

## Bodyguard 5321

### Chapter 5321 It's Fine If You're Not Willing

"It seems to have existed a long, long time ago, passed down from generation to generation. Why?" The nine neonate asked curiously.

"It's nothing. I just feel that it's not simple. " Lin Yi shook his head, but he was suspicious-what was the connection between this place and Sky Class Island?

His suspicion was not groundless. It was because after he had learned primordial spirit devouring, he found that it was very similar to West Mountain sect's soul-snatching hand. The similarity was at least 80%, almost a replica.

He'd made an incomplete hand of soul devouring on his own, but because of the lack of the practitioner's Arts, it was extremely weak-it wouldn't even be enough to deal with a foundational level practitioner, let alone someone of the same level. He'd just realized that the practitioner's Arts could be applied to the hand of soul devouring as well-it wasn't as good as the original, but it was at least eighty percent as powerful.

If this was a pure coincidence, it would be too much of a coincidence.

Lin Yi was more willing to believe that the Sky Class island's soul-devouring hand was similar to the essence spirit here-it was because the island and this place had some unknown origin. Perhaps the two came from the same source.

Starting from the secular world, the heaven rank Island, the small world, and this once-in-a-thousand-years trial ground all seemed to be inextricably linked.

Of course, even if there was a connection, it had nothing to do with Lin Yi. He was just curious.

Seeing that Lin Yi didn't say anything else, the nine neonate went silent for a moment before carefully testing, ""That ... What are your plans after this?"

"You're afraid that I'll stay and take over your place?" Lin Yi looked at him with a half-smile.

"Ugh ..." The nine neonate was embarrassed. That was what it meant. Ever since it found out that Lin Yi was a xuansheng stage spirit, it didn't have any hope of killing him. Especially after Lin Yi learned how to devour spirits, it didn't even dare to think about such crazy thoughts. It would be good enough if it could protect itself in this situation.

However, after ruling the trial grounds for so many years, it wasn't used to the sudden appearance of someone above it. If Lin Yi decided to stay and rule the mountain, it'd be in an awkward position in the future. Was it really going to be Lin Yi's follower from now on?

"Don't worry, I still have a lot of things to do outside. I don't have the mood to stay here and accompany you to be that Lord. " Lin Yi's answer made the nine neonate sigh in relief, ""But I have a request. You must let go of the human cultivators who came in this time."

"How can we do that?" The nine neonate immediately stomped its feet. It had waited for a thousand years before finally getting a group of human cultivators. It was rare for it to have a change of taste, so how could it let it go easily?

"Not happy? That's fine, I'll stay and practice with you. " Lin Yi said.

"Don't mind me, I promise. Is this okay?" The nine neonate quickly admitted defeat. Losing a batch of human Tributes wasn't a big deal to it. At most, it would have one less chance to improve its food. If it missed it, it didn't care, but if Lin Yi stayed and took over its territory, it wouldn't have a good time.

"Alright, go and make the arrangements. Remember, if anything happens to my people, then there will never be a possibility of peaceful coexistence between us. You should think about what to do." Lin Yi warned.

"Yes, yes. Don't worry." Of course, the nine neonate would not take the initiative to find trouble at this time. Its only thought at this moment was to quickly send this God of plague away. Upon hearing this, it quickly used its deified soul to pass down orders, strictly ordering all spirit beasts not to attack any human cultivators. Whoever stepped on the red line would be the primordial spirit that it was going to devour next.

"Alright, one last thing. Take me to the teleportation formation." Lin Yi said.

"A teleportation formation? You don't remember the location of the teleportation formation?" The nine neonate was stunned when it heard this. A dignified primordial spirit at the xuansheng stage couldn't have such a bad memory, right?

"I'm talking about the other teleportation formation. It's a one-way teleportation formation that leads directly to the small Jianghu in the ancient times. " Lin Yi's lips twitched. Xin Yijie had provided him with a map, but he could tell that it was outdated from what he'd experienced. There were a lot of places

that weren't accurate, and he wouldn't even be able to find a river of consciousness if he followed the map, much less a small one.

"The other one?" The nine neonate thought for a long time but could not remember. At this moment, water lotus, who was not far away, carefully interrupted and reminded, ""My Lord, you've forgotten that the teleportation array is right beside the blue sky Valley ..."

"Oh? Lead the way. " Lin Yi said.

However, water lotus smiled bitterly. "We can't go now. 700 years ago, the poison gas erupted and the place was already shrouded in the poison gas of the blue sky Valley. Outsiders can't enter at all."

"Really?" It wasn't just Lin Yi-Duanmu Yu was shocked as well. This was the only exit to the ancient martial world! If the one-way teleportation formation was completely blocked, wouldn't they all be trapped here?

"I remember now. There was indeed such a thing. That time, the poison gas erupted too violently, and I even went to suppress it myself. Although I finally managed to suppress the poison gas with all my might, I also suffered a great loss. That poison was very powerful." The nine neonate said with lingering fear.

"So it's completely useless." Lin Yi couldn't help but frown. He wouldn't mind if it was just him, but considering Leng Leng and the others, he couldn't go to a place like the Azure sky Valley, and this one-way teleportation formation was out of the question.

In other words, there was only one way left, and that was to go back to where he came from.

Xin Yijie had once said that the teleportation array that connected to the transit islands would not be covered by seawater for a short period of time. During this period of time, everyone could return at any time. However, if the seawater were to re-cover it in a month, it would be useless.

Lin Yi and Duanmu Yu looked at each other, rejoicing. Fortunately, they hadn't been here for too long-it was only half a month or so. They got the news from the nine infants and water lotus, or it would've been a disaster if they only found out a month later.

By then, both of the teleportation formations would be blocked, and everyone would be trapped here for a thousand years, except for Lin Yi ...

"Since that's the case, send us out," Lin Yi decided immediately. He wanted to practice with the nine neonate. After all, other than the spirit devour, the nine neonate had also researched many strange moves. With his comprehension and learning ability, he might be able to learn new powerful killer moves from them.

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Unfortunately, time was of the essence, and Lin Yi didn't dare to stay here for too long. After all, he still had to go back and meet up with Leng Leng and the others.

But then again, it wasn't that important to Lin Yi if he could learn new powerful moves from the nine neonate. Other than soul swallowing and other soul techniques, he didn't lack any other normal powerful moves. One more didn't matter.

As long as he steadily increased his level, he would naturally be able to use super killer moves like the killing intent of the five elements and Eight Trigrams and the Thunder burial. No matter how strong the

moves that the nine neonate had developed by itself were, could they be stronger than these two moves?

As for Lin Yi's most useful essence spirit technique, the nine neonate only knew how to devour essence spirits and nothing else ...

"Alright, alright, alright." The nine neonate couldn't ask for more and immediately opened a path for Lin Yi.

After swimming in this dark underground river for a while, Lin Yi could clearly feel the water flow becoming faster. Under the nine infants' signal, Lin Yi brought Duanmu Yu up and a stream of water wrapped around the two of them. They quickly rose and saw the light again in a short while, returning to the bank of the river of consciousness.

The nine neonate followed him all the way to the shore and politely said, ""Take care, please forgive me for not seeing you off."

He had finally sent this guy away! The nine neonate wanted to sigh, but before it could, Lin Yi suddenly turned his head, ""Wait a moment!"

"What now?" The nine neonate paused, afraid that Lin Yi would do something stupid again. After all, a xuansheng stage essence spirit that had learned how to devour was not to be trifled with.

"It's nothing. You can go back, but I need to borrow it for a while." Lin Yi pointed at the water lily. He needed it to meet up with Leng Leng and the others.

"No problem, protector. I'll leave this matter to you. Follow senior's instructions." The nine neonate sold the water lily without hesitation and returned to the river of consciousness, leaving the water lily with a resentful face.

