

Chapter 731: Swear On Snacks (1)

“And this boy is also very special to girls. In the entire school, he only lectured on topics to this girl... Later on, the girl went overseas, and he even went to the airport to send her off. Later on, the girl returned to the country, and that night, the boy made an appointment with her for dinner...”

After explaining everything clearly, Shi Yao asked the question that she had been brooding over all this while, “... do you guys think that this boy is interested in this girl?”

Jiang Yue, who had been biting down on her chopsticks the entire time as she listened to Shi Yao’s story, didn’t answer her question. Instead, she asked, “What happened after that?”

Shi Yao: “I really want to know what happened after that too...”

Jiang Yue: “It seems like it’s still a serial. I hate serial novels the most, but there’s nothing I can do about it. You’ve left me hanging. Yaoyao, May I know the title of the book?”

Serial? Title of the book? What the Hell Is This?

Shi Yao frowned. “What title?”

Jiang Yue: “What else can it be? It’s the title of the story you just told me!”

He Tiantian nodded furiously. “I agree!”

What the Hell Is This? She had been talking for so long, and they actually treated it as a novel?

Shi Yao: “It’s not a novel. It’s a real story, something that happened in real life!”

Jiang Yue waved her hands, with a face full of disbelief, she said, “Stop teasing me. I’m telling you, I’ve read a lot of similar novels on the Internet. There are at least 800 of them, and it’s a typical school novel. When the two of them were young, they had a crush on each other, and before they could confirm their relationship, one of them went abroad, causing them to part ways. After so many years, they finally reunited, and the two of them fell in love with each other!”

He Tiantian agreed. “Yes, yes. Yaoyao, don’t try to trick us with your novel. Only those whimsical authors can come up with such a perfect fruit cake. How can there be such a perfect thing in reality? So tell us the title of the book honestly. Even if there is no title, it doesn’t matter. You still remember the name of the male and female protagonist, right? Give it to me, and I’ll Google It Right Now!”

What was wrong with this world? Did no one believe the truth?

Shi Yao puffed her cheeks and said, “I swear on all the snacks in my dormitory cupboard that I’m telling the truth! Furthermore, in the story I just told, the boy and girl were having dinner together at this very moment!”

Jiang Yue: “You even brought out all the snacks to swear on? Then it seems like it’s true...”

He Tiantian moved his head closer to Shi Yao and asked, "Who are the boys and girls? Are they from our school? Do We know each other? But then again, yaoyao, what does it have to do with you? Why do you care so much?"

He Tiantian's words were so ordinary that Shi Yao couldn't help but feel a sense of guilt, "It's just that a friend of mine told me a story about a friend of hers, and she asked me if that boy was interested in a girl. I don't know either, so I came to ask you guys..."

"Oh, I see. So it was your friend who asked you..." Jiang Yue believed Shi Yao's words. "... according to the plot in the novel, a boy would definitely have feelings for a girl, and it would be a very deep feeling, the kind of feeling that only she would marry!"

Deep, only she would marry... Shi Yao's fingers trembled, and she nearly dropped her chopsticks on the table.

Sitting beside her, Leng Nuan, who hadn't spoken a word from the start, took in Shi Yao's reaction, but she remained silent.

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After calming herself down, Shi Yao subconsciously opened her mouth to speak. Even though her voice was still as soft and adorable as ever., however, her tone was clearly a little hurried, "Yueyue, I've already said it before. It's not a novel, it's reality! Don't Give Me the answers you're going to give me through a novel!"

Hearing Shi Yao's words, Leng Nuan lowered her gaze, and the corners of her lips curled up slightly without the other three noticing.

Shi Yao was... frightened by Jiang Yue's words..

Judging from her expression, she was afraid that the person in question wasn't her so-called friend, but herself, right? After all, if it was really a conflict between friends, why would she be so nervous?

Even though she didn't know everyone she knew, based on her description just now, it seemed like Lin Jiage was the only one who had a good background, a good family background, and was perfect for the role of the male lead in the novel... So, tonight., lin Jiage had invited a very outstanding girl for dinner, and now that she knew about it, she couldn't help but feel uneasy?

On Leng Nuan's side, her thoughts were moving silently, but the three of them were still engaged in a lively discussion.

