

Qin Ming finally decided to bring Bai Yuchun back to Yun Shan Villas. He recalled that just today, her three dormitory mates had splashed fruit juice all over her face. If she returned home in this condition, they would bully her even more.

Qin Ming had helped her. Now he decided to help her all the way. Anything worth doing is worth doing well.

In the Rolls-Royce, Long was cautious. This was the first time he sat in such a luxurious vehicle. He didn't want his clothing to dirty the leather seats.

Qin Ming smiled, looking at the new mighty warrior he had just acquired.

He said, "Secretary Song will complete all procedures to take you in as our staff. Your salary card will contain 1.8 million, which is half a year's salary. As for your position, it depends on Secretary Song's arrangement."

Long immediately replied, "Boss,"

Sitting nearby, Song Ying quickly reminded Long, "You may address him as 'Young Master'."

Long smiled and said, "Young Master, in fact, I work at Sunshine Credit Corporation for 30,000 a month. If it is doubled, 60,000 is enough."

Qin Ming laughed, "What's the matter? You're not happy to receive more money? I understand what you think. You feel bad about taking so much money before doing work? I think you are highly skilled. I happen to have some trouble tonight. The opponent is a ruthless character who can challenge real soldiers. Do you have the confidence of facing him? If you can win, you're worth the salary."

Long sat up. He had been relaxed. Sincerely, he replied, "Young master, when it comes to fighting, I fear no one. I wouldn't let you down."

Qin Ming nodded in silence. He knew that he had found someone valuable. Looking back at the still sleeping Bai Yuchun, he felt grateful that she was the reason. Life's twists and turns are unpredictable.

The Rolls-Royce stopped at the entrance of Yunshanding Villa and several maids took Bai Yuchun into the house to recuperate.

Qin Ming looked at the time. It was almost six o'clock. He asked, "Have they called yet?"

Song Ying was going to reply "No" but at that moment, her mobile phone rang.

Song Ying turned on the speakerphone and a loud, rough voice was heard, "Ms. Song, sorry, we've only just finally got it together. Let's meet Young master for dinner at the Century Tower since it's my own place and he can fly here by chopper so we needn't worry about traffic jams."

Song Ying looked displeased. If Qin Ming were not present, she would have scolded the caller.

Qin Ming had fixed the appointment at six. Allowing these subordinates to decide on the venue was an act of generosity. Giving this hunting team some say in the matter was also a hint. Finally, these guys have called up to inform about the venue only at six. It was really rude and

arrogant.

Qin Ming smiled and took the mobile phone, "If I go by chopper, I won't be able to bring my guys. I'll be at your mercy, won't I?"

"Huh?" the loud rough voice on the line stuttered a little, "You mean to say"

Qin Ming replied, "I'm Qin Ming, Chang Hongxi's godson. Right now I'm at Yun Shan Villas. Over here, I have hired a team. I wanted to tell you during dinner. Unfortunately, I'm caught up here and I can't make it. I might as well tell you now. It wouldn't make much difference. You can submit your resignation to Ms. Song."

As soon as Qin Ming hung up the phone, pandemonium broke out in a VIP banquet hall of the Century Tower. There were more than fifty people present.

Among these gathering, are guys of various ages, both young and old. They belong to Huan Ning Century Corporation and are the hunting teams inside China.

Chang Hongxi had broken the news to them that the future leader of Huan Ning Corporation was his godson, Qin Ming. So, they wanted to come and see their future boss.

These guys had asked around and heard that Qin Ming was just an undergraduate with no special background. Each of them had formidable experiences and had worked for a long time with Chang Hongxi in his early years. They did not think much of Qin Ming.

They had met Chang Hongxi's children before. All of them were unteachable and unskilled. Could Qin Ming be any better?

They had presumed that this so-called "godson" was just a child born out of wedlock.

Apparently, Chang Hongxi had only one wife, three sons and two daughters. This seemed too few in number and did not match his status as the world's richest man. It would only be natural for him to have a son out of wedlock.

They had discussed it for a while and felt that Qin

Ming was only the first illegitimate child to suddenly surface. These people presumed that there will be more illegitimate children to be revealed in the future. Chang Hongxi would be retiring soon and so he probably had planned to test them one by one.

