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Zhu Bajie was stunned when he realized that Yang Jian had attacked to kill him. He lifted his hands quickly to cast a protective shield!

Bang!

The next second, Yang Jian's saber shadow slashed onto the protective shield violently. An earth-shaking sound could be heard before the protective screen immediately shattered!

Pfft!

Zhu Bajie spat a mouthful of blood as he was flung backward. Finally, he smashed onto the city wall and fell to the ground.

'F*ck! How are Yang Jian's powers so terrifying?'

Zhu Bajie wiped the blood off the corner of his lips and stood up. He glared at Yang Jian; he was shocked to his core.

He had been confident that he could block Yang Jian's attack. He was the Heavenly Reeds Marshal, which meant that Zhu Bajie and Yang Jian were equal in powers.

However, Emperor Hou Yi had kept Zhu Bajie locked up for a thousand years, so he had slacked off in his cultivation.

A thousand years had passed, so Yang Jian's powers had long surpassed Zhu Bajie!

"Zhu Bajie, die!"

Yang Jian leapt onto the Howling Celestial Dog's back. It was as if a deity had descended from heaven. The Tri-pointed Double-edged saber in Yang Jian's hand exploded once again, and a terrifying beam rushed toward Zhu Bajie.

'F*ck!'

He no longer wanted to continue the fight when he realized the difference between his powers and Yang Jian's. He erupted his internal energy and sent an attack as well, but it had used up all of his might!

Bang!

The attack and the saber's beam clashed. Zhu Bajie's internal energy was almost emptied due to that attack. His powers were also extremely terrifying; the surrounding air distorted as well! Even Yang Jian was forced to step back to avoid the attack!

Buzz!

Zhu Bajie took the chance to retrieve a jade flask quickly. He spilt a cloud of poisonous smoke, turned around, and ran off.

He had carried the flask of poisonous smoke with him all along. He had a playful personality, so he would carry many rare items on him, for example, the Transfiguration Powder that he had given to Darryl to pretend as Hou Yi. The poisonous smoke was one of them too!

The smoke was everywhere. Yang Jian and the other guards did not dare to chase after Zhu Bajie. When the smoke was gone, they could no longer find the man.

Bang!

Yang Jian was extremely furious! He punched the wall. Zhu Bajie had managed to escape under his nose; his expressions had darkened.

“Hunt Zhu Bajie down! It does not matter whether he is captured alive or dead!” Yang Jian ordered coldly.

He clenched his fist tightly; he was unspeakably furious.

He had only ascended the throne as the new Emperor. He was almighty, yet Zhu Bajie managed to escape his claws!

‘It does not matter where you go; you will not escape from me.’

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Meanwhile, at the North Moana’s Royal City Prison.

Celine and Queenie had just woken up, so Chang Er could no longer use her nobility to scold and chase after Darryl!

Suddenly, the atmosphere was extremely awkward.

Chang Er glared at Darryl. She was about to meditate and rest when they heard a commotion from outside. It was quite noisy.

Chang Er was annoyed by the noise. She yelled, “Hey!”

A prison guard immediately went to her. He said respectfully, “Lady Chang Er, is there anything I can do for you?”

The guard felt conflicted.

Even though she was imprisoned, she was still Lady Chang Er. He did not dare to slack off.

“Why is it so noisy outside? What is going on?” Chang Er furrowed her brows. Her red lips opened slightly when she asked the question; she was irritated.

Uh...

The guard scratched his head; he was confused. “I do not know as well. I’ll go take a look!”

Then, he quickly walked outside.

Soon after that, the guard ran back into the prison. He sweated profusely.

“Lady Chang Er!” He wiped the cold sweat on his forehead and spoke in a conflicted tone. “Zhu Bajie has appeared. His Majesty has taken action himself!”

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Zhu Bajie had appeared?

Chang Er trembled when she heard that. Her exquisite face was filled with surprise and delight!

If Yang Jian took action personally, then he would definitely be able to capture Zhu Bajie, and as long as he caught Zhu Bajie, her name could be cleared!

Chang Er still did not know why Emperor Hou Yi would carve Zhu Bajie and her name on the jade platform before he died.

She believed that she could prove her innocence as soon as they captured Zhu Bajie.

'What?'

Darryl, on the other hand, paled. He almost jumped up when he heard that.

'If Yang Jian were there personally, then Zhu Bajie must be in danger.'

"What is the situation now?"

Chang Er snapped back to her senses. She asked the guard, "Has Zhu Bajie been captured?"

Her beautiful face was full of hope when she asked that.

The guard shook his head. "He escaped!"

'Escaped?'

Chang Er was disappointed. She continued to ask when it seemed like the guard had something else to say. "How did he escape?"

"Lady Chang Er—" The guard lowered his head. He replied in a conflicted tone, "When Zhu Bajie and His Majesty fought, Zhu Bajie admitted that he met with you and caused the previous emperor's death. Lady Chang Er, I can't say anything else. I should go!"

