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However, he was visibly displeased, his face displaying a range of emotions.

Gu Chaoyan remained unfazed by his reaction.

In her opinion, Yan Zhengchu was nothing more than a novice who deserved to be utterly defeated. He was unsuitable for collaboration or peaceful coexistence.

Yan Zhengchu promptly departed.

"He doesn't dare lay a finger on the Yan Family, at least for now," Gu Chaoyan remarked.

"....."

"Nevertheless, we must exercise caution when dealing with individuals like him," she continued.

"We understand. Let's not dwell on his potential threat to the Yan Family. Sooner or later, the Yan Family will exact revenge on Wuji's behalf. When that time comes, it won't be him targeting the Yan Family, but us," Madame Yan stated through gritted teeth.

It was because of Chaoyan's actions that Wuji had been saved from ruin and he had appeared at their doorstep.

Gu Chaoyan nodded in agreement.

Madame Yan's words hinted at her own strategy. It seemed that the Second Prince would pay the price for his wicked deeds.

Once the Yan Family's issues were resolved, Gu Chaoyan no longer concerned herself with anything else.

However, she now harbored deep concerns about obtaining the Golden Rolls.

Seizing the opportunity provided by the good weather, she contemplated for a moment before departing with Sword One and the others.

Her first destination was the Star Moon Pavilion. Yan Tianren held the Star Moon Pavilion in high regard, which indicated its exceptional competence.

Surely, a visit to the Star Moon Pavilion would yield a solution to her predicament.

Located in Haitian, the Star Moon Pavilion resembled a bustling marketplace.

The Star Moon Pavilion boasted a diverse range of merchandise, offering something for everyone.

Additionally, there was a possibility of finding rare items at the Star Moon Pavilion.

While it was not a guarantee, if one desired something, the Star Moon Pavilion might have a solution, although not with complete certainty.

Hence, the Star Moon Pavilion provided the swiftest means of acquisition.

However...

It should be noted that the fees and Spirit Stones charged by the Star Moon Pavilion were considerably high.

Upon reaching the Star Moon Pavilion, Gu Chaoyan instructed Sword One and the others to choose their desired items.

Directly addressing the crowd, she inquired, "Where can I find your manager? I require the assistance of the Star Moon Pavilion to acquire something."

Dealing with items that were not available at the Star Moon Pavilion proved to be quite complicated.

The Star Moon Pavilion staff promptly sought out their manager.

Within the Star Moon Pavilion, the hierarchy functioned as follows: aside from the individuals responsible for selling magical artifacts, pills, Spirit Stones, weapons, and talismans, there existed a manager who held a higher rank. Unlike other stores with just one manager, the Star Moon Pavilion boasted a team of five managers. Apart from their cultivation prowess, these five managers had extensive connections, enabling them to handle esteemed guests like Gu Chaoyan. Whoever successfully secured an order would claim it. Naturally, obtaining such items was challenging, so the five managers would vie for the opportunity to fulfill the request.

Consequently, the manager of the Star Moon Pavilion experienced significant pressure.

After the announcement, the manager emerged, greeting Gu Chaoyan with a smile akin to someone who had just stumbled upon a pot of gold.

"Just tell me what you want. There is nothing I can't get from the Star Moon Pavilion." The manager was very confident.

He was confident because he was very good at business. When someone wanted superior-grade magical weapon, he got them these without hesitation.

Gu Chaoyan answered calmly, "What about Golden Rolls?"

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Hearing this, a flicker of uncertainty crossed his face.

If she had been talking about magical weapons and pills, he would have had a plan. But Golden Rolls?

It was an inconvenient time to acquire Golden Rolls. With the Supreme Sect's assessment drawing near, everyone was scrambling to secure as many Golden Rolls as possible, hoping to enroll as many children as they could.

Even the childless princes of the royal family were planning to send their own representatives.

Collecting enough Golden Rolls seemed like an insurmountable challenge.

"Lady, I must be honest with you—it's exceedingly difficult to obtain Golden Rolls at the moment," the manager said frankly.