Led by Xuanyuan Wu, the most respected member of the hunting team, all the leaders of the hunting teams from all over China had come to Guang City to meet with Qin Ming. At the same time, they deliberately planned to show Qin Ming what they were made of. Xuanyuan Wu wanted to show Qin Ming that they were all veterans from Chang Hongxi's glory days. "Do you think, Qin Ming, you little punk, can control us all?"

However, they never thought that he would be so touchy. Just a little test and he refused to show up.

"This is unreasonable! That brat! What does he take us for? We have come from all over the country to meet him."

"Old Xuan, don't you think we had gone too far?"

I think Young master sounds a bit angry!”

“Hey, how could he be angry? He just doesn't appreciate us, that's all. He even mentioned that he has a new team and asked us to resign. What could he possibly mean?”

“Exactly, we have fought for Master Chang for so many years. We have done so many unspeakable deeds for Master Chang. It's because of our contribution that Master Chang can build up such a successful and stable group. Don't tell me this punk will start burning bridges?”

“A new leader starts with a new team, perhaps? We tried to embarrass him so he doesn't want us anymore.”

“If he's got such a short fuse, wouldn't he cause the downfall of Master Chang's group?”

“When all is said and done, he's our boss. It's our duty to support him. It's really wrong of us to try and embarrass him right from the beginning.”

In the banquet hall, everyone was furious. They

felt that each had done so much for Huan Ning Corporation. In the end, their Young master had treated them badly. This was deplorable.

Xuanyuan Wu raised his hand, and everyone gradually calmed down. Xuanyuan Wu was, after all the most senior. The crowd would listen when he spoke.

Xuanyuan Wu looked elegant. With his glasses, he had the appearance of a university professor. He spoke slowly, "If we are really replaced, then Huan Ning Corporation's position in Huaxia Group will be precarious. There will be chaos. But the young master has just begun to take over. I'm not sure he'll really do that. Young people do things impulsively without thinking."

Someone asked, "Old Xuan, what should we do now? I suggest we go straight to Yun Shan Villas and ask this young master what he wants? I guess he will be so scared that he would hide behind the little woman Song Ying. Ha."

Xuanyuan Wu said thoughtfully, "Well, going to meet him is the only option. But, we do not go

marching in. We must go warily and humbly. First we will apologize and then see what he is capable of. No matter how much we may doubt him, he is Master Chang's choice of successor. In future, our salary will come from his hands.”

Someone nodded in agreement: “Yes, we need to ensure that our teams stay the same, and the annual funding will not change. Let's see what happens next and discuss further as we go along. Our teams have lots of members with lots of expenses in various aspects. If we are suddenly deprived of our normal income, we can't survive as well.”

Xuanyuan Wu stood up and said, “That's decided, then. I'll call Secretary Song again. Let's go to meet him. We'll humble ourselves and show him some respect. This young master should accept our apology. We will be able to check out his capability in the meeting so we would not be at any disadvantage.”

At Yun Shan Villas, the tallest, luxurious and extravagant Cloud Tower Villa was brightly lit.

Qin Ming sat at his desk and flipped through the annual financial reports of the Huaxia assassination team. Basically, they were unable to make ends meet and needed funding annually.

Inside China, there is relative peace. Occasionally catching some wanted criminals and turning over evidence of commercial wrongdoing by large companies do not generate much income. On the contrary, occasionally destroying illegal triads or accepting assignments from some foreign sources do result in much financial gain.

Huan Ning Corporation owns eighteen hunting teams within China. Yearly the expenditure on upkeep is ten billion.

If these teams are not kept well, the group leaders who manage the industries of the various regions might go out of line. If they leave the group taking with them the funds and property of the Corporation, it will be a great loss.

This was the force needed for control.

Generally speaking, when Chang Hongxi travels

within China to discuss business, these people took safety measures in the local area and set up round the clock foolproof security to ensure that Chang Hongxi's life was protected without fail.

This was also the normal means of protection.

Qin Ming knew with certainty that Xuanyuan Wu would come tonight. He could not afford to lose this contest of wills. With determination, he set out to prepare for Xuanyuan Wu's visit.



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At seven o'clock in the evening, rows of bulletproof luxury cars lined up in front of the courtyard of Yun Shan Villas.

