were hired based on their character. Manager Li made sure of that.

Apart from manager Li, Lin Yuelan gave everyone else the same uniform. The men were all dressed in dark blue long robes and long white scarves.

The woman was wearing a light green dress and a set of accessories. Although the accessories were not expensive, they were already very valuable to these poor girls.

As for manager Li, he was wearing a long maroon robe and a long white scarf, indicating that he was the manager of the store.

Just as Manager Li continued to check on the store, Xiao Li, who was sharply dressed, ran over excitedly. However, he said with a worried expression, “manager, everything is ready. The auspicious time is almost here. Why isn’t miss Lin here yet? Would she not come?”

As soon as Xiao Li’s words fell, Li Huaisheng smacked the back of his head and said, “what are you saying? Miss Lin will definitely come. Perhaps there’s something on the road that delayed her.”

Xiao Li touched the back of his head and laughed foolishly. “Hehe, you’re right!”

Out of the seven of them, only Xiao Li and Manager Li knew that miss Lin was their boss. The others only knew that miss Lin came often and that the shopkeeper and brother Xiao Li were very respectful to miss Lin.

But hearing that they had to wait for miss Lin for the reopening, they were a little confused.

A boy of about 16 or 17 years old with a slightly delicate appearance came forward and asked doubtfully, “Shopkeeper, why are we waiting for miss Lin to come?”

They had a slight understanding of manager Li’s temper. He was a gentle person. As long as the questions were not too sharp, Manager Li would usually answer them.

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But this time...

Manager Li stroked his half-long black beard and said mysteriously, “you’ll know in the future. But for now, you must do your job well, understand?”

“I know, shopkeeper!” The five of them said in unison.

This job was like a gift falling from the sky.

They only needed to work eight hours a day, and every five days, they would have two days of rest. They would also be given uniforms, accommodation, and commission for the things they sell. There were also bonuses and other various other generous benefits.

They were chosen by Manager Li from many people. They would definitely do their jobs well.

If something went wrong and someone else took over their job, they would cry.

Manager Li was very pleased with his subordinates’ reactions. He placed his hands behind his back and walked out of the door with light steps.

Although the shop hadn’t opened yet, because of the good publicity, the door was already surrounded by a circle of people.

Li Huaisheng had been running the Jinyun Pavilion in Ning An town for more than 30 years, and he was a good person. Basically, everyone knew Li Huaisheng.

Previously, because of the underhanded methods used by his opponent, and the fact that his wife was sick, his business had gotten worse.

A month ago, when the neighbors heard that Li Huaisheng's shop would be renovated and reopened, they were first puzzled and then curious.

They heard that Li Huaisheng was going to sell his shop, so how did it become a reopening?

Based on Lin Yuelan's suggestion, Li Huaisheng had the male employees make a few wooden signs. They walked from one end of the street to another while beating gongs and drums. They shouted loudly, "Jinyun Pavilion will officially reopen for business on the 8th of this month. At that time, all new and old customers are invited to come!"

Soon, in this small town, from the seventy or eighty-year-old elderly to the three-year-old little kids, everyone knew that manager Li Huaisheng's Jinyun Pavilion was going to reopen for business.

The person who was most unhappy was the rival from Xiangyun Pavilion.

They had used so many underhanded means and almost cut off all of Jinyun Pavilion's business channels. They heard that Li Huaisheng was about to sell his shop. Jin Yun Pavilion would disappear, and Xiangyun Pavilion would be the only clothing shop in Ning An town. At that time, he could monopolize the market and raise the price. He would have increased profits.

He was going to count the money until his hands were cramped.

However, he had never expected that in the blink of an eye, Jinyun Pavilion would make a big turn and reopen for business. Moreover, the commotion was so great that almost everyone knew about it.

No one had done anything like this before.

The manager of Xiangyun Pavilion wanted to go and see the new Jinyun Pavilion for him. 'I'm a customer, so he can't chase me away,' Xiangyun Pavilion's manager, Zhang Sheng, thought to himself.

As soon as Li Huaisheng came out, some acquaintances immediately went up to congratulate him.

"Congratulations, manager li!"

"Thank you! Please take a look when you enter the shop later!"