"I have something to offer. If it guarantees me the Golden Rolls, I am willing to give you whatever I can," Gu Chaoyan declared, displaying her generosity.

Before the manager could react, the Dragonman nestled in Gu Chaoyan's arms wriggled. She did have something valuable—the gold, silver, jewelry, and Spirit Stones her father had bestowed upon her!

Was this woman actually considering offering her father's possessions?

If she dared to do so, it would be a harsh lesson for her!

Little Dragon contemplated inwardly.

Without waiting for the manager's response, Gu Chaoyan retrieved an elixir from her spatial storage. "This is the Zhenyuan Magical Elixir. With just one bottle, you can achieve a breakthrough. If I'm not mistaken, the Elder Prince is currently at the pinnacle of the Martial King level, but he has been stuck there for a year, facing a bottleneck. If he can bypass it and make a direct breakthrough, what would he desire more than a Golden Rolls?"

"..."

"I will offer you two bottles—one for the Golden Rolls and the other as your payment. What do you say to that?"

"..."

"I will give you one bottle, and once you retrieve the Golden Rolls, I will give you the second bottle, and you can return the Golden Rolls to me," Gu Chaoyan confidently proposed.

What...

That was the manager's first instinctive reaction.

If the elixir proved effective, the Elder Prince would undoubtedly agree to the exchange.

They were on track to obtain the Golden Rolls.

This girl had taken care of everything for him, turning him into a mere deliveryman.

He was slightly taken aback, though.

But...

It was such a good deal.

Why not?

The bottle of medicinal pills he was receiving as payment would undoubtedly be of great use to him in the future or elsewhere.

"Okay!" he agreed, noticing another manager entering the room. He swiftly replied and accepted the pills from Gu Chaoyan's hands. "We'll meet here at the same time tomorrow. If the Elder Prince agrees, we'll seal the deal tomorrow without fail."

"Sure, Manager. I'll be here at this hour tomorrow. Let's go and browse some other items at the Star Moon Pavilion," Gu Chaoyan responded.

"Please, my lady." The manager hurriedly departed.

Gu Chaoyan turned back.

They found the selection appealing but hadn't made any final choices yet.

"No preferences?" Gu Chaoyan asked Dao Seeking.

"Not yet. We would like to take a closer look first, and we'll make our purchases next time," Lingyun explained.

Gu Chaoyan did not stop them.

They had been in the Shenyoun Continent for a long time, and they were not in a hurry to buy everything. It was not too late to think about it.

"Lady, we need to talk with you about something." Lingyun said.

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Gu Chaoyan nodded.

Then she led them back home.

Lingyun and the others had something they wanted to discuss with her, and she had something to share with them as well. Initially, she had planned to wait until she obtained the Golden Rolls, but considering the circumstances, she decided to reveal everything together.

Lingyun and the others had also been pondering over this matter.

Ever since they arrived in the Shenyoun Continent, they realized that they couldn't rely on Elder Miss anymore. In fact, they now needed Elder Miss to take care of them.

That was simply unacceptable.

After thorough deliberation, they had nearly reached a conclusion.

"Elder Miss, I have learned the art of pill-making, and Ziming and Huarong also need to focus on their cultivation. We require materials and Spirit Stones for pill-making and cultivation," Lingyun explained.

"..."

"We plan to establish a pill shop here on the Shenyong Continent. I will take charge of making pills, and Ziming and Huarong will assist. In addition to cultivating, we will save up Spirit Stones for you, Elder Miss," Lingyun declared.

Hearing their proposal, Gu Chaoyan found it completely feasible.

Due to Huaijin's situation, she had to go to the Supreme Sect to obtain the One Origin Grass. It would be some time before she returned.

Taking them to the Supreme Sect was simply not an option.

She had been contemplating how to settle them down.

Initially, she had considered letting them stay with the Yan Family, where Madame Yan could arrange some work and cultivation for them. However, it seemed they had their own plans.

They were free to pursue whatever they desired.

If things went well, she could even provide assistance to the Yan Family in the future.

