

## Work Hard 591

### Chapter 591: Wifey, You've Benefited Again !

The video of Tangning's performance quickly spread online and her acting ability and talent was once again acknowledged by everyone.

Who would still feel that she didn't deserve the award?

Zhang Qingping's stubbornness was slapped in the face by Tangning. Out of all the years that the Fei Tian Awards had been hosted, she was the first newcomer who dared to offend a person of seniority live on stage. She was also the first to display her acting ability in front of so many heavyweight actors.

Her courage, confidence and determination made everyone feel admiration for her.

And her method of faceslapping was fierce and shocking.

"The stubborn old fools should have been dealt with in this way long ago. Tangning did something extremely satisfying today; I truly admire her."

"What if she was competing against you for Best Actress?"

"With her acting ability, she will win it sooner or later. She doesn't need to fight with me for it."

This was one of the many conversations happening amongst the crowd. At this time, Gu Xingyun returned to the stage and concluded, "I am personally a huge fan of the film 'Insanity', so when Tangning asked me to challenge her, this was the first film that came to mind. Of course, I knew this film would not be easy to act out and could easily drive a person mad. So, I set out a very difficult task without ever expecting that Tangning would respond in such a serious way."

"But, I believe that everyone clearly saw Tangning's acting ability. Out of all the versions of 'Insanity' that I have ever seen, including theater productions, Tangning's performance was the most complete. In fact, she managed to include small details that even the original Allie did not portray."

"I am extremely impressed..."

"I must applaud Tangning. I sincerely think that she deserves this award."

After Gu Xingyun expressed his thoughts, he looked at everyone below the stage. At this time, the man that had previously said that he had watched all the films featuring the Best Newcomer nominees, Mr. Chen Feng, suddenly stood up from the front row and walked onto the stage as he received the microphone from Gu Xingyun. With a smile, he said, "I originally didn't want to waste everyone's time, after all, there is still a lot of spectacular awards waiting to be presented."

"But...since Tangning has already proven herself, I feel that there are a few words that I can't leave here without saying."

The old man bowed to everyone and continued while maintaining his straight towering body, "As mentioned before, I've watched all the films featuring the newcomers and there was one that I particularly liked."

“I’m sure you would have guessed by now which film I am referring to. That’s right, it is ‘W.H.’. It’s not because I’m a fan of disaster films, nor is it because Bei Chendong is the male lead. It’s because I clearly saw Tangning’s dedication to the film industry.”

“After watching ‘W.H’, I looked into information regarding Tangning and found out that she was almost at the level of an international supermodel. She’s received a Special Contribution Award and has ignited the Oriental Trend in the US, changing their standard of beauty. She has also been the spokesperson for many big brands and is a legend in the modeling industry.”

“Yet, after changing career paths and becoming an actress, she has been clear of her position and focused on acting seriously.”

“I really couldn’t understand why people had to make things difficult for her every step of the way and why they had to endlessly create obstacles. She is obviously an actress with great talent and has a promising future, why must she suffer so much?”

“After careful thinking, I finally came to a realization. The reason why Tangning has suffered so much scheming and obstruction is because she is so capable. At such a young age, she has already reached heights that others would never get to!”

“‘W.H.’ has its flaws, but that can’t represent Tangning’s level of acting because her acting was perfect for the other 80% of the film.”

“Plus, we can see from the behind-the-scenes footage that Tangning had received many injuries because of the film. Yet, she never got Hai Rui to release any statements, nor did she create any hype.”

“She’s neither lacking in confidence nor arrogant, and she tries her best to keep a low profile. So, why can’t she receive the respect that she deserves?”

“Today, I would like to declare that as soon as I receive my next great film, the first person I will consider will be Tangning, regardless of whether it is a domestic or international film.”

“Those that can’t compare, yet don’t know how to improve, can stay where they are. Tangning is a courageous person. No matter how many obstacles you throw her way, you will not be able to prevent her from becoming a top-class actress.”

“If you don’t believe me, let’s give it a try...”

“As for why Tangning received this award, the reason will be announced soon by the organizers of the Fei Tian Awards. I will leave with a few last words: Tangning, keep up the good work! Don’t mind all the useless nonsense and gossip. Especially when it comes from people that like to categorize others. They are falling behind and simply want to drag you down with them! They are completely ridiculous!”

Everyone knew that Chen Feng was lofty and unyielding. Over the years, he had never openly announced his support for anyone in particular because there were many things in the industry that he did not like. But, due to the Western education that he had received growing up, his EQ was quite impressive. Even when he didn’t like something, he did not go around placing his judgment on them.

So, not only had the old man never scolded anyone, he had never praised anyone either. Yet, he did both these things in the same day. He praised Tangning in front of everyone at such a big scale event and even invited her to partake in his next film.

What a great honor this was...

However, after hearing the old man's words, Tangning did not rush over to suck up to him; she remained calm and peaceful as usual. This was one of the main reasons why Chen Feng liked her.

"Even if I was to personally meet with him, getting a role in one of Chen Feng's films isn't an easy task. Wifey...you've benefited again!" Mo Ting said beside Tangning's ear. "Shouldn't you go over and thank him?"

Tangning did not say anything. In a gentle and humble manner, she stood up and bowed at Chen Feng, expressing her sincere gratitude.

Everyone else had come in the hopes of receiving an award. Yet, Tangning not only received an award, she also received an invite from a great director and secured a role that many would rack their brains to get.

Zhang Qingping held a high status in the industry, but after being named as a top class director and actor, he no longer produced anything. Whereas, Chen Feng continued to move forward and advance...

As a result, everyone was more convinced by Chen Feng.

Seeing that even Chen Feng stepped out to ridicule Zhang Qingping, it was clear to the public that he had become too big of a joke.

The youth was bound to overtake the old; this was the main theme of the awards ceremony. Of course, to prevent herself from wasting any more of everyone's time, she gestured for Gu Xingyun to continue with presenting the rest of the awards...

At this moment, both inside and outside of the venue, everyone was discussing Tangning. But, as the center of attention, Tangning remained as calm and careful as ever.

Her intention was clearly written on her face: she wanted to keep a low profile!

Chapter 592: Look At How Powerful Your Sister Three Is

Live at the awards ceremony, an argument had taken place and a performance had been performed. The entire Fei Tian Award was practically like a personal meet-and-greet for Tangning, and everywhere one went, they would hear her name.

Afterwards, when the Best Actor and Best Actress was announced, Gu Xingyun deliberately teased the two winners, "Do you feel upset that Tangning stole the limelight tonight?"

"No!" the Best Actress laughed. "I am impressed by her courage. She was able to say what a lot of us thought but didn't dare to say."

"So, I support her!"

Meanwhile, the Best Actor also laughed, "I'm tempted to hand my trophy over to her. But, I know she has the ability to win one herself."

There was actually a huge difference between those that liked and disliked Tangning. Those that liked her, naturally saw how she tried to keep a low profile and high EQ. Whereas, those that didn't like her, were like those rare few viewers who were bound to dislike a film no matter how good it was. They were the type of people who would nitpick at the tiniest of flaws.

In reality, the netizens had already been taught a lesson by Tangning too many times. So, whether it was her character or her acting, they already knew what to think.

But in the end, Tangning did not have many films yet. So, she could only depend on her skills to convince more and more people.

After the awards ceremony was over, all the artists began leaving the hotel venue. At this time, the trophy-bearing An Zihao and the impatient Bei Chendong stood in front of their seats and looked at Tangning.

"Congratulations, Tangning!"

"Congratulations to you too," Tangning said as she raised her trophy towards An Zihao.

"Ning Jie..." Han Xiner hadn't seen Tangning for a while, so she rushed past the rows of red seats, ready to pounce into Tangning's arms. However, just as Tangning was within reach, a pair of long arms grabbed onto her and pulled her back.

"She is currently pregnant. If you pounce over with too much force and hurt the baby inside, the man over there will eat you up!" Bei Chendong warned.

Han Xiner looked at Tangning and then glanced at Mo Ting.