Jiang Yue, who had been reprimanded by Shi Yao for no good reason, pursed her lips in grievance, "I've never been in a relationship before, so how would I know? The only answer I can give you is to rely on the plot in the novel!"

He tiantian: "Even if we put aside the plot of a novel, Yaoyao, according to your description, the male student has only given a topic to the female student, and he even went to the airport to send her off when she was overseas. From this, it can be seen that the female student is very special to the male student. As soon as the female student returned to China, the male student couldn't wait to have dinner

with her. From this, it can be seen that the male student has been unable to forget the female student all these years..."

Unique, unforgettable... Shi Yao opened her mouth, but after a moment, she finally spoke up, "Is it as exaggerated as you say?"

Hearing those words, Leng Nuan.., she broke the silence, "Exaggerated? Tian Tian's words aren't exaggerated at all. In my opinion, girls aren't just special to boys. They're also very important..."

As she spoke, Leng Nuan discreetly glanced at Shi Yao.

When she uttered the words 'still important', the girl's fingers clearly gripped the chopsticks in her palm tightly.

Back when she was crying on the field, when Lin Jiage had asked her to take care of her, she had already known that her heart had already fallen for Lin Jiage.

At that time, she had thought that her feelings for Lin Jiage might have only just begun... but from the looks of it now, it seemed like she had already fallen deep into it, and she was just unaware of it.

It seemed like the current Shi Yao needed a strong dose of medicine to stimulate her.

With this thought in mind, Leng Nuan spoke up once more, "From what you've just described, the two families are of similar backgrounds. They're obviously of the same social class, and they're childhood sweethearts... This is simply a blessing from the heavens."

Heaven-sent good fortune... Shi Yao's face paled slightly. She hesitated for a moment before she stammered, but her words didn't seem to be directed at Leng Nuan, instead, it sounded more like she was consoling herself, "But if what you're saying is true, if a boy is interested in a girl, then why didn't the boy agree to it when the girl declared her love on the banner?"

"There are many reasons. It could be that the boy is unwilling to fall in love at a young age, or it could be that the boy wants to confirm how much the girl likes him. Of course, there's also the possibility that the boy doesn't have that kind of interest in the girl..."Leng Nuan put on a matter-of-fact attitude, she analyzed the situation with Shi Yao.

Chapter 733: A Woman Chasing A Man Through A Veil (1)

"However, it doesn't matter if the men were interested in the girls or not. It's not important. What's important is that they have been separated for so many years. The girls have been having dinner together since they came back to the country."

"What does that mean? It means that they have been in contact all these years..."

When Leng Nuan said this, she deliberately took another glance at the girl beside her.

Although the girl was trying her best to pretend to be calm, her moving feet from time to time revealed her uneasiness.

Leng Nuan knew that the dose of the strong medicine she had just given her was not enough, so she unceremoniously added another stab.

“There’s also a saying, Yaoyao. I’m sure you’ve heard of it before. There’s a veil between a woman and a man. Since ancient times, it’s been extremely difficult for a man to pursue a woman, but it’s very easy for a woman to pursue a man. Furthermore, the man you just mentioned is the man that many women dream of. In this society, not everyone is upright. There are many people who are more or less scheming, and there are also many who won’t give up just to achieve their goals. Thus, in order to catch up to a man, some women will resort to any means at their disposal. The simplest method is to get drunk, and there are also those who will go to the beach together and intentionally show some benefits to the man in order to seduce him. Of course, this doesn’t rule out the possibility that some women will despise such methods. However, think about it, a beautiful and proactive girl from a good family will surely come knocking on your door. It’s inevitable that a man won’t be tempted...”

At this point, Leng Nuan could clearly see a hint of panic in Shi Yao’s eyes.

She knew that she had given her enough stimulation with this potent medicine, but it wasn’t enough. More importantly, she had to see through her heart.

At this point, Leng Nuan spoke up once more, “Right, Yaoyao, you said that your friend asked you about this matter. So, is your friend a boy or a girl?”

“It’s a girl...”after replying to her question, Shi Yao tilted her head and asked, “What’s Wrong?”

“It’s a Girl?”Leng Nuan asked. A moment later, she spoke up, “Then, I’m afraid that this girl likes that boy.”