There were a number of black-clad bodyguards standing on both sides of the villa, watching these luxury cars very vigilantly. The people who got off were their colleagues. Although they were all on the same side, the bodyguards knew that the atmosphere was full of anger.

Headed by Xuanyuan Wu, the 18 leaders of the hunting teams stood in front of the bronze gate in the courtyard.

“Hmph, knowing that we are here, he's hiding inside, this young master is not so courageous. I, Money Leopard, despise him.” The third team leader Money Leopard said contemptuously.

The leader of the fourth team, Bi Yuan, said with a smile; “Leopard, you should control your temper, maybe Master Chang is also peeking from inside.”

As soon Master Chang's name was mentioned,

Money Leopard's neck stiffened and he looked around warily. Were there hidden cameras somewhere? Was Master Chang actually watching the live broadcast?

Xuanyuan Wu stepped forward and said to the bodyguard guarding the door, "I am Xuanyuan Wu. I have brought the leaders of the hunting teams to plead for forgiveness from the young master. Please give us a chance to explain."

Immediately, Qin Ming walked out and said from a distance, "Old Xuan, if you resign, just send a notice. You don't need to come to me to speak in person."

Qin Ming came out with Song Ying on his left and Long on his right. His expression was calm. Although he didn't have the powerful aura of Xuanyuan Wu, he was unperturbed and cool.

Xuanyuan Wu and the others, in unison, took a step forward for a better look at Qin Ming. In his profile photo, Qin Ming looked average and ordinary. Due to poverty, his face revealed confusion and lack of confidence.

However, the new Qin Ming had the manners and airs of someone superior. Moreover, he acted low-key and was excellent at concealing his thoughts.

This was his habit, a habit which puzzled Xuanyuan Wu and his counterparts, all of whom have untold innumerable experiences with all facets of high society and characters. Qin Ming gave them the impression of an unfathomable mystery.

The group headed by Xuanyuan Wu gazed at Qin Ming as if for an answer and then, in unison, they chanted, "Greetings, Young Master."

Xuanyuan Wu took a step forward and said, "We have come to pay respect to you, Young master, but we were undecided about the venue. Hence, we delayed and disrupted your schedule. I, Xuanyuan Wu, do beg the young master for forgiveness."

Qin Ming smiled playfully, and said, "Old Xuan there's no need to stand on ceremony. It was just a dinner, I won't mind. Besides, soon you will no

longer be part of Huan Ning Century Corporation. So, why bother so much?"

Money Leopard was annoyed. Suddenly he stepped ahead of Xuanyuan Wu and scolded, "You have really infuriated me. What is all this weird talk? Master Chang is still around. Are you trying to get rid of people with differences?"

Money Leopard had barely finished speaking when he was pulled back by the others.

Qin Ming was delighted. This reckless man had so quickly revealed his weakness.

Qin Ming tilted his head, talking softly, "Leopard, what differences are you talking about? So, you and I aren't on the same side? Don't we all work for the corporation?"

Money Leopard opened his mouth but he was speechless. He was afraid he couldn't explain himself and would be trapped by his own words. What he could understand was there was a new king and the old ministers would be replaced. All these old team members of Chang Hongxi would

be removed.

Xuanyuan Wu's thought to himself, *Oops! We've got a problem here.* This young master was not as foolish as he imagined. Though young, he seemed quite capable. Money Leopard had spoken foolishly and gotten into trouble.

Qin Ming seized the opportunity to continue speaking. Money Leopard's false move had given him control of the situation. "I have gone through your profiles. In each of the 18 hunting teams, the average age of the leader and deputy is over 40. The most senior, Old Xuan has contributed a lot to our group, including taking bullets for my godfather on three occasions. He is 62 years old. Isn't this the age of peaceful retirement? I cannot bear letting Old Xuan continue risking life and limb, can I? I am now encouraging Old Xuan to opt out of this position. Is there any problem? Do you think that my letting the heroes of the older generation to enjoy life is to exclude dissidents?"

The crowd fell silent. This arrangement seemed perfectly reasonable. It was just impossible to disagree. To oppose would be to find fault

deliberately.

However, in truth, he was just asking Xuanyuan Wu to hand over power. This was the fine art of speaking with the right choice of words.

