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She was stunned for more than 10 seconds before finally coming to her senses and looked at Darryl in a daze. "D-did you write this?"

She then blushed and felt extremely awkward.

What was the matter with her? How could she ask such a stupid question? It was clearly him who wrote it.

However, she thought Darren was a doctor? How could he have such mastery in calligraphy as well?

At that instant, the Sect Master was shocked. Her entire mind was buzzing in complete bafflement.

Besides practicing cultivation daily, as the Sun Set Sect Master, she also liked music, chess, calligraphy, and painting. She was a fanatic in the arts, especially in calligraphy, hence her calligraphy skills were quite good as well.

That was the reason Jackie would give her the authentic calligraphies of Master Cecil in the past.

However, the Sect Master truly understood that a legendary calligrapher for the past few hundred years, Master Cecil whom she admired upon was nothing compared to Darren before her after seeing Darryl's writings.

'Haha!"

Darryl was delighted upon seeing the Sect Master's expressions. He smiled and said, "What do you think? My calligraphy should be

comparable with Master Cecil's, right? I could use this as a way to repay you."

Darryl showed a relaxed expression when he said that.

Master Cecil whom the Sect Master admired was very famous in the Yellow Sea Continent, but even he admired the Divine Grassist Zhang Xu so much so he even copied Zhang Xu's style.

Zhang Xu was one of Darryl's servants—Zhang Xu even personally taught Darryl calligraphy, so how could Master Cecil compare to Darryl?

Hmm!

The Sect Master came to her senses and nodded upon hearing that.

Darren's calligraphy be it its charm or artistry was at a much higher level compared to Master Cecil.

"Ok, I've repaid you. I'm going to rest now." Darryl did not bother to say anymore before laying on the floor and rested.

"Woo!"

At that instant, the Sect Master was sleepless as she bit her lips gently and looked at Darryl closely with complicated eyes.

'What else is Darren not showing?'

At that moment, the Sect Master's impression of Darryl changed a lot as there was an indescribable attraction starting to rise from the bottom of her heart.

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Meanwhile, the World Universe's Mid City.

At that moment, the ground near Mid City had been dyed red with blood as every sect's disciples had fallen to the ground!

Sects from the World Universe and the North Moana Army had been in an intense battle for a day and night!

Throughout the day and night cycle, there were many casualties from each sect. They initially had about 500,000 people. However, after facing the powerful North Moana Army at that moment, they only had 50,000 left!

On North Moana's side, they only had a casualty of 300,000 under Zhang Jue's leadership. They still had more than 100,000 active soldiers.

Less than 50,000 cultivators going up against more than 100,000 soldiers. There was no longer any doubt on the result of that war.

At that moment, the World Universe sects could almost no longer endure as the remaining people gritting their teeth and held on. Even though they did not give up, their eyes were filled with despair.

If they were to continue any longer, everyone would die in battle and the World Universe would be completely helpless by then. At that moment, Susan's white long dress was almost completely dyed blood-red on the battlefield with some of the blood belonging to her enemy and some hers. Her face was pale and she was extremely weak at that moment.

After a day and night of intense battle, Susan had almost used up all of her internal energy.

"Woo!"

Susan shuddered with anxiety and despair upon seeing her surroundings and many of their cultivators having fallen to the ground.

The situation was getting worse. What should she do?

Should they just give up Mid City?

"Retreat... Everyone, retreat. We can no longer defend Mid City."

Right at that moment, someone among the cultivators of the World Universe yelled out loud before many disciples from each sect turned around and ran away in a panic—gone were their fighting spirit.

In truth, no one wanted to give up Mid City just like that. However, the situation before their eyes was already uncontrollable. They were just sending themselves to death if they were to continue fighting!

### 2142 "Retreat. Everyone, guickly retreat."

Susan's last line of defense in her heart shattered upon seeing that scene. She yelled before immediately led the people near her and escaped into the distance.

In truth, Susan was extremely reluctant to give up Mid City. However, all the World Universe sects would be destroyed there if they were to continue fighting.

In addition, they have only lost Mid City. The entire World Universe was not lost to the enemy yet. They could still retreat and conserve their energy as there might still be a chance to turn the situation around.

If they were to die there, there would no longer be any chances.

"Woola!"

Instantly, everyone from the World Universe quickly retreated and most of them managed to escape. Of course, many were captured by the North Moana Army as well.

Among those captives, there were quite a number of them from the Carter family such as Sara Carter, Yvette Lane, and the others.

"Chase after them!"

North Moana Army's generals yelled angrily upon seeing that scene as they led their soldiers majestically to chase after them.

Right at that moment, Zhang Jue, who was floating in mid-air, smiled and said, "There's no need to chase after them. They are just a few defeated men, so there's no need to be worried about them."

He then immediately instructed them, "Let's enter Mid City right now! We'll rest there!"

Zhang Jue looked at the direction in which Susan and the others were escaping condescendingly as he said that.

Besides the Ghost Valley Sage, the only other person in the entire Nine Mainland that Zhang Jue was apprehensive of was Darryl. As for Susan and the others, he barely even batted an eye at them.

"Yes, Military Adviser." The generals responded in unison and led the army into Mid City.

"Haha!" Yang Jian bawled in laughter right at that moment before praising Zhang Jue, "My Military Adviser, you truly know how to make the best of the army. You can conquer Mid City in such a short time. Not bad, not bad!"

