Recently, Qin Nan was drowning in frustration. She finally got into Purple Jade Studios and was lucky enough to meet Lin Wenjing on the first day, but that was all. Since then, she could not even find a chance to meet Lin Wenjing, not to mention seducing him.

Since she knew Lin Wenjing's identity, she had lost interest in other men, just like this dandy who was bothering her now. He was the heir of a small company in Hua City whose family had a few ten million of property, but he couldn't be compared to Lin Wenjing at all. If she met this kind of dandy in the past, she might take the relationship further. But now, she was uninterested in him at all.

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Not only was this dandy incomparable to Lin Wenjing in terms of family wealth, that few ten million of family property also belonged to his father, and he had no right in touching it. On the contrary, Lin Wenjing was different because he owned a few billion worth of Purple Jade Studios, and he had full authority in his money. Therefore, both of them were on completely different levels.

Initially, she did not have any plans on drinking in a pub tonight and only came because her friends lured her here. As soon as she got here, she was pestered by this dandy with a surname Pan, which made her extremely annoyed.

She continued the conversation with him perfunctorily with an apathetic look, and there were a few times when she wanted to leave.

That dandy's gaze was completely repulsive. He ogled her chest and her thighs as if he was hoping to pierce his gaze through her shirt, and this made her feel sick.

Just then, her tiresome eyes glimmered, and she straightened up her body while looking at a direction in disbelief. She thought that she had seen wrongly and even rubbed her eyes rapidly. When she stared with widened eyes again, she realized that she had not mistaken, and she immediately trotted in that direction excitedly.

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"Miss Qin, you're so beautiful. Among all those women I've met, you're the most—" Pan Hai stared at Qin Nan with an affectionate gaze—at least he thought it was—while coaxing her with pickup lines in an attempt to win her over. However, before he finished, Qin Nan had already dashed out excitedly, leaving him stunned on the spot.

He quickly looked toward Qin Nan's back and saw her walking toward a man hastily. At once, her face was full of smiles and she looked shy and sweet, glowing radiantly as if she was revitalized.

Pan Hai's face went gloomy at this scene and he complained in displeasure to a chubby woman beside him, "Xu Lu, didn't you say that Qin Nan is single and that she doesn't have a boyfriend yet?"

Xu Lu replied, "Qin Nan is definitely single. If you don't believe me, you can ask... Hey, where's Oin Nan?"

Pan Hai pointed at Qin Nan, who was not far away, and said in a sullen face, "See for yourself. Her boyfriend is here. F\*ck! Xu Lu, listen up, if I can't manage to get my hands on Qin Nan tonight, don't ever think of having me pay the bill for the expenses tonight! Not only that, you must return the 50,000 that you owe me immediately!"

Xu Lu quickly looked in that direction and saw the face of that man. She then frowned and said firmly, "This man is definitely not Qin Nan's boyfriend! I stay with Qin Nan, and I'm 100% sure that she's single. But this man didn't look like a wealthy person though. Why would Qin Nan act intimately with him?"

Suddenly, Xu Lu clapped her hands. "I got it! This man must be Qin Nan's relative. After all, Qin Nan worships money more than I do, so she definitely won't be interested in poor people."

Upon hearing Xu Lu's words, Pan Hai's sulky face lit up a little, and he continued to stare at Qin Nan with his lecherous, greedy eyes.

Qin Nan's figure was beyond fine. Since the first time he met her, he had aimed for Qin Nan, so he set his sight on getting a taste of her tonight!

Xu Lu was a staff of his company who owed him a few ten thousand and decided to pay her debt by sleeping with him. However, Pan Hai was getting bored of her, so after he reduced a portion of her debt, he did not touch her again. Xu Lu was just a mere staff member, so it was impossible for her to repay her debt to Pan Hai. Suddenly, an idea fit wood her, and she showed Pan Hai a photo of Qin Nan, clinching a deal with him: if she could offer Qin Nan to him, her debt would be written off.

When Pan Hai saw Qin Nan's beautiful face and sexy figure, he did not hesitate to agreeing to Xu Lu's request.

He learned of Qin Nan's personality from Xu Lu's description and understood that she was a typical money-minded woman. If he was generous with his money, he could easily buy her off. That was why he often flaunted his wealth in front of Qin Nan, showing off his properties in different areas, and the luxurious

car he recently bought.

However, he had no idea that Qin Nan's appetite had increased, and she was no longer interested in superficial people like him who would only flaunt his wealth. In fact, she only felt that he was childish, and thought that he was totally incomparable with wealthy tycoons like Lin Wenjing.

Lin Wenjing walked out of Han Kunpeng's private booth and was about to return home, when suddenly, something came into his sight, and a pretty face showed up in front of him, causing him to stun for a while.

"Wenjing, what a coincidence! I didn't expect to meet you here. Is this what they call destiny?" Qin Nan giggled.

"Qin Nan?"

"Yes, it's me! Are you surprised?" Qin Nan's face was beaming with a radiant smile while her hands were crossed in front of her chests, looking excited yet shy.

Lin Wenjing had never expected to meet Qin Nan here, so he frowned and said indifferently, "I'm going home now."

"Great! I'm going home too. The air in here is



foul, and the environment is noisy. To be honest, I didn't like pubs at all, but my friend Xu Lu forcibly dragged me here tonight," Qin Nan hurriedly explained, trying to prove her innocence as she pretended to be a well-behaved girl.

How would Lin Wenjing not know of her intention? He was just too lazy to expose her.

At this moment, a man suddenly approached from the side and blocked both of them. This man was none other than Pan Hai.

There was not a second that his eyes were away from Qin Nan, so when he noticed that she was leaving with Lin Wenjing, he could no longer keep his composure and remained unmoved. Anxiously, he ran toward them and blocked them.

"Miss Qin, didn't you promise to have a drink with me? Where are you going now?" Pan Hai asked in a smile while sizing Lin Wenjing up frenziedly at the same time. When he noticed that Lin Wenjing was wearing a frugal shirt and cheap leather shoes, he felt relieved and was convinced that Lin Wenjing was just a common person.

Upon noticing Lin Wenjing's frown, Qin Nan quickly explained to him, "Wenjing, please don't

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misunderstand. I just met him today, and we're not even friends."

Right after that, she said to Pan Hai, "Pan Hai, please don't harass me anymore. I'm already seeing someone, so we will never work out!"

After that, she set her tender eyes on Lin Wenjing's face, affectionately and shyly.

Pan Hai's face sank into total darkness as he pointed at Lin Wenjing and cursed, "F\*ck! Who the hell are you? How dare you steal my woman? You must be yearning for death!"

As soon as he finished his sentence, a group of men appeared from the side and besieged Lin Wenjing and Qin Nan.

The furrow between Lin Wenjing's eyebrows deepened at the sight of this.

"I am not Qin Nan's boyfriend. You got the wrong person," Lin Wenjing explained.

Pan Hai burst into laughter. "What's the matter? I haven't even done anything, but you're already scared? How dare a worthless trash like you try to steal my girl? If you crawl between my legs now, I might consider letting you off."

As he was saying, he lifted one of his feet and

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stepped on the chair beside him, before pointing between his legs and taunting arrogantly.



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Everyone around them also burst out laughing, and they gloated at Lin Wenjing's embarrassing situation.

Pan Hai was a rich dandy who was spoiled by his parents because he was the only son, resulting in him having an arrogant and overbearing character. Since he was young, he had stirred up countless troubles, and he had always regarded other people as lower than him.

Even now that he had become an adult, he still idled around without a decent job and often dwelled in pubs or clubs. He even hired a few hatchet men, so whoever messed with him would be beaten tip, which was usually the only ending they got.

Now, he had set his eyes on Qin Nan. Initially, he planned on making Qin Nan succumb to him tonight, but a man appeared suddenly and interrupted his plan. Naturally, he could not accept this, so he decided to beat the man up without considering the consequences.

After all, he had been doing this for all these years.

Qin Nan became nervous at once, and she held Lin Wenjing's arm immediately while chiding Pan Hai, "Hey! What are you going to do? Pan Hai, let me tell you, don't act recklessly. It's illegal to beat somebody up!"

She seized this opportunity to hold Lin Wenjing's arm, and could not help but feel secretly delighted when Lin Wenjing did not push her away. She even deliberately used the advantages of her body and grazed against Lin Wenjing to seduce him.

"Illegal?" Pan Hai gave a contemptuous smile. "So what if I beat him up? Who has the guts to be the witness and proves that I beat him up anyway?"

Right after he finished his sentence, there were voices echoing his remarks from the surrounding. Obviously, Pan Hai was a regular visitor to this pub, so most of the people knew him and voiced their support for him.

Qin Nan's expression changed. When she spotted Xu Lu, she called her anxiously, "Hey! Xu Lu, tell him to stop now!"

Xu Lu's eyes dodged away; she pretended not to notice Qin Nan while vanishing in the crowd.

Qin Nan called her a few times, but Xu Lu did not respond to her. Only now did she confirm that Xu Lu had sold her out.



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What Pan Hai said in the next second caused her heart to freeze. "There's no use in calling Xu Lu because she is the one who has tricked you out to accompany me tonight. After all, she owed me a few ten thousand!"

"What?!" Qin Nan cried out at once. "Xu Lu, how dare you betray me? Is this what I get for treating you as my best friend?!"

Xu Lu gave up on hiding herself after Pan Hai exposed her, so she came forward and said, "Qin Nan, stop pretending to be pure now. You are the one who is the most money-minded, and you'll pester every wealthy person you meet. Young Master Pan is an extremely wealthy dandy with a fainfilly fortune of a few ten million. You should be grateful to me since I introduced him to you."