Then, the guard turned and left hastily.

Swoosh!

Chang Er trembled. Her face was flushed. She was so embarrassed and furious that she almost passed out.

'Despicable! Damn you, Zhu Bajie. How dare he simply say things that did not happen?'

Darryl was stunned as well. His mind buzzed, and he was baffled!

'F*ck! Brother Zhu admitted to dating Chang Er?'

Emperor Hou Yi's death was due to Darryl's mimic technique; he had infuriated the Emperor to his death. However, why did Zhu Bajie admit to it?

Unless he had indeed dated Chang Er?

Darryl turned around and looked at Chang Er. His gaze was interrogative and complicated as he asked, "Lady Chang Er, did you and Zhu Bajie—"

Chang Er interrupted him before he could finish his question.

"Shut up!" An ice-cold voice echoed from Chang Er's lips. Her exquisite face was filled with fury and embarrassment. "Stop speculating! Zhu Bajie and I have no relationship whatsoever."

Chang Er was so furious that she continued to tremble furiously.

Zhu Bajie was too despicable! It was one thing not to tell the truth, he had ruined her reputation as well! He truly deserved to die!

Darryl was the same; he had continued to fan the situation by speaking nonsense.

'Well, I'm just asking. Did she have to be so angry?' Darryl scratched his head; he felt helpless. However, he changed his line of thoughts when he suddenly realized something.

Zhu Bajie was always horny, and he lusted after Chang Er for more than a thousand years. When they escaped from the Royal City, Zhu Bajie still did not forget to tease Chang Er. It looked like Zhu Bajie had intentionally admitted to the crime so that he could be with Chang Er.

That must have been the reason.

When Darryl finally understood that, he did not know whether to cry or to laugh.

Zhu Bajie was truly bold—he would admit to such a colossal crime just to be associated with Chang Er!

That was about Emperor Hou Yi's death. Even if he had managed to escape the fight, Yang Jian would still chase after him.

Darryl suddenly felt anxious when he thought about that.

“Lady Chang Er!”

Queenie could not take it any longer—she yelled at Chang Er. “Darryl was just asking; why do you have to be so fierce? Also, even Zhu Bajie had admitted to it! Why are you still denying it?”

Then, she pouted and spoke with dissatisfaction. “You dated Zhu Bajie; how dare you—”

Queenie was a kindhearted girl; she would not speak to Chang Er that way if it were under normal circumstances. She was upset because Chang Er had been rude to Darryl.

Queenie thought that Darryl was an omnipotent hero. No one had the right to scold him, not even the high and mighty Lady Chang Er.

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“Where did this b*tch come from?!” Chang Er’s expressions changed. She looked at Queenie and said, “You’re a peasant; what right do you have to comment on my affairs? You say one more sentence, and I’ll kill you!”

Then, Chang Er lifted her hands and was about to hit Queenie.

“Bring it on! No one is afraid of you!”

Queenie did not panic at all. She stuck her tongue out at Chang Er; she looked mischievous.

She had noticed that Chang Er’s internal energy was sealed when the woman chased Darryl around the room. She could not use any of it, and more importantly, Darryl was there. Queenie was not afraid that Chang Er would hit her.

Swoosh!

Darryl quickly rushed forward and blocked Queenie from Chang Er. He smiled and said, “It’s alright, it’s alright. My little sister is a little direct; she would always say what’s on her mind. Lady Chang Er, don’t mind her.”

His face also had hints of mischievousness. He continued to say, “Furthermore, Lady Chang Er and Brother Zhu have a very close relationship. Technically, you are also my sister-in-law. We are one family; we can’t kill each other. Otherwise, we’ll be a joke for other people.”

Swoosh!

Chang Er’s exquisite face was instantly flushed. She was so angry that she stomped her feet. “Who wants to be your sister-in-law? Move aside!”

She was so furious that she was about to pass out.

It was all Zhu Bajie’s fault. He had admitted that they had an affair; it would be impossible to clear her name then.

Buzz! Buzz! Buzz!

Suddenly, sounds of reverberation came from the ground. It was not loud, but they could hear it.

‘F*ck! What is going on?’

Darryl frowned. He lowered his head and gazed at the ground. He noticed a stone slab on the floor moved upward before soil spurted to both its sides. Then, a deep hole appeared.

It looked like someone had just made a hole in the ground.

Woo!

Queenie quickly retreated behind Celine. They looked at the hole in the ground with curiosity and nervousness. Who would be so bold as to drill a hole all the way into the prison?

Chang Er was extremely calm; her gorgeous face had no reaction.

Swoosh!

A small figure quickly scurried from the hole in the ground. That person wore a tight yellow ochre leather suit, and he had a deer-like face, rat-like eyes, with a sharp jaw and thin face. He looked like a huge rat.

