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"We contracted some small sects for spirit rice and sweet dew liquid. Spirit rice is a special type of rice created in conjunction with a cultivation technique. It has spiritual qi inside. The sweet dew liquid is the same. It's a juice extracted from plants containing spiritual qi. During the body tempering stage, if a cultivator eats this food containing spiritual qi, it will increase the quantity of qi and blood in their body, speeding up their cultivation speed." The restaurant chef who is at 8th stage of qi refining realm said to Tyler. After that he left.

Tyler turned around and looked at the girl who was covering her face.

"Beautiful Pretty Priscilla." He said with a serious expression.

"Please don't call me that." Priscilla twitched as she even buried her face within her hands.

"Even Though I feel like I can practise easily, my Cultivation seems still slow. Is there any way to improve more?" Tyler asked.

Priscilla looked at him with pity and explained, "You already past prime age to start Cultivation warm-ups like Body forging"

"I do have a Body refining method. But my body cannot definitely handle it. So I have to reach at least 3rd level of Qi Refining Realm." Tyler said.

"Then try your best to reach 3rd level soon, junior brother." Priscilla said.

"Oh I also forgot that I can use my spatial bag now." He happily took the Storage pouch and played with it.

"Spatial bags?" Priscilla laughed.

"Is it not?" Tyler was puzzled.

"It is similar to spatial treasure but it is not a spatial treasure. It's actually a shrinking bag." Priscilla said as she used her power to open up a little bit. He saw the things he sent inside were reduced into small sizes.

"This bag is made from the shed skin of the Micro Snake, a spirit beast. The skin of this snake has the innate ability to reduce the size of everything it touches. Although this

snake has the size of a little finger, it can reduce the size of a Tiger to that of a fingernail after coming in contact with it, gulping it down at once. The ability of its skin it sheds works the same way and can reduce the size of various objects. However, its effects are not that strong and can reduce a table to the size of a matchbox at most. Moreover, it can't reduce the size of living things," Priscilla explained.

"Cool." Tyler's eyes shined.

"Also our sect has a farm of Micro Snakes. When they shed skin we will harvest it and give it to the formation master to modify it a little bit and create Storage pouches." Priscilla then took the tea and drank it.

While looking at the storage pouch, he suddenly thought of something.

"Ah there is something I wanted to do. See you later Senior Sister." He waved his hand and left.

After entering the room, he activated the concealing formation he bought and installed for a hefty amount.

Now at least no one below Nascent Soul Realm won't be able to pry inside. As for people at or above the Nascent Soul Realm, 99% of them won't visit these places.

He took his copper pot and made it big and basketball sized. Then he placed the storage pouch inside. Then he took out a copy. The storage pouch got copied along with the materials inside. He couldn't help but laugh.

"Now I can finally replicate items larger than the copper pot." Tyler is extremely lucky to get this peerless treasure.

A month passed, Tyler went back to the sect. He still has to attend the classes and all. His courses are Herbology,

"This spirit plant is called Black-White Orchid, this one is Mulberry Golden Roots , Yang Fire Leaf, Fiery Purple Grass, Netherlands Fruit, Spiral Pulp, Bordercloud Bloom, Searchwind Stalk, Yang-Soaking Fruit...."

He chose this subject just to identify several plants.

The next subject he chose is Archery.

"Everyone who's good at archery must pay attention to their posture because it's the very foundation of archery. The stronger one's foundation is, the easier it'll be to wield the bow!"

"Remember... The body should be upright. Don't shrink your neck, don't show your arms, don't bend your waist, don't lean forward, don't lean back, don't puff up your chest..."

As the instructor told them, Tyler did as they said. He always loved Archery. He also has some experience when he was young. So he chose this class.

Then he chose formation,

"Dao gives birth to one, one gives birth to two, two gives birth to three, and three gives rise to all things. The second is yin and yang, and the third is the combination of yin and yang. If one array doesn't work, you can try two. If two don't work, you can try using three. Formation plates, with one of them as the formation base, and the other two as the Yin and Yang formation plates, naturally more in line with the rules of the universe."

