

## **Ancient ST 1671**

### **Chapter 1671 - Arrival of the People of the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect**

Back then, Yin Tian and his wife had tried very hard to persuade the Qingfeng and Mingyue Clans which were bent on leaving. However, for them to come back in a time like this, all the barriers between them were gone.

It might be that only by coming back, even if it meant their deaths, would they have a peace of mind. Otherwise, if the Yin Clan and the Divine Moon Immortal Sect were eradicated and they themselves were to remain alive, they would live in guilt for their entire lives.

When Yin Tian and Feng Xi saw them back, they were both happy and upset. However, they didn't say anything. After so many years together, they could understand everything with just an exchange of a glance or through a single movement.

Qing Shui took out the gold needles to help treat Old Wang and Yin Tian. He had even brought out some medicinal pills and some medicinal herbs for the preparation of the medicine for them. Qing Shui did these in progression as he thought of the current situation.

The current situation was clearly very bad for the Divine Moon Immortal Sect. Both Yin Tian and Old Wang couldn't take part in the battle at this moment. Most importantly, they didn't know anything about the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect. Not even how strong they were. They were clearly on the defensive side.

Despite so, Qing Shui still had a great feeling that he would be able to handle the situation. Tantai Lingyan, the old turtle, together with Feng Xi, Yin Sha, as well as Qingfeng and Mingyue were all Divinities.

Moreover, there was also himself, the Dark Phoenix, and Long Zhu`er. Therefore, it wasn't as if they didn't have anyone who could put up a fight. This was the reason why Qing Shui was able to remain calm all this time.

After Qing Shui was done with all these, half a day had gone by. Yin Tian's and Old Wang's injuries had already been looked at, but they would still need some time for recovery.

Still, Feng Xi heaved a sigh of relief. Although they didn't think well of the current situation, when they saw that Qing Shui was very calm, as if he had an astonishing power, causing them to feel at ease as well. It felt as if they could get over the obstacle right in front of them.

This feeling was very strange and even they themselves couldn't figure out why they would feel this way. The one thing they knew for certain was that Qing Shui was now stronger than them. Even Tantai Lingyan was also slightly more powerful than them.

Tantai Lingyan and Feng Xi returned to the room to have a chat while Old Wang and Yin Tian went to take a break. There were only Qing Shui, Yin Sha, Qingfeng, and Mingyue. They had lost a few Divinities in the battle and Yin Clan's battle prowess had been reduced drastically.

They didn't harbor as much hope as previously when they sent Qing Shui a request for help. Not many people would come in such a situation. Moreover, the Yin Clan had no rights to get them to come. All

along, the Yin Clan had been the side who were indebted to Qing Shui. This time around, if it wasn't because something in them which made them feel that there was a possibility, they wouldn't have asked Qing Shui for help. Otherwise, they would have gotten Qing Shui into trouble.

"Qing Shui, mother was very troubled too. She believes that you're the only one who can help the Divine Moon Immortal Sect to tide through this trial. However, she was afraid that it'd bring you harm and thus has been praying that you wouldn't come. I'm not someone who would say pretentious stuff, but sometimes, humans are really contradictory creatures." Yin Sha smiled bitterly and said.

"I can understand. For you guys to call me during a time like this, it showed that we're really a family. I'm actually very happy." Qing Shui smiled and said.

When humans were at their weakest, they would think about their family. It was the same when they were in danger. It was just like if a kid was bullied, the kid would think about the parents back at home. While this was an analogy, it was also a fact.

"Qing Shui, be honest with me. Do we have any chances of winning? Even if it's just a little?" Yin Sha asked very carefully. He was really scared to hear Qing Shui's reply.

Qing Shui smiled, "Since Lingyan could come, it meant that we have a great chance of winning. Otherwise, I wouldn't have allowed her to come." Qing Shui gave Yin Sha a reason which he could trust.

Yin Sha revealed a happy smile from the bottom of his heart.

"The Divine Moon Immortal Sect is merely an empty vessel now. Right now, all that's left is its name." When Yin Sha said this, there was an unconcealable disappointment on his face.

"Brother, what's this little setback? You must believe in yourself and in your abilities. The Divine Moon Immortal Sect will become strong again." Qing Shui patted Yin Sha on the shoulder.

Qingfeng and Mingyue had come back one day earlier than Qing Shui, thus weren't injured. They had already been through life and death situations. If they could die here, it would also be an end to things. To them, being able to die here was also one of the better outcomes.

"However, I've learned to accept a lot of things now. We cultivators live each day, risking our lives. Therefore, death is a very natural thing. It's just that it is hard to accept that fact at the very beginning. However, when it's inevitable, one would instead feel that it's not scary. The worst thing that could happen would only be losing your life." Yin Sha smiled.

Qing Shui had no idea if Yin Sha had already learned to accept this or not. There was just one thing he was sure of. His appearance should have let Yin Sha know that there was a hint of hope. A tiny spark could cause a great fire. This little hope was the spark. It was hard to say if a great fire could be lit up, but at least, there was a chance.

The next day passed by very peacefully as well. The other party didn't make any move. Since they didn't make any move, Qing Shui chose not to do anything either. Right now, both Old Wang and Yin Tian needed time to recover and things mustn't get any worse. That was why waiting was the best option.

Qing Shui and the Divine Moon Immortal Sect could wait, but the other party seemed to have lost their patience in playing it out. On the fourth day, several huge demonic beasts circled above the Divine Moon Immortal Sect.

"Yin Tian, it's time to come out. Stop being a tortoise."

A loud voice rang out. Before the voice had reached them, Qing Shui and the group were already standing in the large square of the Divine Moon Immortal Sect. Even Yin Tian and Old Wang were here. They insisted.

Qing Shui sensed the auras of the demonic beasts in the air as well as the opposite party's cultivators. He realized that most of them only had the strength of 1,000 Dao force, with only a few of them being at around 1,500 to 1,800 Dao force.

This situation gave Qing Shui a very pleasant surprise. Although these people weren't the strongest amongst the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect, he knew that they were no match for him. Even if there were stronger existences backing them up, there wouldn't be many of them. Qing Shui now had a grasp at their level.

The old man who had spoken didn't seem to be of very old age. Or rather, he didn't appear that way. There was still black hair mixed with the white ones on his head, displaying a mysterious dominating appearance.

The old man's eyes were incredibly sharp but he had thin and drooping brows. The brows gave the old man an indescribable feeling and appeared both amiable but also having prestige.

Yin Tian was now practically about the same as an ordinary person. Therefore, when in such a situation, there wasn't any way for them to talk. They were already at the disadvantage in terms of the standing. Thus, it would be better for them to not say anything.

Although Yin Tian didn't say anything, the old man on the other side spoke up once again, "Are you going to watch your wife and child die? Or perhaps, are you going to choose to commit suicide and wait to be reunited in the other world?"

Qing Shui didn't say anything and looked toward the three old men next to the first one. There were still over ten old men behind them. The Demonic Saber Immortal Sect really put their best effort into this operation. Around 20 of them were Divinities and while they were of varying strengths, it was still quite astonishing.

"Now that things have come down to this, what's the point of spouting so much gibberish? It's just the case of a vile character gaining the upper hand." Yin Sha said to the old man who wasn't that far away from them.

Right now, Qing Shui, Yin Sha, as well as Qingfeng and Mingyue were at the top while Tantai Lingyan and Feng Xi were on the ground. This was something which Qing Shui had insisted.

"Haha, I've forgotten about this. The old are already useless and right now, you're the one who calls the shots in the Divine Moon Immortal Sect. It's a pity that the Divine Moon Immortal Sect will have to die in your hands. I wonder how you're going to seek forgiveness from your ancestors after you've gone to the other world." The old man said, amused.

Qing Shui looked at the old man who was trying to rub salt into their wounds. People like him enjoyed seeing the expressions the opponents wear while feeling desperation. They like to see the helplessness and lost expressions when the opponent had no other ways out. Qing Shui wasn't sure if this was considered normal, but this man was definitely a vicious person.

"What are you being so proud about? We aren't sure who's going to be the one to die. Your arrogance has come too early!" Yin Sha snorted coldly.

"If I wanted to kill you guys, would you be able to stay alive until now? Oh, I forgot that you have new people with you now. Could it be that you're relying on just these few of them?" The old man looked at Qing Shui, Qingfeng, Mingyue, and Tantai Lingyan.

"I'll give you a chance. Get the strongest you have now out here. Otherwise, you might not get another chance to do so later." At this moment, Qing Shui smiled and said to the old man.

The old man examined this young man. He didn't know how this young man could remain so calm. However, on the thought that he was an expert from the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect, he no longer had any more reservations.

### **Chapter 1672 - Using A Few To Defeat Many, Unstoppable**

"Give me a chance? Talking so shamelessly. Refusing to take the path leading to heaven, insisting on barging through the gates of hell... Come on, let me see what kind of abilities you have." The old man spoke with disdain.

