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Chapter 146 You're Back?

Dong Xi looked at the extremely familiar figure in front of her and said, "You're back?"

Dong Xi knew that the snake was awake now. According to her past experience, it was impossible to walk over now.

As soon as Dong Xi finished speaking, Su Cheng turned around and supported his head with his hand. His black hair fell down the bed to the ground.

Su Cheng could only curl his tail up.

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He said softly, "I'm back."

Dong Xi's figure was reflected in his dark golden vertical pupils.

"I haven't seen you in a few days, and you've grown a little taller," Su Cheng said lightly.

She's still so short that she's barely enough to fill the gaps between his teeth.

Of course, he could not say the last sentence. This little girl had a sharp tongue. If she heard the last sentence, she might even charge him consultation fees.

When Dong Xi heard Su Cheng's words, she was a little happier. Although it was good to be young, her body was too young. Her arms and legs were thin, and doing anything would be a little strenuous. It would be best if she was taller!

She was happy, but there were some things that she should be clear about. Dong Xi asked, "I just came back and found that the spiritual Qi here is much denser. Did you do it?"

Su Cheng nodded as if he did not care.

Dong Xi originally thought that Su Cheng just made a new array for the cave adobe. Su Cheng said indifferently, "I'll leave a small section of the spirit vein in your mountain."

He had originally wanted to leave the entire spirit vein behind, but Dong Xi's cave adobe was only a small mountain in the entire mountain range, and it could not hold such a large spirit vein.

"Oh, it's a spirit vein!" Dong Xi nodded.

As soon as she finished speaking, Dong Xi came back to her senses. Her eyes widened as she looked at the snake in shock. Dong Xi said in surprise, "What? A spirit vein? Where did you get this spirit vein?"

"I picked one up when I came back," Su Cheng said indifferently.

Dong Xi suddenly thought of something, and her expression became even more shocked.

"The spirit vein in the Illusionary Valley?" Dong Xi immediately asked.

Su Cheng nodded, and Dong Xi immediately fell silent. After a while, she asked, "What about the demon in the Illusionary Valley?"

The last time, Dong Xi and Ke Xin had almost died there.

"He's already dead," Su Cheng said.

When Dong Xi heard this, she could not help but walk up and ask, "You killed him?"

Su Cheng raised his head and looked at Dong Xi. His eyes seemed to be mocking as he said, "Who else could it be? I don't think anyone in the entire Ningtian Sect can kill that demon."

The doubts that had troubled him for two days were suddenly all cleared up. Dong Xi finally knew why everything had gone smoothly according to her calculations. It was because the demon had already died at the hands of the great snake.

Dong Xi frowned. She knew that the snake's cultivation was very high, and it was even more powerful than her master's.

However, she never dared to imagine that the great snake would be so powerful.

The great snake's inner core was still in Dong Xi's body, and his injuries had yet to recover. Even so, he had still easily killed that demon.

Dong Xi also knew that if the great snake wanted to kill her, it would be as easy as stepping on a bug, right?

Su Cheng saw that Dong Xi's expression changed so quickly that it was no different from the weather.

"Come, treat me," Su Cheng said.

Dong Xi recalled the time when she had first picked up the great snake. The great snake looked like it was on the verge of death. She could not help but sigh inwardly. To be able to severely injure the great snake, how strong was that person?

Dong Xi carefully walked over and placed her hands on his tail. After thinking for a moment, she could not help but ask, "My spiritual power is weak, can I cure you?"

"It's better than nothing," Su Cheng said lightly.

Su Cheng's tail was covered in wounds, and there was an electric arc between his skin and flesh.

This lightning arc was left behind by Su Cheng's resistance to the Lightning Tribulation.

Su Cheng was also a powerful person. He even dared to use the remaining power of the divine Tribulation Lightning to comprehend.

Dong Xi heard Su Cheng's words and thought that it made sense. Although the spiritual power was very little, it was much better than Su Cheng slowly recovering by himself.