The man seemed to be in his 30s or 40s. His eyes looked cunning and intelligent, not like someone who could be easily offended. However, he was only less than a meter tall, so he looked comical.

Darryl chuckled discreetly. 'Where did this dwarf come from?'

Darryl was stunned when he saw the person's figure. Then, he was delighted. However, he did not dare to laugh out loud because he sensed that the person was a Heaven Ascension cultivator. Who would dare laugh at him?

'Who is this person?'

Celine and Queenie were shocked as well.

Thud!

The dwarf did not even look at Darryl, Celine, and Queenie. He immediately walked toward Chang Er, bent his knees, and knelt. His tone was extremely polite when he said, "Your subject, Tu Xingsun, is late to your rescue. I hope Lady Chang Er will have mercy on me!"

'What? He is Tu Xingsun?'

Darryl's jaw dropped. He was utterly stunned.

The ancient manuals mentioned a powerful cultivator called Tu Xingsun during the Shang Dynasty. He was short but strong. He was famous in the world of cultivators for his underground transfer technique. No matter the danger, he could always escape underground.

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Darryl was familiar with the ancient manuals, so he knew about Tu Xingsun. However, he did not expect to meet him in a North Moana prison.

'F*ck! Who knew that Tu Xingsun would live for so long, and he's even Chang Er's man?'

Darryl had guessed correctly—Tu Xingsun was under Chang Er's command, indeed. The cultivators in North Moana had hunted him a thousand years ago because of his evil deeds. Chang Er was the one who rescued him. She knew that his underground transfer technique was the best in the world, so she took him under her wing.

That was why Tu Xingsun was extremely grateful toward her. He followed her everywhere and obeyed her every command. However, Chang Er rarely brought him with her due to his ugly looks. She would only summon him if she needed him for a job.

"Tu Xingsun!"

Chang Er's face was calm as she glanced at him. "Why are you late?"

Chang Er and Tu Xingsun had a unique way of communication.

She knew that she would not be able to defeat Yang Jian, so she sent a discrete signal to Tu Xingsun for a rescue.

That was why she did not resist when they imprisoned her. She even seemed calm.

However, Tu Xingsun had appeared later than she had expected, so Chang Er wanted to know the reason.

"Lady Chang Er!"

Tu Xingsun smiled bitterly as he lowered his head, "There were too many guards surrounding the prison; they even patrolled the sky. It was too heavily guarded. I was delayed because it took a huge effort to avoid the guards."

Then, he lifted his head; he looked serious. "But, don't worry, Lady Chang Er. The hole leads to a way out of the Royal City. Let's leave quickly. We'll go first and then decide what to do later!"

Hmm!

Chang Er nodded. However, her gorgeous face still looked conflicted.

She was the high and mighty Lady Chang Er, so she was unwilling to escape via the underground route. However, she had no choice. She would not be able to explain her supposed affair with Zhu Bajie. Yang Jian would not believe her as well. If she continued to stay in prison, it would only be a disadvantage for her.

Chang Er and Tu Xingsun were about to jump into the hole.

“Hey, wait up!”

Darryl quickly walked toward them. He smiled at Chang Er and said, “Lady Chang Er, please take us along!”

Darryl had not wanted to plead with her. He had planned to use the hole after Chang Er and Tu Xingsun had left.

However, he realized that Tu Xingsun’s underground transfer technique was bar none. What if they entered the hole and he immediately sealed the entrance? By then, Darryl and the two ladies would not be able to follow them.

Swoosh!

Chang Er frowned. She did not answer him; her face looked indifferent.

“Who the hell are you?”

Tu Xingsun walked forward and sized Darryl up. “Lady Chang Er is of noble status. Why should she take you along? Who do you think you are? Do you think you’re worthy of following Lady Chang Er?”

Uh...

Darryl scratched his head, smiled, and replied, “Lady Chang Er is one of our own. To put it more accurately, she’s family. Since we’re family, how could she not save us when we’re in trouble? Am I right, Lady Chang Er?”

Pfft!

Chang Er blushed terribly. She spat and snarled, “No one here is your family! Stop with the nonsense. You deserve to die! Tu Xingsun, kill him!”

Darryl was too rude. She did not have any relationships with Zhu Bajie, yet he continued to emphasize that they were family to humiliate her.

He must be suicidal.

“Yes, Lady Chang Er!” Tu Xingsun immediately replied to her.

Buzz!

The next second, a strong aura erupted from Tu Xingsun’s body. His small, thin figure was like a cannonball, and he attacked Darryl!

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One would say that Tu Xingsun's Heaven Ascension level powers were extremely terrifying. In the blink of an eye, his attack was already right in front of Darryl.

"Darryl, be careful!"

"Darryl!"

Celine and Queenie's expressions changed as they exclaimed out loud.