Then the basic classes where they teach spiritual awareness and qi controlling.

"Illusions can deceive people's vision, and if the mind is not strong enough, they will still be deceived." The instructor said today's topic seems to be mental strength.

And so on the boring classes continued everyday,

Next is Combat training

After entering the combat arena he saw a statue made of ice. It has deer-like horns, camel-like head, rabbit-like eyes, snake-like neck, clam-like belly, fish-like scales, hawk-like claws, cat-like palms, and cow-like ears. All of these elements were merged into this spotlessly white body. A dragon statue. This arena is called Dragon Arena. Usually used by inner disciples. But today for some reason they brought the Outer Disciples there.

"As a Cultivator, combat training is the most important. Even if you want to avoid trouble, the troubles won't avoid you." A middle aged man said. He is the same middle aged man Tyler saw on the first day entering the sect.

"Now let's start the combat training, no one is allowed to use spirit power." The middle aged man just went straight to the point.

Afterwards they began to fight one on one with each other.

Tyler was matched with a young man. The young man had a serious expression on his face as he made a kick in the air then twisted his waist and made a backflip.

Seeing this Tyler said, "Can I quit?"

"Too late." Hearing what the opponent is saying the young man lunged forward towards Tyler.

But before the young man could even reach Tyler, the middle aged looking instructor stood between them.

"I told you before. No external objects." The instructor said to Tyler.

"Sorry, it's a habit." Tyler scratched his head and laughed.

"Take them out," The instructor said.

The young man looked at him with a curious expression.

He placed a Fireball talisman out.

"Take it all out." The instructor said again. Now the commotion attracted all other disciples.

Tyler laughed and took the fireball 20 talisman out.

"I meant all." The instructor said again without any change of expression.

Tyler took out many Ice Wedge talisman, Ice beam talisman then he took 5+ wood growing talisman, 5+ vine tentacles talisman, 8+ body strengthening talisman, etc., etc.,

The instructor's mouth twitched. Is this guy and young master from a rich family?

"It's ok to use these things. But using these in training is a dumb move. If your qi energy needed to consolidate you have to go threw actual combat." The instructor advised him as well as other students.

Soon, the practice continued. Tyler was knocked out in three moves. Now he understands how weak he is.

"Try to get some Martial arts in the Library." The instructor told them about different types of Martial Arts used for combats and left.

Tyler decided to get one. The only problem is he lacks merit points. He can't copy merit points because they don't exist physically. They are just records.

Tyler went to the Task Hall where he can do tasks and get merits. He saw many tasks floating around the hall. Everything is blurry, but if he concentrates on one, he can see the contents of the task.

"Damn the nouveau riche is here." Some disciples said as they glanced at Tyler.

Tyler is a little famous in the outer court. He even got himself the name nouveau riche. He is the only one who can afford a mansion while being an outer disciple.

Tyler glanced at the tasks one by one. There were beast slaying tasks, herb gathering tasks, bounty tasks and many more.

He saw a task that piqued his interest. It is one of herb gathering tasks.

The task goes like this,

[Collect Golden sunflower (6/100).

For each Golden Sunflower five merit points are traded>

Golden Sunflowers can be found in the Sun Shine Planes, The Golden Peak, xxx

Golden Sunflower: Radiating with golden light, this sunflower is imbued with the power of the sun itself, granting vitality, warmth, and the ability to dispel darkness and curses.]

Tyler just accepted that task.

He then went to market and bought a Golden Sunflower for 25 low grade spiritual stones. It is not worth it to buy one at that rate and sell it for merit points. But Tyler doesn't care. In the evening, Tyler submitted the task while delivering some boxes full of Golden Sunflowers.

He got 470 merit points , just like that.

Chapter 12 - 11. Training

Iron Hand Technique is an interesting Martial art. For those who can't use complicated moves, they can try Iron Hand Technique which delivers straightforward and powerful moves.

Tyler has his own training ground in his mansion. So he quickly went there to practise.

There was some introduction in the book.