Yang Jian then turned around and instructed Ambrose behind him, "General Ambrose, I'll let you guard over these captives. Don't make any mistakes and disappoint me."

Yang Jian was smiling, but his eyes were filled with complicated expressions when he said that.

Yang Jian stopped trusting Ambrose ever since he found out that Ambrose was Darryl's biological son. He no longer allowed Ambrose to lead the battle, but only let him do the cleaning up.

"Yes, Your Majesty!" Ambrose responded with a depressed expression.

He had long felt Yang Jian's attitude change toward him.

Initially, Ambrose wanted to follow Yang Jian all over the world to conquer and create a name for himself. However, he realized that Yang Jian no longer favored him at that moment and was depressed. He even thought of leaving them for the past two days.

However, the New World was already under Yang Jian's control while Lord Kenny Bred and his mother's lives were in Yang Jian's hands. As such Ambrose was extremely conflicted and had to tread carefully, hence he finally decided to continue staying in the army.

"Woo!"

At that moment, Ambrose took a deep breath and instructed his men, "Take the captives, tie them up, and lock them together."

Ambrose rode on his Blood Horse to the front of the captives when he said that as he scanned those captives and was about to personally arrest them.

Gasp!

Right at that moment, Ambrose saw a familiar figure and instantly shuddered in his heart—unable to resist gasping.

He noticed a gorgeous and petite figure among the crowd. Her exquisite face was filled with exhaustion and weakness after the intense battle. She was Yvette Lane.

# 'Auntie?'

Ambrose did not partake in the battle, so he did not know who those people defending Mid City against them were. He only felt his mind buzzing when he suddenly saw Yvette and was suddenly in a mess.

Ambrose had always thought that Yvette and her mother had vanished and found a secluded place to live their lives ever since Lord Kenny usurped the throne.

He had not expected that Yvette would be in Mid City and even helped the Word Universe defend against the North Moana Army. She had even become a captive.

In Ambrose's heart—besides Lord Kenny, his mother, and Eira—the other person that was closest to him in the whole world was Yvette.

He could never forget how well Yvette previously treated him.

At that moment, Yvette had become the captive while he was the general that overlooked captured captives.

# 2143 Fate truly plays tricks on people!

At that moment, Ambrose's expressions were complicated and he was feeling extremely conflicted at heart.

What should he do? Should he immediately let her go?

However, Yang Jian would not forgive him if he knew about that.

"Woo!"

Ambrose came to his senses after feeling conflicted for more than 10 seconds and decided not to reconcile with Yvette at that moment. He only waved his hands and signaled his men to lock the captives up.

Ambrose determined that moment was unsuitable to reconcile with Yvette since there were so many people around. It would have caused further trouble if he were to do that. He would later find the right time to go and see Yvette alone.

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At that very moment, at the Sun Set Sect in the Yellow Sea Continent.

Darryl was in the Sect Master's room and was woken up by a disciple outside of the room early in the morning the next day after resting for a night.

"Lord Master, Sect Master, it's time to wake up! The Elder Master is asking for both of you."

At that moment, a female disciple outside the door yelled while trying to hide her snickers as her eyes showed a teasing expression as well.

Darren and the Sect Master had spent the night together for the first time last night and were like newlyweds. She was certain that they had slept late and must still be sleeping at that moment.

"Coming, coming. Stop yelling," Darryl responded and groggily sat up while feeling depressed.

'What is Jackie Yale up to now? I'm already the Lord Master yet she still doesn't let me have a good sleep?'

Darryl spent the night before teasing the Sect Master, so he went to bed late. At that moment, he was extremely sleepy.

Darryl turned to look at the other side of the bed as he muttered to himself and noticed the Sect Master was also awake. At that moment, she was lying on her side while her exquisite face blushed slightly with mixed feelings.

Darryl smiled upon seeing that.

"Haha! Jasmine's acupoints had been jabbed by me last night. Did she maintain this position for the entire night?"

As he thought, Darryl quickly walked over and unblock the Sect Master's acupoints before smiling and said, "Don't look at me like that. I was only afraid you'd attack me in the middle of the night, that's why I sealed your acupoints." Darryl then thought for a while and continued, "As long as you promised you won't sneak up and attack me when we sleep tonight, I won't jab your acupoints. In addition, I won't be staying here for too long and make you feel awkward so don't worry. I'll leave the Sun Set Sect once there's a chance, alright?"

Darryl took a few steps back to put some distance between himself and Jasmine when he said his last sentence.

He had expected she might be angry since he jabbed her acupoints and let it remain sealed for the entire night.

Hmm!

However, contrary to Darryl's expectations, the Sect Master responded gently with no intentions of paying him back. In addition, her gaze at Darryl was much gentler than before.

At that moment, Darryl was still unaware that his calligraphy had completely shocked her. At that moment, other than feeling shocked at heart, there was also admiration toward Darryl.

A few seconds later, Darryl and the Sect Master washed up and headed to the main hall!

Gasp!

Darryl was stunned upon entering the hall and seeing what was going on.

He noticed the Sun Set Sect elite disciples were standing there neatly in rows. Jackie was silently sitting on the throne in a red long dress

and looking extremely stunning. The only area filled with coldness was her gorgeous face. She was also emitting an unbelievably strong aura that made one dared not disrespect her.

Debra was standing there in the middle of the hall with a calm expression.