"Congratulations, congratulations, manager Li."

"Thank you, thank you!"

After Li Huaisheng thanked his neighbors and friends, he turned his head again and looked at the plaque on the door that was covered by a red cloth. He couldn't help but nod and smile.

But then he looked at the sky and estimated the time. He looked at the crowd and didn't see Lin Yuelan. He was a little worried.

According to the time, Lin Yuelan should have already arrived. Could it be that she was really delayed by something?

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Today was the opening of Lin Yuelan's first shop, so she definitely had to attend the reopening.

However, when she saw the man behind her, Lin Yuelan felt a headache coming on and gently rubbed her forehead.

Jiang Zhennan had already taken off his mask, but the white bandage on half of his head looked quite scary.

Lin Yuelan didn't want him to go to town at first, but Jiang Zhennan was like a child who was throwing a tantrum. He seemed to be particularly stubborn and persistent about this matter, and he insisted on going with her.

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"No, half of your head is covered in bandages, and you have a sharp and threatening aura. You're going to scare the customers." Lin Yuelan firmly refused.

Jiang Zhennan said, "I can take off the bandage." He moved to remove the bandage, "That way, I won't look scary anymore!"

"No!" Lin Yuelan looked at his movements and immediately stopped him sternly, "Once you take off the bandage, you'll waste several days of my hard work. You'll cancel out all of my efforts! The scar will come back."

Jiang Zhennan said, "so what if it comes back? I have had that ugly scar for 12 years anyway."

Lin Yuelan rolled her eyes at him.

A dignified and cold general was now like a child wrangling with her. It was really unquestionable.

Lin Yuelan turned to Guo Bing and the others, who were dumbfounded, and said, "Xiao Guo, help me persuade your boss. His scar is finally healing. Don't let him ruin it." She was close to calling him a child. However, she still wanted to preserve his dignity. She didn't want to belittle him in front of his subordinates.

Guo Bing and the others were stunned to see their boss'... unusual side.

They had been with the boss for a few years. How could they not know that the boss's temper was sometimes like a child's? They couldn't believe it.

In their eyes, their boss was a dignified, cold, iron-blooded, and selfless general. But now, he was like a child who was not given his candy.

But... they found their boss to be quite cute at this moment.

Hearing Lin Yuelan's request, Guo Bing immediately looked at Lin Yuelan and said with a smile, "Miss Lin, just let the boss go with you!" If the boss went, all of them could go. Otherwise, only little twelve could go with Miss Lin.

Lin Yuelan rolled her eyes again and said to Guo Bing, "hey, little Guo, I asked you to persuade your boss, not me."

Guo Bing immediately tried to please her. "Miss Lin, look at how pitiful our boss is. Do you really have the heart to leave him and go to town alone?"

The boss looked at Lin Yuelan with his single hopeful eye. There was a look of grievance and innocence. Oh, that's right. He only had one eye because his other eye was bandaged.

Lin Yuelan glanced at Jiang Zhennan and nodded. "He's indeed quite pitiful. However," her tone changed, "I'm not going to waste all my effort because of pity!"

When Jiang Zhennan heard the first half of Lin Yuelan's sentence, his eye was wide with hope. But when he heard the second half of her sentence, his eye immediately dimmed.

His subordinates looked at their leader and gritted their teeth to stop themselves from laughing out loud. Their boss was... really too cute!

Guo Bing held back his smile and continued to persuade Lin Yuelan, "Miss Lin, you don't want Boss to go to town because you were worried that the bandage on his head would scare the child, right?"

Lin Yuelan didn't say anything. Not only would it scare the child, but anyone who saw it would be shocked and frightened. Who would come to her shop then?

"Since that's the case, miss Lin, why don't we think of a way to let Boss go to town without scaring anyone?" Guo Bing said.

Lin Yuelan said, "Alright, I know what you mean." All of them wanted to go with her.

They eventually gave Jiang Zhennan a hat with a black veil.

This only gave Jiang Zhennan a sense of mystery. At least, it wouldn't scare the customers away.

They finally had the opportunity to visit this small town. Guo Bing gave Jiang Zhennan a smug look.