"Alright, before I depart for the Supreme Sect, I will teach you the art of pill refinement. From now on, you'll have to rely on yourselves," Gu Chaoyan declared. She turned to Sword One and added, "Sword One, you can accompany them to the Supreme Sect. I am unable to take anyone with me at the moment, but I will bring you back once I return."

Alongside Huaijin.

Who was residing in seclusion within the mountains.

She chose not to disclose the remaining details.

Because they were the only ones aware of what had happened to Huaijin, and she intended to keep it that way. Gu Chaoyan decided not to reveal anything more.

"Elder Miss," Sword One expressed concern, still worried about Gu Chaoyan being left without anyone to care for her.

Gu Chaoyan nodded in response, and Sword One acknowledged her answer without saying anything further.

Except for the days when Gu Chaoyan went to the Star Moon Pavilion to retrieve the Golden Rolls, the majority of her time was spent teaching Lingyun the art of pill-making and instructing Ziming and Huarong on cultivation.

Word spread throughout the Shenyong Continent that the Elder Prince had achieved another breakthrough and reached the level of Martial Monarch.

The younger generation recognized him as the most likely candidate to become a Martial Emperor.

The royal family joined in the jubilation as well.

The Second Prince made a few more attempts at the Dragon Vein but returned empty-handed.

Before long, the time for the Supreme Sect's examination arrived.

With the Golden Rolls in hand, those intending to participate were already making preparations for the assessment.

The Yan Family had intended for Yan Wuji to join them, but now there were two of them, namely Gu Chaoyan and Yan Wuji.

Madame Yan felt much more assured with Gu Chaoyan by her side.

Well...

Madame Yan had heard a lot of news before they left.

Wu Lehe from the Wu Family and Zhuo Yuanbai from the Zhuo Family would be there too.

Also...

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Surprisingly, among the participants, Yan Zhengchu was present.

Yan Zhengchu, being a prince of the royal family, shared the same ambition as his fellow princes—to ascend to the throne of the Shenyao Dynasty. As such, they held the Golden Rolls and, upon reaching the required cultivation level, they wouldn't confine themselves to a sect like the Supreme Sect.

Usually, they would send trusted aides in their place.

Both sides were aware of each other's trusted aides, which served as their bargaining chips.

However, this year...

Yan Zhengchu personally requested Gu Chaoyan to participate in the examination at the Supreme Sect. What was his motive?

"Could it be because he is the weakest among the princes and the Elder Prince has made a breakthrough?" Yan Wuji speculated.

"He is the most cunning among the princes. He must have a plan. You need to be cautious of him," Yan Lin warned, expressing sudden concern.

"In the Supreme Sect, even if he is a prince, he cannot harm us, especially considering that Chaoyan is more powerful than him," Yan Wuji reassured.

Yan Lin pondered for a moment and agreed.

The Supreme Sect was a sect governed by rules, and they prohibited harm among its members.

Thus, he felt at ease.

Upon learning of Yan Zhengchu's intention to go to the Supreme Sect, Gu Chaoyan and Yan Wuji decided to leave early, in order to avoid encountering him. Gu Chaoyan didn't want to waste her energy on dealing with this prince.

As expected, not long after their departure, Yan Zhengchu arrived at the Yan Family, intending to leave with them.

Yan Lin played the role of a fortune teller, instructing them to leave first.

Yan Zhengchu couldn't help but feel a sense of regret. Nevertheless, he didn't delay his journey and hurried towards the Supreme Sect.

"Chaoyan is quite adept at making predictions," Yan Lin commented, finding it amusing.

As for the Prophet, after riding out alongside Yan Wuji, he decided to utilize Sword Kinesis Flight to swiftly make his way to the Supreme Sect.

Yan Wuji was pleased to hear that.

Since there would be internal conflicts along the way, it made sense to wait at the Supreme Sect.

They arrived ahead of the others, but it wasn't yet time for the examination. They had to wait.

During this waiting period, they didn't remain idle. Each of them engaged in cultivation and meditation.

A day later, the remaining participants began to arrive one by one.

Yan Zhengchu approached Gu Chaoyan and Yan Wuji directly. "When did you arrive, and how did you manage to get here so quickly?"