'What's going on?'

Darryl secretly frowned and could not help but be a little worried.

'Could Jackie have found out about Debra's true identity and wants to publicly punish her?'

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Jackie scanned the surroundings right at that moment and continued, "Everyone! I have something to announce. Miss Debra has decided to join the Sun Set Sect, so I've decided to hold an initiation ceremony for her today."

'What?'

Darryl almost jumped in anxiety upon hearing that.

'Did Jackie really mean what she said? She really wanted Debra to join the Sun Set Sect and also so hastily hold the initiation ceremony?'

However, if Debra really became a member of the Sun Set Sect, she would not be able to leave in the future.

Wow!

At the same time, the surrounding disciples were in an uproar as everyone looked at Debra while smiling and greeting her with nods.

"Debra!"

Finally, Darryl came to his senses and looked closely at Debra, "I think I'd know you better since we are friends. You have always liked to be free and never the type to be tied up in one place. You might think this is a nice place to stay with your memories lost for the moment. However, you'll regret it once you've regained your memories." Darryl's eyes were filled with urgency and hope when he said that. "So, please decide carefully on whether you really want to join the Sun Set Sect."

Darryl was extremely anxious at that moment.

"Woo!"

Debra frowned lightly and started contemplating upon hearing Darryl's words.

'Yes, Darren is right. I've lost my memory for the moment and think that this place is great, but what if I regain my memories one day and end up regretting it?'

"Darren!"

Jackie smiled right at that moment and gave Darryl a meaningful look. "Miss Debra has decided to stay back, so how can you chase her away as her friend? How inappropriate!"

Her voice tone sounds as though she felt it unfair for Debra. However, Jackie's eyes revealed otherwise while teasing him.

In truth, Jackie wanted Debra gone for the Sect Master's happiness.

However, she noticed that Darryl's eyes were filled with tenderness when he was talking to Debra moments ago which infuriated Jackie.

Jackie was a smart person and immediately realized Darryl was so anxious for Debra to leave because he was afraid that Jackie would hurt her. In such a situation, Jackie did not want to give in to him the more Darryl wanted Debra to leave.

"Miss Debra!"

Jackie smiled and looked at Debra right at that moment. "Don't mind Darren. Just let me know if you really like it here and decide to stay. I'll let you decide for yourself."

Jackie then did not forget to look at Darryl.

'Darren, oh, Darren. The more you care about this woman, the more I won't let her go. Not only will I not let her go, but I also want to control whether she lives or dies. I'll see whether you still dare to treat my sister badly.'

Debra opened her red lips upon facing Jackie's sincerity and slowly said, "I..."

She only managed to say a word before being interrupted.

"Elder Master and Sect Master!"

Right at that moment, a disciple entered in a panic before speaking to Jackie and Jasmine, "Something bad has happened!"

She was panting and sweating profusely when she said that.

Jackie frowned hard and curtly rebuked, "What are you panicking about? How many times have I told you that you always have to do things calmly and stably as the Sun Set Sect disciples? How will it look to others if you're always in a panic?" The disciple trembled and was almost in tears from the panic.

"Tell us what's going on." Jackie relaxedly took a sip of tea.

The disciple bit her lips hard and gently said, "Elder Master, someone has intruded into the Holy Lake and won't leave. He's talking quite inappropriately to the patrolling disciples. In addition, he's quite powerful. We..."

'What?'

Everyone in the hall erupted into an uproar upon hearing that!

Who would be so bold as to intrude into the Sun Set Sect's forbidden area and refuse to leave?

Darryl was also stunned.

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'Damn! Who would be so bold as to provoke the Sun Set Sect?'

However, whoever he was, he interrupted Debra's initiation ceremony which could only be good for Darryl.

Bang!

Jackie's expressions changed as she slammed the table before suddenly standing up. "Let's go and have a look!"

Jackie then immediately walked out of the main hall.

Darryl, the Sect Master, Debra, and the remaining disciples quickly followed suit.

Soon, they were near the Holy Lake and could notice a man in white from far away. He was at a stand-off with a few patrolling disciples and yelling non-stop at the same time, "All of you might be pretty, but how could you be so unreasonable? I was just passing by here with my wife and noticed the great scenery here, so I stopped for a while to appreciate it and will be leaving soon. However, all of you claimed it's a forbidden area and insists on chasing us away. What the hell is this?

"The lake is so huge, yet you mentioned that all of it belongs to the Sun Set Sect? What a joke! I've always been a reasonable person and also appreciate beauty, but don't offend me. Otherwise, I'll make you all take a dip with me in the lake if I'm angry..."

The man's eyes kept wandering inappropriately on the disciples' body when he said that.

It was Zhu Bajie!

### Swoosh!

The disciples that were at a stand-off with him blushed upon hearing that. They were embarrassed and furious. However, they did not dare take any action because they felt his terrifying aura.

Shentel Xion stood there quietly listening to Zhu Bajie's inappropriate words teasing the disciples behind him. Her gorgeous face showed faint hints of smiles as she did not feel uncomfortable at all.

Shentel had been with Zhu Bajie for such a long time and was already used to his personality.

'What the f\*ck?'

Darryl's body tensed upon seeing that. He was completely stunned, yet surprised and delighted in his heart.

'Zhu Bajie? What's he doing here?'

