

《荷兰小伙飞中国见网友，机场苦等10天未现身》

导读:近日一位荷兰小伙子在长沙机场守候10天只为见女网友一事十分火爆。后续如何了呢？



You might expect love to hurt, but for one lovesick Dutch man in China it resulted in a hospital trip for exhaustion.

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Alexander Pieter Cirk, 41, recently flew from Holland to Hunan province in the hope of meeting his online girlfriend, a Chinese woman known only as Zhang.

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But he ended up spending 10 days waiting at Changsha airport, after she failed to show up. And he has won little sympathy in China.

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Mr Cirk told Chinese media that he met Ms Zhang, 26, in an app two months ago and romance blossomed.

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He decided to fly to visit her, but when he got to Hunan found no-one had come to meet him.

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He refused to leave the airport for the next 10 days, and was eventually taken to hospital suffering physical exhaustion, according to reports by Hunan TV.

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Ms Zhang contacted the TV channel a day after the report aired to give her side, saying that she had thought it had all been a joke.

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"We had advanced our romantic relationship but later he seemed a little callous towards me," Ms Zhang told Hunan TV.

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"One day he sent me a photo of air tickets abruptly and I thought it was a joke. He didn't contact me later."

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Ms Zhang also added that by the time Mr Cirk arrived at the airport, she was away having plastic surgery in another province and had turned off her phone.

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On Chinese social media, the majority of users were keen to point out the apparent absurdity of the man's actions.

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The hashtag "Foreign man went to Changsha to meet his online girlfriend" has been trending on micro-blogging site Weibo.

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"He must be stupid, why would anyone do this?" asked one user.

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"Doesn't he know that everything in China is fake?" said another.

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"Perhaps she did go to the airport, saw what he looked like, and promptly turned back around," was a theory proposed by another user.

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Others, however, had some sympathy.

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"Here's a guy taking a relationship seriously, don't play around with his feelings," the netizen said. "If you don't want him anymore, tell him so he can go home."

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"What does this say about Chinese integrity?", asked another.

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Mr Cirk was scheduled to fly home earlier this week.

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Ms Zhang reportedly said she would be keen to meet him after her recovery, saying she was still interested in maintaining their relationship.

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