Qin Nan glared at her with her eyes widened, feeling extremely panicked and enraged. "Xu Lu, cut your bullsh\*t! Stop vilifying me! I'm not money-minded."

Right after that, she explained to Lin Wenjing, "Wenjing, don't listen to her nonsense. I'm not money-minded at all, and my feelings toward you are sincere."

Lin Wenjing's annoyance was expressed on his face as he said, "Are you all done quarreling? If

you're done with it, get lost now!"

Upon hearing his words, everyone on the scene muted briefly as they stared at him in stupefaction. They thought that he must have gone crazy to have the guts to scold them when he was inches away from his death.

The corner of Pan Hai's lips twitched as he clenched his fists and laughed out of anger. "Impressive. You've got quite an insolent nerve! How dare you shout at me to get lost? For all my life, I've never had someone shouted at me in this way. You're the first one. How amazing you are!"

Everyone could sense that Pan Hai was truly enraged.

Qin Nan felt her scalp tingling too. At this moment, she couldn't help but lament at Lin Wenjing's thought. You are the chairman of Purple Jade Studios and are indeed wealthy, but you're in Tremble Pub now and are even besieged by troops of people. They are all punks fired up with alcohol, and they will pound on you and beat you up out of impulse regardless of your identity.

She was now regretting the fact that she had acted too hastily. If she knew it earlier, she would not have offended Pan Hai. Now look,

she might be implicated by Lin Wenjing's arrogance as well.

"F\*ck! Get on there and kill this son of a b\*itch!" Upon receiving Pan Hai's command, the surrounding men who were staring with hostile eyes pounced toward Lin Wenjing at once, aiming to pin him down in one action.

Facing this circumstance, Lin Wenjing's lips curved up into a faint smile, which appeared contemptuous with a tinge of excitement.

Speaking of it, he was actually yearning to fight because he had not limbered up for quite a long time.

On the other side, Qin Nan Was Trightened to death, and her face turned pale. She immediately let go of Lin Wenjing's arm and screamed.

In the twinkling of an eye, the few punks had approached Lin Wenjing and surrounded him. With ferocious faces, they covered Lin Wenjing in endless punches and kicks.

Just then, Lin Wenjing made his move. His actions were swift, and no one could track his movement clearly under the flickering neon lights in the pub. All they heard was a few smacks, and the next thing they saw was the punks—who were charging fiercely toward Lin

Wenjing—had flown backward and landed on the floor. They were all writhing on the floor crying in pain, unable to stand up.

It only took Lin Wenjing less than five seconds; it was only a blink of an eye for everyone, and they were left dumbfounded.

Even Qin Nan's jaw dropped while fear remained on her face. All she could see was Lin Wenjing standing there, and the punks flying backward.

For a moment, her mind was completely blank; she was bewildered.

In the next moment, Lini Wenjing walked toward Pan Hai and grabbed his collar, pinning him on the table.

Pan Hai was terrified by Lin Wenjing's ferocious movements, causing the alcohol flush on his face to be overtaken by paleness. His body trembled in fear and he could not stop gulping. "I-I'm telling you, don't act recklessly. I am the Young Master of the Sky Dragon Group, and my father is Pan Hongguo. If you hit me—"

Before he could finish, Lin Wenjing's slap had landed on his face and made a resounding sound, causing his mind to stop functioning. "Stop blabbering. Did I allow you to talk?"

Upon receiving a slap, Pan Hai pursed his lips immediately, and his eyes reddened. He had never been hit by someone in this way, so his tears trickled down at once.

Lin Wenjing was rather speechless. He just gave a slap, and he had yet to show his ferocious attack yet but Pan Hai had already burst out crying. What a weak person Pan Hai was!

Witnessing them from aside, Qin Nan's eyes glimmered with admiration when she witnessed this scene, and her heart thumped rapidly non-stop.

At this moment, Life Weigling Was giving off an overbearing aura, and the cowardly look of a live-in son-in-law could not be found at all.

Qin Nan felt that she was struck by Cupid's arrow as she fell in love with Lin Wenjing.

When Lin Wenjing saw that Pan Hai truly broke into tears, he lost his mood and his interest in fussing with him anymore. He released his grip on Pan Hai while straying his eyes across the crowd with a fierce gaze as he asked, "Is there anyone else who is not resigned to this result? You may attack all at once. I'll accept the challenge."

Everyone who he had his eyes upon could not help but shudder in their hearts, and they bowed their heads immediately, afraid to look into Lin Wenjing's eyes.

Lin Wenjing sneered in disapproval.

As the most outstanding member of the Lin family, he had displayed exceptional talents since he was young, and he outcompeted everyone else in business and learning ability. On top of that, he started his training in martial arts since childhood and had reached the level of grandmaster by now. He was just uninterested in demonstrating it.

Now that these people dared to target him, they were actually digging their own grave, and they must have been bored of being alive.

He stuck his hands in the pockets and walked toward the entrance, while the other people, who were blocking his way, stepped quickly aside to clear a path for him, as though they were afraid that they might move a second too late.

Qin Nan's face was completely blushed as she was indescribably exhilarated. Immediately, she chased after Lin Wenjing.

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"Wenjing, Wenjing, please slow down. I can't keep up with you..."

Qin Nan could not run fast as she was wearing high heels, so she could only try to keep up with Lin Wenjing in puffs and pants. When she saw that Lin Wenjing had no intention to wait for her, she quickly called out.

Even so, Lin Wenjing did not slow down his pace, leaving Qin Nan with no choice but to quicken her steps. It was a rare chance to bump into Lin Wenjing tonight, so she must seize this chance no matter what. However, it was truly challenging to give full play to her plans in high heels because after a few steps, her heels snapped, causing were to scream and trip onto the floor.

Upon hearing her scream, Lin Wenjing stopped and turned around to see Qin Nan on the floor with her knees grazed, and she was looking at him pitifully with her teary eyes.

Lin Wenjing let out a soft sigh before walking back to crouch down in front of her. "Why did you run?"

Qin Nan was secretly delighted when Lin Wenjing was willing to turn back and care for her. She then put on an even more pitiful look as tears ran down her face. "I just want to keep

up with you because you were hurrying forward."

She sounded aggrieved, and tears trickled beautifully down her cheeks, adorning her stunning face. Every man who saw her would show compassion and care for her as they could not endure seeing her in pain, hoping to protect her from the bottom of the heart.

Lin Wenjing was also a man. Therefore, there was a brief moment when he had the same thought. Yet, he quickly came back to his senses and examined her injury. When he realized that it was not severe, he reproached in an annoyed tone, "Why did you run after me? Are you crazy?\* life upside down TK

Qin Nan replied, "You saved me just now. Is it wrong for me to express my gratitude toward you? Since I was young, my mother has been telling me to always repay one's kindness. From now on, you are my life savior."

Qin Nan's heartbeat accelerated and she became nervous when Lin Wenjing approached her. This was the first time she had this feeling, and it was all because Lin Wenjing's charm was extraordinarily captivating tonight, which completely rewrote the impression she had toward him in the past.



"Cut it out. Your tricks aren't effective on me."
Lin Wenjing was unmoved by Qin Nan's
seduction, so he warned her with a cold look.
"Qin Nan, do you think that I have no idea what
you are thinking? Stop all your tricks. I didn't
fuss with you only because you are Chu Ling's
best friend. Otherwise, I would have fired you
from Purple Jade Studios."

Upon seeing Lin Wenjing's indifference, Qin Nan clenched her teeth, unwilling to resign to this situation. She was undoubtedly as stunning as Chu Ling, but why did Chu Ling manage to snatch herself a wealthy husband while she was left in loneliness?

"Wenjing, you've misunderstood me. My feelings for you are sincere. I admit that I was harsh toward you in the past, but that's because Chu Ling treated you that way. As a friend of hers, I haven't got to know you, so I couldn't possibly sing a different tune, could I?" Qin Nan blinked her eyes and looked pitiful.

Upon hearing her explanation, Lin Wenjing felt that what she said made sense. In the past, Chu Ling held an abominable attitude toward him, and this caused every friend of hers to be nasty toward him too.

Qin Nan observed Lin Wenjing's expression and quietly asked, "Wenjing, can you send me

home? I'm unable to walk now, and I'm a little scared..."

Lin Wenjing frowned immediately and refused without hesitation. "No."

"You can't?" Qin Nan put on a dismal face, and tugged Lin Wenjing's sleeve before imploring in a sweet tone, "Wenjing, please? I can't even stand up now. Do you have the heart to watch as other nasty men take advantage of me? There are many punks around here, and I'm scared..."

She spoke in an affectedly sweet voice, causing Lin Wenjing to shudder. Qin Nan was indeed an expert in selling her charm, and those inexperienced men like Lin Wenjing could not handle it.

Lin Wenjing raised his head to look around and realized that there were indeed plenty of people looking at them, hoping to take advantage of her. If he left now, Qin Nan would most probably be in trouble.

"Call your family to pick you up. I'll wait for your family to arrive before I leave," Lin Wenjing commanded in a deep voice.

Qin Nan sensed that Lin Wenjing was giving in a little now, and he obviously did not have the

heart to watch her being taken advantage of by other men. This made her elated, as she thought that she had a great chance to talk Lin Wenjing into sending her home. Superficially, she looked disheartened while saying in a miserable tone, "My family went overseas long ago. They can hardly protect themselves now, so they wouldn't be bothered to concern themselves about me."