The old man was much stronger than Yin Sha. The Divine Moon Immortal Sect was considered one of the weaker sects amongst the other Immortal Sects. Previously, it was only with the Hong Clan and the other clans that the Divine Moon Immortal Sect could be supported.

The Blade Demon Immortal Sect was also a sect like this. It was about the same level as the Divine Moon Immortal Sect, but to think that the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect was backing it up. The Demonic Saber Immortal Sect was an existence that was one notch higher as compared to the Divine Moon Immortal Sect and the Blade Demon Immortal Sect.

Qing Shui couldn't stand this old man and when Yin Sha charged over, Qing Shui didn't stop him either and only helped him to increase his cultivation to its peak. Even if Yin Sha wasn't a match for the opponent, the difference wouldn't be huge.

The increment to his strength gave Yin Sha a boost in confidence. HE even had the confidence to kill this old man.

The old man waved his hand and condensed a sword. This weapon had been condensed using his blood essence and it wasn't just an ordinary weapon.

The old man swung the sword toward Yin Sha and the snow-white crescent blade came slashing down. There was no sound in the air, but this sword attack had sliced through the air, creating gray holes that clearly reflected the sun, moon, and the stars.

Yin Sha was the sect lord of the Divine Moon Immortal Sect and being young, he had limitless potential. Amongst the younger generation, he was definitely considered to be the cream of the crop with quite a lot of battle experience. He pierced out with his blue long spear.

An attack that was like a venomous snake!

This was the first time that Qing Shui had seen an attack like this. The long spear was like a raging and vicious venomous snake, being extremely fast, accurate, and vicious.

Boom!

The old man felt a numb feeling in his hands and his arms felt a little uncomfortable as well. However, he soon recovered. This time around, the reason the old man had stepped forth with such great confidence was because he knew his opponent's level. Knowing your enemies will ensure victories in battles.

Therefore, the old man was very confident. He had engaged Yin Sha slightly previous and knew how strong he was. However, he couldn't understand how Yin Sha could get so much stronger out of a sudden.

Compared to the old man, Yin Sha retreated more. However, he was given a boost in confidence and his eyes were flashing with determination as he attacked the old man once again.

Qing Shui stood at the side, constantly monitoring the old man's aura. He wanted to grab the chance to let Yin Sha kill this old man. Not only would this give the Divine Moon Immortal Sect a great boost in confidence, it would also deal the opponents a blow to a certain degree.

Boom boom...

Loud sounds of clashing weapons rang out in the air and Qing Shui unleashed the Nine Palace Laws. The depletion of the old man's strength was much faster than that of Yin Sha, and this made him feel a little anxious.

In a life and death battle, once a person feels anxious, there would be problems. Strong experts had great pressure as well. One of them was due to their reputation. Even if they didn't die, the results of them having lost was inconceivable.

The moment the old man was distracted, Qing Shui applied the Emperor's Qi and the Art of Pursuing.

The old man had initially wanted to use his ultimate killing technique to turn the tables around. However, it was a pity that his abilities took a great plunge out of a sudden. Watching as his opponent came attacking with all his powers, the old man could only choose to dodge.

It was only when he dodged that he realized the lethal problem. His speed was not even half of what he usually had. When experts sparred, what they needed was just an instant. In this short moment, Yin Sha's lethal blow slashed down on the old man's shoulder, and came out from the other side of his hip bone.

Lethal blow!

This was what Qing Shui had told Yin Sha about previous. The final blow was Yin Sha's ultimate killing attack. Otherwise, it would be very hard for him to achieve instant kill. The final blow must be fast, and of course, the power must be stronger than he usually was as well.

Instant kill!

The old man died. Many people found this unbelievable. Even Yin Sha himself couldn't believe it that he had actually succeeded.

Many people here knew a little of Qing Shui's abilities, but they didn't know much of it, especially of how he could weaken the opponent. Yin Clan and Old Wang all knew that Qing Shui had strong abilities in increasing one's power.

There were still quite a number on the opposite side, but the old man who had died was their leader. With their leader killed, they now felt tremendous danger.

Yin Sha's confidence level was given a great boost. It wasn't just him alone. Even Qingfeng and Mingyue, who were at the side, saw a glimpse of hope. Although the two of them had come back, they had not planned on keeping their lives. Doing so will allow them to have a peace of mind after their deaths. However, what they hoped even more for was for them to be able to return to the Divine Moon Immortal Sect and to be able to survive this ordeal.

Now, they seemed to see some hope. Even if it was just a little, there was still hope.

At this moment, Qing Shui rapidly called out the Hellfire Phoenix and Nine-Headed Demonic Dragon Spider. The two of them were both in their beast form and charged out together with Yin Sha, Qingfeng, and Mingyue, who were all prepared.

They charged out toward their enemies, fighting with a small number to deal with enemies that were several times greater in numbers.

Nine Phantoms Slaughter!

The Hellfire Phoenix used its most powerful Nine Phantoms Slaughter and the Nine-Headed Demonic Dragon Spider also raised its aura to the pinnacle, then surrounding the enemies with its Inescapable Net.

Hell's Inferno, Underworld Fireball...

Poison Silk Entanglement...

Right now, the defense abilities of both the Hellfire Phoenix and the Nine-Headed Demonic Dragon Spider were extremely terrifying. Therefore, there wasn't a need to worry about them. Qing Shui brought the Dragon Slaying Beast with him as he charged on forth.

Paragon Strike!

An attack with 6 times the impact. It was definitely an instant kill/

It wasn't that Qing Shui was making a reckless decision in doing so, but that he wanted to wipe out the opponents' remaining bit of hope. This attack caused the opposing side to feel extremely dejected, and hopeless.

In just a short moment, Qing Shui's Golden Battle Halberd took away another old man's life.

So what if they were Divinities? Before greater power, their lives were still cheap and could be taken away from them at any moment.

A rout is like the collapse of a mountain. In battle, what was important was to have a more impressive aura than your enemies. Regardless if they had more or less people, or even if they were strong. The same rules applied for the Heavenly Dao. Right now, Qing Shui and the others had completely suppressed the enemies.

This result wasn't out of Qing Shui's expectations. After all, his current abilities were much higher than the enemies. It was just that the other side had greater numbers. If he didn't do what he did, he was worried that Yin Sha, Qingfeng, and Mingyue would be in danger. Therefore, he recklessly used the Paragon Strike which he could only use once a day.

The effect was quite good. The Dark Phoenix and Long Zhu`er played a huge role, with the Dragon Slaying Beast being a little weaker. After all, there was a gap in their abilities and even sneak attacks wouldn't be that easy.

However, Qing Shui felt happy about one this. This beast, that was botha mutated beast and a treasure beast, seemed to be impossible to kill. At the very least, he hadn't discovered what the Dragon Slaying Beast was afraid of or what could deal it serious injuries. It was even impossible to deal it any slight injuries and could really be said to be impenetrable.

After a short while, the enemies lost a large number of their people and the numbers on both side were now basically the same. The battle situation was turned around. Qing Shui had played a huge role in this as most of them had died in his hands.

Tantai Lingyan and Feng Xi stayed on the ground to take care of Old Wang and Yin Tian, thus they didn't make a move. At the beginning, Tantai Lingyan had thought of calling out the old turtle, but she eventually didn't do it. She knew that Qing Shui would be able to handle the situation, but she hadn't expected him to do it so cleanly and precisely.

### **Chapter 1673 - I'm Afraid That I Won't Be Able to Control Myself**

The battle started and ended quickly. They didn't show any leniency and the enemies were completely wiped out. Even though this was a battle between Divinities, there was no doubt about the outcome. They were unable to break through Qing Shui's defense.

Qing Shui's main worry had been that the opponent would turn their sights onto Yin Sha, Qingfeng, or Mingyue out of pure desperation.

This battle could be considered a huge victory. Other than Qing Shui, the rest of them all thought the same. Everyone were beaming happiness. This was the feeling of hope from the feeling of desperation.

Qing Shui saw Tantai Lingyan smiling and nodded at him. Her quiet smile made him feel strangely peaceful. He felt that his lady wasn't as cold as she was before, although she was still cold, there was an indescribable feminine feeling coming from her.

"Are you guys alright?" Feng Xi asked Qing Shui and the others, showing her concern for them.

"We're all fine, mother, this time around. It's all thanks to Qing Shui." Yin Sha said happily.

Everyone knew this. Anyone who had fought with Qing Shui before would feel that he was very dependable. After all, as long as he was around, everyone could have a tremendous boost in their powers and this wasn't something that they could estimate.

"This is because of everyone's effort. Unity is strength. The mood and teamwork is also very important." Qing Shui said politely.

What Qing Shui said was true as well. The battle mood and teamwork could be replaced by formations and Unison Assault, as well as the control over the Heavenly Dao. Although it was rare for the weak to emerge victorious against the strong, such situations would still exist.

In the previous battle, Qing Shui had not only used the Phoenix Battle Intent and other skills, but he also used formations and the Nine Palace Law as well. The Nine Palace Laws would accelerate the enemies' energy depletion, but could also allow some targets to slowly recuperate and save their energy.