Luckily, Lin Yi didn't want to make things difficult for water lotus. Under its guidance, the two quickly found Leng Leng and the others upstream. At this time, they were all eager to try, just like when Lin Yi and Duanmu Yu first found this place. They were studying how to train their spirit sense in the river of consciousness, but they didn't know that this was just a cover from the nine neonate.

"Lin Yi!" Leng Leng, who was the strongest among them, was the first to notice Lin Yi. She was overjoyed.

"Boss!" The others reacted and were also overjoyed. They surrounded Lin Yi and started talking about what they had been through these days. At the same time, they asked where Lin Yi had been. Although they had absolute confidence in Lin Yi's strength, they would be lying if they said they weren't worried at all.

"Are you all right?" Lin Yi looked at each and every one of them carefully, making sure that no one was missing an arm or a leg, or seriously injured. Only then did he feel relieved.

"I'm fine! We're all fine!" Everyone was grinning.

"Hehe, I haven't seen you for a few days, and everyone has become darker and slimmer. However, your energy is more abundant than before, and your eyes are brighter than before. It seems like you've gained quite a lot from this trial." Lin Yi felt happy from the bottom of his heart. He didn't have to ask to

know that everyone had been through a lot of tough battles these days, and injuries were inevitable, but it was all worth it. How could they have been reborn like this without going through the line of life and death?

That's right, it was a complete change. Everyone's strength level didn't change, but their auras were different. As someone who'd been through this, Lin Yi knew better than anyone else that this was far more important than their levels-this was the first step on the path to becoming a strong master.

"Don't mention it. It was not easy to find this spiritual awareness River, but I couldn't find anything that could be used to temper the spiritual awareness. How could there be any harvest ..." Everyone was disheartened when they talked about this. They were like the others, they wanted to come here to temper their spiritual awareness, but in the end, they got nothing.

"Don't worry, I'll tell you about this on the way. Everyone, get ready. We're going back. " Lin Yi said.

"Go back? Go back to where?" Everyone was stunned.

"Transit islands. Let's go." Lin Yi waved his hand and led the way back to the teleportation formation.

Everyone was confused, but since it was Lin Yi's decision, they didn't question it and followed him.

Cool and Lingshan, on the other hand, were with Duanmu Yu. As long as they had the heart, it was always easy for women to get close to each other. They always had endless topics to talk about, and even a tough woman like Duanmu Yu was no exception.



The whole journey was silent. Now that even the nine-headed fierce beast was cowering in front of Lin Yi, the other spirit beasts were even more so. They had all heard the nine-headed fierce beast's warning and didn't dare to attack human cultivators at all. Otherwise, they would become Tributes themselves.

When Lin Yi and the others returned to the teleportation formation, the other disciples of the ancient Alliance were also coming back one after another. They were all covered in dust and dirt, but they didn't know why. Most of them were captured as Tributes, and some were even sent to the river of consciousness. However, Lin Yi's one word changed their fate and they were all released. They didn't know anything about it.

However, although these people didn't know the inside story, they at least knew the danger. This once-in-a-Millennium archaic trial ground was so dangerous that they didn't dare to stay for a moment longer. Compared to their own lives, the river of consciousness and heavenly treasures were all fleeting clouds. Therefore, all of them made the same choice and retreated the same way they came.

However, they had come full of anticipation, but ended up with nothing. They had come in high spirits but left in low spirits. Not only did they not gain anything, but they also had to use the spiritual Jade to activate the teleportation array. Everyone was really in a bad mood.

However, on second thought, this place was so dangerous. At least they managed to keep their lives. It was a blessing in disguise. They had not even lost their money.

After entering the fire Bat Cave, everyone activated the teleportation formation to return to the transit islands. When it was Lin Yi's turn, there was a commotion at the entrance.

"What's the situation?" Everyone looked at each other. Lin Yi was a little surprised too. Did a spirit beast ignore the nine neonate's warning and come in?

After a few seconds, a figure ran in pathetically. His entire body was covered in blood, and he was almost a bloody man. When everyone saw the person's appearance clearly, they could not help but be shocked. This person was actually the young sect leader of the thousand blades sect, Ling Tianyou!

#### Chapter 5323 Another Slap

Although his strength was only at the peak of the late Foundation establishment stage on the surface, there was no doubt about Ling Tianyou's strength. Even the current Leng Leng did not dare to say that she could beat him by a level. However, she did not expect him to be in such a sorry state. It was no exaggeration to say that this person was almost dead. He was completely relying on his last breath to hold on until now.

"F \* ck! Thousand flying blades, what did you encounter?" Chentian couldn't help but ask.

There was no need for Ling Tianyou to reply, as the figure chasing after him had already appeared before everyone's eyes. When they got a clear look, everyone was shocked again. In front of them was not some powerful spirit beast as they had imagined, but an extremely familiar person-Xue Jianfeng.

"Lin Yi? Duanmu Yu? You guys didn't die?" Xue Jianfeng was the first to be shocked. He clearly kicked the two into the river of consciousness and thought that they were dead for sure. He didn't expect them to appear here unscathed!

"Are you very disappointed?" Lin Yi's lips curled up as he looked at Ling Tianyou, who was covered in blood,""It seems like you're a busy man. Not only did you trick us, but you also went to trick young sect master Ling. Are you afraid that you can't beat the thousand flying blades in the future, so you're killing the threat before it's too late?"

A simple sentence had directly exposed Xue Jianfeng's intentions. Xue Jianfeng's expression changed immediately. Ling Tianyou's identity was no small matter. If this matter was exposed, it would definitely trigger the anger of the entire thousand blades sect. It would be a huge problem for him.

With his strength at the perfected golden core realm, he had thought that killing Ling Tianyou, who was only at the peak of the late Foundation establishment stage, would be a piece of cake. He did not expect Ling Tianyou to escape all the way here. The thousands of blades flying at the same time were no small matter.

If it was just that, Xue Jianfeng wouldn't mind spending more effort to silence people. Killing people to keep their mouths shut wasn't a problem for him at all. However, the people standing in front of him were Lin Yi's group.

After joining the Central's key training program and becoming a master of the great circle of the Golden core stage, Xue Jianfeng was originally full of himself. He basically didn't put anyone in his eyes. After all, in theory, he was much stronger than everyone else.

But after coming here, he found out that Bing Wuqing had also become a perfected golden core, and her strength was stronger than his. Lin Yi, who he had regarded as a noob, could actually transform into a Dragon and beat up the brain-eating insect so hard that even its mother couldn't recognize it. Xue Jianfeng suddenly realized that he was a little too naive ...

And now, Lin Yi and Duanmu Yu, who were supposed to have died in the river of consciousness, were standing right in front of him, looking as if they were still alive and kicking, with no injuries at all. Furthermore, they happened to be right at the moment when he was chasing after Ling Tianyou-what was he supposed to do?

"I have to say, you guys are really unlucky." Xue Jianfeng smiled coldly as he made up his mind. He had no other choice. If he didn't want to leave any hidden dangers, he could only go on a killing spree today. Ling Tianyou had to die, and so did Lin Yi and the others. Not a single one of them was left alive.

It was a crazy idea, but Xue Jianfeng did have the ability to do so. Other than Lin Yi, whom he didn't know anything about, he had an absolute advantage over everyone else. The most important thing was that this was the fire Bat Cave, and he was standing right in front of the only exit.

As for the teleportation array, it took time to operate. From the time the spiritual Jade was ready to the start of the teleportation, it would take at least half an incense's time, and this little time was enough for him to kill everyone seven or eight times.

"Oh, really? Why do I feel like my luck is pretty good?" Lin Yi didn't think much of it and smiled faintly. He turned to look at the blood-covered Ling Tianyou, ""Are you alright?"