Money Leopard said loudly, "Nonsense, you are seizing power. Old Xuan didn't say anything about quitting. Even if Old Xuan is old, I, Money Leopard is only thirty-five. Am I very old? You are going to sack all of us. What do you mean? If you don't make it clear, I won't accept..."

Smack, Old Xuan gave Money Leopard a tight slap across his face. Immediately Money Leopard stopped his tirade.

Xuanyuan Wu smiled, saying, "Young master, Money Leopard is a tough guy, he speaks without thinking. Young master, please be generous to him. Forgive him for this slip of his tongue."

Qin Ming turned his body sideways, glanced at Money Leopard and the other middle-aged guys, laughed and said, "You? All of you? As far as I can see, none of you can protect me when I am in

danger. I just met someone, though, a former soldier. He is highly skilled in martial arts and cheap too. Only 300,000 a month. Tell me, who among you can better him?

Hearing this, Long stepped forward, immediately.

The faces of teams' leaders turned red in anger. They make their living by constantly facing the danger of sharp knives and bullets. The work of the bodyguards and hunter teams was fraught with danger. Each team leader was genuinely skilled. How could they admit defeat without putting up a fight?

Qin Ming publicly sneering at them for being unable to protect him if he happened to be in danger was an insult to their professionalism.

Qin Ming could see the anger in their eyes but he felt that it was not enough. He wanted to fan the flames.

He spoke deliberately, "The leaders of Teams 17, 13, 15, 8, 2 and 1, you don't need to try. After all, you are all above 50 years of age. I must show

respect to my elders.”

On hearing these words, all the leaders of the hunting teams felt furious enough to explode in anger. The more Qin Ming put them down, the closer they came to losing control of their fury.

Qin Ming was full of confidence. He had tested Long again to see how good a fighter he is. All together in the villa, there were 20 National level first class bodyguards. Together they had attacked Long. Within 5 minutes Long had each one of them beaten to the ground.

Song Ying's assessment of Long was that he was more or less equal to the captain of the hunting teams.

However Long humbly revealed that he had not stretched himself to the limit. Besides, he was now not at his peak form like when he was serving in the army. His skill had worsened.

At that moment Qin Ming was exhilarated. Easily Long had defeated 20 top level bodyguards. Has he bought himself a “King of Soldiers” for next

to nothing?

Qin Ming is now letting Long contest with these people. The purpose was to take them down a notch so they would know their place.

How does one tame an unruly wild horse? One must ride on them so that they understand who the master is.

Xuanyuan Wu and his men retreated a few steps, then they gathered to discuss countermeasures.

One of the men said with regret, "This is getting really messy. The young master is determined to get rid of us now. If we had any inkling that this could happen, we would not have been so arrogant in the first place."

Someone else added, "It is useless to say more. This young master is not as dull as we imagined, but rather an excellent strategist. He has the upper hand now. If we can't handle it, he will have an excuse to do as he wishes.

Bi Yuan observed, "The one named Long. I don't

think he is that simple. He gives me the feeling like an avenger coming back from the battlefield. His aura is similar to some of the top special forces in the U.S. I encountered when I was a mercenary in Syria. It's extremely dangerous. “

Money Leopard snorted. “What the heck, isn't it just another fight? I, Money Leopard, has never been intimidated by anyone.”

Xuanyuanwu sounded solemn, “Brothers, this is the young master's rebuke to us for attempting to humiliate him at our very first meeting. Since young master has found a thug to test us, we have no choice but to contest. Hand to hand is our basic skill for everyone in our hunting teams. If we fail this test, it would be too embarrassing. Bi Yuan, you take this challenge. We have confidence in your abilities.”

Everyone turned their heads at the same time to look at Bi Yuan. Bi Yuan was relatively young, at 27 years of age. He was a disciple of the leader of the first four teams. He was once a mercenary and also served as a guard for some leaders of South America. He was magnificent.

Bi Yuan nodded and said, "No problem. I'll do it."

In front of the entrance to the villa, everyone stood back, leaving an open space. Long and Bi Yuan took their positions ten steps from each. The two fighters gazed at each other; their eyes glinted with cold danger. Today's battle was the battle to prove each one's worth.