Dong Xi pressed her hand on Su Cheng's tail and used wood spiritual Qi to nourish Su Cheng's wound.

The pain in Su Cheng's body slowly dissipated as Dong Xi injected spiritual Qi bit by bit. His tightly furrowed brows also relaxed at this time.

Su Cheng looked at the little girl by his bed, focusing on his treatment.

“From now on, don’t allow anything else to lie on my bed,” Su Cheng said lightly.

Dong Xi immediately stopped what she was doing and looked at the overbearing snake.

“This is my bed!” Dong Xi said, unconvinced. “It’s not yours!”

Su Cheng saw that Dong Xi was a little angry and smiled. He waved his hand and removed the camouflage on the bed.

Chapter 147 Whose Bed Is This?

Dong Xi was stunned. The ordinary stone bed in front of him suddenly turned illusionary. Then, a green light flashed, and the bed turned into a black ice bed.

“Did you see clearly now?” Su Cheng asked faintly. “Whose bed is this?”

Dong Xi rubbed her eyes and turned around to look at the other things in the room.

The originally ordinary cave seemed to have changed. Even the stone walls and floor had changed. Even the tables and chairs had changed into materials that Dong Xi could not recognize. They were all black.

The only things that had not changed were the futon and Songsong.

"If I'm not mistaken, this should be my territory, right?" asked Dong Xi.

Dong Xi looked at Su Cheng with dissatisfaction, silently complaining with her eyes!

"Don't be so stingy," Su Cheng said with a scornful smile. "In return, I'll give you a small section of the spirit vein on the mountain-top of this cave."

When Dong Xi heard this, all his dissatisfaction and unhappiness instantly disappeared. She asked in surprise, "Ah? You're giving me this small section of the spirit vein?"

Su Cheng nodded.

Dong Xi immediately revealed a smile and said, "You should have said so earlier! There's no need to cause such a misunderstanding, right? Even if you asked me to sleep in the courtyard, it wouldn't be a problem, let alone changing some furniture!"

Su Cheng looked at Dong Xi's appearance and a strange look flashed in his eyes. He smiled and said lightly, "Since you've said so, I must respect your decision. From today on, you can live in the courtyard!"

Dong Xi was shocked.

What the hell? She was just being polite, could he not tell? Or could it be that in the cultivation world, the higher one's cultivation level, the more shameless one would be?

Seeing Dong Xi's deflated expression, Su Cheng asked, "What's wrong? You're not willing to?"

Dong Xi did not dare to say no and immediately said, "No, why wouldn't I be willing? I'll get out of here right now!"

Dong Xi turned around and was about to go out, but before she could take a few steps, she was wrapped by the snake's tail and brought in front of Su Cheng.

"You run very fast," Su Cheng said. "You took my money, so you have to treat me well!"

With that, Su Cheng's tail loosened, and Dong Xi immediately fell to the ground.

With Dong Xi's current cultivation, she immediately used her spiritual energy to protect herself the moment he fell from mid-air.

Dong Xi knew that if she did not treat the snake's injuries today, he would not let her go. Dong Xi resigned herself to her fate and sat in front of the snake, her hands pressing on Su Cheng's tail.

The wood spiritual energy wrapped around the wound on his tail. Dong Xi's spiritual energy fought to enter the wound, and only when the last drop of spiritual energy in her body disappeared did she stand up.

Looking at the snake who was resting comfortably on the bed, Dong Xi felt endless motivation in her heart.

I have to cultivate properly! One day, when my cultivation level increased, I would also get this stupid snake to serve me!

Although she was very proud in her heart, she still had to be submissive in reality.

"I'm going out," said Dong Xi.

After saying that, Dong Xi sneaked into the courtyard.

It did not matter if the cave abode was given to the great snake. After all, the great snake had given half of the spirit vein as rent with a wave of its hand. What was there to be unhappy about?

Just as she was about to go out and cultivate, Su Cheng suddenly shouted, "Wait a moment!"