Lin Wenjing sank into silence. Qin Nan was bowing her head, so he did not see the slyness that flashed across her eyes. "How about your friends then? You can call your friends to pick you up."

"My friends?" Qin Nam replied in a self-mocking tone. "Since my family fell into a dire state, all my friends have estranged me."

Suddenly, she thought of something and said, "The only friend who is willing to pick me up is Chu Ling. But it's late at night now, and it isn't safe for her to come here alone..."

This put Lin Wenjing on the spot immediately..

After pondering for a moment, Lin Wenjing glared at her and warned, "Just this once!"

Qin Nan cheered in joy at once while nodding continuously and vigorously. "Sure, sure!"

Lin Wenjing rolled his eyes impatiently and helped Qin Nan up as he asked, "Can you walk by yourself?"

Qin Nan attempted to walk a few steps, but she could only show a face of agony because she could not apply any strength to her twisted ankle. With teary eyes, she said, "I can't take a step."

Judging from her situation, Lin Wenjing knew that she could not walk on her own, so he suggested, "I'll send you to the hospital. You can go back on your own tomorrow after your ankle is treated."

Of course, Qin Nan was unwilling to go to the hospital because this was a hard-earned opportunity to let Lin Wenjing send her home. If her plans went well, she would have high chances of making Lin Wenjing hers. "It isn't necessary to go to the hospital. I'll just apply ice on my injury when I get home, and it'll recover the next day."

"Alright then." After a brief examination, Lin Wenjing agreed that it was not necessary for her to be admitted to the hospital with this little injury.

Fortunately, they were on a street of bars, so there were plenty of taxis stopped beside the road, and they could easily hail a taxi. Lin Wenjing helped Qin Nan into the taxi, and after twenty minutes, they arrived at Qin Nan's house.

Under the envious and dubious gaze of the driver, Lin Wenjing helped Qin Nan out of the taxi. "Can you walk now?"

"I can't." Qin Nan's eyes flickered.

Lin Wenjing sighed helplessly and could only continue to support her as they walked forward. However, after taking just two steps, Qin Nan appeared to be in agony, with her face covered in sweat as she panted heavily. "I can't do it."

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"What's the matter?" Lin Wenjing asked.

Qin Nan complained, "It's too painful for me to walk. You didn't even hold me attentively as if I am a plague. It's so painful. I really can't walk anymore."

Lin Wenjing felt rather awkward because it was true that he did not give Qin Nan his full support. After all, it was improper for men and women to have intimate contact, so he could not possibly hug Qin Nan while walking, could he?

Lin Wenjing covered up his awkwardness with a

few coughs and suggested, "Why don't you put your hand on my shoulder and walk by skipping on a leg? You're almost home anyway."

Qin Nan stared at Lin Wenjing with her eyes widened in astonishment, as though she had never expected Lin Wenjing to make such a cold-blooded suggestion. Then, she replied in an extremely aggrieved tone, "How can you say that when I'm so badly injured? Forget it. You can leave now. I'll go home on my own!"

She looked sulky.

"Alright." Lin Wenjing did not even hesitate for a second before he nodded and agreed.

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"Hey!" Qin Nan called him immediately and asked with her lips pursed, "Do you really have the heart to leave now?"

Lin Wenjing turned a deaf ear to her words and continued forward, causing Qin Nan to be overwhelmed by grievance. As a lump formed in her throat, she abruptly burst into tears.



Lin Wenjing heard her voice and turned around to see Qin Nan sitting on the floor with her face buried in her knees. Her shoulders shook, looking as though she was crying. Upon seeing that, he made his way back and asked, "Hey, what're you doing?"

Qin Nan did not say a word but sobbed even louder. At the moment, an elderly couple passed by and pointed fingers at him. Feeling embarrassed, Lin Wenjing gave Qin Nan's legs a soft kick and urged, "Hey, please stop crying. I will send you home, all right?"

"You may leave. Just let me freeze to death here," said Qin Nan in a fit of pique.

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Lin Wenjing rolled his eyes in resignation. "Well, then you are welcomed to just spend a night here."

In between sobs, Qin Nan countered, "I will tell Chu Ling that you have bullied me."

The edge of Lin Wenjing's lips twitched. "When have I bullied you?"

"I don't care! You have indeed bullied me!" complained Qin Nan while crying.

For many times, Lin Wenjing wanted to just leave and ignore Qin Nan. However, he was not

bold enough to do it. If this crazy woman truly made a complaint to Chu Ling, he would be done for.

"What would you like me to do then?" Lin Wenjing sounded like he was about to give in.

Qin Nan said, "You have to carry me upstairs on your back."

Immediately, Lin Wenjing knitted his brows, and his tone turned grim. "Qin Nan, you're asking too much!"

"Why am I asking too much? I really can't walk now. My foot is swollen!" complained Qin Nan in distress.

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Lin Wenjing lowered his head and looked at her ankle. Indeed, Qin Nan's ankle was slightly swollen. Along the journey earlier, he did not exert too much strength to support Qin Nan to avoid any misunderstanding, and in hindsight, he was partly responsible for her injury.

After pondering it over, he agreed. "I can carry you upstairs, but you are not allowed to use Chu Ling to threaten me in the future. More so, you are not allowed to reveal my identity to Chu Ling."

In an instant, Qin Nan lifted her head and

nodded forcefully. "Okay, okay, okay, I promise!"

She was overjoyed as it never occurred to her that Lin Wenjing would be willing to carry her on his back. As for Lin Wenjing's request, she had never intended to reveal his true identity to Chu Ling anyway; she was not that dumb.

Lin Wenjing squatted down in front of her. "Get on my back."

Qin Nan was ecstatic. In a swift motion, she stood up and put herself on Lin Wenjing's back.

She was very confident in her body, and she was sure she could make Lin Wenjing fall for her.

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As expected, when Qin Nan leaned over his back, his face immediately reddened.

Qin Nan noticed his reaction. Deliberately, she closed in and murmured next to his ear. Lin Wenjing was flustered because of this, and he immediately told her to shut up.

Finally, he managed to carry Qin Nan home and heaved out a sigh of relief. He realized that he was rather weak, for he felt that sending a woman home was much more tiring than the fight in the pub earlier.



Most importantly, Qin Nan was very good at flirting. Throughout the journey upstairs, it was as though Lin Wenjing had gone through a war. For several times, he nearly lost control of himself.

Fortunately, he had a strong will.

After putting Qin Nan down, he didn't give her any chance to convince him to stay.

Immediately, he left her house and didn't turn his head although Qin Nan was calling for him.

Qin Nan failed to make him stay after several attempts. Angrily, she took her bolster and threw a few punches on it in regret. If she knew about this earlier, is her would have gotten down from his back.

After a while, an idea hit her. The corners of her mouth slowly lifted into a sly smile. "Lin Wenjing, even though you managed to escape this time, that doesn't change anything. I'll get you sooner or later. I already have your weakness in my grasp, so next time, I will get you in one hit! Hehehe..."

After leaving Qin Nan's house, Lin Wenjing noticed he had sweated a bucket. He was under too much stress just now because of her.

At this moment, his phone rang. He took it out

and saw the call was from Chu Ling's number. For a brief moment, he thought he had seen it wrongly, for it was very rare for her to call him.

As he answered the call, Chu Ling's pleasant voice was immediately heard from the other side, "Where are you? Why aren't you back home yet?"

Lin Wenjing gave his surroundings a scan but he failed to pinpoint his location. Therefore, he replied, "I am meeting clients outside. I will go home now."

"Buy a shampoo on your way back. We don't have any more left at home." With that, Chu Ling immediately hung tip. "After" a short while, Lin Wenjing received a money transfer on WeChat from Chu Ling, along with a message containing the name and brand of the shampoo as well as the address of the shop.

However, he did not click on the link to accept the money. Now that he was loaded, he could easily acquire a shampoo manufacturing company any minute, let alone a mere shampoo.

After getting the shampoo, he returned home, but only to be met with Chu Ling's question, "Why didn't you accept the money?"

Grinning, Lin Wenjing answered, "Since I am working now, I have money." Chu Ling nodded her head and walked over to him to take the shampoo in his hands but she instantly detected the smell of women's perfume on his body. Immediately, she frowned and her face turned grim as she asked, "Where did you meet your client?"

Lin Wenjing did not notice the change of her facial expression before replying, "I brought some prospective buyers to check out some properties nearby."

Wearing a half-smile, Chu Ling continued, "Is your client a man or a woman?"

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Lin Wenjing replied, "Of course my client is a man. Chu Ling, don't worry, I don't take female clients."

However, Chu Ling's face turned bleak at once. She glared at Lin Wenjing resentfully before rebuking, "Lin Wenjing, please get rid of the disgusting smell from your body next time after fooling around with women outside! Please don't bring such a stench back into my home!"

Lin Wenjing was stupefied. He asked, "Chu Ling, what do you mean? I don't get what you mean."

Chu Ling's face turned even icier, and her gaze

toward him was filled with hatred and disdain. "Are you trying to put up an act? If yes, then explain to me where did that woman's scent on your body come from?"

Sh\*t! Lin Wenjing cursed inwardly. He realized he had gotten Qin Nan's perfume all over his body after carrying her on his back for the entire night.

"Chu Ling, please listen to me. It's not like what you thought it is..." Lin Wenjing quickly clarified.

Chu Ling crossed her arms in front of her chest and said, "Well, explain to me then."

He stuttered and failed to come up with a convincing story.

"What, you can't even explain yourself now?"
With her face filled with contempt, Chu Ling
sneered and continued, "Lin Wenjing, I've
always known that you're not a decent guy.
Once you have some cash with you, you would
start to fool around outside. Qin Nan was right,
men are men, and even you are not an
exception!"