Darryl was feeling a little emotional when he saw Shentel, yet also extremely admired Zhu Bajie.

Zhu Bajie could dominate Donoghue's wife and make her fully submit to him willingly.

At that moment, Darryl wanted to rush forward and reconcile with Zhu Bajie but held back upon recalling he had changed his looks and was using another identity. "Elder Master! Sect Master!"

Right at that moment, the patrolling disciples were delighted and quickly came over and bowed to them upon seeing Jackie had brought people over.

One of the disciples then said to Jackie, "Elder Master, these two intruded into the Holy Lake and refused to leave. His words were extremely inappropriate as well."

The disciple blushed with hints of embarrassment and fury when she said the last sentence.

#### Swoosh!

Jackie's expressions turned cold upon hearing that and glared at Zhu Bajie with endless animosity.

That man looked scholarly, yet he was a slick talker—clearly traits of not a good person.

## Gasp!

Zhu Bajie was also stunned upon seeing so many beautiful women coming over—one more beautiful than the other. He could not help but secretly gasp.

Zhu Bajie came to his senses in the next second while ogling mesmerizingly at them. "Tsk, tsk. I never expected such a rural valley to not only have such gorgeous scenery but also many beautiful women. Am I dreaming?" Hmm? Zhu Bajie scanned his surroundings upon his words as his eyes fell on Jackie and Jasmine. He was immediately attracted by them. Meanwhile, he had not seen either Darryl and Debra behind the crowd yet.

Gorgeous! Truly gorgeous!

The more Zhu Bajie saw, the more delighted he became as he kept singing praises non-stop in his heart.

On that day, Jackie was unspeakably sexy while wearing a red dress despite emitting a cold and distant aura. The Sect Master was in a white long dress and looked indescribably gentle and tender. Both of them were standing next to each other—each of them was gorgeous in their own ways.

Zhu Bajie had always been a lustful person. His eyes almost popped out upon seeing the ladies' beautiful appearances.

## 2146 Swoosh!

Zhu Bajie's gaze made Jackie extremely uncomfortable as murderous intentions immediately rose in her heart.

Jackie glared at Zhu Bajie in the next second and chided, "Where did this arrogant bloke come from? How dare you intrude on our Sun Set Sect's Holy Lake and speak so inappropriately. You must be seeking death!"

She was the Elder Master of the Sun Set Sect also the Illusion Sound Sect Master. Everyone had to be respectful to her, yet the person in front kept ogling at her without blinking. How rude!

The Sect Master who was beside her also frowned hard as she looked at Zhu Bajie in detest and hostility.

'This person is so rude. He doesn't deserve to live.'

"Oh my, my."

Zhu Bajie did not panic at all upon feeling Jackie's murderous intent. He smiled and said, "I'm just praising you for being beautiful. Why are you so angry? Based on your faces, are you thinking of killing me? I don't think you'll be a match for me if we're to fight. I think you'd be humiliated instead."

"You…"

Jackie was livid upon hearing that as she took out her Evolving Murder Machine and wanted to immediately kill that man in front of her. However, she held back a little upon feeling Zhu Bajie's powers and dared not act rashly at all.

Jackie could feel Zhu Bajie was extremely powerful. His powers were unfathomable.

Even though Jackie herself was a Heaven Ascension cultivator, she had no chance of winning if she fought against him. Not only would she fail to kill him, but she might also be taken advantage of.

However, how could she swallow her anger at being teased by him in front of so many people?

"Elder Master!"

A calm voice came through right at that moment as Darryl walked out of the crowd and opened his mouth to say, "Don't worry, Elder Master. I'll help you teach him a lesson."

Darryl looked at Zhu Bajie coldly when he said that but was extremely excited at heart.

'Haha! Zhu Bajie is here. I'll have a chance to leave now.'

Darryl had decided he would initiate a fight with Zhu Bajie and secretly let Zu Bajie know of his identity while fighting before asking him to take Debra and leave. In truth, Zhu Bajie was extremely strong. He would still be able to take Debra away and were they to join forces. However, the situation would then be a mess, and was hard to guarantee for Debra to be uninjured.

Therefore, Darryl decided to go with the more stable plan.

Hmm!

Jackie's gorgeous face was gloomy upon hearing that, but she still nodded.

She was still the Elder Master of the Sun Set Sect. It would be inappropriate if she were to attack suddenly. In addition, the white-clad man in front of her was too powerful. It would be embarrassing if she lost in the fight, so it was better to let Darren test it out first.

"Darren!"

Right at that moment, the Sect Master by the side pulled Darryl back and asked with a face filled with concern, "Darren, what are you trying to do?"

The Sect Master would not care for Darryl at all if it were a day earlier and would only be impatient for him to leave. However, the animosity in her gradually turned into appreciation upon witnessing his calligraphy skills, and was suddenly worried at that moment upon seeing Darryl risking his life.

In her eyes, Darren's powers were only average while the man in front of her had an unfathomable powerful strength. It would only mean death for Darren if he were to fight. At that moment, the Sect Master still did not know that Darren's true identity was Darryl Darby—the World Universe's hero, the Westrington Emperor, and Elysium Gate Sect Master as he was hiding his true powers.

Darryl smiled and looked at the Sect Master. "This man is a slick talker on top of being disrespectful to you and the Elder Master. How can I sit and do nothing being your husband? I must help you teach him a lesson."

