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Chapter 2011 - The Buddha Light Treasure Qi Was Upgraded. The Buddha Ultimate Technique

Qing Shui had a powerful physique. Furthermore, he had his own ability to protect his body. Thus, it was very easy if he intended to block the killer Qi. This also had to do with the fact that Qing Shui was more powerful than his opponent in terms of strength. If the opponent had been stronger, it would have been very difficult for Qing Shui to block the sword Qi.

Qing Shui extended his hand and pointed out his finger. His figure immediately flashed like a sword shadow. He managed to land his finger on the opponent's chest just like that.

Xicheng Yeyang immediately spurted out a mouthful of fresh blood and got blown away backward. That single finger strike had already hurt his internal core. It was always said that fists were inferior to palms. Palms were inferior to fingers. In any case, the fingers still possessed a fearsome wounding prowess, especially at the moment when they were aimed at the target's acupoints. Qing Shui would combine his Nine Yang Qi along with his Origin Qi and deliver them deep into the opponent's body. It was even more powerful than the sword Qis emitted from by the Xicheng clan practitioners.

Qing Shui hated Xicheng Yeyang. Before this, he was already quite upset when they talked outside. Adding that he was Tianhe Renmo's arch nemesis, it was very likely that in the future, they would stand in front of each other as enemies. With that being the case, he didn't feel the need to hold back.

At the moment, Xicheng Yeyang's head turned completely blank. In fact, his head was still dwelling around the things which Qing Shui said earlier, "How about you pretend to spurt out a mouthful of fresh blood?" It was constantly traveling back and forth his ears.

This time, no one dared to continue coming up the stage. Anyone could tell that Qing Shui was not an ordinary man.

A lot of people knew that the genius of the Xicheng Clan wouldn't agree to put up an act with him.

Qing Shui stopped gazing upon Xicheng Yeyang who fell off the stage. He moved his sight onto Beiming Xue. He could feel that she was keeping an eye on him. He then smiled and nodded, "Nice to meet you, Young Lady Beiming."

"Nice to meet you too. This is such a coincidence," Beiming Xue smiled and said.

"Indeed it is."

Yu Xixuan was on a platform not far away from theirs as she looked at those two. Her eyes were filled with curiosity as she had her attention set on Qing Shui and Beiming Xue. She seemed to have seen through something. Somehow, she had a feeling that something would happen between those two. It was an instinct. However, for now, they didn't seem to know each other very well.

At this moment, there was another person standing on the final platform. It was a man who had looked middle aged. Qing Shui didn't know him, but Beiming Xue told him that it was someone from the Qiao Clan.

Upon hearing that, things became clear to Qing Shui. The Qiao Clan of Dazang City. He seemed to have run into a bit of conflict with them when he first arrived.

Just like that, all ten platforms had people standing on them. Naturally, those who didn't get to be on the stage would feel upset, but what could they do about it? This was a society where strength spoke for all. This was fixed wherever one went.

After fifteen minutes, the spell on the platform began to shine with bright light. Following on, all ten of the warriors disappeared.

The others dispersed from the platforms. They began leading their own squads to treasure-hunt around the surroundings. There were a lot of treasures around here. They should already consider themselves lucky to be able to be there. As for the internal part of the Spiritual Land, only ten chosen people were allowed to be in it. Many people had best stop dreaming about going there in their entire lifetimes.

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Qing Shui regained consciousness almost instantly. He realized that he was in the room of a palace. This place was said to be the internal part of the huge statue from before. At the moment, ten people were standing there. The entire place looked very empty and its internal part was decorated with a golden Buddha statue.

The Buddha statue was significantly smaller than the stone statue from before, but it was still bigger than a human. It was about three meters tall and two meters wide. It gave people the feeling that it was very thick. It was also giving out bright Buddha Light Treasure Qi. The others were just calmly observing the statue. Qing Shui, on the other hand, stood on the side frozen in shock.

The Buddha Light Treasure Qi across his body had actually begun to link with the ones around the Buddha statue in a formless way. The Golden Buddha Treasure Qi across his body was getting stronger and stronger. This fact excited Qing Shui very much. Without a doubt, the ability of the Buddha Light Treasure Qi was very powerful. It was something which one could only see but never to dream about.

This was because Qing Shui didn't know how to cultivate the Buddha Light Treasure Qi that was in his body. He didn't know how he could improve it.

As of now, the Buddha Light Treasure Qi across his body was being raised rapidly. Even Qing Shui was frightened by the speed at which it was growing. After a while, the treasure Qi around the Buddha statue disappeared. Qing Shui examined his body and realized that his own Buddha Light Treasure Qi was raised by 20%. There was a total of ten Buddha statues in the palace, that meant that he could at least improve his strength by two times.

The Buddha Light Treasure Qi could improve every function of the human body. Endurance, the Bloodline Forces, and so on. There was no need to list out its basic benefits. It could even fight against evil forces invading the body and poisons.

The others walked around the Buddha statues. They were waiting for the Buddha statues to bestow them their gifts. The people who came in before, would all get gifts that were like presents from God.

At the moment, everyone had their legs crossed while sitting down. They were waiting for their presents from God.

Naturally, Qing Shui had also sat down. Unlike them, Qing Shui was taking in the Buddha Light Treasure Qi. Just this Qi was already a massive profit for him.

The treasure qi from each of the Buddha statues was being absorbed by Qing Shui one by one. Especially when he advanced to the Buddha statues that were at the back, their treasure Qi seemed to be increasing constantly. By the time he reached the final one, the treasure Qi it contained was three times more significant than the others. Qing Shui observed the Buddha statue but didn't manage to spot any difference. Despite that, Qing Shui still approached it.

Qing Shui also didn't know why. It might be so that he could get closer to it.

By the time Qing Shui took in the final bit of Buddha Light Treasure Qi, something appeared in his mind.

Buddha Light Seal, Buddha Diamond Seal, Buddha Wisdom Seal.

Buddha Light Seal: The supreme Buddha hand seal. It could cause a temporary dizziness to its opponent. The period of effect would depend on the opponent's strength and spirit energy.

Buddha Diamond Seal: The supreme buddha hand seal. It increased the user's defense by a fixed amount.

Buddha Wisdom Seal: The supreme buddha hand seal. Decrease the opponent's offensive prowess by a fixed amount.

Qing Shui smiled and looked into the surroundings. Everyone had smiles on their faces. It seemed they must have gotten their own benefits.

At the moment, Qing Shui was feeling comfortable. Before this, he had heard about the Great Light Seal, but he never thought that he would actually find it himself. Furthermore, this one seemed to be powerful, causing dizziness in the target. Even stalling for seconds, it would be enough for Qing Shui to kill his target instantly.

Below it, were the Buddha Diamond Seal and Buddha Wisdom Seal which were both very powerful. To people like Qing Shui who had formidable defensive prowess, this could be considered as a Divine Technique. As of now, Qing Shui's defensive prowess was already extremely strong under the effect of Buddha Light Treasure Qi.

At this moment, he slowly opened a door and immediately, the sunlight shone inside. Only now did Qing Shui realize that the hall was shut tightly before, but it wasn't exactly black. It was just relatively dark.

"Qing Shui, let's head out!" Yu Xixuan came over and said with a smile.

"Alright!"

At this moment, Beiming Xue had also come over. She smiled and said, "The outside environment is going to be dangerous. I think it is better if we stick together."

Qing Shui looked at the others. Three people were teaming up together, whereas another group had four. He immediately started thinking, "Would there be any civil wars breaking out here?"

"Alright, let's head out!" Qing Shui smiled and went out along with the two girls.

This place was a mountainous region. They were on top of a valley, yet they could see mountain peaks connecting one after another in the distance. Further away from that, there seemed to be forests, rivers, and even lakes and grasslands.

Qing Shui's Buddha Light Treasure Qi was upgraded by about four times. By now, even he himself wasn't exactly sure how powerful it was. He could only be sure that it must be strong. His most powerful trait was his defense. At the same time, his offensive prowess also increased. As for this one, Qing Shui knew that it was roughly around seven billions Dao Force. The only thing which was unknown to him was his defensive prowess. The reason being that it had surpassed the ordinary level which a person should have.

This was a good thing.

Qing Shui didn't ask the two girls what inheritances they got, nor did the girls ask him about his. This was a taboo among warriors. Unless it was someone particularly close to them, they wouldn't speak much about it.

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The others also stood there and didn't leave. By now, Qing Shui along with the two women came out. Out of all ten warriors, two were exquisitely beautiful women, but unfortunately, they were both with Qing Shui, so a lot of people were upset about it.

From the ten people, two of them were from the Qiao Clan of Dazang City and Xicheng Clan of Xiyun City respectively.

Both of them had had conflicts with Qing Shui at one point, the Xicheng Clan in particular, but Qing Shui didn't seem to really care about it. At the moment, he wasn't even paying attention to any of them.

"Sir, how shall I address you? I am Lei Bao," Lei Bao of the Great Sun Immortal Palace smiled as he said to Qing Shui.

"Qing Shui, nice to meet you," Qing Shui replied politely.

"Mr. Qing, thank you for being polite. Truth be told, I don't think that I will stand a chance against you. I hope you can watch out for me." Lei Bao smiled and said with a sincere tone.