Tu Xingsun was too quick. Darryl's internal energy had been sealed, so he could not avoid that attack!

"Lady Chang Er!"

Darryl's face paled. When the attack almost hit him, he yelled, "If you take us with you, I'll help you clear your name. I can prove that you did not kill Emperor Hou Yi!"

He looked at Chang Er tightly with a severe expression on his face.

"Tu Xingsun, stop." Chang Er lifted her hands and stopped Tu Xingsun's attack.

Tu Xingsun immediately retreated.

Darryl could feel the heavy attack vanished right before his eyes. He immediately sighed in relief.

"Darryl!"

Then, Chang Er walked toward him; she sized Darryl up. "What did you say? You have a way to clear my name? How would you prove my innocence?"

Chang Er's face was calm, yet she felt the urgency in her heart. She was like any other woman in the entire world; her feminine virtue was much more important than her life. As long as she could clear her name, she was still the high and mighty Moon Palace Fairy that everyone adored and respected.

Woo!

As he faced Chang Er's gaze, Darryl let out a breath. He smiled and said, "I will only tell you how to prove your innocence once you take us away from here."

Darryl was extremely sincere. “Lady Chang Er, please don’t blame me for being cautious. What if I told you now, and then you get Tu Xingsun to kill us; wouldn’t I lose then?”

“How bold of you!” Tu Xingsun jumped forward, pointed at Darryl, and reprimanded him. “How dare you bargain with Lady Chang Er. You must be suicidal!” Then, he was about to attack him again.

“Tu Xingsun, step back!” Lady Chang Er admonished him lightly.

The dwarf glared at Darryl and stepped backward reluctantly.

“Very well!”

Chang Er pondered for a few seconds. Then, she looked at Darryl and said, “I shall believe you for now. But, let me warn you—if you dare to lie to me, I will hunt you down like dogs to the ends of the world!”

‘F*ck! I already said that I’d help you; why are you still calling me a dog?’

As he muttered in his heart, Darryl forced a smile on his face. He nodded and said, “Lady Chang Er, relax, I won’t lie to you!”

Chang Er did not bother to say anything else. She signaled at Tu Xingsun to enter the hole in the ground first.

Darryl did not dare wait; he yelled for Celine and Queenie to follow suit.

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Meanwhile, in an apartment in Yunzhou City’s Beaucreek district in the World Universe.

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Samantha sat on a sofa in a brightly lit elegant hall. Her gorgeous face looked anxious.

Lily had bought that apartment when they left Donghai City to start all over again. She founded an advertising company in Yunzhou City, earned some money, and bought her first apartment.

A man in a long robe sat in front of Samantha. His thin face looked malicious—it was the Tucker Cult's Cult Master, Watson Tucker!

Dozens of Tucker Cult disciples stood behind him, and they had a fierce glare on their faces.

“Madam Samantha!”

At that moment, Watson sat there in a relaxing manner. He said slowly, “I heard that you are Darryl's mother-in-law. Tell us, how can we lure him out of hiding?”

Darryl had led Megan into the North Moana Palace and trapped her there with formations. Then, he beat Kent and Fanny up before he left. At that time, the cultivators there did not dare to stop him. When they finally snapped back to their senses, they tried to enter the palace to rescue Megan. However, when they realized that they had very powerful guards, the cultivators changed their mind. They still needed to rescue Megan.

They had to do that because Megan had forced the cultivators to consume the Dark Day Pull. They would not be able to get the antidote if anything were to happen to Megan. If the poison were to take effect, then they would die.

After much discussion, they decided to start with Darryl!

After all, he was the reason Megan was still stuck in the palace. He must have a solution for that.

However, they did not know where the man was; he was too hard to locate. So, someone suggested that they should look at his friends and family.

Watson found out that Darryl had a woman in Yunzhou City—Lily. So they were there to look for her.

“I—” Samantha shook her head. She said nervously, “I do not know where he is—”

She sensed that the people in front of her were powerful cultivators; they could not be easily offended!

“You don’t know?” Watson sneered. His eyes turned cold. “I heard that Darryl stayed with you as your live-in son-in-law for three years. As his mother-in-law, how could you not know his whereabouts?”

“I really don’t know!”

Samantha panicked. She said with disappointment, “To be honest, my daughter is dead because of him—” Before she could finish her sentence, Samantha covered her face as she cried.

William Lyndon had owed an enormous debt a few months before that, and Granny Lyndon had no money to repay his debts. So, she told the creditors that Lily had the money to repay them, and they kidnapped Lily to the mountains. Eventually, the Mouse Sect rescued Lily.

However, Samantha did not know about that. She only knew what her daughter was still missing. She had made a police report, but they did not have any leads.

Then, Samantha went to Donghai City to ask the Lyndon family, and William told her that Darryl had done the same. They had given him the information. It meant that Lily’s disappearance had something to do with Darryl.