Qing Shui's Nine Palace Laws had also been constantly improving. Right now he could lock onto his targets and choose whether to weaken or strengthen them. All it took was a single thought from Qing.

Compared to before, the Nine Palace Laws had improved a lot. The stronger it was, the more obvious the impact.

There were still many people left in the Divine Moon Immortal Sect. All of them cheered at the Divine Moon Immortal Sect's victory. Everyone of them was so agitated as if they themselves were the ones who had won over those Divinities. This situation was to be expected after all. If Qing Shui and the others had lost or had even died, the rest of them wouldn't end up in a good situation either.

Yin Sha looked toward the people from the Divine Moon Immortal Sect and said, "Today, all of us shall have good food and drinks and celebrate!"

No one objected to this. After all, the greater the pressure the more they needed to relieve their stress and to relax. Although they had won today, the threat wasn't completely over either. Very soon, even more powerful cultivators would appear. It was impossible for things to end calmly between both sides. With how the situation had occurred, no one would want to end things amicably.

Qing Shui and the others also ready for a sumptuous feast. Qing Shui, Yin Sha, Qingfeng and Mingyue had all washed up before coming to the table. After all, they had been through an intense battle earlier.

"We're all family, so there's no need to stand on ceremony with each other. However, I must still have a drink with Brother." Yin Sha lifted up his wine cup in Qing Shui's direction.

"You've already said that we're brothers so there's no need to stand on ceremony. Come, let's drink up." Qing Shui smiled and picked up his wine cup.



"I really don't know if you're the one who brings us great luck or if it is our daughter that is." Feng Xi smiled and said.

"Aunt Feng, it's not about us bringing you great fortune. We just have an affinity."

When people could not explain it well, they would believe that it was due to their affinity. Affinity is an inexplicable phenomenon between people. The affinity between husband and wife, the affinity in becoming friends, and amongst all the people in the world, their meetings and encounters, it was such a thing.

Feng Xi wasn't an ordinary lady either. Although she could tell that Qing Shui was one who valued relationships, she had always been the one to receive his goodwill. The reason they could become so close as kin was because she had taken Tantai Lingyan as her goddaughter.

Tantai Lingyan had been very lonely, but she wouldn't just let anyone take her in as their goddaughter. Feng Xi was very suitable. Qing Shui had also understood Feng Xi's intentions back then. Qing Shui and the others were not on the same standings in positions as they were before, so this event was also a form of repayment to her. Relationships were priceless and what that was most important was to let Tantai Lingyan feel a little bit more warmth.

This time around, the banquet lasted for about four hours. Qing Shui was still deciding on not making the first move and was just waiting for the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect to make the next attack.

After the meal, Yin Sha and the others went back to rest. Feng Xi, Yin Sha, and Old Wang also left. This had not been the last battle, and the final outcome was still undecided. Therefore, they all treated every peaceful moment preciously.

Qing Shui pulled Tantai Lingyan away and left the place. As they were husband and wife here there was nothing inappropriate about their actions. On the contrary, this made the others envious of this pair that they felt was a match made in heaven.

"Qing Shui, when do you think the people from the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect will come next?" Tantai Lingyan asked as she walked with Qing Shui to the little place that belonged to them.

"I'm not sure, but it will definitely not be in these few days. For now they'll need to reassess the Divine Moon Immortal Sect's abilities."

Qing Shui said in a relaxed manner, as if he didn't take it to heart. It wasn't that Qing Shui wasn't worried, it was because everyone had placed their hopes on him. If he didn't remain calm, it would make the others all the more worried.

Moreover, Qing Shui still had a little confidence in his abilities. The Paragon Strike was definitely a terrifying existence. Also now that he had the Diamond Staff, his Five Elements Divine Refining Technique was also very terrifying.

He had his formations, the Battle God Halo, weakening abilities, and other skills. Even if the opponents were to be slightly stronger than himself, it'd still be fine. The other side would definitely not have that many Divinities who were exceptionally powerful. After all, the people who had come forth previously had already revealed a lot of things.

Although the previous losses wouldn't deal a huge blow to the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect, it did deal some effect to them. Even though it might not be equivalent to breaking off one of their arms, it was more like they had lost half of an arm.

"You're always like this. It's as if you aren't scared of anything." Tantai Lingyan smiled and said. She liked this guy's confidence. The feeling of security which he gave was irreplaceable.

"Who said so? I'm very scared of you." Qing Shui smiled and said.

"Scared of me? What's there to be scared about me?" Tantai Lingyan said, a little embarrassed.

"Many aspects. I'm afraid that you would kill me if there's a day where I can't control myself." Qing Shui grinned.

He was trying to do a test. Their relationship was now close enough that he could try to test these things. With Tantai Lingyan's character, it was clear that she wouldn't show any opportunities. Therefore, Qing Shui could only create the necessary conditions for himself.

"Control what?" Tantai Lingyan looked at Qing Shui and asked without smiling. Her gaze was clear and cold. Under this gaze, others could only look up and away. It wasn't that she wasn't beautiful, but that others would feel inferior.

"I've always wanted to kiss you, but I've been controlling myself. I'm afraid that I won't be able to control myself..." Qing Shui lied. However, now that things had come to this, he wouldn't shrink away. This was an opportunity as well.

### **Chapter 1674 Really Kissed Him, Strong Experts From the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect Have Arrived**

Tantai Lingyan still felt that this guy was very daring. However, he was also considerate at the same time. Most importantly, he wasn't angry. She even had some other kind of indescribable feeling and looked at Qing Shui with a solemn expression.

"Lass, I'll feel anxious if I'm being stared at like this?" Qing Shui said, a little exaggerated.

Tantai Lingyan was stunned. Being called lass made her feel like laughing yet there was also an indescribable warmth. She put up a rare smile, "Thank you!"

Tantai Lingyan was very clever and could tell what Qing Shui was thinking. She knew that this guy had been concerned about her feelings. Otherwise, he wouldn't have been this careful all this time, keeping to himself, and only occasionally taking advantage with his words. However, he had never been overboard with his actions.

This was mainly due to the situation from when they had first met. Qing Shui was now showing sufficient respect and care for her. He was afraid that the matter back then would leave a trauma in Tantai Lingyan's heart. Therefore, he had been waiting, waiting for signs of Tantai Lingyan having relaxed, or giving some signs.

However, with Tantai Lingyan's character, it was very hard for her to take this one step forward. Therefore, Qing Shui wanted to create the the chance. It was very difficult, otherwise, he wouldn't have not made much progress in terms of their physical contact. However, he was already very satisfied with this. It was because her mental state had changed tremendously.

Qing Shui was stunned. He said that he was going to kiss her, but she thanked him instead. He stared at her blankly.

Tantai Lingyan looked at Qing Shui's expression and took the initiative to take his hand. This made Qing Shui feel very agitated. What that shocked him even more was that Tantai Lingyan had planted the lightest kiss on his cheek.

"Are you satisfied now?" Tantai Lingyan asked shyly.

It took Qing Shui a while before he got back to his senses. The changes that Tantai Lingyan had been through in the past was great enough, but the changes she showed today was beyond his expectations. He touched his face and grinned, "Not satisfied!"

"Rascal, you aren't allowed to ask for more than what you can get." Tantai Lingyan said shyly, a little annoyed.

Qing Shui knew that she wasn't very thick-skinned. Even if she was his, she still needed time. Therefore, he quickly gave her a hug, "Satisfied, I'm really very satisfied. I thought that I'd have to wait 100 years for this."

"I'm worried that there'd be powerful experts from the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect coming. Do you think that we'll be fine?" Tantai Lingyan changed the topic and asked calmly.

They reached the small place that belonged to them and was in their living room. Tantai Lingyan quickly poured Qing Shui and herself a cup of tea and they sat opposite each other.

"Are you scared? Today's tea taste so good." Qing Shui picked up the tea and took a sip as he said, smiling.

"You must have toyed with the feelings of quite a number of girls!" Tantai Lingyan also picked up her tea and said, smiling. Right now, there were no more barriers between herself and Qing Shui. But it was only between herself and Qing Shui.

It was considered a tremendous improvement for Tantai Lingyan to be able to ask a question like this. Qing Shui thought of how she had given him a kiss earlier and her action explained many things. He smiled and shook his head, "I don't ever lie to my women."

When Qing Shui said this, he was looking at Tantai Lingyan with a clear yet scorching gaze. Tantai Lingyan felt a little anxious and lowered her head a little. "I'm not your woman."

"In my heart, you have always been my woman. You can forget about escaping from me in this lifetime." Qing Shui reached out his hand, lifted her chin, and said with an air of dominance.

Tantai Lingyan was a headstrong lady, but was also a strong one. However, this was the first time that a man had lifted her chin so frivolously and she felt a little anxious. She also felt an indescribable feeling, her heart was beating faster.

Qing Shui was putting up a bold front, ready to keep himself in check if things wasn't going in the right direction. However, he hadn't expected this headstrong lady to be like an embarrassed and docile lady right now.