If practised successfully, it will allow the user to increase the strength of their constitution by a notch. Moreover, the hands of the cultivator will become impervious to swords and spears, as well as immune to heat and cold. Both arms would develop superhuman strength, and the user would be able to clash against magical treasures of the Second Stage rank with their bare hands!

The first step of technique is

[Step 1: Go and practice punching the iron for three hours.]

He got confused for a second and read it again.

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"Can I skip the first step?" Tyler's mouth twitched and read step 2.

[Step 2: The most important thing when practising punching is not the motion but how the person is able to interact with the Spirit power in their body. One needs to merge their punch and Spirit power and learn how to control and gather the Spirit Power from your veins and channel it through the punch.

Warning: without proper punching practise the veins might burst]

"Alright First step first."

He began to practise.

He took an iron slab and started punching it.

"Ouch"

One week later at combat class.

He was again matched with the Young Man. The Young Man's name is Chen Xi. The Cultivation world is vast and people from different places try their best to join Cultivation Sects from far away. That's why most people don't have the same types of names. For example, Tyler, Priscilla seem like foreign names and Xie, Yu Meixue are like native names.

Han Chen Xi Made a shout, he lunged forward just by using his physical strength.

Tyler calmly looked at him and thought, 'He is gonna give a round kick huh. Then I should move my left foot to the side to dodge Chen's attack'

His analyses were fast but his movements were slow. And Chen Xi was even faster.

Bang

The Kick landed on his shoulder. Tyler made a spin in the Air and fell down.

" Pathetic" Tyler said to himself.

"What are you doing?" Chen Xi asked when he saw that Tyler was not standing up.

"The floor feels good. Maybe I should take a nap." Tyler said apathetically.

Chen Xi chuckled and tried to help him up.

Tyler panicked and thought he was trying to beat him up, he threw a punch.

Chen Xi blocked it easily with one hand.

"Are you practising some sort of hand strengthening technique?" Chen Xi asked.

"Wow, 100 points for you." Tyler said.

"Well your punch was a little stronger than usual. But only a little bit." Chen Xi said and he suddenly thought of something, "Try to practice a Footwork too. Only by combining those two can you unleash it fully."

"Thank You for your advice." Tyler cupped his hand. All of them are from the same sect, so it's normal for fellow daoists to give pointers.

"Give me your full power punch." Chen Xi said he thought he could easily block it.

"Alright. Be careful." Tyler took a deep breath and stomped his left foot forward while raising his left hand in half defence manner. Then he stomped his right foot forward and gave a punch.

Even though he didn't use any spirit power, Chen Xi who received it in the palm felt a big force.

"Woah. Looks like you practised a lot. " Chen Xi said.

"Yub 400 to 500 punches per minute on an iron slab."

"Wow.. But your hand looks very clean. Not even a sign of practising." Chen Xi asked in confusion.

"Oh, I used Crystal Flower Dew Drops," Tyler said.

"No wonder your hand looks completely healed. But those are expensive. Even a few drops are 10 spirit stones." Chen Xi nodded.

'I even bathed in it.' But Tyler didn't dare to say it loudly.

Later Tyler went to select a movement technique. He finished up a task really fast just like before now looking at the collection of movement techniques.

Cloud Steps: Mimicking the lightness of clouds, practitioners move swiftly and lightly, making it difficult for opponents to predict their movements.

Shadow Shift: By stepping lightly and swiftly, fighters can dodge attacks and move in and out of range, appearing like a shadow to their opponents.

Elemental Footwork: Depending on the elemental affinity of the practitioner, they may incorporate elemental attributes into their footwork, such as earth to provide stability, wind for speed, or water for fluidity.

Phantom Stride: This technique involves sudden bursts of speed and unpredictable movements, confusing opponents and creating openings for counterattacks.

Dragon Soar: Inspired by the flight of dragons, this technique involves leaping and bounding to evade attacks or close the distance between opponents rapidly.