At the moment, Qu Bai of the Bright Moon Palace was also very shocked. He looked at Qing Shui before looking at Lei Bao. Even though he didn't know Qing Shui, he understood Lei Bao well. He was a very straightforward person and would say whatever he had in his mind. He wouldn't try to be fake and polite with others.

Lei Bao's words caused him to look at Qing Shui very seriously. However, after looking for a while, he still didn't manage to see through anything about him.

Initially, two of the people from the Xicheng and Qiao clans also wanted to say something to Qing Shui, but at this moment, they both kept silent. They didn't want to look for trouble for themselves as it was not strange at all to die in this place.

"Brother Lei, please don't act so formally. Since we are already here, we don't know what danger lies ahead. It is better if we look after each other, as it might take all of us working together to make sure that we can get back safely." Qing Shui was reluctant to continue arguing with these people. He would rather spend the time searching for some good stuff around him.

"That's true. However, I wonder if the others also share the same opinion as us?" Lei Bao looked at the people around him.

"It's good if we stick together, but the 'together' in this context means being together in the same area. For example, today, we will stay in this area. When it comes to searching for treasures, each of us can do it separately. However, if any of us run into danger, we can send out a signal to alert the others. What's your thought on this?" Qu Bai smiled and said.

"That's for the best. We can look after each other but at the same time also not fight over the things we find." Lei Bao smiled and said. He immediately glanced towards Qing Shui the moment he finished speaking.

"I also feel that this is for the best." Qing Shui smiled and said.

"Great, it's settled then. Today, we will treasure hunt in this area, and tomorrow we will gather up in the area that is five hundred lis away from here. Does this sound like a good idea for all of you?" Lei Bao said after thinking for a while.

The others also gestured their lack of objections against it. After getting to know each other for a while, they dispersed. Two or three of them would move in a small group together and look around for some treasures. However, Qing Shui knew that everything that was said before was only a sign of formality. If they really got into danger, they shouldn't count on anyone providing aid.

The others were still envious of Qing Shui since he had the two women with him. After all, Beiming Xue was the most beautiful woman across the Northern Ice Domain. In fact, the entire Northern Underworld Immortal Palace was not as well-known as her.

This place was near the edge of the land. Thus, there weren't many dangers to be encountered. However, areas that were two thousand lis away from this point would be teeming with great dangers. It wouldn't be weird if one died there.

"Let's look around. The scenery here is quite nice." Yu Xixuan smiled and said while looking at the surroundings.

The scenery here was indeed pleasing. It was blooming with fresh flower and was covered with grass. There were a lot of different birds and the surrounding air was fresh and fragrant. As the sun shone down from the sky, they could feel a sense of warmth, making them unusually comfortable.

"Let's go. Since we are here, we also need to look for some decent stuff. Otherwise, we would have wasted the opportunity of getting here." Qing Shui smiled and said before he summoned the Dragon Slaying Beast.

The Dragon Slaying Beast was slightly bigger than an elephant from his previous incarnation. Qing Shui looked at the two girls as soon as he sat onto it, "Would you like to join me up here?"

After a short moment of shock, Yu Xixuan immediately sat beside Qing Shui. Beiming Xue hesitated for a while and proceeded to sit on Qing Shui's other side.

The back of the Dragon Slaying Beast wasn't actually that wide, but it was enough to let the three of them sit next to each other. This was because all three of them had powerful cultivations. If they had been ordinary people, they wouldn't have been able to do it.

Faint fragrances went into Qing Shui's nose. These fragrances consisted of two different kinds of smell, being very alluring on their own.

Beiming Xue was at a bit of a loss while sitting next to Qing Shui. Why was she sitting beside him? She was a bit panicked sensing the aura of a man up close. This was something which had never happened to her before. However, since she was already sitting there, she didn't like to cower before others.

The Dragon Slaying Beast was also a treasure-hunting beast. Hence, Qing Shui left the task of searching for treasures to the Dragon Slaying Beast.

In just a while, they managed to find a decent medicinal herb, the Jade Lotus Flower.

In the beginning, the two girls didn't notice anything, but under the guidance of the Dragon Slaying Beast, they managed to find some decent stuff, and most of them were unusual medicinal herbs and fruits. They were all ingredients for medicines refinement. By now, they had also noticed that the beast they were currently riding on was a Treasure-hunting Beast.

Treasure-hunting Beasts were more precious than a few Divine Grade warriors together.

A day passed just like that. They didn't find any heaven-defying treasures, but managed to find some medicinal herbs. Qing Shui asked them if they needed them, and both declined. Qing Shui further mentioned that he was an alchemist and needed the herbs before keeping them.

"Are you really an alchemist?" Beiming Xue asked curiously.

Yu Xixuan and her could both sense how fearsome Qing Shui's power was. In addition to that, he said that he was a physician, and later on added that he was also an alchemist. Thus, they were quite surprised by what he was capable of.

Physicians and alchemists were closely linked to each other, but at the same time, it could also be considered as two different routes. A lot of physicians focused on treating people whereas alchemists were responsible for refining medicines. Both of them might be linked to one another, but they weren't from the same field.

Compared to physicians, alchemists were even more mysterious and seemed very powerful. This was because physicians started at a lower level. A lot of ordinary men could be physicians, but becoming an Alchemist was a different story. A person must be at least at the Xiantian Realm to be an alchemist. It was at the Xiantian Realm that a person would attain the Flame of Xiantian and start being able to refine medicinal pills.

"Of course. In fact, I am a very powerful alchemist. At least for the time being, I have yet to see any alchemist who surpasses me."

"I don't believe you. A true alchemist would not act so arrogantly." Beiming Xue smiled and said.

"That's because they are not confident of themselves." Qing Shui smiled and said.

"You, on the other hand, are overconfident of yourself." After a day of interactions with Beiming Xue, Qing Shui had gotten quite close to her. Thus, coming up with some harmless jokes also helped to brighten up the mood.

"How about you take out the medicinal pills which you refined yourself and prove to us that you are truly a great alchemist." Yu Xixuan smiled and said.

"Alright. In any case, we are quite close with each other. It was not entirely unacceptable for me to give you guys some good luck." Qing Shui smiled as he took out two Opportunity Pills.

"These are the Opportunity Pills. How much you can gain out of them will depend on your luck. I just refined these recently." At the moment, Qing Shui had a few Opportunity Pills with him. People were only allowed to take one in their lifetimes. Thus, there was no use in him saving them.

"This medicinal pill has abundant Spiritual Qi and also a fairly good appearance as well. I wonder if it truly is as mysterious as you said it to be." Beiming Xue looked at the Opportunity Pill and said with a smile.

There were many ordinary medicinal pills with good outer appearance. At the same time, good medicinal pills also wouldn't reveal their Spiritual Qi from the way they looked. Thus, it was very difficult to judge whether a medicinal pill was good or bad by how it looked, unless the person observing it was a powerful alchemist or someone with good innate talent.

The sky was turning dark. They camped in a mountain cave to rest for the day. Or rather, it could only be referred to as a small area on the surface of the mountain.

The two girls didn't doubt Qing Shui, so they ate the Opportunity Pills.

After an hour, both of the girls looked at Qing Shui in disbelief. Their strength had surpassed ten billion Dao Force. However, they didn't get to break through to the Eighth Divine Grade. It seemed that there was still a long way to go before they could break through from the late-stage of the Seventh level of Divinity.

The two girls were already at the late-stage of the Seventh level of Divinity before this. Now, despite their strength being two times mightier, they still didn't get the opportunity to break through to the Eighth Divine Grade. Nevertheless, they were still quite satisfied with what they got.

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By now, the two girls also didn't know how they should describe Qing Shui. A powerful warrior, physician as well as an alchemist. Yu Xixuan even knew that he was able to make good food, even more professional than what a professional cook could prepare. What else did he know? The two girls had started to feel curious about this man. How could a person be so good in so many things?

At this moment, the two girls remembered what Qing Shui said before: 'There weren't any alchemists more powerful than myself'. He seemed to be telling the truth. Beiming Xue blushed. Before this, she even said that he was being arrogant...

"Don't look at me like that. I am married," Qing Shui said as he put his arms around his own shoulders.

"Die!" The two girls were in tune when it came to that.

"Qing Shui, I'll be making some food now," Yu Xixuan smiled and said.

Qing Shui shook his head, "There is no need for that; I can prepare it anytime I want. Let's eat something different tonight.

When Qing Shui finished speaking, he took out a table and chairs along with some pans and pots. There was the Violet Claypot from last time. The chopsticks and bowls he took out were made of Jade Stones. Following on, Qing Shui took out some fishes from the realm. This included the Rainbow Trout Fish and turtles. Other than just fish dishes, he also prepared some fresh and delicious tortoise soup.

Merely its taste had already surprised the girls. In any case, Yu Xixuan already knew that he was good at cooking. Hence, he felt that there was no need for him to hide it. Besides, if he established a good relationship with Beiming Xue, Luan Luan would also receive even more care from the Northern Underworld Immortal Palace. Even though Luan Luan might be strong, she had yet to accumulate enough practical experience.