In the end, his hand was still smacked away by Tantai Lingyan. However, Qing Shui laughed out loud without any restraints. It was an indescribable great feeling.

"What are you laughing at? You're getting increasingly overboard." Tantai Lingyan said angrily. She wasn't really angry but her emotions seemed a bit messed up. She felt that she had changed and that she seemed to be in love. In that instant, the sky, which hadn't seem to be clear, now cleared up.

Qing Shui stopped laughing and walked right up to Tantai Lingyan. As she was now seated, Qing Shui squatted down before her, put his two hands on her legs, then lifted her head and looked at her, "Miss, did you realize that you're a special lady today?"

"There's no end to this." Tantai Lingyan moved away his hands and said before escaping back to the room.

Qing Shui didn't chase after her but just smiled as her unparalleled silhouette disappeared from his sight. His mind was extraordinarily calm. Even if it was to protect her, he must stop the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect this time around.

Another three days passed by. Yin Tian and Old Wang had recovered a little, but was still far from being able to participate in the fight. However, they felt a lot better. Previously, they had sustained very serious injuries and even suspected that they might not be able to recover. Right now, they had gotten back a little confidence.

In fact, Yin Tian trusted that Qing Shui could treat any kind of injuries. After all, his condition wasn't as serious as it was before. However, their cultivation had been considered to be completely crippled, so they hadn't expected that Qing Shui would be able to treat this as well.

On this day, the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect appeared once again. This time around, only three people came, but they had an overwhelming aura. Qing Shui appeared in the sky at the first moment, as if he was waiting for them.

Qing Shui's brows were furrowed deeply. Right now, he was all tensed up and both the Dark Phoenix and Long Zhu'er were next to him. As for the others, Qing Shui didn't let them come up. Moreover, he was already prepared and had set up a formation. Therefore, it was very hard for anyone to do anything bad to them.

Qing Shui was still very confident in his formations.

"Young man, it's unexpected that there's an existence like yourself. I feel bad that they have died, but we feel that it's a pity to kill you." An old man in the middle with a sturdy body and white brows and hair.

The old man's voice sounded as if he had been through a lot in life, but also seemed to reflect that he was a person of great bearing. The old man's aura was also like the aura of a sovereign. His face appeared to be very stern, without a smile at all.

Qing Shui had finally encountered cultivators who were stronger than him, and there were three of them. However, Qing Shui now felt that the other two were only just a bit stronger than himself. Only the old man in the middle seemed to be unfathomable. The old man's gaze made Qing Shui felt very uncomfortable as well.

It had been very long since Qing Shui had felt such pressure coming down onto all over his body. He felt nervous, but even more excited. Looking at this old man, he had no idea what rank he held in the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect. However, it was definitely not a low one. What Qing Shui was even more afraid was that there might be even more powerful existences behind this old man. If that was the case, Qing Shui would feel that he might really not be able to handle them.

"No need to find it a pity, because you won't be able to kill me." By this time, Qing Shui had already calmed down and he looked at the old man on the opposite.

"You're very outstanding and also very powerful. You can probably only be described as being a monster. However, you still need time. It's a pity that I can't give you time." The old man was very serious. These words might really be what he was thinking.

### **Chapter 1675 - The Battle Between Experts**

"Don't you feel that you're too confident?" Qing Shui looked in their direction, with a strong will to fight. However, no matter how much a person enjoyed challenging others, they would still have reservations. As long as one was alive, they wouldn't be able to toss aside everything.

"You'll know in a while if I'm confident or not. Make your move. Otherwise, you might not even have a chance to do so later." The old man slowly brought out a huge violet colored long saber.

Immortal Slaying Demonic Saber!

Qing Shui knew that what the old man said earlier included some elements of psychological attack. It was also a form of pressurizing the opponent. Qing Shui wouldn't be intimidated from just a few words the opponents said and he took out his Golden Battle Halberd.

Tantai Lingyan and the others who were on the ground were very anxious as well, especially Tantai Lingyan. She wanted her old turtle to go and help Qing Shui, but Qing Shui had told her time and time again that he would be fine. The old turtle needed to be by her side so that if there were any sudden change to the situation, it could still provide them with some defense with its terrifying defense.

Moreover, Qing Shui had already set up formations all around the place. Tantai Lingyan and the others were also a part of the Four Phases Formation. Formation Masters could set up their formations anywhere through the forces of the world.

Diamond Staff, Phoenix Battle Intent, Nine Palace Laws, Battle God Halo...

Qing Shui's, the Dark Phoenix's, and Long Zhu`er's abilities had increased tremendously at a terrifying rate. With the confidence in his own powerful defense, Qing Shui dashed over.

Right now, the situation was three versus three. Qing Ming, in addition to the Dark Phoenix and Long Zhu`er were three. The opposing side had three as well.

When Qing Shui made his move, Long Zhu`er moved as well. Shiny spider thread shot out abruptly toward the old man on the right.

Qing Shui wasn't worried. Right now, the Dark Phoenix's and Long Zhu`er's abilities were very powerful. Moreover, their defenses were the strongest. Their resilience toward damage would cause the opponents to feel helpless.

Right now, what Qing Shui needed to do was to hold back the old man in the middle. He could only drag out the battle so that he would get closer toward being victorious.

The stronger the experts engaged in battles, the more dangerous it was. It wasn't that it was hard for one to die, but rather, every move could lead to a life or death situation.

Nine Stances of Ancient Divine Battle Technique!

Qing Shui performed the Nine Stances of Ancient Divine Battle Technique. It was extremely profound, combining attack and defense in one, with the essence of the Way of Nature. While its attack was neither that fierce or lethal, it had the most rustic and domineering One with Heaven.

With time, Qing Shui's understanding of the Nine Stances of Ancient Divine Battle Technique grew deeper. The Nine Stances of Ancient Divine Battle Technique required an extremely high comprehension toward the Heavenly Dao. The stronger the spiritual sense, the stronger the prowess of the Nine Stances of Ancient Divine Battle Technique. This was the most important. Of course, one's abilities were also a necessity.

Qing Shui's speed was very fast and he struck out abruptly with his Nine Stances of Ancient Divine Battle Technique. However, before that, with a single thought, he performed the Art of Pursuing.

Boom!

Speed was power. A world-shaking sound rang out in the air. Qing Shui retreated fiercely, and as he did so, he kept on negating the strong power that had come from the opponent.

The old man didn't move, but was extremely taken aback. It was because there had been some changes to this young man's earlier power and in his own body. As the changes were very sudden and obvious, he already felt very unaccustomed to his body.

The old man swung the Immortal Slaying Demonic Saber in his hand and an aura that was like wind circled around him. Qing Shui could sense it from afar. Not only had his opponent's speed recovered, he had even become faster than before.

Qing Shui felt helpless. Although the earlier attack didn't inflict much injuries on himself, he already felt uncomfortable all over. However, he was also gradually recovering and was a lot better.

This time around, the old man no longer waited. His Immortal Slaying Demonic Saber drew out an eerie cold gleam and disappeared together with the old man.

Although others might think that the old man had disappeared, Qing Shui could see that the old man was swinging his saber like a bolt of lightning and flying toward him. As Qing Shui had the Nine Palace Laws, in the Nine Palace's domain and positionings, he was the ruler. Therefore, the old man was greatly restricted within the five elements.

Therefore, Qing Shui could see the old man's action. Despite so, his speed was still unbelievably fast.

Emperor's Qi!

Qing Shui didn't hesitate anymore and just applied the Emperor's Qi on the old man. The old man's abilities abruptly dropped by 20% and that feeling for when he was attacking at great speed, was so bad that he felt like puking blood.

The Emperor's Qi could weaken the 20% of all the opponent's powers, including speed. When the old man was feeling very oppressed, Qing Shui made his move and pierced out with his Golden Battle Halberd.

Despite being in such a situation, the old man moved and dodged Qing Shui ever so slightly. The Immortal Slaying Demonic Saber, sticking close to the Golden Battle Halberd, slashed out toward Qing Shui.

Boom!

Qing Shui's strength bounced off the old man's Immortal Slaying Demonic Saber in a manner that was called the Collapse Sutra in his previous life's fist arts. Just this alone could allow him to dodge this powerful attack.

In this short engagement, Qing Shui felt as if all the blood in his body had been lit up. It was a strange feeling. He didn't feel fear, but rather, the eagerness for him to try grew increasingly stronger.

Nine Continents Mountain!

With a single thought from Qing Shui, the Nine Continents Mountain smashed out toward the old man. Qing Shui charged out concurrently as well. The Nine Stances of Ancient Divine Battle Technique was performed ceaselessly, as if it would never stop.

At the beginning, the old man was also thinking of dragging out and reducing Qing Shui's endurance. However, it hadn't been long when he realized that he was wrong. The Nine Palace Laws caused his own depletion to increase by a lot. On the other hand, Qing Shui could still regain a little of his stamina. Even if Qing Shui's depletion weren't negated, this still had a tremendous effect toward a dragged out battle.