Ever since Tangning had fallen pregnant, Mo Ting practically never left her side, but, this made him even harder to read.

"It's fine," Tangning responded.

Mo Ting glared at Bei Chendong. He was obviously jealous, yet he was trying to throw the blame onto the baby in Tangning's body...

"Ning Jie, you are amazing! It's a shame that 'Stupid' did not receive any awards...President Mo was obviously a great screenwriter."

"'Stupid' is participating in international awards instead..." Mo Ting responded calmly.

Mo Ting had not nominated 'Stupid' for any categories in the Fei Tian Awards, because his motive was simple – he did not want to reduce Tangning and An Zihao's chances of winning.

The couple's minds were in sync, so Tangning obviously knew why Mo Ting had done this. As a result, she simply wrapped her arm around Mo Ting's waist without a word. Because, all she needed was him, and that was enough.

"I don't care Ning Jie, let's go celebrate tonight..."

However, just as Han Xiner's words left her mouth, Bei Chendong wrapped his arm around her neck and pulled her away, "We still need to return to the film set. What are you trying to celebrate? The fact that I still need to work at night?"

Like that, Han Xiner was forcefully dragged away. But, it was obvious to everyone that Bei Chendong was filled with jealousy.

"Why do I feel a little bad watching Xiner being bullied by him?" An Zihao scratched his ear as he smiled.

"You're wrong. Bei Chendong may be a green-eyed monster, but he treats Xiner exceptionally well. He simply doesn't show it."

In reality, An Zihao was also joking. Just as he was about to leave with Tangning and Mo Ting, a familiar figure suddenly appeared behind Tangning. It was someone they all knew really well, Lan Xi.

The current Lan Xi seemed to have lost her horns. As she approached them, she no longer had the powerful presence that she once possessed. However, An Zihao still couldn't help feeling a little emotional.

After all, he would never be able to fully recover from Yunxin's death.

"Congratulations Zihao, I never thought that apart from being a manager, you could actually become a director. What a surprise!"

An Zihao looked at Lan Xi's outstretched hand, but he did not shake it.

Lan Xi smiled in self-ridicule and retrieved her hand before she turned to Tangning, "And you Tangning, I never thought you'd become an actress and become so successful. I watched both 'Stupid' and 'W.H.', they were both amazing!"

"I am so regretful for not holding onto you in the past. Although I know, even if the past did not happen, I wouldn't have been able to hold onto you anyway..."

Lan Xi glanced at Mo Ting.

"I mean, at least if the past hadn't happened, our situation wouldn't be so awkward right now."

"Congratulations anyway..."

"Thank you," Tangning replied politely before she said to Mo Ting and An Zihao, "Let's go."

Although the entertainment industry was one where people stepped on other's while they were down, Tangning did not need to be so ruthless.

"I simply hope you know what to do from now on. You will definitely come across another Tangning in the future. When that time comes, I hope you treat her well."

Lan Xi smiled and so did Tangning...

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Meanwhile, over at the hospital, everyone was filled with excitement. Practically every single room was watching the live broadcast of the Fei Tian Awards.

Tang Jingxuan lay in bed and sighed, "It seems, Sister Three was born to be an actress."

"What do you mean she was born to be an actress? She can do whatever she wants! When your sister decides on something, she charges forward courageously without turning back," Xu Qingyan said as she sat beside Tang Jingxuan. "Now that I think about it, I think I saw your sister when I was young. At that time, she hadn't left the Tang Household yet."

"Look at how powerful your Sister Three is. How come, when it comes to you, you are constantly hurt because of a woman?"

"It's worth it!" Tang Jingxuan smiled.

"Is there something wrong with your brain? How is it worth it to get hurt over a woman like that?"

Tang Jingxuan burst into laughter, "You better remember everything you've said during this time."

"I'm afraid you won't be able to handle it."

"It's worth it. If I say it's worth it, then it's worth it."

Xu Qingyan glared at Tang Jingxuan and shook her head disappointedly before she looked down at the apple in her hands and began cutting it, "Forget it, I can't be bothered talking to you."

At this time, Song Yanshu suddenly showed up once again.

Xu Qingyan lifted her head. At the sight of Song Yanshu, she immediately stood up to leave. But, Tang Jingxuan quickly grabbed onto her hand and gestured for her to calm down.

"You're here again."

"It's a sign of goodwill from your ex-manager."

"I heard that I supposedly got hurt because of you. How come I didn't know about this?" Tang Jingxuan asked straightforwardly as he looked into Song Yanshu's eyes.

Chapter 593: Staked Claim On Tang Jingxuan!

As soon as Xu Qingyan heard this, she froze in confusion. What did he mean?

Didn't Tang Jingxuan get hurt because of Song Yanshu?

Song Yanshu lowered her head as her shoulders shook in laughter. She then looked at Tang Jingxuan and said, "I was only joking. I didn't think someone would actually believe me. Did Miss Xu actually think it was true? According to Miss Xu's intelligence, she doesn't seem like someone who would believe everything that others say."

"How could you stay by Jingxuan's side if you are like this?"

"That's our business," Tang Jingxuan replied coldly.

"Don't tell me you still haven't told her the real reason yet," Song Yanshu looked at Xu Qingyan in mockery, "Do you want me to tell her for you?"

“What do you mean?” Xu Qingyan stood up at the mention of her name and looked at Song Yanshu in seriousness.

“What do I mean? What I mean is, the person that actually hurt Tang Jingxuan was your jerk of a father,” Song Yanshu replied. “Your father stabbed him and injured him, yet Tang Jingxuan still went out to buy you food...What a joke! Tang Jingxuan, it seems you are destined to not be understood by women. Everything you do is pointless.”

Xu Qingyan was dumbfounded by Song Yanshu’s words.

As she remembered what Tang Jingxuan had said earlier, she suddenly realized what was going on. The person that Tang Jingxuan had said was worth it along – was her!

It was her and not Song Yanshu!

“What? Are you shocked?” Song Yanshu sneered as her voice got colder. “Xu Qingyan, if you truly cared about Jingxuan, I wouldn’t have appeared here today. Too bad you don’t.”

“After the way that you’ve treated your abusive father, don’t you have any awareness of your own security? If Jingxuan wasn’t following you and trying to protect you, you would probably be a corpse right now. So, how intimate could your relationship be? To be honest, I’m not convinced at all by the two of you. You are simply the same as me in the past. You don’t care about him at all...” Song Yanshu said to Xu Qingyan as she pointed at Tang Jingxuan. She then turned to look at Tang Jingxuan and said, “I can’t see how she is worth anything...”

Xu Qingyan didn’t know what to say. Although Song Yanshu was cruel, her every word drew blood.

“Are you admitting to it? You and I are the same, neither of us have treated this man well.”

“That’s enough...” Tang Jingxuan yelled in seriousness.

“I know you don’t want to see me,” Song Yanshu suddenly became emotional, “But, Tang Jingxuan, you need to be fair. If my competition is an ungrateful brat, then why won’t you choose to be with me instead? At least, I now understand you...”

At this moment, Tang Jingxuan decided to maintain his silence. After quite some time, he finally mumbled, “Everything I’ve done is of my own freewill.”

“Sometimes, I feel you are quite pitiful. Tang Jingxuan, you really have no luck at finding someone that loves you the way that you love them.” After speaking, Song Yanshu glared at Xu Qingyan, “I truly hope that you become the next me.” She then turned and left, leaving Tang Jingxuan and Xu Qingyan all alone in an awkward silence.

Xu Qingyan twisted her body towards Tang Jingxuan and asked, “Why didn’t you tell me earlier?”

“There wasn’t much to tell you,” Tang Jingxuan replied with a smile. “I just so happened to see your father following you that day and I knew you wouldn’t have the strength to go against him.”

“Then why did you force yourself to go buy me food when you were injured?” Xu Qingyan continued to ask. “Was it just because I said that I wanted to eat it? Tang Jingxuan, are you crazy?”

“It’s not as serious as you think,” Tang Jingxuan replied in seriousness. “I can’t change this compassionate habit of mine.”