If she had said that it was her own experience, it wouldn’t have been easy for her to say those words. However, now that she said that it was her friend who asked her, it made it even easier for her to say those words.

Like?

Leng Nuan said that this girl liked that guy... in other words... She liked Lin Jiage? Liked Lin Jiage?

Shi Yao’s mind was a little muddled. She stared at Leng Nuan in shock for a moment before muttering, “Like?”

“That’s right... Your Friend definitely likes that guy. If she doesn’t like him, why would she care if that guy is interested in that girl?”Leng Nuan paused for a moment, as if she had thought of something, she continued, “I can’t say that she cares about him. To be more precise, she cares about him a lot. Besides, she’s also jealous...”

“Jealous, jealous?”Shi Yao was still in a daze.

“That’s right, jealous! If I’m not wrong, your friend must be dying to go to that boy and girl’s place to have a meal right now to see what’s going on with them!”

Shi Yao, who had been struck by the crux of the matter, blurted out, “How did you know?”

After saying those words, she realized that she had been exposed, so she hurriedly tried to salvage the situation. “When my friend sent me a text just now, she told me that she really wanted to see what’s going on with them.”

Chapter 734: A Woman Chasing A Man Through A Veil (2)

“Oh...”Leng Nuan put on a look of trust and didn't expose Shi Yao. “It seems like your friend is a little too jealous. He's even more jealous than I thought. He's definitely the type of person who's jealous!”

“If I'm not mistaken, your friend might still want to send a message to ask that guy what he's up to. At the same time, he might be trying to get some information out of him...”

This time, Shi Yao didn't say a word.

Leng Nuan took two bites of her food, she continued, “Yaoyao, even though I don't know your friend, there's a saying that I think you should try to persuade her as her friend. If she really likes that boy, she should muster up her courage to fight for him. After all, there are many things in this world that you have to grasp with your own hands. No one will wait for you forever. Perhaps, you'll wait for a month, two months, or even a year. However, as time goes by, everyone will get tired. Besides, there are so many temptations in this world, and no one can guarantee what will happen in the next moment. Sometimes, fate can just fall apart...”

Leng Nuan knew that there were some things that could only be said in moderation, or else it would backfire on her.

Thus, after saying those words, she decided to end the topic appropriately, “We got sidetracked by a moment of carelessness. Let's not talk about this anymore. Yaoyao, you haven't eaten much, so hurry up and eat...”

As she spoke, Leng Nuan picked up a couple of dishes for Shi Yao.

Shi Yao remained silent, but she still picked up her chopsticks and began eating.

As she ate, she suddenly stopped.

That's right... even if Leng Nuan didn't mention it, she didn't realize that the panic and fear that she felt when Lin Jiage broke off the engagement with her a while ago was because she liked him. So, the reason why she didn't want to break off the engagement with him was because she liked him So, when she found out that he didn't have anyone to accompany him on his birthday, she couldn't help but buy a cake to go downstairs to his house because she liked him too..

She did not know when exactly she fell in love with him, but now she was extremely sure that she did like him.

Perhaps she had liked him a long time ago, but because she had always felt that she and he were not from the same world, and because she had never thought of liking him, the love that had silently grown in her heart.., was subconsciously concealed and vetoed by her.

Perhaps, in fact, she was well aware of her feelings for him, but because she had stumbled upon her parents' secret, she didn't dare to like him anymore. She had always wanted to return the money to the Lin family, but she had never been so anxious in the past.., but the reason why she was so anxious now was because she was afraid that the Lin family would find out what her parents were thinking, afraid that he would look down on her..

Leng Nuan was right. Not only did she want to go to the place where Lin Jiage had dinner with Liang Xiao, she also wanted to send him a message. Even though she was having dinner with Leng Nuan and the others here.., but her heart and soul had long been stolen away by Lin Jiage.

She was just jealous. She was very, no, a hundred percent unwilling for him to have dinner with that girl..

As this thought flashed across Shi Yao's mind, she suddenly raised her head and looked at Leng Nuan and the others. "Do you have any more dishes?"

He Tiantian shook his head. "There's no need for that. There's still a lot left to eat."

Shi Yao replied with an "OH" before beckoning for the waiter to pay the bill.

Jiang Yue: "Yaoyao, we haven't finished eating yet. Why are you in such a hurry to pay the bill?"