"I won't die for the time being ..." Ling Tianyou was already on the verge of collapsing. He couldn't even stand up straight. However, he still managed to force a smile. Although this smile was uglier than crying, it had to be said that this fellow was really tenacious.

"Alright, then you'll owe me a favor," Lin Yi nodded and walked towards Xue Jianfeng. Leng Leng and the others wanted to help but Lin Yi stopped them.

The snow sword was indeed very strong, but he had come at the wrong time.

Lin Yi wouldn't be able to do anything to him if he'd just arrived, but things were different now.

Xue Jianfeng looked at Lin Yi, who was walking closer and closer, and couldn't help but sneer, ""Strange things really happen every year, especially this year. You can't possibly think that you can scare me with your little bit of strength, right? are you still unclear of the situation, Junior Master Lin of the North Island's Green cloud School?"

"Who doesn't understand the situation?" Lin Yi said with a half-smile as he stood a step in front of her, raising his hand to slap her.

Leng Leng and the others did not have any strange expressions, but Ling Tianyou was extremely anxious when he saw this scene. He had been chased all this way and had a deep understanding of snow Jianfeng's terrifying strength. He quickly reminded, ""He's a golden core ..."

But before he could finish his sentence, Lin Yi slapped him to the ground. Lin Yi turned to him and said, "What?"

"Uh ... Nothing ..." Ling Tianyou swallowed the last two words, almost biting off his own tongue. He was dumbfounded by the scene before him, and his mind was in a mess.

Ling Tianyou was only shocked. At this moment, Xue Jianfeng, who was the person in question, was completely dumbfounded.

He was a golden core peak level practitioner, and Lin Yi was only a Foundation peak level practitioner. Even if he had all sorts of tricks up his sleeve, even if his strength couldn't be measured with common sense, there was no need for him to be this scary, right?

An expert in the great circle of the Golden core stage was slapped to the ground by a cultivator in the great circle of the Foundation Stage?

After a while, Xue Jianfeng got up with a face full of disbelief. Before he could figure out what was going on, Lin Yi raised his hand and slapped him again.

Bang! Bang! Xue Jianfeng didn't kneel down this time, but was slapped to the ground. He looked at Lin Yi in shock. When he noticed Lin Yi's movement, he was ready to Dodge. It should be easy for a full gold core realm master to avoid a slap, but he didn't.

He didn't know what Lin Yi did, but it was as if he was possessed-he couldn't Dodge it.

"You ..." Xue Jianfeng panicked, but before he could say anything, Lin Yi slapped him again without saying a word. He was a full-stage golden core cultivator.

It wasn't just Xue Jianfeng who was stunned. Everyone in the hall, including Leng Leng and the others, were all in shock. If they didn't know each other's joints, they would've thought that Xue Jianfeng was an actor hired by Lin Yi. Just based on his realistic acting, he should've added at least two chicken legs to his lunch box.

#### Chapter 5324 Exchanging Lives

Xue Jianfeng staggered up again, but this time he learned his lesson. He didn't care about his image as he rolled a few meters away before carefully getting up. Lin Yi wouldn't mind giving him another slap if he didn't.

"What kind of tricks are you playing?" Xue Jianfeng stared at Lin Yi in fear. He didn't understand the first time, the second time, but the third time finally gave him a clue.

The reason why he couldn't avoid Lin Yi's slap was because every time Lin Yi raised his hand, there was a strong suction force that sucked his spirit. To be more precise, it was like an invisible giant hand trying to suck his spirit out of his body. He couldn't break free at all, which was why his consciousness was so slow.

This kind of method was far beyond the use of ordinary spiritual awareness. If Xue Jianfeng was a master in the great circle of the Golden core stage with a deep foundation, he would have some ability to protect himself in this regard. However, he relied on the central medicine to reach the sky in one step, and there was no progress in the primordial spirit at all, so it could be said that he had no resistance.

"Tricks? You're very close to it. Yes, it's a trick. Let's try it again. " Lin Yi smiled mysteriously. The move he just used was the soul Catcher hand, but it was an improved version.

His original imitation of the soul-hooking hand had limited effects and had no effect on primordial spirits of Xue Jianfeng's level. Fortunately, he had learned primordial spirit engulfing from the jiuying. As the saying went, "one skill leads to a hundred skills." The core tricks of the two could be used together, and the power of the improved version of the soul-hooking hand was naturally greatly improved. Even if it was not 100% comparable to the original version of the West Mountain old sect's soul-hooking hand, it was not far from it.

Although Lin Yi's yuan spirit was only at the peak of the Foundation Stage, the key was that the strength of the improved Soul Catcher hand wasn't determined by the physical strength, but by the yuan spirit. Don't forget that he was at the xuansheng stage. Even if he couldn't unleash the full power of the xuansheng stage's yuan spirit, even if it was only one ten-thousandth, it was enough to give a golden core stage master like Xue Jianfeng a hard time.

Seeing Lin Yi's hand out again, Xue Jianfeng backed off a bit more as if he had seen a ghost. He only stopped when he was a dozen meters away, his face full of fear and shock. That feeling of his soul being pulled out was too horrifying, he didn't want to experience it again.

"Don't ... Don't come over ... Let's ... Let's talk this out ..." Xue Jianfeng panicked-Lin Yi was no longer a Foundation Stage cultivator, he was a demon.

In the face of such an evil and mysterious primordial spirit technique, the only thing he could do was to run.

"Hehe, now you know that we can talk things out. What were you doing earlier?" Lin Yi made a grabbing motion on purpose, scaring Xue Jianfeng so much that he almost ran away.

"I ... I was possessed ... Please forgive me ..." Xue Jianfeng stammered. It wasn't that he didn't want to run, but he knew that Lin Yi's speed was much faster than everyone else's. Unless Lin Yi agreed to let him go, he wouldn't be able to escape.

"En, your words are very interesting. Just a few days ago, you almost caused Duanmu Yu and I to die in the river of consciousness, and now you want me to forgive you. Do you think that I fell into the river of consciousness, so there's too much water in my brain?" Lin Yi couldn't help but laugh, and it made Xue Jianfeng's hair stand on end. If he were in Lin Yi's position, he would definitely kill the weed by its roots.

As Lin Yi said, only a fool would let him go at a time like this.



In fact, with Lin Yi's personality, he wouldn't let him go just like that. Although Xue Jianfeng couldn't do much in front of Lin Yi's soul-devouring hand, he was still a peak Jindan. If he let the Tiger go back to the mountain, he would be a huge threat to everyone else.

"My ... My father is the Vice sect leader of snow sword sect. Killing me won't do you any good. Besides, you'll all be hunted down by snow sword sect, especially her!" Xue Jianfeng brought up his father in a moment of desperation. If central was not a secret organization, but a powerful organization that could be used to scare people openly, he believed that he would also be the first to reveal it.

Being pointed at by Xue Jianfeng, Leng Leng shrugged her shoulders noncommittally. If Xue Jianfeng's father had the final say in snow sword sect, she would have been a traitorous disciple a long time ago. She would not care about another crime.

"Hehe, there's only you and US in this place. Even if we kill you, no one will know. Or do you think one of them will leak this out?" Lin Yi said, curling his lips.

Other than Leng Leng and her own people, the only people left were Duanmu Yu and Ling Tianyou, two outsiders. Of these two, one had been kicked into the river of consciousness by Xue Jianfeng, and the other had been chased by him until he was half dead. Which one of them would say anything?

"Uh ..." Xue Jianfeng choked and broke out in a cold sweat. He had just wanted to kill him, but in the blink of an eye, he had become a fish on a chopping block.

Fortunately, Lin Yi's next words made him let out a breath of relief, "When you talked about benefits, I suddenly remembered that you got spirit sense grass right? Using a spirit sense grass to exchange for your life, I think it should be a good deal, what do you think?"