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In a meeting room in a high-rise building in Dubai, Chang Hongxi was on an intravenous drip with a bottle hanging nearby. His eyes were deeply sunken into the skull, but he was in good spirits as he watched the live projection.

Is that not the live broadcast right at the entrance of the Yun Shan Villas in Guangshi, China, where Qin Ming, Xuanyuan Wu and the others are competing against each other?

Chang Hongxi smiled and said to the elderly butler beside him, “Uncle Duan, hehe, where did my young punk find a Kung Fu master? He seems to have served in the army before. Maybe he has some impressive background.”

Standing nearby, Uncle Duan smiled and said, “This may be the young master's destiny. Observe how the young master has chosen to face head-on with Xuanyuan Wu's people in a display of brute force by hard means. It is similar to your style back in those days.”

Chang Hongxi grinned and said, “Really? That proves that I have a keen insight. Hey, this type

of temper is great. I like it. You must have a temper to sit in my position and keep these adulterous people and bastards under control. Hmm...”

At the entrance of Yun Shan Villas.

The captain of the fourth team, Bi Yuan, raised his fist, rushed towards Long whilst throwing a tentative punch.

Long raised his eyes. Although it was a tentative punch from the opponent, he could see that Bi Yuan's punch was very powerful and strong. He would be seriously injured if he did not pay attention.

Long marveled at the fighter he was facing, “Such a good fighter with so much experience and a brutal character.”

With the strength of his arm, Long violently shook off the tentative punch and grabbed it from the side. This was a military style punch, full of brute force. At the same time, inadvertently, he exposed an arm covered with scars.

The team leaders exclaimed, "Someone from the army?"

Smack, smack, smack! Long's move was quicker although his opponent moved first. Long's martial arts skills were broad, encompassing wrestling, military skills and battlefield training. Bi Yuan and the other leaders were shocked and alarmed.

They could see that Long was a battle-tested member of the special forces, by far superior to ordinary veterans.

Smack! Bam! Wham! After more than ten moves of defensive action, Bi Yuan began his offensive strikes. His boxing skills ranged widely and he wanted to win with speed and strength.

Unexpectedly, instead of retreating and dodging, Long met Bi Yuan's attacks head-on. Without wavering, Long matched Bi Yuan's footsteps at a faster speed. His feet flying fast and furiously, Long countered with stronger and speedier blows.

After a short while, Bi Yuan had failed in his

counterattack. Long grasped the opportunity to strike his armpit with a powerful punch. The pain immediately made Bi Yuan unable to lift his right hand. He lost his balance and staggered backwards.

“Oh!”

As the wounded Bi Yuan retreated staggeringly and finally fell to the ground, the leaders and their deputies of the hunting teams exclaimed.

It only took ten minutes for Long to secure his victory.

After winning, Long silently stepped back, letting Qin Ming take center stage.

Qin Ming walked towards Bi Yuan, looking down on the fallen man as if from above.

Bi Yuan felt both upset and ashamed. He lost. With an annual salary of more than 10 million, plus countless additional benefits won in the battlefield, he actually lost to a new bodyguard who had just joined the group. Although the work

of the hunting team was not just one-to-one combat with other fighters, nonetheless, they all rely on fighting to earn their living. So, he was not going to make excuses.

The crowd expected Qin Ming to taunt and sneer. Instead, Qin Ming extended his hand to the Team 4 leader Bi Yuan.

Bi Yuan was taken aback, feeling surprised and touched at the same time. Finally, after some hesitation, he accepted Qin Ming's outstretched hand and allowing Qin Ming to pull him up and steady him on his feet.

Then Qin Ming spoke, "So, do you believe me now? I've checked each and everyone's info. Isn't Bi Yuan your best fighter? In just ten minutes, he had fallen. Fighters like Long, I have seven or eight of them. They have not joined our group yet, that's all."

Song Ying could not help but giggle out loud when he heard Qin Ming bragging so outrageously.

With a faint waving motion of his hands, Qin Ming said, "You guys have no strong points or positive qualities. Why should I keep you all?"

Xuanyuan Wu and the others were speechless. Although they all knew that Qin Ming would use the victory of this competition as an excuse to lord over them. The truth was that they had lost. It was undeniable and any attempt of a rebuttal was pointless. After all, Qin Ming was the boss.