When the three sat together to have their dinner, the two girls were silent almost the whole time. They were eating very quickly. Despite all that, they still looked very elegant; beautiful women, this was how they were. Even if the way they ate was a bit vulgar, they would still look cute. Just like the saying: 'If a beautiful woman acted vulgarly, that was considered as charming. If an ugly woman was to do the same, she would be regarded as a manly woman.'

The two girls only stopped eating when they were full. They still seemed like they wanted to eat more while looking at the table. Unfortunately, their stomach wouldn't allow them to stuff anymore in.

"It's too delicious! Qing Shui! Thanks to you, I am so full now!" Beiming Xue looked at Qing Shui with a grumpy look and said.

Qing Shui's heart thumped. "This woman... Please don't look at me with those eyes..." This woman's magnanimity was indescribable. If he was to describe her with terms from his previous incarnation, she would be at the level of a goddess. For a woman to have such a bitter look, it was as if Qing Shui acted irresponsibly after having sex with her.

"Don't you feel happy after letting me improve the quality of your meals?" Qing Shui smiled.

"Happy, I am very happy. However, what shall I do in the future? I am scared that I might starve to death!" Beiming Xue looked even more bitter now.

Qing Shui avoided eye contact with her as he didn't dare to look at her directly. Furthermore, he feared that his bones would become soft.

"You can first start by not drinking water for half a month or maybe a bit longer and fill your stomach only with fruits. After a while, when you start eating again, you will find the food that you eat to be unusually delicious, so much that it might even taste better than what you ate today."

Qing Shui was telling the truth. He could also pull this off in his previous incarnation. For example, he could try not eating anything but fruits for three days. After that, he could start by eating some foods and vegetables at an appropriate amount. By then, the food which he ate would taste unusually delicious.

"I don't care. Make sure to fill my stomach this whole month!" Beiming Xue rolled her eyes and said.

Qing Shui admitted that he had a pure thought. However, what she said still made his heart thump. What did she mean by making sure to fill her stomach this month? Eat him?

Naturally, Beiming Xue wouldn't know about the thought of sleeping together. Or else, she would definitely have lost control over herself.

Yu Xixuan smiled and said nothing.

Beiming Xue looked at Yu Xixuan, "Sister Xuan, you seemed to be not surprised at all. Does it mean that you don't want to eat the food that he makes in the future?"

"Hehe, I am also able to make the food which he prepared. Big Brother Shui has given me quite a lot of ingredients. I can also make food that tastes just as good as his." Yu Xixuan chuckled.

Qing Shui was speechless. To think that there were also times when women would be so flirty. Who would have expected that she would call him Big Brother Shui? This was a very mature and charming woman. However, that feat of hers was just a kind of gracefulness. Most of the time, she looked cold and proud, but without herself noticing; sometimes, she would also emit a kind of enchanting and sexy charm.

As soon as Beiming Xue heard what she said, she moved her sight onto Qing Shui, "You mustn't be so biased. I am also your friend."

Qing Shui smiled and said, "She is my woman."

"Hey, hey, hey! Don't talk nonsense! I am not!" Yu Xixuan blushed and shot a glare at Qing Shui.

If she stayed quiet about it, Beiming Xue would definitely be convinced that they were in that kind of relationship with each other.

"What I mean, is that we have joined forces. In a way, we can be considered as allies. What were you thinking about?" Qing Shui smiled and said.

Yu Xixuan knew that she had been fooled by this man. She muttered out a few words, "You stingy man..."

Beiming Xue looked at Qing Shui before glancing towards Yu Xixuan. She remained silent. Eventually, Qing Shui smiled and said, "Alright, alright, I will give you some ingredients once we are out of here. I still have quite a few of them stored with me."

Hearing that, Beiming Xue revealed a satisfied smile.

In his previous incarnation, food was the God of people. Actually, this was the same everywhere he went. Even though it was not necessary for warriors to eat every day, they couldn't get their life away from food. A lot of warriors would have three meals a day. To be truthful, every time they got to eat was a kind of contentment to them. It was an experience to taste different kinds of food from different places. A lot of people pursued good food like they pursued beautiful women. Food and sex were the two most important things in a person's life. The former could guarantee a person to continue living; the latter, on the other hand, ensured that life could be passed on.

Without realizing it, three days passed.

During these few days, they would gather with the others every day. They would also try to find treasures themselves. Everyone had managed to gain quite a few decent stuff. However, there was a person who got injured, but he was the person who gained the most benefits. He managed to tame a Spiritual Beast, the Violet Flame Ice Snow Beast.

A Spiritual Beast with ice and fire attributes. Its strength was at the level of Divine Grade, and its overall ability was unspecified. The amount of strength, which it was able to unleash, surpassed even warriors at the mid-stage of the Seventh level of Divinity.

The person who received the Violet Flame Ice Snow Beast was Xicheng Tianlong of the Xicheng Clan.

The middle-aged man was the next clan's head of the Xicheng Clan. The reason why he was able to tame this Spiritual Beast was because he had a legendary Beast-Taming Immortal Talisman in his hand. With that, he had earned a fortune from this trip. Merely a Violet Flame Ice Snow Beast was enough to make his trip worth it.

The Violet Flame Ice Snow Beast was a Spiritual Beast. Its defensive prowess, as well as its speed, allowed it to surpass many ordinary demonic beasts. Aside from having two attributes, it was able to use Ice Flame Burst which was very powerful. It was also very strong in using its five elements. When combined with Xicheng Tianlong, its ability in actual combat could be said to be unbeatable among warriors at the mid-stage of the Seventh level of Divinity. Even warriors who just broke through to the late-stage of the Seventh level of Divinity wouldn't stand a chance against him.

The Violet Flame Ice Snow Beast was about thirty meters long and seven meters tall. Its entire body was white, and only all four of its paws were violet in color; they were flaring with the violet flame. Its head resembled a dragon as there was a horn growing out of it. Its tail was like the tail of a snake. It was incomparably thick and seemed to be two times longer than its body. The tail was almost a hundred meters long.

When Beiming Xue and Yu Xixuan saw the Violet Flame Ice Snow Beast, they couldn't help but stare in admiration. After all, Spiritual Beasts of the like were very hard to tame. The higher intelligence a Spiritual Beast possessed, the harder it was to be tamed. Unless it let the person tame it on its own will or the person trying to tame it had some extraordinary power.

Throughout these few days, the things which Qing Shui and the girls gathered the most were only medicinal herbs. However, they also got quite a few ores and killed some strong demonic beasts. That was all they got. They didn't receive anything particularly good.

"Look, there is a cave in front of us." Beiming Xue pointed forward.

There were very few caves here. In the beginning, the empty area that they found wasn't considered a cave; thus, it was excluded from it. Strictly speaking, this was the first cave which they entered, which was also why Beiming Xue was so agitated and happy.

"Let's go and take a look. However, we must stay alert as we have already entered the dangerous region." Qing Shui reminded them before leading them ahead.

"Yes, I can sense the aura of a demonic beast." Qing Shui stopped and looked at the cave entrance. The aura which he felt came out precisely from that place.

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Qing Shui stared at the cave entrance and felt the aura of a beast nearing them. This aura was very powerful and fierce. However, Qing Shui wasn't worried. He felt that he should be able to deal with it.

But no matter what, this was still the internal part of the Spiritual land. He wouldn't know what kind of dangers awaited him.

Houu!!!

A heaven-shaking roar came through. A figure appeared at the entrance of the cave. Qing Shui was stunned at the moment he saw that thing; it was a demonic beast. It didn't look that big and was only bigger than the Dragon Slaying Beast by about two times. However, it was much thicker than the Dragon Slaying Beast.

Its entire body was fiery red. Its head resembled a lion, but at the same time, it also looked a bit like a dragon's head. There was a horn on its head. Overall, it looked a bit cute.

Its body was emitting powerful dragon aura. After glancing at it for a while, Qing Shui began to think strongly that it looked like an existence which existed in legends from his previous incarnation, the auspicious beast, Kirin.

In his previous incarnation, the Kirin was God's mount. People from ancient times treated Kirins as generous and auspicious animals. The male beast was known as Ki, whereas its female counterpart was known as Rin. Kirins were different from Pixius. A Kirin was a divine beast which brought prosperity, peace, and longevity. There was a myth which said that Kirins blessed people with children. Kirins had the head of a dragon, the body of a horse and scales of a fish.

Kirins were fire attributed Divine Beasts. Certainly, Qing Shui wasn't sure if the beast he was seeing in front of him was a Kirin. However, he was still a bit agitated. After all, people from China had always been very fond of things like real Divine Dragons, the four divine beasts and the vicious beasts as well.

Kirin was a beast which brought prosperity. It was said to bestow people with children and good luck.

Despite its only average size, a powerful aura could be felt emitting from its body. Even though Qing Shui was unsure of its exact strength, he could confirm that it was definitely more powerful than Beiming Xue and Yu Xixuan. Its strength should be roughly around twenty billion Dao Force.

It was currently unknown if one could break through to the Eighth Divine Grade with this strength, but it was confirmed that this was definitely beyond what the two girls were capable of. After all, human warriors were usually unable to defeat beasts that were at the same level as them.

This demonic beast was very alert when it looked at Qing Shui. Similarly, Qing Shui was also looking back at it. Without a doubt, this was definitely a Spiritual Beast. Furthermore, it didn't seem to have reached its adulthood. To think that it already possessed such fearsome powers before it even fully matured...