Shi Yao took out her phone and scanned through the numbers while replying, "Enjoy your meal. I have something to attend to, so I'll be leaving first."

Chapter 735: I'm Here To Borrow The Washroom (1)

"Is something the matter?" He Tiantian, who had her head buried in rice noodles, raised her head to look at Shi Yao. "Is there something the matter?"

"That's right. It's not like you have to tutor your students today, so what could be the matter?" After saying those words, Jiang Yue glanced at the time on her phone, she continued, "Besides, it's already past eight o'clock in the evening. It's already very late, so what are you going to do? Why don't I Stop Eating and accompany you?"

"No need, no need..." Shi Yao was stuffing her stuff into her bag when she heard Jiang Yue's words, and she hurriedly shook her head.

"It's fine, Yaoyao. You Don't have to stand on ceremony with me. Besides, it's already so late at night, and we don't feel at ease with you alone..." Jiang Yue said as she stuffed her phone into her bag, she was just about to stand up and follow Shi Yao away.

She... she was truly feeling uneasy in her heart. She wanted to check on Lin Jiage's situation, so how could she possibly want her to accompany her?

This time, not only did Shi Yao shake her head, she even began shaking her hands at Jiang Yue, "Yueyue, there's really no need for that. Besides, this is the capital, and the security here is so good that nothing bad will happen..."

"No matter how good the public security is, there will always be a contingency. Look at how many news articles about girls getting into trouble when they go out on their own recently. It's better to be on guard..."

Before Jiang Yue could finish her sentence, Leng Nuan suddenly spoke up, "Yueyue, leave Yaoyao alone."

"But..."

Jiang Yue opened her mouth, wanting to say something else, but she was only able to say two words, "There's no buts. Besides, everyone has their own private lives. Sometimes, excessive care and enthusiasm aren't necessarily a form of kindness to a friend, but a burden."

Hearing Leng Nuan's words, Jiang Yue's lips twitched. After a long moment, she turned to Shi Yao and said, "Alright then. Yaoyao, be careful on your own."

Shi Yao's eyes curved into a smile as she replied, "Un un, take your time to eat. After you're done, you can head back to school early. I'll be leaving first. Bye-bye."

After bidding farewell to Leng Nuan and the others, Shi Yao hurriedly left with her bag.

She exited the mall, hailed a taxi, and headed straight for Jin Maoyue.

By the time the taxi arrived at their destination, it was already nine o'clock in the evening.

After paying the fare, Shi Yao alighted from the taxi and saw quite a few customers walking out of Jin Maoyue's main entrance one after another.

Is Lin Jiage and... Liang Xiao still around?

Standing at the entrance, Shi Yao pondered for a moment before making her way toward Jin Maoyue's main hall.

A waiter stood at the entrance of the revolving door. Upon seeing Shi Yao, he apologized apologetically, "Miss, I'm sorry, but we're closed for lunch now. We don't serve customers anymore."

Closed for lunch?

Shi Yao frowned slightly as she recalled that it was already nine o'clock in the evening. There were many large restaurants in Beijing that were closed for lunch..

But she had to go in now. She couldn't say that she was here to look for someone, because she didn't know which table Lin Jiage and the others were sitting at.

"Miss, is there anything else I can help you with?" Seeing that Shi Yao was still silent, and she happened to be blocking the way out, the waiter politely asked once more.

Shi Yao came back to her senses. She knew that the attendant was indirectly asking her to leave, but she couldn't leave, and she couldn't just stand there shamelessly either..

"No, I'm not here to eat, I'm..."

Shi Yao, who had opened her mouth in a moment of desperation, suddenly stopped halfway through her sentence. She stared at the attendant for a moment before the first thought flashed through her mind. Regardless of whether it was suitable or not, she then blurted out, "... I'm here to borrow the washroom!"

Chapter 736: I'm Here To Borrow The Washroom (2)

After saying those words, Shi Yao felt like biting her tongue off.

Before she entered Jin Maoyue, she had clearly seen a 24-hour KFC across the street, and on Jin Maoyue's left was a mcdonald's... But since she had already given such a reason, she couldn't possibly ruin her own reputation, right? Besides, it wasn't important whether the reason was embarrassing or not. What was important was that it worked.