With that, the image of a slender and nonchalant figure suddenly appeared in her mind and she added in her heart, Except for the Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios.

Lin Wenjing had no choice but to swallow the bitter pill in silence. He fervently wished he could explain to her that the smell came from Qin Nan and that there was nothing between them.

However, he knew that once he made the explanation, the consequences which followed would be much direr!

He was not a good liar, so despite thinking for a long while, he failed to concoct a perfect excuse.

"Chu Ling, please believe me. I didn't cheat on you!" He stared at her affectionately in an attempt to move her with his sincerity.

Yet, his attempt failed miserably. Chu Ling did not even want to look at him. Impatiently, she said, "It's enough, stop with your pretense. I am not the least bit bothered by what you've done outside. There's just one rule. This is my home, so next time, please don't come back to my home after you've done those dirty deeds. I don't want my home to be filthy because of you!"

Lin Wenjing was anxious to hear that. "Chu Ling, I believed you when you said that nothing happened between you and the Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios, but why can't you

believe in me too?"

As soon as he uttered his words, he immediately regretted it. As expected, Chu Ling's face turned grim at an obvious speed.

"Chu Ling, I didn't mean it that way..."

Chu Ling glued her eyes on him and challenged, "Lin Wenjing, are you trying to avenge yourself by fooling around outside? You believe that some other man had taken advantage of me, so you went to fool around with women outside too to get your revenge on me, huh?"

Lin Wenjing got even more anxious. Immediately, he clariffed, "Chu Ling, you have misunderstood. I didn't mean it this way!"

"That's enough!" Chu Ling took a deep breath. Her face was expressionless and there was not a trace of emotion in her eyes. "I know you wouldn't believe me. No one does, but I no longer care and I am not bothered by it. Tonight is your first time doing such a thing and I won't make a big fuss out of it. Next time, if you don't get rid of the smell on your body after fooling around outside, don't even bother coming home! I won't meddle in your private life but you have to at least respect me!"

After she finished saying that, she turned

around and left. Before entering her room, she added, "Please continue sleeping in the living room tonight. I don't feel like smelling that disgusting smell."



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Lin Wenjing opened his mouth as he intended to ask Chu Ling to stay, yet he couldn't call out her name. With force, he slapped himself and called himself an idiot. I am being too careless. Why didn't I get rid of the smell before I went home? Lin Wenjing, where exactly is your brain?

He was deeply upset but there was nothing he could do. Now, it was obvious that Chu Ling was in a fit of anger, so his attempt to offer any explanation would not work but backfire. It appeared that the only thing he could do was to wait until tomorrow and explain to Chu Ling when she had calmed down.

Looking from another perspective though, Chu Ling getting and by was not a bad thing. At least, it showed that she still cared about him.

After taking a shower, Lin Wenjing continued to stay in the living room. For the last two nights, he was finally able to sleep in the bedroom. However, after less than a day, he was kicked out of the room again. What a failure he was.

Tonight, Lin Wenjing had insomnia again. It was only until 3 a.m. did he muddle into sleep. On the next morning when he was soundly asleep, he was suddenly given a slap by someone. He woke up with a start and immediately, he heard the voice of his mother-in-law. "Lin Wenjing, what're you doing? The sun is already shining

bright but you're still sleeping. You're even lazier than the pig. Get up now!"

Lin Wenjing's entire body shook upon hearing her voice. Immediately, he got up and rubbed his eyes. Other than his mother-in-law, there were two other persons in the living room. Both of them were staring at him disdainfully and scornfully.

He recognized them at a glance. They were his mother-in-law, and Liu Qiaozhen's relatives from her family. Why were they here?

He checked on the clock and found that it was only 8 a.m.

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"Qiaozhen, why is your son-in-law sleeping in the living room? Shouldn't he be sleeping together with Chu Ling?" asked a middle-aged lady.

Liu Qiaozhen answered, "Son-in-law? He is just a man who married into our family. He is not at all important in our family. How would Chu Ling be willing to sleep on the same bed with him?"

A middle-aged man said with a smile, "I can see that he is married into your family to become a servant who does household chores. This idea of yours is rather brilliant."



Instead of feeling embarrassed, Liu Qiaozhen proudly nodded her head and said, "Of course. He is in charge of our household chores every day, and he is even better than a maid. Just give him his meals and he would work for you."

Back then, Liu Qiaozhen would never taunt him in front of her relatives in this way, and besides, he had helped them to retrieve their lost company shares and made them feel proud once again during the family dinner the night before yesterday. However, Liu Qiaozhen got to know later that Han Kunpeng was willing to do Lin Wenjing a favor all for the sake of the Lin family. Now that Han Kunpeng had done Lin Wenjing the favor, he would never bother about Lin Wenjing again in the future, which meant that Lin Wenjing was still that useless son-in-law who married into the Chu family. Nothing had changed.

Furthermore, when Liu Qiaozhen woke up this morning, she saw dark circles under Chu Ling's eyes and she looked like she didn't sleep well last night. After some probing, she got to know that Lin Wenjing, that trash, fooled around with women outside and got women's perfume all over his body last night! She was livid in an instant. In her opinion, providing Lin Wenjing with food and a roof over his head was considered a favor bestowed upon him. He should be grateful and stay loyal as the dog to

the Chu family.

Now, this dog had gone to fool around with women outside. His sin was unforgivable.

If it wasn't for the presence of her relatives, she would beat him up to vent her anger.

Upon hearing Liu Qiaozhen's words, the two relatives burst out laughing; the ambiance was lively.

"Qiaozhen, Chu Ling is still young, and she is so pretty and capable. She won't be spending the rest of her life with a son-in-law who married into your family, would she? Some guys from where I work are still single. They have good looks, pleasant personalities and they all come from respectable families. I could introduce them to Chu Ling," suggested Liu Qiaozhen's brother, Liu Wenshan, with a smile.

"Exactly, Qiaozhen. Chu Ling is a very eligible lady. It would be a waste for her to be with a useless son-in-law who married into your family," Liu Wenshan's wife, Han Xiujuan chimed in.

Liu Qiaozhen looked like she was in a dilemma. With a sigh, she said, "I know that too. However, the Chu family doesn't allow it to happen. Since Chu Ling was little, she has been skilled in

doing business. She joined the company of the Chu family before she had even graduated from university and added much value to the company. They wanted a son-in-law who married into the family for Chu Ling because Chu Ling was raised as a son. They are unwilling to marry her off to some other families."

Indeed, that was the main reason Chu Ling was searching for a husband who was willing to marry into her family back then. She was a genius in doing business, and at that moment, there was no such talent in the family. Chu Hao was a typical rich playboy who was unreliable and irresponsible, so there was no eligible successor in the family. In a fit of rage, Chu Guodong wanted Chu Ling to marry a man who was willing to be married into the family so that she would be raised as his grandson.

Otherwise, a woman as pretty as Chu Ling would never marry a man like Lin Wenjing.

After marrying Lin Wenjing, Chu Ling thought that she would be qualified to be the successor of the family business. However, she later discovered that she was just a tool used by Chu Guodong to motivate Chu Hao to step up his game. At the time, Chu Ling was deeply upset over it.

In fact, such marriages were not uncommon in society. Women in rich families were often arranged to wed a man who was willing to be married into the family. Women who were married off to other men would no longer belong to the family and it would be a great loss if such women left with the inheritance they got.

Liu Qiaozhen noticed Lin Wenjing was eavesdropping on their conversation beside them. Immediately, she glared at him and rebuked, "Why're you standing there like a fool? Go wash up and come back here to serve tea!"

"Yes, yes." Lin Wenjing hastily nodded his head. After washing himself up, he returned and made drinks for the guests.

At the sight of Liu Qiaozhen ordering Lin Wenjing to do things as if he were her slave, Han Xiujuan said with envy, "Qiaozhen, your son-in-law is very obedient. He did everything as per your wish. Look at how obedient he is."

"Of course, as I am the one who provides him with food," replied Liu Qiaozhen proudly.

At that moment, Chu Ling's bedroom door was opened, from which Chu Ling walked into the living room. In fact, she had woken up much earlier. When she was putting on her makeup in

the room, she could hear that Liu Qiaozhen was getting more brazen with her words. Unable to stand it any longer, she walked out and said to Liu Qiaozhen in annoyance, "Mom, could you please stop? Lin Wenjing is a man, not a dog."

Liu Qiaozhen retorted, "Did I say anything wrong? It's me who provides him food. Otherwise, could he have survived?"

Then, she shouted at Lin Wenjing, who was washing up in the bathroom, "Be quick, we are waiting for you to serve tea!"

Lin Wenjing could only speed up. Then, he walked out to the living room in a swift motion to serve tea to the fguests. down TK

After they chatted for a while, the doorbell rang. Han Xiujuan's eyes immediately lit up. Surprised, she said, "Junsheng must be here. Lin Wenjing, open the door for Junsheng."

Lin Wenjing nodded and walked over to open the door to see a fat guy standing at the entrance, dressed in a suit with his hair neatly combed, looking like a property agent. Despite noticing Lin Wenjing's presence, he walked into the house without greeting him and even pushed him away rudely.

At the sight of the fat guy, Liu Qiaozhen said,

"Junsheng, you're here. I heard from your parents just now that you've made a fortune lately?"

Liu Junsheng didn't act like a guest at all. With a flourish, he stepped into the living room and plopped down on the seat of the host. He directly took the teacup and downed the tea, his face full of arrogance as he said, "It's nothing, I merely earned several hundreds of thousands."

