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### Chapter 171: The Best Defense Is Offense (4)

"I guess so!" Leng Ruoxue said without giving him any face.

"Sigh!"

"Little girl, do you have any plans?" the old man asked helplessly.

"I've decided to strike first!" Leng Ruoxue explained. She had never been one to be a sitting duck. Since the enemies wanted to deal with her, she naturally couldn't give them enough time to prepare. Thus, she was already planning when she knew the news. But things changed later on, so she wanted to find a few more allies.

"Strike first? Are you confident?" the old man asked with interest.

"You'll know then." Leng Ruoxue deliberately left him hanging.

"Little girl, what do you need me to do?" the old man asked proactively. Since they were going to form an alliance, it was impossible for him to do nothing and enjoy the fruits of her labor, right?

"I need you to get rid of the parasites in the Eastern Lagoon Empire first. We'll see what happens with the rest later," Leng Ruoxue said simply. She wanted to cut off the Xu family's lackeys before dealing with the Xu family.

"There's no problem with that," the old man said straightforwardly. He had wanted to get rid of those people for a long time, but he had never thought of a good reason. But it seemed like he didn't need any reason now.

After reaching an agreement with the old man and establishing the alliance contract, Leng Ruoxue left quietly.

After leaving the Eastern Lagoon Empire's imperial palace, Leng Ruoxue and Freak rushed to the Southern Dusk Empire overnight.

After flying non-stop for nearly three days, they finally arrived at Lunar Capital in the Southern Dusk Empire.

It was in the afternoon when they entered the Southern Dusk Country. Leng Ruoxue and Freak casually found a family inn, had some food, and had a simple rest. They waited until late at night before sneaking into the imperial palace of the Southern Dusk Empire.

With great familiarity, they found the Phoenix Rite Hall where the empress resided. Leng Ruoxue got Rise to cast an invisibility spell on the two of them, and they walked into the inner hall as if no one was there.

"Xue'er, I don't think it's a good idea for us to barge in like this," Freak said with some concern on his face, his cheeks flushed red.

"Why not? It's the only way to avoid being discovered!" Leng Ruoxue said in puzzlement, her face full of confusion.?What does Freak mean?

"What I mean is, what if the couple is currently... Wouldn't we be disturbing them if we went in directly?" Freak said very thoughtfully.

"Damn Freak, are you looking for a beating? What are you thinking?" Leng Ruoxue said speechlessly with her face full of black lines.?*Only Freak could think of something like this.* 

"Xue'er, it's not impossible," Freak defended himself aggrievedly.

"What should we do then? Should we enter or not?" Leng Ruoxue was also a little hesitant. After all, they were here to form an alliance with the Southern Dusk Empire. If they really ran into them... it would indeed not be good.

Freak thought about it and then pressed his ear against the window of the inner hall...

"Xue'er, let's go in!" he said after a while.

"Okay." Leng Ruoxue pushed open the door to the inner hall, and the two entered...

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Three days later, Leng Ruoxue and Freak returned to the general's mansion.

"Xue'er, you're back so soon?" Leng Qingtian was surprised to see his precious granddaughter in his study.

"Yes."

"Has everything been settled?" Leng Qingtian couldn't help asking.

"Done," Leng Ruoxue said simply.

"Stinky girl, can't you say a few more words? Are you trying to make Grandpa anxious?" Leng Qingtian was a little anxious. He had been waiting for news from Xue'er, but this stinky girl insisted on one-word answers. She was deliberately trying to make him anxious!

"Grandpa, are you doubting your granddaughter?" Leng Ruoxue hugged Leng Qingtian's arm and acted coquettishly.

"Of course I'm not doubting you, but you have to explain it to Grandpa. Otherwise, Grandpa will be worried," Leng Qingtian said with slight dissatisfaction.

"Okay, okay."

Leng Ruoxue stopped teasing her grandfather and explained her cooperation with the two empires in detail...

In fact, she had gained a lot from her trip to the Southern Dusk Empire. At least, she now knew a lot of secrets from the emperor and the empress, including what had happened to her parents all those years ago. She didn't expect them to know more details than her grandfather. This made her even more determined to get rid of the Xu family.

"Xue'er, what are your plans?" Leng Qingtian asked with a solemn expression after hearing everything his granddaughter had to say.? *The Xu family is too ambitious. They actually want to...* 

"Grandpa, hasn't the Xu family been waiting for news from the other four families? I've decided to reveal these things to those families. If they still choose to cooperate with the Xu family, I'm afraid they won't be on the same page," Leng Ruoxue explained. She decided to use the sow discord plan. But she knew very well that even if she didn't use it, those families would still have different motives.

Leng Qingtian nodded and then asked worriedly, "What about the imperial families?" The power of the imperial families wasn't any weaker than the Five Great Families. If they all...

"Grandpa, don't worry. The status of the Five Great Families and the imperial families are very different. So far, only the Western Light Empire is under the Xu family's absolute control. As for the others, the Xu family hasn't completely succeeded yet. But the bait set by the Xu family this time is quite big." Leng Ruoxue didn't expect those people to care so much about the spots for the mystic realm. But the other three empires were not as strong as the Eastern Lagoon Empire and Southern Dusk Empire, so she was not too worried. The ones that were harder to deal with were those few Great Families.

"Xue'er, you are still young and don't understand what the spots for the mystic realm mean to others," Leng Qingtian said with a sigh. Xue'er might not know, but he knew very well.

For thousands of years, the prominent families would reshuffle prior to every opening of the mystic realm. Take their Leng family, for example. In the past, the Leng family was once a top family of the Ling Feng Continent. But later on... they declined and only rose again in his generation. Therefore, he felt very deeply about this.

"Grandpa, Grandpa Yu's group..."

"Don't worry. Grandpa will send them back in a few days." Leng Qingtian understood what his granddaughter meant. At the same time, he knew very well that with his relationship with Old Yu, if he told Old Yu, that old man would definitely stay to help. But for this matter... he couldn't and didn't want to involve them.

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"Grandpa, I'm going to see Guo Yong and Guo Qiang." Leng Ruoxue nodded and left Leng Qingtian's study.

Leng Ruoxue arrived at the yard where Guo Yong and his brother were staying. Just as she entered the yard, she saw the two brothers arguing with their faces red, and they were about to start a fight...

"What are you doing?" Leng Ruoxue shook her head helplessly and approached them.

Guo Yong snorted, rolled his eyes at Guo Qiang, and said to Leng Ruoxue, "Junior Aunt, you came at the right time. Please be the judge!"

"What are you arguing about?" Leng Ruoxue was curious.? Is this about artificing?

"I want to refine artifacts, but he insisted on giving his opinions," Guo Qiang explained angrily.

"The materials you put in were wrong. Of course I have to say it," Guo Yong said matter-of-factly. He didn't think he was wrong.

"That's my business. I can put in any material of mine whenever I want!" Guo Qiang immediately retorted, not backing down at all.

"You two want to fight just because of this matter?" Leng Ruoxue was really speechless.? *These two* people together aren't young anymore. Can they not be so childish!

"Hmph!" Both of them snorted and turned their heads away at the same time, ignoring each other.

"I have something to discuss with you two." Leng Ruoxue changed the topic. She didn't intend to get involved in their fight. After all, every artificer's refining habits and techniques were different, so how could they be generalized?