Darryl's expressions were relaxed when he said that with an extremely confident tone.

He and Zhu Bajie were good brothers. How could they really fight against each other?

Swoosh!

The Sect Master blushed upon hearing that.

Darren's words had no filter. It was one matter to say that he would teach Zhu Bajie a lesson on her behalf, yet he referred to himself as her husband when there were so many disciples there. How embarrassing!

The Sect Master bit her lips next and softly said, "Darren, don't act rashly. We don't know who this person is. His powers are extremely powerful as well. I'm afraid it might only be bad for you if you suddenly fight him!"

The Sect Master could not hide the anxiety in her heart as she said the last sentence.

'Haha!'

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Darryl was extremely delighted in his heart upon sensing the Sect Master's concern.

'How interesting. She was still talking about how she wanted me to leave last night, but was suddenly concerned at that moment upon seeing me risking my life.'

Darryl smiled with that thought in mind and said, "It'll be fine."

He then gently patted on the Sect Master's hand to comfort her before immediately walking toward Zhu Bajie.

"You!" Jasmine was extremely anxious as she looked at Darryl and stomped her feet.

Wow!

The surrounding disciples started discussing among themselves in hushed tones upon seeing the situation.

"The Lord Master is going to challenge this white-clad man?"

"How manly the Lord Master is!"

"Yes. Although he isn't very strong, he would actually stand up for the Sect Master at such a crucial time. His courage is admirable!"

"No wonder the Sect Master is so close to him. Who won't like a man like that?"

The female disciples were discussing with each other as all of them praised Darryl.

At the same time, Debra standing amongst the crowd was calm with no reaction on her exquisite face. However, she was also secretly worried for Darryl deep in her heart.

'Has Darren gone mad? The white-clad man is emitting such a strong aura. Even Jackie and the Sect Master won't dare to act rashly, yet he openly challenged him.'

Debra was a kind-hearted person. Although she was apprehensive of Darryl's previous behavior, she would still worry for him due to her kindness upon seeing Darryl openly challenging Zhu Bajie at that moment.

"Senior Sister!"

Right at that moment, one of the disciples on the other side of the crowd lightly touched Selena and pointed at Darryl. "The Lord Master is going to teach that man a lesson. How exciting!"

"Hehe! He's just looking for death by overestimating his own strength," said Selena curtly.

Although Darren had become the Lord Master of the Sun Set Sect, Selena still looked down on him.

In her heart, Darren managed to become the Sun Set Sect's Lord Master out of luck to be favored by Jackie and the Sect Master. His power was only ordinary and no match for the white-clad man. He was just trying to get attention at that moment.

"My friend!"

Darryl was in front of Zhu Bajie at that moment. He looked at Zhu Bajie with a smile and said, "My friend, it's rather inappropriate for you to be causing troubles in my territory!"

In truth, Darryl wanted to call him Brother Zhu. However, he held back upon recalling that those people behind him were watching.

'Your territory?'

Zhu Bajie frowned and sized Darryl up before rudely saying, "Who the hell are you?"

"I'm the Lord Master of the Sun Set Sect. In other words, I own this place," replied Darryl relaxedly with a smile.

'Owner?'

Zhu Bajie's eyes sparkled upon hearing that and laughed. "Are you the master of this place?"

Zhu Bajie then looked at Jackie and Jasmine before continuing, "Does this mean those two goddesses are your women? Dude, way to go man. You got lucky!"

He was just teasing the two beautiful ladies when that man stood up for them. It looked like he had a close relationship with both of them.

Swoosh!

Jackie suddenly blushed violently upon his words as she glared at Zhu Bajie with furious eyes.

How inappropriate. She was the Elder Master of the Sun Set Sect. How could she be Darren's woman? In addition, Darren had already cultivated eight lifetime's worth of blessings to be with her sister. What right did he have to make her his woman?

## 2148 "Dude!"

Right at that moment, Zhu Bajie said to Darryl, "What do you want? Are you also here to chase me away?"

"What do you think?" Darryl smiled and replied.

Hmm?

Zhu Bajie was stunned for a while upon seeing Darryl's calm and relaxed look before immediately coming to his senses. He snickered and said, "Dude, you are no match for me with your powers. I think you should just obediently step to the side in case I accidentally kill you."

Zhu Bajie had a condescending expression when he said that as he still did not know the person in front of him was Darryl. He had not even noticed that Darryl was hiding his powers.

"Stop with the nonsense and just bring it on," Darryl smiled and replied with a relaxed expression.

"Ok! Great!"

Zhu Bajie sneered, "I've already warned you, yet you are still so unappreciative. Don't blame me for being rude Since you want to die so badly!"

He then lifted his hands and two light beams suddenly rose from them!

"Dude, it's your honor to make me personally attack you!" Zhu Bajie's voice spread throughout before he coldly muttered three words, "Heavenly Tiger's Cry!"

"Roar!"

Instantly, a loud tiger's roar rang out!

A huge yellow-spotted tiger that was more than 10 meters long burst forth from the skies and emitted a strong aura.

"Kill him!" Zhu Bajie yelled maniacally and pointed at Darryl!

The Heavenly Tiger's Cry was one of Zhu Bajie's ultimate techniques. Zhu Bajie initially thought that person in front of him was not worth using his ultimate technique.

However, Zhu Bajie's mind was focusing on the many beautiful ladies from the Sun Set Sect and did not want to spend too much time battling Darryl, so he decided to finish it once and for all.