With this thought in mind, Shi Yao rolled her eyes and pretended to be in a hurry. Stomping her feet, she said, "I'm really in a hurry, Please..."

The waitress didn't seem to have expected Shi Yao to make such a request either. She was stunned for a full ten seconds, and only after hearing Shi Yao's words did she regain her senses, pointing in a direction, she said, "Miss, if you follow this path, turn left and you'll see the washroom."

Shi Yao smiled at the waitress and said, "Thank you." Following the direction she was pointing in, she trotted toward the 'washroom' as if she had seen hope.

After entering the dining room, no one paid any attention to Shi Yao. She turned her head around and scanned the entire hall before finding Lin Jiage's seat by the window.

They should have finished their meal by now. Other than desserts, there was only a plate of fruits on the table.

Actually, Lin Jiage wasn't at his seat. There was only one girl there.

Even though Shi Yao had never seen Liang Xiao before, she could recognize him from the photo she had taken just now. It was Liang Xiao.

In reality, Liang Xiao looked even more beautiful than the photo Liang Mumu had taken.

At this moment, she was holding a mirror in her hand, mending her lipstick.

Even though she was a little far away from Liang Xiao, so Shi Yao wasn't able to take a close look at him, she was still able to sense her imposing beauty and the elegance and disposition that she had cultivated since she was young.

It wasn't like Shi Yao had never seen beautiful and outstanding girls before, but this was the first time she was comparing herself to others.

Liang Mumu was right. No matter how convenient it was, Liang Xiao always seemed to be stronger than her.

Everyone had their own strengths, but for some reason, Shi Yao felt a sense of inferiority in her heart as she looked at Liang Xiao.

Perhaps this was a reflection of liking someone. One would always feel that they weren't good enough, and one would always be afraid that they weren't good enough.

While Shi Yao was deep in thought as she stared at Liang Xiao, Lin Jiage walked over.

Liang Xiao seemed to have noticed the commotion, so she stopped her lipstick and turned to look at Lin Jiage.

Lin Jiage's back was facing Shi Yao, so Shi Yao couldn't see the expression on his face. However, she could clearly see the dazzling smile on Liang Xiao's face the moment he touched Lin Jiage's face.

Lin Jiage didn't sit down. The two of them stood there, one with his head raised. It was unknown what they were talking about, but Lin Jiage took his jacket from the back of the chair, and Liang Xiao stuffed the small mirror and lipstick into his bag, he stood up.

Are they... intending to leave?

Shi Yao glanced left and right before hiding behind a pillar not too far away.

Soon, Lin Jiage and Liang Xiao walked over.

The two of them were still chatting along the way, and most of the time, it was Liang Xiao who was talking. Shi Yao didn't pay much attention to what she was saying, so she didn't pay much attention to what she was saying. All she knew was that not only was Liang Xiao Beautiful, he also had a good disposition, even his voice was very pleasant to the ears.

It was only after Lin Jiage and Liang Xiao walked past the pillar that Shi Yao finally stuck her head out.

Chapter 737: Resplendent (1)

Liang Xiao was wearing a pair of high-heeled shoes with red soles, accentuating her long and slender legs.

Shi Yao wasn't sure if she was thinking too highly of her, but she actually thought that even the sound of her walking in high heels was pleasing to the ears.

Shi Yao waited for them to exit the hall before following behind quietly.

Through the glass door, she saw that the doorman had already driven Lin Jiage's car to the entrance.

Lin Jiage casually opened the back door and allowed Liang Xiao to sit inside. After which, he walked around to the driver's seat, took the car keys from the doorman, and bent down to get into the car.

Back then, when he was driving, she was sitting at the back, and he even asked her in a sarcastic tone, "Am I the driver?" Before getting her out of the car and back into the passenger seat.

Why didn't he just let roller coaster Liang get out of the car and return to the front passenger seat!

Staring at Lin Jiage's car, Shi Yao felt a sudden burst of anger.

Very soon, the car started and drove away from Jin Maoyue's entrance.

Shi Yao hurriedly raised her foot and chased after him. After taking a glance at the direction Lin Jiage's car was heading in, she hailed a taxi and hurriedly chased after him.