"What is it, Junior Aunt?" The two turned their heads simultaneously and looked at Leng Ruoxue with flattering expressions.

"Is everything alright in your Artificer Association?" Leng Ruoxue asked implicitly. What she implied was that it was time for them to go back. Moreover, their gazes made her hair stand on end. It was really unbearable...

Guo Yong and Guo Qiang looked at each other in bewilderment. They immediately understood that Leng Ruoxue was here to chase them away, but they didn't want to leave yet!

"Don't worry, Junior Aunt. The Artificer Association is very free. Nothing major usually happens, and we don't have to deal with small things," Guo Yong explained with a smile, automatically converting Leng Ruoxue's words into concern.

"Yes, Junior Aunt. Rest assured. You don't need to worry about us," Guo Qiang said cooperatively with a smile on his face.

These two people are obviously pretending to be stupid!?Leng Ruoxue was a little speechless.?What do they want??To be honest, they had stayed in the general's mansion for a few days, but they had rarely looked for her. This puzzled her.?What is their goal??Leng Ruoxue had been thinking about this question for some time.

"Oh, in that case, just stay here in peace. I'm leaving," Leng Ruoxue said a little gloomily and then turned and left.

Back at the Listening Snow Pavilion, Leng Ruoxue sat listlessly on a stone bench on the left side of the yard.

"Xue'er, what happened to you?" Freak asked with concern after walking over from the other side.?*Xue'er doesn't seem to be in a good mood*!

"I wanted Guo Yong and Guo Qiang to leave first, but I didn't manage to do it. I underestimated their shamelessness," Leng Ruoxue said helplessly, her beautiful face full of worry.?*Alas! How can I get those two to leave on their own?*?She didn't want them to get involved in this matter. After all, the Artificer Association was different from the Great Families and the imperial families.

"Why don't I just chase them away?" Freak suggested. Let him be the villain since Xue'er was embarrassed.

Leng Ruoxue frowned slightly and said after some thought, "Forget it. They can stay if they want. But we can't let them know about this."

"Xue'er, actually... if the Artificer Association can become our ally, the Xu family will be much easier to deal with," Freak reminded.

The Artificer Association was a formidable force! As long as the Artificer Association roared, many powerhouses would be willing to work for them. Of course, it was the same for the Alchemist Association and the Beast Trainer Association. The three major associations might not seem to be very strong on the surface, but their hidden strength was unfathomable.

"Freak, I don't want them to get involved."

In Leng Ruoxue's heart, her impression of the Artificer Association was much better than that of the Alchemist Association and the Beast Trainer Association. Moreover, she was very clear that as long as she said a word, Guo Yong and Guo Qiang would definitely not hesitate to side with her. But she felt that as an artificer, it was enough to focus on refining artifacts. There was no need to be embroiled in all these conspiracies. Moreover, she was afraid that this matter would be exposed, so she didn't want too many people to know.

"Xue'er, not all artificers, alchemists, and beast trainers are as virtuous as you think. Most of them still value fame and fortune," Freak explained. In this world, people lived for fame, fortune, and status. It was simply impossible to transcend worldliness, and few people could do it.

"Let's continue. Freak, let's go to the palace!" Leng Ruoxue said. She had to see how the old man's preparations were going.

Freak nodded. They sat on Quill's back and flew toward the palace.

After they arrived at the imperial palace, an old voice sounded just as Quill landed in the remote palace.

"Little girl, you're here."

"Old man, how are the preparations going?" Leng Ruoxue asked bluntly after jumping off Quill's back.

"They're almost done. What about your end?" the old man asked with concern. He had everything ready and just needed the time to be right.

"Old man, I have something important to tell you," Leng Ruoxue whispered after looking around cautiously.

"Little girl, can you not scare me? I'm old, and my heart can't take it." Seeing Leng Ruoxue being so careful, the old man couldn't take it anymore.? *What's so important that you're being so careful*?

"Let's talk in the inner hall!" Leng Ruoxue reminded.?*Hmph! Stinky old man, I'm going to scare you to death!* 

"Let's go!" The old man led Leng Ruoxue and Freak into the inner hall.

"Little girl, can you tell me now?" the old man said anxiously.? This girl is really too evil. She deliberately whetted my appetite. How despicable!

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Seeing that the old man was getting anxious, Leng Ruoxue didn't beat around the bush and told him the news she had heard in the Southern Dusk Empire.

"Little girl, is this news accurate?" The old man's eyes widened in shock as he looked at Leng Ruoxue in disbelief.

Leng Ruoxue nodded. When the emperor of the Southern Dusk Empire told them these things, he was afraid that they wouldn't believe him, so he established a contract. The binding power of contracts in this world was very terrifying, so the news was absolutely trustworthy. Moreover, she believed that the other imperial families and the Great Families would definitely have heard about it.

"I really didn't expect the Xu family to be so ambitious." The old man was a little angry but also a little helpless.

It was no secret that the Xu family was ambitious. But which top force was not ambitious? It was simply unrealistic. Thus, as long as the Xu family didn't provoke them, no Great Family or imperial family would be willing to deal with the Xu family. After all, others would only benefit from it if there was an internecine outcome with the Xu family.

"Haven't there been signs for a long time?" Leng Ruoxue said lightly. The Xu family had long stretched their tentacles to the various imperial families and Great Families, even to the major academies. Moreover, their ambition was exposed in advance this time because they wanted to deal with her.

"Then what should we do now?" the old man couldn't help asking. Yes, even though they knew about the Xu family's restless ambitions a long time ago, no one had ever thought of dealing with the Xu family. However, the Xu family's wings were probably already hard now.?*Alas! What a miscalculation!* 

"It's not too late to deal with them now." Leng Ruoxue smiled gently to console him. To be honest, she didn't expect the Xu family to accidentally reveal all their forces in order to obtain spots for the mystic realm.? Is this considered penny wise, pound foolish?

"Little girl, do... the other four Great Families know about this?" the old man asked curiously, his face full of anticipation.

"They should know more or less, but it's definitely not as clear as the investigation by the Southern Dusk Empire. I have already sent people to inform them. As for whether they believe it or not, it's not up to me," Leng Ruoxue said nonchalantly. The Feng and Huo families would definitely believe her, but she couldn't guarantee the same for the Ye and Shui families. After all, both families had people who disliked her. Moreover, they wanted so badly to obtain spots to enter the mystic realm that they would probably be blinded by benefits.

"I'm relieved as long as the Five Great Families don't unite." The old man touched his heart slightly and seemed to be relieved.

"It's hard to say. After all, the person they want to deal with now is me, not you for the time being." Leng Ruoxue added fuel to the fire. At the same time, she gave the old man a heads up in case he didn't take it seriously. "Little girl, can't you let this poor old man heave a sigh of relief first?" The old man glared at Leng Ruoxue in complaint.

"Old man, don't you want a spot for the mystic realm?" Leng Ruoxue suddenly asked.

"Of course I want it, but..."

"But you're worried about your descendants?" Leng Ruoxue asked. This old man was already at peak Spiritual Supremacy, so she didn't believe that he had stayed in the palace because he couldn't break through.

"Little girl, if there was someone as smart as you among my descendants, I wouldn't be so worried anymore!" the old man said helplessly. The Eastern Lagoon Empire was the headquarters of their Li family, so he couldn't lose it!