Dong Xi stopped and turned around to look at the snake. She saw a black bead being thrown at her.

Dong Xi immediately reached out to catch it, but she found that the bead stopped just as it was about to reach her hand.

Dong Xi was puzzled. Was he not going to give it to her? You were going to give it to me just now, and now you're going back on your word?

The next second, Su Cheng said, "I've cleaned up the demonic Qi in this inner core. What do I need it for? You can play with it."

Su Cheng's voice had just fallen when the inner core flew directly in front of Dong Xi and instantly fell.

Dong Xi immediately stretched out her hand, and it just so happened to fall into her hand.

This inner core was the size of Dong Xi's palm and felt heavy. Only then did Dong Xi realize that this was the demon who had almost killed her and Ke Xin with his voice.

It really was as the saying went, 'every dog has its day'. Previously, Dong Xi had been injured by that demon, and now that fellow's inner core was in her hands.

The great snake had mentioned demonic Qi just now, and she had remembered it.

That guy was indeed a demon. Otherwise, why would the great snake say that it was demonic Qi?

Dong Xi lowered her head and pondered. A gust of wind sent her out of the door. She had just steadied herself when Songsong flew out and landed directly on Dong Xi's face.

Dong Xi, "..."

How could this great snake be so petty?! It was fine to throw her out, but why did a little squirrel have to be thrown out too?!

Seeing the stone door close, Dong Xi was not angry.

There was no other reason other than the benefits that the great snake had given her!

Chapter 148 Investigating

Dong Xi took a deep breath. The air here was filled with spiritual Qi. There was no mist at all. It was so comfortable. Every cell in Dong Xi's body was stirred up.

That was really satisfying!

Dong Xi took out a praying mat from her storage ring. This thing was not worth anything at all. The last time she went to the market, someone had sold it for a 75 percent discount. Dong Xi felt that it was cheap and bought a few more.

Now, Dong Xi and Songsong were both here.

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It was a full moon tonight, and the moonlight seemed to have dyed the entire mountain silver.

Dong Xi sat next to the red flowers. Perhaps it was an illusion, but he felt that the flowers seemed to be redder tonight.

She tidied up her thoughts, cleared her mind of distracting thoughts, and quickly entered a meditative state.

The night of cultivation was comfortable and smooth. Pure spiritual Qi washed through Dong Xi's meridians until the tempering was completed, and she naturally broke through.

The moment she broke through, the inner core in her Dantian was like a lonely boat, bobbing up and down in her Dantian.

The purple spiritual Qi slowly entered the green inner core, and as if controlled by someone, it began to mend the cracks in the inner core.

Su Cheng, who was in the cave, opened his eyes. After feeling for a moment, he went back to sleep.

At daybreak, Dong Xi's speed of absorbing spiritual Qi became very slow, and she stopped as if she had not had enough.

She stood up and stretched. There was still snoring beside him. Dong Xi looked at Songsong and felt that she seemed to be in an even deeper sleep.

Now that Dong Xi had broken through, her alchemy speed had also increased. She could now multitask and even refine two furnaces of pills at the same time.

According to the development of the situation, in less than a month, the debt he owed to her Senior Brother would be paid off.

Now, she had to hurry up and finish all of this, and then start on the path of body refinement that she had been thinking about!

Dong Xi stood up and walked towards the alchemy room. At the same time, Wei Nan and the Sect Master of Destiny Valley had also arrived at Lingxu Peak.

The demonic Qi that filled the area had long dissipated. Wei Nan looked at the Sect Master of Destiny Valley and said, "How is it? can you find the source?"

The sect Master of Destiny Valley nodded and took out a bronze mirror.

This bronze mirror was the treasure of Destiny Valley, the Source-Seeking Mirror. When it was pointed at a certain place, one could see what had happened in the past. Of course, the longer one could use the mirror, the stronger one's cultivation would be.