"Not long ago," Yan Wuji replied.

"I see. It's wise of you to arrive early," Yan Zhengchu remarked.

Neither Yan Wuji nor Gu Chaoyan offered any response.

Zhuo Yuanbai snorted at the sight of Gu Chaoyan and walked away, still harboring resentment due to the incident involving Zhuo Yuanming.

Wu Yuehe approached them and greeted them politely.

There were only a few familiar faces among the participants. The rest were either from other continents or independent cultivators.

Wu Yuehe wasn't foolish. He understood the value of cultivating relationships with those he knew, as they could support each other in the future.

The Wu Family had always maintained a low profile. They didn't provoke anyone nor seek closeness with others. Wu Yuehe shared the same mindset.

Gu Chaoyan had a favorable impression of Wu Yuehe. He was the only one satisfied with their encounter at the dragon vein, selecting a Dharma artifact and leaving with the enchanted armament. It had been a mutually beneficial transaction.

Gu Chaoyan observed the others around her.

At that moment, the doors of the Supreme Sect opened. They were about to enter the area of the sect to participate in the examination for outer sect disciples.

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However...

Upon the opening of the Supreme Sect's doors, no one immediately ventured inside. Instead, they hesitated, looking around, clearly reluctant to be the first to enter.

As Gu Chaoyan gazed at the magnificent structure floating in the clouds, she couldn't help but feel astonished.

It was no wonder that the aristocratic families and dynasties of the Shenyong Continent yearned to enter the Supreme Sect—a sacred existence of such grandeur.

The Supreme Sect was not situated on the main road; rather, it resided high above the clouds.

It must be a place brimming with abundant spiritual energy.

Given their elevation above the clouds, the foremost challenge in entering the Supreme Sect was apparent.

Someone attempted to employ Sword Kinesis Flight to reach the Supreme Sect but quickly realized it was impossible. The Supreme Sect seemed to be enveloped by an array formation, prohibiting the use of Sword Kinesis Flight.

Ascending would prove to be exceedingly difficult.

They all came to a halt.

"Chaoyan, what should we do?" Yan Wuji inquired in a hushed voice, his question drawing the attention of many.

Gu Chaoyan contemplated the distance between herself and the Supreme Sect.

Since they all possessed Golden Rolls for the examination, the Supreme Sect would undoubtedly allow them entry.

However, the Supreme Sect hadn't dispatched anyone to guide them either.

Being newcomers to the Supreme Sect, they were unfamiliar with its procedures.

In that case...

The means to enter the Supreme Sect must be...

Gu Chaoyan retrieved her own Golden Rolls and examined it attentively.

Another way to describe the Golden Rolls was as a guide scroll.

The guide scroll.

So, the path to the Supreme Sect was inscribed on the Golden Rolls?

Gu Chaoyan quickly grasped the situation. She gazed at the Golden Rolls and noticed some markings on the back. If she was correct, those markings should indicate the way to the Supreme Sect.

Although there appeared to be no visible path, how could a sect like the Supreme Sect truly have no path?

"Follow me," Gu Chaoyan replied to Yan Wuji.

Yan Wuji complied and followed Gu Chaoyan.

Upon hearing Gu Chaoyan's statement, Yan Zhengchu, who stood nearby, decided to join as well. Wu Yuehe followed suit, realizing that since everyone was heading in that direction, he had little choice.

Zhuo Yuanbai snorted and opted not to follow Gu Chaoyan. Instead, he sought his own means of entering the Supreme Sect.

The remaining participants didn't want to draw attention to themselves, so they observed from below, waiting to see who would successfully proceed.

Zhuo Yuanbai took a direct approach. He employed his spiritual energy to support himself and climbed step by step, finding the ascent quite challenging.

Gu Chaoyan, on the other hand, followed the path indicated on the scroll, proceeding with a deliberate pace.

Gu Chaoyan's path differed significantly from Zhuo Yuanbai's. Zhuo Yuanbai relied solely on his own spiritual power, seemingly floating in the air as he walked. Whenever Gu Chaoyan's feet touched the ground, a golden light would appear beneath her, as if something were supporting her steps.