Immortal Slaying God Killing Blow!

After the old man pushed back the Nine Continents Mountain, his Immortal Slaying Demonic Saber exuded a dark red glow that looked amazing amidst the sparkle. The smell of blood exuded reached 3,000 Li in the surroundings.

Qing Shui frowned. That huge Immortal Slaying Demonic Saber seemed to be like a sharp demonic sword from hell, and the engulfing aura it exuded caused all of his pores to contract.

Nine Stances of Ancient Divine Battle Technique, Riding The Wind And Breaking The Waves!

Qing Shui didn't dare to lower down his guard and he struck out with his Golden Battle Halberd. The heavy and rustic Golden Battle Halberd was also exuding brilliant golden light, just like a small sun.

A golden glow appeared on Qing Shui's body, and it was as if he was wearing golden battle armor.

Golden Battle God!

The Nine Yang Golden Body and the Golden Battle God Inheritance had merged completely. This was the greatest progress Qing Shui had made over the past few years.

A majestic aura that was like that of a mountain was sent out and the Golden Battle Halberd started spinning rapidly in tandem with Qing Shui's movements. It created a golden light vortex that got increasingly bigger in size and expanded out toward the surroundings.

Boom...

A series of deafening explosive sounds rang out in the air and golden light shot out in all directions while the dark red glow continued to expand out. All the mountains in the distance were instantly crushed, sending stone fragments into the air with the explosions.

When they came to a stop in the air, Qing Shui wiped off the blood on the corners of his lips. The old man didn't seem to have changed at all, but his gaze when looking at Qing Shui appeared to be extremely solemn.

### **Chapter 1676 - Instant Reversal**

Although Qing Shui had sustained some injuries, he still felt very happy. After all, this time around, he still had some confidence to be coming this time around. As long as he could stand his ground, it would be hard to tell who the victor would be.

Qing Shui's greatest ability was to control the arena, including for other people and for himself. Right now, he couldn't manage to take care of the Dark Phoenix and Long Zhu'er at the greatest extent possible, but he could still provide some help for them. Moreover, the battle situation on their side was very stable and the true deciding factor of the victory was between himself and the old man.

"Surprise, this is really a surprise. I'm considered to be the top three in the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect, yet I wasn't able to take you down even after using the Immortal Slaying God Killing Blow." The old man looked at Qing Shui as if he was smiling but yet not quite so.

Qing Shui still wasn't sure if the old man was the head of the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect, but at his level, he was definitely someone with significant authority in the sect. Even if he was not the leader, he wouldn't be much worse off.

In many sects, the leader wasn't the wielder of authority and some important things still required the decision of some Old Ancestor level characters. As for the other matters, unless it concerned the life and death of the sect, the sect lord could call the shots.

There was still the Elder Association and Supreme Grand Elder Association and such above the sect lord. Although these groups didn't hold as much power as the sect lord, they can often affect the sect lord's decision.

"There are many cases where once the sect grows stronger, they would become lost and lose their previous beliefs. The rules of the Heavenly Dao can't be broken and there's karma in life, so you reap what you sow. What do you think?" Qing Shui's body had already recovered and he looked at the old man and said slowly.



When the old man heard the term 'Heavenly Dao', his countenance appeared to be a little grim. This was something that was unexplainable yet actually existed. Karma was also something that existed. Although it was a little mysterious, it was true. One would reap what was sowed. If a person did a lot of good deeds, when he were to be in trouble, the chances of the person receiving help would definitely be a lot greater than people who kept on committing evil deeds.

Right now, Qing Shui was saying that what the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect was doing was an evil deed, something that went against the Heavenly Dao, the rules of the world. It wasn't something that should be done. In the world of the nine continents, once the Heavenly Dao was involved, the person would feel a tremendous amount of pressure.

"Lad, we're on opposing ends and this has nothing to do with the Heavenly Dao. When you guys did those things previously, didn't you think about karma? I'm answering to the Heavenly Dao. Everyone would have to be responsible for the things that they do. What do you think about this?" The old man shook his head and regained his composure.

"There are good and evil in this world, and everything is differentiated by just a single thought. Make your move. I must have been muddled to discuss about the good and evil with you. There's no other reason why I said these, because it's an easy feat for me to kill you." Qing Shui locked onto the old man with his sharp gaze.

"Hahaha!" The old man broke out into a loud laughter.

Qing Shui looked at the old man calmly, "Is it really that funny? Have you ever thought of the possibility of meeting unexpected failures? Do you know that no matter who they were up against, a cultivator should never be careless? Things will take a turn around when it reaches an extreme?"

After saying that, Qing Shui made his move and his silhouette left a golden line trailing behind him.

This was a unique attack of the Golden Battle God, the Heavenly God Shadow Reversal!

Paragon Strike!

Qing Shui struck out his most powerful attack with his Golden Battle Halberd. His movement techniques from earlier had created the best conditions for himself. The old man's pupils contracted as thin as a needle's tip, shooting out a cold gleam that seemed as if it was material.

God Immortal Annihilation Combinative Attack!

At this moment, the old man had given up on defending and decided to strike out with all of his power in this one attack.

Boom!

A huge sound rang out and forces were shot out from the repercussions of the collision. Brilliant golden light shot out in all directions and both Qing Shui and the old man were sent flying out. However, at the moment that Qing Shui's body flew out, he once again charged over instantly.

Paragon Golden Armor!

That brilliant golden light was Qing Shui's golden armor. Even with Qing Shui's powerful defense, he was still pushed to be on the verge of death. After all, the old man had gone all out in that attack.

It was an all out attack, even more terrifying than before when he had already been stronger than the old man to begin with. However, the old man hadn't expected that Qing Shui would have an ultimate technique to protect himself.

The Golden Armor's ability to fend off one lethal attack each day was definitely a paragon technique. It was definitely extremely rare for people to have such an ultimate technique to protect themselves. Compared to Qing Shui, the old man wasn't as lucky.

For his all out attack to be stopped, and for his body to be struck by Qing Shui's most powerful attack when it was at its weakest... The result was horrendous.

Qing Shui's Paragon Strike was extremely powerful. Even the old man couldn't fend off an attack that was six times more powerful than Qing Shui's strength. Moreover, this was when the old man's condition was relatively weaker.

Therefore, this blow was lethal. However, relying on his rich experience, he managed to dodge the lethal blow. However, it was useless. Qing Shui's attack crushed his shoulders and smashed all the meridian channels in his body.

The old man felt that his powers were gushing out for eternity from his body like seawater. Qing Shui was stunned by this as well. It was because he realized that the Golden Battle Halberd could have a certain change in destroying the opponent's body completely.

If Qing Shui were to save the old man right now, he would be able to save half of the old man's cultivation. The world of the Dantian and meridian channels were the forbidden areas for alchemists and physicians. Right now, even if there was a powerful physician or alchemist, they would still be helpless.

The old man's current situation was the equivalent of someone having contracted an incurable disease. To a cultivator, their cultivation was even more important than their lives. If the old man was made to live his remaining life just like an ordinary person, he'd rather die.

To a cultivator, hard work and difficulty was nothing. As long as one had their cultivation, everything was possible. However, without their powers, and to not have even the hope of regaining it, then there would be no more hope in his life.

Qing Shui looked at the old man's forlorn expression. His cultivation had seeped out to its final bit. Qing Shui hadn't thought of providing him with treatment. To pity the opponent, to show mercy to the enemy, would be sacrificing yourself.

It didn't take long, but only Qing Shui knew of the dangers involved. Even the Paragon Golden Armor had appeared. If he didn't have the Paragon Golden Armor, the result today was likely to end with both parties perishing. It was only with the Paragon Golden Armor that Qing Shui was able to perform even better. Without it, it would be really hard to tell who the winner would be.

Both the Dark Phoenix and Long Zhu'er were still engaged in an intense battle. However, it was a pity that the result in the fight here had already affected the other side. The other two old men were already

seized by terror. It was because when the old man had lost to Qing Shui, their fates were already decided.

In a battle, the one thing that one should avoid the most was to be distracted. The two old men knew this, but in such a situation, it was extremely hard for them to not be distracted. A simple negligence caused the old man on the right to be entangled by one of Long Zhu`er's venomous thread. Then, he was wrapped up into a dumpling. It was already impossible for him to change his fate.

The more powerful Qing Shui became, the more he realized how fragile life was. This was the strongest enemy the Qing Shui had ever encountered. However, it was also the shortest battle he had ever fought in. The time spent was extremely short.

Anger Chain Slash!

Just then, the other old man slashed out wildly toward the Dark Phoenix who was in the sky.

However, Qing Shui wasn't very worried. It was because he could trust the Dark Phoenix's defense. At the very least, the Dark Phoenix wouldn't sustain serious injuries.

### **Chapter 1677 - Things Aren't Over**

Boom boom...