"The children and grandchildren will have their own happiness. If they don't live up to expectations, do you want to take care of them for life? How long can you take care of them?" Leng Ruoxue said in disapproval. If the descendants were disappointing, the items left behind by the ancestors would be destroyed sooner or later, regardless of how much they left behind.

"Little girl, I'm not as open-minded as you think." The old man sighed.

"That's why you look so old," Leng Ruoxue suddenly said.

"What does this have to do with my appearance being old?" The old man was stunned and puzzled.

"You worry too much."

"…"

This girl is teasing me!?The old man was speechless.

"Old man, we're leaving. The operation will begin in three days." Leng Ruoxue pulled Freak onto Quill's back and disappeared with a whoosh.

Leng Ruoxue and Freak quickly returned to the general's mansion.

"Freak, rest early today!" Leng Ruoxue said to him from the entrance of the Listening Snow Pavilion. They had almost not had a good rest these few days.

"Xue'er, I will miss you," Freak said affectionately with a nod.

"Be good and go back to your room to sleep quickly," Leng Ruoxue said as she walked into her room. The door closed behind her.

Oh Xue'er, why are you so unromantic??Freak couldn't help thinking while looking at the closed door.

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Three days passed quickly.

Late at night, Leng Ruoxue and Freak met up with the old man in the palace.

"Old man, go with the emperor. Big Sister Mo and I will go together. We have to capture all of them in one fell swoop. Don't let any fish escape the net," Leng Ruoxue reminded and casually handed them a bottle of pills. This medicine was newly concocted by her, and the effects were absolutely several times better than the one she gave Fu Mingzhu back then.

Tonight, their goal was to get rid of the minions planted by the Xu family in the Eastern Lagoon Empire. Moreover, Grandpa Lin would make a move at the same time. Her grandfather had already gone to the Heavenly Phoenix Academy to help him.

"Don't worry. I won't let a single fish go," Li Yuan promised. How could he let someone who threatened his rule live in this world?

After distributing the tasks, Leng Ruoxue and the others split up into two groups and headed straight for the Mo family and the Fu family.

Leng Ruoxue, Freak, and Mo Yingyue soon arrived at the Mo family mansion.

Under Mo Yingyue's lead, the three of them quickly arrived at the room where the patriarch of the Mo family lived.

"Big Sister Mo, what do you plan to do with them?" Leng Ruoxue asked softly before entering the room. She arranged for Mo Yingyue to come to the Mo family in hopes that she could handle her family matters herself.

"I want them to suffer a fate worse than death," Mo Yingyue said with hatred. In fact, she hated her grandfather, the patriarch of the Mo family, the most. Second in line was her self-righteous and arrogant uncle. But she knew that now was not the time to kill them. Their goal tonight was only to control them.

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"Then let's go in now." Leng Ruoxue nodded. She liked the punishment of living a life worse than death!

"Okay." Mo Yingyue pushed open the door and entered first.

"W-why are you here?" Patriarch Mo, who was about to go to bed, was surprised that no one notified him that his granddaughter, the empress, came.?*Hmph! These servants are really negligent*.

"What? Grandfather, can't I be here?" Mo Yingyue said indifferently with a sweet smile on her face.

"Of course not. What I mean is, why didn't anyone notify me?" Patriarch Mo said while suppressing the anger in his heart.? *Hmph! If it wasn't for Master not wanting me to start a conflict with the imperial family now, would I be so easygoing?* 

"It would have taken too long to notify," Mo Yingyue explained. The guards and servants in the yard were probably sleeping soundly now!

"Then why did you come to see Grandfather?" Patriarch Mo asked as he sat on a chair.

"Yes, there's something."

"Oh? And these two are?" Patriarch Mo's gaze suddenly turned to Leng Ruoxue and Freak. He actually couldn't see their cultivation levels? It was too strange. He was a Spiritual Sovereign at any rate, so he

would never believe that these two beautiful little fellows who looked less than twenty years old would be stronger than him.

"Didn't Grandfather want to see Leng Ruoxue? I brought her here," Mo Yingyue said with a smile.

"You are Leng Ruoxue?" Patriarch Mo was shocked.? *Is she so strong that even I can't tell her cultivation level?* 

"Yes." Leng Ruoxue nodded lightly and casually sized up the patriarch of the Mo family.

Patriarch Mo was about seventy years old. He had an ordinary appearance, a pair of shrewd eyes, and decent strength. He was an advanced Spiritual Sovereign. But her impression of him wasn't good. Moreover, she really hated his scheming eyes.

"Oh, so it's Miss Leng. This old man was rude. I have long heard of Miss Leng's great name. It's a pity that I haven't been able to meet you all this time!" Patriarch Mo said with a flattering face.

"Big Sister Mo, let's get down to business!" Leng Ruoxue said directly to Mo Yingyue without even looking at Patriarch Mo.

"Grandfather, I'm here today to ask you to give up your position as the patriarch," Mo Yingyue said coldly, as if what she said was an ordinary thing.

"W-what did you say?" Patriarch Mo was so angry that his face turned livid. How could he have such an unfilial granddaughter?

"I want Grandfather to give up your position as the patriarch," Mo Yingyue repeated patiently. She knew that the old patriarch and Ruoxue decided not to kill anyone from the Mo family because of her. Since that was the case, she certainly couldn't disappoint them. She had to take control of the Mo family.

"You unfilial grandchild! Guards! Chase her out! The Mo family no longer welcomes her!" Patriarch Mo shouted out directly. He was so angry that his whole body was trembling, and he was breathing heavily.

"Grandfather, calm down," Mo Yingyue said with concern. She went forward, pinched her grandfather's mouth, and threw a pill into it.

*Cough cough*? "What did you feed me?" Patriarch Mo clutched his throat in panic, trying to spit out the pill. But the pill melted as soon as it entered his mouth, and it was long gone.

"Don't worry. It's not poison. It won't kill," Mo Yingyue said nonchalantly. She didn't know how long Ruoxue's medicine could last.? *Should I give him a few more*?

"Big Sister Mo, one pill is enough," Leng Ruoxue said with some amusement after seeing through Mo Yingyue's thought. The person who took her newly concocted controlling pill wouldn't wake up at all unless given an antidote.

"Oh, Grandfather, pass me the position of patriarch now!" Mo Yingyue tried asking curiously.

"Okay, I'll pass it to you," Patriarch Mo said obediently.

"You will announce this news tomorrow morning. Exterminate all those who oppose you," Mo Yingyue ordered and then left Patriarch Mo's room.

"Okay, kill all those who oppose without mercy!" Patriarch Mo promised fiercely.

The three of them then left Patriarch Mo's room. Then Mo Yingyue did the same to her uncle and the elders in the family. In less than an hour, the entire Mo family was in Mo Yingyue's hands.

"Big Sister Mo, I didn't expect you to be so devious," Leng Ruoxue teased on the way out of the Mo family mansion.?Big Sister Mo is so bad. She actually ordered Mo Changhe not to touch any woman for the rest of his life.

"Hmph! There's no graver punishment for him," Mo Yingyue explained with a smile. That uncle of hers loved women the most. Forcing him never to touch women in his life was definitely more unbearable than killing him. However...