When they passed by the entrance of the 'Four Seasons Hotel', Lin Jiage's car slowed down slightly, and Shi Yao subconsciously grabbed onto the handle of the car.

What does this mean? Are they going to the hotel?

Shi Yao widened her eyes and held her breath as she stared intently at the car in front of her. It wasn't until the car sped up once more that they left the entrance of the Four Seasons hotel that Shi Yao heaved a long sigh of relief, as though she had just escaped death.

After passing by the Four Seasons Hotel, it didn't take long for them to reach Lin Jiage's apartment.

About a hundred meters away, the car started to slow down. Instinctively, Shi Yao clenched her fists tightly, and when the car stopped at the entrance of Lin Jiage's residential area, she abruptly stood up, then, her head knocked against the roof of the car, and the pain nearly caused tears to flow down her cheeks.

Ignoring the driver's strange gaze, she took a deep breath and rubbed her head. Then, she saw Lin Jiage's car moving once more, and the front of the car seemed to be heading toward the entrance of the residential area.

Is Lin Jiage bringing Liang Xiao back to his house?

Shi Yao instinctively pushed open the car door, wanting to get out of the car. However, just as the car door opened slightly, Lin Jiage's car sped up and drove away.

Shi Yao pulled the car door tightly and instructed the taxi driver to continue following behind.

Around ten minutes later, Lin Jiage's car entered the underground parking lot of 'gilded splendence'.

So, Lin Jiage and Liang Xiao had come to gilded splendence to play after dinner?

She had only been to this place once, and it was Grandpa Lin who had asked her to bring her here..

Shi Yao stared at the gilded splendence through the car window for a moment before hearing the driver's question, "Miss, should we drive into the underground parking lot as well?"

"There's no need for that..." after replying to the driver's question, Shi Yao took out some cash from her wallet to pay for the fare before alighting from the car.

It was late autumn in Beijing, and the night was already very cold.

The wind blew, causing Shi Yao to shiver in the cold. After which, she took a closer look at the 'gilded splendence' not too far away.

Since they were here to play, they would surely drink, right?

If they were to drink, then... the words that Leng Nuan had told her in the Yunnan restaurant suddenly flashed across Shi Yao's mind... if they were to drink too much, Liang Xiao wouldn't really use alcohol to seduce Lin Jiage, right? And then, would something really happen between Lin Jiage and Liang Xiao Tonight? And then, would the story that Lin Jiage made up to Grandpa Lin come true?

Chapter 738: Resplendence (2)

As these questions flashed across Shi Yao's mind, the image of Liang Xiao holding Lin Jiage's arm as they walked toward her slowly surfaced in her mind. As Liang Xiao got closer and closer to her.., liang Xiao's stomach slowly grew larger, and it wasn't until she walked up to her that a white, soft, and plump radish

fell out of her stomach. Instinctively, she lowered her head to take a look, and she realized that it wasn't a plump radish at all.., it was clearly a plump doll waving its arms for her to hug..

At this point, Shi Yao felt as if there really was a plump radish in front of her feet. Frightened, she instinctively took two steps back before lowering her head to take a closer look. After making sure that there was nothing in front of her feet.., only then did she heave a sigh of relief.

Shi Yao closed her eyes and took two deep breaths. After calming herself down from the sudden shock caused by the plump radish, she raised her head once more, and her gaze fell upon the golden resplendence not too far away.

She had never thought of liking him before, so even if she did waver in her heart, it was still concealed by her ingrained self-suggestion. If not for Leng Nuan really thinking that she was her friend.., after saying those words to her casually, she thought that there was no way she would have realized that she liked him.

Since she didn't want him to be with another girl, she was also afraid that he would really be chased away by another girl. Besides, she was already here, so there was no reason for her to back out just because Liang Xiaozhen looked outstanding..

At this thought, Shi Yao gulped down a mouthful of saliva, and as if she had mustered up all her courage, she raised her feet and walked toward the entrance of the Golden Lounge.

However, she had only walked about ten meters when her phone in her bag suddenly rang.

As Shi Yao walked forward, she hurriedly took out her phone. She glanced at the caller ID and saw that it was her cousin, Gu Nanqiang. Without any hesitation, she picked up the call.

"What's wrong? Nanqiang?"