A series of explosive sounds rang out up above and air currents gushed through the sky. It was a pity for the Dark Phoenix that his opponent had only been inflicted with some minor injuries. The Dark Phoenix was very resistant toward attacks, but his attacking prowess wasn't that high. However, while in the Nine Phantom condition, its attack still wasn't considered bad.

The result of the battle was decided. The battle had ended. Qing Shui didn't leave any of them alive. The old man had taken his own life while the other two had been killed by Long Zhu`er and by Qing Shui.

This time around, the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect lost three powerful cultivators. Plus the ones from before, they had really lost a lot. Right now, the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect wasn't only at the level of suffering from fractures or pulled muscles. Their situation could be compared to having lost an arm or something that was even more serious.

Yin Sha, Qingfeng, Mingyue and the others hadn't taken part in this fight. When Qing Shui came down, when he saw their agitated expressions, he smiled, "Aunt Feng, thankfully we managed to tide through this."

At this moment, Feng Xi was so happy that her feelings couldn't be described using words. She reached out her hand to pat Qing Shui on the shoulder, unable to say anything. She wasn't the only one like this. Even Yin Tian and Old Wang were the same.

It was because they knew that it would be too excessive for them to offer their thanks. In such a situation, saying thanks wasn't enough for them to express themselves. Therefore, it was better off for them to not say anything.

Tantai Lingyan looked at Qing Shui and smiled happily with a soft gaze, "Did you get hurt?"

Qing Shui went up to embrace Tantai Lingyan. When everyone saw this couple, they really thought that the two of them were a match made in heaven, and were looking at them with warm smiles. They hoped from the bottom of their hearts that Qing Shui and Tantai Lingyan would be the most blissful they could be.

"How could I? Your husband's body is very strong." Qing Shui whispered to her ears softly and said, smiling.

Tantai Lingyan had been with Qing Shui for a long time and knew that this guy must have a hidden meaning behind his words. However, it was in moments like this that she felt happier. It meant that he was really fine.

"They know that you're my husband. There's no need to keep re-emphasizing it." Tantai Lingyan said.

"I'm not saying this for them. Be good, come, call me husband." Qing Shui smiled and said.

Many of Qing Shui's women knew this address and what it meant. Qing Shui had been to a lot of places in this world, but hadn't heard of anyone using the exact same term.

"Cut that out, or else, I'll beat you." Tantai Lingyan said in a soft voice.

"Hitting someone means that you care for them. There's no need to go to the trouble. Just a kiss will do." Qing Shui enjoyed the warmth between them now.

"Alright, they're all around. Be good." Tantai Lingyan said softly.

Her tone, as if she was pacifying a child, seemed to have an amazing charm. Qing Shui was stunned for a moment and then broke out into a smile and whispered next to her ear, "In the future, when we have a kid of our own, I must have a look at the sight of you carrying the kid. It'll definitely be very beautiful."

Tantai Lingyan's heart skipped a beat and she pushed away Qing Shui, a face a little flushed. She glared at Qing Shui and walked over to Feng Xi, feeling embarrassed.

"Did he bully you? Let Godmother stand up for you." Feng Xi smiled and asked Tantai Lingyan.

"Aunt Feng, I can't bear to bully her. Let's head back first." Qing Shui proposed. They had been standing here for very long and there were already people who had started to clean up the scene.

No one had any objections. Feng Xi waved toward the people from the Divine Moon Immortal Sect who were in the surrounding, indicating for them to be dispersed. This battle had raised the morale of the people from the Divine Moon Immortal Sect by a lot and they were now full of confidence in life. Earlier, they had to put in a lot of determination to decide to stay. It hadn't been that easy. Right now, not even 1% of the Divine Moon Immortal Sect's members had stayed. 99% of them had already left.

There were still quite a number of them who had stayed since the massive Divine Moon Immortal Sect had quite a large number of members. Even 1% of them all was still a considerable number. These were the core disciples and those who could stay, would further become the greater core members amongst the core.

Humans needed hope. Without hope, all would be gloomy; with hope, it was as if there was a sun and the entire world would become slightly brighter.

Throughout the day, lively and happy sounds came from the Divine Moon Immortal Sect. The people who had come from the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect had basically all died. However, Qing Shui guessed that there might have been two or three of them who had managed to return to the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect to give their reports.

Qing Shui washed up and then since it was about time, everyone had their meal together. This time around, they didn't say anything about the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect anymore and purely had their meal. It was because, right now, Qing Shui was the only one who could handle the situation. All the rest of them weren't strong enough. Since they didn't have the capability, then there wasn't a need for them to bring up the matter.

The meal ended very quickly. After they were done with their meal, Qing Shui and Tantai Lingyan took their leave. Time was getting increasingly precious as no one knew what would happen next. This time was what Qing Shui had fought for them, and it was extremely precious. All the others knew that right now, Qing Shui and Tantai Lingyan didn't wish to be disturbed.

"This matter shouldn't be over yet. Qing Shui, I'm very worried." Tantai Lingyan walked next to Qing Shui as they headed back to their place.

Qing Shui took her warm hand and shook his head, "You must be confident in your man."

"I'm being serious. Can you be a little more serious?" Tantai Lingyan said angrily.

"Earlier on, that old man said that he is from the top three in the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect. I don't know if he's the third, but he's definitely not the first. Therefore, the Demonic Saber Immortal Sect definitely still have other experts. However, they might not necessarily come." Qing Shui gave it some thought and said.

"The Demonic Saber Immortal Sect's losses are considered to be great as well. Would they be willing to bear with this loss?" Tantai Lingyan shook her head, disagreeing.

"It's never too late for a gentleman to seek revenge after ten years. These people aren't gentlemen and thus it wouldn't be considered long even if they were to come back 800 or even 1,000 years later. I won't be surprised even if they don't seek revenge either. They still have their family. The more the situation turned out like this, the more they wouldn't be willing to risk it. It's because if they end up losing, they would lose everything. What do you think?" Qing Shui smiled and said.

Tantai Lingyan was a little stunned. She thought of herself and the Five Tiger Immortal Sect. It had been so many years. Although she knew that the Five Tiger Immortal Sect was involved, if she were to go now, she'd be courting death. Therefore, it wasn't an intelligent decision. Moreover, she now had a little bit more things that she was concerned about.

"Then are we going to keep staying here? If we are no longer here, do you think that they'll vent their anger on Godmother and the others?"

"They aren't idiots. Moreover, in most situations, people wouldn't bring the family into the picture. This is especially when they aren't clear of the situation yet. If required, yes, it makes sense to get rid of everyone completely, removing even the roots. If I'm not dead, then they wouldn't be that foolish to try to wipe out the Divine Moon Immortal Sect." Qing Shui said with great confidence.

"That's true. Then do you think that we can already leave?" Tantai Lingyan smiled and said.

She now had more a lot more smiles on her face, and Qing Shui was often able to see her smile that was like the winter's sunlight, emerging from the blossoming flowers. However, Qing Shui was the only one who could see this smile. It was only when she was with Qing Shui that her smile would be the most sincere, and it was so beautiful that it could even bring the fall of a city.

Qing Shui was a little in a daze as he looked at her unparalleled beauty that was just right before him. He didn't feel any greed, but there was love that was deep as the ocean, seeping right down to his bones. Tantai Lingyan felt a little uneasy when Qing Shui was looking at her like this.

It's a modern day speech of addressing one's husband, similar to how people in the ancient times addressed their parents different from how we do in current days.

### **Chapter 1678 - Enhancing The Foundation**

Seeing her expression, Qing Shui held her and walked around slowly. He didn't overly force her, even until now Qing Shui still didn't pressure her excessively. Only by gradually inducing her passion, eventually, she would burst it all out.

"Although we're expecting each other not to come back in the soonest future, we should still stay a little longer," Qing Shui smiled.

"Mm, I think so too."

"Why would you want to go back?" Qing Shui asked while strolling.

"It's the same everywhere, actually there's no place that I'm exceptionally reluctant to leave. It's good here, it's good in Demon Lord Palace too, as well as Linhai Imperial Cuisine Hall," Tantai Lingyan smirked, gazing far away.

At that moment, she couldn't hide her sight of loneliness, despite being much faded than before. Qing Shui felt deeply sorry looking at her but he couldn't express it. He embraced her tenderly and empathetically.

"Am I very pitiful?" Tantai Lingyan whispered after she apparently felt Qing Shui's empathy.

"No one in this world could sympathize you, no one deserves to. I just feel a bit hurtful and sorry. I must have accumulated merits in past life, so God sent me to protect you by your side. I will hold you tight. Lingyan, promise me not to leave me no matter what, we'll face it together, alright?"

Qing Shui actually sensed ambiguity in her words, as if she'd disappear any time. That made him extremely worried.

"Really?" Tantai Lingyan raised her head and stared at Qing Shui.

"Yes, for real. Absolutely." Qing Shui said in a serious tone.

Pfft!

Tantai Lingyan chuckled gently, her fresh breaths burst on Qing Shui's face. It was aromatic and soft. Qing Shui realized that he couldn't resist this woman at all, he lost his self-control again.