Xu Qingyan stared at Tang Jingxuan without saying another word. After staring at each other for a while, Xu Qingyan ran out of the room. When she returned, her eyes were red. It was obvious she had been crying.

Tang Jingxuan smiled helplessly, “Under those circumstances, anyone would have helped out their friend. It’s really not much...”

Before Tang Jingxuan finished speaking, Xu Qingyan suddenly pounced forward, wrapped her arm around his waist and placed her head against his chest, “I don’t care anymore. I’ve decided to repay you by giving myself to you.”

After hearing these words, Tang Jingxuan let out a laugh, “Even if you are willing to give yourself to me, it still depends if I want you or not. I am, after all, a highly eligible bachelor. Plus, Qingyan, I honestly did this out of my own freewill. You don’t need to do this.”

Xu Qingyan seemed to have predicted this result as she hugged him tighter, “You are the first and only person that has ever been willing to get hurt for me.”

“It’s nothing!”

Nothing!

Xu Qingyan suddenly remembered, “Show me your wound.”

“When you heard that I got hurt because of Song Yanshu, you never asked to see my wound. What a big difference!” Tang Jingxuan reached out his hands to stop Xu Qingyan.

Xu Qingyan insisted on seeing it, so there was nothing that Tang Jingxuan could do. In the end, he removed his shirt to reveal his bandaged stomach.

As Xu Qingyan looked at the wound, it practically felt like she had been wounded instead as her heart ached.

Tang Jingxuan had got hurt because of her!

It was only right for her to take responsibility for the scar that would be left on his body. It was like a logo or stamp on his body that belonged to her.

So, Xu Qingyan promised to herself that she would never let Tang Jingxuan get hurt because of her ever again.

“What’s with the expression on your face? I don’t need you to repay me with an extreme sacrifice.”

Xu Qingyan quietly helped Tang Jingxuan put his clothes back on before she stood up straight and asked, “Where’s Xu Zhenqing?”

“He escaped!” Tang Jingxuan replied.

“I’m going to kill him if I find him!” Xu Qingyan said as she gritted her teeth. “Get some rest.”



“Where are you going?” Tang Jingxuan asked as he held her back.

“I’m going to go catch the culprit,” Xu Qingyan said before she left the room.

Tang Jingxuan took a deep breath and shook his head helplessly as he pushed himself out of bed. He was injured. Couldn’t she just let him recover in peace?

When Xu Qingyan said she was going to catch the culprit, she was relying on the fact that she was the chairwoman of Xu Corps and that Xu Zhenqing had a lot of minions remaining in the company. Perhaps, through them, she would be able to find some clues.

Of course, she wasn’t stupid. She couldn’t directly ask if anyone had seen him. So, she instructed her secretary to install a camera in the meeting room and call the higher-ups and shareholders in for an urgent meeting.

It was simple, she was going to tell the shareholders that the Xu Household hadn’t actually been changed to her name and she had merely said it out of anger and that she wanted to find her father and reconcile with him by handing the house back to him. She was going to sit back and observe their reactions.

Xu Qingyan may not be able to control her emotions sometimes. But, it didn’t mean that there was a problem with her intelligence!

Now that she had staked claim on Tang Jingxuan, she was going to find the jerk and seek revenge on him.

#### **Chapter 594: We Aren’t The Same Kind Of People**

Tang Jingxuan was once again on the move even though he was injured. As he arrived at the reception desk of Xu Corps, the receptionists were shocked.

“I’m looking for Chairwoman Xu, has she returned?”

“Chairwoman Xu is currently in a meeting,” one of the receptionists said as she pointed to the elevator.

“Mr. Tang, why don’t you wait here? I’ll make a phone call and check for you.”

“No need, I’ll go straight up to her office and wait for her...”

“That...”

“With the relationship that I have with her, what is there for you to worry about?” Tang Jingxuan asked in a gentle and patient tone.

The receptionists froze for a moment as if they were in an internal struggle with themselves, before they nodded their heads, “In that case, Mr. Tang, this way please...”

Tang Jingxuan was worried that Xu Qingyan would act recklessly. But to his surprise, as he stepped into her office, he found her discussing the incident with the police.

Although Hai Rui had already made arrangements in secret, Xu Qingyan still went ahead and filed an official report.

“Are you crazy? You’re hurt!” As soon as Xu Qingyan saw Tang Jingxuan, she immediately ran over and helped him sit down on the sofa.

“I was worried that after you found Xu Zhenqing, you would break out into World War III.”

“Can’t you see that I’ve asked the police for help?” Xu Qingyan glared at Tang Jingxuan before she called for her secretary. “I’ll get my secretary to drive you back to the hospital.”

“I’m fine. Even when I’m at the hospital, all I do is lie there. As long as I don’t make any reckless movements, I’ll be fine. You guys go ahead and continue.”

Tang Jingxuan had no intention of leaving. After all, the design of Xu Qingyan’s office was comfortable and grand; it was better than any hospital.

Xu Qingyan couldn’t do anything about him as she let out a sigh and instructed her secretary to take care of him. She then returned to the police.

“Xu Zhenqing and my grandfather are on bad terms, so there is no way that he’d turn to him for help. As for his closest friends, I’ve already written down their names for you. Just a moment ago, I held an urgent meeting and released some false information. Xu Zhenqing is going to think that the Xu Household is still under his name, so he will definitely ask someone to help him confirm it. I’m assuming he will contact a staff member from Xu Corps. As the meeting ended, I noticed these few people were on their phones. I suspect that one of them were notifying him about what had happened.”

“Send some men to watch over these few people. I’m sure you will discover something.”

When dealing with serious business, Xu Qingyan actually had the aura of a domineering CEO and she did things quickly and efficiently.

“Thank you Miss Xu for your cooperation. You’ve helped us a lot,” the police said thankfully.

“Now that the serious stuff is out of the way, let’s talk personal. Why did you guys hide such a big incident from me, the daughter of Xu Zhenqing? Even though we are on bad terms, I am still the person that understands him the most. Didn’t you guys ever think of asking me for help?”

As they took on the blame, the police subconsciously looked towards Tang Jingxuan.

“We were merely doing what was asked of us...Who would have thought that Miss Xu is such a heroine,” the police laughed. “OK, let’s end things here. We will stay in touch.”

After speaking, the police left the office. Xu Qingyan then turned to Tang Jingxuan and crossed her arms as she looked at him, “In your eyes, am I so weak that I can only ever be the victim?”

“Well...you didn’t fight back against Ye Lan in the past...”

“But, it doesn’t mean that I couldn’t,” Xu Qingyan rubbed her neck awkwardly after being cut by Tang Jingxuan’s straightforwardness. “Let’s go. I’ll take you back to the hospital. Can’t you just stay still?”

“After seeing Chairwoman Xu’s capability, I will no longer need to run around,” Tang Jingxuan chuckled.  
“Get back to work. I can return to the hospital on my own.”

“Don’t talk nonsense. Do as I say.” After speaking, Xu Qingyan helped Tang Jingxuan downstairs and out of the building. But, as she looked down at Tang Jingxuan’s stomach and noticed the blood-stained bandage, she was determined to do something.

After Tang Jingxuan fell asleep, Xu Qingyan asked her secretary to arrange for her to get a tattoo.

That’s right, a tattoo!

She wanted to experience how it felt to be stabbed repeatedly in the stomach.

“Miss Xu, what type of tattoo would you like to get?” the cool-looking tattoo artist asked.

Xu Qingyan sat down on the sofa and began thinking about Tang Jingxuan’s handsome face. He was both silly and heartwarming. Even though he had suffered so much pain, he was still willing to sacrifice himself and still had the courage to love. So, Xu Qingyan immediately responded, “I want a tattoo of a dog..”

“Does Miss Xu have any special expectations for this dog?” the tattoo artist continued to ask.

“Can you implement the word ‘Xuan’ into the design?”

In this lifetime, she had already decided that Tang Jingxuan was hers. So, it wouldn’t be going overboard to tattoo his name, right?