"Ruoxue, will they really listen to me?" Mo Yingyue couldn't help asking.?*Did Ruoxue make this medicine sound too amazing?* 

"Of course! Big Sister Mo, you have to have confidence in me. This young lady is an honest child. I don't know how to deceive others. I absolutely won't lie to anyone," Leng Ruoxue promised while patting her chest.

At the side, Freak quietly listened to the conversation between the two women. Cold sweat rolled down his forehead, and his heart kept skipping.? *Women are really too scary. I can't let these two women meet frequently in the future, or else men will be in danger!* 

When they arrived at the meeting place, Leng Ruoxue found out that her group was the fastest.?*Will Grandpa and the old man be okay*??She couldn't help worrying.

After a while, Leng Qingtian and Lin Liang arrived.

"Grandpa, Grandpa Lin, why did you take so long?" Leng Ruoxue asked in puzzlement.

"Xue'er, we encountered a team of men in black again at the Chen family. If Old Lin and I hadn't teamed up, we might not have been able to leave," Leng Qingtian explained.

"Men in black?" Speaking of men in black, Leng Ruoxue couldn't help thinking of the man in black they encountered before the Academy Competition.

"Oh no, let's go to the Fu family!" Leng Ruoxue suddenly said. Her grandfather and the others had encountered the men in black, so the old man's group might have also encountered them. Moreover, the old man's group was far weaker than her grandfather's group!

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"Ruoxue, will anything happen to Yuan and the old patriarch?" Mo Yingyue asked anxiously.

"Let's go quickly. We may still be in time," Leng Ruoxue said to Mo Yingyue, who was so nervous that her limbs were a little cold.

After Leng Ruoxue and the others rushed to the Fu family, it was as they had imagined. The old man was fighting with several men in black, and he had also released his spirit beasts. One was protecting the injured Li Yuan, and the other was fighting with the other men in black...

"Old man, why are you so unlucky to meet so many men in black?" Leng Qingtian teased happily when he saw the disheveled appearance of the aloof old patriarch. This old man actually met twice as many men in black as them!

"Stop talking nonsense. Hurry up and help!" the old man, who was dodging the attacks of the men in black from left to right, roared angrily. He couldn't let any of these people run away. Otherwise, tonight's plan would be considered a failure. But after seeing Leng Qingtian and the others come, he was finally relieved.

"I'm coming!" Leng Qingtian jumped up, floated in the air, and released Thunder Night.

"Thunder Night, go help those beasts!" Leng Qingtian instructed and then directly joined the battle. His participation instantly relieved the pressure on the old man.

"Yes, Master," Thunder Night replied. He gently flapped his wings and directly pounced at a man in black.

"Yuan, are you okay?" At this moment, Mo Yingyue no longer cared about the danger and ran to Li Yuan's side worriedly. Her eyes welled up with tears in anxiousness.

"Yue'er, I'm fine. Don't worry." Li Yuan hugged his beloved wife tightly and comforted her.

"How can you be fine after losing so much blood?" Mo Yingyue didn't believe Li Yuan's words at all as tears rolled down her cheeks.

"It's not all my blood. Really, trust me," Li Yuan coaxed helplessly.

Suddenly, Li Yuan saw a cold light flash before his eyes. Without thinking, he pulled Mo Yingyue into his arms tightly and shielded her with his body...

Mo Yingyue had no idea what was happening behind her. But she felt that something was amiss when Li Yuan pulled her into his arms. Thinking of this, she couldn't help exclaiming in concern, "Yuan!"

Swish!?The cold light was shot down by a bright red light...

"Don't be scared. I'm fine." Li Yuan patted Mo Yingyue's back gently to console her. His eyes drifted to Leng Ruoxue, who was not far away, with gratitude in them. He knew that he would have definitely died if Leng Ruoxue hadn't released a wisp of spiritual power in time.

Leng Ruoxue only nodded slightly when she received Li Yuan's gaze. But seeing the two of them talking to each other affectionately, she couldn't help being a little exasperated.?*Alas! As expected of a loving husband and wife! Please choose somewhere less dangerous!* 

The spirit beasts, who were unwilling to be the third wheel, still shamelessly stayed close to them to protect them. Leng Ruoxue turned her gaze back to the battlefield.

The weakest among this group of men in black were actually advanced Spiritual Sovereigns, and two were Spiritual Supremacies.? *When did the Xu family cultivate such a group of experts that resembled death warriors? Probably no one knew about it, right?* 

On the battlefield, Leng Qingtian, Lin Liang, and the old man were engaged in a fierce battle with the men in black. All sorts of spiritual power could be seen flying in the moonlight. But some of the men in black seemed to be unwilling to continue fighting and were looking for opportunities to escape...

Seeing this, Leng Ruoxue let out all her beasts. "Watch them. Don't let any of them escape."

"Don't worry, Master. With me here, none of them will be able to run away," Rise said confidently. He then enlarged his body, becoming like an iron wall surrounding the entire battlefield...

"Damn! It's actually another divine beast." Lin Liang, who was fighting with the men in black, unintentionally caught a glimpse of the huge golden python and was so shocked that his jaw almost fell off.?*How many divine beasts does this girl have*!?He was speechless!

"Yes, a divine beast!" The old man was also surprised. This aura couldn't be wrong. Moreover, he also felt that his beasts were a little afraid.

"Old Leng, how many divine beasts does Ruoxue have?" Lin Liang found time to ask during the fight. It was really infuriating to compare yourself with others! Some people might not even have one divine beast in their lifetime, but Leng Ruoxue had at least two.?*Alas! I'm a little envious of the girl's good luck.* 

"I don't know either." Leng Qingtian pretended not to know. How could someone as kind as him scare them to death?

"Qingtian, I'm so envious of you. Why doesn't our Li family have such a descendant?" the old man complained, feeling uncomfortable.

"Hehe, just be envious!" Leng Qingtian said proudly as he casually killed another man in black.

Under the combined attack of the three Spiritual Supremacies, more than half of the men in black died quickly, and the ones who were not dead were injured. Slowly, the men in black died one by one, and only the two men in black at the Spiritual Supremacy level remained on the scene.

One of the men in black knew that they wouldn't be able to escape today and couldn't help saying, "How can three Spiritual Supremacies bully us with numbers?"

"So what if we're bullying you with numbers? Weren't you bullying us with numbers just now?" the old man asked in return. They actually wanted to use such a tactic against them? It was useless!

"There's no need to say so much to them. Let's attack together," Leng Qingtian said straightforwardly.

"Okay, let's do it together and end the battle quickly!" Lin Liang agreed. They could go home and sleep after the fight!

"How can we miss out on the gang fight?" Leng Ruoxue and Freak also came over.

"Ruoxue, don't snatch from us," Lin Liang said with some dissatisfaction. Their old bones hadn't had a good workout for a long time...

"Master, leave these two to us." A little black fox jumped into Leng Ruoxue's arms and acted coquettishly. He hadn't fought in a long time, and his claws were itchy!

Leng Ruoxue looked at them speechlessly.? Why do these people like to fight so much?

"Alright, fight together then!" Leng Ruoxue said helplessly. Then she turned around and left the battlefield with Freak.

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Soon, three old men and the numerous spiritual beasts worked together to kill the enemy Spiritual Supremacies instantly, and there weren't even any corpses left...

"Old man, how did you meet the men in black? Did the matter with the Fu family not succeed?" Leng Ruoxue asked in puzzlement.