Zhu Bajie had decided to claim the Sun Set Sect as his own once he defeated that person. The gorgeous women would all be his at that time.

At that moment, the tiger roared and immediately rushed toward Darryl. Everywhere it touched caused the air to crack!

Gasp!

Jackie, the Sect Master, and the surrounding disciples could not help but gasp upon seeing that. How powerful!

The white-clad man must be thinking of killing Darryl with just one move! He had used his ultimate technique!

Although made of internal energy, the yellow-spotted tiger's aura was so overwhelming that it suffocated the surrounding people. Who would be able to block him?

"Darren!" The Sect Master was suddenly anxious and about to rush over to help, but could not make it in time.

'What the f\*ck?'

Darryl was also stunned at that moment. 'Brother Zhu's powers are actually very strong!'

In truth, this was the first time Darryl fought against him ever since knowing Zhu Bajie.

Although he was stunned, Darryl did not panic at all.

Darryl calmly took a few steps backward and leaped into mid-air upon seeing the ferocious tiger coming at him and smoothly avoided the tiger's attack.

'Hmm?'

The Sun Set Sect disciples were surprised and delighted upon seeing the situation.

What was going on?

Darren's powers were clearly no match for the white-clad man, yet he managed to avoid such a strong attack. It looks like he was hiding his powers.

Jackie frowned and looked closely at Darryl with complicated eyes.

'It turns out that Darren has been hiding his powers all this while.'

"Great, dude!"

Zhu Bajie's expressions darkened as well at that moment and said to Darryl, "You actually managed to avoid my ultimate technique. It looks like I have to take this seriously."

Buzz!

Internal energy started erupting from Zhu Bajie as he directly attacked Darryl.

Zhu Bajie's speed was indeed fast as he was already in front of Darryl in a blink of an eye! His handsome face showed a serious expression. At that moment, he only wanted to quickly deal with that man, so he immediately attacked Darryl.

Darryl would have immediately avoided it under normal circumstances.

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However, Darryl wanted to get close to Zhu Bajie at that moment, so he did not avoid Zhu Bajie's attack but stretched out his palm to welcome the attack.

both of their palms clashed together at that moment and did not split apart!

Wow!

The people on the ground were suddenly in an uproar upon seeing that scene.

"The Lord Master is trying to compete with this man?"

"Is he seeking death?"

"Yes, the white-clad man's powers are unfathomable. How could the Lord Master win?"

'This dude...'

At that moment, Zhu Bajie was also stunned as he secretly sneered.

'How dare he try to fight with me. He's seeking death.'

"Brother Zhu!"

Darryl softly and gently called after Zhu Bajie the moment their palms met, "It's me, Darryl."

Zhu Bajie and Darryl were in mid-air at that moment. His voice was very soft, so only the two of them could hear him.

'What?'

Zhu Bajie suddenly trembled upon hearing that as he looked at Darryl closely in disbelief.

'This man is Brother Darryl? His appearance...'

Darryl smiled upon seeing Zhu Bajie's confused look and continued, "I've used the Transfiguration Powder and assumed another identity."

"Woo!"

Zhu Bajie came to his senses upon hearing that and took a deep breath before saying, "Bro, what's going on? Why are you in the Yellow Sea Continent and using a fake identity?"

Zhu Bajie's eyes were filled with suspicion as he said that. He felt he did not have enough brainpower to process the situation.

Zhu Bajie previously brought Shentel and found a secluded place to recuperate when he was injured heavily by Yang Jian at the North Moana Continent. At the same time, he was secretly paying attention to the situation at the North Moana Continent.

At that time, Yang Jian was said to have joined forces with Chang Er and killed Emperor Hou Yi. Zhu Bajie at first did not mind those accusations. However, he thought something fishy was going on after contemplating. However, Zhu Bajie was depressed as he did not know where Chang Er was, so the matter finally turned out to be nothing. In such a situation, Zhu Bajie continued taking Shentel along and traveled.

Previously, Zhu Bajie caught the news that Yang Jian led an army to conquer the South Cloud World but was defeated by Darryl, so Zhu Bajie always thought Darryl was in the South Cloud World in his mind. However, he had not expected he would meet him there.

## Sigh!

Darryl smiled bitterly and replied, "It's a long story. Brother Zhu, let's catch up later. Pretend you don't know me and find a chance to help me take Debra away later on."

Darryl and Zhu Bajie were still floating in mid-air as they were talking while pretending to be fighting intensely.

## Debra?

Zhu Bajie frowned and looked down. He soon noticed Debra among the crowd and was suddenly stunned.

What the hell was Darryl up to? Debra was his woman, why would he want him to take Debra away?

Zhu Bajie had previously stayed with the Carter family for a while. He naturally knew who Debra was.

At that moment, Zhu Bajie still did not know that Debra had lost her memory and completely forgotten about Darryl.
Zhu Bajie came to his senses in the next second and replied, "Ok, I'll do what you've asked."

Although Zhu Bajie still had not fully grasped the situation, he completely trusted Darryl.

Hmm!

Darryl smiled and told him his plan.

"Woo!"

At that moment, the people below were looking closely at Darryl and Zhu Bajie in mid-air with complicated expressions.

"Is...Lord Master so powerful?"

"Yes, they've been fighting for so long, yet he's still holding on."