What kind of existence was this? It was likely that even those warriors of true Dragon Tribes, who ranked ahead in their tribe, might not be more powerful than this demonic beast when it came to their innate talents.

Suddenly, Qing Shui came up with the thought to tame this beast.

Usually, people would go for the rough way when it came to taming beasts. Another way was to spend time with a demonic beast which just hatched out from an egg. The last alternative was by taming a baby beast. It was a lot easier to tame a beast before it became mature. However, certainly, none of the methods could compare to taming a beast as soon as it hatched, as it was the easiest method.

Particularly in the case of Spiritual Beasts. The more mature they were, the harder it was to tame them. Unless they decided to recognize their owner on their own.

Qing Shui slowly got close to it. He didn't know if he could block the enemy's attack with his current defensive prowess, but he felt that it shouldn't be a problem. Other than that, Qing Shui was also holding a medicinal pill in his hand. It was the Supreme Sacred Beast Pill.

Qing Shui was the one who came up with that name.

In the past, the earliest pill he got was the Sacred Beast Pill. Later on, he managed to refine some High-Level Sacred Beast Pills. Until now, Qing Shui already had the Supreme Sacred Beast Pill. Without a doubt, their effect became more and more potent with every improvement. However, so far, Qing Shui had never once used the Supreme Sacred Beast Pill.

The Sacred Beast Pill was precisely a medicinal pill used to tame demonic beasts.

"Ah, a Spiritual Beast... I have always wanted one to be mine....." Yu Xixuan looked at the demonic beast with eyes which seemed like she was craving to obtain it.

"I want it too....." Beiming Xue was looking at the demonic beast. Deep down, she was really yearning for the beast.

Naturally, Qing Shui was able to hear them. Putting aside whether or not he was able to tame it for now, even if he had it, he couldn't give it to other people; he also needed it for himself. For now, the Dragon Slaying Beast was the only beast which he could take out, let alone him not being related to the two women. If it had been his women who were here with him, he would have given it to them without any hesitations.

Certainly, this thought didn't mean that Qing Shui intended to make the two women his own. It was not that he didn't like beautiful women, nor was it that Beiming Xue and Yu Xixuan weren't beautiful enough. In his heart, he had always had a thought. Even though there might be a lot of beautiful women across the world, he shouldn't expect to own every single one he came across. Could he possibly ask for every single one of them to be his? Let alone he already had a lot of women that were his wives. He had a feeling that increasing the number of wives he had, would be unfair to them.

Hou!

By the time Qing Shui charged in once again, the demonic beast already unleashed its attack. It opened its mouth and shot out a fireball towards Qing Shui.

It was a bright and beautiful flame. The flame looked as if it was alive. Even though it wasn't really big, it was giving out a violent elemental energy. Qing Shui's expression became heavy. He lifted up his hand and countered the flame with his Primordial Flame.

Hong-hong...

Just like before, Qing Shui was put in a difficult situation and could do nothing but step back.

His Primordial Flame wasn't enough to fight against the opponent. If it wasn't because of his ability to resist up to 70% flame attributed attacks, he would have immediately been at a disadvantage with just one clash. Qing Shui let out his hand and summoned the Dragon Slaying Beast.

Hou!

As soon as the Dragon Slaying Beast showed up, it immediately reduced this demonic beast's power by 20%. Indeed, it possessed the blood of the Dragon Tribes. Following on, Qing Shui formed a Diamond Seal with both of his hands.

A Buddha Seal shining with golden light immediately appeared in front of Qing Shui.

The dignified golden Buddha Seal was giving out a magnificent aura. Even Qing Shui himself was amazed by it. The Buddha Ultimate Art didn't let down its name as an ultimate technique. Qing Shui felt a sense of warmth upon unleashing the Diamond Seal. It felt as if he had put on an armor; he felt a sense of security which words couldn't describe.

Both of the young ladies were frozen in shock. It seemed that they might have underestimated this man. What else did he know? Before this, his unusual fighting technique back when he was on the platform already amazed a lot of people. He managed to beat them while keeping his aura from leaking out... And now, he demonstrated such kind of martial techniques...

When the demonic beast noticed that its flame failed to injure Qing Shui, it immediately began spitting out three more flames. Qing Shui lifted up his hand and whipped the incoming flames with his Primordial Flame Dragon Whip.

The flame of this demonic beast was locked onto its target. It was unavoidable. Despite his effort to avoid two of them, the last fire still managed to strike Qing Shui. However, Qing Shui felt a warm sensation across his body. He didn't seem to be injured.

70% of flame absorption, combined with the Diamond Seal and his already formidable defensive prowess, this flame was unable to cause even a scratch to Qing Shui.

Hou!

Upon seeing that its fire was useless against Qing Shui, the demonic beast let out an angry roar. After that, it charged towards Qing Shui like a bolt of lightning. Just as Qing Shui was about to react to it, the beast's attack had already reached him.

Fast. It was too fast! Qing Shui was really amazed by it. It would have been great if the Dragon Slaying Beast had speed like this. It would definitely turn out to be a human killing machine.

Beng!

Qing Shui immediately got blown away. However, he felt that he didn't suffer any injuries, nor did the golden light appear. He let out a sigh of relief. If this was the case, he might just be able to deal with the demonic beast.

It's not that this demonic beast wasn't strong. It was Qing Shui whose defensive prowess was too powerful. Added on that the beast was fire attributed, it could be considered to have been totally suppressed by Qing Shui. However, Qing Shui felt that there were quite a lot of existences which he could manage to suppress. After all, this had to do with his abilities.

Qing Shui had yet to use his Art of Pursuing and Emperor's Qi. Or else, the beast's speed would have been greatly reduced.

Buddha Wisdom Seal!

Qing Shui put out his arms and once again formed a seal. A bright Buddha seal immediately struck on the demonic beast's body. It surprised Qing Shui that the seal actually caused the demonic beast to stagger as it charged towards him.

Qing Shui was truly shocked seeing this. The Buddha Wisdom Seal was supposed to only reduce the enemies' offensive prowess. He never expected for it to actually make the opponent to falter when the gap of strength was so huge. This was indeed a huge surprise to him. Could this ability be similar to the Dragon-capturing Hands?

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Hou-hou!

The demonic beast was furious. Instead of stepping back, it once again charged towards Qing Shui. Qing Shui quickly formed a Buddha Seal with both his hands and shot it out towards the beast.

Beng!

Qing Shui was delighted to see that the demonic beast actually came to a stop. Both of its eyes looked lifeless as if it had become stupid. At this moment, the Dragon Slaying Beast leaped onto it and scratched the opponent's body with its claws.

An ear-piercing sonorous noise came through.

Qing Shui was surprised that the sharp claws of the Dragon Slaying Beast didn't manage to cut through the enemy's skin.

The most powerful traits of the Dragon Slaying Beast laid in its sharp teeth and the horn that was on the top of its head; its claws came after that. Prior to this, Qing Shui was afraid that he might really kill the opponent; thus, he only let the Dragon Slaying Beast use its claws. However, he never expected for its claws to only leave a shallow wound on the beast's body; it didn't even bleed.

Such formidable defensive prowess!

Qing Shui felt that he liked this brat more and more. Actually, prior to this, Qing Shui could let the Dragon Slaying Beast pierce through the beast's throat while it was feeling dizzy. Or rather, he could also let it pierce its eyes with its horn and the battle would have ended right away.

Qing Shui could confirm that there would be no problem for the Dragon Slaying Beast to pierce through this beast with its long horn.

Qing Shui tried out the Buddha Ultimate Art and realized that it was nice and very useful. The demonic beast that was currently in front of him seemed to have gotten even more furious. As soon as it moved, it immediately dealt a heavy strike to the Dragon Slaying Beast.

Beng!

The Dragon Slaying Beast was like a cannon that got shot away. It got blown away without any chance to fight back.

However, Qing Shui wasn't worried that the Dragon Slaying Beast would be in danger. The ability of the Dragon Slaying Beast to resist against attacks was definitely not inferior in the slightest to the beast in front of him.

Art of Pursuing!

Emperor's Qi!

In a moment, this demonic beast wasn't so imposing anymore. Its strength had been reduced by more than 50%. (Dragon Slaying Beast suppressed dragon tribes, the effect of Emperor's Qi further stacked with the Buddha Wisdom Seal) It was likely that by now, its strength was inferior to the two young ladies. Most importantly, it lost its once formidable speed.

The two young ladies didn't know what to say. The demonic beast which they could supposedly only look up to at the beginning, how much of its power had been taken away by this man? It had become inferior to even themselves? So much that they even began to feel that they could challenge the beast in a one-on-one battle?

"I know you are able to understand me. How about this? Follow me from now on." Qing Shui smiled and said.

Hou-hou!

The beast was very furious. By now, Qing Shui was already able to suppress it. Dragon-capturing Hands, Buddha Ultimate Art, and now, he even unleashed the Nine Continents Mountain. After absorbing the Buddha Light Treasure Qi and also the Heavenly Fate Treasure Pagoda, Qing Shui's Nine Continents Mountain had now achieved a strength worth seventeen billion Dao Force.