Immediately, Liu Qiaozhen looked envious. She gave Liu Junsheng a thumbs-up and praised, "How impressive! I heard that you are doing business in the film industry?"

Liu Junsheng choffled as his face could barely contain his arrogance and joy. He then continued, "Sort of. I just joined the Purple Jade Studios, the largest film and television company in Hua City. Many of the popular celebrities were groomed by the Purple Jade Studios. Hehe."



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Liu Qiaozhen's eyes widened upon hearing Liu Junsheng's words. Surprised, she exclaimed, "Wow, Purple Jade Studios. That's a large-scale listed company. Junsheng, you're very impressive to be able to get into the company. From what I've heard, the Purple Jade Studios set a very high threshold for their new recruits. Not everyone could get into the company."

As his parents, smug smiles formed on the faces of Liu Wenshan and Han Xiujuan. They did not attempt to conceal the sense of superiority they had. Holding his head up, Liu Junsheng said, "For most of the people, the threshold set up by the Purple Jade Studios is indeed very high. Many of those with impressive academic qualifications failed to get in, as much as they wanted to, but it was not a problem for me. I was directly recruited by the company after pulling some strings."

Lin Wenjing was surprised to hear that. Wasn't Purple Jade Studios the company he owned? How could somebody like Liu Junsheng get recruited into his company? He was puzzled.

In fact, Lin Wenjing wasn't too happy to learn the fact. It was not because Liu Junsheng was being boastful about it. He could tell from a glance that Liu Junsheng was just someone who did zero work but received all the benefits. The fact that he was able to get into the Purple

Jade Studios implied that there was corruption in his company.

As the Chairman of Purple Jade Studios, that was the last thing he wanted to see happening in his company. It was a terrible practice, and if it was not handled properly, it could easily develop into a grave problem. Just think about it, because of someone who was corrupted, mediocre talents would be brought continuously into the company, which could take a heavy toll on the company in the long run. If some of those mediocre talents eventually took up essential positions in the company, the situation would become worse. In the worst case, it was not unlikely for the entire company to collabse because of that. Such a scenario could be observed very often throughout history. A small leak would sink a great ship. Because of this, many long-lasting companies in the world opposed fervently to nepotism.

Chu Ling froze upon hearing Liu Junsheng's words, looking both surprised and excited at the same time. Obviously, she reacted so because Purple Jade Studios was mentioned. In her mind, the image of a slender figure appeared without warning again. It was the figure of the Chairman, wearing a clown mask on his face, who appeared cold yet compassionate. Immediately, her heart started

racing.

Liu Qiaozhen was instantly consumed by jealousy. She took a look at Liu Junsheng before landing her eyes on Lin Wenjing. What a stark contrast between these two.

"Junsheng, what position do you take in the Purple Jade Studios? How much salary do you get for a month?" asked Liu Qiaozhen.

Awkwardness flashed through Liu Junsheng's eyes at a high speed before it disappeared again, but because none of them was observant enough, nobody noticed this other than Lin Wenjing. "My position is not that high. I am just a small manager." As for my annual salary, it's almost a million after taxes, just barely enough to cover my expenses. However, my superior has promised me that if my performance turns out to be satisfactory and if I could hit my sales target, he would promote me to a higher position with a salary increment next quarter, hehe."

Once he finished his sentence, he deliberately cleared his throat and stared at his empty teacup, signaling Lin Wenjing to fill up his teacup.

Lin Wenjing didn't budge. Immediately, Liu Qiaozhen gave him a kick angrily before

rebuking, "Are you blind? Can't you fill up his teacup? What a dumb guy you are! You're not alert at all!"

Lin Wenjing was helpless. After all, he was the Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios, yet he had to serve tea to Liu Junsheng. If Liu Junsheng got to know the truth, wouldn't he be scared to his death?

However, he could not expose his true identity. Therefore, he had no choice but to fill up Liu Junsheng's teacup, as well as Liu Wenshan and Han Xiujuan's teacups.

Looking at Lin Wenjing, Liu Junsheng's chubby face was filled with an oganice and contempt. It was apparent that he looked down on Lin Wenjing.

"By the way, Aunt Qiaozhen, has Lin Wenjing managed to find a job?" Liu Junsheng asked Liu Qiaozhen with a twinkle in his small eyes.

Liu Qiaozhen rolled her eyes and answered, "Don't you even bring that up, as I would get pissed off at the mention of that. That trash has married into our family for over four years but he is still staying at home, doing nothing. He didn't even try to look for a job."

Chu Ling, who was beside them, could not

listen to her further. In her opinion, her mother was being too harsh on Lin Wenjing in front of others, and it was totally unnecessary. "Mom, what nonsense are you talking about? Lin Wenjing has found a job recently."

Unhappy, Liu Qiaozhen countered, "Do you mean that property agent job he has? That is not even a proper job. Anyone could do it and the monthly salary is even less than 3,000. What is the use of it? It's nothing compared to Junsheng's job."

Han Xiujuan burst out laughing after listening to her. With an exaggerated expression, she asked, "What? A property agent? Can you even make money with that?" Living down TK

Holding back his laughter, Liu Junsheng said, "Mom, you can't make such a comment. At least being a property agent is a proper job. It's much better than being a food delivery rider. At the very least, he could still wear a suit. Moreover, with his capability, you can't expect him to find a highly professional job. That would be asking too much from him. After all, not everyone in this world is the same. You can't expect him to have the same qualifications as me."

Liu Wenshan too chimed in with a smile, "Junsheng's words make a lot of sense. Being a

property agent is better than just staying at home. At least he has a job. Hahahaha..."

At that moment, the three of them exchanged glances among themselves. In the end, they could not stand the hilarity and burst out laughing.

Liu Qiaozhen's face immediately turned grim. She was not angry because of her brother and her family. Instead, she was exasperated because of Lin Wenjing. She believed Lin Wenjing, that useless man, had brought embarrassment upon her.

Chu Ling, too, knitted her brows together. All the while, she foathed her uncle and his family. They were very snobbish, and they were great at making fun of others. Every time they visited her home, they would mock Lin Wenjing to gain a sense of superiority from him. Although she didn't fancy Lin Wenjing too much herself, he was still her husband after all. Before they laughed at him, they should at least consider her feelings. Judging from their actions, they paid no respect to her at all.

She stared at Lin Wenjing, hoping he could man up and say something to rebut them. However, instead of being angry, there was a smile on his face. He looked as though he was not affected in the least bit. Anger grew inside her and she

really felt like giving him a kick. How could there be a man like him who didn't even care to protect his self-esteem?

As a matter of fact, Lin Wenjing was not angry. Why should he be? He knew very well that he was not at all a useless man. On the very contrary, he was now a successful figure and an outstanding businessman having an asset of over tens of billions. Purple Jade Studios was merely one of the small companies he owned. Next, he would increase his investment and acquire companies of an even larger scale.

"From what I know, Purple Jade Studios has strict requirements for its new recruits. I think they only accept those who wave at least a bachelor's degree. Liu Junsheng, didn't you just finish high school? Why are you qualified to join the Purple Jade? Did you bribe your way into the company?" asked Lin Wenjing with a smile.

Liu Junsheng's expression went through a tremendous change, and he started to look guilty as he panicked. Lin Wenjing was right. He did bribe his way into the Purple Jade Studios. Otherwise, it was impossible for him to get into the company with his qualifications.

However, he would not admit it. Immediately, he chastised, "What nonsense are you talking about? I was recruited through the proper way

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using my qualifications, not by bribing my way into the company! I, Liu Junsheng, am very outstanding, a talent highly sought after by all other companies. Do I even need to use bribery?"

Lin Wenjing's face remained unruffled as he added, "But you just mentioned that you pulled some strings in order to get into the company earlier. Now, aren't you contradicting yourself with what you're saying right now?"



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Faced with Lin Wenjing's challenge, Liu
Junsheng was speechless. He was not born
with a glib tongue, so every time he got
nervous, he got more prone to stutter. Now, he
was so pissed off by what Lin Wenjing said that
he could not even utter a word to rebut. He
started getting anxious and stuttered, "Y-You, sshut up now!"

Liu Wenshan slammed the tea table and rebuked, "Lin Wenjing! What right do you have to criticize my son! You are just trash who couldn't even land a job!"

Han Xiujuan, too, chimed in furiously, "What a useless man. You are just jealous of my son because he made it into the Purple Jade Studios while you are just merely a property agent with no bright future. You're so jealous that you just have to make malicious comments on Junsheng. You're a total jerk!"

The three of them started to get mad as they gave up pretending to be well-mannered, attacking Lin Wenjing with harsh and mean remarks.

Lin Wenjing was unruffled by them; he even thought they were hilarious.

Liu Wenshan complained to Liu Qiaozhen in annoyance, "Qiaozhen, aren't you going to teach

your son-in-law some manners? Although incompetent, he is filled with jealousy and envy. How dare he make sarcastic comments on Junsheng? He has to apologize to us!"

Liu Qiaozhen gave a slap at the back of Lin Wenjing's head and scolded, "Lin Wenjing, you piece of trash, apologize to Junsheng now!"

Lin Wenjing was reluctant though. "Mom, that was just a casual remark. I didn't expect him to be so triggered by it. Why should I apologize?"

Liu Qiaozhen widened her eyes and rolled up her sleeves. With a solemn face, she said, "Hey, how dare you talk back to me? I'll count to three. Apologize to Junisheng now. Otherwise, just leave and don't ever come back!"