The others clearly understood whom they should follow.

Apparently, they were following Gu Chaoyan and Zhuo Yuanbai, and they might fall off the cliff.

They all walked smoothly towards Supreme Sect.

Zhuo Yuanbai turned around and saw that he was the only one who was walking forward.

Chapter 2056 Test 2

As for the others...

They followed Gu Chaoyan towards the sect, while Zhuo Yuanbai's expression turned grim. It wasn't the time for him to display his anger. He still had half the distance to cover, and his spiritual power was rapidly depleting. If he couldn't endure much longer, he would soon collapse.

Standing at such a great height, a fall would leave him severely injured.

He had no other choice. He clenched his teeth and forged ahead, intentionally ignoring Gu Chaoyan as a means to vent his frustration.

Gu Chaoyan waited for Zhuo Yuanbai at the entrance of the Supreme Sect.

Zhuo Yuanbai mustered his last ounce of strength and was on the verge of reaching his destination. With well-meaning intentions, Wu Yuehe extended a hand to help him up. Zhuo Yuanbai's face was pale as he barely managed to stand at the entrance of the Supreme Sect.

He lacked the energy to say anything further to Gu Chaoyan. His sole focus was on seeking revenge against the Zhuo Family and erasing the humiliation he had experienced.

The disciples who had arrived to take the examination proceeded to the Supreme Sect for the official assessment.

The Elders observing through the Heavenly Stone Mirror wore different expressions on their faces. This year's examination was quite exceptional.

Some disciples were able to swiftly decipher the solution, while one even devised his own method using spiritual energy. It was a first.

As a result...

Ironically, those who utilized the correct approach went unnoticed. Instead, Zhuo Yuanbai became the topic of discussion among a few inner sect Elders.

"I wonder what kind of Spiritual Roots he possesses and what level of cultivation he has. If the quality is commendable, he could potentially join our sect. His perseverance is extraordinary. Although he may be reckless, that aligns with the spirit of our sect. We value perseverance more than mere intelligence. If he meets the requirements, don't snatch him away from me!" an inner sect Elder remarked, filled with admiration.

The Elders from other sects acknowledged Zhuo Yuanbai's talents but didn't hold a favorable opinion of him. Consequently, they refrained from continuing the conversation.

Since the examination had yet to commence, there was no need for them to rush. They could patiently observe and wait.

The future official examination would serve as the determining factor for selection.

The inner sect Elders continued to observe the examination through the mirror.

Unbeknownst to Zhuo Yuanbai, as he prepared for the initial assessment, he had attracted the attention of an Elder from the Fist Faction. Had he been aware of this, he might not have felt so disgruntled.

Although the Supreme Sect hadn't attained the status of a super sect, it possessed a solid foundation. The Supreme Sect's Patriarch was a Paragon Martial Saint.

Furthermore...

The Patriarch of the Supreme Sect had rescued an expert from the ancient continent in the past. Unfortunately, the expert couldn't survive and ultimately perished within the Supreme Sect. Besides the Patriarch, the Supreme Sect boasted the support of other powerful figures. This was why the Supreme Sect held its current position.

The Supreme Sect comprised a total of six sects: the Medicine Sect, the Fist Sect, the Sword Sect, the Refiner Sect, and the Beast Sect.

Simultaneously, these sects were divided into the outer and inner sects.

Should they pass the examination that day, they would officially become outer sect disciples. After three months, an inner sect examination would be conducted. Successful candidates would then be able to enter the inner sect.

Gu Chaoyan's aim was to gain entry into the inner sect.

Only those who had entered the inner sect were deemed eligible to obtain the One Origin Grass.

Chapter 2057 Test 3

The primary objective of Gu Chaoyan's visit to the Supreme Sect was to obtain the One Origin Grass.

However...

The most immediate task at hand was to successfully pass the outer sect examination.

The first examination they were about to undertake belonged to the Array Faction.

Upon entering the array formation, they would determine their performance based on the duration of their stay within it.

Thus...

They could either remain within the area for a significant period of time or make a significant impact within the array formation.