Adding on the Shield Attack ability from the Nine Continents Mountain, it immediately pushed the demonic beast to the point it could only step back. However, Qing Shui realized that even the Nine Continents Mountain was unable to hurt the beast.

The two girls didn't know what to say anymore by the time they saw Qing Shui's Nine Continents Mountain. They knew that if he had used this artifact while he was on the platform, he could have blown his opponents out of the stage instantly.

Qing Shui took out an Ancient Demonic Fruit and the remains of a fish which he ate from the realm.

"Follow me. Not only can I help to make you more powerful, but you can also enjoy nice food and drinks. In the future, I will try to help you find a beautiful woman. Oh sorry, let me correct myself, a beautiful female beast." Qing Shui continued to seduce it.

By now, the two girls were already speechless. To think that there were times when this man would also be so crafty. Who would have thought that he would even lie to demonic beasts?

However, deep down, the two girls also wanted to attempt tricking it... Unfortunately, they weren't strong enough to do that.

For every time their fists crossed, Qing Shui would try to seduce him once. Certainly, it was Qing Shui who was hitting the demonic beast most of the time. He had already eaten two fishes and a chicken leg. By now, Qing Shui could already see the demonic beast's saliva dripping onto the ground. Deep down, it was already starting to feel as if it was playing a game.

Letting the beast voluntarily take the Supreme Sacred Beast Pill would be a lot better than forcing it to eat it. This would influence whether or not it could continue breaking through in the future.

This was also why Qing Shui didn't mind taking all the troubles to bait the enemy.

Qing Shui casually tossed a fish to the demonic beast. The demonic beast swallowed it immediately before looking at Qing Shui again with excitement. By now, they had also stopped fighting.

Qing Shui knew that this demonic beast, which had yet to reach its adulthood, was just like a child. The reason why it was so lively was a part of its basic instinct. As long as he could find his opponent's weakness, it would be very easy to lure it over.

"How's it? Follow me. I won't mistreat you. You have seen it for yourself, you don't stand a chance against me. You won't sustain any losses as humans live quite a short life. After you live with me for about a hundred years, freedom will once again be yours."

"Once you follow me, I can let you eat as much of that delicious food as you want."

"I can enable your strength to increase by at least two times."

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Eventually, the two girls looked at the demonic beast in shock. It was eating the medicinal pills which Qing Shui fed to it. After that, they saw the demonic beast running around Qing Shui warm-heartedly. This caused the two girls to feel extremely envious of him.

Qing Shui immediately let the demonic beast take the Fortune Golden Pellet, Quintuple Portion Medicine, and the Ancient Demonic Fruit. This Spiritual Beast was very terrifying; its physique was very powerful, which was also why Qing Shui dared to let it take multiple medicines continuously to increase its strength.

Most importantly, this was the internal part of the Spiritual Land. They could potentially run into trouble at any times, so letting this beast increase its strength was also for safety purposes. After all, Qing Shui feared that he might not be able to take care of even himself.

By the time this demonic beast let out a loud roar, its body had already enlarged by about one-third of its original size. Qing Shui revealed a satisfied smile. Even Qing Shui was no longer able to sense the huge guy's current strength. He estimated it to be roughly around fifty billion Dao Force.

By now, Qing Shui had also found out about the species of this demonic beast. It was the Fire Kirin Emperor. However, Qing Shui decided to call it Little Rin from now on.

By now, Little Rin's figure seemed to be a lot bigger than the Dragon Slaying Beast. However, strictly speaking, its body size could be considered small. For example, in comparison to the Violet Flame Ice Snow Beast which Xicheng Tianlong owned; it was a few times bigger than Qing Shui's Little Rin. However, Qing Shui knew that one slap from Little Rin would be enough to slap the huge fella to death.

"We haven't checked out the cave." Qing Shui seemed to have forgotten about the cave.

As he said that, the two young ladies looked towards the cave with excitement. No dangerous aura seemed to be present in it. Little Rin, who on the other hand had just broken through, seemed very impulsive as it had already gone outside. Qing Shui could have called it back with his consciousness, but he didn't do so. Since he was very happy, he might as well let the little brat come out and misbehave around the area.

The cave was average in size with a circular path. Other than the cave entrance which was dusty, the internal part of the cave seemed quite clean. While observing around the cave, the surroundings looked as bright as jade. From time to time, they could see a huge pole acting as the cave's support.

Qing Shui felt that even without the huge pole, the cave wouldn't collapse. These huge poles seemed like they were just for decorations.

The huge pole was very thick. Qing Shui estimated it to have a diameter of ten meters.

"It doesn't seem like there is going to be anything around here." Yu Xixuan said after walking for a while.

"Could this place be the place where Little Rin lived?"

"I believe this place was made by men." Beiming Xue said while observing the surroundings.

Qing Shui looked around and sort of agreed with her. If the cave was truly man made, this must mean that a person once lived here before. However, what kind of people would actually stay here? And Little Rin, what kind of relationship did Little Rin have with this person?

"Hmph? There is a person in front." Qing Shui said.

The two young ladies' hearts thumped. Even though they might be powerful, at the end of the day, they were still women. They would still feel a bit scared to see a person appearing here out of nowhere.

However, they no longer felt scared after seeing properly. It was a skeleton wearing a suit of armor; it was standing there motionless. There was a huge axe in his hand that was still looking very shiny.

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Waves after waves of formless pressure could be felt coming out of it. It was resisting against the people or beasts that were attempting to go inside the cave.

Suddenly, a message appeared in Qing Shui's mind.

Violent Axe Battle God!

This was a cave which once belonged to a Battle God, the Violent Axe Battle God. Or speaking about it more precisely, it was the graveyard of the former Violent Axe Battle God. There was a room behind the skeleton of the Battle God. Moreover, this was the deepest part of the cave. Thus, Qing Shui felt eager to go and take a look. This energy which didn't take any form was guiding Qing Shui to go forward.

Qing Shui made his way into the deepest part of the cave. Each of his steps felt heavy, as if he was being stopped by the formless energy.

There was a series of clear footprints on the ground. By the time Qing Shui was beside the Violent Axe Battle God, this figure disappeared into dust, leaving only its armor and the huge axe. The entire skeleton turned into dust.

The formless energy also disappeared.

The two young ladies also followed along and made their way here. Qing Shui, on the other hand, entered the room. The room looked very simple; there was a table, a bed, and a chair in it. A Beast Parchment could be seen on the table, and Qing Shui picked it up to take a look at it. The writings on the Beast Parchment was very clear.

'My name is Feng Leikuang. I am known by others as the Violent Axe Battle God.'

Qing Shui looked over it for a while. To put it simply, back then, the Violent Axe Battle God was too arrogant and did things too extravagantly. Eventually, he fell into the enemy's traps... It was stated in the letter that he had no children or disciples, which was the most regretful thing that ever happened in his life. He couldn't be considered to have died an untimely death, but when he died, he was still very young and didn't get to even have a wife.

He hoped that someone could one day take over his armor and battle axe; he hoped that a person could be brought here by fate to inherit them, or alternatively, the person could also help him find a suitable candidate instead.

'There is a jade box under the bed. Inside, it contained my Origin Qi and Origin Essence before I died. Remember! Those who aren't the Violent Axe Battle God Inheritor mustn't absorb its Origin Essence. Or else, the consequences would be unbearable.'

'There is another jade box. If the person who comes is unable to inherit the armor, the things that are inside the jade box are a gift to thank the person for attempting to wear them. Hopefully, you can help to look for a person that is qualified to inherit my will.'

'If you are able to inherit my heritage, this jade box would naturally be yours.'

Other than these, there was no other things. Qing Shui found two jade boxes under the bed. On top of one of the boxes, the words 'Origin Essence' were written on it. The other jade box, on the other hand, had nothing written on it.

"Let's go out first!" Qing Shui smiled as he took away the two jade boxes. When he walked past the armor and battle axe once again, he also kept them. The martial techniques of the Violent Axe Battle

God were all written on the axe. Only after one received the Violent Axe Battle God Inheritance could one comprehend its martial techniques.

Qing Shui kept the Origin Essence Jade Box and also the Battle Axe Armor. The two young ladies in front of him weren't suitable to be the Violet Axe Battle God Inheritors. Thus, he kept them.

Qing Shui was the leader of the Battle Gods. Naturally, he would keep this thing in mind. After all, in the future, the Violet Axe Battle God Inheritor would be his ally. Thus, he was more than willing to find the heir for the fallen Battle God. At the same time, he could also help people.

The Violent Axe Battle God was very picky when it came to picking his next heir. After all, to be a Battle God Inheritor, one must have strong innate talents and physiques. However, deep down, Qing Shui had already found a suitable candidate. If nothing went wrong, it would be none other than him.

"Guys, look at this jade box and try to see what's in it. I really want to take a look into it very badly." Yu Xixuan said with a curious voice.

"Alright, let's take a look and see what it is." Qing Shui opened it as he spoke.

Merely with one look, Qing Shui could already tell what it was. Something was written on a Beast Parchment.

Treasure map! It was a treasure map! Qing Shui was a bit agitated. It had been so long since he last found a treasure map. In the past, Qing Shui had once gotten a few of these maps. Each of them had also given him huge benefits.