They had thought that Qin Ming was young and they were unwilling to take orders from him. They had felt that Qin Ming was easily intimidated. In the end, they had found out that, though young, Qin Ming was shrewd. Furthermore, he had employed a highly skilled expert fighter. They had made a mistake.

The group started looking at one another. They had gone too far. They may lose their steady jobs and those working under them might all become unemployed too. Perhaps they could all seek employment together at some factory and work as security guards.

“I don't agree! Who says we have no positive qualities or strong points?”

Suddenly, Money Leopard rushed out. Although he had a plump face, his body was muscular and physically strong. He continued aggressively, “Young Master, if you fire us all. Who will do security work for you? If someone were to betray you or try to assassinate you, who will protect you?”

Qin Ming looked at him and smiled knowingly. Just now Money Leopard had not wanted to recognize him as the young master, but now he was publicly addressing him as “Young Master?” Apparently, Money Leopard was not as reckless as he thought. He knew how to adapt to different situations.

Standing nearby, Song Ying said with disdain, “Money Leopard, there are others. You're not irreplaceable.”

Money Leopard retorted, “I don't think so. We are ready to sacrifice our lives at any time. Can you find some as brave as us? I, Money Leopard,

will not hesitate to take a bullet or face a wielded knife, for the salary I receive. I have faced a knife attack for Master Chang, and there are scars as proof.”

Money Leopard took off his coat, revealing a deep knife mark on the back and shoulder bone. The scar was just an inch away from the heart. It showed just how close he was to losing his life.

Money Leopard said: “I have worked hard with Master Chang for many years, and I rely on courage. I dare say that no one in this world can be bolder than I am. In our line of work, courage is absolutely essential. Without courage, we cannot face attacks from guns or knives to protect Master Chang and Young master. Sometimes we know a dinner was a set-up, yet we attend to eat the food first. Fearful people just can't do this type of work.”

Qin Ming smiled and said, “Courage? Money Leopard, you don't need to compare with others, just accept my challenge. If you are bolder than me, not only will I keep you, but I will promote you as well.”

Money Leopard immediately agreed. "Okay, Young master, you set the rules. What is the challenge?"

When the crowd heard Qin Ming and Money Leopard were challenging each other to see who is more courageous, everyone felt envious.

"Money Leopard is a tough man with a gentle side. Here is his opportunity."

"Challenge the Young master? Isn't the Young master just a university student? What will the contest be? Money Leopard is just a simpleton. Yet, this time, he is ahead of us all."

"I don't think so. The Young master has been very mysterious. The Young master is no ordinary man."

"Promote Money Leopard? No way! I should have stepped ahead to get the attention."

Qin Ming smiled mysteriously, looked around at the crowd and asked, "Has anyone brought a revolver?"

Clunk clunk clunk... immediately, a handful of deputy leaders took out their favorite weapons.

Qin Ming took one of the revolvers and showed a slightly more serious mood.

This was not the first time Qin Ming held a gun. He had used hunting guns with his grandfather in the countryside, and he also shot the deer in the mountains.

In his sophomore year last year, at the badminton club evening activities, he once performed a magic show using a prop revolver called the "Tricky Russian roulette."

And just now, while waiting for the arrival of Xuanyuan Wu and the others, he had asked Song Ying to bring him a revolver, so that he could familiarize himself with a real gun.

Qin Ming took the gun and pointed it at the ground, *Bang! Bang! Bang! Bang! Bang!* he used up 5 of the 6 bullets.

Everyone had a bad feeling about Qin Ming's

behavior. The deputy who provided the revolver was even more nervous. He kept wiping sweat from his brow.

Qin Ming opened the cylinder, turned it around and looked at it. Suddenly, with a stroke of his hand, the cylinder turned on its axis. When Qin Ming lifted his hand again quickly, cylinder and barrel were aligned.

By now, everyone had guessed how Qin Ming was challenging Money Leopard's courage. Money Leopard's expression was frozen, and he finally had a new understanding of this young master.

Qin Ming took the revolver and pointed to his head quickly, saying, "This little challenge of courage is called Russian Roulette. I believe you all know that. Since it has already started, you must continue to play it."

Just as he finished his explanation, Qin Ming was going to pull the trigger.