"It was a success. After we gained control of the Fu family, we somehow alerted these men in black. We didn't even know where they came from before we started fighting. Fortunately, you came in time, or the news would have definitely leaked," the old man said worriedly.?*How dangerous!* 

"We also encountered men in black." Leng Qingtian looked at the old man sympathetically.

"You encountered them too? Then you're really fast," the old man said enviously. He was the only Spiritual Supremacy on his side, and he had to take care of Li Yuan, so fighting had been a little difficult.

"We didn't meet as many men in black as you," Lin Liang explained.

"Actually, we once killed a man in black before the Academy Competition." Leng Ruoxue glanced at them and explained to them about the encounter with the man in black that day.

"Does this mean that these men in black have been sneaking into the Eastern Lagoon Empire for some time? It's just that we didn't realize it all along!" the old man said worriedly. Although these men in black were death warriors, they had their own thoughts, so they were difficult to deal with.

"I think these people are here to deal with me, but they treated the residences of the Fu and Chen families as temporary accommodations," Leng Ruoxue analyzed. It seemed like she needed to go to the Southern Dusk Empire again.

"Then the Mo family..." The old man looked at Mo Yingyue and stopped speaking.

Leng Ruoxue frowned and guessed after thinking, "Not at the Mo family. I guess they don't trust the Mo family yet."

Everyone nodded in agreement.

"Everyone, tonight's business is over. Let's go back first!" Leng Qingtian said when he saw that it was almost dawn.

"Let's go back!"

Then everyone left the Fu family mansion.

After returning to the general's mansion, Leng Ruoxue and the others went straight to their rooms to rest.

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After waking up the next morning, Leng Ruoxue went to look for her grandfather. She discussed the matter with him in detail and then went to the Southern Dusk Empire with Freak.

After they arrived at the Southern Dusk Empire, Leng Ruoxue and Freak went straight to the palace to meet the emperor.

In the imperial study...

Sitting on the dragon throne, Huangfu Zhen was deep in thought about what Leng Ruoxue just said. The empress was sitting next to him, also deep in thought...

Meanwhile, after Leng Ruoxue and Freak finished speaking, they were resting on chairs while having tea and snacks.

"Ruoxue, have you settled everything in the Eastern Lagoon Empire?" Huangfu Zhen asked with a frown after some thought. The Eastern Lagoon Empire really acted fast.

"Yes, that's why I came specially to help you," Leng Ruoxue said after taking a sip of tea. If not for the appearance of the men in black, she probably wouldn't have thought of coming to the Southern Dusk Empire to help them.

"Then when do we start?" Huangfu Zhen asked. He had endured the Xu family for many years and had long wanted to take action. But he didn't dare to act rashly before he was absolutely confident.

"The day after tomorrow. I want to visit the Huo family tomorrow," Leng Ruoxue said after some thought. There had been no news from the Huo family since she sent the news out, so she wanted to confirm it in person. It would be best if she could rope the Huo family in. But if the Huo family wanted to become enemies with her, she didn't care.

"Okay, the day after tomorrow then. I'll get someone to arrange a place for you to stay," Huangfu Zhen said warmly. The matter that had been weighing on his mind for so many years was about to be resolved, and he felt much more relaxed.

"Thank you for your kind intentions, Your Majesty. Our current inn is fine," Leng Ruoxue said with a light smile. She was afraid that the news would leak if she stayed in the palace. What if the Xu family's spies found out? Wouldn't the Xu family be on their guard?

"Your Majesty, we will take our leave first," Leng Ruoxue continued and then left the imperial palace with Freak.

After returning to the inn, Freak followed Leng Ruoxue directly into her room.

"Xue'er, are we really going to the Huo family tomorrow?" he couldn't help asking after they sat down. He didn't want to go to the Huo family...

"What do you mean by that? We will save a lot of effort if we can pull them to our side. They are the first Great Family, and their strength can't be underestimated after all," Leng Ruoxue explained.

"But..." Freak was very unwilling.

"Why? Are you still thinking about what happened last time? No one knows that we did it. What are you afraid of?" Leng Ruoxue teased softly.? *Freak is really too cute.* 

"I'm not afraid!" Freak quickly denied with a slightly awkward expression. How could he be afraid of such a small thing? He just didn't want to have anything to do with the Huo family. That damn Huo Qing was always eyeing his Xue'er so covetously.

"Since you're not afraid, rest early today. We'll go see the Huo family tomorrow morning." Leng Ruoxue didn't expose him. She only smiled slightly and struck while the iron was hot.

Freak nodded and then returned to his room to rest very consciously.

The next morning, Leng Ruoxue woke up, washed up, and went to find Freak. After breakfast, they went straight to the Huo family's main residence.

In the main hall of the Huo family residence...

Huo Yi sat on the patriarch's seat, and the elders of the Huo family sat on both sides of him.

"Patriarch, it's best for us to decide early on this matter," the first elder sitting below Huo Yi urged anxiously. If they waited for the Xu family to finish making preparations, it would probably be difficult to deal with them.

"Yes! First Elder is right," one of the elders echoed.

"Patriarch, I think it's best for our four families to discuss this together. Otherwise, if we're the only ones standing against the Xu family, and both our families suffer an internecine outcome, wouldn't it be letting others benefit?" another elder said in disapproval.

Sitting in the main seat, Huo Yi did not say a word and listened to the elders' discussion expressionlessly. The Huo family could now be said to be divided into two factions because of this matter. One faction was led by the first elder and was in favor of striking first to gain the upper hand. The other faction was led by his younger brother and didn't agree to deal with the Xu family now.

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"Patriarch, Leng Ruoxue wants to see you." A servant walked in to report.

"Leng Ruoxue? What is she doing here?" an elder murmured.

"Invite her in!" Huo Yi ordered coldly.

"Yes, Patriarch." The servant left the hall.

"Hello, Patriarch Huo," Leng Ruoxue said courteously as she walked into the meeting hall under the servant's lead.

Huo Yi nodded and said very politely, "Miss Leng, long time no see. Please have a seat."

"Miss Leng, may I know what brings you here?" the first elder couldn't help asking curiously. He had a very good impression of Leng Ruoxue and had always hoped that the Huo family would have a mistress like her. Unfortunately, she wasn't interested in their young master. Alas! What a pity!

"I'm here about the Xu family." Leng Ruoxue cut straight to the chase and observed the reactions of the people sitting.

*The Xu family*??The elders exchanged glances, but no one spoke. They were all waiting for her to continue.

Leng Ruoxue glanced coldly at Huo Yi and the elders sitting there and cursed in her heart.? *What cunning old foxes*.? She then continued, "I want to deal with the Xu family. I wonder if the Huo family has any intentions of cooperating."

"What can you offer for this cooperation with our Huo family? We are the first Great Family on the Ling Feng Continent," an elder took the lead to say.

"Apart from being the first Great Family, how many Spiritual Supremacies does your Huo family have now?" Leng Ruoxue asked instead of answering. To be honest, others might care about the Huo family's status, but she didn't care at all. After all, she just needed to bring out one divine beast casually, and it would be enough to cause the Huo family no small amount of trouble.

"Erm..." The elder fell silent. There were two Spiritual Supremacies in the Huo family, but only the patriarch of the Huo family was at home. The other, the former patriarch of the Huo family, had long since disappeared.