However, this time, the Sect Master of Destiny Valley cast a spell three times in a row, but the mirror did not move at all. The mirror was filled with fog.

He could not see what was going on inside at all.

The Destiny Valley Sect Master realized that Wei Nan was looking at him. He shrugged his shoulders helplessly and said, "Someone must have blocked the heavenly secrets, so I can't find the source."

Wei Nan immediately frowned and said in disbelief, "You can't find the source either?"

"I'm sorry, my cultivation is too low!" The Sect Master of Destiny Valley could only say.

"You can't say that," said Wei Nan immediately. "We must have underestimated that big wolfdog!"

The Sect Master of Destiny Valley sighed and said, "Let's go to other places to see if we can find other clues."

"Okay," Wei Nan nodded.

The two of them patrolled Lingxu Peak and there seemed to be some traces of fighting, but they could not be sure if it was caused by the demon breaking out of the barrier.

Soon, the disciples of the Ningtian Sect came back one after another. They all said that there was nothing wrong, and that the surrounding villages were not attacked.

Just as Wei Nan was about to call out for the Sect Master, the Sect Master suddenly shouted, "Sect Master Wei!"

Wei Nan quickly turned around and saw the frowning sect master. he asked, "Did you find something?"

The Sect Master of Destiny Valley pointed at the broken barrier and said, "Look at this. Why do I feel that this seems to have Su Cheng's spiritual Qi?"

Wei Nan's expression changed instantly. If Su Cheng really saved that demon, with the two of them working together, the entire Immortal cultivation world would probably not have a good end!

Wei Nan carefully examined the area and really sensed some traces of Su Cheng.

Could it be that Su Cheng really came to release that demon?

Wei Nan and the Sect Master of Destiny Valley looked at each other. The Sect Master of Destiny Valley said, "Sect Master Wei, when I return to the sect, I'll start a new divination for the Eastern Continent. You should tell all the other sects about this so that they can be prepared."

"Then I'll have to trouble you," said Wei Nan immediately. "Don't worry about the rest."

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When Dong Xi went to the pharmacy to collect the materials, Ma Youcai called Dong Xi over and said in a low voice, "Dong Xi, you can now perfectly concoct the Spirit Restore Pill. I know you're helping Song Qingfeng complete his task, but it's too easy for you and a waste of time. You have to work hard on your cultivation. I've asked the elder for a favor. The elder said that if you can concoct the Wind Speed Pill, one cauldron of those pills will be equivalent to two cauldrons of Spirit Restore Pills!"

Chapter 149 Second-Tier Medicinal Pill

"Wind Speed Pill?" Dong Xi asked in surprise.

Dong Xi was already familiar with medicinal pills. The Wind Speed Pill was a second-tier medicinal pill. Although it was only one tier higher than the Spirit Restore Pill, the difficulty of this was multiplied.

The Wind Speed Pill could increase one's speed after consumption. Many disciples liked to bring a few pills with them when they went out to train or to carry out sect missions. They could use them to save their lives during important times.

Dong Xi frowned and said with a somewhat embarrassed expression, "Uncle-master, I know you mean well, but I have never refined a wind element pill before, and my cultivation is not high, I'm afraid my success rate is very low."

When Ma Youcai heard Dong Xi's words, he smiled and said, "It doesn't matter. Everything is done slowly. No one knows how to do it right from the beginning. You can go and refine it now. The elder said that the first ten furnaces will be for you to practice. In the future, you only need to hand in 70 percent of the refinement."

The conditions were indeed not too harsh, and could even be said to be very preferential treatment. Dong Xi still asked, "What if I only have three pills in one batch?"

Ma Youcai saw through the little girl's thoughts with a glance and said with a smile, "It's normal for the success rate to be a little low at the beginning, but it can't be that low forever. Don't worry, the sect is such a big family business, it won't care about this at all."

Dong Xi thought for a moment. When she refined those Spirit Restore Pills, she kept 30 percent for herself and gave the remaining 70 percent to the sect.