The tattoo artist was a little surprised. He then looked at her and smiled, “Of course I can.”

But...he wondered if the person with the name ‘Xuan’ would be happy to see this dog!

“Then, let’s go ahead and get it tattooed.”

After saying this, Xu Qingyan felt her head heat up. When she finally calmed down and thought carefully about what she was doing, she wondered if Tang Jingxuan would laugh at her for tattooing his name on her body. But, since she had already decided that she was going to follow Tang Jingxuan for the rest of his life, there was nothing else to hesitate about. What she had decided on, she was never going to regret.

Xu Qingyan had always been such a sensitive person.

Because she had suffered too much in the past, she especially cherished moments when others treated her well.

As long as someone was willing to do something for her, she would be willing to go to the depths of hell for them, not to mention, Tang Jingxuan had received such a serious injury because of her.

“Miss Xu, I will now sterilize the area.”

As she listened to the tattoo artist’s voice, Xu Qingyan pulled out her phone and gave Song Yanshu a phone call, “You were wrong. I’m not the same as you. The only reason I was so slow to respond was

because I didn't realize how good Jingxuan was to me. It is completely different to the ungratefulness that you have shown."

"Really?"

"From now on, he is mine," Xu Qingyan bravely staked her claim. "I will take good care of him. You no longer have any business with him, Song Yanshu."

"Could you please keep your distance from him. Next time I see you appear in front of him again, I won't be playing nice."

On the other end of the phone, Song Yanshu remained silent. In reality, she had appeared at the hospital today because she wanted Xu Qingyan to know what Tang Jingxuan had done for her. If Xu Qingyan knew how to cherish him, then...she could truly let go.

Well and truly!

"I'm currently having some wine. Care to join me?" Song Yanshu was trying to drown away her sorrows. "To be honest, Xu Qingyan, I am actually very envious of you. By the way, don't you mind that we had a one night stand?"

"Of course I mind!" Xu Qingyan replied, "But, a hero does not ask about another's past. It is all history."

"Let's hope you can do as you say. Otherwise, I will do whatever I can to steal him back," Song Yanshu warned before she hung up the phone.

No, to be exact, she threw the phone on the floor!

She originally still had a slight sliver of hope. She was hopeful that Xu Qingyan would be the same as her and would disappoint Tang Jingxuan. But...

All she could do now was wait and see how much Xu Qingyan would be able to offer.

But, now that she had let go, would Tangning also let her go?

In reality, a part of the reason why she had given up on Tang Jingxuan was because she was afraid of Tangning...

Chapter 595: Save The Child !

Over the next few days, the headlines of the entertainment news was overrun by the video of Tangning's performance at the Fei Tian Awards. At the same time, old news about Tangning resurfaced and created hype all over again.

However, for the 6-month-pregnant Tangning, apart from the response she provided on the night of the Fei Tian Awards, she once again disappeared from the limelight...

But...she wasn't simply focusing on taking care of her pregnancy, she was also focused on monitoring a particular person...

This person was Tang Xuan.

Tang Xuan continued to do her own thing, going around scamming people with her counterfeit notes. Whenever she was discovered, she would use her pregnancy as an excuse to avoid responsibility. Of course, this only worked because she had yet to come across someone as shameless and despicable as she was...

The people sent by Lu Che to keep an eye on Tang Xuan never disobeyed their orders. But, seeing Tang Xuan in this state, made it hard for them not to feel a sense of ridicule.

"If the Madam hadn't asked us to keep her safe for a few more days, I would have already made a move on her."

"I know, right? She spends all day scamming people, regardless of whether they are young or old, without trying to gain a bit of good karma for her child."

Everytime Tang Xuan scammed people, these two men would pick up after her and help her compensate her victims. But, this time...

...Tang Xuan wasn't so lucky.

She ended up going to a supermarket and the supermarket's boss happened to also be a pregnant woman. In fact, she was already 9 months pregnant.

As young people weren't easy to trick, Tang Xuan quickly handed over the money and left with her items. While the woman was occupied, she increased her walking speed.

The pregnant lady was curious why Tang Xuan was in such a rush. As she looked down at the notes in her hands, she realized they were fake. So, she immediately chased after her, "Hey, come back! Your money is fake, stay where you are..."

Tang Xuan was stopped by the neighbouring stores, so the pregnant lady quickly caught up and grabbed onto her sleeves, "The money you gave me is fake!"

"You're lying! I obviously gave you real money," Tang Xuan refuted, "I know you are all teaming up to get money out of me, but I don't have any."

After a long period of practice, Tang Xuan's acting flowed out of her naturally.

"I have surveillance cameras in the supermarket. If you don't believe me, you can come check the footage with me!" the pregnant lady said as she pointed to the store. "If it was coins, I wouldn't have bothered; I'm pregnant, I can't do much but accept the small loss. However, this amount is enough to pay for my hospital fees. I can't just let you get away with it."

"Let go. Just because you have a weak body, that has nothing to do with me!" Tang Xuan forcefully pushed the pregnant lady away...

The force she applied almost caused the pregnant lady to slip and fall. Luckily, her husband caught her from behind and prevented a huge injury from happening.

"It's bad enough that you are using counterfeit money. You are even trying to hurt my wife?" a strong and powerful man approached. He was dressed in professional sportswear, his arms and legs were long and his entire body was full of muscles.

Tang Xuan was a little worried as she looked at this bulky man, "It wasn't me..."

"Who are you trying to fool? It was obviously this woman," observers began to help by pointing to Tang Xuan.

Tang Xuan had nowhere to retreat to as she became surrounded. So, she once again decided to use the child in her stomach as a shield, "What do you want to do? I am pregnant...you can't hit me."

"My wife is also pregnant. Why didn't you think about that?" the man was angered by Tang Xuan, so he reached out his hand and grabbed onto her collar, "Rubbish like you should be cleaned up." After speaking, the man's right arm casually swung to the side and Tang Xuan was thrown onto the ground. As a result, her stomach was also hurt in the process.

"He hit a woman...this man hit a woman!" Tang Xuan immediately cried.

This woman was once a socialite, yet here she was, thrown onto the streets of the suburbs, covered in an unbearable stench. It was hard not to laugh when seeing her like this.

"You deserve it..."

Tang Xuan did not notice any abnormalities at first, but eventually, someone pointed out the blood that was seeping out from under her body.

"Look, it's blood!"

"She wouldn't be having a miscarriage, would she?"

"I didn't see a thing. Let's go."

Even though there was a possibility that Tang Xuan was having a miscarriage, no one stepped forward to help her. The reason was simple: since she had already tried to scam someone once, who was to say that this wasn't also a scam. Who was going to show sympathy to a con artist?

"Help me, help me!" Tang Xuan finally felt the unbearable pain.

But, everyone had now left. In this urgent situation, not a single person stopped to help her.

"It hurts..."

Tang Xuan struggled on the floor in pain as her vision became blurry. However, not a single person paid attention to her. They simply felt that she deserved it. In fact, not a single phone call for the ambulance was even made.

Tang Xuan began to lose consciousness. At this time, the two men that had been watching over her, finally ran over. One was on the phone, while the other carried her up in his arms.

Realizing she had finally received help, Tang Xuan felt a sense of warmth as she slowly closed her eyes...

But, was it really warmth that she was receiving?

Tang Xuan would have never imagined the hell that was awaiting her.

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Outside the delivery room of the city hospital, Elder Tang had rushed over after receiving news of Tang Xuan and her child's injury.

At this time, Tang Xuan had just finished her examinations and was being sent into the delivery room...

Tang Xuan lay in bed. As she saw her grandfather appear, she stretched out her hand and grabbed onto him, "Grandfather, help me. I can't take this pain anymore."

"Don't worry Xiao Xuan, the doctors will help you," Elder Tang comforted. "This is my great grandchild. It will definitely be fine."

Seeing Elder Tang, Tang Xuan felt like she had returned home...

So, she relaxed and closed her eyes.

But, had she really returned home?