Lin Wenjing could see that Liu Qiaozhen was genuinely angry. He knew that he would be on the suffering end if he were to stay persistent, and he felt it was pointless to stoop to the level of someone like Liu Junsheng. After this, he would just make a call to fire him.

"I'm sorry," said Lin Wenjing to Liu Junsheng perfunctorily.

A smile was revealed on Liu Junsheng's face immediately but he was yet to be satisfied. With a frown, he demanded, "What kind of apology is

this? You are not even sincere."

Liu Qiaozhen once again kicked Lin Wenjing and urged, "Say it louder! Didn't you just have your meal?!"

With resignation, Lin Wenjing raised his voice and added, "So sorry for making untrue comments about you. You didn't bribe your way into the Purple Jade Studios. You make it into the company all by yourself."

Liu Junsheng was not pleased after listening to him. He could feel the sarcasm in Lin Wenjing's tone, and he didn't feel smug by his apologies. However, he could not pinpoint his wrongs, and in the end, he just flumined in response reluctantly.

After that, Liu Junsheng started to boast about the scale of the business of Purple Jade Studios, its annual revenue and the celebrities under its management.

As the Chairman of Purple Jade Studios, Lin Wenjing found it amusing to listen to his incessant brag.

"Let me tell all of you something. The Purple Jade Studios just got itself a new Chairman recently, and he comes from an extremely rich family. The extent of his wealth is beyond your

imagination!" Acting mysteriously, Liu
Junsheng took a sip of tea before continuing, "I
just got to know about this after joining the
Purple Jade Studios. As it turns out, our new
Chairman acquired the majority of the shares of
the Purple Jade Studios with 5 billion from the
Lin family! 5 billion, it's a damn 5 billion! How
much money is that? If the money is converted
into hundred dollar notes, this house wouldn't
be able to contain it!"

Lin Wenjing was stunned by his words. Didn't he acquire Purple Jade Studios with just 2.5 billion? How did that turn into 5 billion? That was an amount double his investment.

At the mention of the figure, Liu Qiaozhen's mouth was agape in shock, "Oh my god, 5 billion! What a rich guy is he! The total assets of our family company add up to only 40 million to 50 million."

Liu Junsheng countered disdainfully, "Aunt Qiaozhen, you're kidding me. That small company of the Chu family is nothing compared to our Purple Jade Studios. They are in a totally different league."

Liu Qiaozhen pursed her lips as she was upset deep down inside. However, she could not say a thing to rebut him. Chu Ling, who was listening beside them, had her eyes all brightened up. Biting her lips softly, she longed for the presence of the Chairman.

Lin Wenjing doubted, "5 billion? I don't think the amount is that huge. I heard that the new Chairman acquired Purple Jade Studios with 2.5 billion."

Liu Junsheng glared at him and answered impatiently, "Do you know Purple Jade Studios better than me? You're just a property agent. What do you know? The Purple Jade Studios is the largest film and television company in Hua City operating a large-scale business. Do you think it is possible to acquire it with just 2.5 billion? Dream oh! \*\*Don's the property of the

He was right on this point. The Purple Jade Studios was thriving under Lin Wenjing's management, and he had successfully reversed its negative growth rate. Now, the market capitalization of the company had soared to 3.5 billion. In its current state, it was no longer possible to acquire the company with just 2.5 billion.

Liu Qiaozhen rebuked, "It's fine for you to be quiet. Why are you interrupting when Junsheng is talking about things relating to the Purple Jade Studios? Do you even know the company?"

Lin Wenjing was speechless. Was there anyone in the world who knew the Purple Jade Studios better than him?

Liu Junsheng was ecstatic at the sight of Lin Wenjing getting scolded, and he started to brag even more excitedly, "You all might find it hard to believe this. This new Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios is very young, about the same age as me. Being very good-looking and tall, he is a very eligible bachelor. I had a meal together with him before and he complimented me for my outstanding performance. Haha!"

Speaking of this, Liu Junsheng looked extremely proud and satisfied.

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Lin Wenjing felt like laughing after listening to his shameless brag. He, the Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios, was here. When had he ever complimented him?

Forgetting her manners, Chu Ling exclaimed with her eyes glued on Liu Junsheng, "Junsheng, are you sure you have met the Chairman before?"

Liu Junsheng straightened up his back and confirmed without batting an eye, "Of course, we even had a long chat!"

Immediately, Chu Ling's heart started racing,

and her face was red. Involuntarily, she clenched her fists and carried on probing Liu Junsheng, "In that case, do you still remember how the Chairman looks like?"

After posing her question, Chu Ling's heart was beating insanely fast. With anticipation, she fixated her gaze on Liu Junsheng as she was desperate to listen to his answer.

Stiffness flashed through Liu Junsheng's face briefly before he laughed out loud and said, "Are you kidding? Of course I remember his looks. Do you think I am bluffing?"

"Then, can you describe his looks?" Chu Ling's tone was filled with anticipation."

Liu Junsheng thought for a while before saying, "Consider yourself lucky that I am the one you ask. Otherwise, no one else in the company would be able to answer you. Our Chairman keeps a low profile in the office and he rarely can be seen. No one has the opportunity to meet the Chairman except for the top executives."

What he said was right. Lin Wenjing kept a very low profile in the Purple Jade Studios. He often went to the office in casual attire and would only change into a suit when he was in the office. Therefore, most of the staff didn't know

him. Only Wang Yunqian and the other top executives knew how he looked.

He preferred things to stay that way as he liked to keep a low profile.

Lin Wenjing ransacked his memory, as he believed he had not met Liu Junsheng in his company before. He didn't think it was likely for his identity to be exposed by him.



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Under everyone's anticipating gaze, Liu Junsheng started his narration.

"Ahem!" He straightened up his back and coughed pretentiously before starting, "The Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios is a tall and burly man. Other than being handsome, he exudes a graceful and suave air. He has arched eyebrows and a pair of mesmerizing eyes, and he is much more handsome than any celebrities in the show-biz! If our Chairman were to debut in the entertainment industry, many women would see him as their ideal husband."

As Chu Ling was listening to him, her heart was pounding fast. Her face blushed uncontrollably as she recalled the two previous encounters she had with the Chairman, causing her to look shy and bashful.

Is the Chairman that good-looking?

Having noticed the change in her facial expression, Liu Junsheng teased, "Chu Ling, could it be that you're interested in the Chairman? Haha."

Chu Ling's face immediately blushed as she hastily denied, "I am not!"

Everyone could see from her facial expression

that she obviously had a crush on the Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios. This was quite normal for a girl like Chu Ling who was just in her 20s. She was at the age when she was the prettiest and most attractive. However, she already had someone as disappointing as Lin Wenjing as her husband, so it was completely normal for Chu Ling to be interested in the Chairman when she got to know how outstanding, rich and handsome he was.

With this thought, everyone else stared at Lin Wenjing gloatingly. To their surprise, he did not seem like he was angry in the least bit. On the contrary, he was still smiling. All of them thought that he was an outright incorrigible, disappointing hair as he didn't even try to protect his dignity. He didn't even feel embarrassed when his wife was showing interest in other men in his presence.

Of course, Lin Wenjing was not angry. He was the Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios, and the Chairman was him. Chu Ling was merely in love with his alter ego, so there was nothing for him to get angry about.

Liu Junsheng continued, "Chu Ling, my advice for you is to just give up. The Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios is a very eligible bachelor. He has an asset of over ten billions, not to mention that he is very handsome. Women

would eagerly throw themselves onto him with just a flick of his finger. You wouldn't be able to even get near him. Besides, you're already married. Don't you think it's improper for you to be interested in other men?"

Listening to his criticism, Chu Ling looked grim. When she was just about to say something to rebut, she caught sight of Lin Wenjing who was all smiles beside her. Immediately, a sense of despair overcame her. Indeed, she was already married, and it was impossible for the Chairman to fall in love with her. Therefore, she told herself to stop daydreaming.

Then, Liu Junsheng continued to brag about how bright a future he was going to have in the Purple Jade Studios. He boasted about how his superior showered praises on him and how he was soon going to reach the peak of his life by getting a promotion and salary increment.

Listening to his words, Liu Qiaozhen got very envious of him. She asked whether Liu Junsheng could arrange to get Chu Zhe into the Purple Jade Studios as well. It didn't matter if he had to start by doing entry-level jobs.

Chu Zhe was soon going to graduate from university, and she had been fervently wishing that Chu Zhe, her precious darling, could achieve success in his life.

Liu Junsheng got carried away and accepted the favor without hesitation, saying that it could be done. However, he implied that money had to be paid to grease the process of arranging Chu Zhe into the company.

Lin Wenjing could not stand him any longer. Without further ado, he sent a message to Wang Yunqian. In the message, he didn't make any direct reference to Liu Junsheng. Instead, he gave Wang Yunqian a warning to make sure that nepotism and corruption were not practiced in the company. If he found out that someone had gotten into the company by bribery, the consequence would be unthinkable!

Wang Yunqian was shocked to see the message. Immediately, he sent an instruction to his staff to execute an investigation on corruption and nepotism and to ban all such acts.

Almost at the same time, Liu Junsheng's superior was deeply shaken upon receiving the instruction from the board. He recalled that he had just recruited a mediocre talent into the company recently, and if this was eventually discovered by the company, it was likely that he would lose his job. Hastily, he called Liu Junsheng.

"Junsheng, we would count on you then. When

Chu Zhe graduates from university, please get him into the Purple Jade Studios. Thank you very much. Next time, I would buy you a meal for your favor," said Liu Qiaozhen.