"SIS, where are you right now?" My mom called me just now. She said that your dad suddenly fainted tonight and was sent to the hospital for emergency treatment. Then, my mom said that your mom called you, but no matter how hard she tried, she couldn't get through. What's going on? SIS..

Because her parents had been trying every possible means to force her to beg Lin Jiage back, she blocked their calls.

Hearing Gu Nanqiang's words, Shi Yao suddenly stopped in her tracks, "Which hospital are you at?"

"I don't know. You'll have to ask my mother..."

Before Gu Nanqiang could finish his words, Shi Yao hurriedly hung up the call. She took out her mother's phone number from the blacklist and returned the call.

Just a second after the call was picked up, her mother's sobbing voice sounded from the other end, "Yaoyao, your father... your father is in the hospital right now. Hurry up and come over..."

While asking for the address, Shi Yao turned around and walked over to the roadside.

After hanging up her mother's call, she flagged down a taxi. After opening the door, she turned around to take a look at the magnificent scenery behind her. After a moment of contemplation, she finally bent down and got into the car.

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Lin Jiage's appointment with Liang Xiao Tonight wasn't a personal one. It was more about business.

After dinner, he received a call. As it wasn't convenient for Liang Xiao to hear the content of their conversation, he apologized to her before heading to a quieter place to talk on the phone.

After ending the call, he returned to his dining table and saw Shi Yao.

Chapter 739: Seeing A Better Doctor And Taking Better Medicine (1)

Why is she here?

Lin Jiage stared at Shi Yao for a moment before realizing that she was staring intently at the dining table between him and Liang Xiao... more accurately speaking, she was staring at Liang Xiao.

Jin Maoyue had already closed her meal at this hour, so it was unlikely that she was here for a meal. If that was the case, then why was she here... Lin Jiage found it hard to believe, but there was a hint of hope in his heart, thus, he suppressed his urge to walk up to her and walked up to Liang Xiao.

Upon seeing him return, Liang Xiao raised his head and said that Liang Jiusi knew that she was back, so she invited her over to play at the gilded splendence. It was still early, and she had just returned to the country, so her biological clock hadn't adjusted yet, so she couldn't sleep well at night either, thus, he agreed to Liang Jiusi's request, and Liang Xiao even asked him if he wanted to come along with her?

Lin Jiage's first thought was to reject Liang Jiusi's offer, but just as the words were on the tip of his tongue, he changed his mind. He said that he might not be able to stay for too long, but he could give her a ride along the way.

After paying the bill, Shi Yao probably sensed that he and Liang Xiao were about to leave the restaurant, so she hid behind a pillar.

Pretending as if he didn't know that she was there, he left the restaurant with Liang Xiao. He knew that she was watching, and he admitted that he wanted to see her reaction when she saw him with a girl.., however, he still did not let Liang Xiao sit in the front passenger seat. He opened the back door for Liang Xiao First and let her sit in it.

Through the rearview mirror, he saw her running out of Jin Maoyue not long after.

He was not sure if she was following him, so he slowed down the car a little. When she stopped a taxi by the roadside and really caught up with him, he felt relieved and drove forward. However, he was still afraid that she would lose him, when he saw her car being stopped by other cars, he would slow down and wait for her to catch up before speeding up.

When he passed by the Four Seasons Hotel, he deliberately stopped for a moment. However, he didn't want Liang Xiao to understand his thoughts, so he chatted with Liang Xiao while pointing at the Four Seasons Hotel, which had been renovated over the years.

Actually, from the Four Seasons Hotel to the Golden Lounge, he didn't need to pass by the entrance of his neighborhood. However, he still deliberately took a long detour and parked the car at the entrance of his neighborhood, he briefly explained the facilities in his house to Liang Xiao, and it was only after Liang Xiao had finished learning about them that he headed to Eldorado.

When he entered the Underground Garage of Eldorado, he pretended to have received a text message and stopped the car. It seemed like he was replying to the message with his head lowered, but in truth, his entire attention was focused on the side of the road, he saw her taxi stop at the side of the road, and when he saw her getting out of the car, he stepped on the accelerator and drove into the underground parking lot.

Lin Jiage and Liang Xiao entered the private room one after the other, and they didn't stay for long before they left. However, he didn't immediately head to the underground parking lot to pick up the taxi and leave. Instead, he headed straight to the lobby and sat in the lounge, staring at the entrance of the lobby as he waited.