"You want the spirit sense grass?" Xue Jianfeng was shocked and subconsciously wanted to refuse. This was one of his biggest gains from this trip and the key to becoming the strongest Aurous core stage master in the future. How could he just take it out so easily?

"Of course, don't tell me you don't want to give it to me? That's fine, it's just a bit more work. Although I don't like to touch corpses, I don't mind enduring for the legendary spirit sense grass. " Lin Yi shrugged nonchalantly.

Xue Jianfeng immediately fell into a struggle. He didn't want to give up on the spirit sense grass, but he didn't want to lose his life here. Compared to his life, no matter how good a treasure was, it was nothing.

In fact, with his strength, he could try to run away, or even try to counter-attack Lin Yi. After all, Leng Leng and the others were ready-made chips, and he might have a chance to turn the tables. Unfortunately, he was scared out of his wits by the soul-devouring hand.

This was a common problem for humans. When faced with the unknown, they would always be filled with endless fear. This fear would gradually swallow all reason and stop the brain from thinking, just like Xue Jianfeng at this moment.

"Three, two, one," Lin Yi started counting down, and Xue Jianfeng threw out the spiritual grass.

"Only half?" Lin Yi frowned. People who didn't know might think that this was all the spirit grass, but he and Duanmu Yu had seen the whole thing.

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Bing Wuqing has taken the other half. I'm telling the truth." Xue Jianfeng quickly clarified.

"Alright, you can get lost now. It's best if you don't appear in front of us, and don't even think about getting any ideas about any of us. Because no matter when I want your life, it'll be as easy as turning my hand." Lin Yi said coldly.

Xue Jianfeng didn't dare to say anything, nor did he dare to leave any harsh words. He turned around and ran away without saying anything, disappearing without a trace in the blink of an eye.

When everyone saw this scene, they looked at each other. Duanmu Yu could not help but say, "We're really going to let him go?"

In their eyes, letting Xue Jianfeng go was an extremely stupid decision. Lin Yi should know the consequences of doing so. He shouldn't be so soft-hearted, right?

Although the spirit sense grass was also important, that was for others. For someone who had a spirit sense grass, what was a mere half a piece of it? It was obvious that this was just an excuse for Lin Yi to let them go.

Lin Yi couldn't help but smile at the weird expressions on everyone's faces. "Don't worry, I'm not stupid. I have my own reasons for sparing his life. "

Letting Xue Jianfeng go was a decision Lin Yi made after careful consideration for two reasons.

Firstly, Xue Jianfeng was one of Central's most valued training Masters, and killing him would alert Central. Lin Yi didn't want to have a direct confrontation with central yet, since he was alone and had no chance of winning.

The second reason was more important and more direct than the first, because he could not kill Xue Jianfeng.

It was true that Lin Yi had mastered the improved version of the soul Catcher hand, and it was enough to deal with any golden core stage soul. However, using the soul Catcher hand once required a huge amount of spiritual energy, and if it wasn't replenished in time, the soul might collapse.

Of course, the Roots of the Spirit sense grass contained a huge amount of spirit sense energy, but it was completely different from the star Black coal. The spirit sense energy of the star Black coal could be replenished at any time, but every bit of spirit sense energy of the spirit sense grass had a tempering effect. This meant that it couldn't be replenished quickly, and could only be absorbed bit by bit in pain.

So, the spirit grass could only be used for normal training, not for recovery. Lin Yi couldn't take the risk, and so he let Xue Jianfeng go after giving him enough mental pressure.

"Thank you ..." Although Ling Tianyou felt that it was a pity to let Xue Jianfeng go, this wasn't something he could decide. The only thing he could do was to remember Lin Yi's favor and Xue Jianfeng's great kindness. He would slowly settle the score when he returned to the small ancient martial world.

"You're welcome. Let's go together. " Lin Yi smiled and activated the teleportation formation with the others. They returned to the islands in a flash.

"Senior granduncle, you're back!" Xin Yijie was on the side, and everyone quickly came up to Lin Yi. Most of the ancient Alliance disciples had returned, and all of them went back to rest after getting nothing.

"I have no choice. I can't not come back." Lin Yi shook his head with a bitter smile. He wouldn't have brought them back so early if it weren't for the fact that the other one-way teleportation formation couldn't be used due to the poison.

"Then ... What are your plans next? You should be going back to the green cloud School on the North Island with me, right?" Xin Yijie asked carefully.

He'd wanted to ask this question for a long time. To the green cloud sect, Lin Yi was a great uncle-master they could ask for if they could. His strength aside, he had the complete ancient arts in his head. This was an unparalleled fortune for the entire green cloud sect. They couldn't just ignore it.

"Of course." Lin Yi nodded. He didn't have the intention to do that at first, but after knowing that central was preparing to extend their reach into the ancient martial world, he had to go and take a look.

After all, he already knew that his family had a relationship with Central's mortal enemy. It was fine if he didn't know about it back on the Sky Class Island, but now that he had caught up with the small Jianghu of the ancient times, he had to find a way to stop their expansion.

Of course, it would be best to do it in the dark. Lin Yi didn't want to fight central head on yet.

But then again, it wasn't like he couldn't shed all pretenses of cordiality if he really had to. The power of the Sky Class Island was unfathomable, but it was much worse in the secular world. It wasn't like he couldn't fight.

"Good, good, this disciple will send a letter to the higher-ups of the sect and have them prepare to welcome martial granduncle." Xin Yijie said excitedly.

"There's no need to mobilize so many people. By the way, when are we leaving?" Lin Yi asked.

"In a few more days, when the teleportation formation is covered by the sea again, I will arrange for everyone to start the teleportation together." Xin Yijie said.

"Alright," he said. Lin Yi brought everyone back to the Qingyun sect's private island in the North Island. On one hand, it was convenient for everyone to rest and recuperate, and on the other hand, he had to make some arrangements.

This time, the group had an additional member, Duanmu Yu.

Duanmu Yu couldn't be considered as one of Lin Yi's own yet, but her relationship with Lin Yi had gone beyond that of normal partners-they were life-and-death friends. Lin Yi's purpose for calling her over was simple-to split the loot.

The two had agreed from the start that if they found the spirit sense grass, they would split it in half. Now, there was a huge root in Lin Yi's Jade space, as well as the half of the spirit sense grass he just extorted from Xue Jianfeng. Of course, these were nothing compared to the root.

Lin Yi took out the entire root in front of everyone, and it looked like a small mountain. Even Leng Leng and the others, who had heard about it on the way, couldn't help but swallow when they saw it.

"Which half do you want?" Lin Yi said as he looked at Duanmu Yu.

"You're really giving me half?" Duanmu Yu found it hard to believe. From the beginning to the end, her only role was to provide clues about the spiritual awareness grass.

Lin Yi did everything for her, and not only was she unable to help, she was saved by Lin Yi twice as well. There was no reason for her to insist on splitting it in half, and she could even accept it if Lin Yi took it all for himself, but she didn't think that Lin Yi would really want to split it equally with her.

"Didn't we agree on this?" Lin Yi shrugged. If Duanmu Yu wasn't a good person, he wouldn't feel any pressure taking everything for himself. However, from what he'd seen before, he was a very reliable friend. Lin Yi could cheat anyone, but not his friends and his own people.

Duanmu Yu choked for a moment. He then said with a somewhat moved expression, "Actually, you don't have to give me so much. After all, I didn't help you. Instead, I owe you two lives. If you really give me half, I'll feel bad! Even though I've been dreaming about this, I won't take what doesn't belong to me. "

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"No, no, if it wasn't for the clues you provided, I wouldn't even know about the spirit sense grass and wouldn't have gotten such a harvest, so this is what you deserve." Lin Yi insisted. He was always generous to his friends.