Those who managed to endure a long duration within the array formation would, at the very least, prove their ability to survive.

Regarding array formations...

Gu Chaoyan harbored no fear. She possessed numerous books on array formations within her spatial storage, and she had extensively studied the subject. She believed she would be capable of handling the Supreme Sect's examination of disciples.

Within the Supreme Sect, a total of six sects existed. By successfully passing the assessments of four sects, they could gradually enter the Supreme Sect as outer sect disciples.

Gu Chaoyan was determined to excel in the Array Sect.

The Elder in charge of the examination for the Array Sect awaited outside.

Upon being assessed, the candidates were instantly teleported into various locations within the array formation by the Outer Sect Elder.

As Gu Chaoyan entered the array formation, she surveyed her surroundings and noticed the absence of others. This indicated that they were scattered across different areas, each individual being isolated.

Having comprehended the situation, Gu Chaoyan prepared herself to break the array.

She found herself surrounded by towering trees, evoking a sense of familiarity as if she had returned to one of the mountains they had visited before. In that particular mountain, the trees had transformed into spirit-infused demons.

Gu Chaoyan was confident that there were numerous demon beasts present in the vicinity.

Just as she was contemplating this...

Suddenly, numerous voices emanated from the surrounding woods.

Gu Chaoyan gripped her white jade sword tightly, prepared to face any potential beasts that might emerge.

She was well aware that she was within the array formation for the Supreme Sect's assessment, meaning that she wouldn't face any actual harm here. However, it would be ideal if she could break through the array formation.

In an instant...

Without warning, a demonic beast charged at her.

Countless white tigers attacked, but since they were all tiger cubs, they posed no significant threat.

Gu Chaoyan easily dispatched one with just two strikes.

However...

As she ventured deeper, Gu Chaoyan realized that the onslaught of white tigers was unending. They swarmed at her from every direction. While she could handle them with relative ease, the constant onslaught would quickly exhaust her. She couldn't sustain this for much longer.

The book on array formations she had seen within her spatial storage mentioned that every array formation possessed an "array eye."

This array eye served as the focal point of the array formation. Without it, the array would lose its power.

While dealing with the white tigers, Gu Chaoyan scrutinized the formation for any peculiarities, searching for the array eye.

Suddenly, her gaze fell upon a massive adult white tiger.

Within this array formation, there existed only a single large adult white tiger.

Gu Chaoyan swiftly charged toward the adult white tiger with all her might. Moving at incredible speed, she closed the distance in an instant, catching the adult white tiger off guard. In the blink of an eye, the adult white tiger vanished, and Gu Chaoyan emerged from boundary of the array formation, standing exactly where she had been.

No one else remained in her vicinity.

Chapter 2058 Test 4

"You have successfully passed the array formation test," stated the Elder of the Array Faction. "Furthermore, you are the sole individual who has managed to break the array formation. You possess knowledge of array formations?"

Gu Chaoyan felt a sense of reassurance.

She had spent the longest time within the array formation, while the others had already moved on to the next examination location.

This was why she found herself alone here.

Typically, Gu Chaoyan preferred not to show off excessively.

However, she needed to obtain the One Origin Grass as soon as possible, necessitating her remarkable performance. Additionally, she yearned to enter the inner sect promptly.

Three months felt too prolonged for her.

They needed to expedite their progress.

The cultivation environment within the inner sect would be far superior, thus making her more eligible to access the One Origin Grass.

"I have some understanding, although limited," Gu Chaoyan replied calmly to the Elder outside the Array Sect. "I do know that every array has a core, and relying solely on one's own spiritual energy within the array is futile. The crucial aspect lies in finding the core and rendering the array formation obsolete. Hence, it took me some time to locate the core within, but fortunately, I succeeded in the end."

The outer sect Elder nodded with satisfaction.

She was correct.

When inside an array formation, it was essential to locate and neutralize the core, thereby completely dismantling the array formation. Only then could one truly ensure their safety.

However, given that they were all new disciples, the examination standards were somewhat lowered for them. If they could endure within the array formation for a considerable duration, they would pass the assessment. After all, if they could persist long enough, they could await rescue by someone in the future.