"A treasure map. Everyone, please remember. We will go and search for it in the future. Take a look at this, can anyone recognize this landform?" Qing Shui opened the treasure map and put it on his hands.

This place was a mountain peak that was covered in white. Even the plants around the peak were snow white in color. If not mistaken, these white substances should be snow. The most unique thing about it was its mountain peak that was shaped like a curved sword.

"The only thing we could pay attention to was which mountain peak snows all year long or try to find a mountain which is shaped like a sword during winter." Yu Xixuan said.

"Look at the overall shape of the land here. This mountain peak that was shaped like a sword was the tallest. Furthermore, it was located at the center of the area. The shape of this land looks just like a formation." Beiming Xue said in a serious tone.

Qing Shui smiled. Indeed, this was a formation. Furthermore, he realized that Beiming Xue had very meticulous observation skills.

At this moment, Little Rin came back, and Qing Shui happily tossed some food to it. After that, the group decided to rest here for the day. They still had to gather up tomorrow morning in the area 500 Lis from here.

The food for tonight was prepared by the two girls. Since they used Qing Shui's ingredients, the food that they made was just as good as his. Because they had enough ingredients, they seemed to be very willing to prepare the food.

At night, Qing Shui camped outside, leaving the two girls inside. Little Rin and the Dragon Slaying Beast, on the other hand, guarded the entrance of the cave.

At midnight, a beast's roar was heard. Following on, a signal that asked for help appeared.

Someone was in danger! They weren't sure if it was the member of Great Sun Immortal Palace or the Bright Moon Palace. Regardless of who it was, actually, Qing Shui wasn't that fond of any of them.

If Qing Shui was to compare, he had a better impression of Lei Bao than Qu Bai. The people of the Bright Moon Palace were all incomplete people. Thus, it was perfectly normal for them to be mentally unstable. After all, for a man to lose his rightful ability as a man since they had lost their male organ, their nature would follow along and undergo changes.

Right at this moment, the two girls came out. Qing Shui also followed along and looked at them, "Let's go and take a look at what's going on."

The two young ladies nodded.

Since it was already agreed before, now that someone was in trouble, they must go and take a look.

After packing up everything, the three of them rode on Little Rin and made their way towards the direction where the signal came from. Little Rin was very fast; its speed was faster than all of Qing Shui's demonic beasts. This was the difference between their strength.

By now, Qing Shui only knew how to distinguish between demonic and Spiritual Beasts. Even for existences like the Immortal Beasts and Divine Beasts, actually, they were also considered as Spiritual Beasts.

Qing Shui didn't know if the Dark Phoenix could be considered as a Spiritual Beast, although it should be one. After all, among the beasts which Luan Luan tamed a long time ago, there were also some Spiritual Beasts. However, even Spiritual Beasts were divided into low, mid, and high-level beasts. There was a huge difference between each level.

Thus, it was no longer weird when he thought about all of this. However, Little Rin was no doubt a Spiritual Beast with a high-quality bloodline. This was because it already possessed such formidable strength before it even fully matured; it possessed a natural Spiritual Beast Bloodline.

Unlike Qing Shui's Spiritual Beasts, they all grew up little by little from a low level. Even the current Dark Phoenix was once only a Fire Bird of Xiantian Realm.

While thinking about this, Qing Shui felt that he had achieved a lot. He felt like he was looking at a child that was slowly growing up.

They arrived very quickly. It was a fierce demonic beast! It had a huge figure and was about a hundred meters long. It looked like a snake, yet it had legs. Its entire body smelled very bad; it did not only stink but was also poisonous.

The person asking for help was Lei Bao of the Great Sun Immortal Palace. One of the two people who followed him had died, whereas the other one suffered heavy injuries and was inflicted with poison. Lei Bao had also been poisoned, but luckily, he only suffered light injuries.

As soon as Little Rin appeared, the big guy trembled. It turned around and ran away immediately as soon as it encountered Little Rin, leaving everyone else present dumbfounded. Only Qing Shui and the two young ladies would know what was going on.

This caused the two young ladies to show even more admiration in their eyes when they looked at Little Rin. With a demonic beast like this, they would have been able to do as they pleased in the Northern Ice Domain.

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Qing Shui didn't let Little Rin chase after the big beast. It was too smelly and at the same time, there was no need for him to reveal Little Rin's strength in front of so many outsiders.

A member of the Great Sun Immortal Sect was dead and the other one was heavily injured. Even Lei Bao was inflicted with some wounds. Thus, when everyone saw the fearsome beast run away, they couldn't help but let out a sigh of relief and quickly thanked Qing Shui, "Brother Qing, thank you for coming here for us. We owe you one."

"You are welcome, Brother Lei. I haven't really done anything, it just ran away on its own." Qing Shui smiled and said.

Lei Bao wasn't an idiot. Huge beasts like that wouldn't just run away on their own. Even though he wasn't sure about the clear reason why it escaped, he knew that it definitely had to do with Qing Shui and the others. It was very obvious that Qing Shui was the leader among their group of three. The two girls seemed very obedient. Seeing that, he didn't really know how he should feel. To think that a woman like Beiming Xue would also act obediently... Had they slept together before? Had Qing Shui taken advantage of her? Was she wild or obedient in bed?

When a man saw a particularly beautiful woman, and then saw a man beside her, he would definitely feel envious of the man's luck with women. After that, he would start to imagine the scenes which were likely to take place between the man and the woman.

Lei Bao was sad to see his dead partner. He dug a hole to bury him. While he was doing that, he also mentioned a few emotional words. However, Qing Shui knew that Lei Bao wasn't really as upset as he looked. After all, they weren't that close with each other to begin with. It was just a temporary alliance.

The only person left was the one who suffered heavy injuries.

"Brother Qing, you are a physician, can you please try to attend to his wounds?" Lei Bao seemed to just remember about him.

Suddenly, Lei Bao felt that everything which he did in exchange for being friendly back then was worth it. Not only did Qing Shui help him to survive just now, but he might also be able to save the life of his other partner.

Qing Shui nodded. This person had suffered very heavy injuries. Almost all of his organs were crushed. On top of that, he was also losing a lot of blood from his wounds. If he was left under this condition for an hour, he would most likely die. Qing Shui was quite swift at curing the injured person. People could easily get confused just by looking at it. After an hour, Qing Shui kept his needles and fed the person a medicinal pill.

Before this, everyone could tell that he was on the verge of dying. But now, much to their surprise, he was slowly recovering. Even the two young ladies were shocked by it. None of them had witnessed Qing Shui's medical skills before. They were amazed by how strong he was.

Judging by the number of injuries he sustained, even if Qing Shui was able to cure him, they felt that he would still end up crippled. They wouldn't be that surprised if he managed to stay alive. What they didn't believe was that he could recover by tomorrow, but from how the patient was at the moment, about 20% of his injuries had healed. Seeing that, they started to have a feeling that he might truly be back to normal again by tomorrow.

Lei Bao had a feeling that this time, he had taken the correct path. No matter what it took, he must build up a good relationship with this man. Suddenly, he remembered that the people from the Bright Moon Palace didn't show up. Those self-centered bastards...

Seeing that the place was quite empty and wide, Qing Shui felt that it was about time for him to take a break. He casually set up a tent and immediately went into the realm.

The two girls, on the other hand, set up a camp. Little Rin was guarding in the middle of their camps.

With Little Rin around, Qing Shui wasn't worried at all.

"Sister Xuan, were you aware that Qing Shui's medical skill was actually that powerful?" Beiming Xue looked at Yu Xixuan curiously.

"I had no idea about that. My deepest impression of him comes solely from his decent cultivation and the fact that he is able to make delicious food." Yu Xixuan chuckled.

Back then, she witnessed Qing Shui defeating Clan Head Lang. Thus, she felt that he was strong. However, at that time, she wasn't convinced that he would stand a chance against her. Only after his fight on the platform, did she recognize his true might. Later on, he mentioned that he was an alchemist and even helped both her and Beiming Xue double their strength. By then, she realized that she was no match against this man.

During the battle against Little Rin, both of the young ladies knew that even if they worked together, they would still be unable to match this man.

Qing Shui was cultivating non-stop inside the realm. He focused more on the Buddha Ultimate Art and some of the seals. The Buddha Light Treasure Qi didn't only nurture his body, it even boosted the functions and the toughness of the organs across his body. Even if Qing Shui didn't weaken Little Rin, it should still be very difficult for it to injure him. He felt that his entire body was like a Diamond Buddha.

Qing Shui took a look at the armor and battle axe left behind by the Violent Axe Battle God before putting it together. When he returned, a Violent Axe Battle God Inheritor would emerge. If he planned to strengthen the Battle God Palace, the most important thing he must do was to look for more Battle God Inheritors.

When it was daytime once again, Qing Shui walked out of the tent. Lei Bao and the person from the Wang Clan came out. The person looked a bit weak, but he had managed to recover up to half of his strength. At the moment he saw Qing Shui, he quickly bowed down, "Wang Zhong is very thankful to Mister Qing for saving my life!"

"It's alright, I am a physician. To me, this is like lifting up my arms. You don't have to mind it." Qing Shui waved his hand.

Indeed, Qing Shui didn't mind saving Wang Zhong at all, nor did he ever hope for him to repay him or anything.