"I said, I won't take what doesn't belong to me." Duanmu Yu's attitude was even more resolute than his. He pointed to the half of the spiritual awareness grass that was thrown to the side and said, "This one then. This is what we agreed on in advance, isn't it?"

"But ..." Lin Yi still wanted to persuade him. After all, according to the nine neonate, the effect of the spirit grass was far less than the root. Even if he didn't want half of it, just a small piece would be more valuable than this half of the spirit grass.

"No buts, let's just leave it at that." Duanmu Yu picked up the half of the spirit grass and left, not giving Lin Yi any chance.

"This woman is so free and easy." Chentian and the others all nodded and sighed as they watched Duanmu Yu leave. Although it would be a bit too much for him to take half of it, the root was right in front of him. If it was someone else, they wouldn't be as open-minded as Duanmu Yu, and they would have to think about it.

"He's really free and easy." Lin Yi couldn't help but look at Duanmu Yu in a higher light. As expected of the big Senior Sister of the leaf spirit sect. Just this magnanimity and attitude alone was enough to tell that this woman wasn't simple.

"Lin Yi bro, you should've asked her to stay. It's not easy to find such a cool big sister, you won't get another one if you miss this opportunity." Ziyu chuckled as she spoke.

Lin Yi rolled his eyes and ignored her. He turned to the others, "The roots of the spiritual grass contain a huge amount of spiritual energy, but this spiritual energy can not be directly absorbed because it has a natural soul tempering effect. Every bit you absorb will cause you to suffer unparalleled pain and suffering. As long as you can endure it, your soul will become even stronger."



"Shall we start now?" Chentian and the others were excited.

"No, your primordial spirits are still too weak right now, they can't withstand the impact of that spiritual energy. Only after you have advanced to the jiedan stage will you be safe." Lin Yi shook his head. The spirit sense grass was a test for golden core Masters, but it shouldn't be too dangerous. After all, that was where the strongest golden core came from.

"Aurous core stage? Wouldn't we have to wait until God knows when?" Everyone was discouraged- other than Leng Leng, they were all only at the peak of the early Foundation Stage. They were still thousands of miles away from the Golden core stage, and even with the foundation breakthrough pills and golden cores that Lin Yi gave them, it would still take a few years.

Leng Leng would be there soon. She was already at the perfected Foundation establishment stage. With her talent, she only needed a little more time to stabilize and recover her Foundation before she could attempt to break through to the Golden core stage. It was not far away.

"Don't be anxious, that day will come. What you need to do is to train your spiritual awareness and prepare for it." With that, Lin Yi cut out a small piece of the spirit grass and gave it to everyone. They didn't need it right now, but it was for emergencies. It was the same for other Foundation elixirs-Lin Yi would give them out in advance, in case he suddenly returned to Sky Class Island.

Everyone put it away, and Lingshan suddenly asked, "Are all of us going to the small Jianghu of the immemorial era?"

"No, we need to leave some people here." Lin Yi shook his head. This was the most important thing to prepare for before he went to the ancient martial world. He needed to properly assign people.

"Who's staying? Who's leaving?" Everyone looked at each other. Ever since they decided to participate in the archaic trials, they had already mentally prepared themselves for this. It was just that they had not officially decided yet.

"Those who are bound by family ties should try their best to stay. Although it doesn't mean that they can't come back even if they go to the small Jianghu of the immemorial era, no one can guarantee how long they will stay there. It might be a few years, a few decades, or even longer. So, we must consider it carefully." Lin Yi said to everyone.

Everyone fell into silence. Many of them were not alone, but had placed the hope of their entire family on them. If they could return in a short time, it would be fine, but if they didn't return soon, it would be equivalent to cutting off their ties with the entire family. By the time they returned, things might have changed.

But she said she'd go with Lin Yi, and she didn't want to go to Tianjie Island, and now she wasn't going to the ancient martial world either-was this really appropriate?

Lin Yi laughed when he saw the expressions on their faces. "Actually, you don't have to be so heavy-hearted and think too much. Those who are tied down by their families can stay. As for the small Jianghu in the ancient times, if we find a way to come back in a short time, it won't be too late for you to go with us. If it takes a long time, you can still take care of the things in the secular world. Don't forget, you still have to help me keep an eye on central."

Lin Yi's words made everyone relax. Indeed, because of Central's existence, there was a need to leave some people to keep an eye on the secular world.

"There are still a few days left. Everyone, think about it." Lin Yi said with a smile.

A few days passed in a flash. The disciples of the immemorial Alliance had returned one after another. Of course, there were some who did not return. However, because the spirit beasts in the trial ground had to offer human Tributes to the nine neonate, most of them survived. In terms of the casualty rate, this was probably the lowest in the history of the immemorial trial.

Of course, this was all thanks to Lin Yi. Otherwise, the result would have been completely different. Even if they didn't get wiped out completely, it wouldn't be too far off. It was just that no one knew about it.

Xue Jianfeng came back. After being scared away by Lin Yi, he wandered around the training ground for a few days. He even wanted to go to the river of consciousness to try his luck, but he found nothing. He could only give up.

On the last day, Bing Wuqing had managed to rush back in time. As an expert in the exceptional gold core realm, she was in a sorry state. She had tried to find another one-way teleportation formation that led directly to the small Jianghu in the ancient times according to the map, but she had ended up falling headfirst into the poisonous gas in the Azure sky secluded valley and had almost died there.

It was the same for health-maintenance Fei. He had been following Bing Wuqing all this time, but he had almost fallen into the poisonous gas's range as well. Fortunately, Bing Wuqing had given him enough warning, or he would have lost his life.

The tide had already covered the teleportation array again. Those who were supposed to return had returned, and those who hadn't returned at this time would most likely never return.

Xin Yijie gathered all the members together, and Bing Wuqing was shocked to see Lin Yi and Duanmu Yu intact. She was the same as Xue Jianfeng, thinking that Lin Yi and Duanmu Yu were dead for sure. She didn't expect it to be the opposite.

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But with so many eyes on him, especially with Xue Jianfeng there, Lin Yi didn't say anything. He only made eye contact.

"Senior granduncle, are you sure you want to bring them to the ancient lake?" Xin Yijie confirmed with Lin Yi. Other than Leng Leng, Lingshan, Ziyu, Chentian, qikun, and qijiu were also with Lin Yi. As for Yutian, Yu Bing, and the others, they decided to stay after some consideration.

Chen Yutian and Yu Dake were taking care of the unconscious girls.

"Can 't?" Lin Yi raised a brow.

"No, no, no, how can it not work? to be able to have so many good seedlings with unlimited potential all of a sudden, this is the blessing of our blue cloud School in the North Island. I can't be happier. How can it not work!" Xin Yijie couldn't hide his excitement. He had seen the outstanding performance of song Lingshan and the others in the competition. In terms of potential, they were much higher than lie yingzu and the others. This was a good seedling that he could place his hopes on.

"That's good. " Lin Yi nodded and said goodbye to Yu Bing and the others. He entered the teleportation formation with the other ancient Alliance disciples and started the teleportation.

In an instant, a large group of people were teleported at the same time. The scene in front of them changed. All they could see was a vast sea of clouds, and under their feet was a mountain that reached the sky. The teleportation formation was located at the top of the mountain.

The other archaic Alliance disciples didn't react differently. After all, they were from here, and they were teleported here before. However, to song Lingshan and the others, this was a new experience. This was their first time Crossing Worlds!

"This Cloud Mist is a little powerful." Lin Yi frowned after some observation-the clouds here felt like the sea fog on Sky Class Island, and it affected his spirit sense greatly. Even he couldn't sense very far.

"It's more than just powerful. This is the most famous mountain of clouds and sea of mist in the entire small Jianghu of the immemorial era. It's an out-and-out forbidden area. Now, it's already at its thinnest. If it were any other time, we wouldn't even be able to see what's beneath us, let alone teleport up the mountain. We don't know where we're going." Xin Yijie explained.