With a wave, Liu Junsheng said lightly, "Aunt Qiaozhen, don't you worry. With me around, I could get Chu Zhe into the company with just an instruction. However, I must warn you that as a listed company, Purple Jade Studios has very strict rules for its employees. If Chu Zhe is going to laze around, he would get fired easily. I would not be able to keep him in the company at that time."

Liu Qiaozhen nodded her head forcefully before promising, "I underständ!" I promise I will not put you in a difficult position because of this."

Liu Junsheng nodded his head in satisfaction. He coughed several times, signaling Lin Wenjing to refill his teacup. When he was just about to raise his voice to criticize Lin Wenjing who didn't react to his request, his phone rang. At the sight of the caller on the screen, he broke into a grin immediately and said, "Haha, it's my superior calling me. I am sure he is going to give me a promotion."

With that, he clicked on the loudspeaker to make sure everyone could listen to his conversation.

"Hi, Director, what a coincidence! I am just about to call you..." Liu Junsheng was the first to talk. Grinning widely, he lifted his brows at Lin Wenjing, not in the least bit trying to contain his intention of showing off.

The voice of a middle-aged man was heard from the other end. "Are you available to talk now? I have something important to tell you."

Upon listening to his words, Liu Junsheng was rejuvenated at once. Getting very excited, his voice couldn't help but tremble as he answered, "Yes, yes, I am totally available! Director, just tell me whatever instructions you have for me. I am listening!"

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Before this, the director had given him hints that he was going to promote him to be a manager of some department, and Liu Junsheng had been waiting for that moment. And now, he was going to get something back in return for the 200,000 that he had 'invested' on the director!

Moreover, this phone call came at the right time when he was at his aunt's place. It was a perfect chance for him to brag all he wanted.

Liu Qiaozhen and the rest held their breath and pricked up their ears to listen. As Liu Junsheng's parents, Liu Wenshan and Han

Xiujuan could barely contain the smiles on their faces; they were extremely proud and pleased.

Soon, the solemn voice of the director was heard from the other end. "Junsheng, an investigation is ongoing in the company to stop corruption, and since you're just a high school graduate, I am afraid you would not be able to stay on. As for the 200,000 you've given to me, I will transfer it back to your account. You don't have to come to the office tomorrow."

Silence befell.

Liu Junzheng had turned on the loudspeaker mode. Therefore, the director's words were heard clearly by everyone. Other than Lin Wenjing, everyone else was in a daze, especially Liu Junsheng himself. He was dumbfounded. How could that happen?

Lin Wenjing was the only one who nodded his head in satisfaction. It seemed like Wang Yunqian was quite good at executing instructions. The company started implementing the measures as soon as he gave his instruction. How efficient!

As Liu Junsheng came to his senses, he panicked at once. Immediately, he answered, "Director, are you kidding me? I am already recruited, so how could I be fired? Didn't you

guarantee to me before that I could stay for as long as I like in Purple Jade Studios?"

He was very agitated and could not stay calm.
Just moments earlier, he was still bragging
about being in the company, and in the blink of
an eye, he was fired by a call from the director.
Just how humiliating this could be?

The director answered, "This is an instruction from the board. An investigation is to be carried out on corruption and nepotism, and they are refusing employees like you who got into the company through bribery. There was nothing I could do."

"But you have promised me wefore..."

The director cut him off rudely, "What did I promise you before? Liu Junsheng, I am warning, you better be careful with your words! If you were to expose my identity, I will make sure you suffer unthinkable consequences! Besides, don't you have the slightest idea of how incapable you are? Do you really think you can get into Purple Jade with that ability of yours? That's enough, I don't feel like talking with you any further. That's it. I will transfer the money to your account now. Please come back to the office and pack up your belongings later."

With that, the director hung up.

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With the phone in his hands, Liu Junsheng felt like crying, looking utterly bitter and miserable.

The facial expressions on his parents were an amusing sight to watch as well.



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Soon after, Liu Junsheng and his family found it hard to stay on, so they left, crestfallen.

They were going to stay for lunch at first, but the call from the director earlier had humiliated them, especially Liu Junsheng. As he was greatly embarrased, it was a torture for him to stay on for any longer.

They were not shameless enough to stay for lunch, so they came up with an excuse and left dejectedly.

After they left, Lin Wenjing could not help but laugh out loud.

Chu Ling, too, could not hold back her laughter.

Liu Qiaozhen sulked, "Do you think he is hilarious? Although he is fired by the Purple Jade Studios, at least he took an initiative, and he is aggressive and positive in his attempt to achieve success. No matter how, he is better than you, Lin Wenjing. Of all the jobs, you decided to be a property agent. You are such a disgrace to our family!"

Lin Wenjing was puzzled. Was being a property agent a profession so embarrassing? In his opinion, the job was good. At least, he was earning a living on his own, and he neither stole nor robbed. At the very least, he felt that he was

much better than those who earned by doing sneaky and unscrupulous acts.

"Mom, I think being a property agent is not humiliating. I am earning a living through hard work," said Lin Wenjing, unconvinced.

Liu Qiaozhen replied, "Hey, you useless piece of trash! How dare you talk back to me? The current property market is rather gloomy. How much can you earn for a month? If a job that can't fetch you any money is not considered embarrassing, what else is?"

Lin Wenjing had no idea what to say in response to Liu Qiaozhen's mindset; he was speechless.

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While Lin Wenjing was preparing lunch, Liu Qiaozhen pulled Chu Ling to a corner and asked inquisitively, "I had no idea the Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios is that rich."

As her daughter, Chu Ling could gauge Liu Qiaozhen's intention with just one glance. She said, "Mom, just give up, the Chairman is not going to be interested in me."

After she said that, she could not help feeling bitter and despair.

"You couldn't be so sure of that!" Liu Qiaozhen

continued. "Chu Ling, you have to be confident. Just look at you, you're so beautiful. You're even more beautiful than those celebrities. Not only do you have an attractive figure, you also have a brilliant mind and a very graceful bearing. Any man would be attracted to you. The Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios is a man and he would definitely fall in love with you."

A ray of hope emerged in Chu Ling's mind upon listening to her mother's words. However, she immediately shook her head and smiled bitterly. "It's not going to work. Didn't you hear what Junsheng had said? An eligible bachelor like the Chairman had tons of women around him. With just a shap of his finger, women would eagerly throw themselves onto him. Why would he be interested in an ordinary woman like me? Besides, he's the Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios and there are many female celebrities under the management of his company. How would I ever stand any chance of being with him?"

Liu Qiaozhen secretly glanced toward the kitchen at Lin Wenjing. After making sure that Lin Wenjing was not listening, she raised her voice and said, "That's not true. As a woman, I understand men well. It's exactly because the Chairman is so used to seeing seductive women around him that he would be attracted

to innocent girls like you. Moreover, you said that when you went to his company, he was willing to give you a loan of 20 million without even touching you and without signing an IOU. It's obvious that he is interested in you!"

As Liu Qiaozhen's words started to make sense, Chu Ling was swayed. Was it possible that the Chairman of the Purple Jade had feelings for her?

At the thought, she turned around and glimpsed at Lin Wenjing in the kitchen. With a gulp, she said, "Mom, there is something I didn't tell you. Some days earlier, I attended Zhang Hairong's birthday celebration, but..."

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Then, she told Liu Qiaozhen everything that had happened the day she attended Zhang Hairong's birthday celebration, including the fact that she was drugged by Zhang Hairong and was nearly raped by him before she was saved by the Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios. "I have a feeling that the Chairman had met me before."

After listening to her, Liu Qiaozhen immediately clapped her hands excitedly and said, "That's it! I am sure! The Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios is definitely interested in you. Otherwise, he would not have put himself through so much trouble just to save you! Just

think about this: if the Chairman was not secretly protecting you, how would he know that you were having trouble and were in need of help at Kunpeng KTV? Therefore, I am sure he is interested in you! Maybe he's playing hard to get waiting for you to go to him."

When Liu Qiaozhen reached here, she became so excited that her face went completely red. She kept rubbing her hands together before pressing her hands on Chu Ling's shoulder. "We are going to be rich! We are going to be rich! The Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios, who has an asset of over 100,000,000,000, has fallen in love with you! Enough said, get a divorce with Lin Wenjing, that disappointing man, as soon as possible and go to the Chairman!"

In the kitchen, Lin Wenjing caught snippets of their conversation, but he could not hear them clearly. He walked out of the kitchen as his curiosity was piqued.

He was seen by Chu Ling just in time, who could not help but panic before she pulled Liu Qiaozhen into her bedroom and shut the door. "Mom, I don't think things are going to be as simple as how you describe. The Chairman knows that I have a husband. Moreover, he has suggested several times for me to look for my husband. If he were really interested in me, why

was he mentioning my husband repeatedly? Besides, it's impossible for a man like him to be interested in a married woman like me."

After listening to Chu Ling, Liu Qiaozhen was deep in thought. As she was pacing to and fro, her eyes suddenly lit up. "I've got it! The Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios is the type of man like Cao Cao[1]!"

Chu Ling was in befuddlement. What on earth did Cao Cao have to do with the Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios? "Mom, what do you mean? Why are you talking about Cao Cao all of a sudden?"

"Are you dumb?" Cáo Cão had a thing for married women, and he was not interested in young girls," Liu Qiaozhen explained as if it was a matter of fact. "In my opinion, just like Cao Cao, the Chairman is interested in married women. Therefore, you shouldn't get a divorce with Lin Wenjing. You should maintain your marriage and approach the Chairman at the same time. Be more proactive! I am sure you could get him!"