'Cloud steps, Shadow Shift are cool. But their training methods are definitely not for me.' He then looked at the remaining three; he finalised Phantom stride, Dragon Soar and Elemental Footwork.

He was not sure what to choose so he asked the combat teacher.

"Why not all three?" The teacher replied.

"I don't think I can-"

"Just practise the basics of three and try to combine them. That's how Cultivation is. There is a girl who copied a fire style technique and made it into her own ice style technique. Try to adapt to new things. Remember Cultivation has endless possibilities. I will also guide you some." The teacher likes the people who give their all in martial arts.

Another month passed. It is the month of spring, and the whole Frozen Heart Sect activated some sort of formation, which made some places turn into spring season and other places are just winter as usual.

The Outer Disciple court is one of the areas where the formation didn't cover. So Outer Disciples, Servants and some elders who are in duty can only watch Inner Areas with envy.

Tyler didn't care about the weather. He didn't feel cold that much after practising Cultivation. He is now standing in the training grounds.

"Your progress is truly commendable," Chen Xi praised, his voice carrying a mixture of surprise and approval. As the words left his lips, he seamlessly transitioned into action, advancing with fluid grace. With calculated precision, he brought his foot down forcefully, twisted his waist for added momentum, and balled his right hand into a tight

fist, aiming straight for the vulnerable front of Tyler's neck. This sequence of movements exemplified the essence of the 'Attacking the Vital Part' style, a fundamental technique in their martial arts discipline.

Tyler's instincts kicked in as he registered the impending strike, prompting him to instinctively shift to the side, seeking to evade the incoming blow. Yet, fate had other plans. In a cruel twist of fate, his footing betrayed him, sending him careening off balance and crashing unceremoniously to the ground before he could fully execute his intended evasion. In the blink of an eye, Chen Xi's right foot seamlessly followed, its trajectory adjusted with precision, delivering a soft but effective kick that intercepted Tyler's attempted dodge, effectively cutting off his escape route with a gentle yet decisive force.

"During a fight, it's not that you shouldn't dodge, and it's not that you must be tough and durable, but you must pay attention to your footwork and to the opponents' movements. Falling over yourself is a classic move. A moment ago you forgot your own identity as a fighter. That seemed like an average person dodging; your footwork became sloppy, your eyes were only on my fist." Chen Xi stretched out his right hand and pulled Tyler up while referring to all of the things he had done wrong. "True mastery lies not just in physical prowess, but in the finesse of technique and the depth of awareness. Take a moment to reflect, and when you're ready, we'll continue."

Tyler pondered quietly, reflecting on the moves he had just made. Keeping in mind his shortcomings, he went on to adopt his fighting stance again. Tyler used his movement technique, and in a few moments he reached Chen Xi. He then used his stance to execute Iron Hand Technique. But Chen Xi moved back. But Tyler didn't let it go. He used Dragon Soar and suddenly appeared before Chen Xi followed by a punch.

Chen Xi was knocked back 2 or 3 steps.

But Tyler was smiling, "Finally."

Because this is the first time his attack reached Chen Xi for the first time.

"Too Late to celebrate." Chen Xi's voice cutted off his celebration.

When Chen Xi whipped Tyler, Ice formed above Tyler's side and countered the kick.

"You used Spirit Power." Chen Xi clicked his tongue.

"I tried to use Elemental Footwork. But I messed it up." Tyler said.

Suddenly a servant disciple entered the arena, "Senior Brother Tyler. Someone destroyed your new auction house at Jade Valley."

His voice resonated around the arena.

"Who dares to touch the Frozen Heart Sect disciple's property?" Before Tyler could even say something Chen Xi asked.

"It's someone from Soaring Cloud Sect." The servant replied.

"Junior brother, do you have any enemies in Soaring Cloud Sect?" Chen Xi asked.

"No. I only know a senior there.. that's all." He replied with a puzzled expression.

"Then let's go and confront them." Chen Xi seems to be more excited than Tyler. He quickly grabbed him and dragged the servant along with him.

Both Tyler and Chen Xi don't know that even more unexpected things are going to happen in Jade Valley.