"Oh? Then what should we do next?" Lin Yi asked.

"Let's go down the mountain. There are aerial spirit beasts prepared at the foot of the mountain. They should return to the middle Island, back to the Middle Island. We should return to the North Island, back to the North Island." Xin Yijie said.

Xin Yijie led the way in front while everyone followed silently behind. Although they could barely see a few meters, it wasn't easy to go down the steep mountain. Even though everyone was at least Foundation establishment experts, if they accidentally stepped on unstable rocks, they would probably die.

Even if everyone was trying their best to walk deeper in, it wasn't foolproof. The mountain winds were extremely fierce, and if they weren't careful, they would be blown down. Thus, they had to be extremely careful with every step they took. They didn't want to throw their lives in the danger-ridden ancient trial grounds. If they ended up dying here, they would really die with everlasting regret.

The mountain path was narrow, so it was inevitable that everyone would be pulled very long. They couldn't be too far away from each other, or they would lose the traces of their predecessors, but they couldn't be too close either, or they could easily kill each other if they were to push each other when the wind was strong.

Lin Yi's group followed behind Xin Yijie and the other Qingyun disciples. Wu Chengtian was at the back, but after realizing that it was Xue Jianfeng, Lin Yi changed his position.

Xue Jianfeng was obviously up to no good-even Lin Yi wouldn't be able to react in time if he were to do something bad here. He had to nip the threat in the bud.

"Get lost!" Lin Yi's voice was suddenly imprinted in Xue Jianfeng's mind, giving him a shock. He almost lost his life on the spot.

Xue Jianfeng glared at Lin Yi, but the aftershock from the soul-devouring hand had him scared out of his wits. He didn't have the guts to turn on Lin Yi right now, and so he retreated.

After Xue Jianfeng had retreated, the person who followed closely behind was none other than Bing Wuqing.

"How is it? The Gu poison hasn't acted up yet?" Lin Yi said through divine sense. This was the first time he had spoken to Bing Wuqing after returning from the ancient trial grounds.

"No, I didn't," Bing Wuqing replied. The last time she saw Lin Yi and Duanmu Yu being kicked into the river of consciousness, she had been worried about it. In the end, she realized that the Gu poison was much more stable than she had imagined, and there was no sign of an outbreak.

"It seems that the old man's skills are better than mine. If I were to cast the Gu, you might have already died from the poison." Lin Yi said faintly.

Bing Wuqing's heart skipped a beat when she heard this, but she didn't show it on her face. Without changing her expression, she asked the question he was most concerned about, ""Under what circumstances will the poison take effect?"

"That depends on when I let the poison take effect. You don't have to worry about that, unless you turn a blind eye to it again." Lin Yi paused and smiled. "How's the half spirit sense grass?"

Bing Wuqing was shocked. She would never have thought that Lin Yi would know about this!

In fact, it was understandable if Lin Yi didn't know about this at the beginning. However, after he heard from Xue Jianfeng that Bing Wuqing had given him half of it, he would be too slow if he didn't realize it.

Xue Jianfeng wasn't a fool. He wouldn't show off his possession of the consciousness grass in front of anyone, especially when it was an equally matched expert like Bing Wuqing. The fact that Bing Wuqing was able to get half of the consciousness grass was proof enough. He must have seen it with his own eyes when Xue Jianfeng had obtained the consciousness grass. In other words, he had seen with his own

eyes how Xue Jianfeng had kicked Duanmu Yu and himself into the consciousness River, and he hadn't stopped them from the beginning.

"I ..." Bing Wuqing opened her mouth, but didn't say anything in the end. She wasn't a glib-tongued person, and what Lin Yi said was the truth. Trying to explain would only make things worse.

"I'm not very patient, but I still have a little. Don't do it again." Lin Yi warned her. He had subdued Bing Wuqing with threats and promises, and there wasn't any real loyalty or trust between them. It wasn't strange for this to happen, and Lin Yi wouldn't give up on such an important chess piece like Bing Wuqing just because of this. However, he had to at least give her a little push, in case she went overboard.

"Thank you," he said. Bing Wuqing heaved a sigh of relief. Strictly speaking, she didn't really want to betray Lin Yi at that time. It was just that he didn't have time to react when it happened. To be more precise, he hesitated and didn't stop it in time. However, no matter what, from Lin Yi's point of view, what he did was a betrayal, and he had nothing to say about it.

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"You haven't answered my question." Lin Yi said suddenly.

"What?" Bing Wuqing couldn't react in time. She was still afraid that she had escaped.

"I'm saying, how's the half spirit sense grass?" Lin Yi repeated.

"I ..." Bing Wuqing didn't hesitate and said directly, "I haven't used it yet. It's yours now. You have to pay the price for your mistakes. I can understand."



"For me?" Lin Yi smiled and shook his head, "You've misunderstood. I didn't bring up the spirit sense grass because I needed it, but because I wanted you to use it as soon as possible. "

"Why?" Bing Wuqing was stunned.

"Because this thing's best effect on spiritual awareness is at the jiedan stage. Once you become a Yuanying stage master, the value of spirit sense grass will be greatly reduced." Lin Yi said, deep in thought.

"Yuanying stage?" Bing Wuqing was taken aback for a moment, but she immediately reacted. She wasn't an idiot, and she could understand the deeper meaning behind Lin Yi's words. Her eyes were shining with disbelief, ""Could it be that you can help me form a nascent soul?"

Although he was now a master of the perfect Jindan stage and was only one step away from the Yuanying stage, he did not dare to hope to form the Yuanying in a short time. That was simply unrealistic. Otherwise, the number of Yuanying old monsters in the entire small Jianghu of the immemorial period would not be so small.

"Of course." Lin Yi said as he threw him a pill. The visibility here was extremely high, and he wouldn't be able to see anyone from a few meters away. Even his divine sense was blocked, so even if Xue Jianfeng was following behind, he wouldn't be able to see him.

Bing Wuqing took the pill and took a closer look. When she saw the pill's appearance and color, she was instantly stunned and couldn't move. It was only when she heard the approaching footsteps behind her that she came back to her senses, and quickly suppressed her ecstasy.

The Golden core of the nascent soul! Lin Yi had just thrown him a golden core! More importantly, it was a one-in-a-million top-grade item!

In this small martial world of the immemorial era, the Golden core was already a top-grade pill that couldn't be bought on the market. Only people with special backgrounds could get their hands on it through special channels. As for the Golden core of the nascent soul, ordinary people had never heard of it at all. Even at Bing Wuqing's level, she had only heard a few words about it and had never seen it in person.

There probably wasn't a single golden core in the entire snow sword sect, and a top-grade golden core couldn't be found in the entire small Jianghu of the immemorial age.

She didn't expect Lin Yi to not punish her after knowing that she didn't want to save her, but to give her a Supreme-grade golden core instead. Bing Wuqing was so shocked that she couldn't speak. The way she looked at Lin Yi was no longer unconvinced, but full of respect.

Before today, although Bing Wuqing had admitted that Lin Yi was unfathomable, she still had some pride in her heart. At least in her own opinion, she was on the same level as Lin Yi, only being controlled by him because of bad luck.

But now, this Supreme-grade golden core made him realize the reality. Not to mention him, even in the entire ancient martial world, there wasn't anyone who could be on the same level as Lin Yi. Lin Yi's background must be above the entire ancient Alliance, there was no doubt about it!

'I can only look up to him, but I can't turn my back on him.' Bing Wuqing silently told herself that he was an extremely pragmatic and intelligent person, and an intelligent person would naturally not make the same mistake twice.

"Remember, wait until you finish using the spirit sense grass before you try to break through to the Yuanying stage. Even if you try to break through to the Yuanying stage as well, there is a huge difference between an ordinary expert at the peak of the Jindan stage and the strongest expert at the peak of Jindan stage." Lin Yi reminded.