"I'm here to cooperate with you with sincerity. I don't care if you don't cooperate with me because of your high status. But I have to say this first. If we cooperate now, our relationship will be equal. But if you want to cooperate with me in the future, that may not be the case," Leng Ruoxue said halfseriously, half-threateningly. The best way to deal with such self-important families was to crush them with imposing manner.

"Miss Leng, you want to cooperate with us to deal with the Xu family, and the Xu family wants to cooperate with us to deal with you. The Xu family's offer is very generous. I wonder what conditions you will offer?" another elder, who was very calculative, said.

"I will not make any offers. I don't care if you want to cooperate with the Xu family to deal with me. I just hope that you won't regret it later." Leng Ruoxue's cold eyes glanced at the elder who spoke just now, then looked around at the other elders with a smile that was not a smile, and finally looked at Huo Yi.

After staring at Huo Yi for a few seconds, Leng Ruoxue averted her gaze and turned to Freak. "Since the Huo family isn't sincere in cooperating, let's not waste time."

"Let's go!" Freak said expressionlessly and stood up.

"Hey, Miss Leng." Seeing that Leng Ruoxue and Ye Chen really left, the first elder glanced at Huo Yi, then stood up and chased after them.

"Miss Leng." The first elder caught up with Leng Ruoxue and looked at them apologetically.

"What's the matter, First Elder?" Leng Ruoxue asked with a smile.

"Erm... I hope you don't mind what happened just now," the first elder said awkwardly. He never knew that a little girl could make him feel so stressed.

"First Elder, I'm very petty. Since the Huo family looks down on me and isn't willing to cooperate with me, then forget it," Leng Ruoxue said indifferently. But she knew that the Huo family probably wouldn't cooperate with the Xu family. Plotting with the Xu family for benefits was definitely a dead end. Huo Yi wasn't that stupid.

After saying what she wanted to say, Leng Ruoxue and Freak left the Huo family's main residence under the first elder's helpless gaze.

"Xue'er, this Huo family really doesn't know what's good for them. They will regret it in the future," Freak said indignantly on the way back to the inn.

"Freak, I'm not angry. You don't have to console me like this," Leng Ruoxue said, a little touched.

"Hehe, it's good that you're not angry." Freak smiled, not caring that Xue'er had seen through him.? Xue'er's understanding of me is getting better and better.

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After watching Leng Ruoxue and Ye Chen leave, the first elder returned to the meeting hall.

"Patriarch, are we really not choosing to cooperate with Leng Ruoxue?" the first elder asked directly after sitting down in his seat.

"First Elder, Leng Ruoxue is just a little girl. What qualifications does an ignorant little child have to cooperate with our Huo family?" an elder said disdainfully.

"Ignorant little child? Ninth Elder, I'm afraid you're not Leng Ruoxue's opponent with your strength," the first elder berated while looking coldly at the ninth elder. These people of the Huo family had always been high and mighty for many years. They thought highly of themselves and looked down on others.

"How is this possible? I'm a peak Spiritual Sovereign!" the ninth elder roared in disbelief. Wasn't the first elder exaggerating a little too much?

"You can choose not to believe." The first elder didn't bother to talk nonsense with them. Instead, he stared at Huo Yi and waited for the patriarch to decide.

"Let's wait and see first." Huo Yi slowly spat out these words. The Xu family and Leng Ruoxue would have to face each other sooner or later, so he didn't intend to participate in their battle for the time being. To put it plainly, he wanted to be the fisherman that benefited from the fight. But he would find out later that fishing for benefits from Leng Ruoxue wasn't a good idea.

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After returning to the inn, Leng Ruoxue and Freak formulated a detailed plan to ensure that nothing would go wrong.

The next day, Leng Ruoxue and Freak went to the imperial palace and met up with Huangfu Zhen, ready to attack at any moment as promised.

Huangfu Zhen looked at the time and said to Leng Ruoxue, "Ruoxue, let's do it."

Leng Ruoxue nodded. "You'll take care of Xu Lian'er. Leave the men in black to us."

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"Quill, Rise, you must guard the entire imperial palace," Leng Ruoxue ordered her beasts.

"Master, don't worry. Nothing will be able to get through us," Rise, who wrapped himself as a bracelet around Leng Ruoxue's snow-white wrist, promised.

After arranging everything, Leng Ruoxue and Huangfu Zhen went to the Phoenix Dwell Palace where Xu Lian'er lived.

After entering the inner hall of the Phoenix Dwell Palace, Leng Ruoxue and the others couldn't help feeling a little awkward because Xu Lian'er was sitting on a man with her clothes all over the place...

Xu Lian'er, who had been confined in her palace, was stunned when she suddenly saw so many people appear together. But she quickly recovered and hurriedly knelt on the ground. "Your Majesty."

Xu Lian'er knelt while quickly sorting out her disheveled clothes with her hands. She seemed to be terrified in her heart, and her face was pitiful. She didn't expect the emperor to come suddenly and see such an inelegant side of her...

"Your Majesty, it seems Noble Consort Xu is unwilling to be lonely and had an affair," Leng Ruoxue said mockingly while glancing at Xu Lian'er and the man beside her. Sure enough, it was another man who resembled her father.

#### "Leng Ruoxue, it's you again!"

As soon as Xu Lian'er saw Leng Ruoxue, intense hatred burst out of her eyes. Whenever she saw Leng Ruoxue, she would think of that slut who robbed her love. She really couldn't understand how she couldn't compare to that woman who had nothing. Why? Why couldn't she obtain the heart of the man she loved!

"Do you hate my mother?" Leng Ruoxue asked indifferently. Women who hated each other for love could do anything, and Xu Lian'er just happened to be such a vicious woman.

"Yes, I hate her and wanted her dead. But why didn't only she die? Why?" Xu Lian'er roared out of control with a hideous face. Back then, she had racked her brains to trick the Leng Lie couple into coming to the Southern Dusk Empire. She originally wanted to get rid of that slut, but she didn't expect to accidentally kill the man she loved...

"Because she had the protection of the man she loved," Leng Ruoxue reminded very kindly.

"No! Brother Lie didn't love her at all. He loved me!" Xu Lian'er seemed to be falling into her own memories crazily, and the past became her nightmare.

"Do you think we'll let you go just because you pretend to be crazy?" Leng Ruoxue coldly exposed her. This woman was really too scheming, and leaving her alive would definitely cause a disaster.

"I can't believe I didn't trick you. Tell me. What do you want to do to me?" Xu Lian'er stood up from the ground arrogantly. Her terrified and pitiful appearance from before was nowhere to be seen. Since they already saw through her, she might as well stop pretending. She was a precious daughter of the Xu family, so she didn't believe that the emperor would dare to kill her.

"Your Majesty, I really pity you," Leng Ruoxue suddenly said while looking at Huangfu Zhen.

"She has nothing to do with me," Huangfu Zhen said indifferently, without the slightest trace of anger from being cuckolded.

"Your Majesty, you said it has nothing to do with you? Then where did our daughter come from?" Xu Lian'er provoked. She hated it when men tried to distance themselves from her. Was she a virus?

"She's just a bastard." Huangfu Zhen's face was full of disgust. This woman was still acting at a time like this.

"How can you say that the daughter you've loved for eighteen years is a bastard? You are really heartless!" Xu Lian'er laughed, her face full of pride and flaunting.