Samantha believed that, so she loathed Darryl to the bones!

If her daughter were alive, she would have told her the same thing. However, many months had gone by, yet she still had not heard anything about her daughter. Lily must have been in trouble.

“You—” Samantha wiped the tears off the corner of her eyes. She asked cautiously, “My fellow good men, why are you looking for Darryl?”

Samantha looked sad when she said that. She was furious at Darryl.

He must have been the one to blame. He must have gotten into some trouble again and implicated her!

Watson stood up slowly as he looked at Samantha and sneered. “Darryl betrayed our trust and set up Alliance Master Castello. He has trapped her in the North Moana Palace, so we’re looking for him to find a way to rescue Alliance Master Castello! Otherwise, the entire World Universe will be without a leader, and we’d be in trouble!”

Each sect’s cultivators had consumed the Dark Day Pill; if something were to happen to Megan, then the entire world of cultivators would be in a mess.

‘What?’

Samantha was shocked.

'Darryl, that b*stard! How dare he hurt the Alliance Master?'

Samantha said anxiously, "My fellow good men, this is a misunderstanding. I have no relationship with Darryl. Also, he hurt my daughter, and I want to slap him so badly!"

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Samantha stood up and looked at Watson. She said cautiously, “Why don’t I give you my contact number? If I have news of Darryl, I’ll inform you immediately. How’s that?”

Watson nodded and sneered in his heart. ‘Darryl, oh, Darryl. You’ve failed as a human! Even your mother-in-law has personally offered to deal with you.’

Watson’s lips curled into a smile. He looked at Samantha and nodded in agreement. “Great, that’s great!”

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Meanwhile, in Yunzhou City in the World Universe.

The skies had gotten dark, but the streets were brightly lit.

The Yunzhou International Hotel was the most luxurious hotel in Yunzhou City. Those who stayed there were wealthy and influential.

At that moment, Giselle Lindt and Lana Thomas sat on the sofa in the luxury suite on the top floor!

Giselle and Lana were celebrities under Darryl’s entertainment company. Giselle was Darryl’s schoolmate, and Lana was Darryl’s teacher. For the past few years, they had achieved even more fame under the direction of Darryl’s company. They were already at the top of their game in the industry.

The suite was the most luxurious and largest in the entire hotel—it was elegant and majestic. There was a feast in the main hall—the table had so many dishes.

However, Giselle and Lana were a little nervous.

They were there to meet their new boss. When Megan became the Alliance Master, she had gotten rid of everything that had to do with Darryl, and that included Darrell Entertainment, which was under Darryl’s name. Darryl’s company had gone bankrupt, and that meant Giselle and Lana lost their jobs as well.

However, other entertainment companies had offered to sign Giselle and Lana under their wing. After all, they were still huge celebrities.

Giselle and Lana were there that night to meet the new boss.

Even though they had considerable achievements in the entertainment industry, they still had to be signed to a company. So, they were nervous about meeting their new boss.

Squeak!

Right at that moment, someone pushed the suite door open, and a middle-aged man entered the room slowly!

He was in his 40s, but he looked very stylish. He had angular features, and he had a beard. He looked like someone girls would love at first sight. He was in a casual suit, and he looked like a gentleman.

Giselle and Lana looked at each other discreetly. The anxiety in their hearts had lessened!

Such a gentleman!

Giselle and Lana smiled when he entered the room—he should be their new boss. They thought it would be relaxing and exciting to work for that boss.

“My, my, my!”

He walked up to them, smiled, and said, “Miss Giselle, Miss Lana, I’m so sorry to have kept you waiting. I am Walter Hart, the owner of Galaxy Entertainment!” His actions were chivalrous, and that was what made everyone feel much better when they met him.

Giselle and Lana had wanted to sign under Galaxy Entertainment!

They quickly stood up and shook hands with Walter.

Walter smiled as he took their hands. They only touched for a while—he did not take any advantage of them. That had left a great impression on those two ladies.

“You two are such huge celebrities. It is my honor to sign you to my company.” Walter smiled as he praised them. Then, he retrieved two exquisite boxes from behind him.

“Miss Giselle, Miss Lana, it is nice to meet you for the first time. Here is a little gift to show my appreciation!”

Walter opened the box.

Gasp!

Giselle and Lana shuddered when they saw what was in it!

Each of the boxes had a diamond necklace—the stones shimmered charmingly. The diamond was as big as a pigeon's egg.

Such an exquisite diamond necklace would cost more than 10 million bucks!

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“Uh...”

At that moment, Giselle and Lana felt touched.

Their new boss was too generous! That was the first time they met, and he had already given them such a precious gift.

“Boss Walter, this is a little too much!” Giselle said with flushed cheeks; she had snapped back to her senses!

Then, Lana also bit her lips and said softly, “Yes, this is too expensive. I cannot accept this.”

Walter chuckled.