"I understand." Bing Wuqing nodded.

After more than half a day, the group finally arrived at the foot of the mountain. There was a temporary relay station specially set up by the immemorial Alliance. In addition to regularly going to the teleportation formation on the mountain top to check on the situation, the staff was also responsible for feeding the flying spirit beasts of each sect for everyone to ride.

"Brother Lin, I can't thank you enough. I, Ling Tianyou, owe you my life. We'll meet again." Ling Tianyou brought a few disciples of the thousand blades sect to bid farewell to Lin Yi. Although Lin Yi was the grand-master of the Qingyun school on the North Island, he still intended to treat him as an equal. As the unprecedented super genius of the thousand blades sect, Ling Tianyou naturally had the confidence to be on the same level as anyone.

"We'll meet again," Lin Yi nodded and looked at Xue Jianfeng, who was getting restless, "It seems like brother Ling has to be careful on the road."

Although he was afraid of the thousand blades sect's crazy revenge, from Xue Jianfeng's perspective, since he had already chased them once, there was no need to continue to hide it. He might as well do it again openly. As long as he killed the threat of Ling Tianyou before it sprouted, the revenge of the other

people in the thousand blades sect was not something to be afraid of. After all, the thousand blades sect did not have a nascent soul old monster in charge. Now, while he, Xue Jianfeng, was a real master in the great circle of the Golden core stage!

"Brother Lin, don't worry about it. If I, Ling Tianyou, were to die so easily, how could I bear the responsibility of reviving the thousand blades sect?" Ling Tianyou smiled with extreme confidence. He then urged his flying spirit beast to take flight. Previously, the incident at the trial grounds had happened too suddenly, which was why he was in such a sorry state. Now that he had returned to the small Jianghu of the immemorial era, it would not be easy for his opponent to take his life, even if they were experts at the perfected golden core realm.

As expected, after Ling Tianyou left, Xue Jianfeng also left the rest of the snow sword sect members behind and left alone. His intentions were obvious.

However, all of this had nothing to do with Lin Yi. He didn't plan on dealing with Xue Jianfeng yet. As for Ling Tianyou, they didn't have any relationship, so he wouldn't waste his time on an outsider.

"I'm leaving too." Duanmu Yu had also come to bid his farewell. He hesitated for a moment before saying, "If you come to Middle Island, you can come to spirit leaf sect to find me."

"I will." Lin Yi nodded. He had a good feeling with this tough woman. After all, they were life-and-death friends.

Ling Tianyou was gone, Duanmu Yu was gone, and now it was Leng Leng's turn. No matter how close she was with Lin Yi, she was still a member of the snow sword sect. She couldn't follow Lin Yi to the North Island's Green cloud sect.

"Is it okay for coold to just go back like this?" Lingshan and the others couldn't help but worry. Leng Leng had already been identified as the snow sword sect's traitorous disciple, and he even had an enemy called Xue Jianfeng. They had already fought him back in the ancient trial grounds. It was hard to say if he would come back again after returning to the snow sword sect.

"Unless the sect leader and Grand Elder of snow sword sect are idiots, there shouldn't be any problem." Lin Yi didn't have to worry about that.

Leng Leng was already a Foundation peak stage cultivator, and anyone who wasn't blind could see her shocking talent and potential. Other than Xue Jianfeng's father, the Vice sect leader, the other higher-ups of the snow sword sect shouldn't be so short-sighted. Moreover, Lin Yi still had Bing Wuqing, his secret agent, in his hands.

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It wasn't an overstatement to say that with Bing Wuqing's current strength, even Xue Jianfeng, who was also in the exceptional gold core realm, would not be a match for her. When she returned to the snow sword sect, she would basically be an existence that was second only to one person and above tens of thousands of people. She would definitely have a lot of say in this matter, and there would be even less to worry about after he had successfully formed his nascent soul.

"Yeah, I'll be fine." Leng Leng's trust in Lin Yi was unreserved. Of course, no matter what, she had to return to the snow sword sect. She could ignore everything else, but she couldn't leave her master behind. If she really did become a sect traitor, her master would be in trouble.

"I'll go to Nakajima to see you soon. If there's anything, you can also send me a message." Lin Yi said.

"Don't worry, everyone. I know how to protect myself. " He nodded coldly.

"Then, have a safe journey." Lin Yi watched as Leng Leng set off with health-maintenance Fei and the rest of the snow sword sect disciples. He gave Bing Wuqing a look, and Bing Wuqing immediately understood. He knew that if he couldn't take care of Leng Leng, he would be finished.

The disciples left one after another, with Xin Yijie and the Qingyun disciples staying at the end. After all the other disciples had left, Xin Yijie turned to Lin Yi. "Senior granduncle, we can set off now."

With that, Xin Yijie arranged a giant spirit Bird for Lin Yi's group. A normal Spirit Bird could only carry two or three people, but this giant spirit Bird could carry six or seven people. It was just enough for Lin Yi's group to ride.

"Let's go," he said. Lin Yi nodded to Xin Yijie and waited for him to take off with the disciples before following on the spirit Bird. The bird was a little slow, but it was very stable, like a small passenger plane. Riding on its back was quite good, perfect for sightseeing.

But Lin Yi wasn't in the mood for that—he had to remember the location of this formation in case he couldn't find it the next time he came.

This shouldn't be a difficult task for him, but because of the clouds and fog, even if the visibility was better, it wasn't much better. If he couldn't remember the route accurately, he could easily get lost.

After half an hour, the spiritual bird flew out of the range of the Misty Mountains and seas. Below it was a vast sea. Then, it flew North for about six hours, and a lush land appeared in front of everyone.

This was the North Island of the immemorial little Jianghu. It was much smaller than the Sky Class Island, but it was still about a hundred miles in radius, which was already very large compared to ordinary islands.

Apart from the dense forest in the north of the island, the other three corners of the island each had a mountain. On the top and halfway up the mountain, there was a majestic building. It was obvious that these three mountains were the territories of the three major sects of the North Island.

The spirit Bird quickly landed on the mountainside of the eastern Mountain, and Lin Yi and the others jumped off the bird's back. In front of them was a large hall, and in the middle of the hall was a huge black plaque with three big golden words on it-Qingyun school.

There was already a large group of people gathered in front of the hall, all of them looking forward to Lin Yi's arrival. They saluted Lin Yi and the others from afar, a big salutation for a great uncle-master.

A group of Aurous core stage cultivators took the lead to welcome them. Xin Yijie quickly introduced them and pointed to one of the Aurous core intermediate stage cultivators."Grand uncle-master, this is the Vice-leader of the Qingyun sect in the North Island. His name is Chen Dongcheng. Vice-leader Chen, this is the Grand uncle-Master Lin Yi that I reported to you before."

"Martial granduncle, we've been waiting for you for so long. You've finally come. This is the honor of our entire green cloud School on the North Island." Chen Dongcheng smiled with a face full of joy.

Lin Yi was a little surprised. This guy looked like a gentleman, but there were a lot of late-stage golden core and above around him. How did a mid-stage golden core get the position of vice-leader?

The main thing was that the expressions of the higher-ups weren't normal-they were all smiling, but Lin Yi wasn't the type of kid who'd let others fool him so easily anymore. He wouldn't be alive if he couldn't even see that.

Some of the Golden core stage executives from the Qingyun sect who came with Chen Dongcheng had complicated thoughts behind their smiles. Some were resistant, while others didn't care at all. It wasn't strange at all and was completely understandable. Lin Yi believed that if he were in their shoes, he'd more or less have some thoughts about a random uncle-master who came out of nowhere.

However, Lin Yi noticed that these people were looking at him with pity in their eyes. There were quite a few of them, too, which was a little strange.