Gu Chaoyan surpassed the capabilities of ordinary disciples.

This was a good thing.

If she could join the Swordsmanship Sect in the future, that would be a great thing.

However....

It was just an examination.

Even if he was satisfied, he was not going to say that out loud.

She needed to get into the sect first.

"Then you can go to the next place for the examination." The Elder outside the Array Sect did not ask anything more.

"Okay."

Gu Chaoyan answered politely and left in a hurry.

The next test was for the Fist Faction.

She hurried over and saw Yan Wuji.

"Did you pass the examination?" Gu Chaoyan asked with a low voice.

"You barely passed. If the other examinations went well, you would be able to enter the outer sect smoothly. But you, the Zhuo Family have lasted long enough, and you are even better than them. You will definitely pass the Array Sect's examination safely. As long as there are no other mistakes, you will definitely be able to enter the sect." Yan Wuji said.

"Okay." Gu Chaoyan responded.

They said nothing more.

They were going to take the examination of the Fist Sect.

For sects like Fist Sect, most of the disciples they accepted were stronger and less agile. They mainly relied on the strength of their fists to attack.

Gu Chaoyan was not very interested in the Fist Sect, but they needed to be assessed.

The Fist Sect was special, so the examination was relatively simple.

On the stage were some outstanding inner sect disciples of the Fist Sect. As long as they could take one punch from the inner sect disciples, they would pass.

Well...

She could dodge the punch, and she could do anything else, as long as she was not knocked off the stage.

Gu Chaoyan was very confident.

She was not going to answer that.

Chapter 2059 Test 5

She was going to dodge the punch.

However....

Gu Chaoyan was still quite worried about Yan Wuji. So she told him a footwork and he should be able to dodge the punch.

Yan Wuji was overjoyed.

He had been a little worried about the examination at the Fist Sect, but now he did not have to worry.

The disciples went up one by one.

While the majority of candidates hesitated to step down, a few decided to do so.

Gu Chaoyan and Yan Wuji swiftly evaded the attack, adhering to the rules of the examination. While this caused some dissatisfaction among others, it was an accepted practice.

On the contrary, Zhuo Yuanbai directly absorbed the blow, merely taking a few steps back.

His performance was undeniably impressive.

"Excellent, this young man is truly remarkable. If things go smoothly, the Fist Sect will directly recruit him. Don't try to snatch him away," expressed the inner sect Elder of the Fist Sect with satisfaction.

The other Elders remained silent but added, "I won't compete with you."

Furthermore, they had no intention of doing so.

The Elder of the Fist Sect favored individuals of this nature, while the Elders from other sects preferred disciples who possessed greater cunning and astuteness. In comparison, they valued intelligence over straightforwardness.

For instance, the Elder of the Beast-controlling Sect took a liking to Gu Chaoyan, who displayed exceptional proficiency in animal manipulation. She had the ability to effectively handle various types of creatures.

However...

The Elder of the Beast-controlling Sect maintained a composed demeanor.

They could not just tell them who they wanted before the examination was over. They had to wait until the examination was over.

The competition of the Fist Faction was over.

Next was the examination of the Sword Clan.

The examination of the Sword Clan was held on the sword wall at the entrance of the clan.

The sword wall was full of mechanisms, which were controlled by the Sword Clan.

And what they needed to do was to block all the sword rain and go up to the sword wall, so they could pass the examination.

For new disciples, the standard of the sword wall was not very high. It started with 9th swords, then 99th swords, and then 999th swords.

Almost all disciples with good swordsmanship could make it.

Zhuo Yuanbai was in the limelight at the Fist Sect and he was in a good mood. So he was the first one to join them.

His swordsmanship was a little weaker, and by the time he reached the 99th sword, his arm was injured. But he barely made it to the sword wall, and his face sank. He was obviously displeased.

After that was Yan Wuji, and after that was Yan Zhengchu...

Gradually, these people passed the examination.

But there were still two people who failed the examination of the Sword Clan.

Gu Chaoyan was the last one to go up. Everyone was looking at Gu Chaoyan.