"I have never touched you. What is that daughter if not a bastard? I'm afraid you don't even know who her father is, do you?" Huangfu Zhen mocked disdainfully. All these years, he had been forcing himself to love this mother and daughter all for today. Today, he was going to avenge his grandfather.

"No, how is this possible? I don't believe it!" Xu Lian'er screamed in disbelief.

"You have to believe it," Huangfu Zhen said coldly and ignored her.

"Xu Lian'er, where are the people you sent to kill my parents now?" Leng Ruoxue asked. Although Xu Lian'er was the mastermind, she didn't intend to let the murderers go either.

"Do you think I will tell you? You will never know. Haha!" Xu Lian'er laughed hysterically, but her heart was extremely miserable...

"Ruoxue, she probably killed those people long ago. Don't underestimate this woman's obsession with your father," Huangfu Zhen quickly said, afraid that Leng Ruoxue would be affected by Xu Lian'er.

"Xu Lian'er, where are your people?" Leng Ruoxue nodded and asked lightly. It made no difference to her whether Xu Lian'er said it or not. She wouldn't let anyone from the Xu family go anyway.

"Your Majesty, do you really want to kill me?" Xu Lian'er looked at Huangfu Zhen with gentle eyes.

"Is there any question about this?" Huangfu Zhen asked with a look of disgust on his face.

"You will regret it. Haha!" Xu Lian'er waved her hand, and a group of men in black emerged from all directions and surrounded Leng Ruoxue and the others.

Leng Ruoxue narrowed her beautiful eyes, which released an icy cold glare and murderous intent...

*Finally out*.?She was really afraid that these people would hide in the corner and not come out. Otherwise, why would she talk so much nonsense with Xu Lian'er?

"Leng Ruoxue, don't worry. I will leave your corpse intact for the sake of Brother Lie," Xu Lian'er said very kindly, as if she had given Leng Ruoxue a great favor.

"Thank you, but I don't need it.

"I'll leave it to you."

After speaking, Leng Ruoxue took out her sword and directly stabbed at the nearest few men in black. Wherever the sword energy went, fiery red spiritual power followed closely. The momentum was surging, and the cold air was threatening. Wherever the sword reached, countless men in black died or were injured...

Seeing Leng Ruoxue attack without hesitation, Huangfu Zhen also drew his sword and stabbed at Xu Lian'er. But the man beside Xu Lian'er blocked it, causing him to miss...

After Leng Ruoxue and Freak quickly dealt with all the men in black outside the hall, they returned to the inner hall and saw Huangfu Zhen and the others still fighting with the men in black in the hall, while Xu Lian'er stood by and watched coldly.

"Freak, go help them."

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After speaking to Freak, Leng Ruoxue walked directly to Xu Lian'er's side and captured her in her hand.

"Leng Ruoxue, let go of me, or you will regret it." Xu Lian'er struggled for a while and threatened when she saw that she couldn't break free.

"I'll regret it if I let you go." Leng Ruoxue took out a pill and stuffed it into Xu Lian'er's mouth.

*Cough cough*? "What did you feed me?" Xu Lian'er asked in fright.

"Of course it's poison. Do you think I'll let you die so easily?"

"H-how dare you! I am the eldest daughter of the Xu family. How dare you?" Xu Lian'er roared in disbelief. Leng Ruoxue was really too daring to treat her like this.?*Hmph! I won't let her go.* 

"The eldest daughter of the Xu family? I'm so scared!" Leng Ruoxue directly knocked Xu Lian'er unconscious.?*Hmph! I'm too lazy to listen to her rubbish.* 

With Freak's help, Huangfu Zhen and the others quickly got rid of the men in black in the inner hall.

"Ruoxue, everyone is dead except for Xu Lian'er," Huangfu Zhen said to Leng Ruoxue after sending people to check.

Leng Ruoxue nodded. With Quill around, no one could escape within a radius of ten thousand meters.

"Your Majesty, we will take our leave now that everything is settled."

Leng Ruoxue motioned for Freak to carry Xu Lian'er. After speaking to Huangfu Zhen, the two jumped onto Quill's back and left the Southern Dusk Empire.

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At the general's mansion, Leng Qingtian was speechless as he looked at Xu Lian'er hanging in the air tied up with a rope.

Did they drag Xu Lian'er back like this all the way??Leng Qingtian thought curiously.

"Grandpa, it's what you think." Leng Ruoxue saw through her grandfather's thoughts. Alas! There was no choice. Quill was unwilling to carry Xu Lian'er, and Freak was also unwilling to carry her all the time. Moreover, it was impossible for her to put Xu Lian'er in the Heaven and Earth Bracelet, so she could only hang her and bring her back like this.

"Xue'er, since you've brought her back, what are you going to do with her?" Leng Qingtian asked curiously. This woman was too evil, and she had torn apart their Leng family, so he absolutely hated her to the core and didn't want her to die so easily.

"Grandpa, you can do whatever you want with her as long as you don't kill her," Leng Ruoxue said understandingly. She knew how her grandfather felt, so she would absolutely support him unconditionally no matter what he wanted to do.

"Okay, leave this woman to Grandpa!" Leng Qingtian said happily. He had many ways to torture people, so he would definitely treat her well.

"Grandpa, have fun. Freak and I will go back to our rooms to rest." Leng Ruoxue yawned. She hadn't had a good night's sleep for several days and was very tired.

"Okay, go and rest," Leng Qingtian said quickly.

After returning to her room, Leng Ruoxue went directly into the Heaven and Earth Bracelet to rest. The spiritual energy inside was rich, and she could rest while cultivating.

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When Leng Ruoxue left the Heaven and Earth Bracelet after resting enough, two days had passed.

"Xue'er, you're so good at sleeping!" Leng Qingtian teased his granddaughter when he saw her enter the dining room. He knew that she might stay in the bracelet, so he didn't let anyone disturb her.

"Grandpa, I'm so tired!" Leng Ruoxue sat down with an innocent face. Alas! Since Feng Da and the others left Phoenix City, the mansion had become deserted. She didn't know what was happening with them.

A few days ago, after Leng Ruoxue decided to sever the Xu family's arm first, she asked the Feng family's first elder to arrange for people to go to the Northern Frost Empire while she sent Feng Da and the others to the Central Universe Empire...

"After we settle the Xu family, we'll let you have a good rest," Leng Qingtian said tenderly.

"Grandpa, how's Li Yuan?" Leng Ruoxue asked with concern as she picked up a piece of dessert.

"He's fine now. But Xue'er, you really gave a lot this time," Leng Qingtian said with some heartache. He didn't expect Xue'er to be willing to give so many green spirit pills to Old Lin and the old patriarch all at once.

"During critical times, strength is the most important. Moreover, green spirit pills are nothing to me." Since they were allies, Leng Ruoxue naturally couldn't be too stingy. Otherwise, her allies would only drag her down if they were too weak. "That's true. Xue'er, do you think Grandpa should also get a few level nine holy beasts?" Leng Qingtian couldn't help asking. Hmph, he only had one divine beast. Old Lin was originally very envious, but now that old fellow's holy beast had also advanced, and he actually had two divine beasts.? *Boohoo...* 

"Grandpa, you and Grandpa Lin aren't children anymore. How can you compare this kind of thing?" Leng Ruoxue said speechlessly. These two old men added together were almost two hundred years old. When would they grow up?