Whilst in the delivery room, Tang Xuan was forced into early labour due to the injury she had suffered. So, the delivery did not go so well. There were quite a few times when she was in so much pain that she almost fainted.

After 3 whole hours, the baby did not show any signs that it was going to come out. Finally, the doctor had to step out and speak to Elder Tang, "In her current state, we cannot perform a caesarian section on the mother. We can only keep trying with a normal delivery. But, we need the family members to sign some papers. In extreme conditions, we need to know whether you want us to save the mother or the child...'

Hearing this, Elder Tang closed his eyes and took a deep breath. A moment later, he blurted out one simple word...

The doctor was surprised, but he did not say a word. He simply returned to the delivery room with the signed papers.

Child!

Elder Tang's response was to save the child...

Chapter 596: Even

The doctors found Elder Tang's decision quite strange. It was rare to see a grandfather treat their own granddaughter so ruthlessly.

But, this was the family's decision, so the doctors weren't held accountable. All they had to do was try their best at saving both Tang Xuan and her child.

Plus, they couldn't imagine how bad the relationship between the two would be for the grandfather to make such a decision.

Because, they had no idea how hateful Tang Xuan was!

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After another half hour of anxious waiting, Xia Yuling arrived from Tang Corps to check on Tang Xuan's situation, "She still hasn't come out?"

Elder Tang sat in quiet thought. After quite some time, he finally nodded his head, "Yes, and there's a possibility she may never come out..."

"Father..." Xia Yuling looked at Elder Tang questioningly. She refused to believe that Elder Tang could truly be this heartless.

"One may have the chance to avoid natural disasters, but, they cannot escape from their sins."

As Elder Tang finished speaking, the door to the operating theater opened and the doctor walked out, "That was a close call, but don't worry, both mother and child are safe! However, since the child is only 7 months old, it will need to remain in the incubator. After the nurses are done, you can visit it in the NICU."

"Thank you!"

"The mother is quite weak, she will need some time to recover. The nurses will take her to the hospital room."

After hearing this, Elder Tang had no response. To be exact, he was forcing himself not to care about the sinister woman.

"Father, do you want go see Tang Xuan?"

"No need. Xiao Ning will be here soon. I'm going to go check on my great grandchild."

Elder Tang had no intention of giving Tang Xuan any chances, because she was too evil and had too much history to prove it.

Xia Yuling nodded her head. Since Tangning was on her way, then that must mean she was going to deal with Tang Xuan very soon. So, Xia Yuling did not visit the hospital room either. She simply followed behind Elder Tang. Since the child was an offspring of the Tang Family, she was going to treat it well, but she wasn't going to give it the chance to come in contact with Tang Xuan ever again.

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After giving birth, Tang Xuan fell asleep from exhaustion. By the time she opened her eyes again, two hours had already passed. But, the first person she saw wasn't a doctor or a nurse. Nor was it Elder Tang. It was a figure standing beside the window.

It was none other than Tangning!

As soon as she saw Tangning, Tang Xuan wanted to speak, but her throat was so dry that not a sound came out.

"You..."

"You're finally awake," Tangning commented, "You gave birth to a little boy. His condition isn't great, so he is currently being kept in an incubator."



Tang Xuan glared at Tangning with hatred. With all her strength, she tried to sit up straight, but the pain that came from her lower body forced her back down.

“Tangning, stop putting on an act. Why are you here?”

“Oh, it’s nothing special, I’m just here to chase up some old debts. By the way, grandfather has already organized for the child to transfer hospitals.”

“What do you mean?” Tang Xuan asked anxiously.

“What I mean is, grandfather has already taken your child away. Don’t dream about ever seeing it again in this lifetime,” Tangning said quietly. “To be honest, I don’t really have any special ‘gift’ to give you. I could only return what you tried to do to me...So, from now on, you won’t be having any more children...”

Tang Xuan froze. After a few moments, she finally realized what Tangning was trying to say.

“You...you removed...”

“That’s right. Since you wanted so badly to remove someone else’s uterus, I thought you’d want to experience it for yourself,” Tangning replied.

Tang Xuan struggled to sit up, but at this time, the nurse knocked on the door and entered. She then passed all the hospital bills to Tangning, “Mrs Mo, these are the fees for Miss Tang’s delivery, please...”

Tangning lowered her head and looked at the thick stack of papers. She then laughed, “I’m not the one that gave birth.”

The nurse paused for a moment, not quite sure what Tangning meant.

“Ask her for the money...” Tangning pointed her chin, gesturing to the nurse that she was speaking to the wrong person.

Tang Xuan’s expression changed as she clenched her fists. After quite some time, she finally told the nurse, “I have no money.”

“This...”

“I have no money. I am completely broke,” Tang Xuan emphasized. She then said to Tangning with tears in her eyes, “Must you push me into a dead end like this?”

Seeing the situation wasn’t great, the nurse turned to leave, “I’ll let you two talk it out first.”

“There’s nothing to talk about. Get the money from her...”

Tang Xuan hated being humiliated in front of Tangning, so she threw away her blankets and forced herself up, “Forget it, I’ll leave the hospital right now if you want me to.”

The nurse looked at Tangning awkwardly. At this moment, Tang Xuan fell out of bed and the nurse quickly turned to help her up, “Hurry, get up. I won’t rush you for the money.”

Tang Xuan lay on the floor as she looked at Tangning and laughed in ridicule.

“Are you happy now?”

“Happy? You conspired with the doctor to get my uterus removed, then you sold information to Ye Lan which almost caused the death of both my child and I. Do you think this is enough to make me happy?” Tangning asked coldly.

The nurse sighed. This information was all over the news; everyone already knew it was true.

So, she knew it wasn't right for her to feel sympathy for Tang Xuan.

“Perhaps, you can work at the hospital to pay off your debt. The position of cleaner would be well-suited for you.”

“Tang Xuan, you are no longer a true woman. From now on, it is impossible for you to find happiness. So, we are now even...”

Even?

Tang Xuan laughed loudly as she lay on the floor, “You've won everything and I am left with nothing. How is that even?”

“The winner takes all. From now on, you will simply witness how I continue to advance forward and reach the pinnacle of the entertainment industry!”

After speaking, Tangning gently rubbed her stomach to comfort her child. She then turned and walked out coldly from the room without showing the slightest bit of sympathy for Tang Xuan – because the worst was yet to come.

The nurse didn't know what to do about Tang Xuan, so she had no choice but to take the documents into the doctor's office. At this time, the doctor in charge of Tang Xuan's delivery, entered the room to check on her condition.

“Miss Tang, it's best that you focus on taking care of yourself. By the way, there's something I think I should tell you...”

“At one point during your complex delivery, I asked your grandfather whether I should prioritize on saving you or your child,” the doctor analyzed the expression on Tang Xuan's face and continued, “His response was quite surprising. Can you guess what he said?”

Chapter 597: Effective

“Grandfather. Yes, I still have my grandfather!” Tang Xuan seemed to have discovered her last saving grace as her face lit up with hope, “Grandfather won't sit idly by. I need to go look for grandfather.”

“Miss Tang, please calm down,” the doctor said as he held onto her shoulder, “Don't be silly. Your grandfather doesn't care about you.”

“Nonsense.”

“Did you know? Halfway through your tough delivery, I stepped out to get your grandfather to sign a consent form. Do you know what he told me?”

"I asked him, in an extreme case, if I could only save either you or your child, who would he choose to save..."

"As a result..."

"What was the result?" Tang Xuan asked "What did he say?"

"He said to save the child!" the doctor replied. "Your grandfather doesn't care if you're dead or alive. He just wants the child. Otherwise, why would he take the child away as soon as you gave birth without coming to check on you even once?"

Save the child!

Tang Xuan no longer heard anything else. At this moment, the only word that rung in her head was 'save the child'. "This can't be possible. Grandfather couldn't have said that. No way!"

"All the nurses heard it."

"He is my grandfather. How could he treat his granddaughter like that? Doesn't he care about my life and death?" Tang Xuan gripped onto the blankets as she began to lose control of her emotions, "I am his granddaughter, his blood-related granddaughter...how could he hope for me to die?"