She held her breath and started to climb up the wall.

She dodged the rain of swords easily.

These disciples already had a rough ranking for the three examinations.

And there were three more tests to go.

They decided to take a break and wait until the following day.

Today would serve as a rest day.

The remaining three rounds of examinations were scheduled for the Medicine Sect, the Beastmaster Sect, and the Weapon Refining Sect, respectively.

Many candidates held little hope for the examination conducted by the Medicine Sect and the Weapon Refining Sect. Their primary focus was on successfully passing the examination of the Beastmaster Sect.

The Medicine Sect and the Weapon Refining Sect held unique positions within the Supreme Sect.

Members of the Medicine Sect specialized in alchemy, while those of the Weapon Refining Sect excelled in crafting magical weapons.

Alchemists were highly sought after throughout the continent, while refiners garnered attention primarily when they were capable of producing high-level magical weapons.

Ordinary cultivators rarely had the opportunity to interact with practitioners from either sect.

Chapter 2060 Test 6

Hence, it was expected that passing the examinations for the Medicine Sect and the Weapon Refining Sect would be challenging unless they received occasional guidance from family members who specialized in those fields.

Moreover...

Proficiency in alchemy and weapon forging could provide additional sources of income.

Having learned about the Supreme Sect's examinations, Gu Chaoyan felt no pressure. She possessed great skill in alchemy and was confident in her ability to pass the examination.

She could even seek assistance from Huang Fu, her trusted companion in her spatial storage.

There was no need for concern.

Accommodations had already been arranged by the Supreme Sect.

Each room housed three individuals, with separate quarters for males and females.

Gu Chaoyan found herself sharing a room with two unfamiliar women. One of them exuded an air of coldness and remained silent, while the other was a complete stranger to Gu Chaoyan.

However....

Gu Chaoyan did not care.

But there were other people in the room, so she could not go into the space directly.

Instead, she summoned Huang Fu with her mind.

Huang Fu remained in the spatial storage, providing companionship and conversation for Gu Chaoyan.

"There is no secret to beast control. Once you understand what the beast desires, taming it becomes effortless. Here is a book on beast control; take a look at it to prepare for the examination," Huang Fu advised, promptly presenting Gu Chaoyan with another book.

Gu Chaoyan retrieved the book and diligently flipped through its pages.

They delved into the art of animal control.

By the time Gu Chaoyan finished reading the book, it was already late. She closed the book, retired to bed, and slept.

Upon awakening, it was time for the examination.

The first assessment of the day was conducted by the Weapon Refining Sect. Participants would be allowed into the refining room, where they could personally select the materials and forge a weapon. Accompanying them were a few senior brothers from the Weapon Refining Sect, who could assist with basic inquiries. As long as the weapon produced met the required standards, it would be considered a success.

Additionally, participants were permitted to keep the weapons they created.

However, very few candidates in the past took away weapons. They could not even look at the first weapon they made, let alone use it.

Gu Chaoyan took a look at the place where the materials were selected.

They were given some ordinary black iron.

However....

But Gu Chaoyan saw some iron in the pile.

Metallic iron was 100 times tougher than ordinary iron.

She already had the white jade sword, so she did not need any weapons.

However, Yan Wuji found himself in need of a new sword. Since they had just arrived for the examination, it would be practical to purchase a weapon from Supreme Sect's weapon pavilion. Unfortunately, they were unable to make any purchases.

What if Gu Chaoyan forged a weapon for him?

That's exactly what Gu Chaoyan decided to do.

She procured the necessary metal and began the forging process.

Melting the metal and shaping it into a sword, Gu Chaoyan then took out tea crystals from her spatial storage, broke them, and inserted them into the sword. This infusion would enhance the sword's properties.

Moving on to the hilt, Gu Chaoyan placed Spirit Stones within, optimizing the sword's spiritual energy and enhancing its sharpness. However, since she had no additional Spirit Stones on hand, she left the hilt empty for now. She planned to add them later when she obtained more.

With Gu Chaoyan completing her sword, the others were also nearing the completion of their own swords.