"Grandpa just doesn't feel balanced. I don't want to compete with him. Really." Leng Qingtian quickly and cautiously expressed his opinion, for fear that his precious granddaughter would be angry.

Leng Ruoxue deliberately paused and said, "Grandpa, wait until we meet a level holy beast, and I'll let you contract it."

"Xue'er, are you angry?" Leng Qingtian couldn't help asking.

"That's a good thing. The stronger you are, the more at ease I will be." Leng Ruoxue was scared. She couldn't always protect her loved ones, so she wanted to improve their strength whenever she had the chance. This way, she would also be at ease even when she was not by their side. As for her brother, she would personally help her brother find the herbs after settling the Xu family.

"Xue'er..."

"Grandpa, let's do it when Feng Da and the others have news!" Leng Ruoxue interrupted.

"Okay, let's get rid of the Xu family as soon as possible. Then we can relax." The Xu family was a big problem! The sooner they got rid of them, the better.

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Five days later, the Feng family's first elder and Feng Da sent a message back at the same time. It was settled.

On the second day after the message came, Leng Ruoxue, the old man, Leng Qingtian, and others decided to go to the Xu family's main residence in the Western Light Empire and eradicate the Xu family in one fell swoop.

After some discussion, they decided to let Lin Liang stay while the others went to the Western Light Empire.

"Grandpa Lin, I'll leave this place to you." Leng Ruoxue smiled at Lin Liang.

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"Don't worry. No one will have an opportunity to take advantage with me around," Lin Liang promised as he patted his chest.

Leng Ruoxue nodded. She sat on Quill's back after everyone got on.

"Quill, let's go!" Leng Ruoxue ordered and waved at Lin Liang.

"Yes, Master." Quill flapped his huge wings, slowly rose into the sky, and disappeared into the horizon.

On the way...

"Little girl, your eagle is really good. He flies fast and steadily," the old man said with envy. He also wanted such an eye-catching flying spirit beast.

"Old man, you already have so many spirit beasts. Aren't you satisfied?" Cold sweat dripped down Leng Ruoxue's forehead.? *This old man is too greedy*!

"How can humans be so easily satisfied? For spirit beasts, naturally the more powerful, the better." the old man said nonchalantly.

"Oh right, old man, tell me about the Xu family's old patriarch!" Leng Ruoxue asked after suddenly remembering.

There was a Spiritual Supremacy old patriarch in each of the Five Great Families and the imperial families. However, most of them would basically not take care of anything and would not appear unless there was something that would endanger the foundation of the family.

"That old thing isn't an old patriarch. His seniority is much lower than mine." The old man pursed his lips disdainfully.

"That old thing is very devious. He was the one who injured that old fellow of the Southern Dusk Empire. But his injuries were not light either. He's been hiding to recuperate for more than a decade!"

"Little girl, do you know why the Xu family was willing to compensate you with so many things before?" the old man asked mysteriously.

"Why?" Leng Ruoxue was curious. The Xu family shouldn't be afraid of her family, right? The Xu family had a Spiritual Supremacy.

"Of course, it's because... Forget it. I won't tell you first. You will know in the future." The old man paused to whet Leng Ruoxue's appetite and then decided not to say more.

"Damn old man, you tricked me!" Leng Ruoxue said fiercely as she glared at the disrespectful old man.

"Hehe, little girl, this old man just wants to ease the tense atmosphere. Everyone is too nervous," the old man said with a chuckle, not taking it seriously.

"Xue'er, the patriarch of the Xu family is indeed very devious. We have to deal with him carefully," Leng Qingtian said seriously. If it hadn't been for Xu Lian'er's father's obstruction, he would have killed her long ago.

"Grandpa, we will succeed," Leng Ruoxue said confidently. They had so many divine beasts. If they couldn't defeat the Xu family, they should just kill themselves.

"Master, Master, I won't let your enemies go." The little black fox lying quietly in Leng Ruoxue's arms took the opportunity to express his attitude and tried to curry favor.

"Good." Leng Ruoxue caressed his soft fur.

"Master, there's still me," Rise also said hurriedly.

"You're all good."

"Xue'er, what about me?" Freak, who had been acting as a cushion for Xue'er, also stuck his head out.

"You're good too," Leng Ruoxue coaxed as she caressed Freak's head like she was petting it.

"Your house must be very lively!" the old man said to Leng Qingtian with a chuckle as he watched the competition for favor.

"This isn't the most lively time yet!" Leng Qingtian sighed. His granddaughter was so popular!

They chatted and laughed along the way. After flying for four days, Leng Ruoxue and the others entered the borders of the Western Light Empire.

The Xu family's main residence was in Salt City, the capital of the Western Light Empire. It was in the afternoon when they entered Salt City. But Leng Ruoxue and the others didn't look for an inn in the city but set up tents on the outskirts of Salt City.

After dinner, everyone went into their tents to rest. After a good rest, it was already nighttime.

"Little girl, let's go!" the old man said impatiently. His target today was that old thing from the Xu family.

Leng Ruoxue looked at the sky and nodded. "Let's go!"

On Quill's back, they soon arrived at the Xu family's main residence.

"Ling, call the Xu family out!" Leng Ruoxue ordered lightly. She didn't want to deal with the Xu family in secret anymore because she came specially to cause a scene today. The fate of the Xu family was destined.

"Yes, Master."

Rise, who was coiled around Leng Ruoxue's wrist, quickly enlarged his body and swung his divine flood dragon tail. The Xu family's seemingly tall and sturdy courtyard walls collapsed one after another like paper with a loud bang...

After Rise finished all of this, he transformed back and wrapped himself around Leng Ruoxue's wrist again. He didn't forget to rub against her coquettishly, looking like he was trying to please her.

"Well done!" Leng Ruoxue praised generously.

"Who dares to come to the Xu family to cause trouble!" A furious roar sounded from the Xu family residence just as Leng Ruoxue finished speaking.

*Swish! Swish! Swish!*?Immediately after, several figures appeared in front of Leng Ruoxue and the others. Subsequently, the other people of the Xu family also appeared one after another.

"Who are you? How dare you come to our Xu family to cause trouble?" the middle-aged man leading the group questioned angrily. Especially when he saw the sturdy courtyard wall of his house collapsed into a pile like mud, he became even angrier, and his anger surged to his head.

"We wouldn't have if you aren't the Xu family!" Leng Ruoxue said indifferently as her beautiful eyes drifted to the middle-aged man who spoke.

This middle-aged man looked to be about 50 years old, and his facial features were fairly handsome. He had thick eyebrows and big eyes, and there was a hint of viciousness in his eyes. He was tall and strong, and he was an advanced Spiritual Sovereign. Leng Ruoxue knew that if she was not mistaken, this person should be the acting patriarch of the Xu family, Xu Qian.

After hearing Leng Ruoxue's words, the reactions of the two parties were completely different.

On the old man's side, there were several with a few black lines hanging on their foreheads. And most of them were thinking,?*This girl is really arrogant!* 

As for the Xu family, they were so angry that they almost vomited blood. These people actually deliberately came to cause trouble! They really don't want their lives anymore...

"You damn girl! State your name if you dare!" Xu Qian roared with a dark face. His vicious eyes released a perverted gaze as he looked up and down Leng Ruoxue lustfully...