"No, don't!"

Everyone shouted astoundingly when Qin Ming pointed the revolver to his own head. "NO!"

Everyone could no longer contain themselves as anxiety washed over them.

Although they had no idea how things had progressed to such an extent, Qin Ming was indeed an heir appointed by Chang Hongxi himself. They weren't satisfied with Qin Ming, while some of them even looked down on him. So they wanted to teach him a lesson.

But everyone knew that they do not have the capabilities to bear any responsibility should anything bad happens to Qin Ming. Chang Hongxi would not be pleased.

Some of them were even guessing that Qin Ming was Chang Hongxi's illegitimate child.

Song Ying was startled. She rushed forward and held Qin Ming's hand tightly. The girl stammered. "Young master, please don't do this. They're just a bunch of unworthy people."

Song Ying turned around and looked maliciously towards the people from the hunting team. She rebuked. "You bunch of losers, look at what you've done. Do you think that you'll be able to stay in Huan Ning Century Corporation after this? Master treated you all well in the past, and this is how you repay him? All of you wanted to end the life of his sole heir?"

Xuanyuan Wu and the others did not get a chance to explain themselves. They did not want this to happen either.

We never thought that Qin Ming would be so daring and brave. He's just a university student, right? We've never seen a university student as bold as he is.

They regretted their actions now. We should've stayed obedient and accepted our current fate. If something undesirable happens today, our future would be bleak.

Xuanyuan Wu stepped forward and was about to admit defeat. He wanted that fiasco to end immediately.

But Qin Ming spoke first. "What's the matter? You've become a coward now? Ha! First you've lost in a fight, then you lost in terms of courage. How do you expect yourselves to teach me a lesson? You think that you're better because you've worked for a longer period of time? Well, your experience certainly did not help you this time."

Everyone went silent. They finally gained revelation about the kind of person Qin Ming was. He's a man that would risk his own life at the most desperate of times.

That man standing before them was a completely different breed from Chang Hongxi's three sons and two daughters.

They deliberately neglected Qin Ming today and tricked him into one of their skits. The bunch of people never expected Qin Ming to confront them head-on without showing any room for negotiations or allowed them to turn back on their own words.

Qin Ming yanked his hand away from Song Ying

and walked up to Money Leopard. He spoke. "Everyone shut up. I'll be the one to talk from now on. My words will be your commands, and anyone that dares to go against my commands can get lost right away. Money Leopard, didn't you say that you're the bravest in this world? Don't take back your words now, because you can't. You don't have the courage to play with me now, in this lethal game of Russian roulette?"

Money Leopard gulped. That man sworn to himself that he was experiencing the most nerve wrecking situation in his entire life at that moment.

He wiped away the sweat of his forehead and turned around to look at his brothers from the hunting team. He steeled his nerves and spoke. "Young master, I'm admitting my defeat now. But I will play with you because I know that you're very pissed about what happened today. If young master happens to lose, then I will kill myself as a retribution. On the other hand, if I'm the one to lose, then I do hope that young master would be so kind as to forgive Xuanyuan and the others. Our intention was to test out your capabilities

because we were not familiar with your abilities. Of course, we know now that young master is better and more skilled than us in every way.”

“Hey, are you trying to gain favor for yourself with all the fancy words you're spouting? You should've been honest right from the start if that's your intention. How do I know if you're only saying this because you're pointing a gun to your own head?” Qin Ming curled his lips and said, “I require my followers to be able to distinguish to whom their loyalty lies even when it's an enemy that's pointing a gun to their heads.”

Qin Ming pulled the trigger as he spoke. *Clack!* That chamber was empty.

Clack! Everyone fell to the floor as their legs gave out. Song Ying could not help but flinched. The girl was afraid that she'll hear a gunshot.

Qin Ming handed the revolver to Money Leopard.

Money Leopard gulped. He pointed the gun to his head. That man narrowed his eyes and pulled the

trigger.

Clack! Another empty chamber.

Whew..... Money Leopard shuddered. His legs were shaking uncontrollably. Beads of sweats layered his forehead as his face darkened.

Qin Ming picked up the revolver and pointed the gunpoint to his head again. He was carrying the casual poise as usual. “Money Leopard, do you think that I'm unaware of your dissatisfaction towards me? You think that I'm a pampered young master that appeared out of nowhere. So I do not have the qualifications to lead a team of veterans like all of you, is that right?”