“Even my bones are melted, you took away my spirit. Let me taste some sweetness!” Qing Shui snapped out and said rascally. He held her close and tight in his embrace.

“My mind is a total mess now, you silly.....” Tantai Lingyan murmured, leaning her forehead against Qing Shui’s forehead. She could sense Qing Shui’s feelings.

Tip of Qing Shui’s nose pressed against Tantai Lingyan’s nose. Qing Shui had his heart racing wildly and uncontrollably. Yet, he could remain calm and appreciate this moment of precious serenity. Looking into her captivating, half-opened beautiful eyes, a slight tinge of redness on her jade-like complexion, Qing Shui leaned over with his lips.

In fact, their lips were just an inch away. He leaned over at an extremely slow pace, literally giving time for Tantai Lingyan to void it.

Yet, deep down he was anticipating that she wouldn’t void it.

As he felt the delicate feeling and refreshing fragrance, he saw those gently closed, beautiful eyes. He kissed her deeply and slowly, seriously, meticulously.....

At once, Qing Shui felt as if the pores all over his body open up. The spiritual and physical impact made his blood racing speedily in the whole body.

Tantai Lingyan tensed her entire body and clenched tightly. She didn’t know where to place her hands, even her lovely little ears flushed to become adorable pink.

Qing Shui gently sucked and bit her delicate lips. His tongue swept through her scallop-like teeth, his hands caressed her tiny waist softly. Yet, he dared not to cross the border.

Qing Shui sensed that her patience was built up to its limit, any of his subsequent action would trigger her fierce response. Thus, he kept the pace slow and did not bluntly advance.

Qing Shui pulled his head away slightly.

“Was it enough?” Tantai Lingyan’s alluring and enchanting face blushed even more. Her lovely charm was fatal.

Qing Shui showed her with his actions immediately. He leaned over and kissed again as she finished her words. His flexible tongue intruded her mouth swiftly and chased after her soft, squishy tongue skilfully.

After some time, Tantai Lingyan pushed Qing Shui away, slightly panting. She glanced at Qing Shui half-pleased and half-annoyed, “Gave you an inch, now you want a mile.”

“You’re my woman, I’m pampering my woman, how is that inappropriate?” Qing Shui smiled mischievously.

“Qing Shui, godmother is worried about their injuries, when will they recover?” Tantai Lingyan shook her head, avoiding the topic.

“One month, at least one month.”

“Then, let’s stay here for a month, alright?”

“Of course, I’m alright with anything you said!”

The following days were tranquil and peaceful. Qing Shui spent his days comfortably too, despite the fact that he and Tantai Lingyan still didn’t break the final wall of relationship. Yet, it’s only right now that they could be regarded as an actual couple.

Even though everything had happened when they first met, but that was an accident. It had been over twenty years already, this woman was only a girl in Qing Shui’s eyes.

Ying Tian and Lao Wang had almost recovered from their injuries, but still required some time to be fully healed. Basically, they had no major problems anymore at the moment.

Time flew even though it’s a one-month period. Qing Shui felt really great within this month, this was the first month that he and Tantai Lingyan defined their relationship. It was a spiritual breakthrough, their physical contact remained at kissing.

Qing Shui did not advance anymore. Though he was not a Romeo, he felt the fluctuation of Tantai Lingyan’s heart. It might be related to the incident that happened when they first met. Thus, he knew that he still needed time to open up her heart gradually and naturally.

One month later, Qing Shui passed a letter to Ying Tian before he left, asking him to deliver this letter to the men of Demonic Saber Immortal Sect if they were to come.

Qing Shui’s letter was only to allow them to know his existence. Since they didn’t come, it proved his previous prediction right. So, this letter would serve its purpose by then.

“Girl, Qing Shui, you have to be careful on your journey,” said Feng Xi heavy-heartedly.

“Godmother, you have to take care too. We’ll visit you after some time,” Tantai Lingyan said to Feng Xi.

Ying Tian, along with other men from Divine Moon Immortal Sect sent Qing Shui and Tantai Lingyan far away, until they could no longer see their shadows.

Ying Tian heaved a sigh, looking at Feng Xi, Ying Sha, and the others, he was emotionally stirred. He wouldn’t have had everything he had today if it was not because of Qing Shui. He was rescued by Qing Shui again and again; and this time, even the whole Divine Moon Immortal Sect was saved.

He knew his entire family could never return the favor. Hence, he stopped thinking how to repay that kindness. He was a wise man, so was Feng Xi. They knew the background of Tantai Lingyan and recognized what they ought to do. It’d be Qing Shui and Tantai Lingyan’s home here, it’d also be a foundation. He must enhance this foundation.

### **Chapter 1679 - Back to Sunset Sea King Palace, Ocean Domain, Main Continent**

Qing Shui and Tantai Lingyan went on their return journey. Both of them didn’t feel good in their hearts because the case of Demonic Saber Immortal Sect wasn’t really over. The spark could reignite any time in the future.

Qing Shui had many thoughts in his mind too. Previously there was Fiver Tigers Immortal Sect, now there’s Demonic Saber Immortal Sect. They were of Divine’s grade and were both enemies, in which forthcoming confrontation was expected.



It's bustling and lively in Linhai city now that Demon Lord Palace had already moved here. Qing Shui had other plans seeing that there shouldn't be any events for some time on this quiet side. He wanted to look around the Northern Sea and visit the Sunset Sea King Palace.

Qing Shui and Tantai Lingyan were back to check out Demon Lord Palace. Qin Qing, Hua Rumei, and Zhan Yu were there along with the others. Everything went smooth and steady. They spent a few days there before returning to the Imperial Dining Hall.

Qing Shui couldn't stop now, he had tons of things to be done. After staying in Linhai city for few days, Yin Tong and Lan Lingfeng had improved tremendously. However, they still needed some time and fortuitous encounter to breakthrough and achieve Divine.

It'd been a while since he left. For warriors, a year or so was considered as a short duration, even ten years or twenty years. Nevertheless, occasionally, it's the crucial time for transformations within three months, two months, or even one month.

Three days later, Qing Shui showed up in the Divine Cave. It'd been emptied out here, the two Mistresses must have abandoned this place for a while.

Looking at this familiar place, Qing Shui felt warm in his heart. This was a very important spot for Qing Shui. A spot led by the Five Elements Divine Flag and the fastest route for Qing Shui to reach Haohan Continent.

Everything was clean and untainted by a speck of dust. The soulful atmosphere in the air was still so dense. The Mistresses were not around, both of them, should be three of them since there's Sunset Palace Mistress too now; All of them were not here.

Qing Shui was pleased when he thought of the three Mistresses who were together and all possessed strengths of Divine. There're also a few strong and powerful beasts. After all, he was not too worried about this place. Nobody could threaten them as long as they didn't go to the Northern Sea.

After staying for a moment, Qing Shui rushed to the Sunset Sea King Palace. It's quite far the distance from here to Sunset Sea King Place, but it's only about a day's journey for Qing Shui's speed.

Paragon Water Flight!

Qing Shui advanced in the water swiftly. He got closer and closer to Sunset Sea King Palace. His heart stirred up as he got nearer to the destination.

He knew Yiye Jiange was the source of this excitement. This woman had become his wife now, she was her woman. It's already the next morning when Qing Shui arrived at the Sunset Sea King Palace.

In spite of his long absence, he was still the guardian of Sunset Sea King Palace. He wasn't afraid of not being able to enter since he held the guardian's token. However, he didn't expect the guards to know his existence and bowed to him as they saw him.

A butler came to meet Qing Shui and sent his man to inform the three Mistresses.

The Mistresses were overjoyed upon hearing Qing Shui's arrival. They appeared in front of Qing Shui rapidly. Their beauty remained the same. Looking at three graceful and charming ladies, Qing Shui could only have his eyes on Yiye Jiange alone.

"You're here!" Yiye Jiange came forward to Qing Shui gladly. There were slight tenderness and warmth like Qin Qing in her mystical scent.

Qing Shui stepped forward and held her, it's a normal act since they're husband and wife. Yiye Jiange felt awkward as Muyun Qingge and Sunset Palace Mistress were around.

Muyun Qingge smiled as she observed both of them cuddling. Sunset Palace Mistress smiled too, but with slight disappointment in her eyes.

"I'm back, I miss you dearly," Qing Shui grinned.

Yiye Jiange blushed a little, she whispered, "I miss you too!"

After hugging for a while, Yiye Jiange pushed Qing Shui away lightly. Qing Shui only greeted the other two Mistresses then.

Qing Shui sensed upsetness from Sunset Palace Mistress's expression as he greeted them. He knew this woman liked him and she'd confessed it more than once. Perhaps because of Yiye Jiange now, she didn't hug Qing Shui like she would and used to before.

Yiye Jiange smiled. In fact, she understood everything. She discussed with Sunset Palace Lord and Muyun Qingge before that she's not Qing Shui's only woman, so they didn't have to mind her feelings. Frankly what that meant was, it's not significant for him to own both of them or to live without them.