The doctor supported Tang Xuan by the shoulders, "I was also surprised by his decision. He is your actual grandfather, yet he didn't care about you whatsoever. He asked for us to do all we could to save the child in your stomach. As for you, he was indifferent."

Tang Xuan did not suspect anything unusual. After listening to the doctor's words, she directly threw the glass sitting on

her bedside table onto the floor, "You all want me to die! You just want me to die!"

Seeing Tang Xuan lose control of her emotions, the doctor laughed in ridicule. After adjusting his white coat, he turned and left. However, 5 minutes later, a tall and skinny nurse directly walked into the room with two security guards.

"Miss Tang, please pay your hospital fees, otherwise, things will be very difficult for us."

"I told you already, I have no money. None!" Tang Xuan yelled angrily. "If you want money so badly, why don't you go rob a bank?"

"If that's the case, we have no choice but to apply force." After speaking, the nurse gestured to the security guards behind her. They quickly restrained her arms and dragged her out of the room, "If Miss Tang has no money, then please rest at home."

Tang Xuan had just finished giving birth, so, as she was dragged out of the room, she naturally had no strength, "Isn't the hospital afraid of being struck by lightning for doing something like this?"

"Sorry Miss Tang, we are simply following the rules. Plus, if we were to talk about being struck by lightning, you would definitely be the first..."

Actually, the revenge that was happening on her was clear. They weren't Tangning's methods, but Mo Ting's.

It was simple and effective.

The most despairing thing was, as soon as they kicked Tang Xuan out, they immediately moved another patient into her room like she never existed.

Tang Xuan lay on the floor. Struggling, she slowly stood up with the support of the wall. But, after a few steps, she fell back down.

She had long lost everything...and this time, she was completely defeated.

Especially when she thought about the words that Elder Tang had said.

Save the child...

"Hey, isn't that the Tang Corps heiress? Wasn't she living a flashy life before? How did she end up in this ditch?"

"What other reason could there be? It must be because she has no morals and has done too many bad things. I heard she gave birth to a son. I wonder what her son would think of his mother."

"You probably don't know, but the Tang Family has no intention of letting her come in contact with her child."

"Apparently, she doesn't even have money to pay the hospital and the Tang Family are ignoring her. This is definitely karma."

The nurses behind the service desk were gossiping about Tang Xuan out of boredom. But, just as they turned around and noticed that Tang Xuan was behind them, they quickly cleared their throats in awkwardness. Especially when they saw the hatred in her eyes, they quickly grabbed onto the patient reports in their hands and scurried away.

Tang Xuan had nowhere to go and had just given birth. All she could do was endure the pain and walk out of the hospital barefooted...

At this time, an elegant woman in a blue coat entered the walk-in clinic. As she watched Tang Xuan walk out the front door, she quickly grabbed onto a nurse and pointed out, "That patient isn't wearing any shoes..."

The nurse looked at Tang Xuan and replied, "Madam, she deserves it. It's best you stay out of it. Even her family are ignoring her."

"Why? Regardless of the reason, we can't just let her walk out on the street like this..." After speaking, the kind-hearted old woman chased after Tang Xuan and handed her some money from her wallet, "Child, take this money, go buy yourself some shoes before you leave."

Tang Xuan looked at the woman and found that she looked quite familiar. But, she couldn't quite figure out where she had seen her before.

Faced with the measly amount offered by the woman, Tang Xuan shook her head, "No need..."

"Life is bound to encounter despair, but you shouldn't give up on yourself!"

Tang Xuan brushed away the woman's hand again and increased her walking speed as she held in her pain. At this time, she noticed a car turning the corner, without hesitation, she jumped in front of it.

If she was to die, she was going to force Tangning to take on the blame of forcing her own sister to death. If she was going to die, she was going to find a scapegoat!

Everyone was shocked, especially the old woman that had just offered her help. Witnessing Tang Xuan being knocked off her feet, she quickly covered her mouth in surprise.

"Oh God..."

The hospital had no choice but to carry Tang Xuan back in. But the doctors didn't know whether to use expensive resources on her or not.

At this time, the old woman from earlier stepped forward and yelled at the doctors, "The main priority right now is to save a life. I'll pay for this woman's hospital fees."

Because the old woman still had other business to deal with, she paid for the bills and directly left. But, just as she walked past a newspaper stand, she noticed the photo of the woman she had just seen at the hospital as well as the image of another woman.

Tangning!

After seeing the news, she finally understood what was going on, "So, they are sisters."

Realizing this, the old woman's expression darkened...

She then pulled out her phone and gave her husband a phone call, "How many days until you arrive in Beijing?"

"I will be there as soon as I deal with the business I have at hand!" the man replied.

"There's something I want to ask you. Is Mo Ting's wife called Tangning?"

"Of course. If you're in Beijing, you should already know. She's very famous!"

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"She is indeed famous!" the old woman looked slightly unhappy. "I went to visit the hospital today to see the professor. But, halfway there, I came across something unimaginable. Old Mo, I can't wait anymore, I need to see Tangning."

"I knew you couldn't wait to see you daughter-in-law."

"I'm going to hang up first. I'm going to give Mo Ting a phone call," Mother Mo hung up the phone and called Mo Ting. She felt that she didn't have much expectations for her daughter-in-law, but she at least hoped that she wasn't the type of person to ignore family. But, seeing the way that Tangning treated Tang Xuan, she assumed with the way that she treated her own sister that she wouldn't know how to treat other people around her.

So, Mother Mo's first impression of Tangning wasn't very good.

Mother Mo's real name was Hua Wenfeng and she was a biological engineer. She spent most of the year with Father Mo in an overseas lab. The two of them didn't really like that Mo Ting had followed in Elder Mo's footsteps and become the so-called Big Boss of the Entertainment Industry. So, all things related to the entertainment industry was both familiar yet hated by them.

Before, when Mo Ting refused to get married, the two of them did not pressure him because of work and decided to hand the matter over to Elder Mo.

So, after they found out that Mo Ting had gotten married, they were naturally happy. After all, as his parents, they were well aware of Mo Ting's personality and knew he wasn't one that could be forced into doing something he didn't want to do.

However...

...after rushing back to Beijing just before her daughter-in-law was to give birth, Mother Mo never expected that she'd run into Tang Xuan on her first day back!

"Son, I'm back. I am at the hospital right now. Send someone to get me."

"OK," Mo Ting replied calmly.

He then stood up from his office chair and said to Lu Che, "If there's something urgent in the afternoon, speak to Fang Yu."

"Yes, President!"

Afterwards, Mo Ting directly drove home. As he entered the living room, he saw Tangning reading through some scripts, so he walked over and sat down beside her, "Ning...go get changed. Let's go pick up your mother-in-law together."

"Huh?" Tangning froze, unsure of what Mo Ting meant.

"My mother has returned from overseas," Mo Ting replied gently, "But, don't worry, just be yourself. I'll be here to help you."

Tangning understood Mo Ting well, so she giggled, "Your mother is my mother. I will respect her."

"No one is as important as you," Mo Ting declared after he heard Tangning's words.

Tangning nodded. From Mo Ting's expression, she was prepared to accept that Mo Ting's mother may not be someone that was easy to deal with.

But, she was well aware that Mo Ting was on her side and this was never going to change.

Afterwards, the couple arrived at the hospital where Hua Wenfeng was located. But, at first sight, Hua Wenfeng did not feel that Tangning looked like a cruel and evil person; she appeared quiet and sincere.

It was hard to imagine how she had gone from an outdated model to where she was today.

Did she really go against the people beside her?

"Mother..." Mo Ting officially introduced Tangning to Hua Wenfeng, "This is my wife, Tangning."

"I know. Hello, Xiao Ning," Hua Wenfeng followed usual etiquette and reached out her hand to shake Tangning's hand. As she looked at Tangning's protruding belly, she temporarily put away the suspicion she had towards her, "Has your pregnancy been difficult?"

"With Mo Ting around, it hasn't been too bad."