He smiled and said, “The two of you are the entertainment industry’s huge celebrities; why would a necklace be too much? I was even afraid that it would be too small a gift for the two of you!”

“Thank you.”

Giselle and Lana could not say anything else. So, they thanked him again!

“Quick, quick! Let’s sit!” Walter greeted them attentively. “Two huge stars signing under my company is such a huge matter. It deserves a celebration! We should drink to it!”

Walter pulled the chair out for both ladies.

Giselle and Lana did not hesitate at all—they sat down. Their alcohol tolerance had always been relatively poor. However, that was the first time they had met the new boss, so they could not reject him.

After a few rounds of wine and food, Walter told his subordinates to give the contracts to the ladies so that they could sign them.

At that moment, Giselle and Lana were pretty drunk. They did not even read the contract closely before they signed it. Their new boss was a chivalrous person; he would not do anything terrible to them!

Walter chuckled.

When he saw that the two of them had signed the contract, Walter smiled and said, "Congratulations, my goddesses! I officially welcome you to Galaxy Entertainment! I hope that we will do good work together and create more wonderful moments for the future!"

Then, Walter made a gesture. "It is still quite early; why don't we head to the film set to take a look?"

Hmm!

Giselle nodded in relief, and Lana did not refuse as well.

At that moment, Walter smiled again and said, "I'll get someone to arrange this."

Soon, he called his assistant and invited Giselle and Lana to his car. They left the hotel together.

Walter told them that Galaxy Entertainment had only built a large-scale film and television studio in Yunzhou City.

Giselle and Lana were extremely excited to hear that. After all, their careers would be brighter since the company had more resources for them to use.

Hmm?

However, when the car was out of the city, Giselle sensed that something was up. She turned her head and looked at Walter. "Boss Walter, isn't the studio in the west suburbs? Why are we at the east side?"

Lana frowned as well.

They noticed that the car slowed down a little. They reached a place that had newly built villas. The district had only just been developed, so not many people stayed there yet.

Walter smiled. "Oh, I noticed that the two of you had one too many. So, I thought I'd let you rest before we head to the film set!"

Then, Walter pointed to a nearby villa. "I recently bought this villa and renovated it. This place is quite near to the film set. If you two don't mind, please rest here first."

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Giselle and Lana shuddered upon hearing his words as they looked at each other at the same time.

Walter invited them to rest at his villa?

Giselle bit her lip gently and embarrassingly said, "Boss Walter, I think it's a little inappropriate for us to go to your villa. Why don't you just send us back home and we'll tour the film set tomorrow."

Lana then immediately chimed in as well, "Yes, it's late as well and we don't want to trouble you."

They have only met for the first time. How could they rest at his place?

"It's no trouble!" Walter shook his head and smiled non-nonchalantly. "Both of you have already signed with my company and are my people. How could it be a problem for me?"

"Boss, I..."

Giselle panicked a little and wanted to say something. At the same time, she got up and wanted to get out of the car. However, she just spoke a few words when she suddenly frowned, trembled, and slumped back down.

Giselle did not look well. 'Strange, I was well just now, how come suddenly I feel weak? Even if my alcohol tolerance is bad, I did not drink much.'

"Giselle!"

Lana quickly asked upon seeing this situation, "What happened?"

Giselle opened her red lips slightly and was about to say something when Walter interrupted her.

"Miss Giselle!" Walter curled his lips while looking a little malicious. "Are you feeling weak all over? Like you can't exert any strength?"

'Hmm?'

Giselle's exquisite face changed expressions upon hearing that and looked curiously at Walter. "Boss Walter? What's going on?"

Lana started to inexplicably panic at the same time as she gazed closely at Walter and waited for his answer.

“Hehe...” Walter chuckled maliciously while feeling proud of himself. “It’s nothing. I only added a little something into your wine! Don’t worry, your life isn’t in danger.”

What? Did he drug the wine?

Giselle was extremely shocked, embarrassed, and furious at that moment. She did not expect the surface gentleman-like Walter was this sort of person.

The type that used despicable tactics to secretly drug his celebrities.

Walter’s smile widened at that moment as he sized Giselle up and praised, “Miss Giselle, don’t blame me. I was honestly extremely attracted to you when you first debuted. I’ve dreamt about you daily—hoping you would sign to my company one day as I would then have the chance to appreciate your beauty once you did!

“My dreams finally came true! However, I had waited more than 10 years for this day. Miss Giselle, don’t worry. I’ll guarantee no one can touch you in the entertainment industry as long as you become my woman.”

Walter’s face was full of pride as he said that. His eyes started to wander on her as he became bolder.

“You...”

Giselle was shocked and furious as she glared at Walter fiercely. She was livid.

She had been in the entertainment industry for more than 10 years and was considered experienced. She could roughly gauge their character just by one look no matter who, but had not expected to be tricked by Walter.