Of course, Yiye Jiange took it lightly and said that jokingly. She could notice that Sunset Palace Mistress was fond of Qing Shui. As the days passed by, they had become as close as sisters. Hence, she understood it when she saw Sunset Palace Mistress behaving that way and shared her thoughts. Nevertheless, it's up to them to decide what to do.

Yiye Jiange didn't mind how many women there were around Qing Shui. She definitely wished for Qing Shui's only love, yet, those were merely thoughts. Moreover, she got over the matter and accepted the way it was at the moment. She liked him but there's neither need to cling to him nor staying by his side. It's alright this way, this was the kind of life she wanted.

Qing Shui went to the great hall along with three Mistresses. Qing Shui looked at the surroundings. Nothing major had changed comparing to the time he left.

"Nothing much happened all these while right!" Qing Shui guessed based on the little changes he observed.

"Not much, but after a discussion, we felt it's time to visit the Northern Sea. Qing Shui, shall we go to the Northern Sea?" Yiye Jiange said after some thoughts.

"Do all of you want to go?"

Three Mistresses were strong Divine warriors, their knowledge had increased with time, so were their strengths. It's no longer challenging here. There would only be improvements where there're challenges; there would only be pressure when there's competition; there would only be drive when there's pressure. It's the same each and every time.

“We discussed among ourselves and felt the need to go. We’re not alone here, everyone has been too easy and comfortable. It’s not a good thing for warriors,” Sunset Palace Mistress said slowly.

Qing Shui smiled, “The main reason that I’m back is to prepare and bring all of you to explore the Northern Sea and open up the breakthrough opportunities. It’s a failure for ocean domain not to enter a large ocean domain.”

“Really?” The three Mistresses obviously didn’t see that coming. They didn’t expect that Qing Shui returned to bring them to Northern Sea. In fact, they couldn’t believe it.

Qing Shui nodded, “I think the influence of Ocean Domain and Main Continent can be merged. I could only try opening up a nick of the Ocean Domain together with you.”

Qing Shui actually wanted to work two tasks at the same time. Divine Moon Immortal Sect on the Main Continent; Sunset Sea King Palace on the Ocean Domain. However, he couldn’t be sure which of them would progress at a faster rate.

### **Chapter 1680 - Opening of The Nine Layers of The Realm of The Violet Jade Immortal**

“Never see something that great coming, we aren’t afraid of nobody when you’re here, Qing Shui!” Sunset Palace Mistress said happily.

Even though Muyun Qingge didn’t say a word, but in her eyes, it’s obvious that Sunset Palace Mistress’ words were what she wanted to say too. Qing Shui looked at them smiling. As a man, he felt a sense of contentment at that moment.

“Though we are going to Northern Sea, yet we need to have a rough understanding of it. We can’t blindly head there straight away, it’s different in Northern Sea compared to it’s in here.” Qing Shui smiled and said softly.

“Mm, these days we’ve been to Northern Sea a few times. We’ve asked around for its news largely. Besides that, it’s been idle at the North Sea Dragon King Palace. How about we take a lodge and settle down there.” Yiye Jiange thought and said.

Qing Shui didn’t utter a word at once. After a while, he said, “We forced North Sea Dragon King Palace to leave, it’s already a fact. North Sea Dragon King Palace’s strength is formidable in its region. It’s should be fine for us to be there.”

“If we were to go there, do you think the men from North Sea Dragon Palace would intervene in this matter?” Muyun Qingge asked unintentionally.

“If North Sea Dragon Palace really want to stand out for North Sea Dragon King Palace, they shouldn’t have stayed silent until now. Moreover, have you noticed that this name sounds stronger than North Sea Dragon Palace? Would that be a problem?”

North Sea Dragon Palace, North Sea Dragon King Palace, Qing Shui thought North Sea Dragon Palace sounded more impressive. Yet, the name of North Sea Dragon King Palace apparently overruled the North Sea Dragon Palace.

“Maybe. I actually think that North Sea Dragon Palace sounds far more impressive than North Sea Dragon King Palace,” Sunset Palace Mistress said while smiling. Her thoughts were similar to Qing Shui’s.

“Since you’ve made up your mind, then, ask them to clean up the place there and we will be moving in these few days.” Qing Shui didn’t like to procrastinate. He could also check the place out within these few days.

At night, Qing Shui was back at Yiye Jiange’s room, it was customary considering that they’re a couple. Once entered, Qing Shui hugged the incomparable beauty before his eyes and kissed her soft lips.

Yiye Jiange reciprocated to Qing Shui’s actions though it’s rare for her to do so. She was an otherworldly woman, barely tainted by the mortal world. Nevertheless, she’s a human being, a human full of emotions, desires, and lust. Previously, she hadn’t met the man she adored; now, she was just a small woman, a woman who longed to be pampered.

Shortly, both of them were exposed to each other wholeheartedly. Qing Shui who had suffered from “hunger” for ages, was apparently too impatient to prompt his main moves. His fiery erection entered her warm, moist and smooth spot. The overwhelming ecstasy made both of them let out moans of joy.

Snowy white, slender, and fair legs wrapped around Qing Shui’s waist like clingy ivy plants. Her gorgeous blurry eyes, her beautiful and enchanting face which was slightly blushed, and her soft panting sounds kept on exciting Qing Shui’s nerves, driving him to thrush incessantly.

The room came to rest until the breaking of dawn. At the very moment, Yiye Jiange lied in Qing Shui’s arms languidly, reluctant to move a single bit, despite having such powerful strengths.

Staring at this otherworldly beautiful face flushed with faint redness out of satisfaction, Qing Shui felt contented. That feeling of fulfillment was irreplaceable by gold, it was unique and unrivaled.

Qing Shui placed her hand on his part which was about to be restless again. Yiye Jiange shivered and hugged him tightly to stop him from moving. Lacking strength, she said, “You insatiable and greedy thing, I can’t take it anymore.”

Her crystal clear and unparalleled heavenly voice was full of allure and charisma. Listening to those words which could drive any man insane, Qing Shui squeezed her tight emotionally. A wonderful sensation exploded and ran through their bodies.

Bang!

A mystical force seemingly pushed them to fuse together and unify. Qing Shui was astonished as if his ocean of consciousness blasted and a sudden nostalgia overwhelmed him.

Yiye Jiange felt strange and gazed at Qing Shui as the astounding transformations took place within her own body. Her strength improved tremendously and her foundation stabilized immensely in that split second. She felt as if her spirit energy and ocean of consciousness had advanced subtly. This could probably be due to their current intimacy and physical contact.

Needless to see, Qing Shui had already known what happened. This was the long-awaited yet unfathomable moment.

Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal upgraded. Qing Shui knew it coming without watching it. He could sense his spirit energy being doubled, even his ocean of consciousness underwent remarkable changes.

Nine Layers of Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal, Nine Grades of Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal!

This was the very final grade of Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal that Qing Shui knew and kept him expecting. He wanted to check out the Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal instantly, yet, apparently, it wasn't the right time now.

Qing Shui left everything behind his mind once he bowed and saw the stunningly beautiful and lethargic look on Yiye Jiange. It was another session of passionate love-making before it's time to get out of bed.

Yiye Jiange didn't question a thing. Albeit being surprised by the sudden increase in her strength, yet she didn't question as it wasn't the first time. Then, the morning practice began. Qing Shui took the opportunity and entered the Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal.

Qing Shui was pleased once he entered. Now that the Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal had expanded few times than before, there's only one possibility, the Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal had upgraded.

Qing Shui was certain of it before this, and even sure of it after seeing this himself. This is the Ninth Grade and the final layer of Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal that he knew. Basically, it's almost confirmed that it'd stop right where it is now.

The previous pool became a small lake now. The size of this small lake was comparable to the entire Eighth Grade Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal. At that moment, Qing Shui could particularly feel the spacious land of the entire Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal.

The air was soulful and full of spiritual sense. The huge oak tree which used to occupy more than half of the land looked so insignificant now. Even the enormous beast appeared little here.

The current picture of Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal was truly in harmony. A gigantic black turtle emerged with a splash on the lake.

Spirited Snake Turtle!

As if it's greeting Qing Shui, it flashed and dunked into the lakebed. Some other species appeared at times. Golden Medicinal Turtle was no weaker than the 10,000 Year Clam now.

Qing Shui headed towards the stone by the lakeside, it was a hundred meters' tall now. It changed as the realm transitioned. His eyes followed the stone and looked upwards.

Previously he had to look downwards, yet, now he's looking high above, one level, two levels.....

Realm of the Violet Jade Immortal, Ninth Layer, activated!

Seeing those words Qing Shui grinned subconsciously. achieved Ninth Heavenly

Layer, the highest level by its name. Yet, the martial world was never-ending, hence this final level should be the shackles of the predecessors. It should be extremely difficult to breakthrough. In fact, Qing Shui had never thought of breaking through Ninth Heavenly Layer. It's good enough to practise until Peak of Ninth Heavenly Layer, or even achieve the higher grades. By then, he should be able to be listed among the top warriors.