"That's good. Let's get in the car then," Hua Wenfeng understood that the couple's relationship was special. Even if she wanted to better understand Tangning, she couldn't do it by hurting her son and daughter-in-law. So, she simply helped Tangning into the car. But, as soon as they boarded the car, Hua Wenfeng jumped straight to the point.

"I read in the newspaper that your sister is also staying in this hospital and she got into an accident today. Would you like to visit her?"

Tangning was surprised by this question because she could roughly guess that Hua Wenfeng may have already seen something and had made her own assumptions.

"Your grandchild and daughter-in-law almost died twice in her hands. There's no need to visit her," Mo Ting's voice was cold and firm, rejecting his mother's suggestion in a simple and straightforward way.

"Let's go then," Hua Wenfeng did not mind Mo Ting's attitude.

However, the trio had no common topics of conversation for the rest of the car ride. All Tangning could conclude was that Mo Ting and Hua Wenfeng were 70% similar. From the looks of it, Hua Wenfeng must have had a lot of pursuers when she was young.

Even at this age, she had a beautiful goose egg shaped face, not many wrinkles and her taste in clothing was elegant. So, both Mo Ting and Mother Tang possessed a dignified presence that made them seem beyond reach.

Most importantly, Mother Mo was even more solemn than Mo Ting!

It didn't take long before the trio arrived home. As soon as they entered the living room, Mother Mo pulled Tangning aside and started interrogating her. Seeing scripts lying on the coffee table, she asked, "Are you still planning to act?"

"Yes, I quite like it," Tangning nodded her head.

Hua Wenfeng did not say anything as she maintained a smile on her face. Tangning realized, since Hua Wenfeng gave birth to a son that was so smart and capable, she was bound to be quite intelligent herself. This was displayed in the way that Hua Wenfeng was able to control her emotions flawlessly. It seemed, Tangning may have met a worthy opponent.

"When is the baby due?"

"Around May," Tangning replied.

"Great. This will be the Mo Family's first grandchild."

Tangning was good at observing people and reading them. Although Hua Wenfeng did not show any signs of displeasure, Tangning could tell that Hua Wenfeng's words didn't come straight from her heart.

"I won't nag you about what to watch out for during your pregnancy, I'm sure you already know. But, towards the last trimester, there are some common illnesses that may occur. You need to be cautious of them."

"Thank you, mom."

Like this, the two women appeared to be getting along as they chatted into the night. However, as she lay in bed to go to sleep, Tangning turned to Mo Ting and said, "Although your mother treats me really well and is very polite to me...I feel like she has a lot of questions that she wants to ask me."

"Uh huh," Mo Ting nodded, "My mother is indeed difficult to deal with."

If Tangning could tell, then how could Mo Ting not be able to tell?

"But Tangning...I don't need you to be particularly respectful to anyone. Although she is my mother, you are still you, you don't need to compromise because of her."

"You will always have me here to back you up."

"What if I was to ask you, if both your mother and I fell into the ocean..."

"I would save you!" Mo Ting replied without hesitation, "Because she is my father's responsibility. Whereas my mission is to take care of you for the rest of your life."

"What if others say you're unfilial?"

"I'd rather be called unfilial, than to lose you," Mo Ting's voice resounded firmly beside Tangning's ear, "You are my life!"

#### Chapter 599: Battle Between The Experts

It was night time. The news of Tang Xuan trying to commit suicide, naturally attracted the attention of the media.

The public felt that the Tang Family had indeed been ruthless. Not only did they take away her child, they didn't care about Tang Xuan's life and death at all. In the eyes of the average person, rich families were always filled with internal battles, and the Tang Family was the leading example...

As a result, Tang Xuan easily attracted the attention of the public's remaining ounce of sympathy.

"Tang Xuan is indeed staying at our hospital, but she has no means of paying for her hospital fees, so the hospital is put in a difficult position."

"Tang Xuan had a difficult delivery, but I heard that the child was immediately taken away by the Tang Family as soon as it was born with no intention of letting her see it. I think Tang Xuan brought this upon herself."

"Tang Xuan's car accident happened right here. At that time, everyone was shocked. Her condition is currently stable, but it's hard to say if she will remain this way."



“At the time of the accident, her entire body was covered in blood. The sight made one’s hairs stand on end.”

“Although they are very unlucky to have given birth to someone like Tang Xuan, the Tang Family have gone too far. She is, after all, a part of their bloodline. The Tang Family are big and successful, yet they wouldn’t even leave her a bit of money for her hospital fees. I think that’s a bit inhumane.”

Faced with the informed netizens and the attacks of the media, Tangning simply ignored them. After all, she was pregnant, and this was her usual way of responding anyway. But...

...what did Hua Wenfeng think after seeing the news?

Tangning decided that she should speak to Hua Wenfeng as soon as possible. So, the next day, Tangning woke up nice and early. As she went downstairs, she noticed Hua Wenfeng preparing breakfast.

“Xiao Ning, you’re awake.”

“Mom...”

“Come, sit down. A pregnant woman shouldn’t stand for too long,” Hua Wenfeng pulled Tangning over to sit down.

Tangning thought that this meant that Hua Wenfeng didn’t mind what was going on. After all, Mo Ting had been in the entertainment industry for long enough. But, as soon as the two women sat down, Hua Wenfeng snuck a glance at Tangning and placed her hands on the table, “I’ve seen the news already. What do you plan to do about Tang Xuan?”

“I...”

“Grandfather is dealing with this issue. Mom, you shouldn’t be asking Ning,” Mo Ting walked out of the study room and approached the two women, “Plus, this is the Tang Family’s business.”

“Since that’s the case, then I won’t ask,” Hua Wenfeng smiled at the couple before she started eating her breakfast.

Tangning could tell that Hua Wenfeng was being polite and did not intimidate her with a show of power. But, Tangning was prepared to accept that Hua Wenfeng may not have truly started yet.

“Fine, I won’t say too much. I will simply remind you that we need to take note of Tangning’s reputation.”

“I know, mom.”

In other words, Hua Wenfeng was telling Tangning to be merciful towards Tang Xuan and not to push her over the edge.

This would be a good reflection of how forgiving she could be.

But, in Tangning’s heart, forgiving Tang Xuan was something left for the Gods to do; she could never do it. Plus, she had never been a completely kind person; she had steered herself clear of that path from the start.

Hua Wenfeng thought that Tangning had agreed to her request, so her expression softened. She even refilled Tangning and Mo Ting's plates with food, making the breakfast quite harmonious and warm.

However, after breakfast, Tangning headed into her bedroom and gave Xia Yuling a phone call, "Mom, do something about PR. Don't let Tang Xuan effect our daily lives again."

"This morning, quite a few reporters blocked our front door. It took your grandfather and I a bit of time to get rid of them," Xia Yuling explained calmly.

"Mo Ting's mother just returned to Beijing and she happened to come across Tang Xuan's incident..."

"..." Xia Yuling remained silent for few seconds before she replied, "Then, let's get this sorted as soon as possible in case your in-laws develop a bad impression of you."

"I'm afraid the impression has already been created," Tangning replied quietly. "Mom, you can discuss with grandfather about what to do. You don't need to compromise with Tang Xuan."

"Do you think my hatred for her is small? Xiao Ning, don't worry, the Tang Family isn't your average family, we can handle our own matters well. There's no need for others to give their opinion. Since your mother-in-law is back, you should respect her and show your understanding towards her."

"Yes mom, I know."

Xia Yuling knew that Tangning knew what to do, so she naturally didn't have to worry about her. But, when it came to Tang Xuan's incident...

...it was time for her to do a bit of cleaning up.

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As a result, Xia Yuling no longer avoided the paparazzi waiting downstairs. She directly approached them and accepted their interview.

"As a famous perfume empire, Tang Corps has always been dedicated to serving the community. But, regarding the incident with Tang Xuan, this is our own private matter and has nothing to do with outsiders. All you see is her pitiful mask, but you have never seen the times we have cried tears of disappointment for her. So please don't use your subjective opinions to judge the character and motive of my family and I."

