

ALL
STRINGS
ATTACHED







UM, OKAY.



OKAY, DONE!
MR. XIANG, ARE YOU
OFF DUTY NOW?

IT'S QUITE COLD
TODAY. WHY DON'T
WE GET SOME HOTPOT,
ON ME?



NO NEED...

TEACHER, LET'S



TEACHER, LET'S
GO TOGETHER...

THERE'S ALWAYS
MUCH MORE FUN
WHEN MORE PEOPLE
EAT HOTPOT
TOGETHER!



DADDY, AM
I RIGHT?

A comic panel featuring two characters. On the left, a character with dark brown hair is seen from the back, wearing a grey robe with a thick red scarf. On the right, a character with light brown hair and blue eyes is smiling broadly, wearing a dark blue hooded jacket over a maroon sweater and a white collared shirt. The background is a bright yellow with orange and white stars and wavy lines. Two speech bubbles are present: one from the character on the right and another from a character whose head is partially visible at the bottom of the frame.

RIGHT RIGHT! MR.
XIANG, YOU SHOULD
COME ALONG!

LET ME ASK A FEW
MORE FRIENDS SO THAT
THERE'S MORE FUN!



FINE, BUT I NEED
TO GO BACK AND TELL
THE HEAD TEACHER.

CANNOT DO
ANYTHING
ABOUT KIDS

NO PROBLEM AT ALL!
XIAOGLUAI AND I WILL
BE WAITING FOR YOU!





DAD, DO
YOU LIKE THIS
TEACHER?









HELLO? XIAOGE, IS
MO GETTING BETTER?



YES, HE'S
DOING MUCH
BETTER. WE'RE ABOUT
TO LEAVE THE
HOSPITAL



XIAOGLAI AND I
ARE GOING TO GET
HOTPOT WITH A NEW
FRIEND. ARE YOU
UP FOR IT?



AH? LET
ME ASK...

WE'RE NOT
GOING.

HUG





WE NEED SOME
COUPLE TIME TOGETHER.
WE DON'T HAVE TIME FOR
A SINGLE MAN LIKE
YOU.





TCH! IF YOU HAVE
ENERGY FOR PDA, THEN
YOU'RE DEFINITELY
GETTING BETTER!

AH STOP
TALIKNG...
YU DON'T BE
LIKE THIS, HAHAAH.

SORRY, YU. BUT THE
DOCTOR SAYS HE SHOULD
EAT PLAIN AND SIMPLE
MEALS SO WE CAN'T MAKE
IT THIS TIME.



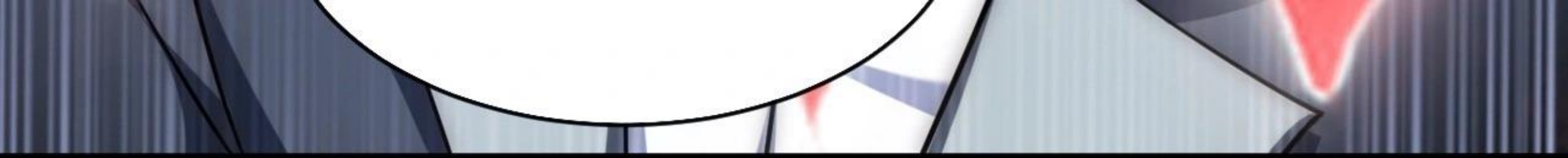




I'M DEFINITELY
OKAY WITH EATING
PORRIDGE, BUT...

CAN I TAKE WHAT YOU'VE
JUST SAID AS...

...A COHABITATION
INVITATION?



C-COHABITATION?!

YEAH, THAT'S
RIGHT

RIGHT~



IT'S JUST THAT
YOU HAVE NOWHERE ELSE
TO GO. YOU CAN STAY WITH
ME FOR THE TIME
BEING...

WAIT, IF HE
FOUGHT HIS FAMILY
ONLY BECAUSE OF ME...
WOULD I HURT HIS
FEELINGS IF I SAID
SO?



ARE YOU SAYING





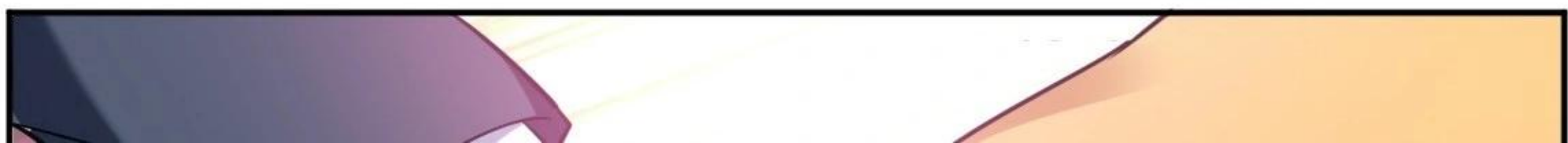
EM? NO
AS...?



THAT'S ALSO FINE IF YOU
REALLY WANT TO THINK
LIKE THAT...



HE'S ONLY BRAVE AT
CRITICAL MOMENTS. IT'S
SO HARD TO MAKE HIM
SAY SOMETHING GOOD
IN DAILY LIFE.





THEN LET'S GO, I CAN'T WAIT!





TO BE CONTINUED...

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