Walter might seem like a good man, but he was a monster.

It was despicable.

Lana was furious as well at that moment with her darkened expressions. She glared at Walter and reprimanded, “Walter Hart, you’re a respectable person of high status. How could you use such despicable tactics? Aren’t you afraid I’ll expose you?”

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“Expose?”

Walter did not panic at all and gently chuckled. “Miss Lana, you must be joking. I’m only taking you here to rest. I haven’t done anything to you. What are you going to expose me for?”

Lana blushed upon hearing that and was suddenly rendered speechless.

Walter was right. He only drugged the wine but had not done anything to Giselle or her yet. There was no hard proof, hence they could not do anything against him.

Walter slowly continued upon seeing Lana’s reaction, “Miss Lana, don’t worry. I’ve not only drugged Giselle’s but also your wine. I guess it should happen anytime now.”

Swoosh!

Lana’s expressions changed at his last word as she could feel her entire body went weak and could not exert any force.

“Walter Hart, you...”

Lana was extremely furious and embarrassed at that moment as she bit her lip tightly. “You b*stard!”

She was chaste all these years in the entertainment industry. There had never been rumors, nor had she ever exchanged sex for a favor from those entertainment industry’s unspoken rule. However, she did not expect that she fell into Walter’s hands.

“Tsk, tsk, no wonder you’re such a huge star. You’re so sexy and attractive even when you’re angry. I must have both of you tonight.”

Lana’s reprimands did not affect Walter. On the contrary, he became even more excited and grabbed Lana as he said that.

The drug had affected Lana to the extent she could not exert any strength or avoid him as her wrist was tightly grabbed.

Walter went closer toward her at that moment. He then sniffed her with an enthralled face. “You smell nice!”

Lana was extremely livid. She wanted to struggle but could not break free from the tight wrist grasp.

“Stop!”

Giselle suddenly could not take it any longer upon seeing this scene and yelled, “Walter Hart, you foul beast. Let go of Miss Lana!”

Although they have been working together in the entertainment industry for so many years, Lana would always be her teacher in Giselle’s heart.

“Oh?”

Walter turned his head and looked at Giselle upon hearing those words with a mischievous smile. “My gorgeous Giselle, why are you so agitated? Has the drug taken effect and you can’t wait any longer? Don’t worry, I haven’t forgotten you. Later, we’ll play together when we enter the room. Haha.”

Walter seems proud of himself as he said that with completely malicious eyes.

The two entertainment industry’s biggest stars had been subdued by him. It was exciting.

However, Walter’s attention was all on Giselle at that moment as he ignored Lana.

Lana bit her lips tightly as she took a small bottle out and aimed it at Walter’s eyes.

Psst!

A mist was sprayed out in the next second which caused Walter to wail in pain. He then opened the car door while rubbing his eyes before ended up rolling on the floor and kept yelling.

“Ah, my eyes! You b*tch! I’ll never forgive you.”

Lana had indeed used pepper spray.

Previously, she was always harassed when she was still a teacher in the school due to her looks. Later on, she was noticed by many people with bad intentions when she became a star. Although she always had a bodyguard, she also always carried pepper spray with her for safety reasons.

Only that she never had the chance to use it. She finally could use it against a monster like Walter this time.

“Giselle!”

Lana could not think much at that moment. She did not know where she got the strength, but she pulled Giselle and quickly stumbled down from the car and ran toward the city.

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'Are they running away?'

Walter could not open his eyes due to the pepper spray's spiciness, but he heard the movements. He was extremely furious when he found out that Giselle and Lana had escaped from the car.

Walter yelled in the direction of the Villa the next second. "Men! Take those two b*tches down for me!"

Walter had arranged for two personal bodyguards in the villa.

Swoosh! Swoosh!

Two bodyguards quickly rushed out from the villa upon his commands before chasing after Giselle and Lana.

The two of them could not run fast at all as they had been drugged.

"Miss Lana, what do we do?"

Giselle suddenly panicked upon seeing the two bodyguards getting closer and closer. She was trembling and feeling extremely anxious.

"It'll be fine! Don't be afraid!" Lana bit her lip hard and gently comforted her.

Lana seemed calm on the surface but was in fact also extremely worried.

They were done for. How could two weak women fight against two bodyguards? Could they not escape from the hands of Walter the monster tonight?

Buzz!

A strong aura suddenly erupted not far away in the skies as a lady flew down from mid-air upon seeing the bodyguards almost approaching Giselle and Lana.

This lady in a dark blue long dress had an extremely amazing figure and attractive features like a fairy descending to Earth.

It was the Ice Fire Island's heiress—Stella Scope! First Scope and his brothers were behind her.

Stella and Quincy Long came to rescue Darryl not long ago when Megan captured him. Both of them were fighting over Darryl and wanted to rescue him for themselves, but Megan took the opportunity and left with Darryl in the end which caused Stella to be upset.

