

# CHEF'S MENU

## 主廚的菜單

*A hard-working, no-nonsense sous chef at a high-end restaurant is first cheated on by his boyfriend, and then fired by his unpredictable boss. His life is already shrouded in gloom, and now he has to deal with ... the advances of his love rival?*

Cheng Yu, an outwardly aloof sous chef at a high-end restaurant, receives a call from a stranger one day during a meetup game at a gay bar, after which he starts dating Chi Shao. Their relationship is far from smooth sailing, however: Shao, who always has an eye for the main chance, flirts with his boss Lin Tsang-Hsuan to get ahead in his career. Yu hardens his heart and breaks up with Shao, just as he has to pull himself together to deal with sudden unemployment after the hot-tempered head chef fires him out of the blue. Unfortunately for Yu, even his search for a new job hits roadblocks, and the main obstacle turns out to be his romantic rival, Lin Tsang-Hsuan!

Wherever Yu goes, he seems to bump into Tsang-Hsuan, a cynical, big-business financial consultant who refuses to take life seriously and keeps causing trouble. First Yu happens upon Tsang-Hsuan just in time to rescue him from a handsome bully in a dark alley, and then he wakes up at Tsang-Hsuan's house, dead drunk and disheveled! Tsang-Hsuan's every move is ambiguous in intent, but Yu can't help thinking he's interested in something more: he keeps sending Yu hot selfies and following him around wherever he goes, reminding Yu of his childhood dog. Tsang-Hsuan's eyes even light up when he smells the culinary treats Yu whips up. The chef's tender heart is quietly melting... but Yu wonders what's really in Tsang-Hsuan's heart, and where this relationship is taking them.

*Chef's Menu* is a richly layered story that boasts not just male multi-partner relationships but business intrigues and mouthwatering descriptions of fine cuisine. The slowly building emotions of the two protagonists draw readers in, while the erotic descriptions turn up the heat, making this a must read.



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Yukimori Cheng is an online forum content writer with a talent for male romance and erotic themes combined with elements such as time travel, healing, and the supernatural. Her novel *Chef's Menu* has sold over 10,000 copies since its publication and received numerous positive reviews on online forums. Rights have been sold in Thailand, where it was published in 2023.