Pity? What were they pitying?

"Hello." Lin Yi nodded at Chen Dongcheng and the others reservedly. Since he was a grand-uncle, he had to act like one, or he'd just be looked down on for no reason.

"These are all senior granduncle's direct disciples, right? Our North island's Green cloud School has been lacking in talent for nearly a hundred years, but martial granduncle gave us a big gift as soon as he came. There is hope for our North island's Green cloud school's prosperity!" Chen Dongcheng continued to smile.

This guy had a way with words, and even Lin Yi had to admit that Chen Dongcheng's flattery skills were first-class. Perhaps this was the key to why he could become the Deputy sect leader with his mid-Aurous core strength.



"Hehe, Deputy sect leader Chen, you think too highly of them. They're still new to the Qingyun school on the northern island. They have to learn everything from the beginning. They're still far from being able to shoulder the responsibility." Lin Yi said faintly.

"No, no, no, with the careful training of senior granduncle, I think they will grow up very quickly." Chen Dongcheng said with a smile.

"I'll personally train him?" Lin Yi looked at him in surprise before turning to Xin Yijie. "I thought that the new recruits would all be gathered together, isn't that so?"

The Qingyun sect on the North Island had a deep relationship with the Qingyun Pavilion on the Sky Class Island-Lin Yi thought that there should be a lot of similar things going on. There should be a Welcome Pavilion on Sky Class Island, so there should be something similar here.

In fact, as far as Lin Yi knew, it wasn't just the three pavilions in the North of Sky Class Island-most of the bigger sects had their own pavilions, teaching the most basic practitioner's Arts and key points. After all, the Golden core Masters didn't have the time to teach these things.

"This ..." Xin Yijie was also a little dumbfounded. He had originally thought so as well, but it seemed like the higher-ups of the sect had made other arrangements. It was just that he was outside and couldn't know about it.

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"Martial granduncle, you've misunderstood. That's just our arrangement for ordinary disciples. Special talents are given special treatment. I'm afraid that martial granduncle wouldn't feel at ease to leave them in the hands of others, right?" Chen Dongcheng said.

"That's good too. However, they still need an entry-level mentor who will be in charge of teaching them some of the most basic things." Lin Yi nodded. He only wanted song Lingshan and the others to receive the system training regarding the spiritual sense. As for the other aspects, he really didn't need anyone else. In the entire ancient martial world, there probably wasn't a master as strong as him, a xuansheng stage master, let alone the Qingyun sect of the North Island.

Plus, for safety reasons, Lin Yi didn't want to just leave Lingshan and the others to someone else. It was better to move with him before he understood the situation.

"No problem. As long as it's an order from martial granduncle, we'll definitely do our best. We won't let martial granduncle down," Chen Dongcheng could be said to grant all requests, and he immediately said, ""Martial granduncle, we've already prepared your residence. Everyone, please follow me."

"Oh? Don't you need to see the sect leader? And your Grand Elder?" Lin Yi said casually. Even though Chen Dongcheng, the Vice-leader, had come out to welcome him with a group of high-level people, there was nothing to be picky about in terms of etiquette. After all, he was just a cheap grand uncle-master who suddenly appeared out of nowhere, not a real grand uncle-master with evidence.

But even so, Lin Yi still had to meet with the current sect leader and the Grand Elder-only then could he confirm his position as a grand uncle. If these two didn't acknowledge him in person, it would be a big problem.

Any one of them would be able to make Lin Yi fall from grace and become a complete swindler.

"Sect leader Hong is currently busy, and as for the Grand Elder, he's in closed-door training and doesn't dare to disturb you. Therefore, I ask for martial granduncle's forgiveness. I'm afraid that your meeting with the two of them will have to be delayed for a while. During this time, you can familiarize yourself

with our current green cloud sect in the North Island. As time passes, there will always be many things that are different from the original. Is there a problem with that?" Chen Dongcheng said in a sincere tone.

"Then let's do this." Lin Yi nodded. He understood what the other party meant. It seemed that the Qingyun school still didn't trust him, their senior granduncle, and had been hiding this from them.

If the Grand Elder or the sect leader saw Lin Yi, it would be a public acknowledgment of Lin Yi's status as a great uncle-master unless they turned hostile on the spot. It would be hard for them to turn hostile then, as it would be like slapping their own faces. At the very least, they would lose all their face. At the very worst, the entire North island's Qingyun sect would become a laughing stock in the ancient martial world, and it might even cause the sect to split.

And now, the two of them avoided this problem by not showing up, leaving enough room for them to advance and retreat.

After passing through the main hall, Lin Yi and the group were led by Chen Dongcheng to a steep part of the mountain, and the scene in front of them made their eyes light up.

Under a strangely shaped Eagle beak peak, an ancient hut stood next to a broken cliff. The soaring eaves and cliffs were stacked on top of each other. This scene could only be described with one word: Overlord covers the top, and the sky lamp hangs upside down.

The other higher-ups and disciples had all stopped. Only two people came with Lin Yi and the others-one was the Vice-leader, Chen Dongcheng, and the other was Xin Yijie.

"This is the residence that we have prepared for you and your disciples. In terms of scenery, this is the best place in the entire North Island. What do you think?" Chen Dongcheng smiled apologetically.

Lin Yi looked at the big red words carved on the cliff at the entrance, and his lips curled up. "A single step to the heavens?"

"That's right, this place is called the ascending heaven cliff. Only those of high status can enter, so there are usually no disciples to disturb us, so it's relatively quiet and the scenery is excellent. After discussing it, we can't find a better place to live than this in the entire green cloud Mountain. I hope it will satisfy martial granduncle. " Chen Dongcheng said with a smile.

"I'm very satisfied. " Lin Yi smiled as he glanced at Xin Yijie. The guy's expression hadn't been right since they arrived, as if he had something to say but didn't dare to.

"That's good. We won't disturb senior granduncle's rest then. I'll come to pay my respects to you again tomorrow morning. Goodbye." Chen Dongcheng saluted.

"Take care," Lin Yi nodded.

Chen Dongcheng immediately turned to leave. However, before he left, he called out to Xin Yijie, ""Elder Xin, please follow me. The elder Council is still waiting for you to make a summary report on your experience in the secular world and the primordial trial. Don't make everyone wait too long."

"Yes." Xin Yijie quickly replied and turned to Lin Yi, "Senior granduncle, disciple will take his leave first. You ... You take care."

With that, Xin Yijie left with Chen Dongcheng, leaving only Lin Yi and the others at the cliff. Chentian pinched his chin, "Boss, don't you think that Xin Yijie was acting a little weird just now?"

"It's not just him. I think everyone here is acting weird." Ziyu pouted.

"Also, I think this place is a little weird." Lingshan added.

"Hey, hey, hey, are you guys oversensitive? everything's weird ..." Qikun and qijiu looked at each other.

Lin Yi looked at everyone and finally nodded, "Your feeling is right, there is something wrong with this place."

"What's wrong?" Everyone looked at each other and quickly asked. They just felt that something was strange, but they couldn't tell what was wrong.

"We're under house arrest. " Lin Yi's words made everyone jump, and Ziyu quickly looked outside. There wasn't a single guard around, and it looked like they could just walk out at will-why was he under house arrest?

"Uh ... Boss, we have no grudges with them in the past, and this time we came to join the North Island's Green cloud School. Why did they inexplicably put us under house arrest?" Chentian asked, confused.

The others were also confused. Unless they were crazy, no one would offend others for no reason. It was either for revenge or for benefits, but no matter which of these two reasons, they didn't seem to be related.

"I can roughly guess a little." Lin Yi's tone was calm-he wasn't surprised at all. He'd thought of countless possibilities before coming here, and this one naturally included. He couldn't help but smile bitterly to himself-nice people were a rare species these days.