She had followed him the entire way, and she was still staring at Liang Xiao unblinkingly at Jin Maoyue... so, she came here to follow him tonight?

Then, could she have seen him enter the Golden Lounge with a girl and followed him in?

One minute had passed, five minutes had passed, and ten minutes had passed..

The elevator door not far from the lobby opened, and Liang Jiushi walked out. From Afar, he saw Liang Jiushi and asked in puzzlement, "Eh? Brother Jia, why haven't you left yet?"

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Hearing those words, Lin Jiage glanced at Liang Jiushi and replied nonchalantly, "I just received a call."

Liang Jiushi replied with an 'Oh', believing Lin Jiage's words.

There wasn't a single hint of lying on Lin Jiage's body, and his voice sounded exceptionally composed as he asked, "What About You?"

"Me? I'm going out to buy a pack of cigarettes."

Lin Jiage replied with an 'un'before glancing at the door, signaling Liang Jiushi to hurry up and leave.

Liang Jiushi seemed to have understood the hint in Lin Jiage's eyes, and she hurriedly left.

Lin Jiage stayed in the resting area for a while longer. Seeing that Shi Yao hadn't come in yet, he headed to the underground parking lot to get his car. After which, he slowly drove to the side of the road and parked his car at the spot where Shi Yao had just gotten off.

She had already followed him here, but in the end, she didn't go in..

After rolling down the window, Lin Jiage stared at the empty spot where Shi Yao's figure had long disappeared for a long time. Finally, he suppressed the slight disappointment that surfaced in his heart, rolled up the window, and stepped on the gas pedal once more before leaving.

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The condition of the road at night wasn't too bad. It took Shi Yao an hour and fifteen minutes to reach the district hospital near her home.

Shi Yao hurriedly ran to the night shift nurses' station and passed her father's name to them. After finding out which ward his father was in, she hurriedly took the elevator upstairs.

She rushed to the ward's door, but before she could even knock, she pushed it open and rushed in.

With a needle in his arm, his father lay motionless on the bed, while his mother sat beside him, crying so hard that her eyes were red and swollen.

When Shi Yao saw that scene, her heart suddenly ached, and she rushed to the bedside. After all, she had been a little unhappy recently, so the expression on Shi Yao's face was a little unnatural, however, she still called out softly, "Dad..."

Hearing Shi Yao's voice, father Shi weakly opened his eyes and glanced at her, "Yaoyao."

His voice was very gentle, just like before, when she didn't bump into him and his mother quarreling. It was the kind of voice that loved her dearly.

Shi Yao's eyes reddened as she asked, "Dad, how are you feeling right now?"

After which, Shi Yao turned to her mother and asked, "Mom, what's going on with Dad?"

Shi wiped the tears from the corners of her eyes and replied, "It's just that your dad went to take a shower after dinner, and I was washing the dishes in the kitchen when I heard a loud thud. After which, I pushed open the bathroom door and saw your dad fainting on the floor..."

Shi Yao: "What did the Doctor Say? Is It Serious?"

Shi: "It's not serious, but I'm afraid that he'll have to take medicine all year round in the future. Furthermore, I asked him about the price of the medicine, and it's very expensive..."

"It's fine if it's expensive. I'll think of a way. You Don't have to worry about it. The main thing is to let my father take care of his health."

"That's still a lot of money. Your father doesn't even have a proper job..." as Shi said this, she exchanged glances with Shi, then, mother Shi spoke up once more, "... Yaoyao, if your marriage with Jiange hadn't been canceled, your father might have been able to see a better doctor and take better medicine... now..."

Mother Shi reached out her hand and wiped away her tears before sighing deeply.

If it had been some time ago, if mother Shi had mentioned such things, Shi Yao would definitely have rejected it and refused to talk to her mother. But now that her father was in such a state, even though she still felt uncomfortable hearing those words, she didn't refute her.

After a moment of silence in the ward, Shi Yao's mother spoke up once more, "Yaoyao, is there really no hope for you and Jia Ge Anymore?"

Shi Yao chuckled lightly before changing the topic, "There's no need for anyone else. My father can see the best doctors and take the best medicine. I can earn money from that."