"I know that this may not mean much to Mister Qing, but it is very important to me as well as for the Wang Clan. I don't know how I can repay you. I don't think Mister Qing will fancy the things that I have with me. However, I am also aware that Mister Qing is a miraculous physician. Since that's the case, what I have here is a medical prescription from my ancestors time. However, it looks very old and ragged, it's useless for me. Mister Qing, please take it."

When Wang Zhong finished speaking, he took out an old Beast Parchment and handed it over to Qing Shui. He was very polite and was very thankful to him.

Qing Shui knitted his brows; he didn't refuse to take it. Just like what Wang Zhong said, it wouldn't have mattered if it was some ordinary stuff, but since it was a medical prescription, he might as well take a look at it. Since Wang Zhong life was saved by him, it wasn't unacceptable of him to accept a gift since he was his savior. Besides, it was just an old medical prescription. If Yuan Su was here, he could have gotten her to complete it.

Qing Shui was stunned the moment he took over the medical prescription. It felt like it was made of Beast Parchment. Nevertheless, this was without a doubt no ordinary Beast Parchment; he had a feeling that it was very valuable. For a medical prescription to require such a valuable Beast Parchment to write on, this came to show that this medical prescription must be very powerful.

The name of the medical prescription was the Tribulation Avoidance Pill.

From the way it was named, it seemed to be used to avoid tribulations.

Below it, there was a list of medicinal herbs. He had seen most of them before. They were all very precious herbs. There were also some ingredients which Qing Shui had never come across, for example, the Redcloud Grass, Tilted Moon Branch, and the Lightning Fruit.

There was no explanation about its effect.

Qing Shui knitted his brows while looking at it. Deep down, Wang Zhong was feeling very nervous. He also looked very embarrassed. Even though this thing was passed down in the Wang Clan, actually, there wasn't much value to it. It seemed a bit stingy of him, giving this to the person who saved him to show his gratitude.

"Even though these things may be incomplete for now, they may still be of use to me. Very well then, I will take it." Qing Shui smiled and said.

Wang Zhong let out a sigh of relief, "I am happy enough that it can be of use to Mister Qing. It's my pleasure."

Qing Shui asked after thinking for a while, "I have never heard of any of the medicinal herbs listed here. For example, the Redcloud Grass, Tilted Moon Branch, and the Lightning Fruit. Do you know where I might be able to find them?"

"I have heard about the Redcloud Grass before. It's located further up north in the Northern Ice Domain. That place should already be considered as a part of the True Nine Continents World. That's where the Redcloud Valley can be found. It is a dangerous place, but it is also the only location where you can find the Redcloud Grass. You must stay alert while you are there."

Chapter 2018 - Redcloud Grass, Tilted Moon Branch, Lightning Fruit

Qing Shui was very happy to find the location of the Redcloud Grass. It was fine as long as he could locate it. For the remaining medicinal herbs, Wang Zhong also didn't know about their locations. However, he still told Qing Shui that according to rumors, they could be found on the Thunderous Peak.

Thunderous Peak was a place with storms all year long. One could hardly see any trees there. Among them, some of the lucky trees wouldn't be struck by lightning. These trees would soon grow fruits which were known as the Thunderous Fruits.

Even if the Thunderous Fruits were to grow out of those trees, there was a 99% chance that they would be struck down by lightning before they could fully mature. Thus, the probability of one getting their hands on a Thunderous Fruit was very small. Furthermore, Thunderous Peak was also a very dangerous place. The lightning there had tremendous power.

Qing Shui was very happy to hear about the news. After all, it was still better than not knowing anything at all. At least for now, he had an idea on how to search for them. As for the risk and lightning which came with the fruits, Qing Shui had his own method to deal with them.

"Mister Qing, I don't plan to go deeper into the area. I would like to head back and search for some treasures nearby." Lei Bao said to Qing Shui.

"This sounds like a good idea. In fact, my original plan was to stop moving forward. But then, because I have my own means of escape, it shouldn't be a problem for me. We plan to move on slightly ahead to see if we could find anything more. Well then, I think this is where we part ways." Qing Shui smiled and said.

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Lei Bao and Wang Zhong left. Qing Shui, on the other hand, was preparing to go deeper into the area along with the two girls.

"Qing Shui, how do you think the guy from the Bright Moon Palace is doing? These people are fake. We had made a deal to be close to each other; if they had kept their promises, they would have definitely seen the signal. Even by now, they should have made it here." Yu Xixuan smiled and said.

"Actually, those people don't really care about it. They were just trying to be polite with the things they said before. I believe with all four of them together, they might be even better at surviving than us. Let

alone the Bright Moon Palace not being on good terms with the Great Sun Immortal Palace. Thus, if they hear the signal, regardless of whether it's from the Great Sun Immortal Sect or us, they still wouldn't turn up." Beiming Xue seemed to have figured out that this kind of outcome would unfold.

Actually, this was also within Qing Shui's expectations. Other than one of them being from the Bright Moon Palace, two others were from the Xicheng Clan and the Qiao Clan respectively. It was completely normal that things would turn out like this; there was even a high chance that they might attempt to stab them in the back.

"Alright, let's stop talking about them and make haste in our journey. We might be able to find some Spiritual Beasts which you guys may need later on." Qing Shui knew the most effective way to pique their interests.

As he thought, the two girls smiled happily as soon as they heard what he had said. Yu Xixuan said in a charming tone, "Big Brother Shui, if we happen to run into one of them, you have to help me capture it!"

Qing Shui looked back at the charming, mature yet proud Yu Xixuan. She was getting more and more natural with calling him Big Brother Shui. This caused him to feel speechless. Naturally, he wouldn't take it seriously. Yu Xixuan was not someone who would act so lowly just for one or two Spiritual Beasts. It was just a joke among themselves as friends. In fact, this could be a way for her to tease Qing Shui.

Even though that might be the case, Beiming Xue was still unable to convince herself to do it like her. Every time Yu Xixuan did that, she would only look at her and Qing Shui with a smile.

"Alright, if I help you catch one, how do you plan to repay me?" Qing Shui smiled and said.

"As I said, you are my Big Brother Shui. How else would you want me to repay you?" Yu Xixuan chuckled.

"Little Sister Xuan, aren't you still single? Why don't you repay him with your body?" It was very rare to see Beiming Xue opening her mouth to joke about things like this with Yu Xixuan.

"Hehe, Big Sister Xue, I can tell that the corners of your eyes are fluctuating. Could it be that you have had this kind of thought before but never dared to talk about it? I can help you pass the message to Qing Shui. Considering how beautiful you are, any man would gladly accept your offer. What do you think about it? Qing Shui?" Yu Xixuan turned around and looked at Qing Shui.

"Yes... No... Ye....." Qing Shui was speechless when he looked at Yu Xixuan. This woman had a bit of a devil's attribute in her. She was a mature, dignified and proud devil.

Yu Xixuan smiled. Beiming Xue looked to the other side to avoid eye contact with her. Naturally, when it came to arguing verbally, she wouldn't stand a chance against Yu Xixuan.

Qing Shui attempted to change the topic, "Wow, the moon tonight looks so bright!"

"It's only noon." Yu Xixuan whispered.

Seeing Qing Shui's speechless look, Yu Xixuan couldn't help but let out a loud and charming laugh.

By now, they had already advanced deeper towards the area. If it wasn't for Little Rin, they would have had to engage in a number of battles. This was the kind of intimidating presence which one would possess once becoming strong enough.

By now, Qing Shui had also realized that he possessed decent strength. However, it was still, only decent. Strictly speaking, his strength was still not good enough. Luckily, his actual combat ability was far superior to his strength. After all, he had treasures like the Nine Continent Mountains. His Divine Dao Origin Essence was also very formidable, particularly in its defensive prowess.

Adding on the Hell Nightmare Beast and the Buddha Ultimate Art which he recently just acquired, by combining it with his Dragon Slaying Beast, his ability in actual combats would, without a doubt, be extremely strong. This time, he even tamed Little Rin. It did not only have a strong defensive prowess, but its offensive prowess also came along in the same package. For the time being, Qing Shui could have done as he pleased across the entire Northern Ice Domain, if it was only taking into account the forces that were shown on the surface.

"The medicinal herbs here are quite decent. They are much better compared to the ones before." Qing Shui saw an Ice Lotus Flower and immediately kept it.

They were on top of a huge ice mountain. They could very easily spot some Ice Lotus Flowers. These flowers had all already reached a certain age.

Hou!

Before he managed to pluck a lot of them, a loud and clear roaring noise came through.

A bear's roar!

Qing Shui was able to recognize the noise. It sounded very loud and reverberating. Qing Shui would have been worried if he didn't have Little Rin with him. After all, he wasn't alone. Even though the two girls might be powerful, they weren't strong enough to face off against it.

Hou-hou!

Yet another loud roaring noise came through. This time, the roar sounded even closer. Furthermore, there seemed to be more than one bear.

Qing Shui's expression changed. It appeared. Qing Shui was already able to see the big guy. Though it was about fifty meters tall, it actually looked even bigger than a python which was supposedly a hundred meters in size. This was an enormous bear. Even by only taking account of its weight, it would definitely be even heavier than a python that was two hundred meters in length.