"Could it be that Lord Master was not using his full might?"

The crowd's discussions kept coming as they could not hide the shock in their hearts. There were even many disciples looking at Darryl in a different light and were filled with admiration.

At that moment, the people from the Sun Set Sect did not realize that despite Darryl and Zhu Bajie appearing to be fighting intensely in mid-air, they were catching up with each other.

#### 2150 "Ok!"

After Darryl had told Zhu Bajie his plan at that moment, he softly said, "Brother Zhu, it's about time. Let's begin!"

Hmm!

Zhu Bajie nodded and pretended to be extremely arrogant before yelling out loud, "Dude, you're finished."

Zhu Bajie then violently attacked in a seemingly brutal manner, but without engaging any of his internal energy.

"Ouch..."

At that moment, Darryl pretended to be injured by Zhu Bajie's internal energy and fell to the ground. He haggardly stumbled back a dozen steps the moment he landed.

'What?'

'The Lord Master failed?'

The surrounding Sun Set Sect disciples were shocked when they saw what had happened. They initially thought the Lord Master still had a winning chance, yet he unexpectedly still failed in the end.

At that moment, everyone still did not know that Darryl and Zhu Bajie were just putting on an act.

"Darryl!" The Sect Master came to her senses a few seconds later. She quickly walked over and supported Darryl while concerningly asked, "What happened? Are you alright?"

At the same time, many disciples came over as well with worried faces.

Jackie was the only person who remained standing and giving a complicated look at Darryl with her exquisite face not showing any emotions.

She did not notice Darryl and Zhu Bajie's secret discussion in mid-air. However, she always had the opinion that Darren's powers were only average, yet he suddenly became so strong. It was suspicious.

"Woo!"

Darryl smiled and shook his head when faced with the Sect Master and those disciples' concerns before saying, "I'm fine!"

Darryl then reminded the Sect Master, "This man is extremely powerful. I'm no match for him. You have to be careful."

The Sect Master bit her lips and nodded.

Swoosh!

Right at that moment, Zhu Bajie swiftly moved and rushed directly in front of Debra when everyone's attention was on Darryl.

Jab! Jab!

The next second, Zhu Bajie's hands were as swift as lightning and immediately jabbed Debra's acupoints.

Debra instantly shuddered and was rendered immobile. She was shocked and furious. "W-what are you doing?"

At that moment, Debra was in a panic as she had not expected the white-clad man would suddenly attack her.

"Haha..."

Zhu Bajie snickered and looked lustful. "My, my. This woman is extremely gorgeous such that even goddesses could not compete with you. Only you have my attention among so many beauties here. Come, follow me. Haha!"

Zhu Bajie then grabbed hold of Debra and waved at the nearby Shentel at the same time before flying into the distance.

Zhu Bajie had indeed followed Darryl's plan.

Darryl's plan was simple. He pretended to be no match for Zhu Bajie before acting as though he was injured to attract the Sun Set Sect's attention. Zhu Bajie would then suddenly attack Debra and kidnap her.

In truth, Darryl did not want to cause such a hassle but had no choice. Debra detested him under Donoghue's brainwashing. If he were to expose his true identity, not only will Debra not leave but might also resist as well. More importantly, they were at the Sun Set Sect's main altar. They might not even be able to take Debra away if they messed the situation up, even if he joined forces with Zhu Bajie.

Darryl felt that was the only safest option after much thought.

All that had happened too fast. Zhu Bajie, Debra, and Shentel had already vanished in their line of sight by the time the Sun Set Sect disciples came to their senses.

'Haha!'

Darryl was extremely excited upon seeing that situation.

His plan was a success! Darryl finally had no other worries as Debra had been taken away by Zhu Bajie.

# 2151 Swoosh!

Jackie's expressions instantly turned ugly as she watched Debra being taken away by Zhu Bajie. She was extremely furious.

The Sun Set Sect had always been an intimidating sect that cultivators looked up to, yet one of their people was taken away publicly by a man at that moment. It was utter humiliation.

"Quick!"

At that moment, the Sect Master was anxious as she instructed the surrounding disciples while supporting Darryl, "Quickly chase after that man and rescue Miss Debra."

After changing her views on Darryl, the Sect Master had treated his friends as her own. She was very anxious seeing Debra being taken away at that moment.

At that moment, the Sect Master still did not know that Darryl deliberately arranged it.

"Yes, Master!" The disciples responded and were about to chase after him when Jackie stopped them.

"There's no need to!"

Jackie gave a meaningful smile while flatly said, "We've not started our initiation ceremony with Debra, so she isn't considered a member of the Sun Set Sect. It has nothing to do with us whether she lives or dies."

In truth, Jackie was extremely furious that Debra was taken away. However, Jackie decided not to care about her for now upon recalling how suspicious Darren was.

At that moment, the more important matter to do was to clarify Darren Derby's identity.

Uh...

The Sect Master and the surrounding disciples were stunned upon hearing her words.

Darryl was also secretly frowning.

'F\*ck. Jackie isn't only decisive when it comes to handling matters, but also vicious. Previously, she still wanted Debra to join the Sun Set Sect, yet now she can't care any less."

However, Darryl was not bothered about that and was no longer worried about it since Debra had successfully left.

"Darren!"

Right at that moment, Jackie slowly walked over and smiled ambiguously at Darryl. "Aren't you worried that your good friend has been kidnapped?"