Although she still had to pay rent to her Senior Brother, in the end, Dong Xi profited. The sect had profited, and his Senior Brother had profited as well!

Ordinary pill furnaces could not withstand her fire attribute spiritual energy. If she wanted to refine two furnaces at the same time, she would have to go to her Senior Brother and borrow another furnace.

“With your words, I can rest assured. This disciple will go and get the materials now to try.” Dong Xi cupped her fists to Ma Youcai.

Seeing Dong Xi’s enthusiastic appearance, Ma Youcai also sighed.

There was no time in Immortal cultivation. Immortal cultivators always did things at a steady pace. Only these new disciples who had just arrived would be so hardworking. He wondered how long this girl could last.

Dong Xi’s plan was very clear. She would first try out the Wind Speed Pill and see if it was difficult. When she was familiar with it, she would go and rent a pill furnace from Second Senior Brother!

This time, Dong Xi stayed in the alchemy room for a full three months.

Three months had passed, and when the young disciple who originally had a tight schedule went to exchange for medicinal pills, she discovered that the Wind Speed Pill that originally required 20 points to exchange for one actually only required 5 points now!

One point could be exchanged for two low-grade spirit stones, and now ten low-grade spirit stones could be exchanged for a Wind Speed Pill?

What was there to hesitate about when it was such a good thing? She had to switch immediately!

When she went out on a mission, a Wind Speed Pill could be said to be a second life!

Many disciples would exchange their points for it.

“Senior Sister Wang Ying, I want two!”

“Is this a big promotion? I want ten! In case it rises back up again after a period of time!”

When everyone saw the price, they all rushed to exchange and stock up.

Wang Ying also found it funny and immediately explained, “Junior Sister Dong Xi has already said that she will accept alchemy missions when she has time. In the future, our sect should not be lacking in alchemical pills!”

As soon as Wang Ying finished speaking, someone exclaimed, “This is a top-grade Wind Speed Pill?!”

In the past, everyone had come to exchange for low-grade Wind Speed Pills, and everyone had tacitly agreed to this price. Now, they only needed five points to exchange for a top-grade Wind Speed Pill? Who could resist such a temptation?

The low-grade ones could only increase the speed for 15 minutes, but the top-grade ones could increase it for an hour, and the speed was much faster.

This person's exclamation made some of the hesitant people rush forward and shout.

"Give me 10!"

"I want 20!"

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Dong Xi did not know that because of her, she had helped her fellow disciples save a lot of points. Dong Xi had been in the alchemy room for three whole months, refining pills all the time. She was simply a model of the alchemy sect!

Three months had passed. Dong Xi had also paid off all the tasks assigned to her by her Second Senior Brother for the past 60 years. She had also completed her own tasks.

After leaving the pill refining room, Dong Xi felt a little light-headed as she walked.

This should be called a light body without debt, right?

Su Cheng did not expect her to leave after letting her spend the night outside.

Every night, she would come back and meditate in the courtyard. Once the sun rose, she would immediately leave.

In the past three months, the two of them had not seen each other.

During this period, a man came to look for Dong Xi several times. Judging from his clothes, he should be from Destiny Valley. How did this girl have anything to do with Destiny Valley?

On this day, Dong Xi finally returned to the cave abode. Moreover, she returned in broad daylight, which was really rare.

Chapter 150 You Don't Want the Spiritual Vein Anymore?

As soon as Dong Xi entered the courtyard, she went straight to the built nest. Dong Xi was not in the way, but Songsong was still in deep sleep. Even if it was in the courtyard, it should be able to shelter them from the wind and rain, right?

Just as Dong Xi was about to sit down, a very familiar voice suddenly appeared in his mind and asked, "You don't want this small section of the spirit vein?"

Dong Xi was stunned for a moment and immediately ran towards the cave dwelling. Dong Xi said, "I want it! Who wouldn't want that?"

This was a spirit vein! No one could reject a spirit vein!