For a demonic beast at this level to be fifty meters tall, Qing Shui didn't know how else he could describe it other than saying that it was a coincidence. After all, back then, Qing Shui had seen demonic beasts a thousand meters in length before. However, this would only apply when the demonic beasts were pythons or dragons. It was not that easy for the other races to reach a length worth a thousand meters.

The Ice Burst Demonic Bear!

Qing Shui knew that everyone had already received the message.

Most importantly, it was Ice Burst attributed. Everytime it attacked, there was a 30% chance that its attacks might double in power. This attribute alone was enough for it to be called heaven-defying. This was mainly due to the high percentage of the Ice Burst. In every three of its attacks, at least one of them would be twice as strong as the other two.

Aside from that, there was a fixed chance that it might partially freeze its opponent with its attacks. By doing that, its opponent's speed and reaction time would be reduced. On some very rare occasions, its attacks were even able to completely freeze its opponents.

This might be the reason why the Ice Burst Demonic Bear was able to become the Brother of Demons.

There were five of them in total. Luckily, Qing Shui had Little Rin with him. Qing Shui glanced at the Ice Burst Demonic Bear and spoke to the two young ladies, "Do you like this bear? If you do, we will try to take down at least two of them. Let's make our trip worthwhile."

Before this, Qing Shui had gone through the power and attributes of the Ice Burst Demonic Bear once. The two girls were staring at them with hopeful eyes. They felt that these bears were almost at the same level as Little Rin. Furthermore, the Ice Burst Demonic Bear also looked very cute but at the same time, mighty.

"I do, I like it a lot." Yu Xixuan quickly pointed her beautiful daggers.

"I like it too." Beiming Xue said a bit embarrassingly.

Chapter 2019 - Tamed the Ice Burst Demonic Bear, Little Rin, Four Phases Firecloud

"I like it too!" Beiming Xue sounded embarrassed.

"Alright, since all of you like the bear, I will try my best to get one for each of you," Qing Shui giggled.

There was nothing wrong with Qing Shui's statement, but there was a deeper meaning in it. What did he mean by "since all of you like the bear"?...

"You're annoying!" Yu Xixuan felt speechless and irritated.

Qing Shui laughed and dashed towards the Ice Burst Demonic Bears along with Little Rin. He had to beat the target to conquer it. Once it got beaten and completely sudued, it would be a lot easier to conquer it. By that time, it would not resist anymore.

Roar!

The bears were stubborn, they did not retreat although Little Rin made them nervous. It was mainly because of this ice mountain; it was their territory. Little Rin and the others were all outsiders, thus, they would not back off so easily.

In a roar, an Ice Burst Demonic Bear spit out an ice globe-like object at Little Rin.

Little Rin had fire attributes while the Ice Burst Demonic Bear had ice attributes, they were opposing elements.

Theoretically, the Ice Burst Demonic Bear would restrain Little Rin, but Little Rin had a far greater strength. Hence, the winner would be hard to tell. In the five elements, water could extinguish fire. For

instance, an amount of water could put off the same amount of fire, but things would be different if a small amount of water had to go against fire.

A tub or even a pail of water could put off the burning fireplace, but a bowl or a mouthful of water was insufficient to do that. Currently, Little Rin and the Ice Burst Demonic Bears were comparable to the fireplace and a bowl of water or even less than that.

At present, Little Rin's strength was a lot stronger than the Ice Burst Demonic Bear. After all, Little Rin had the help of Qing Shui's medicinal pellet.

Bang!

A flame rose from Little Rin's body and burnt the Ice Burst Bear with a crackling noise. Looking at the situation, five of the Ice Burst Demonic Bears dashed towards Little Rin crazily.

Bang bang...

A loud noise of explosion was heard. Both Little Rin and the Ice Burst Demonic Bear had a powerful resistance, but there was a large strength discrepancy between them. Qing Shui used the Buddha Ultimate Technique to support Little Rin continuously. Soon, Little Rin defeated the big guys.

The Ice Burst Demonic Bears looked terrible. They were soaked in blood and could hardly stand up. Endless shrieks were heard and they were badly frightened.

Qing Shui took out two Supreme Sacred Beast Pills and gave them to the two women.

"Feed the pill to the one that you like. Kill it at once if it resists. There are five of them anyway," Qing Shui laughed while intentionally saying that. He knew that these bears understood human language with their current strength.

The women found two bears which looked slightly stronger and fed them the Supreme Sacred Beast Pills given by Qing Shui.

The pills were rather effective. In split seconds, a bond was created between the two parties. In fact, their spirit energy left a spiritual mark on the brains of the Ice Burst Demonic Bears. Just like a man would never stab a knife in his own body, once the Super Sacred Beast Pill was swallowed, the beast would never disobey its owner. Going against the owner was suicidal, the demonic beast would suffer spiritual distress which was more terrifying than physical torment.

After taming the bears, Qing Shui healed their injuries and even improved their strengths. Now, they had around 2.5 billion Dao Force and a 5 billion Dao Force in every three attacks. This prowess was not too far behind Little Rin. Little Rin's advantage was in his ability to resist attacks and his stability. Besides, its biggest strength was in its potential. Little Rin was still growing up while the Ice Burst Demonic Bears were already adults.

The two women were over the moon after getting the Ice Burst Demonic Bears. At the moment, they were happily asking the beasts to show them their abilities. They were now more powerful than before because of Qing Shui's pills and fruits. It was obvious enough.

Now, they could estimate the strengths of the Ice Burst Demonic Bears. The beasts were a lot stronger than the owners now; the women could not even escape from the Ice Burst Demonic Bears in their current state.

This time, it was a fruitful and rewarding visit. Yet, they knew that they owed everything to Qing Shui. Without Qing Shui, they could never conquer the beasts and might not even get any rewards. On top of that, they would be risking their lives. It was invaluable for both of them to get the Ice Burst Demonic Bears this time.

Qing Shui looked at the remaining three Ice Burst Demonic Bears. It was hard to meet such strong and suitable demonic beasts. Before this, he met many powerful demonic beasts, but they were either chased away or killed as they attacked Qing Shui.

Qing Shui took out the Demonic Beast Token. He refined this token to shelter the living demonic beasts. In this Demonic Beast Token, the demonic beasts could hibernate up to one year. After one year, they would be released for feeding purposes before going back to the shelter.

It differed from the Interspatial Silk Sachet because the Demonic Beast Token could store living objects while the Interspatial Silk Sachet could not.

Keeping the three remaining Ice Burst Demonic Beasts in the token, Qing Shui planned to give them to a suitable person.

The demonic beasts could either be tameable or the other way round. The Ice Burst Demonic Bear was powerful and quite easy to tame. Therefore, Qing Shui took the initiative to ask the women whether they liked the Ice Burst Demonic Bears or not.

It was a perfect journey in the spiritual land. It would be worthwhile even if they met nothing else up ahead.

Qing Shui was capable of taming other demonic beasts, but now that he owned Little Rin, the Ice Burst Demonic Bear did not feel that important to him, especially when he could tame other demonic beasts that were more powerful. Though he already tamed many demonic beasts, he was reluctant to waste another quota, since everybody had a fixed quota of tamed beasts.

The quota of Yu Xixuan and Beiming Xue was already full with one Ice Burst Demonic Bear. They were basically unable to tame another demonic beast. Even the Supreme Sacred Beast Pill would be useless, as their spiritual sense and energy connecting to the demonic beasts were insufficient.

Qing Shui was not a Beast Tamer, although he could tame more demonic beasts. Hence, he would not simply tame demonic beasts. After all, it was easy to tame but tough to release. Last time, he gave Little Gold to Qing Yan. However, his spiritual sense and energy were still occupied until now and he could not tame a new demonic beast.

Thus, Qing Shui would not give his demonic beast away so easily unless it died. After its death, the energy could be re-applied to tame a whole new demonic beast.

Yet, Qing Shui would never kill his own demonic beasts even if they were lacking in strength. Currently, the Golden Scaled Dragon Elephant and others were slightly left out, but he could wait, they would

strengthen gradually. Qing Shui was confident that these demonic beasts would grow rapidly over the years.

Right now, Qing Shui was riding on Little Rin while the two women were riding on their Ice Burst Demonic Bears. Qing Shui was spellbound to realize that the Ice Burst Demonic Bears were much bigger in size than the Little Rin. Therefore, they looked more majestic.

However, all of a sudden, Qing Shui saw four fiery red flames beneath each of Little Rin's feet. After Little Rin was flying in the air, they were about the same height. Qing Shui felt much relieved at once.

Qing Shui was not surprised that Little Rin was able to fly. Still, land beasts were different from birds. Although a strong beast would be able to fly, its flying speed would not exceed the running speed. However, the Dragons and some special tribes were exceptions.

Little Rin was apparently one of these special tribes; it relied on the flames under its feet instead of flying directly. This was Little Rin's passive ability.

Four Phases Firecloud: Four times increase in flying speed, applicable during battle. Zero energy consumption.

Qing Shui figured it out now. This ability only appeared after Little Rin was fed with the Ancient Demonic Fruit. Previously, it did not have this kind of ability. Qing Shui already knew about Little Rin's previous speed, what about its current speed then?