Stella later followed after Megan and Darryl and found out that Darryl had trapped Megan in the North Moana Continent Palace, but his whereabouts were unknown after that.

Stella was worried something had happened to him, so she came to the World Universe in search of Darryl. She then found out that Darryl stayed with the Carter family after asking around, so she came to Yunzhou City. Coincidentally, she bumped into Giselle and Lana being chased after by Walter's bodyguards.

At that moment, Stella still did not know that Darryl had been captured by Yang Jian and locked in prison as he had also blocked the news about it.

"Woo!"

Giselle and Lana were stunned upon seeing Stella and the Scope brothers.

Although both of them were ordinary people, they could feel a huge aura emitted by Stella and the others.

Gasp!

Walter's bodyguards looked at Stella and gasped with their eyes almost popping out.

Gorgeous!

She was extremely gorgeous!

Such a gorgeous and ethereal person on an equal level with Giselle and Lana. Is this how a fairy descended from heaven looks like?

At that moment, the Scope brothers quickly walked over and started talking among themselves.

"You bunch of bold thieves chasing after two women in bright daylight..."

"Hey, hey, what bright daylight? It's night now..."

"Who cares, they know what I mean..."

The four brothers kept talking among themselves while Giselle and Lana looked at each other. They felt curious and humorous at the same time.

The two bodyguards were stunned too.

'Where did these four sons of b*tches come from?'

One of the bodyguards came to his senses a few seconds later as he glared at the four brothers and yelled, "Don't you know who we are? Stop meddling in our affairs and f*ck off!"

The four of them were clearly from the countryside from wearing clothes made of rough linen while they were Walter's bodyguard who had strong backing support, so they did not pay any attention to the four of them.

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“You must be seeking death!”

First Scope was infuriated upon hearing that as he rolled his sleeves up and immediately rushed over.

He was as swift as lightning and appeared right in front of the two bodyguards in the blink of an eye before slapping them without any warning.

Slap! Slap!

The two bodyguards could not even react as they let out a muffled grunt before flying about 100 meters backward. They saw black and passed out at the same time upon landing terribly on the ground.

“Woo!”

Giselle and Lana extremely anxiously hold each other’s hands tightly upon seeing that scene.

The four of them might have looked simple-minded but were indeed very strong.

“Two ladies,” Stella slowly walked over at that moment with a smile before comforting them, “Don’t be afraid, the four of them are my senior brothers and will never hurt you.”

Giselle and Lana let out a sigh of relief upon hearing that before Giselle smiled and said to Stella, “My heroine, thank you...”

Stella smiled lightly and signaled them not to be so polite before immediately asking, “Are both of you from Yunzhou City?”

Giselle and Lana looked at each other and nodded.

Stella quickly followed up with another question, “Do you know where the Carter family lives? I’m looking for Darryl Darby!”

She just arrived at Yunzhou City and did not know at that moment where the Carter family lived. She also did not know whether Darryl was there or not.

Stella’s beautiful face suddenly seemed slightly more urgent as she thought of Darryl.

‘What? She’s looking for Darryl?’

Giselle shuddered upon hearing that while Lana beside her was stunned as well.

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Meanwhile!

The hole in the underground of the Royal City Prison at North Moana Continent.

Darryl brought Celine and Queenie along—following Chang Er and Tu Xingsun—before finally exiting from the underground about half an hour later.

“Woo!”

Darryl let out a sigh of relief upon exiting the hole in the ground and was unspeakably excited. It felt like a world away upon looking back at that majestic palace!

Thank goodness they were locked up together with Chang Er as Tu Xingsun ended up coming to their rescue. Otherwise, he, Celine, and Queenie might have been locked up for their entire lives.

Tu Xingsun said to Chang Er politely right at that moment, “Lady Chang Er! Let’s quickly leave!”

Although they already left the Royal City, they still had not left Yang Jian’s range of control and had to be cautious.

“Hmm!”

Chang Er responded before Tu Xingsun led them into the far away woods.

Darryl did not think much as he waved at Celine and Queenie to follow closely.

However, they did not go far when Tu Xingsun was stunned and stopped in his tracks. Chang Er immediately stopped as well at the same time!

‘What was going on?’

Darryl frowned as he looked forward and was shocked by the scene. He could not help but gasp in complete bafflement!

Darryl’s jaw dropped along with his completely shocked expression!

He could see there were many soldiers patrolling around that not far away in the woods. Not only were they patrolling in the woods, but also the skies as well.

Yang Jian had clearly sealed off the entire Royal City's surroundings to investigate Emperor Hou Yi's death with the armies like an iron wall. The way forward was completely sealed off to the extent that even a fly could not pass through!

Darryl took a deep breath. Yang Jian had indeed carefully thought this through as he actually sent so many men to guard outside. How could they pass through so many people without being noticed?