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She pushed open the stone door, and the inside of the cave abode returned to its original state.

The ice bed was covered with fur at some point in time. It was unknown what demon beast it was, but it was extremely comfortable, making people want to pounce on it and roll around.

A snake was actually enjoying life more than Dong Xi. Compared to the giant snake, Dong Xi was like an ascetic monk!

The snake stood in the cave, its tail supporting its upper body. Dong Xi was only at the snake's waist.

Su Cheng turned around and saw Dong Xi at the door. Although he could not see Dong Xi's expression, he could feel that Dong Xi was a little excited.

Su Cheng frowned as if he was very distressed. He kept looking at Dong Xi and said, "What should we do?"

"What do we do with what?" Dong Xi was stunned for a moment and asked.

Su Cheng poured himself a cup of bejeweled nectar and slowly said, I'm only giving you this small section of the spirit vein because you've treated my injuries. But it seems like you don't care much about my injuries!

Dong Xi suddenly panicked. During this period of time, she had only been thinking about how to pay off the debt, and when she got busy, she had forgotten about the snake.

Dong Xi lowered her head and rubbed her hands back and forth before finally looking at Su Cheng's tail.

With this look, Dong Xi did not care about being ashamed. Her expression changed greatly and she said in a panic, "... Quickly go back to bed!"

Seeing Dong Xi's mood change, Su Cheng could not continue threatening her.

Dong Xi walked to the snake's side and squatted down on his tail. While checking his injuries, she said, "You know there's a wound, but you still ran to the ground. There are so much bacteria on the ground, aren't you afraid of infection? There are no antibiotics in this place. Even if you want to die, you can't do this!"

Su Cheng was confused when he heard this. What bacteria? What is antibiotic?

Su Cheng was confused. He could understand every word the girl said, but he did not know what she meant when he connected them.

This little girl, who had no idea where she got the courage from, pushed Su Cheng's waist and walked towards the bed.

However, Dong Xi's strength was so weak that it could be ignored. Su Cheng also wanted to see what tricks this girl had up her sleeve, so he followed Dong Xi's strength and lay on the bed.

Dong Xi grabbed the tip of Su Cheng's tail and pulled the part on the ground to the bed.

Su Cheng's entire snake body was in a bad state. Dong Xi's palm was very hot, which made Su Cheng a little uncomfortable.

The tip of Su Cheng's tail nimbly shook off Dong Xi's hand and then coiled up, hiding the tip of his tail that Dong Xi had just grabbed.

Dong Xi looked at the tail that had coiled up into a lump and did not know where to start. She could only sigh softly. Looking at the huge snake, Dong Xi helplessly said, "If you want me to treat you, you'll have to show me your wound, right?"

Su Cheng looked into Dong Xi's clear eyes, trying to see if this girl had any bad intentions.

After watching for a long time, Dong Xi's eyes felt sore. Su Cheng retracted his gaze, his tail gently swaying, revealing the wound on it.

Dong Xi looked at his tail and the bleeding wound. She immediately frowned and asked, "Wasn't it already much better before?"

The last time Su Cheng left, many of his wounds had healed, but his scales had not grown back. However, he did not bleed again.

Dong Xi immediately recalled that the great snake had killed the demon of the Illusionary Valley. Could it be that the wound had opened again at that time?

She was still thinking about what was going on when Su Cheng faintly said, "I hurt it when I was walking."

Dong Xi, "??"

Could it be that Dong Xi really looked like a fool? Was she that easy to deceive?

The bodies of demon beasts were all extremely strong. Even if a knife or a sword slashed at it, it might not be able to hurt the snake-like demon beast.

Moreover, the wounds on the snake's body were obviously not caused by walking.

The tip of Dong Xi's nose twitched, and the smell of blood with a trace of burnt flesh instantly entered her nostrils.

Dong Xi did not say anything else. Instead, she gathered wood spiritual energy in her hand and placed it on the snake's wound.