As she was listening to her mother's words, Chu Ling's face turned red. "Mom! How could you say something so improper and shameless?! What kind of woman do you think I am? Although I don't like Lin Wenjing, I can't

agree to do what you are trying to ask me to! Moreover, this is rather unfair to Lin Wenjing."

Liu Qiaozhen poked Chu Ling's forehead before criticizing, "What a dumb girl you are! You could have kept it as a secret from Lin Wenjing!

Besides, the marriage between Lin Wenjing and you merely exists in name, and the two of you don't act like a real married couple anyway. You don't have to be faithful to him at all. As soon as you get into a relationship with the Chairman, you can kick him out of your life. No one would know what you have done in the process."

"No way!" Chu Ling shook her head forcefully, rejecting Liu Qlaozhen's absurd idea.

Just as Liu Qiaozhen intended to persuade her more, she was chased out of her room by Chu Ling.

Alone in the room, Chu Ling was overwhelmed with mixed feelings as she stared at the wedding photo of Lin Wenjing and her which was hung above the headboard.

"Lin Wenjing, how nice it would be if only you were the Chairman of the Purple Jade Studios. In that case, I wouldn't have to go through this ordeal..."

[1] Cao Cao, (c. 155 – 15 March 220), courtesy name Mengde (Chinese: 孟德), was a Chinese warlord and poet, as well as one of the central figures of the Three Kingdoms period who laid the foundations for what was to become the state of Cao Wei and ultimately the Jin dynasty. A brilliant ruler and a military genius, he was also known to be fond of women, having at least 15 consorts, some of which were married to his enemies before he defeated them and took their consorts as his, thus earning him the reputation of having fetish for married women.



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Lin Wenjing did not know the thoughts in Chu Ling's heart, so he went to work after he finished his lunch.

If he knew, he would probably be unable to hold back any longer and reveal to Chu Ling that he was the Chairman of Purple Jade Studios, who was capable of offering her an enviable life and skyrocketed fame.

Since he was the Chairman of Purple Jade Studios now, it was no longer suitable to go to work with his electric motorcycle, or else a blunder like last time would happen again, and that would be troublesome.

Even so, he did not buy a car and only traveled to work by taxi these few days. Before he got down from the taxi, the driver suddenly popped a question out of curiosity. "Hey, buddy, are you working in Purple Jade Studios?"

Lin Wenjing nodded and asked, "Yup. Is there any problem?"

"No, no!" The driver was a young man in his 20s. After he stopped the car on the roadside, he turned back and spoke to Lin Wenjing, "Purple Jade Studios is a great place. Many famous artists are signed by Purple Jade Studios. Many of my friends wish to work in Purple Jade Studios, but its requirement is too

high, so none of them got in."

The driver then paused for a while before he continued with an envious face, "Since you're working in Purple Jade Studios every day, you must have met a lot of artists. Geez, I'm so jealous of you."

Lin Wenjing could not help laughing as he replied, "It's not a bad place to work in. Actually, artists are also humans. They have a mouth, a pair of eyes and a nose just like everyone else. It's not a big deal."

After he acquired Purple Jade Studios, he had remained a low profile, so he did not come into much contact with the artists signed by the company. However, he sincerely thought that artists were also human, and they rose to fame through meticulous crafting of their personas. To put it bluntly, it was just a profession, so why should it be worshipped?

However, the driver was unhappy with Lin Wenjing's remarks, so he said in a serious tone, "That's not the same. They are artists who stand aloof above the masses, and everyone in the country knows them. The common people can't even have a chance to meet them once. Some time ago, one of my friends got a signature from Quan Xi, and he is envied by many people. He even managed to hook up two

girls using that signature. How nice is that?"

Lin Wenjing felt that it was exaggerated. Wasn't it just a signature? How could it be used to hook up with girls? That was just ridiculous.

"Who is Quan Xi?" Lin Wenjing asked curiously, even though he found it to be embarrassing to ask this question. Although he was the Chairman of Purple Jade Studios, he was not familiar with the artists in the entertainment industry. He only knew those old-school celebrities such as the Four Heavenly Kings[1]. Other than that, he had absolutely no insight, especially on those trending popular artists.

The young driver almost had his eyes popped out; he stared at Lin Wenjing in disbelief, as though he saw a ghost. "Are you serious? You don't even know who Quan Xi is? He's one of the trending popular artists. Haven't you watched 'Dream Chant' that aired just some time ago? Quan Xi is the male lead in that TV series!"

Lin Wenjing felt slightly embarrassed because he indeed had not watched it.

"Fine then..." The young driver seemed speechless. "It seems like you honestly didn't know Quan Xi. But you're not to be blamed because Quan Xi is embroiled in scandals

recently, and he lost quite a number of fans, so he isn't as famous as he was some time ago. Just half a year earlier, Quan Xi was the hottest star..."

The driver went on and on, and this made Lin Wenjing feel helpless. With no better option, he interrupted the driver. "Sorry, but I'll be late if I don't go to work now."

"Huh? I'm too indulged in talking that I've forgotten about the time. I'm so sorry."

Lin Wenjing was uninterested in Quan Xi. After all, he was a capitalist now, and he had piles of money. In his eyes, all these artists were just workers who worker duroid him. TK

When he reached Purple Jade Studios, no one could recognize him as the Chairman of Purple Jade Studios because he wore ordinary clothes.

Just when he was about to enter, he suddenly heard a loud scream from behind, and many youngsters around him rushed toward that direction. He turned back to inspect the situation, only to see a white Toyota Alphard stopping beside the road. Then, two men in black suits opened the door, and a white-shirted young man with extremely thick bangs walked out of the car.

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This man was handsome, and his skin was fairer than most women, which was typical for a young handsome idol. His presence immediately aroused endless screams on the scene, and groups of young girls rushed up all at once. They were just like biochemical zombies, which made Lin Wenjing utterly shocked.

"Quan Xi!"

"Quan Xi!!"

"Quan Xi, you are so handsome! Quan Xi, I love you!"

"Quan Xi, I'll bear a child for you..."

All these girls shouted a name—Quan Xi. When Lin Wenjing heard this name, he was dumbfounded at once. Was this man who looked effeminate Quan Xi that was mentioned by the driver just now?

He was not as good-looking as Lin Wenjing expected. Upon careful observation, Lin Wenjing noticed that there were some traces of surgery on Quan Xi's face. Obviously, this young handsome idol had undergone cosmetic surgery.

All the artists nowadays would only be diligent

in these showy kinds of stuff instead of training their vocals and acting.

However, Lin Wenjing did not feel any despise toward them. After all, he was the Chairman of Purple Jade Studios, and these artists were his money-maker.

But Lin Wenjing was perplexed. If he had not mistaken, Quan Xi was not signed with Purple Jade Studios. So why was he here?

Could it be that he came here to talk about collaboration?

Quan Xi enjoyed being surrounded, watched and worshipped. Therefore, he kept a radiant smile on his face all the way here while waving at his fans continuously, giving others the feeling that he was cheerful and that he adored his fans.

Quan Xi left a good impression on Lin Wenjing, but immediately after he entered Purple Jade Studios, his smile vanished and was overtaken by annoyance. "How annoying. It's always these fans, especially the few obese and ugly fat pigs. They make me sick by just looking at them! They even touched me just now. That's so gross!"

The personal assistant beside him quickly took

out wet wipes and cleaned Quan Xi's hands while appeasing him reverently. "It can't be helped. That scandal some time ago impacted you greatly, causing you to lose many fans. But it's alright. After you sign with Purple Jade Studios, you will surely rise to fame again with your handsome face and Purple Jade Studios' ability."

After hearing these words, Quan Xi's face became much brighter, and his smile reappeared. He then flipped his bangs and strode in while saying confidently, "That's true. With my ability, Purple Jade Studios will surely make a fortune once I sign with them."

At this moment, the agent beside him urged, "Quan Xi, you must show your best attitude when you meet the high-levels of Purple Jade Studios. You mustn't behave carelessly like how you did earlier. Do you understand?"

Quan Xi did not take it seriously. "I don't think it's necessary. With my fame now, Purple Jade Studios will only be on the winning side if they sign with me. Well, unless they don't want to make a fortune. Haha."

The agent replied seriously, "It's hard to say now. A wealthy tycoon bought over the company with a huge amount of money some time ago and he has become the Chairman of

Purple Jade Studios. Within a month, this new Chairman caused the business of Purple Jade Studios to flourish, and in short, Purple Jade Studios is not the same as before. After this new Chairman took charge of it, its market value has skyrocketed. Many artists wish to be signed by Purple Jade Studios, so Purple Jade Studios might not be willing to sign you. Besides, which studio is still willing to sign you with your situation now?" The agent gave Quan Xi a reminder, with an underlying meaning that lied within his words.

Upon hearing that, Quan Xi became silent and gave an anguished look. Indeed, he might look glorious now, but there were only a few studios left that were willing to spend affortune to sign him up. Among the few studios, Purple Jade Studios had the best ability, and it was his best choice. Therefore, the purpose for his trip this time was to be signed by Purple Jade Studios. Otherwise, his career in the entertainment industry might come to a halt.

Thinking of these, he felt frustrated and unthinkingly tossed the wet wipes he used to clean his hands aside, and it landed just right on Lin Wenjing with a slap.

[1] The Four Heavenly Kings refers to Jacky Cheung, Andy Lau, Aaron Kwok and Leon Lai, four male singers-cum-actors who dominated

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Cantopop music scene as well as coverage in magazines, TV, advertisements and cinema in the 1990s when Cantopop was at its height of popularity.



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