Jackie's eyes were sparkling when she said that as though she had seen through Darryl's act.

"Yes, I am!"

Darryl smiled bitterly and replied, "However, what good could my worries do? I've been injured by that person, yet the Elder Master isn't willing to help me. What can I do?"

Jackie sneered with her cold voice, "Wow, continue with your acting. That person just now was at the Heaven Ascension level while you're only a Martial Emperor cultivator, yet you could fight against him for so long. It's suspicious."

Jackie's eyes then turned sharp. "You've been hiding your powers, am I right? You're also not called Darren Derby, right? Tell me, who are you?"

#### Swoosh!

Everyone regardless of the Sect Master or the surrounding disciples looked at Darryl in extreme surprise upon hearing her words.

The Elder Master was indeed not wrong. They initially thought Darren was just a highly skilled doctor, yet had not expected he had such strong powers as well. His identity was indeed suspicious.

Especially the Sect Master, she looked at Darryl in scrutiny as her heart was beating fast.

Darren was not only skilled in medicine, but also has high mastery in calligraphy as well. At that moment, they discover that even his powers were strong. How can this person be a nobody with such talents?

"Elder Master!"

Darryl smiled and relaxedly replied, "I've said before that I'm just a nobody called Darren Derby. Why are you so interested in who I am?"

At that moment, Darryl was calm and did not panic at all.

Even though Jackie was suspicious of him, she had no proof. She had no other way if he insisted on not wanting to tell her.

Darryl had decided he would leave immediately once he had a chance.

Jackie had lost her patience and coldly said,

"I see that you still don't want to be honest. Aren't you afraid that I'll kill you?"

# 2152

Darryl was a little infuriated as well. 'What's wrong with Jackie? Is she done?'

Darryl smiled a little in the next second and calmly said, "Elder Master, you might not be a match for me if you really want to take action. We can compare notes if you don't believe me and have a little fight."

Darryl was starting to get annoyed by Jackie's questions and had gotten lazy to continue pretending since Debra had left.

Darryl was not being impulsive trying to pick a fight with Jackie of course as he wanted to use the fight as an opportunity to leave the Sun Set Sect.

### Wow!

At that moment, the entire crowd erupted into an uproar with all the disciples looking speechlessly at Darryl in a daze.

"Uh…"

"What's wrong with Darren? Is he going up against the Elder Master?"

"Yeah, the Elder Master was just asking about his identity, yet he's being so sensitive about it. It looks like he's really someone problematic."

Among the discussions, Selena could not help but walk out and mock Darryl, "Darren, how bold of you to dare talk back to the Elder Master!"

Selena could not hide the contempt in her heart at that moment and continued, "Don't you forget that your status of Lord Master was given to you by the Elder Master. You're nothing without her."

Darryl snickered and ignored her.

Selena felt humiliated upon feeling Darryl's indifference. She was so furious that she trembled.

Selena then said to Jackie, "Elder Master, Darren is just a nobody and just using his relationship with the Sect Master. He has no respect for you. He has also forgotten about everything that you have given him. How can such an unappreciative person be good to the Sect Master in the future? In addition, how can he be dedicated to the Sun Set Sect?"

Many disciples nodded their heads in agreement upon her words.

"Yes, he's just a nobody. How can he have gotten so arrogant in a mere few days?"

"I think he's not only suspicious but also has a bad personality."

"Elder Master, I urge you to take him down."

The disciples' comments came non-stop. Jackie's expressions were cold and did not respond.

In the crowd's heart, they thought Darryl must be using his relationship with the Sect Master to talk back to Jackie and would be no match for the Elder Master if they were to fight.

The Sect Master bit her lips hard as her mind was a mess.

'What's with Darren? Why is he going up against Jackie just because they don't agree on something? Will they really fight just because he wanted to avoid revealing his identity?'

# "Darren!"

Finally, Jackie came to her senses before sneering at Darryl and said, "What did you say just now, that you want to compare notes with me? You also said that I'm no match for you? Ok, sure. Let's give it a try then."

#### Buzz!

A powerful aura erupted from Jackie's body upon her words. The calm lake then burst into waves while the surrounding air was distorted as well.

The aura of a Heaven Ascension cultivator was suffocating.

Of course, Darryl was not worried at all as he smiled and nodded. "Great."

There was nothing he was worried about anymore since he no longer needed to pretend.

Darryl then turned to look at the Sect Master. "Sect Master, I'll be only comparing notes with the Elder Master. Can you please don't meddle in our fight?"

A few days ago, Darryl was being immobilized by the Sect Master's Sky Feather Needle while trying to leave during Jackie's bath time. Darryl still remembered how it felt and dared to be rash after that because he was still apprehensive of the Sky Feather Needle.

The Sect Master must not interrupt if he were to fight with Jackie. Her Sky Feather Needle was way too fast such that no one could avoid it after all.

"Alright!"

The Sect Master gently bit her lips and nodded.

They should not take it too seriously since Darren had said he was only comparing notes with Jackie.

At that moment, the Sect Master still did not know that Darryl was only pretending as his main intention was to leave while fighting against Jackie.

"Woo!"

All the disciples retreated far away upon seeing the situation.

The entire place was in pin-drop silence at that moment.

Darryl and Jackie were facing each other off by the lakeside with a suppressive and suffocating atmosphere.

"Elder Master!"