Money Leopard hurriedly denied the statement. “No no, young master... Please do not misunderstand..... Ah!”

Qin Ming pulled the trigger again. Money Leopard shrieked as fear consumed the remainder of his sentence. His body titled backwards subconsciously.

Clack! Another empty chamber.

Qin Ming handed the revolver to Money Leopard without much expression on his face.

Money Leopard's body was covered in sweat. He received the revolver with trembling hands as he lowered his head. That man was afraid to meet with Qin Ming's eyes. Money Leopard had never seen someone acting so dauntless in the face of death.

Even the people watching from aside were looking at Qin Ming differently. Xuanyuan Wu, Long, Song Ying and the others were amazed and startled by Qin Ming's calmness.

Money Leopard was drenched in sweat at that point. He shut his eyes and pulled the trigger with his right hand.

Clack! That shot turned out to be an empty chamber too.

Ah..... Money Leopard slumped to the floor when he heard the empty trigger. That man could no longer

support himself upright. Sweat from anxiety and fear were soaking his clothes like pouring rain.

Qin Ming spoke in a nonchalant manner. "There's only two shots remaining. One of the shots will certainly be fatal."

Money Leopard teeth clattered dreadfully. He groveled around Qin Ming's feet and said, "Young master, It.... It's all my fault. I'm aware of my own mistakes now. Young master, your life is far more valuable than us, so please don't....."

Clack! Qin Ming pulled the trigger before Money Leopard could finish his words. It was another empty chamber!

Qin Ming shivered a little. He gasped before pulling the trigger. That man exhaled deeply after pulling an empty trigger.

Five consecutive empty chambers? That's some crazy luck.

Money Leopard froze in his position. He thought to himself. *If the fifth shot was empty, then the sixth and final shot would be a loaded chamber. My death is*

certain!

He kneeled on the floor as sweat dripped off his body. His breathing labored. That man lost all courage to even look up at Qin Ming.

The atmosphere was terrifying and heavy. Everyone that was witnessing the whole process including Song Ying, Long and the bodyguards around the villa had become reacquainted with their young master. That young man was not a pushover. He's unyielding and cold-blooded.

*Thud!*Xuanyuan Wu kneeled on the floor too. Tears covered his face. "Young master, please forgive us. We will reflect on our mistakes. I, Xuanyuan Wu disrespected young master on the basis that I came from an older generation. I'm willing to accept any punishment that may befall me."

*Thud!*Every other members of the hunting team including the team leader and vice team leader groveled on the floor as well.

They had lost in their confrontation to challenge

Qin Ming. They were beaten fair and square.

Qin Ming spoke casually. "Money Leopard, are you afraid to fire this final shot?"

Money Leopard kneeled on the floor and grabbed the soil in his hands. He spoke solemnly. "Young master, I am not afraid of death, but I do not wish to die a meaningless death. We disregarded young master today and disappointed Master Chang's expectation and kindness towards us. I am willing to die if my death would bring satisfaction to young master. Please pull the trigger. I've made peace with death."

Qin Ming sneered. He turned around and walked towards the villa. "What's the point of me taking your life anyway? Let's just call it a day."

Bang! As Qin Ming walked into the villa, everyone heard the sound of a gunshot. One of the lamps on the wall shattered.

Chills spread throughout the bodies of everyone in the hunting team. Money Leopard gasped as he acknowledged the fact that the bullet was

supposed to pass through his head instead.

Qin Ming just spared my life.

On the top floor of a skyscraper in Dubai, Chang Hongxi had witnessed everything that happened in front of the villa through footage from the satellite. He could not help but sighed thoughtfully. “The future is bright for this kid. Even without my inheritance, this young man would achieve remarkable success in his days to come.”

The old butler beside him said, “Master, what if young master fire the entire assassination team of Huaxia Group.....”

Chang Hongxi said with a smile. “Haha, do you think that's possible. He had already built his own fearsome reputation and convinced Xuanyuan Wu and the others. That young man only needs someone to back him up in order for my men to swear loyalty to him as well. Uncle Duan, prepare my private plane. I'm going back to back him up now.”