"In regards to Tang Xuan, I would like to make a few statements: firstly, Tang Xuan conspired with the hospital to remove Tangning's uterus; secondly, while I was overseas on a business trip, she found people to kidnap me and tried to blackmail the family; thirdly, Tang Xuan sold information of Tangning's pregnancy to those that opposed her, causing both her and her child to almost die. If you are not a part of the Tang Family, you will never be able to understand the pain that these incidences have caused."

"So, please don't put yourself up on a moral pedestal and judge us..."

"We have already shown enough mercy by not turning her over to the authorities!"

"As family, my father, the chairman of Tang Corps, once held his granddaughter in high esteem. But, what broke this old man's heart to this extent? I don't think we need to think too deep into it."

“Finally, this is the last time that Tang Corps will give an explanation regarding Tang Xuan. Tang Corps has long broken all ties from Tang Xuan, so, whatever decision she makes, has no relation to Tang Corps whatsoever.”

“I would like to ask everyone to look into their hearts. If you were to come across a family member that had committed as many crimes as Tang Xuan, would you be so forgiving as to accept her back into the family?”

“If you can’t do it, then please shut your mouth.”

Xia Yuling’s voice was neither weak nor overbearing; it was calm and honest.

Because every single one of Tang Xuan’s crimes could be clearly presented on a platter.

Afterwards, Xia Yuling bowed to the media and re-entered the building of Tang Corps, with no intention to ever discuss Tang Xuan again.

She already spoke from her heart.

“I honestly think that Tang Xuan ended up like this because of her own doing. Not too long ago, there were rumors that she was going around with counterfeit notes and scamming old people. I don’t think she even tried to redeem herself with the Tang Family. She’s merely trying to fool all of us...”

“My friend works for Tang Corps. To compete for inheritance, I heard that Tang Xuan used all kinds of dirty methods. I think Tang Corps took away her child because they are afraid that she would lead it down the wrong path.”

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“Tang Xuan tried to remove Tangning’s uterus and even sold information about her to others. How does she deserve to be a mother? Mothers would never be able to do something as disgusting as this.”

“You guys may feel pity for Tang Xuan right now. But, I can bet, if the Tang Family hadn’t taken away her child, she would have used it as leverage to threaten the Tang’s.”

“I really don’t know how, at this point, there could still be anyone that feels sympathy for her. Entertainment gossip is just to kill time. After you’ve taken a look at it, then move on. Why bother attacking Tang Corps and Tangning?”

Xia Yuling’s standpoint was firm. She clearly expressed to everyone that Tang Corps did not owe Tang Xuan anything and they no longer had anything to do with her.

With the addition of Hai Rui’s power, Tang Xuan’s incident was automatically suppressed so that it could no longer linger around to waste everyone’s time and energy.

As a result, Tang Xuan injured herself for nothing.

In this world, not a simple person felt sympathy for her any more. She had completely become ‘The boy who cried wolf’.

Inside the hospital room, Tang Xuan had just awoken.

She froze as she watched the entertainment news. At this time, the nurse lowered her head and said to her, "The driver that hit you has already paid for your hospital fees this time. As for the money you owed previously – based on morals – the hospital will complete your treatment without pursuing you for it. But, afterwards, we hope that Miss Tang can leave immediately."

Their so-called morals was merely fear that Tang Xuan would cause an even bigger problem.

The amount of paparazzi that surrounded them everyday, had already interfered with the order of the hospital.

In reality, the hospital had come to this compromise because they had previously received donations from Tang Corps. To stabilize Tang Xuan, this was the decision that the hospital board finally came to. Even though, up until the last votes were cast, the hospital staff did not want to accept this result.

Because, they obviously knew what type of person she was, yet they had to treat her well with good food, drink and shelter. This was like staring at a pile of sh\*t, yet eating it even though one knew what it was.

If she had been a good person, they would have been more than willing.

But, for a person to be capable of receiving hate from the entire nation, regardless of their age and gender, they would have to be extremely skilled. Yet, Tang Xuan obviously achieved it.

Meanwhile, lying in bed, Tang Xuan's mind was completely blank. After quite some time, she finally asked, "Why didn't the driver just kill me?"

"Give the driver a break. He is innocent. He is a young entrepreneur that just started up his business. By running out like that, you caused him to hand over the only bit of cash that he had."

"Tang Xuan, you aren't the only person in this world. Don't think of yourself so highly; the world doesn't revolve around you."

"The difference between you and Tangning has nothing to do with appearance nor other factors. The difference is simply your heart."

"And one more thing that I almost forgot to tell you. Your left leg may be slightly crippled from now on."

After speaking, the nurse looked at Tang Xuan helplessly before she turned and left the room.

Crippled!

Tang Xuan suddenly burst out into tears and laughter. It seemed, everytime she thought of a way to go against Tangning, Tangning would end up better off while she would become even more pitiful.

"I give up. I can't compete with her anymore..."

"But, is there anyone that could help me?"

The answer was, of course, no!

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Because of their background with Tang Xuan, Tang Corps successfully freed themselves from the incident and wasn't implicated. On top of that, Xia Yuling clearly showed that she was firm on her decision to never forgive someone that had tried to hurt her family.

Tangning did not involve herself in this incident at all, she merely stayed at home and focused on her pregnancy. Of course, she wasn't sure whether Hua Wenfeng would be pleased by this result.

At this moment, the two women were sitting in the living room watching the news. Seeing Xia Yuling appear on the screen, Hua Wenfeng turned to Tangning and asked, "Xiao Ning, when can I meet your mother?"

"Oh, mom...I'm sorry, I should have made arrangements earlier. I have been too inconsiderate," Tangning replied in a humble manner.

When one couldn't read the other person, the best option was to retreat.

By always admitting to be the one in the wrong, the other party's anger could be reduced by at least half.

"I will make a phone call to arrange it right now..."

"No rush," Hua Wenfeng put down the remote in her hand and walked over to Tangning, "Is your mother currently in charge at Tang Corps?"

"Yes. I am currently pregnant, so there are a lot of things that are inconvenient for me to handle."

"That's true. We can talk about it again after you give birth," Hua Wenfeng smiled.

From the sounds of it, Tangning gathered that Hua Wenfeng wanted her to return to Tang Corps and take over.

This made Tangning feel slightly uncomfortable. Although Hua Wenfeng did not directly cast judgment on her and Mo Ting's life, she hinted it in her words.

"By the way, I've arranged to have dinner with the professor from the biological research institute. He used to be Mo Ting's doctor and took care of him for many years. Will you have time tomorrow to accompany me?"

Tangning nodded her head to the invitation without hesitation, "Of course I do, mom."

"Great."

During the battle of two flawless people, the victor could not be determined on the surface. Because neither party made any mistakes for the other to latch onto.

Tangning could open her heart to Mo Ting, but...

...she couldn't say a word of how she really felt in front of Hua Wenfeng.

Since ancient times, the study of the relationship between a mother-in-law and a daughter-in-law, had always been difficult. Even for her, there was no exception.

Not long after, Mo Ting arrived home. Seeing the expressions on Tangning and Hua Wenfeng's face, he could roughly guess what had happened.

So, he directly sat down beside Tangning and wrapped his arm around her shoulder. He then said to Hua Wenfeng, "Mom...since you're back, there are some things I need to clarify with you."

"I do not want to be a part of some rich-family drama."

"If there's something you want to say, then say it. Stop giving off a weird vibe and stop hinting things in front of Tangning. This is not how we act in this household."

"The woman that I, Mo Ting, have married, is not to be scolded or made to suffer in any way. If you need more servants, I can hire as many as you want. But, I will not allow you to hurt Tangning."

"I don't expect that you will definitely accept Ning..."

"But, please don't interfere in the way that we live our lives."

"You once said that you'd pretend that you had never given birth to me. In that case, please pretend you don't have this daughter-in-law either."

It was originally expected that after hearing these words, Hua Wenfeng would be angered. But, she continued to smile, "Son, I gave birth to you, so, I of course understand you."

"I am not the way you think I am!"